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north canton public library and the little art gallery

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A comic covention at the library

Saturday, November 16
from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Artist's Alley | Speakers | Classes | Face Painting
Games | Cosplay Parade (family friendly) | Vendors



Decorate Cookies with Little Chunk of Goodness

Join Christy Williams of Little Chunk of Goodness during one of several sessions demonstrating hands-on basic royal icing cookie-decorating.



How To Create Comics For Fun And Very Little Profit with Sean McArdle

Learn how to craft a comic book story, create great characters, find and keep a great artist, tips for launching a successful Kickstarter campaign and landing your first publishing deal—all from Eisner nominated local comic book creator Sean McArdle.



Chibi Drawing with Todd Beistel, Illustrator

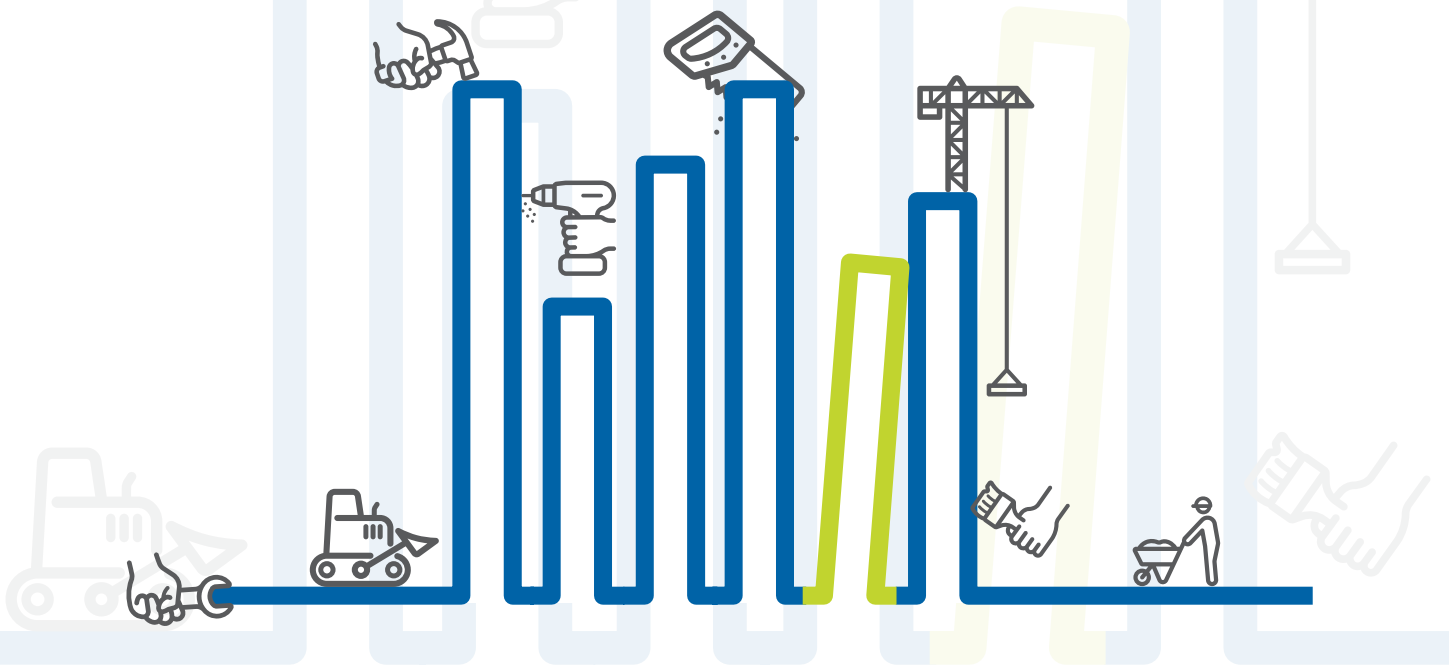
Follow along as Todd shows you how simple it is to draw your favorite characters in the popular chibi style. You'll enjoy this class even if you can't draw a straight line.

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PARDON OUR DUST

AN INVESTMENT IN OUR FUTURE

From modest beginnings in a single room of the North Canton Community Building in 1928 with a collection of 1,000 books, to our current building complete with an art gallery and a collection of 155,163 items in our physical collection, the North Canton Public Library has served the community for 91 years.



Maintaining the integrity of this community building and preserving the library for future generations is critically important to us.

The library has been through many renovation projects, and the latest is currently underway.

The current work involves three distinct projects:

1. HVAC Replacement
2. Building Façade Repair
3. Roof Replacement

The library will phase the project, allowing the building to remain open during construction. We hope to maintain access to materials and programming as safety and renovation logistics allow, however noise disruptions are possible. In the event the library must close for a day or two, notices will be posted on the library website, Instagram and Facebook pages.

The project is expected to wrap up in November, and the result will be a dry and comfortable library for current community members and future generations to enjoy.

