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The Legend of Sleepy Hollow

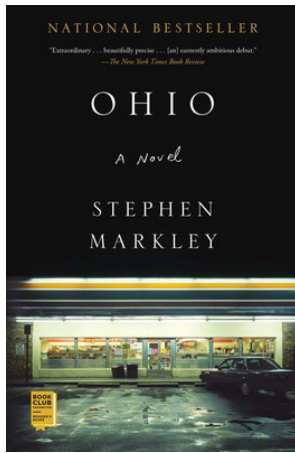
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Ohio: A Novel



Stephen Markley



AUTHOR TALK WITH STEPHEN MARKLEY

OCTOBER 24 | DOORS OPEN 5:30PM | EVENT 6 - 8PM
SECRET AUDITORIUM | ZANESVILLE

Ohio: A Novel

Stephen Markley, National Bestseller

Author Stephen Markley is at Secrest Auditorium in Zanesville for a discussion on his debut novel *Ohio: A Novel*. It is a tale about four former high school classmates that are all brought back to their hometown on the same night, for very different reasons, that are revealed at the book's shocking conclusion. This event is part of commUNITYread 2019, a multi-county library program series. Pick up your free copy of the book and attend programs that support topics within the novel at any Licking County Library location or surrounding commUNITYread libraries. The book discussion is held at Secrest Auditorium, 334 Shinnick Street, Zanesville 43701.

NEW PUBLIC SERVICE HOURS

Begin September 3, 2019

BUCKEYE LAKE

Monday & Wednesday | 10am - 5pm
Tuesday & Thursday | 12 - 7pm
Friday | 10am - 5pm
Saturday | 10am - 2pm
Sunday | Closed

JOHNSTOWN

Monday - Thursday | 10am - 8pm
Friday | 10am - 5pm
Saturday | 10am - 2pm
Sunday | Closed

DOWNTOWN NEWARK

Monday - Thursday | 10am - 8pm
Friday - Saturday | 10am - 5pm
Sunday | Closed

UTICA

Monday & Wednesday | 10am - 5pm
Tuesday & Thursday | 12 - 7pm
Friday | 10am - 5pm
Saturday & Sunday | Closed

HEBRON

Monday & Wednesday | 10am - 5pm
Tuesday & Thursday | 12 - 7pm
Friday | 10am - 5pm
Saturday & Sunday | Closed

WEST NEWARK

Monday - Thursday | 10am - 8pm
Friday | 10am - 5pm
Saturday | 10am - 2pm
Sunday | Closed

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PROGRAMS



All programs at Licking County Library are free and don't require registration unless indicated. Registration is available online through our events calendar, by calling 740.349.5500 or emailing info@lickingcountylibrary.org

SEPTEMBER

DN

Life Skills Circle

SEPTEMBER 3 | 6:30PM | ADULTS

Learn some simple life skills that will help you prepare healthy and tasty meals. September topic: Five Best Crock-Pot Practices, Recipes, & Meal Planning presented by the Salvation Army.

WN

Senior Stretch

SEPTEMBER 4 | 11AM | ADULTS

This is a simple, fun beginner-level class offering general health and fitness tips for savvy seniors. Participants learn simple stretches and breathing techniques for improved flexibility and posture.

DN

Fun Times at the Library with The Gathering Place

SEPTEMBER 4 | 12:30PM | ADULTS

Take this opportunity to meet new people while creating art and having fun.

WN

How To Use Voting Machines

SEPTEMBER 5 | 1PM | ADULTS

Take an opportunity to see the new voting machines and how they function along with a demonstration on how they work with Licking County Board of Elections.

J

Adult Craft Night: Keepsake Bookmarks

SEPTEMBER 5 | 6PM | ADULTS

It's time to clean out our craft supply closet! Join us as we make adorable bookmarks to keep or give away.



O

Licking County River Round Up

SEPTEMBER 7 | 8AM - 12PM | E FOR EVERYONE

Join the Licking County Library and the Bookmobile at Flory Park as we clean up a section of Raccoon Creek. Flory Park is located at 650 W. Church Street, Newark.



J

Coffee and Cardmaking

SEPTEMBER 7 | 10:30AM | ADULTS

Who doesn't love receiving a handmade card? Attend and make two fall greeting cards. All supplies and examples are provided.



DN

STEAM Building

SEPTEMBER 9 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY

Have fun in this sometimes messy, but always fun, program involving science, technology, engineering, art and math. September theme: Light



DN

Tail Waggin' Tutors

SEPTEMBER 9, 16, 23 & 30 | 6:30PM | ELEMENTARY

Whether you're a new reader or just need practice, sign up for 10 minutes of read-aloud time with gentle, certified therapy dogs. These reading buddies are always supportive and may just reward your efforts with a big, sloppy kiss! Note: We will contact you with your assigned reading time slot.



