"We may sit in our library and yet be in all corners of the Earth."

~ John Lubbock
Concerts

Irish Music with Shawn Riley
Shawn Riley of the Shawn Riley Band has been performing for audiences for nearly 50 years. Shawn will be singing Irish & Celtic Songs while playing his acoustic guitar. (Adults)
Baker Park
Monday, March 11 @ 3:30pm

Celtic Kaleidoscope
Experience the softer side of Celtic music through beautiful airs and waltzes as well as the more lively side through upbeat jigs and songs. Wanda Degen sings and plays the dulcimers and autoharp. Dan Giacobassi plays the flute. (Adults)
Flint Township-McCarty
Thursday, April 18 @ 2:30pm

The Boogie Woogie Kid:
Music of New Orleans & Swing
Join Matthew Ball, aka the Boogie Woogie Kid, for this lively performance of New Orleans music, Boogie-Woogie piano, and Swing Dance era favorites from the Classic American Songbook. (Adults)
Baker Park
Thursday, March 21 @ 3:30pm

Dawn Marie Mio:
Music Through the Ages
Enjoy nostalgic musical tributes to artists like Trisha Yearwood, Dolly Parton, Wynonna Judd and Patsy Cline. (Adults)
Baker Park
Tuesday, April 23 @ 3:30pm

Ventriloquist Richard Paul
Welcome to the world of Richard Paul, renowned for his exceptional ventriloquism talents. Enjoy an array of colorful and eccentric characters in this high-energy, improvisational show. It is an unforgettable comedic experience. (Adults)
Baker Park
Tuesday, May 3 @ 3:30pm

STEM Story Time: Animal Tracks
Join us for stem and story time with Delta Kids. Families will get a chance to dive into a book, go on a scavenger hunt, and participate in animal prints/tracks activities. (Ages 6–12)
Grand Blanc-McFarlen
Saturday, March 2 @ 10am

Daisy the Unicorn
This puppet show featuring Daisy the Unicorn captivates audiences. Enjoy a magical mix of music, juggling, and ventriloquism. (All Ages)
Fenton-Winegarden
Saturday, March 9 @ 10am
Forest Township
Saturday, March 2 @ 2pm

Kam Komics: Comic Book Drawing
Comic book artist and rapper Kameron Reynolds will introduce you to the world of comics by teaching you to create your own characters, stories, backgrounds, lettering, and more. (Ages 8–13)
Goodrich
Saturday, March 9 @ 10am
Montrose-Jennings
Saturday, March 9 @ 2pm

Bunny Rabbit Roundup
Why are rabbits so adorable? Because they’re cute, cuddly, smart, loyal, and affectionate. Enjoy a hands-on program which features a variety of live bunny rabbits. (All Ages)
Davison Area
Saturday, March 16 @ 10am
Grand Blanc-McFarlen
Saturday, March 16 @ 2pm

Rosie the Riveter
Cheer for the determination and creativity of men and women during World War II in this presentation led by a Tribute Rosie the Riveter. (Teens and Adults)
Fenton-Winegarden
Tuesday, March 19 @ 6pm

Eclipse Fun
Daytime turns dark as night and the stars come out. It even feels a little cooler. What happened to the sun? Get ready for the April 8th eclipse while making a simple eclipse viewer using a pair of sun viewing glasses. Make a piece of eclipse art and other fun activities. (Children of All Ages)
Burton Memorial
Saturday, March 23 @ 10am
Linden
Saturday, March 23 @ 2pm

Quest for Morel Mushrooms
Discover how to find morel mushrooms. Hear personal morel picking stories and morel picking lore from five-time National Morel Picking Champion, Anthony Williams. (Teens and Adults)
Clio Area
Saturday, March 23 @ Noon

Learn how 3D printing works, what 3D printers are designed. Also design your own object to be printed on the library’s 3D printers.
Introduction to 3D Printing
What is Facebook Marketplace, and how do you use it? What’s the best way to sell or buy an item using the marketplace? How do you stay safe? Learn the answers to these questions and more.
Facebook Marketplace
Getting Started with Facebook Marketplace
Don’t Get Scammed!
Learn how to avoid falling victim to an online scam. Learn how to tell what is real and what is fake, and learn common scams to avoid.
Don’t Get Scammed!
Minecraft Club
Hang out with other tweens and teens while playing Minecraft, and complete challenges to earn Minecraft badges.
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Gaines Station
Wednesday, March 20, 27
April 3, 10
@ 5:30pm

