

Library Events for Adults

Branch Hours:
Monday – Thursday 10 am – 8 pm
Friday 12 – 6 pm
Saturday 10 am – 5 pm

Solving the Museum of Dr. Jones: An “Escape Room” Program.

Wednesday, May 3, 6:30 pm

Thursday, May 4, 3:30 pm

Saturday, May 6, 11 am & 2 pm

You are trapped in the storage rooms at the museum, with only the perplexing notes of Dr. Quentin Jones to help you get out. 8 to 10 participants try their puzzle-solving talents, logic, observation, communication skills, and ingenuity to escape the 4 challenging rooms of the Nordon Hills Museum within the one-hour time limit.

Book Discussions

No registration necessary.

Thursday, March 9, 2 pm MRS. GRANT AND MADAME JULE by Jennifer Chiverini

Monday, March 13, 2 pm Monday Casual Reads. HEART AND SOUL by Maeve Binchy.

Wednesday, March 22, 7 pm Mystery Book Discussion Group. “Reader’s Choice” of a Georgette Heyer mystery

Monday, April 10, 2 pm Monday Casual Reads. A MAN CALLED OVE by Fredrik Backman.

Thursday, April 13, 2 pm THE BOOK OF LOST FRAGRANCES by M. J. Rose

Wednesday, April 26, 7 pm Mystery Book Discussion Group. CHAOS by Patricia Cornwell.

Monday, May 8, 2 pm Monday Casual Reads. THAT DARKNESS by Lisa Black.

Thursday, May 11, 2 pm ATLANTIC or PACIFIC, both by Simon Winchester.

Wednesday, May 24, 7 pm Mystery Book Discussion Group. THE BOOK OF LOST FRAGRANCES by M. J. Rose



- **Hands-On Computer Classes**
- No registration is required; however, you must have a ticket to be admitted to each hands-on class. Class size is strictly limited to 15 participants. Tickets will be passed out ½ hour prior to each class time.

• **Monday, April 17, 2-3:30 pm**
Basic Computer Skills

• **Tuesday, April 18, 2-3:30 pm**
Windows 10

• **Wednesday, April 19, 6-7:30 pm**
File Management

• **Thursday, April 20, 2-3:30 pm**
Office 2013-2016 Essential Skills

• **Monday, April 24, 2-3:30 pm**
Internet, Part 1: An Introduction

• **Tuesday, April 25, 2-3:30 pm**
Internet, Part 2: Searching, Printing, & Favorites

• **Wednesday, April 26, 2-3:30 pm**
E-mail Basics, Part 1: Read, Respond, Write, & Print

• **Thursday, April 27, 2-3:30 pm**
E-mail Basics, Part 2: Message Management

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Nordon Hills Branch Library

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Library Closings: April 16 - Easter · May 29 - Memorial Day



Adult Speaker and Demonstration Programs

Registration is suggested for the following programs.

NOT DEAD YET: Author Talk with Don Rambacher

Tuesday, March 7, 6:30 pm

Local author Don Rambacher talks about his new book, NOT DEAD YET: A COLLECTION OF CLOSE CALLS & OTHER MEMORIES, a humorous memoir of the author’s journey growing up in Salem, Ohio. Rambacher will make you laugh with stories of adventures, mishaps and many trips to the hospital. The book will be available for purchase and signing after the talk.



Beginning Beekeeping

Wednesday, March 15, 6 pm

For the aspiring beekeeper: find out what the beginning beekeeper needs to know in their first year! Learn about your local ordinances, where to place the beehive, how to install a package of bees, how to feed your bees and how to conduct a hive inspection.

Great Lakes Theater Play

Thursday, March 16, 6 pm

We welcome the acclaimed theater troupe back for a seventeenth year as they present a world premiere play written by Dakotah Brown, Noah Moody, and Chad Shohet, and directed by Lisa Ortenzi. THE JABBERWOCKY is based on the classic poem by Lewis Carroll. The performance is approximately 50 minutes long. A talk-back with the company will follow. No registration needed; seats are first-come, first-seated.



“Tales For a Spring Evening”

Thursday, March 23, 7 pm

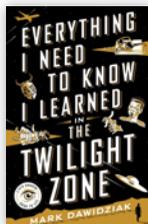
Stories especially designed “not just for children.” Some tales will make you think, some will make you laugh, some will make you wonder, but all of them have hidden wisdom for you to discover. Storytellers from the Western Reserve Association for the Preservation and Perpetuation of Storytelling present an adult story concert.

EVERYTHING I KNOW I LEARNED

IN THE TWILIGHT ZONE

Thursday, April 13, 7 pm

A one-act presentation featuring Mark Dawidziak and Sara Showman of the Largely Literary Theater Company. Based on Dawidziak’s recently published book of the same title, this is a tribute to the enduring storytelling power of The Twilight Zone, featuring life lessons drawn from classic episodes of Rod Serling’s beloved anthology series. The performance will be followed by a Q&A session and book signing.



The Assassination of Abraham Lincoln

Thursday, April 20, 7 pm

Historian Paul Goebbel discusses the threats on Lincoln's life starting with his election, through his administration and his ultimate end at Ford's Theater.

Essential Oils 101

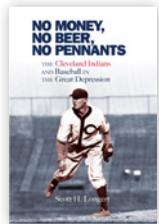
Friday, April 21, 1-2:30 pm

Learn the basics of essential oils for alternative health support. Sample oils and get prizes in giveaways! Registration is suggested.

