

Fall Kids & Teen Programs



Nordonia Hills Branch Library

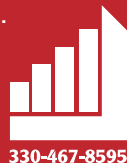
Homework Corner

For children in Kindergarten-grade 8

Tuesdays, September 15 through December 15, 3:30-5 pm

Got homework? Get help from peers or our willing library staff. Drop-ins are welcome.

Please note this is a volunteer effort and certified teachers are not available.



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**Akron-Summit County
Public Library**

Nordonia Hills Branch Library
9458 Olde Eight Rd., Northfield, Ohio 44067
www.akronlibrary.org

Story Times

Sign up starts
September 1

Baby Time

For children 6-24 months with a parent or caregiver. This program feature bounces, songs, and stories.

**Tuesdays, September 29-
October 20, 6:30 pm**

Bedtime Story Time

For children two to five years old, not yet in kindergarten. Two-year-olds must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

**Wednesdays,
September 30, October 7,
21, 28, 6:30 pm**

Toddler Story Time

For children two years old accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

**Mondays, September 28-
October 19, 10:15 am**

Preschool Story Time

For children 3-5 years old, not yet in Kindergarten.

**Mondays, September
28-October 19, 11 am
and Thursdays,
October 1-22, 1 pm**

FUNTASTIC FAMILY TIME

Program ages vary. Please sign up for each program in advance.

**Mondays, September 21 & 28, October 5,
6-6:40 pm Kicking With Sensei.**

If your 4-11 year old child is thinking about joining a martial arts program but you're unsure of the commitment required, then this is the program for you! We would like to thank Janet Peiser of Northfield's American Academy of Martial Arts for donating her time for a three week 40 minute introduction to martial arts.

Fall Movie Madness

Fourth Saturday of the month, 1 pm

The Library has more to offer than just BOOKS. It's also a fun place to enjoy a flick and popcorn... for FREE! Children under 8 years old must be accompanied to the movie by a parent or adult caregiver. See you at the show!

September 26 RACE TO WITCH MOUNTAIN

October 24 Title TBD

November 28 Title TBD

Saturday, October 10, 2 pm

The Outside Hour- Reconnecting Our Children and Ourselves to Nature

We would like to thank Amy Berens, Education Coordinator from Crown Point Ecology Center, for donating her time presenting this program. In our increasingly technological society, children and adults are spending more time indoors plugged into numerous electronic devices and less time outside interacting with each other and the natural world. What is this "nature-deficit disorder" and how can we cure it our communities? Recent research shows that children who regularly spend unstructured play time out doors are healthier overall. Learn how to promote physical, emotional & social well-being with some simple techniques and ideas to transform your "screen time" into "green time" together as a family.

Tuesday, October 27, 6 pm Pumpkin Painting

For ages 2 and up, accompanied by an adult. Come listen to pumpkin stories and paint your own pumpkin!

SCHOOL AGE PROGRAMS

Please sign up in advance for each program. Sign up starts August 24.

After School Club

For children in Kindergarten-grade 2
**First Wednesday of each month
at 4:30 pm**

September 2, 4:30 pm

"Fun with Music and Sound"

Let's explore one of the 5 senses: hearing. Come for some fun stories and crafts.

October 7, 4:30 pm

"Spooktacular Fun"

Come for some not-so-spooky stories and crafts.

November 4, 4:30 pm

"Let's Be Thankful" Come for some Thanksgiving fun with stories and crafts.

"Are You A Wild Thing?"

For children in Kindergarten-grade 3

Tuesday, September 22, 6:30 pm

Join us for a fun monster story time with a craft based around the book, "Where the Wild Things Are."

MAKE-IT TAKE-IT

For children in 3rd through 5th grades.

**Last Monday of each month at
4:30 pm**

September 28 Back Yard Games.

Join us for outdoor fun you can teach your friends.

October 26 Leaf Rubbings.

Make a fall note card for a friend.

November 30 Key Ring.

Everyone can use a key ring. Make one for yourself or give it away.

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Fall Teen Programs & Teen/Adult Programs

TEEN CAFE

For students grade 5 and up.
First Thursday of each month at 3:30 pm. Please sign up.

September 3 We are going to use wire and beads to beautify pens.

October 1 Halloween is approaching. Come paint windows for the season.

November 5 Partea! Tea party that is. Join us for a tea party! No longer short and stout, come see what teapots are all about.

Wii™ Lympics Tournament

For students grade 5-12
Saturday, October 31, 1 pm

Compete against other Wii™ Sports players system-wide in this triathlon of events, including Bowling, Golf, and Home Run Derby! Gold medalists at each location will play at the Finals on Saturday, November 14 at Main Library, for the chance to win a deluxe prize basket and bragging rights! Sign up at your library today!

TEEN/ADULT PROGRAMS

For teens (grades 6 and up) and adults. Please sign up.

Stitch Clique

Tuesdays, September 8, October 13, November 10, 6:30-8 pm
Grab your crocheting/knitting needles and yarn and stitch the evening away. Join us for crocheting/knitting tips, friendship, advice and more. Refreshments will be served.

Mixed Martial Arts & Jujitsu Fitness Fun.

Mondays, September 21, September 28, October 5, 6:50-7:30 pm
Thinking about trying out martial arts but not ready to commit to a signed contract? Teen boys & men come explore the basics of this art by attending a three-part class, each 40 minutes long. We would like to thank Janet Peiser of Northfield's American Academy of Martial Arts, for donating her time.

Kickboxing Fun & Ab/Leg Toning Fitness.

Mondays, September 21 & 28, October 5, 7:40-8:20 pm
Teen girls & women kick-up your fitness skills a notch by trying out a new workout program. We would like to thank Janet Peiser of Northfield's American Academy of Martial Arts for donating her time for a three week 40 minute introduction to martial arts.

Yoga

Mondays, October 19 & 26, 7:30-8:15 pm
If you can get up off the floor, you can do yoga! We would like to thank Mary Pat Murphy of Namaste' Yoga Studio for donating her time. Come celebrate the ancient practice of integrating the mind, body and the breath. The practice of yoga helps to deepen self-understanding, develop strength and flexibility, and invites you to connect with your spirit.

Book Discussion

Page-Turners Book Club for Teens/Parents

This is not your ordinary teen book club! Teens, ages 12 & up, and their parents are welcome to join in this discussion group. Explore issues relevant to today's teens and their parents.

Third Monday of the month, 7 pm:

September 21 AUDREY, WAIT! by Robin Benway. Topics include: Teen boy/girl relations; best friends; dating; popularity; interpersonal relations.

October 19 ALTED by Catherine Atkins. Topics include: Teen emotional issues; interpersonal relations; weight issues.

November 16 WHALE TALK by Chris Crutcher. Topics include: Teenage misfits; adopted children; prejudice; interracial persons.

