



Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library

April 18, 2022

MEDIA ADVISORY

**FOR IMMEDIATE
RELEASE:**

Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library presents:
Fort Lincoln Internment Camp: American and the Holocaust Program

WHAT:

Presented by Dr. Perry Hornbacher, Professor of History at Bismarck State College. In 1942 Ft. Lincoln, just south of Bismarck, was converted into the largest male internee camp during World War II. Those interned included German seamen, and enemy alien internees of Japanese descent rounded up after Pearl Harbor. Dr. Hornbacher will discuss this history in our area.

Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library is one of 50 U.S. libraries, and the only library in North Dakota, selected to host *Americans and the Holocaust*, a traveling exhibition from the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum that examines the motives, pressures, and fears that shaped Americans' responses to Nazism, war and genocide in Europe during the 1930s and 1940s. Read more at <https://www.bismarcklibrary.org/146/Americans-and-the-Holocaust>.

WHEN:

Wednesday, April 20th at 7:00 p.m.

WHERE:

Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library, Meeting Room B

WHO:

Free and open to all. Media is invited to attend.

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