

FROM THE DIRECTOR

Excellence of service is a priority of the Lakewood Public Library.

To this end, we are mindful that a public library cannot serve its patrons or be excellent if it is not open.

The Lakewood Public Library is open more hours than any other public library in the State of Ohio.

Equally significant is that the residents of the City of Lakewood pay the least in property taxes for public library operations than any other community in Cuyahoga County.

When Ohio's public libraries were dealt a 30% reduction in state funding last summer, many libraries responded by shuttering branches, trimming evening hours, and closing on Sundays. The Lakewood Public Library took a different and more creative approach. We asked what was best for our patrons.

Lakewood is a community of individuals and families who love to read. Weekends, especially Sundays, continue to be the busiest times we are open. Evenings and weekends are often the only times for many families to come together and visit their library.

Sadly, few public libraries are open on Sundays, and those that are often suspend Sunday hours during the summer months. With over 3,000 area children and teens enrolled in the Library's summer reading program, and knowing the importance of children continuing to read during the summer months, you will find the doors of the Lakewood Public Library and the Madison Branch Library open on Sundays. After all, it's your Library and we are here to serve you at locations and during hours that are most convenient for you.

Some would urge that if the Lakewood Public Library folded into a larger library system, perhaps one run by county officials, there may be some savings of public resources. When this banner of regionalism is raised, ask yourself if you and your family would really be better served by a bureaucratized library system that collects more property taxes, offers fewer services, and keeps bankers' hours.

As always, we look forward to seeing you at your Library.

JAMES CRAWFORD

James Crawford
Director

LIBRARY LEVIES FOR CUYAHOGA COUNTY	
(Cost per \$100K Market Value)	
Cleveland	\$188.97
East Cleveland	\$184.06
Cleveland Heights	\$165.05
Rocky River	\$145.40
Shaker Heights	\$122.50
Euclid	\$95.66
Westlake	\$85.75
Cuyahoga County	\$76.56
Lakewood	\$67.37

Source: Elizabeth C. Libens,
Cuyahoga County Budget Commission.
Calendar Year 2009

FEATURED PROGRAM

PLEASE STOP THE ROLLERCOASTER! A Peer Discussion Group for the Parents of Teenagers

You're a good parent who wants to keep your teenager safe while giving them the freedom they demand. Maybe you could use some help? Don't miss this eight-week discussion group based on the book, *Please Stop the Rollercoaster: How Parents of Teenagers Can Smooth Out the Ride* by Sue Blaney. Join your parenting peers for frank discussions of topics ranging from "The Myth of Perfection" to "Friends, Culture and Risk Behavior." Workbooks will be available at no cost to participants. Visit lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/rollercoaster to learn more. Space is limited. To register, e-mail pattirichardson7@yahoo.com with your name, e-mail, phone and preferred session.

Participants are asked to read each week's chapter before the discussion.

Two sessions to choose from:

Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. September 29 to November 17

Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. September 30 to November 18

Main Library Meeting Room



LIBRARY SERVICES

e-LIBRARY ONLINE CATALOG

You can check your account, renew materials and place items on hold from the comfort of your home with the e-Library online catalog. Request your PIN in person (with a photo ID) at either the Main Library or the Madison Branch. Then visit the catalog at lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/catalog to get started.

24-HOUR RENEWAL BY PHONE

Library materials may be renewed any time, day or night, by calling (216) 226-8275, ext. 150 and stating your name and phone number. Items requested by another patron may not be renewed.

24-HOUR BOOK DROP

For your convenience, Library materials may be deposited at any time in the outside return areas. Main Library has both pedestrian and drive up drops on the south side of the building. The Madison Branch book drop box is in the rear parking lot.

DRIVE UP WINDOW

Main Library has a full service drive up window on the south side of the building open during regular Library hours. To arrange to have your materials placed at the window for pickup, please call (216) 226-8275, ext. 110.

E-MAIL HOLDS NOTICE

Save the trees and save the postage! Receive an e-mail notice when items you've placed on hold become available. Visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/notifyme and sign up with your Library card ID or just stop by any desk and ask.

FACEBOOK, TWITTER, YOUTUBE AND RSS

Follow us at Facebook.com/LakewoodPublicLibrary. Enjoy our mini-epiphanies at Twitter.com/LakewoodLibrary. Watch us at YouTube.com/wgolpl. Access our RSS newsfeeds at www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/rss. We think we're starting to get the hang of this social media revolution.



LPL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER BY E-MAIL

Our weekly electronic bulletin includes news on Library programs, lists of new items in our collection and additions to the Web site. To subscribe, send a blank e-mail message to lpl-news-on@mail-list.com.

OHIO WEB LIBRARY

The best sources of online information are not always free, but Ohio's citizens have an advantage. The Ohio Web Library is an evolving collection of thousands of digital publications and research sources, including popular magazines, trade publications, scholarly journals, newspapers, encyclopedias, dictionaries, speeches, poems, plays, maps, satellite images and more. Begin your free search at lakewoodpubliclibrary.com and click on the Ohio Web Library link.

TLC - TEACHER LOAN COURIER

Educators who teach or reside in Lakewood may have classroom materials delivered to their Lakewood school or Lakewood home. There is a ten-item minimum for delivery service. Teacher Loan Cards are available at the Main Library or the Madison Branch Circulation Desks. Requests for delivery and pick-up may be made by calling (216) 226-8275, ext. 140.

HOMEBOUND SERVICE

Lakewood residents who are unable to leave their homes, on a temporary or permanent basis, may have Library items delivered to their residences. Materials available include books (regular or large print), audiobooks, magazines, CDs, videos and DVDs. Requests for delivery and pick-up, every other Tuesday afternoon, may be made by calling (216) 226-8275, ext. 111. This service is made possible through the generous work of the Friends of Lakewood Public Library who provide and maintain our van.



SUNDAY WITH THE FRIENDS

THE MAIN LIBRARY AUDITORIUM AT 2:00 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 12

InTransit

Diverse musical talents find a common beat in the body-moving polyrhythms of Latin America. This experimental jazz trio seamlessly blends original compositions with old favorites for an exciting new sound.

SEPTEMBER 19

Christine Lewis

Slow down and take the time to listen to this up-and-coming young woman. Her sepia-toned folk sound comes from serious time spent at a musical crossroads somewhere between earthy confessionals and blues rock love songs.

SEPTEMBER 26

Welcome to Indonesia

Java native Swasti Crain brings the diverse culture of the archipelago to the Library with music, dance and the traditional costumes of several islands. You may never want to go home again!

OCTOBER 3

Bob Kravos and the Boys in the Band

He learned his trade at the knee of America's Polka King, Frankie Yankovic. Today, Bob Kravos carries on that lively tradition with a party bus full of guys who like to bring smiles to the dance floor.

OCTOBER 10

The Strength, Courage and Confidence of Eleanor Roosevelt

Linda Laronge portrays a champion of domestic social reform, economic justice and human rights in a riveting one-woman show about the most effective, dynamic and controversial First Lady in American history.

OCTOBER 17

Swinging the Great American Songbook

Joe Hunter celebrates the storied relationship between jazz music and the Great American Songbook. With a gentle touch on the piano, he'll share a stirring vision of the United States through a careful selection of old favorites. **This special program will be held in the Multipurpose Room.**

OCTOBER 24

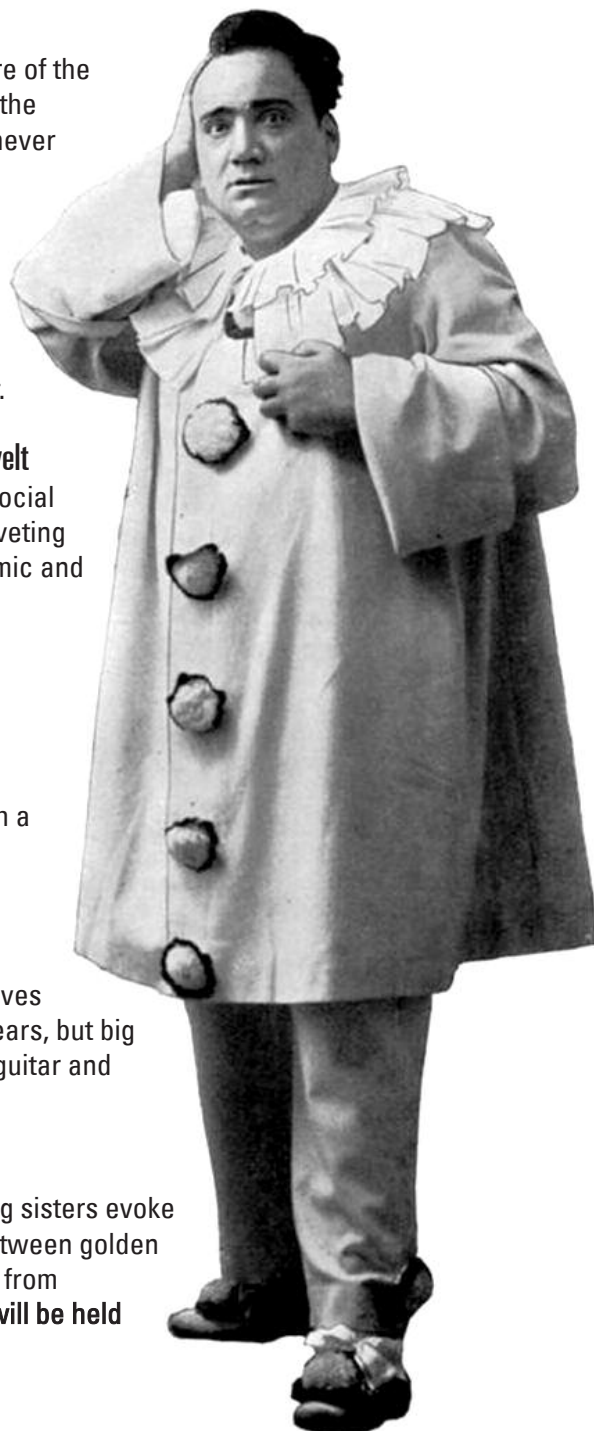
Kristine Jackson's Roots and Blues

The original howling, moaning spirit of the blues lives on in this exceptional performer who's short on years, but big on heart. She'll mix it up with searing vocals, hot guitar and an angel's trumpet.

