

Mount Clemens Public Library

The Library Online

Free Online Tutoring Service Now Available

Mount Clemens Public Library is pleased to offer a new online service, Tutor.com, through our web site. Tutor.com can help students with homework, book reports, research papers or test preparation. Study resources supporting over 40 subject areas are available 24/7, while online chat with a live tutor is available daily from 4 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Students (and parents!) can get help for any kind of academic question in math, science, English, social studies and writing. The tutors work with students in kindergarten through 12th grade and even AP level class work and intro-level college coursework. Tutors are skilled in their fields and have undergone rigorous testing and screening to ensure that they are fully qualified. Tutor.com also uses strict safety protocols - only first names are used and tutors never have any contact with students outside the virtual classroom. Students and parents may review a recording or transcript of a tutoring session at any time.

Connecting with a tutor is easy. You just need a library card and a computer or mobile device with internet access. Just point your browser to www.mtclib.org and click on the Tutor.com logo. For more information, ask your reference librarian. Connect. Learn. Go!



Jack Lessenberry presents new series Mondays at 10:00 a.m.

September 18: Donald Trump's America. Why this president is like no other in history -- and what the lasting impact may be on this nation and the world.



October 16: The Truth About Detroit. Things have radically changed since the city emerged from bankruptcy and Mike Duggan stunned everyone by getting elected mayor. But realistically -- will Detroit ever be a vibrant, successful metropolis?

November 20: Now for the Reckoning: Next Year's Statewide Elections. Voters get to fill every statewide elected post next year and every seat in the legislature, following eight years of total GOP control. What's likely to happen? Will these elections be a referendum on Rick Snyder, Flint, Donald Trump and his administration -- or something else entirely?

Escape The Room!

Are you good at puzzles? Have you ever played an escape room game? Register a group of family members or friends to try our escape room game on **Saturday, October 28 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** Online registration is not available for this event. To reserve a game time slot for your group, please call the library at 586-469-6200.

**September–
December
2017**

Library Holidays

September 2–4
Labor Day weekend

November 10
Veterans Day

**November 22 (close at
5pm)** Thanksgiving Eve

November 23
Thanksgiving Day

December 22 - 25
Christmas Weekend

Library Hours

Monday-Thursday

9:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m.

Friday-Saturday

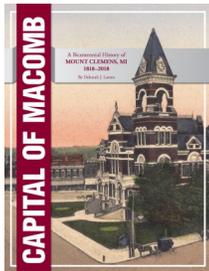
9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Contact Us

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Copies of A Bicentennial History of Mount Clemens will be available for purchase at the library check-out desk beginning Monday, September 25.

Genealogy programs welcome researchers at all levels of experience, from beginner to expert.

Programs for Adults

Thursday, September 28 at 10:00 a.m. : Understanding Medicare and Your Options

Tamara Wilfinger will explain the various Medicare options available to enrollees. Seating is limited, so please phone 586-469-6200 to register.

Tuesday, October 10 at 7:00 p.m. : A Bicentennial History of Mount Clemens

Deborah Larsen presents her new book *Capital of Macomb: A Bicentennial History of Mount Clemens*.

Annual Used Book Sale

Preview sale September 20, 6-8 p.m. (\$10 admission). September 21, 2 p.m.- 8 p.m. and September 22-23, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

The Used Book Sale is back! Thousands of quality used books will be offered for sale at bargain prices, all carefully sorted into categories for easy shopping. Our current stock of materials offers a wide variety of fiction and nonfiction for adults and children.

The general sale will open on Thursday, September 21 from 2-8 p.m. Sale hours will continue on Friday and Saturday, September 22-23, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For those who want the first opportunity to shop the sale before the crowds hit, a special preview night will be held from 6-8 p.m. on Wednesday, September 20, with an admission price of \$10 per person. (Admission to the general sale is free.)

The Used Book Sale is sponsored by the Macomb County Genealogy Group, and all proceeds from the sale will be used to support the library, its programs and collections. Everything is priced to sell quickly—don't miss this opportunity to pick up some great bargains and support your library!

