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Library Hours

Monday
10:00am - 6:00pm
Tuesday & Wednesday
12:00pm - 8:00pm
Thursday, Friday & Saturday
11:00am - 5:00pm

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READING SKILLS BOOSTER CLASSES @ HTPL

Recommended for children in grades K-3 who have an IRP (Individualized Reading Plan)

per the new Michigan reading law and/or need support in reading basics.



Series #1: Winter 2018

Word Play! Building a Base for Reading

This multi-week series of classes will support the building of a strong reading foundation. We will work on phonological awareness by playing around with words in stories, games, songs, and other activities. Take-home activities will also be provided for families. All children must be accompanied by an adult.



Registration Information

Pre-registration is required for this 6-week course. Registration will begin on Wednesday, January 3, and will continue until the course is filled. Class limit is 15 children; others will be put on a waiting list. To register, please stop by the library or call 586 329-1261.



Dates and Times

Saturdays, 11:30-12:15

- January 13
- January 27
- February 3
- February 10
- March 10
- March 17



Classes are led by children's librarian, teacher, and reading specialist Julie Dries.

Questions? Email jdries@htlibrary.org



Classes & Events



◆ Plarn ~ Community Service project ~ Saturday, January 6th from 11:00am - 4:00pm

Join us for a plarn party! Come help us turn your plastic grocery bags into plarn, which will then be turned into mats for the homeless. Students will receive community service credit for participating and have the opportunity to earn additional community service hours. Come by anytime between 11:00am-4:00pm to help us help others. While this event is open to everyone, it may not be suitable for small children.



◆ Grapefruit Cellulite Challenge ~ Wednesday, January 10th at 7:00pm

Looking to reduce cellulite? Want to start the new year off with better skin? Want to shed some extra pounds? Renee Pokoj will be here to share the many benefits of grapefruits, grapefruit juice, and grapefruit essential oil with us. Pick your preference or try them all and join us for the Grapefruit Challenge.



◆ Political Commentary on Michigan ~ Jack Lessenberry ~ Saturday, January 13th at 1:00pm

Veteran Michigan Public Radio senior news analyst, Jack Lessenberry, looks at what's been happening in Michigan in recent years, what's at stake in this year's statewide elections, and what it all may mean.



◆ Yoga Nidra for Seniors ~ Wednesday, January 17th at 11:00am

Yoga Nidra relates to conscious deep sleep. It is sleep without images (dreams). Yoga Nidra will bring the yogi or yogini to an incredible calmness. During this workshop we will do a gentle yoga asana practice to prepare the body and mind for this experience. And then we will take a guided journey through levels of relaxation, arriving at a state of sublime stillness and mental clarity. Wear comfortable, loose clothing. You may choose to bring eye pillows or personal blankets or anything else that will make you comfortable.



◆ Disaster Preparedness ~ Wednesday, January 17th at 7:00pm

Would you know what to do in an emergency? Would you know what to bring if you needed to evacuate? Don't get caught unprepared during a disaster. John Calabrese, The Director of the Public Service Institute at Macomb Community College will be here to talk about disaster preparedness and the items we should all have in a Go Bag.



◆ Photo Preservation Workshop ~ Tuesday, January 23rd at 7:00pm

Got a shoe box full of memories? Need to organize your electronic photos? Want your photos to last for years to come? Join us for this photo preservation workshop. Professional photo organizer, Cheri Warnock from Cherish Your Photos, shares her expertise on how to store and display our pictures, as well as tips to prevent loss in a disaster. Enjoy your photos now and for a lifetime.

◆ Human Trafficking Seminar ~ Wednesday, January 24th at 7:00pm

Human Trafficking is a modern-day form of slavery. Please join us for an educational presentation on this criminal activity that may be right around the corner or around the block. While this program is intended for a general audience, it is not suitable for small children.



◆ RJ Spangler Quartet, featuring Larry Smith Jazz concert ~ Saturday, January 27th at 1:00pm

Join us for a one hour jazz session with the RJ Spangler Quartet. Sure to be entertaining as well educational.



◆ Book Club ~ Murder on the Orient Express ~ Tuesday, January 30th at 7:00pm



Children's Classes & Events

ROCKIN' READERS

Our story-time and craft classes will take place once per month this winter. These sessions are loosely geared toward elementary-aged students, but pre-schoolers and 'tweens may also enjoy participating. Rockin' Readers sessions do not require pre-registration. All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Saturday, January 20, 11:30 am

* Snowmen

Saturday, February 24, 11:30 am

* Penguins

Saturday, March 3, 11:30 am

* Dinosaurs



1000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

Start your child on a lifetime of literacy today!

This is an ongoing national initiative that parents and caregivers may choose to join at any time. Come to the library to register, and you will receive a packet of materials, including an explanation of the program and a book log. Sharing stories is an important and fun way to develop early language skills and a love of books!

WEEKLY CLASSES

January 20—March 17

No pre-registration required.

All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Mother Goose on the Loose

⇒ Mondays, 9:30-10:00. (No class on 2/19)

⇒ Saturdays, 10:30-11:00. (No class on 2/17)

Bring your infant or toddler to our fast-paced lap sit class full of rhymes, rhythm, and knee bounces.

Reading ABCs

⇒ Tuesdays, 10:30-11:00.

Perfect for preschoolers, this class features a different letter of the alphabet each week, with music, finger plays, and other literacy-building activities.

MIDDLE GRADES MOVIE BOOK CLUB

Winter title: *Because of Winn Dixie*

Our Movie Book Club is recommended for children in grades 4-8. Register for the club by Saturday, January 27 to receive a free copy of the book. We will meet at the library on Saturday, March 24 from 2:30-4:30 for a popcorn video viewing party and discussion of the book and movie.

Register online, by phone, or stop by the library. (Movie is rated PG).

TALES WITH TAILS

Children are invited to read to a gentle, non-judgmental therapy dog to practice fluency. Call to register your child for a 15-minute time slot to read to Bailey on these dates from 5:30 –7:00:

- * Wednesday, January 17
- * Wednesday, February 14
- * Wednesday, March 7



Coming in January 2018

Fiction

About That Kiss – Jill Shalvis
Bad Behavior – Kiki Swinson
Blood Fury – J.R. Ward
Carnegie's Maid – Marie Benedict
The Chalk Man – C.J. Tudor
City of Endless Night – Douglas Preston
Death at Nuremberg – W.E.B. Griffin
The English Wife – Lauren Willig
Eternal Life – Dara Horn
Fall From Grace – Danielle Steel
Fools and Mortals – Bernard Cornwell
The Girls in the Picture – Melanie Benjamin
The Grave's a Fine and Private Place – Alan Bradley
Grist Mill Road – Christopher J. Yates
The Immortalists – Chloe Benjamin
Iron Gold – Pierce Brown
Munich – Robert Harris
Need to Know – Karen Cleveland
Now That You Mention It – Kristan Higgins
Operator Down – Brad Taylor
Our Lady of the Prairie – Thisbe Nissen
Promise Not to Tell – Jayne Ann Krentz
Robicheaux – James Lee Burke
Sisters Like Us – Susan Mallery
Stay with Me – Ayobami Adebayo
Sunday Silence – Nicci French
The Take – Christopher Reich
Two Girls Down – Louisa Luna
Unbound – Stuart Woods
The Wanted – Robert Crais
The Wife – Alafair Burke
The Wife Between Us – Greer Hendricks
The Woman in the Window – A.J. Finn

Non-fiction

All-American Murder – James Patterson
Anxiety Relief for Kids – Bridget Flynn Walker Ph.D.
Beer Lover's Chicago
The Better Brain Solution – Steven Masley M.D.
The Clarity Cleanse – Habib Sadeghi
Clinton Cash – Peter Schweizer

