PROGRAM REGISTRATION

To register for Library programs, visit the Library’s online Calendar of Upcoming Events https://scslibrary.events.mylibrary.digital/, phone 586-771-9020, or visit the Library’s Information Desk.

HISTORY WALK
“BEING YOUNG IN ST. CLAIR SHORES” THROUGH AUGUST 6

Historic photos of young people in St. Clair Shores from 1903 to 1978 are on display in a History Walk outside, on the Jefferson Avenue side of the Library.

SUMMER READING PROGRAM FOR ADULTS THROUGH AUGUST 2

Anyone age 18+ with a valid library card in our system can join this program. Register at the Library and become eligible to win prizes. Each time you read a book, deposit an entry ticket at the Summer Reading for Adults display. All submitted tickets will be entered into a weekly drawing for gift cards. Prizes will be awarded each Monday. Deadline to enter is August 2 at 5 PM. Registrants may only win once. Each adult book read or listened to will earn one entry ticket. Any five books read to a child will also earn one ticket.

This program is generously funded by the Friends of the St. Clair Shores Public Library.

SILENT BOOK GROUP
WEDNESDAYS, JULY 17 & AUGUST 21, 6:30 PM

Join fellow readers in the Library’s Reading Lounge for a patron-led group devoted to reading exactly what you choose.

Meet at 6:30 PM, grab a seat, socialize (or not) with other readers, possibly share what you’re reading. It’s BYOB (Bring Your Own Book), e-reader, graphic novel, or see what’s on offer at the Library.

Silent Reading will be from 7 to 8 PM. This is your time to relax, to read silently in company with fellow book lovers, minus the pressure of assigned books or discussion. 18+ only. No registration required.

Continue to enjoy Silent Reading on the third Wednesday of each month: September 18 and October 16.
BOOK BINGO FOR ADULTS
THROUGH AUGUST 2
Pick up a Bingo Sheet and mark five squares in a row of reading activities. Enter your Sheet for a prize. One entry per person. Deadline to submit a Sheet is August 2 at 5 PM.

MAKE-IT “MUG-DAY”*
MONDAY, JULY 15, 5:30-7 PM
Using the Library’s new makerspace materials, we invite patrons age 14 and older to craft their own specially-made mug using ready-to-make designs. No registration is required; latest arrival time is 6:45 to ensure there is enough time to complete your project.

3D PRINT DAY*
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 10 AM-5 PM
Registration begins July 9
Patrons age 10 and older can reserve one hour with the Library’s 3D Printer. One person (or a group of no more than four) can register for a session; only one person from a group needs to register. One slot per person/group; space is limited. Print time will be limited to 45 minutes per person or group.

Patrons can bring in a flash drive with a preselected print from https://www.thingiverse.com/ or they can choose a print option upon arrival.

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101 MAKERSPACE TUTORIAL*
TUESDAY JULY 23, 2-3:30 PM
Registration begins July 9
Join us for an introduction to the Library’s Makerspace stations and materials specifically for adults. Each Makerspace station will be explained and there will be demonstrations of the machines.

GARDEN BOOK NOOK MAKING*
THURSDAY, JULY 25, 6-7:30 PM
Registration begins July 10
Anyone age 10 and older can make a garden-themed book nook for a home bookcase. This is a free event with limited spots. Patrons age 10-13 must be accompanied by an adult.

MAKE-IT MONDAYS*
JULY 29 & AUGUST 26, 6-7 PM
Registration begins two weeks before event
Explore the Library’s makerspace materials and discover the wide range of tools and resources available. Make-It Mondays are open to participants age 5 and older. Patrons age 13 and younger are required to be accompanied by an adult. Prior registration is required, including accompanying adults.

PUZZLE COMPETITION
MONDAY, JULY 22, 6:30PM
Registration begins July 8
Up to six teams will be given 90 minutes to complete a 300-piece puzzle in a friendly competition. The first team that completes their puzzle, wins. Teams can be 2-6 members; only one person from each team needs to register.

