A Voice for the Voiceless
Macomb Humane Society
March 16, Saturday at 1pm:
The Humane Society of Macomb provides a wide range of services and promotes education in a variety of areas, all relating to animals. Each year, this no-kill shelter takes in and adopts out hundreds of cats and dogs. Come and hear how this growing facility operates on a daily basis, the programs it offers, how it is involved in the community, and what you can do to be a friend to animals. We will also be accepting donations of pet food and pet supplies at the event.

Ready to Read Michigan Story Time
March 19, Tuesday at 10:30am
Join us Tuesday, March 19 at 10:30 a.m. for a story, songs, fingerplays & other activities during this “Ready to Read Michigan” story time for families with infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Featured book: Touch the Brightest Star by Christie Matheson
No pre-registration is necessary.

The Library of Michigan’s Ready to Read Michigan program encourages reading aloud regularly to children during the early stages of life (birth up to age 5), as it ensures the development of early literacy skills and instills a love of reading. The program is designed for public librarians to model early literacy skill development directly to families and engage in outreach to early childhood centers, classroom and daycares throughout their community.
Current Happenings

March 5th, Wednesday at 7pm: Del's Community Chair Yoga
This group has been formed to bring together those who want to connect and move together in a supportive environment. We use chairs to support our foundation so that we can move with ease while enjoying the benefits of the yoga experience. Please bring an open heart and a mat or blanket so we can seal our practice with a wonderful shavasana. Class will start promptly at 7pm, so feel free to arrive a little early and get settled in!

Saturday, March 9 at 1pm: Irish Yoga
Yoga doesn't have to be so serious! In this Irish Yoga class, we will share a few jokes and learn some Irish proverbs while relaxing the mind and strengthening the body. This is a basic level class, with easier modifications available for anyone who needs it. Wear comfortable clothing (especially green or orange!), bring a mat, towel or blanket to sit on, and bring your family or best buddies for a good healthy workout.

March 13, Wednesday at 11am: Home Improvement and Repair: Senior Seminar - Allison Bonacci from MI Attorney General
Come to the library to learn the telltale signs of home repair scams, unscrupulous contractors, and how to navigate the home improvement process. This program is provided by the Michigan Attorney General's office.

March 13th, Wednesday at 7pm: Anti-Inflammatory Diet
Inflammation can cause or worsen many health problems. In this seminar, Renee Pokoj from Organic Stepping Stones will share simple changes that may improve your overall health with a bonus of weight loss too. The focus of this class is all about the foods to consume and those to temporarily avoid.

March 20, Wednesday at 7pm: Secret Detroit-Karen Dybis
What does salt mine, a former nuclear missile storage site, and a Quonset hut community have in common? Come to the library to hear Karen Dybis, the author of "Secret Detroit", fill us in on all the hidden details of the Motor City. Books will be available for purchase and signing by the author.

March 23, Saturday at 1pm: Craft Hour

March 26, Tuesday at 7pm: Book Club - Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate

March 27, Tuesday at 7pm: Trivia Night
Test your trivia skills and have a relaxing, fun evening at the library. You can register as a team of 1-6 people, or we can pair you up at the event if you don't want to play solo. Prizes will be awarded to the highest scoring team, and refreshments will be served!

Friday, March 29th from 9-4: Tax Prep at Library
Macomb County Veterans Services and the IRS VITA program are partnering with the Harrison Township Public Library to provide free tax help for both military veterans and those whose annual family income is less than $55,000. Appointments are required! Call the Macomb County Veterans Services at 586-463-2537 to set up a time, and then come to the library with your required documents.
Winter 2019 Children’s Classes & Events

**Special Events**

**Rockin’ Readers**  
Children’s Story and Craft  
No registration is necessary.

Select Saturdays at 11:30 am  
Appropriate for approximate ages 4-9.

* March 16: Papercraft Dogs

**Middle Grades Movie Book Club**  
Registration is required.

Saturday, March 9 at 3:00 pm  
*The House with a Clock in its Walls* by John Bellairs. Register by January 18 to receive a free copy of the book. Then join us on March 9 to watch the movie, eat popcorn, and discuss the book and movie.

**Weekly Classes**

**No registration is necessary.**

**Mother Goose on the Loose**  
Mondays 9:30-10:00  
Saturdays 10:30-11:00  
A fun, interactive lap-sit class featuring traditional rhymes and songs for infants, toddlers, and their caregivers.

