



**SATURDAY  
APR 4, 2-3 PM**

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**SATURDAY, APR 25  
2-3 PM**

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**SATURDAY, MAY 16**

### MOVEMENT IS THERAPY (MIT)

Jonathan McCray will give insight into the importance of including nature in your life. Register by phone, in person, or online.

### WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT

Let Carrie Chapman Catt, the famous American women's suffrage leader, take you from the beginning of the movement through to fruition with the 19th Amendment. Presented by Sharon Rae Snowden. Register by phone, in person, or online.

### FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOOK SALE

**Friends Preview 9-10 am**  
**Book Sale 10 am-3 pm**  
You don't want to miss this book sale. We have a variety of great materials from bestsellers, DVDs, magazines, CDs and more. Everything must go.

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Monday – Thursday 10 am – 8 pm  
Friday 12 – 6 pm  
Saturday 10 am – 5 pm  
Sunday Closed

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## MAPLE VALLEY BRANCH EVENTS



SPRING 2020

### CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Library Closings: Apr 12 Easter Sunday, May 25 Memorial Day

**MONDAYS &  
WEDNESDAYS  
MAR 2-MAY 20  
3-4 PM**

### AFTER SCHOOL HOMEWORK HELP

Stop in on Mondays or Wednesdays for free homework help! For grades K-5.

**THURSDAY, MAR 5  
3:30-4:30 PM**

### SNAPOLOGY - AMUSEMENT PARK ENGINEERING

Do you love roller coasters? In Snapology's Amusement Park Engineering class, students will make their own amusement park rides while using physics and engineering concepts. For grades K-12.

**SATURDAYS, MAR 14  
APR 11, MAY 9, 2-3 PM**

### PAWS FOR READING

Practice your reading skills by reading aloud to our doggie pal, Kivrin. Bring a book from home or read one of ours! Not reading yet? Our dog's human pal will read to you. For grades K-12.

**FRIDAY, MAR 20  
3-4 PM**

### GAME ON

Enjoy an afternoon of playing video games, computer games, and board games with your friends!

**MONDAYS, MAR 23  
APR 20, MAY 18  
6-7:30 PM**

### FAMILY MOVIE MONDAY

Join us for a family-friendly movie, snacks, and drinks!  
**Mar 23**-The Addams Family  
**Apr 20**-Frozen II  
**May 18**- Spies in Disguise

**THURSDAYS, MAR 26  
APR 23, MAY 28  
4-5 PM**

### STEM CLUB WITH SYLVAN LEARNING CENTER

Join Sylvan EDGE to create and explore with technology. Learn the basic concepts of design, programming, and coding. **Mar 26**-Tynker Hour of Code; **Apr 23**-Marble Roller Coaster; **May 28**-Robotic Lion

**SATURDAY, APR 11  
2-3 PM**

### NATIONAL PET DAY CELEBRATION

Let's celebrate our favorite furry friends! Stop in to read a few stories, share a few dances, and make a special treat for our four-legged friends. We will also have an extra special furry visitor!

**MONDAY, APR 13-  
FRIDAY, APR 17  
1-2 PM**

### SPRING BREAK BOREDOM BUSTERS


Stop in every afternoon over Spring Break for an exciting activity and snacks! **Monday**-Coloring; **Tuesday**-Video Games; **Wednesday**-Board Games and Legos; **Thursday**-Movie and Popcorn; **Friday**-Craft to Go



**SATURDAY, MAY 2**  
**2-3 PM**

**FRIDAY, MAY 8**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**TEEN EVENTS**



**TUESDAY, MAR 10**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**THURSDAY, APR 2**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**TUESDAY, APR 14**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**TUESDAY, APR 21**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**TUESDAY, MAY 5**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**TUESDAY, MAY 12**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**MARCH 23-28**

**STEM - SPACE FOOD**

Snacking in space is not as easy as you might think! Can you design a way to eat your favorite food in zero gravity? All materials provided.

**NATURECONNECT: RAIN CLOUD IN A CUP**

Are you curious about clouds and rain? You can learn more with this easy science activity. Using just a few common household items, we will create our very own "rain clouds."

**GUESS WHO GAME DAY**

Have fun playing various Guess Who board games.

**PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY DAY**

It's National Peanut Butter and Jelly Day! Enjoy delicious snacks and activities to celebrate.

**DAFFODIL CRAFTS**

Spring is here! Make various daffodil flower crafts.

**ARBOR DAY ART**

Get crafty with tree-themed art for Arbor Day!

**VOLUNTEEN MEETING**

Are you interested in being a volunteer at the library this summer? For students going into grades 6-12 this fall.

**VIDEO GAME DAY**

Relax and play games on the Nintendo Switch with your friends!

**SPRING FEVER DROP-IN FUN**

Spring has sprung! Stop by the front desk this week for contests, games, and crafts and to win prizes!

**GET CAUGHT READING DROP-IN FUN**

May is Get Caught Reading Month. Win a small prize if you are caught reading in the library or check out a book! For Grades K-12.

**MOVIE DISCUSSION**

We will discuss movies from the past and present. This will give you the opportunity to watch a movie with a new insight.

**Mar**-Brian Banks; **Apr**-Life, Animated; **May**-Wild Rose

**WOMEN'S CIRCLE**

Freely express yourself through lively discussions, creativity, healthy activities, informative presentations, and more. Women's Circle offers bonding, sharing, and fellowship. Register by phone, in person, or online.

**Mar 4**-The Power of Yoga and Meditation

**Mar 18**-Reiki Healing

**Apr 8**-How Do You Relax

**Apr 22**-Caregiver Support

**May 6**-Picture Yourself

**NEEDLEWORK: SISTAS KNIT 2**

Socialize with other crafters while creating wonderful projects that can be given to family and friends. This group does everything from knitting to crocheting, needlepoint to cross-stitch, and more.

**THE AKRON AFRICAN UNITED FRONT BOOK DISCUSSION**

Share your opinions on how history affects today's society. Read and analyze books that are rich in African American culture and history. Discuss important heartfelt issues with your peers.

**COMPUTER CLASSES**

Free hands-on computer classes. Learn how to use the mouse, keyboard, Windows 10, folders, the Internet and more. Attend one class or the entire series. Register by phone, in person, or online.

**Mar 9, 10:30 am**-Windows 10

**Mar 9, 2 pm** Organizing File Folders

**Mar 10, 10:30 am**-Internet Basics

**Mar 10, 2 pm**-Gmail

**Mar 12, 10:30 am**-Excel 1

**Mar 12, 2 pm**-Excel 2 (formulas)

**CLEANING THE NATURAL WAY: DIY SOLUTIONS**

Using household ingredients and essential oils, we will make natural solutions that can be used to clean your home. Register by phone, in person, or online.

**MAY 1-31**

**ADULT EVENTS**

**TUESDAYS, MAR 3**  
**APR 7, MAY 5**  
**11:30 AM-12:30 PM**

**WEDNESDAYS,**  
**MAR 4, 18**  
**APR 8, 22**  
**MAY 6**  
**6-7:30 PM**

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**THURSDAYS,**  
**MAR 5-MAY 28**  
**6-7:30 PM**

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**MONDAY, MAR 9**  
**TUESDAY, MAR 10**  
**THURSDAY, MAR 12**  
**10:30 AM & 2 PM**

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**SATURDAY, MAR 21**  
**2-3:30 PM**

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