

# HAPPENINGS

at your *Library*

JULY  
2026



## PLYMC ALL AGES SUMMER DISCOVERY MAY 26 - JULY 31

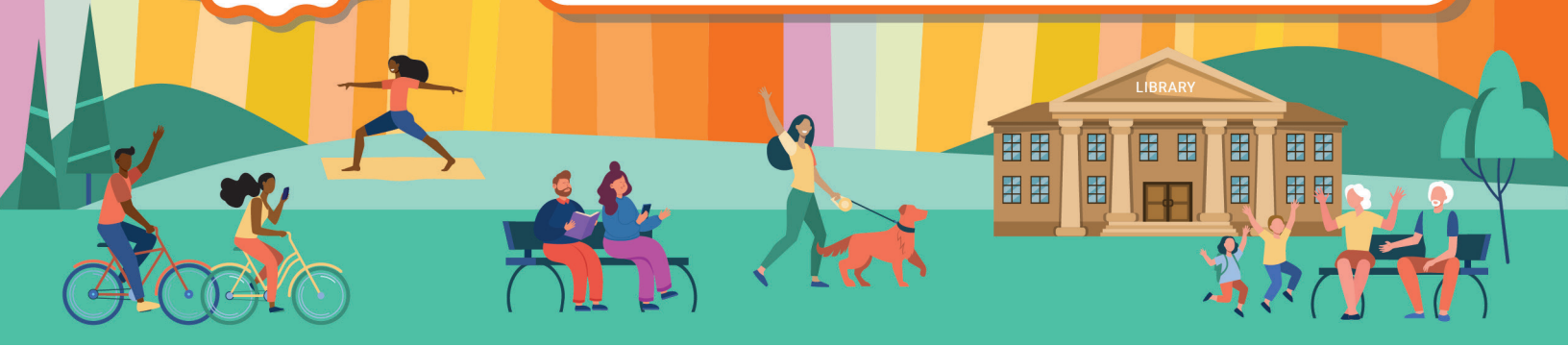
There's still time to sign up for Summer Discovery!



To sign up, visit your local branch, call us at 330.744.8636 or go to [libraryvisit.org](http://libraryvisit.org).

Receive a tote bag for signing up!

Collect a button from each PLYMC branch to put on your bag. Items available while supplies last.



NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR  
**JOHN SCALZI**  
WHEN THE MOON HITS YOUR EYE



Please join us for an author visit with John Scalzi, a New York Times bestselling science fiction author. His novel *Redshirts* won the 2013 Hugo Award for Best Novel, and his acclaimed *Old Man's War* series has also received multiple Hugo Award nominations. Additional works include *The Android's Dream*, *Agent to the Stars*, and *Lock In*. In addition to the Hugo, John is also the recipient of numerous awards, including the Locus, Seiun, the Dragon, and the Governor's Award for the Arts in Ohio.

Drawing on his experience as a science fiction author, Scalzi will discuss sci-fi in the modern era, his writing process, and living with his head in the stars. Celebrate Summer Discovery and America 250 with this celebrated local author.

Main Library, 2 p.m. Sat., July 11



Registration is required for some programs and each attendee must be registered. For programs on Zoom, register with an email address through the online events calendar.

### HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

All PLYMC Branches Closed  
Sat., July 4, 2026 for Independence Day



## EARLY LEARNING Ages 0-5

### Baby Story Time

Poland, 10 a.m. Wed., July 1  
Canfield, 10 a.m. Thurs., July 2, 16, 30  
Boardman, 10 a.m. Mon., July 27

### My First Art Studio

Main Library, 10 a.m. Wed., July 1

### Toddler Story Time

Poland, 10 a.m. Thurs., July 2

### Gotta Move Story Time

Austintown, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 2, 9, 23, 30  
Main Library, 11:30 a.m. Tues., July 7, 14, 21, 28  
Canfield, 10 a.m. Fri., July 17

### Launch into Kindergarten

Main Library, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

### Yoga Story Time

Poland, 10 a.m. Fri., July 3, 17

### Feelings:

#### Exploring Emotions Together- Anger

Main Library, 11:30 a.m. Mon., July 6

### Family Story Time

Canfield, 10 a.m. Tues., July 7, 21  
Michael Kusalaba, 10:30 a.m. Thurs., July 16, 30  
Newport, 10:30 a.m. Sat., July 18  
East, 10:30 a.m. Wed., July 29

