



Bringing Readers Back:

Book Based In-Person Events Beyond Community Reads

Category: Programming

After years of social distancing, our patrons are eager to return to our buildings. Why not welcome them back with new programs, ones that focus on our brand, books? Join experienced Readers' Advisory expert, Becky Spratford, as she shares a variety of proven in person, book-based programming from small scale to on-going series and everything in between; programs that are not only engaging and fun, but will also increase patron visits and checkouts.

As a result of this program, attendees will learn:

- How to make a visit to the library itself a worthwhile experience for adult leisure readers
- How to build interactivity into Readers' Advisory Services
- How to leverage your brand [Books] to engage adult users

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Date

March 1, 2023

Time

2.00 PM - 3.00 PM EST

Your Knowledge Expert



Becky Spratford





Life Lessons from the Happiest People on Earth

Category: Wellness

Every year, the World Happiness Report is dominated by the same countries: Denmark, Iceland, Finland, Sweden, and Norway. What is it about these Scandinavian countries that makes living there so pleasant?

Learn to improve your own life by embracing the practices of hygge and lykke (Danish coziness and happiness); lagom (Swedish balance); sisu (Finnish determination); Niksen (Dutch disassociation); Þetta reddast (Icelandic optimism); and friluftsliv (Norwegian outdoor life).

Date March 8, 2023

Time 2.00 PM - 3.00 PM EST

Your Knowledge Expert



Jez Layman





Living and Working Energetically

Category: Wellness

Wouldn't it be wonderful to live each day enthusiastically and energetically? Your tiredness is telling you something. It could include your food choices, sleep cycle, decision making, movement, grief, lack of purpose, or worry.

During this hands-on program you will examine what both drains and replenishes your energy and create a unique roadmap of how to construct your day to maximize your energy.

During this hands-on program you will discover:

- What drains and replenishes your energy and enthusiasm
- A roadmap to maximizing your energy

Your Knowledge Expert

Date **March 15, 2023**

Time 2.00 PM - 3.00 PM EST

Laura Greco





Spring Into Action: Take Bold Action

Category:
Professional Development

In this workshop-style program, you'll plan on purpose by designing your personalized Bounce-Uptm Momentum Builder. You choose what you want to create, which gives you the power to drive your actions.

You'll get Mj's recommended tools to encourage you and help you stay committed. (These tools are digital and free!) Let's set the stage for success.

Leave this program with the knowledge to:

- Apply the designated tools to track your successful actions
- Design your Bounce-Up Momentum Builder
- Connect your energy and values to your intentional success

Your Knowledge Expert

Date March 22, 2023

Time 2.00 PM - 3.00 PM EST



Mj Callaway





Incorporating Open Education Resources in the Library

Category: Advocacy

Open educational resources (OER) are popular resources, due in part to their contribution to creating more affordable course materials.

This presentation discusses the fundamental characteristics of OER and specifically how OER can be used for engagement and inclusivity. Additionally, the presenter will describe how libraries can incorporate OER to develop agency in library users, and also to provide opportunities for library users to contribute new knowledge to the digital ecosystem.

As a result of this program, attendees will gain the skills to:

- Name key characteristics of OER
- Describe how to use OER
- Develop ideas for incorporating OER into libraries

Your Knowledge Expert

Date March 29, 2023

Time 2.00 PM - 3.00 PM EST



Lauren Hays