NOVEMBER 14

The Dinglehop Sisters

With a style straight out of the 1940s, these singing sisters evoke warm memories of the Greatest Generation. In between golden hits, the sisters will read real wartime love letters from overseas and across time. **This special program will be held in the Multipurpose Room.**



SUNDAY WITH THE FRIENDS

NOVEMBER 21

Opera for Everyone

Don't be scared of the opera. (It's not scared of you.) Classically trained soprano Kathleen M. Bosl will belt out catchy showstoppers from Verdi, Strauss, Offenbach and perhaps the Jonas Brothers. (Okay, definitely not the Jonas Brothers.) **This special program will be held in the Multipurpose Room.**



NOVEMBER 28

Grass: A Nation's Battle for Life (1925)

Not Rated

Directed by Merian C. Cooper, Ernest B. Schoedsack and Marguerite Harrison

Join the Bakhtiari in their twice-annual barefoot trek across what is now Iran, through icy waters and over steep mountains in a struggle for survival, unchanged by centuries. The friendships forged by the filmmakers on this adventure inspired their later project, *King Kong!* This legendary silent documentary, presented here with an Iranian score, has been selected by the Library of Congress for inclusion in the National Film Registry.

DECEMBER 5

Front Porch

This merry band of Baldwin Wallace professors sings together to create interdisciplinary four-part vocal harmonies that will knock you out of your rocking chair. With a heaping helping of string instruments, they play bluegrass, folk and old timey mountain music. Attendance is compulsory.

DECEMBER 12

A Salute to Duke Ellington

A Cleveland sensation, Mojo: The Generations Big Band, pays tribute to the greatest bandleader of them all. How many different kinds of songs did he write? How many different kinds of people did he entertain? It will take a stage full of jazz pros just to scratch the surface.

JANUARY 9

The Dixon Family Reunion

Step back in time and space and enter a smoky 1950s roadhouse. The food is lousy, but the music is great. From rhythm & blues to the old rock'n'roll, this family plays American music dating back to the turn of the twentieth century.

JANUARY 23

Solo Marimba

Spend your afternoon with a single instrument that can fill the Auditorium with warm, inspiring sound. The marimba is a wooden instrument struck by mallets. When played by a master like Paul Stranahan, it's something else entirely.



JANUARY 30

Dolley Madison

Actress Carol Starre-Kmiecik plays the First Lady who set the tone for all those who followed. In addition to serving in her husband's administration, she filled in as First Lady for the widowed Thomas Jefferson, furnished the brand new White House and saved democracy once or twice.

FEBRUARY 13

Love: A Musical Celebration

Gary Pildner plays happy, sweet songs about love on the Library's Steinway. All the greats, from Cole Porter to Irving Berlin, Rodgers and Hammerstein and more will have their say on the greatest subject of all. **This special program will be held in the Multipurpose Room.**

FEBRUARY 20

Home in Ohio

Hal Walker grew up in Kent, Ohio blowing his harmonica along the banks of the Cuyahoga River. Today, he is a musical explorer celebrating community, diversity and the creative process on a variety of unique instruments.



Porches: History, Design and Construction

See the evolution of the American porch, from humble masonry stoops to fully furnished verandahs. Whether your porch is Victorian or Colonial Revival, it takes a beating in our Northeast Ohio climate. Kerry Adams, a Senior Historic Preservation Specialist from the Cleveland Restoration Society, will look at common construction and deterioration issues and propose methods for repair and replacement of lost details.

Wednesday, September 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



Frank Lloyd Wright and the Usonian Home

Fred R. Unwin illustrates the humble genius of architect Frank Lloyd Wright with an appreciation of the Weltzheimer/Johnson house in Oberlin, Ohio. One of the few Usonian homes open to the general public, it stands as a brick and redwood example of Wright's vision of stylish, affordable middle class living. Unwin believes it may still have much to teach us about making homes in the twenty-first century.

**Wednesday, September 22 at 7:00 p.m.
in the Main Library Auditorium**

Early Lake Avenue Homes

Turn of the century Lake Avenue was where the wealthiest Lakewoodites established large estates and elaborate summer cottages. Mazie Adams, Executive Director of the Lakewood Historical Society, will guide you along Lake Avenue, from Edgewater Park to Clifton Park, with rare photographs and illustrations. See these elegant properties before they were diminished by subdivisions, Edgewater Drive and the Gold Coast. As an added bonus, the interiors of several outstanding homes will also be included.

Wednesday, October 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

American Da Vinci: Viktor Schreckengost

A key figure in the first era of modern design and one of its last living leaders, Viktor Schreckengost's paintings, sculpture, pottery, and industrial designs are now being exhibited at more than 100 museums around the United States. Throughout his working career, Schreckengost strove to apply a creative philosophy that artistically linked dramatic form with an object's function. Curator Craig Bara offers a compelling, comprehensive argument why this Ohio native should be considered our American Da Vinci.

Wednesday, October 27 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Recently Historic: Houses from the 1930s – 1950s

From the Minimal Traditionals and Cape Cods of the 1930s to postwar Ranches and Split-Levels, learn about the kinds of homes most recently deemed historic. Kerry Adams, a Senior Historic Preservation Specialist from the Cleveland Restoration Society, will place these homes in the context of their times, examine defining characteristics and help you plan sensitive rehabilitation work.

Wednesday, November 3 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Come Home to Lakewood House Tour

Seven intriguing and architecturally significant Lakewood residences will be featured on this year's walking tour of the homespun wonders of Lakewood. An educational presentation at the restored Nicholson House will round off the afternoon with stories about the early settlers of Lakewood. All proceeds will benefit the Lakewood Historical Society. Ticket information can be found at www.lakewoodhistory.org.

Sunday, September 12 from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.



Financing Your Very Small Business

What options do you have when your startup is unable to secure traditional financing? Representatives from WECO, the Wealth Education Collaboration Opportunity Fund, invite you to participate in a workshop that covers everything from business plans to tax returns. You may be the right candidate for a microloan. This program will be offered twice.

Monday, September 20 and Monday, October 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

How to Raise Financially Responsible Children

After thirty years of helping her clients save and protect their hard-earned assets, Sandra Anderson knows a thing or two about instilling the habits and teaching the skills young people need to become financially responsible adults.

Monday, October 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

College for You

Anybody interested in going to college should jump on this opportunity to talk to Bob Durham from Cleveland Scholarship Programs. Whether you're a high school student, an adult learner or just a concerned family member, Bob will provide useful advice on searching for scholarships, financial aid and the college that fits best. Visit www.cspohio.org for more information on Cleveland Scholarship Programs.

Monday, December 6 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Financial Aid for You

Bob Durham from Cleveland Scholarship Programs returns to answer your questions about securing the financial aid necessary for a college education. From filling out the FAFSA to figuring out the difference between a loan, a grant and a scholarship, this program just might save you time and money. Visit www.cspohio.org for more information on Cleveland Scholarship Programs.

Monday, January 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

You Have Been Named Executor – Now What?

With three decades of financial experience at her disposal, Sandra Anderson helps prospective executors understand the legal process, address their immediate concerns, and decide whether probate proceedings are necessary to settle an estate efficiently. She will also provide information that will help attendees get their own affairs in order.

Monday, February 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

LEAF COMMUNITY 2010

The Lakewood Earth and Food Community (LEAF) was created by local volunteers to bring community gardening, community supported agriculture, soil building and bulk buying to Lakewood. Their goal is to develop a more sustainable, healthful and economically viable community with fresh local food, knowledge, culture and positive people. Bring the whole family and join your neighbors on the Library's Front Porch for locally farmed produce, children's games, artwork, music and more. To learn more, visit leafcommunity.org.