### Storytime in the Park: Shark Week

Poland Municipal Forest, Zedaker Pavilion,  
11 a.m. Tues., July 7

### Playtime at Your Library

Struthers, 10 a.m. Fri., July 10  
Campbell, 10 a.m. Mon., July 13

### DIY: Patriotic "I Spy" Sensory Bottle

Boardman, 11 a.m. Sat., July 11

### Family Story Time: America 250

Springfield, 11 a.m. Sat., July 11

### Feelings: Exploring

#### Emotions Together- Happiness

Main Library, 11:30 a.m. Mon., July 13

### Gotta Move Story Time:

#### Shark Week Edition

Austintown, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 16

### Play Dough Fun! Toddler Time

Main Library, 11 a.m. Sat., July 18

### PreK Painters: Smash Art

Campbell, 10 a.m. Mon., July 20

### Feelings: Exploring Emotions

#### Together- Sadness

Main Library, 11:30 a.m. Mon., July 20

### Baby Play Café

Michael Kusalaba, 6 p.m. Tues., July 21

### PreK Sensory Fun

Campbell, 10 a.m. Mon., July 27

### Summer Storytime

Austintown, 11 a.m. Tues., July 28

### All Ages Story Time at Sebring Library!

Sebring, 11 a.m. Fri., July 31



## KIDS Grades K-3

### Patriotic Paint Party

Boardman, 3:30 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Kid Librarian-Make a Library Display

Design a display with your favorite library books, CD's, movies, etc. for patrons to check out!

Displays will be up for one week.

Austintown, 10 a.m. Fri., July 3

Austintown, 10 a.m. Sat., July 11, 18, 25

### Dino Cyanotypes (Prehistoric photos!)

Canfield, 2 p.m. Mon., July 6

### Shark Week Fun!

Main Library, 5 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Daring Dinosaur Painting

Struthers, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Hang with Ariel!

Main Library, 5 p.m. Wed., July 15

### Paper Plate Sharks

Austintown, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### Shark Banks for Kids

Austintown, 10 a.m. Fri., July 17

### Math Club

Newport, 2 p.m. Fri., July 17, 24, 31

### Birdhouses

Main Library, 3:30 p.m. Tues., July 28

### Read to Tribbles

Austintown, 6 p.m. Tues., July 28

### Tales with Toshi!

Tri-Lakes, 10 a.m. Wed., July 29

### Make a Fossil

Newport, 5 p.m. Wed., July 29



## KIDS & TWEENS

### Space Cadet Club

Austintown, 6 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Feasting on Fossils

Campbell, 2 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Kids Art Club

Austintown, 6 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Dinosaur Craft Day

Canfield, 2 p.m. Fri., July 10

### All About Ladybugs!

Austintown, 11 a.m. Sat., July 11

### Shark Silhouettes

Austintown, 11 a.m. Tues., July 14

### The Power of Native Plants

East, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 16

### Fairy Houses and Toad Abodes

Poland, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 16

### Tissue Paper Art Studio

Newport, 3 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### What is Stratigraphy and Why Does It "Taste" Good?

Springfield, 11 a.m. Tues., July 21

### Bee Well: Taking Care of Wild Bees and Butterflies

Campbell, 2 p.m. Tues., July 21

### DIY Rainsticks

Main Library, 5:30 p.m. Wed., July 22

### Afterschool Art: Dino Diamond Paintings

Campbell, 2 p.m. Tues., July 28

### Spidey Directed Drawing

Austintown, 6 p.m. Tues., July 28

### STEAM Engineering Challenges

Poland, 5 p.m. Wed., July 29

### Chopped: Kids Crafting Edition!

Main Library, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 30



## TWEENS Grades 4-6

### Make a Cyanotype!

Use leaves, flowers, or other naturally found objects to make simple blue-and-white prints with photosensitive paper and sunlight!

Michael Kusalaba, 3 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Write Club for Kids

See your picture book on library shelves! Join us for a week-long club where you can write and design a story of your own.

Main Library,

1:30 p.m. Mon., July 6 - Fri., July 10

### Shark Magnets

Austintown, 6 p.m. Mon., July 13

### Friendship Bracelets

Main Library, 2:30 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### Escape From the Aquarium

Austintown, 10 a.m. Sat., July 18

### Read BeTWEEN the Lines Book Club

Michael Kusalaba, 5 p.m. Mon., July 20

### Summer Lit Club for 4th-6th!

We're reading "Busted" by Dan Gemeinhart.