NO BEER, NO MONEY, NO PENNANTS

Thursday, April 27, 7 pm

Author Scott Longert traces the progress of the Cleveland Indians in the Great Depression years from 1927 to 1936. It was a time for change, when radio came into play along with a huge new stadium in Cleveland, despite the fact that most fans did not have the money to buy a ticket. Prohibition ended and beer flowed freely in the ballpark. Hear the story of these colorful years. A book signing follows the program.



How to Navigate the Medicare Maze

Tuesday, May 2, 6 pm

Turning 65 can be an exciting – and confusing – time in your life, especially when it comes to Medicare and the critical choices you need to make. Receiving Medicare benefits but don't quite understand the system? This presentation guides you through the maze, answers your questions, and explains options regarding Medicare benefits.

Social Security: How to Get the Most Out of Your Social Security Benefits

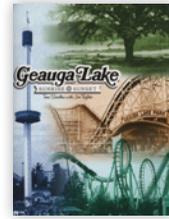
Tuesday, May 16, 6:30 pm

Presented by Paul Bernier, Retirement Planning Specialist, this program is for anyone in or nearing retirement and interested in making informed decisions about the foundation of their retirement income plan.

GEAUGA LAKE: SUNRISE TO SUNSET

Thursday, May 18, 7 pm

Author Tom Smolko tells the story of the local amusement park from its beginnings in the 1870's through its heyday and eventual closing.



Cashing Out: Your Guide to Maximizing the Value of Your Business

Tuesday, May 23, 6:30 pm

This program is designed to address the unique challenges and opportunities small business owners face as they plan for retirement. Business owners within 10 years of retirement will find this program especially useful. Presented by Paul Bernier, Retirement Planning Specialist.

Adult Participation Programs

Registration is suggested for the following programs.

Tai Chi: Moving for Better Balance

Mondays and Tuesdays, March 6-May 23, 10:30-11:30 am

Kim Mozzochi with the Area Agency on Aging conducts this FREE exercise series, geared toward older adults wanting to improve strength, flexibility and muscle tone. The sessions meet twice per week for a 12-week period. Registration is strongly encouraged, as space is limited. This series may be cancelled due to low attendance.

Cooking Club

Tuesdays, March 7, April 4, May 2, 6 pm

Join our new interactive group for discussing all things cooking, comparing recipes, and trying new and classic eats. First Tuesday of each month.

Socrates Café

Wednesdays, March 8, April 12, May 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 registration necessary – No homework – No assigned reading.

Crafters' Corner

Saturdays, March 11, April 1, May 6, 10 am-4 pm

Join your fellow crafters for daylong fun. Bring your own supplies. Come for an hour or the entire day. No experience necessary – all crafts welcome!

Stitch Clique

Tuesdays, March 14, April 11, May 9, 6-8 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.

Writers' Guild of Nardon Hills

Wednesdays, March 15, April 19, May 17, 6:30 pm

Writers wanted! New writers and old hands welcome: fiction, nonfiction, and everything in between. Have your work critiqued and give feedback to others in a fun and friendly environment. Please bring a sample of your work to share. The first meeting will be a meet and greet. Light snacks provided. Meets the third Wednesday of the month.

Nardon Hills Game Time

Saturdays, March 18, April 15, May 20, 10 am-5 pm

Meet and 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 registration necessary.



Wellness Yoga: Yoga Off the Mat

Wednesdays, March 22, 29, April 5, May 17, 24, 31, 6:30 pm

Learn soothing stretches that you can incorporate into your daily life in this gentle yoga series with Diane Bielecki, who graduated from the Cleveland Clinic School of Yoga. No mat is needed – stretches are done standing or in a chair. This class is limited to twenty participants, and registration is strongly suggested.

Get Creative with Virtual Reality & Videogames

Saturday, March 25, 1-4 pm

The world is your canvas with virtual reality! With Google Tilt Brush on the HTC Vive, paint in 3D space as you experience the future of digital art. Play other creative digital experiences while you wait: build in Minecraft, make your own Super Mario levels, and play the original Nintendo's sound chip. No registration necessary.

Adult Coloring Night

Tuesdays, March 28, April 25, May 30, 6-8 pm

Bring your own coloring book or choose from provided coloring pages and spend the evening relaxing and coloring with new friends. For adults and teens over the age of sixteen.

Night Out Nardon: Learn Party Games with The Malted Meeple.

Tuesday, April 4, 7-10 pm

Game experts from The Malted Meeple will teach some fun interactive board games perfect for your next party or get-together. From new offerings to edgier fare, meet some new friends, play some great games, and enjoy a social evening out.



Paint Night

Tuesday, April 18 and Wednesday, April 26, 6-8 pm

Paint your own masterpiece and discover your creativity! Each artist will have a finished painting to take home at the end of the night. Sign-ups are limited to two spots per person. Both nights will feature the same painting, so sign ups per person are limited to one night each. Sixteen and over, please. All supplies provided.

Free Shredding Event

Saturday, April 22, 11 am-2 pm

The Friends of Nardon Hills Branch Library are sponsoring a free shredding event for the Nardon Hills community. The shredding service will be provided by Neoshred, and located in the library parking lot.