north canton public library and the little art gallery

fall 2014

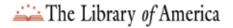
explore the civil war

The North Canton Public Library is one of fifty sites nationwide selected to host Civil War 150, a national traveling exhibition that will be on display in the Little Art Gallery beginning Wednesday, September 18 through Saturday, October 4, 2014. An opening reception, featuring a lecture delivered by humanities scholar and Walsh University Professor, Kelly Selby, will be hosted in the gallery September 18 beginning at 5:30 p.m. All are welcome.

The exhibit will allow patrons to experience the battle through the eyes of major political figures, soldiers, families, and freedmen. By virtue of letters, personal accounts, and images, it will become evident how people grappled with the end of slavery, the nature of democracy and citizenship, the human toll of civil war, and the role of a president in wartime.

The Gilder Lehrman Institute developed the exhibition to mark the Civil War Sesquicentennial. The Civil War 150 is divided into five panels: The Nation Divides, 1861: The Union is Dissolved, This Cruel War, 1863: Turning Points, and The Price of Victory (1864-1865). Drawing from the Gilder Lehrman Collection, each section traces major events during the Civil War.

The project is presented by



in partnership with THE GILDER LEHRMAN INSTITUTE of AMERICAN HISTORY





Beginning September 6, the **North Canton Heritage Society** will host Ohio in the Civil War, a traveling exhibit exploring Ohio's participation in the war and focusing on individuals' choices that impacted local communities and the course of



the war. The Heritage Society will house the exhibit through October 5. Through the lens of three themes - Democracy, Transformation, and Memory - the exhibit explores topics such as civil rights, political dissent, pacifism, religion, and popular culture and reveals patterns in our country's response to such topics throughout history and to the present day. The exhibit was developed by the Ohio Historical Society in partnership with the Ohio Humanities Council and American Electric Power.

The library is proudly partnering with the North Canton Heritage Society to offer free programs and events for the public in conjunction with Civil War 150.

September 6 - October 5: Ohio in the Civil War on display at the Heritage Society

September 18: Civil War 150 opening reception featuring Kelly Selby and Abraham Lincoln re-enactor at the library

September 20: View the 29th Ohio Volunteer Infantry encampment outside the Heritage Society from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

September 27: The library welcomes guitar enthusiast Steve Ball for a presentation featuring six Martin guitars as well as actual sheet music from the Civil War time period

Developed by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History in partnership with The Library of America, this exhibition was made possible through a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. The exhibition is part of Civil War 150: Exploring the War and Its Meaning through the Words of Those Who Lived It, a major three-year project funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. The project is centered on the four-volume Library of America series The Civil War Told by Those Who Lived It.



R.J. Palacio's Wonder: One Book, One Community 2014 Selection

The North Canton Public Library will join many additional libraries in Stark County to explore "the wonder of Wonder" throughout October. This hopeful story has bridged generations, appealing to all ages, with its beautiful message encouraging kindness. The library will provide 30 consecutive days of Wonder programming beginning October 1. We're excited to do our part to help advocate for kindness in Stark County.



See details about our 30 Days of Wonder programming on page two.

StarkKind

We are Planning 30 Days of Wonder!

The library is planning 30 consecutive days of Wonder related programming in October. Check ncantonlibrary.org for the complete list in September.

October 3 (First Friday Canton)

The Canton Palace Theatre presents the movie, Bully, with special performance by Elec Simon.

6 p.m. Doors open

6:30 p.m. Elec Simon (from STOMP) performs

7:30 p.m. Movie begins

October 4 at 11 a.m.

Kids and Kindness program at the North Canton Public Library invites children in grades 1-3 to discuss the importance of kindness and prepare a caring craft. Registration required.

October 7 at 6 p.m.

#StarkKind kick-off event at the Canton Cultural Center

October 13 at 6 p.m.

Wonder Book Discussion for all ages hosted by the North Canton Public Library.

October 13 at 4:45 p.m.

The North Canton Public Library's K-One Club for kindergarteners and first graders will be themed "kindness." Registration required.

October 14 at 4:45 p.m.

The North Canton Public Library invites children in grades 3-5 to make and give a craft to support kindness. Registration required.

