

**Virtual Events
Inside!**

LANSING PUBLIC LIBRARY

Limited Edition

Volume 17, Issue 9.1

**November 2020-
December 2020**



Please visit the Library or
our website for updates to
program information.
www.lansingpl.org

Director: Deborah Albrecht
Editor: Kelli Staley
Graphic Design: Kelli Staley

From the Director's Desk

Greeting to you all as we enter into the holiday season. It may look a little different this year. I sure hope you get to spend some time with family and friends even if it is social distanced. I am sure we are all looking forward to 2021 with a sense of hope and optimism that we can get a handle on COVID-19 and the chaos around us will be resolved.

I am thrilled we are finally to the point of accepting a bid for our remodel project on our lower level. We hope to have construction underway before Thanksgiving. The lower level door will remain locked until the project is complete in March or April 2021. This is necessary for safety reasons. We understand this is an inconvenience, it is for staff as well, but it cannot be helped.

The lower level remodel will begin by replacing the HVAC system on that level of the building. The system that has been in place for many years is not adequate. This is why we could not do the remodel when we did the upstairs a few years ago. We needed to save and now we will be paying for this entire project from savings.

The ceiling will be removed and replaced, all carpet not replaced a few years ago will be replaced, and we are adding a few seating areas for Youth and families. We are adding a study/program room over by the windows to be used for storytimes and family study. Some of the Youth and Teen computers will be relocated. Picture book shelves will be reconfigured to fit the new space.

The Youth/Teen office is being enlarged to accommodate staff and off public desk needs. A new storage closet is being added adjacent to this room. The old storage room will be incorporated into the teen area. The teen space will have room for gaming, computer use, conversation and a maker area. The adjacent Brick Room will be used as a teen homework space.

The Community Room will still be used for programs, as the first teen gathering space as they arrive to the library but also will be able to morph into a makerspace for young and old alike. The old kitchen is going to be removed, the staff room reconfigured and a new door from the hallway leading to an audio and a visual room where folks can create content. The maker areas will evolve as we see how they are used. We will install new parking lot lights that match the lights in front of the library. I am sure you noticed we just resurfaced all the parking areas this summer.

We had to ask the Lansing Historical Society to shut down until this project is complete. This was hard for them and I hated to ask, but it is necessary. So there will be no "Festival of Lights" this year. If you would like to speak to someone at Historical to make an appointment or for any other reason, please call them at 708-474-2447 ask for Historical or ext. 176. Please leave a message, they will get back to you. We look forward to next spring when they are back with us during their regular hours.

(Continued on page 11)

Dates to Remember

Election Day Open for Voting Only & Closed for other Library Business

Tuesday, Nov. 3

Thanksgiving Holiday:

Closing at 5 p.m.

Wed., Nov. 25, 2020.

Closed Thursday,
November 26, 2020.

Festival of Lights:

Canceled for 2020

Christmas Holidays:

Closed Thursday, Dec. 24
through Saturday, Dec. 26

New Year's Holidays:

Closed Thursday, Dec. 31
through Saturday, Jan. 2

Library Hours:

Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

2750 Indiana Avenue
Lansing, IL 60438-2226
Phone: 708-474-2447
www.lansingpl.org

In This Issue

- *Adult Events*
- *Early Voting*
- *Friends News*
- *Limited Services*
- *Teen Events*
- *Try-It Illinois*
- *Youth Events*

Limited Walk-In Services Continue through Phase 4



Continuing through Illinois COVID-19 Phase 4

Lansing Public Library has returned to our regular service hours with limited walk-in services as outlined here.

Library Hours:
Monday - Thursday
9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Masks and social distancing are required.

Parking & Entrance

Only the upper level entrance (Indiana Avenue) will be open at this time.

Please watch for the Handicapped Parking designations along Indiana Avenue.

We will be limiting the number of people in the building at one time and practicing social distancing.

Cashless Transactions Policy

In light of health concerns for patrons and staff, Lansing Public Library will no longer handle cash transactions.

Our copiers, fax/scanners and printers will accept cash as before accepting small bills and coins. There will be no hand to hand transactions involving cash.

Please bring change with you if required or small bills that our machines accept. *Staff will have no change.*

You may also make a payment with a credit card or debit card.

Checks and money orders may only be used to make a payment to your library account. They cannot be used to pay for fax/scans, prints or copies.

