

NEWSLETTER

JULY 2023

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Registration for July programs begins **Thursday**, **June 29** at 9:00 am.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 8 pm Friday - Saturday: 10 am - 5 pm

Sunday: Closed

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Wednesday, July 4 for the Independence Day Holiday



Scan the QR code to learn more about our Summer Reading Challenge. Prizes are available for every age!

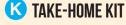
PROGRAM KEY

REGISTER

Registration required for this program or kit: register online or by phone



This program is held virtually. See the program listing online for details



Stop by the library to pick up a kit



No registration necessary for this kit or program

ALL AGES

W SHELTER PET ART CONTEST

Entries accepted Monday, July 3 - Friday, July 21 Create a piece of art inspired by an animal on a local shelter's "adoptable animals" website, then visit the Library to view the entries and vote!

CROMAINE 5K RUN CLUB

Mondays in July @ 6:00 pm Join Outreach Librarian Andrew for a group run through Hartland's Settler's Park. The run is three miles long, with some stretching after. All ages and running abilities are welcome. Meet at the main Settler's Park entrance, near the Township Hall.

FANDOM DAY

Saturday, July 8 from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm Celebrate some of our favorite fandoms during this epic day of crafts, activities, and demonstrations!

(B) FIBER ART MONDAY

Mondays, July 10 & 24 @ 6:00 pm

Join us for hands-on fiber art projects that are perfect for beginners!

July 10: Learn Basic Hand Embroidery

July 24: Learn Basic Crochet

® FAIRYTALE PARTY

Wednesday, July 19 @ 6:00 pm Fairytale lovers of all ages are invited to join us for a familyfriendly, "Once-Upon-A-Time" night of fun! Registration encouraged, but not required.

PRE-K

Ages 2 through 5

B BLUEY PARTY

Tuesday, July 11 @ 10:00 am Join us for games and crafts to celebrate our favorite blue heeler, Bluey, and friends.

D FAMILY STORYTIME

Wednesdays, July 12, 19, & 26 @ 10:00 am

Join us for stories, songs, and fun on the Library's South Lawn.

® WATER PARTY

Thursday, July 13 @ 10:00 am & 11:00 am Splash the day away with water activities! Swimsuits encouraged!

® YOGA FOR PRE-K KIDS & CAREGIVERS

Friday, July 14 @ 10:15 am
Enjoy a fun and easy yoga class
on the South Lawn! Bring your
own towel or yoga mat.

® TINY TOTS OLYMPICS

Tuesday, July 18 @ 10:00 am Get ready to run, jump, slide, and crawl as you move through the course made just for little athletes.

B BABY STORYTIME

Tuesday, July 25 @ 10:00 am Enjoy songs, rhymes, a story, and fun with your little one on the South Lawn! This month's theme: Splish Splash! For 6-month-olds through 23-months and their special adult.



YOUTH

1st through 4th grades

R KIDS' CURSIVE AND CARDMAKING

Thursday, July 6 @ 6:00 pm Join us for cursive practice, viewing historical documents, and writing letters to veterans.

(B) FIELD DAY

Monday, July 10 @ 2:00 pm Join us on the South Lawn for fun sporting activities!

B SLIME

Wednesday, July 12 @ 6:00 pm Enjoy a slime-tastic evening of fun on the South Lawn!

YOGA FOR KIDS

Friday, July 14 @ 11:15 am Enjoy a fun and easy yoga class on the South Lawn! Bring your own towel or yoga mat. For ages 6 through 8.

(B) HANDS-ON SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS

Thursday, July 20 @ 2:00 pm Explore the world of science!

® WILDLIFE IN YOUR BACKYARD WITH HOWELL NATURE CENTER

Friday, July 21 @ 10:30 am Meet some of the Howell Nature Center's Wildlife Ambassadors on our South Lawn and learn all about the wildlife found around our homes! For grades K and up and their families.

(B) ELEMENTARY BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, July 26 @ 6:00 pm Join us to discuss a new book and enjoy crafts and activities. Register to receive a copy of this month's book: The Way of the Hive by Jay Hosler.



YOUTH + TWEEN

(B) HARRY POTTER CAMP

Monday, July 24 through Friday, July 28 @ 1:30 & 3:30 pm Immerse yourself in the world of Harry Potter as we explore The Order of the Phoenix. Please do not register unless you are able to attend all 5 days. For ages 6 through 12.

LMEEN

5th through 7th grades

® TWEEN BUTTON MAKING

Tuesday, July 11 @ 6:00 pm Use our templates or create your own to make pins for your clothes, backpacks, or anything you'd like!

R CANDY TASTE TEST CHALLENGE

Tuesday, July 18 @ 6:00 pm Put your taste buds to the test and try our candy challenges! IMPORTANT: Please indicate any food allergies you have during sign-up.