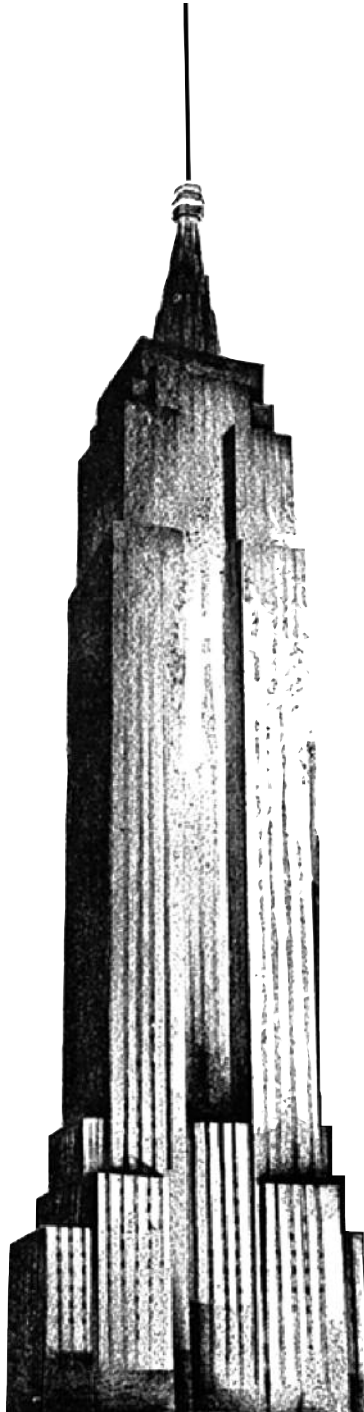
Every Wednesday Night at 5:30 p.m. on the Main Library's Front Porch
Continuing Through the Harvest



BOOK CLUBS

BOOKED FOR MURDER: New York City

Fresh off a bus from the Midwest, wide-eyed naïf Andrea Fisher dives into the world of big city murder with five mysteries marked by an empire state of crime. For all the shocking details, visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/bookclubs.



***Lush Life* by Richard Price**

After a night of barhopping on Manhattan's Lower East Side, three men are approached by two muggers. One man is shot to death and Detective Matty Clark is called to find the killer. Price's knowledge of the city and gift for realistic dialogue make for a powerful representation of the dark side of New York City.

Thursday, September 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

The Poisoner's Handbook:

***Murder and the Birth of Forensic Medicine in Jazz Age New York* by Deborah Blum**

It used to be that poisoners could get away with murder. In this gripping true crime tale, New York City's first medical examiner and the first toxicologist are cast as detectives in search of the poisons responsible for so many bodies in the city's morgue. Each chapter tells the story of another murder, then details the methods devised that would forever change the relationship between science and crime.

Thursday, October 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

***All the Flowers are Dying* by Lawrence Sanders**

Matt Scudder, a former cop, investigates the grisly death of his wife's best friend. The murder weapon is a unique letter opener sold exclusively at his wife's art store, meaning that she and the murderer were face to face. To make matters worse, a deranged killer seems to be after Scudder and his wife.

Thursday, November 11 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

***China Trade* by S.J. Rozan**

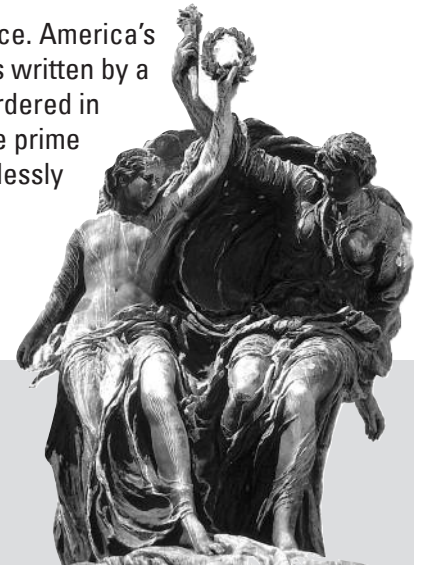
New York City's Chinatown, an exotic world-within-a-world, provides the setting for an intriguing mystery filled with mysteries. Investigator Lydia Chin begins by searching for a rare set of porcelains stolen from the Chinatown Museum and ends up discovering an unlikely relationship between the ruthless gangs that run the neighborhood and black market art. Chin's traditional Chinese family thinks her line of work isn't suitable for a woman but readers will agree that she is one tough cookie.

Thursday, January 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

***The Leavenworth Case* by Anna Katharine Green**

Long before Sherlock Holmes, there was Ebenezer Gryce. America's first detective series was also one of the first mysteries written by a woman. Wealthy merchant Horatio Leavenworth is murdered in his 5th Avenue mansion, and his beloved nieces are the prime suspects. The determined yet humble Gryce works tirelessly to solve this case, despite surprises at every turn.

**Thursday, February 10 at 7:00 p.m.
in the Main Library Meeting Room**



WEALTH, HUNGER AND PEACE

Dr. Gabriela Kaplan tackles religious intolerance, racism, war, world hunger and environmental calamity with poetry in this unique combination of lecture and recital that incorporates heartrending music and startling images to devastating effect.

Monday, September 27 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

BUSINESS BOOK TALK with Tim Zaun and Friends

Let's talk business. Keep up to date with the latest ideas and meet like-minded Lakewoodites with host Tim Zaun. Refreshments provided. Visit www.timzaun.com or go to www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/bookclubs to learn more.

***Switch: How to Change Things When Change Is Hard* by Chip Heath and Dan Heath**

The bestselling authors of *Made to Stick* present a blueprint for successful change in the twenty-first century.
Thursday, September 16 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

***Crush It! Why Now Is The Time To Cash In On Your Passion* by Gary Vaynerchuk**

Wine Library TV host, Gary Vaynerchuk, discusses the importance of developing your personal brand.
Thursday, November 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

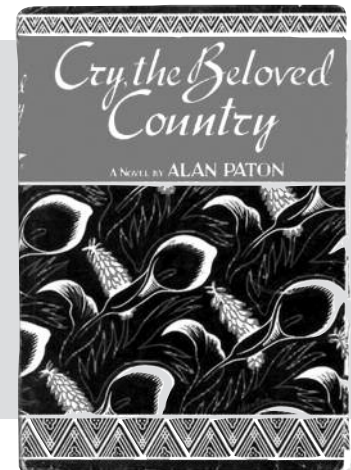
***LINCHPIN: Are You Indispensable?* by Seth Godin**

Change agent and master marketer, Seth Godin, wants you to stand out in your organization.
Thursday, January 20 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room

KNIT & LIT BOOK CLUB

Lynda Tuennerman hosts a social club for multitaskers—a combination book club and stitchery group. She's looking for readers who can enjoy intense discussion of modern classics while relaxing with their latest project. Come share your passion for great literature and show off your knitting, crocheting, counted cross-stitch, embroidery and quilting works-in-progress. At each meeting, the group decides what will be read next. Call (216) 226-8275, ext. 127 or visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/bookclubs.

Beginning Tuesday, September 21 with *Cry the Beloved Country* by Alan Paton
October 19, November 16, December 21, January 18 and February 15
Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Meeting Room



HEALTH AND BEAUTY

The Curl Advantage

Whether your ringlets are natural or manmade, Bonnie Fencil of the Carabel Beauty Salon can answer your questions about maintaining the health and beauty of your curly hair. She'll also have some samples to try!
Monday, September 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

The Color Advantage

Between temporary, semi, demi, permanent and organic hair coloring, we suggest you bring your questions about flattering color to Bonnie Fencil of the Carabel Beauty Salon. See what samples she has for you!
Monday, October 11 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Active Release Technique

Dr. Allison Norris, a certified practitioner of this patented soft tissue technique, suggests wearing some comfortable clothes if you plan on participating in the demonstration.
Tuesday, January 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Thai Yoga Massage

It's like having yoga done to you. This massage technique harmonizes the physical, energetic and emotional bodies for a truly holistic experience. Dr. Allison Norris demonstrates.
Tuesday, February 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

MEET THE AUTHOR

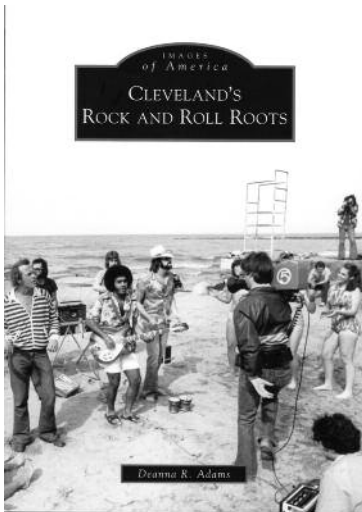
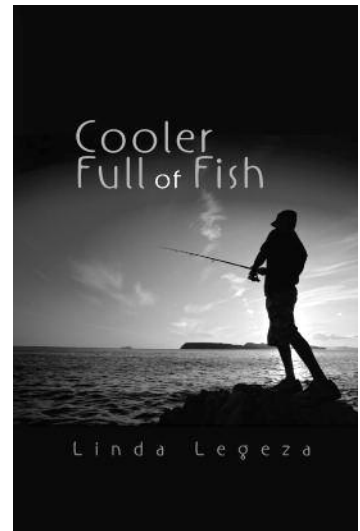
FISH TALES

***Cooler Full of Fish* by Linda Legeza**

***The Rainy Day House* by Linda Legeza**

Cleveland author Linda Legeza will answer your questions about writing and fishing. In her first novel, *Cooler Full of Fish*, a young man with a natural gift for rod and reel struggles to figure out the rest of his life. While his friends are moving on with relationships and careers, Jeff Grabowski is still taking care of his father's charter fishing company. His half-hearted plan is to make the business such a success that his father no longer needs him. But what would he do then? The author will also bring along her new novel, *The Rainy Day House*. Both books will be available for sale and signing at the event.

Wednesday, September 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



CLEVELAND STILL ROCKS!

***Cleveland's Rock and Roll Roots* by Deanna R. Adams**

***Rock'n'Roll and the Cleveland Connection* by Deanna R. Adams**

After spending an hour with Deanna Adams, you won't wonder why the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame is in Cleveland—you'll wonder how it took so long to get here! Lake Erie audiences were the first to embrace the music and, with raucous cheering, Clevelanders kicked off the careers of one legend after another. In the good old days, even cool guys like Bowie loved the city (in a non-ironic way) simply because it was so much fun to play. With great music and wild stories from the musicians and disc jockeys who made it all happen, Adams will reignite the rock and roll in your soul. Books will be available for sale and signing at the event.

