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19 BRANCHES ■ HUNDREDS OF PROGRAMS ■ SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

SUMMER 2023  
PROGRAM GUIDE



## All Together — Now

### Summer Reading Challenge

*Celebrating Kindness, Friendship, and Unity*  
June 10 – August 5

- Log your minutes, activities, and book reviews to earn badges
- Earn badges and enter prize drawings!



# Summer Concert Series

## Straight Ahead Concert

Back by popular demand. This Grammy-nominated jazz group will have you dancin' in the stacks.

**William F. Delaney Headquarters**

Tuesday, June 13 @ 6pm

## Those Were the Days

Sing along with Sandor and Laszlo Slomovits to favorites by Pete Seeger, Bob Dylan, Peter, Paul and Mary, Joni Mitchell, Joan Baez, and Simon and Garfunkel.

**Flint Township-McCarty**

Wednesday, June 14 @ 3pm

**Baker Park**

Monday, July 10 @ 3:30pm

## Greg Nagy Acoustic Concert

Presenting originals, roots, blues, and classic song interpretations. An internationally acclaimed Flint native, Greg's solo acoustic show is a real crowd pleaser.

**Swartz Creek-Perkins**

Thursday, June 15 @ 2pm

## Blue Cat Band

The Blue Cat Band brings a unique guitar-driven sound from the Motor City. With backgrounds in rock, country, folk and classic blues, their repertoire is extensive. They have been playing together since 1995, and enjoy a unique musical chemistry that audiences thoroughly enjoy.

**Swartz Creek-Perkins**

Tuesday, July 11 @ 2pm

## TV Theme Songs

Sing along to the lively sitcom songs of the '60s through the '90s. Peter Bergin shares a broad range of music and heart-warming stories.

**Flint Township-McCarty**

Wednesday, July 19 @ 3pm

## Flint's First Lady of Jazz—Gwen Pennyman-Hemphill

Enjoy the rich vocals of Gwen Pennyman-Hemphill in this must-see concert.

**Flint Township-McCarty**

Wednesday, August 9 @ 3pm

## Ragtime Spectacular with Peter Bergin

Travel to a time when America was captivated by ragtime music. From classics to modern, Peter Bergin brings this uniquely American music to life.

**Baker Park**

Tuesday, August 15 @ 3:30pm

## The Saints & Sinners Revisited

You'll have a rollicking good time listening to a lively mix of oldies but goodies.

**Swartz Creek-Perkins**

Thursday, August 17 @ 2pm

# JUNE In-Person

## Maker Mondays

Build a catapult, solve a Soma cube, create a triskele paper globe while learning STEAM concepts. Learn about science, technology, engineering, art, and math with hands-on maker projects.

**Beecher-Vera B. Rison**

Mondays, June 26

July 10, 17, 24, 31

August 7 @ 1pm

## Square Foot Gardening

Learn how to create an efficient, small-space garden with a productive yield.

**Fenton-Winegarden**

Saturday, June 3 @ Noon

## The Science of Cotton Candy

Explore the science behind this wonderful, sugary treat. Chemists of all ages will enjoy this fascinating program.

**Fenton-Winegarden**

Saturday, June 10 @ 10am

**Flint Township-McCarty**

Saturday, June 10 @ 2pm

## Building Together—Marble Machines

Work together using interesting everyday materials in new and remarkable ways. Build an obstacle track that moves your marble from one place to another. (Ages 4–12) Space is limited.

\*Please register at [thegd.org/events](http://thegd.org/events).

**Flushing Area**

Saturday, June 10 @ 10am

**Montrose-Jennings**

Saturday, June 10 @ 2pm

# Growing Together in the Garden

The wonderful Master Gardeners from the Michigan State University Extension program donate their time and talent to take care of the beautiful gardens at the William F. Delaney Headquarters branch. Enjoy a series of children's gardening programs in this lovely setting. (Ages 6–12)

## William F. Delaney Headquarters

### Seed Viewer

Explore the garden at the library and learn how a seed starts to grow.

