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National Library Week at the St. Joseph Public Library

National Library Week will be celebrated April 10-16. This year's theme is "Libraries Transform." When I think about what that theme means to me, one thing comes to mind. I think about libraries transforming people's lives. Does the library transform lives by offering books, movies, music, computers, storytimes and other programs? I'd like to think those things do play a part. However, when I think about libraries transforming lives I first think of our library staff, quickly followed by our patrons. Without the people, libraries are just buildings holding things. To truly transform, something must change a person. Do you just bring your child to storytime and listen to a book being read aloud? Or is it the librarian that brings that book to life and the imagination of the child to see the story? The librarian helped you find the right book, but is that just a book you hold in your hands or is it a life changing story that transforms the way you view the world? Is that just a CD made from plastic or is it music that soothes your soul or inspires you to greatness?

Libraries can offer things, but librarians and patrons together can transform lives.

During National Library Week the St. Joseph Public Library will be celebrating by giving away prizes at each of our four branches. There will also be a city-wide scavenger hunt for families. Please join us in celebrating this very special week! For more information about the prize drawings and the scavenger hunt see pages 7 and 12.

Crystal Stuck Community Services and Promotions Coordinator



LIBRARY CLOSINGS

March 27 - Easter

STORYTIMES

Introduce your children to books and reading at our fun storytimes. Experience a lively mix of stories, songs, rhymes and crafts that make this a special time for you and your child.

Washington Park

For children ages 3 to 6.

Approximate running time is 45 minutes.

Sign up is not required, but is appreciated.

Mondays, February 22 - April 11 @ 10 a.m.

East Hills Library

Recommended for children 6 and younger.

Approximate running time is 35 minutes.

Tuesdays, February 2 - April 19 @ 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

Carnegie Library

For children ages 18 months and up with an adult.

Approximate running time is 45 minutes.

Sign up is not required, but is appreciated.

Wednesdays, March 2 - April 20 @ 10:30 a.m.

Downtown Library

For children ages 3 to 6.

Approximate running time is 45 minutes.

Thursdays, February 18 - April 21 @ 10:30 a.m.

East Hills Shopping Center Storytime with Will

Located near the carousel.

Recommended for children 6 and younger.

Approximate running time is 35 minutes.

Tuesday, March 15 @ 11 a.m.

Tuesday, April 19 @ 11 a.m.

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The Mark Twain Readers Club

The Mark Twain Readers Club is a book club hosted by the Children's Department at the Downtown Library for kids in 4th through 8th grade. All you have to do to be a member is read the current Mark Twain Award nominees. You can win prizes and be entered for a really cool grand prize just for reading the books.

Prizes:

- Prizes are awarded after reading 1 books, 4 books, and 8 books.
- After 4 books, your name is put into a drawing for \$50, which party attendees are eligible to win.

The program runs throughout each year, culminating in March when we have a book/pizza party to celebrate our readers. We discuss nominees, eat pizza and play games, as well as the \$50 drawing. You also get to vote for your favorite Mark Twain nominee.

The next Mark Twain Readers Club Party for eligible club members will be March 14 at 6 p.m. at the Downtown Library.

Call 232-3812 for more information on how to become a member.

Wiggle, Giggle and Go to the Children's Fair

On April 26 the St. Joseph Public Library will once again be a part of the St. Joseph Children's Fair. This event, organized by the St. Joseph Youth Alliance, happens annually at the Civic Arena. Each of the twenty plus area organizations choose a book that works with the overall theme of the year, this year that theme is "movement". They then use the book as inspiration for the craft or activity at their booth. The target audience is for those six and under, however all ages are welcome. All children in attendance will receive a free book. Parking is free in the garage next to the Civic Arena for those attending. There is no pre-registration, just show up during one or more of the three sessions: 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m.-3 p.m. or 5 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

Children's Programs

Unless noted these programs are intended for children 1st-6th grade.

Washington Park

Tricky Tuesday Seuss-tastic Crafts- Join us after school and make some Seuss-themed crafts

Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Tuesday, March 1 @ 3:30 p.m.

Tricky Tuesday Movie- Join us after school for a movie and snacks.

Minions - PG - 91 minutes

Tuesday, March 22 @ 3:30 p.m - 5 p.m.

Tricky Tuesday Library Crafts – Join us after school and make some library-themed crafts.

Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Tuesday, April 12 @ 3:30 p.m.

Downtown Library

Find Your Own Way Out! - The art of creating and solving challenging mazes. Explore free-form & grid maze creations.

Approximate running time is 90 minutes.

4th through 7th grade. Sign-up is required.

Thursday, March 24 @ 3:30 p.m

Mr. Dunlap's "Special of the Day" Art Workshop

Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

2nd through 6th grade. Sign-up is required.

Thursday, April 28 @ 4 p.m.



Children's Programs

Unless noted these programs are intended for children 1st-6th grade.

East Hills Library

Reading Pups - The Domesti-PUPS organization is continuing their partnership with the East Hills Library to offer children a way to improve their reading skills in a unique and fun environment. This program utilizes therapy dogs as the listeners for children of all ages and reading levels. For more information on the Domesti-PUPS organization visit: www.domesti-pups.org/.

Saturday, March 5 & April 2 @ 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Games of the Past - During this three week program, participants will learn to play games enjoyed by children of yesteryear. Graces, marbles, jacks and more! All supplies provided. **Sign-up is limited and required.**

Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Mondays, April 11 - 25 @ 4 p.m.

Tween Scene (4th-6th grade)

Pipe Cleaner Ninjas - Using simple materials, make your own pocket-sized ninja that is fully poseable. Supplies provided. **Sign-up is required.**Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, March 3 @ 4 p.m.

Paper Strip Shamrocks - Create a cool looking shamrock using nothing but strips of paper. Supplies provided. **Sign-up is required.**

Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, March 17 @ 4 p.m.

SLIME TIME! – Prepare some slime that might come in handy for April Fool's Day. Supplies provided. **Sign-up is required.**

Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, March 31 @ 4 p.m.

CD Scratch Art - Make an iridescent piece of artwork on recycled CDs. Supplies provided. **Sign-up is required.** Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, April 21 @ 4 p.m.





Rump: The True Story of Rumpelstiltskin by Liesl Shurtliff

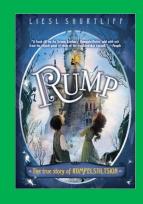
Reviewed by Bethany Barton, Downtown Library, Children's Department.

Growing up, 12-year-old Rump always heard that your name was your destiny. However, Rump never knew his whole name. I mean, what kind of name is Rump? It is a name that will make you the butt of everyone's jokes. When he finds his mother's old spinning wheel, things seem to change for Rump. He learns that he can spin straw into gold. However, magic can be a dangerous thing.

Rump, on a mission to break the spinning spell, travels to Yonder and Beyond, encounters trolls, pixies, poison apples, and a foolish queen.

Read the full review at

sjplreads.blogspot.com





The Truman/ Gateway Readers Club

The Truman/Gateway Readers Club is for teen readers grades 6-12. These books are award nominees that encourage students in their teen years to express their unique voice through exploring new literary genres, communicating with their peers about young adult literature, and honoring authors writing for teens. Once a teen has read 4 books they will be entered to win a \$50 gift card. Each additional nominee read enters them for another chance at winning. Every spring the Downtown Library's Truman/Gateway Club holds a party for club members. At the yearly party, the winner of the gift card is selected and members vote for their favorite Truman nominee and favorite Gateway nominee.

The Truman/Gateway Readers Club annual party will be on Saturday, March 19 at 11 a.m.

Refreshments will be served. Contact Kathy at 232-7729 for more information.

Teen Programs

Unless noted these programs are intended for teens in 7th-12th grade

Downtown Library

Monthly Teen Book Club - Come to the teen book club for interesting book discussions, crafts and treats.

Saturday, March 19 @ 11 a.m. - Truman/Gateway Readers Club Award Tea. See sidebar of this page for more information.

Creative Comics Club - Open to teens 12-18 years old. The primary focus of the club is comic-based art, but other art techniques will be explored. All supplies provided. Creative Comics Club runs approximately 1 hour.

Thursday, March 10 @ 4 p.m. - Gesture and contour drawing.

Thursday, April 14 @ 4 p.m. - Work together to create a community piece for the Downtown Library teen area.

Anime Club - Open to teens 12-18 years old. Join the Anime Club and explore all things Anime & Manga! Anime Club runs approximately 2 hours.

Thursday, March 17 @ **4 p.m.** - Watching 4 episodes of Digimon Adventure tri.