Container Gardening Complete – Jessica Walliser
The Copyright Guide – Lee Wilson
The Danger Within Us – Jeanne Lenzer
Daring to Rest – Karen Brody
DIY Dammit! – Joselyn Hughes
DK Eyewitness Australia – Dorling Kindersley, Inc.
The Everything Parent's Guide to Sensory processing Disorder – Terri Mauro
Fodor's 25 Best Chicago
The Four Pack Revolution – Chael Sonnen
Frommer's 2018 Hawaii
Frommer's Easyguide to Hawaii 2018
Frommer's Easyguide to London 2018
Home Sweet Murder – James Patterson
How to Get Sh*t Done – Erin Falconer
It's Even Worse Than You Think – David Cay Johnston
Jefferson's Daughters – Catherine Kerrison
The Little Book of Lykke – Meik Wiking
Lonely Planet Chicago – Karla Zimmerman
Lonely Planet France
Lonely Planet Japan
Lonely Planet Scotland
Lost Connections – Johann Hari
Murder Interrupted – James Patterson
National Geographic Traveler South Africa – Richard Whitaker
Never Get Angry Again – David Lieberman, Ph.D.
No-Drama Discipline – Daniel Siegel M.D.
The Out-of-Sync Child Grows Up
Overcoming Distractions: Thriving with Adult ADD/ADHD
Parenting Kids with OCD – Bonnie Zucker
The Plant-Based Solution – Joel K. Kahn M.D.
Pregnancy Day by Day – Maggie Blott
Rick Steves Ireland 2018
Rebel – Nick Nolte
Rethinking School – S. Wise Bauer
Rick Steves 2018 Paris – Rick Steves
Rick Steves London 2018 – Rick Steves
Rise and Kill First – Ronen Bergman
The Road Not Taken – Max Boot
Road Trip New England – Walter Pierce
The Rough Patch – Daphne De Mameffe
Single State of Mind – Andi Dorfman
The Super Carb Diet – Bob Harper
Tell Me More – Kelly Corrigan

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Together We Rise – Women’s March Organizers
Travel with Dogs – Lonely Planet Publications
Treating People Well – Lea Berman
When – Daniel Pink
When to Jump – Mike Lewis
The Whole-Brained Child – Daniel J. Siegel M.D.
With the End in Mind – Kathryn Mannix
The Yes Brain – Daniel Siegel M.D.
You Need a Budget – jesse Mecham
Your Score – Anthony Davenport

Easy, Juvenile and Young Adult

57 Bus, The (YA) – Dashka Slater
Bad Girls with Perfect Faces (YA) – Lynn Weingarten
Better Off Undead (Juv) – James Preller
A Boy, a Mouse, and a Spider: The Story of E.B. White (Juv) – Barbara Herkert
Building Amazing Creations: Sean Kenney’s Art with Lego Bricks (Juv) – Sean Kenney
Buster and the Baby (E) – Amy Hest
Calling My Name (YA) – Liara Tamani
Chicken in Mittens (E) – Adam Lehrhaupt
City Mouse, Country Mouse (E) – Maggie Rudy
Digging for Trouble (Juv) – Linda A. Fairstein
Dogs: From Predator to Protector (Juv) – Andy Hirsch
Earth: My First 4.54 Billion Years (Juv) – Stacy McAnulty
Everything is Mama (E) – Jimmy Fallon
Feather (E) – Cao Wenxuan
Growing Vegetable Soup (E) – Lois Ehlert
Follow Me: The Killer You Know (YA) – Sara Shepard
Follow the Track all the Way Back (E) – Timothy Knapman
Fox and the Bike Ride (E) – Corey R. Tabor
Girl in a Bad Place (YA) – Kaitlin Ward
Give Thank You a Try (E) – James Patterson
Have Sword, Will Travel (Juv) – Garth Nix
Here We Are: Notes for Living on Planet Earth (E) – Oliver Jeffers
Here We Are Now (YA) – Jasmine Warga
Hey Black Child (E) – Useni Eugene Perkins




