

PROGRAM GUIDE

2024
SEPTEMBER
- TO -
DECEMBER

EVERYTHING HAPPENING AT
MARENGO-UNION LIBRARY DISTRICT

10 YEAR ANNIVERSARY GALA



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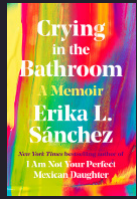


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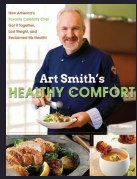
R **BEING IMPERFECT WITH ERIKA SÁNCHEZ**

Ages 16+ • Wed, Oct. 9th • 7 p.m.
Discover the journey of Erika L. Sánchez, celebrated novelist, poet, feminist, and passionate advocate.



R **RAISE YOUR VOICE WITH JASON REYNOLDS**

All Ages • Tues, Oct. 22nd • 7 p.m.
Welcome Jason Reynolds, #1 New York Times bestselling author, advocate, mentor, and 2020-2022 National Ambassador for Young People's Literature.



R **HOLIDAY TIPS & TRICKS WITH CHEF ART SMITH**

Ages 16+ • Wed, Nov. 20th • 7 p.m.
Learn about Chef Art Smith's culinary journey and bring some culinary inspiration into your holiday season.



R **THE MAGIC OF RAINA TELGEMEIER**

All Ages • Tue, Dec. 10th • 7 p.m.
Raina Telgemeier is the author and illustrator of the graphic novels Smile, Drama, Sisters, Ghosts, and Guts, all #1 New York Times bestsellers.



R **EXPERIENCE LITTLE WOMEN: THE MUSICAL (2022)**

All Ages • Dec. 20th-22nd
Enjoy a recording of Little Women: The Musical (2022) from the comfort of your home.



This event is made possible by **Illinois Libraries Present**, a statewide collaboration among public libraries offering premier events.

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10 YEAR ANNIVERSARY GALA

All Ages • Saturday, September 7th

Help us celebrate 10 years at the Grand Highway location!
Attend our Gala to enjoy tours, giveaways, crafts, trivia, food, and more!

GALA

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Whether you're a first time visitor or a returning patron, you can experience the library in an immersive way as staff guides you through MULD's history. Then, enjoy trivia, crafts, activities for youth, yummy food, and enter a giveaway!

DEDICATION CEREMONY

3:15 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Celebrate recipients of our Dedication Ceremony along with library staff.

NATIONAL LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

SEPTEMBER 1ST - SEPTEMBER 30TH

Since 1987, Library Card Sign-up Month has been held each September to mark the beginning of the school year.

Whether you're upgrading your skills, scouting for knowledge and information, or connecting with other heroic readers, a library card is your key to an arsenal of resources.

This month, join Snoopy and the Beagle Scouts with themed events and a limited edition library card.

SIGN-UP

Celebrate everyone's favorite beagle by getting a limited-edition Snoopy library card! Available for new cardholders only.

WATCH

Friday, September 13th • 6-7:30 p.m.
The Peanuts Movie (2015, G, 88 minutes, Blue Sky Studios)

READ

Feel like you're on a camping adventure with one of the featured books or movies on display.



ALL AGES

NATIONAL LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

September 1st – 30th

R FAMILY FUN MOVIE

Friday, September 13th • 6-7:30 p.m.
The Peanuts Movie (2015, G, 88 minutes, Blue Sky Studios)

Friday, November 8th • 6-7:30 p.m.
The Garfield Movie (2022, PG, 87 minutes, Columbia Pictures)

Friday, December 20th • 6-7:30 p.m.
Elf (2013, PG, 90 minutes, New Line Cinema)



R READ TO A DOG

Saturdays • 10 a.m.

September 14th, October 26th, November 23rd, & December 28th

Share your favorite book with our doggy visitor. *Dogs are certified comfort dogs.*

R FAMILY TIME

Friday, September 20th

Enjoy a gratitude craft with fun activities!

