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Library Link

Programs for Children, Teens & Adults at the Upper Arlington Public Library



Lyn Ford shares stories and the power of human connection.



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We're Fine-Free!

The Upper Arlington Public Library has gone fine-free! Most library items no longer accrue overdue fines. No fines means fewer barriers to all our materials!

A couple things to note: patrons are still responsible for items they borrow, and lost items will be subject to replacement fees. Items obtained through the SearchOhio and OhioLINK programs are still subject to fines.

See a staff member for more information about this change.

Elevator Out of Order at Tremont

The elevator at the Main Library is scheduled to be unavailable for approximately 6 weeks beginning November 11 as we perform a major upgrade and modernization.

If you're unable to use the stairs and need something from the Reference Department, please see a staff member on the first floor. We'll be happy to assist you.

Friends Fall Book Sale

The Friends of the Upper Arlington Public Library will hold its Fall Book Sale from November 3-17 in the atrium of the Main Library.

You'll find a large selection of used books, DVDs, CDs, vinyl records, magazines and more. Most books are priced from 25¢ to \$3. A special presale just for those with current, paid memberships will be held on the first day, Sunday, November 3 from 12-1 p.m. Memberships will be available for purchase or renewal onsite.

On the final day of the sale, Sunday, November 17, Friends members can fill a paper grocery bag with books for just \$5. Nonmember price is \$10 per bag.

Because of quarterly book sales, permanent in-library book stores, and memberships, the Friends are able to provide thousands of dollars of support to the Library each year.

Director Chris Taylor Retires

After seven years of leadership at the Upper Arlington Public Library, and 28 years serving at other libraries, Director Chris Taylor will retire on October 1.

During her tenure, the Library joined the Central Library Consortium, introduced a new catalog system, underwent facility upgrades, debuted the Upper Arlington Author Series, and added passport services.

"Chris is an excellent administrator," says John Yesso, President of the Library's Board of Trustees. "She has the library running both effectively and efficiently while being fiscally responsible. She is a true team player that has worked with the staff to be a high performing team. Chris is also very involved in the community."

In September, UA City Council President Kip Greenhill will present Chris with a proclamation honoring her service to Upper Arlington.

At press time, the Library's Board of Trustees is conducting a search for a new director.



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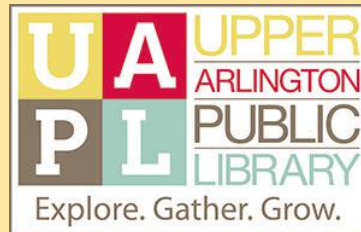
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Registration: Please register through our online program calendar at www.ualibrary.org. If you register for a program and are unable to attend, please call the library to cancel.

Photography: Video and photos are occasionally taken of library activities for use in future online and print promotions. If you prefer that you or your child not be photographed, please notify the photographer.

More info: Find more information from the Library in the quarterly *City Insight* publication.

On the cover: We're partnering with Equal UA to welcome Affrilachian storyteller Lyn Ford on October 26. See page 7.



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2800 Tremont Road (614) 486-9621

ADULTS

The Mobile Library

Wed., September 11 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

Registration now open

Celebrate the launch of the library's new digital audiobook app, RBdigital. Find out how to sign up for RBdigital and download eAudiobooks. Get an overview of the library's digital download and streaming services, including Hoopla, Kanopy and more. We offer music, movies, eBooks and audiobooks. Bring your own device, or watch a demonstration using library devices.

Book Circle: *Little Fires Everywhere*

Wed., September 18 at 1:30 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 90 min.

No registration

Join us for an informal discussion of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng.

Storyville: An Evening of Live Storytelling

Thurs., September 19 at 7 p.m.

Thurs., October 17 at 7 p.m.

Thurs., November 21 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 90 min.

No registration

Storytelling is an ancient tradition that has remained popular even in this

digital age. Join us for an evening of live storytelling where you are sure to be charmed, entertained, inspired and connected. Also, you'll have opportunities to try storytelling in a supportive, enthusiastic environment. This program is for adults and teens 15+.

Naloxone Training

Tues., September 24 at 6:30 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2 hrs.

Registration now open

A Project Dawn team from **Franklin County Public Health** will lead a community naloxone training. Learn about the biology of addiction, factors that can lead to addiction, and substance abuse prevention strategies. You'll learn

ART HISTORY: Italian Baroque

Columbus College of Art and Design instructor Ann Shifflet explores 17th century Italian artists.

Gianlorenzo Bernini

Fri., September 20 at 12:30 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Gianlorenzo Bernini was best known for his sculpture but was also an architect, painter and playwright. We'll discuss Bernini's works including his sculptures of David and Saint Teresa, the piazza and Baldacchino of St. Peter's, and the Fountain of the Four Rivers. We'll analyze how the Roman Catholic Church helped shape the direction of his art during the Counter-Reformation.

Caravaggio

Fri., October 11 at 12:30 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Although he died young and had a tumultuous life, Caravaggio's

impact on was undeniable. Caravaggio infused religious scenes with drama, realism and emotion. We will discuss Caravaggio's early paintings, his mature works depicting saints and religious scenes, and why he was considered so controversial.

Artemisia Gentileschi

Fri., November 8 at 12:30 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

We conclude by examining Artemisia Gentileschi, a rare example of a successful female artist. Taught by her father, Orazio, Artemisia Gentileschi's work shows her appreciation of Caravaggio's style, but her subjects and voice were unique. She often portrayed Catholic scenes of saints, but her ability to portray female figures and psychological states was extraordinary. We will also discuss her life and how gender affected her career.



Self-Portrait as Saint Catherine of Alexandria, (1615-1617) by Artemisia Gentileschi

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the signs of an opiate overdose, and how to assist someone experiencing one. Participants will receive a Naloxone nasal spray kit.

Cut the Cord

Wed., September 25 at 7 p.m.

Wed., November 20 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

Registration now open

One of our most popular programs is back! It sounds simple: cancel your cable and watch TV and movies over the Internet. But what should you sign up for?

We'll talk about streaming services and devices, and what you need to become a successful cord cutter.

Opera on Film: *Andrea Chénier*

Sun., October 6 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2½ hrs.

No registration

Andrea Chénier is an opera in four acts by Umberto Giordano, and was first performed in 1896 at La Scala, Milan. The story is based loosely on the life of the French poet André Chénier (1762–1794), who was executed during the French

Revolution. **Christopher Purdy**, Classical 101 host and producer, will provide insight about the opera. Performed in Italian with English subtitles.

Password Managers 101

Tues., October 8 at 12 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

Registration now open

Explore popular password managers for your computer and mobile devices: what they are, and how to find the right one for your needs.

Meditation as Medicine

Join Brianna Schiavoni, licensed mental health counselor and wellness instructor, to learn about three popular types of meditation that will boost your health. Presented in partnership with the Upper Arlington Commission on Aging.

Mindfulness as Medicine:

Meditation

Mon., September 23 at 1 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

Registration now open

Brianna will get you familiar with the various meditation practices and applications before delving into "Mindfulness Meditation" — a particular approach that teaches you to harness your attention for personal insight and stress reduction. Please

wear comfortable clothes and bring a clipboard or something hard that you can write on.

Movement as Medicine:

Intro to Movement-Based Meditation

Mon., September 30 at 1 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

Registration now open

Discover a variety of accessible movement-based meditation techniques that are particularly helpful for those who have difficulty

sustaining attention, or those who would benefit from added body awareness. Please wear loose fitting clothing and shoes that easily slip off.

Deep Guided Relaxation as Medicine: Intro to Yoga Nidra

Mon., October 7 at 1 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

Registration now open

Experience an ancient guided practice called Yoga Nidra during which you'll be systematically guided through relaxation techniques while resting motionless in a supine or seated position. Please bring a yoga mat, blanket and/or bolster if you have them and wear comfortable clothing.



Early Childhood Conference and Expo

Learn about behavior, friendships, early literacy and more at this event geared toward parents and caregivers of children ages 2-5.

Sat., October 5; 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Registration is free & opens Sept. 21 at <https://earlychildhoodparenting.eventbrite.com>.

We're pleased to partner with Burbank Early Childhood School to present the first Early Childhood Parenting Conference and Resource Expo. The conference will feature experts from the Upper Arlington School District and include the topics of behaviors, friendships, early literacy, zones of regulation, special education, and routines all centered around the joys and challenges of nurturing young children.

The resource expo will include a wide range of organizations such as UA Student Services, Cover to Cover Books for Young Readers, Action for Children - Positive Parenting, Columbus Speech and Hearing, Ohio Center for Autism and Low Incidence, Triple P Parenting, and Northwest Eye Care InfantSEE®.

Emotion Regulation

10:30 a.m.; Friends Theater; 45 min.

Presenter: Amie White

Problem behaviors can be tough to prevent. We'll give you some proactive and positive ideas for counteracting negative behavior.

Friendship

10:30 a.m.; Meeting Room B; 45 min.

Presenters: Holly Witzel & Deb Henwood

Preschoolers have the potential to create rich friendships with other children. Learn how you can facilitate friendships in your child.

Early Literacy

11:30 a.m.; Friends Theater; 45 min.

Presenter: Deb Amling

It's critical to lay the foundation for ways you can promote early literacy through meaningful everyday interactions.

Zones of Regulation

11:30 a.m.; Meeting Room B; 45 min.

Presenter: Jonni Ford

The Zones of Regulation is a curriculum that is used in all Upper Arlington elementaries to teach emotional awareness and self-regulation. We'll explain some ways that you can help teach the Zones at home.

Special Education

12:30 p.m.; Friends Theater; 45 min.

Presenters: Dr. Jacklyn Angle or Dr. Kevin Gorman

Learn what to do if you suspect your child might be behind their peers in a developmental area, like speaking or social skills. We'll chat about the process kids go through to receive a free evaluation through the Upper Arlington School District.

Routines

12:30 p.m.; Meeting Room B; 45 min.

Presenters: Susan Laux and Buffy Bolen

Everyday routines are parts of the day that are regular and predictable, like mealtime and bedtime. See how these times are opportunities to promote social skills and independence.

Monsoon Postcards

Tues., October 8 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater

No registration

Join historian and journalist **David Mould** for a discussion of his newest book, *Monsoon Postcards*. David will talk about his trip across the Indian Ocean from Madagascar through India and Bangladesh to Indonesia — an unpredictable journey on battered buses, bush taxis, auto-rickshaws and crowded ferries. Along the way, he meets journalists, professors, students, aid workers, cab drivers, and slum-dwellers to learn how they view their past and future. *Monsoon Postcards* offers offbeat, witty and insightful glimpses into four countries linked by history, trade, migration, religion and a colonial legacy.

Live at the Library: Grayhawk

Thurs., October 10 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Grayhawk will play acoustic metal music that will whisk you away to foreign lands. The airy guitar passages and lead singer Zac Szymusiak's rumbling, earthy vocals combine to paint a picture of mystic mountain valleys.

Red Cross Blood Drive

Sat., October 12; 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Meeting Room B & Friends Theater

No registration

Make an appointment at www.redcrossblood.org with sponsor code "UAPL".

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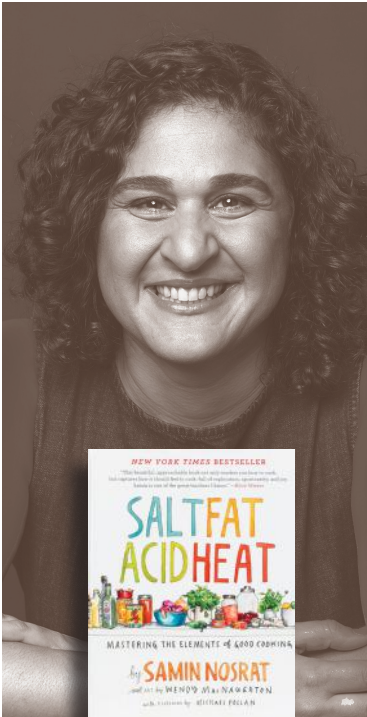
Tues., October 15 at 12 p.m.

Meeting Room B

Registration is now open

Discover how to create, save, and share documents, spreadsheets, and presentations using Google Drive. An email address is required for this class; participants who do not already have Google accounts will learn how to create one.

MAIN LIBRARY PROGRAMS



Book Circle: *Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat*
Wed., October 16 at 1:30 p.m.
Meeting Room B; 90 min.
No registration

An informal discussion of *Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat: Mastering the Elements of Good Cooking* by Samin Nosrat.

Author Samin Nosrat
Sun., October 20 at 2 p.m.
UA High School Auditorium; 1650 Ridgeview Rd.
Tickets at www.ualibrary.org

Samin Nosrat, author and host of Netflix's *Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat*, will speak at the 2019 Upper Arlington Author Series. VIP reception at 5:30 p.m. at 1400 Food Lab, 1400 Dublin Rd. Presented through a partnership of the Library and the UA Community Foundation.

Medicare Update

Mon., October 21 at 6 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2 hrs.

Register by phone at (614) 583-5326

Local Medicare experts with the Upper Arlington Commission on Aging and Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program will present Medicare 2020 updates. Get important information that you may not know, such as how to appeal a bill with Medicare, how to get extra help paying for your plan, and how to evaluate your drug plan for the upcoming year.

Introduction to the Cloud

Tues., October 22 at 12 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

No registration

Learn about different cloud computing services, from Google Drive to iCloud

Fall Film Series *Explore "This American Life" with film scholar Steve Hunt.*

Mr. Smith Goes to Washington

Sun., September 29 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2½ hrs.

No registration

When the idealistic Jefferson Smith (James Stewart) winds up appointed to the United States Senate, he gains the mentorship of Senator Joseph Paine. However, the two soon become rivals. (NR, 1939, 129 min.)

The Searchers

Sun., October 13 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2½ hrs.

No registration

In this movie, named the greatest American Western by the American Film Institute, Ethan Edwards (John Wayne) returns to Texas after the Civil War. When members of his brother's family are killed, or abducted by Comanches, he vows to track down his

surviving relatives and bring them home. (NR, 1956, 120 min.)

Killer of Sheep

Sun., October 27 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2½ hrs.

No registration

In Watts, Stan (Henry Gayle Sanders) toils away at a local slaughterhouse. The stress of his profession seeps into his personal life as he struggles to keep his family afloat and content. (NR, 1978, 120 min.)

Nashville

Sun., November 3 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2½ hrs.

