



Note from the Director, Garrett Hungerford

Dear Library Community,

We're thrilled to announce the completion of our exciting renovation project! We embarked on this journey in September 2023 with the goal of better serving our community. Your patience and support have been invaluable, and we're so excited to finally share the results!

This renovation was undertaken with YOU in mind. We've created interactive spaces for kids to explore, expanded our study rooms for dedicated learning, and designed an amazing new teen space. Whether you're seeking a quiet environment, a collaborative study zone, or a space for children's imaginations to run wild, the library has something for everyone.

As a happy coincidence, our renovation coincides with the 20th anniversary of the library building on 6 Mile! It's a testament to the vital role libraries play in inspiring ideas, enriching lives, and creating community for two decades. This renovation marks a new chapter in our ability to serve you even better.

We extend a warm invitation to you to visit our newly refreshed space! Come explore the exciting new features, rediscover the joy of learning, and celebrate this milestone with us.



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Fall into Fun: Library Events for All Ages!

We are so excited to welcome everyone into your refreshed space! Inside you'll find more information on:

- Completed Renovation
- Events and Programs
- Library Services
- Digital Collection

SEPTEMBER - NOVEMBER 2024
LOOK INSIDE FOR FREE EVENTS!



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HOURS

Building Hours

Mon-Thur: 10:00 AM-8:30 PM
Fri-Sat: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM
Sun: 12:00 PM-5:00 PM

Service Window Hours

Mon-Thur: 10:00 AM-7:30 PM
Fri-Sat: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
Sun: 12:00 PM-5:00 PM

Drive-Up Book Return

Open 24/7

*The drive-thru service window and book return are located off of Garfield Rd.

SUPPORT THE LIBRARY

Annual Donor Appeal

Make checks payable to Redford Township District Library or donate via credit card on our website at rtdl.org/support

Amount: _____

Name: _____

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MAIL TO:

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YOUTH EVENTS

Register for events at rtdl.org/events

TEEN EVENTS

Register for events at rtdl.org/events

SERVICES

Storytimes

Pajama Storytime

Monday Evenings (9/9-10/7) at 7:00 PM

Sing, read, dance, and play with friends at our [all ages](#) pajama storytime.

Morning Storytime

Wednesday Mornings (9/11-10/9) at 11:00 AM

Join us for an hour of story, play, and fun. [All ages](#) welcome.

Sensory Storytime

Tuesday, September 24, October 22, and November 19 at 6:00 PM

Looking for a storytime that embraces all learners? Join us for a fun, inclusive experience with sensory elements for children who may need extra support. Limited spots available, register required. [All ages](#) welcome.



Clubs

Pokémon Club

Wednesday, September 8, October 23, and November 6 at 4:00 PM

Battle, trade, or chat about your favorite Pokémon with us! [All ages](#) welcome.

After School Art Club

Wednesday, September 11, October 16, and Friday, November 22 at 4:00 PM

Join us for an art project, where we'll learn about a new artistic medium. [All ages](#) welcome.

Hands on Art History

Wednesday, October 9, November 13, and December 11 at 5:00 PM

Dress for art and recreate famous artworks with us! Hands-on Art History for ages 9 and up.

STEM Club

Monday, October 21, and Thursday, November 7 at 4:00 PM

Explore the wonders of science, technology, engineering, and math! [Ages 6-12.](#)

Tutor Open House

Wednesday, September 25 at 7:00 PM

Need a tutor? Free meet & greet! Find local tutors at the library & discuss rates. No registration needed for attendees. Registration is for tutors only, participants looking for tutors may drop in!



Wildlife In Your Backyard

Saturday, September 28 at 11:00 AM

Meet some amazing Wildlife Ambassadors from Howell Nature Center. [All ages](#), registration required.

The Wild Robot Screening at Riviera Cinema

Tuesday, October 1 at 6:30 PM

Join us at [The Riviera Cinema](#) for a private screening of The Wild Robot, based on the beloved novel by Peter Brown! Movie tickets are included in registraton, registration required.

Kids' Spooky Soiree

Monday, October 28 at 7:00 PM

An evening of wicked fun awaits! Wear your favorite costume and join us for spine-tingling stories, a chilling craft, and a monstrous feast. [All ages](#) welcome, no registration required.



