STARK **J** LIBRARY Summer Events 2025 EAST CANTON BRANCH

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SUMMER CHALLENGE

Summer Challenge & More Kickoff: Magic Show

JUN 3 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Kickoff the summer with a magical performance by Doug Wilson's More Fun Entertainment. ELWTA

Music Exploration

JUN 10 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Create different sounds while exploring ways to change pitch and volume when you make an instrument from upcycled materials. L

Yarn Party

JUN 17 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Get crafty and creative with yarn drawings, embellishments, and wall art. L

Colorful Messy Play

JUN 24 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Get down and messy with colorful activities that use paint, chalk, and tissue paper. L

MOVIE NIGHT

Interactive Movie: Ratatouille (*rated G*)

JUL 8 | 1:30pm-3:00pm Join a determined rat on his adventures of becoming a chef while forming a new friendship. Create a personalize chef hat to wear during your own kitchen adventures. L

DIY Kaleidoscope

JUL 15 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Learn about and construct a toy that produces colorful, everchanging patterns when you look through it. L

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Color-ology

JUL 22 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Mix it up! Experiment with primary colors to create new, exciting colors. L

Art Studio Escape

JUL 28 | 1:00pm-7:00pm JUL 29 | 10:00am-3:30pm Search for clues and solve puzzles to escape a "sketchy" art studio before time runs out! Please call 330.488.1501 to schedule a time slot. LWTA

Summer Challenge & More Finale Celebration

AUG 5 | 1:30pm-2:30pm Celebrate the completion of the summer challenge with a treat and talent show. Stop by East Canton with your golden ticket for Kona Ice. Call 330-488-1501 for details on performing in the talent show. ELWTA Storytime & More E Baby & Toddler Wed | 10:00am-10:30am JUN 4 through JUL 30

STORYTIME & MORE

Storytime & More E Family Wed | 10:30am-11:15am JUN 4 through JUL 30

Please Note: There will be no Storytime on JUL 2.

CLUBS, GAMES & MORE

Kids Art Club

JUN 9 | Foil Transfer Art JUL 7 | Styrofoam Printmaking AUG 4 | Concentric Bead Circles 6:00pm-7:00pm Become an artist and let your creativity flow. Each month a new art skill will be taught and a masterpiece will be created. **EL**

Game On: Mario Monday

JUL 14 | 3:00pm-4:00pm "Switch" it up and play your favorite video games while hangouting out with friends or making new ones. L

LEGO®/DUPLO® Club

JUN 28, JUL 12, AUG 23 | 3:30pm-4:30pm

Imagine, create, and build with LEGO® and/or DUPLO® bricks (provided). **EL**

Pups and Pages

JUN 16 | 3:00pm-4:00pm Bring a favorite book to share or borrow one of the Library's to read to licensed therapy dogs. L



FOR TEENS

Level Up! Nintendo Gaming Tournament

JUN 5, JUL 3, AUG 7 | 2:00pm-3:00pm Compete against fellow gamers in your favorite Nintendo titles! Whether you're a seasoned pro or a casual player, this tournament promises fun for all skill levels. WT

Dungeons & Dragons

JUN 10 & JUN 24 JUL 8 & JUL 22 AUG 5 & AUG 19 6:00pm-7:30pm Embark on an adventure in a faraway land! This adventure is suitable for beginner and experienced players alike. WT

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CLUBS & MORE

Book Club: Monday Murder Club A The Guest List by Lucy Foley JUN 16 | 6:00pm-7:00pm The Secret, Book & Scone Society by Ellery Adams JUL 21 | 6:00pm-7:00pm Helter Skelter by Vincent Bugliosi AUG 18 | 6:00pm-7:00pm

Art Club: Creatures of Crafting A

JUN 30, JUL 14, AUG 11 | 5:00pm-6:00pm Relax and have fun as you create and express yourself at the library.

GET CREATIVE

Fantastical Fairy Gardens

AUG 25 | 5:00pm-6:00pm Unwind and create a base fairy garden while learning some of the many ways to showcase your personality through your own, unique designs! A



RECREATION

Book Bingo!

JUN 10, JUL 8, AUG 12 | 10:00am-11:00am Come play a few surprisingly competitive games of Bingo! Catch up with friends, meet new people, and (of course) win prizes! A

Backyard Habitats JUL 1 | 4:00pm-5:00pm

Beech Creek Botanical Gardens will be talking about ways to create a habitat in your own back yard. Learn ways to draw pollinators, birds, and other beautiful creatures in a safe, friendly way! A

HEALTH & WELLNESS

10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's:

Presented by the Alzheimer's Association

JUN 23 | 4:00pm-5:00pm

Learn from the experts about age-related changes that can signal Alzheimer's, as well as how to approach someone about memory concerns and how early detection and diagnosis can be beneficial to all involved. $\bf A$

Dementia Conversations

JUL 7 | 4:00pm-5:00pm

Conversations surrounding Alzheimer's can be challenging. The Alzheimer's Association is here to help with the best ways to approach topics such as doctor visits, legal and financial plans, and safe driving. A

Herbs and Herbal Products:

Presented by OSU Master Gardeners

JUL 28 | 4:00pm-5:00pm

The benefits of herbs go far beyond the kitchen (although they do shine through in your cooking)! A Master Gardener will teach us how they can be incorporated throughout your home—even in soaps. **A**

Know Your Resources:

Direction Home Area Agency on Aging JUL 21 | 10:00am-11:00am

Aging is hard enough without knowing your supportive resources! Let Direction Home inform you on what assistance they can offer both to caregivers, and to those struggling with dementia. A

Caring for Caregivers

AUG 20 | 11:00am-12:00pm

The Family Caregiver Support Specialist from Direction Home Area Agency on Aging's will walk us through dementia specific caregiving information and provide additional support for family caregivers. A