Storytime & More

Baby
Mon Sep 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct 21, 28, Nov 11, 18 11–11:30 am

Toddler
Thu Sep 5, 12, 19, 26, Oct 3, 24, 31, Nov 7, 14, 21 9:30–10 am
and
Mon Sep 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct 21, 28, Nov 11, 18 10–10:30 am

Preschool
Thu Sep 5, 12, 19 , 26, Oct 3, 24, 31, Nov 7, 14, 21 10:30–11 am

Family
Sat Sep 21, Oct 26, Nov 23 10–10:30 am

Homeschool Hangout
Wednesdays | 10–11 am
Sep 4 Paint Sample Art
Oct 2 Robot Engineering
Nov 6 Minute To Win It

Storytime & More

Nintendo Free Play
Sat Sep 7, Oct 5, Nov 2 | 2–4 pm
Calling all teens and tweens! Switch up your Saturday for an afternoon of games on the Nintendo Switch. Cheer on your friends and take turns in some friendly competition. WT

Little Learners Sensory Play
Wed Sep 11, Oct 9, Nov 13 10–11 am
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. E

Frida Kahlo Self-Portraits
Tue Sep 17 | 6–7 pm
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by learning about our featured artist, Frida Kahlo. Create a mixed media self-portrait...Kahlo style! LW

Teen Craft Corner
Wednesday | 6–7 pm
Looking for a new side hustle? Afraid to invest in craft supplies before you try your hand at the craft? Come for a basic introduction to your next favorite hobby. WT

Fairy Tale Escape Room
Thu Sep 26 | 6–7 pm
Can you escape the fairy’s curse? Test your skills in an escape room themed around Reading Beauty by Deborah Underwood, September’s Trail Tale story. L

Haunted Gingerbread House Contest
Tue Oct 8 | 6–7 pm
Get your spook on at our 2nd annual Haunted Gingerbread House competition! Craft the most bootiful house on the block for our display. Then invite your friends to stop in and cast their votes! LW

Melodies in Motion: In Collaboration with the Canton Ballet
Thu Oct 10 | 11:30 am–12 pm
Explore the harmony of music, dance, and stories accompanied by Canton Symphony Orchestra musicians or Canton Ballet dancers. EL

Movies @ Perry
Thursdays | 5–7:30 pm
Enjoy a movie and popcorn. Pre-show activities begin at 5 pm with movie starting at 5:30 pm. LW

Creepy Doll Head Planters
Tue Oct 22 | 6–7 pm
Have a sad, neglected doll head laying around? Bring it in and upcycle it into a creepy Halloween planter! LWT

Picture Book Character Tour
Elephant and Piggie
Mon Nov 4 | 10–11 am
Celebrate National Picture Book Month with us! Grab a “passport” at the library and travel to each branch for a special storytime with beloved characters brought to life. Don’t forget your camera. E

Life-size Battleship
Tue Nov 12 | 6–7 pm
Bring the family out for a night of life-size Battleship! LWT

Create A Calm Down Corner
Sat Nov 16 | 2–3 pm
It’s time to take a step back, take a breath, and create tools to bring calm back to you and your little one’s lives. E

3rd Annual Winter Window Wonderland
Tue Nov 26 | 5–7 pm
Decorate the windows with a winter scene in preparation for our big holiday event. One group paints a scene in preparation for our big holiday event. One group paints the windows with a winter scene. Another paints at the Wildlife Conservation Center. LWT

Check our website for all events this fall!
**Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention**  
Wed Sep 4–Dec 18 | 11 am–12 pm  
*No class on Dec 11*  
Join Holly Bandy, OSU Extension, for this 16 week class which utilizes Tai Chi’s Sun-Style to improve relaxation, balance, and improve mental and physical balance. 🅰️

**Knitting Club**  
*Hooks and Needles*  
Tuesdays | 2–4 pm  
Learn how to crochet, knit and purl, cast on, and finish off a project. All ages and skill levels are welcome. 🅰️

**Book Club**  
*Chapter Chatter*  
Thursdays | 6–7 pm 🅲️  
Sep 5 | *Olga Dies Dreaming* by Xochitl Gonzalez  
Oct 3 | *The Haunting of Hill House* by Shirley Jackson  
Nov 7 | *There, There* by Tommy Orange  

