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## Story Times Resume September 16

Fall Story Times for toddlers and preschoolers will start on Monday, September 16 and run until Thursday, November 7. Registration is required and currently open. Parents or caregivers of children may register in person at the Library or by calling 734-426-4477. Space is limited so registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

Children 18 months to 3 years of age may sign up for one Toddler Story Time. Toddler Story Times are held on Mondays or Tuesdays at 10:30 am. Children under 18 months may attend, however books and activities are geared for toddlers. Children 3 to 5 years of age may sign up for one Preschool Story Time. Preschool Story Times are held on Mondays or Tuesdays at 11:30 am. Combined Toddler/Preschool Story Times are held on Wednesdays



at 10:30 am, registration is required.

Drop-In Story Times for all ages will be offered on Thursdays at 10:30 am in the lower level meeting room from September 19 to November 7. There will also be two special evening Drop-In Story Times on Tuesday, September 24 and Tuesday, October 22, both at 6:30 pm. Infants are welcome at story times with their siblings. Parents or caregivers are required to attend. Daycare Centers are welcome to all Drop-In Story Times. Each session lasts

approximately 30 minutes.

Fall Story Times for children include picture, pop-up and interactive books, flannel-board stories, songs, puppets, finger plays, crafts and other activities that encourage a love of reading to your child.

## New Online Resources: Kanopy, Creativebug

On August 26, 2019, the Library began offering two new online resources for Dexter District Library patrons: the Kanopy streaming movie service and the Creativebug arts and crafts video learning tool.



The popular on-demand film streaming service Kanopy is now available free to Dexter District Library patrons. Offering what the New York Times calls "a garden of cinematic delights," Kanopy showcases more than 30,000

of the world's best films, including award-winning documentaries, rare and hard-to-find titles, film festival favorites, indie and classic films, and world cinema. Collections include releases from Kino Lorber, the Criterion Collection, Great Courses and PBS. Library cardholders whose cards begin with 29221 can access Kanopy and sign up to start streaming films instantly by visiting <https://dexter.kanopy.com>. Films can be streamed from any computer, television, mobile device or platform by downloading the Kanopy app for iOS, Android, AppleTV, Chromecast or Roku.

Dexter District Library cardholders can also access Creativebug, the award-winning destination for high-quality online arts and crafts video classes. Enjoy unlimited access to over 1,000 video classes taught by experts. Topics include instruction in drawing, painting, knitting, quilting and baking. The site offers downloadable patterns, templates, and recipes as well as access to Creativebug community galleries and forums. Creativebug is available on laptops and mobile devices. The Creativebug app is available via the App Store and Google Play. Create a Creativebug account using your Dexter District Library card that begins with 29221 by visiting:

<https://www.creativebug.com/lib/dexterlib>



If you have an older library card that begins with 29082, these cards cannot be used for either Kanopy or Creativebug. Please stop by the Library and we will upgrade your card free.

# Fall Children's Programs

School is back in session and as everyone settles into the fall routines, the Library resumes a number of ongoing programs as well as offering special events. If you are looking for something to do, think of the Library. We have fun activities going on each week.

**Friday, September 20 from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm** finds **Fall Crafts for Preschoolers** coming to the Library. Kids ages 6 and under are invited to stop by the Library and create a variety of seasonal crafts. Registration is not required.

**Saturday, September 21 at 10:00 am** finds **KinderConcert** returning to the Library. Music comes alive at KinderConcert, a 30-minute concert designed especially for children ages five and under.

No worries about wiggly tots sitting still for a concert.



Everyone will dance and move while listening to the music. Be mesmerized by hearing a story being told with musical accompaniment. Members of the Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra join movement specialist Gari Stein and pianist Kathryn Goodson for a guided introduction to the instruments of the orchestra. September will feature Alaina Bercilla, demonstrating the flute. Registration is not required.

Come make **DIY Buttons & Magnets** on **Tuesday, September 24 at 4:00 pm**.

Teens and kids in grades 4 through 12 are invited to stop by the Library and make a variety of buttons for your backpack and magnets for your locker. Light snacks provided. Registration is required and is currently open. Stop by the Youth Reference Desk to sign up.