BANNED BOOKS WEEK: FREED BETWEEN THE LINES

September 22nd - 28th

Show your support for this annual celebration! Check out our displays, grab a bookmark, and borrow a banned book.

R SCARECROW DECORATING CONTEST

Pick-up scarecrows September 30th – October 7th

Return decorated scarecrows October 8th – 14th

Decorated scarecrows will be displayed and judged. The winner will get a prize. One scarecrow per family.

R SETTLERS DAY MOVIE AT THE LIBRARY

Thursday, October 10th • 6 p.m.

Scooby Doo and the Curse of the 13th Ghost (2019, PG, 72 minutes, Warner Bros. Studios)

FRIENDS SETTLERS' DAY SALE

Saturday, October 12th • 9a.m.-3p.m.

The Friends of the Library will be hosting their annual sale in honor of Settlers' Day.



R FAMILY TURKEY BINGO

Friday, November 15th • 6 p.m.

Play for food and decorations for your upcoming feast.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BAKE SALE

Saturday, December 7th • 9a.m.-3p.m.

The Friends of the Library will be hosting a bake sale just in time for the holidays.

R GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING

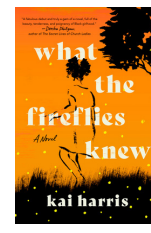
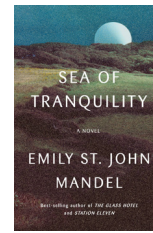
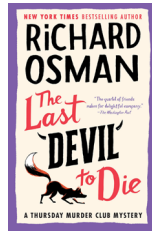
Thursday, December 19th • 6 p.m.

Bring your creativity to this festive event! One gingerbread house per group provided.

Registration opens monthly on the 25th. Register for programs online at muld.org/calendar

ADULT PROGRAMS

AGES 18+



R NEW! LITERARY CRUSTS, TASTY TALES

Join us for a slice at Niko's Pointer Saloon in this new off-site book club!

Tuesday, September 3rd • 6:30 p.m.

The Last Devil to Die by Richard Osmand

Tuesday, October 1st • 6:30 p.m.

Sea of Tranquility by Emily St. John Mandel

Tuesday, November 5th • 6:30 p.m.

What the Fireflies Knew by Kai Harris

Tuesday, December 3rd • 6:30 p.m.

One Day in December by Josie Silver

R AUTHOR VISITS AT MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE: WILLIAM KENT KRUEGER

Sunday, September 8th • 2:00 p.m.

A coalition of McHenry County public libraries are pleased to host author William Kent Krueger at the Luecht Auditorium at McHenry County College.

R ADULT CRAFT NIGHT

Tuesday, September 17th • 6 p.m.

Bath bombs

Tuesday, October 15th • 6 p.m.

Stationary with stamps

Thursday, November 7th • 6 p.m.

Thanksgiving centerpiece

Tuesday, November 19th • 6 p.m.

Thankful boards - bring a 6X6 photo of what you're grateful for

Tuesday, December 17th • 6 p.m.

Holiday wreath



FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING

September 18th, October 16th, November 20th • 6:30 p.m.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

September 24th, October 22nd & December 3rd • 7:30 p.m.

R SATURDAY BOOK CLUB

Saturday, September 21st • 1 p.m.

The Last Devil to Die by Richard Osmand

Saturday, October 19th • 1 pm

Sea of Tranquility by Emily St. John Mandel

Saturday, November 16th • 1 pm

What the Fireflies Knew by Kai Harris

Saturday, December 21st • 1 pm

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Adult programs continued on page 6.