J

Builder's Club

SEPTEMBER 10 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY

Bring your imagination and explore a variety of building materials. You'll face a new construction challenge each month!

DN

Blank Canvas Art Club

SEPTEMBER 11 | 4PM | TEENS

Work on flexible and fun (or self-directed, if you wish) art projects in a calm and collaborative environment while sharing ideas for your library!



Community Conversations: Opioids

September 14 | 2pm | Downtown Newark

Using first-person stories from *Not Far from Me: Stories of Opioids and Ohio*, join us for a community conversation to encourage critical, historically-informed dialogue around opioid use, with the aim of reducing stigma.

DN New! 39 Clues Book Club

SEPTEMBER 18 | 4:30PM | ELEMENTARY

Dive into an exciting series as we explore the world through the characters and make our own discoveries. Have fun discussing the books, playing games and tackling challenges at each meeting. Need to miss a month? Don't worry, you can catch up when you return. Pick up the first book, *Maze of Bones*, learn about the program at our September meeting. The October session, we will discuss what we read.

J Crafternoons for Kids: Thumbprint Magnets

SEPTEMBER 19 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY

Turn your miniature artwork into a set of magnets to use at home or give as a gift.

DN Volunteer Orientation

SEPTEMBER 19 | 3PM | ADULTS

Calling all who are interested in volunteering at the library! We have many opportunities to share with you and will answer whatever questions you have. This orientation is required in order to begin volunteering. Register by contacting Tracy at 740.349.5502 or tgroves@lickingcountylibrary.org.

DN Teen Ukulele Club

SEPTEMBER 19 | 4:30PM | TEENS

Take on classic songs with the easy to use ukulele. All skill levels welcome.

DN Empowering Better Health with Homeopathy

SEPTEMBER 19 | 6:30PM | ADULTS

As a classically trained and educated Homeopath with decades of experience, Deb Holcomb provides collaborative opportunities for strengthening and restoring homeostasis by taking into consideration the broader sum of personal experiences. With homeopathy, the whole of a person and the impressions of traumas specific to the individual are taken into account when selecting protocols and supplements to assist in rebuilding balance and vitality.

BL ROBOTICS with The Works

SEPTEMBER 24 | 5PM | ELEMENTARY

Decode coding in this creative exploration program. Unpack technology through color coding to discover the language of robotics. Participants see and use an Ozobot and design a track to run it on. Brought to you from a grant from the Licking County Foundation.

WN Historical Drama Group

SEPTEMBER 25 | 6:30PM | ADULTS

Discuss the movie: *Downtown Abbey* (2019)

DN Teen Game Night

SEPTEMBER 26 | 4:30PM | TEENS

Join us for some good old fashioned fun—board games and cards! Play ours or bring your own.

WN Pallet Scarecrows

SEPTEMBER 26 | 1PM | E FOR EVERYONE

This inter-generational program involves creating a primitive scarecrow using wood salvaged from pallets. Our one-board scarecrow is the simplest design, and in the true nature of folk art, each pallet scarecrow should reflect individuality, not conformity. This brings out the individual character of each board, each crack, each knot, and the person making the scarecrow. Licking County Recycling is helping with this program.



Make a fun thumbprint magnet at LCL's Johnstown (Mary E. Babcock) location on September 19.

OCTOBER

B

Veterans Writing Contest

OCTOBER | ALL MONTH | E FOR EVERYONE

Write 2- to 3- paragraphs on what veterans mean to you. Your essay can be about veterans in general, a particular veteran or your own life experience as a veteran.

DN

Art of Recovery Art Show

OCTOBER | ALL MONTH | E FOR EVERYONE

The Mental Health & Recovery Board for Licking and Knox Counties and LCL are partnering to bring our guests an art show by talented community members, who have mental illnesses and addictions. The Art of Recovery recognizes the role creative outlets like art can play in the recovery process. We invite you to meet the artists on October 17 at 6pm.

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Adult Craft Night: Cork Trivets



OCTOBER 3 | 6PM | ADULTS

Create a unique trivet from beautiful wine corks. It's not only functional, but will be quite the conversation piece in your kitchen.

DN

Cereal Design Challenge



OCTOBER 4 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY

Create and name your own cereal from a handful of basic cereals and other components, then design a box for your new creation!

WN

Dump Art



OCTOBER 5 | 10AM, 11:30AM & 1PM (3 SESSIONS) | ADULTS

Take this chance to try something new and create a beautiful painting. Participants must bring a blank canvas and one bottle of acrylic paint.

FRIENDS OF THE Mary E. Babcock Library Fall Book Sale

October 3 - 11* | Johnstown
Shop during business hours!
Closed Sunday, October 6

J

Coffee and Cardmaking



OCTOBER 5 | 10:30AM | ADULTS

Impress your friends with a beautiful handmade greeting card! Each participant will make two cards using stamps, ink, die cut shapes and fall themed embellishments. All supplies and examples are provided.

