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MANY FACES - MANY STORIES

Building Community through Storytelling: recognizing, honoring, and embracing all cultures with humility and respect.

STUDENTS WELCOME

Community Workshop

Power, Privilege and Identity: Exploring positions in society and the power that comes with privilege

Facilitated by Mike Rios, Office for Social Justice Equity & Disparities; Racism, Sexism, Classism...What is my role and responsibility? Examining and understanding our own identities is just one piece to the puzzle of combating systemic oppression.

FREE / Wed, April 8, 2020 / 6:30 - 8:30pm #1655.300 / WBL District Center Board Room Registration required, call 651-407-7501 or visit www.whitebear.ce.eleyo.com



Collaboration Partners:

Century College
City of White Bear Lake
Greater White Bear Lake Community Foundation
Lakeshore Players
Mahtomedi Public Schools
White Bear Center for the Arts
White Bear Lake Area Historical Society
White Bear Lake Area Schools

Book Discussions

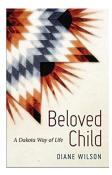
Need a book? Call 651-653-3126

"The Lions Binding Oath" by Ahmed Ismail Yusuf

"The Lion's Binding Oath", a collection of short stories, introduces readers to the people of Somalia and their struggles: their humanity, faith, identity, friendship, and family bonds, as whispers of war grow louder around them. Through stories that span the years before and during Somali's civil war, Yusuf weaves together Somalia's political, social, and religious conflicts with portrayals of the country's love of poetry, music, and soccer.



FREE / Thu, Jan 30 / 6 - 8 pm Mahtomedi Ed Center, 1520 Mahtomedi Ave Registration required. Call 651-407-2018 or visit www.mahtomedicomed.com



"Beloved Child" by Diane Wilson

Among the Dakota, the Beloved Child ceremony marked the special, tender affection that parents felt toward a child whose life had been threatened. In this moving book, the author explores the work of several modern Dakota people who are continuing this tradition; to believe in the "genius and brilliance" of Dakota culture as a way of surviving historical trauma.

FREE / March 24 / 6 - 7:30 pm Hanifl Performing Arts Center, 4941 Long Ave, WBL For more information or questions call 651-478-7427.

"How the Garcia Girls Lost their Accents" by Julia Alvarez

Facilitated by Briana Santoscoy, Latino Cultural Liaison and WBLAS students.

FREE / Tue, May 12 / 5:30 - 7:00 pm 5:30 - 6:00 pm - Meal, 6:00 - 7:00 pm - Discussion #1655:305 / WB North Campus Cafeteria Registration required. Call 651-407-7501 or visit www.whitebear.ce.elevo.com



Associated WBLAS Events

Registration required.

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We are Minnesotans: A Photostory of Immigration and Community Transformation

Facilitated by: Waihon Liew

"I can't change the world, but I can change myself and my community." Through the use of photo storytelling, Waihon will share his family's refugee and immigration story, the help he received, and how he is paying it forward by mentoring immigrant/refugee youth in the Twin Cities and giving back to Malaysia.

\$15 / Wed, Feb 5 / 6:30 - 7:30 pm #1655.204 / WB South Campus Media Center

Dream of Wild Health: Indigenous foods, medicines, and lifeways

Facilitated by Hope Flangan

Hope Flangan, respected elder and cultural teacher at the Dream of Wild Health, shares her expertise regarding Indigenous farming, seed preservation, and healthy lifeways. As of today, Dream of Wild Health has more than 100 different varieties of saved seeds in their collection, a priceless legacy from Indigenous ancestors. The stewardship of this collection has been identified as a top priority of Dream of Wild Health and is an ongoing effort. Join us in exploring all there is to learn about the Indigenous community farm located in Hugo.

FREE / Tue, Feb 11 / 9:30 - 10:30 am #1655.215 / South Campus

Program available thanks to the White Bear Lake Area Educational Foundation.

Many Faces, Many Dishes

Discover culture through food. For complete descriptions, see page 10.

Easy Ethiopian/Eritrean Cooking Class

\$42 / Thu, Feb 20 / 6 - 8 pm #1633.200 / South Campus 206

\$42 / Tue, April 7 / 6 - 8 pm #1633.303 / South Campus 206

South East Asian Cuisine (Hmoob): Pad Thai

\$49 / Fri, March 27 / 6:30 - 8:15pm #1633.203 / South Campus 206

South East Asian Cuisine (Hmoob): Traditional Hmong Rice

\$49 / Fri, April 24 / 6:30 - 8:15pm #1633.305 / South Campus 206

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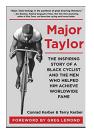
Associated Community Events

Then & Now: Downtown White Bear Lake, Part I

FREE / Jan 27 / 6:00 - 7:00 pm Ramsey County Library - 2150 2nd Street, WBL Sponsored by the White Bear Lake Area Historical Society

TED Talk Tuesday: Dave Isay: "Everyone around you has a story the world needs to hear"

Free / Jan 28 / 6:30 - 7:30 pm Mahtomedi Ed Center, 1520 Mahtomedi Ave Registration required. Call 651-407-2018 or visit www.mahtomedicomed.com



Major Taylor by Terry Kerber

FREE / Feb 6 / 7:00 - 8:30 pm WB Center for the Arts, 4971 Long Ave, WBL Call 651-407-0597 or visit www.whitebeararts.org

The Best We Could Do, By Thi Bui

FREE / Feb 11 / 6:30 - 8:00 pm WB Center for the Arts, 4971 Long Ave, WBL Registration required. Call 651-407-0597 or visit www.whitebeararts.org



The Business of Dressmaking: Minnesota Couture 1880-1914

FREE / Feb 13 / 6:30 - 8 pm WB Center for the Arts, 4971 Long Ave, WBL Registration required. Call 651-407-2018 or visit www.whitebeararts.org

Mapping Prejudice

Mapping Prejudice is working to create an interactive digital map of how racially restrictive housing covenants denied housing to minorities in neighborhoods throughout the Twin Cities, creating and reinforcing segregation here in the North. Come learn more about this research and the plans to expand mapping into Ramsey county, including our local area.

FREE / Feb 18 / 6:30 - 8:30 pm Century College, East Campus, Lincoln Mall For more info call 651-779-3219

Somali Culture 101

FREE / Mar 5 / 6 - 8 pm Mahtomedi Ed Center, 1520 Mahtomedi Ave Registration required. Call 651-407-2018 or visit mahtomedicomed.com

History: Up on a Pedestal of Down on Her Knees

\$18 / Mar 13 / 10 am - 12:00 pm Mahtomedi Ed Center, 1520 Mahtomedi Ave Registration required. Call 651-407-2018 or visit www.mahtomedicomed.com