

# Calendar of Events

Spring Edition 2025

# Library Information

## Main Library (740) 653-2745

219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster 43130

Sunday	1 pm - 5 pm
Monday	9 am - 8 pm
Tuesday	9 am - 8 pm
Wednesday	9 am - 8 pm
Thursday	9 am - 8 pm
Friday	9 am - 5 pm
Saturday	9 am - 5 pm



## Baltimore Branch (740) 862-8505

205 E. Market Street, Baltimore 43105

Sunday	Closed
Monday	10 am - 5 pm
Tuesday	10 am - 7 pm
Wednesday	10 am - 5 pm
Thursday	10 am - 7 pm
Friday	10 am - 5 pm
Saturday	10 am - 2 pm

## Bremen Branch (740) 569-7246

200 School Street, Bremen 43107

Sunday	Closed
Monday	Closed
Tuesday	10 am - 6 pm
Wednesday	10 am - 6 pm
Thursday	10 am - 6 pm
Friday	10 am - 5 pm
Saturday	10 am - 2 pm

## Johns Memorial Branch (740) 969-2785

116 E. High Street, Amanda 43102

Sunday	Closed
Monday	Closed
Tuesday	10 am - 6 pm
Wednesday	10 am - 6 pm
Thursday	10 am - 6 pm
Friday	10 am - 5 pm
Saturday	10 am - 2 pm

## Northwest Branch (740) 756-4391

2855 Helena Drive NW, Carroll 43112

Sunday	Closed
Monday	10 am - 6 pm
Tuesday	10 am - 5 pm
Wednesday	10 am - 6 pm
Thursday	10 am - 5 pm
Friday	10 am - 5 pm
Saturday	10 am - 2 pm

## Millersport Kiosk (740) 862-8505

2201 Refugee Street, Millersport 43046

Open 24/7

## Closings

The Main Library and its branches  
will be closed on:

Sunday, April 20 2025

Tuesday, April 29, 2025 (Staff Development Day)

Sunday, May 25, 2025

Monday, May 26, 2025

## Main Library Extension Numbers

(740) 653-2745

Administration/Receptionist:	ext. 100
Information Desk:	ext. 160
Circulation Desk & Curbside Service:	ext. 120
Reference Desk:	ext. 167
Children's Desk:	ext. 140
Outreach Services:	ext. 170
Book Club Kits:	ext. 167

## Library Board Meetings

Board Meetings are scheduled the third Tuesday of every month at 10:15 a.m. at the Main Library.

March 18    April 15    May 20

## Board of Trustees

Mark Bohach	Margaret Quamme
Lisa Evangelista	Makaila Tussing
Bryan Everitt	Matt Wideman
Nathan Hale	

## Fairfield County District Library's Mission Statement:

The Fairfield County District Library shall be a continuous learning center which enriches our community by inspiring choices for reading, entertainment, and lifelong learning which are free and accessible to all, with an emphasis on excellence in customer service.

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# Library Information

## Getting Your Library Card

Library cards are free for Ohio residents. All you need is identification with a photograph that includes your name and current address. Children under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who must show identification. You can also sign up for a library card online using a valid email address. We will email your library card number within 5 business days which you can use to access our digital services only. To access physical materials, you must visit any FCDL location to pick up your library card.

## Curbside Pickup

Curbside pickup is available at all locations. Place items on hold at [fcdlibrary.org](http://fcdlibrary.org), on our app, or by calling your branch. When you receive notice that your items are available, you will have five (5) days to pick up. Pull up to the curbside sign, call the number on the sign, provide your library card number, and staff will bring checked out items to your car.

## Pickup Lockers

Pickup lockers are located at the Main Library, Baltimore Branch Library, Northwest Branch Library, and the Millersport Kiosk. If ordering items online, choose a locker pickup location. If ordering via library staff, let them know you would like pickup in the lockers. When you are notified that your holds are ready, the items will be available in a locker the day of notification after 2:00 pm at the Main Library and after 5:00 pm at the Baltimore and Millersport lockers and will be held for five (5) days. When you arrive, scan your library card or enter the last five digits of your card followed by the # sign. The locker with your holds will automatically open with the items already checked out to you.

## Computer Services & Wireless Access

Computer workstations with free Internet access are available at all library locations. Free wireless access is also available. Customers who access the Internet in the library must read and agree to FCDL's Internet Use Policy. Children under age 18 must have parental consent to use a library computer. Wi-Fi Networks can be less secure. To connect your device, look for Fairfield County Library and use the case sensitive pass phrase FCDLWRLS4U.

## Mobile Hotspots

Mobile hotspots can be checked out for 14 days. Customers may check out only one hotspot. Mobile hotspots cannot be renewed. Service will be stopped on overdue hotspots. Hotspots can be placed on hold using the library's catalog or on the Library's app.

## Faxing

Free outbound faxing available at all FCDL locations.

## Voter Registration

FCDL is a designated voter registration site.

## Meeting Rooms

Meeting rooms are available for nonprofit, civic, educational, or governmental groups serving Fairfield County. Call (740) 653-2745, ext. 100 or go to [fcdlibrary.org](http://fcdlibrary.org) and click on "Using the Library/Services" for complete details.

## Digital Services

The library offers a wide selection of free eBooks and eAudiobooks along with other downloadable materials such as magazines, music, movies, as well as educational, business, and research tools.

## Outreach Services & Talking Books Program

Outreach Services delivers library materials to daycares, nursing homes, and homebound customers. The Talking Books Program provides free recorded books, magazines, and playback equipment to the blind, visually impaired, physically disabled, and reading disabled Fairfield County residents. If you are interested in learning more about direct delivery of library materials, please call (740) 653-2745, ext. 170.

## Community Passes

Currently passes can be checked out for free admission to the Ohio Glass Museum, AHA Children's Museum, The Dawes Arboretum, The Fairfield County Heritage Association (The Georgian & Sherman House Museums), Columbus Museum of Art, The Works, National Veterans Memorial and Museum, and the Franklin Park Conservatory (*FPC passes can only be picked up at the Main Library*).

## Traffic Cones

A set of five (5) traffic cones can be checked out for 14 days. Customers must return traffic cones to library location where checked out. Traffic cones can be put on hold by looking for FCDL Traffic Cones in the catalog.

## Bike Locks at Main Library

Bike locks are available at the Main Library for checkout to use while in the Library.

