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Reading Colors Our World in Imagination

//THE SUMMER READING CLUB
INVITES YOU TO EXPERIENCE HOW
EACH PAGE TURNED ADDS ANOTHER
SPLASH OF COLOR TO YOUR WORLD.

Join us as we celebrate how reading brightens our perspectives, enriches our minds, and transforms our everyday lives into a masterpiece of vivid experiences.

Readers of all ages can win prizes by reading or listening, participating in contests, and attending programs throughout the summer. Track your reading progress on welibrary. beanstack.org/reader365.

Tiny Tints (birth to 3 years): Enjoy storytimes, songs, and early literacy activities.

Bright Brushstrokes (preschool through grade 5): Explore the colorful canvas of stories with exciting programs, crafts, and contests, and win cool prizes!

Vivid Visions (teens, grades 6-12): Explore bold perspectives and vibrant narratives while participating in reading and fun library programs with lots of chances to win prizes.

Master Palettes (adult readers,18+): Find rich, complex stories that add depth and dimension to your experience while relaxing, recharging, rediscovering, and winning prizes.

Getting started is simple – just visit the library or check our Summer Reading Club online. The program is entirely free, and our friendly librarians are always ready to help you discover your next great read. More information is available at wclibrary.info.

Exhibit: Rupani Pathiranage

Join us in celebrating the vibrant artistry of Rupani Pathiranage, a Cincinnatibased creative whose journey began at Sri Lanka's Kelaniya University. After an international career in textile design, Rupani returned to her true passion. Her abstract and modern works masterfully capture nature and the human experience through expressive brush strokes and emotive colors. Experience her unique, universal visual language at our exhibition, where each piece offers a glimpse into this free thinker's captivating perspective.



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Apr. May June | Saturdays • 5, 3, 14

10:30 - 11:30 AM Woodbourne Library (For the Family)

Adaptive Adventures *****

Join us for an inclusive morning of activities for children and teens with special needs and their families. All ages and abilities are welcome!

April 5 – Meet the Therapy Dogs

May 3 – Let's Plant Flowers June 14 – Sensory Storytime



Apr. May June Mondays •

6:30 - 7:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 3 - 5)

Game Time!

Games, food, prizes, and friends... it's Game Time! Enjoy hanging out with other kids your age at this gaming program just for you. For Grades 3 - 5. No registration required.



April 14 – LEGO® Night May 12 - Bingo Night June 9 - Video Game Night

Super Readers

Registration required. Calling all 1st & 2nd grade bookworms! In this book club for children and their grown-up(s), you will enjoy a fun discussion, games, and a craft.



(Grades 1 - 2 with an adult)

April 28, 6 - 6:45 PM: For this month's meeting, please read *The Fabled Stables: Willa the Wisp* by Jonathan Auxier. Held at Woodbourne Library. Book available at Woodbourne Library starting March 24.

June 23, 6 - 6:45 PM: For this month's meeting, please read The Ocean is Kind of a Big Deal by Nick Seluk. Held at Woodbourne Library. Book available at Woodbourne Library starting May 26.

April

Friday • 6:30 - 7:30 PM Woodbourne Library (For the Family)

All About Animals with Wild Hearts African Farm

Learn all about animals with Wild Hearts African Farm and see them up close! They will bring some of their animals which include majestic raptors, tropical birds, scaly reptiles, farm animals, furry mammals and fascinating bugs! This program for the family is intended for participants under the age of 18, with a parent or adult. No registration required but space is limited.

April

Saturday • 10:30 - 11:30 AM Woodbourne Library (0 - 36 Months)

My Grown Up & Me

Meet other families, find support, and engage in shared play for you and your baby/toddler. Refreshments will be provided. Siblings are welcome. Registration is not required, but space is limited.

This month's meeting will be a circle mingle with toys, instruments, books, manipulatives, puzzles, and much



more. You can talk with other families while your little one meets new friends!

April

Saturday • 2 - 3:30 PM Woodbourne Library (For the Family) (All Ages)

Space Telescopes Explained

Learn all about Nancy Grace Roman, the mother of the Hubble Space Telescope. A future space telescope

is being built in her honor. Learn about the new telescope from our NASA Ambassador Eric Vinande.

This program is open to participants of all ages. Seating may be limited.



April

Wednesday • 11 - 11:45 AM Woodbourne Library (0 - 36 Months)

Baby Boogie

Boogie to some of our favorite storytime songs and fingerplays! Get ready to wiggle and giggle with your little one at our toe-tapping music session. Babies and toddlers will light up as we bounce, clap, and move to beloved storytime songs and fingerplays that encourage early language development. This high-energy program creates

the perfect bonding moment for caregivers and their tiny dancers. No need to registerjust dance on in! Space fills quickly for this fan-favorite event.



May

Monday • 7 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Preschool - Grade 5)

A Night with Shrek the Musical!

Enjoy a short performance of *Shrek the Musical* by Town Hall Theatre and then create crafts and



play games. This enchanting program combines live theater with hands-on fun. No registration needed—just show up ready for an ogre-sized adventure!