You may also pay bills securely online through your library account at <https://bit.ly/3cCLjNw>

Money orders may be purchased at the Post Office for \$1.20 each. Checks and Money Orders should be made payable to Lansing Public Library.

This policy will help us in our goal of providing a safe facility for all.

Circulation Desk

Checkout & Holds

Only Self-Check Stations are available at this time. **Please bring your library card or mobile library card** in the SWAN Libraries app with you to check out materials.

Library Cards

New & renewed library cards will be issued. Please check the list of documents (<https://bit.ly/2CFSTdj>) before you come in.

Library cards that expired January 2020 through September 7, 2020 were automatically extended until September 8, 2020. Seniors 60+ who had cards expiring by December 2020 have been extended until the same month in 2021.

Returns

Please return all items to the drive-up book drop in the back parking lot. If items are returned inside they must be put in the wall slots near the Circulation Desk.

Items are quarantined at least 7 days before returning to the collection.

Material Browsing

Patrons may browse for their own materials (books, DVDs, CDs, audiobooks, magazines).

If you need a recommendation or assistance, ask us!

While we have missed you and would love to chat, we ask at this time that you select your materials, self-checkout and allow others to use the library space.

We are limiting the number of people in the building and would like to provide service to as many as possible.

InterLibrary Loan

At this time, we are able to request items from other neighboring libraries.

Holds will be sent according to individual libraries' participation and reopening plans.

Thank you for your patience as SWAN libraries resume services.

Quarantine requirements for InterLibrary Loan has resulted in longer wait times.

Lansing Historical Society

At this time, the museum is closed.

Festival of Lights (Christmas Trees Exhibit) is canceled for 2020.

(Continued on page 3)

Limited Walk-In Services Continue through Phase 4

(Continued from page 2)

Copiers & Fax/Scan

Copiers and the Fax/Scan stations are available.

In accordance with the library's cashless transactions policy, staff will be unable to provide change. Please bring small bills or coins for use in the machines.

Fax/Scan stations accept cash or credit/debit cards.

The fax machine accepts cash (coin, \$1, or \$5 bills), credit & debit cards, including contactless payments such as Apple Pay, Google Pay)

\$1.00 per page. *If your document is more than 20 pages, split into multiple faxes.*

Cover page provided by the software is free. If you SCAN in a cover page, it is charged at the per-page rate of \$1.00
Free receipts and confirmations provided if you enter an email address.

Copiers are cash only.

Black & White copies 10¢ per page.

Color copies 25¢ per page.

Copy machine accepts coin (no pennies), \$1 or \$5 bills.

Change is given in coin.

Computers & Printing

Computers

Limited public computers will be available due to social distancing.

Only 1 chair & 1 person per computer. Computer assistance from staff will be limited due to social distancing.

All computers are on the upper level and are open to all ages with a valid Lansing Public Library card.

Computers are limited to Lansing cardholders at this time.

Non-residents may use the 15-minute express station.

Laptops for checkout in the building are not available at this time.

Printing

In accordance with the library's cashless transactions policy, staff will not be able to provide change for the printer. Please bring small bills, change or credit/debit cards (minimum \$1 transaction for credit/debit).

Black & white printouts 15¢ per page
Color printouts 15¢ per page

The print software will calculate the number of pages and cost of your print job.

Print jobs route to the print release "cPad station", where patrons must pay for their job to release it to the printer. Cash (\$1, or \$5 bills and coin except pennies), credit/debit cards including contactless payments such as Apple Pay, Google Pay accepted at the print release station.

Mobile printing from your own wireless device is available.
(<https://bit.ly/2B5gO5j>) *This link is also available in the SWAN Libraries app.*

Wi-Fi

Wi-Fi in the building is available for sending mobile print jobs. We cannot accommodate you sitting with your own device at this time unless you reserve a study room. (<https://bit.ly/2VbeHn9>) *This link is also available in the SWAN Libraries app.*

Lower Level: Youth & Teen Materials

The lower level is closed until the completion of the lower level renovation.

The back door by the parking lot is locked.

Youth & Teen materials have been moved upstairs temporarily.

Please ask Youth staff (in the stage area) for assistance in locating items you need.

Spaces

Study Rooms are available by reservation, at a reduced 50% seating capacity. (<https://bit.ly/2VbeHn9>) *This link is also available in the SWAN Libraries app.*

Rooms 1 & 3 can accommodate 2 people, Room 2 can accommodate 3 people

At this time, the Atrium, Quiet Room, and other open tables & chairs at the library are closed.