Horrible Harry and the Field Day Revenge (Juv) – Suzy Kline
I Am Not Your Perfect Mexican Daughter (YA) – Erika L. Sanchez
I’m Just No Good at Rhyming: And Other Nonsense for Mischievous Kids and Immature Grown-Ups (Juv) – Chris Harris
Invasion of the Scorp-Lions (Juv) – Bruce Hale
Jake (Juv) – Ellen Miles
Jingle Bells (E) – Susan Jeffers
Just Pick Us, Please! (E) – Mercer Mayer
Kids Like Us (YA) – Hilary Reyl
I’m Not Taking a Bath (E) – Laura Gehl
Legends of Luke Skywalker, The (Juv) – Ken Liu
Little Bigfoot (Juv) – Jennifer Weiner
Little Reindeer, The (E) – Nicola Killen
Max at School (E) – Rosemary Wells
Maya Lin: Thinking with her Hands (Juv) – Susan Goldman Rubin
Miss Tracy is Spacy (Juv) – Dan Gutman
Mouse Loves Snow (E) – Lauren Thompson
Mr. Lemoncello’s Great Library Race (Juv) – Chris Grabenstein
Mutant Bunny Island (Juv) – Obert Skye
My Brigadista Year (Juv) – Katherine Paterson
My Journey to the Stars (Juv) – Scott Kelly
No More Tantrums (E) – Maria Van Lieshout
Otherworld (YA) – Jason Segel
Pizza Day (E) – Melissa Iwai
Plants vs. Zombies: Lawn of Doom (Juv) – Paul Tobin
Polaris (Juv) – Michael Northrup
Princess Hair (E) – Sharee Miller
Real McCoys, The (Juv) – Matthew Swanson
Red Again (E) – Barbara Lehman
Ruby and Olivia (Juv) – Rachel Hawkins
Ryan Quinn and the Lion’s Claw (Juv) – Ron McGee
Sail Away Dragon (E) – Barbara M. Joosse
Secret of Nightingale Wood, The (Juv) – Lucy Strange
Silent Days, Silent Dreams (Juv) – Allen Say
Singing in the Rain (E) – Tim Hopgood

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Small Blue Whale, A (E) – Beth Ferry
Small Walt (E) – Elizabeth Verdick
Snappy the Alligator and his Best Friend Forever (E) – Julie Falatko
Snickerdoodle Takes the Cake (E) – Ethan Long
Snow Scene (E) – Richard Jackson 
Snowy Surprise (E) – Kallie George 
Spy School Secret Service (Juv) – Stuart Gibbs
Sweet Dreams, Peter (E) – Beatrix Potter
This Mortal Coil (YA) – Emily Suvada
Turtle Island: The Story of North America's First People (Juv) – Eldon Yellowhorn
Trials of Morrigan Crow (Juv) – Jessica Townsend
Us Kids Know (YA) – JJ Strong
Very, Very Bad Thing, A (YA) – Jeffrey Self
Victoria: Portrait of a Queen (Juv) – Catherine Reef
Waltz of the Snowflakes (E) – Ellie Makay
Where, Oh Where, is Baby Bear? (E) – Ashley Wolff
Whichwood (Juv) – Tehereh Mafi
Whiz Mob and the Grenadine Kid, The (Juv) – Colin Meloy
Winter in May (YA) – Ismee Williams
Witch Boy, The (Juv) – Molly Knox Ostertag

Large Type


All-American Murder – James Patterson
And Then All Hell Broke Loose: Two Decades in the Middle East – Richard Engle
The Chalk Man – C.J. Tudor
Disrupt Aging – Joann Jenkins
The End of Memory: A Natural History of Aging and Alzheimer's – Jay Ingram 
Fall From Grace – Danielle Steel
Get What's Yours for Medicare – Philip Moeller
Hi, Anxiety: Life With a Bad Case of Nerves – Kat Kinsman
Modified: GMOs and the Threat to Our Food – Caitlin Shetterly
Operator Down – Brad Taylor
The Wife – Alafair Burke
Unbound - Stuart Woods 