R = Registration required

 = Virtual Programming

 = Sponsored by the Friends of the Library

SEPTEMBER 2024

	SUN	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ADULT		HAPPY LABOR DAY! LIBRARY CLOSED	TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m. LITERARY CRUSTS, TASTY TALES Ages 18+ • 6:30p.m.	HOME SCHOOLERS Youth All Ages • 10a.m.	PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m. VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.	LATE START Library opens at 10a.m.	10 YEAR ANNIVERSARY GALA All Ages • 9a.m. 
YOUTH		MINI CRAFTERS Ages 2-4	TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.	BABYTIME STORYTIME Ages 0-23 Months • 10a.m.	PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m. VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.	FAMILY RUN MOVIE All Ages • 6-7:30p.m. 	READ TO A DOG All Ages • 10a.m. 
ALL AGES	AUTHOR VISITS MCG. WILLIAM MENT KUNZEIGER Ages 18+ • 2p.m.	ART LAB Ages 5-11 • 4p.m.	TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m. 5 TEAM Ages 8+ • 4p.m. ADULT CRAFT NIGHT Ages 18+ • 6p.m.	CREATIVE TYKES Ages 2-4 • 11a.m. FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING 6:30p.m.	PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m. VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.	FAMILY TIME All Ages	SATURDAY BOOK CLUB Ages 18+ • 4p.m.
BANNED BOOKS WEEK 	ART LAB Ages 5-11 • 4p.m. ARTISTIC ADVENTURES Ages 12-17 • 6p.m.	TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m. BOARD MEETING 7:30p.m.	DEBT MANAGEMENT Ages 18+ • 11a.m. PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m. VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m. BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB Grades 4-7 • 6p.m.		DEBT MANAGEMENT Ages 18+ • 11a.m. PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m. VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m. BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB Grades 4-7 • 6p.m.	YOUTH CRAFT Ages 5-11	
SCARBOROUGH PICK-UP All Ages • 09/30-10/07							WHAT'S COOLER THAN BEING COOL? HAVING A LIBRARY CARD. GET YOURS TODAY! 
							Smokey Bear Reading Challenge CELEBRATE SMOKEY BEAR'S 80th BIRTHDAY 09/01 - 11/27

OCTOBER 2024

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ADULT						
YOUTH						
ALL AGES						
		<p>1</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>LITERARY CRAFTS, TASTY TALES Ages 18+ • 6:30p.m.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>HOMESCHOOLERS Youth All Ages • 10a.m.</p> 	<p>3</p> <p>CHAIR YOGA Ages 18+ • 10a.m.</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>LATE START Library opens at 10a.m.</p> <p>LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS Ages 18+ • 2p.m.</p>	<p>5</p>
	<p>7</p> <p>SCARECROW PICK-UP ENDS All Ages • 09/30-10/07</p>	<p>8</p> <p>SCARECROW RETURN BEGINS All Ages • 10/08-10/14</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p>	<p>9</p> <p>BABYTIME STORYTIME Ages 0-23 Months • 10a.m.</p> <p>COFFEE WITH THE CHEF Ages 18+ • 10a.m.</p> <p>ILP, ERIKA SÁNCHEZ Ages 16+ • 7p.m.</p>	<p>10</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p> <p>SETTLERS DAY MOVIE All Ages • 6-7:30p.m.</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p>FRIENDS SETTLERS' DAY SALE All Ages • 9a.m.-3p.m.</p> 
	<p>13</p> <p>SCARECROW RETURN ENDS All Ages • 10/08-10/14</p> <p>MINI CRAFTERS Ages 2-4</p>	<p>14</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>STEAM Ages 8+ • 4p.m.</p> <p>ADULT CRAFT NIGHT Ages 18+ • 6p.m.</p>	<p>15</p> <p>CREATIVE TYKES Ages 2-4 • 11a.m.</p> <p>SENIOR CARE VOLUNTEER NETWORK Ages 18+ • 2p.m.</p> <p>FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING 6:30p.m.</p>	<p>16</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>HOLIDAY BUDGETING Ages 18+ • 2p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>17</p> <p>YOUTH CRAFT Ages 5-11</p>	<p>18</p> <p>SATURDAY BOOK CLUB Ages 18+ • 1p.m.</p>
<p>20</p> <p>CELEBRATE YOUR FRIENDS GROUP MEET 10/20-10/26</p> 	<p>21</p> <p>ART LAB Ages 5-11 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>22</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>HEALTHCARE HELP Ages 18+ • 11a.m.</p> <p>ILP, JASON RETNOLDS All Ages • 7p.m.</p> <p>BOARD MEETING 7:30p.m.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-6 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p> <p>BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB Grades 4-7 • 6p.m.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>YOUTH CRAFT Ages 5-11</p>	<p>25</p> <p>READ TO A DOG All Ages • 10a.m.</p>	<p>26</p>
<p>27</p>	<p>28</p> <p>LEGO CLUB Ages 5-11 • 4p.m.</p> <p>ARTISTIC ADVENTURES Ages 12-17 • 6p.m.</p>	<p>29</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>AUTHOR VISIT: LISA MAFFIGER Youth All Ages • 4p.m.</p>	<p>30</p> 	<p>31</p> <p>NOT-SO-SPOOKY STORYTIME Youth All Ages • 11a.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>HOURS</p> <p>Sunday 1p.m.-3:00p.m. Monday-Thursday 9a.m.-8p.m. Friday-Saturday 9a.m.-5p.m.</p>	

