

GALION PUBLIC LIBRARY

BETWEEN THE STACKS NEWSLETTER

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THE GIFT OF MUSIC

Once again the Galion Public Library has received a wonderful donation from Bruce and Betty Angell for the purpose of adding more music to our collection.



This year we have bought titles from various genres of music, including classical, new age, jazz, rock, country, and many more.

We would like to extend our heartfelt appreciation to the Angell's for this gift. Our music collection continues to grow and become more varied because of their donation. Thank you Bruce and Betty Angell.



CHILDREN'S STORYTIMES

Don't miss out on all the fun! Be sure to come to these great Storytimes.

Tuesdays 1:30 & 7:00 pm
Wednesdays 10:30 am

Feb 1-2 Dinosaurs
Feb 8-9 The monster is...
Feb 15-16 A Valentine for You
Feb 22-23 Not Just Any ABC

Mar 1-2 Sheep
Mar 8-9 Things that Hop!
Mar 15-16 Dragons, Oh My!
Mar 22-23 Fairies

SCHOOL-AGE PROGRAM

**The Wonder of
Snowflakes**
Saturday, Feb 19, 2 pm.
Grades 3-6

Are you ready to find out if it's true that no two snowflakes are alike? Come to our brand new school age program for grades 3-6.

In this program you'll do a craft based on snowflake engravings; you'll get to make paper snowflakes, and you'll get the chance to try growing your own snowflake crystals!

If it's snowing, then you can look under a microscope and find out for yourself if all the snowflakes are different.



If you want to have some great fun on a Saturday, don't miss this program.

WINTER QUILT CLASSES

Make a Road to St. Louis Quilt on February 2nd, 16th, and 26th – choose between a lap-sized quilt or a larger one.

Make a Pineapple Quilt on March 2nd, 23rd, and April 6th. This is a more advanced project for more experienced quilters.

Don't forget National Quilters Day on March 19th! Come to our all-day quilting program (9-5pm) and make your own rag quilt. Registration is required, and there is a \$12.00 fee due at sign-up.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE

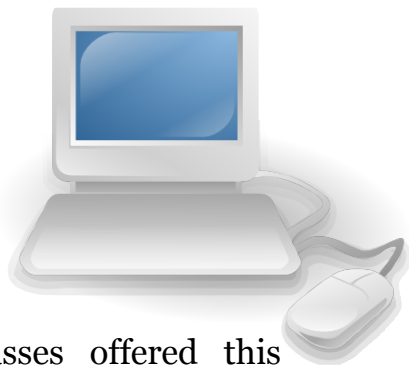
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Our website also offers links for genealogy, kids and teens as well as sites that can help you with your homework. Don't forget to take a look at our databases too. Everything on our website is designed to make your search go faster and smoother. So next time you need to find something, take a look at our website.

*A house without books is like a room without windows.
No man has a right to bring up children without
surrounding them with books.*
– Horace Mann

COMPUTER CLASSES



Classes offered this winter cover word processing, the internet, and Microsoft Windows. We have both introductory and intermediate classes. Sometimes classes fill up early, so sign up today to reserve your slot! As always, there is a \$2 fee due at signup.

Word Processing.....Feb 7
Intro. Internet.....Mar 1
Intermediate Internet.....Mar 14
Windows Basics.....Mar 22
Intermediate Windows.....Mar 29

Book Discussion Group

The Book Discussion takes place at 6:30 pm on the first Thursday of the month at the Off-Center Cafe. Come and join in on their lively conversation. You won't want to miss reading some of their great discussion books.

- February 3rd, *In the Lake of the Woods*, Tim O'Brien
- March 3rd, *Miss Zukas and the Library Murders*, Jo Dereske

Book Chats

Book chats are informal meetings where all different kinds of books are discussed. Talk about brand new books and some old favorites. Come to a chat and you will learn about many different books, some you may not have thought to try before. So come and give it a try. Everyone is welcome. The book chats are held on the last Friday of the month at 10am.

- February 25th at 10am
- March 25th at 10am

TEEN PROGRAMS

Upcoming Special Programs

February 3, 6:30-8:30
For the Love of Duct Tape

February 11, 3-4:30
Book Club.
Squashed, by Joan Bauer.

February 18, 3-4:30
Teen Board Meeting

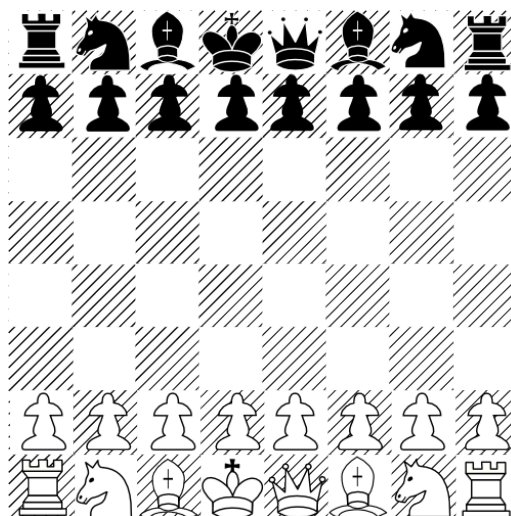
March 11, 3-4:30
Book Club.
Mary, Bloody Mary by Carolyn Meyer

March 18, 3-4:30
Teen Board

All of these programs are just for teens. Make sure to mark your calendars! Registration required.

Teen Chess Nights

Do you like to play chess? If you do, the library is the place for you. Come play chess on Thursday nights, 6:30-8:30pm, February 10th, 17th, and 24th, March 10th, 17th, and 24th.



Tournament

Are you a master chess player? Come play in our chess tournament:
Saturday, March 26th 1-5pm.

Wanted: Chess Mentors

The library teen chess club is looking for a few good chess players! Ellen Buehrer, our Teen Program Coordinator, is looking for adults who enjoy playing chess and being with young people, who could come in and help teach chess strategies with our club members. The group meets 2-3 Thursday evenings per month in the Community Room. For more information, contact Ellen Buehrer at the library.

IT'S A LOCK-IN!

We are having a Genealogy Lock-In on February 18th from 6-9. The rest of the library will be closed, but we will have our Ohio Room collection open and will be here to help you on your family history quest. Refreshments will be provided.

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