No registration

This cornerstone of 1970s moviemaking from Robert Altman is a panoramic view of the country's political and cultural landscapes. Set in the nation's music

capital, *Nashville* weaves the stories of 24 characters — from country star to wannabe to reporter to waitress — into a cinematic tapestry that is equal parts comedy, tragedy, and musical. (Rated R, 1975, 160 min.)

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The Power of Human Connection

Sat., October 26 at 10:30 a.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Listen to well-known Affrilachian storyteller **Lyn Ford** share authentic stories about her experience as an Affrilachian American and the power of story to bridge differences and strengthen connections. Lyn is a fourth-generation, nationally recognized Affrilachian storyteller as well as a published author and an award-winning recording artist. Presented in partnership with Equal UA.

Book Circle: *The Haunting of Hill House*

Wed., October 30 at 1:30 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 90 min.

No registration

Join us for an informal discussion of *The Haunting of Hill House* by Shirley Jackson.

Leather Bracelet Workshop

Sat., November 2 at 10:30 a.m.

Meeting Room B; 90 min.

Registration now open

Using the kumihimo braiding technique, make an eight-strand leather bracelet that is sure to impress. You'll leave with a bracelet for yourself or a great gift. Registration is limited. Supplies are provided.

The Bogeyman Exists and He's in Your Child's Back Pocket

Mon., November 4 at 7 p.m. for middle school parents

Thurs., November 7 at 7 p.m.: for elementary school parents

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Join The Stand Project and Syntero for a discussion of the Community Read book, *The Bogeyman Exists and He's In Your Child's Back Pocket*. Children may be exposed to cyberbullying, sexting, sexual predation and illegal substances. The discussion about safety needs to begin the first time your child uses a tablet or smartphone. Counselors from Upper Arlington Schools will talk about strategies for digital safety and how to have that conversation with your child.

The Holistic Woman's Guide: Mind, Body and Financial Health

***Don't miss this series
exploring topics to protect
and build quality of life for
you and your family.***

A Healthy Mindset

Tues., October 15 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Jessica Englehart, Senior Mindfulness Clinician with OhioHealth, will talk about cultivating a healthy mindset through mindfulness, exercise and stress reduction. **Victoria Hayward**, Senior Vice President and Financial Advisor with Morgan Stanley, will discuss how your mindset is connected to your financial health and the importance of anticipating ongoing and future financial needs women face through their various roles and life transitions and strategies for preparing for them.

Nutrition to Feed Your Brain

Tues., October 22 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Good nutrition is essential for a healthy body and healthy brain. Learn about the best foods to feed your brain and about strategies to maintain good financial health. Registered Dietitian Nutritionist **Lori Chong** will talk about nutrition to help protect a healthy mind and life. **Victoria Hayward** of Morgan Stanley will continue her discussion about the importance of anticipating the financial needs that women face through their various roles and life transitions.

Protecting Your Data and Your Assets

Tues., October 29 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

The Internet is a powerful tool for information and communication, but without proper precautions your data and assets can be vulnerable. Intellectual Property Attorney **Donna Ruscitti** will talk you through the basic steps you should take to safeguard your data and assets. **Victoria Hayward** of Morgan Stanley will conclude her discussion of how women can anticipate and prepare for their ongoing and future financial needs.

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Free Resources to Help You Master WordPress

Tues., November 5 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Are you one of the many people who maintain a blog or website using WordPress? Discover the many free sites and tools that are available with tips, tricks and answers. Presented by Upper Arlington resident and WordPress enthusiast **Tim O'Haver**.

Smart Home for the Holidays

Wed., November 6 at 7 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.

Registration now open

Before you add an Amazon Echo, Google Home, or Nest device to your home, join us to compare devices and learn what each can do, and how you can link smart home devices to your existing technology to customize your home.

Time and Change: 150 Years of The Ohio State University

Wed., November 6 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

The Ohio State University is celebrating 150 years of its history, landmarks, and traditions. University Archivist **Tamar Chute** discusses the university's past through historical photographs of the campus and its people. Learn more about its founding and the ways in which today's university reflects the hopes of its earliest years.

Chatterbox with Columbus Speech and Hearing

Thurs., November 7 at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Department; 60 min.

No registration

Meet and chat with a speech-language pathologist from the **Columbus Speech and Hearing Center** for a casual Q & A

about your child's speech and language development, and how you can naturally support your child's communication development at home during everyday routines and activities.

Author Karen Harper

Sun., November 10 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2 hrs.

Registration now open

The Gilded Age was when steel tycoons, railroad barons, and sugar kings had more money than they could possibly spend. Though the U.S. Constitution forbade the government from bestowing titles of nobility, the allure of title was strong. The wealthy elite would often pay top-dollar dowries to marry their daughters into titles of nobility. Join *New York Times* bestselling author **Karen Harper** for a discussion of her recent book *American Duchess*, which tells the fascinating story of "dollar bride" Consuelo Vanderbilt.

Travel Talks

Uniglobe Travel Designers will offer tips on traveling to places around the globe.

