

March • April • May

STARK LIBRARY North Branch

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HOURS

Mon–Thu9 am–8 pm
Fri9 am–6 pm
Sat9 am–5 pm
Sun Closed

Closed Feb 17 (Presidents' Day),
April 12 (Easter Sunday), and
May 25 (Memorial Day)

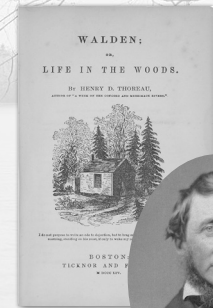
SERVICES

Public Computers
Wireless Internet Access
Wireless Printing
Print, copy, scan, fax
Meeting Rooms
Drive-up Window
Book Drop
Bikesmart
Notary

AN EVENING WITH HENRY DAVID THOREAU

Thursday Apr 9
6–7:30 pm

Journey with the author of such American classics as *Walden* and *Civil Disobedience*. Jim Knight portrays Thoreau and shares background on the author. ✓



EARLY LEARNERS (Birth–Pre–K)

Story Time & More

Tuesdays 10:30–11:30 am
Wednesdays 6:30–7:30 pm

Story times open up the world of books, music, culture, and play to young children and their families. Registration is required for all.

Story times run Mar 3–May 14. ✓

Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss!

Mon Mar 2 | 2–4 pm

Celebrate the timeless literary figure with stories and craft activities. ✓

Listen at the Library

Tue Mar 24 | 11:30 am–12:30 pm

Enjoy stories accompanied by live music from the Canton Symphony Orchestra.

ELEMENTARY (K–5th Grade)

LEGO® Club

Sat Mar 7, Apr 4, May 2 2–3 pm

Imagine, create, and build with LEGO® and/or DUPLO® bricks (provided).

Listen at the Library

Tue Mar 24 | 11:30 am–12:30 pm

See Early Learners for details.

Explore Ologies

Volcanology

Sat Mar 28 | 2–3 pm

It awoke in March and erupted in May. Mount St. Helens wasn't sleeping any longer. Learn by building and erupting a volcano! ✓

Library Scavenger Hunt

Apr 20–25 | Library Hours

Celebrate National Library Week! Search the shelves of our library and discover new things and enter a raffle upon completing the scavenger hunt for a chance to win books!

Keepsake Crafting for Mom

Sat Apr 25

11 am–12:30 pm

Celebrate the mother figure in your life by making her a treasured keepsake sculpture, flowers, and card. ✓



Pups and Pages

Sat May 2 | 10:30 am–12 pm

Bring a favorite book to share or borrow one of the Library's to read to licensed therapy dogs.

TEENS (6th–12th Grade)

Budgeting and How to Pay For College

Tue Mar 3 | 5–6 pm

Saving for college doesn't have to be hard. Learn tips and tricks on how to budget and save well in order to pay for college. ✓



Docu-series | 2–4 pm

Enjoy a great documentary and expand your worldview. See Adults for details.

TeensCREATE

Wed Mar 25 | 2–3 pm *Fizzy Fun!*

Tue Apr 14, May 12 | 5–6 pm

Enjoy activities including music, art, STEM, snap circuits, and more.

Seed Bombs

Wed Apr 22 | 2–4 pm

Celebrate Earth Day by making little bundles of flowering beauty. Our pollinators will thank you! ✓

Autism 101: What Everyone Should Know

Thu Apr 23 | 6–7 pm

See Adults for details. ✓

ALL AGES

Chess Club

Thursdays | 6–7:45 pm

Whether you are a beginner, novice, or expert, you are invited to come and join the fun! Chess boards are provided.

Come Sign With Us

Mon Mar 9, 16, 23, 30

6–7:30 pm

Learn American Sign Language in a fun and interactive way! In this four-part series, learn conversational signs, fingerspelling, numbers, food signs, colors, and more. ✓

Family, Fun, and Films | 2–4 pm

Mar 14 *Abominable* (PG)

Apr 11 *The Angry Birds Movie 2: Frenemies* (PG)

May 9 *The Secret Life of Pets* (PG)

Poetry Contest

Enter your original poem by April 15 and share your poem at one of our events. Details and entry form at StarkLibrary.org/PoetryContest.

Poetry Open Mic Night

Tue May 19 | 6–7:45 pm

Did you submit a poem to the Annual Poetry Contest? Share it with other poetry lovers. All poets welcome.