Boardman, 4:30 p.m. Tues., July 21

### Clarence R. Smith

#### Mineral Museum Visit

Austintown, 10 a.m. Wed., July 22

### Minecraft Creeper Creator

Main Library, 3 p.m. Thurs., July 23



## TEENS & TWEENS Grades 4-12

### Unearth A Story: Writing Workshop

Boardman, 2 p.m. Wed., July 15

### Candy Sushi

Poland, 2 p.m. Wed., July 15

### Unearthed: Dino Escape Room

Canfield, 11 a.m. Fri., July 17

### Pokémon Pocket Monster Explorers

Main Library, 3 p.m. Sat., July 18

Main Library, 11 a.m. Mon., July 27

### Geology Bingo for Kids

Austintown, 10 a.m. Mon., July 20

### CraftyNoon Teens:

#### Homemade Chia Pets

Brownlee Woods, 1 p.m. Thurs., July 23

### Dragon Diamond Art Bookmarks

Austintown, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 30



## TEENS Grades 7-12

### Teen Advisory Board

Boardman, 6 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Apprentice's Inn

Michael Kusalaba, 3 p.m. Thurs., July 2, 16  
Tri-Lakes, 3 p.m. Wed., July 8

### Beaded Wind Chime

Newport, 6 p.m. Wed., July 8

### MK Movie Monthly

Michael Kusalaba, 6 p.m. Mon., July 13

### Snacks and Stories

Newport, 4 p.m. Tues., July 28

### Old School Gaming

Michael Kusalaba, 6 p.m. Tues., July 28



## ADULTS & TEENS

### Escape the Mummy's Curse

Brownlee Woods, 3 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Crafty Capers at Campbell: DIY Aroma Stones

Campbell, 6 p.m. Wed., July 8

### Meet Me on the Yoga Mat

Austintown, 6:30 p.m. Mon., July 13

### A Novel Writing Club: Points of View

Boardman, 6 p.m. Wed., July 15

### Shark Week Bleach T-Shirt

Austintown, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### In Velvet: My Family Story in Poem

Join Jeanne Bryner, local awarding winning poet, for a reading of her latest book In Velvet: New and Select Poems. Hear thought provoking poetry of family, love and growing up in the Appalachian region.  
Main Library, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### CraftyNoon: Bug Keychain

Brownlee Woods, 2 p.m. Fri., July 17

### Classic Dinosaur Movie

Brownlee Woods, 2 p.m. Sat., July 18

### Dino Murder Mystery Game: Triassic & Error

Campbell, 5:30 p.m. Wed., July 22

### Magic: The Gathering For Beginners: Part 3

Campbell, 5:30 p.m. Wed., July 22

### Magic: The Gathering For Beginners: Part 3

This session will focus on playing a standard play match for MTG.

Main Library, 5:30 p.m. Thurs., July 23

### America 250: Hamilton Lyrics Challenge!

East, 4 p.m. Tues., July 28



## ADULTS

### Sit & Stitch

Canfield, 10 a.m. Wed., July 1, 15, 29

Boardman, 11 a.m. Wed., July 1

### Morning with the Masters: Raising Monarch Butterflies

Poland, 11 a.m. Wed., July 1

### Bingocize!

Sebring, 11 a.m. Wed., July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Sebring, 11 a.m. Mon., July 6, 13, 20, 27

### Simple Home Maintenance to Protect Your Biggest Investment

Sebring, 1 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Deep Dive: Deeply Holistic

In this series, we will look at Pip Waller's "Deeply Holistic: A Guide to Intuitive Self-Care." This is a definitive self-care guide for anyone who wants to take care of their whole person—body, mind, and spirit. Each class will be dedicated to one of the eleven chapters.

Newport, 5:30 p.m. Wed., July 1, 8, 15, 22

### Computer Basics

Newport, 3 p.m. Wed., July 1

Michael Kusalaba, 10 a.m. Thurs., July 2

### Between the Bookends Book Club

We're reading "The Case of Mice and Murder"

by Sally Smith.

Brownlee Woods, 12 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Makers Academy: Recording Studio

In this hands-on session, you'll explore how the studio works, from microphones to the recording system, and create your own short podcast-style recording.

Main Library, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 2

Main Library, 3:30 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Yoga for Building Body Literacy

Poland, 3 p.m. Thurs., July 2, 23

### Sit and Paint

East, 3:30 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Pages for the Ages Book Club

Brickhouse Bar and Grill

(206 E. Ohio Ave., Sebring, OH)

6 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Create your own Dinosaur Garden!

Sebring, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Introduction to Genealogy

Austintown, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 2

### Yoga for Every Body

Canfield, 10 a.m. Fri., July 3

### Adult Librarian-Make a Library Display

Design a display with your favorite library books, CD's, movies, etc. for patrons to check out! Displays will be up for one week.