## Subscription Bundles

Spend more time reading and less time choosing. Subscription bundles offer a variety of reading materials for all ages. Sign up online at [fcdlibrary.org](http://fcdlibrary.org). You will be asked about what you like to read, what you've read lately, and what you do not want. Staff will pull together a collection of books (5-8 for kids, 3-6 for teens and adults) based on that information.

## Programs

All programs are free and open to the public with some requiring registration. Listings of programs can be found online or in the Calendar of Events distributed quarterly.

## Email Event Notification

You can subscribe to receive emails at any location or on the Library's website.

## Download App

Search for Fairfield Co District Library in Apple Store or in Google Play.



# Main Library - Adult Programs

219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster

## Fairfield County Creative Writers Co-Op

For adults

Saturday, March 1 at 10:15 am

Saturday, April 5 at 10:15 am

Saturday, May 3 at 10:15 am

Main Library, Third Floor

Welcome to our monthly writers' group, where creativity and collaboration come to life! Each month, we gather to explore a new theme or writing topic, offering a supportive space for both seasoned writers and beginners. No registration necessary.

## Wildflower Identification

For adults

Saturday, March 1 at 1 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Interested in learning more about our native wildflowers? Join us for a program that teaches you how to identify our common spring wildflowers. We will furnish limited copies of wildflower identification books but please bring your favorite copy. At the program we will announce opportunities to put your newly developed skills to the test with naturalist led wildflower hikes at parks and preserves in the Lancaster area. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Yarn Group

For adults

Monday Mornings at 10:15 am

March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 April 7, 14, 21, 28 May 5, 12, 19

Wednesday Evenings at 6 pm

March 5, April 9, May 14

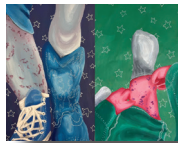
Main Library, Boardroom

Whether you're into knitting, crocheting, or just love good conversation, we welcome all skill levels. New to the craft? Don't worry! Our group is perfect for beginners eager to learn. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Ohio Capital Conference Wes Blizzard Art Invitational

Hosted by Lancaster City Schools

Art teachers choose two top artworks to represent their Ohio Capital Conference School in the exhibit.



Sunday, March 9 through Wednesday, March 19  
Main Library Gallery, 219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster  
Exhibit can be viewed during library hours

Closing reception: Wednesday, March 19  
from 5:30 to 7:30 pm

## Ready, Set ... Garden!

presented by The Ohio State University Extension Office

For adults

Wednesday, March 12 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

From spring clean-up and prepping your beds to selecting gardening tools and timing your plantings, join The Ohio State University Extension Master Gardener volunteers as we prepare to kick off the 2025 gardening season. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Everyday Cybersecurity/Staying Safe Online

For adults

Friday, March 14 at 11 am

Friday, March 28 at 11 am

Friday, April 4 at 11 am

Friday, April 25 at 11 am

Main Library, Third Floor

Join your Guiding Ohio Online Technology Trainer for a one-hour session focused on best practices for staying safe online. Discover the importance of password security and what constitutes a strong password. You'll also learn how to keep your computer's security software current and recognize common scams. *This class supported by the State Library of Ohio with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.* **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**



## Dungeons & Dragons

For adults & teens

Saturday, March 15 at 2 pm

Saturday, April 19 at 2 pm

Saturday, May 10 at 2 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

If you have ever wanted to try your hand at Dungeons and Dragons, or even give Dungeon Mastering a shot, then this is the program for you. Feel free to bring your own party to our tables and enjoy our free snacks and camaraderie. Any level of experience is welcome. All teens not yet in high school must be accompanied by an adult. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Masterpiece Mornings

For adults

Tuesday, March 18 at 10:15 am (basic sketching techniques)

Tuesday, April 15 at 10:15 am (introduction to perspective)

Tuesday, May 20 at 10:15 am (basic watercolor techniques)

Main Library, Third Floor

Join us for a quiet relaxed morning of creative expression and exploring art. We will be engaging in easy exercises and instruction for anyone seeking to learn, but no experience or training is necessary. All materials will be supplied. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Macrame Wall Hanging

For adults & teens

Tuesday, March 18 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Make a decorative wall hanging using a few types of knots. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Artificial Intelligence for Everyone

For adults

Friday, March 21 at 11 am

Friday, April 11 at 11 am

Main Library, Third Floor

Join in an open discussion regarding Artificial Intelligence (AI). Learn about AI, ask questions, and experiment with using LLMs and AI assistance tools in a safe and guided environment. *This class supported by the State Library of Ohio with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.* **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**



## Marvelous Miniatures with Smoke Stack Hobbies

For adults & teens

Saturday, March 22 at 2 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

We'll be building and painting miniatures for tabletop games with help from Smoke Stack Hobbies! There will be plenty of tips and we are giving away plenty of minis and gear. This event is sure to fill up fast so sign up now to reserve your spot. All supplies will be provided. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Local History Through Women's Lives

presented by the Fairfield County Heritage Association

For adults

Sunday, March 23 at 2 pm

Main Library, Third Floor (followed by a tour of the Georgian Museum to view exhibit dedicated to women)

History is often told through the lives of great men, but what about the women who shaped our communities and culture? Join the Fairfield County Heritage Association's Executive Director, Wendy Gregory, for a compelling one-hour program that explores the rich and often untold history of local women. Through the stories embedded in dresses, hats, jewelry, letters, diaries, and scrapbooks, uncover the hidden narratives of women who left lasting marks on Fairfield County's past. This program will be followed by a tour of the Georgian Museum, where you'll have the opportunity to view exhibits dedicated to women's history. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Discovering Exoplanets with Solar System Ambassador Carol Abbott

For adults & teens

Monday, March 24 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Discover exoplanets, those mysterious heavenly bodies outside our solar system! Learn about the Kepler discovery mission, the James Webb Space Telescope, and a look at over 5,000 confirmed planets orbiting other suns. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Author Talk

### Andrew Welsh-Huggins

Tuesday, March 25 at 6 pm

Ohio University Lancaster  
Wilkes Gallery, Brasee Hall  
1570 Granville Pike, Lancaster



Join mystery novelist Andrew Welsh-Huggins as he discusses his new thriller, *The Mailman*, a *Library Journal* pick of the month; talks about his long-running Columbus-set private eye series about a former Ohio State and Cleveland Browns quarterback turned investigator (published by Ohio University Press); and offers tips and techniques to aspiring crime fiction writers. Books will be available for sale. Program presented as a collaboration between the Friends of the Hannah V. McCauley Library and the Fairfield County District Library. No registration necessary.



