

# NEWSLETTER

**FEBRUARY 2024** 

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Registration for February programs begins **Thursday**, **January 25** @ **9:00** am.

#### **LIBRARY HOURS**

Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 8 pm Friday - Saturday: 10 am - 5 pm Sunday: 12 pm - 5 pm

#### LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Closed Monday, February 5 through Wednesday, February 7 for scheduled building maintenance

When Cromaine is closed, the materials return, wireless in the parking lot, and virtual library services on our website are all open.



Scan the QR code for a full listing of our events and programs!

### **PROGRAM KEY**

DROP-IN

No registration necessary

REGISTER

Register online or by phone

TICKETED EVENT

Pick up your tickets at the Youth desk before entering; capacity limited to 20 participants.

**V** VIRTUAL

See the online calendar for details

# FEBRUARY FEATURES

#### WINTER READING CHALLENGE

December 1 through February 29 Complete the reading activities for your age group and earn an entry into the grand prize drawing! Learn about your age group's challenge and how to log your progress at bit.ly/CromaineWRC2324.

### • FRIENDS USED BOOK AND BAKE SALE

Thursday, February 1 -Saturday, February 3 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Sunday, February 4 - FREE DAY! 12:00 - 1:00 pm

Thousands of books and media for sale, plus delicious baked goods! Everyone is welcome, and Friends memberships are available, too.

#### HARTLAND LIONS CLUB KIDSIGHT YOUTH VISION SCREENING

Friday, February 9 10:30 am - 4:30 pm

Free Vision Screening thanks to our local Hartland Lions Club and Kidsight USA!

#### **BEAT THE WINTER BLUES SERIES**

Brought to you by Maureen Elliott, Edward Jones. Registration requested, but not required.

#### **®** GORDON THE MAGICIAN

Friday, February 9 @ 2:00 pm
An interactive magic show for kids of all ages!

#### **®** MR. WIZARD

Saturday, February 24 @ 2:00 pm This magical puppet show will have you doubled over with laughter!

### **ALL AGES**

### CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS FOR CROMAINE CREATORS

**December 1 - February 29**Submit your art to our quarterly Cromaine Creators newsletter!

#### **®** GROUNDHOG PARTY

Friday, February 2 @ 3:30 pm Make a grounnie brownie, create crafts, and more!

#### **®** FICTION PARTY

Saturday, February 3 @ 11:00 am Celebrate our favorite chapter book series through crafts and activities!

#### • HARTLAND FAMILY WINTERFEST

Saturday, February 10 1:00 - 6:00 pm Winter fun at Heritage Park!

#### ARTS AND CHATS

Monday, February 19 @ 6:00 pm Connect with fellow artists and crafters while we work on our projects.

#### LEAP YEAR CELEBRATION

February 26 through February 29 Leap into the year with frog-themed activities!

### PRE-K

Ages 0 through 5

#### PLAYDATE AT THE LIBRARY

Friday, February 9 @ 10:00 am Lightly structured and free play.

#### **ID** BABYGARTEN

Mondays, February 12 & 26 @ 10:00 am Songs, rhymes, a story, and fun!

#### **(B)** AFTERNOON STORYTIME

Tuesdays, February 13 & 27 @ 4:30 pm

Read, sing, and play alongside your little one.

#### **(B)** TODDLER TIME

Tuesdays, February 13, 20, & 27 @ 10:00 am

Read, sing, and play alongside your little one.

#### PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Wednesdays, February 14, 21, & 28 @ 10:00 am

Thursdays, February 1, 15, 22, & 29 @ 10:00 am & 11:00 am

Read, sing, and play alongside your little one.

#### **11** BABY PLAYTIME

Monday, February 19 @ 10:00 am Open-ended playtime.

## JUMPING AND JAMMING STORYTIME

Wednesday, February 21 @ 4:30 pm Read, sing, dance, and move!

#### B LLAMA LLAMA PARTY

**Thursday, February 29 @ 4:30 pm** Celebrate <u>Llama Llama</u> in your pajamas!

# YOUTH

1st through 4th grades

#### PASSPORT PALS

Thursday, February 8 @ 6:00 pm Learn about Puerto Rico this month through stories and crafts.

#### **®** TAIL WAGGIN' TUTORS

Wednesday, February 14 @ 6:00 pm Practice your reading skills with a caring canine friend!

