

December 2022

Chapters

Library News & Events



Library Closures: The library will be closed on **Dec 24, 26, & 31.**



Family Holiday Photoshoot

Dec 6 @ 5-7 pm | Call 309-274-2719
to register for a quick holiday photoshoot with your family!



Chillicothe Public Library presents



Winter Reading Challenge 2022-23

All ages are welcome. Earn a book, a bookmark, and a cookie from Happy Thought Coffee!



Register online at bit.ly/3GdLUqJ, scan the QR code, or pick up a reading log at the library. Official start date is Dec 11.

Thanks to our sponsor, Happy Thought coffee!



Gingerbread House Workshop

Dec 10 | \$5 per house

Call 309-274-2719 to register



Winter Book Sale

Thur., Dec 15

@ 9 AM-7 PM

Fri., Dec 16

@ 9 AM-4 PM

Sat., Dec 17

@ 9 AM-2 PM



*Registration Required

Go to bit.ly/3uX9G4w, scan the QR code, or call 309-274-2719 to register for the marked programs.

Youth Programs

TeenSpace

MTW @ 2:45-4:30 pm

Looking for somewhere to hangout after school? Join us in the Youth Activity Room for snacks, comfy seats, games, video games, and/or movies just for YOU. Ages 13 and up. Hangout starts at 2:45 pm, but drop in anytime! Mondays end at 4:45 pm; Tuesdays and Wednesdays end at 6 pm.

Storytime @ the Library

Fri., Dec 2 & 16 @ 10 am

Join us for fun with stories, songs, and a craft that encourages development of early literacy skills in young children. Parent/guardian participation with the craft is required. Ages 3-5.

Take & Make Craft

Tue., Dec 6

Grab a Take & Make and follow the instructions to complete your creation! Pick up during library hours.



Lego Club

Thur., Dec 8 @ 3:45-4:45 pm

Bring your friends and your imagination! Complete a challenge card or show off how creative you can be. New members are always welcome. Ages 4 and up.

Sign & Sing

Tue., Dec 13 & 27 @ 10:30 am

Join our friends from Communication Junction to



learn a few signs and enjoy songs, movement, bubbles, and stories. This month's theme is "all about bedtime." Ages 0-5.

Take & Bake Kit

Tue., Dec 20

Learn to measure and mix, then munch on snacks you make yourself! Pick up during library hours.



The Grinch Watch Party

Thur., Dec 29 @ 5:30 pm

Christmas may be over, but we can still enjoy the holidays at the library. Join us for a free showing of *The Grinch* (2018). Popcorn served; feel free to bring your own snack or sack lunch.



Adult & Family Programs

*Family Holiday Photoshoot

Tue., Dec 6 @ 5-7 pm

In need of an updated family photograph? Sign up for a family photoshoot with photographer, Betsy Duneheew (facebook.com/bframedphoto) of B Framed Photography! Each family will receive one free digital image with rights to produce. Call to reserve your spot.

*Cybersecurity Basics

Wed., Dec 7 @ 11 am or 1 pm

Wed., Dec 14 @ 11 am or 1 pm

This workshop is for those who are interested in safety online and want to protect themselves from fraudsters and scams. It will build participants' confidence when they are visiting websites, creating passwords, and responding to email. Swag and snacks provided! Class size is limited. *Presented through the PLA Digital Literacy Workshop Incentive, supported by AT&T.*

*Cooking around the World: Uruguay

Thur., Dec 8 @ 6 pm

Expand your horizons—and your palate! Register by Dec 1. Visit cpldcooking.weebly.com for recipes and photos from past programs.

*Gingerbread House Workshop

Sat., Dec 10 @ 9:30 am-3:30 pm

Build and decorate a festive house out of sweet treats. Call 309-274-2719 to register your family or friend group for a time slot (individual adults are also welcome). All materials and instructions provided. \$5/house, due by Dec. 3 to save your spot (limit of two houses/group).

Winter Reading Challenge

Dec 11-Jan 14

All ages, kids & adults, are invited to complete the winter reading challenge. Participants can earn a book, a bookmark, and a cookie from Happy Thought Coffee! Register at the library or online at bit.ly/3GdLUqJ, starting Dec. 1.

Movie Matinee: Cyrano

Mon., Dec 12 @ 12 pm

A new musical re-imagining of the timeless tale of a heartbreaking love triangle. Rated PG-13. Popcorn served; feel free to bring your own snack or sack lunch.



Midwest Baking with Shauna Sever

Tue., Dec 13 @ 7 pm

Join Shauna Sever, cookbook author, TV and radio contributor, and daughter of the great Midwest, for this special Illinois Libraries Present holiday season event. Shauna will share her love of food, baking, and some tips to make your holiday gatherings delicious. Register for the Zoom link at bit.ly/ShauaSever, or come to the library for a watch party. *This event is made possible by Illinois Libraries Present, a statewide collaboration among public libraries offering premier events. ILP is funded in part by a grant awarded by the Illinois State Library, a department of the Office of Secretary of State, using funds provided by the U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services, under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA). ILP is committed to inclusion and accessibility. To request accommodations, please email illinoislibrariespresent@gmail.com.*

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Sat., Dec 17 @ 9 am - 2 pm

Books, magazines, media, & more! Come early for the best selection and return for our \$4 bag sale on Saturday. Want to volunteer? Call Lisa for information: 309-274-2719.

Book Clubs

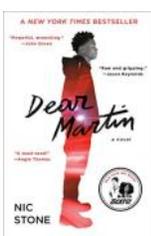
Books listed here are available for checkout at the library.

Panel Discussions Graphic Novel Club

Thur., Dec 1 @ 6 pm

In Waves, by A. J. Dungo

Explore stories told through the powerful combination of words and visual art. Ages 16 -adult. Join us at the library or on Zoom at bit.ly/3fQ9Ku4.



Let's Taco 'bout It

Tue., Dec 6 @ 6:30 pm

Dear Martin, by Nic Stone

Life is complex and many-layered, kind of like a taco. Chew on some of the issues facing our world—and on actual tacos, too—in this discussion group.

Guilt-Free Book Club

Tue., Dec 13 @ 12 pm

Meet at Shore Acres outside the clubhouse. No assignments, no deadlines! Just chat about whatever you're reading. Presented in partnership with Chillicothe Park District.

Books+Tea @ the Library

Tue., Dec 20 @ 6 pm

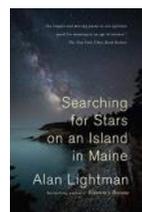
Dear Life: Stories, by Alice Munro

Join our eclectic book club for adults. Please note the earlier start time to accommodate our holiday party.



Curiosity & Cheesecake

Tue., Dec 27 @ 6:30 pm



Searching for Stars on an Island in Maine, by Alan Lightman

Read and discuss true stories about our world, its people, creatures, history, science, and more! *Sponsored by Triple Dipple's Treats & Delicacies.*

eResources Spotlight

Did you know that your library card gives you access to hundreds of titles for online streaming or download? Here are three options the library has to offer:



Audiobooks, Movies, Music, Comics, Ebooks, Television



eBooks, Audiobooks



Kanopy Movies, Kid Films, Documentaries, Story Times

A full list of our eResources can be found at chillicothepubliclibrary.org/ebooks-eaudiobooks/

Did you know we have...

**puzzles,
board games,
video games,
movies,
TV shows,
Legos,
art kits,
STEM kits,
and, of course, books
available at the library?**

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