DN

Introduction to Memoir Writing

OCTOBER 5 | 1PM | ADULTS

Imagine the stories you could tell! Join writer and teacher Lois Spencer, author of *In the Language of My Country, a Memoir*, for a hands-on writing workshop. Please bring paper and a writing utensil.

WN

Teen Read Week

OCTOBER 6 - 11 | 4PM | TEENS

Join us for this fun week of activities celebrating teen reads.

DN

STEAM Building



OCTOBER 7 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY


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Fall Book Sale


October 18 | 3:30 - 5:30pm Friends Only
October 19 | 9:00am - 3:00pm Public Sale
Downtown Newark

Cost is \$5 per bag of books. We provide the bags! For details on becoming a Friends member for early access, visit lickingcountylibrary.org/supportyourlibrary or call 740.349.5502.

DN Tail Waggin' Tutors
OCTOBER 7, 14, 21 & 28 | 6:30PM | ELEMENTARY 
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DN DIY Bouncy Balls
OCTOBER 11 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY  
A little borax, a bit of cornstarch and...wow! Work some magic by creating your own colorful, boundless bouncy ball without spending a dime.


DN Making Tails
OCTOBER 15 | 4:30PM | E FOR EVERYONE 
Youth of all ages are invited to release their inner merperson (the occasional shark or dolphin is acceptable, too!) by making a tail! In this program, participants create and decorate fabulous fabric tails.

H Learn to Harvest Native Seeds
OCTOBER 15 | 4:30PM | E FOR EVERYONE
How are milkweed seeds harvested? Join us as we collect seeds from Ohio-native plants and learn special techniques to prepare seeds for planting. Participants are given seeds to take home and plant.

DN Life Skills Circle
OCTOBER 15 | 6:30PM | ADULTS
The Licking County Health Department provides tips on nutrition and the Salvation Army contributes couponing information.


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WN Historical Drama Group
OCTOBER 16 | 6:30PM | ADULTS
Discuss the movie: *The Other Boleyn Girl* (2008)

J Crafternoons for Kids: Reversible Scarecrow/Snowman 
OCTOBER 17 | 4PM | ELEMENTARY
We are making small reversible scarecrow/snowmen crafts that you can hang on a hook, a doorknob, or just about anywhere! All materials are provided.

DN Teen Ukulele Club
OCTOBER 17 | 4:30PM | TEENS
Take on classic songs with the easy to use ukulele. All skill levels welcome.

WN White House Ghosts
OCTOBER 19 | 1PM | ADULTS
Why is there a British soldier still lingering around the White House? Which First Ladies are sometimes "spotted" in the East Room or White House garden? Who was that tapping on Harry Truman's bedroom door? Listen to stories about specters and other strange occurrences in Washington D.C.

J Steven's Puppets Presents: The Legend of Sleepy Hollow 
OCTOBER 21 | 6PM | E FOR EVERYONE
In this silly and non-scary version of Washington Irving's classic story, children of all ages will follow the lanky school master, Ichabod Crane, as he sings, dances and falls in love with a giggly Katrina Van Tassel. Students watch breathlessly as Katrina's father, Baltus, and the village goof ball, Brom Bones, try to run Ichabod out of town by telling him the tale of...The Headless Horseman. Steven's Puppets bring this ever-popular classic tale delightfully to life with beautiful wooden marionettes. The entire production is underscored by classical music and a fun time is had by all!

BL

October Spook-tacular

OCTOBER 22 | 5PM | E FOR EVERYONE

Break out your costume a little early for a spooky good time of storytelling and activities. Anne Balogh, from Licking Park District, visits and professional storyteller Frank McGarvey shares haunting stories. Costumes encouraged!

DN

Volunteer Orientation

OCTOBER 24 | 3PM | ADULTS

Calling all who are interested in volunteering at the library! We have many opportunities to share with you and will answer whatever questions you have. This orientation is required in order to begin volunteering. Register by contacting Tracy at 740.349.5502 or tgroves@lickingcountylibrary.org.

DN

Teen Camp Out

OCTOBER 24 | 5PM | TEENS

Love camping or the idea of it? Take this opportunity to camp inside the library! Join us for s'mores, star gazing and songs around the campfire with the Ukulele Club.

WN

Halloween Festival

OCTOBER 24 | 6:30PM | E FOR EVERYONE

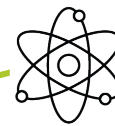
It's Halloween! Trick or treat for candy in the library, and dance with furry and familiar characters to a DJ's dance tunes.

U

Pumpkin Painting

OCTOBER 25 | 2PM | E FOR EVERYONE

Join us for a pumpkin painting session.