**Monday, June 26 @ 10:30am**



### Biodiversity Detective

Get your magnifying glasses ready to examine all that our garden holds, bugs included.

**Monday, July 10 @ 10:30am**

### Herb Exploration

Smelly plants like herbs make our meals taste and smell great. Smell a variety of herbs and plant some to take home.

**Monday, July 17 @ 10:30am**

### Kitchen Scrap Gardens

Learn to grow plants from discarded seeds and pits from the kitchen.

**Monday, July 24 @ 10:30am**

### Fruit and Veggie Art

Playing with your food is allowed. Have fun creating edible art from fruit and veggies.

**Monday, July 31 @ 10:30am**

### Garden Party

Enjoy the fruits of your labor in the garden and make your very own Chia pet.

**Monday, August 7 @ 10:30am**



### Cameron Zvara:

#### Comedy Magician & Entertainer

Join Cameron Zvara for a variety show filled with magic, comedy, juggling, stunts, music, and tons of audience participation.

#### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Saturday, June 10 @ 11am

#### Davison Area

Saturday, June 10 @ 2pm

#### Bubbleman-Bubbleology

Bubbleman Ron Loyd has enchanted patrons for years with his bubble magic, creating volcano bubbles, tornado bubbles, kaleidoscope bubbles, square bubbles, and much more. Fun for all ages.

#### Forest Township

Saturday, June 10 @ 2pm

#### William F. Delaney Headquarters

Tuesday, June 20 @ 11am

#### Baker Park

Tuesday, June 20 @ 3pm

#### Interactive Puppet Show

Bring your imagination to life with this interactive show filled with jokes, prizes, stories, and silliness through the art of puppetry. Children of all ages.

#### Genesee-Johnson

Monday, June 12 @ 11am

### Magic by Jania:

#### The Magic of Recycling

Join Jania for a magical journey into recycling and learn how every little bit helps the environment. Children of all ages.

#### Beecher-Vera B. Rison

Monday, June 12 @ 2pm

### Cooking with Ming:

#### J.L. Hudson's Maurice Salad

Our favorite chef, Ming Louie, will teach you to make what he believes is "the best salad in the world."

#### Davison Area

Tuesday, June 13 @ 5pm

## YOGA

These yoga classes are appropriate for all skill levels.

#### Goodrich

Mondays

June 5, 12, 26 (Closed June 19)

July 3, 10, 17 @ 6:30pm

#### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Thursdays

June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

July 6 @ 6:30pm

### Bird Watching vs. Birding

Birder and photographer Greg Bodker will help you learn the joys of birding and birdwatching. Discover the best places to go birding, how to attract more birds to your own backyard, and more.

#### Fenton-Winegarden

Thursday, June 15 @ 6pm

### ARK Animals Encounters

Cool animals will be presented in a show and tell style, blending education and entertainment.

#### Davison Area

Saturday, June 17 @ 10am

#### Burton Memorial

Saturday, June 17 @ Noon

#### Genesee-Johnson

Monday, June 26 @ 11am



### Michigan's Haunted Lighthouses

Learn all about the ghostly spirits that are rumored to haunt over 30 Michigan Lighthouses.

(Teen and adult)

#### Fenton-Winegarden

Saturday, June 17 @ 10am

#### Goodrich

Saturday, June 17 @ 2pm

### Myth Crackers-Animal Myths

We've all heard about amazing things that animals can do, but is any of it true? Find out which are tall tales and which are fantastically true.

#### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Tuesday, June 20 @ 10am

### Frog and Toad are Friends

Investigate the lives of frogs, toads, and other critters. Also make a sticky frog tongue to catch some flies. (Ages 4-7) Space is limited.

\*Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

#### Fenton-Winegarden

Tuesday, June 20 @ 1pm

#### Mt. Morris

Tuesday, June 20 @ 4pm

Space is limited.  
Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

### Henna with Anshu Varma

Using all-natural ingredients and handmade applicators, instructor Anshu Varma will guide you in a variety of traditional and contemporary designs to make beautiful temporary Henna art. (Teen and adult) Space is limited.

