

Spring Events 2025 **PLAÍN COMMUNITY BRANCH**

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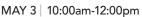


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E Early Learners | L Elementary | W Tweens | T Teens | A Adults

AAPI

Cultural Creations: Exploring Asian American and Pacific Islander Arts



Immerse yourself into activities modeled on art practices from Asian American and Pacific Islander cultures! **ELW**

GET CREATIVE

Messy Play

APR 5 | 10:30am-12:30pm

Get ready to create, explore, and play while building early literacy and school readiness skills. Play clothes recommended. EL

Buggy for Backyard Bugs! LWT

APR 7 6:30pm-7:45pm

Celebrate Earth Day with a naturalist from Nature Spark. Create your own "bug hotel."

Wildflower Wonders: A Seed Ball Workshop

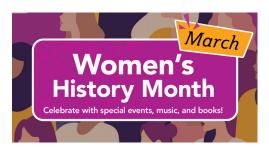
APR 21 | 6:30pm-7:30pm

Learn why wildflowers are important to our ecosystem and create seed balls that enhance biodiversity and support pollinators. LWT

Grass Head Workshop

APR 26 | 10:30am-12:00pm

Celebrate Earth Day. Create your own grass head creature! L



STORYTIME & MORE

Storytime & More | Baby & Toddler | E

Tuesdays 9:30am-10:00am MAR 4 - MAY 6

No sessions April 8 and April 15.

Storytime & More | Family | E

Tuesdays & Wednesdays 10:30am-11:00am

MAR 4 - MAY 7

No sessions April 8-9 and April 15-16

Symphonyland at Stark Library

MAR 15 | 10:00am-11:00am

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Introduce students (ages 3-6) to the world of the orchestra. **EL**

Melodies in Motion: In Collaboration with Canton Ballet

APR 15 | 11:30am-12:30pm

Children will enjoy the interplay between written word, music, and movement as they dance with staff from Canton Ballet. EL

FOR TEENS

Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

MAR 5, APR 2, MAY 7 2:15pm-3:15pm

Help shape the future of teen programs, spaces, and collections at your library. Stop by any location for an application. T

Teen Tuesday

MAR 18, APR 15, MAY 20 2:15pm-4:15pm Teen activities, games, crafts, and more in the Teen Room! WT

CLUBS, GAMES & MORE

LEGO®/DUPLO® Club

MAR 1, APR 12, MAY 1 10:00am-1:00pm

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

Book Club | Parent/Child

MAR 3, APR 14, MAY 5

6:30pm-7:30pm

Read any Newberry Award Winner! Be ready to discuss! AL

Friday Playday!

MAR 7, APR 4, MAY 2

10:00am- 11:30am

Drop in for some fun in a safe space set up specifically for children to explore, create, and PLAY!

Pups and Pages

MAR 19, APR 16, MAY 21

4:30pm-5:30pm

Bring a book to share or borrow one of ours to read to licensed therapy dogs. L

Homeschool Hangout

MAR 21 | Kaleidoscopes

APR 18 | Take-Out-Terrariums

MAY 16 | Summer Windsocks

11:00am-12:00pm

Connect with other homeschool families as we explore different topics with books, activities, and fun for the whole family. LW

Alice in Wonderland Escape Room | LWTA

MAR 27, MAR 28, MAR 29

10:00am-4:00pm

Try our Alice in Wonderland escape room! Call for a time slot. Adult supervision for young children required.

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From Flat to Floral: Mastering the Paper Lotus Fold

MAY 3 | 12:00pm-3:00pm

Creativebug will teach us the art of lotus flower paper folding. A

Meet Kusinera: A Local Filipino Restaurant

MAY 13 6:00pm-7:00pm

Learn about Filipino food and culture.

Please note that no food will be served. A

The History of Tea

MAY 27 | 6:00pm-7:00pm

Ohio Tea Company will talk about the history of tea. Learn about the kinds you might want to try. **A**

CULTURE & HISTORY

Discover the World of Masks

MAR 11 | 6:00pm-7:00pm

Local artist, Jonathan Becker, will share some of his works of art and speak on the various ways masks are used. **TA**

Ally Workshop

MAR 22 | 2:00pm-3:00pm

Learn how to be an Ally to the LGBTQ+ Community, including terminology, pronouns and helpful ways to be there for each other. **TA**

GET CREATIVE

Create a Knotted Pantry Bag

APR 22 | 6:00pm-7:00pm

Celebrate Earth Day by creating a knotted pantry bag with directions from Creativebug. **A**

CLUBS, GAMES & MORE

Book Bingo A

MAR 22, APR 19, MAY 17 10:00am-11:30am

Join us for BINGO and a chance to win books!

Book Club | IDEAS Book Club A

The Island of Missing Trees by Elif Shafak

APR 1 | 6:30pm-7:30pm
The Best We Could Do by Thi Bui

MAY 6 6:30pm-7:30pm

Book Club | Plain Mystery Book Club A

We Solve Murders by Richard Osman MAR 20 | 4:00pm-5:00pm The Witch Elm by Tana French APR 17 | 4:00pm-5:00pm

Vera Wong's Unsolicited Advice for Murderers by Jesse Q. Sutanto

MAY 15 | 4:00pm-5:00pm

Knitting Club | Needlechat

MAR 6 & MAR 20 | 10:00am-12:00pm APR 3 & APR 17 | 10:00am-12:00pm MAY 1 & MAY 15 | 10:00am-12:00pm

Share tips and tricks, and work on community projects together. A

Mahjong

MAR 4 & MAR 18 | 1:00pm-3:00pm APR 1 & APR 15 | 1:00pm-3:00pm MAY 6 & MAY 20 | 1:00pm-3:00pm

New or experienced players can join us for an afternoon of gaming! **A**



WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Finding a Cause

MAR 8 10:00am-11:00am



Learn about the causes that were important to the First Ladies from the National First Ladies' Library. **TA**

Women of Tomorrow | Stark County & Beyond



MAR 20 6:00pm-7:30pm

This event will be held in the GlenOak Theater
Presented in partnership with Women's
Impact, Inc. this panel discussion brings
together influential women from Stark Co. TA

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Dementia Friends Workshop

APR 29 | 6:00pm-7:00pm

Learn how to make a big impact in the life of someone living with dementia. **A**

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Hidden Treasures: Courthouse Records for Family History

MAR 18 6:00pm-7:30pm

Courthouse records are rich with information about your ancestors. Find out what you can learn. A

Trash or Treasure? My Family Does Not Want This Stuff!

MAR 25 | 6:00pm-7:00pm

The Plain Township Historical Society will present options to deal with treasured family items. **A**

How to Plan the Best Family Reunion

APR 8 | 6:00pm-7:30pm

Avoid the headaches by learning how to organize your next family reunion!