

Programs for Adults at Shaker Library

ONGOING PROGRAMS

Monday Morning Jump Start
Career Transition Center hosts a weekly jobs club in a meeting room on the second floor. Meet other job-seekers and share leads. Get tips and tricks from guest speakers and start your week with a positive outlook. All job seekers are welcome.
MAIN LIBRARY
10 AM-Noon Mondays

English as a Second Language
Carolyn Steiner leads free ESL classes for adults who wish to learn to speak and read English.
MAIN LIBRARY
7-8:30 PM Tuesdays

ABLE/GED Classes
Tri-C offers free basic education classes to help students ages 16 and older with skills below a 12th grade level. Students will learn the skills to be successful in post-secondary education, training, and employment. Classes offer help with math, reading and writing, and help with GED® test preparation. You must register in advance online at www.tri-c.edu/able-ged-esol.
MAIN LIBRARY
10 AM-1PM Mondays through Thursdays beginning June 5 through August

First Baptist Church Farmer's Market
Librarians will be at the Farmer's Market to share books, register you for Summer Reading, and help you find recipes for the produce you just purchased!
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Shelburne and Eaton Roads
4-7 PM Wednesdays beginning June 8 through September



Workshops for Job Seekers
Career Transition Center staff offers a variety of helpful workshops for job seekers on alternating Thursday afternoons in a meeting room on the library's second floor.

MAIN LIBRARY
1-3 PM EVERY OTHER THURSDAY

Chess Club
Adults and teens of all levels are invited for a *knight* of chess led by Mike Reeves.
MAIN LIBRARY
6-8 PM Mondays, June 6, June 20, July 18, August 1, and August 15

Knit Mornings
Bring a project and get or give help at this creative morning moderated by experienced knitter, Elfriede Heaney.
MAIN LIBRARY
10 AM-Noon, Wednesdays, June 1, July 6 and August 3



Knit Nights
Bring a project and get or give help at this creative evening moderated by experienced knitter Fern Braverman.
BERTRAM WOODS BRANCH
7-8:45 PM Wednesdays, June 15, July 20, and August 17



Ukulele Club
Join teaching artist Sheela Das to learn how to play the ukulele or improve your skills in a fun group setting! Bring your own instrument or borrow one of Sheela's for the sessions. *Registration is required.*
MAIN LIBRARY
6-6:45 PM Thursdays, June 23 and July 28



Hot New Reads Preview Night
Join librarians in the Bertram Woods Branch Reading Garden for refreshments and advance notice about the hot new fiction and nonfiction titles coming to the Library this summer. Be the first to reserve one of the hot new titles. *This program is part of the Shaker Reads Adult Reading Challenge.*
BERTRAM WOODS BRANCH
7-8:30 PM Wednesday, June 8

Community Forum Internet Bandwidth: Why Do We Need It? When Will We Have More?

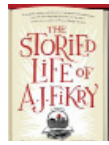


The League of Women Voters and the Library cosponsor a Community Forum on Internet Bandwidth. *Lev Gonick*, Chief Executive, OneCommunity, moderates a discussion with panelists: *Angela Siefer*, Director, National Inclusion Alliance; *Deb Socia*, Executive Director, Next Century Cities; *Morris Wheeler*, Founder and Principal, Drummond Road Capital; *Patrick Holland*, Management Team at RET 3 job corp, and *Peter Whitehouse*, Professor of Neurology and founding member of the Department of Cognitive Science, Case Western Reserve University
MAIN LIBRARY
7-8:45 PM Thursday, June 9

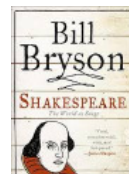
Library Board Meeting
Regular monthly meeting of the Library Board of Trustees led by president Chad Anderson.
WOODS BRANCH
6:30 PM Monday, June 13



PubReads
Read and discuss the book, *The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry* by Gabrielle Zevin. When a mysterious package shows up on the doorstep of a down-and-out bookstore owner, he gets a second chance at life.
ACADEMY TAVERN
12800 Larchmere Boulevard
7-8:30 PM Monday, June 13



Book Buzz: Shakespeare: The World as Stage
Read and discuss the book, *Shakespeare: The World as Stage* by Bill Bryson. While not a formal biography, this is an accessible and lively collection of anecdotes about the Bard and his plays designed to educate and entertain.
MAIN LIBRARY
10-11:30 AM Tuesday, June 14



Mystery Book Discussion
Read and discuss the book, *Dead Water* by Ann Cleeves. When a journalist turns up dead, Inspector Reeves needs all the help she can get from a fellow inspector, who knows the area and the details about the scandalous departure of the victim when he left for London to further his career in journalism.
MAIN LIBRARY
7:30-8:30 PM Tuesday, June 14



