

# CHECK IT OUT

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**Local  
Author Fair**  
Downtown Newark  
October 16 | 10:30AM - 2PM



# Meet LCL's New Director!



## *Hello Friends. Neighbors and Community Members:*

I am Susanne Sacchetti, the new Director of the Licking County Library. I began in my new position on April 12th, after moving here from New Jersey. Over the past few years, I have spent quite a bit of time in Licking County, visiting my partner—a long-time resident of Glenford and police officer in Columbus. Each time I visited, I fell more and more in love with your county. I am honored to now call Licking County my home and lead the library's wonderful team.

I bring with me extensive experience in both the education and library professions. Receiving my Masters in Library and Information Science from Drexel University in 2005, I first began my graduate studies in School and Public Librarianship at Rowan University. I have worked in a variety of library settings, including elementary school, academic and public libraries, in both virtual and physical environments.

I first entered the library profession in 2002, as an Associate Educational Media Specialist. I also bring with me experience at the college level, as a Library Specialist and then Reference Librarian, at the Atlantic Cape Community College, and briefly as an Online Librarian for the American Public University System. I also taught graduate-level library science courses, as an Online Adjunct Instructor, for Drexel University's iSchool.

I began my career in library administration as the Director of the Deptford Free Public Library in 2012. I often joke that I accidentally became a Library Director, as I initially interviewed for the Reference Librarian position with the Deptford Free Public Library. I went on to become the Director of the Cumberland County Library in 2017 and then the Executive Director of LibraryLinkNJ, New Jersey's statewide library cooperative.

I am passionate about building partnerships and collaborating with community organizations, local businesses, and schools. I've already had the pleasure of meeting with several of our county's school superintendents and am excited for the library to build upon its work with the schools, as well as the county's home-school community. I would love to see us work together to get a Licking County Library Card in the hands of every child.

While I am new to the area, I am vested in learning the varied and diverse needs of the townships, villages, and cities in Licking County. I look forward to exploring how the Licking County Library can build upon the exceptional service that it became known for under the leadership of former Library Director Babette Wofter, who retired in April.

We are at a unique time, coming out of the pandemic. It is a natural time for reflection and renewal. This offers us an opportunity to reevaluate the needs of our community and how the library can best meet those needs. The past year has not been easy for anyone. The Licking County Library is eager to establish new programs and services that will help our community move forward.

I am excited to be a part of your community, and I look forward to working with you, the library's talented team members, and its Board of Trustees to elevate library services in Licking County. I welcome everyone's return to each of our branches, and I look forward to meeting you at one of our upcoming meet-and-greet events.



# Hours and Meeting Rooms

As we welcome a new school year, Licking County Library has updated our hours and re-opened our meeting rooms to increase accessibility to our community members. Visit [lickingcountylibrary.org](http://lickingcountylibrary.org) to reserve a room. Follow us on Facebook or Instagram for up-to-date information. *Updated hours begin September 7.*

## Downtown Newark

Mondays - Thursdays, 10am - 7pm | Fridays & Saturdays, 10am - 3pm

## Buckeye Lake

Mondays & Wednesdays, 12 - 7pm | Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10am - 5pm | Fridays, 10am - 3pm

## Hebron

Mondays & Wednesdays, 10am - 5pm | Tuesdays & Thursdays, 12 - 7pm | Fridays, 10am - 3pm

## Johnstown (Mary E. Babcock)

Mondays & Wednesdays, 10am - 6pm | Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10am - 7pm | Fridays & Saturdays, 10am - 3pm

## Utica (Hervey Memorial)

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## West Newark (Emerson R. Miller)

Mondays - Thursdays, 10am - 7pm | Fridays, 10am - 3pm

## Susanne Wants to Meet You!

Susanne is holding Meet-and-Greet events at LCL locations so she can get to know members of our community. She wants to know why your library is important to you and what more we can do for you so you can continue to grow and learn.