Events

Events continue to be virtual. No in-person book discussions, computer classes, storytimes or other events at this time.

The knitting group has chosen to meet on the front lawn, weather permitting.

Children & Teen Policy

Everyone 8th grade and under must be accompanied by an adult until the youth department reopens.

Friends' Book Sale Shelf

The Friends' Book Sale shelf is cash-only, exact change please.

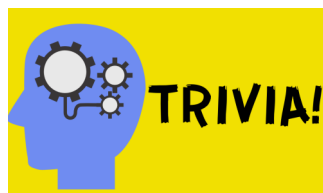
Adult Events Online



Knit/Crochet Wednesdays & Fridays 10:00 am.-12:00 p.m.



Weather permitting on the front lawn. Bring your own chair & supplies.



Lansing Library Live Trivia!
(Facebook Live)
Every Thursday at 6:00 p.m.
(except Nov. 26, Dec. 24 & 31)
visit our Facebook page
<https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary/>, and
participate in live trivia!
Topics and questions will vary weekly. Ages 18 and up.



Did you miss one of our events this week?

Catch the replays!
Find them at <https://bit.ly/3j6ohSZ>
See past Tech Corner topics, genealogy
classes, trivia, crafts and more.



Cooking With Chef Dave

Chef Dave Esau of Dave's Specialty Foods, has won culinary awards, appeared on television and has been featured on numerous radio programs. Join Chef Dave as he presents two virtual holiday cooking shows.

Sign up for our eNewsletters or visit our website calendar for the links.

<https://www.lansingpl.org/news/limited-edition-library-newsletter>

November (YouTube)

Chef Dave will demonstrate classic Thanksgiving dishes and new twists on old favorites! Dave will also demonstrate the proper way to carve your turkey. You'll be surprised that grandpa has been incorrectly carving the bird all these years! ☺ Recipes to be demonstrated: awesome mashed potatoes, the BEST gravy, shredded Brussels sprouts with maple and bacon, and carving your bird.

December (YouTube)

Chef Dave will demonstrate French recipes and techniques for your holiday get-togethers! This virtual cooking demo will

feature proper kitchen skills including prep, cutting and chopping, and stovetop cookery. The recipes will all be broken down by Chef Dave into easy, stress-free and fun steps! Recipes to include: pork Normandy, chicken stuffed with Brie and spinach, and *crème brûlée*.



Make It Class (You Tube) November 13

Premieres at
10:00 a.m.

Christmas Treat Bags

Christmas treat bags can be used for the 12 days of Christmas, the 25 day Christmas count down advent calendar or individual treat bags for your family and friends. To make these little bags you will need:

- 12-25 envelopes, mixed sizes are alright. Do not use the legal sized ones.
- A ruler
- Scissors
- Glue
- Colored markers, crayons, or dye stamps
- Christmas stickers
- Christmas stamps
- Small treats and toys
- Ribbon or colored string

Start a new tradition and hide

(Continued on page 5)

Adult Events Online

(Continued from page 4)

them around the house.

The person who finds the bag for the day, gets to share the contents with friends or family.



Presidential Follies: The Not-So Great Moments of the U.S. Presidency (Facebook Live)

**Tuesday, November 24
from 6:00pm-7:30pm**

In this live presentation, Information Services Associate and historian Daniel Cuthbert will reveal the stories behind some of our presidents' worst & weirdest moments in and out of the office!

Visit <https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary> to attend.



Virtual Teacher Cocktail Hour Tuesday, December 8 @ 6:00 p.m. [Teachers] Live on Zoom

Teachers are superheroes!

Exhausted superheroes. Let off

some steam in this fun virtual cocktail hour. Games, prizes, drinks, and lots of laughs. Sign up before Dec. 4 to receive a cocktail hour gift bag! Registration required for Zoom access.



Make It Class (You Tube) December 11 Premieres at 10:00 a.m.

Christmas Crackers without the Bang

We will be making Christmas Crackers for December. Christmas Crackers are a traditional part of celebrating a British Christmas with friends and family. Our cracker is a variation of that idea. Our crackers will not go bang. Our crackers will be filled with chocolates, caramels, peppermints, and small toys. Yum!

