



April Snow Showers...

...Bring May flowers! The recent snow showers haven't deterred the flowers here at the MILL! We managed to create some beautiful flowers from recycled book pages. From old maps, to recipes, to books full of printed art, we hope you can enjoy these beauties while the real ones bloom!

We will be having relaxing activities in the month to come! We wish everyone a stressless finals week and a great graduation.



What's New @ the MILL

We upgraded the hot end (nozzle) of our Lulzbot Taz 6 as our old one had some issues. The new hot end is made of hardened steel and will allow us to experiment with using different filaments for projects.

Here is a picture of the old hot end and the new one installed.



Old hot end (top) and new hot end (left)

Biweekly Event: 3D Pens

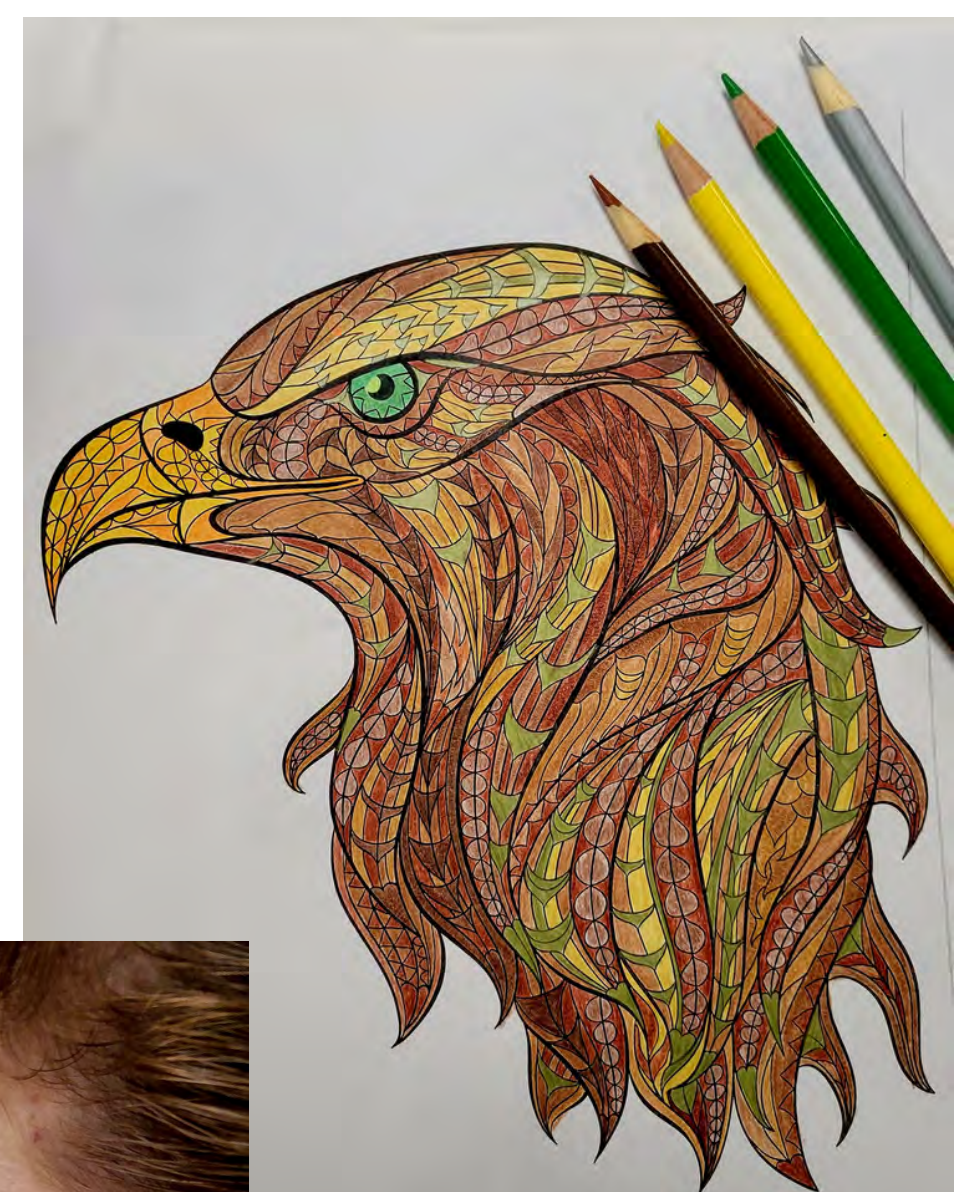
The 3D pens continue to draw students in to create new and unique designs.