Thursday, April 21 @ 4 p.m. - Watching 4 episodes of Mushi-shi.

East Hills Library

Life Hack Test - Join us as we test out some popular online suggested life hacks. **Sign-up is required.**

Approximate running time is 45 minutes.

Thursday, March 10 @ 4 p.m.

Guitar Pick Necklace - You can rock out with your own personalized guitar pick necklace. All supplies provided. **Sign-up is required.**

Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, March 24 @ 4 p.m.

Seed Bombs - Learn to make seed bombs, a fun way to grow flowers around your yard. All supplies provided. **Sign-up is required.**

Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, April 14 @ 4 p.m.

Office Supply X-Wing Fighter - In a not so far off galaxy, someone came up with a way to make an X-Wing fighter using only office supplies. We'll show you how. **Sign-up is required.**

Approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Thursday, April 28 @ 4 p.m.

Family and All Ages Programs

Downtown Library

Monthly LEGO Club - LEGO enthusiasts from kindergarten and up are welcome to join us each month.

Tuesday, March 1 @ 6:30 p.m. -Theme: Fruits & Vegetables

Tuesday, April 5 @ 6:30 p.m. -Theme: Bunnies & Spring

East Hills Library

Family Movie Nights - Snacks and drinks with lids are welcome at this monthly film program.

Monday, March 14 @ 6:30 p.m. - Inside Out - PG - 102 min, 2015

Monday, April 18 @ **6:30 p.m.** – *The Neverending Story* - PG - 94 min, 1984

Downtown Library's Family Place I-2-3 Play with Me! Sessions Return

How can I promote healthy eating in my child? How can I ready my child for reading? What are some effective potty training strategies and how best do I handle tantrums? These questions and many more will be answered during St. Joseph Public Library's Family Place 1-2-3 Play with Me! play-and-learn sessions offered at the Downtown Library located at 927 Felix Street. The session themes target development in children ages 12 months to 5 years.



The six weekly sessions will feature a professional in a specific area of child development who will visit with you and your child during the session to offer suggestions and answer any questions you may have about the weekly topic.

During each session, children will be able to play with an array of stimulating and age-appropriate toys, interacting with parents and other children.

Sessions will be Mondays at 10:30 a.m. beginning March 21st and ending April 25th.

The series is limited to 10 families, so registration is necessary. Registration is for all six sessions and families are encouraged to attend each one. To register call the Downtown Children's Library at 232-3812 by March 14th. For more information, ask for Jen Wildhagen.

City-wide Scavenger Hunt April 9

April 10-16 is National Library Week and this years' theme is Libraries Transform. What better way to kick-off a week of celebration than a citywide scavenger hunt that will take you to several places in our city that transform lives every day! Teams will meet at the Downtown Library at 2 p.m. to receive their clues. The first team to return to the Downtown Library with completed clues wins a fabulous family prize pack! One vehicle per team. Sign your team up and get more information from Kathy at 232-7729.



Above: The winning team from last year finished in 1 hour and 20 minutes!

Photography Contest For All Ages at the Downtown Library in April

The Downtown Library will be hosting a photography contest in April. There will be two age divisions: those up to age 17 and 18 and over. Prizes will be awarded in each age division with 1st place receiving \$50.00 and 2nd place receiving \$25.00. There will also be an overall staff pick prize of \$25.00. There is no theme for this year's contest. Pictures with captions need to be submitted to the Downtown Library no later than 5 p.m. on April 1. The award reception will be held on Tuesday, April 12 at 6:30 p.m. For more information call Kathy at 232-7729.



Library in Pictures



Above: Downtown staff members, Jennifer Sanders-Tutt and Jen Wildhagen pose next to the library's golf hole at the St. Joseph Museum's fundraiser that took place in January and February.



Above: Sarah Elder, from the St. Joseph Museum, gave a presentation about Fort Smith at the library's Local History Stage event in January. Local History Stage is the 2nd Wednesday of every month at the Joyce Raye Patterson Senior Center. Photo credit: George Denniston.



Left: East Hills Library staff member participating in a display called Book-Face Shelfie! Can you guess who the mystery staff person is?



Above: Black History Month display at the East Hills Library in February.



Above: Any guesses as to who this mystery staff person is? Another BookFace Shelfie picture taken at the Downtown Library.



