



Creating community through literacy

Q&A Ms. Terra Turner

What is your career or profession? I am an occupational therapist who specializes in treatment of people with developmental disabilities and a visual artist.

Tell us about your role on the East Cleveland Public Library Board of Trustees? I am currently the board president which means I approve the trustees' meeting agenda and chair the meeting. Since I have been on the board, I have been focused on establishing a mission and plan for our library that steers us toward services and events that honor both our storied past and our shining future. I also work with the administration and trustees to develop policies and procedures to ensure that the many facets of the library work efficiently.

What book have you read that had the most impact on your life and what are you currently reading? Alice Walker's *In Search of Our Mother's Gardens* was life-changing for me. I am currently reading a science fiction anthology, *Sunspot Jungle* that was edited by Bill Campbell and published by his company, Rosarium Publishing.

What kinds of hobbies and interests do you have outside of work? I love to experience art in all of its forms: storytelling, jewelry, architecture, gardens, music.... I am currently learning to make dolls and am a member of Cleveland's African American Quilters and Dollmakers Guild.

Do you have a favorite quote?

"Lose not faith, lose not courage, go forward."

- Marcus Garvey

If Hollywood made a movie about your life, who would you like to see cast as you and why?

Jill Scott!

What is your favorite thing to do in the wonderful city of East Cleveland, Ohio? Sit on my front stoop in the summer and chat with my neighbors.

Notary Service currently available at East Cleveland Public Library! Stop by the Circulation Desk to learn more or visit our website eastclevelandpubliclibrary.org to make an appointment.

Coming Soon...

Passport Services

Stay tuned for more info!



Monday Movie Series

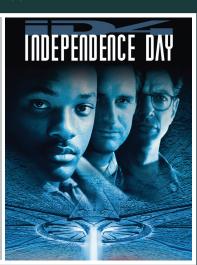
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JULY 8 **Independence Day**

AUGUST 12 **Girls Trip**

SEPTEMBER 9
Black Panther

OCTOBER 14
BlacKkKlansman



Upcoming Concert

East Cleveland Public Library
Greg L. Reese Performing Arts Center
Doors open 3 pm / Free Admission / Limited Seating



featuring Dr. David M. Thomas and the South Euclid United Church Choir and Friends

This exciting gospel presentation will feature some of Cleveland's finest gospel singers!

Brought to you thanks to The Cleveland Foundation.

Ongoing Programs

Cartoon Character Storytime

MONDAYS, 10:45 - 11:45 AM

Preschoolers will enjoy this cartoon storytime hour!

Lego Lab

1ST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH / 4:00 PM

Let your imagination run wild as you build and interact with other Lego lovers. You can bring your own Legos or feel free to use ours.

Storytime Wednesdays

11:00 AM

All preschoolers are invited to join us for an interactive Storytime. Stories, fingerplays and movement activities included.

Just Dance

EVERY OTHER THURSDAY / 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Show off your skills as you dance along! You can Floss, Shoot or just do some line dances – it's up to you! We try to honor all requests.

July

July 4th Patriotic Craft

TUESDAY, JULY 2 / 4:00 PM

Get in the holiday spirit and have some creative fun with a patriotic craft!

Teddy Bear Picnic

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10 / 3:00 PM

Enjoy a Teddy Bear storytime and other activities to celebrate Teddy Bear Picnic Day.

ZenWorks Yoga

THURSDAY, JULY 11 / 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Instructors from Zen Yoga will teach children basic yoga poses and stretches. Wear comfortable clothes.



A Universe of Stories Magic Show

THURSDAY, JULY 18 / 1:30 PM

Enjoy a fun-filled magic show based upon our summer reading theme, "A Universe of Stories."

National Ice Cream Month

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24 / 3:00 PM

July is national ice cream month and we are celebrating! Make an ice cream craft then enjoy a special treat!

Mad Science

THURSDAY, JULY 25 / 2:30 - 3:30 PM

Mad Science brings a variety of fascinating and entertaining experiments and presentations to East Cleveland Public Library. This month is Planes and Gliders.

August

ZenWorks Yoga

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1 / 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Instructors from Zen Yoga will teach children basic yoga poses and stretches. Wear comfortable clothes.

