



HUSSEY-MAYFIELD MEMORIAL PUBLIC LIBRARY

NEWSLETTER

March 2024

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Whitestown Branch

Grand Opening Celebration!

March 16 - 10 AM - 2 PM

Join us for this exciting event! This will be the public's first opportunity to see, explore and use the new building at 6310 Albert S. White Drive, Whitestown. Check out the activities for the day:

- 10 AM** Key speakers, ribbon-cutting, and official photo
- 10:30 AM** Doors will open to the public
- 10:30 AM - 2 PM** Guided building tours
- 10:30 AM - 2 PM** MakerStudio technology demonstrations
- 11 AM** The Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra presents Teddy Bear Symphony concert in the Community Room
Registration is required
- 11 AM - 2 PM** Visit therapy dogs, Pearl, Clover and Groban
- 11:30 AM** Author Angie Karcher will share her stories in the Youth area
- 12:30 PM** Drop by the Teen Room to draw with local author and illustrator, Rob Harrell
- 12:30 - 1:30 PM** Village Dance Studio dancers will present mini performances in the Youth Department
- 1 - 2 PM** Game On: a drop-in table gaming program for teens and adults presented by gaming enthusiast Josh Morgan
- 1:30 PM** Local author Laura Martin will discuss her novels and help visitors create their own bookmarks in the Teen Room

Join the
Friends of the Library
for their next
Dine to Donate

Tuesday, March 12
10:30 AM - 8 PM
At Amore Pizzeria
41 Boone Village, Zionsville

Present a flyer or social media post and Amore will donate 10% of your purchase to the Friends of HMMPL. Online orders should use the code "Library" when ordering.

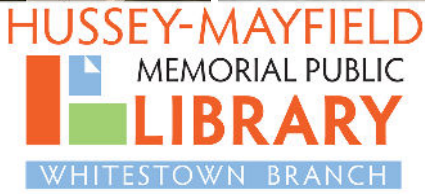
Library Closings

March 16
Late opening at 1PM due to Whitestown Branch Grand Opening

March 31
Closed for Easter Sunday

12th Annual **REUSE HEART & SOLE** Shoe Collection

In February, our Library received **1,481 pairs of shoes** as part of the Reuse Heart and Sole Shoe Drive. A big heartfelt thank you for your amazing contribution!