October 16 at 3:30 p.m.

Teens are invited to complete a Wonder themed craft at the North Canton Public Library. Registration required.

October 18 at 2 p.m.

One Book, One Community county-wide panel and roundtable discussion of Wonder at Stark County's Perry Sippo Branch Library.

October 21 at 6 p.m.

Adults are invited to this month's Crafter's Corner at the North Canton Public Library. We will be making soap to be donated to a homeless shelter. Registration required.

October 28 at 6:30 p.m.

The North Canton Public Library's Evening Story Time for children will be

themed "friends." Registration required.

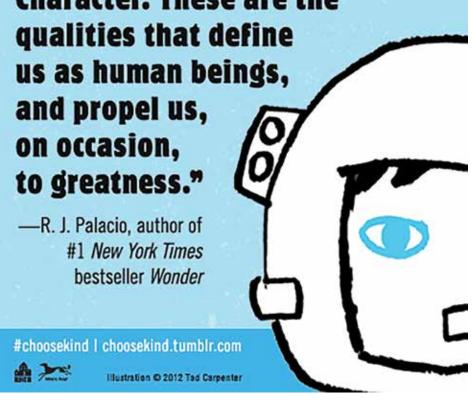
October 29 at 4:45 p.m.

The North Canton Public Library will host a Star Wars Party for children in grades 3-5 in honor of Wonder's main character, Auggie. Registration required.

October 30 at 4:45 p.m.

Children in preschool through grade 5 are invited to the North Canton Public Library's Creature Creations program where we will make creations using recycled materials as an act of kindness to the Earth. Registration required.

"Courage. Kindness. Friendship. Character. These are the qualities that define us as human beings, and propel us, on occasion,



programs for teens and middle schoolers

Teen Back to School Lounge

Tuesday, August 26 from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Join us as we start the school year off right with some fun at the library! Relax and get to know your fellow teens, meet our teen librarian, Laura Hanby, and enjoy video games, crafts, fun summer drinks, snacks and more!

Middle School Mania

The first Friday of every month at 3 p.m. starting in September Middle School Mania is back after the summer break! We welcome all middle schoolers to join us each month as we either take on a new craft, learn how to make some tasty treats, or just have fun in each others' company. The activity and registration dates for each individual month are to be announced, so stay tuned to ncantonlibrary.org for details!

TeenFlix

The second Thursday of every month at 3:30 p.m. beginning in September

Our monthly after school movie program is back by popular demand! Join us as we relax after a hard day of school with a movie and some delicious food. Movies to be announced. Signed permission slips will be required for any movies with a PG-13 rating. Stay tuned to ncantonlibrary.org for details!

Make A Take-and-Bake with Ermanno's Legendary Pizza Monday, September 22 at 3:30 p.m.

Is there anything better in this world than a good pizza? No way! Join us and our friends from Ermanno's Legendary Pizza as we learn how to make our own pizza masterpieces. You can then take your pizza home to bake and share with your family! All materials will be provided. Registration will open at ncantonlibrary.org two weeks prior to the program date.

Teen Community Service Orientation

Friday, September 26 at 3:30 p.m.

In need of some volunteer or community service hours? Need something to add to your resume? Or, do you just enjoy giving back to your community? If you answered yes to any of these questions, please come to the orientation for our new Teen Community Service program! This program will involve different service projects that we will do together here in the library throughout the school year. At our orientation, we will talk about the requirements for the program, take suggestions for service projects, get to know each other and enjoy some snacks!

Teen Craft Program: Wonder Craft

Thursday, October 16 at 3:30 p.m.

This program is presented in association with our One Book, One Community and our Explore the World programs. Join us as we learn how to make a craft inspired by our One Book, One Community selection, *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio. You can also attend this program to get your Explore the World of Imagination sticker and prize for the month of October. Registration begins at ncantonlibrary.org two weeks prior to the program date.

Teen Zombie Party!

Thursday, October 23 at 3:30 p.m.

Join us as we celebrate Halloween zombie style! Activities will include a zombie costume contest, zombie related games and crafts, zombie inspired food and much more! Registration begins at ncantonlibrary.org two weeks prior to the program.

