



March 2019

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March 16-23 is Storybook Celebration Week!

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April 2019



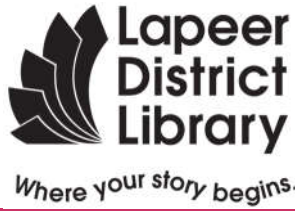
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Friends of the deAngeli Library Book Sale: All deAngeli Branch Storytimes will be held in the Children's Room

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Lapeer District Library Program Locations

Programs take place at the Marguerite deAngeli Branch unless otherwise indicated. Call (810) 664-6971 for more info.

- CL** Clifford Branch (989) 761-7393
- CV** Columbiaville Branch (810) 793-6100
- EB** Elba Branch (810) 653-7200
- HB** Hadley Branch (810) 797-4101
- MB** Metamora Branch (810) 678-2991
- OL** Otter Lake Branch (810) 793-6300

FL Family Literacy Center. LDL Locations Vary. Call (810) 664-2737 to sign up.

PROGRAMS AT OTHER LDL BRANCHES

AUTHOR FAN MAIL MB & DeAngeli
Write a letter for us to send to your favorite authors! **March:** Raina Telgemeier, **April:** Dan Pilkey (*Dog Man*), **May:** Lincoln Peirce (*Big Nate*)

CRAFT PROGRAMS MB
Shamrock Suncatchers: *March 4-8*
Turtle Shell Craft: *March 18-22*
Bunny Masks: *April 8-12*
Four Seasons Tree craft: *April 22-26*

MOCHA THE THERAPY DOG MB
1st Friday each month (3/1, 4/5, 5/3) @ 10:30am
3rd Wednesday each month (3/20, 4/24, 5/15) @ 4pm

MOVIE NIGHT MB
Wednesdays (3/13, 4/10, & 5/8), 4pm
Call the Metamora Branch for titles.

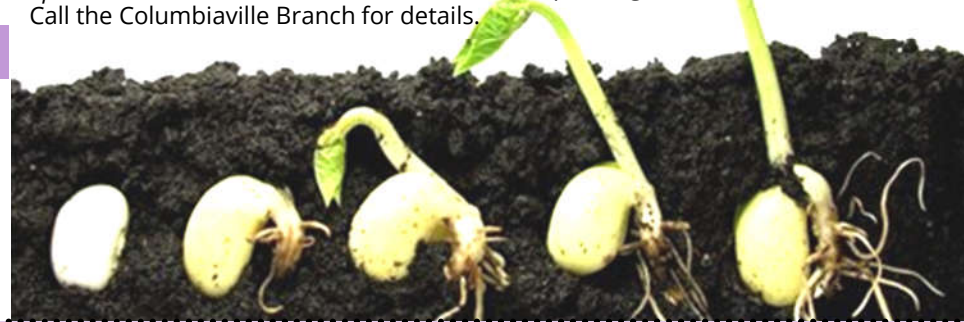
ST. PATRICK'S DAY CRAFT CL
Thursday, March 14, 5:30pm

FARM BUREAU: SAP TO SYRUP CL
Thursday, March 21, 5:30-7pm
Learn all about how maple trees produce maple syrup!

LEGO CONTEST CV
April 8-12
Call the Columbiaville Branch for details.

SPROUT & GROW CL
Monday, April 15, 3pm
Watch and see with the sprout and grow window! Plant your own seed in a bag to take home, and revisit us later to see how roots develop and grow!

GERMINATION STATION CL
Thursday, April 25, 4pm
Seed starting for the Clifford Community Garden. We will be starting 144 seedlings for the garden. Stop in and see what we are planting!



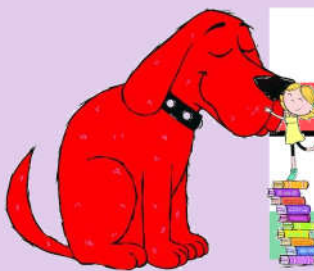
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BRANCH STORYTIMES

Join Ms. Kathy for stories, early literacy, and other hands-on activities at LDL's six smaller branches! Meet Clifford the Big Red Dog during Storybook Celebration Week in March! Storytimes run through the week of May 13-17.