Left: The Mitten
Tree at the
Washington Park
Library. The
Mitten Tree is a
yearly tradition at
the Washington
Park Library. The
Tree goes up every
January and stays
up while the
weather is cold.

Adult Programs

East Hills Library

Adult Coloring Night - Take a break from the hustle and bustle of the world, and color! Supplies and light refreshments provided.

Monday, March 14 @ 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 11 @ 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.



BACK STORIES

BackStories is a new monthly program at the East Hills Library. Each month we will be visited by an area musician and hear their music, the story behind their songs and their musical inspiration. Light refreshments provided. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Monday, March 28 @ 7 p.m.

John Goolsby is a born performer. From his first church solo at age 7, to sharing the stage with such as artists as Luke Bryan, Pat Green and Pat Benatar, John lives to sing and play his songs for as many people as he can. John's debut album, which will be released this year, is already drawing comparisons to critically acclaimed singer/songwriter Chris Stapleton. With a varied list of influences to draw from, this is hopefully the beginning of a long musical journey.





Monday, April 25 @ 7 p.m.

Dana Stuart is a singer-songwriter and recording artist from St. Joseph. While Dana played piano for many years, it wasn't until a series of personal hardships that she turned to music and discovered her soulful vocals and songwriting skills in rock, alternative and adult contemporary. She has been writing and performing all over the Midwest ever since.

Spring is in the Air!____

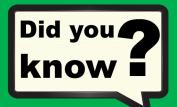
Do you love gardening, butterflies, flowers and volunteering? Washington Park Library has a volunteer opportunity for you to help keep our library's gardens and park beautiful from spring to fall!

We are looking for a business, gardening club, church group or volunteers to keep our gardens at Washington Park Library always looking their best for the many patrons who visit us daily.

Washington Park Library opened on June 23, 1910 and was funded by Andrew Carnegie. The library is nestled in a triangular park that is bordered by Washington Avenue, North Third Street and Market Street. The park was originally donated by the St. Joseph Extension Company in honor of Washington Jones, a prominent community leader in St. Joseph in the early 1900s. The building has exterior architectural features such as open books and holly berry decorations.

If your group, business or club are experienced gardeners and interested in volunteering at Washington Park Library, please call Karen Schultz at 232-2052.





Did you know you can register to vote at the library?

Are you registered to vote?

Have you recently moved and need a new voter registration card?

The St. Joseph Public Library offers voter registration at all library branches.

Voter registration at the library is available to Buchanan County residents only.

Don't miss your chance to make a difference at the polls. Get registered today!



MOVIES!

Downtown Library

This event is intended for anyone 17 and over. It is free and no registration is needed. Free popcorn provided and drinks with lids are welcome.

Third Monday of the Month @ 5:30 p.m.

March 21 - Ferris Bueller's Day Off - PG - 103 min, 1986

April 18 - Singin' in the Rain - G - 103 min, 1952

East Hills Library

Friends Front Row Tuesday Night Film Series with movie critic, Bob Shultz. Free popcorn provided and drinks with lids are welcome.



Every Tuesday @ 6:30 p.m.

March 1 – The Man Who Came to Dinner - NR- 112 min, 1942

March 8 - The Prestige - PG - 13 - 126 min, 2006

March 15 - Some Like It Hot - NR - 105 min, 1959

March 22 - *Dog Day Afternoon* - R- 130 min, 1975

March 29 - *The Breakfast Club* - R - 97 min, 1985

April 2016: Viewer's Choice Alfred Hitchcock Film Festival

April 5 – **Rear Window** - PG - 112 min, 1954

April 12 - **Strangers on a Train** - PG - 101 min, 1951

April 19 – **Dial M For Murder** - PG - 108 min, 1954

April 26 - *The Birds* - PG-13 - 120 min, 1963





Make sure to check the Family section of this booklet for even more movies!

Adult Programs

Downtown Library

Local History Stage - Held across the street from the Downtown Library at the Joyce Raye Patterson Senior Center, 100 S. 10th Street. This monthly program features presenters discussing different aspects of local history. Everyone is invited to attend and we'll have refreshments. Come early and enjoy lunch from 11:00 - 12:30 for \$5.00.

-Wednesday, March 9 @ 1 p.m. – Irish History in St. Joseph, presented by Shane McDonald. Shane is the historian for the St. Joseph chapter of the Ancient Order of the Hibernians. He will be sharing information about Irish History in St. Joseph, MO.

