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Public Library*

**FALL BOOK SALE**

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## St. Joseph Public Library's Mission, Vision & Values:

### Mission

The St. Joseph Public Library provides our community physical and virtual gathering spaces to access information, education, and recreation.

### Vision

The St. Joseph Public Library offers our community a window to the past and a gateway to the future.

### Values

The St. Joseph Public Library values:

**ACCOUNTABILITY.** We are dedicated to delivering on our commitments and the sound stewardship of our taxpayer dollars.

**EXCELLENCE.** We are courteous professionals who strive to create extraordinary experiences for our community.

**EQUALITY.** We are free and open to all people and ideas. We treat everyone with respect and compassion.

**INNOVATION.** We are always learning. We continually explore new ways of doing things better and doing better things.

**PASSION.** We love the library, we love St. Joseph, and we love what we do.

**TEAMWORK.** We build connections and celebrate the diversity of our experiences.

## Visit us online at [sjpl.lib.mo.us](http://sjpl.lib.mo.us)

Access the:

- Online Card Catalog
- Kids & Teen Pages
- Reference Page
- Calendar of Events
- Multiple Databases (*including business, legal forms, genealogy research, homework help, practice exams, language learning and more!*)
- Digital Archives
- Download Free eBooks, eMagazines, and eAudiobooks
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**ShelfLife** is published five times a year by the St. Joseph Public Library. Issues: Feb-Mar, Apr-May, Jun-Aug, Sept-Oct and Nov-Jan.

I am excited to participate in St. Joseph Read’s Community Read. The inaugural book is *A Deceptive Homecoming* by Anna Loan-Wilsey. The purpose of a community read is simple, it is to offer a shared reading experience where members of a community all read and discuss one book.

First, a little background. St. Joseph Reads is made up of individuals and organizations in St. Joseph that embrace the concept that literacy is the foundation of a successful and thriving society. St. Joseph Reads works on projects that promote and focus on the importance of reading and literacy in our community. As you can imagine, both library systems are active members. To learn more, visit [stjosephreads.org](http://stjosephreads.org)

Our community read book, *A Deceptive Homecoming*, is an historical mystery novel, set in St. Joseph in 1893. The main character is Hattie Davish. She is a traveling secretary who returns to her hometown when a friend’s father is killed. The book mentions Mt. Mora Cemetery, the State Lunatic Asylum, Jesse James home, and more. The book is easy to read and is a fun mystery, made even better because of all the St. Joseph landmarks and history that are part of the story.

See below for all the fun activities happening during “Hattie Davish Week”, September 17 – 21, including opportunities to meet author Anna Loan-Wilsey. If you haven’t read the book yet you might find a free copy in a random location throughout St. Joseph. Both library systems purchased many copies of the book to give out and they have been shared throughout St. Joseph. You can also check out a copy of the book from the library or download it for free from *Hoopla*.

In other important September news, all month long I encourage you to come to any SJPL location to help us celebrate National Library Card Sign Up Month. Lost your card? We’ll replace it at no cost. Stop by the library, pick up a mint, check out a book or a movie, and sign up for prize drawings.

Finally, it’s book sale time! The Friends of SJPL Annual Fall Book Sale will be October 17 – 21 on the lower level of the Downtown Library. Shop early and often to find some great bargains.

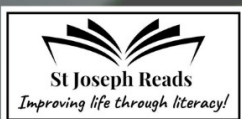
Keep reading to find out all of the other events and activities that we have happening at SJPL in September and October.

