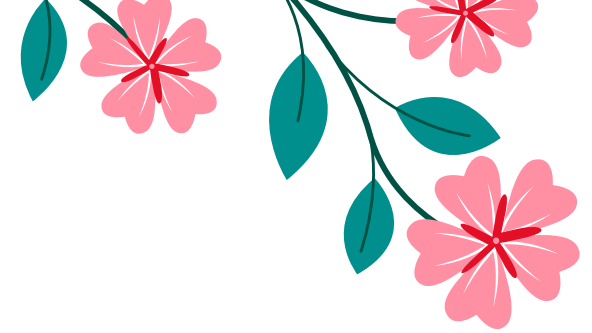


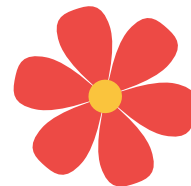
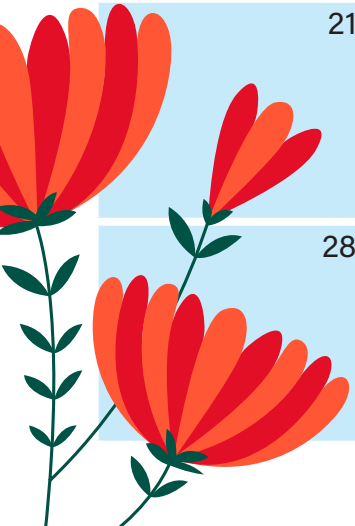
# April

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		11:00 am Caregivers & Coffee Hour	10:30 am Free Infant CPR Instruction 1:00 pm Create Your Own Greeting Card 6:00 pm Dungeons & Dragons for Adults	5:30 pm Teen: Eclipse Anime & Cartoons		10:00 am Keep Me In Stitches
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## Caregivers & Coffee Hour

Tuesday, April 2 • 11:00 am  
Wednesday, April 10 • 11:00 am  
Tuesday, April 16 • 11:00 am  
Wednesday, April 24 • 11:00 am

Join fellow baby and toddler caregivers after our storytime for a cup of coffee or tea and some conversation. Storytime attendance is not required.

## Free Infant CPR Instruction

Wednesday, April 3 • 10:30 am

Red Cross certified CPR instructors will provide free training for Lake County residents on CPR with emphasis on CPR for babies.

## Create Your Own Greeting Card

Wednesday, April 3 • 1:00 pm

The Basement Bunch with Debbie Rodriguez will be hosting a series of classes on how to make greeting cards.

## Dungeons & Dragons for Adults

Wednesday, April 3 • 6:00 pm

Why should the kids get to have all the fun? Join us on the 1st Wednesday of each month for adult Dungeons & Dragons and experience the adventure! Seats are limited, so registration is required.

## Teen: Eclipse Anime & Cartoons

Thursday, April 4 • 5:30 pm

Watch some anime episodes and discuss dramatic eclipses before seeing (a likely less dramatic) one of yourself on April 8th!

## Keep Me In Stitches

Saturday, April 6 • 10:00 am

Interested in any of the needle arts including knit, crochet, cross-stitch, and more? Join us for an opportunity to chat and create. Please bring your own projects.

## Teen Gaming

Monday, April 8 • 6:00 pm

Teens are invited to come hang out at the library and play Nintendo Switch! Ages 12-18.

## Circle of Readers Book Discussion

Tuesday, April 9 • 2:00 pm

Join us for a book discussion. Our Circle of Readers will be discussing The Magnificent Lives of Marjorie Post by Allison Pataki.

## Friends of the Library Meeting

Tuesday, April 9 • 2:00 pm

The Friends of LCPL will host their bi-monthly meeting.

## Teen Alphabet Club

Tuesday, April 9 • 6:00 pm

We are proud to be hosting a support, education, & social space for LGBTQ+ teens & their allies. Teen (12-18) are welcome.

## Teen Cartoon School

Wednesday, April 10 • 6:00 pm

Like to draw? Like comics and cartoons? Then this is the program for you! Join us on the second Wednesday of every month to learn new drawing techniques and make friends with your fellow cartoonists!

## Genealogy Class

Thursday, April 11 • 1:30 pm

Presented by Dr. Eric Stumpf. Using computers and online resources to enhance your genealogy research. We will look at the pros and cons of FamilySearch.org and Ancestry.com

## Genealogy Class: Starting Your Family Tree Part 2

Thursday, April 11 • 1:30 pm

Presented by Dr. Eric Stumpf. Using computers and online resources to enhance your genealogy research. We will look at the pros and cons of FamilySearch.org and Ancestry.com.

## Teen Dungeons & Dragons

Thursday, April 11 • 4:30 pm

Come and play in a game with one of our librarians as gm.

## LCPL Foundation Tea

Saturday, April 13 • 1:00 pm

Join us for a full afternoon tea with dessert and a speaker. The cost is \$35 per person and seating is limited. For reservation, please contact the library at 219-769-3541, ext. 315

## Building Blocks to Literacy

Saturday, April 13 • 10:30 am

Kids ages 6 months through 3 years old, and their caregivers, will enjoy interacting at various block play stations. Special blocks for older kids will also be available on high tables.

## Some Reading Required - A Reading Party at the Library

Monday, April 15 • 6:00 pm

Escape the distractions of home and join us for connection, conversation, and of course, reading. Not a book club - a reading party.

## Tween: Learn to Crochet

Wednesday, April 17 • 3:30 pm

Learn the basics of crochet and begin creating a hacky sack!

## Teen Financial Literacy Classes

Wednesday, April 17 • 5:00 pm

Friday, April 26 • 3:30 pm

Learn about financial literacy during these three class sessions featuring Misty De La Cruz from First Financial Bank.

## Upcycle Crafts: Bottle Planter

Friday, April 19 • 2:00 pm

Join us to craft a planter to grow your plants from seed to sprout!

## Citizenship Class

Monday, April 22 • 10:30 am

Monday, April 29 • 10:30 am

This program aims to help adults prepare to pass the Citizenship test in Chicago-USCIS.

## English as a Second Language (ESL)

Monday, April 22 • 6:00 pm  
Thursday, April 25 • 6:00 pm  
Monday, April 29 • 6:00 pm

English classes are for participants who are learning English as a second language. Different levels are available. Classes are free.

## Teen Advisory Board

Wednesday, April 24 • 5:30 pm

Assist librarians to make the library your space. Improve activities and programs and ear volunteer hours!

## Genealogy Class:

### North Township Genealogy

Thursday, April 25 • 1:30 pm

Join us for a genealogy program. Amanda Aguilera from the Hammond Public Library in Lake County, Indiana will be our in person speaker. Join via Zoom as well.

## Board Meeting

Thursday, April 25 • 4:30 pm

Meeting of the Lake County Public Library Board of Trustees.

## PJ Storytime

Thursday, April 25 • 6:30 pm

Join us for bedtime stories and songs. Wear your favorite pajamas and sing along to some lullabies. PJs are encouraged but not required.

## Saturday "Night" Trivia

Saturday, April 27 • 3:00 pm

Join us for a trivia competition! Work in teams or individually to answer general knowledge, history, and pop culture questions to become a Library Trivia CHAMPION!!! Please register.

## Alzheimer's Disease and

### Dementia Awareness

Monday, April 29 • 10:30 am

A series of four programs hosted by Linda Curely of Purdue University designed to help with early detection, support, and assistance for those with Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia.

**Due to limited space, all participants must register in advance.**

Please include the name of every child and adult planning to be in the room. Programs are subject to change. In the event of a change, the library will contact registrants.