\*Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

#### Flushing Area

Saturday, June 24 @ 11am

### Prehistoric Water Wonders

Learn all about dinosaurs from a real dinosaur digger, Paleo Joe. Paleontologist Joe Kchodl excites, entertains, and informs about all things prehistoric.

#### Beecher-Vera B. Rison

Saturday, June 24 @ Noon

### Make a Dream Catcher

Wrap a hoop with leather or embroidery thread, add beads and feathers, and learn to weave the pattern of a dream catcher. Supplies provided. (Ages 15 and up, ages 10-14 with an adult) Space is limited.

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#### Linden

Saturday, June 24 @ Noon

### Honeybees, Better Together

Be awe-inspired by the inner workings of a beehive. You'll get to taste natural honey and create a hand-rolled beeswax candle to keep.

#### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Monday, June 26 @ 11am

### Galactic Goo

Led by an educator from Sloan Longway, this class will teach children about molecules and polymers. Each child will make their own bag of otherworldly goo to take home. (Ages 6-12) Space is limited.

\*Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

#### Flint Township-McCarty

Wednesday, June 28 @ 11am

#### Davison Area

Wednesday, June 28 @ 3pm

### Earring and Necklace Making

Use beads to make a pair of earrings and a necklace. All supplies provided. (Ages 15 and up, ages 10-14 with an adult) Space is limited.

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#### Clio Area

Wednesday, June 28 @ 5:30pm

### All Together Now Magic Show

Witness the impossible with magician Baffling Bill. He will astound you with tricks, magic doves, and Gus the Bunny. Family fun, magic, and laughter.

#### Goodrich

Thursday, June 29 @ 11am

#### Swartz Creek-Perkins

Thursday, June 29 @ 2pm







# JULY In-Person

## Bubbleman: Bubbleology

Bubbleman Ron Loyd has enchanted patrons for years with his bubble magic, creating volcano bubbles, tornado bubbles, kaleidoscope bubbles, square bubbles, and much more. Fun for all ages.

### Burton Memorial

Saturday, July 8 @ 10am

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Saturday, July 8 @ 2pm

## Celtic Kaleidoscope

Musical artist Wanda Degan will showcase music from Ireland, England, and Scotland. Presenting both the softer side of Celtic music through beautiful airs, waltzes, and ballads, and the lively side through upbeat jigs and songs.

### Swartz Creek-Perkins

Saturday, July 8 @ 11am

## Myth Crackers–Animal Myths

We've all heard about amazing things that animals can do, but what is true? Find out which are tall tales and which are fantastically true.

### Flushing Area

Saturday, July 8 @ 10am

### Davison Area

Saturday, July 15 @ 11am

## Reading Rules with

### Pure Pro Wrestling

Wrestlers from Pure Pro Wrestling will share with kids the joy of reading.

### Davison Area

Saturday, July 8 @ 11am

## Drumunity

All participants get to drum, sing, and dance together in this lively, interactive program. Lori Fithian, drum circle facilitator, shares her collection of hand drums and percussion toys so everyone can get in on the action. Space is limited.

\*Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

### Davison Area

Monday, July 10 @ 10:30am

## Magic and Fun Library Show

This magical comedy show will delight and charm kids of all ages. Each child will receive a free souvenir magic trick to take home.

### Montrose-Jennings

Monday, July 10 @ 11am

## Building Together–Marble Machines

Work together using interesting everyday materials in new and remarkable ways. Build an obstacle track that moves your marble from one place to another. (Ages 4–12) Space is limited.

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### Clio Area

Tuesday, July 11 @ 2pm

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Tuesday, July 25 @ 10am

### Mt. Morris

Tuesday, July 25 @ 2pm

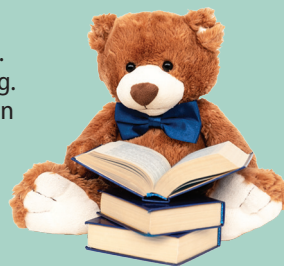
## Stuffed Animal Sleep Away Camp

Bring your favorite stuffed animal friend for an evening story time. Stuffed animals will sleepover at the library until Saturday morning. Watch GDL social networks to see what mischief they find between the stacks.