Family Board Game Night

Saturday, November 15 at 2 p.m.

"Board" in the Library? Join us and celebrate family and the beginning of the holiday season by participating in an afternoon of fun and games. Bring your favorite board game to share, or play with one of ours. Light refreshments will be provided. You can attend this program to get your Explore the World of Family sticker and prize for the month of November.

Teen Hunger Games Party

Tuesday, November 18 at 3:30 p.m.

Celebrate the upcoming release of the film *Mockingjay Part I* by taking part in our Hunger Games party! Activities will include crafts, games, food, and more. Registration will open at ncantonlibrary.org two weeks prior to the program date.

Teen Card Making Party

Tuesday, December 2 at 3:30 p.m.

Come help with our service project as we spread some holiday cheer by making cards for an organization that will distribute them to those in need of some extra joy this holiday season. Holiday music and snacks will be provided! You can attend this program to get your Explore the World of Generosity sticker and prize for the month of December.

Teen Gift Making Program

Thursday, December 18 at 3 p.m.

Help us celebrate the start of winter vacation by taking part in our gift making program! Come learn how to make a homemade gift for a family member or friend. No last minute shopping required! All materials to be provided. Registration will open at ncantonlibrary.org two weeks before the program.

please register for these programs at ncantonlibrary.org

Middle Schoolers: Join this month's guidebook partner, TomTod, to "Explore the World of Imagination" Tuesday, October 7 beginning at 4 p.m.

TomTod Ideas is a dream incubator for middle school students that helps their imaginations hatch into realities

that impact the world for good. Through a variety of immersive mentoring experiences, ranging from one week to 18 months, TomTod empowers middle school students to put their imaginations to work, explore innovation and take action centered on the common good.

TomTod works with public schools, youth groups and students from all over Stark County. Find out more at www.tomtodideas.org.

programs for children

Ongoing Programs

Baby, Books & Me for caregiver and newborn-24 month old Tuesdays, 10:30-10:50 a.m.

October 7, 14, 21, 28 and November 4, 11

Registration begins September 3 at ncantonlibrary.org

Tales for Twos for caregiver and two year old

Wednesdays, 10:30-10:50 a.m.

October 8, 15, 22, 29 and November 5, 12

Registration begins September 3 at ncantonlibrary.org

Reading Round-Up for caregiver and 3-5 year olds

Thursdays, 10:30-11 a.m.

October 9, 16, 23, 30 and November 6, 13

Registration begins September 3 at ncantonlibrary.org

Evening Story Time for families with 3-5 year olds (siblings welcome)

Tuesdays, 6:30-7 p.m.

October 28, November 25

Registration begins September 3 at ncantonlibrary.org

K-One Club for kindergarteners and first graders

Mondays, 4:45-5:30 p.m.

September 29, October 6, 13, 20, 27 and November 3 Registration begins September 3 at noantonlibrary.org

Family Lego Club for children in grades K-5 with a caregiver

Wednesdays, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

September 3, October 3*, November 5, December 3

*October's meeting will be held on Friday, October 3

Registration for September 3 begins August 11; registration for all other dates begins September 3 at noantonlibrary.org

Mother/Daughter Book Club for girls in grades 3-5 with their moms

Thursdays, 6:45-7:30 p.m.

October 16, November 20

Pick up the selected book title at the Children's Desk. Registration begins
September 3 at nognitoralibrary.org



Read to Sarge, Our Tail-Wagging Tutor

Register in person or by phone to sign up for 10 minutes Tuesdays, between 6:30-7:30 p.m.

September 2, 16, October 7, 21, November 4, 18, December 2

Special Interest Programs

Dreamcatchers for 3rd-5th graders

Thursday, September 18 from 4:45-5:30 p.m.

Create your own dreamcatcher

Registration begins September 3 at ncantonlibrary.org

Learn about the Library FOR PARENTS of children in preschool through grade 5

Saturday, September 20 from 2-3 p.m.

This program outlines various library services and materials Registration begins September 3 at noantonlibrary.org

American Girl Party for grades 3-6

Thursday, September 25 from 4:45-5:30 p.m.

