

MARTINDALE-
BRIGHTWOOD
MONTHLY
EVENTS GUIDE

may
2025

BRIGHT BUZZ

SCHOOL'S COMING TO A **CLOSE**,
SUMMER IS ALMOST HERE!

BRIGHT BUZZ

Your Source for Martindale-
Brightwood Events and News.

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MARTINDALE BRIGHTWOOD

Events

REPEATING
EVENTS THAT
HAPPEN
WEEKLY!



MON

EMCC Job Club

10:00am - 12:30pm

Edna Martin Christian Center, 2605 E 25th St.

Explore job opportunities, get résumé help, mock interviews, and more.

Career Cafe

10:00am - 12:00pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Through the Ages Fitness

1:00pm - 2:00pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Low Impact engages the participants from head to toe!

TUES

Senior Exercise

10:00am - 11:00am

Fredrick Douglas Park, 1616 E 25th St

Gentle exercises for seniors.

Cubs 959

5:00pm - 6:00pm

Leadership & Legacy Center, 2259 Ralston Ave.

WED

Senior Bible Study

11:00am - 12:00pm

Leadership & Legacy Center, 2259 Ralston Ave.
Bible study for seniors.

Friends of Douglass Park

2:00pm - 3:00pm

37th Place Community Center, 2605 E 25th St.

Community leaders advocating for the park.
Meets every second Wednesday.

Introduction to...

4:00pm - 5:00pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Microsoft Word (May 7)
Windows 11 (May 21)
Google Suites (May 28)

Family Storytime

10:30am - 11:30am

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SAT

Scouts 123/9590

10:00am - 11:30am

Leadership & Legacy Center, 2259 Ralston Ave.

THURS

Open Gym and Pickup Games

6:30pm - 8:30pm

Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church, 3101 E 30th St

AGES 18-35 Everyone
Welcome Indy Peace Fellowship

Boy Scout Troops

8:30pm

ZOOM CALL

Senior Bingo

10:30am - 12:30pm

Edna Martin Christian Center, 2605 E 25th St.

Bingo for members of the Seniors Angels program.
Prizes include grocery and personal care items. Buffet lunch follows. \$1 per session.

Career Center

2:00pm - 4:00pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Help with résumés, job searches, and applications.

Register at
<https://indianapolis.libnet.info/event/9814127#branch>



Saturday, May 3 **Free to Feel, Safe to Heal**

9:00 am - 11:00 am

Frederick Douglass Park, 1616 E 25th St

Trauma & bubble therapy sessions designed for healing through movement, breath work, and connection.

Wednesday, May 7 **Are You Smarter Than a Scammer? Avoiding Online Scams**

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr

Learn to recognize and respond to common online scams with practical tips and resources.

Wednesday, May 7 **Muffins with Mom**

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

2605 E 25th St, Room 305

Celebrate mothers with sweet treats and a fun activity for families.

Saturday, May 24 **Martindale-Brightwood Empowerment Fest**

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

2435 N Sherman Dr

Enjoy credit report reviews, games, giveaways, and local vendors at this festive event.

Saturday, May 10 **Saturdays at the Farm**

11:00 am - 2:00 pm

2436 Sheldon St

Join us for hands-on gardening workshops and community fun at the farm.

Wednesday, May 14 **Smart Phone Drop-In**

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr

Drop in for one-on-one help with your cell phone questions—no appointment needed.

Wednesday, May 21 **Breastfeeding Education and Support Classes**

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

2605 E 25th St, Room 305

Support and education for expectant and new moms in collaboration with IBBC.

Saturday, May 24 **Free to Feel, Safe to Heal**

9:00 am - 11:00 am

Frederick Douglass Park, 1616 E 25th St

Trauma-Infused Therapy and bubble fun for all ages, with incentives for youth.

Thursday, May 8 **A Day to Honor Mothers**

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

2605 E 25th St, Room 305

There will be massages, sip and paint, music as well as food and refreshments! Come relax and have fun with your beloved moms

Tuesday, May 27 **Crafter Hours**

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Late-night drop-in session for adults and seniors to craft, learn new skills, or get help with projects.





Wednesday, May 28 Geology Rocks!

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Explore prehistoric fossils and make your own fossil impressions; for ages 6-12.

Saturday, May 31 Free to Feel, Safe to Heal

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Frederick Douglass Park, 1616 E 25th St

End the month with healing movement, breathwork, and support in nature.



Saturday, May 31 Summer Reading Kickoff

10:30 am - 4:30 pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Unearth imagination and celebrate the start of Summer Reading! Join us for fun activities and get registered for the all ages program. There will be face painting (11 a.m.-1 p.m.), crafts, games, and more!

Thursday, May 29 Mahjong at Martindale-Brightwood

4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

IPL - Martindale-Brightwood Branch, 2434 N Sherman Dr.

Learn and play American or Traditional Mahjong, open to all experience levels.

SUMMER READING MAY CALENDAR

EVENT CALENDAR MAY 2025



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SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

Scan here for updates
on our event calendar:



				1	2	3 <u>10:30am Drag Story Hour</u>
					DONATION DAY! 11am-7pm	<u>1pm Meg Hamand & Claire Isenthal</u> <u>4:30 Pen to Paper</u>
4 <u>3pm ELL Circles</u>	5	6	7 <u>5pm Chess Club</u>	8	9 <u>12pm Volunteer Info Session (In-Person)</u>	10 <u>1:30pm Cozette Zimmerman</u> <u>4pm Writing Workshop w/ IndyUntitled</u>
11 <u>3pm ELL Circles</u> <u>4pm Spanish Conversation Circles</u>	12 <u>7pm Indy Actors' Playground</u>	13	14	15	16	17 <u>12pm Riot Reads</u> <u>1:30pm Poetry: Chantel Massey</u> <u>4:30 Pen to Paper</u>
18 <u>3pm ELL Circles</u> <u>4pm Book-to-Film at Kan-Kan: The Hunger Games</u>	19	20	21 <u>5pm Chess Club</u>	22	23	24
25 <u>3pm ELL Circles</u> <u>4pm Indy Reads Book Club</u>	26	27	28 CLOSED in honor of Memorial Day	29 OPEN 11am-6pm for RUN317	30 <u>6pm Lit Stage Open Mic</u>	31