



Muskingum County Library System
October–November 2022



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Library News You Can Use

Our Summer Reading program was a rousing success. We exceeded our goal of 2 million minutes read by over 104,000 minutes! 2,360 community members participated. This is an increase of almost 10% in participants and three times as many minutes read in 2019. Congratulations to both West Muskingum and Bishop Fenwick Elementaries for having the largest number of participants. Both schools will receive a visit from a performer for their prize. This was sponsored by American Pride and Park National Bank. Our Summer Reading Program is our largest program and encompasses all age groups and all MCLS staff working together to make it a success. Participation in a summer reading program is a key indicator of student success in avoiding the summer slide.

We received grants from the Straker Foundation for children's AWE stations at John McIntire, Dresden, and New Concord and from the United Way for a Charlie Cart, which is a mobile kitchen unit to use in programs. Dollar General provided money for our summer reading incentives. We received a grant from the State Library of Ohio for a summer reading performance. Thank you to our community for their continued support!

October 17–22 is National Friends of the Library Week. The Friends of the Library are a dedicated group of volunteers who are committed to focusing attention on the importance of public libraries. They lend their voices of support to the library and raise money for library programs, resources, and materials through special events, book sales, projects, and the Friends Bookstore at John McIntire Library. Proceeds directly support the library system. They are a large part of our Summer Reading program as the program's largest funder. You can support their mission by joining the Friends, shopping at the bookstore, or at one of their sales. The Beatles put it best in their 1967 song "With a Little Help from My Friends." MCLS gets by with a little help from our Friends!



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stacey L. Russell".

Stacey L. Russell
Executive Director

John McIntire Library

Monday–Thursday 10 AM–7 PM, Friday 10 AM–6 PM,
& Saturday 10 AM–4 PM



John McIntire Library

220 North 5th Street, Zanesville, OH 43701
740.453.0391

Branch Libraries

Monday–Thursday 11 AM–7 PM, Friday 11 AM–6 PM,
& Saturday 10 AM–2 PM



Dresden Branch Library

816 Main Street, Dresden, OH 43821
740.754.1003



Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library

222 Main Street, Duncan Falls, OH 43734
740.674.7100



New Concord Branch Library

77 West Main Street, New Concord, OH 43762
740.826.4184



Roseville Branch Library

41 North Main Street, Roseville, OH 43777
740.697.0237



South Branch Library

2530 Maysville Pike, Zanesville, OH 43701
740.454.1511

All MCLS locations are closed on
November 11 & November 24.


Book Discussions

Please visit our online events calendar for full event listings, descriptions, and registration at events.muskingumlibrary.org.



SCAN ME



 ***Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine***
by Gail Honeyman

Monday, October 10 at 4:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

 ***While Justice Sleeps*** by Stacey Abrams


Wednesday, October 12 at 5:30 PM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 18+

 ***Payback's a Witch*** by Lana Harper
(LGBTQA+ Book Club)


Saturday, October 15 at 2 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room A | Ages 18+

 ***The Pioneers*** by David McCullough


Wednesday, November 9 at 5:30 PM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 18+

 ***The Oysterville Sewing Circle***
by Susan Wiggs

Friday, November 18 at 4 PM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 18+

 ***Marriage of a Thousand Lies*** by S.J. Sindu
(LGBTQA+ Book Club)

Saturday, November 19 at 2 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room A | Ages 18+

 ***The Four Winds*** by Kristin Hannah


Monday, November 21 at 4:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

 ***Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky***
by Kwame Mbalia (Tween Book Club)

Monday, November 28 at 5 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room A | Ages 10-14

 ***The Cast*** by Danielle Steel

Monday, November 28 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 18+

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Staff Picks

Spooky Reads



The Dark Tower Series by Stephen King



Dylan
Technology Assistant
John McIntire Library



And The Trees Crept In by Dawn Kurtagich



Alyssa
Assistant Teen Librarian
John McIntire Library



In a Dark, Dark Room & Other Scary Stories by Alvin Schwartz



Jennifer
Customer Service Specialist
South Branch Library



The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman



Haley
Youth Services Manager
John McIntire Library



Berkley Street by Ron Ripley



Lana
Customer Service Assistant
South Branch Library



Gideon the Ninth by Tamsyn Muir



Rachel
Assistant Librarian
John McIntire Library



Coraline by Neil Gaiman



Kayleigh
Customer Service Associate
John McIntire Library



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HALLOW-READ AROUND THE WORLD