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FOR CHILDREN

ONGOING PROGRAMS = NO REGISTRATION NECESSARY

PRESCHOOL PLAY AND LEARN FOR CAREGIVERS AND PRESCHOOLERS

Enjoy hands-on activities that encourage preschool skills.
Fridays from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.
September 27, November 22

FAMILY LEGO CLUB FOR PREK-GRADE 5 WITH A CAREGIVER

Design your own creation with our LEGO collection.
Wednesdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.
September 4, October 2, November 6, December 4



SPECIAL INTEREST PROGRAMS = CHECK FOR INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION DATES UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. REGISTER ONLINE AT NCANTONLIBRARY.ORG.

EXPLORER'S CLUB FOR GRADES 3-5

Mondays from 4:30 to 5:15 p.m.
Enjoy crafts and interactive activities as we explore various topics such as spies, art and riddles.
September 9 (registration begins August 19)
October 14 (registration begins September 9)
November 11 (registration begins October 14)
December 9 (registration begins November 11)

STEAM CLUB FOR GRADES 3-5

Tuesday, September 24 from 4:30 to 5:15 p.m.
Explore elements of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Math) with fun activities.
Registration begins August 26.

AMERICAN GIRL CLUB FOR CHILDREN IN GRADES 2-6

This program is presented by Reverend Barbara Bond and Elizabeth Mapp
Saturdays from 10:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.
October 5: Celebrate Julie and Ivy
Registration begins September 9.

November 2: Celebrate Kirsten
Registration begins October 7.

December 7: Celebrate Nanea
Registration begins November 4.

GIRLS JUST WANT TO HAVE FUN! FOR GRADES 1-3

Mondays from 4:45 to 5:30 p.m.
First through third grade girls will enjoy music, crafts, and hands-on activities.
October 7 (registration begins September 9)
November 4 (registration begins October 7)
December 2 (registration begins November 4)

STEAM: HALLOWEEN EDITION FOR GRADES 3-5

Tuesday, October 22 from 4:30 to 5:15 p.m.
Explore elements of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Math) with fun activities. This session will include Halloween related projects. Registration begins September 23.

TRICK OR TREAT AROUND THE LIBRARY FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES

Thursday, October 31 any time between 11 a.m. and 12 p.m.
Wear a costume and trick or treat at different stations throughout the library. No registration required.

MUSIC TOGETHER MUSIC CLASS FOR INFANTS THROUGH AGE FOUR WITH A CAREGIVER

Friday, November 1 from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.
Enjoy music and movement! Registration begins October 7.

LET'S HAVE A HOOT! FALL PARTY FOR 3-6 YEAR OLDS WITH A CAREGIVER

Saturday, November 9 from 10 to 10:45 a.m.
Enjoy fall related stories and activities!
Registration begins October 14.

PICTURES WITH SANTA

Bring your camera!
Thursday, December 12 from 6 to 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, December 14 from 10 to 11:30 a.m.
No registration required.

BABY, BOOKS + ME

for newborn-24 month old
with a caregiver

Enjoy stories, songs, fingerplays
and more at this lapsit program.

Tuesdays from 10:30-10:50 a.m.

October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29,
November 5, 12, 19

TALES FOR TWOS

for two year olds
with a caregiver

Enjoy stories, songs, fingerplays and more.

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

October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30,
November 6, 13, 20

READING ROUND-UP

for preschoolers
with a caregiver

Enjoy stories, flannel boards and more at this storytime.

Thursdays from 10:30-11 a.m.

October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31,
November 7, 14

COOKIES AND MILK STORYTIME

for 2-6 year olds
with a caregiver

Enjoy activities, crafts and, of course, cookies and milk!

Saturdays at 10 a.m.

September 21,
October 19

DROP-IN STORY TIME

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

READ TO CAPTAIN, THE TAIL WAGGING TUTOR



TUESDAYS,

between 6:30 and 7:30 p.m.*

September 3, 17, October 1, 15,
November 5, 19, December 3

*Register in person or
by phone to sign up
for 10 minutes.

Ready to Read!

Preschoolers through Kindergarteners are invited to register to participate in a fall reading program designed to help build and enhance their reading skills. Beginning August 19, each participant will receive a library bag and a reading record. After the reading record is completed, the participant will receive a new book. The program, limited to 150 children, begins August 19 and runs through December 21.

The Ready to Read program was established in memory of local librarian, Flo Rankin.



FOR ADULTS

TAI CHI FOR BEGINNERS

Tuesdays, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

September 10, 17, 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 28,
November 5, 12, 19, 26

Come try out and learn some beginning tai chi. Join us every session, or just drop in when you can. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes or socks.

GAMERS: FAMILY EDITION

Second Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11

Adults and families are invited to bring their own tabletop game or borrow one of ours for an evening of fun.

LIBRARY FOR ANDROID

Thursday, October 24 at 6 p.m.

The library offers several apps available for your Android tablet or phone that will let you read and listen to books, watch movies and TV, and listen to music. Bring your Android device and library card to find out more about these services. Registration begins Monday, October 7 at 10 a.m.

FABRIC PUMPKIN DÉCOR

Tuesday, November 5 at 6:30 p.m.

Take a fake pumpkin to the next level by decoupageing some plaid fabric to the outside. It's as easy as it sounds, but the result is satisfying and perfect for your fall table! Registration begins Monday, October 21 at 10 a.m.

