

Lake Community Branch

Fall 2023 events

☑ Please register at StarkLibrary.org or 330.877.9975.



EARLY LEARNERS

Storytime & More

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

Baby

Tue Sep 5, 12, 19, 26, Oct 3, 24, 31, Nov 7, 14, 28
9:30–10 am

Preschool

Tue Sep 5, 12, 19, 26, Oct 3, 24, 31, Nov 7, 14, 28

and

Wed Sep 6, 13, 20, 27, Oct 4, 25, Nov 1, 8, 15, 29
11 am–12 pm

Toddler

Wed Sep 13, 27, Oct 4, 25, Nov 1, 8, 15, 29
10–10:30 am

Messy Play

Get ready to create, explore, and play together at the Library while building early literacy and school readiness skills. Play clothes are recommended because some of the activities may be messy. ☑

Preschool

Tue Sep 19 | 11 am–12 pm
Wed Sep 20 | 11 am–12 pm

Toddler

Wed Sep 20 | 10–10:30 am

Listen at the Library

Mon Oct 16 | 11:30 am–12:30 pm
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.

EARLY LEARNERS & ELEMENTARY

LEGO®/DUPLO® Club

Sat Sep 16, Oct 7, Nov 4
2:30–3:30 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. ☑

ELEMENTARY

Learning at the Library

Fri Sep 8, Oct 6, Nov 3
2:30–3:30 pm

All homeschool families are invited for an afternoon of art! We may focus on a single artist, style, or do something apropos for the season. Be ready to paint or draw or design or dream or... ☑

Book Club

Parent/Child Jr.

Mondays | 6:30–7:15 pm ☑

Grades 1–3

Sep 11 *Marya Khan and the Incredible Henna Party*
by Saadia Faruqi

Oct 9 *Chocolate Fever*
by Robert Kimmel Smith

Nov 13 *Endlessly Ever After*
by Laurel Snyder
or
Action!
by Meghan McCarthy

An Annular Eclipse

Sat Oct 14 | 1–2 pm

Let's learn about today's annular eclipse. Join us to view the eclipse, make a sun clock, and explore why an eclipse takes place. ☑

ELEMENTARY, TWEENS & TEEN

Glow in the Dark Fun

Mon Nov 6 | 6–7 pm

It's getting dark early, but we don't care. Join us for glow in the dark fun with a story, build a circuit, or make some glow in the dark slime. You're "glowing" to like it! ☑

TWEENS & TEENS

TeensCREATE

Thu Sep 21, Oct 26, Nov 30
3–4 pm

Hang out with your friends and make new friends at the Library. Enjoy activities including music, art, STEM, snap circuits, and more. Each day will bring something new to do and explore.



TWEENS–ADULTS

Let's Dance! Learn How to Salsa

Sponsored by Lake FOL

Sat Sep 23 | 2–3 pm

Rachel from R & J Ballroom will share some history of this energetic Latin dance and teach you some basic steps. ☑

Make Flor Grande!

Sat Sep 23 | 10–11 am

Make Flor Grande (Big Flower) from colorful vibrant tissue paper. This traditional Mexican folk art is used as decoration for all kinds of celebrations. ☑

ADULTS

Salsa Anyone?

With Headwaters Homestead

Wed Sep 20 | 6:30–7:30 pm

Local homesteaders Todd and Christine of Headwaters Homestead discuss joys of raising your own food. Bonus enjoy salsa samples. ☑

ALL AGES

Some Like It Hot!

A Hot Sauce Tasting Challenge with Not Yo' Daddy's Hot Sauces

Sat Sep 23 | 3:30–4:30 pm

Join Not Yo' Daddy's to sample different flavors of hot sauce. Ages 8 and up. ☑



Check our website for Listen at the Library and all events this fall!

➔ More events

HOURS

Hours through Sep 9

Mon–Wed...9 am–8 pm
Thu–Sat.....9 am–5 pm

Closed Sep 4 (Labor Day), open until 5 pm Nov 22, and closed Nov 23 (Thanksgiving).

New Expanded Hours starting Sep 10

Mon–Thu..... 9 am–8 pm
Fri–Sat..... 9 am–5 pm

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SERVICES

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Wireless Printing
Print, copy, scan, fax
Notary
Meeting Room
Drive-up Window
Book Drop
Passports

ADULTS

Knitting Club

Knitty Gritters

Mon Sep 11, 25, Oct 9, 23,
Nov 13, 27 | 10 am–12 pm

Do you love to knit or want to learn? Join other knitters and crocheters and have fun in a laid-back atmosphere. Share tips and tricks, and work on community projects together.

Try-It Tuesday

Tuesdays | 6–7:30 pm

Join us each month as we try a new craft. Supplies will be provided, but you can also bring your own. ✓

Sep 12 *Learn to Knit*

Oct 10 *Open Craft Night*

Nov 14 *Feathers/Dreamcatchers*

Retirement: Making Your Money Last

Tue Sep 19 | 6–7:30 pm

Nate Hershman from Edward Jones will discuss developing an investment strategy, working longer, spending less, delaying social security and planning for expenses. ✓

Stitch for the Cure

October 1–31

Showcase your favorite needlework scarves! We'll display them in the library throughout October, then donate them to local cancer centers. Reception to pack scarves: Nov 13 | 10 am.

Search for Ohio Bigfoot

Sponsored by Lake FOL

Tue Oct 3 | 6–7:30 pm

Join long-time investigator, Marc DeWerth, for a fascinating presentation on the most recent Bigfoot report in our area. ✓



The True Story of Thanksgiving

Presented by the McKinley Presidential Library & Museum

Wed Nov 8 | 2–3 pm

The museum's Executive Director Kim Kenney will talk about how Plimoth Plantation includes the Native American perspective. She will discuss why Thanksgiving is seen as a day of mourning for Native Americans. ✓

ALL AGES



Family Fun Mini Golf

Sat Oct 21 | 10 am–3 pm

Want to get out of the house and spend quality time together as a family? Come play 9 holes of mini golf at the library! Drop in at any time from 10 am–3 pm to play!

BOOK CLUBS

Mystery Book Club

Tuesdays | 2–3 pm ✓

Sep 5 *The Inheritance of Orquídea Divina* by Zoraida Córdova

Oct 3 *We Have Always Lived In The Castle* by Shirley Jackson

Nov 7 *Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann

Booked on Tuesday

Tuesdays | 6–7 pm

Sep 26 *Go as a River* by Shelley Read

Oct 24 *The Magnificent Lives of Marjorie Post* by Allison Pataki

Nov 28 *Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann

TECHNOLOGY

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

Thu Sep 7 | 2–3:30 pm

Want to access the library's digital resources but aren't sure where to start? Learn how to use Stark Library's FREE apps. Bring your mobile device. ✓

Introduction to Shutterfly

Thu Oct 12 | 2–3 pm

Turn your precious moments into beautiful photo albums. Learn how to design a photo book you can purchase by uploading your photos, selecting your book type, and adding photos to a template. ✓

Microsoft Word I & II

Thu Nov 2, 16 | 2–3:30 pm

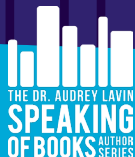
Word is one of the building blocks for developing and expanding your Office skills. Begin with the basics of creating, editing, and formatting a document in this two-part class. ✓



Meet best-selling author STEPHANIE LAND

Oct 17 | 6:30 pm | Canton Palace Theatre

Stephanie shares her compelling story of living in poverty as a single mom. Her book inspired Netflix's series, *Maid*, starring Andie MacDowell. ✓



Reserve your free seats at StarkLibrary.org/StephanieLand