## (B) INTRO TO ROBOTICS WITH HARTLAND ROBOTICS

Saturday, February 17 @ 11:00 am Learn basic robotics with the Hartland Robotics Middle School Team!

#### **(B)** HOMESCHOOL DISCOVERY CLUB

Monday, February 19 @ 2:00 pm Explore art, STEM, or social studies with hands-on activities. This month: Reptiles and Amphibians.

#### **®** YOUNG NATURALISTS

Thursday, February 22 @ 6:00 pm Connect with nature through activities and crafts. This month: Rocks.

#### **(B)** ELEMENTARY BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, February 27 @ 6:00 pm Discuss Starfell: Willow Moss and the Lost Day by Dominique Valente, with crafts and activities!

### **YOUTH + TWEEN**

#### **(B)** POKEMON TRAINERS CLUB

Thursday, February 15 @ 6:00 pm Pokemon-themed activities each month!

# TWEEN

5th through 7th grades

#### R TWEEN NIGHT: PALENTINE'S DAY

Tuesday, February 13 @ 6:00 pm Celebrate friendship with crafts, games, and the candyball! Indicate food allergies at sign-up.

#### **®** TWEEN BOOK CLUB

Monday, February 26 @ 6:00 pm Book discussion and button making! This month: Across the Desert by Dusti Bowling.

# TWEEN + TEEN

5th through 12th grades

#### **®** TAKE-OUT BOXES

February 1 through February 5
Receive a box with library books picked just for you and other surprises! This month's theme: Friends and Family.

#### **(B)** LUNAR NEW YEAR

Monday, February 12 @ 6:00 pm Our Lunar New Year celebration!

#### SWIFTIE AFTER HOURS PARTY

Friday, February 23 @ 5:30 pm Karaoke, button-making, and more for Taylor Swift fans!

# TEEN

8th through 12th grades

#### **®** TEEN OREO TASTE-TEST PARTY

Thursday, February 1 @ 3:30 pm Sample oreo flavors and vote for your favorite!

#### **D** TAB (TEEN ADVISORY BOARD)

Thursday, February 8 @ 3:30 pm Brainstorm ideas, talk about books, work on projects, snack, and chat.

#### **®** OTAKU LEAGUE

Thursday, February 22 @ 3:30 pm Sample a new anime and Japanese snack!

# ADULT

#### **®** YOGA WITH DEBBIE

Thursday, February 15 @ 10:00 am Tuesday, February 27 @ 6:30 pm Join Debbie for a relaxing yoga session.

### **BV** RESUME REVIEW WITH MICHIGAN WORKS!

Monday, February 12 All Day Call 517-552-2106 or email psudbay@mwse.org to arrange an appointment with Michigan Works! resume expert, Patty Sudbay.

#### DIY BUTTON HEART CRAFT

Monday, February 12 @ 6:30 pm Make button art with us!

#### **®** TECH TIME

Tuesday, February 13 @ 2:00 pm One-on-one help with your electronic device. We cannot fix malfunctions, replace parts, or remove viruses.

#### RECIPE CLUB AND POTLUCK

Friday, February 16 @ 1:00 pm Bring a dish to pass and a copy of the recipe to share!

### HOW TO CULTIVATE MUSHROOMS AT HOME

Tuesday, February 20 @ 6:30 pm Learn how to grow gourmet Mushrooms!

### REMEMBER US? FORGOTTEN PRESIDENTS

Wednesday, February 21 @ 6:30 pm Learn how some lesser known Presidents shaped the nation!

#### **BV** MEDICARE QUESTIONS? The Livingston County MMAP Team has answers!

Monday, February 26 @ 6:00 pm The Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program provides unbiased information/assistance to Medicare beneficiaries and caregivers.

#### **(B)** ALE TOGETHER NOW

Wednesday, February 28 @ 6:30 pm Join Michelle for fun, facts, and samples! Must be 21 or older.

### **BOOK CLUBS**

#### **D NON-FICTION BOOK CLUB**

Thursday, February 8 @ 6:30 pm
Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage
Murders and the Birth of the FBI by
David Grann.

#### MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, February 13 @ 6:30 pm The Spy Coast by Tess Gerritsen.

#### FICTION BOOK CLUB

Thursday, February 22 @ 6:30 pm Lady Tan's Circle of Women by Lisa See.