HOMESCHOOL

is in Session

Give your family the opportunity to meet and learn with other homeschool families. It's also a great way for your children to socialize with their peers and lets you network with other homeschool families.

U

First Thursdays

SEPTEMBER 5 & OCTOBER 3 | 1PM

ELEMENTARY & TEENS

This homeschool program is designed to cover STEAM subjects for students in grades 1 through 12.



DN

Curiosity Lab

SEPTEMBER 16 & OCTOBER 21 | 1PM

ELEMENTARY

Have fun in this sometimes messy, but always fun, homeschool program involving science, technology, engineering, art and math. September theme: Light October theme: Buoyancy



Book Bike Schedule

Our book bike is a great way to connect with readers—everywhere! Perfect for rolling out to a park, a farmers market or anywhere a person is ready to read. Look for us at a location near you.

Canal Market

September 10 | 4 - 7PM

Canal Market's Craft Market

September 14 | 10 - 3PM

Final Fridays Downtown Newark

September 27 | 4 - 8PM | Theme: Taste of Harvest





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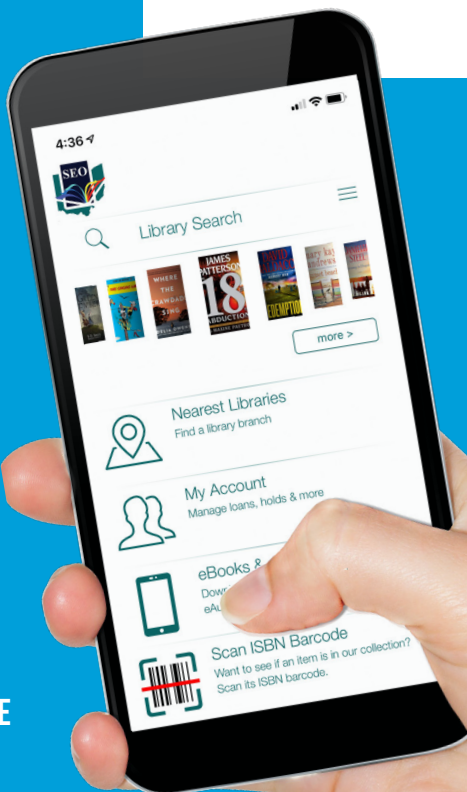
LINDSAY KELLY, ASSISTANT ADULT SERVICES COORDINATOR

Wi-Fi hotspot lending and hotspot reservations are now available at Licking County Library! Patrons of LCL have the opportunity to either checkout or rent a portable Wi-Fi Hotspot. Choose the service that is right for you.

HOTSPOT LENDING: No immediate plans? Just like a book, you can request one of 16 circulating hotspots and take it home with you. However, if they are all currently checked out you can place a hold, adding your name to the waitlist. When a hotspot is returned, you are notified and you can pick it up at any of our locations. Hotspots available for lending can be borrowed, free for 28 days.

HOTSPOT RESERVATION: Need a hotspot for a specific date? Hotspot reservations allow you to tell us when you need the hotspot. It doesn't matter the reason—vacation, business meeting or other. Reserve a hotspot for a 2- or 4- week time frame, to have Wi-Fi access where and when you need it. Hotspot reservations can be placed for a small fee; 2 weeks for \$10 or 4 weeks for \$20.

In either lending instance, each hotspot can support up to 10 devices. Reservations can be made on our website at lickingcountylibrary.org, by calling 740.349.5500 or at any LCL location.

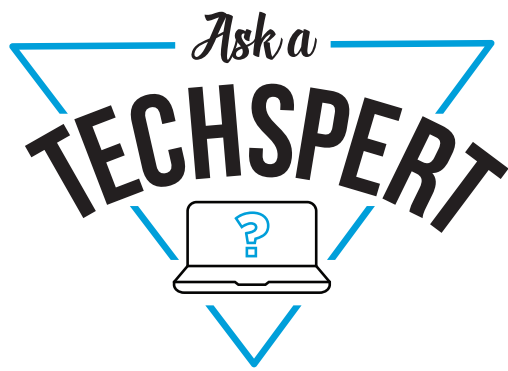


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All Techspert classes require registration. For details on these classes PLUS classes LCL teaches with our partners at Ohio Means Jobs, visit lickingcountylibrary.org.



Cloud 101

SEPTEMBER 4 | 4PM | ADULTS

Our Techsperts show you what the “Cloud” is and how to use it to safely store your data.



Basics: Computers

SEPTEMBER 5 & OCTOBER 3 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn parts of a computer, understand the difference between hardware and software, open, close and resize windows on a computer screen, and use a mouse with confidence.



Basics: eContent

SEPTEMBER 11 & OCTOBER 23 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn about our four most popular eContent apps: Overdrive, Libby, Hoopla and Tumblebooks.