LIBRARY FOR APPLE IOS

Wednesday, December 4 at 6 p.m.

The library offers several apps available for your Apple tablet or phone that will let you read and listen to books, watch movies and TV, and listen to music. Bring your iPad or iPhone and library card to find out more about these services. Registration begins Monday, November 4 at 10 a.m.

GIFT WRAPPING PARTY

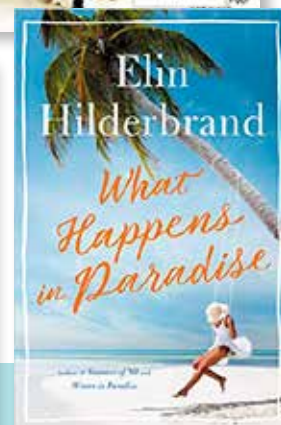
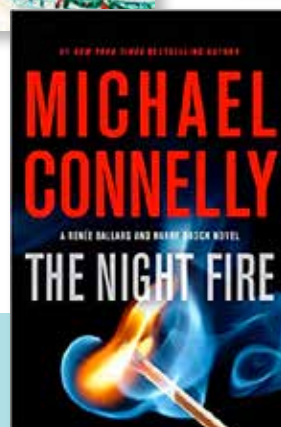
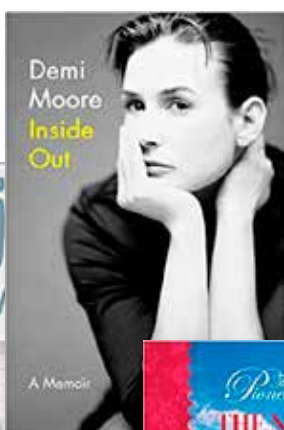
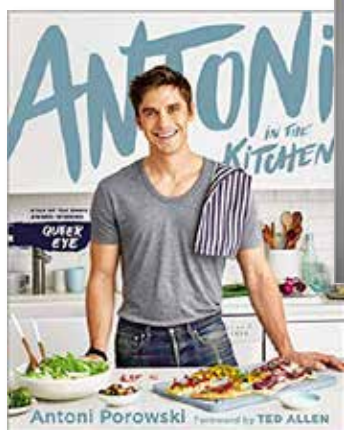
Saturday, December 7 from 1 to 2 p.m.

Get ready to wrap! Bring one or two average sized gifts (no more than that, please) to wrap. We will be using simple brown Kraft butcher paper and adding cute details with ribbons, gift tags, and other embellishments. Examples will be provided, but bring your creativity along as well! Registration begins Monday, November 18 at 10 a.m.

CRAFTY HOSTESS GIFTS

Tuesday, December 17 at 6:30 p.m.

Want to be the best guest ever? Join us to make two small hostess gifts. We will make a hot chocolate recipe mason jar and a Santa Claus goodie holder! Each will be a great gift to give to someone or a fun way to treat yourself! Registration begins Monday, December 2 at 10 a.m.



**FOUND ON
THE SHELVES!**

BOOK CLUBS

READABLE HISTORY BOOK DISCUSSION

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

September 10: *The First Conspiracy: The Secret Plot to Kill George Washington* by Brad Meltzer and Josh Mensch

October 8: *Lewis and Clark: Voyage of Discovery* by Stephan E. Ambrose

November 12: *The Port Chicago 50: Disaster, Mutiny, and the Fight for Civil Rights* by Steve Sheinkin

December 10: *The Pioneers: The Heroic Story of the Settlers Who Brought the American Ideal West* by David McCullough

CLASSIC LIT BOOK CLUB

Third Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

September 18: *The Scarlet Pimpernel* by Emma Orczy

October 16: *Heart of Darkness* by Joseph Conrad

November 20: *Things Fall Apart* by Chinua Achebe

December 18: *Much Ado About Nothing* by William Shakespeare

UNFORGETTABLE MYSTERIES BOOK CLUB

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

September 5: *The Stormy Petrel* by Mary Stewart

October 3: *My Sister's Grave* by Robert Dugoni

November 7: *Dog On It* by Spencer Quinn

December 5: *Jane and the Twelve Days of Christmas* by Stephanie Barron

FIRST MONDAY BOOK CHAT

First (or Second) Monday of the month at 2 p.m.

September 9: *North and South* by Elizabeth Gaskell

October 7: *Beautiful Boy* by David Sheff

November 4: *The Cherry Harvest* by Lucy Sanna

December 3: *Rules of Civility* by Amor Towles

FOR TEENS

FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM AT TEENSATNCPL

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Thursdays, September 5, October 3, November 7, and December 5 from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

Calling all teens looking to learn leadership skills and earn volunteer hours! Join the TAB to help plan events, shape the young adult book collection, and contribute to volunteer projects. You can also work independently on your own volunteer project if you can't make it to the meetings. Contact Elizabeth at 330.499.4712 x311 if you have questions.

TEEN HANGOUT

Thursdays, September 19, October 17, November 14, and December 12 from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

Come to the library to play a game, get creative, or just socialize with friends!