Austintown, 10 a.m. Fri., July 3

Austintown, 10 a.m. Sat., July 11, 18, 25

### Let's Move! Outside Edition!

Poland, 10 a.m. Mon., July 6, 20

### MCCTC Aspire Adult Basic Education Class

Free educational services to help individuals develop skills for GED completion, post-secondary education, and employment success.

Michael Kusalaba, 11 a.m. Mon., July 6, 13, 20, 27

Michael Kusalaba, 11 a.m. Tues., July 7, 14, 21, 28

Michael Kusalaba, 11 a.m. Wed., July 15, 22, 29

Main Library, 4:30 p.m. Mon., July 6, 13, 20, 27

Main Library, 4:30 p.m. Tues., July 7, 14, 21, 28

Main Library, 4:30 p.m. Wed., July 22, 29

### Health Coaches for Hypertension Control

This program covers topics including: the basics of hypertension control, nutrition, physical activity, tobacco cessation, and stress and medication management.

Tri-Lakes, 11 a.m. Mon., July 6, 13

### Brewed Awakenings Book Club

The Coffee Shop at Ridgewood,

9:30 a.m. Tues., July 7, 21

### Chair Yoga

Tri-Lakes, 11 a.m. Tues., July 7

Brownlee Woods,

10 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wed., July 8, 22

### Crochet A Headband

Austintown, 11 a.m. Tues., July 7

### You're Such a Card!

Sebring, 3 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Ohio Button Art!

Main Library, 6 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Learn Sublimation Printing: Watercolor Paper

Michael Kusalaba, 6 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Microsoft PowerPoint Class 3

Main Library, 11 a.m. Wed., July 8

### New Adult Advisory Board

Help plan and support programs at the library for adults ages 18-30!

Main Library, 11 a.m. Wed., July 8

### Offbeat Ohio Bingo

Austintown, 6 p.m. Wed., July 8

### Book It To Poland: Audiobook Walking Club

Poland, 10 a.m. Thurs., July 9

### Step into Wellness Walking Group

Ford Nature Center,

11 a.m. Thurs., July 9 & Wed., July 22

### Direction Home of Eastern Ohio: Caregivers for Dementia Support Group

Please call Christy at 330-505-2352 with any questions.

Main Library, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Bring a Thing: Favorite Fragrance

Newport, 5:30 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Booktok Book Club

The book is "The Guest Cottage" by Lori Foster.

Austintown, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Finance: Investing Resources

Main Library, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Newport Tea Exploration Club

Newport, 10:30 a.m. Sat., July 11

### Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence

Hear local historians Frank & Michal Barrett speak about this page of our American history and enjoy a piece of celebratory cake for the independence of our nation, no matter how you slice it!

Sebring, 11 a.m. Sat., July 11

### The Room Where It Happens Movie and Bingo

Newport, 2 p.m. Sat., July 11

### Rant & Rave: Movies Editon

East, 2 p.m. Sat., July 11

### Bingo: Picnic

Brownlee Woods, 3:30 p.m. Sat., July 11

### NAMA-Stay for Chair Yoga!

Poland, 11 a.m. Mon., July 13, 20

### Mah-Jongg Monthly

Canfield, 1 p.m. Mon., July 13

### Pawfect Pages - Book Folding

Newport, 2 p.m. Mon., July 13

## I Love A Mystery Book Club

We will be discussing "Last Night" by Luanne Rice.  
Boardman, 6 p.m. Mon., July 13

## Crafting Resources at the Library

Canfield, 6 p.m. Mon., July 13

## Golden Hour for Seniors: Frosted Frames

Boardman, 11 a.m. Tues., July 14

## New Adult Hour (Ages 18-30): 3D Shark Canvas Aquariums

Austintown, 6 p.m. Tues., July 14

## Morning with the Masters: Why Don't I have Butterflies all Season?

Springfield, 11 a.m. Wed., July 15

## True Crime Hour

We'll examine a book with a Youngstown connection, "Steel City Mafia".  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Wed., July 15

## Using AI as a Practical Job Search Assistant

Boardman, 6 p.m. Wed., July 15

## Stay Glassy: Cricut Glass Etching

Main Library, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 16

## Mending Mayhem!

Bring in an article of clothing with a stubborn stain or small hole to learn about different ways to mend your clothes. Mending supplies will be provided.  
Main Library, 5:30 p.m. Thurs., July 16

## The Bookish Club

This club offers a space for book lovers to discuss all things books! Whether that be recommendations, your TBR, your favorite (or least favorite) books, and much more.  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 16