To make one cracker you will need:

- 1 Empty toilet paper roll, or paper towel core.
- 1 sheet of paper 8 1/2 x 11 inches, cut in half the long way. Any kind of paper is fine to use to cover the core. One sheet covers 2 crackers.
- String or ribbon to tie the ends
- Tissue paper (any color),

Christmas wrapping paper. Newspaper, or colored Xerox paper, even magazine pages can be used to make a cracker. Paper needs to be approximately 10 x 7 1/2 inches square to make cracker. The paper will wrap the entire package.

- Glue, or glue stick
- Scissors
- Wrapped treats to fill the crackers: chocolate kisses, caramels, peppermints, small toys. Anything that will fit inside.

Christmas Crackers can be given to family & friends, Christmas guests, and holiday visitors. You can make them as special treats, or for a special friend. It's hard to make just one.



Funniest Heartwarming Christmas Scenes in Movies Tuesday, December 15 from 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Live on Zoom

Enjoy many of your favorite holiday movies and shows in this funny and touching collection of great Christmas scenes! You'll laugh when Bob Hope and Bing Crosby meet Santa Claus, and smile when Cary Grant and

(Continued on page 6)

Adult Events Online



(Continued from page 5)

Loretta Young go ice skating in The Bishop's Wife! You'll see these clips and many more, along with funny and touching stories about the holiday season! Registration required for Zoom access, and all events will be monitored.



An (Un)Traditional Christmas (Facebook Live)

**Tuesday, December 22
from 6:00pm-7:30pm**

In this live presentation, Information Services Associate Daniel Cuthbert presents the unique origins behind some of the world's most interesting Christmas and holiday traditions!

Visit <https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary> to attend.



Tech Corner

Join Dan to learn a new skill. Recordings of the live events are available afterwards on the library's Facebook page.

Tech Corner:

How to Prep for Black Friday Shopping! (Facebook Live)

**Tuesday, November 10
from 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.**

In this live class, we will explore how to prepare for Black Friday deals utilizing online websites and resources to help whether you're planning for in person shopping or online!

Prerequisite: Introductory knowledge of Internet browsing. Visit <https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary> to attend.

Tech Corner:

Storage in the "Cloud" (Facebook Live)

**Tuesday, November 24
from 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.**

In this live class, find out the differences and how you can use the free storage available with Google Drive and other cloud storage sites to save your documents, pictures, and much more!

Prerequisite: Introductory knowledge of computers and Internet browsing. Visit <https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary> to attend.

Tech Corner:

Gift-Giving With Canva! (Facebook Live)

**Tuesday, December 1
from 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.**

In this live class, find out how you can use the free design website Canva to create custom made designs for unique, one of a kind Christmas presents!

Prerequisite: Introductory knowledge of Internet browsing. Visit <https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary> to attend.

Tech Corner:

Show Off!: Getting Your Best Holiday (Or Any Time) Photos (Facebook Live)

**Tuesday, December 8
from 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.**

In this live class, we'll talk about ways you can get your best shots with any camera and make those family portraits look fantastic! Visit <https://www.facebook.com/LansingPublicLibrary> to attend.

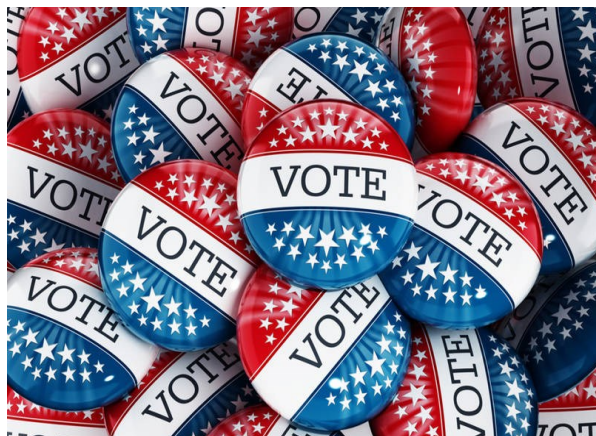


Did you miss one of our earlier classes?

Catch the replays!
Find them at <https://bit.ly/3j6ohSZ>

See past Tech Corner topics, genealogy classes, trivia, crafts and more.

News You Can Use



**Early Voting: General Election, Voter Registration, and Mail-In Paper Ballot Drop-Off at these times only
October 19 through November 2 on the Upper Level**

Monday, October 19—Friday, October 23

from 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 24 from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Monday, October 26—Friday, October 30

from 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 31 from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 1 from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Monday, November 2 from 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

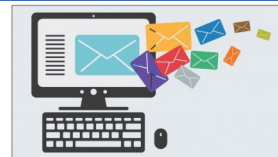
Tuesday, November 3: Election Day. Vote at your assigned polling place from 6:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.