Basics: Google Docs

SEPTEMBER 12 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn the ins and outs of Google Docs.



Cutting the Cord

SEPTEMBER 18 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn about devices and services you can use in place of cable TV providers.



Basics: Google Gmail

SEPTEMBER 19 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn the basics of email using Google Gmail on both laptop and desktop computers and mobile devices.



Internet Safety and You

SEPTEMBER 26 & OCTOBER 16 | 4PM | ADULTS

You'll be provided with guidelines for using the Internet to keep personal data private.



Get to Know Your Apple Device

OCTOBER 2 | 4PM | ADULTS

Get to know the basics of your Apple devices. Participants should bring their own device.



Get to Know Your Android Device

OCTOBER 9 | 4PM | ADULTS

Get to know the basics of your Android devices. Participants should bring their own device.



Basics: Microsoft Word

OCTOBER 10 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn the basics of Microsoft Word.



Basics: Microsoft Excel

OCTOBER 17 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn the ins and outs of Microsoft Excel.



Basics: Microsoft Outlook Email

OCTOBER 24 | 4PM | ADULTS

Learn the basics of email using Microsoft Outlook.

ONSITE HELP WITH A TECHSPERT

Do you have a question about technology?
Drop by or schedule an appointment about
your laptop, smartphone, hand-held devices,
software or other technology needs.
Call 740.349.5509 today!

HEBRON

September 3, October 7 | 12pm - 5pm

BOOKMOBILE

September 3, October 1 | 2:30 - 7:30pm

JOHNSTOWN (MARY E. BABCOCK)

September 9, October 14 | 10am - 3pm

WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER)

September 10, October 8 | 10am - 3pm

BUCKEYE LAKE

September 16, October 21 | 10am - 3pm

UTICA (HERVEY MEMORIAL)

September 23, October 28 | 10am - 3pm



Guiding Ohio Online



This project was made possible in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services and the State Library of Ohio.



STORY TIME and Such

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT: We are enhancing our story times by making sure you have something to bring your little ones to at the Library each week. No longer will there be a break in programming! Instead, every fourth week (and fifth if applicable) will be a special program and presenter—**Programmer's Choice**. Our goal is to make sure you have somewhere to go every week at the same time—we know routines are important to the younger ones in our lives!


Family Story Time

Enjoy stories, songs and activities for the entire family every week at your local library. **All of these sessions kick off the week of September 9, 2019.*

- U** EVERY MONDAY | 10:30AM
- WN** EVERY TUESDAY | 10:30AM
- H** EVERY WEDNESDAY | 10:30AM
- J** EVERY THURSDAY | 10:30AM
**Programmer's Choice:* Oct. 31 session, dress in costume for a trick or treat parade.
- BL** EVERY FRIDAY | 10:30AM

- DN** **Tots & Twos Story Time**
EVERY TUESDAY, STARTS SEPTEMBER 10 | 10:30AM
Get your wiggles out at this musically active program for ages birth to two.
**Programmer's Choice:* Oct. 1 & 29, sessions are at Branstool Orchards—5895 Johnstown-Utica Road NE, Utica.

- U** **Preschool Craft Time**
EVERY WEDNESDAY, STARTS SEPTEMBER 11 | 10:30AM
Join us for crafts, friendship and fun!
- DN** **Preschool Story Time**
EVERY THURSDAY, STARTS SEPTEMBER 12 | 10:30AM
Join us for fun books, songs, fingerplays and movement activities. This story time is designed for ages 3-5 and their caregivers. **Programmer's Choice:* October 3 is Pre-K art play and October 31 is *Where the Wild Things Are* face painting workshop. Please register for these special sessions.
- DN** **Saturday Tales**
EVERY SATURDAY | 11AM
Join us for stories and songs in this fun for all-ages story time!

- DN** **Teddy Bear Clinic** 
SEPTEMBER 9 | 10:30AM | EARLY LEARNERS
Bring your Teddy Bear in for a check-up with Sean Gallagher of Licking Memorial Pediatrics. This is the perfect program for your little one if they are a little anxious about visiting the doctor. If Teddy can be brave, so can they!

Dolly Parton's Imagination Library

Enroll your child at any library in Licking County and they will receive a FREE book in the mail every month until their fifth birthday. The time you spend reading with your child opens their mind to faraway places, exciting adventures and sets them on the pathway to lifelong learning.

Register online by visiting the 'For Parents and Teachers' section at lickingcountylibrary.org. For details, contact 740.349.5550 or youthservices@lickingcountylibrary.org. Note: Cutoff for registration is 4 years, 8 months due to processing time.

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O Story Time at the Canal Market

SEPTEMBER 10 | 4:30PM

Join the Library at the Canal Market for stories, songs and fun! Located in downtown Newark—36 E Canal Street.