This crowd pleaser will continue to be a bi-weekly featured item.



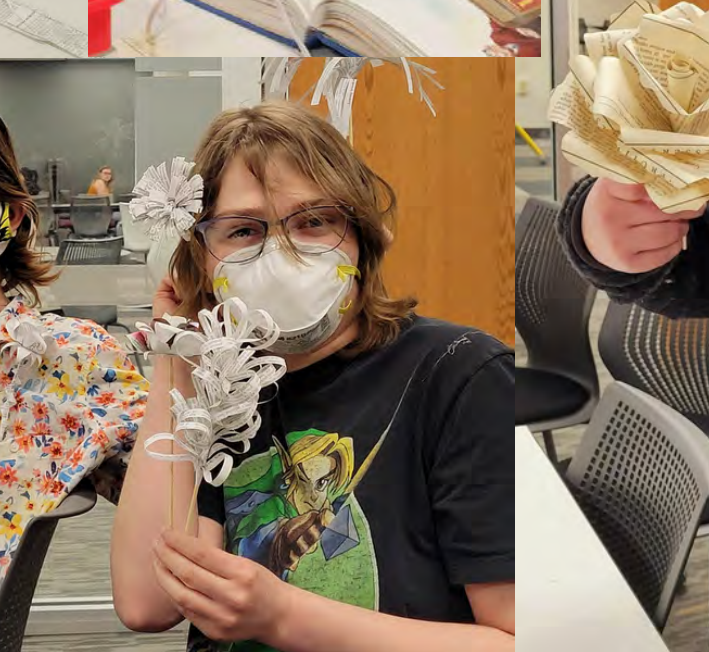
Biweekly Event: Coloring Books

Stressed during No Exam and Finals weeks? Many Vandals were, and came in for our coloring books event. We had a variety of coloring sheets, from detailed floral designs to simple word art. Color with coloring pencils, crayons, and more!



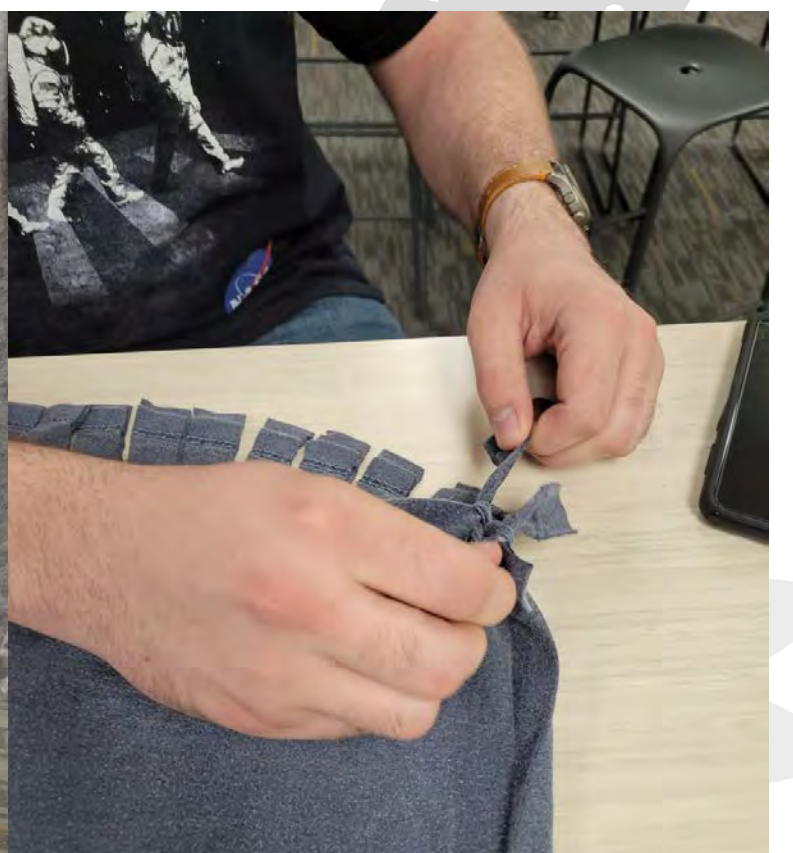
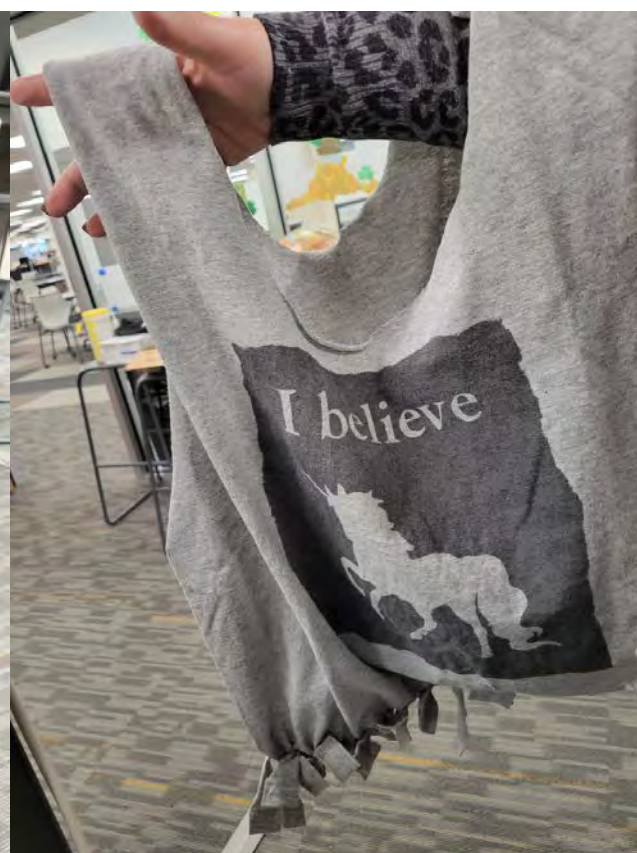
Make It @ the MILL: Recycled Book Flowers