TEEN ART CLUB

Thursdays, November 21 and December 19 from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Join us to make crafts and use different art materials. Whether you are an artist or not, this program is fun for all!

TEEN HALLOWEEN PARTY

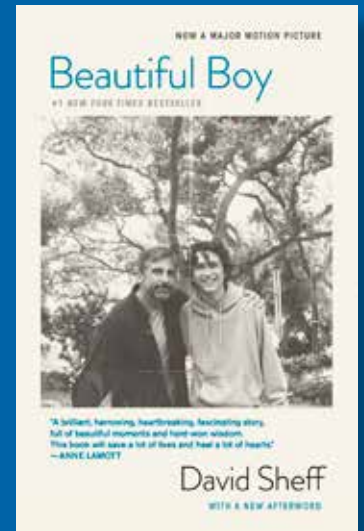
Thursday, October 31 from 3:30 to 5 p.m.

Head over to the library for a spooky Halloween Bash!

Dress up, enjoy snacks, and play games with other teens.

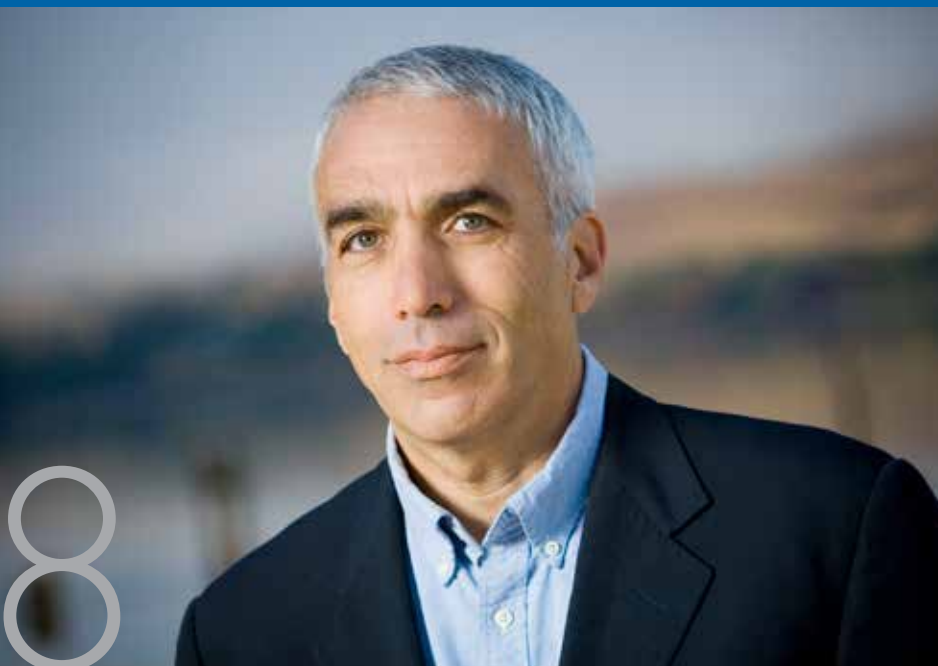
One Book

ONE COMMUNITY
STARK COUNTY



The 2019 One Book One Community selection is *Beautiful Boy* by David Sheff, and the teen book is *High: Everything You Want to Know About Drugs, Alcohol, and Addiction* by David & Nic Sheff. **The North Canton Public Library will be discussing the adult book selection, *Beautiful Boy*, at the First Monday Book Chat on October 7 from 2 to 3 p.m.** Author David Sheff will be at the Canton Palace Theater on October 30 to give a talk about his experience raising a son who had a serious drug problem but found help and lived to tell his journey.

This important book opens up the conversation of addiction and the impact it has on the individual and their family and friends. The difficult subject is one that touches so many lives but is not a subject many want to talk about. The hope of One Book One Community is that this selection, *Beautiful Boy*, will create dialogue that can help others in the community dealing with these same issues, or stop someone from going down the same path. Please join us this year as we take on *Beautiful Boy* by David Sheff. Pick-up your copy at the library today!



Meet Author David Sheff

Wednesday, October 30

6:30 to 8 p.m.

Canton Palace Theater

Join us for a discussion as David Sheff talks about his book, *Beautiful Boy*, and shares his family's story of helping their son overcome drug addiction. Followed by Q&A and book signing.

**Saturday, September 28
from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

More than two dozen local authors will be on-site offering a chance to discuss and purchase their work. These fantastic writers cover every genre, from romance to fantasy to humor to graphic novels and everything in between. Also take the opportunity to listen to three professional speakers tackle various aspects of writing and publishing.

PRESENTATIONS

11 to 11:50 a.m.

THE ART OF EDITING JOYFULLY (with Kit Alloway)

Do you dread editing? Do you think your first draft is perfect? This craft-focused lecture will teach you how to approach editing without fear or defensiveness while dramatically improving your writing.

12 to 12:50 p.m.