Clown Week Celebration

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2 / 2:00 PM

Learn about the history of clowns and do a fun craft.

Children's

Mad Science

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 / 2:00 - 3:00 PM

Mad Science brings a variety of fascinating and entertaining experiments and presentations to East Cleveland Public Library. This month is Dry Ice.

Back-to-School Collage

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14 / 3:00 PM

Show your creativity while telling all about your summer with a fun collage.

Aviation Day





Dog Day

MONDAY, AUGUST 26 / 2:00 PM

Coloring pages and a special book display will be on display all this week for national dog day.

September

Library Card Sign-up Month

Now is the time to get your library card from ECPL!

National Childhood Obesity Month

We will have books, pamphlets, recipes and other information on display to help fight childhood obesity.

Mae Jemison Day

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 / 4:30 PM

Learn all about this famous African American woman. Plus, make an out of this world spaceship craft.

Hispanic Heritage Month

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 / 4:30 PM

Hear a story about a famous Hispanic American and make a fun craft.

100 books given to ECPL from the Brownstone Foundation

The East Cleveland Public Library has received a gift of 100 new children's books, ranging from pre-kindergarten through early readers. These books were a donation from the Brownstone Book Fund, a private foundation in New York City, interested in fostering early reading, a love of books and encouraging parents and children to read together. Come to the Library's Children's Department to explore and enjoy this new collection.

JazzLit Program for East Cleveland Schools

The East Cleveland Public Library has a long history of promoting and celebrating a truly African American art form – Jazz. Since 1988 the Library has presented a series of jazz concerts and has a long-standing partnership with the Cuyahoga County Community College JazzFest. The Center is one of the few performing arts center attached to a public library in the country.

The Library received a grant from the State Library of Ohio with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. The objectives of this grant project were to:

- Support East Cleveland third graders in their quest for reading proficiency and Ohio's Third Grade Reading Guarantee program
- Celebrate the contributions of African American jazz legends and expose young children to one of America's greatest art forms
- Fulfill the East Cleveland Library's Strategic Plan Objective: "To Build Collections and Programming that Emphasize African American Culture and History."

The program offered sessions three times during this past school year (February – May) at the Greg L. Reese

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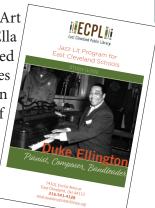
Children's Teens

Performing Arts Center. Third grade students from the four elementary schools were bused to the Library during the school day to attend the programs.

Before each session, classroom teachers were given a book about a jazz legend to share with their classes, and to prepare them for the Library visit.

At the Library program, lasting approximately an hour and a half, the book was discussed and the session was concluded with performances by local jazz musicians or educators that illuminated the music of the jazz legend featured in the book.

The students read books about Art Tatum, Duke Ellington, and Ella Fitzgerald. The sessions featured presentations and performances by Lafayette Carthon, Evelyn Wright, the Dance Artists of Rainey Institute, and the author Andrea Pinkney.



July

Summer Reading Challenge

JUNE 10 - AUGUST 16

There's still time! Pick up your reading log from the Teen Department and track the number of pages you read this summer. Read over 500 pages and receive a prize!

Teen Game Day

MONDAYS, 3:30 PM

Enjoy fun games like Charades, Pictionary, and Bingo at our Teen Game Day.

Manga Club

TUESDAYS, JULY 2, 9 / 4:00 PM

Do you like to read Japanese Manga books? Do you enjoy watching Anime films and television shows? Would you like to get together with others who also enjoy graphic novels? If so, you should join Manga Club! Meetings are held the first two Tuesdays of the month.

Gaming at ECPL

Saturdays

July 6 / 2:00-5:30 pm

July 20 / 2:00-5:30 pm

August 3 / 12:00-4:00 pm

August 31 / 2:00-5:30 pm

September 14 / 2:00-5:30 pm

Play video games competitively or as a team. Super Smash Bros and Mario Kart are available on the Nintendo Switch. NBA 2K, Tekken, Madden, and WWE available on the Xbox One.

Build bonds and tap into your competitive spirit by challenging peers!