-Wednesday, April 13 @ 1 p.m. -Flood of 1993, presented by Eric Keith. Former photographer with the St. Joseph News-Press, Eric Keith will be sharing his photographs and experiences from the 1993 flood in Northwest Missouri.

Adult Coloring Program- Take a break from the hustle and bustle of the world, and color! Supplies and light refreshments provided.

Tuesday, March 8 @ 2 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. - Theme: St. Patrick's Day

Tuesday, April 12 @ 2 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. - Theme: Spring



Adult Gardening Programs: Approximate running time is 45 minutes. No registration required.

-Saturday, March 19 @ 1 p.m.— Seedy Saturday Program, Diana Prine will give a short talk on ornamental flowers. Participants are invited to bring ornamental seeds to trade and/or share with the community. During the seed swap, the Downtown Seed Library will be set up and accessible for easy browsing.

-Saturday, April 2 @ **10 a.m.**— **Garden Design**, Local gardener, Dee Zvolanek, will present a program on garden design and how to arrange plantings to create an aesthetically pleasing landscape.



X by Sue Grafton

Reviewed by Mary Beth Revels, Library Director

Sue Grafton is up to "X" in her alphabet series of books featuring private investigator, Kinsey Millhone. The books are set in the 1980s, preinternet, pre-cell phones. Kinsey makes full use of phone books and payphones. Ahh, those were the days.

I never did figure out why this book was called "X" except that is the letter Grafton had to work with. There were three stories happening here: Kinsey and her landlord Henry have some new neighbors who turn out to be a nightmare; Kinsey is following up on cases from Pete Wolinsky, a private eye who died in "Ѿ is for Ӂasted" and ends up tangling with a very nasty man indeed and finally she plays reluctant marriage counselor to a feuding rich couple.

Read the full review at

sjplreads.blogspot.com



S.T.A.M.P.S?



S.T.A.M.P.S. is a monthly email that features a complete list of the upcoming month's programs and events at all four of the St. Joseph Public Libraries.

To sign up for this email and others:

- 1. Visit <u>sjpl.lib.mo.us</u>
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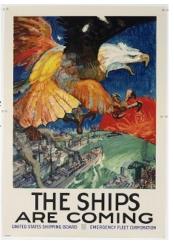
It is that simple!

Friends Only Event: World War II Victory Posters

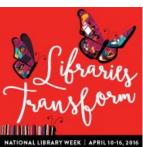
Members of the Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library are invited to a special evening of craft beer and wine tasting and to learn more about the World War II victory posters on display at the East Hills Library. The event will take place on Saturday, March 26 at 6 p.m. Reference Librarian, Jennifer Sanders-Tutt will be speaking about the history of these unique posters. After the presentation everyone is welcome to walk around and view the posters while enjoying selected beers and wines, as well as hors d'oeuvres. Friends members wishing to attend must RSVP no later than Monday, March 21. To RSVP, email cstuck@sjpl.lib.mo.us or call 236-2136. If you are not a member of the Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library and would like to attend this event, visit any library branch to join.



Victory posters were originally produced during the Great War, or World War I. The library's collection of posters were reproduced quickly at the beginning of World War II and used to build morale until newly designed posters for the current war effort could be printed.



Libraries Transform: National Library Week April 10-16



First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association and libraries across the country each April. This year National Library Week is April 10-16. Libraries of all types are evolving to meet the needs of the communities they serve. At the St. Joseph Public Library we are transforming by offering innovative programming,

computer and internet access, electronic content, computer classes and much more. To help celebrate this important week, the St. Joseph Public Library will be offering patrons a chance to win prizes.

Come to any branch to enter prize drawings. Enter babies through six-yearolds in a drawing for a copy of the children's book, *Frederick* by Leo Lionni, along with a plush toy mouse. Those ages seven through 17 may enter for a \$25 gift card from Hastings and adults 18 and over may win a \$25 gift card from East Hills Shopping Center.



BOOK GLUBS

Alice

McDermott

Breakfast with Buddha

After

Washington Park Library

First Tuesday of the Month @ 2 p.m. Contact Karen (232-2052) for more info. March 1: *After This* by Alice McDermott April 5: *Blue Heaven* by C.J. Box

Carnegie Library

First Thursday of the Month @ 5:30 p.m. Contact Sue (238-0526) for more info. March 3: *Breakfast with Buddha* by Roland Merullo

April 7: Book to be announced.

