

Programs for Children January - April 2024 Summary

ACTIVITIES

Craft Studio for Kids

Second Saturday of the month

January - March

2-3:30 p.m. at the Franklin Library

- Ages 5-12
- Registration not required.

Jan. 13: Making pet rocks

Feb. 10: Valentine's Day activities

March 9: St. Patrick's Day activities

Homeschool Project Zone

Third Tuesday of the month

January - April

2 - 3:30 p.m. at the Franklin Library

- Ages 5-12
- **Registration is required.**

Jan. 16: STEAM Exploration

Feb. 20: Paper Making

March 19: Gorman Heritage Farm

April 16: Making bird feeders

Fourth Friday Fun

Fourth Friday of the Month

February - April

6:30 - 8 p.m. at the Springboro Library

- Ages 5-12
- **Registration is required.**

Feb. 23: Games and Trivia

March 22: LEGO Challenges

April 26: Book Tasting

BOOK CLUBS

Book SPLASH!

(For children in kindergarten & first grade)

Second Thursday of the month February - April

5-5:45 p.m. at the Springboro Library

- Ages 5-7
- Registration is not required.

Feb. 8: *Buzz Boy & Fly Guy* by Tedd Arnold

March 14: *Fox the Tiger* by Corey Tabor

April 11: *Poppleton* by Cynthia Rylant

Book BUZZ!

(For children in second & third grade)

Third Thursday of the month February - April

5-5:45 p.m. at the Springboro Library

- Ages 7-9
- Registration is not required.

Feb. 15: *Trouble at Table 5: The Candy Caper* by Tom Watson

March 21: *Narwhal Unicorn of the Sea* by Ben Clanton

April 18: *The Chicken Squad* by Doreen Cronin

Book POP!

(For readers in fourth - sixth grade)

Second Tuesday of the month February - April

5:30 - 7 p.m. at the Springboro Library

- Ages 9-12
- **Registration is required.**

Feb. 13: *How to Steal a Dog* by Barbara O'Connor

March 12: *The Wishtree* by Katherine Applegate

April 9: To Be Determined

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Detail

January 2024

Craft Studio for Kids -- A rockin' good time.

Children ages 5-12 are invited to make a pet rock from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, January 13, at the Franklin Library.** You will use crafting supplies and your imagination to create your pet rock and to make a home for your pet. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

Homeschool Project Zone -- Full STEAM ahead.

Calling all homeschoolers ages 5-12! Join us for STEAM Exploration from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 16, at the Franklin Library.** Visit different stations to have fun while you learn. Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

February 2024

Book Splash! Book Club -- Read with Fly Guy.

Join the book club for readers in kindergarten and first grade (ages 5-7). We will read a story together at the meeting and then do fun story-related activities. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

We'll meet from **5 to 5:45 p.m. Thursday, February 8, at the Springboro Library.** We'll be reading *Buzz Boy and Fly Guy* by Tedd Arnold at the meeting.

Craft Studio for Kids -- Be my Valentine.

Children ages 5-12 are invited to drop in for Valentine's Day crafts and activities from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, February 10, at the Franklin Library.** Supplies to make cards, create crafts, and decorate a cookie will be provided. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

Book POP! Book Club -- For tweens who love to read.

Book POP is a book club for readers in 4th - 6th grade (ages 9-12). We read a new book each month and then meet to discuss the book, do fun book-related activities, and have snacks! Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. For more information, visit fspl.org/book-pop.

We'll meet from **5:30 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, February 13, at the Springboro Library, and we'll read *How to Steal a Dog* by Barbara O'Connor.**

Those who register for the program may check out a book from the Springboro Library starting January 8. If you'd prefer to pick up the book at the Franklin Library, let us know, and we'll make a copy available for you.

Caregivers are not required to stay with their children throughout the program, but we ask that caregivers come to the meeting room to pick up their children after the meeting.

February 2024 (Continued)

Book Buzz! Book Club -- Join us for a caper.

Join the book club for readers in 2nd and 3rd grade (ages 7-9). Get the chosen book at the library, read it at home, and come to the meeting for fun activities. A limited number of copies of the book will be available at the Springboro Branch two weeks before the meeting. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program. We'll meet from **5 to 5:45 p.m. Thursday, February 15, at the Springboro Library**. We are reading *Trouble at Table 5: the Candy Caper* by Tom Watson.