Iceland

Tues., September 10 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Located at the top of the globe, Iceland boasts many unique

attractions including a spectacular view of the Northern Lights, glaciers, whales, and a stunning landscape. Join us for tips for a great trip. Topics include when to go, what documents you'll need, best airlines, navigating customs, safety, cultural differences, and can't miss attractions.

Dubai

Tues., October 1 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Dubai is the largest city in the United Arab Emirates and is the 4th most popular travel destination in the world. Dubai's beautiful beaches, epic shopping experiences, exceptional food, and incredible architecture draw visitors from all

over. If you're considering a trip to Dubai but don't know where to start, this program will help you set your plan in motion.

California Wine Country

Wed., November 13 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

California is known for its beautiful wine country where you can enjoy delicious wines, tour wineries, eat great food, and soak up the scenery. Hear travel tips about the best time to go, how far in advance to start booking your trip, what to pack, how to travel between wine regions, important attractions, and more.



Book Buzz

Tues., November 12 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Looking for a book for your book club or a holiday gift? Join librarians Jen Downing and Bonnie DeWitt for a discussion of books recently published and books that are co-ming soon.

Live at the Library: Viva la Strings

Thurs., November 14 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Viva La Strings is a chamber ensemble of young musicians. Their repertoire boasts a large

range, from well-known classical music to current rock and pop hits.

Explore Genealogy

Mon., November 18 at 7 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

No registration

Learn how to use free library resources to retrace your family tree. Librarian Megan Sheeran will show you helpful search strategies for finding better results.

Book and Film Discussion

Tues., November 19 at 6 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2½ hrs.

No registration

Discuss the book and see the film version of Meg Wolitzer's *The Wife*.



YOUTH

Books and Crafts for Kids

Tues., September 3 at 10 a.m.

Tues., September 10 at 10 a.m.

Tues., September 17 at 10 a.m.

Tues., September 24 at 10 a.m.

Youth Department; 2 hrs.

Ages 2-6

No registration

During storytime break, drop by between 10 a.m. and noon to read a featured picture book on your own and complete a craft inspired by the story. Multiple copies of the book will be available.

After School Activities & Crafts

Wednesdays at 3 p.m.

Youth Department; 60 min.

Grades K-5

No registration

Join us on Wednesdays from September 4-November 20 for an afternoon of crafts, activities and more.

Together Time for Babies

Thurs., September 5 at 10 a.m.

Thurs., September 12 at 10 a.m.

Thurs., September 19 at 10 a.m.

Thurs., September 26 at 10 a.m.

Youth Department; 2 hrs.

Ages 0-2 years

No registration

During storytime break, you and your baby can bond by reading board books and exploring toys on your own. For children 0-2 years and their caregivers. Drop in any time between 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

STEAM Storytime

Sat., September 7 at 10:30 a.m.

Sat., November 2 at 10:30 a.m.

Sat., November 30 at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Department; 45 min.

Ages 4-7

No registration

We'll explore STEAM ideas (science, technology, engineering, art and math) with stories, crafts and activities.

Make It and Take It Mondays

Mondays; 10:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

Youth Department

Kids

No registration

New day! Drop in on Mondays from September 9 through November 25 for a program designed to help children of all ages tap into their artistic expression. The emphasis is on the process, not the results.



StoryWalk Storytime: *That Pup*

Sat., September 14 at 11:30 a.m.

Fancyburg Park; 60 min.

All ages

No registration

Walk and read at the same time! Join us at the StoryWalk located at the playground at Fancyburg Park. We'll read the book *That Pup!* by Lindsay Barrett George and do a related activity.

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Author Margaret Peterson Haddix

Mon., September 23 at 6 p.m.

Friends Theater; 2 hrs.

All ages

Registration opens September 9

We're partnering with Cover to Cover Children's Books to welcome Ohioana and *New York Times* bestselling children's author **Margaret Peterson Haddix**. She is the author of many YA and middle grade novels, including the *Children of Exile* series, *The Missing* series, the *Under Their Skin* series, and her latest book, *Remarkables*. Cover to Cover will be onsite to sell copies of her books, and the author will be available to sign books at the end. Please register every person attending.

Scarf and Shaker Babytime

Sat., September 28 at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Department; 30 min.

Ages 0-2 years

No registration

Move and groove with scarves and shakers in this special storytime for babies.

ESOL Book Buddies

Thurs., October 3 at 4 p.m.

Thurs., October 10 at 4 p.m.

Thurs., October 17 at 4 p.m.

Thurs., October 24 at 4 p.m.

Friends Theater; 60 min.

Grades 1-3

Registration opens two weeks prior

Children in grades 1-3 who speak English as a second language will pair up with a local teen to practice reading skills and English conversation. Please register for each date you can attend.

Family Math Night

Wed., October 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Atrium; 90 min.

Grades K-5

No registration

Mathnasium of Upper Arlington presents Family Math Night, an opportunity for students and parents to play math games together in a fun and stress-free atmosphere. Games are geared towards providing kids an opportunity to learn quickly and on a deeper level. Enjoy a fun night together and win some prizes.