**Reading ABCs**  
Tuesdays 10:30-11:00  
Stories, rhymes, music, and learning

**Tales with Tails: Read to a Dog!**  
Registration is required.  
Wednesday: March 13 from 5:30-7:00 pm  
Reading to a dog helps children build skills and confidence! Register for a 15-minute time slot to read to therapy dog Bailey, a gentle yellow lab who loves to hear stories.

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Coming in March 2019

Fiction
The Aftermath—Rhidian Brook
All the Wrong Places—Joy Fielding
American Spy—Lauren Wilkinson
Beautiful Bad—Annie Ward
Before She Knew Him—Peter Swanson
The Border—Don Winslow
Broken Bone China—Laura Childs
California Girls—Susan Mallery
Call Me Evie—J.P. Pomare
Celtic Empire—Clive Cussler
Cemetery Road—Greg Iles
Chocolate Cream Pie Murder—Joanne Fluke
Crashing Heat—Richard Castle
Daisy Jones & the Six—Taylor Jenkins Reid
The Devil Aspect—Craig Russell
The Fifth Doctrine—Karen Robards
The First Lady—James Patterson
Full Figured 13—Mona Love
Gingerbread—Helen Oyeyemi
Good Omens—Neil Gaiman
The Good Shepherd—C.S. Forester
Her Father’s Secret—Sara Blaedel
The Huntress—Kate Quinn
If Cats Disappeared from the World—Genki Kawamura
If, Then—Kate Hope Day
In Another Time—Jillian Cantor
Inspection—Josh Malerman
The Island of Sea Women—Lisa See
A Justified Murder—Jude Deveraux
The Last Act—Brad Parks
The Last Man—Hayden Christensen
The Last Woman in the Forest—Diane Les Becquets
The Last Year of the War—Susan Meissner
A Lethal Legacy—Heather Graham
The Liar's Child—Carla Buckley
The Lost Night—Andrea Bartz
Love Poems (For Married People)—John Kenney
The Malta Exchange—Steve Berry
Me for You—Lolly Winston
The Perfect Alibi—Phillip Margolin
The Persian Gamble—Joel C. Rosenberg
Queenie—Candice Carty-Williams
The River—Peter Heller
Run Away—Harlan Coben
Say Nothing—Patrick Radden Keefe
Silent Night—Danielle Steel
The Stranger Diaries—Elly Griffiths
 Suspicious Minds—Gwenda Bond
Toxic Game—Christine Feehan
Unto Us a Son Is Given—Donna Leon
Vacuum in the Dark—Jen Beagin
The Wall—John Lanchester
When All Is Said—Anne Griffin
When You Are Near—Tracie Peterson
The Wife—Meg Wolitzer
The Wolf and the Watchman—Niklas Natt Och Dag
Wolf Pack—C.J. Box
Woman 99—Greer Macallister
The Woman in the Dark—Vanessa Savage

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**Non-fiction**
Container Gardener's Handbook—Frances Tophill
Don't Stop Believin'—Olivia Newton-John
Girl, Stop Apologizing—Rachel Hollis
Good Moms Have Scary Thoughts—Karen Kleiman
Guardians of Detroit: Architectural Sculpture in the Motor City—Jeff Morrison
Home-Prepared Dog and Cat Diets—Patricia Schenck
Hyperbole and a Half—Allie Brosh
Mama's Last Hug: Animal and Human Emotions—F.B.M. De Waal
On Drinking—Charles Bukowski
Outer Order, Inner Calm—Gretchen Rubin
See You in the Piazza—Frances Mayes
Shoot for the Moon: The Space Race and the Extraordinary Voyage of Apollo 11—James Donovan
Silent No More—Jerome R. Corsi
Sissy: A Coming of Gender Story—Jacob Tobia
So Here's the Thing...:Notes on Growing Up, Getting Older, and Trusting your Gut—Alyssa Mastromonaco
The Theft of America's Soul—Phil Robertson
The Trial of Lizzie Borden—Cara Robertson

**Audiobooks**
Before She Knew Him—Peter Swanson
Celtic Empire—Clive Cussler
Don't Stop Believin'—Olivia Newton-John
The First Lady—James Patterson
Girl, Stop Apologizing—Rachel Hollis
The Huntress—Kate Quinn
In Another Time—Jillian Cantor
The Malta Exchange—Steve Berry
The Persian Gamble—Joel C. Rosenberg
The River—Peter Heller
Run Away—Harlan Coben
Wolf Pack—C.J. Box