*10am - 1pm @ the following...*

Johnstown (Mary E. Babcock) | Monday, October 18

Hebron | Wednesday, October 20

Buckeye Lake | Friday, October 22

Utica (Hervey Memorial) | Monday, October 25

West Newark (Emerson R. Miller) | Wednesday, October 27

Downtown Newark | Friday, October 29



# ADULTS

DESIGNED FOR PEOPLE 18 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER

## DOWNTOWN NEWARK

### Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia

SEPTEMBER 14 | 11:30AM

Alzheimer's disease is not a normal part of aging. Join Laura Crisp to learn about the impact of Alzheimer's; the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia; stages and risk factors; current research and treatments available for some symptoms; and Alzheimer's Association resources.



### Snapshot: Trinity AME Church & Newark's African American Community in 1920

SEPTEMBER 16 | 5:30PM

A little more than a century ago, the members of Newark's African Methodist Episcopal Church posed for a photograph before their place of worship, just months before it would be replaced with a new church on the same grounds. Arrayed in their Sunday best were many prominent members of the Black community, among them teachers, entrepreneurs, artisans and war veterans. The oldest among them had lived in the time when slavery was legal in the United States, while the youngest would witness the era of Civil Rights and the movement for social justice. Join the NAACP, Trinity AME Church and the Licking County Library for the unveiling of an educational display commemorating this community and the striking photograph that preserved a moment in our history.



### Booked To Death

SEPTEMBER 22 & OCTOBER 27 | 5:30PM

Calling all armchair sleuths! Pick up a copy of the title at the Downtown Newark Library or download a copy from the Ohio Digital Library.  
September: *Moving Target* by J.A. Jance  
October: *Lock Every Door* by Riley Sager

### Volunteer Orientation

SEPTEMBER 23 & OCTOBER 28 | 3PM

Interested in volunteering at the library? We have opportunities to share with you. Orientation is required to begin volunteering. Contact Volunteer Coordinator: 740.349.5502 or [volunteer@lickingcountylibrary.org](mailto:volunteer@lickingcountylibrary.org).



### Fiction Addiction Book Group

OCTOBER 6 | 6PM

Enjoy fall snacks and good conversation. Wear your favorite Halloween attire. As an added bonus, attendees will have their pick of pre-publication books to take home and indulge in the next "buzz-worthy books" before they hit the shelves. Pick up a copy of the title at the Downtown Newark Library or download a copy from the Ohio Digital Library.  
October: *The Southern Book Club's Guide to Slaying Vampires* by Grady Hendrix

### Redistricting 101: What It Is and Why It's Important Now

OCTOBER 7 | 5PM

Every ten years, based on the results of the US Census, Ohio legislators redraw the maps for US Congressional Districts, as well as for Ohio House and Senate districts, making adjustments to distribute population evenly. Laura Joseph, a board member of the Licking County League of Women Voters and volunteer for the Fair Districts Speakers Bureau, describes the process currently taking place, and in particular how redistricting reforms passed by Ohioans in 2015 and 2018 stand to reduce gerrymandering, restore representational fairness, and increase voters' influence on candidates. She also shares what actions Ohio residents are taking to influence how their communities are represented in the new maps and to keep legislators accountable.

### Local Author Fair

OCTOBER 16 | 10:30AM - 2PM

Authors and illustrators representing fiction, nonfiction, local history, comics, teen and children's books fill the library and share their passion with you! All authors are local and regional to Licking County and feature copies of selected works available for purchase and signing.



### Haunted Newark: A Ghostly Walking Tour

OCTOBER 23 & 30 | 11AM

Take a stroll down Newark's historic streets in search of the city's haunted past. This walking tour explores reportedly haunted sites of downtown Newark such as Buckingham Meeting House and the Old Licking County Jail. Learn more about local history and maybe even spot a ghost!

## BUCKEYE LAKE

### Tri-C Ghost Hunters at Buckeye Lake Harbor Community Center

OCTOBER 13 | 7PM | OFFSITE PROGRAM

Jinkies! Are those ghost hunters? Tri-C Ghost Hunters, one of the largest paranormal teams in Ohio, shares ghostly encounters; demonstrates equipment; and takes your questions. Tri-C Ghost Hunters have conducted over 1,500 investigations and work with the Ohio State Reformatory. *Program is at the Buckeye Lake Harbor Community Center 5312, Walnut Road, Buckeye Lake, 43008.*

## REMOTE PRINTING

AVAILABLE AT ALL LOCATIONS



DETAILS ON WEBSITE



## JOHNSTOWN (MARY E. BABCOCK)

### Small Towns, Big Ideas

SEPTEMBER 29 | 4PM



Listen to what drives and inspires two public servants in central Ohio: Chip Dutcher, Mayor of Johnstown and Leeman Kessler, Mayor of Gambier. They will talk about their respective towns, constituencies and what led them to enter local politics. Discussion topics include the challenges and opportunities for their Ohio towns, the importance of local government in our daily lives and what the average citizen can do to engage in their community.

## WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER)

### Fluid Art Acrylic Pour Magnets

SEPTEMBER 8 | 5:30PM

These lightweight magnets are perfect for displaying photos/artwork on your fridge. Show your artistic flair.



### Brit Lit Book Club

SEPTEMBER 15 & OCTOBER 20 |  
5:30PM

British-themed reads that can't be thamed! Pick up a copy of the title at the West Newark location or download a copy from the Ohio Digital Library.  
September: *The Giver of Stars* by JoJo Moyes  
October: *The Lost Apothecary* by Sarah Penner

### Historical Drama Group

SEPTEMBER 22 & OCTOBER 27 | 6PM

A little history...the big screen. Copies are available at the West Newark location.  
September: *Harriet*, with Cynthia Erivo  
October: *Thirteen Days*, with Kevin Costner



### LGBTQIA+ Book Group

SEPTEMBER 30 & OCTOBER 28 | 6PM

Explore LGBTQIA+ experiences in a safe setting. All are welcome! Copies are available at the West Newark location or download a copy from the Ohio Digital Library.  
September: *The Black Flamingo* by Dean Atta  
October: *Winter Tide* by Ruthanna Emrys

## VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM



### Fiction Discussion Group

SEPTEMBER 1 | 6:30PM



Great fiction and stimulating conversations await! Pick up a copy of the title at the Downtown Newark Library or download a copy from the Ohio Digital Library.  
September: *We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves* by Madeleine St. John

### AtoZ Marketing Edge for Small Business

SEPTEMBER 16 | 12PM



AtoZdatabases, a free tool available with your Library card anywhere internet is accessible, is the premier job search, reference and mailing list database including 30 million business & executive profiles and 240 million residents. Ideal for sales leads, mailing lists, market research, employment opportunities, finding friends and relatives, and more!

## Carol Tyler Program Series



- BOOK DISCUSSION | SEPTEMBER 21 | 2PM
- ADDRESSING MEMORY: DRAWING FROM THE HEART | OCT. 26, NOV. 2, 9 & 16 | 2PM

Carol Tyler, known for her beautifully written and drawn autobiographical stories, is one of the most influential artists to come out of the 1980s Alternative Comics movement. We are excited to have her present a series of virtual programs to our community.

Listen to her discuss her graphic masterpiece *Soldier's Heart: The Campaign to Understand My WWII Veteran Father, A Daughter's Memoir*. The book describes the damaged relationship with her Dad, and how his untreated PTSD shaped her childhood and affected her relationships into adulthood.

In the workshops, you'll learn how to take a special moment in your life and transform it into vibrant sequential art that can be preserved for all time.

A VIRTUAL PROGRAM SERIES WITH  
AWARD WINNING AUTHOR AND ARTIST

# CAROL TYLER

DISCOVER HER STORY  
WHILE SHE TEACHES  
YOU TO PUT YOUR  
MEMORIES ON PAPER.

SEE ABOVE FOR  
PROGRAM DETAILS



# TEEN

DESIGNED FOR TEENS, SIXTH THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE

## BUCKEYE LAKE

### Let's Get Lit(erary)

SEPTEMBER 29 | 5:30PM



**Warning:** Banned Books ahead and we need activists! Screenprint shirts with banned book designs; challenge your knowledge of literary trivia; and win merch featuring censored books and authors like Harry Potter and John Green. Bring a plain, light-colored shirt.