Bring in your own American Girl doll while you learn about Addy, who is from the Civil War Era

Registration begins September 3 at ncantonlibrary.org

Kids and Kindness for grades 1-3

Saturday, October 4 from 11-11:45 a.m.

Discuss the importance of kindness and prepare a caring craft Registration begins September 15 at noantonlibrary.org

Bubble Guppies Party for 2-6 year olds with a caregiver

Saturday, October 11 starting at 10 a.m.

Registration begins September 15 at ncantonlibrary.org

Kindness Counts for grades 3-5

Tuesday, October 14 from 4:45-5:30 p.m.

Come make kindness crafts to make and give away Registration begins September 15 at ncantonlibrary.org

Halloween Party for 2-6 year olds with a caregiver

Saturday, October 25 starting at 10 a.m.

Dress up!

Registration begins October 6 at ncantonlibrary.org

Star Wars Party for grades 3-5

Wednesday, October 29 from 4:45-5:30 p.m.

Activities related to Star Wars including Jedi skill building. Registration begins October 6 at ncantonlibrary.org

Creature Creations for children PreK through fifth grade

Thursday, October 30 from 4:45-5:30 p.m.

Explore the world of imagination with recycled materials. (caregiver should attend to help PreK participants)
Registration begins October 6 at ncantonlibrary.org

Trick or Treat in the library

Friday, October 31 from 11 a.m.-12 p.m. or 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Dress up!

No registration needed

Marble Run Fun for grades 1-3

Saturday, November 8 from 11-11:45 a.m.
Team up to build a marble run!
Registration begins October 20 at ncantonlibrary.org

Bear Party for 2-6 year olds with a caregiver

Saturday, November 15 starting at 10 a.m. Registration begins October 20 at ncantonlibrary.org

Cookie Decorating for grades 3-5

Friday, December 12 from 4:45-5:30 p.m. Registration begins November 24 at ncantonlibrary.org

Pictures with Santa will return in December! Watch our website for details.

explore the world

Keep using your guidebooks through the end of the year to receive these fantastic incentives!

- August: buy one, get one free at SkyMax
- September: coin valid for \$1 off library fines
- October: TomTod bookmark and ETW button
- November: ChoreChaser luggage tag
- December: free K-cup kit for coffee or cocoa

new! disney pals!

disney plush story sets

Library staff members can't keep from smiling when they first see these new book and plush character sets! We are so excited to see our patrons' faces! In most cases, each set includes plush characters and an audio CD for children. Monsters, Inc and Frozen are just two of the many sets now available to be checked out in the children's department.





fall programs for adults

Crafter's Corner

Tuesday, September 23 at 6 p.m.

Get a head-start on decorating your table for the holidays by making a few festive crafts with us. From easy centerpieces to place cards, we'll show you how to channel your inner Martha Stewart. Registration begins September 1 at ncantonlibrary.org.

Film Fest Friday

Movies begin at 2 p.m.

Enjoy afternoons of musical theater and fun with light refreshments.

September 12 - Chicago

October 10 – Mamma Mia

November 7 – Moulin Rouge

December 5 - Newsies

Cookbook Club

Tuesday, September 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Do you love to cook? Are you eager to try new recipes, but hesitate to spend money on ingredients for a dish your family may not enjoy? Then Cookbook Club is the perfect place for you! Bring a covered dish to share as well as the recipe and we'll spend time sampling and discussing each other's creations. Theme determined at previous meeting. Plates and silverware provided. Call Adult and Teen Services at 330.499.4712 x311 for more information.

The Music of the Civil War Era

Saturday, September 27 at 2 p.m.

Explore the Civil War with us as we welcome guitar enthusiast Steve Ball to the North Canton Public Library. Mr. Ball's love of music combined with an interest in the Civil War era culminates in a presentation featuring six Martin guitars as well as actual sheet music from that time period. You'll learn what was going on during the war when many of the songs were written as well as what some of them actually sounded like when Mr. Ball performs.

Creative Writing Contest

October 1-31 during library hours

Do you have the "write stuff?" Explore the world of creativity during the month of October by participating in our creative writing contest. Stop by the Adult Services Desk and select a writing prompt or picture to get the creative juices flowing. Entries must be received by the end of the day on October 31 to be considered. The top three entries will receive a prize.