ADULTS

Budgeting and How to Pay For College

Tue Mar 3 | 5–6 pm

See Teens for details. ✓

Knitting Club

Knorth Knitters

Mon Mar 9, 23, Apr 13, 27, May 11 2–4:30 pm

Join fellow knitters and crocheters to work on projects at all skill levels while sharing tips and tricks. ✓

Book Club | 6:30–7:30 pm

Mar 19 *Will My Cat Eat My Eyeballs? Big Questions from Tiny Mortals About Death* by Caitlin Doughty

Apr 16 *Separation Anxiety* by Laura Zigman

May 21 *Get a Life, Chloe Brown* by Talia Hibbert

20 Steps Towards Starting Zero Waste

Sat Mar 21 | 11 am–12:30 pm

Teresa Mazey, owner of a local zero-waste shop, will share how to begin a journey into the world of zero waste and have a smaller impact on the environment. ✓

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Mar 21 *Pavarotti* (PG-13)

Apr 18 *They Shall Not Grow Old* (R)

May 16 *Honeyland* (NR)

National Library Week Adult Scavenger Hunt

Apr 20–25 | Library Hours

Celebrate National Library Week with our scavenger hunt!

Seed Bombs
Wed Apr 22 | 2-4 pm
See Teens for details. ✓

Autism 101: What Everyone Should Know
Thu Apr 23 | 6-7 pm
What is autism? Learn about autism and how to find community resources to support those living with autism. ✓

Silk Screening 101
Mon May 4 | 2-3:30 pm
Thu May 7 | 6-7:30 pm
Use the Cricut, ink your own tote bag, and learn silk screening basics. ✓

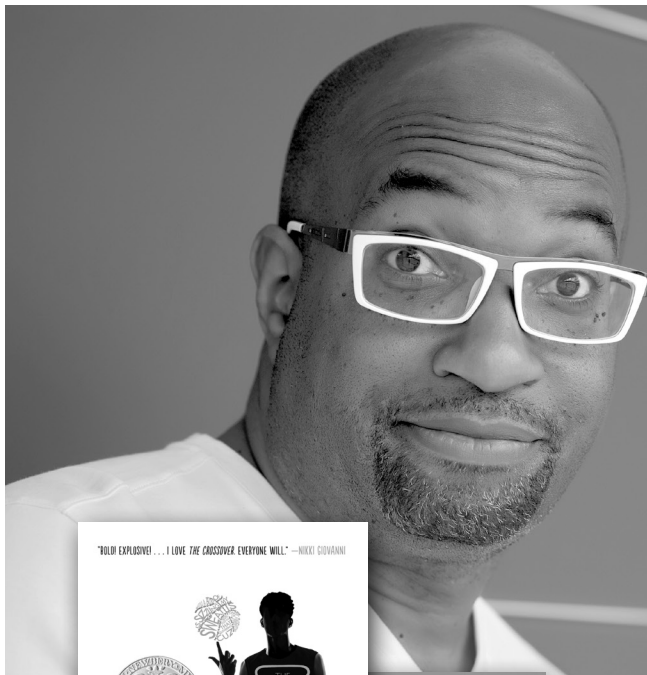
Sew A Book
Mon May 11 | 2-3:30 pm
Thu May 14 | 6-7:30 pm
Sew your own book for writing, journaling, or sketching. ✓

Bullet Journal Basics
Thu May 28 | 6-7:30 pm
Have you seen bullet journaling on social media? Are you wondering what it's all about? Join us to learn how to integrate this organizational method into your life. ✓

TECHNOLOGY

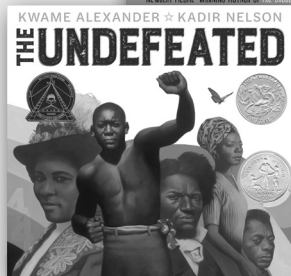
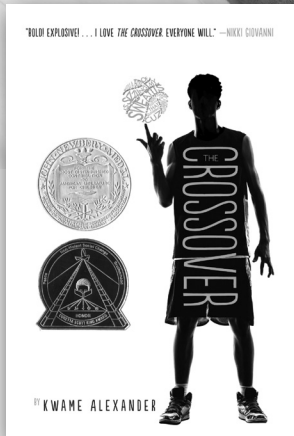
VHS/DVD Converting
Thu Mar 12 | 6-7:30 pm
Have some old family videos on VHS tapes you'd like to convert to DVD or another digital format? During this demonstration, learn how to use video conversion software to preserve cherished memories. ✓

What's the Cloud?
Mon Apr 6 | 6-7:30 pm
Learn what is meant by "The Cloud" in technology, how it works, and what options you have available including Google Drive and OneDrive. Gain access to your uploaded data and files via the Internet. ✓



Meet Award-Winning Poet and Author Kwame Alexander

Wednesday March 18
6:30PM | Canton Palace Theatre



Kwame Alexander combines sports and prose in his Caldecott Medal-winning book, *The Undeclared*. Through his writing, he captures the essence of finding your place in the world while navigating the challenges of life.

Meet Kwame and learn his inspiring story.

Reserve your FREE seats at
StarkLibrary.org/SpeakingofBooks

Event will be followed by a book signing. Books will be available for purchase.