



# Lake County Public Library

## Upcoming Youth, Teen, and Family Programs

December 1 – 31, 2018

Please register for programs and events by calling your local branch or visit [events.lcpl.in.org](http://events.lcpl.in.org) for more information and to self register.



**All program attendees must have a library card.  
Everyone is eligible! Ask us how to get one!**



***Branch Location Abbreviations:***

CL- Cedar Lake, DYSC- Dyer-Schererville, GRCA- Griffith-Calumet Twp  
HI- Highland, HO- Hobart, LSNC- Lake Station-New Chicago  
ME- Merrillville, MU- Munster, SJ- St. John

Preschool				
Sat	Dec 01	2:30pm	LSNC	Deck the Library
Mon	Dec 03	4:30pm	SJ	Family Board Games
Wed	Dec 05	10:30am	SJ	Building Blocks to Literacy: Ages Birth - 6 years
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	ME	Pajama Storytime
Thu	Dec 06	6:00pm	MU	Power Paws for Kids
Sat	Dec 08	10:30am	ME	Baby and Me Time: Ages Birth-23 Months
Tue	Dec 11	10:30am	CL	STEAM Club: Ages 3-6
Tue	Dec 11	11:00am	LSNC	Family, Food and Fun
Tue	Dec 11	1:00pm	CL	Tiny Tots Play Date
Sat	Dec 15	11:00am	DYSC	Power Paws
Sat	Dec 15	11:00am	SJ	LEGO® & DUPLO®
Sat	Dec 15	2:30pm	LSNC	<i>Elf</i>
Tue	Dec 18	11:00am	LSNC	Storytime: Ages Birth - 6
Wed	Dec 19	10:30am	DYSC	Holiday Storytime
Wed	Dec 19	6:00pm	ME	Pajama Storytime
Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	ME	STEAM: Gingerbread House Building For Families
Fri	Dec 21	10:30am	MU	Building Blocks to Literacy
Sat	Dec 22	11:00am	SJ	Power Paws for Kids
Fri	Dec 28	11:00am	LSNC	Storytime: Ages Birth - 6

Mon	Dec 03	10:30am	DYSC
Mon	Dec 03	10:30am	ME
Tue	Dec 04	10:30am	DYSC
Tue	Dec 04	6:30pm	HI
Wed	Dec 05	10:30am	HI
Wed	Dec 05	10:30am	HO
Fri	Dec 07	10:30am	CL
Fri	Dec 07	11:30am	CL
Mon	Dec 10	10:30am	DYSC
Tue	Dec 11	10:30am	DYSC
Wed	Dec 12	10:30am	GRCA
Wed	Dec 12	10:30am	MU
Wed	Dec 12	10:30am	SJ
Mon	Dec 17	10:30am	ME
Mon	Dec 17	11:00am	LSNC
Tue	Dec 18	6:30pm	HI
Wed	Dec 19	10:30am	HI
Fri	Dec 21	10:30am	CL
Fri	Dec 21	11:30am	CL
Wed	Dec 26	10:30am	MU
Wed	Dec 26	10:30am	SJ

### **Mother Goose on the Loose**

This is a program filled with stories, songs, rhymes,  
and games designed especially for babies  
ages birth to 23 months with a parent or caregiver.

Tue	Dec 04	10:00am	ME
Tue	Dec 04	10:30am	SJ
Wed	Dec 05	10:15am	DYSC
Wed	Dec 05	10:30am	GRCA
Wed	Dec 05	11:15am	DYSC
Mon	Dec 10	10:30am	HI
Mon	Dec 10	10:30am	HO
Mon	Dec 10	10:30am	MU
Mon	Dec 10	11:30am	MU
Tue	Dec 11	10:00am	ME
Wed	Dec 12	10:15am	DYSC
Wed	Dec 12	11:15am	DYSC
Thu	Dec 13	10:30am	CL
Tue	Dec 18	10:00am	ME
Tue	Dec 18	10:30am	SJ
Wed	Dec 19	10:30am	GRCA
Thu	Dec 27	10:30am	CL

### **Storytime : Ages 2-3**

Storytimes offer a variety of book related experiences  
for young children. They strive to be developmentally  
appropriate and can include picture book reading,  
storytelling, music, flannel board presentations,  
fingerplays, short videos, and/or simple crafts.

Mon	Dec 03	1:30pm	DYSC	
Mon	Dec 03	1:30pm	HO	
Tue	Dec 04	10:30am	CL	
Tue	Dec 04	10:30am	MU	
Tue	Dec 04	1:00pm	GRCA	
Tue	Dec 04	1:30pm	DYSC	<b>Storytime : Ages 4-6</b>
Wed	Dec 05	10:30am	MU	Preschoolers are invited to this storytime
Mon	Dec 10	1:30pm	DYSC	where they can practice early literacy skills with
Tue	Dec 11	1:00pm	SJ	
Tue	Dec 11	1:30pm	DYSC	picture books, storytelling, music, fingerplays
Tue	Dec 11	10:30am	SJ	
Wed	Dec 12	10:30am	HI	flannel boards, short videos, and/or simple crafts.
Thu	Dec 13	10:00am	ME	
Tue	Dec 18	10:30am	CL	
Tue	Dec 18	1:00pm	GRCA	