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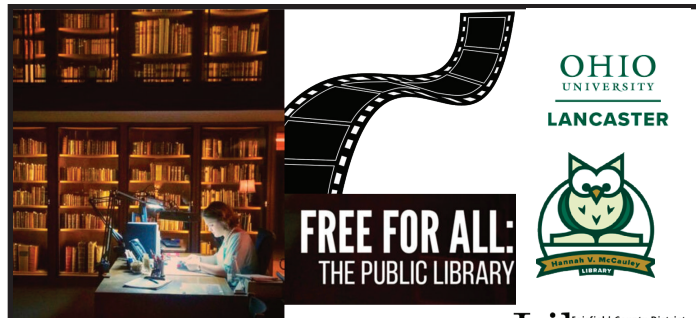
## Acrylic Painting with Trina

For adults

Wednesday, March 26 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Join Trina as she helps you navigate your nerdy side to create imaginative fan art. You'll learn to take your fandom and apply it to your canvas with enthusiastic acrylic artistry. No experience necessary, all materials supplied. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**



## Screening & Panel Discussion

Thursday, March 27 at 6 pm

Ohio University Lancaster  
Brasee Hall, Room 211  
1570 Granville Pike, Lancaster

Ohio University Lancaster, the Fairfield County District Library, and the Pickerington Public Library have collaborated to bring the screening and panel discussion on the documentary, *Free for All: The Public Library*. The film tells the story of the quiet revolutionaries who made a simple idea happen. From the pioneering women behind the "Free Library Movement" to today's librarians who service the public despite working in a contentious age of closures and book bans. Meet those who created a civic institution where everything is free and the doors are open to all. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

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## Pride Not Prejudice

For adults & teens

Thursday, March 27 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Join the Rainbow Alliance of Fairfield County to learn more about the LGBTQ+ community. This program will cover a variety of topics from terminology and pronouns to LGBTQ+ history and ways to support LGBTQ+ folks in the present day. People of all levels of knowledge who want to be allies to friends, family, and colleagues are welcome. No registration necessary, but sign up on our app or through our website to get a program reminder!

## Medicare Fraud & You

For adults

Tuesday, April 1 at 10:15 am

Main Library, Third Floor

Medicare fraud can harm your finances and your health! Join the Ohio Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) to learn how to protect your information, identify scams, detect fraud, and report it. You'll also discover how SMP can assist if your Medicare number is compromised. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

Gallery Art Exhibit

## The Artwork of Abby Pennington

March 30 - April 26  
Open During Library Hours

Third Floor, Main Library  
219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster



## Still Life Drawing

For adults & teens

Wednesday, April 2 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Join in an evening exploring still life drawing. This is an informal session designed for experimentation and creative exploration rather than a formal class. Supplies will be provided. Beginners welcome. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## PowerPoint Party

For adults & teens

Thursday, April 3 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Get ready for a fun PowerPoint Party! Share anything from your love for pineapple pizza to a deep dive into your favorite TV show. Create a slideshow (max 5 minutes) using Canva, Google Slides, PowerPoint, or other tools, and bring it to share! **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Creating Container Gardens

presented by The Ohio State University Extension Office

For adults & teens

Monday, April 14 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Container gardening is great for those with small spaces. Join The Ohio State University Extension's Master Gardener volunteers for recommendations on which plants to select and how to create visually appealing arrangements. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## The Murder Mansion Mystery

For adults & teens

Tuesday, April 15

Main Library, First Floor Information Desk

Who killed the six members of the Dire family in the Murder Mansion? Pick up our free mystery kit to see if you can solve this puzzling case.

In Honor of National Library Week  
(April 6 - April 12),  
the Library is celebrating all month long!



Check out an item at any FCDL location in the month of April and be automatically entered into a drawing for a \$100 gift card to Kroger. Digital checkouts excluded from promotion. The winner will be announced on Monday, May 12. Compliments of:

Friends  
of the Fairfield County District  
Library

## Collage Night

For adults & teens

Tuesday, April 15 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Join us for a relaxing evening of collage making. We'll have plenty of magazines and other supplies to use. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Euchre at The Library

For adults & teens

Wednesday, April 16 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Kick back and relax with us over a few games of euchre. Sign up in teams or try going solo in this evening of friendly competition. Beginners are welcome and there will be instructions. Supplies and snacks will be provided. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Exploring Asteroids with Solar System Ambassador Carol Abbott

For adults & teens

Wednesday, April 23 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Explore the asteroids of our solar system including how the solar system got its start and why our little piece of the galaxy has so much leftover debris. Carol Abbott will also be talking about missions launched to those asteroids and what was discovered. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Herbariums

For adults & teens

Thursday, April 24 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Make an enchanting, decorative bottle filled with preserved flowers. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Fifth Annual Plant Swap

For adults & teens

Saturday, May 10 from 12 to 2 pm

Northwest Branch, Gazebo

2855 Helena Drive NW, Carroll

Bring your houseplants, perennials, or other planty things and go home with something new. We'll have cuttings and small plants to share with newbies. We'll also be making hangable propagation stations to take home! No registration necessary.

## Artificial Intelligence and Information Literacy

For adults

Friday, May 23 at 11 am

Main Library, Third Floor

Learn how to verify the results of an AI prompt, and use AI and other free tools to verify information found when exploring online. *This class supported by the State Library of Ohio with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.* **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

Gallery Art Exhibit & Scavenger Hunt

Mount Pleasant Photography  
presents: Color Our World

Sunday, May 11 - Wednesday, July 16  
Main Library Gallery, 219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster

## Novel Conversation

Pick up a copy of the monthly book at the Main Library Information Desk and then join us the first Tuesday of the month for a discussion.

**Tuesday, March 4 at 6:30 pm**

***The Secret Book of Flora Lea* by Patti Callahan Henry**

The Secret Book of Flora Lea tells the story of Hazel, who, in 1939, was evacuated to the countryside during World War II with her younger sister, Flora. While living in a peaceful village, Hazel creates a secret fairy tale world for Flora. But when Flora mysteriously disappears, Hazel is left with crushing guilt. Decades later, Hazel uncovers a long-hidden secret tied to her sister's disappearance, revealing a magical and heartbreaking connection between the past and the present.