Friends of the Library News

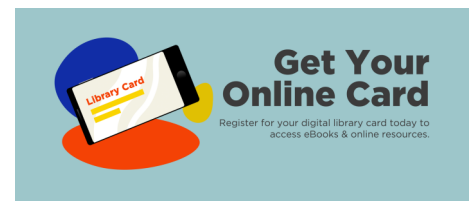
Watch for additional Friends' fundraisers at the Circulation Desk.

Friends' monthly Book Sales are indefinitely postponed, but you may purchase books and DVD's any time from our upstairs Friends' book case. Start your Christmas shopping early: \$5 Christmas Gift bundles will be available October 1. Youth and Adult bundles as supplies last.



**Join our
newsletter
email list!**

Never miss a newsletter issue!
Be the first to hear about upcoming special events, classes and more!
Sign up at <https://bit.ly/2PTymnP>



Do you have friends or family in Lansing who need to access our online resources?

If you already have a Lansing Library card, you already have access to our eBooks, eAudio, eMagazines, streaming video and online research resources.

If you don't have a card yet, and need instant access visit <https://bit.ly/3iV6Cwy> for details.

Must be age 13+ to apply.

Explore Illinois Try-It! Illinois

October 1 through November 30

Welcome to **Try-It! Illinois 2020**, the nineteenth annual statewide database trial,

sponsored by Secretary of State and State Librarian *Jesse White* and the *Illinois State Library*. **Try-It! Illinois** offers the staffs and library users of the more than 5,000 ILLINET member libraries the opportunity to survey and evaluate a wide variety of electronic resources. Thanks to the partnerships between the Illinois State Library and the participating electronic resource vendors, **there is no charge for accessing these databases during Try-It! Illinois**. Enjoy them from the comfort of your own home, other places you use the Internet such as coffee shops, or at the library. Request the login information at <http://www.finditillinois.org/tryit/>

Youth/Teen Online Events



Grab and Go STEAM The Month of November [Family Event]

Come grab a STEAM kit and watch our instructional YouTube video to do a simple experiment at home. This month's kit is all about germination! Kits will be available every day at the youth services desk.



Pre-K Storytime Thursdays @ 11:00 a.m.

November 5
November 12
November 19
December 3 *Craft kit available for this week*
December 10
December 17
[Ages 0-5]

Live on Zoom

Join us over Zoom for an all-ages storytime. Sing songs, read books, shake home-made shakers, and share some laughs with other families in your community.

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.

Crafts posted to YouTube each Thursday.



Silly Songs Tuesday, November 3 Premiere @ 5:30 p.m.

[Family Event]

Video on YouTube (subscribe to Lansing Public Library)

Stay home and sing along to some silly guitar songs!

Make noise, explore some instruments, and get silly! Our favorite hits include "Five Little Ducks", "Wishy Washy Washer Woman", and "Los Colores."



Mi Casita (bilingüe)

Mi Casita
Lunes/Monday, Noviembre/
November 23 @ 5:30 p.m.

[Family Event]

Live on Zoom

Registration is required.

Join us for a fun and enriching experience during our virtual Mi Casita Bilingual Playgroup. We will be reading a Thanksgiving book in Spanish and English followed by a fun activity.

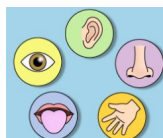
Acompáñenos para una experiencia divertida y enriquecedora durante nuestro grupo virtual de Mi Casita. Estaremos leyendo un libro de Acción de Gracia en Español e Inglés seguido de una actividad

divertida.

Please pick up an activity kit at the library.

Por favor de levantar un kit de actividades en la biblioteca.

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.



DIY Sensory Exploration

**Premieres Tuesday,
November 17**
[All Ages and Abilities]
Video on YouTube
(subscribe to Lansing Public Library)

Miss Alyson has a degree in Special Education and is here to show you how to create interesting sensory items from your own home! Follow along for a fun, new experience and to learn how and why these items are used.



**November 30-
December 5**

Your library will be participating in Fox Pointe's Christmas Tree Decorating

Contest. We need your help! Pick up an ornament to decorate and return it by December 7 to add your art to our community tree.