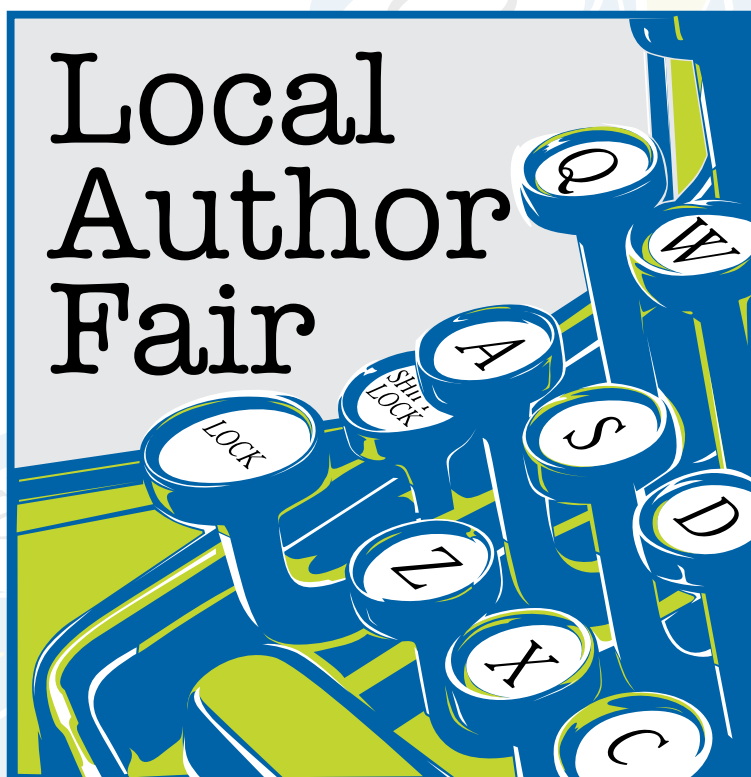
PUBLISHING 101: TAKING YOUR BOOK IDEA FROM FIRST DRAFT TO FIRST DEAL (with Jennifer Wills)

In this presentation, learn insider tips about how to take your manuscript from first draft to your first book deal. Jennifer will discuss common submission pitfalls—including what to do and what NOT to do when querying—and how to land an agent.

1 to 1:50 p.m.

TALES FROM THE SLUSHPILE (with Marie Vibbert)

Learn to write sale-able fiction by looking at the stories that don't make it out of the in box. A pro magazine first reader will provide (anonymized) anecdotes about what works and what sends her rushing to the 'reject' button.



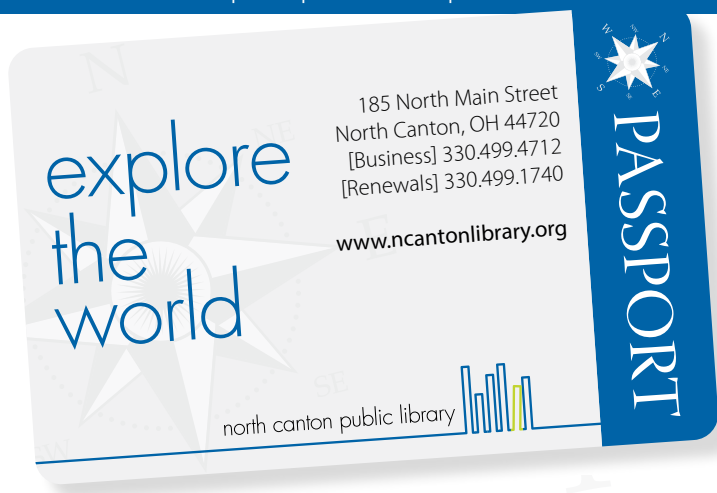
CATURDAY!

Meet ADOPTABLE CATS & KITTENS in the library
courtesy of Cats Cradle of Stark County

EVERY OTHER SATURDAY 11 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

YOUR LIBRARY CARD

a passport to explore the world



Your library card gives you access to a world of information at NCPL. Use it at the library during open hours. Use it on our website after hours. Our world is always available in one form or another.

GET A CARD

1. Complete our brief application online.
2. Bring a Driver's License or State I.D. with your current address. If you don't have your current address on your I.D., you will need to bring a form with your name and new address on it, such as a utility bill, insurance notification or lease agreement.
3. Your card will be ready in minutes and you may check items out the same day.

Teachers

Teacher library cards allow up to 100 children's books to be checked out at any time for six weeks with one two-week renewal available. Teacher privileges apply only to children's books for classroom use. Other library materials including talking books, music CDs, kits, electronic devices and DVDs must be checked out using a general patron library card. As with all library cards, overdue items will be charged a late fee and full price will be charged for lost or damaged items. We strive to assist North Canton Public Schools educators and homeschoolers. Visit the children's department for information on the many special services we offer.

Golden Buckeye Card Holders

Patrons of any age who have a Golden Buckeye Card qualify for fine free status. Simply show us your card one time, and we will change the status of your account to be fine free. Golden Buckeye Card holders continue to receive notices about late items and will still be charged replacement costs if materials are lost.

Children 17 and Under

Children are eligible for their own library cards. Parents must agree to comply with library rules and regulations, pay all fines and fees, and make good any loss or damage incurred to materials borrowed on their child's card.

