

Children's Programs

Fall Story Time (limited enrollment)

Stories, songs, finger plays and a craft.

Session 1: Sept 17 – Oct 30

Registration required beginning Tuesday, September 3

Session 2: Nov 12 – Dec 18

Registration required beginning Tuesday, October 29

****No Story Time November 26 & 27****



Toddler Story Time

For children ages 2 – 3.

Approx. 30 minutes.

Tuesday at 10:30 am or Wednesday at 11:30 am

Preschool Story Time

For children ages 3 – 5.

Approx. 45 minutes.

Tuesday at 1:30 pm or Wednesday at 10:30 am

Baby Play



Birth to 24 months with caregiver

Enjoy a morning of play at the library with music, songs, fingerplays, books, and toys.

Fridays, 10:30 – 11:30 am

September 6 & 20, October 4 & 18, November 1 & 15 and December 13

Water Safety Story Time with Goldfish Swim School – Clarkston

Ages 6 months and up

This water safety event includes a fun, interactive presentation to teach your kids some lifesaving skills, a book reading of *The Fish Who Wouldn't Swim*, and some Goldfish goodies for families to take home!

Saturday September 14, 10:30 – 11:30 am

Family Movie

All ages with caregiver

Come and watch a movie the whole family will enjoy on our big screen.

Popcorn provided. Bring your own drinks in containers with covers.

Call the library for the movie title.



Saturday September 14 & December 21, 2:30 – 4:30 pm

Saturday October 26, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

**** Caregiver must be present in the library if children are 12 years of age and under.**

Please register online @ whitelakelibrary.org or by calling 248-698-4942 ext. 3. Space is limited so registration is requested for most programs. Registration for White Lake residents begins 2 weeks prior to each program, unless noted. Non-residents may then register 1 week prior to each program.

Yoga for Kids

Grades 2 - 5

Come build strength, flexibility, and coordination in a fun, playful way! You are invited to learn how to stretch and relax through the use of simple yoga poses and gameplay. Please bring a yoga mat or towel with you for this program.

Wednesdays, 6 – 6:30 pm

September 18, October 16 and November 20

Tail Waggin' Tutors



Ages 5 and up

These lovable dogs make great listeners and reading to a therapy dog helps build confidence and self-esteem in a fun, non-judgmental environment. Please register for one fifteen-minute time slot.

Thursdays, 6:40 – 7:40 pm

September 19, October 17 and December 12

Saturday November 2, 2:30 – 3:30 pm

Ready Readers Book Club

Grades K – 2 with caregiver

Join our theme-centered book club for children who have graduated from story time and get social about books! Adults are encouraged to attend with their children and share the love of reading.

Saturdays, 10:30 – 11:30 am

Oct 5: *Mo Willems* • Nov 2: *There Was an Old Lady...*

The Art of Watercolor

Grades 3 - 5

Learn how to use watercolors and use various techniques to create your own masterpiece. Please wear your "art clothes".

Saturday October 5, 2:30 – 3:30 pm



Pizza Pages

Grades 3 – 5



Join our fall book club! We'll read and discuss GREAT books while enjoying pizza and an activity.

The first 10 kids to register get to KEEP a copy of the book! Pick up your book at the youth desk.

Wednesdays, 6 – 7 pm

October 9: *5 Worlds: The Sand Warrior* by Mark Siegel (Registration begins Wednesday, September 11)

December 11: *Restart* by Gordon Korman

(Registration begins Wednesday, November 13)

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Lego Club (Drop-In)

Ages 3 and up with caregiver
We provide the bricks, you provide the creativity! Imagine and engineer a masterpiece by following the monthly theme or do your own thing. Stay the entire 2 hours or drop-in for a little while. No registration required.

Saturdays, 10:00 am – Noon
October 12, November 9 and December 21

3rd Annual Literary Pumpkin Contest

Create your favorite book character from a pumpkin and enter our contest! Paint and embellish your pumpkins in any way that you desire. However, CARVED pumpkins will NOT be accepted, thank you! Stop by the library for more details.

Monday, October 14 – Saturday, October 26

Family Craft Time

Grade K – 5 with caregiver
We invite your family to come get crafty at the library. STRETCH your imagination and create warm memories together!

Saturdays, 10:30 – 11:30 am • Oct 19, Nov 16 & Dec 14



Drop-In Halloween Craft

All ages with caregiver
Stop in to create something spooky for Halloween. No registration required.

Thursday, October 24 – Thursday, October 31

Hula Hoop Weaving

Grades 2 – 5



Come explore your crafty side! We will be turning old t-shirts into a one of a kind rug by weaving on a Hula Hoop. If you have any old t-shirts lying around, Ms. Leah would greatly appreciate your donations for this program.

Wednesday November 6, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

Ballet Theatre

All ages with caregiver
Join Modern Messages Dance Company's Youth Ballet Theatre and watch carefully as the dancers bring the story of *The Ugly Duckling* to life. Have fun and dress up for a picture with your favorite ballerina following the show.



Thursday November 14, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

Drop-In Thanksgiving Craft

Celebrate the holiday by making a decoration for your home. No registration required.

Thursday, November 21 – Wednesday, November 27

Gingerbread House Contest



Join us in our annual gingerbread house contest! Decorate a house for the season and bring it to the library. Houses will be taken to the White Lake Tree Lighting on December 6 and prizes will be awarded to winners in each of the 3 categories.

Tuesday, November 12 – Wednesday, December 4

Holiday Window Decorating Party

All ages with caregiver

Bring the whole family to the library and decorate a window to celebrate the season!

Monday December 2, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

White Lake Middle School Band

All ages with caregiver

Join us for an evening of holiday music favorites and enjoy the most wonderful time of the year with the White Lake Bands.

Thursday December 5, 6 – 7 pm



White Lake Community Tree Lighting

Fisk Farm – Near Walmart



The staff and Friends of the White Lake Township Library will again be participating with a gingerbread house contest and children's crafts. Entry forms and rules will be available at the library.

Friday December 6, 6 – 8 pm

Yarny Holiday Workshop

Grades 3 – 5

Create handmade decorations and gifts to share with your loved ones during the season of giving.

Saturday December 7, 10:30 – 11:30 am



Save the Date! Preschool Open House

Come to our open house where you'll have a chance to find out what each school offers and if it's right for your child. Preschools who would like an opportunity to showcase their facility must call by January 21 to reserve a table.

Saturday January 25, 2020, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm