### **LIBRARY CALENDAR**

### SEPTEMBER 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Hispanic Heritage Month National Guide Dog Month Suicide Prevention Month					1	2 Saturday Crafternoon 9 AM - 4 PM Needle Art with Ms. Kathleen 10 AM - Noon
3	A BOR LABOR DAV LIBRARY CLOSED	5 International Day of Charity	6 Picasso Styled Play-Doh Faces 6 PM - 7 PM	7 <mark>Make It</mark> 5 PM - 6 PM	8	Saturday Crafternoon 9 AM - 4 PM Needle Art with Ms. Kathleen 10 AM - Noon What is an Eclipse? 6 PM
10	MPL Board 11 Meeting 3:45 PM Teen Library Council 4 PM - 5 PM Nature Craft 6 PM - 7 PM Patriot Day	12 American Red Cross Blood Drive 10 AM - 3 PM Teen Tuesday 5 PM - 6 PM	13 Snapology: Amusement Park Adventure 6 PM - 7 PM	Page Turners <sup>14</sup> 1 PM - 3 PM Make It 5 PM - 6 PM International Day of Democracy Rosh Hashanah begins (Jewish)	15	16 Saturday Crafternoon 9 AM - 4 PM Needle Art with Ms. Kathleen 10 AM - Noon Mexican Independence Day
17	Teen Library 18 Council 4 PM - 5 PM Evening Readers Book Club 6 PM - 7 PM Tall Tales: Children's Book Club 6 PM - 7 PM	19 Teen Tuesday 5 PM - 6 PM Paws to Read 6 PM - 7 PM	20 Little Adventures: Children's Book Club 6 PM - 7 PM	MPL Board Meeting 3:45 PM Make It 5 PM - 6 PM International Day of Peace World Gratitude Day	22 Outdoor Family Movie Night 7 PM - 10 PM National Native American Day	23 Saturday Crafternoon 9 AM - 4 PM Needle Art with Ms. Kathleen 10 AM - Noon
24 Yom Kippur (Jewish)	25 <mark>Apple Tasting</mark> 6 PM - 7 PM	26 <mark>Teen Tuesday</mark> 5 PM - 6 PM Sukkot (Jewish)	27	28 <mark>Make It</mark> 5 PM - 6 PM	29 Little Artists 11 AM - 11:30 AM	30 Needle Art with Ms. Kathleen 10 AM - Noon Trailing John Dillinger 10 AM - Noon

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### ADULT SEPTEMBER 2023 PROGRAMS & LIBRARY NEWS

#### THE EVENING READERS BOOK CLUB

Come join us on Monday, September 18 from 6 - 7 PM for our new adult book club, The Evening Readers!

Our selection for this meeting is <u>Nettle and</u> <u>Bone</u> by T. Kingfisher. A limited number of physical copies will be held at the Circulation Desk for check-out, but feel free to use an e-copy instead if that's more your jam!



The Evening Readers currently meet on the third Monday of every month from 6pm-7pm in the Community Room of the library.

Monday, September 18, 6 -7 PM

#### COUNTDOWN TO THE 2024 ECLIPSE: WHAT IS AN ECLIPSE?

What exactly is an eclipse? Hear a member of the Indiana Astronomical Society, Steve Haines, talk about this fascinating phenomenon! He will also be discussing eclipses through history and how to view an eclipse safely. This is the first presentation in our "Countdown to the 2024 Eclipse" series set to take place on the first Saturday of every month (going forward) leading up to the big day of the total solar eclipse on April 8, 2024.

Saturday, September 9, 6 PM

#### PAGE TURNERS

This book club meets the second Thursday of each month at 1 PM.

 September - <u>The Last Thing he Told Me</u> -Laura Dave



From internationally bestselling author Laura Dave comes a riveting new suspense novel about a woman's search for the truth about her husband's disappearance—no matter the cost.

#### Thursday, September 14, 1 - 3 PM

#### TRAILING JOHN DILLINGER

Join local historian Bill Buckley as he conducts a short walking tour through downtown Mooresville showcasing some of the key places where bank robber John Dillinger started and ended his criminal career. For teens and adults.

Saturday, September 30, 10 AM - Noon



It's movie night! Join us for popcorn and a viewing of <u>How to Train Your Dragon</u>. The movie will start at 8 PM sharp in the outside courtyard. Bring a blanket and/or chairs to sit on. Come early to enjoy lawn games with the family at 7 PM! Please register.

