

The latest news and events at your library!



THE LYON LOOP

February 2018

LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday - Thursday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
Friday & Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sunday* 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

* Labor Day through Memorial Day

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Library Board Vacancy

Do you have a love for libraries and your community? Interested in getting involved as a Lyon Township official? The Lyon Township Public Library has a vacancy on the Library Board of Trustees due to a resignation. This is a 4-year elected position that will be appointed until the next general election. The Library Board oversees policy, budget and future planning of the Library, and Trustees are considered our best advocates and supporters of the library and library services in Lyon Township. Regular meetings are typically the last Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm and meet at the Library. Interested candidates should submit a resume and brief letter of intent to Holly Teasdale, Library Director, who will submit all applications to the Library Board. Feel free to contact her with any questions. hteasdale@lyon.lib.mi.us

February Events

[Click the link to view a full calendar of library events](#)

February 1 Seed Packaging Party
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With our new operating millage, we are able to offer our library customers access to:



Consumer Reports



eBooks, audiobooks, comics,
movies, music and more

Online!

With our new operating millage, we are able to offer our library customers access to Consumer Reports Online. You can use this service to get instant, unlimited access to exclusive unbiased Ratings and recommendations of products and services! Access is 24 hours a day, 7 days a week!

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You will be asked to enter your library card number to create an account.

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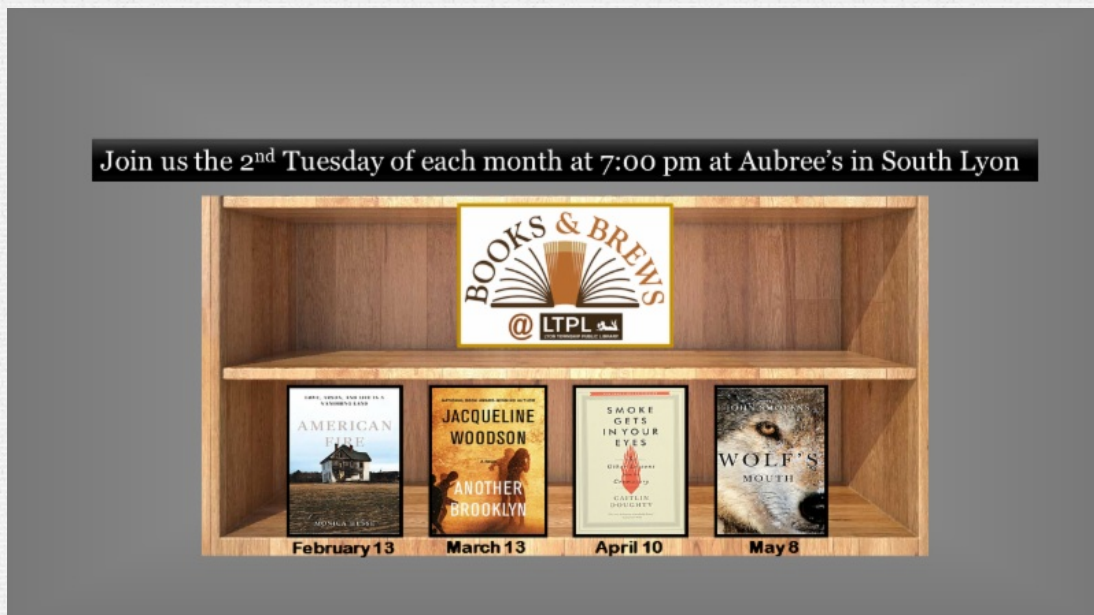
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Join us for our next Books & Brews meeting as we discuss **"American Fire: Love, Arson and Life in a Vanishing Land"** by Monica Hesse. Meet us at Aubree's South Lyon at 21775 Pontiac Trail in Lyon Township, on February 13 at 7:00 pm.

Please join us for lively, opinionated discussions. Just ask for the book at the front desk - there are copies available for everyone. We welcome all readers & ideas! Check our website for updates and join our online discussion forum on [Goodreads](#).