Mary Beth Revels  
SJPL Director



# HATTIE DAVISH WEEK

Tuesday September 17	Wednesday September 18	Thursday September 19	Friday September 20	Saturday September 21
<b>Lectures by Joe Houts &amp; Marshall White</b>	10 am <b>Mount Mora Guided Tour</b> Free	<b>Paper Moon</b>	<b>Lunch &amp; Lecture with author Anna Loan-Wilsey</b>	<b>Meet &amp; Greet with author Anna Loan-Wilsey</b>
7 p.m. <i>at Robidoux Row Museum</i>	11 am <b>Glore Psychiatric Museum and Tunnels Guided Tour</b> Free	7 p.m. <i>at Trail Theatre</i>	11:30 a.m. <i>at Pony Express Museum</i>	11 a.m. <i>at The Story Collective</i>
FREE	Afternoon <b>Jesse James House Self-guided Tour</b> \$5 Admission	\$5.00 admission cash only	\$25 per person Registration required.	FREE



Register for the Lunch & Lecture with author Anna Loan-Wilsey at <https://www.stjosephreads.org/weread>  
Participate in the Hattie Davish Tour via the Clio-Discover Nerby History app at any time!  
<https://theclio.com/tour/2723>

## Carnegie

### Yard Games in the Park

Join us as we try out our new yard games in the park. Yard games are available for checkout for use on library grounds only.

The games were purchased with funds from an Urban Homestead grant.

#### Carnegie Library

Tuesdays 5 p.m.  
September & October

### Wacky Wednesdays

#### Take & Make Crafts

Featuring fun crafts that maybe wacky for the time of year. Available every Wednesday. While supplies last. Not recommended for children under 3.

#### Carnegie Library

Wednesdays All Day  
September & October

## East Hills

### Book Buddies Reading Dogs

The Book Buddies Pony Express Therapy Dogs, in partnership with the East Hills Library, are offering patrons a way to improve their reading skills in a unique and fun environment. This program utilizes therapy dogs as the listeners for readers of all ages and reading levels. Drop in anytime during this 1 1/2 hour session.

#### East Hills Library

Saturdays 10:30 a.m.  
September 7 & October 5



## Dyslexia Awareness Series at the East Hills Library

### Dyslexia Simulation - R

Do you have a student with dyslexia? Have you ever wondered what that might feel like? Experience what it is like to have dyslexia during this simulation.

Thursday, October 3 5:30 - 8 p.m.

### What Is Dyslexia?

During this session, attendees will learn about the signs of dyslexia.

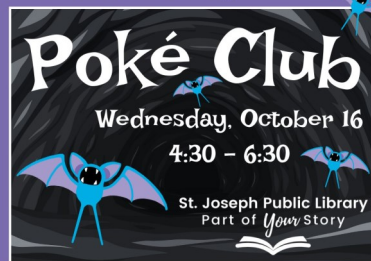
Thursday, October 10 6 - 8 p.m.

### Supporting Children with Dyslexia

Join us for the final segment of our dyslexia awareness series where we learn how we can support children with dyslexia.

Thursday, October 17 6 - 8 p.m.

@ East Hills Library



Bring your handheld games, cards, and art to share, battle, and trade with other Pokémon fans!

Come enjoy Pokémon themed crafts and activities! While supplies last.

All ages welcome. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Some crafts may not be suitable for young children.

### Baggins Birthday Bash - R National Hobbit Day

September 22 is the birthday of the famous hobbits, Bilbo and Frodo Baggins. This date has come to be known as "Hobbit Day" in celebration of the endearing, food-loving, hairy-footed creatures written by J.R.R. Tolkien.

Join us for an all day movie marathon as we watch all three of the Lord of the

Rings movies

#### East Hills Library

Sunday, September 22 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

### Meet Bluey!

Come have a wackadoo good time and celebrate Bluey with activities inspired by the hit TV show! You can meet Bluey from 10-11 a.m. Best for ages 2 and up, no registration required.

#### East Hills Library

Saturday, September 28 10 a.m.

### Bats! - R

Ms. Shelly from the Remington Nature Center will be teaching us about bats! With 14 species of bats who call Missouri home, there is no shortage of interesting things to learn about our only flying mammal.

#### East Hills Library

Monday, October 21 2 p.m.