**Tuesday, April 1 at 6:30 pm**

***A Long Petal of the Sea* by Isabel Allende**

*A Long Petal of the Sea* follows the lives of Victor Dalmau and Roser Bruguera, two refugees who flee the Spanish Civil War and the ensuing Franco regime. After escaping to France, they embark on a perilous journey across the Atlantic to Chile, where they find a new life but are haunted by their past. As they struggle with political upheaval, personal loss, and love, their story weaves through decades of historical and emotional turmoil.

**Tuesday, May 6 at 6:30 pm**

***The Fountains of Silence* by Ruta Sepetys**

Madrid, 1957. Under the fascist dictatorship of General Francisco Franco, Spain is hiding a dark secret. Meanwhile, tourists and foreign businessmen flood into Spain under the welcoming promise of sunshine and wine. Among them is eighteen-year-old Daniel Matheson, the son of an oil tycoon, who arrives in Madrid with his parents hoping to connect with the country of his mother's birth through the lens of his camera. Photography—and fate—introduce him to Ana, whose family's interweaving obstacles reveal the lingering grasp of the Spanish Civil War. Daniel's photographs leave him with uncomfortable questions amidst shadows of danger.

## Reading for Change

The Reading for Change Book Discussion Group will explore Race and Ethnicity Equity and Inclusion (REEI). This group will spend two or three months discussing one title so that we have time to unpack the topics in the book and look for ways we can impact change in the community. Pick up the book at the Main Library Information Desk. No registration necessary.

**Wednesday, March 26 at 1 pm**

**Main Library, Boardroom**

***Inventing Latinos: A New Story of American Racism*  
by Laura E. Gomez**

**Wednesday, April 30 at 1 pm**

**Main Library, Boardroom**

***The House on Mango Street* by Sandra Cisneros**

**Wednesday, May 28 &**

**Wednesday, June 25 at 1 pm**

**Main Library, Boardroom**

***Transgender History: The Roots of Today's Revolution*  
By Susan Stryker**

## Teen Programs 219 N. Broad St., Lancaster

### Learning to Drive? Check Out Traffic Cones



A set of five (5) traffic cones can be checked out for 14 days. Customers must return traffic cones to library location where checked out.

### DIY Clay Marbled Dish

**For teens ages 12 to 18**

**Tuesday, March 11 at 6 pm**

**Main Library, Third Floor**

Join us for an easy-to-make marbled clay dish. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

### Teen Anime Club

**For teens ages 12 to 18**

**Thursday, March 20 at 6 pm in Boardroom**

**Thursday, April 17 at 6 pm in Third Floor Gallery**

**Thursday, May 15 at 6 pm in Boardroom**

Come watch anime and eat Japanese snacks! You pick what we watch. Shows that we will be watching are rated G/TV-Y - PG-13/TV-14. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

### DIY Chia Pet

**For teens ages 12 to 18**

**Tuesday, April 8 at 6 pm**

**Main Library, Third Floor**

Make and grow your own chia pet! **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Bring Your Own Book Club

**For teens ages 12 to 18**

**Tuesday, March 25 at 6 pm**

**Wednesday, April 30 at 6 pm**

**Tuesday, May 27 at 6 pm**

**Main Library, Boardroom**

Just read a great book? Bring it with you and share why you liked it at our book club. We'll bring the snacks! **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 160.**

## Teen Volunteer Opportunities

**For teens ages 13 to 17**

**Saturday, May 17 at 2 pm or**

**Wednesday, May 28 at 6 pm**

**Third Floor, Boardroom**

Love working with kids? Need volunteer hours or real-world experience for your college apps? Why not volunteer at the library! It's a fun way to make a difference. All you need to do is fill out a Volunteer Application (you can grab one at the library), get a parent/guardian's signature, and sign up for a quick training course. Come join the fun! **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140. Email ahogan@fcdlibrary.org if you have any questions.**

# Main Library - Children's Programs

219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster

## Rock Stars!

presented by the Fairfield County Park District

For families with young children

Thursday, March 6 at 10:30 am

Main Library, Second Floor

Join us for a storytime about the stuff you can find under the dirt. We're talking rocks, fossils, fossils in rocks! Then we'll make a craft and you'll get to take home your very own fossil. Register to receive reminders about the event! **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Mini Yoga Mondays

For walkers through age 5 with a caregiver

Mondays at 10:30 am

March 10, 17, 24, 31

April 7, 14, 21

Main Library, Third Floor

A super-fun, interactive class for Mini Yogis where we take an imaginative yoga adventure incorporating animated yoga poses, music and song, energizing their bodies and minds! Children will learn to express themselves creatively, be introduced to new activities using interesting props that promote mindfulness, big deep breaths, self-calming and relaxation and we will end with a peaceful relaxation with an (optional) organic lavender lotion foot rub. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## School Age STEAM: Animal Menu

For kids ages 6 to 12

Thursday, March 13 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Animals eat some wild things! Prepare to be grossed out and educated with activities and crafts. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Art with Abby

For kids ages 6 to 12

Thursday, March 20 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Follow along to paint your own axolotl picture!

**Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Crazy for Cardboard

For kids ages 6 to 12

Tuesday, April 1 at 5 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Keri from Lancaster Fairfield County Community Action will be here to show kids how to design cardboard creations and encourage paper re-use. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Quilling for Kids

For kids ages 10 to 14

Saturday, April 5 at 2 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Learn a fun new way to create art! Quilling involves using strips of paper that are rolled, looped, curled, and twisted to create different shapes then glued together to create cool decorative designs. Space is limited. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## School Age STEAM: Tempera Paint

For kids ages 6 to 12

Thursday, April 10 at 6 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Make your own paint like a Renaissance Master – and then create your own art with it! Note: paint is made with eggs. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Royal Adventure Day

Downtown Fun for Families!

Children must be accompanied by an adult

Saturday, April 12 from 1 to 3:30 pm

Attention Princesses, Princes, Knights, and Pirates: The Library, The Ohio Glass Museum, and The Georgian Museum invite you to an afternoon of royal adventure. Participants will rotate between the three locations for crafts and games.

- The Library will host: royal crafts, songs, and games.
- The Glass Museum will host: a glass slipper tour and a short Cinderella movie.
- The Georgian will host storytime with the Fairy Godmother.

Costumes are encouraged, but not required. Refreshments provided by the Friends of the Library. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Spring Break Art

For kids ages 6 to 12

Monday, April 21 at 2 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

Come create mosaic animals using paper collage. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

## Spring Break STEM

For kids ages 6 to 12

Thursday, April 24 at 2 pm

Main Library, Third Floor

We're getting out our STEM gadgets and having a party! Join us on the third floor to make, create, and play. **Register online, on our app, or by calling (740) 653-2745, extension 140.**

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Third Floor, Boardroom

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### Family Storytime

For families with children ages 6 and younger

Tuesday mornings at 10:30 am

March 4, 11, 18, 25

April 1, 8, 15, 22

Main Library, Second Floor

With a different theme each week, explore literacy and expand imaginations with stories, songs, and crafts. No registration necessary.

### Family STEAM

For families with young children

Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am

March 5, 12, 19, 26

April 2, 9, 16, 23

Main Library, Second Floor

Take advantage of your child's natural curiosity! This hands-on storytime explores different science, technology, engineering, art, or math topics every week. Perfect for inquisitive kids and their caretakers! No registration necessary.

### Littlest Storytime

For children from birth to 3 years with a caregiver

Thursday mornings at 10:30 am

March 13, 20, 27

April 3, 10, 17, 24

Main Library, Second Floor

Stories, songs, and playtime for our youngest children. Come spend time with your baby and help build those pre-literacy skills! No registration necessary.

### Saturday Storytime

For children ages 6 and younger

Saturday mornings at 10:30 am

March 8, 15, 22

April 5, 12, 19, 26

Main Library, Second Floor

Stories, songs, and crafts to help prepare children for preschool and beyond. No registration necessary.

## Check Out A Discovery Kit

There are 182 Discovery Kits on 48 different subjects located at the Main Library and branch locations. Each kit contains books and fun hands-on materials on different topics such as Coding, Space, Human Anatomy, Telling Time, Engineering, and more! There are also kits for younger kids that include topics such as Counting, Alphabet, Shapes, Colors, and more! Each kit checks out for three weeks.



Drawing for kids 8+



Food & Fun for kids 6+



Patterns for kids 3+

# SCHOLASTIC Teachables

Worksheets & Printable Resources



**Scholastic Teachables is exclusively available for library cardholders!** This resource offers a wealth of educational materials for Pre-K through Grade 8, perfect for parents, teachers, educators, and homeschoolers.

With your library card, you can access printable lesson plans, reading passages, games, puzzles, clip art, and bulletin board ideas. Scholastic Teachables features quality resources from experienced educators, all vetted by Scholastic.

Start by going to [www.fcclibrary.org](http://www.fcclibrary.org) and clicking on Digital Services



# Baltimore Branch

205 E. Market Street, Baltimore

## Puzzle Exchange

For adults

Swap gently used puzzles for some new to you! Please make sure that no pieces are missing. Stop by the branch anytime during open hours to browse our selection.

## Birthday Cake Craft

(part of the Baltimore Bicentennial Celebration)

Fun for all ages

Saturday, March 1 - Saturday, March 8

Stop by anytime during open hours to help us celebrate the Village of Baltimore's bicentennial by making a paper cake and sharing what you love about Baltimore. No registration necessary.

## Dog Tales – Read to a K9 Buddy

For children in kindergarten through fourth grade

Tuesday, March 4 between 5:45 and 6:45 pm

Tuesday, April 1 between 5:45 and 6:45 pm

Tuesday, May 6 between 5:45 and 6:45 pm

Help your child's reading skills and boost their confidence with a 15-minute reading session with a reading therapy dog. **Call the Baltimore Branch at (740) 862-8505 to schedule a session.**

## Ask the Tech Trainer

For adults

Wednesday, March 5 from 10 am to 4 pm

Wednesday, April 2 from 10 am to 4 pm

Wednesday, May 7 from 10 am to 4 pm

Not sure what to do with your new device? Locked out of an account? Struggling to figure out your mobile phone? Visit Guiding Ohio Online Technology Trainer Andrew at the branch for one-on-one assistance with your topic of choice. **Registration requested by calling the Baltimore Branch at (740) 862-8505.**

## Rock Stars!

presented by Fairfield County Park District

For families with children ages 3 to 7

Wednesday, March 5 at 10:30 am

Join us for a special storytime about the stuff you can find under the dirt. We're talking rocks, fossils, fossils in rocks! Then we'll make a craft and you'll get to take home your very own fossil. No registration necessary.

## St. Patrick's Day Make & Take

Fun for families

Monday, March 10 – Monday, March 17

Drop in to make a fun St. Patrick's Day craft. While supplies last. No registration necessary.

## School Age STEAM: Animal Menu

For kids ages 6 to 12

Thursday, March 20 at 3:30 pm

Animals eat some wild things! Prepare to be grossed out and educated with activities and crafts. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Baltimore Branch at (740) 862-8505.**

## FAHS Donation Drive

For all ages

Tuesday, April 1 – Wednesday, April 30

In honor of National Pet Day and Earth Day in April, all month long we will be collecting donations for our furry friends at the Fairfield Area Humane Society. Top wish list items include Purina pet chow, bleach, dish soap, trash bags, floor cleaner, and HE laundry detergent.

## Spring Surprise Craft

Fun for all ages

Monday, April 14 – Saturday, April 19

Stop by anytime during open hours to make a cute spring craft. While supplies last. No registration necessary.

## School Age STEAM: Tempera Paint

For kids ages 6 to 12

Thursday, April 17 at 3:30 pm

Make your own paint like a Renaissance Master – and then create your own art with it! Note: paint is made with eggs. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Baltimore Branch at (740) 862-8505.**

## Earth Day Bookmark Make & Take

Fun for all ages

Monday, April 21 – Saturday, April 26

Stop by anytime during open hours to make an upcycled bookmark in honor of Earth Day. While supplies last. No registration necessary.

## Gardening 101

(part of the Baltimore Bicentennial Celebration)

For adults

Tuesday, April 22 at 11 am

Join us on Earth Day to learn helpful gardening tips for all levels from beginner to experienced. Presented by Louise Smith, Basil Garden Club Member and OSU Master Gardener Volunteer. No registration necessary.

## Mother's Day Make & Take

Fun for families

Friday, May 9 between 10 am and 4 pm

Saturday, May 10 between 10 am and 1 pm

Drop in to make a sweet treat for Mom or that special person in your life. While supplies last. No registration necessary.