October 1 - 31
All Ages



Comic Con

Saturday, October 22 from 10 AM-3 PM
Lower Level of the John McIntire Library

Celebrate comics, manga, anime, gaming, and pop culture. There will be fun activities, a game room, informational panels, and cosplay contests!

Top 5 ★★★★★ Frightening Fiction

To help you find your next great read, we compiled top-five lists based on what other patrons have read over the last year.

Top 5 In-Person Checkouts



Top 5 Libby Checkouts (OverDrive)



Top 5 hoopla Checkouts



Download the MCLS App or visit our website to find these titles and more.
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Hallow-Read Around the World

Throughout October | Virtual | All Ages

Pancakes & Paperbacks

Saturday, October 1 at 7 AM | Malta F&AM Lodge | All Ages

3rd Annual Underground Railroad Symposium

Saturday, October 1 from 9 AM–3:30 PM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 18+

Writing Group

Saturday, October 1 from 10 AM–12 PM | John McIntire Library, Second Level Meeting Room | Ages 18+

Basic Canning & Preserving

Tuesday, October 4 at 5:30 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

Genealogy Workshop

Tuesday, October 4 at 6 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

Friends of the New Concord Library Meeting

Wednesday, October 5 at 10 AM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 18+

After School at the Library

Wednesday, October 5, 12, 19, & 26 at 3 PM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 6-18

The Book Was Better: YA Book Club for Adults

Wednesday, October 5, 12, 19, & 26 from 4:30–6 PM | OU Zanesville/Zane State | Ages 18+

STORYTIMES

Family Storytime

Tuesday, October 4 & 18 at 11:30 AM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 0-11

Tuesday, October 11 & 25 at 11:30 AM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 0-11

Toddler Storytime

Tuesday, October 4, 11, 18, & 25 at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 2-3.5

Baby Storytime

Wednesday, October 5, 12, 19, & 26 at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 0-2

Preschool Storytime

Thursday, October 6, 13, 20, & 27 at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 3.5-5

Game Club

Thursday, October 6, 20, & 27 from 4–5:30 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 6-18

Storywalk at McDonald's Greenhouse

Friday, October 7, 14, 21, & 28 from 10 AM–6 PM | McDonald's Greenhouse | All Ages

The Spooky Storywalk

Friday, October 7, 14, 21, & 28 All Day | John McIntire Library, Front Lawn | All Ages

Pumpkin Decorating Party

Friday, October 7 at 4 PM | John McIntire Library, Storytime Room | Ages 0-18

Inkblots Writers' Group

Saturday, October 8 & 22 from 11 AM–1 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 12-18

Homeschoolers Explore:

Zanesville & Western Scenic Railroad Train Ride
Saturday, October 8 from 12–2:30 PM | Zanesville & Western Scenic Railroad | Ages 6-11

Zanesville & Western Scenic Railroad Train Ride

Saturday, October 8 from 12–2:30 PM | Zanesville & Western Scenic Railroad | Ages 12+

Teen Game Day

Saturday, October 8 at 5:30 PM | South Branch Library | Ages 12-18

It's Only Hocus Pocus!

