STARK J LIBRARY

Fall Events 2025

SOUTHGATE BRANCH

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to explore ALL Events!

E Early Learners | L Elementary | W Tweens | T Teens | A Adults

GET CREATIVE

Boxes & Blanket Forts

SEP 24 | 4:00pm-5:30pm We'll have boxes, blankets, and more fort building supplies, you supply the imagination. Once you're done grab a good book and read inside your fort. EL

Southgate's First Birthday Party

OCT 18 | 10:00am-11:00am The Southgate Branch opened one year ago and we're having a birthday party. Celebrate with games cake and more. What's your favorite memory so far? EL

Messy Play

NOV 10 | 10:00am-11:00am Create, explore and play while building early literacy and school readiness skills. Play clothes recommended. **EL**

MOVIES @ SOUTHGATE

Movies @ Southgate: LWT A Minecraft Movie (Rated PG) SEP 13 | 1:00pm-3:00pm

Movies @ Southgate: ELWTA Lilo and Stitch (Rated PG) NOV 15 | 1:00pm-3:00pm



FOR TEENS

BREAKOUT!

Sat | 2:00pm-3:30pm SEP 27, OCT 25, NOV 22 Use the clues to solve the combinations. Open the box to reveal a prize. WT

TeensCREATE

Sat | 2:00pm-3:30pm OCT 11, NOV 8 Enjoy activities including music, art, STEM, snap circuits and more. WT

STORYTIME & MORE

Storytime & More: E

Preschool Thu | 10:00am-10:30am SEP 4 through NOV 20

Storytime & More: E

Baby & Toddler Mon | 10:00am-10:30am SEP 8 through NOV 17

Please Note: Storytime & More will not be held during the weeks of OCT 13 and OCT 20.

Gear Up for Kindergarten

Fri | 10:00am-11:30am SEP 12, OCT 10, NOV 14 Gear up for Kindergarten through stories, songs, games, and activities. EL

Melodies in Motion:

In Collaboration with the Canton Symphony Orchestra

OCT 20 | 10:00am-11:00am Stark Library staff read aloud favorite stories while Canton Symphony Orchestra musicians provide a backdrop of music. EL

PICTURE BOOK PALOOZA

Picture Book Palooza:

Dog's Colorful Day

NOV 15 | 10:00am-11:00am

Have a day as colorful as Dog's with songs and stories a collaborative group activity and a fun take-home craft! Celebrate National Picture Book Month all November long with Picture Book Palooza. EL

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Movies @ Southgate: ELWTA

Encanto (Rated PG)

OCT 18 | 1:00pm-3:00pm

EVENTS @ FRY FAMILY PARK

Storytime & More: E Family

Thu | 10:00am-10:30am SEP 16, OCT 21, NOV 18

Picture Book Palooza:

Hiking Day

NOV 1 | 2:00pm-3:00pm First we'll read about a hike then we'll take one. Celebrate National Picture Book Month all November long with Picture Book Palooza. EL

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CLUBS, GAMES & MORE

Book Club A

The Dutch House by Ann Patchett SEP 9 | 11:00am-12:00pm Hallowe'en Party by Agatha Christie OCT 7 | 11:00am-12:00pm A Great Reckoning by Louise Penny NOV 4 | 11:00am-12:00pm

Trendy TV Trivia:

The Andy Griffith Show
SEP 15 | 6:00pm-7:00pm
Test your knowledge of The Andy Griffith
Show in this fast-paced trivia night at
the Library. Fun prizes and friendly
competition guaranteed!

HEALTH & WELLNESS

A Matter of Balance:

Presented by Aultman Hospital

Tue | 1:00pm-3:00pm SEP 2, SEP 9, SEP 16, SEP 23, SEP 30, OCT 7, OCT 14, OCT 21

Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. This program is designed to manage falls and increase activity levels. The course is 8-weeks, two hours per week.

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Felt Pumpkins

SEP 22 | 6:00pm-7:30pm Craft three felt pumpkins to welcome autumn and celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month! An easy fun craft made with basic hand sewing. All materials supplied. A

Movies @ Southgate:

Frida (Rated R)

SEP 29 | 3:00pm-5:00pm Lights! Camera! Action! Join us for a special showing of *Frida*. A

NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

Movies @ Southgate:

Smoke Signals (Rated PG-13) NOV 17 | 3:00pm-5:00pm Lights! Camera! Action! Join us for a special showing of Smoke Signals. A

MOVIES @ SOUTHGATE

Movies @ Southgate:

The NeverEnding Story (Rated PG)
OCT 20 | 3:00pm-5:00pm
Lights! Camera! Action! Join us for a
special showing of The NeverEnding
Story. A

EVENTS @ FRY FAMILY PARK

Book Club

The Paris Library
by Janet Skeslien Charles

OCT 21 | 11:00am-12:00pm This event will take place at the Harold S. Fry Visitor Center. A

Bats: Flyers of the Night

OCT 27 | 6:00pm-7:00pm
Explore the amazing world of the only flying mammal. Discover Bats
Ohio owner Todd Cartner will share with us the fascinating world of these nocturnal flyers. This event will take place at the Harold S. Fry Visitor Center. A