Food Preservation Basics Workshop

Wednesday, October 8 at 6 p.m.

Preserving nature's bounty for enjoyment during the winter months is both rewarding and nutritious! Canning, freezing, and drying are all excellent methods, but need to be done safely. Join Christine Kendel from the Ohio State University Extension Office and learn the basics of food preservation. Samples and general information will be provided. Register in advance beginning September 24.



Social Security Sign-up

Wednesday, October 15 at 5:30 p.m.

Have you earned enough quarters of coverage to receive Social Security benefits? At what age should you file? Is it too early to think about Social Security? Can you work and receive Social Security benefits? Can you file on a previous spouse's earnings? What's the quickest way to receive your benefit? Do you have to file for Medicare? What if you paid into a different retirement system? Are you still eligible to receive a benefit? What is MySocialSecurity.Gov? During this program, Robert Fenn, Public Affairs Specialist of the Social Security Administration, will be here to answer your questions.

Crafter's Corner

Tuesday, October 21 at 6 p.m.

Just in time for the holiday season, you can learn how to make herbal soap, lip balm and an invigorating sugar scrub. Keep some for yourself and donate the rest to a local shelter in celebration of our "30 Days of Wonder" programming. Registration opens October 1.

The Unknown Beatles

Wednesday, October 22 at 6 p.m.

Join Ray Carmen on Wednesday, October 22, for an hour of little known songs, videos, facts and trivia about the world's most famous rock and roll band. To quote the late John Lennon, "a splendid time is guaranteed for all"!

Overcoming Holiday Overwhelm

Saturday, November 1 at 2 p.m.

Join professional organizer, Natalie Gallagher from Refined Rooms, L.L.C. as she provides planning and organizational strategies that can help reduce stress and increase joy during the hectic holiday season. Registration begins October 18.

Crafter's Corner

Tuesday, November 11 at 6 p.m.

Calling all crafters! Learn how to make a festive fall wreath using recycled books! Register starting October 28 at ncantonlibrary. org.

Board in the Library?

Saturday, November 15 from 2-4 p.m.

Celebrate family and the beginning of the holiday season by participating in an afternoon of fun and games. Bring your favorite board game to share, or play with one of ours. Light refreshments will be provided.

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St. Jude's Recycled Card Program

December 1-31 during library hours

St. Jude's accepts used all-occasion greeting cards for repurposing to raise money to support programs and services for abused, neglected and homeless children, young adults and families. Throughout the month of December, please bring any unwanted greeting cards for our collection basket, and we'll take care of the rest. At the end of the month, we'll mail them to St. Jude's Ranch for Children. Please note that St. Jude's is unable to accept Hallmark, Disney or American Greeting cards. For a list of rules, visit ncantonlibrary.org or stop by the Adult/Teen Services desk.

Sounds of the Season with Tom Conner

Saturday, December 13 at 2 p.m.

Back by popular demand! Enjoy the sounds of the season provided by veteran acoustic guitarist, Tom Conner. CD's will be available for purchase at the conclusion of the program.

Crafter's Corner

Tuesday, December 16 at 6 p.m.

From homemade gift tags to embellishments that add that personal touch, learn how to dress your holiday gifts in style. All materials provided, but space is limited. Register beginning December 1.

Cookie Exchange

Wednesday, December 17 at 6 p.m.

Back by popular demand! The North Canton Public Library will be hosting a cookie exchange December 17 at 6 p.m. Bake three dozen of your favorite cookies to share and spend the evening sampling each other's festive holiday treats. Don't forget to bring a copy of your recipe as well as a container so you can take home goodies. Registration begins December 1.

book clubs

First Monday Book Chat

First Monday of the month at 2 p.m.

September 9 - Garden Spells by Sarah Addison Allen

October 6 - State of Wonder by Ann Patchett

November 3 - Wild by Cheryl Strayed

December 1 - The Husband's Secret by Liane Moriarty

Unforgettable Mysteries Book Club

First Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

September 4 - Partners in Crime by Agatha Christie

October 2 - The Sins of the Fathers by Lawrence Block

November 6 - The Poison Tree by Erin Kelly

December 2 - Christmas is Murder by C. S. Challinor

Readable History Book Discussion

Second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

October 14 - The Amistad Rebellion: An Atlantic Odyssey of Slavery and Freedom.

