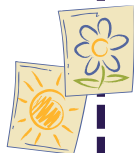




Youth Art Show Opening Reception

November 6 @ 5:00-6:30



Inviting all family, friends, and community members to view our Youth Art Show entries! Come browse the art on display in the library and see which piece won ribbons!

Light refreshments will be provided.



Spice Club is Back!

Sign up for the 2025 McCord Spice Club. Each month participants will receive a sample of that month's featured spice, along with a printed packet full of recipes and information featuring the spice.

To receive the next spice, register no later than November 26.

Spices will be ready the second week of each month.

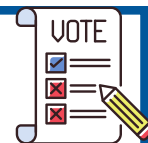
Fall Book Sale Update



Thank you to all who donated books and participated in our book sale. Our sale was a success, raising around **\$1,900** that help the library fund programs, new books, supplies, and other necessities for the library.

Election Day

Tuesday, November 4



McCord Library is a polling place for the Borough of North East. Polls are open from 7am-8pm. The business hours for McCord remain the same. Polls at McCord are located in the Multi-Purpose Area on the Lower Level. There is no story time on Election Day.

The Art of Tea Blending

December 13 @ 10:30



Join us for this hands-on workshop where you'll learn the basics of tea blends. Each participant will craft their own blend. A brief sampling will take place at the end of the workshop.

Each participant will make and take home a custom tea blend. (Ages 17+)

Cost: \$5.00 | Pre-Registration Opens Nov. 17

Holiday Hours



Wednesday, Nov 26- Close at 4:00

Thursday, Nov 27- Closed

LIBRARY HOURS MONDAY—THURSDAY

9:30 - 7:00

CLOSED FRIDAY

SATURDAY 9:00 - 4:00



Story Time Puppet Show with Craft

November 1 @ 11:00 - 12:00

All Ages

Join us for story time with Amber and her puppet Maisie. Stay afterwards for play and crafts.

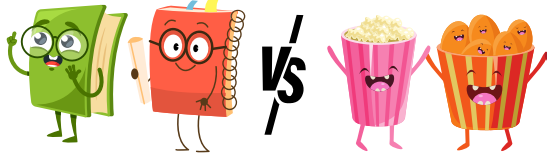
Programs for all ages that you won't want to miss!!

NEW

Read and Create **Wednesdays at 4:00** *Grades K-5*

Join us after school from 4-4:30 each Wednesday for an interactive program for kids in grades K-5! We'll enjoy a read-aloud followed by themed activities, games, or crafts based on the book.

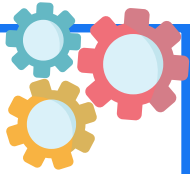
The first meeting of each month features a "Book vs. Movie" showdown where we read a book, watch a short clip, and play a game to test your knowledge! This month will be "Where the Wild Things Are" (No need to have watched the movie.)



STEAM Club **Mondays at 4:00**

Ages 6+

Join us every first Monday of the month for STEAM Club. We will have activities available such as Beebots, Marble Runs, Legos, and more!



Teen "Crafternoon"

Saturday, Nov. 1 @ 1:00

Thurs. Nov 16 @ 3:30

Join us at one of our two sessions and learn how to make your own Pumpkin Houses!



GRAPHIC NOVEL CLUB



Tuesday, November 11 @ 4:00
Grades 5-8

Do you know what makes a book a graphic novel? Calling all middle grade students to join us each month to learn more about what details make up a graphic novel, meet some new friends, and enjoy a fun activity!
Snacks provided!



Take and Make Kits **Pumpkin Houses**



Welcome to the new books list! These books may be placed on hold.