### Fenton-Winegarden

Story Time/Drop Off: Thursday, July 20 @ 6pm

Pick Up: Saturday, July 22 @ 10am



## Captain Joel's Comedy Show

Joel Tacey will make you laugh out loud with dazzling magic and wacky stunts.

### Genesee-Johnson

Friday, July 14 @ 10am

### Fenton-Winegarden

Friday, July 14 @ 1pm

## There's Magic in Reading

Jania will make magic happen with comedy and storytelling. Fun for the whole family.

### Burton Memorial

Saturday, July 15 @ 10am

### William F. Delaney Headquarters

Saturday, July 15 @ 2pm

## Balloon Art

In this fun, interactive balloon twisting show you'll be amazed as balloons become turtles, dogs, hats, rabbits, giraffes and more!

### Flushing Area

Saturday, July 15 @ 10am

### Beecher-Vera B. Rison

Saturday, July 15 @ 2pm

## Basic Soapmaking

Learn to make soap from natural ingredients that promote healthy skin. Supplies provided. (Ages 15 and up, ages 10–14 with an adult) \*Space is limited. Registration required at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

### Forest Township

Saturday, July 15 @ 10am

### Montrose-Jennings

Saturday, July 15 @ 2pm

## Cameron Zvara:

### Comedy Magician & Entertainer

Join Cameron Zvara for a variety show filled with magic, comedy, juggling, stunts, music, and tons of audience participation.

### Fenton-Winegarden

Saturday, July 15 @ 11am

### Clio Area

Saturday, July 15 @ 2pm

## Laughter is the Best Medicine

Explore the social, emotional, mental, and physical benefits of laughter. Stress Less with Mindfulness teaches and encourages the use of mindfulness self-care skills to help one feel better and enjoy life more. (Teen and adult)

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Tuesday, July 18 @ 6pm

## Rod and Reel

If you're a beginner to the sport of fishing, this program is for you. Don Snoeyink will teach you the basics so you can go out there and catch some fish. (Ages 12 and up)

### Clio Area

Saturday, July 22 @ 10am

## Calling All Artists: How to Draw Manga and Graphic Novels

Kids who love to draw, regardless of skill level, will love this chance to learn from Mark Crilley, whose popular videos have made him a YouTube sensation in drawing lessons.

### Mt. Morris

Saturday, July 22 @ 10am

### Swartz Creek-Perkins

Saturday, July 22 @ 2pm

## Wildlife in Your Backyard

Meet our Wildlife Ambassadors and learn about the wildlife found around our homes, including their characteristics and behaviors, and what we can do to help them survive.

### Fenton-Winegarden

Monday, July 24 @ 3pm

## The Wizard of Oz Puppet Show

Combining the Old World charm of exquisite puppetry with the enchanting delight of a favorite fairy tale, this show is a truly fine experience in little theater.

### William F. Delaney Headquarters

Tuesday, July 25 @ 11am

## ARK Animals Encounters

Cool animals will be presented in a show and tell style, blending education and entertainment.

### Goodrich

Tuesday, July 25 @ 1pm

## Made in the Mitten

Michigan is the second-most agriculturally diverse state in the country, earning the nickname the "Mitten of Plenty." Join Dianna Stampfler as she introduces you to Michigan's rich food history.

### Flushing Area

Saturday, July 29 @ 10am

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Saturday, July 29 @ 2pm

## Light-Up Circuit Friendship Bracelets

Use felt, LED lights, and conductive thread to create a beautiful bracelet that you can share with your friend, or keep for yourself. (Ages 8–12) Space is limited. \*Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

### Linden

Saturday, July 29 @ 10am

### Davison Area

Saturday, July 29 @ 2pm

## Aladdin Puppet Show

Combining the Old World charm of exquisite puppetry with the delight of a favorite fairy tale, this show is a truly fine experience in little theater.

### Montrose-Jennings

Monday, July 31 @ 11am

Space is limited.

Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).