Bling Out a Pumpkin

Tues., October 22; 10:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

Youth Department

All ages

No registration

We'll provide one baby pumpkin per child along with fun materials to decorate each gourd. Supplies are limited and available while they last.

Pumpkin Parade

Sat., October 26 at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Department; 60 min.

All ages

No registration

Come dressed in your costume for this annual Halloween storytime. We'll read stories and do some rhymes, then parade around the library and enjoy a treat. Parade starts at 11 a.m.

Family Movie and Popcorn

Sat., October 26 at 2 p.m.

Sat., November 23 at 2 p.m.

Friends Theater; approx 2 hrs.

All ages

Free tickets available 20 min. prior

Bring the family to enjoy G or PG movies just released to DVD. We'll provide popcorn and candy, and you may bring your own drink with a lid. Children ages 9 and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Free tickets are required and will be available in the Youth Department 20 minutes before the movie starts.

Mommy & Me Halloween Yoga

Sun., October 27 at 1:30 p.m.

Youth Department; 60 min.

Pre-K

Registration opens October 13

Children's yoga instructor **Dayna Case** is back by popular demand for Spooktacular Partner Yoga. Bring your preschooler for this delightful, sometimes creepy yoga class. A Halloween book and fun music will set the tone for this creative partner yoga. Bring your mat, (we'll have a few extras) and your imagination. One child per adult. No costumes; wear comfy clothing.

Trick-or-Treat at the Library

Thurs., October 31 from 6-8 p.m.

2 hrs.

All ages

No registration

Trick-or-treating near the Library? Stop in to any of our locations for candy and show off your costume! We'll have treats in various spots inside the building.

Chatterbox with Columbus Speech and Hearing

Thurs., November 7 at 10:30 a.m.

Youth Department; 60 min.

No registration

Meet with a speech-language pathologist from the **Columbus Speech and Hearing Center** for a casual Q & A about your child's speech and language development, and how you can naturally support your child's communication development during everyday routines and activities.

Baby Shark Party

**Thurs., November 14
at 3:30 p.m.**

Youth Department; 90 min.
Grades K-5
No registration

All baby, mommy, daddy, grandma and grandpa sharks are invited to play games, make crafts, and dance to the popular song "Baby Shark." All ages are welcome but activities are geared toward grades K-5.

Board Game Café

Sun., November 24 at 2 p.m.

Atrium; 2 hrs.
All ages
No registration

Get a CLUE and come to the Board Game Café. You'll be SORRY! if you miss it! Coffee and tea will be available while you play classic board games and discover new ones. Open to all ages.

Drop-In Thanksgiving Craft

Wed., November 27; 10:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Youth Department
All ages
No registration

Stop by any time today to make a special holiday craft just in time for Thanksgiving.

TEENS

Teen Service Club

Tues., September 3 at 4 p.m.

Tues., October 1 at 4 p.m.

Tues., November 5 at 4 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.
Grades 6-12
No registration

Need service hours for school and/or want to give back to the community? Join our teen service club! Grades 6-12 are welcome and can earn service hours.

Anime Club

Tues., October 8 at 4 p.m.

Meeting Room B; 60 min.
Ages 11-18
No registration

Do you love instant ramen, binge-watching anime, or listening to hours of J- and/or K-pop, otherwise known as the finer things in life? Then join us for our inaugural Anime Enthusiast and Ramen Aficionados gathering. We'll watch our favorite shows, do crafts, and provide an instant-noodle bar.

ACT Crash Course

Sat., November 9 at 10:30 a.m.

Friends Theater; 5 hrs. (1 hr. lunch break)

Grades 9-12

Registration opens October 26

Dr. Srinath Sampath from PrepAccelerator.com is offering a 4-hour rigorous and fast-paced crash course that focuses on problem-solving for all sections of the ACT plus the optional writing section.

Morning Session (10:30-12:30): Covers ACT overview, English, reading, and writing.

Lunch (12:30-1:30, not provided)

Afternoon Session (1:30-3:30): Covers math, science, and test-taking tips.

LANE ROAD LIBRARY PROGRAMS

ADULTS

The Free-Form No-Homework Book Club

Wed., September 4 at 7 p.m.

Wed., October 2 at 7 p.m.

Wed., November 6 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

No registration

No assignments, no deconstruction. Just a group of book lovers talking about their latest reads and discovering their next ones, trading tips for using Goodreads and Novelist, and exploring new genres.

Tech Assist

Sat., September 7 at 11 a.m.

Sat., October 5 at 11 a.m.

Sat., November 2 at 11 a.m.

Sat., November 30 at 11 a.m.

60 min.

Registration now open

Learn how to access books, audiobooks, magazines, music, television, movies, and comics on your computer, tablet, or smartphone. It's all free with your library card!

Board Game Café

Sun., September 8 at 1 p.m.

Sun., October 6 at 1 p.m.

Sun., November 3 at 1 p.m.