### Interactive Movie: Hocus Pocus - R

Get ready to experience Hocus Pocus like never before! We'll have props and activities to make this an interactive movie experience. Costumes encouraged. Hocus Pocus, 1993 has a running time of 95 minutes with a PG rating.

#### East Hills Library

Saturday, October 26 2 p.m.



Above: Families enjoying Touch A Truck at the East Hills Library.

# Let's go to the MOVIES

## THROWBACK THURSDAY MOVIES

Join us for an outdoor movie night sponsored by the Library Foundation.

The outdoor theater equipment was purchased with funds from an Urban Homestead grant.

### Carnegie Library @ 8 p.m.

September 26 **The Outsiders**

1983 PG 1 hr 31 min

October 24 **Hocus Pocus**

1993 PG 1 hr 35 min

## AFTER DARK IN THE PARK

Krug Park Amphitheater

September 28 @ 7 p.m.

### Monsters, Inc.

2001 G 1 hr 32 min

The movie will begin after sunset and there will be popcorn and other refreshments for sale. There is no cost to attend, but donations are welcome to help support the Friends of Krug Park.

Hosted by the Friends of Krug Park, the City of St Joseph Parks Dept, and SJPL.

## FRIENDS FRONT ROW TUESDAY NIGHT FILM SERIES

Tuesday Nights at 6:30 p.m. at East Hills Library



September 3  
9 to 5

1980, PG  
1 hr 50 min



September 10  
The Natural

1984, PG  
2 hr 18 min



September 17  
Office Space

1999, R  
1 hr 30 min



September 24  
The Shawshank  
Redemption

1994, R  
2 hr 22 min



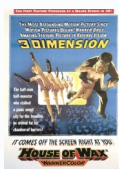
October 1  
The Incredible  
Shrinking  
Man

1957, PG  
1 hr 21 min



October 8  
Death Becomes  
Her

1992, PG-13  
1 hr 43 min



October 15  
House of Wax

1953, PG  
1 hr 28 min



October 22  
Little Shop of  
Horrors

1986, PG-13  
1 hr 28 min



October 29  
Young  
Frankenstein

1974, PG  
1 hr 48 min

# FALL STORYTIMES

St. Joseph Public Library  
Part of *Your Story*



**Mon**

**Storytime**

ages 0-6 years

Washington Park

10 a.m.

Sept. 9 - Nov. 18

**Tues**

**Preschool  
Storytime**

ages 3-6 years

East Hills Library

10 a.m.

Sept. 3 - Nov. 19

**Wed**

**Toddler Time**

ages 18-36 months

East Hills Library

10 a.m.

Sept. 4 - Nov. 20

**Storytime**

ages 0-6 years

Carnegie Library

10:30 a.m.

Sept. 4 - Nov. 27

**Thur**

**Storytime**

ages 0-6 years

Downtown Library

10:30 a.m.

Sept. 5 - Nov. 21

**Fri**

**Baby & Me  
Playgroup**

ages 0-18 months

East Hills Library

10 a.m.

Sept. 6 - Nov. 22

For more information visit [sjpl.lib.mo.us](http://sjpl.lib.mo.us)

## Carnegie

### Red Friday Friendship Bracelets

Drop in to make friendship bracelets to celebrate Red Fridays.

#### Carnegie Library

Fridays 3 - 6 p.m.  
September 13 & October 4

### Crafternoons

#### Cats vs. Dogs

Which side are you on...cats or dogs? Don't worry you don't have to pick a side. Cat and dog crafts will be available.

#### Carnegie Library

Saturday, September 21 1 p.m.

### Pumpkinpalooza

Join us for our annual pumpkin crafts.

#### Carnegie Library

Saturday, October 19 1 p.m.

## Downtown

### Let's Rock! - R

Come and learn about rocks and crystals while getting to see them up close. Finish off the fun by painting your own rock to take home! Program best for children ages 5-12.

#### Downtown Library

Wednesday, September 11 4:30 p.m.

