January and February Events at Twinsburg Public Library

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The Library will be closed on Wednesday, January 1 for New Year’s Day.

Adult Activities

Registration is now available online. Visit the Library or call the Adult Reference Desk.

330-425-4268 x2

Adult Open Mic Night
Wednesdays, Jan. 8 and Feb. 5, 6 - 8pm

The Library’s Big Learn Kick-Off Celebration
Thursday, Jan. 16, 6:30 - 8pm
Want to eat healthier in 2020? Celebrity chef April Thompson (personal chef to professional athletes across the country) can help! Enjoy a lively cooking demonstration, Q&A, and free food samples. All are welcome.

Look for this symbol to find more Twinsburg Can Cook events!

Cozy Cocoa Pajama Party
Thursday, Jan. 2, 6:30 - 7pm
Make a mason jar craft in your PJ’s. Enjoy hot chocolate, too! Grades 4 - 6.

BLAST! Babysitter Training
Friday, Jan. 3, 10am - 12pm
$50 fee. You must register in person at the Library. Ages 12 - 16.

Winter Reading Club
Reading is Sweet!
Thursday, Jan. 2 - Saturday, Feb. 29
Stop in, sign up, check out great books, and participate in a variety of activities! Birth - Grade 6.

Children and Family Activities

Tweens and Teen Activities

General online registration starts two weeks prior to the activities. Priority registration for Twinsburg school district residents starts three weeks prior to the activities, but you must register in person at the Library.

330-425-4268 x3
330-425-4268 x6

LEGO Builders Club
Tuesdays, Jan. 7 and Feb. 4, 7 - 8pm
All ages with a caregiver.

Video Game Madness
Friday, Jan. 10, 7 - 9:30pm
Play video games on retro as well as modern consoles! Grades 7 - 12.

Paws To Read
Saturdays, Jan. 11 and Feb. 8, 11am - 12:30pm
For independent readers ages 4+.

Stress Less Thursdays
Thursdays from 3 - 4pm
Jan. 16 - Color Your World
Feb. 6 - It’s Puzzling!
Feb. 20 - It’s Story Time!
Grades 7 and up.

Teen Taste Test: Jelly Beans
Friday, Jan. 17, 3 - 4:30pm
Grades 7 - 12.

ACT Practice Exam
Saturday, Jan. 18, 10:30am - 3pm
Administered and results provided by Best in Class of Solon. Grades 9 - 12.

Music on the Move
Saturdays, Jan. 18 and Feb. 15, 11 - 11:30am
Introduce your child to rhythm, pitch, different instruments, and even classical music in a way that is fun for the whole family. Ages 2+.

Cookbook Club
Tuesdays, Jan. 14 and Feb. 11, 7 - 8pm
Swap recipes, eat, and talk food. January’s theme is Chili & Stews and February’s theme is America’s Test Kitchen. All are welcome.

Intro to Spanish 2020
Wednesdays, Jan. 15 - Feb. 19, 6:30 - 8pm
$10 fee due prior to the first class.

ESL Classes
Saturdays, Jan. 18 - March 21, 11am - 12pm
Further your English language skills in this 10-week session with writing, reading, vocabulary, and grammar lessons for everyday situations.

50 Book Challenge Kick-Off Party
Tuesday, Jan. 28, 7 - 8pm
Bestselling author Julie Anne Lindsey kicks off the 2020 challenge. Readers who completed 50 books in 2019 will receive their reward, but there will be refreshments and prizes for all!

Cooking Club
Tuesdays, Jan. 21 and Feb. 18, 7 - 8pm
Make a mason jar craft in your PJ’s. Enjoy hot chocolate, too! Grades 4 - 6.

Citizenship Classes
Saturdays, Jan. 18 - March 21, 12 - 1pm
Prepare to take the oral and written citizenship tests. Learn more about American history, how the U.S. government operates, and other important aspects of civics education.

Viewing & Discussion of The Public
Thursday, Jan. 23, 6 - 8:30pm
Watch and discuss this 2019 movie directed by and starring Emilio Estevez.

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Events are sponsored by the Friends of the Library and are free unless noted.
Youth Services Events, cont.

Pokémon and Trading Card Club
Saturdays, Jan. 18 and Feb. 15, 4 - 5pm
Bring your cards to trade or battle! Enjoy a Pokémon-related activity, too. Grades K - 6.

Cook from a Book: Vegetable Soup
Tuesday, Jan. 21, 6:30 - 7pm
Hear Bear and Chicken by Jannie Ho and make vegetable soup. Ages 2 - 5.

Teen Advisory Board Meetings
Tuesdays, Jan. 21 and Feb. 18, 7 - 8:30pm
Grades 7 - 12.

