December 2025 Jan. & Feb. 2026



Events Calendar

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The Library will be closed on:

Wednesday, Dec. 24 & Thursday, Dec. 25 (Christmas) Wednesday, Dec. 31 & Thursday, Jan. 1 (New Year's) Monday, Feb. 23 (Staff Training Day)



Adult Activities 330-425-4268 x2

* Registration is required. Complete program details may be found on the Library's online events calendar.

Employment Coaching with OhioMeansJobs

Mondays, Dec. 1 - 15, Jan. 5 - 12 & 26, & Feb. 2 - 9, Walk in 9:30 - 11:30 am

Writers Group * zoom

Tuesdays, Dec. 2, Jan. 6, & Feb. 3, 6 - 7:30 pm

Open Mic Nite *

Wednesdays, Dec. 3, Jan. 7, & Feb. 4, 6:30 - 8 pm

Probate 101 with Summit County Probate Court *

Thursday, Dec. 4, 1:30 - 3 pm Learn about best practices for protecting your property, heirs, and your own personal wishes for the future.

Refresh & Renew: Quality of Life Edition *

Thursday, Dec. 4, 6 - 7 pm It's time to refresh, renew, and revive your quality of life. Say goodbye to burnout and hello to balance! Presented by Tanisha Taylor of Tanisha Taylor Coaching.

Caregiver Workshop *

Monday, Dec. 8, 6 - 7:30 pm Certified life coach and licensed minister, Deborah Bankhead, will teach useful strategies to help you prioritize caregiving for yourself as well as others.

Job Seeking Help with **Express Employment Professionals** Tuesdays, Dec. 9, Jan. 13, & Feb. 10, 4 - 6 pm

SMART Recovery for Friends & Family Tuesdays, Dec. 9 & 23, Jan. 6 - Feb. 10, &

Feb. 24, 7 - 8 pm

Community Game Night

Wednesdays, Dec. 10 & Jan. 21, 5:30 - 7:30 pm Play board games with other enthusiasts!

Celebrate! Open House

Sunday, Dec. 14, 2 - 4 pm Celebrate... the 25th year of The Foundation of the Twinsburg Public Library, the substantial completion of our recent renovation, and the holiday season! Enjoy appearances and photos with the Grinch, Cindy Lou Who, and Martha Mae Whovier as well as music by Jim & Tom: The Gentlemen of the Classics and All Thumbs Pops Trio. Performers and refreshments are courtesy of The Foundation and the Friends of the Library.

Hope & Healing Advocates

Tuesdays, Dec. 16, Jan. 20, & Feb. 17 Walk in between 3 & 5 pm. One-on-one help accessing services such as crisis support, emergency shelter options, and information about support groups.

Summit County Department of Job & Family Services *

Wednesdays, Dec. 17, Jan. 21, & Feb. 18, 10 am - 4 pm Register: calendly.com/tpl-casemanager-jfs

Christmas Traditions - Europe *

Thursday, Dec. 18, 6 - 7 pm Julie Koenig of Royally Amused will share Christmas history and traditions around Europe, focusing on how locals celebrate the season and the food they enjoy.

Winter Reading Club *

Friday, Dec. 19 - Saturday, Jan. 31

Needle Craft Night *

Mondays, Dec. 22 & Jan. 26, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Community Jigsaw Puzzle Afternoon *

Wednesday, Jan. 14, 1 - 4 pm Jigsaw puzzles, light refreshments, and a chance to win a prize!

Trivia Night - Oceans Edition *

Tuesday, Jan. 27, 6 - 7:30 pm Brush up on your marine life knowledge and test your trivia skills! Assemble a team of up to six people or come solo. Light refreshments. Prizes awarded to the winning team.

50 Book Challenge Kick-off Party with Annie Zaleski

Thursday, Jan. 29, 6:30 - 7:30 pm This year's guest is the award winning author, journalist, and editor, Annie Zaleski. She has published numerous profiles, interviews, and criticism in publications like Rolling Stone, NPR Music, The Guardian, and Billboard. Annie will be selling and signing copies of her books after the event which is free and open to everyone. Light refreshments provided. Participants who completed their challenge of reading 50 books in 2025 will receive their challenge completion prize.