A **Drop-In Evening Story Time** will be held on **Tuesday, September 24 at 6:30 pm** in the lower level meeting room. Geared for ages 6 and under but everyone is welcome to attend. Each session lasts approximately 30 minutes. Drop-In Story Times for children include picture, pop-up and interactive books, flannel-board stories, songs, puppets, finger plays, crafts and other activities that encourage a love of reading to your child. These events are free and open to the public. A second event will be held on **Tuesday, October 22 at 6:30 pm**.



**Saturday, September 28 from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm** finds **Polish Cooking** with Mary Spencer visiting the Library. Adults, teens and kids in grades 5 and up are invited to enjoy an afternoon with Mary Spencer of Taste: A Cook's Place. Mary will create a variety of popular Polish dishes, including the popular pierogi. This class is demonstration style but participants will get to enjoy samplings of the dishes presented by Mary and her assistant. Participants may enter a raffle for a chance to win a Polish cookbook. Registration is required, beginning September 3 in the Teen Zone or by calling 734-426-4477.

The Library's **Ukulele Club** resumes on **Saturday, October 5 at 11:00 am**. All skill levels are welcome, including beginners. Students in grades 4 through 12 are invited to try out one of our ukuleles or bring your own and learn chords, finger picking and song structure from Hudson Education Center for the Arts staff. Registration is not required and the Library will provide a limited number of ukuleles at each club meeting for those who would like to try this instrument. The Library also offers ukuleles for checkout in the Teen Zone. The Club will meet throughout the fall on the first Saturday of the month, October 5, November 2 and December 7 at 11:00 am.



The Library will host a **Drop-In Halloween Story Time and Craft** on **Saturday, October 19 at 11:00 am**. Join us for 30 minutes of stories and music celebrating Halloween. Geared for children ages six and under but everyone is welcome. A simple craft will be provided following the program. Registration is not required.



**Drop-In Evening Story Time** will be held on **Tuesday, October 22 at 6:30 pm**. See September 24 for details.

Ventriloquist and comedian **Richard Paul** Presents: **The Ha Ha Halloween Show** at the Library on **Saturday, October 26 at 11:00 am**.

This non-scary, ghoulishly funny, spectacular autumn show includes life size puppets, magic, music, awesome special effects and hilarious audience participation. For adults, teens and kids of all ages, registration is not required.



**Friday, November 1 at 11:00 am**, when school is out, stop by the Library and enjoy **Wild Swan Theater's presentation of Once Upon a Time**. An engaging collection of favorite children's classics including "Three Billy Goat's Gruff," "Reynard the Fox" and "The Three Little Pigs" sure to delight everyone. In true Wild Swan style, three performers and a musician create all the magic inherent in these timeless stories making this theater experience unforgettable. All ages, registration is not required.





# Summer Reading Wrap-Up



The Library had another great summer of reading and events this year with over 1,300 children participating in the program "A Universe of Stories." This summer set records for program attendance. The Library saw over 1,500 parents and children attend our kickoff event on June 17 and over 1,250 adults and children come to Big Truck and Emergency Vehicle Day.

All children who met their reading goals this summer received a prize bag filled with goodies. Children who met their goal were also entered into a final prize drawing for an additional prize. The lucky prize winners included: Cooper Acord, Liam Grimm, Emily Inniger, Connor Miller, Maren Smith and Asher Stauffer who received Detroit Tigers Tickets; Liam Fealy, Griffin Heike and Sawyer Loll, who received family passes to The Henry Ford; Jacob Ranella, Lila Sharp, Shepherd Thompson and Dax Westermeyer, who received family passes to the Toledo Zoo; Garrett Keeler, who received a Kindle Fire; Caleb Hondorp, who received passes to the Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum; Lily Parker, who received a free pass to Planet Rock; Avalyn Emhoff, Wyatt Gibson, Jack Griffin, Luke Hoffman, Ayla Scott, Ruby Seymour and Hannah Tocco, who received various VTech and Leap Frog educational toys. The Library also awarded a number of gift cards to