(Continued on page 9)

Youth/Teen Online Events

(Continued from page 8)



Grab and Go STEAM The Month of December [Family Event]

Come grab a STEAM kit and watch our instructional YouTube video on doing a simple experiment at home. This month's kit is an igloo challenge! Kits will be available every day at the youth services desk.



Silly Songs Tuesday, December 1 @ 5:30pm [Family Event]

Video on YouTube (subscribe to Lansing Public Library)

Stay home and sing along to some silly guitar songs! Make noise, explore some instruments, and get silly! Our favorite hits include "Five Little Ducks", "Wishy Washy Washer Woman", and "Los Colores."



Virtual Teacher Cocktail Hour Tuesday, December 8 @ 6:00 p.m. [Teachers] Live on Zoom

Teachers are superheroes! Exhausted superheroes. Let off some steam in this fun virtual cocktail hour. Games, prizes, drinks, and lots of laughs. Sign up before December 4th to receive a cocktail hour gift bag!

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.



DIY Sensory Exploration

Premieres Tuesday, December 15 [All Ages and Abilities] Video on YouTube (subscribe to Lansing Public Library)

Miss Alyson has a degree in Special Education and is here to show you how to create interesting sensory items from your own home! Follow along for a fun, new experience and to learn how and why these items are used.



Mi Casita (bilingüe)

Mi Casita Lunes/Monday, Diciembre/ December 28 @ 5:30 p.m. [Family Event]

Live on Zoom

Registration is required.

Join us for a fun and enriching experience during our virtual Mi Casita Bilingual Playgroup. We will be reading a book about snow in Spanish and English followed by a fun activity.

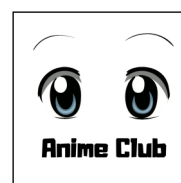
Acompáñenos para una experiencia divertida y enriquecedora durante nuestro grupo virtual de Mi Casita. Estaremos leyendo un libro sobre nieve en Español e Inglés seguido de una actividad divertida.

Please pick up an activity kit at the library.

Por favor de levantar un kit de actividades en la biblioteca.

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.

Teen Events



Anime Club Wednesday, November 18

**@ 5:00 p.m.
[Grades 6-12]
Live on Zoom**

(Continued on page 10)

Youth/Teen Online Events

(Continued from page 9)

Do you love anime and manga?! Can you run like Naruto? Are you a true otaku? Anime club is the place for you! We will talk all things anime and argue about things like who would win in a fight between Kaneki from Tokyo Ghoul and Sebastian from Black Butler.

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.



**November 30-
December 5**

Your library will be participating in Fox Pointe's Christmas Tree

Decorating Contest. We need your help! Pick up an ornament to decorate and return it by December 7 to add your art to our community tree.



**News You Can Use
Wednesday, December 9**

@ 6:30 p.m.

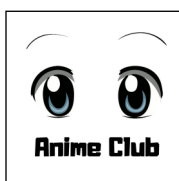
[Teens and Parents]

Live on Zoom

Big changes are coming to the Youth Department this fall! Join us on Zoom to hear all about the planned renovations: the amazing new Teen Space,

Homework Hub, and Maker Spaces. Also, hear important news about changing policies for our after school crowd.

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.



**Anime Club
Wednesday,
December 23
@ 5:00 p.m.
[Grades 6-12]
Live on Zoom**

Do you love anime and manga?! Can you run like Naruto? Are you a true otaku? Anime club is the place for you! We will talk all things anime and argue about things like who would win in a fight between Kaneki from Tokyo Ghoul and Sebastian from Black Butler.

Registration required for Zoom access and all events will be monitored.

**Visit our website
[calendar/event list to
register for the zoom events.](#)**

IMPORTANT UPDATE

Lower Level is shut down for renovations. Some picture books, chapter books, and teen books have been moved upstairs, but our collection and space will be severely limited.

We will not have a play space for young children.

We will not have a place for teens to hang out after school.

Please arrange other accommodations for your middle and high school-aged children after school or plan to accompany them to the library.

Children under 8th grade must be accompanied by an adult.

Teen Volunteers

Unfortunately, due to COVID-19, we are suspending our volunteer program until further notice.

Daycare Centers

While we are always excited to see kids coming to the library on field trips, we must ask that daycare centers refrain from visiting the library this year. Due to health and safety concerns, we have removed all the toys from the children's area and may not be open to patrons for some or all of the summer.

