

Northwest Akron Branch Library Spring 2013



Book Sale Saturday, April 20 10 am- 3 pm
Friends Preview Sale 9 am-10 am



Adult Programs

Hank Hudson presents RATHER
OUTSPOKEN: MY LIFE IN THE NEWS
by Dan Rather **Wednesday, March 13, 1 pm**

Marvin Phillips presents
THE STORY OF MY LIFE by Helen Keller
Wednesday, March 27, 1 pm

Poetry Corner with Hank and Marvin!
Wednesday, April 10, 1 pm Free Books!

Author Michele Colopy and former City of Akron
Engineer Bill Wilkerson present **“History, Art
and Symbolism...With a Little Disaster
Thrown In.”** **Wednesday, April 24, 1 pm**

The historic and beautiful Glendale Cemetery
tells the story of a community and the memorial
art symbolizes love, joy, sadness, and sacrifice.
Cemeteries are central to a community as early
parks and safe places for the departed, and when
“disaster” strikes, the community connection
becomes all important. Join us in welcoming
Michele Colopy and Bill Wilkerson as they talk
about the history of Glendale Cemetery, from its
beginning to the time disaster struck in 1977.

Alice Phillips presents THE WORLD UNTIL
YESTERDAY: WHAT CAN WE LEARN FROM
TRADITIONAL SOCIETIES? by Jared Diamond
Wednesday, May 8, 1 pm

Author Jane Turzillo presents her book
WICKED WOMEN OF NORTHEAST OHIO
Wednesday, May 22, 1 pm



Mystery Book Discussion Group

Wednesday, March 20, 1 pm END OF THE WASP
SEASON by Denise Mina

Wednesday, April 17, 1 pm WHERE MEMORIES LIE
by Deborah Crombie

Wednesday, May 15, 1 pm THOUGH NOT DEAD
by Dana Stabenow

Speculative Fiction

Book Discussion Group

Thursday, March 7, 6:30 pm CAPTAIN
VORPATRIL'S ALLIANCE by Lois McMaster Bujold

Thursday, April 4, 6:30 pm AGE OF MIRACLES
by Karen Thompson Walker

Thursday, May 2, 6:30 pm CASSANDRA PROJECT
by Jack McDevitt and Mike Resnick

Northwest Akron Crafters

If you can do your craft sitting at a table talking with
people, please join us on the **third Thursday of the
month at 6:30 pm. March 21, April 18, May 16**

Free Tax Help

Fridays, March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12, 12-3 pm
For low-income individuals. This service is
provided by AARP. Please call 330-836-1081 to
schedule an appointment.

Computer Training Programs

Monday, May 13, 2 pm Internet, Part 1: An
Introduction

Monday, May 13, 6 pm MS Word, Part 1: Creating/
Editing Documents

Tuesday, May 14, 2 pm Internet, Part 2: Searching,
Printing and Favorites

Tuesday, May 14, 6 pm MS Word, Part 2: Formatting
Text and Paragraphs

Thursday, May 16, 2 pm E-mail Basics, Part 1: Read,
Respond, Write and Print

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Children's Programs

Story Times

All three story times include action rhymes, music, books, and other activities chosen with you and your child in mind. Sign-up begins March 11.

Baby Time (6-24 months, with a caregiver)

Wednesdays, April 17, 24, May 1, 10:30 am

Join us as we host free playtime with books, puppets, and other toys. During each story time session, special guest Megan Butcher will teach us Baby Sign Language.

Toddler Story Time (for 2 year-olds with a caregiver) continuing from February

Wednesdays, March 6 - 27, 10:30 am

Preschool Story Time (3-5 year-olds)

continuing from February

Tuesdays, March 5 - 26, 10:30 am

Primary Events

Thursdays, 4pm Open to grades K-2.

Sign-up begins March 11.

Paws for Reading with Pepper

March 7, April 4, 25, May 2, 30, 4 pm

Pepper, who is registered with Therapy Dogs International, will listen to anyone who reads.

Kite Workshop March 21

Make a kite that really flies!

Amelia Bedelia's 50th Birthday Party

April 18 Amelia Bedelia-style game, food, craft, and fun!

Sponge Away Boredom with SpongeBob

May 23 Make a boredom-buster craft!

Kid's Crafts Tuesdays, 4 pm

Open to grades 3-5

Magnet Art March 12

Join us as we create beautiful magnets. You can bring your own pictures, make your own art, or clip art out of magazines. Sign-up begins February 12.

Scratch Away Art April 23

Make a masterpiece by scratching your designs into wax-covered paper. Sign-up begins March 23.

Flower Pot Pencil Holder May 14

Celebrate Spring as we make a creative container for your pens and pencils. Sign-up begins April 14.



Teen Programs

Teen Scene

Wednesdays, 4 pm Open to grades 6-12.

March

6 Wii Gaming

13 Board Game Day

20 Movie Day

Wreck-It Ralph

27 Movie Day

Wreck-It Ralph, part 2

April

10 Wii Gaming

17 Magnet Craft

24 Wii Gaming

May

1 Wii Gaming

8 Spring Craft

15 Wii Gaming

22 Board Game Day

29 Wii Gaming



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