Tail Waggin' Tutors

*Child must be able to read independently. Drop in to read to a therapy dog to build reading skills! No registration required. (Kindergarten - Grade 5)

Tutor Dates:	Location:	Times:
Wed., April 9	Woodbourne	4:30 - 5:30 PM
Tues., April 29	Woodbourne	6:30 - 7:30 PM
Wed., May 14	Woodbourne	4:30 - 5:30 PM
Thurs., May 29	Woodbourne	6:30 - 7:30 PM



Heads in Books

Registration required.

Join our book club for some fun reading with other kids vour age!

(Grades 3 - 5)

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Book available at Woodbourne Library starting March 24.

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Book available at Woodbourne Library starting May 26.



May

Saturday • 11 AM - 12 PM Woodbourne Library (For the Family)

Yuck! Stories for Selective Eaters - A Family Storytime

Let's read about trying new foods! Stay for second helpings as we make a craft sure to apPEASe even the pickiest of eaters. Fun for the whole family. Child(ren) must be accompanied by an adult. No registration is required, but space is limited.



July

Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Summer Reading Club

Registration required.

Dive into Summer Reading Club 2025, where reading becomes a thrilling journey for everyone in the family! Our free program welcomes readers of all ages, offering exciting rewards as you explore new stories throughout the summer months.

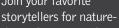
For our littlest readers (birth to 3 years), parents and caregivers can share precious reading moments while completing early literacy activities. Your efforts will earn your little one a free board book and a chance at special toddler prizes.

Growing readers (preschool through grade 5) can embark on a 30-hour reading guest, with a special surprise waiting at the halfway mark of 15 hours. Upon completion, they'll choose a brand-new book to keep and enter our prize drawing.

Attend fun programs, storytimes, enter raffles, and contests. Visit wclibrary.info/src to register.

Nature Fun!: An **Outdoor Family** Storytime

Join your favorite



themed stories and activities in this program for the whole family.

Nature Fun

OUTDOOR

This outdoor program is dependent on weather conditions. Please check the Library's Facebook page or the Centerville-Washington Park District website for cancellation information. Open to all ages. Registration through the Centerville-Washington Park District is recommended, but not required. You may bring your own blanket to sit on.

Dates and Time:

April 25, 10:30 - 11:30 AM, Grant Park, Kennard Nature Nook

May 30, 10:30 - 11:30 AM, Grant Park, Kennard Nature Nook

June 13, 10:30 - 11:30 AM, Schoolhouse Park

May

Friday • 6:30 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (For the Family)

Family Trivia Night

Registration required.

Enjoy a family-friendly trivia night at the library! There will be six rounds with ten questions each. See if your family can be the top family. This program is for children in Grades 3 - 12 and their families. Younger siblings are welcome.

At least one parent/guardian must be present for each team. Teams with children, teens, or adults only will not be permitted. Each family will be counted as a team and will have their own table. Light snacks will be provided. Prizes will be awarded to the top two families. This program is intended for participants under the age of 18, with a parent or adult.

May

Saturday • 2 - 3 PM Woodbourne Library (0 - 36 Months)

Baby/Toddler Prom

It's time to get all dolled up and party the afternoon away! Come dressed in your finest as we go on "limo" rides, play with bubbles, make corsages and boutonnières, dance, play with instruments, and so much more. No registration is required, though space may be limited so arrive early. This glittering afternoon celebration fills up fast with young fashionistas!

May

Saturday • 1 - 4 PM Off-site Sinclair Community College Centerville Campus, 5800 Clyo Road (All Ages)

Summer Reading Club Kickoff with Cincinnati Circus Company

Join us for a colorful afternoon at Sinclair's Centerville Campus where amazing aerial acrobats and skilled jugglers from the Cincinnati Circus Company will soar through the air while you kick off your summer reading adventure. In between shows, get your face painted with dazzling designs and join in creative activities! When you get hungry, treat yourself by purchasing refreshing Tikiz Shaved Ice or lunch from The Food Pitt food truck. Bring lawn chairs or a blanket, and be sure to register everyone in your family, newborn through adult for the Summer Reading Club.



June

Saturday • 2 - 4 PM Off-site Activity Center Park, 221 N. Main Street (All Ages)

Color Splash...Into Summer!

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Please note: Please bring up to two items per person to tie-dye. White,100% cotton items work best. You might get messy! Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.



Rain date: Saturday, June 21

Summer Reading Club School Nights

Come to your school's special event at the library to connect with your school community during the summer. Sign up for our summer reading club, visit with a therapy dog, find Bobo to earn a treasure box prize, make fun crafts and a special school button, and enter for a chance to win a special library privilege!

Dates and Time:

Cline Elementary School Night June 11, 6 - 7 PM, Woodbourne Library

Normandy Elementary School Night June 12, 6 - 7 PM, Woodbourne Library

Primary Village South School Night June 18, 6 - 7 PM, Woodbourne Library

John Hole Elementary School Night June 26, 6 - 7 PM, Woodbourne Library

June

Monday • 7 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 3 - 5)

Aspiring Artists

Registration required.

Dive into the world of artists and take a closer look at Roy Lichtenstein. We will talk about his life and

the art that made him famous before we try to recreate our very own Roy Lichtensteininspired artwork!



