



# East Lansing Public Library October 2017

## Book Clubs

### Better Living Book Club

**October 2, 7pm**

*Get Your Sh\*t Together* by Sarah Knight



### Books on Tap at Jimmy's Pub

**October 10, 6:30pm**

*These Things Hidden*  
by Heather Gudenkauf



### Out of This World Book Club

**October 23, 7pm**

*Something Wicked This Way Comes*  
by Ray Bradbury



### Books & Bagels

**October 21, 2-3pm, Grades 4-6**

*The Thickety* by JA White

Thanks to an anonymous donor, the first 15 registered get a free copy of the book! Thanks to East Lansing's Brueggers Bagels for the bagels!

### ELHS Book Group at ELHS during Excel

**October 26, 9:30-10:30am, Grades 9-12**

*Dreamland Burning* by Jennifer Latham

Pick up a permission slip from the ELHS library.

First 10 students to return slip get a free copy of the book!



## All Ages Programs



### East Lansing Welcomes the World

**October 1, 1:30pm - 3:30pm**

Welcome MSU international students and families to the East Lansing community! Event features food, music, kids activities and community info.

### Knitting and Crochet Group

**October 3, 17, 11am-12pm**

All ages and all skill levels welcome.



### MSU Creative Writing Center Group

**Wednesdays, October 4, 18, 7-8pm**

All types and ages of creative writers are welcome.

### Anatomy of Writing with Local Author Karen Benson

**October 5, 7pm**

Learn how Benson built the fictional village of Hawthorn Lough, based in the late 18th century, in her new series.

### Code Building with Scratch

**October 7, 11am-12pm**

Come learn the basics of coding! You will get to use the "building blocks" of code in these beginner tutorials.

### Poetry Meets Pavement

**October 12, 7pm**

Poet Joyce Benvenuto and artist Colin Williams celebrate the 1920's paving of Grand River in poetry and photos.

### 3D Printing Workshop

**October 21, 2-4pm, Register @ [elpl.org](http://elpl.org)**

Design with Tinkercad and 3D print it in our Maker Studio.

### RB Digital Magazines Workshop

**October 24, 6pm, Registration suggested @ [elpl.org](http://elpl.org)**

Zinio is now RB Digital! Learn about the new RB Digital app for Apple and Android devices.

## Language Programs

### French Club

**Mondays, October 9, 23, 7-8pm**

### Practice Your English (All languages welcome!)

**Wednesdays, October 4, 11, 18, 25, 7-8pm**

### Spanish Conversation Group

**Thursdays, October 5, 12, 19, 26, 7-8pm**

### Bags and Book Sale

**October 14, 9am-4pm**

**October 15, 1-4pm**

\$5 for a bag of books! Gently used purses at low prices!



### Wine Cork Pumpkins, ages 18+

**October 17, 6-7pm, Register @ [elpl.org](http://elpl.org)**

Create a pumpkin decoration out of wine corks!

### All Hallows' Read and Haunted House

**October 27, 6-7pm**

**Teens arrive at 5:30pm to set-up the library**

Join us for trick-or-reading with candy, crafts, snacks and haunted house. Costumes encouraged!

### Paint a Pumpkin, ages up to 10 years

**October 31, 3-4pm, Register @ [elpl.org](http://elpl.org)**

Paint a mini pumpkin to display on Halloween night!

Attendance at library events constitutes consent to be photographed or recorded for use in print and/or electronic publicity for the East Lansing Public Library.

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Monday-Thursday: 10am-9pm Friday/Saturday: 10am-6pm Sunday: 1-5pm

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## Children's Programs

**BabyTime**, ages 0-18 months with adult  
*Mondays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 10:30-11am*


**ToddlerTime**, ages 18-36 months with adult  
*Tuesdays, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 10:30-11am*

**StoryTime**, ages 3-5 years with adult  
*Fridays, October 6, 13, 20, 27, 10:30-11am*

**Homework Help**, grades K-12  
*Wednesdays, October 4, 11, 18, 25, 5-7pm*  
Drop-in homework help from MSU's Kappa Delta Pi and SMEA.


**Elementary Economics Class**, grades 3-4  
*October 6, 13, 27, 4:30-5:30pm* (no class October 20)  
Using children's literature, kids will learn about basic economics concepts. **Register @ elpl.org**



 **Read to a Dog**, Register @ elpl.org  
*October 10, 4-5pm, 10 minutes per child*  
Great for emerging and reluctant readers to boost their skills by reading to a therapy dog.


**Greenthumbs StoryTime**, ages up to 5 years  
*October 11, 10:30-11am*  
Stories and activities about taking care of our Earth.



 **Bookworms at the Broad**, ages 2-5  
*October 11, 1-2pm, @ MSU's Broad Art Museum*  
Bring your eyes, ears and imagination for StoryTime with Miss Emily and creative fun.

**Cooking With Kids**, Register @ elpl.org  
*October 18, 5-7pm*  
Supplies and tips to make a treat to take home and bake. Please tell us of food allergies at registration.



 **Children's Social Justice Reading Group**,  
*October 21, 10:30am-12pm, Pre K-5th*  
Books, discussion and craft focused on differently abled persons. **Register @ elpl.org.**

**iPad StoryTime**, ages 3-5 years with adult  
*October 26, 10:30-11am*  
Fun, digital storytime that encourages interactive learning. One child per one adult. **Register @ elpl.org.** Sponsored by EL Kiwanis Club.



**Raising Little Ones Together \*NEW\***  
*October 25, 6-7pm*  
Discuss parenting topics with other parents/guardians and learn about ELPL resources. Kids welcome.

## Teen Programs, Grades 6-12

**Teen After-School Program**  
*Monday-Friday, 2:30-6pm* (No program on half days.)



**Teen Advisory Board**

*October 3, 5-6pm*

Meet over pizza to advocate for teen interests!

**Self-Care Club**

*October 2, 9, 16, 23\*, 30, 3:30pm-5:30pm* (\*3:30-4:45pm)

Relaxing environment with crafts, activities and hot tea.

**Teen Read Week: Late Fines Forgiven!**

*October 8-14*

Return overdue materials this week and we will waive your late fines! Does not apply to MeL or damaged items.

**Free Backpack & School Supply Distribution**

*October 10, 4-5pm*

Pick up a free backpack or school supplies donated by the Chi Epsilon Omega sorority.

**Science Clubs: Explore Candy!**

Registration required @ elpl.org

Girls in grades 5-8: *October 3, 4-5pm*

Boys in grades 5-8: *October 10, 4-5pm*

Teens in grades 9-12: *October 17, 4-5pm*



## Adult Programs

**Monday Movie Matinee:** Popcorn while it lasts



*October 9, 1pm*

*The Zookeeper's Wife*; PG-13, 126 min

*October 23, 1pm*

*Split*; PG-13, 117min



**Trending Topics**

*October 24, 5-6:30pm*

Have a question about what's going on in the news? Join us to discuss local, state and national headlines.



**Sunrise Movement: Letters for the Environment**

*Adult/Student Night: October 4, 6-7:30pm*

*Kids StoryTime: October 6, 10:30-11am*

The international climate talks are happening in November in Germany and we need your support to tell leaders that our planet is important, fragile and in need of our help. More info @ elpl.org.



Library closed October 1; closing at 2pm on October 19; closing at 3pm on October 20.