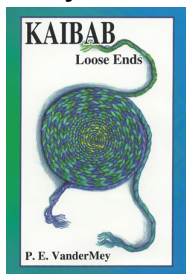
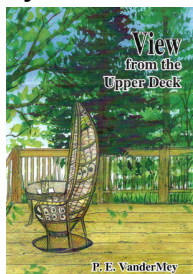


Authors' Presentations

The Birth of a Book

Thursday, Sept. 14th, 4:30-6:30
Book signing and presentation
by Paula VanderMey



Michigan's 2023 Poet Laureate Nandi Comer

Wednesday, Oct. 25th, 6:30PM

Writers Workshop at 4PM, by reservation



We are honored to host poet and author Nandi Comer, who will share her work followed by Q&A.

Copies of Nandi's books will be available for purchase, courtesy of The Island Bookstore

Fall Planted Perennials, Native Species & Pollinators

Saturday, Sept. 23rd, Noon

Local plant specialist provides information and instruction for healthy gardens that begin in the fall.



Let Freedom Read!

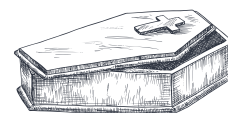
Month of October

Celebrate the First Amendment! Pick out a book and a button to show your support!



The History and Traditions of Michigan's Dead

Thursday, Oct. 19th, 6:30 PM



Jennifer McGraw presents her research into burial customs, prehistoric to the Civil War.

HNFS Partner Program



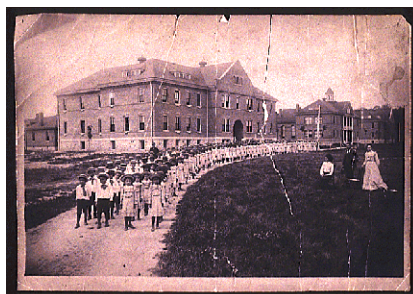
Troy Graham Concert

Thursday, Oct. 26th 7:00 PM

Troy shares his impeccable folk talents to bring us sweet tunes old and new!



Boarding School Memories Sault Tribe of Chippewa Indians, Advocacy Center Monday, Oct. 16th, 6-8PM!



Tribal elders share their stories of boarding school life, its cultural and personal impacts.

Manhattan Short Film Festival

Sunday, Oct. 1st, 3:00PM
Friday, Oct. 6th, 6:00PM



HOURS:

Monday 10-5
Tuesday 10-5

Wednesday 10-7
Thursday 10-5

Friday 10-5
Saturday 10-3

MOSTLY KIDS

Story Hour

Fridays, 10:30

LEGO EXTRAVAGANZA!

Last Saturday of every month,
Noon-2:30



Ask us;
we can
help!

...and FAMILIES**Solar
Eclipse**

October 9th - 14th

Get ready for the
October 14th
partial eclipse
with a pair of
eclipse glasses,
and "here or
home" crafts,
available all
week
long.

**Family Kitchen**

Sign up to learn Malaysian
cooking techniques and recipes
with 4-H instructor Adam Chan.

Three classes, 6-8PM:

- Sept. 19th:
 - Fried Rice
 - Sweet & Sour Chicken
 - Egg Drop Soup
- Oct. 17th:
 - Egg Roll
 - Curry Chicken
 - Noodles in Coconut Broth
- Nov. 21st:
 - Fried Noodles w/Roast Pork
 - Mixed Veg. Soup
 - Fruit in Flatbread



3rd Tuesdays

Repeat Engagements**Fiber Arts**

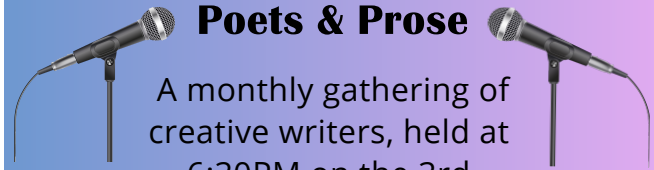
2nd and 4th
Wednesdays,
5:15 PM

Bring your project and share in
the inspiration & conversation!

Cribbage, Anyone?

Wednesdays, 5-7

Drop in for a game
or a lesson!
Beginners are
welcome.

**Poets & Prose**

A monthly gathering of
creative writers, held at
6:30PM on the 3rd
Wednesday of each month,
alternating formats:

Sept. 20th: Poetry
Oct. 18th: Prose
Nov. 15th: Poetry

Hand-Made

First Monday of every month*, 6:00 PM

Arts and Crafts for Grown-ups

Sept. 11th

Oct. 2nd

Nov. 6th



Burlap Pumpkins



Witch's Broom



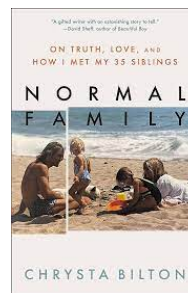
Pinecone Gnomes



***except Sept.**

Book Club

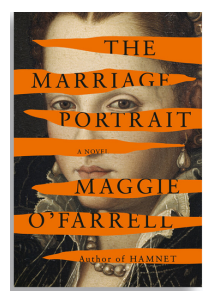
Your copy awaits you! Ask at the desk.
Last Thursday of every month, 5PM



Sept. 28th



Oct. 26th



Nov. 30th

Monday 10-5
Tuesday 10-5

HOURS:
Wednesday 10-7
Thursday 10-5

Friday 10-5
Saturday 10-3