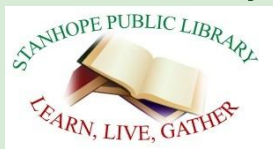


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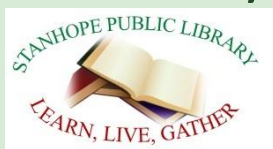
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Monday 9-12
Tuesday 3-6
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Saturday 8-12

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Library catalog:
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Summer Program: Level Up!

The theme for this summer is “Level Up!”. All ages are welcome to join in. Each week, from June 1 through August 9, we will have a new area you can level up in. There will be activity packets you can pick up at the library, and some activities you can do while at the library. There will also be reading and activity trackers which can be turned in for prizes.

Stanhope Author Laken Zanker

In case you haven’t heard, Laken Zanker published a book! The library has copies available for sale, and we are planning on hosting an author reading and signing in June. Stop in and pick up a copy of the book so you’ll be prepared for the event!

Toddler Time

Bring your children for a story and activity during our “toddler time” on May 17th at 10:00. Have a cup of coffee and visit with other parents while your children interact.

After School

STEAM activities, homework help, and a safe space to hang out and meet with friends are just a few of the things the Stanhope Public Library offers to students. We are happy to help with research for school projects, creative outlets, presentation practice, and finding the perfect reading material. Come in and see what the library can offer you! We also have weekly directed activities on Wednesday afternoons.

Plant Exchange

Do you have a green thumb? Do you have plants that need to be thinned? Need a different plant for your collection? The library will be hosting a plant exchange on Saturday, May 3rd at 10:00. Bring your cuttings in disposable containers and make trades with others. The library may have a limited number of cuttings for which you can make a donation.

Did You Know?

The library lends out many items besides books. We have DVDs, recreational equipment, board games, jigsaw puzzles, artwork and more! If there is something you think it would be beneficial for us to carry, let us know. (No guarantees, but we MIGHT be able to do it.)

Wi-Fi Hotspots

Thanks to the support of the Hamilton County Board of Supervisors, the Stanhope Public Library now has hot spots to lend. They will be loaned for one week to Stanhope and rural Hamilton County library cardholders over the age of 18, with a valid ID. Hotspots must be returned to the desk during open library hours.

E-books and Audio e-books

Download the Libby app and log in using your library card number and password for free access to audio and e-books and magazines. If you would like some help, contact the library. We are here to help.

Delivery service

If you are unable to make it to the library, but would like some books to read, the library offers local delivery service. Call (826-3211) or email (stanpl@netins.net) the library and we will work with you to be sure you get something to read.

Book Clubs:

Monday morning book club will meet May 12th. The book is: ‘Niagra Falls All Over Again’ by Elizabeth McCracken.

Evening book club will meet June 3rd. The book is: ‘Paper Towns’ by John Green.

See the reverse side of this page for the March schedule of events. We hope to see you soon. If you would like a monthly calendar emailed to you, send a request to: stanpl@netins.net