**Writers’ Club**  
*A Novel Idea*  
Mon Sep 9, Oct 7, Nov 4 | 2–4 pm  
Engage with fellow writers, discuss what you’re writing (and reading), and practice your writing with some fun prompts! 🅲️

**Technology Training 🅲️**  
*AI Insights*  
Mon Sep 9 | 6–7 pm  
Wed Sep 11 | 2–3 pm  
*Intro to 3D Printing*  
Mon Oct 7 | 6–7 pm  
*Crafting with Creativebug*  
Wed Oct 9 | 2–3 pm  
*Computer Basics I and II*  
Mon Nov 18, Wed Nov 20 | 2–3:30 pm

**Book Bingo**  
Thu Sep 12 | 6–7 pm  
Try our Literary Book Bingo. Get a Bingo and win a Book! 🅲️

**Movies @ Perry**  
Saturdays | 2–4:30 pm  
Lights! Camera! Action! Join us for a movie and popcorn. 🅲️

**Sep 14 | *Mean Girls* Rated PG-13**  
**Oct 12 | *Lisa Frankenstein* Rated PG-13**  
**Nov 9 | *Knives Out* Rated PG-13**

**Book Club**  
*From Book to Big Screen*  
Mondays | 12–1 pm  
Enjoy lively discussions with others on today’s most intriguing books and the movies they inspired. 🅲️

**Sep 16 | *The Martian* by Andy Weir**  
**Oct 21 | *Poor Things* by Alasdair Gray**  
**Nov 18 | *The Scarlet Letter* by Nathaniel Hawthorne**

**Papel de China Flower Bouquets**  
Wed Sep 25 | 6–7 pm  
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by making paper flowers in honor of Mexican Independence Day! Craft a small bouquet to take home. Supplies will be provided. 🅲️

**Memory Activity Kits for Seniors**  
Mon Sep 30 | 6–7 pm  
Whether you are looking for community or for some resources to help navigate memory concerns, the library can help! Come create a Memory Activity Kit and learn about some of the benefits! 🅲️

**Introduction to the Canton Symphony Orchestra’s 2024-2025 MasterWorks Series**  
Wed Oct 2 | 6–7:30 pm  
CSO Ambassador M. J. Albacete explores the rich and exciting musical selections that are included in the 2024-2025 season: A Season of Firsts! 🅲️

**Resin Crafting**  
Fri Oct 18 | 2–3 pm  
Learn how to cast epoxy resin in a silicone mold and add decorative elements to create a unique coaster. Perfect for yourself or as a gift! 🅲️

**Trivia Night**  
Mon Oct 21 | 6–7:30 pm  
Do you consider yourself a jack of all trades? Do you spend too much time watching daytime game shows? Come use that knowledge to win some prizes at Trivia Night! 🅲️

**NaNoWriMo Kick-Off!**  
Fri Nov 1 | 2–4 pm  
Come kick off NaNoWriMo 2024 with fun writing challenges, door prizes, and more! Bring your current WIP or find some inspiration for something new! 🅲️

**“Macaroni at Midnight” with Dr. Don Bartlette**  
Thu Nov 14 | 6–7 pm  
Join us for an evening with indigenous storyteller and local volunteer Dr. Don Bartlette as he tells his autobiographical experiences live. 🅲️

**Book Leaf Wreaths**  
Thu Nov 21 | 6–7:30 pm  
Fall is here and we’re making book leaf wreaths to get into the spirit! Leaves cut from book pages and cardstock will be used to create a beautiful decoration piece for your home. 🅲️

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**Register for events at StarkLibrary.org or 330.452.0665.**

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**STARK LIBRARY presents**

**The Dr. Audrey Lavin Speaking of Books Author Series**

**Jenna Bush Hager**  
Thu Oct 24, 2024  
Register starting Sep 5

**David Baldacci**  
Mon Nov 18, 2024  
Register starting Oct 3

These incredible author events are free! You’ll also have the option to purchase upgraded tickets. More information at StarkLibrary.org/MeetAuthors or scan the QR code.