William F. Delaney Headquarters
Tuesday, May 14 @ 6pm

Cord Cutting
Learn to save money by ditching cable television and switching to streaming. Here’s what you need to know to get started.
William F. Delaney Headquarters
Thursday, March 7 @ 6pm

Space is limited. Please register at thegdl.org/events.
STEM Story Time—Static Electricity
Join us for STEM and story time with Delta Kids. Come get electric with us as we explore the science behind static electricity. We’ll read a book together, talk about static and explore different activities. (Ages 6–12)
Clio Area
Saturday, April 6 @ 10am

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Swarz Creek-Perkins
Saturday, April 6 @ 10am
Fenton-Winegarden
Saturday, April 6 @ 2pm

Cooking with Ming:
Tortilla Veggie Rollups
Our favorite chef, Ming Louie, will teach you to make delicious Tortilla Veggie Rollups. (Teens and Adults)
Beecher-Vera B. Rison
Tuesday, April 9 @ 5:30pm

Planning a Native Plant Garden
Join MSU Extension Educator Barslund Judd to learn about native plants, cultivars, planning a native plant garden, and supporting pollinators. (Teens and Adults)
Montrose-Jennings
Thursday, April 11 @ 6pm

Bunny Rabbit Roundup
Why are rabbits so adorable? Because they are cute, cuddly, smart, loyal, and affectionate. Enjoy a hands-on program which features a variety of live bunny rabbits. (All Ages)
Flushing Area
Saturday, April 13 @ 10am

Autism: Helping Family and Friends with Micro-Accommodations
A general overview of neurodiversity and autism. This presentation details “micro-accommodations” or real-world strategies to accommodate neurodiverse family and friends. (Teens and Adults)
Grand Blanc-McFarlen
Monday, April 15 @ 6pm

Cooking with Ming:
Vietnamese Spring Rolls
Our favorite chef, Ming Louie, will teach you to make delicious Vietnamese spring rolls. (Teens and Adults) *Allergy note: Recipe contains peanuts.
Clio Area
Wednesday, April 17 @ 5:30pm

Animals and Our Environment
Take an exciting look at animals from all around our world in this live animal presentation. Learn the importance of maintaining habitats of creatures big and small. (All Ages)
Mt. Morris
Saturday, April 20 @ 10am
William F. Delaney Headquarters
Saturday, April 20 @ 2pm

Land of the Three Fires
Michigan’s once vast forest were giant supermarkets to the Ottawa, Ojibwa, and Potawatomi; the Three Fires. Michigan’s natural resources provided everything they needed for survival. Learn how natural resources were used by the Three Fires, how we use them today, and the impact of each on our natural environment. (Teens and Adults)
Davison Area
Tuesday, April 23 @ 6pm

Magic with Jeff Wawrzaszek
Experience the spectacular entertainment of Jeff Wawrzaszek, one of Michigan’s most popular magicians. (All Ages)
Genesee-Johnson
Saturday, April 27 @ 10am
Grand Blanc-McFarlen
Saturday, April 27 @ 2pm

Michigan Roots: African American Migration in Michigan
Follow the migration of African Americans to Michigan in the mid-1880s, before the Great Migration from the south, through places like Marquette, Midland, and Detroit. (Teens and Adults)
Genesee Valley Center
Tuesday, April 30 @ 5:30pm

Miz Rosie—Madam C.J. Walker
The life and times of Madam C.J. Walker, the first female self-made millionaire in America will come to life with Miz Rosie the Storyteller. (All Ages)
Thursday, March 14 @ 2pm

What Are You Reading?
Join Genesee District Librarians as they discuss the books they love, and the books they don’t. Registration not necessary. (Teens and Adults)
*View program at thegdl.org/virtual or on Facebook or YouTube.
Thursday, March 19 @ 1pm

Are You Smarter Than a Librarian?
Join us for an evening of online trivia where librarians get to ask you the reference questions. Level of difficulty? Just challenging enough to be fun. *Visit thegdl.org/trivia to play, or join us on Facebook Live or YouTube. (Teens and Adults)
Thursday, April 25 @ 6pm

Gender Fluid Fashion
Fashion is one of the best ways to show self-expression and identity. See and learn all about gender fluid fashion in this presentation. (Teens and Adults)
Thursday, May 16 @ 6pm

Space is limited. Please register at thegdl.org/events.