## History of the Baltimore Branch Library

(part of the Baltimore Bicentennial Celebration)

For all ages

Tuesday, May 13 at 2 pm

Join us for a history of the library in Baltimore from its beginnings as the Griley Memorial Library through today. Includes a tour of the Griley House. No registration necessary.



Win a \$100 gift card to Kroger

Compliments of:



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# STORYTIMES

## Early Birds Family Storytime

For families with children ages 6 and younger

Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am

March \*5, 12, 19, 26

April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Enjoy rhymes, songs, and stories as we move, play, and learn together! No registration necessary.

\*Special Storytime: Rock Stars!

presented by the Fairfield County Park District

Wednesday, March 5 at 10:30 am

## Night Owls Family Storytime

For families with children ages 6 and younger

Thursday evenings at 6 pm

March 6, 13, 20, 27

April 3, 10, 17, 24

Enjoy rhymes, songs, and stories as we move, play, and learn together! No registration necessary.

## Family Storytime at Juniper and Ivy

200 N. Main Street, Baltimore

Friday, March 7 at 10 am

Friday, April 4 at 10 am

Friday, May 2 at 10 am

Join us for a cup of coffee while the children enjoy stories, playing, and learning! No registration necessary.



## Teen Book Club

For teens ages 13 to 18

Join our monthly book club for teens. Read the book before we meet so we're sure to have a lively discussion! Books are available at the Baltimore Branch Library one month before each session. No registration necessary.

Monday, March 3 at 3:30 pm

*To Kill A Mockingbird* by Harper Lee

Monday, April 7 at 3:30 pm

*With the Fire on High* by Elizabeth Acevedo

Monday, May 5 at 3:30 pm

*Salt to the Sea* by Ruta Sepetys

## Novel Conversation

For adults

Pick up a copy of the monthly book at the Baltimore Branch Circulation Desk then join us for discussion on the following dates:

Tuesday, March 4 at 11 am

*Miss Benson's Beetle* by Rachel Joyce

Tuesday, April 1 at 11 am

*Hello Beautiful* by Ann Napolitano

Tuesday, May 6 at 11 am

*The Music of Bees* by Eileen Garvin

# Digital Collection



with your library card!

## LinkedIn Learning

Online learning platform that offers thousands of video courses.



## Libby, by Overdrive

Read and listen to ebooks & audiobooks. Read magazines.



## Hoopla

Enjoy ebooks, audiobooks, comics, TV shows, movies, & music. No waiting!



## Kanopy

Watch critically-acclaimed movies, inspiring documentaries, & award-winning foreign films.



## ProQuest

Unlimited access to Lancaster Eagle Gazette articles from 1935 to current plus the Lancaster Daily Eagle previous to 1935.



## The New York Times

Unlimited access to The New York Times articles.



## Wall Street Journal

Unlimited access to Wall Street Journal articles.



## Ancestry

Discover your family history with access to genealogy records. Ancestry is only available from inside the library.



## Northstar Digital Literacy

Training on computer, software, and technology skills.



## Chilton

Auto repair guides



# Bremen Branch

200 School Street, Bremen

## After School Art: Paper Strip Shamrock

For kids ages 6 to 12

Tuesday, March 11 at 4:30 pm

Create your own paper strip shamrock to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

**Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**

## Ask the Tech Trainer

For adults

Wednesday, March 12 from 10 am to 4 pm

Wednesday, April 9 from 10 am to 4 pm

Wednesday, May 14 from 10 am to 4 pm

Not sure where to start with your phone or device? Locked out of an account? Have a technical problem and need help. Visit Guiding Ohio Online Technology Trainer Andrew at the branch for one-on-one assistance. **Registration requested by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**

## The Incredible Journey of Water

presented by Lauren Vires, Wildlife/Education Specialist with the Fairfield Soil and Water Conservation District

For kids ages 6 to 12

Tuesday, March 18 at 4:30 pm

Join us for a program all about water conservation where you will impersonate a rain drop by experiencing its incredible journey. We'll also explore an enviroscape which is a model that gives us a bird's eye view of what happens to the water in our local watershed and what we can do to keep it clean for all to use. **Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**

## After School Art: Spring Chick Planter

For kids ages 6 to 12

Tuesday, April 8 at 4:30 pm

Paint and plant! All supplies included. **Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch (740) 569-7246.**

## Squish Squad

For kids ages 6 to 12

Tuesday, April 15 at 4:30 pm

Come join us for a Squishmallow extravaganza! Bring your friends and join us for squishy crafts, trivia, and games! **Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**

## School Age STEAM: Tempera Paint

For kids ages 6 to 12

Wednesday, April 23 at 4:30 pm

Make your own paint like a Renaissance Master – and then create your own art with it! Note: paint is made with eggs. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**

## After School Art: Origami Flowers

For kids ages 6 to 12

Tuesday, May 6 at 4:30 pm

Turn paper into flowers! Learn the Japanese art of folding paper and make a flower to keep or give to a special person in your life. **Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**

## Craft Swap & Closet Clean Out

Fun for all ages

Thursday, May 15 from 10:30 am to 5:30 pm

Friday, May 16 from 10:30 am to 4:30 pm

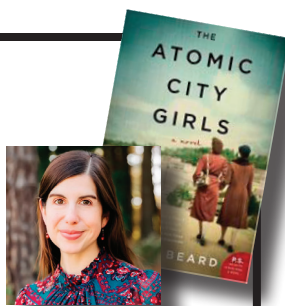
Saturday, May 17 from 10:30 to 1:30 pm

Did you have great ambitions for a craft project that never got off the ground? Don't know what to do with those extra parts and pieces from projects that you did make? Bring in your unwanted craft items and trade them for something new to you during our 3-day craft swap. Take one and leave one, or just take one! No registration is necessary.

## Book Discussion with Author Janet Beard

Thursday, March 20 at 3:30 pm

Bremen Branch  
200 School Street, Bremen



Stop by the Bremen Branch Circulation Desk to pick up your copy of Janet Beard's *The Atomic City Girls*, then join the author and fellow readers from the Third Thursday Book Club for an engaging discussion about the book! Don't miss this exciting opportunity to connect with Janet Beard. No registration necessary.