DECEMBER 2024

	SUN	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ADULT							
YOUTH							
ALL AGES							
		<p>2</p> <p>DEWEY IS BACK! All Ages • 12/1 - 12/23</p>	<p>3</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>LITERARY CRUSTS, TASTY TALKS Ages 18+ • 6:30p.m.</p> <p>BOARD MEETING 7:30p.m.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>HOMESCHOOLERS Youth All Ages • 10a.m.</p>	<p>5</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-5 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>LATE START Library opens at 10a.m.</p>	<p>7</p> <p>FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BAKE SALE All Ages • 9a.m.-3p.m.</p>
		<p>9</p> <p>MINI CRAFTERS Ages 2-4</p>	<p>10</p> <p>COOKIES & STORIES Ages 2-5 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>ALP, RAIMA TELLEMEIER All Ages • 7p.m.</p>	<p>11</p> <p>BABYTIME STORYTIME Ages 0-23 months • 10a.m.</p>	<p>12</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-5 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p> <p>HISTORY OF ELVIS Ages 18+ • 6p.m.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>YOUTH CRAFT Ages 5-11</p>	<p>14</p>
		<p>15</p> <p>WRP All Ages • 12/16-01/07</p> <p>ART LAB Ages 5-11 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>17</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME Ages 2-3 • 10:30a.m.</p> <p>STEAM Ages 8+ • 4p.m.</p> <p>ADULT CRAFT NIGHT Ages 18+ • 6p.m.</p>	<p>18</p> <p>CREATIVE TIMES Ages 2-4 • 11a.m.</p> <p>FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING 6:30p.m.</p>	<p>19</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-5 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p> <p>BIG-GIRLIES BOOK CLUB Grades 4-7 • 6p.m.</p> <p>GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING All Ages • 6p.m.</p>	<p>20</p> <p>ALP LITTLE WOMEN THE MUSICAL All Ages • 12/20-12/22</p> <p>FAMILY FUN MOVIE All Ages • 6-7:30p.m.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>SATURDAY BOOK CLUB Ages 18+ • 4p.m.</p>
		<p>22</p> <p>LEGO CLUB Ages 5-11 • 4p.m.</p> <p>ARTISTIC ADVENTURES Ages 12-17 • 6p.m.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>25</p> <p>LIBRARY CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS EVE AND CHRISTMAS DAY</p>	<p>26</p> <p>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME Ages 3-5 • 1:30p.m.</p> <p>VIDEO GAME CLUB Ages 8-12 • 4p.m.</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p> <p>READ TO A DOG All Ages • 10a.m.</p>	
		<p>29</p>	<p>31</p> <p>NEW YEAR'S EVE LIBRARY CLOSED</p>				

ADULT PROGRAMS

AGES 18+

R BMO HARRIS: DEBT MANAGEMENT & BUDGETING

Thursday, September 26th • 11 a.m.

BMO Harris provides you with the resources to help you achieve your financial goals and make real financial progress.

