

Youth Services Programming

MARCH 2026

#These Programs

Require Registration

To register, please arrive 15 minutes before the program starts and sign in at the Children's Room desk.



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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
CLOSED	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.	9:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.	9:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.
1	2 #Teen Volunteer Hours 4-6:00 p.m.	3 Preschool Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	4 Everything March Bingo 6-7:00 p.m.	5 Art Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m. #CD Scratch Art 5:00 p.m.	6	7 Family Board Game Saturday
8	9	10 Preschool Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m. #Kaleido-Scope it Out 5:00 p.m.	11	12 Milestones Matter 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m. Pony Bead Party 5-6:00 p.m.	13	14 Family Board Game Saturday
15	16	17 Preschool Storytime 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m. #Altoid Tin Wallets 6:00 pm	18	19 Milestones Matter 10:30 a.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	20 The Very Hungry Caterpillar Day All Day	21 Family Board Game Saturday
22	23 COMHPS 4:00 p.m.	24 Preschool Storytime 10:30 a.m. #No-Sew Sock Bunnies 4:00 p.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	25 Waffle Day Celebration 6-7:00 p.m.	26 #Teen Volunteer Hours 4-6:00 p.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.	27	28 Family Board Game Saturday
29	30 Teen Takeover 5-6:00 p.m.	31 Preschool Storytime 10:30 a.m. Real People, Real Stories 4-5:00 p.m. Snack! 4-5:00 p.m.				



MAR 4 WED 6-7:00 PM

EVERYTHING MARCH BINGO

For ages 8-16. Celebrate all about March Bingo. From Leprechauns, rainbows, and gold to Johnny Appleseed Day. It's all about March!



MAR 5 THURS 5:00 PM

CD SCRATCH ART

For ages 5-12. Create your own unique design on a CD using a toothpick! CD's will be provided.



#10 spots available. Registration required.

MAR 10 TUES 5:00 PM

KALEIDO-SCOPE IT OUT!

For ages 7-12. Looking for a colorful way to spend your afternoon? Join us for twisting, turning, and creating vibrant patterns that are truly eye-opening.



#10 spots available. Registration required.

MAR 12 THURS 5-6:00 PM

PONY BEAD PARTY

For ages 5-17. Stop in and use pony beads to make all sorts of creations! Craft some bracelets, necklaces, keychains, or even pony bead axolotls and lizards!



MAR 17 TUES 6:00 P.M.

ALTOID TIN WALLETS

Ages 10-17. Redecorate mint tins to create wallets for trinkets and everyday items!



#6 spots available. Registration required.

MAR 24 TUES 4:00 PM

NO-SEW SOCK BUNNIES

Ages 8-17. Hop over to the library and put together a sweet sock bunny.



#10 spots available. Registration required.

MAR 25 WED 6-7:00 PM

WAFFLE DAY CELEBRATION

For ages 7-17. Celebrate International Waffle Day and enjoy some history, a craft, as well as a waffle creation station.



The YA Chapter

MAR 30 MON 5-6:00 PM

TEEN TAKEOVER

For ages 13-17. Take over the library basement for an hour of snacks, crafts, and games. Featuring duck decorating.




CREATION STATION

ALL MONTH LONG
Create your own dazzling night-sky constellation.



CREATIVE CRAFTS WITH COMHPS

MONDAY, MAR 23 - 4:00 P.M.
Join COMHPS (COMMunity Health Promotion and Support) for some fun crafts to support mental health. All Ages.



TEEN VOLUNTEER HOURS

MONDAY, MAR 2 - 4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
THURSDAY, MAR 26 - 4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Need community service hours? Sign up for our teen volunteer hours! Help the staff prep for programs, organize books, and other tasks in Youth Services. Please register online to guarantee a spot. Ages 13-17



MAR 20 FRI ALL DAY

THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR DAY

All ages. Celebrate Eric Carle's classic book, The Very Hungry Caterpillar! Make a caterpillar paper chain, go on a scavenger hunt, and put together an extra large puzzle.



Storytime

TUES 10:30 AM

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

For ages 2-6. Visit us on Tuesday mornings for stories, songs, fingerplays and crafts.



#25 spots available. Please register.

MAR 5 THURS 10:30 AM

ART STORYTIME

For ages 3-6. Join us at Munson for a storytime filled with art!

MUNSON
310 Genesee Street, Utica, NY



MAR 12 & 19 THURS 10:30 AM

MILESTONES MATTER

For ages 5 and under. Enjoy stories and songs to get you moving. We will be joined by special instruction teachers to help us wiggle! This storytime is brought to us by the Oneida County Special Children's Services.



MAR 31 TUES 4:00 PM

REAL PEOPLE, REAL STORIES

For ages 4-8. Learn how the Switzer Brothers developed pigment that made the world a brighter place, then create your own illuminating works of art!

