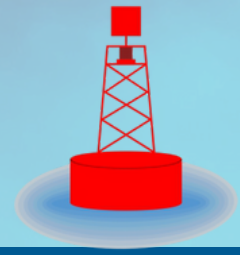




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## Thank you, voters!

The Harrison Township Public Library would like to sincerely thank the voters who supported the library on November 8. This is an exciting time for our library and our community as a whole. The library will continue with our current excellent services and also enhance the resources that we provide for the community. We look forward to the forthcoming technology upgrades and updated hours of operation as well as addressing staff shortages so we can provide more programs. In addition, for the very first time in our history, the library will be able to provide a quiet area for people of all ages to study and collaborate. Good things are happening in Harrison Township and the library is delighted to continue helping our community thrive for another 10 years!

THANK  
YOU

## Our Libby library access has expanded!

The White Pine Library System has partnered with HTPL on Libby. HTPL users can now use their library card in the following digital library collections:

- Download Destination
- Great Lakes Digital Library
- Lakeland Digital Library
- Midwest Collaborative for Library Services
- White Pine Library Collaborative

Just go to "Add a Library" in Libby or "Manage Libraries +" in OverDrive to register your library card and use these collections. Your library card gets you more digital access than ever before!



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# library happenings

## January

### **January 3 | HTPL**

Adult Take & Make: Mini Magnets

### **January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31**

**10 a.m. | HTPL**

Knitting/Crochet Circle

### **January 3 | 7 p.m. | HTPL**

Del's Chair Yoga

### **January 4 | 6:30 p.m. | HTPL**

Writers' Group

### **January 13 | 6:30 p.m.**

**HTPL**

Teen Movie Night

### **January 19 | 6:30 p.m.**

**Total Sports**

Trivia Night at Total Sports

### **January 25 | 6:30 p.m.**

**HTPL**

Piracy on the Great Lakes

### **January 26 | 6 p.m. | HTPL**

Cooking with Chef Fran:

Power Bowls

### **January 30 | 6 p.m. | HTPL**

Crafting Event: Hanging Mini Terrarium

### **January 31 | 7 p.m. | HTPL**

Book Group

## February

### **February 1 | HTPL**

Adult Take & Make: Valentines

### **February 2 | 6:30 p.m. | HTPL**

Writers' Group

### **February 4 | 11 a.m. | HTPL**

Journaling for Self Reflection

### **February 7, 14, 21, 28**

**10 a.m. | HTPL**

Knitting/Crochet Circle

### **February 7 | 7 p.m. | HTPL**

Del's Chair Yoga

### **February 16 | 6:30 p.m.**

**Total Sports**

Trivia Night at Total Sports

### **February 18 | 11 a.m. | HTPL**

T-Shirt Up-Start Workshop

### **February 23 | 6:30 p.m. | HTPL**

Craft Night: Candle Making

### **February 24 | 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.**

**HTPL**

Tax Assistance Program

### **February 24 | 4 p.m.- 7 p.m.**

**St. Hubert Church**

Friends Bake Sale at Fish Fry

### **February 28 | 7 p.m. | HTPL**

Book Group

## March

### **March 1 | HTPL**

Adult Take & Make: Tissue Paper Flower Bouquet

### **March 7, 14, 21, 28**

**10 a.m. | HTPL**

Knitting/Crochet Circle

### **March 7 | 7 p.m. | HTPL**

Del's Chair Yoga

### **March 8 | 6:30 p.m. | HTPL**

Writers' Group

### **March 10 | 5-8 p.m. | HTPL**

Board Game Night

### **March 16 | 6:30 p.m. | Total**

**Sports**

Trivia Night at Total Sports

### **March 22 | 6 p.m. | HTPL**

Caring for Your Trees with MSU Extension

### **March 24 | 9 a.m.-3 p.m.**

**HTPL**

Tax Assistance Program

### **March 25 | 1 p.m. | HTPL**

Mobile Incubator Program

### **March 29 | 7 p.m. | HTPL**

Book Group

## **Did you know HTPL is a warming center?**

A warming center is a heated public facility where people may go to find relief during temporary periods of extreme cold. If you need respite from the cold, stop by during our regular operating hours.



# Children's Programs

## January - March 2023

### Baby Playgroup!

#### Mondays at 10:00 am

January 30, February 27,  
March 27

Join Miss Tina as she performs 20 minutes of stories and songs and then let your babies play together for the rest of the time! This program is geared for children 6 months to 24 months. Registration is NOT required.

