

TED Talks with Brian

Are you interested in fascinating and educational activities at Clinton Street Center? **TED** (Technology, Entertainment and Design) is devoted to spreading ideas, usually in the form of short, powerful **TALKS** (18 minutes or less) that cover almost all topics. We select the **TALKS** with seniors in mind.

Mondays at 1:00pm.

May & June, 2024

No TALKs on May 27

Attend as many days as you like. We'll watch four different **TALKS** that should inspire lots of discussion. Some people participate in the discussion and others don't (no pressure). Everyone's opinion is respected.

TOPICS

- May 6
- Why are We So Bad at Reporting Good News? (Hervey)
 - Food Expiration Dates Don't Mean What You Think (Beans)
 - Why Autism is Often Missed in Women and Girls (Kahle)
 - What did People do Before Anesthesia? (Frampton)
- May 13
- What Makes Life Worth Living in the Face of Death (Kalanithi)
 - What is a Poop Transplant and How does it Work? (Stephenson)
 - My Stroke of Insight (Taylor)
 - How do You Know You Exist? (Zucker)
- May 20
- The Magic of a Creative Career (Michael Sheen)
 - Can You Change Your Sleep Schedule? (Ted-Ed)
 - When AI Can Fake Reality, Who Can You Trust? (Gregory)
 - What Would Happen if Everyone Stopped Eating Meat Tomorrow? (Beans)
- June 3
- What a Living Whale is Worth -- And Why the Economy Should Protect Nature (Chami)
 - A Brief History of Chess (Gendler)
 - A Burial Practice that Nourishes the Planet (Doughty)
 - The Dark History of Werewolves (Thomson)
- June 10
- Why You Should Embrace Mediocrity (Thurlow)
 - The Sexual Deception of Orchids (Gaskett)
 - My Mission to Change the Narrative of Mental Health (Glenn Close)
 - Surviving the Coldest Place on Earth (Frontier)
- June 17
- How to Build a Democracy -- In an Authoritarian Country (Udvarhelyi)
 - Do Mosquitoes Actually Bite Some People More than Others? (De Obaldi)
 - The Secrets I Find on the Mysterious Ocean Floor (Robinson)
 - Einstein's Miracle Year (Lagerstrom)
- June 24
- What Happens When We Deny People Abortions (Foster)
 - A Coral Reef Love Story (Johnson)
 - A Reframing of Masculinity, Rooted in Empathy (Barker)
 - Trash Cart Superheroes (Mundano)

This is a FREE program but *pre-registration is required.*

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