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Friends Cookie Walk



Leave the baking to us! The Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library are hosting their annual Cookie Walk from 12-3 p.m. Saturday, December 3 at the library. The Cookie Walk is an annual holiday tradition at the library. Every year, dozens of dedicated library volunteers bake cookies and other treats to raise funds for library events like Shred Day and Summer Reading Programs. Delicious holiday cookies and other baked goods will be available to purchase at \$10 per pound. Come early and load up!



need a hand with holiday hosting?



Show your library card and save at select area merchants and restaurants such as:

- Acatz Handmade Pie Co. (Armada, Beverly Hills, Chesterfield Oxford, Shelby, Troy)
- Nothing Bundt Cakes (Sterling Heights)
- Kristina's Catering (Shelby Township)
- Militello's Bakery (Shelby Township)
- Sweetwater's Coffee and Tea (Shelby Township)
- And more!

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WRITERS' GROUP NOW FORMING



Visiting writer Jenna Grace will be our guide as we kick off a new writers' group in Harrison Township at HTPL. The group will meet regularly for inspiration and comradery, and all levels of writers are welcome. The group will provide:

- Writing prompts and exercises to get you started
- Guidance while writing your novel, poetry, memoir, or other writing
- A group to share and workshop your writing
- A chance to meet with visiting authors

If you've ever thought about capturing your story, or if you have been working on something for years, come join us!



library happenings



November

November 1-30 | HTPL
Quilt Exhibit by Artist Sue Goeddeke

November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 10 a.m. | HTPL
Knitting and Crochet Circle

November 1 | HTPL
Take and Make Adult Craft Kit:
Geometric Paper Book Marks

November 3 | 6 p.m. | HTPL
Michigan Malicious with Author Tobin Buhk

November 5 | 2 p.m. | Black Cat Coffee
Writers' Group

November 10 | 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. | HTPL
Medicare Enrollment Assistance

November 17 | 6:30 p.m. | Total Sports
Trivia Night

November 22 | 7 p.m. | HTPL
Del's Chair Yoga

November 29 | 7 p.m. | HTPL
Book Club: 142 Ostriches by April Davila

November 30 | 4-6 p.m. | HTPL
VegMI Food Giveaway

December

December 1 | 6-8 p.m. | HTPL
Harrison Township Tree
Lighting and Santa Visit

December 3 | 11 a.m. | HTPL
Writers' Group

December 3 | 12-3 p.m. | HTPL
Friends of the HTPL Cookie
Walk and Quilt Block Sale

December 5 | 7 p.m. | HTPL
Del's Chair Yoga

December 5 | HTPL
Take and Make Christmas
Ornament

December 6, 18, 22, 29 | 10 a.m. | HTPL
Knitting and Crochet Circle

December 8 | 5:30 p.m. | HTPL
Ornament Painting with Anton Art Center

December 9 | 6 p.m. | HTPL
Upcycled Christmas Tree Craft

Children's November and December 2022 Events



Preschool Storytime Wednesdays at 10:00 am November 2-December 14

****No storytime November 23 and 30****

Join us for fun, stories, rhymes, dancing, and more! Ages 2-5 years. No registration required! Drop-ins welcome!



Tales with Tails!

November 9
December 14

from 5:00-6:30 pm

Make sure to register to read to our therapy dog Bailey! Spots are limited!



Late For St. Paddy's Day a Special Storytime

Saturday, November 5th at 1:00 pm

Join us for a very special St. Paddy's Day storytime with local author, Deb Kaiser! We'll read stories, do crafts and have fun!

Suggested ages 2 and up.

Registration Required!



Princess Tea Party!

Saturday, September 12 at 1:00 pm

Join us for a magical time as we sip on tea, eat delicious treats, and make a princess craft!

Suggested ages 3 and up. Did we mention there will be 2 very special guests joining us?

Registration Required!



Take & Make Crafts

Fridays

November 18th
December 9th

Drop into the library anytime and pick up your own craft kit to do at home! Hurry in, these go fast!



Mother Goose on the Loose!

New Video

Thursday, November 3rd at 10:00 am

Mrs. Dries is back with another episode of MGOL, featuring favorites such as Mrs. Perky Bird, the farm animal puppets, and Humpty Dumpty! MGOL is a lap-sit class for infants, toddlers, preschoolers, and their caregivers. Full of active rhymes and songs, it's an engaging way to interact with your little one. Don't forget to check out all our MGOL episodes on YouTube!

Lake St. Clair Nature Center: Winter Animals Program!

Saturday, December 17 at 1:00 pm



Lake St. Clair Nature Center will be visiting us to do an exciting program all about local Winter animals in Michigan! They will bring exciting specimens for us to explore and we will do a fun craft!

Registration required!

Happy Holidays

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Tree Lighting planned for Dec. 1

Join us as we get in the holiday spirit at 6 p.m. December 1 for the annual tree lighting at Rosso Hall!



Holiday Closings

Thanksgiving
Closed at 5:00pm Wednesday,
November 23
Closed: November 24, 25

Christmas
Closed: December 24, 25, 26

New Year's
Closed: December 31,
January 1, 2



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It's hard to believe it's almost time to say goodbye to another year, and what a year it has been for the Friends! Here are a few things we've done this year to support HTPL:

- Sold concessions during the concerts at Waterfront Park
- Packed baskets of goodies to welcome teachers back to the classroom
- Hosted a Bingo fundraiser at Tucker Center
- Alphabetized the Used Book area in the library
- Produced "I Love Our Library" yard signs

We have also been active in getting the word out about the library millage on the November 8 ballot. Our last fundraiser of the year is the Cookie Walk, which will be held 12-3 p.m. December 3. Come help us break last year's record sales number!

Plans are already underway for next year's activities. We would love to have you join us!

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Library Hours

Monday 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Tuesday 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

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