School Age				
Sat	Dec 01	10:00am	SJ	Sewing for Kids: Snowflake Ornaments
Sat	Dec 01	12:00pm	CL	<i>An American Tail</i>
Sat	Dec 01	2:30pm	LSNC	Deck the Library
Mon	Dec 03	4:30pm	SJ	Family Board Games
Mon	Dec 03	6:00pm	GRCA	Art Club (Grades K-5)
Tue	Dec 04	6:00pm	HO	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	LSNC	Operation Santa Paws
Thu	Dec 06	4:00pm	CL	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Thu	Dec 06	4:00pm	ME	STEAM Club (Grades K-6)
Thu	Dec 06	6:00pm	MU	Power Paws for Kids
Thu	Dec 06	6:30pm	DYSC	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Fri	Dec 07	10:30am	ME	Homeschool Hangout: Game On!
Fri	Dec 07	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Tue	Dec 11	10:30am	CL	STEAM Club: Ages 3-6
Tue	Dec 11	1:00pm	GRCA	Griffith-Calumet Twp. Home School Theater Rehearsal
Tue	Dec 11	4:00pm	ME	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Wed	Dec 12	1:30pm	CL	Let's Learn STEM: Homeschool Edition (Grades K-6)
Wed	Dec 12	3:30pm	HI	LEGO® Club (Grades K-5)
Wed	Dec 12	4:00pm	LSNC	Tween STEAM: Ages 8-12
Thu	Dec 13	4:30pm	SJ	Taste of Winter (Grades K-5)
Thu	Dec 13	6:00pm	HI	Power Paws For Kids
Thu	Dec 13	6:00pm	LSNC	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Thu	Dec 13	6:00pm	MU	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Fri	Dec 14	10:30am	ME	Homeschool Hangout: Holiday Card Service Project
Fri	Dec 14	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Sat	Dec 15	11:00am	DYSC	Power Paws
Sat	Dec 15	11:00am	SJ	LEGO® & DUPLO®
Sat	Dec 15	2:00pm	HI	STEAM: Light-Up Christmas Cards (Ages 8-12)
Sat	Dec 15	2:30pm	LSNC	<i>Elf</i>
Mon	Dec 17	4:00pm	GRCA	LEGO® MANIA (Grades K-5)
Mon	Dec 17	6:00pm	CL	Christmas Crafting Party! (Grades K-6)
Mon	Dec 17	6:00pm	MU	Full S.T.E.A.M. Ahead
Tue	Dec 18	3:00pm	CL	Minecraft Hour

### School Age Continued

Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	ME	STEAM: Gingerbread House Building For Families
Fri	Dec 21	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Sat	Dec 22	11:00am	SJ	Power Paws for Kids
Wed	Dec 26	1:30pm	CL	Let's Make Art: Homeschool Edition (Grades K-6)
Thu	Dec 27	2:00pm	SJ	Year's End Party (Grades K-5)
Thu	Dec 27	6:00pm	LSNC	LEGO® (Grades K-6)
Thu	Dec 27	6:00pm	MU	Kids Create An Artful Life-Acrylics: Ages 8-14
Fri	Dec 28	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)

### Family (Ages 0-99)

Sat	Dec 01	12:00pm	CL	<i>An American Tail</i>
Sat	Dec 01	1:00pm	ME	Local Author Event
Sat	Dec 01	2:30pm	LSNC	Deck the Library
Mon	Dec 03	4:30pm	SJ	Family Board Games
Tue	Dec 04	2:00pm	MU	Hot Chocolate Social
Tue	Dec 04	6:30pm	ME	Chess and Go Clubs
Wed	Dec 05	10:30am	LSNC	Sibling Prep Class
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	LSNC	Operation Santa Paws
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	ME	Pajama Storytime
Thu	Dec 06	1:00pm	GRCA	An Afternoon of Scrabble
Fri	Dec 07	10:30am	ME	Homeschool Hangout: Game On!
Fri	Dec 07	2:30pm	ME	Holiday Concert: The Chansonettes
Sat	Dec 08	10:00am	HI	All Ability Holiday Card Making
Mon	Dec 10	2:00pm	CL	Word Games: An Afternoon of Fun
Mon	Dec 10	6:00pm	GRCA	Holiday Pajama Storytime
Tue	Dec 11	11:00am	LSNC	Family, Food and Fun
Tue	Dec 11	3:00pm	CL	<i>The Nightmare Before Christmas</i>
Tue	Dec 11	6:00pm	HO	Family Storytime
Tue	Dec 11	6:30pm	HI	Family Storytime
Tue	Dec 11	6:30pm	ME	Chess and Go Clubs
Wed	Dec 12	1:30pm	CL	Let's Learn STEM: Homeschool Edition (Grades K-6)
Thu	Dec 13	6:00pm	HI	Power Paws for Kids
Sat	Dec 15	11:00am	DYSC	Power Paws
Sat	Dec 15	11:00am	SJ	LEGO® & DUPLO®
Sat	Dec 15	2:30pm	LSNC	<i>Elf</i>
Tue	Dec 18	6:30pm	ME	Chess and Go Clubs
Wed	Dec 19	5:00pm	CL	Paws' for Reading & Fun!
Wed	Dec 19	6:00pm	ME	Pajama Storytime
Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	ME	STEAM: Gingerbread House Building For Families
Sat	Dec 22	11:00am	SJ	Power Paws for Kids
Sat	Dec 22	12:00pm	CL	<i>It's A Wonderful Life</i>
Thu	Dec 27	2:00pm	ME	<i>Gremlins (1984)</i>
Mon	Dec 31	11:30am	GRCA	Noon Years' Eve!