Audiobooks

All-American Murder – James Patterson
The Better Brain Solution – Steven Masley M.D.
Carnegie's Maid – Marie Benedict 
The Chalk Man – C.J. Tudor
The Girls in the Picture – Melanie Benjamin
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DVDs


Amanda and Jack Go Glamping
American Made
Battle of the Sexes
Better Call Saul: Season 3
Brad's Status
Breathe
Detroit
Fire at Sea
The Flash: Season 3
Flatliners 
Goodbye Christopher Robin
Happy Death Day
Heal Documentary: Change Your Mind. Change Your Body. Change Your Life.
It
Killing Gunther
The Killing of a Sacred Deer
Love at First Glance
Love Locks
Manhunt: Unabomber
Mark Felt – The Man Who Brought Down the White House
The Mountain Between Us
My Little Pony: The Movie 
A Question of Faith
Stronger
The Snowman
Thank You For Your Service
VA: The Human Cost of War (Documentary)

JANUARY TRIVIA QUIZ

1) The birthstone for January is the?

- a. Ruby
- b. Garnet
- c. Diamond
- d. Emerald



2) Which of the following American presidents was born in January?

- a. Bill Clinton
- b. Richard Nixon
- c. Ronald Reagan
- d. Barack Obama



3) What is the American birth flower for the month of January?

- a. Daisy
- b. Snowdrop
- c. Morning Glory
- d. Honeysuckle



4) What American holiday is celebrated on the third Monday of January?

- a. Washington's Birthday
- b. Memorial Day
- c. Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- d. Columbus Day



5) Which of the following astrological signs represent January 20th to February 18th?

- a. Aquarius
- b. Libra
- c. Cancer
- d. Capricorn



6) In the United States, January is national...

- a. Black History Month
- b. Blood Donor Month
- c. Parent Leadership Month
- d. School Success Month



7) The Japanese New Year's is celebrated on what days that fall in January?

- a. 1st to 3rd
- b. 3rd to 5th
- c. 2nd to 4th
- d. 4th to 6th



8) Except for leap years, January always begins on the same day as what other month?

- a. May
- b. October
- c. June
- d. July



9) Which of the following authors was born in January?

- a. J.R.R. Tolkien
- b. J.K. Rowling
- c. Stephen King
- d. Mark Twain



10) National Trivia Day falls on what day in January?

- a. 4th
- b. 8th
- c. 12th
- d. 16th



11) January has 31 days. How many other months also have 31 days?






- a. Five
- b. Seven
- c. Six
- d. Eight



1) B 4) c 7) a 10) a
2) b 5) a 8) b 11) b
3) B 6) b 9) a

Answers

January 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
7 	1  Happy New Year!	2	3	4	5	6 Plaln Party ~ Community Service Project 11:00-4:00
14 	15	16	17 Tales with Tails 5:30-7:00 Yoga Nidra 11:00 Disaster Preparedness 7:00	18	19	20 Mother Goose on the Loose 10:30 Rockin' Readers 11:30
21	22 Mother Goose on the Loose 9:30 	23 Reading ABCs 10:30 Photo Preservation Workshop 7:00	24 Human Trafficking Seminar 7:00	25	26	27 Mother Goose on the Loose 10:30 Reading Booster 11:30 RJ Spangler Quartet 1:00
28 	29 Mother Goose on the Loose 9:30	30 Reading ABCs 10:30 Book Club~Murder on the Orient Express 7:00	31	<p>“Youth is when you’re allowed to stay up late on New Year’s Eve. Middle age is when you’re forced to. Happy New Year!”</p> 