## DOWNTOWN NEWARK

### Library Lab: 3D Printing and Cricut®

SEPT. 9, 23 & OCT. 7, 21 | 4 - 6PM



SEPT. 13, 27 & OCT. 11, 25 | 4:30 - 6:30PM

Have a project in mind? Looking for unique, personalized gift ideas? Want to create a unique figurine keepsake? Sign up for a 1-hour appointment in our new Library Lab! We can help you design and print 3D projects or teach you to make unique, personalized keepsakes with our top-of-the-line Cricut®! *Please note:* 3D printer filament and Cricut® vinyl are available in-house. Cost is determined by the size of the print job. Patrons must provide their own items (t-shirts, water bottles, etc.) for use with the Cricut®.

### Comic Book Giveaway

SEPTEMBER 13 | 2 - 3PM

Comic Shop Plus is providing free comic books for all ages while supplies last.



### Teen Manga Club

SEPTEMBER 15, OCTOBER 20 |

4:30PM

All teens are welcome! Copies are available at the Downtown Newark location or download a copy from the Ohio Digital Library.

September: *Attack on Titan* by

Hajime Isayama

October: *Jujutsu Kaisen* by Gege Akutami

### Why Knot? Friendship Bracelets

OCTOBER 13 | 4:30AM



Express your appreciation to friends by making friendship bracelets with traditional knotted or braided embroidery floss, beads or parachute cord.

### Costume Party

OCTOBER 27 | 5PM

Do you have a costume that you can't wait to show off? Don't miss this event to eat treats, listen to spooky tunes and celebrate the scariest time of the year.

## WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER)

### "Like" This Program

SEPTEMBER 14 | 5PM

Teens and adults, do you want to get TikTok famous? Do you wish your YouTube channel got more views? Is your Instagram follower count not budging? Join avid and successful Instagrammer Grace Nuth in exploring social media tips and strategies to get yourself seen online.

### It's A Dead Man's Party

OCTOBER 26 | 5PM

Grrrrrrh! It's the end of the world and we're all feeling a little dead. Teens, become your zombie best at our themed event. Eat zombie snacks, make zombie crafts, and generally make a bloody mess of things.

# SIGN UP FOR A SESSION IN OUR LIBRARY LAB!

*See Listing for Details*





# ELEMENTARY

DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN, KINDERGARTEN THROUGH FIFTH GRADE

## DOWNTOWN NEWARK

### Painting Fabric Wings for Tweens

SEPTEMBER 8 | 4:30PM



A butterfly, an owl, a fairy, a bat, a dragon—you name it, you paint it. Emerge with a fabulous silky shawl of your own creation.



### STEAM Building

SEPTEMBER 28 &  
OCTOBER 26 | 2PM



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

## HEBRON

### Owl-Rageous Family Night

SEPTEMBER 16 | 6PM



Whoooo wants to learn about owls? Together, examine owl pellets; encounter owls from the Ohio School of Falconry up-close, and decorate an owl nesting box to take home—all from the comfort of a table reserved especially for your family!

### Fright Night

OCTOBER 14 | 6PM

Come ready for a scare...if you dare! We invite you to join us outside by the campfire for spooky tales, tricks and treats, and a surprise visitor from Sleepy Hollow. This program is best suited for youth grades 3 through 5.

## JOHNSTOWN

### Family Movie

SEPTEMBER 17 | 1PM

Spread out at the library while enjoying popcorn and a movie.

## Cemetery Scavenger Hunt

MONTH OF OCTOBER

Cemeteries hold many clues about the history of our community. Pick up a scavenger hunt sheet and explore local cemeteries to find as many items as possible. Return your completed sheet by October 30 for a prize drawing.

## UTICA

### Art Show and Contest

SEPTEMBER: ART SUBMISSION

OCTOBER: ART SHOW

Show your love for October! Using any medium you like, make a piece of art from one of the following prompts: a haunted house; your favorite costume; a moonlit scene; or create your own monster. Choose your favorite creation and bring it to the library to be entered into a drawing for a \$25 Hobby Lobby gift card. Submissions are due September 30. The artwork is on display through October 31.

## WEST NEWARK (EMERSON R. MILLER)

### Paint and Take Games

SEPTEMBER 21 | 4PM

Handmade games are surprisingly easy to make and so much fun to play. We supply everything you need to paint and take your own dominoes and tic-tac-toe games. These are the perfect addition to your game nights, and to take with you when you travel. We'll even show you how to play!