Monday, October 10 at 12 PM | South Branch Library | Ages 0-18

Our Friends the Worms

Monday, October 10 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 6+

Medicare 101

Tuesday, October 11 at 10:30 AM and at 1:30 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

Let's Play: Library Edition

Tuesday, October 11, 18, & 25 at 4 PM | Virtual | Ages 12-18

Movie Night: "Cinderella"

Tuesday, October 11 at 5 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 6+

Coffee & Crafts

Wednesday, October 12 & 26 at 10 AM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+



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Handprint Leaf Towels

Wednesday, October 12 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 6+

Lunch & Learn: Z&W Scenic Railroad

Thursday, October 13 at 11:30 AM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 18+

Basic Computer Skills for Seniors

Thursday, October 13 at 1 PM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 18+

Library Adventurers' Guild: D&D @ the Library

Thursday, October 13 at 4 PM | John McIntire Library, Second Level Meeting Room | Ages 6-18

Know Your Ballot, Plan Your Vote

Thursday, October 13 from 5–6:30 PM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 18+

Medieval Times

Friday, October 14 at 4 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room A | Ages 8-13

POUND Fitness Class

Saturday, October 15 at 10 AM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

Friends Book & Bake Sale

Saturday, October 15 from 2–5 PM | Roseville Branch Library | All Ages

Pumpkin Decorating

Monday, October 17 All Day | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 0-18

Creepy Crawlies with Leaping Lizards

Monday, October 17 at 5:30 PM | Dresden Branch Library | All Ages

Wild Canids of North America

Monday, October 17 at 5:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 6+

Friends of the DF/P Branch Library Meeting

Tuesday, October 18 at 4 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

Small Business Class: Better Websites

Tuesday, October 18 at 5:30 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

Wild Canids of North America

Wednesday, October 19 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 6+

Trivia Night @ Weasel Boy Brewing

Wednesday, October 19 at 6:30 PM | Weasel Boy Brewing Company | Ages 18+

MCLS Board of Trustees Meeting

Thursday, October 20 at 7:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 18+

Lunch & Learn: Ohio's Historic Haunts

Thursday, October 20 at 11:30 AM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 18+

Transform and Share Family Memories

Thursday, October 20 at 5:30 PM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 18+

Annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Friday, October 21 at 4:30 PM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 0-11

Celebrate 30 Years with the Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library

Saturday, October 22 from 10 AM–12 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | All Ages

MCLS Comic Con

Saturday, October 22 from 10 AM–3 PM | John McIntire Library | All Ages

Mushroom Hunting Workshop

Saturday, October 22 from 1–5 PM | Zane State College Natural Resources Center | Ages 18+

Spooky Science

Monday, October 24 at 4 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 6-13

All About Bats

Monday, October 24 at 5:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 6-18

Sunken Treasure Break In Bags

Tuesday, October 25 at 5PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 12-18

Escape From the Witch's Cottage

Thursday, October 27 at 11 AM, 1, 3, & 5 PM

Friday, October 28 at 11 AM, 1, 3, & 5 PM

Saturday, October 29 at 11 AM, 1, & 3 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room A | Ages 12+

Stranger Danger: Halloween Edition & Costume Contest

Thursday, October 27 at 5:30 PM | New Concord Branch Library | All Ages

Science Tots: Halloween Edition

Saturday, October 29 at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library, Storytime Room | Ages 0-5



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Read to Win a Cozy Basket

Tuesday, November 1 All Day | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 18+

Animal Crossing Meet Up

Tuesday, November 1 at 4 PM | Virtual | Ages 12-18

Genealogy Workshop: Oral Histories

Tuesday, November 1 at 6 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

Friends of the New Concord Branch Library

Wednesday, November 2 at 10 AM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 18+

After School at the Library

Wednesday, November 2, 9, & 16 from 3–4:30 PM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 6-18

NaNoWriMo: Come Write In

Wednesday, November 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30 at 4 PM | John McIntire Library, Second Level Meeting Room | Ages 12+

The Book Was Better: YA Book Club for Adults

Wednesday, November 2, 9, 16, & 30 from 4:30–6 PM | OU Zanesville/Zane State | Ages 18+

Game Club

Thursday, November 3 & 17 from 4–5:30 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 6-18

Buck-a-Bag Book Sale

Thursday, November 4 & 5 All Day | John McIntire Library | All Ages

STORYTIMES

Family Storytime

Tuesday, November 1 & 29 at 11:30 AM | New Concord Branch Library | Ages 0-11

Tuesday, November 8 at 11:30 AM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 0-11

Toddler Storytime

Tuesday, November 1, 8, & 29 at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 2-3.5

Baby Storytime

Wednesday, November 2, 9, & 30 at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 0-2

Preschool Storytime

Thursday, November 3, 10, at 10:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 3.5-5

Writing Group

Saturday, November 5 from 10 AM–12 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 18+

Teen Games

Saturday, November 5 at 12 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 12-18

Genealogy Workshop: Is There a Veteran in Your Family?