June

Friday • 3 - 4 PM & 5 - 6 PM Woodbourne Library

Full STEAM Ahead: A Colorful Coral Community with Cincinnati Museum Center

Registration required.

Biodiversity is the name of the game when it comes to the coral reef, "rainforest of the sea!" Learn all about the organisms that build the reef. Touch real coral skeletons and learn how coral polyps feed and protect themselves. Explore the interconnectedness of the many organisms that make up the coral reef community through puppet play time and a symbiosis puzzle.

This hands-on program is part of our ongoing STEAM series that combines Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math with stories, songs, and movement.

Ages 3 - 5 with an adult, 3 - 4 PM Grades 1 - 3 with an adult, 5 - 6 PM

Tune

Saturday • 11 AM - 12 PM Woodbourne Library (For the Family)

We Got the Beat- A Family Storytime

Get ready to rock out with stories that make you move! Clap, tap, sing, march, and rock to some of our favorite stories about music! Afterwards we'll shake things up and craft our very own rhythm instruments. Fun for the whole family, and child(ren) must be accompanied by an adult. No registration is required, but space is limited.

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April

Thursday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 7)

Tween Time: LEGO® Creations

Registration required.

Calling all LEGO® builders! Join other tweens and let your creativity soar as you design and build amazing creations. Whether you're a master builder or just getting started, come hang out and see what you can make with thousands of LEGO® bricks.

April

Tuesday • 7 - 8:15 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 7)

Tween Tinker Lab: Shrinky Dinks

Registration required.

Create magical shrink art by designing a colorful masterpiece on special plastic sheets. Then you'll watch the fascinating transformation as they shrink to 1/3 their size in the oven! You'll be amazed as the sheets

dance and curl before flattening into perfect miniature versions of your artwork. Turn your tiny creation into a unique keychain or magnet to take home and show off.



April

Wednesday • 4:30 - 5:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 6)

Coding Club: Guests from iCode[©]!

Registration required.

Join the tech wizards from iCode® Centerville and learn the secrets of video production. In this handson workshop, you'll step in front of a professional green screen and use cool camera equipment to create your own news story. Learn to use a special stabilizing camera (called a gimbal) to capture smooth, professional-looking footage. Then, watch the magic happen as you combine your recording with real news footage to become a star reporter! No experience needed - we provide all the laptops and equipment. At the end of the session, you'll get a link to download your newscast to share with family and friends.

May

Thursday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 7)

Tween Time: Art Night

Registration required.

Calling all young artists - it's time for an imagination free-for-all! Come use our variety of art supplies to create whatever you feel like making. You can choose one of our ideas or do your own thing.

May

Tuesday • 7 - 8:15 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 7)

Tween Tinker Lab: Bird Houses

Registration required.

Build a birdhouse out of recycled materials with us. Then take it home and hang it up!

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Thursday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 7)

Tween Time: Chess

Registration required.

Have you ever wanted to play chess but didn't know where to start? Or didn't have someone to play with? Are you a master and want to teach others? Come check out our Tween Chess program. Learn how the pieces are moved and play with others your age.

Tune

Wednesday • 4:30 - 5:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 4 - 7)

Coding Club: Geometry Dash Competition

Registration required.

Ready to race? Join our Geometry Dash Tournament! Test your skills in this fast-paced gaming competition as we "dash" through a 16-player bracket competition of Geometry Dash v1.5. Can you dash, jump, and fly your way to victory?

Before joining us, create a free Scratch account at scratch.mit.edu - but don't worry if you've never played before. We'll review all the rules and gameplay when you arrive.



Saturday • 6 - 11 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Teen Lock-In

Registration required.

Take a break and ioin us for an exciting lock-in! Bring your friends and have some late-night fun including pizza, a scavenger hunt, gaming, and



flashlight tag. Registration is required for this afterhours adventure. Register now to experience the library in a whole new way. Quiet? We think not!

April

Tuesday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Totally Teen Tuesday: Video Game **Night**

Level up at Video Game Night! You can battle in Super Mario Bros. or try out our new PlayStation 5, all while enjoying snacks and friends.

April

Saturday • 10 - 11:30 AM Woodbourne Library (Adults & Seniors) (Grades 9 - 12)

Corsage Making

Registration required.

Getting ready for the next dance or big event in your life? Bring your date (or not) and learn to make your very own flower corsage or boutonnière with us! Each



person will receive supplies to make one corsage or boutonnière of their choosing.

April

Thursday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Teen Make-It: Nailed It!

Registration required. Compete in the library's version of Nailed It! Show off your amateur skills to create, and eat, a fun treat!



May July Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Summer Reading Club

Registration required.

Read and win prizes this summer! Register for the Teen Summer Reading Club and track your reading online with the Beanstack app to win prizes like gift cards, books, and entries for the grand prize packs. There will be lots of fun ways to win throughout the summer, including attending programs like Totally Teen Tuesdays. Visit wclibrary.info/src or stop by the library.

Teens (grades 6-12) can turn their reading time into rewards with our 30-hour challenge. Completing the full challenge earns a free book plus a chance at our grand prize pack.

