

The Garden City Public Library will serve the local community as a resource of traditional and evolving library services.

## YOUTH, TEEN & FAMILY PROGRAMS

PRESCHOOL STORYTIMES: 9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30

Wednesdays at 10:15 am, ages 0-5. Enjoy stories, songs and a craft.

LEGO CLUB: 9/12 10/10 11/7 3:30 pm - 5:00

Participate in building challenges and Lego games to inspire creativity.

AFTERNOON EXPLORERS: 9/19, 10/17, 11/14 3:30-4:30 pm

Explore a STEM topic with books, crafts & games. Registration required.

ANIME CLUB: 9/29, 10/27 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Join us for pizza, crafts and anime. Registration required.

#### BACK TO SCHOOL CRAFT NIGHT: 9/1 3:00 - 4:00 pm

Make school supply and locker decorating creations to return in style! Registration required.

#### PERCY JACKSON PARTY: 10/6 6:00-7:30 pm

Celebrate the new Magnus Chase book release with Greek & Roman mythology themed activities, prizes and snacks. Registration required.

## STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER: 10/13 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Enjoy stories and crafts with your furry friend and leave them overnight for a fun slumber party. Pick them up the next day and see pictures of what the toys did at their sleepover.

## HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL: 10/29 12:30 - 2:30 pm

Wear your costume, play games, make crafts, win prizes and eat CANDY! Registration required.

### HARRY POTTER PARTY: 11/10 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Celebrate the release of Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them with crafts, games and treats. Registration required.

## THANKSGIVING CRAFT: 11/17 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Get in the holiday spirit by making thank you books and decorating turkeys. Registration required.

# Garden City Public Library

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# **Library Information**

#### Services:

- Fax: \$1.00 per page to send, \$0.50 per page to receive Our fax number is (734) 793-1831
- Printing & Copying: \$0.15 per page black & white, \$0.50 color
- > Free wireless internet
- Hoopla: Free downloadable videos, music, e-books & eaudiobooks
- > Zinio: Free digital magazines
- MeL databases
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- September 29, 1923 Stan Berenstain: Stan was one of the authors of The Berenstain Bears book series. His editor was none other than Dr. Seuss!
- October 5, 1952 Clive Barker: In addition to authoring books, this GLADD Award recipient was the creator of horror movies such as 'Candyman' and 'Underworld'.
- November 29, 1832 Louisa May Alcott: This classic author was the first woman to vote in Concord, MA. She was required to take a literacy test before submitting her ballot.

### **ADULT PROGRAMS**

ONE-ON-ONE COMPUTER HELP: Tuesdays, 2 - 3:30 pm, by appointment Adult Services Librarian Lisa will be available to provide computer help in dedicated 25 minute sessions. Call to check availability and book your slot!

STRESS BUSTER ADULT COLORING NIGHT: 9/6, 9/20, 10/4, 10/18, 11/1, 11/22 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Drop in and color your cares away with the newest trend in adult programming. Bring your own supplies or use ours! New coloring sheets provided for each program. Ages 14+

#### ADULT CRAFT NIGHTS: 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Join us for a night of snacking and creativity. Registration required. Ages 14+

- 9/27 Wine Cork Magnets
- 10/25 Creepy Anatomical Creations
- 11/29 Paint-on-Velvet

## CLASSIC MONSTER MOVIE HORRORFEST: 2:00 - 4:00 pm

- 10/1 White Zombie (1932)
- 10/8 Phantom of the Opera (1925)
- 10/15 Nosferatu (1922)
- 10/22 Cabinet of Dr. Caligari (1920)
- 10/29 Manos: Hands of Fate (1966)

#### BUYING A USED CAR 101: 10/11 6 - 7:30 pm

Local mechanic Ted will go over the basics of used car shopping with plenty of time for questions.

#### NERD NIGHT: 10/24, 11/28 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Learn about Star Trek: The Next Generation (10/24) and Metalocalypse (11/28). Mountain Dew and Doritos provided.

#### COMIC BOOK APPRECIATION PROGRAM: 11/15 6:00 - 7:30

Comic Book Club of Ann Arbor president Leija P. will discuss diversity and representation within comics and graphic novels.

#### **Library Director:**

James B. Lenze

#### Library Board:

Paul Werhane (President), Andrew McMechan (Vice President), Janet Smith (Secretary),

Nancy Bailey,

Lynn Cox,

Millie Tyszkiewicz

## **Library Board Meetings:**

Held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Library. The public is welcome.

## **Library Closings:**

Labor Day 9/5, Veteran's Day 11/11, Thanksgiving 11/24 - 11/26

#### Gifts & Memorials:

Make a monetary donation for a gift book to remember loved ones or to honor someone special. All books will be plated with both the honoree's name and donor's name.

## **Donations:**

We love donations of gently used items!

## Friends of the Library

Membership is open to all with a suggested donation of \$5.00 per year. Membership forms are available in the Library and on the Library's website. Quarterly meetings are held at the Library. All proceeds from the Friends of the Library sales benefit the Library and support programs. http://friendsofgclibrary.org/

#### Monthly Programs:

- Knit Night Knitting and Crocheting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month from 5:30 7:30 pm.
- Book Club Meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every other month at 3:00 pm.
   Upcoming book discussions include:
  - o September 15 *Me Before You* by Jojo Moyes
  - o November 17 Say Her Name by Francisco Goldman

## Tech Time @ the Library

## Need research help?

Mel.org offers free access to databases with information on a variety of subjects.

**Hoopla**, the newest and most efficient e-content service has joined the list of available programs for GCPL members. Check it out for movies, music and books!

Don't forget! E-Books, E-Audiobooks & E-Magazines are Available 24/7! Read and listen to e-books through OverDrive and read e-magazines through Zinio