DN Michelle's Slumber Party

SEPTEMBER 12 | 10AM | EARLY LEARNERS

Miss Wendy and her teddy bear, Michelle, invite you to a slumber party to celebrate National Teddy Bear Day. Drop your friend off between 10am - 8pm, and pick them up on September 13 at the Teddy Bear Picnic!

DN 3rd Annual Teddy Bear Picnic

SEPTEMBER 13 | 10:30AM | EARLY LEARNERS

It's picnic time for teddy bears, at least that's how the story goes. Bring your favorite stuffed animal friend (or pick your friend up, if they went to Michelle's Slumber Party) and join us for a story time picnic full of adventure and fun!

H Dig into Worms!

SEPTEMBER 16 | 10:30AM | EARLY LEARNERS

Learn about the amazing process of decomposition! Listen to books, dig into worms and create compost stew at this messy program.

DN Sensory Story Time

SEPTEMBER 16 AND OCTOBER 21 | 10:30AM

Enjoy stories, songs and sensory play for the entire family. This program is designed for children who need a gentler, sensory sensitive story time experience.

O Story Time at River Road Coffeehouse

SEPTEMBER 20 AND OCTOBER 18 | 10:30AM

Join the Library at River Road Coffeehouse located on the Newark square—26 North Park Place.

DN Kindergarten Kick-Start

SEPTEMBER 27 | 11AM | EARLY LEARNERS

Are you feeling nervous about Kindergarten? Come to Kindergarten Kick-Start, where we'll equip your child with the skills they need to get a strong start. We'll go beyond basic academics, encouraging kids to enjoy their school experience by appealing to their imagination and sparking their natural curiosity.

DN Yoga Play

OCTOBER 2 | 10:30AM | EARLY LEARNERS

Join us for story time with a twist! We will be exercising our minds and limbs with stories and stretches.

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Bookmobile Schedule

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

MONDAY

9/9, 9/23, 10/7, 10/21

- Newark • Reddington Condos
3:30 – 4PM
- St. Louisville • Eden Community Center
4:30 – 5PM
- Newark • Shalimar Drive
5:15 – 5:45PM
- Marne • Montgomery Road
6 – 6:30PM

9/16, 9/30, 10/14, 10/28

- Newark • Plaza Gardens Apts.
4:15 – 4:45PM
- Newark • Newark Village Apts.
5 – 5:30PM
- Newark • Potters Grove Mallard Circle
5:45 – 6:15PM
- St. Louisville • Fire Department
6:30 – 7PM

TUESDAY

9/3, 9/17, 10/1, 10/15, 10/29

- Heath • Hopewell Commons
3:15 – 3:45PM
- Heath • Glenwood Condos
4 – 4:30PM
- Heath • Heatherview Drive 
4:45 – 5:15PM
- Heath • Woodland Court 
5:30 – 6PM
- Heath • Heathwood Apts.
6:15 – 6:45PM

TUESDAY CONT...

9/3, 10/1, 10/29

- Newark • Flint Ridge Nursing Center
12 – 12:30PM

9/10, 9/24, 10/8, 10/22

- Pataskala • Faith Ann Drive
4 – 4:30PM
- Pataskala • Cottage Grove Circle
4:45 – 5:15PM
- Pataskala • Woodington Drive
5:30 – 6PM
- Pataskala • Mink Street at Glenn Drive
6:15 – 6:45PM

9/24, 10/22

- Johnstown • Chimes Terrace
1 – 2PM

WEDNESDAY

9/4, 9/18, 10/2, 10/16, 10/30

- Glenford • Glenford Elementary
4:30 – 6:30PM

9/11, 10/9

- Newark • Altercare South
9 – 9:45AM
- Newark • 340 Eastern Avenue
10 – 11AM
- Newark • 400 Washington Street
11:15AM – 12PM
- Heath • Bill Mitchell Apts.
1 – 2PM

THURSDAY

9/5, 10/3, 10/31

- Reynoldsburg • The Inn at Summit Trail
2:40 – 3:10PM

9/5, 9/19, 10/3, 10/17, 10/31

- Gratiot • Post Office
4:15 – 4:45PM
- Brownsville • Rt 40
4:50 – 5:30PM
- Thornville • Dogwood Lake
5:45 – 6:15PM
- Jacksontown • Eagle Wings Academy
6:30 – 7PM

9/12, 9/26, 10/10, 10/24

- Newark • Save A Lot 
3:45 – 4:30PM
- Perryton • Church of Christ
4:45 – 5:15PM
- Hanover • Family Dollar Store
5:30 – 6:00PM
- Hanover • Hainsview Estates
6:15 – 7PM

FRIDAY

9/27, 10/25

- Newark • Sharon Glyn Senior Apts.
10 – 10:30AM
- Newark • Newark Care & Rehab
10:45 – 11:15AM
- Newark • Chestnut House 
11:30AM – 12:00PM
- Heath • Chapel Grove
12:15 – 12:45PM
- Newark • Hearth Brook
1 – 1:30PM

New Stops!

