

# **Winter Events 2024-2025** Plain Community Branch

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to explore ALL Events!

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

# **GAMES, MUSIC & MORE**

# **Homeschool Hangout**

December 13, January 24, February 21 | 11:00 am

Connect with the library and other homeschool families in your community! LW

# Friday Playday!

January 10, February 7 | 10:00 am

A safe space set up specifically for children to explore, create and PLAY!

### **LEGO®/DUPLO® Club**

December 7, January 4, February 1 | 10:00 am

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



### Life-Size Candyland

February 15 | 10:00 am

Play a giant version of this classic game! **EL** 

# **SymphonyLand** at Stark Library

January 11 10:00 am & 11:00 am

This series of instrument trio performances introduces students (ages 3-6) to the world of the orchestra! EL

# **STORYTIME & MORE**

### **Book Club: Parent/Child**

December 2, January 6, February 3 | 6:30 pm

Enjoy discussions with your child on age-appropriate books. LA

# **Pups and Pages**

December 18, January 15, February 19 | 4:30 pm

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

### Storytime | Baby | E

Every Tuesday at 9:30 am 12/3/24 through 2/25/25

# **Storytime & More**

Family | E

Every Tuesday at 10:30 am 12/3/24 through 2/25/25

### **Storytime & More**

Family | E

Every Wednesday at 10:30 am 12/4/24 through 2/26/25

### **GET CREATIVE**

### A Knot-ical Adventure

January 18 | 10:30 am

Have fun learning to tie different knots by creating a rope bracelet. LWT

# **Messy Play**

January 4 | 10:00 am

Create, explore, and play at the Library while building early literacy! EL

# **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

### Take a Deep Breath:

Create a Breathing Bracelet

January 13 6:00 pm

Introduce your kids to the "science of aromatherapy" by creating aromatherapy bracelets! LWT

### **HOLIDAY THEMED**

### Deck the Halls!

December 21 | 10:00 am

Get into the holiday season with us! Enjoy a festive atmosphere and create a variety of seasonal decor. **ELWT** 

### **FOR TEENS**

### Teen Tuesdays | T

Once a Month at 2:15 pm

December 17, January 21 and February 18

Activities, games, crafts, and more in the Teen Room!

### Teen Advisory Group | T

December 4 and February 5 | 2:15 pm

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



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### LIBRARY CLUBS

### **IDEAS Book Club**

Every month, we will be reading books that teach us all new ideas and perspectives. A

Book Title: The Great Believers December 3 | 6:30 pm

Book Title: The Glass Castle January 7 | 6:30 pm

Book Title: Homegoing

February 4 6:30 pm

# **Mystery Book Club:**

Enjoy lively discussions on monthly books and topics. A

Book Title: An Elderly Lady Is up to No Good December 19 | 4:00 pm

Book Title: Everyone on This Train Is A Suspect

January 16 | 4:00 pm

Book Title: Twenty Years Later February 20 | 4:00 pm

# **Knitting Club: Needlechat**

December 5, December 19, January 2, January 16, February 6, February 20 | 10:00 am

Join other knitters, crocheters and other hand crafters in a fun, laid-back atmosphere. Share tips and tricks, and work on community projects together. A

# **GAMES FOR ADULTS**



# **Book Bingo**

December 14, January 25, February 22 | 10:00 am Join us for BINGO and a chance to win books! A

# **Mahjong**

December 3, December 17, January 7, January 21, February 4, February 18 | 1:00 pm

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

### **GET CREATIVE**

# Beginning Scrapbooking Workshop

January 14 6:00 pm

Get your family photos and souvenirs out of boxes and into a creative display you can enjoy. A

# **Bring Your Own Craft**

February 18 | 6:00 pm

An evening dedicated to finishing those crafting projects you have laying around. **A** 

# Decorate the Cookie, Swap the Recipe

December 10 6:00 pm

Learn basic cookie decorating skills for all your holiday baking. Bring your favorite cookie recipe on an index card to swap with other patrons! Get tips on how to make your cookies sparkle! Cut out cardboard cookies will be provided. A

### **BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

# Open Your Heart!

February 10 | 6:00 pm

Join us in embracing and celebrating our differences while enjoying a story about looking within. This will be followed up with crafting your own woven diversity heart. **LWT** 

# Secrets of the Underground Railroad

February 8 | 10:00 am

Come learn the secrets of the Underground Railroad, plus the story of a woman who saved hundreds with special guest Harriet Tubman. Presented by The Summit County Historical Society of Akron. **LWTA** 

### The Women Behind the Women

February 25 | 6:00 pm

With a focus on African American women, we'll explore the stories of those that contributed to the legacies of first ladies behind the scenes. Presented by the First Ladies National Historic Site. A

### PLUS...

### Fly Fishing

February 11 | 6:00 pm

The Western Reserve Chapter of Trout Unlimited will visit the library to teach about Fly Fishing! A

# Human Trafficking and Internet Safety

January 21 | 6:30 pm

Representatives from Not For Sale and the Stark Co. Prosecutor's Crime Prevention Team will speak on the dangers of human trafficking. They will provide tips on how to stay safe online and in person.