## Growing A Tea Gardyn Pt. 2

Newport, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 16

## Magic: The Gathering Club

Sebring, 2 p.m. Fri., July 17

## Puzzle Palooza

Boardman, 2 p.m. Sat., July 18

## Speed Read Book Club

Want to learn about some interesting books and meet new people? Join our Speed Read Book Club!  
Struthers, 2 p.m. Sat., July 18

## Mystery Monday Book Club

We're reading "Ward D" by Frieda McFadden.  
Main Library, 11 a.m. Mon., July 20

## Homesteading 101: Poo Pourri

Austintown, 6 p.m. Mon., July 20

## I Read YA! Book Club

Our read will be "Burn The Water" by Billy Ray.  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Mon., July 20

## Spill the Tea Book Club

Our book selection is "Off Menu" by Amy Rosen.  
East, 10 a.m. Tues., July 21

## Floral Water

Floral water, also known as hydrosol, is a gentle and refreshing addition to any natural skincare routine. We'll explore the uses and benefits, discuss simple recipes, and watch a live demonstration of how it is created. The program will conclude with a take-home sample to enjoy!  
Newport, 11 a.m. Tues., July 21  
Newport, 5:30 p.m. Wed., July 29

## Stranger Than Fiction Book Club

We're discussing "Blood and the Badge: The Mafia, Two Killer Cops, and a Scandal that Shocked the Nation" by Michael Cannell.  
Canfield, 5:30 p.m. Tues., July 21

## Community Discussion: The Ethics of AI

Main Library, 6 p.m. Tues., July 21

## Chapter Chat Book Club

We're discussing "The Ministry of Time" by Kaliane Bradley.  
Austintown, 6:30 p.m. Tues., July 21

## Mini Zen Garden

Newport, 5 p.m. Wed., July 22

## Science & Snacks: Dinosaurs!

Main Library, 6 p.m. Wed., July 22

## All Booked Up Book Club

Our pick is "Ruby Falls" by Gin Phillips.  
Boardman, 6 p.m. Wed., July 22

## Historic Mill Creek Park

Presented by Mill Creek MetroPark's Lynn Zocolo.  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Wed., July 22

## Recipe Swap: Family Food History

Springfield, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 23

## The Grim Readers Book Club

Our page-turner is "The Perfect Marriage" by Jeneva Rose.  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 23

## Stepping Out With Exercise

Main Library, 1:30 p.m. Fri., July 24

## Soldering Workshop

Boardman, 10 a.m. Sat., July 25

## Introduction to Laser Engraving

Michael Kusalaba,  
10 a.m. & 11 a.m. Sat., July 25

## Mysteries and Mocktails

The book is "The Perfect Couple" by Elin Hilderbrand.  
Struthers, 2 p.m. Sat., July 25

## Sci-fi & Fantasy Saturdays

This month's book is "Six of Crows" by Leigh Bardugo.  
Michael Kusalaba, 3 p.m. Sat., July 25

## Personal Digital Archiving

Main Library, 3:30 p.m. Sat., July 25

## Creative Writing Circle

Canfield, 5:30 p.m. Mon., July 27

## Off the Shelves Book Club

The book is "The Killer Question" by Janice Hallett.  
Canfield, 5:30 p.m. Tues., July 28

## Canva Basics

Canfield, 5:30 p.m. Tues., July 28

## Mindfulness Method: Zen Doodling

Main Library, 6 p.m. Tues., July 28

## Triassic and Error: A Dinosaur Murder Mystery

Brownlee Woods, 3 p.m. Wed., July 29

## Sweet and Supernatural Book Club

We will review the "Undertaking of Hart and Mercy" by Megan Bannan.  
Campbell, 6 p.m. Wed., July 29

## Plot Smarter: The Four Act Structure for Writers

Join local writer Katie Passerotti for a creative writing workshop designed to help you organize the plot of your novel. Please bring a notebook or laptop.  
Main Library, 6 p.m. Wed., July 29

## OhioMeansJobs Career Preparation and Apprenticeship Services.

OhioMeansJobs Career Preparation and Apprenticeship Services provide career exploration, workforce readiness resources, and connections to training and apprenticeship opportunities that help individuals build skills and achieve employment goals.

Boardman, 3:30 p.m. Thurs., July 30



## FAMILIES & ALL AGES

### All-Ages Art Café

Canfield, 3 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Happy 250th Birthday, America!

