

ANNUAL LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, November 6, from 1 pm to 4 pm

Come visit us for some fun autumn crafts, lively music, treats, and fun for everyone!

Even "Johnny Appleseed" will be stopping by at 1:00 p.m. Sponsored by the Friends of the Nordon Hills Library.

Sign up is suggested for the following programs:

4th Annual Library Murder Mystery – "Requiem For A Reader"

Friday, September 24, 6-9 pm

A crime has been committed, and the suspect is among us! Bring your thinking cap, and your investigative skills. Interactive social story line means you could be the Chief Inspector...or the Prime Suspect! Sign up is required - Ticket entry only (Tickets are FREE). Sign up begins Tuesday, August 31, 2010.

Yoga For the Masses

Mondays, September 27 & October 4, 7 pm

Join Mary Pat Murphy of Namaste' Yoga Studio for this "everybody can do yoga class." Celebrate the ancient art of integrating the mind, body and breath. We will focus on breathing and beginning movements in this two session class. For teens (grades 6 and up) and adults. Class size is limited to 35 participants.

Autumn Ribbon Wreath

Monday, October 11, 6:30 pm

Is your front door bare? Come create a fall wreath to dress it up. Class size is limited to 25 participants.

The Werewolves of Nordon Hills

Thursday, October 21, 7 pm

The werewolves are loose for Halloween, and only your wits and words will save you! Test your thinking, observation, persuasion, and social skills in this engaging and interactive evening. Age 12 and over, please.

Adult Participation Programs

No Sign Up Necessary for the following programs:

Nordon Hills Scrapbookers

First Saturday of each month: September 4, October 2, November 13, 10 am-4pm

Join your fellow scrapbook enthusiasts for daylong fun. Bring your own supplies.

Come for an hour or the entire day. No experience necessary, just bring some photos and your friendly self!

Socrates Café

Second Wednesday of each month:

September 8, October 13, November 10, 6:30 pm

A regular gathering of adults engaging in great conversation, exploring current events, thoughtful ideas, and reasoned debates. Come and take part, or just listen to the discussion! For all patrons 16 & over. No sign up necessary – No homework – No assigned reading.

Stitch Clique

Second Tuesday of each month: September 14, October 12, November 9, 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. Meet local knitters/crocheters, have fun comparing patterns, techniques and tips. Everyone is welcome...all levels of experience. Even if you're a new crafter, come and check us out! Refreshments will be served.

Nordon Hills Game Time

Third Saturday of each month:

September 18, October 16, November 20, 10 am-5 pm

Join in with players of various games including chess, board and Euro games, role-playing games, mah-jongg, war games, and regular and trading card games. All ages welcome. No sign up necessary.



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Autumn 2010 Programs

at Nordon Hills Branch Library

Children's Programs

Sign up is suggested for the following programs:

FUNTASTIC FAMILY TIME

Program ages vary.

The Music Class for Ages 0-5

Thursday, September 2, 10 am and 11 am (2 different classes)

*Please sign up for one class only.

This high energy music and movement program allows siblings to attend together in a single developmentally appropriate, play-based class. Caregivers attend with children as we focus on providing a positive learning environment with lots of singing, dancing, jumping, and instrument play. Comfortable clothes are recommended for kids and adults alike as we'll all be joining in the fun! This program is being offered thanks to the First Chair Music Programs.

Science Saturday

Saturday, September 25, 2-3:30 pm

Science Saturday is back! Come and explore the world of experimenting. Children school age and up bring moms and dads, grandmas and grandpas, anyone who enjoys hands on fun!

Thomas the Tank Engine goes Choo Choo!

Saturday, October 9, 11 am
For ages 2-5 years old, with 2 year olds accompanied by caregivers. Come to hear some fun "Thomas" books and make a "Thomas" craft with us.

Saturday, November 6, 1 pm
Johnny Appleseed will be here to visit us and tell some stories! Fun for all ages!

SCHOOL AGE PROGRAMS

After School Club

For children in Kindergarten – 2nd grade.

The first Wednesday of each month at 4:30 pm.

September 1 - Back to School Fun! We'll read some stories and do a fun craft together!

October 6 - Board Game Fun! Come play some fun board games with us!