Teens

Open Mic Night

THURSDAYS, JULY 11, 25 / 4:30 PM

An opportunity for patrons to openly express themselves through many different forms: read a poem, sing a song or a rap! It can even be spoken word. Perfect your craft and come to Open Mic Night.

Moon Phase Oreos

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 / 3:00 PM

Learn about the rotation of the Earth and Moon with this fun and tasty activity!

Starry Night Sidewalk Art

TUESDAY, JULY 30 / 3:30 PM

Vincent van Gogh's *The Starry Night* is perhaps his most famous painting. Create your very own version with our sidewalk art program!

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Guardians of the Galaxy Mixtape

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7 / 2:00 PM

Marvel's *Guardians of the Galaxy* incorporates the use of mixtapes as a thematic element for character development and plot. Come up with your own mixtapes suitable for intergalactic adventures!

Open Mic Night

THURSDAYS, AUGUST 8, 22 / 4:30 PM

An opportunity for patrons to openly express themselves through many different forms: read a poem, sing a song or a rap! It can even be spoken word. Perfect your craft and come to Open Mic Night.

Galaxy Collage

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21 / 3:00 PM

If you enjoy painting and making pieces of art, come create a Galaxy Collage using acrylic paints and water-colors.

September

Writing Workshop

WEDNESDAYS, 4:00 PM SEPTEMBER 4, 11, 18, 25

If you have a passion for writing or just want to learn more about the craft, come to our Writing Workshop every Wednesday of the month. Learn about multiple writing styles and try your hand at interesting writing prompts.

Manga Club

TUESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 3, 10 4:00 PM

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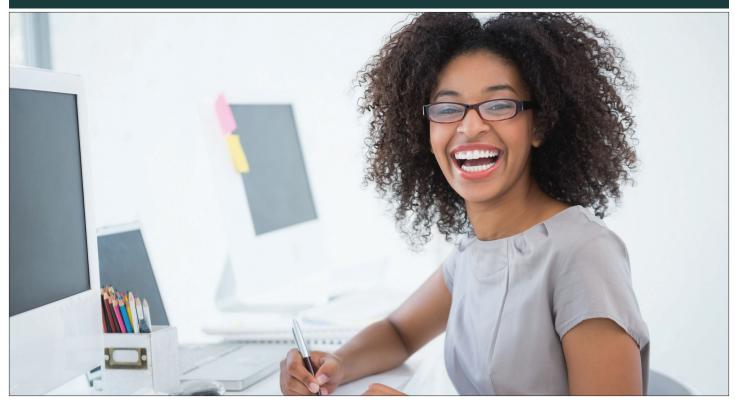
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Open Mic Night

THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 5, 19 / 4:30 PM

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July

Movie Mondays

MONDAY, JULY 8 / 4:00 PM

Every month this summer, we will watch a different and exciting film. This month is the summer block-buster hit *Independence Day* starring Will Smith.

QR Code Black: Planet Earth

TUESDAY, JULY 9 / 4:00 PM

Want to explore astronomy with technology? Get hands-on while exploring astronomy through scanning QR codes and learn fun facts about planet earth.



Africa: Its Foods & Customs

WEDNESDAYS, JULY 10, 17 / 4:00 PM

Learn interesting facts about the world's second largest continent, Africa. Discuss family customs which may have derived from African traditions. Let's explore the colors of the Kente cloth and create a make and take Kente placemat.

Cool Adult Coloring / African American Pages

THURSDAYS, JULY 11, 18 / 4:00 PM

Adults will participate in an interactive, relaxing session consisting of a selection of coloring sheets. We will use several coloring materials to create a work of art. Patrons can display some of their work and take finished artwork home. Join us and tap into your creative side!

Star Trek Trivia Contest

TUESDAY, JULY 16 / 4:00 PM

Calling all *Star Trek* fans! The original *Star Trek* series went where no show had ever gone before. How much do you know about *Star Trek?* Take our quiz and enter our contest!

ECPL Book Club

TUESDAY, JULY 23 / 5:30 - 6:45 PM / FLEWELLEN ROOM

Popular and new books have been chosen. Participate by reading *Queer Africa: Selected Stories* by Karen Martin and join us to discuss the book in detail. Each month, we explore various author styles.

