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Canal Fulton, Ohio 44614  
330-854-4148  
Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.  
Friday- Saturday 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.  
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Newsletter



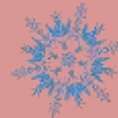
## Happy Holidays!

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*The best and most beautiful things in the world  
cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt  
with the heart. Wishing you happiness.  
~ Helen Keller*



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# Kids' Korner



**December Storytime Specials**  
Check out the library's Facebook page to tune in to both of these storytimes!

**Virtual Snowman Storytime:** Join us on Facebook for a virtual storytime all about snowmen! We will be reading stories, and sharing rhymes and flannel stories too! Be sure to stop by the children's department to pick up an activity pack with a variety of snowmen crafts and activities to do at home!

\*Bags will be available Monday-Friday the week of the program  
Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.

**Virtual Christmas Storytime:** Join us on Facebook for a virtual Christmas storytime where we read stories and talk all things Christmas! Be sure to stop by the children's department to pick up an activity pack with a variety of Christmas crafts and activities to do at home!

\*Bags will be available Monday-Friday the week of the program  
Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.

## December Specials

**Virtual Christmas Escape Room:** Can you escape from Santa's workshop in time for Christmas? Try your hand at our virtual escape room. Find the link on our Facebook page beginning December 14<sup>th</sup>. Recommended for grades k-5.  
Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup> - Saturday, December 19<sup>th</sup>

**New Year's Eve Grab and Go Bags:** Take a grab and go bag home to keep you busy during the countdown to midnight on New Year's Eve! The bags will offer crafts and plenty of activities for each child in the family. Reservations are required; reserve a bag now by calling the children's department at 330-854-4148.  
Pick up Monday, December 28<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday, December 30<sup>th</sup>







## UPCOMING EVENTS

Storytimes and other children's events may continue to look different throughout the winter session. Right now we will be continuing with virtual storytimes and programs. To stay up to date, please check our Facebook page, stop in the children's department, or call us at 330-854-4148.

### Winter Virtual Storytimes

This session begins January 5th  
Check out the library's Facebook page to tune in weekly!

**Tots and Tales:** Children ages 0-2 will love every minute of fun in these virtual story times! Enjoy sharing rhymes, songs, stories, and plenty of smiles together!

Tuesdays 9:30-9:45 a.m.

**Feed Me a Story:** Children ages 3-5 are sure to enjoy stories, songs, rhymes, and more during this virtual story time fun!

\*There will be storytime activity packs weekly to go along with each theme. Stop by to take one home with you Monday-Friday!

Wednesdays 11-11:20 a.m.

### January Specials

Grab and go bags will be available starting at 2 pm on the day of the program. Any extra bags will be available on Friday. These programs are while supplies last. For grades K-5.

**Winter Games: Snowboarding:** Design a miniature snowboard (and snowboarder) with the materials that you're provided. For grades K-5.

Thursday, January 7 starting at 2 pm

**Winter Games: Curling:** Using the materials that you're provided, challenge others to a curling competition! For grades K-5.

Thursday, January 14 starting at 2 pm

**Winter Games: Bobsledding:** This week, you will be designing, creating and testing your very own bobsled. For grades K-5.

Thursday, January 21 starting at 2 pm

**Winter Games: Hockey:** Create hockey sticks and a goat with a net with the materials provided. For grades K-5.

Thursday, January 28 starting at 2 pm

IF YOU MOOSE DO  
SOMETHING,  
READ A BOOK!



Winter Reads is here! From January 1-February 28, 2020 for every 10 items you check out in the children's department, you will have a chance to enter your name into a prize drawing!



# Seasons Greetings!



**The holidays are here already! Don't you think we could all use a little extra cheer this year? Show someone special how much he/she means to you this season by making a custom crafted card. Pick up your kit starting **December 7** at the Reference Department while supplies last.**



Connie Mercer for Quick Quotes





# Salt Shaker Snowman

**December 14**

This little snowman will make an adorable addition to your holiday decorating.

Pick up your take-home kit at the Reference Department while supplies last!

**Christmas Word Search**

BELLS  
 STOCKINGS  
 WREATH  
 ELVES  
 SLED

CELEBRATE  
 EGGNOG  
 TREE  
 JOLLY  
 SANTA

MERRY  
 MISTLETOE  
 CHIMNEY  
 REINDEER

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# Adult Programs



## Spice World

### Mulling Spices

Pick up a packet of spices beginning  
**December 1.**

Each packet includes enough spices to  
make something

Several recipes will be included.