3½ hrs.

All ages

No registration

Get a CLUE and come to the Board Game Café. Take your TICKET TO RIDE and journey to CATAN. You'll be SORRY! if you miss it! Coffee and tea will be available while you play classic board games and discover new ones. Open to all ages.

Book Circle: Little Fires Everywhere

Tues., September 17 at 7 p.m.

90 min

No registration

Join us for an informal discussion of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng.

Let's Speak English

Wednesdays at 1 p.m. from September 18-December 11

Mondays at 1 p.m. from September 30-December 16

90 min.

Registration opens September 1

This weekly class is a great opportunity for adults to practice English with ESOL trained volunteers. Build your confidence and English speaking skills!

College Scholarships and Financial Aid 101

Thurs., October 3 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

Registration now open

Are you thinking about applying to college or graduate school? Are you a parent of a child about to enroll in college? Join us for a presentation on how to find and apply for scholarships and other financial aid. Buckeye Link counselors from The Ohio State University are our presenters.

Repurposed Book Crafts

Wed., October 9 at 3:30 p.m.

2 hrs.

All ages

No registration

Help us recycle our broken books by creating awesome repurposed book crafts. We'll have some festive spooky craft ideas to get you into the Halloween spirit!

Book Circle: Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat

Tues., October 15 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

No registration

Join us for an informal discussion of *Salt, Fat, Acid, Heat: Mastering the Elements of Good Cooking* by Samin Nosrat.

Streaming Devices & Services

Thurs., October 24 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

Registration now open

We'll demo popular streaming devices like Roku, Amazon Fire Stick, and Apple TV. We'll also take a look at popular streaming services like Netflix and Hulu and explore some live TV streaming options as well.

Book Circle: *The Haunting of Hill House*

Tues., October 29 at 7 p.m.

90 min.

No registration

Join us for an informal discussion of *The Haunting of Hill House* by Shirley Jackson.

Halloween Movie: *Frankenweenie*

Wed., October 30 at 6:15 p.m.

2 hrs.

All ages

Registration now open

Join us for a showing of the spooky fun movie *Frankenweenie*. We'll have Halloween treats, a ghoulish make-up station, and ghostly activities starting at 6:15 pm. The movie will start promptly at 6:45 pm.

Celebrate International Games Week

Thurs., November 7; 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

All ages

No registration

Celebrate International Games Week with a special all-day board game party at the Lane Road Library. Bring your friends and family, and settle in for some competitive gaming!

Learn About Podcasts

Thurs., November 14 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

Registration now open

What are podcasts? Where do you find them? How do you listen to them? We'll explore the wide world of podcasts along with some tips for creating your own podcast.

YOUTH

Toddler Sensory Play

Wed., September 11 at 10:30 a.m.

Fri., October 11 at 10:30 a.m.

Fri., November 8 at 10:30 a.m.

60 min.

Ages 1-3

No registration

Sensory play is great for toddlers and helps them explore their world. We will have several stations set up with a variety of sensory experiences for toddlers and their caregivers to explore.

STEAM in the Library:

Makerspace Activities

Thurs., September 12 at 3:30 p.m.

Thurs., October 10 at 3:30 p.m.

Thurs., November 14 at 3:30 p.m.

2 hrs.

Grades K+

No registration

We'll have a variety of activities and

projects available each month for you to explore that incorporate STEAM principles (science, technology, engineering, art, and math.)

Dance Party

Thurs., September 19 at 10:30 a.m.

Thurs., October 17 at 10:30 a.m.

Thurs., November 21 at 10:30 a.m.

45 min.

Ages 2-5

No registration

Move and groove with us in this interactive music program, complete with shakers, scarves and other props.

Craft Palooza

Tues., September 24; 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

All ages

No registration

Drop by anytime today to make some fun crafts! For kids of all ages.

Reading to Rover

Mon., September 16 at 4 p.m.

Mon., October 21 at 4 p.m.

Mon., November 18 at 4 p.m.

60 min.

Grades K-5

No registration

Meet furry friends from Therapy Dogs International and improve your reading skills by sharing stories with them.



LANE ROAD LIBRARY PROGRAMS

1945 Lane Road (614) 459-0273

Yoga Storytime

Thurs., September 26 at 10:30 a.m.

45 min.

Ages 2-6

Registration opens September 5

What's better than storytime at the library? Storytime with yoga! Open to families and caretakers with children ages 2-6. Licensed social worker and yoga instructor **Brianna Schiavoni** will lead this story-based yoga program.

Autumn Scavenger Hunt

October 1-31

All ages

No registration

Drop by the youth department any time in October for our autumn-themed scavenger hunt. Pick up a sheet at the youth desk, look for hidden pictures throughout the library, and turn it in for a prize once you're finished. For kids of all ages.

Spooky Animals from the Columbus Zoo

Thurs., October 17 at 6 p.m.

60 min.