### Animals That We Love To Hate

OCTOBER 19 | 4PM

They are feared, slimy and disliked—bats, spiders, snakes and opossums. Ohio Nature Education will share myths and facts that show how cool and beneficial these animals are. This program includes live animals...but don't be afraid!

### Things That Go Bump In The Night

OCTOBER 27 | 4PM

Storyteller Teri Lott tells stories guaranteed to thrill. These stories are scary enough to get your little ones looking over their shoulders, but not enough to send them into a fury of screams. We might even leave the lights on for you.

## Calling All Artists!



THEME	>>>>>	Haunted House; Favorite Costume; Moonlit Scene; Create A Monster
LOCATION	>>>>>	LCL Utica (Hervey Memorial)
SUBMISSIONS	>>>>>	September 7 through 30
SHOW DATES	>>>>>	October 1 through 31
MEDIUM	>>>>>	Any and all
WHO CAN PARTICIPATE	>>>>>	Ages 6 and up

# EARLY LEARNERS

DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN, BIRTH THROUGH 5 YEARS OLD

## DOWNTOWN NEWARK

### Teddy Bear Clinic

SEPTEMBER 7 | 10:30AM



Our teddy bear clinic helps children understand the experience of visiting the doctor, ease any fear or anxiety about visits and highlights what to expect. Bring your Teddy Bear in for a check-up with Dr. Sean Gallagher of Licking Memorial Pediatrics - East. If Teddy can be brave, so can your kiddo!

### Pre-K Art Play: Flower Power!

SEPTEMBER 16 | 10:30AM



Introduce your preschooler to new and unusual media: silky and knit fabrics, puffy fabric paints, even a little icing! Paint tulips, create watercolor scarf and glove sets for story time, and experiment with creating flowers and buds out of icing to bring a scrumptious cupcake garden into full bloom.

### Tunes & Tales with Newark Symphony Orchestra

SEPTEMBER 18 & OCTOBER 16 | 10:30AM

Join Newark Granville Symphony Orchestra assistant concertmaster, Devin Copfer, as she performs an adaptation of *Falling for Rapunzel* by Leah Wilcox, demonstrating the sounds of the violin.

### Baby Bubble Ball

OCTOBER 27 | 10:30AM

Dress your best or favorite fairytale costume. Little ones dance to their hearts' content amid balloons and bubbles.

### Toddler Art: In the Kitchen

OCTOBER 28 | 10:30AM



Create rainbow spaghetti, play-doh and a loopy necklace when we explore and experiment with around-the-house art supplies. Encourage your toddler to explore sensory boxes and strengthen fine and gross motor skills.

## HEBRON

### Pretend and Play: Camping

SEPTEMBER 29 | 10:30AM

Come wrestle a bear or cook over the fire! Pretend and Play features stories and guided play using props and scene-setting to build your child's vocabulary, cooperative skills and imagination. Camping scene remains set up through Friday, October 1 for drop-in exploration.

## JOHNSTOWN (MARY E. BABCOCK)

### Trick or Treat Story Time

OCTOBER 26 | 10:30AM

Bring your little ones in costume to enjoy fun Halloween stories and a trick or treat parade.

## UTICA (HERVEY MEMORIAL)

### "Wee" Build

SEPTEMBER 15 | 10:30AM

Busy builders unite for construction-themed stories and open play with building sets and activities that include life-size LEGO®, Squigz suckers, Magna-Tiles, wooden blocks and more. Tool belts and toy trucks welcome!

### Preschool Craft Time

SEPTEMBER 27 & OCTOBER 25 | 10:30AM

Join us for a simple and fun craft. The library provides all materials.



*Dream More, Learn More,  
Care More, Be More*

## DOLLY PARTON IMAGINATION LIBRARY

Enroll your child and we'll send them a FREE BOOK every month until their fifth birthday. Details on [lickingcountylibrary.org](http://lickingcountylibrary.org) or at any library in Licking County.