Share pictures of what you make on our  
social media pages: Facebook, Twitter  
and Instagram, or you can email your  
photo to the library:

[info@canalfultonlibrary.org](mailto:info@canalfultonlibrary.org)

Pick up your packet at the  
Information Desk

**While supplies last.**



## Find Me a Good Book

**Running out of authors to  
read?**



**We can help with that. Stop by the  
Information Desk and pick up a Find Me a  
Good Book form. Fill in the Reader Profile  
with your information; the more the better.  
Fill out your likes and dislikes. We will then  
send you a customized reading list of  
suggested authors and titles.**

*Please allow 2 (two) days for your  
recommendations.*



## Genealogy Resources

Find Your Roots with our Genealogy  
databases:

### African American Heritage

**Ancestry.com: available at home thru  
December 31**

### Fold 3

### Heritage Quest

Genealogy resources are available at  
home using your library card:  
**[www.canalfultonlibrary.org](http://www.canalfultonlibrary.org)**-select the  
ancestry and genealogy tab.

For more information about this  
database and the many others we  
offer, please stop by the  
Information Desk.



## Third Tuesday Book Discussion



Book Discussion meets  
the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM  
Book Discussion does not meet in December or January

Join us for the One Book, One Community Discussion  
February 16, 2021, 6:30 PM

**I'm Proud of You, My Friendship with Mr. Rogers**

By Tim Madigan

Copies of the book will be available in January at the  
Circulation Desk

This book discussion may be virtual due to the Covid 19  
pandemic.





# Adult Programs



## December Adult Programs to Go

Each Program to Go contains most of the items needed to create the project listed as well as instructions.

Programs to go are for Adults only, no kids or teens.

Please call the Information Desk to reserve your Program To Go.

Programs To Go are available Monday.  
One Per person, while supplies last.

December 7: Wood Slice Ornaments

December 14: Yarn Trees



## 50 Book Challenge

From January 1 through December 31, 2020, keep track of all the books you read or listen to, audiobooks and ebooks count.

All ages are welcome!

Please only count each book once on your reading log, duplicate titles will not be counted. *Only books will be counted towards the total, no magazines, comics or graphic novels for adult entries.*

There are no limits on how many reading logs you turn in.

Stop by the Information Desk to pick up a Reading Log and to sign up!

Reading logs are due by  
closing time  
December 31, 2020



## Hot Picks

Be the first to receive the newest releases by some of your favorite authors!



Sign up for **Hot Picks** and we will automatically reserve the latest books by the authors of your choice.

Your reserve will be placed on all forthcoming titles as soon as the Library receives them.

Forms are available at the Information Desk.



## Holiday Closings

**Closed: December 24, 25**

**December 31 Close at 5 PM**

**Closed: January 1**

**Coming in January**

50 Book Challenge

Pick up your booklet January 2

Be on the lookout for the January newsletter for the fun Adult Programs!





## Food for Fines


Starting November 27, 2020 thru December 31, 2020, All food/pantry items donated will equal \$1.00 off accrued fines. Food/pantry items will be donated locally. Don't have fines – no problem, we'll still accept your items. Please help support our community.



## Today a Reader, Tomorrow a Leader

Children who grow up with books are inspired to dream more, do more, and be more! Through Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, kids in Stark County can receive a free book every month until they're five years old. Kids may add up to 60 books in their personal library! Sign your children up today and start building your child's free personal library! For more information about signing your child up for the Imagination library, please contact the Children's Department.



 *The Friends of the Canal Fulton Library will have a HOLIDAY RAFFLE BASKET starting December 5th running through December 19th. The drawing for the baskets will be December 19th. Tickets are \$1.00 each and 6 for \$5.00.*



## Cultural Corner

⇒ **CFPL Board meetings are held virtually, on Webex, usually on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00 P.M. Since there are occasional changes, it is best to confirm the time and date by calling the library at 330-854-4148. All meetings are open to the public. The next meeting is December 9th at 7:00 p.m. The Webex link is on the CFPL website.**

⇒ **Recycle at the library! The bin faces Walnut St.**

⇒ **Northwest Local Schools Holiday Break December 21-31, 2020.**

**The Canal Fulton Public Library will be closed on, December 24th and 25th for Christmas. On December 31 we close at 5 and closed January 1st. but we are always open online at [www.canalfultonlibrary.org](http://www.canalfultonlibrary.org), so you can download e-books, do research, or renew your materials. No library materials checked out from the Canal Fulton Public Library are due on any day that the library is closed.**



## Mission Statement

The Canal Fulton Public Library serves the educational, cultural, and social needs of our communities by providing access to materials, information, technology, and services. The *CFPL Current* is published monthly except June/ July for the Summer Reading Newsletter, by the Canal Fulton Public Library. A free copy of the *CFPL Current* may be picked up at the Canal Fulton Public Library and select community outlets. An electronic version of the *CFPL Current* may be found at the library's website : [www.canalfultonlibrary.org](http://www.canalfultonlibrary.org).

