

Teen PROGRAMS

Solon Branch

34125 Portz Parkway / 440.248.8777

Teens @ the Library

Grades 7 & up

Volunteer opportunities for teens to work with children and help with library activities.

Thursdays, September 4th / October 2nd, 16th & 30th

November 13th / December 4th & 18th

4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Mother/Daughter Book Discussion

Grades 6 & up

Join us to talk about teen books while enjoying refreshments.

Copies of the books will be available at the check-out desk one month before the discussion.

Wednesdays, September 24th / October 22nd,

November 19th / December 17th / 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.

SAT Practice Tests

Registration required.

Take a free SAT practice test from the Princeton Review. Tests will be scored and reviewed. Learn time management and test strategy techniques at a follow-up session.

Saturday, September 6th / 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

ACT Practice Tests

Registration required.

Take a free ACT practice test from the Princeton Review. Tests will be scored and reviewed. Learn time management and test strategy techniques at a follow-up session.

Saturday, September 13th / 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Strategy Session for the ACT & SAT Tests

Registration required.

Learn time management and test strategy techniques from the Princeton Review.

Monday, September 22nd / 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Science Projects for Perplexed Parents

Registration required.

You can help your child with science projects! Join us for a fun introduction to the scientific method. Get tips to help your child get the most out of science homework. Parents, grandparents and other caregivers are welcome. Workshop will be led by Susannah Hamm, Cuyahoga County Public Library Science & Technology Specialist.

Wednesday, September 17th / 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Study Skills Workshop

Grades 5 – 8

Learn techniques to improve study skills and maintain positive study habits. This workshop is led by Candace Wallace from Advance Educational Development & Services, LLC.

Thursday, September 18th / 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Manga & Animé Club

Grades 6 & up

Join us at our start-up meeting for a new manga/animé club. Watch anime DVDs, draw, discuss graphic novels, and play Yu-Gi-Oh.

Saturday, October 4th / 3:00 p.m.

Game On @ the Library

Grades 5 & up

Join the guys from Game Crazy as they project games like Guitar Hero, Smash Bros Brawl and other games on the big screen. Pizza, too!

Friday, October 10th / 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Mmm... Chocolate

Grades 6 – 9

Chocolate lovers, join us in a variety of chocolate activities including candy making and chocolate taste testing.

Saturday, December 13th / 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

FAFSA & Financial Aid

Join us for a presentation from the Cleveland Scholarship Program to learn the basics of financial aid and filling out the FAFSA. Time for individual questions will be provided. Teens and parents welcome.

Saturday, December 13th / 11:00 a.m.

Southeast Branch 70 Columbus Road / 440.439.4997

CSI: Mayfield

Grades 5 & up / Registration required.

Calling all super sleuths! Just what goes into catching the bad guy? Detective Annandono of the M.V.P.D. will give you an up close look at crime scene investigation. Try your own sleuthing skills with fingerprinting, handwriting analysis, breaking secret codes and more!

Saturday, November 8th / 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Mayfield Branch 6080 Wilson Mills Road / 440.473.0350

Drum Circle for Teens

Grades 6 – 12 / Registration required.

Experience the fun of music making and rhythms in this hands-on musical event. No previous musical experience necessary. Instruments provided.

Monday, September 29th / 7:30 p.m.

North Olmsted Branch 27403 Lorain Road / 440.777.6211

Puppet Funshop

Grades 6 – 12 / Registration required.

Express your theatrical side! Record the audio sound track, act out scripts, and give back to the community by performing puppet shows for little ones.

Rehearsals at the Fairview Park Branch

Tuesdays, October 14th – December 9th / 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

(no rehearsal Election Day, November 4th)

Mandatory Audio Recording Session

at the Fairview Park Branch

Tuesday, November 11th / 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Mandatory Video Rehearsals at the Fairview Park Branch

Tuesdays, December 2nd & 9th / 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Dress Rehearsal at the Fairview Park Branch

Monday, December 15th / 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Performance at the Fairview Park Branch

Wednesday, December 17th / 7:00 p.m.

Fairview Park Branch

21200 Lorain Road / 440.333.4700

Face of Your FEARS!

Grades 6 & up / Registration required.

Learn the best make-up tips and scare tactics from Blood-Terror's own Katie Lane, make-up artist for the Legion of Haunted House Skills to teach makeup effects and costume ing. Learn how to create a unique character and costume for Halloween, using simple and inexpensive methods! Things might get messy, so don't wear your best clothes. If you would like to have make up done on you, make sure you get your parental permission form signed. Otherwise, you are welcome to come to the Solon Branch to watch and learn!

Saturday, October 25th

3:00 p.m.