Lunch and Learn
Krystal Culler, Director of the Center 4 Brain Health at Menorah Park speaks on *The Mind Spa: Learn Strategies to Relax Your Mind*. The program is free; reservations for the optional catered lunch (\$9/person) must be made by June 10 by calling: 216-491-1360.
STEPHANIE TUBBS JONES COMMUNITY BUILDING
12:30-2 PM Wednesday, June 15



Staff Development Morning
Libraries delay opening until 10:30 AM due to staff training.
MAIN LIBRARY/WOODS BRANCH
Friday, June 17

Coloring Club for Adults
Join us for calming coloring, conversation, and refreshments.
MAIN LIBRARY
10:30-11:30 AM Saturday, June 18

Poetry & Potluck
Poetry in the Woods ends its season with poetry *really* in the woods.
HORSESHOE LAKE PARK
5 -8:30 PM Monday, June 20

African-American Genealogical Society Meeting & Program
Grandma's Attic and Grandpa's Garage: A "Remember When" Program from the Summit County Historical Society. *The membership meetings of AAGS and their presentations are open to all.*
MAIN LIBRARY
9:30 AM-1 PM Saturday, June 25

Friends Annual Meeting & Program
Gail Ghetia Bellamy presents *Cleveland Food Memories* when she talks about local legends and restaurants of yesteryear. Her local nostalgic book features the foods we loved, the places where we bought it, and the people who made it special.
MAIN LIBRARY
7 PM-8:45 PM Monday, June 27



Fourth Tuesday Book Discussion
Read and discuss the book, *The Forgotten Girls* by Sarah Blaedel. The investigation into an unidentified woman's death takes an unsettling turn when it brings the new Commander of the Missing Persons Department closer to her childhood home where she is forced to confront a terrible link to her past.
MAIN LIBRARY
2-3:30 PM Tuesday, June 28



Fourth of July Independence Day - CLOSED
MAIN LIBRARY/WOODS BRANCH
Monday, July 4

Shakespeare's Twelfth Night
David Hansen of Great Lakes Theater has adapted Shakespeare's classic told from the perspective of Malvolio, the Puritanical and humorless butt of humor in Shakespeare's original play. *A First Folio program.*
MAIN LIBRARY
2-4 PM Saturday, July 9

PubReads
Read and discuss the book *Beautiful Ruins* by Jess Walter. Part love story, part satirical look at Hollywood, this is an inventive and surprising rollercoaster ride through the lives of those just trying to hang on to their dreams.
ACADEMY TAVERN
12800 LARCHMERE BOULEVARD
7-8:30 PM Monday, July 11



Book Buzz
Read and discuss the book, *The Girl on the Train* by Paula Hawkins. This psychological thriller with shocking twists, follows a woman as her life slowly disintegrates as she rides the commuter train to and from London while descending into alcoholism.
MAIN LIBRARY
10-11:30 AM Tuesday, July 12



African-American Genealogical Society Meeting & Program
Dr. Deborah Abbott speaks about Conferences, Workshops and Seminars: The Road to Successful Genealogy. Learn why genealogy conferences are invaluable to both beginner and advanced researchers. Learn about the types of lectures and the value of networking with fellow genealogists. *The membership meetings of AAGS and their presentations are open to all.*
MAIN LIBRARY
9:30 AM-1 PM Saturday, July 23

Shakespearean Dance Workshop

Great Lakes Theater presents an overview of the dances in the plays and time of Shakespeare (1564-1616) during the heyday of the English public theatres. *A First Folio program.*

MAIN LIBRARY
2-3:45 PM Saturday, July 30

Book Buzz
Read and discuss the book, **Kitchens of the Great Midwest** by J. Ryan Stradal. This quirky and vividly sensory debut novel about the rise of an iconic chef born with a “once-in-a-generation

palate” transcends the genre of food writing.
MAIN LIBRARY
10-11:30 AM Tuesday, August 9

Raising the Bar on Reading

Join us to celebrate a successful summer reading challenge. Bring your mug and your coupon for \$1 off your first drink (beer, wine, soft drink). Thanks to Academy Tavern for donating a portion of your food purchase to the Library.

ACADEMY TAVERN
12800 Larchmere Boulevard
7-9 PM Tuesday, August 16

Community Forum

Regionalism and Shaker Heights: What Are the Options? What’s in it for Shaker?

The Library and the League of Women Voters present **Judy Rawson**, former Mayor of Shaker Heights, who will moderate a discussion with panelists:

- Armond Budish**, Cuyahoga County Executive;
- Edward Kraus**, Cuyahoga County Director of Regional Coordination;
- Earl M. Leiken**, Mayor, City of Shaker Heights, and
- Hunter Morrison**, Director, Northeast Ohio Sustainable Communities Consortium.

