



Sincerely Yours, Laura Ingalls Wilder*

Paris Branch | Thursday, June 8 at 6:00 PM

In full costume, Nancy Boswell tells the story after the Little House books end, covering Laura's move to MO in 1894 and why she wrote the books in her later years.



Rural Schools of Randolph County

Moberly Branch | Thursday, June 22 at 6:00 PM

Local author and Randolph County historian Linda Bondy explores the legacy of rural schools in Randolph County, as well as the impact of their loss.



The Underground Railroad on the MO Border*

Paris Branch | Thursday, July 13 at 6:00 PM

Dr. Patrick Hotle discusses the impact of slavery and abolition in Missouri, including the Underground Railroad crossing at Marion County, MO and Quincy, IL.



Eating Up Missouri*

Moberly Branch | Thursday, July 27 at 6:00 PM

Food historian Suzanne Corbett looks at the traditions, histories, and cultures that have come together to create Missouri's unique food culture.

The Summer Speaker Series is intended for adults. Younger family members are welcome to attend at the guardian's discretion.

*These programs are part of the Missouri Speakers Bureau, which is organized by the Missouri Humanities and State Historical Society of Missouri.