May

Tuesday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Totally Teen Tuesday: Board Games



Enjoy a board game night with your friends. As always, there will be snacks and lots of laughs. Don't forget to register for Teen Summer Reading Club to get a raffle ticket for fun door prizes.

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May

Thursday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Teen Make-It: 3Doodler Pens

Registration required.

Learn to draw in 3D! Use 3Doodler pens to use your STEAM skills and craft three-dimensional objects.

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June

Tuesday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Totally Teen Tuesday: Bingo

It's time for everyone's favorite game, BINGO! Come hang out with friends, enjoy snacks, and win prizes. Don't forget to register for Teen Summer Reading Club to get a raffle ticket for fun door prizes.

Tune

Tuesday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Totally Teen Tuesday: Trivia Night

Bring your friends and test your knowledge at TTT Trivia Night. There will be snacks and other games



available. The winning trivia team will win gift cards!

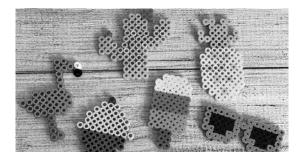
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Thursday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Teen Make-It: Perler Beads

Registration required.

Join the fun as we make Perler bead creations. You can use a pattern, or design your own original piece. Perler beads are plastic fuse beads that are placed on a grid and then melted together. It's a fun way to explore your creativity!



Teen Advisory Board Meeting Dates:

TAB members only

April 7, 4 – 5 PM Woodbourne Library April 21, 4 – 5 PM Woodbourne Library May 5, 4 – 5 PM Woodbourne Library May 19, 4 – 5 PM Woodbourne Library June 2, 4-5 PM Woodbourne Library



June

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Thursday • 5 - 6 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

The Best of Biology with the Cincinnati Museum Center

Registration required.

Join the excitement with a special biology program from the Cincinnati Museum Center. Apply the concepts of genetics and evolution and gain hands-on practice interpreting and creating phylogenetic trees or cladograms. We will also investigate the phenotypes and genotypes of an assortment of bird specimens from museum collections!



Tune

Saturday • 7 - 9 PM Woodbourne Library (Grades 6 - 12)

Glow Night!

Registration required.

Black lights, music, glow games, and more will keep you having fun at our annual Glow Night at the library!







Zentangle

April 2 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM **Creativity Commons**

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn how to use the large format printer to create a Zentangle poster you can print and then color. All supplies and required tools are included in this fun design class. Print your unique design, then bring it to life with colors. This hands-on



workshop combines technology with creative expression for a delightful artistic experience.

Monstera Art Panel

April 3 • Thursday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM **Creativity Commons**

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn the basics of the laser cutter by creating a decorative wall panel piece with monstera leaf accents. The final size of this piece is 6" x 11". All supplies are provided in this creative session where you'll gain valuable skills while creating a stylish piece worthy of display or gifting.

WCPL Adult Knitting Group April 5 • Saturday 2 – 3:30 PM • Woodbourne Library

(Adults, Seniors)

Do you enjoy knitting or would like to learn how to start? Come to our informal group to socialize with other crafters, work on projects, or learn some new skills. All experience levels are welcome to attend. Crocheters and other fibercrafters are welcome too.



If you have them, please bring your own supplies. Registration not required.

Butterfly Wooden Model

April 9 • Wednesday 5:45 – 7:30 PM • Creativity Commons (Adults, Seniors)

Learn how to use our laser engraver/cutter. We will be using it to cut out a wooden butterfly. We will then paint and assemble the pieces. Each patron will go home with one model.

Important Things to Note for ALL Maker Programs

Space is limited.

Prior registration is required for Tech and Make-It programs unless otherwise noted. Tech and Make-It classes teach equipment use and techniques. Previous participants may be waitlisted to allow new learners. Intermediate computer skills are required.

3D Palm Leaf Bookmark

April 10 • Thursday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM Creativity Commons (Adults, Seniors)



Learn the basics of 3D printing and leave with a 3D printed palm leaf bookmark! All supplies for this program are provided.

Corsage Making

April 12 • Saturday • 10 – 11:30 AM Woodbourne Library

(Adults, Seniors) (Grades 9 - 12)

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Mother's Day Card

April 23 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM **Creativity Commons**

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn how to use our Sizzix Die Cutter and stamps to create a beautiful Mother's Day card. All supplies and required tools are included in this fun design class.

Crafternoon

April 24 • Thursday

2 – 4 PM • Woodbourne Library

(Adults, Seniors)

Bring whatever project you are working on and come craft with us. Fiber arts, cross stitch, sewing, scrapbooking,

diamond painting, coloring, etc. We would love to give you a space to create. Bring your current project and settle in with our friendly group – we can't wait to see what you're creating!



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2D Needle Felting

April 29 • Tuesday • 6 – 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)



Try something new and create a small scenic landscape using needle felting. Unlike traditional 3D needle felting, 2D needle felting allows you to 'paint' with wool, creating bright art with unique textures and depth.

Mother's Day Sign

May 1 • Thursday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM Creativity Commons (Adults, Seniors)

Learn the basics of the laser cutter by creating a layered wood piece for Mother's Day.

