

LTL Newsletter

BLESSINGS IN THE PAGES BLESSINGS

ADULT WINTER READING
January 8 through March 8
2024

Adult Winter Reading begins January 8

Pick up a reading log at the front desk or print one online at leightonlibrary.org

Wondering what we are building to the south?

It is phase 1 of our new discovery garden! We received an amazing grant to improve our health and food literacy. One of the ways we are doing this is by creating a discovery garden. This garden will be for all patrons to learn and discover the wonders of growing produce and flowers.

Discovery Garden Features

- Raised beds
- Sensory garden bed
- Garden beds
- A bench for relaxing specifically for kids in a peaceful place

To see fun update videos like the building of these garden beds, check out our library YouTube channel, Facebook page, or website.

ARE YOU CURIOUS?



Funding is provided in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Library of Michigan.

January Events

RECURRING EVENTS

YOUTH

- **Storytime**
Wednesdays 10:30 am
- **Moving and Grooving**
Fridays at 10:30 am
- **Tail Waggin' Tutors**
Read to a dog
Thursdays at 3:30 pm
- **LEGO Club**
Every other Monday
Drop in 3:00-5:00 pm
- **Creators Club**
Every other Monday
Drop in 3:00-5:00 pm
- **Small Bites**
1/25 at 3:30 pm
Quarterly food event for kids.
- **Tween/Teen Night**
1/4 @ 6:00pm
Fun & Games

ADULT

- **Book Club**
Fourth Monday of each month at 6:30 pm
- **Coffee & Conversation**
Every Thursday at 10:30 am
- **Seasons of Spice**
Monthly take home packet

Diamond Art Snowflake - 1/8 at 6:00 pm

Have you heard of Diamond Painting but never tried it? Diamond Painting is a craft where you apply tiny resin "diamonds" to a coded adhesive canvas to create shimmering Diamond Art. This is the perfect time to try it out with our simple snowflake craft. Ages 8 & up. *Signup Required.*

Blessings Journal - 1/10 at 4:00 pm & 1/11 at 6:00 pm

Decorate a journal to keep track of blessings, books you read, or whatever you would like. Ages 8 & up. *Signup Requested.*

Estate Planning 101 with Jessica Brandow, PLLC - 1/18 at 6:30 pm

Join us for a discussion of Wills, Trusts, and Incapacity Planning. This presentation will explore what happens to your estate after death and how an effective estate plan can help avoid probate and protect your legacy. *Signup requested for planning purposes, but not required.*

Quick Healthy Meals & Snacks by MSU Extension - 1/20 at 10:30 am

Are you trying to eat healthier this year but don't know where to start? Join MSU Extension Educator, Laura Anderson, for helpful tips to make meals and snacks that both are healthy and can be prepared quickly. Start with small changes to make healthier choices you can enjoy. *Signup Required as we must have a minimum of 6 attendees.*

Diamond Art Designs - 1/22, 2/5, 2/19, 3/4, & 3/18 at 6:00 pm

Create a dazzling landscape with tiny resin "diamonds". The repetitive motion can be a calming and relaxing way to spend your evenings. Bring a friend to talk and relax together, or make new friends with us. This is a lengthy project best suited for adults or for a team of two to work together (Second person could be a child). *Signup Required.*

"Life Is Tough But So Are You" Sign - 1/24 at 6:00 pm

Create a stenciled canvas painting with these encouraging words. Ages 8 & up. *Signup Required.*

Garden Planning - 1/25 at 6:00 pm

Want to learn how to lay out a garden? This program will help you start your planning process.

Blessings Jar - 1/31 at 6:00 pm

Create a Blessing Jar (Gratitude Jar) which can help you be appreciative and mindful of the good things that happen day to day as you use it to remember your positive experiences and the things for which you are thankful. Ages 8 & up. *Signup Required.*

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