

Madge Youtz Branch

Winter 2023-24 events



❑ Please register at StarkLibrary.org or 330.452.2618.

ALL AGES

Frosty Fest

Tue Dec 5 | 5-7 pm

Join us for a holiday family night filled with ornament making, creating fake snow, and a storytime! ❑

Winter Wonderland

Tue Jan 9 | 5-7 pm

Explore the magic of winter at our family night! Create watercolor snowflakes, DIY collage bookmarks, and a melting snowman experiment. ❑

Positive Parenting: Managing Fighting and Aggression

Presented by Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health

Sat Jan 20 | 2-4 pm

Little ones can have BIG emotions like tantrums and aggressive behavior. Big kids can present new challenges. Learn positive ways to manage these emotions. Children's activities provided. ❑ELA



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



KIDS & TEENS

Backpack for Kids

In Partnership with Stark County Hunger Task Force

Tuesdays | Library Hours

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

Storytime and More

Family

Tue Dec 12, Jan 30, Feb 20
6:30-7:30 pm

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

DIY Mermaid Scrub and Lip Balm

Tue Dec 19 | 5:30-6:30 pm

Create your own sugar scrub and vanilla honey lip balm. ❑T

Melting Snowman: An Oobleck Lab

Thu Dec 21 | 2-3 pm

Do you want to build a snowman? Create a non-traditional snowman and discover how this slime can be both a liquid and a solid. ❑EL



Starbooks Cafe

Tue Jan 16 | 6:30-7:30 pm

Welcome to the "Starbooks Cafe!" A relaxing place where you can sip hot cocoa, listen to a story, and create your own bookmarks. ❑EL

Sensory Steam

Tue Jan 23 | 4-5 pm

Design a lava lamp and form 2-ingredient soap putty. ❑WT



Window Wobblers

Tue Feb 6 | 4-5 pm

Learn how stained glass can transform windows into art, and create your own colorful window art using the science of crosslinking. ❑WT

Soap Making Workshop

Tue Feb 27 | 6-7 pm

George Washington Carver goes down in history for developing over 300 uses for peanuts including soap! In this workshop, we will create soap in honor of Mr. Carver...minus the peanuts. ❑L

ADULTS

Drop-in Tech Session

Sat Dec 2, Jan 13, Feb 10 | 1-4 pm

Mon Dec 11, Jan 22, Feb 12 | 5-7 pm

Need help with technology? Looking for some 1-on-1 computer help? Use this opportunity to sit with a staff member and get the technology assistance you are seeking. ❑A

Artist Studio

Tue Dec 5, Jan 9, Feb 6 | 1-4 pm

Enjoy an ARTful afternoon full of creativity. Learn about various artists, painting techniques, and forms of art. Supplies are provided. ❑A

Beat the Winter Blues With NAMI

Thu Dec 7 | 2-4 pm

Presenter Cynthia Kisik from NAMI will teach us how to avoid the winter blues before the winter season sets in. ❑A

Pour Paint Ornaments

Wed Dec 13 | 3-5 pm

Learn how to pour paint and create a unique holiday ornament. Supplies will be provided. ❑A

General Holiday Trivia

Sat Dec 16 | 2-4:30 pm

Do you think you know everything about all of the holidays? Come and test that knowledge for a chance to win a prize. ❑A

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HOURS

Mon-Tue 9 am-8 pm

Wed-Thu 9 am-6 pm

Fri-Sat 9 am-5 pm

Closed

Dec 24, 25, 31, Jan 1 Winter Holidays

Jan 15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Feb 19 President's Day

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Wireless Printing
Print, Copy, Scan, Fax
Book Drop
Notary
Meeting Room
Study Room

ADULTS CONT'D

Knitting Club

Through For A Loop

Wed Dec 20, Jan 17, Feb 14
10–11:30 am

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.

Book Club

Madge Page Turners

Thursdays | 2–3 pm

Dec 28 *The Sanatorium*
by Sarah Pearse

Jan 25 *Lessons in Chemistry*
by Bonnie Garmus

Feb 22 *Mad Honey*
by Jodi Picoult

90's Trivia Night

Mon Jan 8 | 5–6:30 pm

Do you remember the 90s? Lets test that knowledge and ALL THAT!

New Year New Book

Wed Jan 10 | 3–5 pm

Want to start the new year reading? Not sure where to begin? Stop in for a book tasting. Read samples of books from every genre, including nonfiction.

Book Bingo

Thu Jan 18 | 3–5:30 pm

Join us for some good old-fashioned games of BINGO and a chance to win books or other bibliophile swag!

Keeping Your Diet with Cleveland Clinic

Wed Jan 24 | 2–3 pm

Join Cleveland Clinic nutritionist for tips on planning and keeping a diet.

Forensic Genealogy

Online

Sat Jan 27 | 2–3 pm

Dr. O'Connell will discuss her people locating skills as a forensic genealogist and tell you about different areas of practice including unknown parentage, criminal cases, and probate.



Container Gardening 101

Thu Feb 8 | 3–4 pm

Want to test your green thumb? CSU Extension will share tips for growing containers including, choosing a container, soil strategies and fertilizing.

African American Sport Pioneers

Wed Feb 21 | 4–5 pm

Join Leslie Heaphy as she highlights the achievements of Black sporting pioneers and their contributions to boxing, baseball, football and many other sports.

Meet Kate the Chemist

Tue Feb 13 | 6:30 pm
Canton Palace Theatre

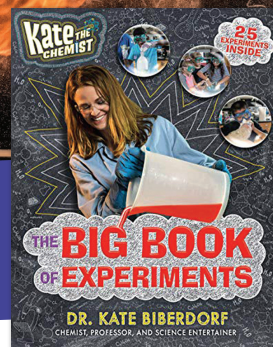
Kate the Chemist (AKA Dr. Kate Biberdorf) thrills audiences with a very hands-on approach to science, which she uses in all her writing!

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