All supplies for this program are provided. No prior experience is needed.



WCPL Adult Knitting Group

May 3 • Saturday

2 – 3:30 PM • Woodbourne Library

(Adults, Seniors)

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If you have them, please bring your own supplies. Registration not required.

Mother's Day Self Care Gifts

May $6 \cdot \text{Tuesday} \cdot 6 - 8 \text{ PM}$ Woodbourne Library

(Adults, Seniors)

Celebrate the special ladies in your life by creating these wonderful self-care items! Projects include lip scrubs, small candles, and heating pads. These projects make nice, thoughtful gifts.









Spring Coasters

May 7 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM Creativity Commons

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn how to use our sublimation printer to create springthemed coasters. All supplies and required tools are included in this design class.

Rolled Flower Magnet

May 8 • Thursday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM Creativity Commons (Adults, Seniors)



Learn how to cut and roll paper flowers on the desktop cutter to create a beautiful magnet. All materials are provided in this fun, handson session.

Fun Planter

May 14 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM Creativity Commons

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn how to use our Desk Top Cutter to create a fun design to place on your planter. All supplies and required tools are included in this exciting design class.



Mushroom Prints with Decorative Frame

May 21 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM

Creativity Commons

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn to use the large format printer to print out whimsical mushroom art on poster paper. We will then frame the art and decorate the frame with moss. Each patron will go home with three prints and one frame.







Polymer Clay Crafting

May 22 • Thursday • 2 – 4 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

In this fun program we will use polymer clay to create simple, trendy earrings, pendants, or keychains! We will provide tools, a few colors of polymer clay and an oven for curing your crafts. If you would like to bring your own Sculpey colors, you are free to do so.

Photo Collage

June 4 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM **Creativity Commons**

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn how to use large format printer to create a beautiful color collage. Bring your own digital images to create your design. All supplies and required tools are included in this design class.

Pride Month Sublimated Bookmark

June 5 • Thursday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM **Creativity Commons**

(Adults, Seniors)

Celebrate Pride Month with sublimated bookmarks. Attendees will choose from pre-made designs that will then be sublimated onto thin, metal bookmarks.



Fixit Clinic

June 7 • Saturday • 1 – 4 PM Woodbourne Library (All Ages)



An all-ages do-ittogether (D.I.T) repair event: drop in and bring your broken, non-functioning things electronic gadgets,

appliances, computers, toys, sewing machines, bicycles, skateboards, etc. - for assessment, disassembly, and possible repair. We'll provide workspace, specialty tools, and guidance to help you disassemble and troubleshoot your item. Whether you fix it or not, you'll learn more about how it was manufactured and how it worked.

No more than two items per clinic, and items must be cleaned before bringing them in. We will not work on microwaves, tape players, heaters, or gas-powered engines.

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Honeybee Bag

June 11 • Wednesday • 5:45 – 7:30 PM **Creativity Commons**

(Adults, Seniors)

Learn the sublimation process by applying the provided honeybee image to a polyester bag. Each patron will go home with one bag and the knowledge to make more.

Summer Tumbler

June 12 • Thursday

5:45 – 7:30 PM • Creativity Commons

(Adults, Seniors)

Engrave on a tumbler with the laser cutter/engraver and learn how it works. Attendees will choose from pre-selected designs and learn all the tips and tricks for easily engraving on cups in this class. All supplies for this program are provided.



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Patriotic Wall Hanging

June 26 • Thursday • 10 AM – 12 PM & 2 – 4 PM • Woodbourne Library

(Adults, Seniors)

Come craft with us! We will be creating a beautiful patriotic wall hanging that will be a timely addition to your front door.

Visit our online calendar of events: wclibrary.info/events









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Washington-Centerville Public Library has transformed into a cutting-edge community hub.

With just your library card, you can:

- Access thousands of online resources: learn languages, watch concerts and music documentaries, get business information, and much more
- Borrow non-traditional items like jewelry-making kits, instruments, and bike repair tools
- · Stream shows on a Roku
- Attend programs of all types for all ages and interests
- Print huge banners and large photo prints

It's not the library of the past – it's a dynamic space for learning and creativity. We offer diverse programs for all ages, with a special focus on adult experiences that are both informative and entertaining.

General programs

We are committed to providing programs, services, and facilities that ensure inclusive and adapted access for all. Please contact us for a personalized approach to individual accommodation.



Apr. Mar. 14-11

Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Exhibit: Optimist Visual Arts Contest

We showcase the talented local winners in two age categories of the Optimist Visual Arts Competition from 2024 and 2025, featuring paintings and drawings by youth artists exploring the theme "Bringing Out the Best." This inspiring program celebrates creativity and provides students with an important artistic outlet while recognizing their exceptional talents in visual arts.

Mar. Apr. Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Exhibit: Rupani Pathiranage

This free thinker creates abstract and modern art that depicts nature and the human body and mind, using a wide range of styles. Each piece of her artwork consists of brush strokes and colors that reflect her inner thoughts. Rupani's selfinspired artwork speaks a unique, universal language.