Adults

Star Wars Trivia Contest

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24 / 4:00 PM

The *Star Wars* film franchise has inspired generations of fans since the first film was released in 1977. Do you remember the first time you watched *Star Wars?* Take the quiz and enter our contest to see if you are as wise as Yoda, or if you are in need of extra Jedi training!

Storytime for Adults: Stories of the First African American Flight Attendants

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31 / 4:00 PM

Storytime is not just for kids! Take a break from your busy day and join us for a new storytime, designed just for adults. Listen to something you might not have read before – we will be reading everything from poetry, short stories, short plays, listening to audiobooks and viewing videos!

August



Space and Astronomy Bingo

MONDAY, AUGUST 5 / 4:00 PM

Learn fun facts about our solar system in this educational game of Bingo!

Pre-National Tell a Joke Day

TUESDAYS, AUGUST 6, 13 / 4:00 PM

Share your favorite jokes with other patrons. Learn some techniques about telling jokes. Explore our joke and riddle book selection. If you like to hear jokes or like to tell jokes, your presence and participation is requested.

Movie Mondays

MONDAY, AUGUST 12 / 4:00 PM

Every month this summer, we will watch a different and exciting film. This month is the



blockbuster hit *Girls Trip* starring Queen Latifah, Jada Pinkett Smith, Regina Hall, and Tiffany Haddish.

Pinterest Craft Club: For Adult Crafters

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14 / 4:00 PM

Join us for adult arts and crafts class. Make a fun, Pinterest-inspired craft of the month. Materials are always provided; just bring your creativity!

Recipe Apps

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21 / 4:00 PM

We carry our phones with us everywhere we go – whether it be our living room or workspace – so why shouldn't we venture into our kitchens with them? Recipe apps are the next step in the complete mobile takeover, offering step-by-step instructions about how to make a fine oven-fried chimichanga, curate a weekly meal plan, and or even get prepared for the future of food.

Adult Summer Reading Rap Up

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22 / 4:00 PM

This is a summer reading celebration for adult patrons! We will have a day of fun literacy activities and information from community resources displayed for distribution. There will be a guest speaker at our event. Join us for this celebration!

ECPL Book Club

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27 / 5:30 – 6:45 PM FLEWELLEN ROOM

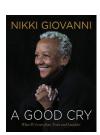
Popular and new books have been chosen. Participate by reading *A Good Cry* by Nikki Giovanni and join us to

discuss the book in detail. Each month, we explore various author styles.



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28 / 4:00 PM

Come one, come all! Show off your domino skills against other challengers in the neighborhood. There will be a prize for first- and second-place winners. All levels are welcome!



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September

All About Hoopla & Kanopy

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 / 4:00 PM

Hoopla and Kanopy offer free movies, TV shows, and documentaries – all accessible with your library card! Learn about the latest free streaming service provided by your very own public library.

Movie Mondays

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 / 4:00 PM

Every month this summer, we will watch a different and exciting film. This month is the blockbuster hit *Black Panther* starring Chadwick Boseman and Michael B. Jordan.

9/11 Attack: Timeline

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11 THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 4:00 PM

Look back in time to one of the most tragic attacks in United States history. What is a terrorist and what dangers do they pose to our country? How did the attack have a lasting impact? Join us for this intense conversation.

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Popular and new books have been chosen. Participate by reading *Before I Forget* by B. Smith and Dan Gasby and join us to discuss the book in detail. Each month, we explore various author styles.



Pinterest

Pokeno Tournament

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 / 4:00 PM

Come one, come all! Show off your Pokeno skills against other challengers in the neighborhood. There will be a prize for firstand second-place winners. All levels are welcome!

Wine Pairing: A Sip at a Time

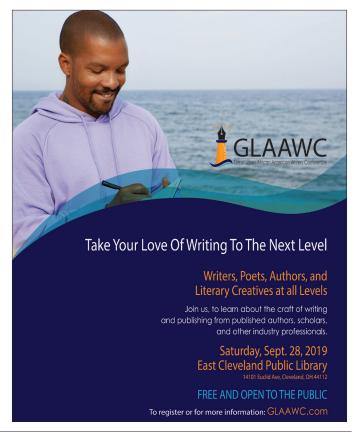
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 4:00 PM

Let's talk about the history of wine and grapes. What wines go best with meat, poultry, vegetables, and cheese? Share your knowledge and obtain additional information about wines. Learn the art of fine wine dining.

