

MARCH 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 STEM: Ozobots* 4:30PM-5:15PM & 6:30PM-7:15PM Maker Space <i>Registration for the Altered Book Competition Begins</i>	3 Cooking Matters for Families ** 6:00PM-8:00PM Maker Space	4 Daddy & Me Storytime+ 6:00PM-6:30PM Story Room	5 Family Craft Night <i>Lion/Lamb craft</i> 6:30PM-7:30PM Story Room	6	7 Battle of the Books Championship Battle 2:00PM Auditorium
8	9 STEM: Lego Robotics* 4:30PM-5:15PM & 6:30PM-7:15PM Maker Space	10 Toddler Time+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Cooking Matters for Families ** 6:00PM-8:00PM Maker Space	11 Baby Time+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Make It & Take It <i>Macramé Craft</i> Ages 13+ 2:00PM-4:00PM 6:00PM-8:00PM Orchard Room	12 Preschool Storytime+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Family Storytime+ 6:30PM-7:30PM Story Room	13 	14 Teen Advisory Group 10:30AM-11:30AM Maker Space
15 	16 STEM: Q-BA-Maze* 4:30PM-5:15PM & 6:30PM-7:15PM Maker Space	17 Toddler Time+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Cooking Matters for Families ** 6:00PM-8:00PM Maker Space	18 Baby Time+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Library Board Meeting 7:00PM City Hall	19 Family Craft Night <i>African Folktale Craft</i> 6:30PM-7:30PM Story Room	20	21 Miz Rosie, the Storyteller 2:00PM Auditorium Barnes & Noble Book Fair 9:00AM-9:00PM Midland Mall
22	23 STEM: Keva Plank Challenge* 4:30PM-5:15PM & 6:30PM-7:15PM Maker Space	24 Toddler Time+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Cooking Matters for Families ** 6:00PM-8:00PM Maker Space	25 Baby Time+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room	26 Preschool Storytime+ & 11:00AM-11:30AM Story Room Family Fun Night* 6:30PM-7:30PM Story Room	27	28 
29	30 Family Movie <i>Moana</i> (PG) 2:00PM Auditorium STEM: Strawbees* 4:30PM-5:15PM Maker Space	31 Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library Program* 2:00PM Story Room <i>Last day to register for the Altered Book Competition</i>	1 Family Movie <i>Toy Story 4</i> (G) 2:00PM Auditorium	2	3 Family Movie <i>How to Train Your Dragon</i> (PG) 2:00PM Auditorium	4

* Registration is required. Call 837-3466 to sign up.

+ Ticket required for this program.

** You must register for the class in advance. To register call the MSU Extension at 832-6645.

Attendance at Library programs constitutes consent to be photographed or filmed for use in print and/or electronic publicity for the Library.



March is Reading Month!

Celebrate March is Reading Month with our 20/20 Reading Challenge. Use the Library's new reading app, Beanstack, to read 20 minutes for 20 days between March 2 and March 31. Completing the challenge earns you an entry into a drawing for a prize basket. The challenge will launch March 2. Check gadml.org for more information.



GRACE A. DOW MEMORIAL LIBRARY • Youth Events

Baby Time+ 0–18 months Story Room	Babies will enjoy a storytime filled with stories, songs, movement, and socialization.
Daddy & Me Storytime+ 12–24 months Story Room	Young ones and their special guy are invited to join us for a fun filled storytime. Together, dads, grandpas, and other extraordinary men and their little will read, sing, play, and make a special craft!
Toddler Time+ 18 months–3 years Story Room	Talk, Sing, Read, Write, and Play at the Library! Enjoy books, songs and movement followed by 10–15 minutes of play!
Preschool Storytime+ 3–5 years Story Room	Join us for stories, rhymes, and songs. The story time will end with an activity or a simple craft.
Family Storytime+ Ages 3–8 Story Room	Oh no! A leprechaun has been up to shenanigans! Come enjoy a story, a coin scavenger hunt, and build a leprechaun trap!
STEM: Ozobots* Ages 6–12, (6–9 caregiver required) Maker Space *Registration required	Need for Speed – Create a 100 centimeter race track that meets the design challenges and gets Ozobot to the finish line as fast as possible!
STEM: Lego Robotics* Ages 6–12, (6–9 caregiver required) Maker Space *Registration required	Build a Lego model that uses drag-and-drop programming to move, make sounds, and light up!
STEM: Q-Ba-Maze* Ages 6–12, (6–9 caregiver required) Maker Space *Registration required	Use colorful, interlocking cubes to design and build a creative marble maze sculpture. Learn about probability, physics, and engineering while having a blast!
STEM: Keva Plank Challenge* Ages 6–12, (6–9 caregiver required) Maker Space *Registration required	Combine engineering, physics, and design as you create a unique structure using Keva Planks!
STEM: Strawbees* Ages 6–12, (6–9 caregiver required) Maker Space *Registration required	Spark creativity, engineering, and problem-solving! Pick a challenge, sketch your design, and build a solution!

Family Fun Night* Ages 3–8 Story Room *Registration required	Show your true colors as you create a Chameleon craft and play board games! Come join the fun!
Mr. Lemoncello's Great Library Escape Game Ages 9–12 *Registration required	Did you enjoy the book <i>ESCAPE FROM MR. LEMONCELLO'S LIBRARY</i> by Chris Grabenstein? Then join us to play a live version of the game! Sign up with a team of 4–8 members to find clues, solve puzzles, and escape from the library!

African Tales with Miz Rosie

Join us an interactive storytelling adventure that will educate, enlighten, and entertain. Miz Rosie's storytelling will be sure to tickle the soul, warm the heart, and stimulate the mind! All ages welcome!



Teen Events

Make It & Take It

Macramé
Ages 13 and up
Orchard Room

We'll provide the materials, you bring your creativity! This free, drop-in crafting class happens every 2nd Wednesday. While supplies last.

Teen Advisory Group

Ages 12–18
Maker Space

Be proactive! Have a say about teen services at the library and earn volunteer hours.

Altered Book Competition*

Group 1: Ages 18 and under, Group 2: Ages 19 and up



Create book art and win a prize! Form a team of 2 or complete a project on your own. Registration forms and FREE materials (*2 books per team only*) are available between March 2 and March 31 at the Circulation Desk.



*Registration is required. Please contact the Reference Desk or check our website for contest rules and additional details.

* Registration required. Stop by the Youth Services Desk or call 989-837-3466 to sign up.

+ Ticket required. Free tickets available at the Youth Services Desk 20 minutes before the start of the program.



Phone Numbers

Information	989-837-3430
Reference	989-837-3449
Youth and Teen Services	989-837-3466
Check Out Desk	989-837-3457
Text the Library	989-750-0060
MCTV	989-837-3474

Hours

Monday–Friday	9:30AM–8:30PM
Saturday	10:00AM–5:00PM
Sunday	1:00PM–5:00PM
Closed Sundays Memorial Day–Labor Day	

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