BORROWING ITEMS

Material	How Many can be Borrowed/Card	Loan Period	Renewals Available	Fines
Books	100	14 days	7	\$0.10/day
CDs	15	14 days	7	\$0.10/day
DVDs	15	7 days	3	\$0.25/day
Audiobooks	25	14 days	7	\$0.10/day
Playaways	20	14 days	7	\$0.10/day
Playaway Views	1	7 days	1	\$0.50/day
Playaway Launchpads	1	7 days	1	\$0.50/day
Magazines	50	14 days	1	\$0.10/day
Video Games (adult)	2	14 days	1	\$0.50/day
Video Games (children's)	3	14 days	1	\$0.50/day
Video Game Figures	2	14 days	1	\$0.50/day
Telescope	1	14 days	0	\$5.00/day
American Girl Dolls	1	7 days	0	\$0.50/day
Board Games/Puzzles	20	14 days	1	\$0.10/day
Pre-loaded eReaders	1	14 days	0	\$1.00/day
Tool Box Items	2	14 days	0	\$1.00/day

RENEWALS

Any library item checked out from the North Canton Public Library will be automatically renewed unless one of the following circumstances prevents renewal.

Items will not be renewed if:

- Another customer places a request on that item.
- The item has reached its maximum number of renewals.
- Fines on the account have reached \$10.
- Your account activity has been blocked.
- The item is a digital eMaterial.
- The item is from another library.

Renewing Items on your Own

Use our account phone line at 330.499.1740 or visit the "my account" page on our website or app to renew your items. If you have a problem renewing your items, contact us at 330.499.4712 and press 1. Items that are reserved will not renew.

RETURNING ITEMS

Library items may be returned in the outdoor book drops (unless otherwise marked) or inside the library during regular hours. If you are concerned about an item being checked in the day it is due, please walk it inside to return it. Dropping items in the drop box outside does not ensure they will be checked in the same day, depending on scheduled times for emptying the bins.

We are an independent library, and are not affiliated with Akron Summit or Stark County library systems. Please return only North Canton Public Library materials to our library.



DIGITAL MATERIALS

Visit the “digital downloads” section of our website to access eBooks, electronic magazines and more!

THE OHIO DIGITAL LIBRARY/OVERDRIVE

eBooks, audio, and digital magazines in the collection are downloadable in a variety of formats for a number of different devices. OverDrive offers a special children’s reading room with child safe materials. **Don’t forget about Libby!** Libby is the new app from OverDrive. With Libby, it takes just a few taps to find and borrow a book. Libby has a groundbreaking built-in eBook reader, and a beautiful audiobook player. If you prefer, you can send books to your Kindle for reading with Libby.

HOOPLA DIGITAL

eBooks, Movies, TV, Music, Audiobooks and Comics are instantly available on hoopla digital. Access and enjoy nearly half a million titles, from six different formats all in one location, from your computer, tablet, smartphone, Apple TV, or Roku! With hoopla, there are never any hold lists.

ACORN TV

Acorn TV, is perfect for anyone who loves British television and film. With thousands of hours of commercial-free programming and new shows added weekly, there’s always something to watch on Acorn TV.

KANOPY

Kanopy, with the motto of “thoughtful entertainment,” provides NCPL cardholders with access to films of unique social and cultural value; films that are often difficult or impossible to access elsewhere, and programming that features diversity, with a wide array of foreign language films and films on race, and current affairs. Enjoy items from your computer, tablet, smartphone, Apple TV, or Roku!

Need help using your electronic reading device? We can help! Contact our reference desk for information.

ONLINE EDUCATION

LYNDA.COM

Lynda offers courses for all levels covering technical skills, creative techniques, business strategies and more. You set the pace. Learn what you want, when you want, and practice with the instructor’s files while you watch and listen. Lynda for Libraries allows you to watch videos in small, easy-to-manage chunks, and to return to the lessons at your convenience.

Course offerings include art, graphic design, and music classes, teaching everything from 3D animation to engineering sound to the Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, InDesign, and more). Get help with computer programs, including videos on how to use Microsoft Office. Find courses that can help you in your career—everything from public speaking to marketing to dealing with workplace issues. Learn computer programming, IT management (Windows, Linux, and Mac OS X), and web design photography and video... just to name a few.

GALE COURSES

Gale Courses offers access to hundreds of instructor-led online courses covering everything from health and wellness to creative writing, computer programming, GED test preparation and much more. Gale Courses are developed by expert instructors, many of whom are currently working at universities around the country, and have continuous enrollment dates.

Patrons can enroll at no cost. Courses run for six weeks, with two new lessons released weekly (for a total of 12), and new sessions beginning every month. The courses are entirely web-based with comprehensive lessons, quizzes, and assignments. A dedicated professional instructor coordinates every course by pacing learners, answering questions, giving feedback, and facilitating discussions.

CREATIVEBUG

Video classes for your creative side. Tutorials for painting, knitting, crafting, sewing and more!

FREE DATABASES

Our website offers free access to more than 20 useful databases for you, your children and educators.

about:books

Use the Ohio Public Library Information Network to search/explore Google Books results for authors. Books no longer covered by copyright (generally anything published before 1923) are available full text, otherwise only excerpts are included.