Local Author Showcase
Meet and greet many great local authors. Books will be available for sale and signing.
Grand Blanc-McFarlen
Saturday, April 13 @ 1–4pm

*View program at thegdl.org/virtual or on Facebook or YouTube.
May In-Person

Ladies of the Lights: History of Female Lighthouse Keepers
Women before their time, taking on the romantic, yet dangerous and physically demanding job of tending to the beacons that protected the shoreline. Have history come alive in vivid images and readings of these women's daring lives. (Teens and Adults)
Forest Township
Thursday, May 2 @ 6pm

Animals: The Real Superheroes
Who can lift 4 times their own weight? Who can smell 100 times better than humans? Who can lift 4,000 pounds? Who can see 100 times better than humans? Ants, dogs, gorillas, and hawks, of course. Mammals, reptiles, and amphibians will be featured in this hands-on program. (All Ages)
Grand Blanc-McFarlen
Saturday, May 4 @ 10am
Clio Area
Saturday, May 4 @ 2pm

Rock and Roll Time Machine
Step back in time at this rockin' concert and hear the music that took the '50s and '60s by storm. (Children of All Ages)
Goodrich
Saturday, May 11 @ 2pm

Cooking with Ming: Chinese Lemon Curd Squares
Our favorite chef, Ming Louie, will teach you to make delicious Chinese lemon curd squares. (Teens and Adults)
Genesee Valley Center
Tuesday, May 14 @ 5:30pm

Nature’s Colors
Have you ever noticed how colors and patterns are everywhere in nature? Investigate how animals’ colors and patterns help them live and thrive in their habitat. Explore mimicry and camouflage while making a beautiful butterfly, hiding caterpillars and other fun hands-on activities. Presented by instructors from Sloan Longway. (Children of All Ages)
Gaines Station
Wednesday, May 15 @ 5:30pm

Wildlife 911
Former Michigan Conservation Officer John Borkovich will share stories from his long career of protecting nature. (Teens and Adults)
Linden
Saturday, May 18 @ Noon

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PAWS TO READ
Groot the therapy dog loves a good story.
Practice reading aloud with him—he loves it!
Flint Township-McCarty
Saturday, March 16 @10am
Genesee Valley Center
Saturday, April 20 @10am
Beecher-Vera B. Rison
Saturday, May 18 @10am

Teen Action Group (TAG) Meetup
TAG is a group of teen library volunteers who help plan teen programs. Learn more about TAG by attending our monthly meetups where teens socialize, play games, craft, and snack. It’s a fun way to earn your service hours. TAG volunteers must be 14+. Teens 13+ are welcome to attend TAG meetings.
William F. Delaney Headquarters
Wednesday, March 20 @ 5pm
Wednesday, April 10 @ 5pm
Wednesday, May 8 @ 5pm

March Reading Challenge
Celebrate National Reading Month in March
• Read • Log your minutes • Earn badges
• Complete the challenge and be entered to win a $50 Meijer gift card
**Story Times**

**Burton Memorial**
With Miss Marcia
- Thursdays, March 21, 28
- April 4, 11, 18, 25
- May 2, 9, 16, 23
  @ 10:30am

**Davison Area**
With Miss Marcia
- Mondays, March 18, 25
- April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
- May 6, 13, 20
  @ 10:30am

**Evening Story Time at Fenton-Winegarden**
With Ms. Heather
- Thursdays, March 21, 28
- April 4, 11, 18, 25
- May 2, 9, 16, 23
  @ 6pm

**Fenton-Winegarden**
With Ms. Heather
- Wednesdays, March 20, 27
- April 3, 10, 17, 24
- May 1, 8, 15, 22
  @ 10:30am

**Flushing Area**
With Miss Marie
- Mondays, April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
- May 6, 13, 20
  @ 10:30am

**Goodrich**
With Miss Marie
- Thursdays, April 4, 11, 18, 25
- May 2, 9, 16, 23
  @ 10:30am

**Grand Blanc-McFarlen**
With Miss Marie
- Fridays, April 5, 12, 19, 26
- May 3, 10, 17, 24
  @ 10:30am

**Evening Story Time at Grand-Blanc-McFarlen**
With Miss Marissa
- Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19, 26
- April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
- May 7
  @ 6:30pm

**Linden**
With Miss Marcia
- Tuesdays, March 19, 26
- April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
- May 7, 14, 21
  @ 10:30am

**Mt. Morris**
With Miss Lisa
- Fridays, March 15, 22
- April 5, 12, 19, 26
- May 3, 10, 17, 24
  @ 10:30am

(*Library closed March 29 for Spring Break)

**Mister Johnnie’s Singing Story Time**
At Swartz Creek-Perkins
- Thursdays, March 21, 28
- April 4, 11, 18, 25
- May 2, 9, 16, 23
  @ 10:30am

**Music & Movement Playtime**
- Mondays, April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
- May 13, 20
  @ 10:30am

(No program May 6.)