## Third Thursday Book Club

Pick up a copy of the monthly book at the Bremen Branch Circulation Desk then join us for discussion on the following dates:

Thursday, March 20 at 3:30 pm  
*Atomic City Girls* by Janet Beard  
(Join us for a special book club meeting with author Janet Beard)

Thursday, April 17 at 3:30 pm  
*The Storyteller* by Jodi Picoult

Thursday, May 15 at 3:30 pm  
*The Institute* by Stephen King



## School Age STEAM: Animal Menu

For kids ages 6 to 12

Wednesday, March 26 at 4:30 pm

Animals eat some wild things! Prepare to be grossed out and educated with our activities and crafts. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Bremen Branch at (740) 569-7246.**



### Family Storytime

For families with children ages 6 and younger  
Thursday mornings at 10:30 am  
March 6, 13, 20, 27  
April 3, 10, 17\*, 24  
May 1\*\*

Enjoy rhymes, songs, stories, and crafts as we move, play, and learn together! No registration necessary.

### Special Family Storytimes:

#### \*It's a Baby Shower Storytime

For families with children ages 6 and younger  
Thursday, April 17 at 10:30 am  
Welcome special guest Sarissa from Hocking Hills Homestead as she shares some of the newest members of her flock! During this fun hands-on storytime we will visit with and learn about some special animals that are born in the springtime. No registration necessary.

#### \*\*Rock Stars!

presented by the Fairfield County Park District  
For families with children ages 6 and younger  
Thursday, May 1 at 10:30 am  
Join us for a special storytime about the stuff you can find under the dirt. We're talking rocks, fossils, fossils in rocks! Then we'll make a craft and you'll get to take home your very own fossil. No registration necessary.



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# Johns Memorial Branch

116 E. High Street, Amanda

### School Age STEAM: Animal Menu

For kids ages 6 to 12  
Tuesday, March 11 at 3:30 pm  
Animals eat some wild things! Prepare to be grossed out and educated with our activities and crafts. **Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Johns Memorial Branch at (740) 969-2785.**

### Ask the Tech Trainer

For adults  
Wednesday, March 19 from 10 am to 4 pm  
Wednesday, April 16 from 10 am to 4 pm  
Wednesday, May 21 from 10 am to 4 pm  
Not sure where to start with your phone or device? Locked out of an account? Have a technical problem and need help. Visit Guiding Ohio Online Technology Trainer Andrew at the branch for one-on-one assistance. **Drop in or email FPLTechHelp@gmail.com to schedule an appointment.**

### School Age STEAM: Tempera Paint

For kids ages 6 to 12  
Tuesday, April 8 at 3:30 pm  
Make your own paint like a Renaissance Master – and then create your own art with it! Note: paint is made with eggs. **Please register online, on our app, or by calling the Johns Memorial Branch at (740) 969-2785.**

**Kids Free Make & Take Crafts**

### March Craft

For all ages  
March 11 through March 15  
Drop in during open hours and make a craft to celebrate St. Patrick's Day!

### April Craft

For all ages  
April 15 through April 19  
Hop on in during open hours to make a craft celebrating spring.

### May Craft

For all ages  
May 6 through May 10  
Drop in during open hours and make a Mother's Day card.



### Family Storytime

For families with children 6 and younger  
Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am  
March 5, 12, 19, 26  
April 2, 9, 16\*, 23, 30 \*Easter Theme  
Join us each week for a fun-filled time with stories, music and crafts. No registration necessary.

### Special Family Storytime: Rock Stars!

presented by the Fairfield County Park District  
For families with children ages 6 and younger  
Wednesday, May 7 at 10:30 am  
Join us for a special storytime about the stuff you can find under the dirt. We're talking rocks, fossils, fossils in rocks! Then we'll make a craft and you'll get to take home your very own fossil. No registration necessary.

# Northwest Branch

2855 Helena Drive NW, Carroll

## School Age STEAM: Animal Menu

For kids ages 6 to 12

Wednesday, March 5 at 4:30 pm

Animals eat some wild things! Prepare to be grossed out and educated with activities and crafts. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

## Game Afternoons

For kids ages 6 to 14

Wednesday, March 12 at 4:30 pm

Wednesday, April 9 at 4:30 pm

Wednesday, May 7 at 4:30 pm

## Game Afternoons: Homeschool Edition

Friday, March 14 at 2 pm

Friday, April 11 at 2 pm

Friday, May 9 at 2 pm

Stop by to enjoy a favorite game or try out a new one! Try one of ours, or bring one of your favorites to share. No registration necessary.

## Community Playgroup

by Fairfield County Board of Developmental Disabilities

For children from birth up to age 5

Friday, March 14 at 10 am

Friday, April 11 at 10 am

Friday, May 9 at 10 am

This community playgroup is open to all and offers children time to interact and explore a creative space, and connects parents to one another. No registration necessary.

## Young Artists at Play

For children ages 2 to 6

Friday, March 21 at 10:30 am

Friday, April 4 at 10:30 am

Friday, May 2 at 10:30 am

Explore making art together in playful, open-ended ways. Different materials will be provided each month. Dress to get messy! No registration necessary.

## Garden Recyclers

presented by Lancaster Fairfield County Community Action

For kids ages 5 to 12

Wednesday, March 26 at 4:30 pm

Join Keri from Lancaster Fairfield County Community Action for a story and craft to learn all about some of nature's greatest recyclers living in your own backyard: bugs! Register to receive reminders about the event! **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

## Ask the Tech Trainer

For adults

Wednesday, March 26 between 10 am and 4 pm

Wednesday, April 23 between 10 am and 4 pm

Wednesday, May 28 between 10 am and 4 pm

Not sure where to start with your phone or device? Locked out of an account? Have a technical problem and need help. Visit Guiding Ohio Online Technology Trainer Andrew at the branch for one-on-one assistance. Drop in between 10 am and 4 pm, or email [FPLTechHelp@gmail.com](mailto:FPLTechHelp@gmail.com) to schedule an appointment.

## School Age STEAM: Tempera Paint

For kids ages 6 to 12

Wednesday, April 2 at 4:30 pm

Make your own paint like a Renaissance Master – and then create your own art with it! Note: paint is made with eggs. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

## Rock Stars!

presented by the Fairfield County Park District

For children ages 3 to 7

Saturday, May 3 at 10:30 am

Join us for a storytime about the stuff you can find under the dirt. We're talking rocks, fossils, fossils in rocks! Then we'll make a craft and you'll get to take home your very own fossil. Register to receive reminders about the event! **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

## Fifth Annual Plant Swap

For adults & teens

Saturday, May 10 from 12 to 2 pm

Bring your houseplants, perennials, or other planty things and go home with something new. We'll have cuttings and small plants to share with newbies. We'll also be making hangable propagation stations to take home! No registration necessary.