This was a bloomin' success! Everyone had a chance to create multiple types of flowers from books we saved. A few students even brought their moms and siblings who came to visit for Parent's Weekend.



Make It @ the MILL: Recycled T-shirt Bags

Everyone had so much fun the day before at Earth Jam that we only made one t-shirt bag. Which is totally ok!



Mobile MILL Outreach Events

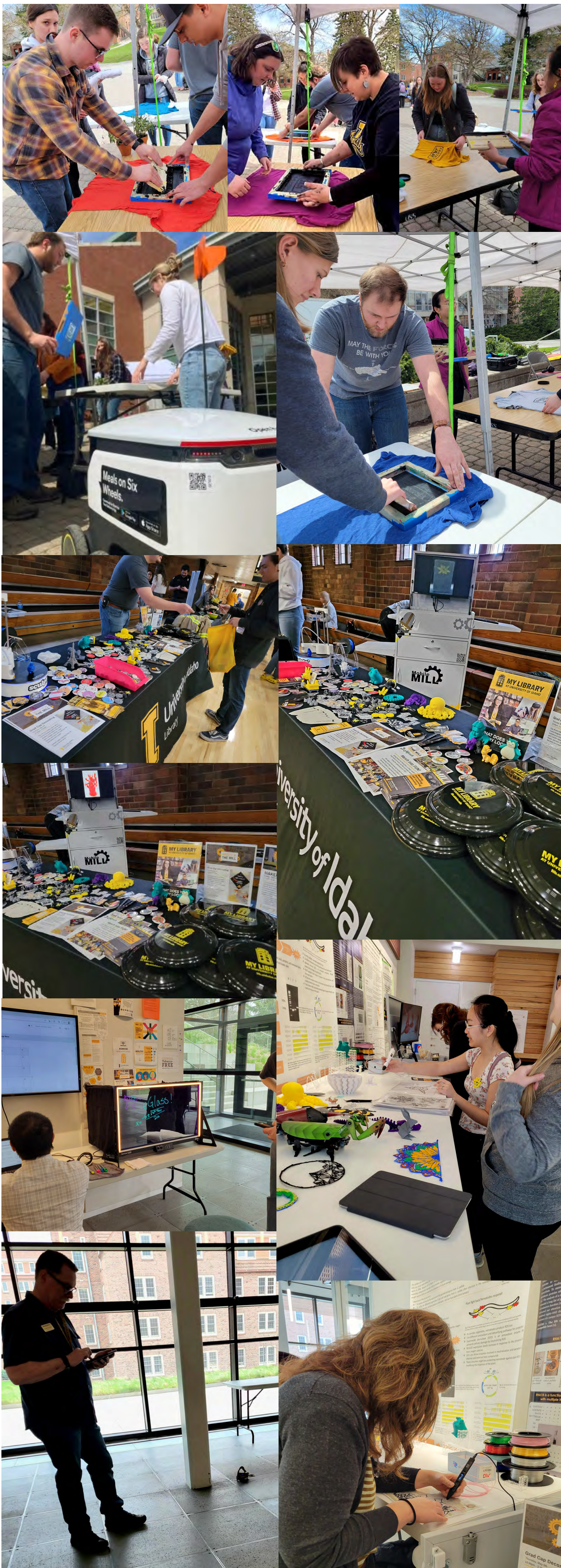
This month we hit the ground running with outreach events!