November 11 - Pat and Dick: the Nixons: an intimate portrait of a marriage.

December 9 - 50 Children: One Ordinary American Couple's Extraordinary Rescue Mission into the Heart of Nazi Germany.

the tech spot click.dot.click

PC Basics: Keyboard? Mouse? OS?

Second Wednesday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

This Personal Computer hardware instruction class will explain what things are, where they go and how they are used. Please register to attend in advance at 330.499.4712 x316. (Skill requirements: NONE)

What is the Internet: introduction of the Internet and how you can use it

Third Wednesday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

The class provides an overview of Internet service providers and connections, the ins and outs of a browser and the different types available; and general knowledge of net navigation and tasks. Please register to attend in advance at 330.499.4712 x316. (Skills required: Basic PC Skills)

Getting Social: social networking for beginners

Fourth Wednesday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

Come learn about different social networks like Facebook and Twitter and why they are relevant and convenient, and how they can help organize your life and keep you in contact with family. Please register to attend in advance at 330.499.4712 x316. (Skills required: Basic PC Skills)

Computer Q&A

First Monday of the month at 1 p.m.

Do you have computer questions, but aren't sure who to ask? Then check with our computer expert, Gerald Schaefer, at one of these informative sessions. No registration required.

Free eReader Instruction

Please call $330.499.4712 \times 316$ to make an appointment with our IT expert.

outreach services...meet keri!

At the North Canton Public Library, we are always seeking new and progressive ways to serve our community. To this end, we have established an outreach services program with a goal of going beyond the walls of the library to provide the North Canton community with exciting new programs, services, educational materials and entertainment resources.



Keri Burick, our outreach services manager, is working to build relationships with North Canton businesses and organizations, identify and develop opportunities to expand programming, communication and awareness within our community, and to represent the library at community meetings and events. If you have new ideas for ways we can serve our community through our outreach efforts, please contact Keri at 330.499.4712 x323 or kburick@northcantonlibrary.org.

friends' corner

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You shop, the Friends of the Library receive! It's so easy. The AmazonSmile program offers 501c3 non-profit organizations, like the Friends, 0.5% of what YOU spend on Amazon. Just visit smile.amazon.com and select the Friends of the North Canton Public Library as your charity of choice.

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in the little art gallery

Current Exhibit:

The Art of Living featuring the work of Lisa Vincenzo

On display through August 23

Upcoming shows:

Civil War 150

On display: September 18 through October 4

About: Traveling Exhibition presented by The Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History in partnership with The Library of America.

Opening Reception: September 18 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. with lecture by humanities scholar and Walsh University Professor, Kelly Selby at 6 p.m.

Out of Print featuring the work of Pam Neff

On display: October 16 through November 9 Opening Reception: October 19 from 2-4 p.m.

Image (left): Trike

The Legacy of Ferdinand Brader

On display: December 11, 2014 through January 8, 2015

About: A major exhibition of monumental drawings by the itinerant folk artist Ferdinand Brader will open at the Canton Museum of Art, McKinley Presidential Library and Museum and the Little Art Gallery this December. The Little Art Gallery will feature a collection of Brader's colored pencil drawings.

Opening Reception: December 11 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. includes gallery talk presented by Kathleen Wieschaus-Voss, Brader Exhibit Curator at 6:30 p.m.

The Little Art Gallery is grateful to FLAG (Friends of the Little Art Gallery) for supporting the gallery and its programming.

art classes for adults and children



opens wednesday, august 13. classes begin the week of september 15.

2014 fall art class registration

The library's art classes, organized through the Little Art Gallery, are designed to meet the needs and abilities of each student as well as foster creativity, social skills and individual growth.

Mixed Media classes provide experience working with a variety of materials and processes including painting, drawing, collage and 3-D materials.

Classes are held one day a week for eight weeks. Fee: children's session \$30; adult session \$40. Register at ncantonlibrary.org