Downtown Library

Fourth Monday of the Month @ 7 p.m. Contact Mary Beth (232-7729) for more info. March 28: *After You* by JoJo Moyes April 25: *The Death of Bees* by Lisa O'Donnell

East Hills Library

Fourth Wednesday of the Month @ 10 a.m. Contact Shirley (236-2136) for more info.

March 23: Everything I Never Told You by Celeste Ng

April 27: *The Rocks* by Peter Nichols

Spring Book Sale at the East Hills Library in April!

The Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library will be holding a Spring book sale in the lower lobby of the East Hills Library. The Spring sale will include some fiction and lots of history, religion, biography, and art books. The sale will begin at 1 p.m. on Friday, April 15 and continue during regular library hours until 5 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20. All hardcover books are \$2 each and paperbacks are \$1 each. There will be a half-price day on April 19 and on the last day of the sale you can fill a bag for \$3 and a box for \$6. Cash, checks and credit cards will be accepted. Proceeds from the sale help fund Summer Reading Programs for all ages at the four library branches. For more information about the Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library or book sale, contact Crystal Stuck at 236-2107.

Thank you!

We appreciate these supporters for their donations and volunteer work in December 2015 and January 2016.

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These Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library members and volunteers sorted books for future book sales:

Linda Berger

John Foley

Marcia Johnson

Micaela Kristin-Kali

Harold Lister

Ralph Ronnenbaum

Pat Sander

Annie Updegraff

CALENDAR

March Events



- T March 1, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Storytime EH
- T March 1, 2 p.m. Book Club WP
- T March 1, 3:30 p.m. Tricky Tues. Seuss-tastic crafts WP
- T March 1, 6:30 p.m. LEGO Club: Fruits/Veggies DT
- T March 1, 6:30 p.m. Movie/Man Who Came Dinner EH
- W March 2, 10:30 a.m. Storytime CB
- Th March 3, 10:30 a.m. Storytime DT
- Th March 3, 4 p.m. Pipe Cleaner Ninjas EH
- Th March 3, 5:30 p.m. Book Club CB
- Sa March 5, 10 a.m. Reading Pups EH
- M March 7, 10 a.m. Storytime WP
- T March 8, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Storytime EH
- T March 8, 2 p.m. Adult Coloring: St. Pat's Day DT
- T March 8, 6:30 p.m. Movie/The Prestige EH
- W March 9, 10:30 a.m. Storytime CB
- W March 9, 1 p.m. Local Hist. Stage/Irish History JRP
- Th March 10, 10:30 a.m. Storytime DT
- Th March 10, 4 p.m. Creative Comics Club DT
- Th March 10, 4 p.m. Life Hack Test EH
- M March 14, 10 a.m. Storytime WP
- M March 14, 5:30 p.m. Adult Coloring Night EH
- M March 14, 6 p.m. Mark Twain Club Party DT
- M March 14, 6:30 p.m. Family Movie/Inside Out EH
- T March 15, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Storytime EH
- T March 15, 11 a.m. East Hills Mall Storytime
- T March 15, 6:30 p.m. Movie/Some Like It Hot EH
- W March 16, 10:30 a.m. Storytime CB
- Th March 17, 10:30 a.m. Storytime DT
- Th March 17, 4 p.m. Anime Club DT
- Th March 17, 4 p.m. Paper Strip Shamrocks EH

- Sa March 19, 11 a.m. Truman/Gateway Party DT
- Sa March 19, 1 p.m. Seedy Saturday Program DT
- M March 21, 10 a.m. Storytime WP
- M March 21, 10:30 a.m. 1-2-3 Play with Me! Session DT
- M March 21, 5:30 p.m. Movie/Ferris Bueller's Day Off -DT
- T March 22, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Storytime EH
- T March 22, 3:30 p.m. Tricky Tues. Minions Movie WP
- T March 22, 6:30 p.m. Movie/Dog Day Afternoon EH
- W March 23, 10 a.m. Book Club EH
- W March 23, 10:30 a.m. Storytime CB
- Th March 24, 10:30 a.m. Storytime DT
- Th March 24, 3:30 p.m. Find Your Way Out/Mazes- DT
- Th March 24, 4 p.m. Guitar Pick Necklace EH
- Sa March 26, 6 p.m. World War II Victory Posters EH
- Su March 27 All Libraries Closed for Easter
- M March 28, 10 a.m. Storytime WP
- M March 28, 10:30 a.m. 1-2-3 Play with Me! Session DT
- M March 28, 7 p.m. Book Club DT
- M March 28, 7 p.m. BackStories/John Goolsby EH
- T March 29, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Storytime EH
- T March 29, 6:30 p.m. Movie/The Breakfast Club EH
- W March 30, 10:30 a.m. Storytime CB
- Th March 31, 10:30 a.m. Storytime DT
- Th March 31, 4 p.m. Slime Time! EH