**Mini Yogi & Me**
A fun class for you and your littlest Yogi. Join yoga instructor Kristen Wesley for a yoga adventure. You and your little will use breath, movement, games, stories, and more to play, learn, and explore together. Wear comfortable clothes.

(Ages 1–5)

**Grand Blanc-McFarlen**
With Miss Kristen
- Tuesdays, March 19, 26
  April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
- May 7, 14, 21
  @ 10:30am

**Yoga**
These yoga classes are appropriate for all skill levels.

**Goodrich**
- Mondays, March 11, 18, 25
  April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29,
  May 6, 13
  @ 6:30pm

**Grand Blanc-McFarlen**
- Thursdays, March 14, 21, 28
  April 4, 11, 18, 25
  May 9, 16, 23
  @ 6:30pm

**Folklore for Adults with Disabilities with Miss Marcia**
A relaxing, interactive program where adults with disabilities can enjoy stories and songs.

**Grand Blanc-McFarlen**
- Fridays, March 8, April 12, May 10
  @ 10am

**Burton Memorial Book Sales**
Saturday, March 23
@ 10am–4pm

**Goodrich**
- Mondays, March 11, 18, 25
  April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29,
  May 6, 13
  @ 6:30pm
Fun with your Local Librarian

Beecher-Vera B. Rison

**Coloring Club**
Enjoy family coloring night and embrace your artistic side. Light refreshments will be served in a relaxing atmosphere. Family fun at the library.
**Thursday, March 7 @ 5pm**

Fenton-Winegarden

**Money Matters Story Time**
Join us for activities promoting counting, addition, and subtraction, featuring *Owl and Otter: The Big Talent Show*. This early financial literacy program is sponsored by Michigan Financial Wellness.
(Children of all ages)
**Saturday, April 13 @ 11am**

**Needle Felt the Planets**
The Solar Eclipse is coming in April. Join us to needle felt the planets in the Milky Way Galaxy. Open to all skill levels.
**Saturday, March 9 @ 11am**

**Fiction Book Club**
Join us for a lively discussion of some really good books.
**Wednesday, March 13 @ 10am**
**Wednesday, April 10 @ 10am**
**Wednesday, May 8 @ 10am**

Fenton-Winegarden cont.

**Fenton Mystery Book Club**
We read a different mystery each month and discuss.
**Tuesday, March 19 @ 6:30pm**
*A Treacherous Curse* (Veronica Speedwell Series) by Deanna Raybourn
**Tuesday, April 16 @ 6:30pm**
*Decent People* by De’Shawn Charles Winslow
**Tuesday, May 21 @ 6:30pm**
*On What Grounds* (Coffeehouse Mysteries, No. 1) by Cleo Coyle

**Solar Eclipse Viewing Party**
Join us to watch the total Solar Eclipse. We’ll have eclipse glasses available, activities and stories.
**Monday, April 8 @ 2pm–4:30pm**

**3D Printing Demonstration**
Watch the 3D printer in action. Items to be printed: bookmark, keychain, chip clip.
**Saturday, April 20 @ 11am**
**Monday, May 20 @ 4pm**

Flushing Area

**Music Bingo**
Come name that tune by marking your Bingo card. Prizes provided.
**Saturday, March 16 @ 2pm**
Irish Music Bingo
**Saturday, April 20 @ 2pm**
Disco Bingo
**Saturday, May 11 @ 2pm**
‘80s Song Bingo
Forest Township

Kids & Teens Crochet
Kids 10 and up can learn the basics of crochet by making dishcloths.
Saturday, March 2 @ 2–4pm
Saturday, April 6 @ 2–4pm
Saturday, May 4 @ 2–4pm

Needles & Hooks
This is a self-directed program. Crochet, knit, or try another craft. Bring your own project or try one of our craft kits. Enjoy a cup of coffee or tea and make new friends.
Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19, 26
April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
May 7, 14, 21, 28
6–8pm