Winter Concert: Hip to That *

Monday, Feb. 2, 6 - 7 pm Enjoy this Cleveland-based jazz band that specializes in tunes from the Great American Songbook, jazz standards, and pop tunes with a jazzy twist!

Women in History: Legendary Ladies * Wednesday, Feb. 11, 6 - 7:30 pm This whirlwind one-woman show by Debra Rose features Aretha Franklin, Billie Holiday, and Ella Fitzgerald. Be inspired by these women who overcame obstacles and influenced so many singers of today.

Many thanks to the Friends of the Library whose yearly donation of \$20,000 makes many of these events possible!









Children & Family Activities

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Mystery Book Box *

Monday, Dec. 1, Friday, Jan. 2, & Sunday, Feb. 1 For kids of all ages as well as their adults!

LEGO Club *

Mondays, Dec. 1, Jan. 12, & Feb. 9, 6 - 7 pm We'll provide the LEGOs; you bring the creativity! All ages.

Pinewood Gardens Bookmobile Stop

Tuesdays, Dec. 2 - 16, Jan. 6 - Feb. 24, 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Stop may be cancelled due to inclement weather, including below freezing temps.

Princess in Black Party! *

Wednesday, Dec. 3, 6 - 7 pm Are you a fan? We are going to make our own secret superhero identities, design our own monsters, and decorate crowns! K - Grade 2.

Story Time Café in Reminderville

Fridays, Dec. 5 - 19 & Jan. 9 - Feb. 27, 10:30 - 11:30 am at Heritage Hall, 3601 Glenwood Blvd.

Baby Explorers *

Fridays, Dec. 5 & Jan. 9, 11 - 11:30 am Practice fine and gross motor skills, and create some art! Birth - 23 months.

Story Times

Family Story Time *

Mondays - Thursdays, Jan. 5 - Feb. 26, 10 - 10:30 am For families of all ages.

Baby Story Time *

Mondays, Jan. 5 - Feb. 16, 11 - 11:20 am Birth - 18 months and caregivers.

Toddler Story Time *

Wednesdays, Jan. 7 - Feb. 25, 11 - 11:20 am Ages 19 - 35 months and caregivers.

You must register for each week of Story Time individually. Please only register for one class per week. Registration begins two weeks prior, in person or over the phone. Please let us know if you cannot make it to allow other friends to attend.

Boundless Bookworms:

A Homeschool Book Club *

Friday, Dec. 5, 2 - 3 pm Read A Boy Called Bat by Elana K. Arnold before the event. Then, join us for a discussion and activities!

Holiday Tea at Greenbridge Teahouse *

Sunday, Dec. 7, 2 - 3 pm It's a festive opportunity to dress up and kick off the holiday season! Children will share a pot of hot tea with their caregivers while practicing the art of conversation. Decorate cupcakes to enjoy, too! Greenbridge Teahouse is located at 9036 Church Street in Twinsburg. Park on the Square. Register in person at the Children's Desk. Grades 2 - 3.

Night at the Nutcracker *

Monday, Dec. 8, 6 - 7 pm Performance recordings will play throughout the evening, while kids participate in crafts and activities inspired by the famous holiday show. All ages.

Story and a Craft *

Wednesday, Dec. 10, 6 - 6:30 pm We'll read a wintery book and make a puffy-paint snowman! Ages 7 and under.

Paws to Read

Saturdays, Dec. 13, Jan. 10, & Feb. 14, 11 am - 12 pm Read to a therapy dog! Ages 4+.

Story Lab: Holiday Gift Workshop *

Saturday, Dec. 13, 3 - 3:30 pm We'll read This Is (Not) Enough by Anna Kang and create gifts to give. Please bring a small food-safe container for transporting your edible gift. This activity will use peanut butter. Ages 2 - 5.

Pajama Story Time *

Monday, Dec. 15, 6 - 6:30 pm Bring your blanket, bring your teddy bear, and wear your pajamas for this bedtime story time! Ages 7 and under.