R CHAIR YOGA

Thursday, October 3rd • 10 a.m.

Increase your mobility and calm your mind with this instructional program.

R LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

Friday, October 4th • 2:00 p.m.

The League of Women Voters is a nonpartisan, grassroots organization working to protect and expand voting rights and ensure everyone is represented in our democracy.

R COFFEE WITH THE CHIEF

Wednesday, October 9th • 10 a.m.

Police Chief Nathan Hayes of the Marengo Police Department will meet with the community and answer questions about safety. Coffee and light refreshments will be served.



R SENIOR CARE VOLUNTEER NETWORK

Wednesday, October 16th • 2:00 p.m.

The Senior Care Volunteer Network supports their senior neighbors who live independently with transportation, home repairs, and more at no charge.

R BUDGETING FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Thursday, October 17th • 2:00 p.m.

Make your holiday season affordable with guidance from Consumer Credit Counseling Services.

R MEDICARE HELP WITH ALEXANDRA UNGARI

Tuesday, October 22nd • 11:00 a.m.

Are you turning 65 or retiring soon? Learn what Medicare covers, what you need to do, and when.



R CONSUMERS CREDIT COUNSELING SERVICES PRESENTS: SCAMS, SCHEMES, AND FINANCIAL PREDATORS

Monday, November 11th • 2:00 p.m.

Consumer Credit Counseling Services teaches you how to recognize and avoid financial predators.

R AUTHOR VISITS AT MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE: ABBOTT KAHLER

Thursday, November 14th • 7:00 p.m.

A coalition of McHenry County public libraries are pleased to host author Abbott Kahler at the Luecht Auditorium at McHenry County College.

R BMO HARRIS: CREDIT SCORES AND REPORTING

Thursday, November 21st • 11:00 a.m.

BMO Harris provides you with the resources to help you understand and improve your credit score.

R GARY WENSTRUP PRESENTS: THE HISTORY OF ELVIS PRESLEY

Thursday, December 12th • 6:00 p.m.

Learn all about the "King of Rock and Roll" who revolutionized popular music from the 50's to today.

TEEN PROGRAMS

AGES 12-17

R STEAM

Ages 8+ • Tuesdays • 4 p.m.

September 17th

Magnetic slime

October 15th

Pumpkin science

November 19th

Thanksgiving activity

December 17th

Reindeer



R ARTISTIC ADVENTURES

Ages 12-17 • Mondays • 6 p.m.

September 23rd

DIY book buttons: Freed Between the Lines

October 28th

Willy Wonka escape room

November 25th

Fall mason jars

December 23rd

Book bags



R AUTHOR VISIT: DRAW WITH LISA NAFFZIGER

Youth All Ages • Tuesday, October 29th • 4 p.m.

Learn to draw America's most well-known monsters and learn about the amazing world of Deja Ross with author Lisa Naffziger!

YOUTH BOOK CLUB

R BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB

Grades 4-7 • Thursdays • 6 pm

September 26th

Just Roll with It by Veronica Agarwal & Lee Durfey-Lavoie

October 24th

The Lost Library by Rebecca Stead

November 21st

Sheets by Brenna Thummler

December 19th

The Angel Tree by Daphne Benedis-Grab



YOUTH PROGRAMS

AGES 2-11

R VIDEO GAME CLUB

Ages 8-12 • Thursdays • 4 p.m.

Join us at the Library for some Switch and Xbox One gaming. You are encouraged to bring your own phone, tablet, or laptop.

R HOMESCHOOLERS STUDY

Youth All Ages • 3 & under needs adult • Wednesdays • 10-11:30 a.m.

September 4th
Meet baby goats

October 2nd
Fire prevention

November 13th
Decorating cookies

December 4th
Winter Party!

R MINI CRAFTERS

Ages 2-4 • Mondays • Online

September 9
Foil transfer art

October 14
DIY hat

November 4
Fork feather turkey craft

December 9
Gingerbread person

Register early and pick up your kit starting the day of the program.

R ART LAB

Ages 5-11 • Mondays • 4 p.m.