A & W Dexter, Quality 16 movie theater and Nicola's Books to Madeline Ackerman, Kaysen Acord, Evan Arbas, Bennett Ayers, Charlotte Bachman, Norah Bachman, Clairra Bales, Mae Barbaro, Oliver Barth, Cody Bartu, Olivia Bartu, Collin Bell, Alana Bilakos, Lochlan Bingham, Brady Bishop, Dominic Blaucey, Colby Boyce, Theoan Boyce, Elianah Boyer, Ashley Bradshaw, Henry Brand, Dominic Brodeur, Owen Bruderly, Mason Bryant, Meghan Bury, Allison Cabble, Blake Cabble, Jorie Cho, Lydia Clem, Caleb Clifford, Brinley Cochran, Chris Coffey, Jonathan Coker, Lincoln Cribbins, Colin Daugherty, Kaleb Delancey, Mary-Kate Dendy, Andrew Dinh, Isaac Dinh, Abigail Dobry, Gabriel Dobry, Jacob Dorian, Zana Downing-Cook, Quinn Dunham, Reese Dunham, Adam Eikmeier, Nolan Emhoff, Cameron Enyedy, Geoffrey Fay, Abigail Fillion, Anastacia Floro, Sarah Glover, Gabriel Graulich, Oliver Graulich, Jack Grimes, Iris Grimm, Jackson Grimm, Kendall Grimm, Jonah Gross, Nora Grutter, Sophie Halkides, Keagan Hampstead, Joshua Harding, Jamaya Hayter, Liam Healy, Ryan Hempton, August Hiltz, Kate Jacquot, Jacob Joffe, Kinley Johnson, Abby Jones, Morgan Jones, Marcus Keeler, Bailey Konuszewski, Shane Korte, Addison Lint,

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The Library congratulates all the participants in this year's Summer Reading Program. We hope you had an enjoyable time attending our programs and reading for fun.

## Recurring Fall Children's Programs

The Library offers several monthly book clubs and activities for children of different ages. These ongoing programs give children a chance to have some fun and meet new friends at the Library.

The **Super Stories** book appreciation group for children in grades K through 2 will meet on **Thursday, September 12 at 4:30 pm**. Share stories, have snacks and do activities. This month's theme is "Back to School." Registration is required and is currently open. Stop by the Youth Reference Desk to register. The group will also meet on Thursday, October 10 at 4:30 pm when the theme will be "Fall." Registration for the October meeting begins Thursday, September 12.



The Library's **All Star Readers** book discussion group for kids in grades 3 through 4 will meet on **Thursday, September 19 at 4:30 pm**. Each month, we will read and discuss a book and have snacks. In September, the group will discuss *I Survived the Attack of the Grizzlies, 1967* by Lauren Tarshis. Registration is required and is currently open. The group will also meet on Thursday, October 17 at 4:30 pm to discuss *Saving Winslow* by Sharon Creech. Registration for the October meeting begins Thursday, September 19.

**Makerspace** continues through the fall. The next meeting will take place on **Thursday, September 26 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm**. This is a drop-in program for grades K through 8. Make, build, craft and explore through a variety of open-ended activities. We supply the materials and you supply the imagination. Registration is not

required. Makerspace will also take place on Thursday, October 24 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm.

The **First Tuesday Lego Club** returns on **Tuesday, October 1 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm**.



Kids in grades K through 8 are invited to spend an afternoon making their own Lego creations while visiting with old friends and making new ones. Everyone is welcome and all bricks will be provided by the Library. Registration is not required. The Club will also meet on Tuesday, November 5 from 4:00 to 5:00 pm.

# Programs for Tweens and Teens

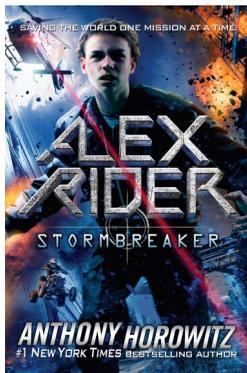
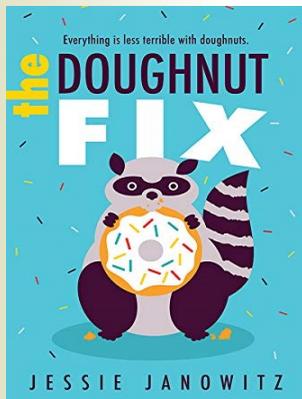
The Library has several great programs planned for tweens and teens this fall. If you are looking for a break from studying, stop by the Library, meet up with friends and relax for a while with one of these events.