On April 20th we partnered with the Sustainability Center to screen print second hand t-shirts for Earth Jam. This was both exciting and exhausting. We helped screen print 100 t-shirts in under 2 hours! Thank you Josi and Thomas for helping this go smoothly!

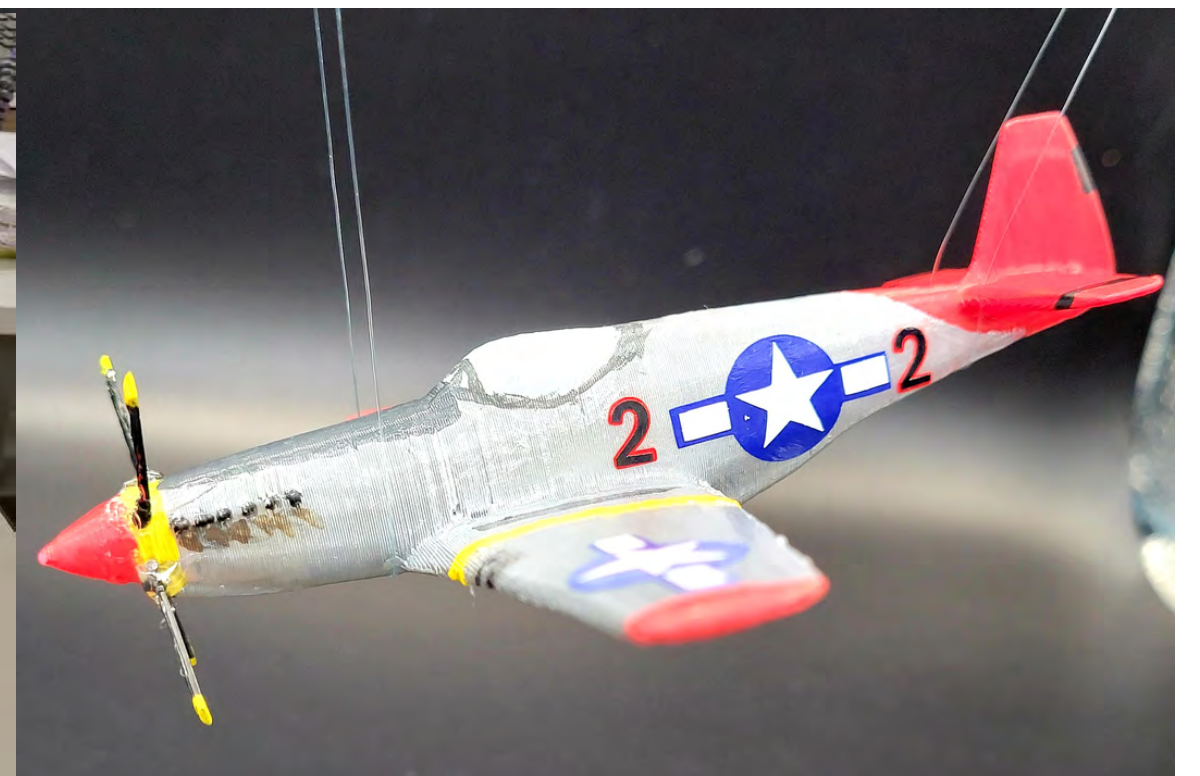
On April 22nd the Mobile MILL helped welcome the UI Bound College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP)/Native American Student Center students. They had a chance to make buttons and keychains together.

April 23rd was the second UI Bound Activities fair. The Mobile MILL was out to greet incoming students and tell them all about the MILL.

The 29th was the Makerfaire that the MILL and IRIC put together. We brought the 3D pens out and bug bots. There was a demo of e-glass and much more!



Student Project Highlights



Upcoming Events



May



Make It @ the MILL

May 5th- Grad Cap Decorating

12:30pm - 3:30pm

Biweekly Featured Projects

Coloring Books

May 9th-13th

Mobile MILL Events

May 6th - U & Connecting

12 pm - 2 pm

Current Hours

Mon-Fri: 8am-5pm

Located on the First Floor of the Library



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