Adult Non-Fiction

- Ansfield, Bench: Born in flames: the business of arson and the remaking of the American city
- Applebaum, Anne: Autocracy, Inc.: the dictators who want to run the world
- Cozzens, Peter: Deadwood: gold, guns, and greed in the American West
- Gelles, David: Dirtbag billionaire: how Yvon Chouinard built Patagonia, made a fortune, and gave it all away
- Klein, Naomi: This changes everything: capitalism vs. the climate
- Leavitt, Danielle: By the second spring: seven lives and one year of the war in Ukraine
- Pember, Mary Annette: Medicine River: a story of survival and the legacy of Indian boarding schools
- Rabbit, Cat: Trinkets: felt friends to sew and love
- Shapiro, Laurie Gwen: The aviator and the showman: Amelia Earhart, George Putnam, and the marriage that made an American icon
- Starkey, Brando Simeo: Their accomplices wore robes: how the Supreme Court chained black America to the bottom of a racial caste system
- Tamimi, Sami: Boustany: a celebration of vegetables from my Palestine
- Twenge, Jean M.: 10 rules for raising kids in a high-tech world: how parents can stop smartphones, social media, and gaming from taking over their children's lives

Adult Fiction

- Barnes, S. A.: Cold eternity
- Carter, Ally: The blonde who came in from the cold
- Castillo, Elaine: Moderation
- Fay, Juliette: The Harvey Girls
- Grant, Mira: Overgrowth
- Harris, Nathan: Amity
- Krueger, William Kent: Apostle's cove
- Kurtzman, Sharon: The lost baker of Vienna
- McCoy, Sarah: Whatever happened to Lori Lovely?
- Miller, Rowenna: The palace of illusions
- Rao, Shobha: Indian country
- Schlessner, Thomas: Mona's eyes
- Serritella, Francesca Scottoline: Full bloom
- Silver, Marisa: At last
- Slaughter, Karin: We are all guilty here
- Steel, Danielle: For richer for poorer
- Terry, Pamela: Through an open window
- Wang, Kathy: The satisfaction café
- Wiggs, Susan: Wayward girls

Adult Fiction Large Print

- Cosby, S. A.: King of ashes
- Duncan, Emmeline: Chaos at the Lazy Bones Bookshop
- Duncan, Emmeline: Mayhem at a Halloween wedding
- Freeman, Dianne: A daughter's guide to mothers and murder
- Jimenez, Abby: Say you'll remember me
- Kuang, R. F.: Katabasis
- Murray, Kerk: Since the day we fell
- Roemer, Cynthia: Beyond shattered dreams

Non-Print

Books on CD

Burdick, Serena: A promise to Arlette
Curtis, Barbara A.: Angel from the East

Playaway

Auffenorde, Daco S.: The medici curse
Silva, Daniel: An inside job

DVD

Marlow murder club season 2



Children's

Blue Dot- Picture Books

- Cuevas, Mayra: My abuela is a bruja
- Lobel, Arnold: Frog and toad together
- Mickey Mouse 5-minute Christmas stories
- Sullivan, Annie: Ghoulilocks and the three ghosts
- Venit, Katie: Forts

Orange Dot - Earliest Chapter

- Ruths, Mitali Banerjee: Top secret anniversary

Red Dot- 3rd-5th grade

- Bussing, Kim: Cinderella and the Beast; Beauty and the glass slipper
- Bussing, Kim: Snow White and the dragon; Sleeping Beauty and the seven dwarfs

Graphic Novel

- Osborne, Mary Pope: Midnight on the moon

Yellow Dot - 6th & 7th grade

- Knudsen, Michelle: Into the wild magic
- Lewis, Elizabeth Foreman: Young Fu of the upper Yangtze
- Smith, Sherri L: Candace, the universe, and everything



New-Adult Fiction

- Zeller, Victoria: One of the boys

Graphic Novels

- Kot, Ales: Wolf. volume 1, blood and magic
- Remender, Rick: Low. vol. 2, before the dawn burns us
- Remender, Rick: Low. volume 1, the delirium of hope

Children's Non-Fiction

- Stamps, Caroline: Human body

Children's Non-Print Media

Blue Dot Book on CD

- Bianco, Margery Williams: The velveteen rabbit
- Bond, Michael: A bear called Paddington
- Milne, A. A.: Winnie-the-Pooh