# STORY TIME AT BRANSTOOL ORCHARDS

September 29 | 10:30am | 5895 Johnstown-Utica Road | Utica 43080



Mondays • 10:30am	Birth - 5	Utica
Tuesdays • 10:30am	Birth - 5	Johnstown
Wednesdays • 10:30am	Birth - 2	Downtown Newark
Wednesdays • 10:30am	Birth - 5	Hebron
Thursdays • 10:30am	Birth - 5	West Newark
Fridays • 10:30am	Birth - 5	Buckeye Lake

Our goal is to make sure you have somewhere to go every day of the week at the same time—we know routines are important to the younger ones in our lives! Every 4<sup>th</sup> week (and 5<sup>th</sup> if applicable) will be a special program. Check our program calendar online for details.





# EMPOWERED MINDS



## Licking County Library

**F**all is right around the corner, and *Empowered Minds* is planning some great lifelong learning classes for the retirement age residents we proudly serve. Through a wide range of engaging topics, Licking County Library strives to support healthy aging, personal development and maintaining social connections.

Starting with September and October classes, we are excited to announce that several of our class sessions are back to **IN-PERSON**! It will be great hosting you at our Downtown Newark location. Some classes are still being offered virtually through Zoom. From the comfort of your home, you will be able to attend live interactive sessions, connecting with instructors and fellow learners. Library staff are available for one-on-one, in-person sessions to help get you ready for your favorite Empowered Minds class. Call our dedicated and friendly Techsperts with any Zoom questions, or reserve a personal learning session at: 740.349.5509.

As we head deeper into the cooler months, the number of in-person classes will increase, and our ultimate goal will be to host lifelong learners at three of our Licking County Library locations: Downtown Newark, Hebron and Johnstown (Mary E. Babcock). Join us as we embark on an enriching journey through the rest of 2021... and beyond. Learning should be an ongoing endeavor in each of our lives, as we seek out new personal adventures and tap into our creativity.

Register online at [lickingcountylibrary.org](http://lickingcountylibrary.org) or call 740.349.5500. Thank you for considering *Empowered Minds*. Let's learn together!

Kent Daniels  
Adult Services Coordinator  
Licking County Library



## Virtual Classes

### ● **Community Resources for Elders and Their Caregivers • September 9 • 11am - 12pm**

We all age—our parents, ourselves, our friends and families. If you are looking for community resources to help yourself or someone you care for, this is the information you need. In partnership with Central Ohio Professional Education Council, Marsha Strall presents a session on finding community resources and how to access them.

### ● **Password Management with Dashlane™ • September 16 • 3 - 4:30pm**

Do you use the same password for more than one account? Do you find yourself forgetting them or just getting frustrated with the whole notion of passwords? Let our Techsperts introduce you to password management using Dashlane™. Dashlane™ fills all your passwords, payments and personal details wherever you need them. Securely.

### ● **Beat Generation Writers • October 18 • 2 - 3pm**

Professor Lisa Stein Haven re-introduces us to the Beat Generation artists, confined to Jack Kerouac, Allen Ginsberg and, one you might not have heard of, Bob Kaufman. Her presentation is prefaced by a discussion of the father of the movement, Lawrence Ferlinghetti, who recently passed at the age of 101 in February 2021.

### ● **Alternatives to Microsoft Office • October 21 • 1 - 2:30pm**

In our Techsperts Virtual Zoom classroom, discuss free and paid options for Microsoft Office products such as Word and Excel.

### ● **Buckeye Book Club • October 21 • 7 - 8pm**

In partnership with the Ohioana Library, explore fiction works by some of the best Ohio-based authors. October's title is *The Witch's Heart* by Ohio author, Genevieve Gornichec.

## In-Person Classes

All classes this session are held in Meeting Room A at the Downtown Newark location

### ● **Newark's Darkest Day: The Lynching of Carl Etherington • September 9 • 5:30 - 6:30pm**

Carl Etherington's death certificate bluntly records the cause of death as "strangulation from being hanged by a mob." Seventeen-year-old Carl Etherington was lynched near the southeast corner of the Licking County Courthouse square on July 8, 1910. Historian Joe Tebben explores the lynching of Etherington and the "temporary insanity" and the circumstances surrounding a tragic day in Newark's history.

### ● **Plant This Not That—Revisited • September 22 • 1 - 3pm**

Using native plants in backyard landscaping is growing in popularity. Anne Balogh, Program Coordinator for the Licking Park District, covers what it takes to be considered a native plant and their benefits for people and nature with focus on birds, bees and butterflies. She showcases the wide variety of Ohio native plants available to gardeners, explores the latest research, and discusses where you can find native plants for purchase.