Health & Wellness Apps

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 / 4:00 PM

Learn about some of the best new health and wellness apps for nutrition, fitness, medical information, personal care, and more.



ICT Computer Literacy Programs





Typing Basics

STARTING JULY 2, ONGOING TUESDAYS, 12:30 – 1:30 PM

Become familiar with the keyboard, learn how to type faster, and type without looking at the keyboard.

Writing Workshop

WEDNESDAYS, 5:30 – 6:30 PM JULY 3, 17, 31 AUGUST 14, 28 SEPTEMBER 11, 25

Learn about creative writing and let your creativity run wild! This workshop will be held in the Computer Lab.

LinkedIn Basics

FRIDAY, JULY 5 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM



Create a LinkedIn account, and learn how to navigate to different sites for job postings. We will also cover how to search careers and upload resumes.

Space Scavenger Hunt

JULY 8 – 19

Embrace the space with a photo scavenger hunt using social media. Winners of the hunt will receive a prize.

All About Computers

THURSDAY, JULY 11 & FRIDAY, JULY 12 3:00 – 4:00 PM

Learn the inner workings of a desktop computer, how to build one and how to take it apart.

Mac Basics

FRIDAY, JULY 19 FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 12:00 – 1:00 PM

Learn the ins and outs of a Macintosh desktop computer.



YouTube

TUESDAY, JULY 23 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Broadcast yourself with this website that allows you to watch and comment on professional and amateur videos, or even upload your own, mostly for free.

Amazon

FRIDAY, JULY 26 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Buy almost anything on this popular e-commerce website, either from Amazon itself or from other sellers on the site. Trade in stuff you don't want!

Pandora

SATURDAY, JULY 27 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Learn how to use Pandora and access free music! Explore music channels and download music.



Resume Basics

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Create and edit your resume and arrange it according to skills you have, along with your work history, to potentially gain employment.

iPhone Class

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Learn how to use your iPhone for more than just calling and texting.

Android Phone Basics

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8 / 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Learn how to operate an Android phone.

Tablets: Getting Started / Working with Apps

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Learn the basic features and functions of your tablet as well as explore the best apps available for your device.





ICT Computer Literacy Programs

Job Fair

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10 / 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Meet with representatives from area companies. You may be able to participate in face-to-face interviews, and potentially be hired on the spot. Come to the event dressed professionally, bring plenty of resumes to hand out, and be prepared to fill out applications.

ESPN Basics

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Learn how to use ESPN's website and features offered.

Google Drive

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15 / 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Learn how to use Google's free cloud storage connected to your Gmail account.

Marvel Escape Room

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16 & SATURDAY, AUGUST 17 FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 & SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Know everything about the Marvel Cinematic Universe? Test your knowledge in our escape room!

Twitter/Facebook Basics

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23 / 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Get on social media! Setup accounts and post.

Excel 2013

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Learn how to use Microsoft Excel to work with numbers and data.



September

Online Banking

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Take your banking to a new level. Start banking online to save yourself some time!

Eventbrite

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 / 12:00 - 1:30 PM

Learn to use Eventbrite to list your event, sell tickets, manage registrations and track sales.

PowerPoint

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Learn how to use PowerPoint's basic features to create a presentation.

Netflix / Hulu

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Watch the best TV shows and movies on any device for a flat monthly cost. Cut the cable cord!

Health Care

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 / 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Check websites for medical info, locate doctors or hospitals, find out about common drug side effects, or what ails you based upon your symptoms. Explore apps from your insurance providers as well!

Ongoing Basic ICT Literacy Classes

New classes begin the 1st Monday of every month. MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, 10:30 AM – NOON

Learn all the basic information and skills needed to operate a computer. Topics include:

MOUSE & KEYBOARD BASICS

COMPUTER BASICS

WINDOWS 10 BASICS

INTERNET & GMAIL BASICS

FILE MANAGEMENT BASICS

COMPUTER MAINTENANCE BASICS

MICROSOFT WORD 2013 BASICS

CYBERSECURITY BASICS



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