Apr. **June** Online (Adults, Seniors)

Anime Group: Spring Beanstack Challenge

Registration required.

We are challenging our adult anime fans to watch more anime and record it on Beanstack! Between April 1 - June 30, watch 25 episodes of anime to win a small prize. Complete the entire challenge and be entered to win our grand prize pack by watching 50 episodes of anime. Prizes will be awarded at recurring Adult Anime Group meetings. Ready, set, binge!

April

Tuesday • 10 AM - 12 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Social Security 101

Registration required.

American's largest domestic program is here to protect the American public - you are never too old, nor too young, to learn about this foundation of your financial life. Social Security Public Affairs Specialist Theresa Busher shares Social Security essentials, including: retirement eligibility, spouse and survivor benefits, Medicare A/B Enrollment Periods, and more. The presentation will be followed by an open question/ answer time.



April

Tuesday • 6:30 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Grown Up Game Night: Bingo

Registration required.

Enjoy an evening of fun at our adults-only Bingo Night! Will this be your lucky night? Join us for some friendly competition, great prizes, and lots of laughs. Feel free to bring your favorite snacks and drinks to enjoy while you play – because everything's better with snacks!

Apr. May June Thursdays

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8:30 - 10 AM
Woodbourne Library
(Adults, Seniors)

Genealogy Interest Group

Registration required.

Meet informally to discuss genealogy, use the library's genealogy databases (Ancestry Library edition, Fold3, and My Heritage - World Vital Records) and learn from each other. Reference librarians will be available to answer questions.



Saturday • 1 - 4 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

DIY Website Workshop (no coding required)

Registration required.

Launch your online presence with confidence in this hands-on Squarespace workshop led by local web designer Elizabeth Daniels. Whether you're a budding entrepreneur, small business owner, or simply want to showcase your brand, this beginner-friendly class will help you create a professional-looking website without writing a single line of code.

By the end of the workshop, you'll have the skills, confidence, and resources needed to complete your entire website at home.



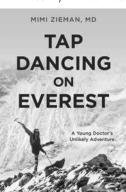
April

Sunday • 2 - 4 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Beyond Limits: From Dance Studios to Everest's Edge: A Visit with Dr. Mimi Zieman

Join us for a discussion of Tap Dancing on Everest with the author Mimi Zieman in collaboration with the Jewish Community Center's Cultural Arts & Book Series.

The daughter of a Holocaust survivor and immigrant mother, Zeiman was once an aspiring dancer. Her



adventures took her to a kibbutz in Israel as well as a Rocky Mountain climbing camp. Fast forward a number of years, and she is in her third year of medical school. Zeiman is asked to accompany mountain climbers as they attempt to access a new route to the most dangerous side of Mount Everest. This riveting story will hold you spellbound as you navigate the journey with her.

April



Tuesday • 10:30 AM - 12 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Managing Money: a Caregiver's Guide to Finances

Registration required.

If you or someone you know is facing Alzheimer's disease, dementia, or another chronic illness, it's never too early to put financial plans in place. This free Alzheimer's Association education program will feature tips for managing someone else's finances, how to prepare for future care costs, and the benefits of early planning.

This program is presented by the Miami Valley Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association.



April

Tuesday • 4 - 5 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Safe Senior Surfing

Registration required.

Don't let scammers steal your retirement! Join GoCyber Collective for "Safe Senior Surfing," an essential workshop designed to protect seniors from increasingly sophisticated online threats. While cybercriminals target major institutions, they're also aggressively pursuing individuals - particularly seniors - through advanced scams that can drain retirement accounts and savings in an instant.

Apr. May June

Thursdays • 6:30 - 9 PM Heavier Than Air Brewing Co. (435 Miamisburg-Centerville Road, Dayton, OH 45459-4753)

(Adults, Seniors)

Friends of WCPL Trivia Night

Put your knowledge to the test at our lively Trivia Night, hosted by the Friends of WCPL at the cozy Heavier Than Air Brewing Co. Whether you're a trivia pro or just looking for a fun night out, gather your friends and join us for an evening of challenging questions, friendly competition, and great local brews. We'll provide the snacks - you bring the brainpower. Everyone's welcome, so come ready to play, laugh, and maybe even learn something new!



April

Saturday • 1 - 2 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

AI Photographs - You See It, But Should You Believe It?

Registration required.



Discover how artificial intelligence is revolutionizing photography in this fascinating handson workshop! From the AI features in your smartphone camera to the

stunning transformations possible in professional editing, we'll explore the tools that are changing how we capture and create images.

Our expert moderator Stephen Goldberg will demonstrate the magic of AI-powered Photoshop, showing you how to enhance ordinary photos and even create extraordinary new images from scratch.

Wednesday • 6:30 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Medicare 101

Registration required.

Medicare is complicated, but you don't have to figure it out on your own. For more than 16 years, RetireMed's local advisors have provided no-cost Medicare guidance to thousands of your neighbors. Join us as a RetireMed expert introduces you to the Medicare basics and resources to guide you through the process. Bring your Medicare questions for an open question and answer session after the presentation.