# AUGUST In-Person

## Going Places (GPS) Career Coaching with GISD

Are you a recent high school graduate (Class of 2021-2023) and need help getting to where you want to be in your career goals? If you need guidance in identifying a good career fit, applying to short-term certificate programs or college, or simply practicing for an upcoming interview, the Genesee Opportunity (GO) team is here to help. The future is yours. Register for a Going Places Summer (GPS)-Career Coaching session at a Genesee District Library location near you.

### Mt. Morris

Tuesday, August 1 @ 12:30pm

### Burton Memorial

Wednesday, August 2 @ 12:30pm

### Baker Park

Thursday, August 3 @ 12:30pm

### Forest Township

Tuesday, August 8 @ 12:30pm

## Fossils of the Michigan Basin

Learn all about dinosaurs from a real dinosaur digger, Paleo Joe. Paleontologist Joe Kchodl excites, entertains, and informs about all things prehistoric.

### Fenton-Winegarden

Wednesday, August 2 @ 11am

## Sleeping Beauty Puppet Show

Combining the Old World charm of exquisite puppetry with the enchanting delight of a favorite fairy tale, this show is a truly fine experience in "little theater."

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Saturday, August 5 @ 11am

## Cooking with Ming: Hawaiian Luau

Join our favorite chef, Ming Louie, as he shares delicious recipes from a Hawaiian luau.

### Gaines Station

Wednesday, August 9 @ 5:30pm

## ARK Animals Encounters

Cool animals will be presented in a show and tell style, blending education and entertainment.

### Forest Township

Saturday, August 12 @ 10am

### Linden

Saturday, August 12 @ 12:30pm

## Body Scrubs, Lip Balms and Bath Salts Workshop

This three-in-one class will teach you to make scrubs and balms from common household ingredients. Supplies provided. (Ages 15 and up, ages 10-14 with an adult) Space is limited. Registration required at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Saturday, August 12 @ Noon

## Michigan Beer: A Heady History

Author Patti F. Smith entertains with stories from local brewers, the history of beer in Michigan, and the current state of local craft breweries.

### Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Tuesday, August 15 @ 6pm

Space is limited.  
Please register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events).



# VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

## Miz Rosie: Juneteenth

Rosie Chapman, a.k.a. Miz Rosie, is a storyteller, author, poet, artist, therapist and school social worker who thrills audiences of all ages with her storytelling. Rosie's interactive stories warm the heart and stimulate the mind.

Thursday, June 15 @ 2pm

## What Are You Reading

Join Genesee District Librarians as they discuss the books they love, and the books they don't. (Teen and adult)

Tuesday, July 11 @ 1pm

Tuesday, August 15 @ 1pm

## The Great British Baking Tour

Join UK travel/relocation consultant and former UK resident Claire Evans for a delightful culinary tour of the UK inspired by *The Great British Baking Show* television series.

Thursday, July 13 @ 6pm

## 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.

Thursday, July 20 @ 6pm

Thursday, August 17 @ 6pm

## Genealogy-It's Not Greek to Me

This presentation covers how to conduct genealogical research starting with oral history and locating documentation to support, explain or further the oral history. It includes a case study of an interracial couple, a Canadian born free black who served in the US Civil War and married a German immigrant, and their pioneering travels throughout the United States in the late 1800s.

Thursday, July 27 @ 6pm

\*View virtual programs at [thegdl.org](http://thegdl.org) or view on Facebook or YouTube.

## History of the Kellogg Company

This is more than just a historical account of the Kellogg Company. Author Christopher Lock will take you on a visual trip down memory lane about the great foods and fun cereals we grew up with and continue to enjoy.

Thursday, August 3 @ 6pm

## The Why's & When's of Car Maintenance with Mechanic Shop Femme

Automotive Educator and Writer Chaya Milchtein covers the basics of car maintenance, from changing oil and filters, tire pressure, and coolant to understanding the owners' manual and preventative maintenance.

\*Register at [thegdl.org/events](http://thegdl.org/events), and we'll send you the Zoom link.