### ● **Appalachian Mushrooms • September 25 • 12 - 1:30pm**

Walter Sturgeon is one of the Midwest region's foremost mushroom hunters and the author of the critically acclaimed, *Appalachian Mushrooms*. Celebrating more than 400 indigenous species in all their diversity, beauty and scientific interest, Sturgeon's guide is an indispensable authority on the subject for everyone from beginning hobbyists to trained experts. Join Mr. Sturgeon for a discussion of his work in this exciting program.

# GUIDE TO AGE GROUPS

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

**Early Learners:** Birth through 5 years old

**Elementary:** Kindergarten through fifth grade

**Teens:** Sixth through twelfth grade

**Adults:** 18 years of age and older

## KEY TO LOCATIONS

Visit our website for location hours: [lickingcountylibrary.org](http://lickingcountylibrary.org)

\* Includes a drive-up window for your convenience

- DN** **Downtown Newark\***  
101 West Main Street, Newark | 740.349.5500
- BL** **Buckeye Lake**  
4455 Walnut Road, Buckeye Lake | 740.928.0472
- HE** **Hebron**  
934 West Main Street, Hebron | 740.928.3923
- J** **Johnstown (Mary E. Babcock)**  
320 North Main Street, Johnstown | 740.967.2982
- WN** **West Newark (Emerson R. Miller)\***  
990 West Main Street, Newark | 740.344.2155
- U** **Utica (Hervey Memorial)**  
15 North Main Street, Utica | 740.892.2400
- R** **24-Hour Kiosk • COTC Pataskala Campus**  
8660 West Broad Street, Reynoldsburg
- HA** **24-Hour Kiosk • Legacy Park Hanover**  
2018 West High Street, Newark

## REGISTRATION

All programs at Licking County Library are free!

There are three ways to register:

**Program Calendar:** [lickingcountylibrary.org](http://lickingcountylibrary.org)

**Phone:** 740.349.5500

**email:** [info@lickingcountylibrary.org](mailto:info@lickingcountylibrary.org)

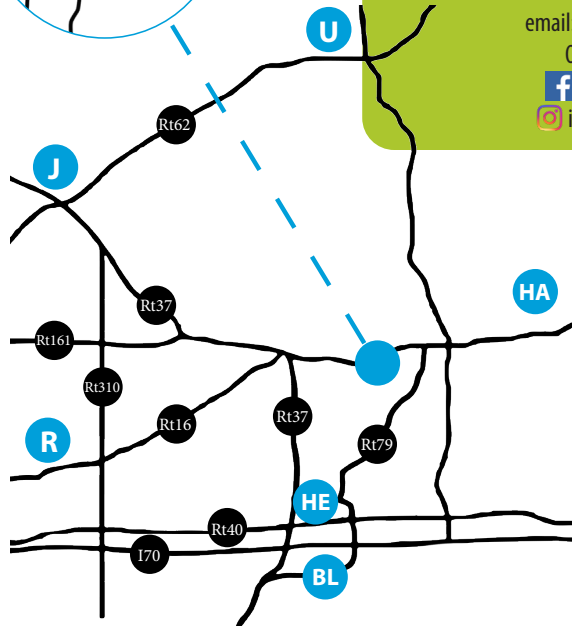


Registration Required



Dress For A Mess

**Holiday Closure:**  
Labor Day  
September 6, 2021



## Licking County Library

Serving Our Community of Lifelong Learners

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## ONSITE HELP WITH A TECHSPERT

Meet with Techsperts one-on-one for help with technology issues including social media, virtual meetings, laptops, smartphones, tablets, e-readers and other software in a socially distanced setting. Prefer a virtual connection? Direct questions to [info@lickingcountylibrary.org](mailto:info@lickingcountylibrary.org) or 740.349.5509. Zoom appointments available too!



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SEPTEMBER 13 & OCTOBER 11 | 12 - 5PM

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### Downtown Newark

DURING OPEN HOURS OR CALL FOR AN APPOINTMENT



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Guiding Ohio Online



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