### Teens (Ages 12-18)

Sat	Dec 01	1:00pm	HI	MakerStation: Holiday Recycling Art
Sat	Dec 01	2:30pm	LSNC	Deck the Library
Mon	Dec 03	4:00pm	SJ	Teen Anime Club
Mon	Dec 03	6:30pm	ME	Teen: Color a Smile

## Teens (Ages 12-18) *Continued*

Tue	Dec 04	6:30pm	ME	Chess and Go Clubs
Wed	Dec 05	12:30pm	SJ	Off the Hook: Crafting Afternoon
Wed	Dec 05	5:00pm	DYSC	Teen Bored Games
Wed	Dec 05	5:30pm	HO	Teen Advisory Board
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	GRCA	Teen Advisory Board (T.A.B.)
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	HI	Teen GAME ON
Wed	Dec 05	6:00pm	LSNC	Operation Santa Paws
Wed	Dec 05	6:30pm	DYSC	Teen Advisory Board
Thu	Dec 06	10:00am	MU	All Ability: Pinecone Ornaments
Thu	Dec 06	3:00pm	LSNC	Teen Gaming
Thu	Dec 06	3:00pm	SJ	Teen Gaming
Thu	Dec 06	6:00pm	ME	Teen Advisory Board
Thu	Dec 06	6:00pm	MU	Power Paws for Kids
Fri	Dec 07	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Sat	Dec 08	3:00pm	HI	Teen Advisory Board Holiday Party
Mon	Dec 10	2:00pm	CL	Word Games: An Afternoon of Fun
Tue	Dec 11	3:00pm	CL	<i>The Nightmare Before Christmas</i>
Tue	Dec 11	6:00pm	LSNC	Teen Advisory Board (TAB)
Tue	Dec 11	6:30pm	ME	Chess and Go Clubs
Wed	Dec 12	12:30pm	SJ	Off the Hook: Crafting Afternoon
Wed	Dec 12	4:00pm	LSNC	Tween STEAM: Ages 8-12
Wed	Dec 12	5:30pm	HO	Teen Bath Bomb and Sugar Scrub Workshop
Fri	Dec 14	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Sat	Dec 15	2:00pm	SJ	Teen Holiday Movie: <i>Elf</i>
Sat	Dec 15	2:30pm	LSNC	<i>Elf</i>
Sat	Dec 15	3:00pm	ME	Teen Learn to Play Magic: The Gathering
Mon	Dec 17	10:00am	ME	Create an Artful Life: Acrylic Painting
Mon	Dec 17	1:00pm	ME	Create an Artful Life: Acrylic Painting
Mon	Dec 17	4:00pm	SJ	Teen Advisory Board
Mon	Dec 17	6:00pm	DYSC	Teen <i>The Nightmare Before Christmas</i> film showing
Tue	Dec 18	3:00pm	CL	Minecraft Hour
Tue	Dec 18	5:30pm	ME	Anime Club: <i>Tokyo Godfathers</i>
Tue	Dec 18	6:00pm	GRCA	All Ability Inclusive Program: Gingerbread House Decorating
Tue	Dec 18	6:00pm	LSNC	Teen: Cake in a Mug
Tue	Dec 18	6:30pm	ME	Chess and Go Clubs
Wed	Dec 19	12:30pm	SJ	Off the Hook: Crafting Afternoon
Wed	Dec 19	6:30pm	GRCA	Teen Wellbeing Workshop
Thu	Dec 20	3:00pm	CL	Teen MakerStation: Coding Club
Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	GRCA	Teen Green Screen Studio
Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	ME	Teen: LEGO® and Board Game Night
Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	ME	STEAM: Gingerbread House Building for Families
Thu	Dec 20	6:00pm	SJ	Teen Arts & Crafts: Art with Buttons
Fri	Dec 21	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Wed	Dec 26	12:30pm	SJ	Off the Hook: Crafting Afternoon
Wed	Dec 26	3:00pm	CL	Teen Game Fest
Wed	Dec 26	3:30pm	SJ	Teen: Guitar Hero
Thu	Dec 27	2:00pm	ME	<i>Gremlins (1984)</i>
Thu	Dec 27	6:00pm	MU	Kids Create An Artful Life-Acrylics: Ages 8-14
Fri	Dec 28	3:00pm	MU	Chess Club (Grades 1-12)
Sat	Dec 29	2:00pm	SJ	Teen MakerStation: Let's Make Cookies!
Mon	Dec 31	3:00pm	HI	Teen Activity Cart