Thursday, August 10 @ 6pm

# TECHNOLOGY

## Digital Couponing

With many businesses switching to digital coupons, die-hard coupon cutters are struggling. Learn how to use digital coupons for Meijer, Kroger, GoodRX, and more.

### William F. Delaney Headquarters

Thursday, July 20 @ 4pm

## Resin 3D Printing

Design your project at the library using Tinkercad and staff will use the new 3D Resin Printer to print it for you.

### William F. Delaney Headquarters

Thursday, August 17 @ 4pm

## Digital Photo Management

Learn how to back up the photos on your smartphone and explore options for printing your favorites cheaply and easily.

### Davison Area

Thursday, August 24 @ 4pm



# Fun with your Local Librarian

## Fenton-Winegarden

### Fiction Book Club

Join us for a lively book discussion:

**Wednesday, June 14 @ 10am**

*Godspeed* by Nickolas Butler

**Wednesday, July 12 @ 10am**

*Take My Hand* by Dolen Perkins-Valdez

**Wednesday, August 9 @ 10am**

*This Tender Land* by William Kent Krueger

### Mystery Book Club

We read a different mystery each month and discuss.

**Tuesday, June 20 @ 6:30pm**

*Truly Devious* by Maureen Johnson

**Tuesday, July 18 @ 6:30pm**

*Carved In Bone: A Body Farm Novel* by Jefferson Bass

**Tuesday, August 15 @ 6:30pm**

*The Sugar Queen* by Sarah Addison Allen

### Sidewalk Chalk Art

Join us as Fenton celebrates ArtWalk 2023. This self-guided program will run from 10am–4pm.

Decorate our sidewalks with chalk art.

**Saturday, July 29 @ 10am–4pm**

## Forest Township

### Book Club

We will choose a new book each month and have it available for you to pick it up at the branch at the end of each meeting. Please call (810) 631-6330 for title. Coffee and tea provided. (Adults)

**Thursday, June 1 @ 7pm**

**Thursday, July 6 @ 7pm**

**Thursday, August 3 @ 7pm**

### Needles & Hooks

Work on your own project or learn a new one. We will have several kits available. Coffee and tea provided. (Adults)

**Tuesdays, June 6, 13, 20, 27**

**July 11, 18, 25**

**August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 @ 6pm**

### Book Page Folding–Owl

Learn how to fold book pages and make 3D art. Supplies provided. (Adults)

**Saturday, June 10 @ Noon**

## Forest Township cont.

### Kids Crafts

Various craft projects will be offered each month using paints, paper, wood, and textiles.

**Saturday, June 17 @ Noon**

**Saturday, July 15 @ Noon**

**Saturday, August 19 @ Noon**

## Montrose-Jennings

### Craft On!

Crafting for kids. Various crafts will be offered with paints, paper, wood, and textiles.

**Wednesdays, June 7, 14, 21, 28,**

**July 12, 19, 26,**

**August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30**

**@ 3pm**

### True Crime Book Club

We will discuss true crime books, podcasts, and documentaries. For current topic, please call (810) 639-6388. Sponsored by the Friends of the Montrose-Jennings Library.

**Thursday, June 8 @ 6:30pm**

**Thursday, July 13 @ 6:30pm**

**Thursday, August 10 @ 6:30pm**

### Crafting with Yarn

Do you crochet, knit, or loom? New and advanced yarn crafters welcome. Sponsored by the Friends of the Montrose-Jennings Library.

**Thursday, June 22 @ 6:30pm**

**Thursday, July 27 @ 6:30pm**

**Thursday, August 24 @ 6:30pm**

## Mt. Morris

### DIY Citronella Candles

These DIY citronella candles repel mosquitoes and bugs and have the added benefit of being easy to make.

**Tuesday, June 6 @ 6pm**

### Stitchery Club

Learn to cross stitch or embroider. Work on your own project or learn with the free kit provided.

**Tuesday, June 13 @ 6pm**

**Tuesday, July 11 @ 6pm**

**Tuesday, August 8 @ 6pm**

## Mt. Morris cont.

### Glass Bead Suncatchers

Welcome the sunshine with a quick and easy craft using glass beads and glue.