If you are interested in having a librarian visit your center to bring books and a storytime, please contact Beth at beth@lansingpl.org.

Centers must be licensed to qualify for a visit.

The health and safety of our staff will be considered in scheduling all outreach visits.

(Continued from page 1)

The Youth department has been operating upstairs all summer. We brought much of our collection upstairs. Remember if we do not have what you are looking for we can get it from another library for you. Please just ask staff if you need assistance. They will be happy to show you where everything is located.

Please note that curbside pick-up will be discontinued on Monday, November 2. It has served its purpose, and we have very few folks who use it. If you have a medical reason that prohibits you from coming into the library please contact, Debbie Boroviak, our Homebound Delivery Coordinator (708-474-2447 ext. 109). She will work with you to provide service. Wishing you all joy and good health this holiday season!
Debbie Albrecht - Director

Key:

F=Facebook Live, and also recorded video available from Facebook page after event

L=Front Lawn, Weather permitting

Y=YouTube Video

(Lansing Public Library on YouTube.com)

Z=Zoom Live Event.

Registration Required on our library website.

Lansing Public Library Online Events

NOVEMBER 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 Nov. 1 Early Voting 9-5 All Month! Cooking with Chef Dave (Y)	 2 Early Voting 8:30-7 All Month! Grab & Go STEAM (Y)	 3 Election Day 6a-7p Library Open for Voting ONLY Silly Songs (Y) 5:30	4 Knit (L) 10-12	5 Pre-K Storytime (Z) 11:00 Pre-K Craft (Y) Trivia (F) 6:00	6 Knit (L) 10-12	7
8	9	10 How to Prep for Black Friday Shopping (F) 2:00	11 Knit (L) 10-12	12 Pre-K Storytime (Z) 11:00 Pre-K Craft (Y) Trivia (F) 6:00	13 Make It: Christmas Treat Bags (Y) 10:00 Knit (L) 10-12	14
15	16	17 DIY Sensory Exploration (Y)	18 Knit (L) 10-12 Anime Club (Z) 5:00	19 Pre-K Storytime (Z) 11:00 Pre-K Craft (Y) Trivia (F) 6:00	20 Knit (L) 10-12	21
22	23 Mi Casita (bilingüe) (Z) 5:30	24 Storage in the "Cloud" (F) 2:00 Presidential Follies (F) 6:00-7:30	25 Library Open 9-5 Knit (L) 10-12	26 Library Closed	27 Knit (L) 10-12	28
29	30 Ornament Decorate					



Key:

F=Facebook Live, and also recorded video available from Facebook page after event

L=Front Lawn, Weather permitting

Y=YouTube Video
(Lansing Public Library on YouTube.com)

Z=Zoom Live Event.

Registration Required on our library website.

Lansing Public Library Online Events

DECEMBER 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	All Month! Cooking with Chef Dave (Y) Grab & Go STEAM (Y)	Dec. 1 Ornament Decorate Gift-Giving with Canva (F) 2:00 Silly Songs (Y) 5:30	2 Ornament Decorate Knit (L) 10-12	3 Ornament Decorate Pre-K Storytime (Z) 11:00 Pre-K Craft (Y) Trivia (F) 6:00	4 Ornament Decorate Knit (L) 10-12	5 Ornament Decorate
6	7	8 Getting Your Best Photos (F) 2:00 Virtual Teacher Cocktail (Y) 6:00	9 Knit (L) 10-12 News You Can Use (Z) 6:30	10 Pre-K Storytime (Z) 11:00 Pre-K Craft (Y) Trivia (F) 6:00	11 Make It: Christmas Crackers (Y) 10:00 Knit (L) 10-12	12
13	14	15 DIY Sensory Exploration (Y) Heartwarming Christmas Scenes (Z) 7-8	16 Knit (L) 10-12	17 Pre-K Storytime (Z) 11:00 Pre-K Craft (Y) Trivia (F) 6:00	18 Knit (L) 10-12	19
20	21	22 (Un)Traditional Christmas (F) 6:00-7:30	23 Knit (L) 10-12 Anime Club (Z) 5:00	24 Library Closed	25 Library Closed	26 Library Closed
27	28 Mi Casita (bilingüe) (Z) 5:30	29	30 Knit (L) 10-12	31 Library Closed	Jan. 1 Library Closed	Jan. 2 Library Closed