November 3 - Let's Give Thanks! Fall in to some great autumn stories and crafts with us!

Lego Fun! Saturday, October 23rd, 11 am. For children in Kindergarten – 5th grade. Come make some fun Lego creations with us!

Baby Time

For children 6-24 months with a parent or caregiver. Our programs feature bounces, songs, and stories. * Please sign up for only one of these days.

Tuesdays, 6:30 pm, September 21-October 5 and October 19-November 2. Thursdays, 1 pm, September 30-November 4.

Bedtime Story Time

For children 2-5 years old. (Two-year-olds must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver.)

Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, September 22-October 6 and October 20-November 3.

Toddler Story Time

For children 2-3 years old, accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Thursdays, 10:15 am, September 30-November 4.

Preschool Story Time

For children 3-5 years old, not yet in Kindergarten. Thursdays, 11 am, September 30-November 4.

Teen & Intermediate Programs

Sign up is suggested for the following programs:

Make-it Take-it

For students going into 3rd grade - 4th grade. **The last Monday of each month at 4:30 pm.**



September 27 - Have trouble remembering that new locker combination or Mom's cell phone number? Here's the solution! We're going to make Secret Code Backpack pulls!

October 25 - Ewww Ohhhh... The witches, ghosts and mummy's have returned. Come in and make your own Yummy Mummy and take a BITE out of fear!



November 29 - Have you started thinking about gift giving yet? Come and make a Tubular Frame! They make a great gift for family and friends.



Teen Café

For students in grade 5 and up. **The first Thursday of each month at 3:30 pm.**

September 2 - Come in for our first Teen Café of the new school year and show us your moves with Just Dance!



October 7 - It's time to start your Halloween decorations. At the Teen Café we are going to make Spooky Spider Tea Lights.



November 4 - Would you like to try your hand at juggling? Come and make a set of juggling balls to get you started!



Graphic Monday

For students in grade 5 and up. **The third Monday of each month at 6:30 pm.**

Read a different graphic novel each month and then come in to talk about it with others over a snack.

September 20 - Coraline adapted and illustrated by P. Craig Russell

October 18 - Heaven's Will by Satoru Takamiya

November 15 - Bone by Jeff Smith

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How Money Works

Wednesday, September 1, 7 pm

Financial advisor **Rick Rupert** will discuss financial planning and money management.



The Lincoln Inaugural Train

Monday, September 13, 7 pm

Historical presenter **Paul Goebbel** presents the railroad journey of President-elect Lincoln's inaugural trip to Washington D.C.!



Social Networking 101

Wednesday, September 15, 7 pm

Thinking about setting up a Facebook or Twitter account? Or, do you have a Facebook or Twitter account and just can't figure it out? **Julie D'Aloiso** from SpiderCat Marketing will help you sort it out!



Adult Speaker and Demonstration Programs

Beneficial Insects

Monday, September 20, 6:30 pm

Come and join Master Gardener **Lee Paulson** as we examine the fascinating world of "beneficial" insects and learn how they help to maintain the balance of nature in our backyards.



The 60's Monster Mash

Thursday, October 7, 7 pm

Bill Brauning presents your favorite retro monster and horror stars in this multimedia presentation of 50's and 60's scary films, from "The Amazing Colossal Man" to teenage werewolves, flying saucers, and much more!



Author Joanna Wilson and The Christmas TV Companion

Thursday, October 14, 7 pm
Local author **Joanna Wilson**, of *The Christmas TV Companion: A Guide to Cult Classics, Strange Specials and Outrageous Oddities*, will discuss unusual and overlooked Christmas-themed television specials and film releases. She will also point out many hidden Christmas gems in our current library collection.



"Reports of His Death Were Greatly Exaggerated"

Thursday, November 4, 7 pm
Writer **Mark Dawidziak** presents a look at the ongoing influence of Mark Twain on American society and literature today - 100 years after his death.



Bubblegum Making with Leeners

Monday, November 8, 7 pm
Learn how to make fantastic tasting bubblegum in about an hour. Join Eileen Leverentz, of Northfield's own Leeners, for a fun demonstration of one of America's favorite confections. For patrons age 6 through adult.