Macomb County Genealogy Group - Fridays at 1:00 p.m.

September 8: "Organizing and Preserving your photos? Presented by Cheryl Warnock.

October 6: "Tracing the History of your House or Property," presented Deborah Larsen.

November 3: "Genealogical Resources Available at the Richmond Historical and Genealogical Society" presented by Christine Rowley.

December 15: Annual Holiday Party and Potluck Lunch (at Noon) Joint meeting with the Let's Talk group. Bring a dish to share!

Let's Talk . . . Genealogy Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

September 13: "Where Do I Go From Here?" Let's share our challenges and maybe someone will have an idea to fix them. Bring research questions, brick walls or new finds.

October 11: "SeekingMichigan.org Tips and Tricks" We'll share resources found on the Archives of Michigan website as well as some tips and tricks for better results.

November 8: "DNA: Tested...Now What?" We'll review some ways to make sense of those matches and, of course, share our experiences with DNA testing.

December 13: "There Be Dragons: Maps" We'll share our favorite places to find maps and discuss how to use them for your genealogical research.

Resource Development Sessions . . . Friday afternoons at 1:00 p.m.

Work sessions will be held on **October 20 and November 17**. Please join us to help make local records available to other researchers.

Programs for Children and Families



October 21 (2:00 p.m.) **Whitebeard the Pirate Magic Show.** Be amazed by magic! For even more fun, come dressed as a pirate.

November 4 (2:00 p.m.) **Indian Village String Quintet.** Join us for some wonderful music from our friends in the Indian Village String Quintet.

November 18 (2:30 p.m.) **Read to Me, Rosco!** Rosco the Clown will join us to read stories and tell jokes.

December 2 (2:00 p.m.) **Martial Arts Demonstration and Class** by Romanelli's International Martial Arts (A permission slip is required to participate in this program so plan to arrive early to fill out the paperwork).

December 12 (6:30 p.m.) **Fun with Santa & Mrs. Claus!** Santa and Mrs. Claus will visit the library. Bring your camera and have your picture taken with them.

Drop-In Family Story Time

Tuesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday mornings at 10:30 a.m.

Drop-in Family Story time is designed for preschoolers! Parents and/or caregivers stay with the children during the program. Join us for interactive stories, songs and fun designed to promote an early interest in reading.

Tuesday evenings: **October 10, 17, 24, 31, November 7, 14, 21, 28 and December 5.**

Wednesday morning: **October 11, 18, 25, November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and December 6.**

Kid-friendly Music Jam Session

Thursday evenings from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p. m. (October 12 through December 14)

This is a wonderful opportunity for babies, children and teens to find that there is more to an instrument than lessons and practice. Jamming is a time to meet others who play music and a time to develop an ear for music. All musical abilities are welcome!

Coloring, Coffee and Conversation

It's coloring for adults! Relax with your friends and some light refreshments while you color your cares away on **September 6, October 4, November 1, and December 6 from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

Registration is required so please visit our website, www.mtclib.org or call (586)469-6200 to reserve your space today!



Papercrafts @ The Library

Interested in learning a new way to use paper? Bring your own supplies and projects to work on during our drop-in open craft session or work on the monthly project. Register online at www.mtclib.org to receive a complete supply list and examples of the monthly project. We would love for you to join us from **5 p.m. - 9 p.m. on September 12** (Pie-chart Layout with Shaker Pockets), **October 17** (Birthday Cards), **November 21** (Christmas Cards and Tags) and **December 19** (1-2-3 Layout & Holiday Celebration).

All-Day Paper-Crafting Fundraiser to support Operation Christmas on Saturday, October 7 from 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p. m.

Admission to this event is a new unwrapped gift suitable for a boy or girl (ages 11-16) to support Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 154 Operation Christmas. Reserve your spot for this all day crafting event. To participate, please call 586-469-6200 and ask for Cathy to reserve your table today.