The Library's **Teen Advisory Group (TAG)** will resume school year meetings on **Saturday, September 14 from 12:30 to 1:30 pm**. Teens in grades 7 through 12 are invited to get involved with the Library by attending our Teen Advisory Group (TAG) meetings. Help plan programs, organize community service projects, and volunteer at Library events. This is a great opportunity to build up your resume and obtain volunteer hours. Registration is required and is currently open. Pizza lunch will be provided.

TAG will also meet on the Saturdays of **October 5 and November 2, each beginning at 12:30 pm**.



**Thursday, September 19 at 4:30 pm** finds the Library's **Tween Book Club** kicking off another season of great reads. This book discussion group for grades 5 to 6 will find students reading the book of the month and answering trivia questions for a chance to win a prize. The group will discuss the book, enjoy a snack, and do a craft. Stop by the Youth Reference Desk for a copy of this month's book *The Donut Fix* by Jessie Janowitz. Registration is required.

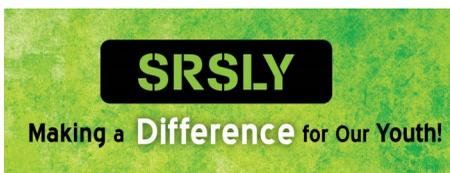


The following meeting will be on **October 17 at 4:30 pm** when the book will be *Stormbreaker* (Alex Rider) by Anthony Horowitz. Copies will be available when registration begins on **September 19**.

Planeswalkers, grab your cards and join us for another season of **Magic: The Gathering (MTG)**. Starting on **Friday, September 20 from 6:00 to 8:30 pm**, teens in grades 6 through 12 are invited to join us for monthly MTG tournament-style games and pizza. Prizes awarded to top players. Registration is required.



This event is co-sponsored with SRSly Dexter. Additional game nights will take place on **Friday, October 18 at 6:00 pm** and **Friday, November 15 at 6:00 pm**.



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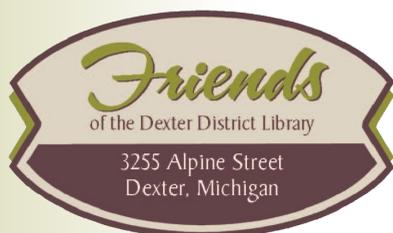


On **Wednesday, October 9 at 2:00 pm** (school early release day) stop by the Library and make a **DIY Book Safe**. Teens and kids in grades 5 through 12 will learn how to transform an old book into a cool safe for their tiny treasures. Registration begins **Monday, September 9**.

On **Friday, November 1 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm**, **Paint on Canvas** comes to the Library. Adults and teens in grades 6 and up, stop by the Library and learn to paint. Follow step-by-step instructions to paint a fall scene, adding your own touches to make it unique. No painting experience needed, but be prepared to get creative. Light refreshments will be served. Registration begins **Monday, October 7**.

**Thursday, November 7 from 1:00 to 2:30 pm** finds **DIY Holiday Cards & Crafts coming to the Library**. Tweens and teens in grades 5 through 12, get a jump on your holiday card making during this fun, hands-on program. Light snacks are provided and registration begins **Monday, October 7**.





By Jeanne Bradish, Publicity Coordinator for the Friends of the Dexter District Library

The Friends would like to extend a big thank you to everyone who participated in our annual Dexter Daze Book Sale on August 9th and 10th. We could not have organized this event without all our dedicated volunteers. The event would not have been such a success without all the community members who came, browsed and bought many books. Our total sales were a little lower than 2018, but over the two day period we sold more than \$3800 in used books at 50¢ and \$1.00 an item. Our turnout was phenomenal and we were always busy, except for a short lull during the parade. Our success was the result of our community's support.

We also have a reminder and a request. The Friends host used book sales ten months each year, with all proceeds then funding the "extras" for our Library. We are always open to suggestions for new projects and want to continue to be responsive to our patrons - you. Let us know if you have any new, or creative suggestions. You can send your ideas to the contact area on the Library website, and this information will be forwarded to the Friends Board for discussion at our regular meetings.