Wednesday, October 6 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

PRESS BOX

Gimme Rewrite, Sweetheart:

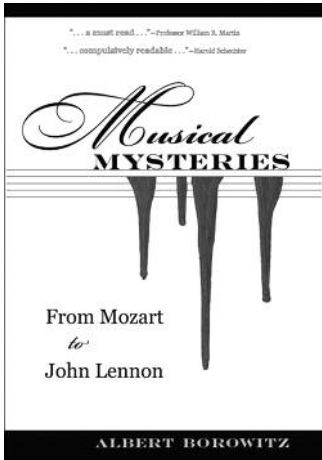
Tales from the Last Glory Days of Cleveland Newspapers

by John H. Tidyman

Back in the days when *The Cleveland Press* and *The Plain Dealer* fought tooth and nail for newspaper supremacy, good stories didn't just walk into the newsroom by themselves. Reporters took risks and broke rules, wearing out shoe leather and jamming dimes into payphones. John H. Tidyman, a former *Press* man himself, recounts outrageous stories of journalists joining the KKK, committing themselves to mental institutions, bribing sources not to talk to the competition and checking their facts at the library—all in the name of a good story. Books will be available for sale and signing at the event.

Wednesday, November 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium





“PORE JUD IS DAID”

A Special Presentation on the Villain of Oklahoma!

***Musical Mysteries: From Mozart to John Lennon* by Albert Borowitz**

In this somewhat unusual discussion, Albert Borowitz will focus on one single chapter from his engrossing new book on the interplay between crime and music. Jud Fry, the sinister farmhand from Rodgers and Hammerstein’s *Oklahoma!*, provides the author with all the opening he needs to examine the dark side of the American musical. “Lonely Room,” Jud’s most poignant and terrifying song, was not cut out of the film by accident. Books will be available for sale and signing at the event.

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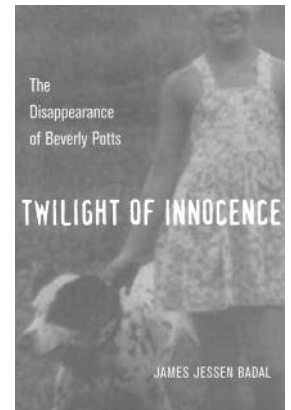
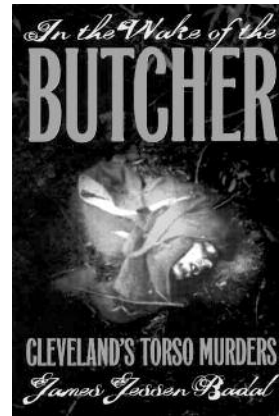
TRUE CRIME CLEVELAND

***In the Wake of the Butcher: Cleveland’s Torso Murders*
by James Jessen Badal**

***Twilight of Innocence: The Disappearance of Beverly Potts*
by James Jessen Badal**

From the bloody carnage of the Torso Murders to the quiet disappearance of a young girl, James Jessen Badal has a gift for turning true crimes from Cleveland’s past into thoughtful literature. Through exhaustive research, Badal uncovers new clues, unfollowed leads and unreported details that others missed. Then, with a novelist’s eye for detail, he brings his players to life with fully-rounded personalities, quirks, fashions and other incriminating traits. Several titles will be available for sale and signing at the event.

Tuesday, January 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



CLEVELAND ROCKS ON...

The Buzzard:

***Inside the Glory Days of WMMS and Cleveland Rock Radio*
by John Gorman with Tom Feran**

Go behind the scenes at the Buzzard during the heyday of Cleveland rock and roll radio. John Gorman was there and he has the stories, the photos and even some videos to prove it! This multimedia presentation is an expansion of his wild and rocky memoir. You’ll feel like you were there with the larger-than-life superstars of the ‘70s and ‘80s—the DJs, the musicians and even a certain cartoon buzzard who we’re pretty sure doesn’t actually exist. Books will be available for sale and signing at the event.

Wednesday, February 16 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



THE LAKEWOOD PUBLIC CINEMA

These films are chosen from your suggestions. Visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/film to learn more.

A Day at the Races (1937)

Directed by Sam Wood

Not Rated

When the Marx brothers head out to the racetrack for a few laughs, describing the plot almost seems misleading. Needless to say, Harpo plays the harp, Chico cons everyone into thinking he can play the piano and Groucho dances and struts his way from one-liner to one-liner—this time as Dr. Hugo Z. Hackenbush, horse doctor and personal physician to the rich and gullible.

Saturday, September 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Main Library Auditorium

Tarzan and His Mate (1934)

Directed by Cedric Gibbons

Not Rated

The greatest Tarzan film ever made snuck into theaters just before the notorious Hays code took all the fun out of leaving civilization behind. Greedy hunters on the prowl for ivory want to take Jane back to the world of men. Tarzan no like. Johnny Weismuller and Maureen O'Sullivan sizzle and swing in a jungle picture like no other!

Saturday, October 9 at 6:00 p.m.

Main Library Auditorium

Aliens (1986)

Directed by James Cameron

Rated R

Before taking off for the world of *Avatar* (2009), director James Cameron made his first venture into outer space a memorable one with this ambitious and wildly successful follow-up to the original *Alien* (1979). Sigourney Weaver wakes up fifty-seven years after a harrowing escape from the first film and joins a band of space marines on a corporate sponsored "bug hunt." Ridley Scott's suspense and mystery blend seamlessly with James Cameron's action and heart in this sprawling science fiction epic.

Saturday, November 13 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

The Agony and the Ecstasy (1965)

Directed by Carol Reed

Rated G

The masterpieces of the Sistine Chapel did not result from a well-written grant proposal or a reasoned committee. Instead, they were born of a fiery, life-and-death struggle between a warrior Pope and Michelangelo—the greatest artist of the greatest artistic movement in history. Charlton Heston and Rex Harrison play two great men whose faith did not allow them to compromise, men who were finally humbled by the tasks before them.

Saturday, December 11 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Great Balls of Fire (1989)

Directed by Jim McBride

Rated PG-13

The mostly true story of Jerry Lee Lewis comes to life in this raucous tall tale from the early days of Rock'n'Roll. Witness the rise and fall of a piano-pounding genius who proved to be too wild for the Devil's music. With wall-to-wall music and Winona Ryder, baby, you can't go wrong!

Saturday, January 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

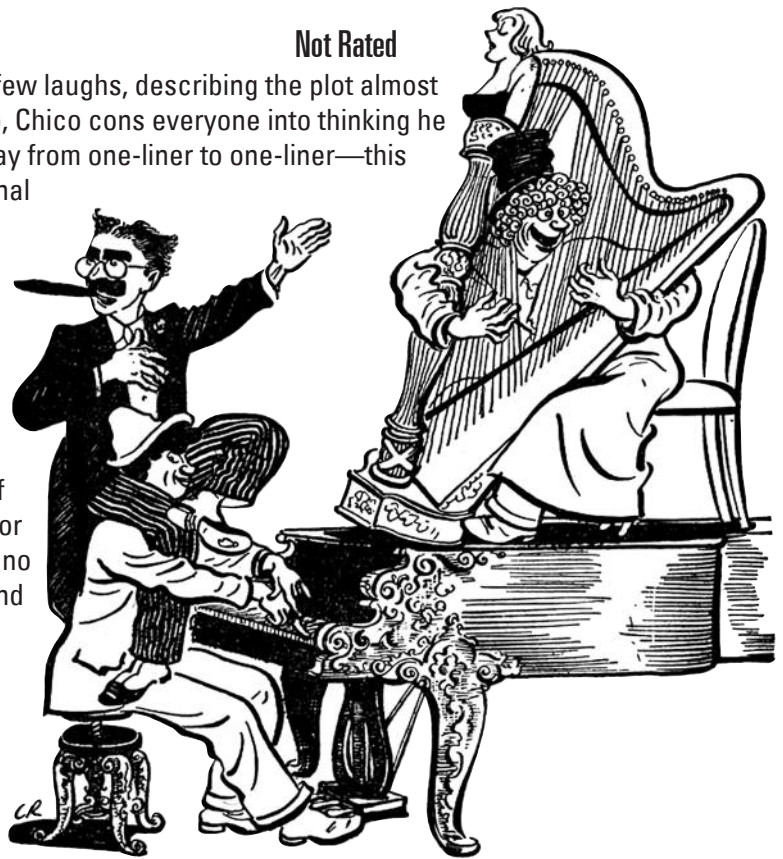
The Fisher King (1991)

Directed by Terry Gilliam

Rated R

Can a Holy Grail fix a broken man? Jeff Bridges plays a self-absorbed jerk who half-heartedly seeks redemption when he lends a hand to a homeless Robin Williams—a man whose life he may have destroyed many years ago. Williams has his head stuck in mythical, medieval times and is obviously crazy, but New York City provides the obstacles and challenges for much questing. With love and laughter and evocations of Ethel Merman, there is hope beyond hope for all. Romantic in every sense of the word, this is a film to see with someone you cherish.

Saturday, February 12 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



FIVE STAR FILMS

Barbara Steffek-Hill travels the world (and scours our DVD collection) to find the best movies you may have missed on your way to the multiplex. Visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/film for more great films.