TRIVIA NIGHT
MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 6:30 PM
Registration begins July 22
Join us for another night of trivia fun. Teams of four will test their knowledge of a variety of topics and compete for a grand prize! Registration is required and may be done in person or by phone at (586) 771-9020. Don’t have a full team? Groups of less than four and those registering solo will be matched with other trivia enthusiasts to form a four-person team. Trivia Night is open to those 18 and older, novice or seasoned players.
HEAT PRESS EXPRESS*  
MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2-3:30 PM
We invite patrons age 14 and older to create their own, specially-made souvenir to use and enjoy. From canvas pouches and bags, to coasters, mugs and other items, crafters will have options on what to create. No registration is required for this drop-in program. Latest arrival time is 3:15 to ensure there is enough time to complete your project.

TRY-IT THURSDAYS*  
6-7 PM
Registration begins two weeks before event
AUGUST 22: MUG PRESS, 3D PENS, MAGNA-TILES
SEPTEMBER 12: 3D PRINTER, MAKEDO, INDI CODING CARS
Registration is open to those age 5 and older. Each station has its own registration with a select number of available spots. Adults must also register and accompany children that are under the age of 13.

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LIBRARY AT BLOSSOM HEATH FARMERS MARKET  
THURSDAYS, JULY 11 & AUGUST 8, 5-9 PM
Visit with Library staff at the Farmers Market. Ask a question, find out about programs and services, or just say hello!

YARDENERS OF ST. CLAIR SHORES BUSINESS PLANNING MEETINGS  
MONDAYS, JULY 8 & AUGUST 12, 7 PM
Anyone interested in gardening is welcome at the business planning meetings in the Library. For more information, email scsyardeners@gmail.com.

ANNUAL GARDEN TOUR  
SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 9 AM–3 PM
See some of St. Clair Shores’ loveliest yards on the Yardeners 31st Annual Garden Tour! This is a self-guided driving tour with some walking. Registration, ticket sales and map distribution begin at 9 AM at the Selinsky-Green Farmhouse Museum. Cost is $5 per person; 12 and under are free. Yardeners and Master Gardeners will be available to answer questions and vendors will be on-site.

YOGA CLASS  
FRIDAY, JULY 12 & AUGUST 2, 10:30 AM
Join us at the Library for free community yoga classes. Led by Jennifer Perkins, founder of Light the Way Yoga, this gentle flow class will include movement, breath work, and meditation. No experience is necessary and the sessions will be accessible to all ability levels. Bring a mat and wear comfortable clothes. Use the link provided to sign up in advance. Space is limited. https://lightthewayyoga.as.me/LibraryCommunityClass

LOCAL HISTORY CENTER
The Local History Center is closed until further notice. For local history or genealogy inquiries, please contact the local history librarian.
1ST STOP
MONDAYS, 10 AM
Join us for thirty minutes of songs, rhymes, and a story in the Gilstorf Meeting Room. Suggested for ages birth to four.

TODDLER DROP-IN PLAY
THURSDAYS, JULY 18, AUGUST 1, AUGUST 15
10-11:30 AM
Children ages 12 to 36 months and their caregivers are invited to a drop-in play time at the Library. Toys will be available in the Gilstorf Meeting Room. Come have fun and meet new friends! No registration required.

SUMMER READING PROGRAM
Summer Reading continues! In-person registration is required to receive reading logs. The last day to register is July 26. All logs must be returned to the library by 9 PM on Monday, August 5 to be entered into the prize drawings. Please make sure that the child or teen’s full name, age, and a phone number are included on the log. Phone the Youth Services Department at 586-771-9020 ext. 3 or email the Library at SCSYouth@libcoop.net with any questions.

TAKE & MAKES
WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 2
Children age two and up can have fun with a Take & Make craft activity each month. Bags containing supplies and instructions can be picked up during Library hours from the bin located inside the Youth Services Room, while supplies last.

TOUCH-A-TRUCK
TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 5-8 PM
All Ages
Celebrate the end of another summer of reading fun! Explore vehicles from various city departments and play games in the Library parking lot. Thanks to the generosity of the Parks & Recreation Department, attendees will also be able to access the City Pool that evening! You do not need to be registered for Summer Reading to attend this fun-filled event.
BOOK CAMP

Wednesdays, 3 - 3:45 PM
All Ages
Adults must stay with children at programs

These programs include stories, songs, rhymes, fun, and take home crafts! All bagged crafts will be available for pick up at the Library after the program, while supplies last.