OTTER LAKE OL
Mondays @ 10am

ELBA EB
Mondays @ 11:30am

CLIFFORD CL
Mondays @ 2pm

Clifford the Big Red Dog visits Otter Lake, Elba, and Clifford on Monday, March 18!

HADLEY HB
Tuesdays @ 11:30 am

METAMORA MB
Fridays @ 9:30am

COLUMBIAVILLE CV
Fridays @ 11:30 am

Clifford the Big Red Dog visits Tuesday, March 19!

Clifford the Big Red Dog visits Metamora & Columbiaville on Friday, March 22!

Please call each branch to register and to learn about more great programs for all ages!

FAMILY LITERACY CENTER PROGRAMS

For more information or to register, please call the Family Literacy Center of Lapeer at (810) 664-2737. Registration is required.

FAMILY PLAY GROUP @ the deAngeli Branch. For ages 0-5 w/ a caregiver.

- ⇒ Tuesdays @ 10am: Feb. 19 - Mar. 26; Apr. 2 - May 14; May 21 - June 25
 - ⇒ Mondays @ 10am: Feb. 25 - Apr. 1
 - ⇒ Mondays @ 10am: Apr. 8 - May 13 at the **METAMORA BRANCH**
- Play, learn & do crafts with your child! A (*) on the calendar indicates a new session.

READY SET GO! @ the deAngeli Branch. For ages 3-5 with a caregiver.

- ⇒ Thursdays @ 10:30am: March 7, April 4, May 2
- Have fun learning with your child at this fun interactive workshop! Features activities to help develop reading skills and get kids ready for school.

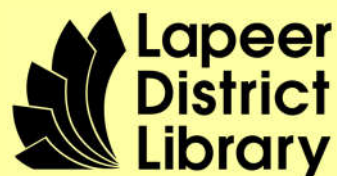
CHILD TUTORING @ the deAngeli Branch. For kids in grades 2-5.

- Six week session: Wednesdays @ 4pm: March 13-April 24
- One-on-one tutoring for elementary students from Lapeer Community Schools who are not performing at grade level in reading and math.

NEED MORE INFO?

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Head of Children's Services

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Free Programs for Kids & Families

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MARCH
APRIL
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Programs for All Ages

Programs on this page take place at the deAngeli Branch unless otherwise noted.

MARGUERITE DEANGELI BIRTHDAY PARTY

Thursday, March 14, 2-5pm
Join us to celebrate Marguerite deAngeli's birthday! Have a slice of cake and learn about the Newbery-award winning children's author, who grew up in Lapeer. See artwork and other artifacts from her life. For patrons of all ages.



SOPHIE THE THERAPY DOG

Saturdays, March 16, April 27, and May 18, 10:30am
School-aged children are invited to spend 10-15 minutes reading with Sophie the Therapy Dog! Registration is required and begins 2/25 for March, 4/8 for April, and 4/29 for May.



MINI-MASTERS OF LIBRARY SCIENCE

Tuesday, April 9, 5-7pm
Think you have what it takes to be a MASTER OF LIBRARY SCIENCE? Celebrate National Library Week with a scavenger hunt to learn

how librarians sort, find, check out, & suggest books, then put your skills to the test at story time! For families with children of all ages.

MAY THE FOURTH BE WITH YOU: STAR WARS DAY!

Saturday, May 4th
Drop into the children's room for Star Wars crafts throughout the day, and bring a bag lunch for Star Wars trivia at 11:30! Join us in the afternoon for space-themed programming with the Sloan Museum and Longway Planetarium (see below for details). For families with children of all ages. Registration is not required for crafts or trivia.