Campbell, 6 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Summer Discovery: Treasure Hunting

Brownlee Woods, 11 a.m. Mon., July 6

### Jungle Terry and Friends

Check out a variety of animals and reptiles up close while learning interesting facts about each one!  
East, 4 p.m. Mon., July 6  
Sebring, 4 p.m. Wed., July 8  
Tri-Lakes, 2 p.m. Sat., July 25

### Weird Ohio, Part 2

Did you know Ohio has the fourth most Bigfoot sightings in the country? Have you ever heard of the Loveland Frogman? Or the Werewolf of Defiance? Join us for a family exploration of all things Weird Ohio has to offer! You do not need to attend all parts to register.  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Mon., July 6

### Jim Kleefeld: Dinosaur Magic

This exciting show features stories and tales mixed with magic, all with fantastic dinosaurs great and small.  
Brownlee Woods, 11 a.m. Tues., July 7  
Springfield, 2 p.m. Tues., July 7

### Tiny Art Show @ the Austintown Library

Create your own unique mini-artwork to take home or submit to our Tiny Art Show for a chance at a prize.  
Austintown, 10 a.m. Wed., July 8  
Austintown, 6 p.m. Wed., July 29

### Bullying and Violence Prevention

Sandy Hook Promise's Start with Hello (K-12) program teaches youth to recognize lonely or socially isolated peers, learn ways to make others feel included, and create a culture of inclusion and kindness. Presented by Akron Children's.  
Michael Kusalaba, 3 p.m. Wed., July 8, 15

### A Public Reading of Declaration of Independence

July 8th marks the anniversary of the first public reading of the Declaration of Independence in 1776. To commemorate this moment, communities and organizations nationwide will hold simultaneous readings of this foundational document! Join us as we host local leaders and citizens in a shared reading for all to hear.  
Main Library, 6 p.m. Wed., July 8

### Krafty Kids: 4th of July Celebration

Tri-Lakes, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Fairy Golf: Mini-est Mini Golf!

Boardman, 4 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Dinosaur Slime

Sebring, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### America 250: Raised Salt Paintings

Michael Kusalaba, 11 a.m. Sat., July 11

### America 250 Finale at Poland Library: Matinee!

Poland, 1 p.m. Sat., July 11

### America 250 Bingo and Crafts

Struthers, 2 p.m. Sat., July 11

### America 250: Community Reception and Genealogy Presentations

Celebrate America 250 with a reception honoring Mahoning Valley history and its families! Participants who registered for our June 10 genealogy kit program will be able to display their projects. Community members are invited to share their genealogical stories or historical discoveries. Please contact the Canfield Library if you would like to speak.

Canfield, 2-4 p.m. Sat., July 11

### Summer Discovery: Animals that Dig

Brownlee Woods, 10 a.m. Mon., July 13

### Dinos Rock!

Springfield, 11 a.m. Mon., July 13

### Shark Tales

Austintown, 11 a.m. Mon., July 13

### Lego My Library

Struthers, 5 p.m. Mon., July 13

### Lego Printmaking: Drop-In Session

Michael Kusalaba, 5:30 p.m. Tues., July 14

### Outback Ray

Outback Ray's Amazing Animal Show is unique, and unlike any animal show you've seen before! Expect to be entertained and at the edge of your seat!

Austintown, 1 p.m. Wed., July 15

Struthers, 1 p.m. Thurs., July 23

Newport, 3 p.m. Thurs., July 23

### Wacky Craft Night

Campbell, 6 p.m. Wed., July 15

### What Just Hatched?!

Springfield, 11 a.m. Thurs., July 16

### Dino Digs!

Struthers, 2 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### Hang with Bailey

Boardman, 4 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### Pizza & PJs Movie Night

Sebring, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 16

### Pokémon Bookmarks

Michael Kusalaba, 11 a.m. Fri., July 17

### Dinosaur Lego Competition

Tri-Lakes, 2 p.m. Fri., July 17

### Mummified Cat Craft

Sebring, 11 a.m. Sat., July 18

### Komara Outdoors

Komara Outdoors presents their Traveling Reptile Educational Program, where they "Bring Nature to You!"

Michael Kusalaba, 11 a.m. Sat., July 18

Campbell, 1:30 p.m. Sat., July 18

### Unearth a Story:

### Carnegie Dinosaur Mini Museum

This hands-on exhibit transforms the library into a prehistoric discovery zone featuring dinosaur models, fossils, and replicas. Presented by The Carnegie Museum of Natural History.

Boardman, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sat., July 18

### Puzzle and Chill: Ohio 250!

Main Library, 2 p.m. Sat., July 18

### Summer Discovery: Dinosaurs

Brownlee Woods, 11 a.m. Mon., July 20

### ASMV Community Book Club:

### Life on the Bridge

Join us for a discussion on Autism acceptance, individuals on the Autism spectrum, and those who support them. Our selection for this quarter is "Life on the Bridge" by Kaelynn Parlow. Presented with Autism Society Mahoning Valley.

Main Library, 12 p.m. Wed., July 22

### Foam Party

Gather outside the library for a frolic in foam from a professional foam machine! Wear light summer clothing or swimwear.

Poland, 2 p.m. Wed., July 22

### Cave Art Creations

Sebring, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 23

### Christmas in July

Poland, 2 p.m. Sat., July 25

### Your Friendly Neighborhood Superhero Party

We're celebrating the release of the new Spider-Man movie. We'll have games, activities, and even a photo session with Spider-Man!

Austintown, 2 p.m. Sat., July 25

### Little Gardeners: Growing Marigolds!

Boardman, 3 p.m. Sat., July 25

### Summer Discovery: Construction

Brownlee Woods, 11 a.m. Mon., July 27

### Alex Thomas and Friends Puppet Show

Discover fascinating facts, meet animated dinosaur puppet characters, and uncover the secrets of fossil hunting in this fun-filled, educational experience for all ages.

Poland, 11 a.m. Mon., July 27

### Respect the Locals

Kent State Trumbull 2026 Library Tour in collaboration with Hart's School of Performing Arts.

Main Library, 2 p.m. Wed., July 29

### Pet Rock Adoption Agency

Sebring, 6 p.m. Thurs., July 30



### Akron Children's Hospital Mobile Care Unit

Provides pediatric primary care services to children ages birth-21 years. All services are provided face-to-face by skilled healthcare professionals.

Sebring, 12 - 6 p.m. Wed., July 8



Shop for freshly grown produce and other groceries.

Sebring | 12-2 p.m.  
Thurs., July 9

Main Library | 11:30-12:30 p.m.  
Thurs., July 16



Stop by to register for a library card, check out materials, and ask us questions!

### Walnut Grove

10 a.m. - 12 p.m. Wed., July 1  
(includes a storytime!)

### Boardman Park

11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Music in the Park at Woodworth Park

7-8:30 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Pop-Up on Phelps

4-6 p.m. Thurs., July 2, 16, 30

### Music in the Park at Mauthe Park

6-8 p.m. Thurs., July 2

6-8 p.m. Thurs., July 23

### Summer Festival of the Arts at YSU

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sat., July 11

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sun., July 12

### Butterfly Festival at Southside Community Gardens

1-4 p.m. Sat., July 18

### Boardman Community Day at Boardman Park

4-6 p.m. Sat., July 18

### Boardman Park

10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Tues., July 21

11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Fri., July 31

### Lake Milton State Park at Craig Beach

11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Wed., July 22



**2026 Summer Hours**  
**May 25 - Sept. 7**

**MAIN LIBRARY**

Monday-Thursday.....9 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Friday & Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**AUSTINTOWN**

Monday-Thursday.....9 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Friday & Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**BOARDMAN**

Monday & Wednesday 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Tuesday & Thursday .....9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
 Friday & Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**BROWNLEE WOODS**

Monday-Saturday.....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**CAMPBELL**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday,  
 Saturday .....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday .....12 - 8 p.m.

**CANFIELD**

Monday & Tuesday .....9 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Wednesday & Thursday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
 Friday & Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**EAST**

Monday- Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**MICHAEL KUSALABA**

Monday & Tuesday.....9 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday  
 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**NEWPORT**

Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Saturday  
 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday & Thursday 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

**POLAND**

Monday & Wednesday...9 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Tuesday & Thursday.....9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
 Friday & Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**SEBRING**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday,  
 Saturday .....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
 Thursday ..... 12 - 8 p.m.

**SPRINGFIELD**

Monday-Saturday .....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

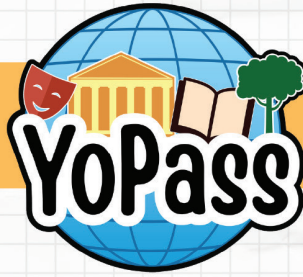
**STRUTHERS**

Monday.....12 - 8 p.m.  
 Tuesday-Saturday....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**TRI-LAKES**

Monday-Saturday.....9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**A NEW way for families to explore Youngstown is here!**



**A Digital Passport Program**



YoPass is a digital passport program that encourages families to discover places in Youngstown like museums, parks, and cultural attractions. At each location, families can complete an activity and collect digital stamps toward fun prizes.



Scan the QR code to sign up or visit [yopass.org](http://yopass.org).



**Summer Food Service Program**

We're partnering with the Children's Hunger Alliance (CHA) to provide free meals for ages 18 and younger beginning June 1. Meals will be available Monday through Friday from 12-1 p.m. at Main Library, East and Michael Kusalaba. Food must be eaten while inside the library. The program runs through July 31 and is funded by CHA.