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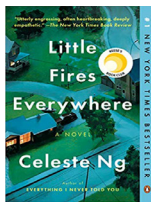
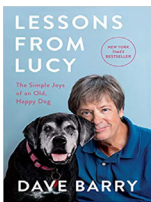
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BOOK CLUBS

at the Library

Licking County Library loves books! There are many book clubs to join. Selections are reserved at the desk and can be borrowed with your library card or eBooks can be downloaded directly from our website: lickingcountylibrary.org



LIBRARY LADIES BOOK CLUB

BUCKEYE LAKE BRANCH | NO MEETINGS REQUIRED! JUST READ THE SELECTION AND FILL OUT A SURVEY.

September • *Lessons From Lucy* by Dave Barry

October • *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng

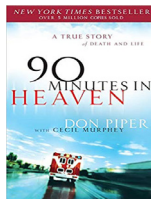


BOOKWORM BOOK CLUB

UTICA (HERVEY MEMORIAL BRANCH) | NO MEETINGS REQUIRED! JUST READ THE SELECTION AND FILL OUT A SURVEY.

September • *Light Over London* by Julia Kelly

October • *The Stars Are Fire* by Anita Shreve

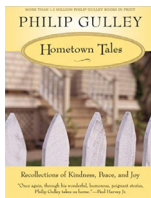
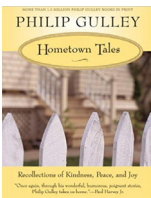


INSPIRATIONAL FICTION BOOK CLUB

BUCKEYE LAKE BRANCH | 12PM

September 3 • *The Sea Before Us* by Sarah Sundin

October 1 • *90 Minutes in Heaven* by Don Piper

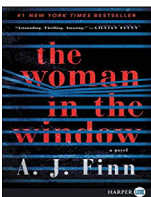
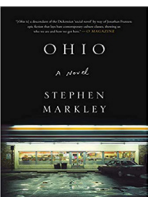


NEXT CHAPTER BOOK CLUB

DOWNTOWN NEWARK | ADULTS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES | 12:30PM

September 3 & 17 • *Hometown Tales* by Philip Gulley

October 1 & 15 • *Hometown Tales* by Philip Gulley

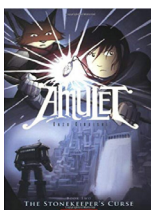


FICTION DISCUSSION GROUP

DOWNTOWN NEWARK | 6:30PM

September 4 • *The Woman in the Window* by A.J. Finn

October 2 • *Ohio: A Novel* by Stephen Markley

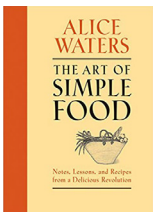


COMIC BOOK TEENS

UTICA (HERVEY MEMORIAL BRANCH) | 3:30PM

September 9 • *The Stonekeeper (Amulet Book 1)* by Kazu Kibuishi

October 14 • *The Stonekeeper's Curse (Amulet Book 2)* by Kazu Kibuishi

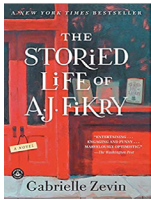
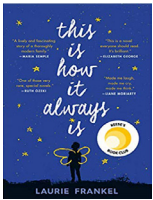


RAVENOUS READERS

JOHNSTOWN (MARY E. BABCOCK BRANCH) | 6:30PM | PARTICIPANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO SELECT AND PREPARE A RECIPE, THEN BRING IT TO SHARE WITH THE GROUP ON MEETING NIGHT.

September 9 • *The Art of Simple Food* by Alice Walters

October 14 • *Delish: Eat like Every Day is the Weekend* by Joanna Saltz

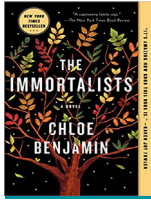
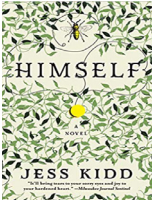


MILLER BOOK GROUP

WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER BRANCH) | 5:30PM

September 11 • *This is How It Always Is* by Laurie Frankel

October 9 • *The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry* by Gabrielle Zevin

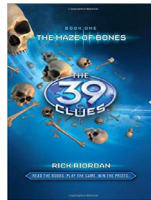
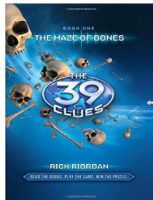


BABCOCK BOOK CLUB

JOHNSTOWN (MARY E. BABCOCK BRANCH) | 6:30PM

September 12 • *Himself* by Jess Kidd

October 10 • *The Immortalists* by Chloe Benjamin

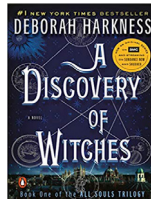
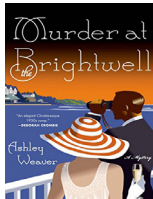


39 CLUES BOOK CLUB

DOWNTOWN NEWARK | 4:30PM

September 18 • Pick up the first book, *The Maze of Bones*, learn about the program.