Service Announcement:

The United Democrat Club will host a forum for school board candidates on March 9 at 7 p.m. at the East Hills Library.

April Events

Sa April 2, 10 a.m. - Garden Design - DT

Sa April 2, 10 a.m. - Reading Pups - EH

M April 4, 10 a.m. - Storytime - WP

M April 4, 10:30 a.m. - 1-2-3 Play with Me! Session - DT

T April 5, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. - Storytime - EH

T April 5, 2 p.m. - Book Club-WP

T April 5, 6:30 p.m. - LEGO Club: Bunnies/Spring - DT

T April 5, 6:30 p.m. - Movie/Rear Window - EH

W April 6, 10:30 a.m. - Storytime - CB

Th April 7, 10:30 a.m. - Storytime - DT

Th April 7, 5:30 p.m. - Book Club - CB

Sa April 9, 2 p.m. - City-wide Scavenger Hunt - DT

M April 11, 10 a.m. - Storytime - WP

M April 11, 10:30 a.m. - 1-2-3 Play with Me! Session - DT

M April 11, 4 p.m. - Games of the Past - EH

M April 11, 5:30 p.m. - Adult Coloring Night - EH

T April 12, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. - Storytime - EH

T April 12, 2 p.m. - Adult Coloring: Spring - DT

T April 12, 3:30 p.m. - Tricky Tuesday Library Crafts - WP

T April 12, 6:30 p.m. - Photography Contest Reception - DT

T April 12, 6:30 p.m. - Movie/Strangers on a Train - EH

W April 13, 10:30 a.m. - Storytime - CB

W April 13, 1 p.m. - Local Hist. Stage/1993 Flood - JRP

Th April 14, 10:30 a.m. - Storytime - DT

Th April 14, 4 p.m. - Creative Comics Club - DT

Th April 14, 4 p.m. - Seed Bombs - EH

M April 18, 10:30 a.m. - 1-2-3 Play with Me! Session - DT

M April 18, 4 p.m. - Games of the Past - EH

M April 18, 5:30 p.m. - Movie/Singin' in the Rain - DT

M April 18, 6:30 p.m. - Fam Movie/Neverending Story-EH

T April 19, 10 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. - Storytime - EH

T April 19, 11 a.m. - East Hills Mall Storytime

T April 19, 6:30 p.m. - Movie/Dial M For Murder - EH

W April 20, 10:30 a.m. - Storytime - CB

Th April 21, 10:30 a.m. - Storytime - DT

Th April 21, 4 p.m. - Anime Club - DT

Th April 21, 4 p.m. - CD Scratch Art - EH

M April 25, 10:30 a.m. - 1-2-3 Play with Me! Session - DT

M April 25, 4 p.m. - Games of the Past - EH

M April 25, 7 p.m. - Book Club—DT

M April 25, 7 p.m. - BackStories/Dana Stuart - EH

T April 26, 6:30 p.m. - Movie/The Birds - EH

W April 27, 10 a.m. - Book Club - EH

Th April 28, 4 p.m. - Art Workshop - DT

Th April 28, 4 p.m. - Office Supply X-Wing Fighter - EH

CALENDAR LEGEND

CB - Carnegie Library

DT - Downtown Library

EH - East Hills Library

WP - Washington Park Library

JRP - Joyce Raye Patterson Senior Center

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238-0526

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Wed: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Thurs: 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Fri : 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sat: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.



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927 Felix Street

Circulation: 232-7729

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Text Line: 249-1377

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Thurs: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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502 North Woodbine Road

236-2136

Sun: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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Tue: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

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Washington Park Library

1821 North 3rd Street

232-2052

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Tues: 12 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Wed: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Thurs: 12 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Fri: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sat: 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.