**Large Type**
All the Wrong Places—Joy Fielding
Cemetery Road—Greg Iles
**DVDs and TV Shows**

- Ben is Back
- Between Worlds
- Big Kill
- Can You Ever Forgive Me?
- Chesapeake Shores: Season 3
- Creed II
- Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald
- The Favourite
- Free Solo
- Gotham: Season 4
- Green Book
- Gunpowder
- House of Cards: Season 6
- I am Elizabeth Smart
- Instant Family
- Jamestown: Seasons 1 and 2
- The Last Ship: Season 5
- London Fields
- Mary Poppins Returns
- Mary, Queen of Scots
- The Mercy
- Mortal Engines
- The Vanishing

**March 2019 Youth Book Orders**

**Title (Juv, E, or YA) – Author**

29 Dates (YA) – Melissa De La Cruz

Amelia Bedelia Under the Weather (E) – Herman Parish

Biscuit Loves the Park (E) – Alyssa Satin Capucilli

Black Enough: Stories of Being Young & Black in America (YA) – Ibi Zoboi

Cardboard Kingdom, The (Juv) – Chad Sell

Cars and Trucks Book, The (E) – Todd Parr

Chicken Talk (E) – Patricia MacLachlan

Click! (Juv) – Kayla Miller

Daniel Can Dance (E) – Delphine Finnegan

Dragon Pearl (Juv) – Yoon Ha Lee

Dread Nation (YA) – Justina Ireland

Dr. Seuss’s 1 2 3 (E) – Dr. Seuss

Dumbo (E) – Christy Webster

Everless (YA) – Sara Holland

Evermore (YA) – Sara Holland

Float, Flutter (E) – Marilyn Singer

Fork, the Witch, and the Worm, The (YA) – Christopher Paolini

Friendship War, The (Juv) – Andrew Clements

Genesis Begins Again (Juv) – Alicia D. Williams

Gilded Wolves, The (YA) – Roshani Chokshi

Girl King, The (YA) – Mimi Yu

Goose Egg, The (E) – Liz Wong

Great Leprechaun Chase, The (E) – James Dean

Hands Up (E) – Breanna McDaniel

Hilo 1: The Boy Who Crashed to Earth (Juv) – Judd Winick

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I Need a Hug (E) – Aaron Blabey
I’ll Love You Till the Cows Come Home (E) – Kathryn Cristaldi
Impossible Crime, The (Juv) – Mac Barnett
Kitten Trouble (E) – Nick Bruel
Lord of Shadows (YA) – Cassandra Clare
Love, Z (Juv) – Jessie Sima
Max & the Midnights (Juv) – Lincoln Peirce
Mia Mayhem is a Superhero (Juv) – Kara West
Mortal Engines (YA) – Phillip Reeve
My Heart (Juv) – Corinna Luyken
Neighbors, The (E) – Einat Tsarfati
P is for Pterodactyly: The Worst Alphabet Book Ever (E) – Raj Haldar
Peep and Ducky: It’s Snowing! (E) – David Martin
Pete the Kitty and the Case of the Hiccups (E) – James Dean
Pinkalicious and the Flower Fairy (E) – Victoria Kann
Poof! A Bot! (E) – David Milgrim
Pride (YA) – Ibi Zoboi
Robot in Love (E) – T. L. McBeth
Roots of Rap, The: 16 Bars on the 4 Pillars of Hip-Hop (Juv) – Carole Boston Weatherford
Queen of Air and Darkness (YA) – Cassandra Clare

Sealed with a Kiss (YA) – Beth Ferry
Share Fair, The (E) – Delphine Finnegan
Slayer (YA) – Kiersten White
Snakes on a Train (E) – Kathryn Dennis
Space Heroes (E) – Hannah Dolan
Squares, Rectangles, and Other Quadrilaterals (E) – David A. Adler
Stronger, Faster, and More Beautiful (YA) – Arwen Elys Dayton
There Are No Bears in This Bakery (E) – Julia Sarcone-Roach
This Old Band (E) – Tamera Will Wissinger
Terrible Two’s Last Laugh, The (Juv) – Mac Barnett
Two Can Keep a Secret (YA) – Karen M. McManus
Unteachables, The (Juv) – Gordon Korman
Warriors in Winter (Juv) – Mary Pope Osborne
We Are Displaced (YA) – Malala Yousafzai
What is Given From the Heart (E) – Pat McKissack
Who? A Celebration of Babies (E) – Robie H. Harris

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