April May

Thursdays 6:30 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Job Seekers Networking

Supercharge your job search with personalized guidance from six experienced career mentors at our monthly Job Seekers Networking session. Whether you're just starting your search or looking to refine your strategy, our experts will help you navigate everything from LinkedIn optimization to informational interviews. You'll learn powerful networking techniques, discover hidden job opportunities, and get practical feedback on your approach.

Come back each month to build momentum, adjust your strategy, and tap into new opportunities as they emerge. Our mentors are here to support your success every step of the way.

April

Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Friends of WCPL Spring Book Sale

Thursday, April 24 – 5:00 – 8:30 PM Friday, April 25 – 10 AM – 4:30 PM Saturday, April 26 - 10 AM - 4:30 PM

It's the Spring Book Sale from the Friends of WCPL with thousands of books in excellent condition plus DVDs and music CDs.

Thursday's sale is open to members only. Memberships can be purchased at the door to gain entry.

April

Monday • 11 AM - 8 PM 5 E. Franklin St. (All Ages)

Friends of WCPL City BBQ Takeover

Come sizzle with us at our Library BBQ Takeover! Sink your teeth into mouthwatering grilled favorites while supporting your local library's next chapter. Every bite funds new books, programs, and resources—making this the most delicious way to champion literacy. Grab your appetite and join us for an afternoon where good food meets a great cause.

Eat at City BBQ (dine in or take out) on Monday, April 28, use coupon code GIVE at checkout, and the Friends of WCPL will receive 20% of the proceeds!



April

Wednesday • 6:30 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Scams & Fraud Impacting Older Adults

Registration required.

Join us for an education and awareness presentation on how to spot and avoid scams aimed at senior citizens, presented by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office. Through this workshop featuring real-life examples, participants will learn to recognize warning signs of phone, email, and in-person fraud attempts. The program will cover verification methods, personal information protection, and appropriate responses to suspected scams.

Friday • 6:30 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Grown Up Game Night: Nailed It!

Registration required.

Compete in the Library's version of Nailed It! Now for adults!

Ready to embrace your inner amateur baker? Join us for our hilarious adults-only version of Nailed It! where you'll race against the clock to recreate fancy treats – with potentially hysterical results. Work solo or team up with a baking buddy to test your skills in this fun, lowpressure competition. No professional experience needed - just bring your sense of humor and willingness to try!

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Wednesday • 6 - 7:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Who Ya Goin' To Call? Stress Busters!

Registration required.

Life can be stressful. You are not alone if you are experiencing it too. Please join Dr. Cathy Rosenbaum, Holistic Clinical Pharmacist at Rx Integrative

Solutions, where she will define life stressors, burnout, moral injury, generational trauma, grief, and PTSD. She will also discuss associated signs and symptoms for each type of stress and review integrative health interventions.



May

Saturday • 10 AM - 12 PM & Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Genealogy Workshop

Registration required.

Begin searching the Ancestry Library Edition database. Learn searching techniques and tips, and then use your new knowledge to find ancestors and practice hands-on searches. Get all the information Ancestry has to offer.

Please note that this class will be broken into 2 twohour sessions. Session 1 will be held from 10-12 and will be a workshop, teaching you about the Library's free genealogical databases and how to navigate them. Session 2 will be held from 1-3, and will be your chance to put into practice what you learned in Session 1.

May July Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Summer Reading Club

Registration required.

Read and win prizes this summer! Register for the Adult Summer Reading Club and track your reading or listening online with the Beanstack app to to win gift cards to local businesses and exclusive prize packs throughout the summer. Visit wclibrary.info/src or stop by the library.

Wednesday • 7 - 8:30 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Elder Law

Registration required.

Presented by local attorney Kim Estess with O'Diam & Estess Law Group. This program will cover the basics of long-term care financing options, provide an overview of the Ohio Medicaid system, and include a basic discussion of the must-have legal documents for any adult facing a long-term care event. Get practical insights to help protect yourself and your loved ones during challenging health transitions.



May

Saturday • 2 - 4 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Anime Group

Registration required.

Join us for our Anime Group meeting, specifically

created for adults who enjoy Anime! We will watch one full-length film or four individual episodes of an anime from Crunchyroll. Drawing supplies will be on hand.



May

Tuesday • 10 AM - 12 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Social Security Disability 101

Registration required.

Social Security Disability affects so many - in our own circles of friends and family, and beyond. Social Security Public Affairs Specialist Theresa Busher presents an informative session on the nuts and bolts of the Social Security Disability Programs, both Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI aka SSD) and Social Security Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits. This program will cover updates on how to contact Social Security, how to qualify for benefits, the application process, medical disability determination under Social Security, and more.

May

Saturday • 1 - 4 PM Off-site Sinclair Community College Centerville Campus, 5800 Clyo Road (All Ages)

Summer Reading Club Kickoff with Cincinnati Circus Company

Join us for a colorful afternoon at Sinclair's Centerville Campus where amazing aerial acrobats and skilled jugglers from the Cincinnati Circus Company will soar through the air while you kick off your summer reading adventure. In between shows, get your face painted with dazzling designs and join in creative activities! When you get hungry, treat yourself by purchasing refreshing Tikiz Shaved Ice or lunch from The Food Pitt food truck. Bring lawn chairs or a blanket, and be sure to register everyone in your family, newborn through adult, for the Summer Reading Club.