October 16 • *The Maze of Bones (39 Clues, No. 1)* by Rick Riordan

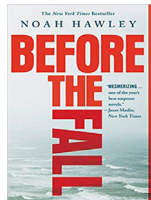
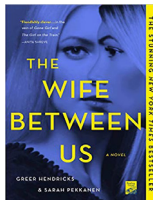


BRIT LIT BOOK GROUP

WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER BRANCH) | 5:30PM

September 18 • *Murder at the Brightwell* by Ashley Weaver

October 16 • *The Discovery of Witches* by Deborah Harkness

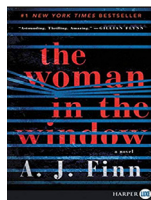
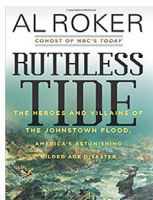


BOOKED TO DEATH

DOWNTOWN NEWARK | 6:30PM

September 25 • *The Wife Between Us* by Greer Hicks

October 23 • *Before the Fall* by Noah Hawley

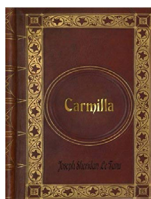


BOOKMARK BOOK CLUB

HEBRON BRANCH | 2PM

September 26 • *Ruthless Tide* by Al Roker

October 31 • *The Woman in the Window* by A.J. Finn



LGBTQ BOOK GROUP

WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER BRANCH) | 6:30PM

September 26 • *Less* by Andrew Sean Greer

October 31 • *Carmilla* by Joseph Sheridan Le Fanu



GUIDE TO AGE GROUPS

Please note: Programs are designed with the indicated age group in mind.

Early Learners: Children, birth through 5-years-old

Elementary: Children, kindergarten through fifth grade

Teens: Children, sixth through twelfth grade

Adults: 18 years of age and older

E for Everyone: People of all ages

KEY TO LOCATIONS

- DN** **Downtown Newark**
101 West Main Street, Newark
- BL** **Buckeye Lake**
4455 Walnut Road, Buckeye Lake
- H** **Hebron**
934 West Main Street, Hebron
- J** **Johnstown (Mary E. Babcock)**
320 North Main Street, Johnstown
- WN** **West Newark (Emerson R. Miller)**
990 West Main Street, Newark
- U** **Utica (Hervey Memorial)**
15 North Main Street, Utica
- B** **Bookmobile (Housed at Downtown Newark)**
Call for location: 740.349.5560
- R** **24-Hour Library • COTC Pataskala Campus**
8660 West Broad Street, Reynoldsburg
- O** **Other**
See class description for specific location



Registration Required



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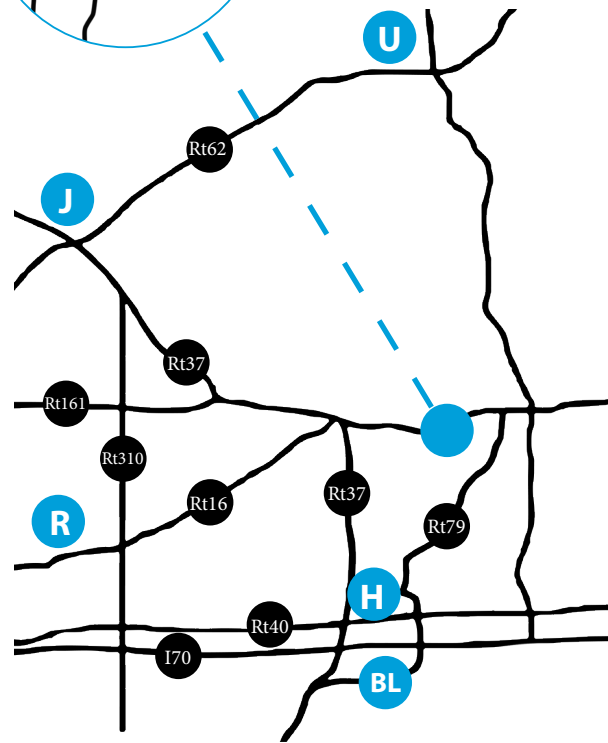
REGISTRATION

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Online Events Calendar: lickingcountylibrary.org

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Licking County Library Closings & Announcements

Monday, September 2 | Closed

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