Finally, please take a minute to look at all our Library has to offer. Compare our Library to other even larger libraries in the area. If you have read "The Library Book" by Susan Orlean or a recent article in the NYTimes travel section on libraries around the world at

<https://www.nytimes.com/2019/08/10/travel/libraries-are-the-tourist-attractions.html>

you may see some features that are already in place and may read of some things worth exploring. Libraries over the decades are constantly changing, ours included, and becoming more responsive to their communities at large. We have much to be thankful for, and proud of. We are more than "go read a book."

With fall upon us and the Dexter Daze Book Sale behind us, the Friends take the month of September off from book sales. We need this time to regroup and restock our shelves. Please remember used book donations may be made at any time of the year. If you are cleaning things up at the end of summer, now is a great time to drop off used books at the Library. The Library accepts book donations during all open hours.

**Upcoming Friends  
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Library  
Book Sales**  
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**October 5  
November 2  
December 7**



## MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY

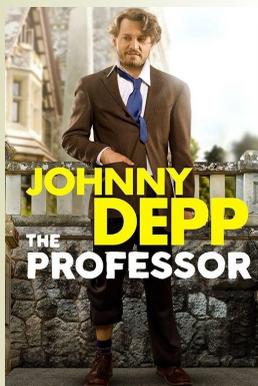
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On Friday, September 13 at 6:30 pm, Friday Night Movie for Adults will feature **The Mule** starring Clint Eastwood. Broke, alone and facing foreclosure on his business, 90-year-old horticulturist Earl Stone takes a job as a drug courier for a Mexican cartel. Rated R, 116 minutes



Muffins-N-Movies returns on Friday, September 20 at 2:00 pm with a showing of **The Professor** starring Johnny Depp. After learning he has six months to live, a college lecturer transforms into a rebellious party animal. Rated R, 90 minutes



Sunday, September 29 at 2:00 pm finds the kickoff of the **Manhattan Short Film Festival**. See page six for details.

Movie & Popcorn for Kids returns on Wednesday, October 9 at 2:00 pm. School

gets out early and all ages are invited to stop by the Library and watch **The Secret Life of Pets 2** on the big screen while enjoying a free bag of popcorn. Rated G, 86 minutes

Don't laugh.



Friday, October 11 at 6:30 pm finds Friday Night Movie for Adults screening **Ithaca**, starring Meg Ryan and Tom Hanks. When his older brother leaves to fight in the Second World War, fourteen-year-old Homer Macauley takes



on a job as a bicycle telegraph messenger. Rated PG, 89 minutes

On Friday, October 18, Friday at 2:00 pm, Muffins-N-Movies will feature **The Upside**, starring Kevin Hart and Bryan Cranston.

Inspired by a true story, the Upside is a heartfelt comedy about a recently paroled ex-convict who strikes up an unusual and unlikely friendship with a paralyzed billionaire. Rated PG-13, 126 minutes

Friday, November 8 at 6:30 pm finds Friday Night Movie for Adults presenting **Tolkien**, starring Nicholas Hoult and Derek Jacobi. As a young student, J.R.R. Tolkien finds love, friendship and artistic inspiration among a group of fellow outcasts and inspires the budding author to write the classic fantasy novels "The Hobbit" and "The Lord of the Rings." Rated PG-13, 112 minutes



# Fall Programs for Adults

The Adult Department has a number of great programs scheduled for this early fall. These events are open to everyone. In order to help plan for handouts and refreshments, please register for individual programs at the Adult Reference Desk or by calling the Library at 734-426-4477.

Join us for our **10th Annual Grandparents Day Concert, Sunday, September 8 at 2:00 pm**. Sponsored by the Hudson Education Center, this concert will feature instrumental and vocal soloists from the Dexter Community Schools. This performance encourages the youth performers in the Dexter Community. Refreshments will be served and everyone is welcome.



On **Tuesday, September 17 at 6:00 pm**, the Library will host **2019: Medicare 101/ Welcome to Medicare**. Kris DeLong, from the Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) will present information for new Medicare beneficiaries and pre-enrollees. Detailed information on enrollment periods, Medicare, Medicare Advantage, Part D, Medigap, and financial assistance programs will be presented. The MMAP provides unbiased help with Medicare and Medicaid at no charge. A team of certified volunteers will answer questions, troubleshoot problems and help people understand plan choices.