Pokémon Club *

and activities. All ages.

Tuesdays, Dec. 16, Jan. 20, & Feb. 17, 6 - 7 pm We'll have Pokémon card trading, battles,

Winter Reading Club! *

Friday, Dec. 19 - Saturday, Jan. 31

Interactive Movie: Moana *

Monday, Dec. 22, 2 - 3:45 pm Watch this PG-rated movie with props and movie-themed activities. All ages.

Drop In Craft & Puzzle Time

Tuesday, Dec. 23, 10 am - 7 pm Friday, Dec. 26, 11 am - 5 pm Monday, Dec. 29, 10 am - 7 pm Tuesday, Dec. 30, 10 am - 7 pm Friday, Jan. 2, 11 am - 5 pm

Story and a Craft *

Saturday, Dec. 27, 11 - 11:30 am We'll read about sloths and make a sloth craft! Ages 7 and under.

Glow in the Dark Bingo *

Sunday, Dec. 28, 2 - 2:30 pm Wear whites or brights and join us in the dark for bingo! Children must be able to recognize letters and numbers. Pre-K+.

Story Lab: Sculptures *

Saturday, Jan. 3, 3 - 3:30 pm We'll read Nature is an Artist by Jennifer Lavallee and create sculptures. Ages 2 - 5.

Curious Kids: Owls *

Monday, Jan. 5, 6 - 7 pm Learn about owls, dissect an owl pellet, and analyze its contents! K - Grade 5.

Cars Day *

Tuesday, Jan. 6, 6 - 7 pm Vroom, vroom! We'll have all types of car toys out to play, race, and even go through a car wash. All ages.

Codebreakers *

Wednesday, Jan. 7, 6 - 7 pm Learn how to solve and use famous codes from history, as well as some modern-day creations of secret languages. Grades 2 - 6.

Boundless Bookworms:

A Homeschool Book Club *

Friday, Jan. 9, 2 - 3 pm Read My Father's Dragon by Ruth Stiles Gannett before the event.

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Tween & Teen Activities

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Magic: The Gathering & Trading Card Game Day

Mondays, Dec. 1 - 15, Jan. 5, 12, & 26, & Feb. 2, 2:30 - 5 pm

New AND experienced players welcome!

Register at the Teen Desk when you arrive and get a 20-sided die the first time you come to the program. For Magic players, Commander and Legacy formats are typically played. Grades 7 - 12.

Paper Curling *

Monday, Dec. 1, 3:30 - 4:30 pm Create some 3D winter fun with paper curling! Grades 7 - 12.

Teen Advisory Board Meeting *

Mondays, Dec. 1, Jan. 12, & Feb. 2, 6:30 - 7:30 pm
Enjoy pizza and pop while brainstorming new program ideas. High schoolers earn community service hours. Grades 7 - 12.

Nintendo Switch 2 Day

Tuesdays, Dec. 2 - 16 & Jan. 6 - Feb. 24, 2:30 - 5 pm
Play video games with friends!
Grades 7 - 12.

Dungeons & Dragons

Thursdays, Dec. 4 - 18 & Jan. 8 - Feb. 26, 2:30 - 5 pm

New AND experienced players are welcome! Grades 7 - 12.

Crafty Tweens: DIY Wreaths *

Thursday, Dec. 4, 6 - 6:30 pm Make your own holiday wreath with some crafty materials. Grades 4 - 6.

Teen Art Club *

Fridays, Dec. 5, Jan. 9, & Feb. 6, 3 - 5:30 pm
Let's make some art together! Use our art supplies or bring your own. Grades 7 - 12.

Bedazzling Ornaments *

Monday, Dec. 8, 3:30 - 4:30 pm Decorate an ornament with some diamonds and gems! Grades 5 - 12.

Teen Taste Test: Candy Canes *

Friday, Dec. 12, 3:30 - 5 pm
We've got every candy cane variety
imaginable! Help us decide which is the #1
stick-shaped holiday candy! Grades 6 - 12.

Holiday Snow Globes *

Tuesday, Dec. 16, 3:30 - 4:30 pm Celebrate the season by making a Holiday Snow Globe! Grades 6 - 12.