MAIN LIBRARY
7-8:30 PM Thursday, August 18

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 - Michael Bertsch * Melissa Garrett
 - Brian Gleisser * Troy Meinhard
 - Carmella Williams

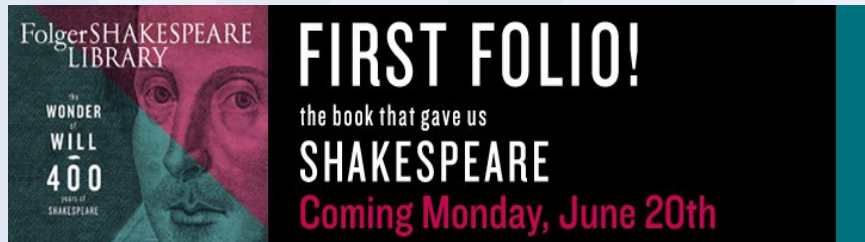
SAT and ACT PREP CLASSES FOR TEENS

College Now Greater Cleveland will offer 4-day/4-hours-a-day intensive FREE ACT and SAT Boot Camps. Students will learn the tricks of the tests and take home a study book for review. Please register at:

collegenowgc.org/community-based-programs/

ACT Prep Boot Camp: 10 AM-2 PM Monday, July 11-Thursday, July 14

SAT Prep Boot Camp: 3:30 -7:30 PM Monday, August 22-Thursday, August 25



Cleveland Public Library is the site for the Ohio First Folio! tour stop, a 50-state national tour which is part of the Folger Shakespeare Library’s **2016 Wonder of Will** celebration of 400 years of Shakespeare. The book will be on display in the Treasure Room within the Special Collections on the third floor of the Main Library, 325 Superior Avenue in downtown Cleveland, from June 20 to July 30, 2016. Visitors are encouraged to explore Shakespeare-themed displays, and enjoy activities, performances, spoken word events, crafts classes, and technology before viewing the First Folio. For a complete list of programs, visit <http://cpl.org/firstfolio/>

In the Interim

Shaker Library Director Luren Dickinson retired in May and the Library Board hired the executive search firm John Keister and Associates to conduct a search for a new director. In the interim, please contact:

- Amy Switzer, Interim Director: 216-367-3001
- Maureen Brodar, Interim Main Library Manager: 216-367-3002
- Shannon Titas, Interim Youth Services Manager: 216-367-3021
- Cindy Maxey, Adult Services Manager: 216-367-3015

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16500 Van Aken Boulevard
Shaker Heights, Ohio 44120
216-991-2030

BERTRAM WOODS BRANCH
20600 Fayette Road
Shaker Heights, Ohio 44122
216-991-2421

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PUBLIC LIBRARY



SHAKER READS: Adult Reading Challenge

Join our community of Shaker Readers and take our summer reading challenge June 2 through August 6. Simply read what you want and as often as you like.

Read it and (We) Reap! For every book you read and rate, **OverDrive** has pledged \$1 to Shaker Library, up to \$500. Our challenge is for **you** to help us reach that goal! Books in every format and every genre count! Everyone who signs up will receive a magnet that proclaims SHAKER READS, and will be eligible for weekly prize drawings for gift cards. Add to the fun: have your picture taken reading a favorite book to display on our Shaker Readers Wall of Fame!

When we reach the 250 books read mark—which means \$250 for the Library and halfway to our goal—take home a SHAKER READS mug. Then bring your mug and a SHAKER READS coupon with you to the Academy Tavern on Tuesday, August 16 when they help us **Raise the Bar on Reading!** Get \$1 off your first drink (beer, wine or soft drinks). Plus Academy Tavern will donate a portion of your food bill that evening to Shaker Library!

Register online beginning June 2 at shakerlibrary.org/adult-summer-reading

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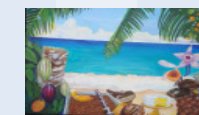
- League of Women Voters Community Forums
- Programs for Adults
- SAT & ACT Prep Classes
- First Folio in Cleveland

HOTSPOTS

Shaker Library is now lending HotSpots for free at-home or on-the-go wireless internet access. HotSpots provide internet access to smartphones, tablets, and up to 10 other wireless-enabled devices through the T-Mobile cellular network. Whether you can’t afford internet access, have an interruption in your internet service, or need wireless access on vacation, HotSpots can help. Ask about them at the Circulation Desks.

ART WALL

The second floor of Main Library is home to the Shaker Art Gallery, where local artists can display and sell their art. Be sure to stop by this summer to see your talented neighbors’ art on display.



June 6 - July 11
The Art of Curtis Avant
Meet-the-Artist Reception:
7-8:30 PM Monday, June 6



July 18-September 2
Kate Uhlir Artists
Meet-the-Artists Reception:
7-8:30 PM Thursday, July 28