#### Friday, September 22, 7 - 10 PM

#### AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

The American Red Cross will be on-site for a blood drive on Tuesday, September 12, 2023. Visit <u>https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/</u> to schedule a donation time.

Tuesday, September 12, 10 AM - 3 PM

# **CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS**

# SEPTEMBER 2023

#### ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS (GR. K-6)

#### PICASSO STYLED PLAY-DOH FACES

We are painting like Picasso... with play-doh! Join us as we create Picasso styled faces with play-doh! Please register.

Wednesday, September 6, 6 - 7 PM

#### SNAPOLOGY: AMUSEMENT PARK ADVENTURE

Design your own amusement park in this super fun program! Learn how to use LEGO® bricks and other building materials to make coasters, bumper cards, swing rides and other awesome rides. Can you design the next Disney World? Registration Required.

#### Wednesday, September 13, 6 - 7 PM

#### NATURE CRAFT

Join us for crating with materials found in nature! At the beginning of the program, kids will go on a quick field trip outside of the library to collect their own materials for their craft. For Kindergarten and up. Registration required.

Monday, September 11, 6 - 7 PM

#### **PAWS TO READ**

Kids can practice reading aloud and improve fluency by sharing a story with Bella, our lovable PAWS to Read therapy dog, and her friends. 10-minute reading sessions are available by appointment only. Call the library to sign up.

Tuesday, September 19, 6 - 7 PM



#### **CHILDREN'S BOOK CLUBS**

Join our children's book clubs for engaging discussions, alternate ending writing sessions, crafts, and more! Kids will be given a copy of the chosen book each month to take home and read. Books will be returned at the next meeting and exchanged for the new selection.

#### TALL TALES

August's book discussion will be about <u>The Bad Beginning</u> by Lemony Snicket. For grades 5-6. Registration required.

Monday, September 18, 6 - 7 PM

#### APPLE TASTING

It's apple season! Join us as we taste and rate different kinds of apples and apple treats! For kindergarten and up. Please register.

Monday, September 25, 6 - 7 PM

#### LITTLE ADVENTURES

August's book discussion will be about <u>The Adventures of Nanny Piggins</u> by R.A. Spratt. For grades 3-4. Registration required.

#### Wednesday, September 20, 6 -7 PM

#### LITTLE ARTISTS

Create a masterpiece with your little one and enjoy a short playtime. Please dress for a mess. For ages 3-5.

Friday, September 29, 11 - 11:30 AM



**GOT ACCESS 2023** 

Mooresville Public Library is encouraging ALL Mooresville students in grades K-12 to get an Evergreen library card in the month of September.



#### HOW TO PARTICIPATE

- 1.Get a library card if you don't already have one!
- 2. Bring your library card to school by September 30th, 2023
- 3. Show your teacher your card.
- 4. Help earn free books for your classroom!

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### TEEN Programs

## SEPTEMBER 2023

#### ACTIVITIES FOR TEENS (GR. 7-12)

#### TEEN TUESDAY

Teen Tuesday returns beginning September 12, 2023. Note the new time: 5 PM - 6 PM. Try new things with friends (old and new).

September 12 - Switch Games September 19 - LEGO Free Build September 26 - Easy Breakfasts

#### Tuesdays, 5 - 6 PM

#### MAKE IT

Make It returns beginning September 7, 2023. The program has a new time: 5 - 6 PM. Teens will be making many different things during this program. Art, crafts, 3D prints, snacks, and more. Each week will be different unless otherwise noted. Check each week for details. Supplies will be provided for up to 12 teens.

September 7 - Air Dry Clay Projects September 14 - DIY Bookmarks September 21 - Zines September 28 - DIY Dice Towers

#### Thursdays, 5 - 6 PM

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#### Saturday, September 30, 10 AM - Noon

#### TEEN LIBRARY COUNCIL MEETINGS

To teens who applied to join TLC, our first meeting will be Monday, September 11.

#### **TEEN VOLUNTEERS**

If you need service hours for an organization or simply want to help, consider volunteering at the library. <u>We do not offer hours for</u> <u>court-ordered community service</u>. Volunteer sessions are 1 hour long. You cannot volunteer more than 3 hours a week.

To sign up for a volunteer session, scan this code





or go to bit.ly/MPLTeenVol

Virtual volunteering is still available: <u>mooresvillelib.org/teens/</u>

#### YAZ MPL DISCORD

Join the YAZMPL Discord server to keep in touch with Ms. Megan, chat with other local teens, and participate in virtual activities. You must be between ages 13-18 to join.

bit.ly/YAZMPLdiscord



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