**My Little Michigan Kitchen** comes to the Library on **Monday, September 23 at 6:00 pm**. Join Mandy McGovern author of "My Little Michigan Kitchen" and creator of the blog, "Kitchen Joy", as she shares some tried-and-true recipes from her debut cookbook.

McGovern set out to write a book that features over 100 home-style Michigan classic recipes, including Up North Pasties, Detroit Coney Dogs, Detroit Deep Dish Pizza, Boston Coolers, and many more recipes that Michiganders love. McGovern will be sharing a little taste of some Michigan classics along with the stories behind the recipes. Registration is required.



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**Manhattan Short Film Festival** returns on **Sunday, September 29 at 2:00 pm**. Join us on either September 29, October 2 or October 6, 2019,

when over 100,000 film lovers in over 250 cities across six continents gather in Cinemas, Museums, Libraries and Universities for one purpose...to view and vote on the Finalist Films in the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Manhattan Short Film Festival. Upon entry, festival attendees are handed a Voting Card and an Official Program. Attendees will view (10) short films and will vote for the one film and actor they feel should win. Finalists in the 2019 Manhattan Short Film Festival will be eligible to enter the Oscars. The program will last approximately 2 hours with a 10-minute intermission. This program is for adults. These films have not been rated. This program will repeat on **Wednesday, October 2 at 6:00 pm** and **Sunday, October 6 at 2:00 pm**.

On **Tuesday, October 15 at 7:00 pm**, **Cybersecurity and You: Effective Strategies for the Home Environment** comes to the Library. Explore the best practices for cybersecurity in the home and get an opportunity to ask any questions on how best to protect your home network and internet experience. Shane Harsch, an information security professional with over 25 years of experience in military and manufacturing security consulting, will discuss antivirus, responsible use, network security, mobile security, web filtering, and more. **This program will repeat on Friday, October 18, at 10:00 am.**

**Thursday, October 17 at 7:00 pm** finds **Michigan's Most Haunted Places and Darkest Legends** coming to the Library. Michigan has always been a region of mystery. Many strange occurrences have been

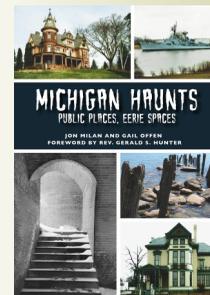
documented, and tales of allegedly paranormal activity continue to surface to the present day. Authors Jon Milan and Gail Offen explore many of the more baffling and noteworthy Michigan hauntings including 'Bloody Run,' the haunted stream that runs through Detroit's Elmwood Cemetery, haunted buildings at Greenfield Village and the strange phenomenon of the Paulding Lights near Watersmeet.

**Want to Visit Africa?** Find out how on **Wednesday, October 23 at 6:00 pm**. If Africa is on your bucket list, join us for this travel presentation on everything that you need to know about travelling in Africa. Visitors are faced with a bewildering array of options, from camel treks through the northern Sahara, to penguin encounters near the Cape of Good Hope. Veteran traveler and location video expert Bud Graska leads a lively presentation using personal experience on how to ask the right questions when choosing a safari.

**What's New to Medicare 2020** comes to the Library on **Thursday, October 24 at 6:00 pm**. Linda Klimach, from the Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) will present information on the coming year's changes in coverages and costs for Medicare premiums, Part D options, MA options and much more.

In conjunction with Distinct Designs, Inc., the Library will host an **Artist Reception for Jean Barnes Downs on Friday, October 25 at 6:00 pm**. Ms. Barnes-Downs monotype and gelatin plate prints will be on display in the Library's lower level through the closing reception.

Join us at the Library for **The 2020 Census: Count Every Person. Once. In the Right Place** on **Monday, October 28 at 7:00 pm**. Margaret Leary, from the Ann Arbor League of Women Voters, will discuss what the 2020 Census is, why it matters and how you can help promote full participation. Many government funded initiatives, such as school support and road funding, depend on accurate Census numbers.





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Champion Gymnastics	Reed Barbering – Robin's
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Chelsea Milling Company	The Sports Bar Westside
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