RED CROSS



BLOOD DRIVE

Mount Clemens Public Library will sponsor an American Red Cross Blood Drive on **Tuesday, September 26** from **12:00 noon. to 6:00 p.m.**

Be someone's hero and help save a life with just one donation.

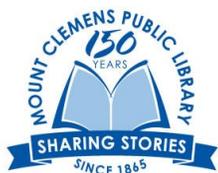
Résumé

Workshops

**October 18
November 15
December 20**

(7 p.m. - 9 p.m.)

Our librarians will assist you in writing a new résumé or retooling an existing one. Seats are limited. Please register by calling 586-469-6200.



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Sneak Previews - Fall 2017

Here's a look at what's coming from your favorite authors this fall. Registered library card holders may call the library at (586) 469-6200 to place holds on these forthcoming titles. When you place your hold in advance, you help your librarians decide how many copies of a popular title will be needed to meet demand. Registered library card holders may also place their own holds by visiting our online library catalog at www.mtclib.org. (You will need your library card number and PIN to use this feature).

Baldacci, David. *End Game*. (November). Will Robie and Jessica Reel are the agents the government calls to take out those who plot violence and mass destruction against our nation. Through every mission one man has always had their backs: their handler, code named Blue Man. But now Blue Man is missing.

Brown, Dan. *Origin*. (October). Harvard Professor Robert Langdon is on another hunt, this time trying to find clues to uncover the discovery by a former student which will answer two of the fundamental questions of human existence.

Child, Lee. *The Midnight Line: A Jack Reacher Novel*. (November). While in a small Wisconsin town, Jack Reacher notices a West Point 2005 class ring in a pawn shop window. He decides to track down the owner to return the ring; adventure and danger with a criminal enterprise ensue.

Connelly, Michael. *Two Kinds of Truth*. (October). Harry Bosch is back working cold cases for the San Fernando Police Dept. on a volunteer basis. An old case from Bosch's LAPD days comes back to haunt him when a long-imprisoned killer claims Harry framed him and seems to have evidence to prove it.

Evanovich, Janet. *Hardcore twenty-Four: A Stephanie Plum Novel*. (November). The next adventure in the Stephanie Plum series involves headless bodies, the return of Diesel, Grandma Mazur's latest online paramour, and a boa constrictor.

Evans, Richard Paul. *The Noel Diary*. (November). A new, heartwarming book from Richard Paul Evans arrives just in time for the holidays.

Follett, Ken. *A Column of Fire*. (September). The third novel in the Kingsbridge Series following *The Pillars of the Earth* and *World Without End*. The saga continues in 1558, charting the star-crossed romance between Ned Willard and Margery Fitzgerald while Europe turns against England when Elizabeth Tudor becomes queen.

Griffin, WEB. *Death at Nuremberg*. (December). Special Agent James Cronley is assigned to protect the U.S. chief prosecutor in the Nuremberg trials from a rumored Soviet KGB kidnapping, and to hunt down and dismantle Odessa, an organization dedicated to helping Nazi war criminals escape to South America.

Harris, Charlaire. *Sleep Like a Baby: An Aurora Teagarden Mystery*. (September). In this new installment in the Aurora Teagarden mystery series, Roe has a lot to contend with: a new baby, a missing mother and a dead body outside...

King, Stephen and King, Owen. *Sleeping Beauties*. (September). In this father-and-son collaboration, the authors tell a chilling story that considers what might happen if women disappeared from the world of men.

Monroe, Mary. *The Devil You Know*. (October). The third installment of the Lonely Heart, Deadly Heart Series.

Patterson, James. *The People vs. Alex Cross*. (November). Alex Cross finds himself charged with gunning down followers of his nemesis Gary Sonej in cold blood. Cross is being used as a poster child for trigger-happy cops who think they are above the law. Cross knows it was self defense, but will a jury?

Robb, J.D. *Secrets in Death*. (September). The next installment of the *In Death* series features Lt. Eve Dallas in another murder investigation.

Sandford, John. *Deep Freeze*. (October). Virgil Flowers is called to investigate a murder in Tripton, Minnesota which might be connected to an upcoming 20-year class reunion.