Intro to Digital Design
Wednesdays, Jan. 22 - Feb. 12, 6:30 - 8:30pm
Learn the fundamentals using Adobe Spark. Grades 7 - 12.

Teen Trivia Challenge
Friday, Jan. 24, 3 - 4pm
Enter your team, or we can put you on one. Grades 7 and up.

Kids in the Kitchen: Getcha Wrap On
(Effect Edition)
Saturday, Jan. 25, 11am - 12pm
Join culinary instructor Dannika Stevenson for the most important meal of the day (and it’s in a wrap)! Learn ingredient selection, knife skills, and wrap rolling. Grades 2 - 4.

SAT Subject Prep Session
Saturday, Jan. 25, 1 - 4:30pm
Gain new strategies and hone your skills for the Reading, Writing & Language, and Math portions. $35 fee payable to Best In Class the day of the event. Students wanting help on the optional essay may arrange complimentary private sessions with Best In Class.

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Children’s Sign Language
Mondays, Jan. 27 - March 16
6 - 6:30pm (Pre-K [Age 4] - Grade 2)
6:45 - 7:30pm (Grades 3 - 6)

Potty Training Party!
Tuesday, Jan. 28, 6:30 - 7pm
Celebrate the journey at this potty-themed story time with crafts and games! Ages 5 and under.

Baby Signs
Thursdays, Jan. 30 - March 19, 6 - 6:30pm
Birth - 36 months.

My First Valentine’s Day
Thursday, Jan. 30, 6:30 - 7pm
Celebrate your smallest sweetie’s first Valentine’s Day with a special keepsake craft. Birth - 18 months with a caregiver.

Cabin Fever Crafts
Saturday, Feb. 1, 11 - 11:30am
Dreading the rest of the winter indoors with your toddler? Learn fun activities to get rid of cabin fever! We’ll play games and learn easy crafts to make at home. Ages 2 - 5.

Altered Books
Saturday, Feb. 1, 2 - 4pm
Creatively recycle a book into a work of art! Materials will be provided, but you are welcome to bring your own. Grades 4 - 6.

Teen Taste Test: Oreo
Friday, Feb. 7, 3 - 4:30pm
Grades 7 - 12.

The Great Backyard Bird Count 2020!
Friday, Feb. 14, 2 - 2:30pm
The 23rd annual GBBC starts on Friday, Feb. 14! Join us in helping researchers learn how birds are doing in our area in order to better protect them and the environment we share! Free journals provided. Grades K - 6.

Cook from a Book: Pancakes
Tuesday, Feb. 18, 6:30 - 7pm
Hear If You Give a Pig a Pancake by Laura Numeroff and make pancakes. Ages 2 - 5.

Baby Yoga
Thursday, Feb. 20, 6:30 - 7:15pm
A bonding experience for babies and their caregivers. No experience is needed, but please bring a blanket or yoga mat. Ages 6 weeks - 1-year-old or babies not yet walking.

Wonka Idea Factory
Tuesday, Feb. 25, 6:30 - 7pm
Make your very own mini chocolate bars with whatever ingredients you choose! Design the wrapper, too! Grades K - 4.

Coffee for a Cause
Saturday, Feb. 22, 6:45 - 10pm
Talented teens in grades 7 - 12 will perform music, poetry, drama, and comedy at this coffeehouse-style event. Proceeds from purchases of baked goods and beverages will benefit Aluminum Cans for Burned Children. Support a great cause!

Want to perform? Register online at twinsburglibrary.org/c4ac no later than Wednesday, Feb. 19 at 11:59pm.

SAT Practice Exam
Saturday, Feb. 29, 10:30am - 3pm
Administered and results provided by Best in Class of Solon. Grades 9 - 12.

Adult Services Events, cont.

Nature Matters with the Twinsburg Naturalist
Wednesdays, Jan. 29 and Feb. 26, 7 - 8pm
Learn something new from Stanley Stine and his guest speakers.

Healthy Soul Food Cooking
Tuesday, Feb. 4, 6:30 - 8pm
Learn new ways to transform your favorite soul food dishes into healthy and delicious ones that the whole family will enjoy. Dannika Stevenson will answer all of your culinary questions. $10 fee due before the start of this class.

Blax Museum: A Tribute to Art and Excellence
Friday, Feb. 7, 6:30 - 8pm
Local artists Michelle R. Smith & Friends will honor notable black figures in American history and culture through original art and electrifying presentations.

Beauty of Wildlife: Mixed Media and Acrylics Paint Night
Tuesday, Feb. 18, 6:30 - 8:30pm
Challenge yourself to experiment with various materials while creating a dramatic composition on canvas. Art Specialist Rozenia Cunningham will provide instruction while you use your creative independent thinking. No painting experience required. A $10 fee includes all materials.