® TWEEN BOOK CLUB

Monday, July 31 @ 6:00 pm
Discuss a new book, make a
craft, and eat snacks! Register
to receive a copy of this month's
book: The Crossover: Graphic
Novel by Kwame Alexander.

TWEEN + TEEN

5th through 12th grades

13 TWEEN & TEEN TAKE-OUT

Wednesday, July 5 All Day
Sign up each month to receive a
box filled with one or two library
books hand-picked just for you,
a sweet or savory treat, and
other fun surprises! This month's
theme: Fandoms/Science Fiction.
Everything in the box is yours to
keep, aside from the library books
(those need to be returned when
you're finished reading them.)
These boxes are funded through
the generous support of the
Friends of the Cromaine Library.

TEEN

7th through 12th grades

(B) TEEN D&D

Wednesdays, July 5 & 19 @ 5:30 pm

The campaign continues! This campaign is full, but please add yourself to the waitlist and you will be notified should a space become available.

® TEEN KARAOKE SODA BAR

Thursday, July 6 @ 3:30 pm Come sing your heart out, or just support your friends while sampling soda and snacks!

® TEEN PAINT TWISTER

Thursday, July 13 @ 3:30 pm Join us on the South Lawn for a classic game with a slippery, colorful twist! Dress for mess or wear clothes you want paint-splattered for style.

® TEEN BOOK CLUB

Thursday, July 20 @ 3:30 pm
Discuss a new book each month
and eat snacks! Register to
receive a free copy of the
book: The Hate You Give by
Angie Thomas.

ADULT

BV CROMAINE'S DESERT ISLAND FAVORITES VIDEO

Monday, July 3 @ 10:00 am Staff members share their favorite items that embrace a common theme. This month: Our Favorite Fandoms.

B ADULT CRAFT KIT

Friday, July 7 All Day Create your own beeswax wrap!

RECIPE CLUB AND POTLUCK

Friday, July 7 @ 1:00 pm Bring a favorite dish to pass and a copy of the recipe.

RESUME REVIEW WITH MICHIGAN WORKS!

Monday, July 10 All Day
Appointments are made directly with
Michigan Works! resume expert,
Patty Sudbay. Call 517-552-2106
or email her at psudbay@mwse.org
to arrange your appointment. Other
dates available upon request.

® TECH TIME

Tuesday, July 11 @ 1:00 pm One-on-one help with your electronic device. We cannot fix malfunctions, replace parts, or remove viruses.

MOVIE @ THE MUSIC HALL Monday, July 17 @ 1:00 pm Come watch "The Italian Job" (1969) on the Music Hall's big screen!

® YOGA WITH DEBBIE

Mondays, July 17 & 31 @ 6:30 pm Thursday, July 27 @ 10:00 am Join Debbie for a relaxing yoga session on the South Lawn. Beginners welcome!

ALE TOGETHER NOW

Wednesday, July 26 @ 6:30 pm Join Michelle for fun, facts and samples! Must be 21 or older.

MEDICARE QUESTIONS? THE LIVINGSTON COUNTY MMAP TEAM HAS ANSWERS!

Monday, July 31 @ 6:00 pm MMAP (Michigan Medicare/ Medicaid Assistance Program) provides unbiased information/ assistance to Medicare beneficiaries and caregivers. Confidential appointments are available at 6:00 pm and 7:30 pm.

BOOK CLUBS

NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB
Thursday, July 13 @ 6:30 pm
In Harm's Way: The Sinking of
the USS Indianapolis and the
Extraordinary Story of Its Survivors
by Doug Stanton.

D FICTION BOOK CLUB
Thursday, July 27 @ 6:30 pm
Demon Copperhead by
Barbara Kingsolver.

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

TUESDAYS 7:00 - 8:30 PM July 11, July 18 & July 25 Join us on Cromaine's South Lawn for three nights of music this month! Each concert is guaranteed to be great entertainment for every member of your family. Gather half an hour early to get your spot on the lawn and enjoy dinner from a local food truck! Rain location called by 5:00 pm.



July 11 Bernadette Kathryn & The Lonely Days Band

A Nashville-recording artist with Motown roots

All City Dogs + Kona Ice

July 18 AMERICAN AGES

Classic rock, new rock, and new country

Hallboy BBQ + Kona Ice

July 25 MIRANDA AND THE M80S

The 80's rock that we know and love

Impasto + Kona Ice

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

A heartfelt "thank you" goes out to our sponsors. Without their continued support, our Summer Concert Series would not be possible. Cromaine encourages all of our patrons to shop and eat local – supporting these businesses helps us continue to stay "Community Connected"!

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