Library Events for All Ages

Kenmore Branch Library
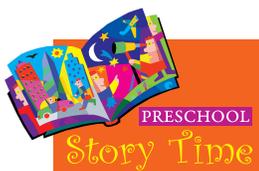# Fall 2015

Children's Programs

Preschool Story Time
Tuesdays, 10:30 am
September 1-22,
October 13-November 24
Join us for stories, music, movement and fun! Each session is followed by a play time or fun activity. For children ages 2-6 years with a favorite adult. Call 330 745-6126 and register to join the fun.

SCHOOL AGE PROGRAMS
Wednesdays, 4 pm

September 9: Spy Academy
Learn top secret activities like secret codes, defense and spy skills as well as disguises and detection.

September 23: Art/Craft Lab
Use our art supplies to get creative and design your own masterpiece.

October 14: Full Steam Ahead
What sank the Titanic? Learn about this fateful voyage and what made an unsinkable ship sink. We'll have science demonstrations and hands on activities.

October 28: Pumpkin Decorating
Decorate a mini-pumpkin just in time for Halloween. You must call to register at 330-745-6126 for this program. Space is limited.

November 18: Nature Club
Learn about animals of Ohio through games and hands-on activities. Make a nature journal to take home with you.

Gaining Traction on Mars – A NASA Engineering Design Challenge
November 2-5, November 9, 4-5 pm
For School-Age Children. This 5 session series will introduce children to concepts of friction, batteries, magnets, electromagnets, and motors, and culminates in a challenge for children to design, engineer and test wheels to achieve traction on a simulated Martian surface. Please register for this 5 session series.

Teen Programs
For ages 11 to 18.
Please call the library at 330-745-6126 to register.

Candy Sushi
Tuesday, September 8, 3:30 pm
Build your own Sushi...with candy! Teens are invited to learn how to make sushi creations using their favorite candy. While enjoying their sweet treats participants will have an opportunity to try their hand at some origami crafts.

Express Yourself: Graffiti Syle
Tuesday, September 22, 4 pm
Unleash your inner Graffiti artist by spending an evening with us spraying your message to the world. Graffiti is a form of art usually found in urban settings. As we delve into the world of street art, be prepared to get your hands and clothes dirty. All supplies provided.

SuperZombieVamp @ the Library!
Tuesday, October 13, 3:30 pm
It's a mash-up of your favorite creeptastic shows – Supernatural, Walking Dead, and Vampire Diaries. Come dressed in character if you dare. We'll celebrate all things creepy by making and decorating SuperZombieVamp survival kits while watching a creepster classic. Who knows – we may even have some extra body parts to snack!

Teen Gingerbread Competition
Tuesday, November 10, 3:30 pm
Show off your artistic skills at this special food event. See who can build the most creative gingerbread house, car or whatever you can come up with using a variety of sweet treats.

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Family Programs

Minecraft
Tuesday, November 24, 4 pm
The library has a new server available for the public where multiple people can play MineCraft on the server at the same time. Join us to play on our laptops! For all ages. Please call 330-745-6126 to register as space is limited.

Realm of the Reptile
Saturday, November 7, 1 pm
Join us for some up close fun with reptiles. Get hands on with a large tortoise, lizards, and s-s-snakes. This program is open to all ages, but space is limited. Be sure to register in advance.

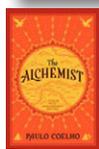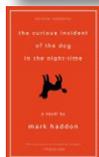## Adult Programs

Book Club on the Go
Do you like trying new books but don't have the time for group discussions? No worries, now you can get the best of both worlds! Stop in and pick up a new book and discussion flier every second Monday of the month. You'll receive discussion questions, background information on the author, as well as a listing of read-alike authors and books that you can look through all on your own time.
September 14 THE DOG STARS by Peter Heller
October 12 THE CURIOUS INCIDENT OF THE DOG IN THE NIGHTTIME by Mark Haddon
November 9 THE ALCHEMIST by Paulo Coelho

Fabulous Facials
Saturday, September 5, 2 pm
Get a facial and let professional cosmetologist Vicki Guilliams show you the best way to care for your skin. Please register in advance as space is limited. Registration begins on August 17.

Henna Tattoos with Lisa Hart
Saturday, October 17, 1 pm
Join Lisa to learn about the ancient art of henna body art and get a beautifully designed tattoo! Please call the Branch at 330 745-6126 to register as space is limited. Registration begins September 28.

Find Your Family's History
Tuesday, October 27, 6 pm
Join the Special Collections Division for an introduction to genealogy for new family historians. This class includes an overview of genealogical sources available at the library, suggestions for getting started, and tips for organizing your research.

Jewelry Making
Friday, November 13, 2 pm
Join Karen McLain to make a beautiful item of jewelry. Please call 330-745-6126 to register as space is limited.

Friends of Kenmore Branch Library Book Sale
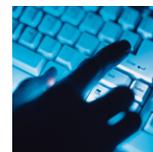**Saturday, October 3, 10 am-3 pm**
Presale for FOL members will be held that day from 9-10 am

Computer Classes

Monday, October 19, 6 pm Internet, Part 1: An Introduction. Learn how to access the Internet in the library and from your home computer. During class, you will practice basic Internet searching using web directories and search engines.

Tuesday, October 20, 6 pm Internet, Part 2: Searching, Printing, and Favorites. Learn how to make better use of search engine features for more successful Internet searching. Practice saving your favorite websites and printing Internet content.

Thursday, October 22, 6 pm Internet, Part 3: Beyond Searching. Now that you know how to search for information, it's time to discover what else the Internet is used for. Topics covered include weather, movies, driving directions, games, and finding cheap gas.

Saturday, October 24, 10 am Open Lab: Come with your questions! Practice what you've learned in class! Open lab time is an opportunity to work on computers in the lab with an instructor present to answer any questions you may have. Resume Workshop: Bring a chronology of your work and/or educational history to these workshops, and use resume writing software that offers hundreds of pre-written job duty descriptions to clearly define your skills and qualifications. Practice with built-in videos to sharpen your job interviewing and salary negotiating skills. Save your work as an electronic document and leave our workshop with a high impact, ready-to-print product. Attendees must bring a flash drive on which to save their work.

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