Broadway Melody of 1940 (1940)

Directed By Norman Taurog

Not Rated

The fabulous dance team of Fred Astaire and Eleanor Powell moves to the music of Cole Porter and the effect is electric! Two song-and-dance men vie for the affections of the same lady in one lavish production number after another. It simply doesn't get any better than this.

Saturday, September 18 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

The Prestige (2006)

Directed by Christopher Nolan

Rated PG-13

Now you see it, now you don't. A close friendship between turn-of-the-century magicians Hugh Jackman and Christian Bale becomes a bitter rivalry when an illusion turns deadly. Mystery and suspense abound as their acts grow increasingly daring. Michael Caine and Scarlett Johansson also star.

Saturday, October 16 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Radio Days (1987)

Directed by Woody Allen

Rated PG

The lives of a working-class, Rockaway Beach family serve as the backdrop for Woody Allen's love letter to the Golden Age of Radio. Episodes of everyday life are skillfully interwoven with scenes from popular radio programs, behind the microphone and offstage. Dianne Wiest, Mia Farrow, Julie Kavener and a very young Seth Green star in a film that turns nostalgia for a medium into a meditation on the nature of memories.

Saturday, November 20 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Spellbound (1945)

Directed by Alfred Hitchcock

Not Rated

In this psycho-thriller, Ingrid Bergman is a psychiatrist at an upscale institution who has serious doubts about Gregory Peck, a new doctor with a reputation that precedes him. He seems too young to have achieved so much recognition. Is he really the man he says he is or a sinister stranger?

Saturday, January 22 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

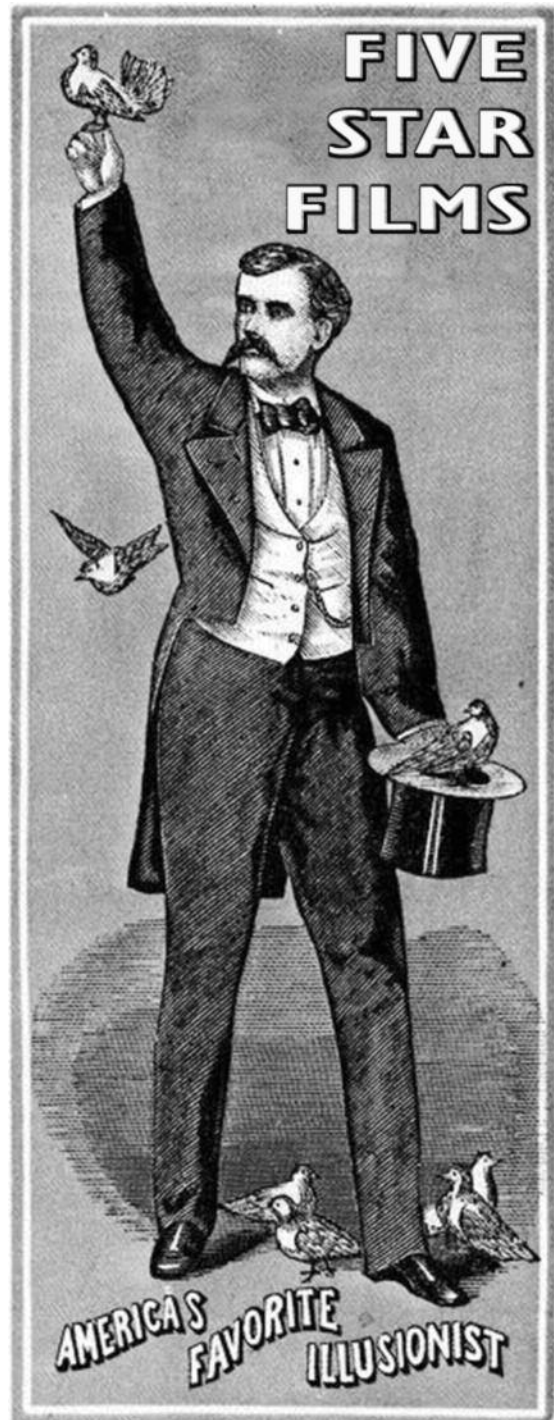
Green Dolphin Street (1947)

Directed by Victor Saville

Not Rated

Navy deserter Van Heflin becomes enthralled with two sisters, Lana Turner and Donna Reed. He favors the quiet one and the feeling is mutual, but her vivacious sister is also smitten. To avoid court martial, he escapes to the South Seas and plans to send for his intended. But one drunken blunder changes all their lives forever.

Saturday, February 19 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



FALL GUYS AND FEMME FATALES: Film Noir in the Forties



Film professor Terry Meehan steps out from the shadows to host a series of films that shed light on the dark side of human nature. Film noir emerged as a cinematic style in the forties, partly as a result of post-war angst, and partly because filmmakers wanted to take their cameras out of the studio and onto the streets where existential anti-heroes and scheming femme fatales lurked in the dark corners of the city. Five classic noirs will be screened along with short documentaries featuring filmmakers who helped pioneer the genre. When the lights come up, Meehan will lead open discussions about the films, the directors and the genre itself. Visit lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/film to learn more.

The Maltese Falcon (1941)

Directed by John Huston

Not Rated

A mysterious woman walks into the low rent office of a hard-boiled detective. We have seen it before; but here, in the office of Sam Spade, is where it all began. With a pace that quickens as tension mounts, Humphrey Bogart, Mary Astor, Sidney Greenstreet and Peter Lorre are after one thing: The Maltese Falcon, a jewel-encrusted statuette, "the stuff that dreams are made of."

Saturday, September 4 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Double Indemnity (1944)

Directed by Billy Wilder

Not Rated

Cynical insurance salesman Fred MacMurray wants to make a sale to sexy femme fatale Barbara Stanwyck. She buys a double indemnity accident policy on her husband and entices MacMurray into making sure that accident happens sooner rather than later. But wily claims agent Edward G. Robinson becomes suspicious before anyone can collect.

Saturday, October 2 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

The Killers (1946)

Directed by Robert Siodmak

Not Rated

Two menacing gangster-types show up at a roadside diner, talking like characters from a Hemingway story—which they are. They've come to kill Burt Lancaster, the Swede, if he ever shows up. Who is the Swede and why do they want to kill him? These are the questions insurance investigator Edmond O'Brien wants answered. It's a sure bet that deceitful dame Ava Gardner had something to do with it.

Saturday, November 6 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium



Out of the Past (1947)

Directed by Jacques Tourneur

Not Rated

Ex-gangster Robert Mitchum has finally found happiness in a small California town running a service station and going on blissful picnics with his lady love, Virginia Huston. But it's not long before the plot catches up with the title, and characters from the past must be dealt with, including mob boss Kirk Douglas and femme fatales Rhonda Fleming and Jane Greer.

Saturday, January 8 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Gun Crazy (1949)

Directed by Joseph Lewis

Not Rated

John Dahl has loved guns since he was a kid. After coming home from World War II, he and his pals attend a carnival sideshow featuring Peggy Cummins, a sharpshooting blonde whose love of guns equals his own. They marry, but the bride is not satisfied with small-town life and craves money and excitement. Reluctantly he joins her on a crime spree that would make Bonnie and Clyde envious. The law is never far behind—and they have guns, too.

Saturday, February 5 at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

CLEVELAND'S GOLDEN AGE OF PRINT



With memories as sharp as a stiff Lake Erie breeze, the frontline witnesses of Cleveland history reflect on the things they did to get the story. Featuring interviews with legendary reporter Doris O'Donnell, the author of *Front Page Girl*, this series of short documentaries chronicles a bygone era with ink-stained anecdotes from O'Donnell's friends, colleagues and collaborators. Originally produced by Storytellers Media Group in conjunction with the Cleveland Police Historical Society & Museum, as part of the Emmy Award winning PBS series, *Doris O'Donnell's Cleveland*, these episodes are now available on DVD and will be available for sale at each screening.

Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Main Library Auditorium

September 14

The Golden Age of Print

Back when Cleveland had three major newspapers and a host of smaller ones, journalism was often the art of breaking the right rules to get your story.

October 12

The Indians Swing

While covering the '56 Indians, our favorite girl reporter has a ball getting kicked out of every ballpark press box on the Eastern seaboard.

November 9

Rosie the Reporter

The outbreak of World War II made newspaper men on the homefront a scarce commodity and pushed women from the society pages to the front page. Doris O'Donnell never looked back.

December 14

Front Page Girl

Straight from a three martini lunch to life behind the iron curtain, Doris O'Donnell broke new ground where few Western reporters ever dared tread.

January 11

Sketches

From Carl Stokes and Ralph Perk to mobster Shondor Birns and county coroner Sam Gerber, Doris O'Donnell had deep sources that made her one of the best.

February 1

Law of the Land

Back in the day, Doris knew all the top cops, including police chief George Matowitz, torso murder detective Peter Merylo, homicide chief David Kerr and prosecutor John T. Corrigan.



MAKERSPACES: The New DIY Revolution

In the good old days, consumers had the right and the know-how to modify the products they purchased for any purpose they saw fit. Although the concept seems lost, a new generation of innovators is rediscovering the do-it-yourself spirit and pushing it to the next level with mind-blowing technologies undreamt of ten years ago. Justin Walker will recount the origins and layout the opportunities of what *Wired* magazine is calling, "the next Industrial Revolution."