### Beaded Wind Chimes - R

Do you like making crafts using beads? Join us at the Downtown Library to create your own unique beaded wind chimes! Program best for ages 4-10.

#### Downtown Library

Monday, September 23 4:30 p.m.

## Skeleton Decoration Contest

- Children 4-12 years old are invited to visit the Downtown Library to pick up a skeleton to decorate. The deadline to return your finished product is no later than 5 p.m. Saturday, October 19.
- The parade of skeletons will adorn the Downtown Library lobby for judging for two weeks. Winners in two age groups, 4-8 and 9-12, will be announced and given prizes at the Awards Ceremony on November 2 at 1 p.m. There will be a prize for Patron Favorite, so be sure to tell everyone to come see your work of art!

### Unconventional Art Club - R

Join us at the Downtown Library to design some wacky creations that you might not see in the average art class.

#### Downtown Library

Wednesday, September 25 4 p.m.

### Robot Paper Craft - R

Can you imagine what it would be like to have a robot of your own? Bring your imagination to the Downtown Library to build a robot and find out!

#### Downtown Library

Monday, October 21 4:30 p.m.

### Paint a Pumpkin - R

Come and paint a pumpkin to decorate your house for the season. Make them scary, funny, silly or cute. The options are endless!

#### Downtown Library

Wednesday, October 23 4:30 p.m.

## East Hills

### LEGO Club

Join us for LEGO Club at the East Hills Library! Come meet with fellow LEGO enthusiasts each month for various LEGO challenges. Can you build it? For grades K and up.

#### East Hills Library

Thursdays 6 p.m.  
September 19 & October 17

### Corn Husk Flower Craft - R

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by learning to make beautiful corn husk flowers. Make one or a whole bouquet! For ages 6-17

#### East Hills Library

Friday, September 20 2 p.m.

## Washington Park

### Tricky Tuesday

If you and your child enjoy crafts, games, movies and a variety of fun activities, get to Washington Park Library for Tricky Tuesday!

#### Washington Park Library

Tuesdays 4 p.m.  
September & October

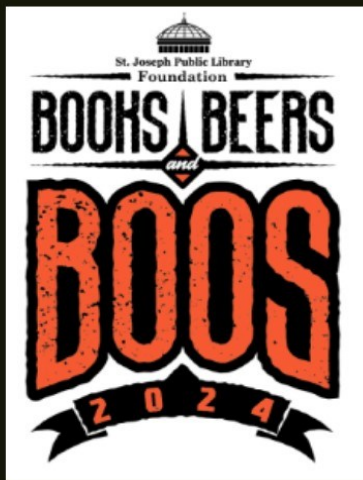


# 2024 Holiday Cards for Sale



Each pack of holiday cards contains 8 holiday cards that feature original artwork by Jessica Poet highlighting St. Joseph's historical architecture.

Card sets are \$12.00 and can be ordered by visiting one of the four library branches or by calling 816-236-2107. Cash, check, and card are accepted.



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

5 - 7 p.m.

RIVER BLUFF BREWING

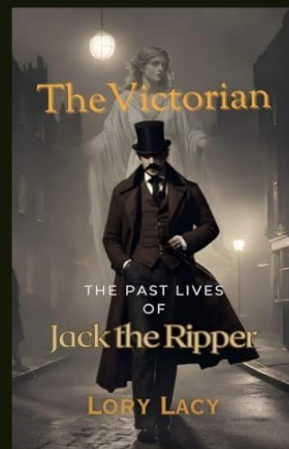
WITH AUTHOR LORY LACY

\$25 per person

For Adults 21+

First 100 paid attendees (reserved or at the door) receive a commemorative pint glass.

Call 816-232-4038 to reserve your glass



## National Library Card Sign-Up Month



During the month of September, all St. Joseph Public Library branches will replace lost library cards for free! Everyone who uses their library card to check out items or to use the internet is eligible to enter drawings for prizes. Each library branch will be giving away the following: Birth to 6 years win a book/plush toy set, ages 7 - 17 and ages 18 and up each win a \$25 Visa gift card!