Chair Yoga for Beginners
Follow along with YouTube tutorials featuring chair yoga. Wear comfortable clothes.
Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20, 27
April 3, 10, 17, 24
May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
@ 6pm

Book Club
Try a new kind of book club: read a book of your choice and tell people about it. Have a cup of coffee or tea and find your next new title.
Thursday, March 7 @ 7pm
Thursday, April 4 @ 7pm
Thursday, May 2 @ 7pm

Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Book Lovers’ Choice Book Club
Share your book recommendations with others and learn about new and notable releases from library staff.
Friday, March 15 @ 11:30am
Friday, April 19 @ 11:30am
Friday, May 17 @ 11:30am

Montrose-Jennings

Craft On!
Crafting for kids. Various crafts will be offered with paints, paper, wood, and other textiles.
Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21, 28
April 4, 11, 18, 25
May 2, 16, 23, 30
@ 3pm

Cricut Craft
Learn to use a Cricut machine to make a unique craft.
Thursday, April 18
@ 6pm

Mt. Morris

Wood Slice Bunny & Chick
Make adorable wood slice bunny butts and chicks that will brighten your spring decor.
Tuesday, March 5 @ 6pm

Mt. Morris cont.

Body Butter Sticks
Learn to make easy body butter sticks using natural ingredients.
Tuesday, March 19 @ 6pm

Pendant Galaxy Lamp
Make a simple cube lamp that casts a beautiful galaxy glow on all six sides. This is a great DIY project for your home.
Tuesday, April 2 @ 6pm

Green Tea Overnight Face Mask
Learn to make a green tea-infused overnight mask that is perfect for your natural skin care routine. Apply this green tea mask before sleeping for bright healthy clear skin.
Tuesday, April 16 @ 6pm

Foaming Face Wash
Learn to make a DIY all-natural foaming face cleanser.
Tuesday, April 30 @ 6pm

Fruit Suncatchers
Brighten your day with an adorable suncatcher craft using nature’s beauty of fruit and flowers. Perfect for that last minute Mother’s Day gift.
Tuesday, May 7 @ 6pm

Pumice & Poppy Seed Soap
Make easy melt-and-pour soaps that contain an exfoliating trio of pumice, poppy seeds, and jojoba beads.
Tuesday, May 21 @ 6pm
19 Branches to Serve You

Baker Park
G3410 S Grand Traverse
Burton, MI 48529
(810) 742-7860

Beecher-Vera B. Rison
1386 W Coldwater Rd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-2800

Burton Memorial
4012 E Atherton Rd.
Burton, MI 48519
(810) 742-0674

Clio Area
2080 W Vienna Rd.
Clio, MI 48420
(810) 686-7130

Davison Area
203 E Fourth St.
Davison, MI 48423
(810) 653-2022

Fenton-Winegarden
200 E Caroline St.
Fenton, MI 48430
(810) 629-7612

Flint Township-McCarty
2071 S Graham Rd.
Flint, MI 48532
(810) 732-9150

Flushing Area
120 N Maple St.
Flushing, MI 48433
(810) 659-9755

Forest Township
123 W Main St.
Otisville, MI 48463
(810) 631-6330

Gaines Station
103 W Walker St.
Gaines, MI 48436
(989) 271-8720

Genesee-Johnson
7397 N Genesee Rd.
Genesee, MI 48437
(810) 640-1410

Genesee Valley Center
3293 S Linden Rd.
(North Wing)
Flint, MI 48507
(810) 732-1822

Goodrich
10237 Hegel Rd.
Goodrich, MI 48438
(810) 636-2489

Grand Blanc-McFarlen
515 Perry Rd.
Grand Blanc, MI 48439
(810) 694-5310

Robert T. Bolo, Jr.
Business Center
(810) 694-5190

Linden
201 N Main St.
Linden, MI 48451
(810) 735-7700

Montrose-Jennings
241 Feher Dr.
Montrose, MI 48457
(810) 639-6388

M. Morris
685 Van Buren Ave.
Mt. Morris, MI 48458
(810) 686-6120

Swartz Creek-Perkins
8095 Civic Dr.
Swartz Creek, MI 48473
(810) 635-3900

William F. Delaney
4195 W Pasadena Ave.
Flint, MI 48504
(810) 732-0110

Talking Book Center
(810) 732-1120
Administration Office
(810) 732-5570

CLOSING DATES
Spring Break: Friday, March 29
Saturday, March 30
Sunday, March 31
Memorial Day: Saturday, May 25
Sunday, May 26
Monday, May 27

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