**Saturday, June 24 @ 2pm**

### DIY Bubble Bath Playdough

Make your own Bubble Bath Playdough.

**Tuesday, June 27 @ 6pm**

### DIY Lemon Sugar Scrub Bars

Make these quick and easy cleansing, exfoliating, and moisturizing lemon sugar scrub bars.

**Tuesday, July 18 @ 6pm**

### Treasure Turtles

Create a cute turtle to hide your summer treasures.

**Friday, July 21 @ 11am**

### Diamond Dotz Photo Frames

Why put out an ordinary frame when you can use Diamond Dotz to add some flair?

**Saturday, July 22 @ 1pm**

### DIY Flower "Kissing Balls"

Using a wiffle ball and flowers, these simple pomanders can be hung, placed on a stand, put in a centerpiece, or used with a handle for a wedding bouquet.

**Tuesday, August 1 @ 6pm**

### Miniature Backpacks with Notebook

Make a miniature backpack with working notebook and miniature pen just in time for school.

**Saturday, August 5 @ Noon**

### DIY Kool-Aid Lip Balm

Make a super easy DIY lip balm—teens love it!

**Saturday, August 12 @ 2pm**

### DIY Lotion Bars

Learn how to make DIY Lotion bars made with shea butter and coconut oil.

**Tuesday, August 15 @ 6pm**

# All Together Now







# Story Times

## Clio with Miss Marcia

Thursdays, June 8, 15, 22, 29  
@ 10:30am

## Davison with Miss Marcia

Mondays, June 5, 12, 26  
@ 10:30am

## Fenton-Winegarden with Ms. Heather

Wednesdays, June 14, 21, 28  
July 12, 19, 26  
@ 10:30am

## Flushing Area with Miss Lisa

Mondays, June 5, 12, 26  
(GDL Closed June 19 for Juneteenth)  
July 3, 10, 17 @ 10:30am

## Goodrich with Miss Marie

Thursdays, June 15, 22  
July 6, 13, 20, 27  
@ 10:30am

## Grand Blanc-McFarlen with Miss Marie

Fridays, June 16, 23, 30  
July 7, 14, 21  
@ 10:30am

## Linden with Miss Marie

Tuesdays, June 13, 20, 27  
July 11, 18, 25  
@ 10:30am

## Mister Johnnie's Singing Story Time at Swartz Creek-Perkins

Thursdays, June 1, 8, 15, 29  
@ 10:30am

## Mt. Morris with Miss Lisa

Fridays, June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30  
July 7 @ 10am

## Music & Movement Playtime

Bang the drums, shake a maraca, dance with scarves and clap to the rhythm with your child. Join Michigan State University Extension Educators as they demonstrate music and movement activities to enjoy with your child.

## Grand Blanc-McFarlen

Mondays, July 10, 17, 24, 31  
@ 10:30am

## Paws to Read

Groot the therapy dog loves a good story. Practice reading aloud to him—he loves it!

## Fenton-Winegarden

Saturday, June 24  
@ 10am

## Goodrich

Saturday, July 22  
@ 10am

## Swartz Creek-Perkins

Saturday, August 12  
@ 10am

## Book Sales

### Burton Memorial

Saturday, August 26  
@ 10am–4pm

### Forest Township

Saturday, July 29  
@ 9am–3pm

### Linden

Friday, June 16  
@ 9am–4pm  
Saturday, June 17  
@ 9am–4pm



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# Join the GDL ROAD TRIP ADVENTURE 2023



Visit all 19 GDL libraries this summer to discover local history, trivia, and library lore. This is a community-wide, family-friendly library scavenger hunt where participants will seek answers to questions about our 19 libraries to solve a secret message. Each library will feature its own trading card that you'll receive as you find the answers. Collect all 19 trading cards and get a bonus 20th card when you complete the hunt.

Visit [thegdl.org](http://thegdl.org) for more info

## 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

### Children's Center

(810) 714-0917

### 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

### Mt. 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

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