Thursday, October 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

THE TECHNOLOGY CENTER AT MAIN LIBRARY AND THE DENNIS G. FEDOR COMPUTER CENTER AT MADISON BRANCH

RESERVE YOUR OWN TIME

For your safety and convenience, the Lakewood Public Library uses PC Reservation from Envisionware for all computer reservations. To reserve time, you'll need a Lakewood Library card in good standing and your PIN. If you don't know your PIN, bring a photo ID and we'll look it up for you. Parents with proper ID can request PINs for their children. Everyone can make up to three appointments a day which allows for a minimum of one-and-a-half hours of access. We no longer take reservations over the phone. Computer time is non-transferable—once you end your session, it is over.

Using a computer under another person's name is not permitted.

SOFTWARE

Browse the web with either Internet Explorer or Firefox. Productivity software includes Word, Excel, Publisher, Access and the full Open Office Suite. For simple photo editing, use Microsoft Paint or the open source GIMP. JAWS screen reading software for the sight-impaired is available at both Main Library and the Madison Branch—just ask at the desk.

MEDIA

Computers are equipped with ports for USB devices, allowing for support of most removable flash media, floppy or hard disk drives, digital cameras and MP3 players. The Library has a supply of external 3.5" floppy disk drives on hand for those patrons who still wish to use diskettes. The computers are also equipped with DVD players, which allow the playing of audio CDs, DVDs, and data discs. **The Lakewood Public Library respects all copyrighted material.**

PRINTING

Every computer is networked to a high-speed laser printer. Printing is limited to twenty pages per day—no exceptions.

HEADPHONES ?

Please bring your own headphones. Jacks are located on the side of each machine.

WI-FI

Wireless Internet access remains freely available at both Libraries for anyone with a Wi-Fi enabled laptop.

PROCTORING SERVICE

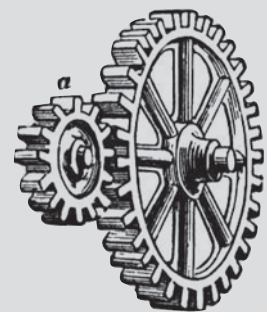
Students enrolled in online classes or correspondence courses can have both written and electronic tests proctored by the Technology Center staff at Main Library. This service is free. Students are responsible for scheduling and verifying arrangements for each test in advance. Applications must be submitted online.

For more information, visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/proctoring.



FREE CAR REPAIR DATABASE

Need some free car repair help? Reserve computer time at either the Main Library or the Madison Branch and check out ALLDATA Online, a comprehensive resource for automotive diagnostic and repair information. There you'll find crisp, clear OEM wiring diagrams, exploded-view illustrations of how things fit together, maintenance tables with handy service intervals, automatic repair updates and technical service bulletins updated daily. This valuable, money-saving resource cannot be accessed outside the Library.



LEARNING LAB CLASSES AT MAIN LIBRARY

FREE INSTRUCTION

Reservations for computer instruction classes begin the first of each month. To register, please stop in or call (216) 226-8275, ext. 127. **Students may retake the same course up to three times a season.**

JOB HUNTING WORKSHOP

Put the resources of the Learning Lab to work in the search for your next job. Learn to navigate job listings, create an Internet-friendly resume, and communicate effectively with employers. Students are encouraged to sign up for an e-mail account before taking this class.

**Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Main Library Learning Lab
September 9, October 14, November 11, December 9, January 13 and February 17**

INTERNET BASICS

Learning how to get around the Internet isn't hard—it's just unfamiliar. Jump in and get your feet wet. Learn the basic skills and discover what's been waiting for you online.

**Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Main Library Learning Lab
September 4, October 2, November 6, December 4, January 8 and February 5**

WORD PROCESSING BASICS

A word processor is more than just a typewriter with a TV attached to it. It's a whole new approach to creating, saving and updating all kinds of documents—from fliers to letters to manuscripts and more. This isn't a typing class, but the skills you'll learn can serve you well in every aspect of computer life.

**Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Main Library Learning Lab
September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11, January 15 and February 12**

WEB SEARCHING BASICS

Finding web pages with a search tool isn't really a problem, but how do you narrow down thousands of results to find what you were looking for in the first place? Get your hands dirty with the three different kinds of online search tools and learn strategies for searching with precision and speed.

**Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Main Library Learning Lab
September 18, October 16, November 20, December 18, January 22 and February 19**

E-MAIL BASICS

It's not too late to sign up for your own e-mail account. Many of them are free and all of them can be used to keep in touch with friends and family. Bring your questions and share your experiences with the rest of the class.

**Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Main Library Learning Lab
September 25, October 23, November 27, January 29 and February 26**

SPREADSHEET BASICS

This brief introduction to computer spreadsheets includes tips on sorting data, automating calculations, and turning out spiffy-looking charts and graphs.

**Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Learning Lab
September 14, November 16 and January 18**



PROTECTING CHILDREN: Ohio Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force

Jesse W. Canonico from the Cuyahoga County Prosecutor's Office provides parents, teachers and community members with the information they need to keep children safe from online sexual predators. Learn a little bit about the evolution of online crime prevention and find out what's coming next in this ongoing battle.

Tuesday, September 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN

Story Times

Registration for story times is ongoing throughout the year. To register, please stop in, visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/youth, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

JUST BABY 'N ME: For you and your 9 – 24 month old baby

Enjoy books, songs and fingerplays while networking with other parents.

Eight-Week Fall Season:

Monday, September 20 – Thursday, November 11

Eight-Week Winter Season:

Monday, January 3 – Thursday, February 24

Main Library

Day	Time	Session
Monday	9:30 a.m.	B-1
Tuesday	6:30 p.m.	B-2
Wednesday	11:30 a.m.	B-3
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	B-4
Thursday	9:30 a.m.	B-5

Madison Branch

Day	Time	Session
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	B-6
Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	B-7

Children's and Youth Services

TODDLER TREATS: For you and your toddler age 2 – 3 ½

Treat your toddler to a story time. Enjoy stories, songs and movements together for thirty fun-filled minutes.

Eight-Week Fall Season:

Monday, September 20 – Thursday, November 11

Eight-Week Winter Season:

Monday, January 3 – Thursday, February 24

Main Library

Day	Time	Session
Monday	10:30 a.m.	A
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	B
Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	C

Children's and Youth Services



Madison Branch

Day	Time	Session
Wednesday	10:30 a.m.	D

STORYLORE: For you and your preschooler age 3 ½ and up

Preschoolers and their parents will enjoy stories, songs and movements for thirty fun-filled minutes.

Eight-Week Fall Season: Monday, September 20 – Thursday, November 11

Eight-Week Winter Season: Monday, January 3 – Thursday, February 24

Main Library

Day	Time	Session
Tuesday	10:30 a.m.	E
Wednesday	1:00 p.m.	F

Children's and Youth Services

Madison Branch

Day	Time	Session
Thursday	10:30 a.m.	G

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN

SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL: For you and your child age 2 – 6

Tune in to the magic of music. Enjoy stories that leap off the page with song, dance and rhythm instruments. For added fun, each child will be given a special "shaker."

Eight-Week Fall Season: Monday, September 20 – Thursday, November 11

Eight-Week Winter Season: Monday, January 3 – Thursday, February 24

Main Library

Day	Time	Session
Monday	1:00 p.m.	H
Wednesday	10:30 a.m.	I
Thursday	10:30 a.m.	J
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	K

Madison Branch

Day	Time	Session
Monday	10:30 a.m.	L
Tuesday	10:30 a.m.	M
Tuesday	1:00 p.m.	N
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	O

Children's and Youth Services

PAJAMA PARTY: For you and your child age 2 – 6

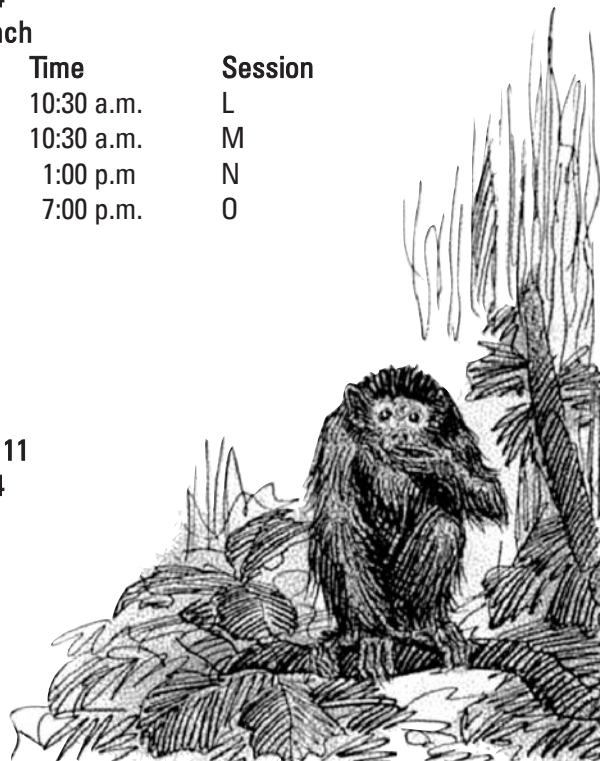
Wear your pjs and bring your favorite stuffed animal and blankie to complete this evening of stories and songs.

Eight-Week Fall Season: Monday, September 20 – Thursday, November 11

Eight-Week Winter Season: Monday, January 3 – Thursday, February 24

Day	Time	Session
Monday	7:00 p.m.	P
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Q

Main Library Children's and Youth Services



COMPUTER PROGRAMS

COMPUTER CONNECTIONS: For children age 6 to 14

Play computer games that are not only fun but educational, too. Each child may have up to three sessions per day, with each session lasting up to one hour. Sign in at the Children's and Youth Services desk. No reservations needed.