All ages

Registration now open

Whose eyes are following you in the dark? What's that sound coming from the bushes? Is it a Halloween monster? No, they're animals from the Columbus Zoo & Aquarium! Get into the Halloween spirit and learn about some scary fun animals.

Family-Based Yoga

Sat., October 19 at 11 a.m.

60 min.

All ages

Registration opens

September 28

Licensed social worker and yoga instructor **Brianna Schiavoni** will show how yoga can work for your whole family. Explore how play-based yoga can be fun for all ages! Open to families with children in grades K-12.

Bling Out a Pumpkin

Thurs., October 24;

10 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

All ages

No registration

We'll provide one baby pumpkin per child along with fun materials to decorate each gourd. Supplies are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Trick-or-Treat at the Library

Thurs., October 31 from 6-8 p.m.

2 hrs.

All ages

No registration

Trick-or-treating near the Library? Stop in to any of our locations for some candy and to show off your costume! We'll have treats in a various spots inside the building.



MILLER PARK LIBRARY PROGRAMS

1901 Arlington Avenue (614) 488-5710

ADULTS

Book Chats

Tues., September 3 at 11 a.m.

Tues., October 1 at 11 a.m.

Tues., November 5 at 11 a.m.

60 min.

No registration

Don't miss this opportunity to join an informal group of book lovers to exchange titles and share reading recommendations.

Tech Hour

Tues., October 15 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

Registration opens October 1

If you are wondering how to set up an Overdrive account, download our app, or just need some general assistance with your smartphone, eReader, or tablet, we can help. We will guide you to a deeper understanding of your tech, and help you learn more about our numerous digital resources such as Digital Downloads, Hoopla, RBDigital, and more.

TEENS

Teen Service Club

Wed., September 25 at 2 p.m.

60 min.

Grades 6-12

Registration opens September 11

Come to the Miller Park Library to help with volunteer projects and earn an hour of service credit. Registration is required and snacks will be provided.

YOUTH

Books and Toys for Babies

Thurs., September 5 at 6:30 p.m.

Thurs., September 12 at 6:30 p.m.

Thurs., September 19 at 6:30 p.m.

Thurs., September 26 at 6:30 p.m.

30 min.

Ages 0-24 months

No registration

During the storytime break this September, stop in between 6:30-7 p.m. to read the featured board book on your own and play with the babytime toys while listening to music. This program is not led by staff.

Fire Truck Visit

Mon., September 9 at 10:30 a.m.

Sat., October 26 at 10:30 a.m.

30 min.

All ages

No registration

The Upper Arlington Fire Division will teach about fire safety and show off their fire truck.

Reading to Rover

Tues., September 10 at 7 p.m.

Tues., October 8 at 7 p.m.

Tues., November 12 at 7 p.m.

60 min.

Grades K-5

No registration

Meet furry friends from Therapy Dogs International and improve your reading skills by sharing stories with them.

Play and Learn

Fri., September 13 at 10 a.m.

Fri., October 11 at 10 a.m.

Fri., November 8 at 10 a.m.

2 hrs.

Ages 2-5

No registration

Enjoy play-based learning activities that vary each month, such as games, play dough, cars, blocks and more.

Meet Curious George

Mon., September 16 at 10:30 a.m.

30 min.

Kids

Registration opens September 3

Everyone's favorite monkey visits Miller Park Library! Please register every person who will be attending the program (child, caregiver, parent, baby).

Books and Crafts for Kids

Mon., September 23 at 10 a.m.

Wed., October 16 at 10 a.m.

Wed., November 13 at 10 a.m.

2 hrs.

Kids

No registration

Stop in between 10 a.m. and noon to read a the featured picture book on your own, then complete a craft inspired by the story. Multiple copies of the book will be available.

Bling Out a Pumpkin

Wed., October 23; 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

All ages

No registration

We'll provide one baby pumpkin per child and fun materials to decorate each gourd. Supplies are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Trick-or-Treat at the Library

Thurs., October 31 at 6 p.m.

2 hrs.

Kids

No registration

During Upper Arlington's Beggars' Night, stop in to trick or treat at any UA Library. Candy available while supplies last.



Storytimes

MAIN LIBRARY

Sept 30-Nov 27

Babytime

(0-18 months)

Mon @ 10:15

Thurs @ 11:15

Toddlers

(18 months-3 years)

Tues @ 11:15

Thurs @ 10:15

Preschool

(3-5 years)

Tues @ 10:15

Wed @ 11:30

Family Evening Explorastory

(0-5 years)

Tues @ 6:45

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LANE ROAD LIBRARY

Oct 1-Nov 27

Babytime

(0-24 months)

Wed @ 11:15

Tales for Twos & Threes

(2-3 years)

Tues @ 10:15

Wed @ 10:15

Stories & Crafts

(3-6 years)

Tues @

1:00

MILLER PARK LIBRARY

Sept 30-Nov 25

Babytime

(0-24 months)

Mon @ 11:15

Thurs @ 6:30

Tales for Twos & Threes

(2-3 years)

**Mon @
10:15**