## CULINARY LITERACY

Registration is required for all Culinary Literacy programs

### Garden to Table: Fondant Potatoes

ADULTS

This program highlights a homegrown ingredient, where we will discuss how to grow it and then turn it into a delicious dish.

Main Library, 5:30 p.m. Wed., July 8  
Main Library, 1 p.m. Thurs., July 9

### Kids in the Kitchen:

#### Sunshine Pasta Salad

KIDS

Kids in grades K-3 will practice beginner cooking skills while creating their own colorful pasta salad cups.

Main Library, 1 p.m. Tues., July 14

### New Kitchen Techniques:

#### Sous Vide Demonstration

ADULTS

A live demonstration of how to use a Sous Vide to make your cooking life easier, more flavorful and accurately cooked.

Main Library, 1 p.m. Fri., July 17

### A Taste of Greece: Classic Gyro

ADULTS

Participants will learn how to prepare, bake, and serve a traditional Greek gyro.

Main Library, 5:30 p.m. Tues., July 21  
Main Library, 1 p.m. Thurs., July 23

### Classic Gyros for Teens

TEENS

Participants will learn how to prepare, bake, and serve a traditional Greek gyro.

Main Library, 5 p.m. Wed., July 22

### Kids in the Kitchen:

#### Banana Split Breakfast Boats

KIDS

Kids in grades K-3 will practice beginner cooking skills while building their own banana split-inspired breakfast boats.

Main Library, 1 p.m. Tues., July 28

### National Eggplant Month with Mercy Health

ADULTS

Main Library, 1 p.m. Thurs., July 30  
Main Library, 1 p.m. Fri., July 31

## Blood Drive by Mahoning Chapter of the American Red Cross



Boardman, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Sat., July 11  
Austintown, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tues., July 21  
Poland, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tues., July 21  
Newport, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Tues., July 21  
Boardman, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Mon., July 27  
Austintown, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Fri., July 3



### Puzzle Swap

Boardman, 4 p.m. Wed., July 1

### Book Donation Drop Off

**Poland (Friends Bookstore):**  
Every Fri. | 12-3 p.m.

#### Boardman:

1st Saturday of the month | 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

#### Canfield:

3rd Saturday of the month | 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

For more info on the Friends of the Library meetings & events, please visit [Libraryvisit.org](http://Libraryvisit.org).

## PLYMC ALL AGES SUMMER DISCOVERY

Thank you to everyone who kicked off Summer Discovery with us at Boardman Park!



Look for a PLYMC Story Trail this summer!



### Austintown Township Park

6000 Kirk Rd.  
Austintown, OH 44515

### Boardman Township Park

375 Boardman Poland Rd.  
Boardman, OH 44512

### Mauthe Park

174 Smithfield St.  
Struthers, OH 44471



### Roosevelt Park

Sycamore Drive  
Campbell, OH 44405

### The Walnut Grove Park

8800 Columbiana-Canfield Rd.  
Canfield, OH 44406

### Yellow Creek Park

17 Lowellville Rd.  
Struthers, OH 44471

**ALL PLYMC BRANCHES: 330-744-8636**

**Main Library:** 305 Wick Ave., Youngstown, OH 44503

**Austintown:** 600 S. Raccoon Rd., Austintown, OH 44515

**Boardman:** 7680 Glenwood Ave., Boardman, OH 44512

**Brownlee Woods:** 4010 Sheridan Rd., Youngstown, OH 44514

**Campbell, inside CLWCC (Community Literacy Workforce & Cultural Center):**

436 Struthers Coitsville Rd., Lowellville, OH 44436

**Canfield:** 43 W Main St., Canfield, OH 44406

**East:** 430 Early Rd., Youngstown, OH 44505

**Michael Kusalaba:** 2815 Mahoning Ave., Youngstown, OH 44509

**Newport:** 3730 Market St., Youngstown, OH 44507

**Poland:** 311 S. Main St., Poland, OH 44514

**Friends of PLYMC Bookstore:** 330-757-2550

**Sebring:** 195 W. Ohio Ave., Sebring, OH 44672

**Springfield:** 10418 Main St., New Middletown, OH 44442

**Struthers:** 95 Poland Ave., Struthers, OH 44471

**Tri-Lakes:** 13820 Mahoning Ave., N. Jackson, OH 44451

**Special Delivery:** 330-792-3869



**View full program descriptions & register online at [LibraryVisit.org](http://LibraryVisit.org) or by calling 330-744-8636**

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