September 16th
DIY bookmarks

October 21st
Perler beads

November 18th
Turkey glove

December 16th
Winter silhouette



R CREATIVE TYKES

Ages 2-4 • Wednesdays • 11 a.m.

Time for parents and children under five to engage in sensory activities.

September 18th
Bears, bears, bears!

October 16th
Fire safety

November 20th
Turkey fun

December 18th
Gingerbread activities



R STEAM

Ages 8+ • Tuesdays • 4 p.m.

September 17th
Magnetic slime

October 15th
Pumpkin science

November 19th
Thanksgiving activity

December 17th
Reindeer

R LEGO CLUB

Ages 5-11 • Mondays • 4 p.m.

Let your imagination run wild with LEGO® building blocks. Join in monthly challenges and have time to free build.

September 23rd
LEGO challenges

October 28th
Vehicles

November 25th
Mazes

December 23rd
Free build



R YOUTH CRAFT

Ages 5-11 • Fridays • Online

September 27
DIY library card holder

October 25
Golf ball yard craft

November 22
Pinecone turkey

December 13
Fireplace ornament

Register early and pick up your kit starting the day of the program.

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NAFFZIGER

Youth All Ages • Tuesday, October 29th • 4 p.m.

Learn to draw America's most well-known monsters and learn about the amazing world of Deja Ross with author Lisa Naffziger!

R DEWEY THE SHELF ELF RETURNS

Youth All Ages • December 1st-December 23rd

Dewey visits the library once more to cause mischief! Can you find him?



Registration opens monthly on the 25th. Register for programs online at muld.org/calendar



R NOT-SO-SPOOKY STORYTIME & PARADE

Youth All Ages • Thursday, October 31st • 11:00 a.m.

Grab your favorite costume for this family-friendly parade and storytime!

R COOKIES & STORIES

Ages 2-6 • Tuesday, December 10th • 10:30 a.m.

Enjoy holiday stories and yummy cookies.



BABYTIME STORYTIME

**Ages Birth to 23 months
Wednesdays • 10:00a.m.**

**September 11th, October 9th,
November 13th, & December 11th**
Join us for rhymes, books, and giggles.

TODDLER STORYTIME

Ages 2-3 • Tuesdays • 10:30a.m.
Engaging fingerplays, songs, & stories.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Ages 3-6 • Thursdays • 1:30 p.m.
New stories and a craft every week.

*No Preschool Storytime October 31st
or December 26th*

R = Registration required

V = Virtual Programming

SEASONAL READING PROGRAMS

® SMOKEY THE BEAR READING CHALLENGE

Youth All Ages • Sunday, September 1st-Wednesday, November 27th

The USDA Forest Service is excited to collaborate with public library systems across the country on the Smokey Bear Reading Challenge in celebration of his 80th birthday.

Complete themed challenges, grab a bookmark, and learn about nature. Pick up a reading log from the front desk to join.

Only YOU can prevent forest fires!

® WINTER READING PROGRAM: SHAKE, RATTLE, AND READ

All Ages • Monday, December 16th-Tuesday, January 7th

Our Winter Reading Program returns! Complete cool challenges and activities, record your reading minutes, and enter our prize drawings.

Register at: muldreads.readsquared.com. Sign-up to shake, rattle, and read!



LIBRARY MANAGEMENT

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LIBRARY HOURS:

*The first Friday of every month
we open at 10:00a.m.*

MONDAY-THURSDAY

9:00a.m.-8:00p.m.

FRIDAY

9:00a.m.-5:00p.m.

SATURDAY

9:00a.m.-3:00p.m.

SUNDAY

12:00p.m.-3:00p.m.*

**Sunday library hours will return on
Sunday, September 8th.*

LIBRARY CLOSURES

September 2nd:

CLOSED for Labor Day

November 27th:

EARLY CLOSING at 5 p.m.

November 28th & 29th:

CLOSED

December 24th & 25th:

CLOSED

December 31st & January

1st:

CLOSED



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