ADVENTURES IN YOUR BACKYARD

JULY 3

ADVENTURES WITH MOSS
Moss the Goose Dog
JULY 10
NO TAKE & MAKE CRAFT
Moss and his handler from Edsel & Eleanor Ford House will talk about Moss’s job on the grounds.

ADVENTURES IN SPACE

JULY 17

ADVENTURES AROUND THE WORLD

JULY 24

ADVENTURES ON THE STAGE
OPENSPOT THEATRE
JULY 31
NO TAKE & MAKE CRAFT

MAKER THURSDAY

Thursdays, 2 - 3 PM
Grades 3 - 5
REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Registration begins the Thursday before each program and must be done weekly. Registration can be done via the online calendar, phone or by email at SCSYouth@libcoop.net. Space is limited. For children unable to attend the programs, coordinating projects will be available as bagged Take & Make activities.

MARS ADVENTURE

JULY 11

ADVENTURES IN FOOD

JULY 18
Food will be served

ART ADVENTURES
ART SHACK
JULY 25
NO TAKE & MAKE

WATER ADVENTURES

AUGUST 1
Please wear appropriate clothing

2024 Youth Summer Reading Program
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2024 SUMMER READING TEEN PROGRAMS

DONUT DECORATING CLASS

TUESDAY, JULY 9
6:30 - 7:30 PM
GRADUES 6-12
REGISTRATION BEGINS JUNE 24

Teens, join Delightful Donuts and learn how to decorate donuts to take home! Registration is required and can be done online through the calendar at www.scslibrary.org, by phone at 586-771-9020, or via email at SCSYouth@libcoop.net.

DIY MINI SURVIVAL KITS

TUESDAY, JULY 30
2 - 3 PM
GRADUES 6-12
REGISTRATION BEGINS JULY 16

Create mini survival kits to survive the zombie apocalypse (or high school)! Pizza will be provided. Registration is required and can be done through the online calendar at www.scslibrary.org, by phone at 586-771-9020, or via email at SCSYouth@libcoop.net.
FRIENDS BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP
The Friends Book Discussion Group meets at 1 PM on the second Wednesday of each month at the Library. Everyone is welcome!

July 10  Black Cake: A Novel
          Charmaine Wilkerson
August 14 Beer Money: A Memoir of Privilege and Loss
           Frances Stroh
September 11 Hello Stranger
            Katherine Center

KIDS ART PROGRAM
SUNDAY, AUGUST 25, 10 AM-NOON
The St. Clair Shores Cultural Committee is once again partnering with Tracy David of The Art Shack to offer a Kids Art Program at the Farmers Market at Blossom Heath Park. Registration is not required—just show up.

JOIN THE CULTURAL COMMITTEE
If you appreciate the activities the St. Clair Shores Cultural Committee organizes throughout the year and/or if you have ideas to share, please consider joining the Committee. We meet the third Wednesday of every month at 6:30 PM at the Library. Come to a meeting and check out this active committee and consider adding your talents and skills.

SELINSKY-GREEN FARMHOUSE MUSEUM
OPEN WEDNESDAYS, 1-4 PM

GARDEN TEA PARTY
WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2-4 PM
Attendees are welcome to enjoy iced tea, lemonade and sweet treats. Actors with the St. Clair Shores Players will attend the party as characters from their recent production of Alice in Wonderland. There will be door prizes, live music and games. Attendees are encouraged to wear a hat.

Cost is $5 for adults and $3 for children age 12 and under. Registration is optional and the fee can be paid in advance at the Library or upon entry to event.

FLORAL WATERCOLOR CLASS
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 1-4 PM
Registration begins July 8
Explore the joys of nature and watercolor painting. Learn the basic techniques of watercolor painting by painting a still life of flowers collected from the Farmhouse garden. Art instructor and seasoned watercolor painter Barb Davis will lead the class.

Register and pay the $10 materials fee at the Library; space is limited.
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