African American Heritage

Provides resources such as census records, the Freedman's Bank, and military service records specifically for those interested in African American genealogy.

Ancestry.com (in library access only)

This database gives you direct access to the Ancestry Library at ancestry.com.

AtoZdatabases

A reference and marketing database including 30 million business profiles and 220 million residents. Ideal for sales leads, mailing lists, market research, finding relatives, and more.

A to Z World Travel

Resource for business and leisure travelers for more than 200 world cities.

Biography in Context (in library access only)

Delivers outstanding research support on more than 528,000 individuals.

Business Source Premier

Articles about management, economics, and other business topics.

ChiltonLibrary.com

To gain access outside of the library use ID "ncpl." A website with exclusive photographs, diagnostics designed by instructors, step-by-step repair procedures, Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) maintenance schedules, wiring diagrams, recalls and Technical Service Bulletins (TSBs) for automobiles and light trucks.

Consumer Health Complete

Health, wellness, fitness, and nutrition journals, magazines, reference books for complementary, holistic and integrated approaches.

ConsumerReports.org

Access available with your library card.

EBSCOhost

Search many of the library's magazine, journal article, and reference book databases.

EBSCO MasterFILE

Through a library of tens of thousands of full-text journals and magazines, EBSCO serves the content needs of all researchers.

Explora Public Libraries

Search any subject and find academic journals, magazines, reference books, and more. Perfect for researching school or work projects.

Explora Secondary School (grades 6-12)

Information from a wide range of resources, including magazines and reference books.

Fold3

Offers US military records.

Global Road Warrior

Up-to-date information about a country's demographics, climate, embassies, holidays and festivals, music, and religion.

Heritage Quest

Access to census records, family and local history books, city directories, and more.

Hobbies and Crafts Reference Center

Full-text books and journal articles, along with videos to help just about any crafter.

Home Improvement Reference Center

Ebsco's database for the do-it-yourselfer.

HRSimple.com

Use username: ncpl@hrsimple.com and password: exploretheworld to access model policies and forms for Ohio employers, the Ohio Human Resources Manual and a Guide to FMLA and ADA. Includes HRsimple Basic with access to information such as the regulation of group health plans and employee personnel files.

Legal Forms Library

Thousands of legal forms. Official, state specific, federal, business, personal, real estate and general forms about hundreds of legal subjects and issues. To gain access, use ID: NCPL.

Literary Reference Center

Full text of literary journals and respected literary reference works; containing plot summaries, literary criticism, author biographies and interviews, and the full text of thousands of poems and short stories.

Literature Resource Center (in library access only)

Access to biographies, bibliographies, and critical analyses of authors from every age and literary discipline.

Newspaper Source

Cover-to-cover full text for more than 40 newspapers and selective full text for 389 regional newspapers. Full text television and radio news transcripts are also provided.

NovelList

Find your next great read for any age, fiction or nonfiction, whether it's a pleasure read or a school assignment. Includes Common Core support for teachers, as well as Lexile scores and AR levels.

Ohio Web Library

Research resources available to Ohio residents.

Oxford Research Encyclopedias

Provides access to the full text of thousands of articles from one of the world's best publishers, Oxford University Press.

PAQ (Position Analysis Questionnaire) Includes a dictionary of occupational titles and a software database of job descriptions and job titles.

Points of View

Many topics, each with an overview (objective background/description), point (argument) and counterpoint (opposing argument). A balance of materials from all viewpoints, including more than 1,300 essays, leading political magazines from all sides of the political spectrum, newspapers, media news transcripts, primary source documents and reference books. Guidance for position papers, developing arguments and debates.

Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps

This searchable database offers large-scale historical maps.

Science Online

Perfect for middle and high school students, Science Online has a full range of science information. Diagrams, conversion calculator, videos, and tools for projects and homework.

Science Reference Center

Satisfies the demand for standards-based content by providing teachers and librarians with articles correlated to state and national curriculum standards in all areas of science.

Small Business Reference Center

Everything a small business owner needs, from start up to legal issues to information about different industries and more.

Transparent Language

Covers not only speaking and listening skills, but reading and writing in over a hundred languages and dozens of English as a Second Language offerings.

Very Short Introductions

From Oxford University Press, the perfect introduction to a host of topics, ranging from Modern Drama to Black Holes to Globalization.

What Tree Is It? and What's That Snake?

Identify trees and snakes with this database.

What's the Point

This database is a flint artifact index.

World Book

Online research tools including encyclopedia articles, primary source collections, educator tools, student activities, pictures, audio, and video, complemented by current periodicals and related websites.

LIBRARY SERVICES

IF WE DON'T HAVE IT, WE'LL BUY IT

Looking for a book, movie or CD that's not in our catalog? Make a patron request through our website and we'll order it and put it on hold for you when it arrives. We are unable to fulfill requests for rare books, collectible books and text books.

COMPUTER ACCESS

Free WiFi is always available for patron use. Additionally, we offer one-hour computer stations accessible with a North Canton Public Library card that are open to all guests.