Computers are available daily until 8:30 p.m.

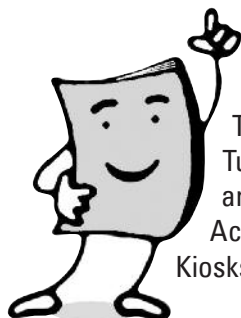
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KID KIOSKS: For children up to age 6

Babies, toddlers and preschoolers can play fun and educational computer games designed just for them.

Children must be accompanied by an adult. No reservations needed. Kid Kiosks are available daily until 8:30 p.m.

Children's and Youth Services at Main Library and Madison Branch



TUMBLEBOOKS

These animated, talking picture books teach kids the joy of reading in a format they'll love. TumbleBooks are created by taking existing picture books, adding animation, sound, music and narration to produce an electronic picture book which you can read, or have read to you. Access is available in the Main Library Computer Connections Room, the Madison Branch Kid Kiosks, or remotely through the Library's website, www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

HOMEWORK ER: For students in kindergarten through eighth grade

Need a little extra help with your homework or just want a cool place to work? Come to the Homework Room for help and resources. No need to register. *Homework ER will be closed for school holidays and vacations.*

Tuesday, September 7 – Thursday, May 26

Monday – Thursday, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m., in Main Library Children’s and Youth Services

IT’S PUZZLING!

Ready to challenge your brain after school? Check out the Library’s puzzle station. A variety of puzzles will be available, and correctly completed puzzles will be entered into a monthly prize drawing.

Tuesday, September 7 – Friday, May 27

Monday – Friday, 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m., in Main Library Children’s and Youth Services

AUTHORS BOOK CLUB: For students in first and second grade

First and second graders meet after school to explore a featured author through stories, discussions, activities and/or crafts. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

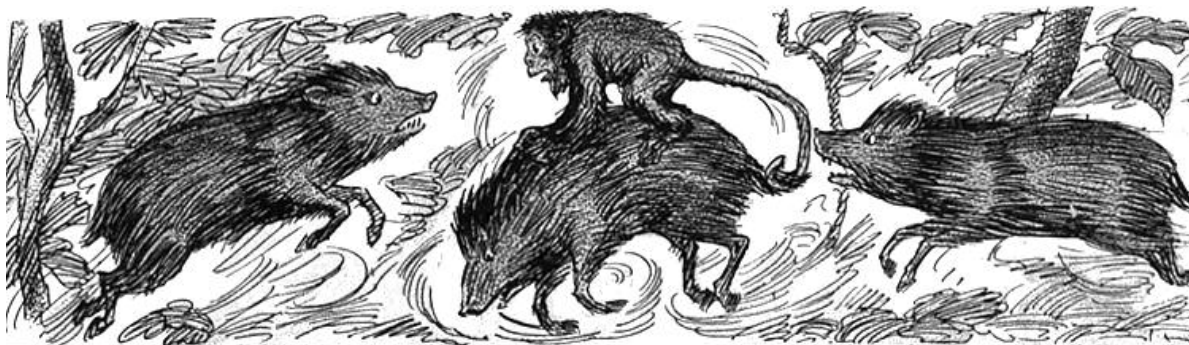
Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

October 13, November 10, January 19 and February 16

STROKES OF GENIUS: For students in second through fourth grade

Hear stories and participate in art activities showcasing renowned artists and their works from various eras. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

Tuesdays, November 2 – December 14 at 4:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room



NAMELESS BOOK CLUB: For students in third, fourth, and fifth grades

Meet monthly after school for lively discussions of novels and fun activities. We provide the books and participants provide the name of the club. All students are required to bring a Library card so they can check out the fun. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

Third grade: October 6, November 3, December 8, January 12 and February 9

Fourth grade: September 29, October 27, December 1, January 5 and February 2

Fifth grade: September 22, October 20, November 17, December 15, January 26 and February 23

LAKEWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY SPELLING BEE: For students in fourth through eighth grade

Back by popular demand! Can you spell c-a-c-o-p-h-o-n-y? If you can or want to try, then be a part of the spelling bee. Grab your dictionary and get ready to “bee” the best speller in Lakewood. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

**Preliminary rounds: Tuesdays at 4:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room
(Choose one date: October 5, October 12, or October 19)**

Competitor Meet and Greet: Tuesday, October 26 at 4:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

Spelling Bee Championship: Friday, November 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium.

WRITE TIME: For students in sixth to twelfth grade

This is a weekly drop-in writing circle. Bring something you're working on, or just come ready to write—be it short stories or a chapter of your new book. This may be the most inspiring hour of your week. No need to register.

Fall Season: September 16 – December 2 ("Open Mike" final on December 9)

Winter Season: January 13 – February 17 ("Open Mike" final on February 24)

Thursdays at 4:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

C.O.M.I.C.S. (Create Original Manuscripts Illustrated Completely Series): For students in sixth through twelfth grade

Do you like to tell stories? Can you visualize your tales and want to get them on paper? Sign up to create your own graphic novel and tell a fantastic story! We will supply the tools, you supply the ideas. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

Tuesdays, January 11 – February 15, 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

Grand Finale Presentation: Tuesday, February 22 at 4:00 p.m.

FAMILY PROGRAMS at the MADISON BRANCH

THE LEARNING GARDEN: For the whole family

A garden where families can read, learn and enjoy together! This garden, a collaboration between the Lakewood Public Library, LEAF Community, H2O, and the City of Lakewood, is located in Madison Park behind the Madison Branch parking lot. Special programs are offered this fall, and there is no need to register in advance.

Saturday, September 18 – Foster Brown

Saturday, October 9 – Harvest Story Time

10:30 a.m. in the Madison Park Learning Garden

WEEKENDS WITH WEE ONES:

For families with children under 2 years old

Spend a part of your family weekend time clapping your hands, tapping your feet, singing nursery rhymes and, of course, sharing books. We will provide materials and ideas for families wishing to continue the fun at home. Programs are offered every weekend throughout the year, and there is no need to register in advance.

Madison Branch Children's and Youth Services

Day	Time
Saturday	11:30 a.m.
Sunday	3:30 p.m.

MADISON BRANCH BRIGHT DAYS: For students in kindergarten through fifth grade

Once the snow begins to fall, come to Madison Branch for books, crafts, fun and games.

Tuesday, November 2 – Thursday, March 31

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4:00 p.m. at the Madison Branch

HOMEWORK ER: For students in kindergarten through eighth grade

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EVENING PROGRAMS

STORYBOOK CHALLENGE: For the whole family

Inspired by the classic game show *Hollywood Squares*, this weekly battle of wits will test your knowledge of books, nursery rhymes and fairy tales. Can you beat the Library Staff at their own game? To register, please stop in or call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140.

Choose One Preliminary Round:

**January 11, January 18,
January 25 or February 8**

Final Round: February 15

**Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.– 8:00 p.m.
Main Library Multipurpose Room**

PICTURE BOOK AWARD COMMITTEE:

For children in second through fourth grades

Become a book expert as you experience and evaluate new picture books. Choose the stories and pictures that you like the best, name the award you will give the winners, and help plan an award ceremony. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

Mondays, 6:30 p.m.– 7:30 p.m.

January 10 – February 7

Main Library Multipurpose Room

ART EXPLOSION: For youth in fifth through eighth grade

Learn about different artists, then experiment with your own style for a special art show. To register, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

Mondays, September 27 – November 8, 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Art Show on Saturday, November 13, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Main Library Multipurpose Room



SURVIVAL(LIBRARY EDITION): For youth in fifth through eighth grade

What would you do if your boat drifted off course and left you shipwrecked on a deserted island? How would you survive if you were separated from your team members on a mountain-climbing expedition? This role-playing adventure is all about facing challenges, both mental and physical, that relate to extreme survival. To register and receive a list of recommended reading, please stop in, call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140 or use the form provided on the last page of this booklet.

Wednesdays, October 6 – November 17, 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Main Library Multipurpose Room



FRIGHT NIGHT TALES OF TERROR: For youth in sixth through twelfth grade

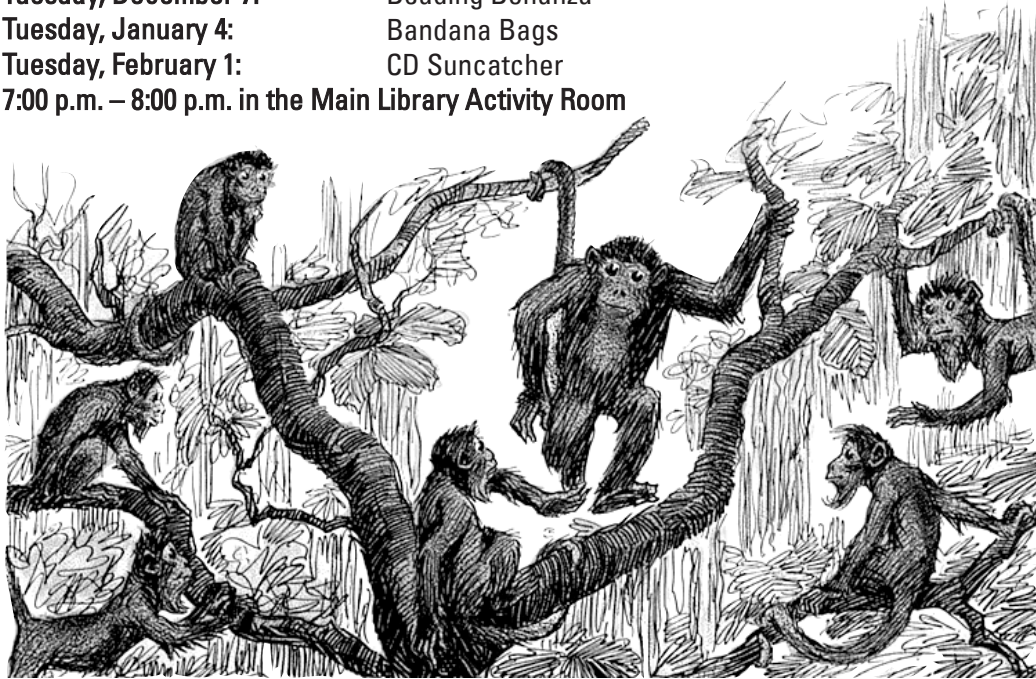
Get spooked by local stories of horror, ghosts, ghouls and haunted places. You never know what terror awaits you around the corner in Cleveland and all over Ohio. Warning: not for the faint of heart! No need to register.