Homeschool Project Zone -- See how it's made.

A representative from the Warren County Solid Waste District will give a presentation on paper-making to homeschoolers (ages 5-12) from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 20, at the Franklin Library**. This hands-on program will be informative and fun! Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

Fourth Friday Fun -- Games and trivia.

Join us for games and trivia from **6:30 to 8 p.m. Friday, February 23, at the Springboro Library**. A variety of board games will be provided, and we'll have kid-friendly trivia questions throughout the event. This after-hours event is for children ages 5-12 and their families. (Younger and older siblings are welcome.) Registration is required. Call the library to sign up.

March 2024

Craft Studio for Kids -- Catch a leprechaun.

Children ages 5-12 are invited to make leprechaun crafts from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, March 9, at the Franklin Library**. We'll provide supplies to make a leprechaun trap or complete other St. Patrick's Day activities. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

Book POP! Book Club -- For tweens who love to read.

Book POP is a book club for readers in 4th - 6th grade (ages 9-12). We read a new book each month and then meet to discuss the book, do fun book-related activities, and have snacks! Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. For more information, visit fspl.org/book-pop.

We'll meet from **5:30 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 12, at the Springboro Library**, and we'll read *Wishtree* by Katherine Applegate.

Those who register from the program may check out a book from the Springboro Library starting February 13. If you'd prefer to pick up the book at the Franklin Library, let us know, and we'll make a copy available for you.

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March 2024 (Continued)

Book Splash! Book Club -- Tigers are the best.

Join the book club for readers in kindergarten and first grade (ages 5-7). We will read a story together at the meeting and then do fun story-related activities. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

We'll meet from **5 to 5:45 p.m. Thursday, March 14, at the Springboro Library**. We'll be reading *Fox the Tiger* by Corey R. Tabor at the meeting.

Homeschool Project Zone -- Down on the farm.

Calling all homeschoolers ages 5-12! Learn from a representative from Gorman Heritage Farm from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, at the Franklin Library**. Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

Book Buzz! Book Club -- We love narwhals.

Join the book club for readers in 2nd and 3rd grade (ages 7-9). Get the chosen book at the library, read it at home, and come to the meeting for fun activities. A limited number of copies of the book will be available at the Springboro Branch two weeks before the meeting. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program. We'll meet from **5 to 5:45 p.m. Thursday, March 21, at the Springboro Library**. We are reading *Narwhal Unicorn of the Sea* by Ben Clanton.

Fourth Friday Fun -- LEGO challenges.

Join us for LEGO challenges from **6:30 - 8 p.m. Friday, March 22, at the Springboro Library**. LEGO bricks will be provided for challenges to test your engineering creativity, and there will be time for free play. This after-hours event is for children ages 5-12. Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

April 2024

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We'll meet from **5:30 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, at the Springboro Library**. Reading selection is to be determined. Check back soon.

Book Splash! Book Club -- Meet Poppleton.

Join the book club for readers in kindergarten and first grade (ages 5-7). We will read a story together at the meeting and then do fun story-related activities. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

We'll meet from **5 to 5:45 p.m. Thursday, April 11, at the Springboro Library**. We'll be reading *Poppleton* by Cynthia Rylant at the meeting.

April 2024 (Continued)

Homeschool Project Zone -- For the birds.

Homeschoolers ages 5-12 can learn about birds and make a bird feeder from **2 to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 16, at the Franklin Library**. Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.

Book Buzz! Book Club -- We're not chicken.

Join the book club for readers in 2nd and 3rd grade (ages 7-9). Get the chosen book at the library, read it at home, and come to the meeting for fun activities. A limited number of copies of the book will be available at the Springboro Branch two weeks before the meeting. Registration is not required. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program. We'll meet from **5 to 5:45 p.m. Thursday, April 18, at the Springboro Library**. We are reading *The Chicken Squad* by Doreen Cronin.

Fourth Friday Fun -- Reading is delicious.

Join us for a book tasting from **6:30 to 8 p.m. Friday, April 26, at the Springboro Library**. Sample some picture books, chapter books, and graphic novels, and enjoy some delicious and silly foods featured in the stories. This after-hours event is for children ages 5-12. Registration is required. Call the library to sign up. Caregivers must remain with children throughout the program.