May

Saturday • 2 - 4 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

You, Too, Can Take Great Photos with Stephen Goldberg

Registration required.

Learn how to capture the best moments. Stephen Goldberg, Vice President of the Focus Camera Club, featured photographer at the Dayton Art Institute, and Moderator at University of Dayton's Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, will walk through how to take great photographs. This hands-on workshop is not about how to use your camera, but about how to capture and share great moments.

This is an interactive class, and we encourage people at all photographic skill levels to join the discussion.

Iune July Woodbourne Library (All Ages)

Exhibit: Mark Frevtag

For more than three decades, Mark has expressed himself through commercial graphic design work. His artwork is inspired by diverse influences and are mixed media abstracts using media like cardboard, acrylic paint, metallics, fabric, and glass beads.



Tune

Saturday • 10 - 11 AM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Street Photography with Stephen Goldberg

Registration required.

Explore the art of Street Photography; the art of capturing candid moments of everyday life in public spaces, often emphasizing the spontaneity and authenticity of human experiences. Learn the important differences between being a street photographer and a photojournalist. Are you allowed to take photos anywhere? What's in and what's out of bounds?

book discussions



June

Thursday • 7 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Heartfulness Meditation

Registration required.

Discover how meditation contributes to health, happiness, and harmony. This program is presented by a certified meditation trainer from the Heartfulness Institute, a global nonprofit organization with thousands of volunteer trainers who serve more than a million meditators in over 160 countries.



June

Saturday • 2 - 4 PM Activity Center Park, 221 N. Main Street (All Ages)

Color Splash...Into Summer!

Join the Washington-Centerville Public Library and Centerville-Washington Park District for a colorful start to summer. Bring your own white cotton (100% cotton works best) garments to dye and we will help you turn them into one of a kind tie-dye works of art. Be sure to wear something you don't mind getting messy, and if you want to cool off in the sprayground afterward - wear a bathing suit! Fun for all ages.

Tune

Wednesday • 7 - 8 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

Most Anticipated

Registration required.

Come get the inside scoop from two librarians on their most anticipated forthcoming July - September book releases from various publishers in various genres. Attendees will have the opportunity to place holds on upcoming releases.

Booked for Lunch

Join us 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (Adults, Seniors) at Woodbourne Library to discuss:



April 2: The Personal Librarian by Marie Benedict.

May 7: Rulebreaker: The Life and Times of Barbara Walters by Susan Page.

June 4: Hidden Valley Road: Inside the Mind of an American Family by Robert Kolker.

Books are available for pick up at Woodbourne Library.

AfterWords

Join us Monday nights at 7 PM on Facebook to talk about books with fellow book lovers. There are no assigned books to read. Just get online and chat about what you've been reading!



Follow us at facebook.com/wclibrary.info.

Dates

April 7*, 14, 21, 28 • May 5*, 12, 19 June 2*, 9, 16, 23, 30 *AfterWords Readalikes

Apr. May June

Wednesdays • 12:30 - 1:30 PM

RecPlex West Book Club

RecPlex members enjoy a book discussion led by a librarian and co-sponsored with Washington Township. Membership to RecPlex is required to attend this club. Check the Washington Township website for details about membership.

April 2: Beekeeper of Aleppo by Christy Lefteri

May 7: Girl Who Waits With Gun by Amy Stewart

June 4: Cherokee America by Margaret Verble



Apr. May June

Mondays • 7 - 9 PM Rumbleseat Wine, 101 E. Alex Bell Rd #118 (Adults, Seniors)

Uncorked

Unwind with a lively book discussion in a casual atmosphere. Read the month's selection and join us!



April 7: Catalina by Karla Cornejo Villavicencio

May 5: Women's Hotel by Daniel M. Lavery

June 2: The Coin by Yasmin Zaher

Books are provided at the discussions and at Woodbourne Library.

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Hours Centerville Library

Monday-Thursday, 12 - 8 PM Friday, 10 AM - 6 PM Saturday, 10 AM - 5 PM Sunday, CLOSED

Woodbourne Library Monday-Friday, 10 AM - 9 PM

Sunday, 1 - 5 PM Creativity Commons

Mon-Tues, 2:30PM - 7:30PM Wed-Fri, 12:30PM - 5:30PM Saturday, 11:30AM - 4:30PM Sunday, CLOSED

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OR 2 - 3 PM Woodbourne Library (Adults, Seniors)

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May 20: The Boys in the Boat by Daniel James Brown

June 17: The Great Believers by Rebecca Makkai Books are provided at the discussions and at Woodbourne Library.

► Apr. May June Third Thursday of the Month • 6:30 - 7:30 PM Woodbourne Library

Month • 6:30 - 7:30 PM (Adults, Seniors)

Book Ends

April 17: The Immortalists by Chloe Benjamin

May 15: The Boys in the Boat by Daniel James Brown

June 12: The Great Believers by Rebecca Makkai Books are provided at the discussions and at Woodbourne Library.

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