Thursday, October 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

CRAFTY U: For youth in sixth through twelfth grade

Drop in for our monthly arts-and-crafts time based on elements of your favorite books and those that might be new to you. These are not your usual scissors-and-paste crafts. Have a literary experience while you get your hands dirty! No need to register. Mark the 1st Tuesday of the month on your calendar now.

Tuesday, October 5: Goth Sock Puppets
Tuesday, November 2: T-Shirt Time (Bring your own white T-shirt for crafty fun!)
Tuesday, December 7: Beading Bonanza
Tuesday, January 4: Bandana Bags
Tuesday, February 1: CD Suncatcher
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. in the Main Library Activity Room



MOVIE BINGO: For teens age 13 – 18

Hang out, watch a movie, eat free popcorn, play movie bingo and win fabulous prizes! Bring your friends. There's no need to register—just show up. Visit www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/youth or pick up a flyer for ratings information and advisories for each movie.

6:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium

Friday, October 15

Ghostbusters (1984)

Rated PG

Who ya gonna call? Professors Spengler, Stantz and Venkman are the Ghostbusters. They make a living by ridding New York City of ghosts and ghouls with high-tech tricks and wicked wisecracks.

Friday, November 12

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (2009)

Rated PG

In Harry Potter's sixth year at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft, Lord Voldemort and his Death Eaters are wreaking havoc on wizards and muggles alike. With a little help from Dumbledore and friends, he'll face treacherous tasks to defeat his evil nemesis.

Friday, January 7

Sherlock Holmes (2009)

Rated PG-13

With death, deceit and the threat of black magic all around them, Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson must use elementary logic (and a few right hooks) to solve the confounding case of Lord Blackwood.

Friday, February 4

10 Things I Hate About You (1999)

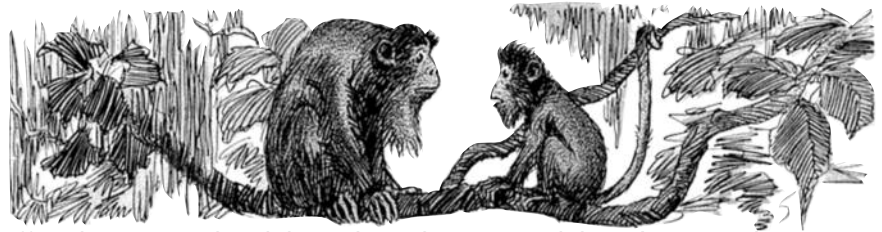
Rated PG-13

In this twist on Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew," the new kid is crazy for Bianca Stratford, but her overprotective father won't let her out of the house until rebellious older sister Kat begins to date. What else can a lovesick boy do but hire a hunky outcast to win big sister's heart?

WEEKEND PROGRAMS

FAMILY WEEKEND WONDERS: For the whole family

Make the Library a part of your family weekend time with programs featuring stories, activities, music and crafts. We will provide materials and ideas for families wishing to continue reading and storytelling at home. Programs are offered every weekend throughout the year, and there is no need to register in advance. Check out our website (www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/youth) for the upcoming themes.



Children's and Youth Services

Main Library

Day	Time
Friday	10:30 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m.
Sunday	2:00 p.m.

Madison Branch

Day	Time
Friday	10:30 a.m.

FAMILY MUSIC & MORE: For the whole family

Spend a Saturday evening at the Library and enjoy programs featuring musicians, movies and other talented performers. Performers are subject to change.

7:00 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room



September 25

Family Movie Night: Nanny McPhee

Looking for a good movie the whole family can enjoy? It doesn't take a spoonful of sugar for this nanny to teach her charges about life. Emma Thompson and Colin Firth star in a charming film based on the book by Christina Brand. Movies will be shown in the Main Library Auditorium.

October 23

Kulture Kids

Join us for a wonderful night, una noche maravillosa, of multicultural art as Kulture Kids perform "Remember to be Nice/Recuerdo Ser Simpatico" starring Costa Rica's Talkative Turtle.

November 27

Family Movie Night: Chicken Little

What happened to Chicken Little? Is the sky really falling? Won't anyone believe him? This little movie is a delightful take on the classic tale. Movies will be shown in the Main Library Auditorium.

January 22

Muszikat-Shalom (Music of Peace)

Come hear vocalist Nancy Bernstein and pianist Drene Ivy perform their new program called "Paws, Claws & Other Tails" and join in the singing of traditional songs, including "Five Green and Speckled Frogs" and "Down by the Bay." After the music ends, we'll create an animal craft.

February 26

World of Difference

Papa Dieux makes a well for the thirsty animals and puts Lizard in charge, but will Lizard do the right thing and share the water as he should? Join us as interactive storytellers World of Difference bring this Haitian folktale to life, with your help of course.



TAIL WAGGIN' TUTORS: For children ages 7 – 12

Bone up on your reading skills by reading to a dog. There's no need to register. Just drop in for a one-to-one session with a book-loving dog certified by Therapy Dogs International.

Saturdays, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. in the Main Library Multipurpose Room

September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11, January 8, and February 12.

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The Foundation is particularly committed to enriching, preserving, and transforming the Lakewood Public Library to meet today's needs while planning for tomorrow.

Currently the Foundation's efforts are focused on acquiring public art for the main branch and building an endowment fund.

The public art acquisitions to date are:

- Grand Reading Room murals by Richard Haas
- Children's Room Entrance art by Lakewood born artist, David Deming
- Photographs of Lakewood, taken by Lakewoodites, lining the entryways

I hope you will consider donating to the Lakewood Public Library Foundation.

Sincerely,

Lynn Foran
President



FRIENDS OF LAKEWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Dear Friends,


2010 is turning into a great year for the Friends. Without a stimulus package, we have almost doubled our online book sales, we have established an ongoing book sale table in the atrium, we have donated reading material to our service men and women in war zones and we have helped other libraries rebuild their collections after floods and other natural disasters. On top of everything else, we are proud to be celebrating 30 years of service to the Library.

To help the Library offset the reduction in state funding, we also continue to expand our support of the Library's collection with books and other materials from your donations.

I repeat my plea for volunteers to help us out at the book sales, physically and mentally, as we seek new ways to recycle books and increase the revenue that we put right back into the Library.

Finally, I thank our generous donors of books and materials and to those who attend our sales and generate our cash flow!

Paul Dimmick
President

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Dues are tax-deductible and renewable in January.

THE FRIENDS BOOK SALES

Join the Friends and receive entrance to special, members-only preview sales on **Thursday, October 21** and **Thursday, December 2** from **6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** Memberships may be purchased at the door or by returning the form above.

FALL BOOK SALE

Saturday, October 23 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

\$3.00 BARGAIN BOOK BAG AND HALF PRICE SALE

Saturday, December 4 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



REGISTRATION FORMS 2010 - 2011

Select the program you would like your child to attend. The Library will notify you regarding your selection. Please submit separate forms for each child, each program and each season. Register online at www.lakewoodpubliclibrary.com/youth

Today's Date: ____/____/____				Child's Birth Date: ____/____/____		Phone: (____) _____		
Child's Name		First	Last		Grade Level (If any)			
Adult's Name		First	Last		<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent/Guardian	<input type="checkbox"/>	Caregiver
Street			Apt. #					
City		Zip		E-mail				
Program Name: _____								
1st	Story Time Choice:		Season _____	Day _____	Place _____	Time _____	Session _____	
2nd	Story Time Choice:		Season _____	Day _____	Place _____	Time _____	Session _____	

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Please clip and return to: Children's and Youth Services, Lakewood Public Library, 15425 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, OH 44107-3890.
Additional forms are available in the Children's and Youth Services Department at the Main Library and at the Madison Branch.
If you have any questions about story time registration, please stop in or call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140.

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Homebound Service - ext. 111
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Reference Desk - ext. 130
AV Desk - ext. 132
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13229 Madison Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio 44107-4898
(216) 228-7428

Monday - Friday: 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sunday: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

LIBRARY CLOSING DATES

Sunday, September 5
Sunday before Labor Day

Monday, September 6
Labor Day

Thursday, November 25
Thanksgiving Day

Friday, December 24
Christmas Eve

Saturday, December 25
Christmas Day

Friday, December 31
New Years Eve-Close at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 1
New Years Day

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