HOMEBOUND SERVICES

This service is offered at no cost to physically restricted residents of the North Canton City School District. Materials are selected and delivered to homes. Get additional information by calling 330.499.4712 x323.

NCPL MOBILE

Download our app and from any mobile phone or tablet connected to the Internet you will be able to instantly tap into library resources, anytime, anywhere. Search the library catalog, check your account, ask a question, find events and more.

NOTARY SERVICE

The library offers free notary services. Please call in advance to be sure a qualified notary is available to serve you.

SUSTAINABILITY

The North Canton Public Library is committed to reducing our impact on the environment. We have an active green team and take pride in our steps toward sustainability.

ART

The Little Art Gallery, located at the south end of the library building, features monthly exhibits by local artists. Opening receptions are hosted by the curator and the Friends of the Little Art Gallery (FLAG). The gallery also organizes multiple art classes for children and adults throughout the year.



HOW IT WORKS:

Items check out for 14 days.

A maximum of two Tool Box items may be borrowed per library card.

Tool Box items may be checked out on adult library cards only.

XBOX 360
Pioneer Bluray Burner
Desktop CO2 Monitor
Speck Air Quality Monitor
Samsung Ultra Thin DVD Writer
Innova Diagnostic Scan/Car Code Reader
Kill A Watt Electricity Usage Monitor
Radio and Cassette to MP3 Converter

Sensory Bag and Weighted Lap Pad
Nomad USB Portable Turntable
I-Beam 180 Level
Random Orbit Sander, 5 inch
Stanley 12-Inch Adjustable Wrench
3 in 1 Precision Laser Level Marker
Portable 10.5" DVD Player
Precision Stud Finder

Hacksaw (12 in.)
20-Volt MAX Lithium-Ion Cordless Drill
Dremel Variable Speed Rotary Tool Kit
iFixit Pro Tech Toolkit
Magnetic Stud Finder
Blood Pressure Monitor
Hex Key Wrench Set
Plumber's Tool Box

Radon Detector
Canon Powershot Camera
Super Nintendo
Sony Handycam
Thermal Leak Detector
Yamaha Digital Keyboard
Epson Multimedia Projector

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

The library is full of free resources for you and your family!

SKILL BUILDING KITS

These kits help parents assist children in improving academic skills in the following areas:

Literacy

Hooked on Phonics
Reading Center kits
Reading Rocket kits
Flash cards

Math

Hooked on Math
Math Center kits
Flash cards

Science

Hands-on models
Large magnetic life cycles and science concepts
Interactive activities to take home

Social Studies

Puzzles
Flannel board activities

BOOKS, OF COURSE

Our collection includes:

Concept books
Beginner books (including Leap Frog Tag Readers)
Easy biographies
Non-fiction books for all levels
Graphic novels for reluctant readers
Parent/Teacher books on many subjects
. . . and more!

BEYOND BOOKS

Launchpads - preloaded learning tablets
Playaway Views - all-in-one video player that makes educational programming accessible in a simple, portable and durable format
Educational DVDs, video games, and magazines
Flannel board activities
Puppet Pals
Themed Activity Kits (TAKits)
Audio books
Vox books
Games and puzzles
Activity cards

Questions? Need more information?

Contact our Children's Department

phone: 330.499.4712 x318 | email: childrensstaff@northcantonlibrary.org

USING ONLINE DATABASES FOR CHILDREN

Take advantage of these fantastic (free) online databases that help with reading, comprehension and school reports. All you need is a library card and PIN to access these anywhere, including home or the classroom!

ReadyRosie is an educational resource that helps children sharpen their literacy and math skills. ReadyRosie features meaningful activities and games for parents of infants through children in third grade.

PebbleGo is a K-3 database from Capstone Press that takes multimodal learning to the next step by making research and literacy accessible for the youngest students.

BookFlix is an online literacy resource that pairs classic video storybooks from Weston Woods with related nonfiction from Children's Press and other trusted Scholastic imprints.

TrueFlix™ is the only online resource that leverages the award-winning True Books content to help students hone literacy skills, build knowledge of subject-area content, and cultivate 21st Century Skills through the inquiry process.

FreedomFlix is the online resource that transforms content from the highly successful Cornerstones of Freedom series into enhanced eBooks.

ScienceFlix emphasizes the latest STEM thinking and the Next Generation Science Standards, transforming the way students access science topics, acquire scientific knowledge, and build an abiding interest in science, technology, and engineering.

All Flix Programs:

include timely and engaging content that is accessible for all patrons

provide digital tools for homework help and research support the Common Core Standards and the school and homeschool curriculum

NCANTONLIBRARY.COM/CHILDRENS-DATABASES

The world is here for you, just waiting to be explored.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Friday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

(closed Sundays Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day)

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TAKE NOTE

The library will be closed the following dates.

Monday, September 2
in observance of Labor Day

Thursday, November 28
for the Thanksgiving holiday

Tuesday, December 24
for the Christmas holiday

Wednesday, December 25
for the Christmas holiday

Wednesday, January 1
for New Year's Day

HEAD BACK TO SCHOOL **WITH THE LIBRARY**

SEE INSIDE BACK COVER FOR A LIST OF EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES.

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