



Summer Events 2022

Children



Take-It & Make-It

All Day on Saturdays: June 11, July 9, and August 13

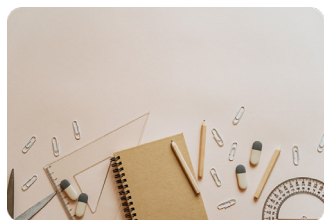
Quick and easy take-home crafts for Summer. [Ages 5 – 8]



Story Time

Saturday, July 16 at 10:30 AM

Come to the West Salem Library to listen to some of your favorite stories. [Registration is required.]



Take-Home Activity

All Summer

We will have new activities each month – scavenger hunts, movement activities, brain teasers, etc. Stop in for something fun to do! [For school-aged children.]

Adult



Book Discussion

Thursdays at 2 PM

Stop at the circulation desk – or give us a call – to pick up a copy of our selection to read in advance of the discussion. [Registration is required.]

June 16: *Emory's Gift* by W. Bruce Cameron

July 21: *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens

August 18: *Hidden History of Northeast Ohio* by Mark Strecker (Coincides with program on 8/13/22)



Free Computer, Tech, and Job Help: Improve Your Skills

June through August by appointment and availability

Help is available to give you the resources to develop and improve skills that are so important in the digital age. Improve your skills by booking an appointment today! To book your appointment at your local branch, call our **Emerging Technology Specialist** at 330-262-0919 **x4384**.

Family



Tie-Dye at the Firefighter's Festival

Saturday, June 25 from 3 – 5 PM

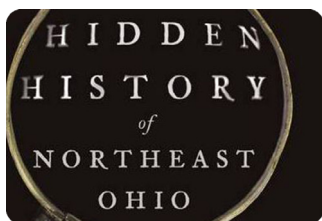
Join the West Salem Library at the **Firefighter's Festival** to tie-dye a T-shirt. Make your own unique creation! Everything is provided. [All ages.]



Share Your Family Legacy

Saturday, July 23 from 10 AM – 1 PM

Remember stories about where you worked, favorite restaurant, place of worship, or town you lived in? Stop by and schedule a time for us to video record your memory! The video will be uploaded on **YouTube** and you will receive a link. Written memories will also be accepted. [Registration is required.]



Author Mark Strecker: *Hidden History of Northeast Ohio*

Saturday, August 13 at 1 PM

Join author **Mark Strecker** who will discuss his book *Hidden History of Northeast Ohio*. During this free event, learn tidbits about Ohio; such as one of the worst train wrecks in the nineteenth century; powerful dairy interests convincing the Ohio legislature to pass a law that made it illegal to sell colored margarine – a law not overturned until 1947; and a trolley system that spanned from Cleveland to Toledo and was once the primary means of travel in Northeast Ohio, just to name a few. The book will be available for purchase at \$22 after the event. [Registration is required.]

Super Summer Specials

These programs will be held at the outdoor **Streeter Auditorium** at the **Secrest Arboretum** (2122 Williams Rd, Wooster, OH 44691). Everyone is welcome — **no registration required!** The walk from the parking lot to the Auditorium is approximately ten minutes. Please allow enough time to make it to the program on time. Feel free to bring with you any items you may need for comfort outside (sunscreen, blankets, folding chairs, etc).

————— **Super Summer Special** programs made possible by a generous donation from **Wooster Friends of the Library!** —————

Splash Circus

Tuesday, June 28 from 10 to 11 AM

Audience participation, laughter, storytelling, and skillful, joyful juggling are just a few of the things you can expect to see during this program. **Splash Circus** is a water-themed, comedy juggling show. From ice cubes to watermelon, this action-packed show will refresh toddlers to grandparents and everyone in between!

Outback Ray

Tuesday, June 28 from 6:30 to 7:30 PM

Outback Ray's Amazing Animal Show is fun, exciting, and very educational. This hands-on show is extremely entertaining for kids of ALL ages. Outback Ray shares his knowledge and the passion he has for exotic animals while sharing fascinating facts about each one. Learning will be fun and exciting while you hold and cuddle with his amazing animals.

Wolves: Facts vs Myth

Wednesday, July 27th from 11 AM to 12 PM

Come meet a live wolf ambassador! Learn all about their family life, habitat, diet and role in the ecosystem.

Realm of the Reptile

Wednesday, July 27 from 6:30 to 7:30 PM

Learn about the riveting world of reptiles with *herpetoculturist* **Marissa Dubina**. You'll get an up-close look at a large tortoise, lizards, and s-s-snakes!



For more information call the West Salem Branch at **330.804.4712** or email **westsalem@wcpl.info**