



2010 Summer Reading Program for *All* ages! June 7-July 31 Highland Square Branch Library



**Akron-Summit County
Public Library**

330-376-2927

Highland Square Branch Library
807 W. Market St., Akron, Ohio 44303
www.akronlibrary.org

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Family Programs

All Ages Welcome!

Tuesdays, June 8-July 27

2 pm

June 8: Ice Cream Social!

June 15: Music-Maker Tom Todd!

June 22: Jungle Terry returns for a WILD time!

June 29: The magic of Rick Smith, Jr.!

July 6: Inventors' Workshop—Will your invention make a splash?!!

July 13: All Together Now! Presented by Storyteller Jennifer Johnson.

July 20: Theater antics with Sarah Bailey!

July 27: World of Difference takes us to Haiti with "Papa Dieux's Well!"

Summer Story Building on the Square

Baby Time

Ages 3-24 months

Mondays, June 21-July 12, 10 am

Family Story Builders

For children ages 2-5, their older and younger siblings, and their caregivers

Thursdays, June 24-July 15, 10:30 am

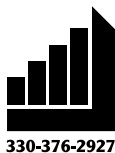
Sign-up is preferred.



Interpretive services are available. Please inquire.



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Music Saturdays!

For All Ages

Drum Circle with Roland Jackson!

Saturday, June 12, 10:30 am

Roland Jackson and Jamari's Drum Project return! Some percussion instruments will be available but please plan to also bring your own if possible.

Classical Guitarist James Marron!

Saturday, June 26, 2-3 pm

James Marron will give a performance/demonstration of guitar music from the Renaissance, Baroque, Classical, Romantic and Contemporary periods. Marron has performed in Italy, France, Germany and throughout the United States. He has been on the guitar faculty at the University of Akron since 1992. Sign up for this program is required and begins June 1 at 330-376-2927.



Akron Storytelling Festival Free Family Concert

Main Library Auditorium
60 S. High St., Akron

On Stage with Carmen Deedy

Friday, July 23, 1:30 – 2:30 pm

Award winning storyteller and children's author Carmen Deedy will spin her unique tales. Laughter, chants and rhythm will engage the audience. When she pauses, you will find yourself leaning forward to hear what comes next. Perfect for ages 5 and up

This is a perfect outing for day camps.



Adult Programs This Summer!

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Water Your Mind READ

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Tuesday, June 22, 6:30-8 pm

Mindful Living

Introduction to Mindfulness Meditation with
Andy Davis, Professional Clinical Counselor.

Wednesday, June 23, 6:30-8 pm

Aromatherapy: The Therapeutic Use of Essential Oils

Experience the healing power of essential
oils with Mary Fullen. Learn about the history
of oils, how they work in the body and the
methods for using them.

Tuesday, June 29, 6-8 pm

Zentangles with Carol Floyd!

Learn the philosophy of Zentangle, how to get
started and some basic patterns. This artistic
mediation creates images from repetitive
patterns and can be done almost anywhere.

Saturday, July 17, 1-3 pm

Natural Soap Making 101~ Presented by SUNsational Soaps & Such.™

Go green and explore your creativity as
you learn the basics of melt & pour soap-
making. With a natural soap base and a few
common household items, you can make rich
creamy soap that's good for your skin and
the environment. In addition to the soaps,
participants receive step-by-step instructions,
creative ideas for enhancing their skills, and
a variety of soap recipes to try at home.

Thursday, July 29, 6:30-8 pm

Beaded Jewelry

Join us as Judy Fitzgerald will help
participants make handcrafted beaded
earrings. Each person has a choice of making
pierced or clip earrings. All supplies are
provided.

Computer Classes

These classes will be demonstration style.

Tuesdays, 6-8 pm:

August 10

Exploring eBay Buying—
Basics on Bidding.



August 17

Exploring eBay Selling—Basics on Selling.

August 24

Government and Legal Information.



BOOK DISCUSSIONS

Evening Book Discussion Group.

Come join us as we explore a diverse
selection of fiction and nonfiction. New
members are always welcome.

Thursdays, 7 pm:

June 17 ANGELS IN AMERICA
by Tony Kushner.

July 22 ATONEMENT
by Ian McEwan.

August 26 THE PILOT'S WIFE
by Anita Shreve.



MAKE WAVES at YOUR LIBRARY

Highland Square Branch Library
TEEN
2010 Summer Reading Program
For ages 11-18
June 7-July 31



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Thursday @ 3 pm

June 10 **Summer Beach Party**

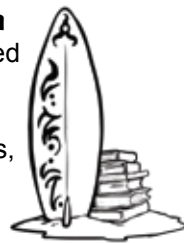
We're bringing a little bit of the beach to the library this summer! Come and make sand candles, home-made snow cones, sea slime and decorate some flip-flops.

June 24 **Food Sculpture Challenge!**

Compete against other teens to see who can plan and put together the best sculpture with various food items. Bring your creativity and be prepared to have loads of fun.

July 8 **Surfer Jewelry Program**

Create your own surfer-inspired necklaces, bracelets, and earrings with hemp, wire, sharks' teeth, sea glass, shells, and other aquatic items.



July 22 **Bubble Blast**

Bubbles will abound at this program where we'll paint with bubbles, play with bubble wrap, and see who can make the biggest bubble by creating our own bubble wands.

Wizard Rock!

Monday, June 7 at 6 pm AND
Sunday, June 27 at 2 pm
Main Library Auditorium

Dress in Harry Potter costume for a chance at prizes!

Attend both concerts for a chance at a special prize!

Teens Rock Akron 2010!
Saturday, June 5, 6 pm
Main Library Auditorium

Come and enjoy a great night of music from the areas' best teen bands. Admission and parking are free.



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Sign-up is required for all teen programs.