AniManga Club

Second Tuesday of Every Month at 5:00 PM

Calling anime & manga fans! Join our drop-in AniManga Club for discussions, drawing, & Japanese snacks!

Storyteller Game Night

Last Wednesday of Every Month at 4:30 PM

Join our monthly Storyteller Game Night. Play quick, fun role-playing games in a single session.

Cosplay Workshop

Saturday, September 21 at 1:00 PM

Enjoy tips and tricks for creating cosplays and make your very own magic device to keep.

Spooky Craft

Saturday, October 19 at 1:00 PM

Unleash your inner mad scientist! Create creepy crafts and twisted transformations at our spooky craft day. Registration required.

ADULT EVENTS

More events can be found at rtdl.org/events

Book Clubs

 **Redford Recreational Readers**
Every Second Tuesday at 7:00 PM

 **Future Reads Book Group**
Every Third Thursday at 6:30 PM

Join one of our monthly adult book discussion groups. Each group meets monthly. Please visit our events page at rtdl.org/events to see the selected next book page. No registration required.

Craft Days

Wednesday, September 4, October 2, and November 6 at 7:00 PM OR
Thursday, September 5, October 3, and November 7 at 10:30 AM

Learn a new craft & create something amazing! Join our monthly session. Registration required.



Movie Nights

Last Wednesday of Every Month at 6:00 PM

We're bringing back movie nights, and to kick things off, we're showing the classic action-comedy The Fall Guy on Wednesday, September 25th. Registration required.

Classic Movie Matinee

Third Thursday of Every Month at 2:00 PM

Step back in time for a classic. To start our classic movie matinee series, join us for a screening of the legendary film noir, "Double Indemnity" (1944), on September 19th. Popcorn and water provided! Registration required.



Senior Social Hour

Second Tuesday of Every Month at 2:00 PM

Join us for Senior Social Hour, a new monthly event starting September 10th. Enjoy activities, light bites, and friendly conversation in a welcoming atmosphere. Registration required.

eReader Lab

Monday, September 16 and November 18 at 6:00 PM

Discover how to access ebooks and audiobooks with our Libby and Hoopla workshop. Bring your device & questions. Registration required.



Seed Saving 101

Monday, October 7 at 6:30 PM

Save seeds, grow your garden! Seed farmer Bevin Cohen teaches you techniques to turn your harvest into next year's seeds. Learn about heirlooms, hybrids, and more! Registration required.

History of Horror Films

Tuesday, October 22 at 6:30 PM

Join film expert Greg Black in October for a History of Horror Movies program. A survey of horror films from 1896-present that explores popular trends and film techniques. Registration required.

Mocktail Mixology

Wednesday, October 23 at 6:30 PM

Sweater weather sips! Unleash your inner mixologist! Discover how to make refreshing, seasonal mocktails. Registration required.



NEW Introducing Library SMS

Stay connected with us on the go! We're excited to announce a new SMS service to keep you updated on library events, services, and closures. Opt in to receive text messages by visiting rtdl.org/sms or by scanning the QR code.



Sign up for a Library Card

Unlock a world of possibilities with a FREE library card! Redford residents, students, teachers, and businesses can enjoy free access to our amazing library resources. Getting started is easy - apply online at rtdl.org/signup or in person.

Celebrate **Library Card Sign-Up Month** in September! Register for a new card during the month and you'll be entered to win a prize. Learn more at rtdl.org.

Library of Things

Why buy when you can borrow? We offer a collection of things available for checking out. Ranging from giant yard games and musical instruments, to party tents and tools. Browse the collection at rtdl.org/libraryofthings.



Homebound Delivery

We offer a homebound delivery service for patrons who cannot come to the library, because of mobility, health, or disability barriers. To request this service, visit rtdl.org/homebound, or call the library at (313) 531-5960.

Friends of the Library Book Shop

The new Friends of the Library bookstore is open and conveniently located on the first floor. Browse a fantastic selection of gently-used books for a great price. The store is open during library business hours. Learn more at rtdl.org/friends.

DIGITAL COLLECTION

Unleash a world of free entertainment with RTDL! Dive into thousands of movies, ebooks, and audiobooks - all accessible from your computer or phone. Explore the vast collection at rtdl.org/digital or scan the QR code. Want to delve deeper into ebooks? Join our eReader Lab!

