Lessons of the Holocaust with Brad Wilkening: Thursday, October 16 | 5:00PM

Join us at the library for a powerful presentation by Brad Wilkening, a speaker who has dedicated his voice to ensuring the lessons of the Holocaust are not forgotten.

Brad doesn't just tell the story of the Holocaust, he challenges us to confront the uncomfortable truths behind it: the consequences of hatred, the cost of indifference, and the role we each play in standing up against injustice..



Genealogy:

Tuesday, October 14 | 5:30PM

Are you interested in Genealogy? Do you have questions? We would love to help you on your journey. Bring your thoughts and questions to us and we will make to most of your time helping you. If you have any ideas for a genealogy program feel free to share them with us.



Teen Night Tuesday, October 7 | 5:30-6:45PM

Think you've got what it takes to crack the codes, solve the puzzles, and beat the clock? Bring your friends and test your wits at our Teen Escape Room Night! Work together, have fun, and see if you can escape before time runs out.



Craft

Tuesday, October 21 | 5:30PM

Join us for a fun craft night where you can design and paint your very own tote bag. Add your personal flair with colors, patterns, and creativity—perfect for carrying books, snacks, or everyday essentials. No experience needed, just bring your imagination!

Limited spots available, so reserve yours today!



Kids Halloween Movie: Friday, October 24 at 1:00PM

Calling all little monsters, witches, ghosts, and ghouls! Join us at the library for a FREE showing of a frightfully fun kids' Halloween movie (PG) the whole family will love!



Halloween Spooktacular: Friday, October 31 | 3:30-5:30PM

Children from toddlers through 5th grade are invited to join us for an afternoon of fun, games, crafts, and tasty treats! Costumes are welcome but not required, just bring your festive spirit!

Want to help make the day even sweeter? We're looking for donations of cupcakes or cookies. If you'd like to contribute, we'd love to hear from you!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			StoryTime: 10:00AM Kids Book Club: 4:00PM	2	3	4
5	Silent Book Club: 5:00-7:00PM	7 Teen Night: 5:30-6:45PM	8 StoryTime: 10:00AM	9 Evening Book Club: 6-7PM	10	11
12	13	Genealogy Time: 5:30-6:30PM	15 StoryTime: 10:00AM	16 Library Board Meeting: 8:00AM In the Stacks Book Talk Group: 9-10AM Lessons of the Holocaust: 5-6PM	17 Coffee Book Talk Group: 9-10AM	18
19	20	Craft Night: 5:30PM	StoryTime: 10:00AM	23	Kids Halloween Movie: 1:00PM	25
26	27	28	StoryTime: 10:00AM	30	Halloween Spooktacular: 3:30-5:30PM	

Wondrous Words:

Gigglemug: (n.) someone who is always smiling or just has a happy face in general.
Cathect: (v.) to invest emotion or feeling in a particular idea, object, or another person.

Monthly Quote:

"We're all greatful for people who write and speak in ways that help us remember that we're not alone."

Brene Brown

Library Hours

Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday:
9:00AM- 7:00PM
Wednesday & Friday:
9:00AM- 5:00PM
Saturday:
9:00AM- 12:00PM