Patrons sweet enough to return their library materials will receive a sweet mint in return!



*Friends of the St. Joseph  
Public Library*

# FALL BOOK SALE

**OCTOBER 17 - 21**

**DOWNTOWN LIBRARY**

**LOWER LEVEL**

The Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library is a non-profit organization formed to support literacy and the St. Joseph Public Library. Proceeds from the sale help fund Summer Reading Programs, book clubs, and Excel Adult High School.

For more information about the Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library, the Fall Book Sale, or how to donate books, contact Jessica Poet at [jpoet@sjpl.lib.mo.us](mailto:jpoet@sjpl.lib.mo.us) or call 816-236-2107.

## FRIENDS ONLY PREVIEW SALE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17 2 P.M. - 3 P.M.

## SALE HOURS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17 3 P.M. - 8 P.M.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 9 A.M. - 5 P.M.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20 11 A.M. - 3 P.M. 1/2 PRICE DAY

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21 9 A.M. - 8 P.M. BAG & BOX SALE

**Downtown**

**East Hills**

**Washington Park**

**Soap Carving - R**

Soap carving is a great way to develop your creativity and understanding of sculpting. It is also a great way to unwind with its relaxing repetitive movements.

**Downtown Library**

Sunday, September 29      11:30 a.m.

**Voting Basics and Why Your Vote Matters**

Voting for the first time can be intimidating. Where do I go? What should I do? What am I even voting on?

For teens/adults ages 12 & up.

**Downtown Library**

Monday, October 7      5:30 p.m.

**Silent Library—Teen Competition**

Can you stay quiet during this Silent Library competition? Think you can hold in your laughs during a pool noodle fight? Okay, what about during a game of balloon breaker?

**Downtown Library**

Tuesday, October 15      5:30 p.m.

**Teens After Hours: Costume Party - R**

Teens! Meet at the library after hours to have a Halloween party. Remember to wear your costumes!

For ages 12-17

**Downtown Library**

Friday, October 18  
6 p.m.



**Anime Club**

Can't get enough Anime? Meet at the library for two hours of socializing and communally enjoying your shared passion of Anime!

**East Hills Library**

Wednesday, September 18      4:30 p.m.

**Corn Husk Flower Craft - R**

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by learning to make beautiful corn husk flowers. Make one or a whole bouquet!

Ages 6 and up

**East Hills Library**

Friday, September 20      2 p.m.

**Teen After Hours: Tie-Dye Party - R**

Teens, meet at the library after hours to tie-dye some things. We'll have tote bags and a few size L shirts. If you want to bring your own 100% cotton item to tie-dye you may. Dress for a mess!

For ages 12-17

**East Hills Library**

Friday, September 20      6 p.m.

**Teen Speed Puzzling - R**

Register your team of three people for a friendly competition, as you race against other teams and the clock to be the first to complete a 300 piece puzzle!

For ages 13-18.

**Washington Park Library**

Thursday, September 12      4:30 p.m.

**Pizza Party - R**



Teens age 13-18 are invited to come to

Washington Park for a Movie & Pizza night! We will be showing the original *Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles* (1987, PG, 1 hr 33 min) and enjoying some cheesy pizza along with it.

**Washington Park Library**

Thursday, October 10      4:30 p.m.



*Above: STEAM program participants are ready for an egg drop!*

*Below: The Teen Theater Camp performed Bad Auditions for Bad Actors at East Hills.*



## Carnegie

### Coffee & Crafts - R

September's craft will be painting a fairy house.

October's craft will be painting a haunted house.

#### Carnegie Library

Saturdays 10:30 a.m.  
September 7 & October 5

## Downtown

### Milkweed, Monarchs, & Mexico

Interested in learning more about monarch butterflies? Ever wonder where they go for the winter? Come listen to Master Gardener, Tracy Svec, as she presents information about the beloved monarchs.

#### Downtown Library

Saturday, September 7 2 p.m.

### Postal Club / Club Postal - R

Before Facebook and email, we enjoyed exchanging letters and postcards with penpals around the world. There's something to be said for putting pen to paper and saying hello to someone in a faraway land.

#### Downtown Library

Mondays 6 p.m.  
September 9 & October 14

### Spanish Club for Adults

Practice Spanish in a judgment-free setting.

#### Downtown Library

Mondays 6 p.m.  
September 16 & October 21



Registration may not open until 30 days prior to event.

### Soap Carving - R

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#### Downtown Library

Sunday, September 29 11:30 a.m.

### Haunting Tales & Human Remains with Dr. Katie East

'Tis the season of the spooky, scary, and macabre. Tales of monsters exist from throughout history, but where do they originate?

#### Downtown Library

Thursday, October 3 6 p.m.

### True Crime Time: The Bloody Benders

This month, Jen will tell the tale of one of a family of murderers that lived in nearby Kansas. The Benders, suspected of killing dozens of people while they lived in Kansas, literally got away with murder.

#### Downtown Library

Thursday, September 19 6 p.m.

### True Crime Time: History Shrieks!

This month is a special trick, I mean treat, as we hear a tale of terror ripped from the annals of St. Joe's own murderous history.

#### Downtown Library

Saturday, October 5 2 p.m.

### Community Blood Center Blood Drive

Let's make it difficult for the vampires while also doing something awesome for other humans. Give the gift of life with your donation of blood at the Downtown Library.

#### Downtown Library

Friday, October 4 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.



### Voting Basics and Why Your Vote Matters

Voting for the first time can be intimidating. Where do I go? What should I do? What am I even voting on?

For teens/adults ages 12 & up.

#### Downtown Library

Monday, October 7 5:30 p.m.

### Write Into Art—Creative Writing Inspired by Art - R

Discover how visual art can inspire creative writing and how writing can offer a powerful way to experience the arts.

#### Downtown Library

Saturday, October 19 9:30 a.m.

### Happy Little Trees—Bob Ross Birthday Bash - R

Bob Ross was born October 29, 1942. In celebration of the charming, painting icon, we will be following along with one of his videos.

#### Downtown Library

Tuesday, October 29 6 p.m.

## East Hills

### Drawing Observationally: How to See and Interact with Your World - R

Learn how to see the world around you through an "artist's eye." Join Annie Corrington, owner of Art Attack Studio, to learn and improve drawing skills over the course of 8 weeks.

#### East Hills Library

Tuesdays 10 a.m.  
September 10 - November 5

### Adult Paint Night - R

Adults can enjoy a relaxing evening, painting an outdoor camping scene at this paint night.

#### East Hills Library

Monday, September 9 6 p.m.

### Bingo Night

Join us for a fun-filled night of Bingo! Will you get the lucky numbers and win a prize? Will you Bingo on a regular Bingo or four corners or a black-out?

#### East Hills Library

Mondays 6 p.m.  
September 16 & October 21

### Casual Commander Club

This is a club for all those who love Magic the Gathering. Bring your own Magic the Gathering commander format\* deck to battle and destroy your friends and strangers. In this casual, multiplayer format, you choose a legendary creature to serve as your commander and build the rest of your deck around their color identity and unique abilities.

\*The deck must have 100 cards, including your commander, and power level 8 and under decks recommended. Time to destroy your enemies!

#### East Hills Library

Thursdays 6 - 8 p.m.  
September 26 & October 31

### Home Organizing for Adults with ADHD - R

Presented by Ms. Cheapskate, a professional organizer who struggled for years with ADHD. Learn the importance of getting and staying organized with new hacks and long term solutions for managing your environment.

#### East Hills Library

Monday, September 30 6 p.m.

### Diamond Painting Coasters - R

Does diamond painting intrigue you but a large project is overwhelming? Try your hand at a smaller project with the library! We'll have diamond painting coasters for you to create.