SLOAN/LONGWAY PRESENTS: SPACE ART & STARRY SCIENCE WORKSHOPS

- Saturday, May 4th, 1:30 & 3pm. Registration is required and begins 4/15.
- ⇒ 1:30: **SPACE ART** Create beautiful space-themed artwork while learning about the nighttime sky. For ages 4 and up.
- ⇒ 3pm: **STARRY SCIENCE** Explore the stars you see in the night sky—and during the day! Learn about the life cycle of stars, nebulas, and galaxies. For ages 8-12.

2ND ANNUAL STORYBOOK CELEBRATION

A celebration of our favorite storybook characters, presented in partnership with the Great Start Collaborative of Lapeer County!

- ⇒ **ELEPHANT & PIGGIE STORYTIME** Saturday, 3/16, 11:30am
Registration is required and begins 2/25.
- ⇒ **MEET ELEPHANT & PIGGIE** Monday, 3/18, 5-6pm
- ⇒ **CLIFFORD @ BRANCH STORYTIMES** March 18, 19, & 22
See Branch Storytimes on the back page for exact times at each location.
- ⇒ **MEET CLIFFORD** Tuesday, 3/19, 5-6pm
- ⇒ **MEET GERONIMO STILTON** Wednesday, 3/20, 5-6pm
- ⇒ **MEET BAD KITTY** Thursday, 3/20, 5-6pm

Programs for Older Kids (8-12)

TWEEN INTEREST GROUP (TWIG)

First Tuesday each month (March 5, April 2, May 7), 6:30pm
Calling all kids ages 8 to 12! Join us monthly on the first Tuesday and help plan events for kids of all ages. For more info, email childrensdesk@lib.lapeer.org or see Ms. Dena.

TWEEN TUESDAYS

- Third Tuesday each month (March 12, April 16, May 21), 6pm
- ⇒ **MARCH:** Help library staff prepare materials for upcoming craft programs!
- ⇒ **APRIL:** Our meeting room transforms into a Breakout Room mystery you get to solve! Space is very limited. Registration is required and will begin on 4/1.
- ⇒ **MAY:** Get your creativity on for tween craft night! Call or visit the library for details. Registration is required and begins on 5/6.

STORYTIME INFO

READY TO READ STORYTIME

Mondays, 4/8 - 5/13, 10:30am
Read, write, sing, talk, & play! This all-ages story-and-play time will help you and your child develop the skills they need to learn to read! Ages 0-5 with a caregiver.

SUPPER & STORIES

Last Tuesday each month (3/26, 4/30, 5/28), 6pm
A free family-style supper at 6pm followed by stories for children of all ages at 6:30! Space is limited; please register by the Monday before. For families with children ages 0-12. Registration is required and begins two weeks prior.

- ⇒ **MARCH:** Help us make cards to deliver to those in need of some kindness!
- ⇒ **APRIL:** A visit from Sophie the Therapy Dog!
- ⇒ **MAY:** Summer Reading Preview

STORYCRAFT

Thursdays, 3/21, 3/28, 4/18 - 5/16, 10:30am
Join Mrs. Mooi for a story and a craft! Ages 2-5 with a caregiver. Drop-in; supplies will be provided to the first ten children who arrive.

FAMILY STORYTIME

Fridays, 4/5 - 5/17, 10:30am
Join us each Friday for stories, songs, and rhymes. Ages 0-5 with a caregiver.

STORYTIMES AT THE BRANCHES

Storytimes are held at all LDL branches! Turn this brochure over for more details.



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HAVE FUN AT STORYTIME!

Some helpful guidelines so everyone has fun!

- **PLEASE ARRIVE ON TIME!** Storytime is short: we only have half an hour together. Make it count!
- **PLEASE SIT, SING, & LISTEN TOGETHER!** Storytimes are for EVERYONE and kids love to imitate grown ups! Please sit near your child and participate as much as possible.
- **PUT AWAY DISTRACTIONS.** This includes kid distractions like snacks and toys, as well as grown-up distractions like phones and cameras.
- **IT'S OKAY TO HAVE A BAD DAY!** Feel free to step away if your child is restless. You're welcome to rejoin us once they're feeling better or the following week!

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