Tiki Totem Craft *

Wednesday, Dec. 17, 6 - 6:30 pm Get ready for Winter Reading Club with this fun and tropical craft! Grades 4 - 6.

Winter Reading Club! *

Friday, Dec. 19 - Saturday, Jan. 31

Teen Writing Club *

Friday, Dec. 19, 3:30 - 5 pm
Practice writing with fun projects and hanging out with other writing friends.
We'll critique each other's work and build off one another! Grades 7 - 12.

Mario Kart World Tournament *

Saturday, Dec. 20, 1 - 4 pm Try out our new Nintendo Switch 2 and have a friendly competition with other video game enthusiasts! Grades 6 - 12.

Minute Games: Tropical Edition *

Thursday, Jan. 8, 6 - 6:30 pm What tropical tasks can you complete in under 1 minute! Grades 4 - 6.

Crafty Tweens: Keychain Time *

Wednesday, Jan. 14, 6 - 6:30 pm Decorate some keychains! Grades 4 - 6.

Sea Shell Painting *

Friday, Jan. 16, 3:30 - 4:30 pm Decorate your very own sea shell! Grades 7 - 12.

Bad Art Night *

Tuesday, Jan. 20, 6:30 - 7:30 pm We'll provide the materials. You provide the ideas. The coveted Bad Art Trophy will be up for grabs! Grades 7 - 12.

LEGO Day *

Thursday, Jan. 22, 6 - 6:30 pm
National LEGO Day is on Jan. 28th!
Celebrate early with us by using your imagination to create something fun with all our blocks! Grades 4 - 6.

Teen Retro Movie Afternoon *

Monday, Jan. 26, 3:30 - 5:30 pm Watch 1995's Clueless (Rated PG-13)! Snacks provided. Grades 7 - 12.

Teen Open Mic Nite *

Wednesday, Jan. 28, 6:30 - 8 pm
Do you play a musical instrument,
sing, write poetry, or belong to a band?
Share that passion! Grades 7 - 12.

Super Bowl Cheer Gear *

Wednesday, Feb. 4, 6 - 6:30 pm Create some for your team! Grades 4 - 6.

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College Prep for Grades 9 - 12

Online with The Princeton Review

SAT Virtual Practice Test *

Saturday, Dec. 6, 10 am - 1 pm

SAT Strategy Session *

Tuesday, Dec. 9, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Free AP Calculus AB

Practice Test Online *
Saturday, Dec. 13, 10 am - 1 pm

Free AP Chemistry

Practice Test Online *

Saturday, Dec. 20, 10 am - 1 pm

ACT Virtual Practice Test *

Saturday, Jan. 24, 10 am - 1 pm

ACT Strategy Session *

Tuesday, Jan. 27, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

SAT, ACT, or Both? *

Saturday, Jan. 31, 10 - 11 am

SAT Virtual Practice Test *

Saturday, Feb. 7, 10 am - 1 pm

SAT Strategy Session *

Tuesday, Feb. 10, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Free AP Biology Practice Test Online *

Saturday, Feb. 21, 10 am - 1 pm

Free AP European History Practice Test Online *

Saturday, Feb. 28, 10 am - 1 pm



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Children & Family Activities cont.

Story and a Craft *

Wednesday, Jan. 14, 6 - 6:30 pm We'll read *The Mitten* by Jan Brett and make hedgehogs! Ages 7 and under.

Story and a Craft *

Sunday, Jan. 18, 2 - 2:30 pm We'll read *The Dot* by Peter Reynolds and paint with Q-tips. Ages 7 and under.

2nd & 3rd Grade Book Club *

Monday, Jan. 19, 6 - 7 pm Read The Case of the Missing Cheetah by Veronica Mang before the event. Then, join us for a discussion, snacks, and bookrelated activities!

Kids' Yoga *

Wednesdays, Jan. 21 & Feb. 18, 6 - 6:30 pm Join us for a yoga class where you'll learn different yoga poses and relaxation tips. Bring a yoga mat or towel. Ages 5 - 10.

Toddler Day at the Beach *

Friday, Jan. 23, 10:30 - 11:30 am Warm up from the cold with a variety of beach-themed stations. Ages 1 - 3.

Curious Kids: The Titanic *

Wednesday, Jan. 28, 6 - 7 pm Join us for an hour of trivia, icebergs, morse code, and ship-creating! Grades 2 - 6.

Pajama Story Time *

Monday, Feb. 2, 6 - 6:30 pm Bring your blanket and teddy bear, and wear your pajamas! Ages 7 and under.

Boundless Bookworms: A Homeschool Book Club *

Friday, Feb. 6, 2 - 3 pm Read Life After Whale: The Amazing Ecosystem of a Whale Fall by Lynn Brunelle before the event.

Story Lab: Ice Experiments *

Saturday, Feb. 7, 3 - 3:30 pm We'll read So Cold! by John Coy and experiment with ice. Ages 2 - 5.

Valentine's Minute to Win It *

Tuesday, Feb. 10, 6 - 6:30 pm Get into the Valentine's Day spirit with fun minute-to-win-it style games featuring candy hearts. K - Grade 4.

Story and a Craft *

Wednesday, Feb. 11, 6 - 6:30 pm Hear The Couch Potato by Jory John and make a potato craft! Ages 7 and under.

My First Valentine's Day *

Thursday, Feb. 12, 6 - 6:30 pm Celebrate baby's first (or second) Valentine's Day with a keepsake craft! Birth - 23 months.

The Great Backyard Bird Count *

Sunday, Feb. 15, 2 - 3 pm
Sip cocoa while you observe and count birds from the windowed study area in Children's. We'll submit your totals for this global event! Kids' activity booklets will be available. Earn a checkout challenge prize if your family takes home five books about birds! All ages.

2nd & 3rd Grade Book Club *

Monday, Feb. 16, 6 - 7 pm
Read Lunch Lady and the Cyborg
Substitute by Jarrett J. Krosoczka before
the event. Then, we'll discuss, eat snacks,
and make our own robots!

Handprint Trees *

Saturday, Feb. 21, 3 - 3:30 pm Create a tree using nothing but paint and your hands. Ages 5 and under. Note: This craft does use paint and ink pads, so please dress accordingly.

Story and a Craft *

Sunday, Feb. 22, 2 - 2:30 pm We'll read The Digger and the Flower by Joseph Kuefler and make our own flowers. Ages 7 and under.

Tween & Teen Activities cont.

Caring Crafts - Crochet/Knit Squares * Monday, Feb. 9, 6:30 - 7:30 pm
Crochet or knit for a good cause! We'll make 7x9-inch square sections to send to the Warm Up America! Foundation, where they will be assembled into completed blankets and shipped to charitable organizations for distribution to persons in need. All ages and skill levels are welcome. Adults, too! Simple crochet and knit patterns will be provided, but we'll need you to bring your needles or hooks and yarn.

Valentine's Day Matinee *

Tuesday, Feb. 10, 3:30 - 5:30 pm Watch 1986's Pretty in Pink (Rated PG-13) on the big screen! Grades 6 - 12.

Teen Clay Day *

Friday, Feb. 13, 3:30 - 4:30 pm Use clay to make what you love or just to have fun! Grades 7 - 12.

Crafty Tweens: Card Making *

Thursday, Feb. 19, 6 - 6:30 pm Make fun cards to share! Grades 4 - 6.

Teen Taste Test: Crazy Combos *

Friday, Feb. 20, 3:30 - 5 pm

Does caramel mixed with fried cheese curds really taste like carnival funnel cakes? Does chocolate syrup in your lemonade taste like a liquid Tootsie Roll? Find out! Grades 6 - 12.

Board Game Afternoon *

Tuesday, Feb. 24, 3:30 - 4:30 pm We'll have old favorites plus some new ones, too! Snacks provided. Grades 7 - 12.

Bookmark Day *

Wednesday, Feb. 25, 6 - 6:30 pm Celebrate World Bookmark Day by decorating your own. Grades 4 - 6.

Coffee for a Cause - Save the Date! Saturday, March 21, 6:45 pm