#### East Hills Library

Monday, October 14 6 p.m.

## Washington Park

### Art Made Easy - R

Fall in love with painting at Washington Park Library. We will be following a beginners tutorial to create our own fall tree painting.

#### Washington Park Library

Thursday, October 17 2 p.m.



Below: Our 11th Annual Library Trivia Winners!



Above: Crepe program attendees flipped for the tasty treats at the Downtown Library!



The Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library is a non-profit 501c3 organization with a mission to support the St. Joseph Public Library. FSJPL focuses public attention on library services and programs, raises funds, and acts as an advocate for libraries and literacy in our community. To join the Friends organization, visit [sjpl.lib.mo.us/friends](http://sjpl.lib.mo.us/friends).

## Downtown Library Book Club



***Before the Coffee Gets Cold***

By Toshikazu Kawaguchi

Monday, September 23

6:30 p.m.



***All That Is Mine I Carry With Me***

By William Landay

Monday, October 28

6:30 p.m.



## **BYOBook Club**

**Washington Park Library**

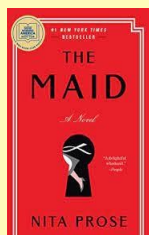
Thursdays

2 p.m.

September 5 & October 3

BYOB: *Bring your own books!* If you like to talk about books you are reading, join us for an informal discussion about what you have been reading. Diana will have a show and tell about new and exciting books in the library that you can check out.

## East Hills Library Book Club

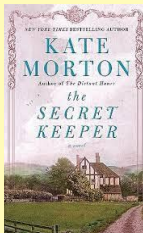


***The Maid***

By Nita Prose

Tuesday, September 17

10 a.m.



***The Secret Keeper***

By Kate Morton

Tuesday, October 15

10 a.m.

## Afternoon Tea Book Club at Alchemy Tea Co, 617 Felix St.

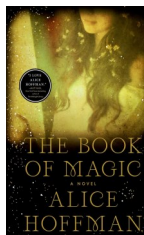


***Sense and Sensibility***

By Jane Austen

Saturday, September 21

4 p.m.



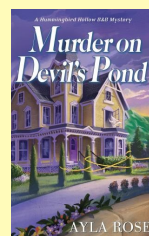
***Book of Magic***

By Alice Hoffman

Saturday, October 19

4 p.m.

## Virtual Murder, She Read: Cozy Mystery Book Discussion with Author Virtual on Zoom - R

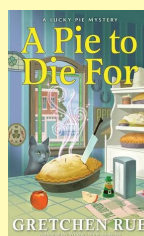


***Murder on Devil's Pond***

By Ayla Rose

Wednesday, September 25

7 p.m.



***A Pie to Die For***

By Gretchen Rue

Wednesday, October 30

7 p.m.

## Final Girl Book Club at Felix Street Gourmet, 722 Felix St. - R



***The Shadows***

By Alex North

Tuesday, September 10

6:30 p.m.



***Meddling Kids***

By Edgar Cantero

Tuesday, October 8

6:30 p.m.



# Thank You

## Monetary Donations:

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## Carnegie

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### Adults

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## Downtown

### Children & Parents

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Thursdays, September 5 – November 21 | 10:30 a.m.

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### Teens

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### Adults

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10/3	6 p.m.	Haunting Tales & Human Remains with Katie East	11
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## East Hills

### All Ages

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### Children & Parents

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### Teens

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## Washington Park

### Children & Parents

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### Teens

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## Washington Park

### Adults

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## In the Community

After Dark in the Park: Monsters, Inc.  
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### Adults

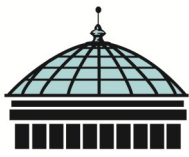
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10/8	6:30 p.m.	Final Girl Book Club -Felix Street Gourmet: 722 Felix St.	13
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## Virtual

### Adults

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**East Hills Library | 816-236-2136**

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 Sun. 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
 Mon. - Thur. 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

**Washington Park Library | 816-232-2052**

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