

Madge Youtz Branch

Spring 2023 events



☑ Please register at StarkLibrary.org or 330.452.0665.

EARLY LEARNERS

Storytime & More

Storytimes open up the world of books, music, culture, and play to young children and their families. ☑

Family

Tue Mar 14, May 9
10–10:30 am

EARLY LEARNERS & ELEMENTARY

LEGO®/DUPLO® Club

Sat Mar 4, Apr 1, May 6 | 2–3 pm

Imagine, create, and build with LEGO® and/or DUPLO® bricks (provided). Drop by and use your imagination to build whatever your mind can dream up.

Listen at the Library

Thu Apr 6 | 10–10:30 am

Experience how music and literature fit together during this unique event. Stark Library staff read aloud favorite stories while Canton Symphony Orchestra musicians provide a backdrop of music.

ELEMENTARY

Shoot For The Stars

Mon Mar 13 | 5:30–6:30 pm

3...2...1 Blast off! Join us as we celebrate women's history month by shooting for the stars. Learn about a very important woman in science, Mae C. Jemison, and create your very own space helmet. ☑

Weather Balloon Magic

Mon Apr 10 | 5:30–6:30 pm

Calling all junior meteorologists! Hot & cold, low & high... hear a story as the clouds roll by. Let's conduct a weather experiment and hone our weather forecasting skills. ☑

TWEENS

Rainbow Raincloud in a Jar

Tue Apr 18 | 5:30–6:30 pm

Learn about rain and the water cycle with this fun and engaging science experiment. Add the colors of the rainbow to make a rainbow cloud.

Chromatic Butterflies

Tue May 9 | 5:30–6:30 pm

Create designs that magically move through the paper to make a beautiful butterfly. Join us to learn about the agents that cause this reaction to happen!

FREE MEALS

Backpack for Kids

In Partnership with Stark County Hunger Task Force

Tue Mar 7–May 30 | 4–6 pm

Pick up a Backpack for Kids packed with meals for your child between the ages of 3 and 17.

TEENS

DIY Phone Stands

Tue Mar 21 | 5:30–6:30 pm

Wouldn't it be nice to create and customize a phone holder? These phone stands are eco-friendly and have no waste.

KNITTING CLUBS

Thrown for a Loop

Wed Mar 22, Apr 26, May 24

10–11:30 am

Join other knitters & crocheters and have fun in a laid-back atmosphere.



Knitting Boot Camp

Sat Apr 22, 29, May 6, 13

10 am–1 pm

Are you new to knitting? Have you knitted before but want a refresher on the basics? In this beginners class, learn how to purl, increase, cast off, and get started on a knitting project.

ADULTS



Fabulous Flying Things with Judy Semroc

Mon Mar 6 | 6–7:30 pm

Join speaker Judy Semroc on a wild adventure around your backyard! Judy will talk about all the fabulous flying creatures that you might encounter when enjoying the great out-of-doors.

Journaling Studio

Thu Mar 9, Apr 13, May 11

1–3 pm

Join us for lively conversations as we travel down memory lane! Each session will provide a prompt to assist with journaling the story of your life.

Artist Studio

Tue Mar 14, Apr 11, May 9

1–4 pm

Enjoy an afternoon of artistic creativity! We will learn a different painting technique each session to create an original work of art. ☑

Book Club

Thursdays | 2–3 pm

Mar 23 *The Madness of Crowds*
by Louise Penny

Apr 27 *The Paris Apartment*
by Lucy Foley

May 25 *Violeta*
by Isabelle Allende

➔ **More events**



Check our website to see all of the programs at your Library this spring!

HOURS

Mon–Tue 9 am–8 pm
Wed–Sat 9 am–5 pm

CLOSED

Apr 9 (Easter Sunday),
May 29 (Memorial Day)

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SERVICES

Public Computers
Wireless Internet Access
Wireless Printing
Print, Copy, Scan, Fax
Book Drop
Notary
Meeting Room
Study Room

GENEALOGY

Beginning Genealogy

Mon Mar 13 | 1-2:30 pm

Learn how to get started searching, gathering, and organizing your family history. ✔

Effectively Using Ancestry Library Edition

Mon Apr 17 | 1-2:30 pm

Learn tips & tricks for using Ancestry Library Edition to climb your family tree. There is research time built into class, so please bring a few names you would like to research. ✔

Genealogy Roundtable

Mon May 15 | 1-2:30 pm

Have you hit a brick wall with your research? Need help getting started? Not sure where to go next? Bring your questions and enjoy a roundtable discussion with our very own genealogy staff. ✔

TECHNOLOGY

Internet Searching Basics

Tue Mar 21 | 2-3:30 pm

The World Wide Web is a big place and can be overwhelming. Learn how to use search engines, such as Chrome, Edge, or Safari, to make finding information on the internet easier. ✔



Your Stark Library Apps - Movies, Audiobooks, Magazines and More!

Thu Apr 20 | 10-11:30 am

Want to access the library's digital resources but aren't sure where to start? Learn how to use FREE apps such as Libby, Flipster, Hoopla, Kanopy, and the Stark Library app to access them all! ✔

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Women of Tomorrow: Stark County and Beyond

Wed Mar 22 | 6:30-7:30 pm

Canton Cultural Center

Presented in partnership with Women's Impact. Celebrate Women's History Month with a panel discussion bringing together influential women from Stark County to share stories, experiences, and insights to inspire young women. ✔

Community Seedbank

Begins Apr 1 | Library Hours

Main Library

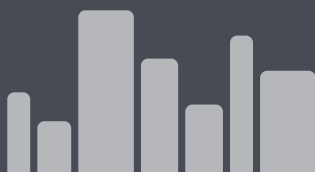
Browse the seed catalog in person, or, check out our website to submit an order online! New seed types will be added on the first of each month.

Storywalk® in the Park

Mar 25-Apr 2

Stadium Park, Canton Parks and Recreation

Enjoy a stroll and a story on National Walk in the Park Day, or anytime during the week. Follow the trail and see where the story takes you!



THE DR. AUDREY LAVIN SPEAKING OF BOOKS AUTHOR SERIES

DANNY TREJO

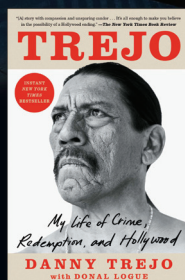
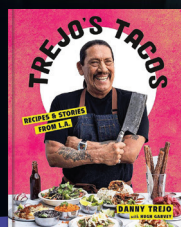
March 9 | 7 pm
Canton Palace Theatre

Meet Hollywood's favorite villain and learn about his inspiring journey.

In partnership with



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DYLAN DREYER

April 27 | 6:30 pm
Canton Palace Theatre

Dylan is the co-host of TODAY and Nightly News with Lester Holt.

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