Saturday, November 5 from 1–3 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 18+

Lunch & Learn: Pack Horse Librarians

Tuesday, November 8 at 11:30 AM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 18+

Let's Play: Library Edition

Tuesday, November 8, 15, 22, & 29 at 4 PM | Virtual | Ages 12-18

Teen Tuesday

Tuesday, November 8 at 4:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch | Ages 12-18

Coffee & Crafts

Wednesday, November 9 & 23 at 10 AM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

Crafting for Kids

Wednesday, November 9 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 6-11

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Wednesday, November 9 at 5:30 PM | South Branch Library | Ages 6-11

Intermediate Computer Skills for Seniors

Thursday, November 10 at 1 PM | Dresden Branch Library | Ages 18+

Library Adventurer's Guild:

D&D @ the Library

Thursday, November 10 from 4–6 PM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 6-18

Inkblots Writers' Group

Saturday, November 12 & 26 from 11 AM–1 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 12-18

Picture Book Palooza

Saturday, November 12 at 11 AM | John McIntire Library, Storytime Room | Ages 0-11

Beekeeping for Beginners

Saturday, November 12 at 1 PM | John McIntire Library, Second Level Meeting Room | Ages 18+



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Family Movie Night: "Winnie the Pooh"

Monday, November 14 at 5 PM | Roseville Branch Library | All Ages

"The Cloud" for Beginners

Monday, November 14 at 5:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

Friends of the DF/P Branch Library Meeting

Tuesday, November 15 at 4 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 18+

Small Business Class: Quickbooks Online

Tuesday, November 15 at 5:30 PM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

"Golden Girls" Trivia Night

Wednesday, November 16 at 4 PM | South Branch Library | Ages 18+

Indigenous Peoples Celebration

Wednesday, November 16 at 5 PM | John McIntire Library, Storytime Room | Ages 6-13

Trivia Night @ Weasel Boy Brewing

Wednesday, November 16 at 6:30 PM | Weasel Boy Brewing Company | Ages 18+

MCLS Board of Trustees Meeting

Thursday, November 17 at 7:30 AM | John McIntire Library | Ages 18+

Beginner Typing

Thursday, November 17 from 2:30-4 PM | John McIntire Library | Ages 18+

Friends of the South Branch Library Meeting

Thursday, November 17 at 5 PM | South Branch Library | Ages 18+

Friends of the Roseville Branch Library Meeting

Thursday, November 17 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 18+

Homeschoolers Explore: Life as a Pioneer

Friday, November 18 at 11 AM | John McIntire Library, Storytime Room | Ages 6-11

POUND Fitness Class

Saturday, November 19 at 10 AM | John McIntire Library, Meeting Room B | Ages 18+

Movie Night: "The Peanuts Movie"

Monday, November 21 at 5 PM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | All Ages

Personal Safety and Situational Awareness

Monday, November 21 at 5:30 PM | Roseville Branch Library | Ages 12+

Recycling Fun

Tuesday, November 22 at 5:30 PM | Duncan Falls/Philo Branch Library | Ages 6-18

New Concord Friends Holiday Open House

Monday, November 28 at 6 PM | New Concord Branch Library | All Ages

Lunch & Learn: Reintroducing Bald Eagles

Wednesday, November 30 at 11:30 AM | John McIntire Library, Auditorium | Ages 18+



November-December

Library Staff Art Show

John McIntire Library, Carnegie Wing Gallery | M-F 10 AM-5 PM

ARTIST RECEPTION NOVEMBER 10 FROM 4-6 PM