Seed Packaging Party
February 1, 6:30 pm

The Lyon Township Seed Sharing

Have A Heart Valentine's Day Crafts

February 8, 4:30 pm

Library is looking for volunteers to help package donated seed for the seed library. Many hands make light work, so please join us for a Seed Packaging Party. It is a great way to get to know your fellow gardeners (or aspiring gardeners) and get a sneak peek at the 2018 seed library offerings. We will have music, snacks, and fun conversation!

Brewed in Michigan: My Journey with Michigan Craft Beer
February 10, 1:00 pm

No beverage- other than water, obviously - has done more for Michigan than beer. Of course, Michigan is not the only state that has beer. But Michigan is the only state that has Michigan beer. But it has taken a long time for Michigan craft beer to catch on and for this state to build that sense of pride. William Rapai will take us back to the early days of Michigan craft beer and explain what craft beer is, why it took so long to catch on, why it's so popular today, and what makes the state's craft beer culture special.

Thinking Outside the Box: 5 Steps to Bring Down Brick Walls
February 20, 1:00 pm

Have you hit a brick wall in your genealogical research? Karen Krugman will give us her unique perspective and humorous style to teach us five steps that will help break down those walls.

Genealogy Roundtable
February 23, 2:00 pm

All are welcome to come share their ideas, show genealogy treasures or tell us about a brick wall that they have encountered. We all have a lot of experiences to share with each other!

Everyone is invited to "Have a Heart" and make some cute Valentine's Day crafts with Miss Jocelyn. Fun for all ages!

Genealogy Book Club
February 8, 2:00 pm

Join us as we discuss "*Cane River*", by Lalita Tademy . All are welcome!

Seed Starting Workshop
February 12, 6:30 pm

Learn to start your own seedlings indoors and when to plant in the garden. Free seeds will be available to attendees.

Make your own Emoji, Snapchat filter, GIF and more!
February 19, 2:30 pm

4th - 8th graders are invited to come explore coding to build your own Emoji, Snapchat Geofilter, GIF and more with Google Made with Code. We have a limited number of computers, and you are welcome to bring your own laptop if you'd like. [Please click here to register](#) & comment in your reservation if you will need a library laptop.

Lego My Library
February 22, 4:30 pm

Stop by and build something fun at the library! We'll have Legos, K'nex and other materials to build with and everyone can make their own creation, or work together to create something. All ages are welcome - we even have Baby Blocks! No RSVP required.

Edible Landscaping
February 24, 1:00 pm

Edible Landscaping is the process of integrating food-producing plants into your yard and landscape to make it both productive and pleasing to the eye. Whether you want just a few edible plants or to create a food forest, speaker Trevor Newman, co-founder of Roots to Fruits Ecological Design, will help get you started.

Preschool Storytime
Wednesday & Thursday mornings at 10:30 am

Join Miss Jocelyn for stories, songs, bubbles, and lots of fun! For children ages 1 - 6 and their families.

Qigong & You **Wednesdays at 6:00 pm**

Qigong, a 5,000 year old system referred to as an "Ancient Chinese Secret of Health & Longevity" uses simple movement, breathing technique, and mental focus to cultivate internal energy. The class focuses on the power of Qigong for health, self-healing and longevity. An excellent way to manage stress, find balance and inner-harmony. Each class ends with a guided meditation. Classes are taught by David Tharp, a certified Qigong Teacher, and are free to the public.

Download the new Libby app from OverDrive

OverDrive has released a new app to make it easier for you to checkout and read ebooks and audiobooks. With just a few taps, you can checkout the many available titles using your library card and PIN.

[Click here to get started with Libby!](#)

Enroll for Kroger Community Rewards!

Enroll in the Kroger Community Rewards program and you can help the library every time you shop! A Kroger Plus card is required to participate, get one at the customer service desk at any Kroger store. Follow these steps to enroll:

- Visit krogercommunityrewards.com
- Sign into your Kroger account
- Click on "enroll now"
- On the next page enter **87172** into the organization field
- Choose "**Friends of the Lyon Township Library**" and click done.

Thank you for your continued support!



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