### Emoji Art Painting

Saturday, January 28 at 2:00 pm

Come paint your very own emoji face onto a canvas to keep and display in your room! Suggested ages 5 and up \*with a parent.\* Registration required.

### St. Patrick's Day Party!

Saturday, March 18 at 2:00 pm

We're having a very special St. Patrick's Day Party! Join us for a special storytime, craft, and snacks! Registration required.

### Stuffy Sleepover Storytime

Saturday, February 4 at 4:00 pm

Join us for a very special storytime with your stuffy! We will have a story, snack and craft! Wear your PJs! After, your stuffy will stay the night at the library! Registration required  
\*\*Stuffy pick up is Monday, February 6th.\*\*

### Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays at 10:00 am

January 18 - March 22

No storytime Feb 22 or Mar 29

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

### Marvel VS. DC:

#### Valentine's Day Edition!

Saturday, February 11 at 1:00 pm

Join us for an action packed good time! We're having a Valentine's Day party with a Superhero theme! Are you team Marvel or DC? We'll even have some very special guests! Registration required.

### Chickens at the Library!

Saturday, March 25

and April 22 at 1:00 pm

Learn about chick development and hatching with freshly laid chicken eggs. The eggs will stay at the library until they hatch and we will be able to watch them grow into adorable chicks! Then, come back April 22 as we send them off to the farm! Registration required.

### Mystery Craft Grab Bags!

February 17

Stop in and grab a mystery bag full of cool craft supplies! Hurry in! Only while supplies last!

### Tales with Tails!

January 11

February 8

March 8

from 5:00-6:30 pm

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

### Take & Make Crafts

Fridays

January 13

February 10

March 10

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

### The Marvels of Paper Airplanes

Saturday, Feb 18 at 2:00 pm

Steven Mrozek from Selfridge Air Museum is coming to teach us the many different ways to make paper airplanes! He is also going to teach us a little about planes and how they fly! Registration required.

### We're Playing BINGO

Did you know?

March is Reading Month!

...to celebrate, we are having a **READING CHALLENGE!**

March 1 - March 30th, 2023

Grab a bingo card online or at the library and play along!

Get a bingo and bring your card in for a special prize!

Appropriate for ages 2-12.

One entry per person!



# Teen Programming

JANUARY - FEBRUARY - MARCH

## TEEN CREATOR CAFE: TAKE & MAKES !

Stop by the library and grab a kit to make an awesome craft while supplies last!

Friday, January 13th

Friday, February 10th

Friday, March 10th

## TEEN VOLUNTEER DAY

Need volunteer hours? Want to help out the library?

Sign up at the library front desk or call the library at (586) 329-1261 to help. Snacks will be provided and you will earn a minimum of 1 hour of community service. Registration Required!

Wednesday, Jan 25th      Saturday, March 4th

6:00 PM

10:00 AM

Book Wrapping

Litter Cleanup

## Events



**Teen MOVIE NIGHT**  
From 6:30-9:00pm

**Friday, Jan. 13**  
Featured Movie title: "The Princess Bride"

Bring pillows, blankets, lawn chairs for the fun evening movie watching event. Snacks and Popcorn will be provided.

Sign up at the library front desk, or online  
<https://htlibrary.org/events/event/after-hours-event-teen-movie-night/>

**AFTER HOURS EVENT**  
**FREE** Popcorn and snacks

## TEEN EVENTS

Register at the front desk or online!

### After Hours Teen Movie Night:

Fri. 1/13/23

6:30 - 9:00 pm

### Board Game Night:

Fri. 3/10/23

5:00 - 8:00pm

**GATHER. LEARN. SHARE. CREATE.**

2023

FRIENDS  
HARRISON TOWNSHIP  
PUBLIC LIBRARY

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corner



We have so much to look forward to this New Year. The Friends will prepare for even more in 2023 as the library is open more hours. Don't forget to join us at the St. Hubert Fish Fry on Friday, February 24th for delicious baked goods! Do YOU have ideas for events, classes, or projects? We are always looking for new ways to serve the needs of our community. Let's talk! We are open to new conversations and excited to hear from you. Join the Friends, join the fun! \$15 annual fee.

[htlibrary.org/friends](https://htlibrary.org/friends)  
[friends@htlibrary.org](mailto:friends@htlibrary.org)  
Friends of the Harrison  
Township Public Library  
on Facebook

## Library Hours

Monday: 10 a.m.-6 p.m. | Tuesday: 11 a.m.-8 p.m. | Wednesday 11 a.m.-8 p.m. .  
Thursday: 11 a.m.-5p.m | Friday: 11 a.m.- 5 p.m. | Saturday 11 a.m.-5 p.m .



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