What's Happening in March

 Youth

 Teen

 Adult

 Teen and Adult

 All Ages

March 1	First Friday After Hours @ 6:30 PM
March 3	Sunday Chess Club @ 1:30 PM
March 4	Noir Night: Shadows in the Stacks @ 5 PM
	Teen Anime/Manga Club @ 5 PM
March 5	PAWS to Read with Pearl @ 4 PM
	After School Tween Book Club @ 4:30 PM
March 6	Wired Wednesday @ 2 PM
	Let's Draw! (Grades K - 2) @ 4 PM
	Let's Draw! (Grades 3 - 5) @ 5 PM
	Teen Council @ 6 PM
March 7	Beginning Reader Book Club @ 4 PM
	All-Ages Chess @ 6 PM
	It's a Mystery Book Club @ 6:30 PM
March 9	Hoosier Mamas Cross Stitch @ 10 AM
	YAM: Roll A Mask @ 10 AM
March 10	Sunday Chess Club @ 1:30 PM
	Winter Sowing and Soil Blocking for starting Seeds @ 3 PM
	Button Art @ Noon
March 11	American Mahjong Club @ 4 PM
	Lego Read! Build! Play! @ 6:30 PM
March 12	Books Over Coffee @ Noon
March 13	Wednesday Morning Book Club @ 10 AM
	Wired Wednesday @ 2 PM
	Youth Break-In Box: The Dot: Make Your Mark! @ 3:15 PM
	Tween Break-In Box: Combo & Cypher's Starry Night @ 4:30 PM
March 14	Tasting and Talking Cookbook Club @ 1 PM
	Clover Digs Books! @ 4 PM
March 15	Animal Adventures: Animals During an Eclipse @ 10:30 AM
March 16	WHITESTOWN BRANCH GRAND OPENING @10 AM - 2 PM
March 17	YAM: Styrofoam Printmaking @ 2 PM
	Jenn's Book Club @ 1 PM
March 18	Sunday Chess Club @ 1:30 PM
	Retro Gaming Club--N64 @ 2 PM
	Let's Sew (by hand) Together! @ 4 PM
	Youth: Experiencing the Eclipse: Sight, Sound, Touch @ 4 PM
	Escape Into a Fairytale @ 4:30 PM
	Teen Anime/Manga Club @ 5 PM
March 19	Adults: Experiencing the Eclipse: Sight, Sound, Touch @ 6 PM
	Card Sharks @ 10 AM
	World Cultures Club @ 4:30 PM
March 20	Wired Wednesday @ 2 PM
	Helping Hands Crew @ 5 PM
	Bookends Book Club @ 6 PM
	Teen Community Service Club: Food Drive Prep at HMMPL @ 6 PM
March 21	Art Hour with Miss Gwen! @ 4 PM
	Getting Smart about College Selection @ 6 PM
March 22	StoryWalker's Club Event: Eclipse by Andy Rash @ 10:30 AM
March 23	YAM: Swirling Skies @ 10 AM
	Knit & Sew Club @ 1 PM
March 24	Sunday Chess Club @ 1:30 PM
March 25	Donate Blood & Save Lives- Versiti Bloodmobile @ 1 - 5 PM
March 26	Old Hollywood Movie Night @ 5 PM
	After-School Squad: Dino-Mite Dinos @ 4 PM
March 27	Wired Wednesday @ 2PM
	School-Age Lego Club @ 4 PM
	Game On! @ 5 PM
	Solar Eclipse Present. with Grand Universe CEO, Greg McCauley @ 6:30 PM - Whitestown
March 28	Design It! Build It! Create It! @ 4 PM
March 29	Solar Eclipse Storytime @ 10:30 AM
March 30	YAM: Rod Puppets @ 10 AM



YOUTH ART MONTH®

First Friday

Special After-Hours Event

Friday, March 1
6 - 8 PM

Teen Zone, 2nd Floor

- **Art exhibit** by local students
- **Reception** & refreshments
- **MakerStudio** drop-in craft: button making



Our March Storytimes begin the week of **March 11. Register once for the whole series.** Choose one of the following options:

Books 'n Babies (0 - 11 Months)

Wed., March 13, 20, 27 @ 11:30 AM

Tales for Tots (12 - 35 Months)

Mon., March 11, 18, 25 @ 9:30 AM

Tues., March 12, 19, 26 @ 9:30 AM

Wed., March 13, 20, 27 @ 9:30 AM

Thurs., March 14, 21, 28 @ 9:30 AM

Thurs., March 14, 21, 28 @ 10:30 AM

Preschool Pals (3 - 6 Years)

Mon., March 11, 18, 25 @ 10:30 AM

Tues., March 12, 19, 26 @ 10:30 AM

Wed., March 13, 20, 27 @ 10:30 AM

Register at bit.ly/HMMPLStorytime



TRY OUT THE MAKERSTUDIO

Contact us at makerstudio@hmmpl.org to set up an Orientation Session so you can **join** one of our MakerStudio clubs or **attend** a MakerStudio program.

- **Various days/times***
Choose Your Own Adventure
- **Fri., March 1 @ 6:30 PM**
Button Making Fun Drop-in Craft
- **March 1, 4, 5, 7, 8 @ 11 AM**
Model Train Switcher Track Design and Test Week
- **Tue., March 19 @ 6 PM**
3D Printing and Design Club Beginner - Novice
- **Tue., March 26 @ 6:30 PM**
3D Printing 101 with Tony Siciliano

*Register for MakerStudio classes at bit.ly/HMMPLMakerStudioCalendar

Blood Drive

#SaveLivesDonateBlood



Versiti Bloodmobile will be at
the Zionsville Library
March 25
@ 1 - 5 PM

Appointments are encouraged,
but walk-ins are welcome!