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Winter Events 2024-2025 North Branch

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FAMILY FUN

LEGO/DUPLO Club

December 11 | 3:30 pm January 22 3:30 pm February 19 3:30 pm Imagine, create, and build with LEGO® and/or DUPLO® bricks (provided). EL

Chess Club LWTA Every Monday at 6:00 pm 12/2/24 through 2/24/25

No session on 1/20 & 2/17

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

STORYTIME

Storytime & More Family | E Every Tuesday at 10:00 am 12/3/24 through 2/25/25 No sessions 12/16 through 1/03.

Storytime & More Preschool | E Every Wednesday at 10:00 am 12/4/24 through 2/26/25 No sessions 12/18, 12/25,& 1/1

MOVIE NIGHT

Disney's A Christmas Carol (rated PG)

December 17 5:30 pm Let's get into the holiday spirit with Ebenezer Scrooge and the ghosts of Christmas Past, Present and Future. **ELWTA**

The Polar Express with Santa and Mrs. Claus (rated G)

December 7 2:00 pm Celebrate the festive season with a viewing of The Polar Express, meet Santa and Mrs. Claus, and enjoy hot chocolate and cookies. **ELWTA**

(rated G)

February 1

at 3:00 pm



Kick off Black History Month with the first Black Disney Princess. Let's head on down the bayou and have some fun. **ELWTA**

Chocolate Spa

January 14 | 6:00 pm

Let's indulge in the ultimate relaxation experience using chocolate. You can do more with chocolate than just eat it! WT

GET CREATIVE

Hydroponic Garden

January 30 | 3:30 pm

Have you ever wanted to grow a garden, but in the winter? Well now you can! Join us to learn all about hydroponic gardens. LWT

Kulture Kids presents:

Babu's Magic | February 15 | 3:00 pm

A live performance sure to inspire! Set in an African Village, a boy who is not able to speak is bullied for being different. With the help of the animals, he saves the whole village, even the bully. **ELWT**



Messy Play

January 16 | 10:30 am

Get ready to create, explore, and play together at the Library while building early literacy and school readiness skills. Play clothes are recommended because some of the activities may be messy. **EL**

Sewing Basics: Book Sleeve | January 11 | 2:00 pm

Keep your book cozy while traveling in your backpack. Learn to use a sewing machine to create a book sleeve. Use the library fabric stash or bring your own fabric quarter. WT

Vegetarian Options for Teens

January 16 | 6:00 pm

Teens and Tweens, interested in healthy eating through a vegetarian or vegan diet? Learn more from a dietitian from Central State University Extension. WT



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LIBRARY CLUBS

Banned Books Book Club A

Children's Banned Books Bundle December 9 11:00am Book Title: Let's Talk About It January 27 | 11:00 am Book Title: Push by Sapphire February 24 11:00 am

Beautiful Day Book Club | A

Book Title: A Redbird Christmas December 5 | 11:00am Book Title: Tom Lake January 2 11:00 am Book Title: The Underground Railroad February 6 11:00 am

Knitting Club Knorth Knitters | A

December 9, January 13, January 27, February 10, February 24 | 2:00 pm Join other knitters & crocheters and have fun in a laid-back atmosphere. Bring your supplies if you have them!

TECH TRAINING

Learn about AI and the **Potential for New Scams**

January 23 2:00 pm

Al is a new valuable tool in technology but it may also be used to mislead those who are not familiar with it. Jim Knight from the Stark County Prosecutors office explains its unsavory uses. A

Technology Training Computer Basics I & II February 20 | 2:00 pm

In this beginner's class, you will learn the basics of using a computer bit by bit. A

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Art4Healing | January 21 | 6:00 pm

Get in touch with your inner child through abstract art. Explore your emotions to promote enlightenment and help heal. No previous art experience required. A

GET CREATIVE

Stash Busters | December 10, January 14, February 11 | 6:00 pm

Whatever your creative pastime is, bring your project & join others having fun in a laid-back atmosphere. Knitting, crochet, cross stitch, or any other art or hobby are welcome! A

Throwback Craft: Shrink Art | February 25 | 6:00 pm

Tap into the nostalgia of the 1980's when shrink art was at its peak popularity. Learn about how shrink art came about then make some of your own. A

PLUS...

A Very Literary Christmas

December 12 | 2:00 pm | A

Start the holiday season with MJ Albacete as he entertains and educates us regarding verses from Matthew, famous Christmas carols, and poems.

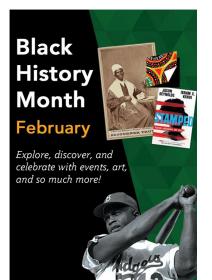
Caregiver Support Group

December 10, January 14, February 11 | 2:00 pm | A A support group for caregivers of aging or disabled loved one led by Direction Home.

Ramsayer Research Library:

It is Up to Us to Listen to Their Voices... February 13 | 2:00 pm | A

The Ramsayer Research Library at the McKinley Presidential Library and Museum is full of information about Stark County. Mark Holland, Archivist, tells about the "Best Kept Secret" in Stark County!



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Incwadi Yothando: Zulu Love Letters | February 4 | 6:00 pm

This South African art is a cultural form of communication to express love between two people by creating a special message in beads. Learn the meaning of the symbols & colors and then make your own. A

The History of Southeast Canton | February 26 | 2:00 pm | A

Councilwoman Chris Smith shares the history of the once vibrant Southeast Canton neighborhood, which suffered from redlining and the development of Route 62, and the efforts to revitalize the community today.

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