## Baby Storytime

For children up to age 2

Tuesday mornings at 10:30 am

March 4, 11, 18, 25 April 1, 8, 15, 22 May 6

Enjoy interactive stories, playful songs, and action rhymes with your baby. Older siblings are welcome and encouraged to bring their own "baby" (favorite stuffed animal or doll) to participate. No registration necessary.

## Music & Movement

For children ages 3 to 6

Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am

March 5, 12, 19, 26 April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 May 7

Move and groove with musical rhymes, songs, instruments, and stories designed to foster early literacy, social development, and fine and gross motor skills. No registration necessary.

## Family Storytime

For families with children ages 6 and younger

Thursday mornings at 10:30 am

March 6, 13, 20, 27 April 3, 10, 17, 24 May 1, 8

Enjoy rhymes, songs, and stories as we move, play, and learn together! No registration necessary.

## Family Storytime at Carroll Cup Coffee

75 E. Canal St., Carroll

Saturday, March 1 at 9 am

Saturday, March 15 at 9 am

Saturday, April 5 at 9 am

Saturday, April 19 at 9 am

Saturday, May 3 at 9 am

Saturday, May 17 at 9 am

Join us for a cup of coffee while the children enjoy storytime, play, and learn together! No registration necessary.



## Books & Brews Book Clubs



**Morning Edition at Carroll Cup Coffee**  
75 E. Canal St., Carroll

Start your week off right with your favorite brew (coffee or tea!) and a lively book discussion. Books are available for checkout during book club or can be picked up at the Northwest Library. Attendees are also encouraged to share whatever you happen to be reading and suggest books for future discussions. Register to receive reminders about the event! **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

**Monday, March 3 at 9:30 am**  
*The Personal Librarian*  
by Marie Benedict

**Monday, April 7 at 9:30 am**  
*Destiny of the Republic*  
by Candace Millard

**Monday, May 5 at 9:30 am**  
*The Little Paris Bookshop*  
by Nina George



**Evening Edition at Outerbelt Brewing**  
3560 Dolson Ct., Carroll

Wind down with a fun and casual book discussion with fellow readers. Books are available for checkout during book club or can be picked up at the Northwest Library. Attendees are also encouraged to share whatever you happen to be reading and suggest books for future discussions. Register to receive reminders about the event! **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

**Thursday, March 13 at 6 pm**  
*The Women*  
by Kristin Hannah

**Thursday, April 10 at 6 pm**  
*Paper Towns*  
by John Green

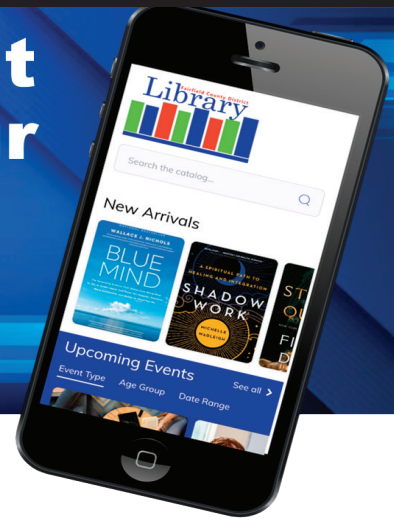
**Thursday, May 8 at 6 pm**  
*Demon Copperhead*  
by Barbara Kingsolver

## Teen Volunteer Training

For teens ages 12 to 17  
**Monday, May 12 at 4:30 pm or**  
**Saturday, May 17 at 11 am**

Do you enjoy working with children? Do you need volunteer hours or real-life experience for your college application? Volunteer at the library! Just fill out a Volunteer Application, available at the library, and have it signed by a parent before attending a session. At training you'll learn what kinds of things you can do and how to sign up for times to volunteer. Email [rgibson@fcdlibrary.org](mailto:rgibson@fcdlibrary.org) if you have any questions. **Register online, on our app, or by calling the Northwest Branch at (740) 756-4391.**

# Find it on our App!



Get the power of your library on your phone with the Fairfield County District Library App. Our app is available to download in the Apple App Store or Google Play Store. Search "FCDL" to find it.



### App Features:

#### My Account

Login to access your checked out items, items on hold, fees, and more. You can also renew items from here.

#### Digital Library Card

You can use this card to check out items at the self-check stations or from our services desks.

#### Search the Catalog

Browse new arrivals, search for specific titles, explore similar titles, place holds, and more.

#### Library Programs

View and register for programs from the Events tab. You can also manage and cancel your registrations.

#### Digital Collection

Access ebooks, audiobooks, movies, newspapers, and more using these apps.



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**Friends**  
Library



# Used Book Sale

**Saturday, May 3 from 9 am to 4 pm**

**Sunday, May 4 from 1 pm to 4 pm**

Main Library, Third Floor  
219 N. Broad Street Lancaster

**MEMBERS ONLY Preview Night**  
(Members may bring one guest.)

**Friday, May 2 from 6 pm to 8 pm**

Not a member yet?

Join now by filling out the Friends form and turning it in with your membership fee to any Fairfield County District Library location or mail to:

Friends of the Library  
219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster, OH 43130

Membership forms will also be accepted the night of the preview sale.

**Only cash and checks will be accepted.**

All proceeds benefit the Friends of the Library

You will receive a membership card in the mail for the calendar year (January 2025-December 2025)

- Mark One:
- \$5.00 Individual Senior (55 & over)
  - \$10.00 Individual & Family Book Lovers
  - \$25.00 Limited Editions
  - \$50.00 Rare Books
  - \$100.00 First Editions

Checks should be made payable to: Friends of the FCDL

*thank you*

## Friends of the Library Membership Form

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

## Book Donation Day

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library

**Thursday, April 24 from 12 to 4 pm**

(Rain date will be Friday, April 25 from 12 to 4 pm)

Main Library, 219 N. Broad Street, Lancaster

### What will be accepted:

Fiction, non-fiction, cookbooks, craft books, and children's books in paperback or hard cover in good condition

### What will NOT be accepted:

VHS tapes, encyclopedias, text books, legal books, magazines, outdated travel books, and books in poor condition with stains, tears, or mildew