Red Dot Book on CD

- Burnett, Frances Hodgson: The secret garden
- Travers, P. L.: Mary Poppins

To place a book on hold

Call (814)725-4057 to request the item
OR

1. Go to mccordlibrary.org
2. Click catalog
3. Log in to the catalog
4. Username is your library card barcode #
5. Password is last four digits of your phone #
6. Search for the book
7. Click Place request
8. Choose your pickup library
9. Click submit request



Young Adult

Non-Fiction

- C.B., Alden: A smart kid's guide to social media, surfing the web, and staying safe online

Fiction

- Kendall, Keala: How far I'll go: a twisted tale
- Niven, Jennifer: When we were monsters
- Reiss, Rachel: Out of air
- Shepherd, Megan: Hour of the pumpkin queen

Graphic Novels

- Sindu, SJ: Tall water



Dial-A-Story

New story every week!

November Stories:

11/02- Forts

11/09- Bear Has a Story to Tell

11/16- I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Pie

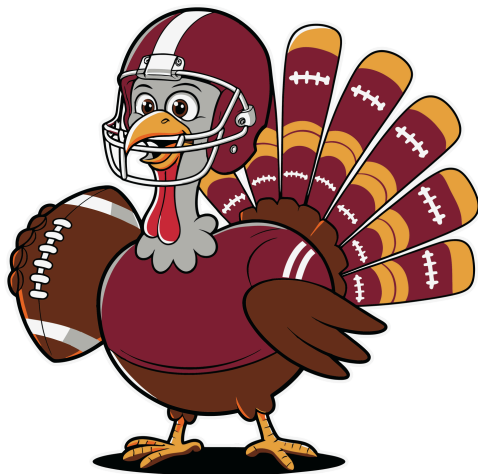
11/23- Thank You, Sarah

11/30- There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Spoon

What is Dial-A-Story?

Dial-a-Story is a library program that is available 24/7! Call 814-347-8318 to hear a story read to you. Stories are available in English and Spanish. English stories change weekly and the Spanish story changes monthly.

Call as many times as you want!



1000 Books Before Kindergarten

Ask for a bag and registration form at the main desk.

For each 100 books you read, receive a sticker and move your name along the tracker wall located downstairs by the elevator. Receive a free book when you reach 1,000 books!

After every 100 books parents or guardians can take a picture by the milestone posters.



October Sudoku Answers

5	4	6	8	1	9	2	3	7
9	1	7	3	4	2	5	6	8
2	8	3	5	6	7	9	1	4
7	3	5	1	9	8	4	2	6
4	2	9	6	7	3	8	5	1
1	6	8	2	5	4	7	9	3
3	9	2	7	8	1	6	4	5
6	7	4	9	3	5	1	8	2
8	5	1	4	2	6	3	7	9

Memorials

September/October Books purchased from donations
in memory of:

Irene M. McCullough

By:
Tony and Kelly Montefiori

Rabbit, Cat: Trinkets

Memorials, Endowments, and Tributes honor family members and friends
**If your employer makes matching donations, be sure to note that on the
form.**

Memorial brochures are available at the library or by calling: (814) 725-4057.

Book Club in a Bag

Want to start a book club? Have a book club but can't find a book to read?

Then check out one of our Book Club in a Bag!

Each bag includes 10 copies of a title, perfect for book clubs.

The waiting list for these kits is long, so reserve a book early.

Some available books include:

Addario, Lynsey: It's what I do: a photographer's life of love
and war

Atwood, Margaret: The handmaid's tale

Davis, Fiona: The lions of Fifth Avenue

Hoang, Helen: The kiss quotient

Kingsolver, Barbara: The poisonwood Bible

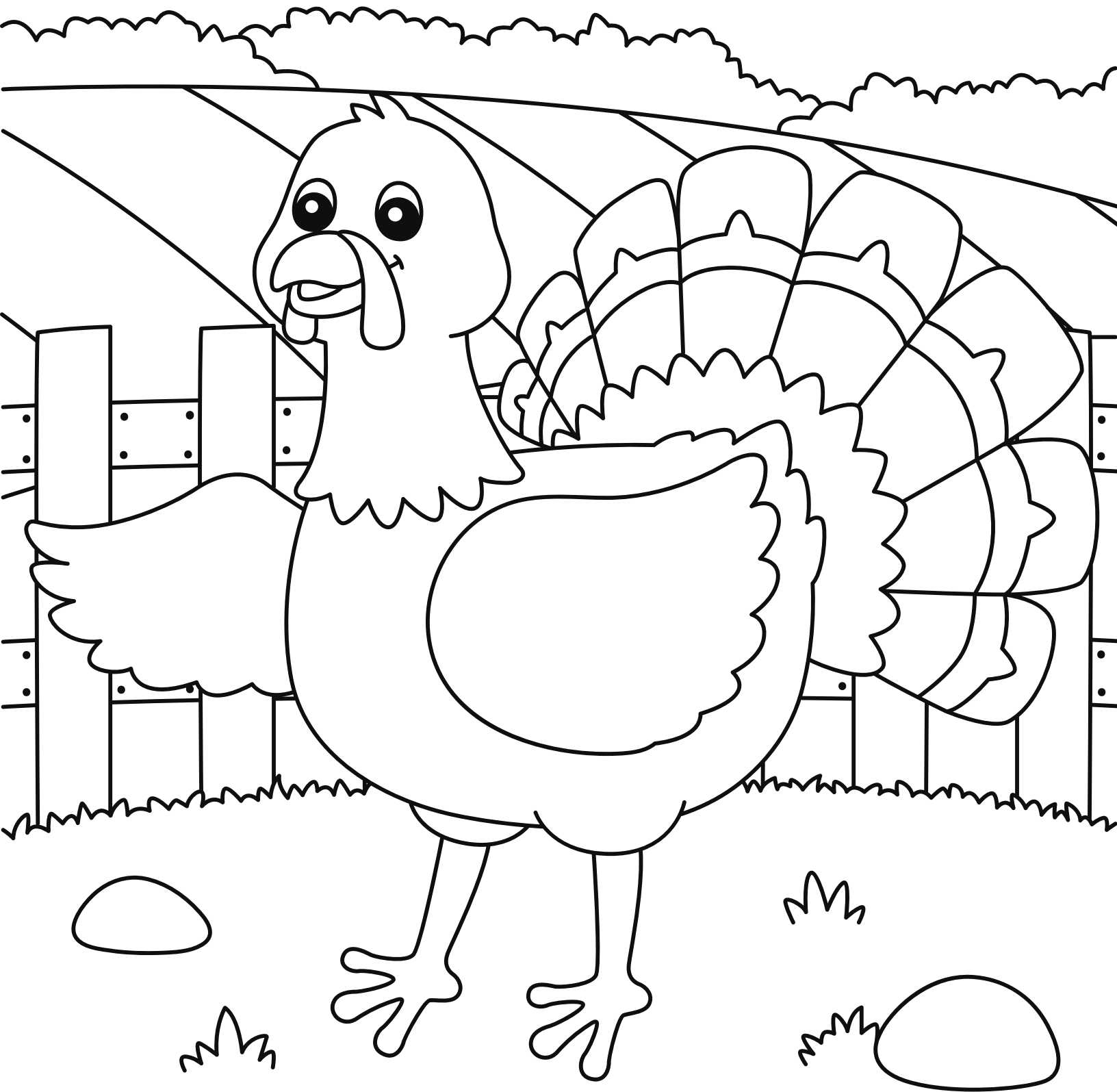
Klune, TJ: The house in the cerulean sea

Osman, Richard: The Thursday murder club





Ward, Catriona: The last house on Needless Street



More titles can be found on our website: mccordlibrary.org!



NOVEMBER 2025 EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	STEAM Club: 4:00-4:30	Preschool: 11:00-11:30	Preschool: 11:00-11:30 Read & Create: 4:00-4:30	Toddler: 11:00-11:30		
Story time: Includes a story & activity or craft. Free to attend, no preregistration required. Adult <u>must</u> stay with child						 11:00 All Ages Story Time Puppet Show 1:00 Teen Crafternoon
2	3 4:00 STEAM Club Ages 6+	4 No Story Time Election Day 7:00am-8:00pm 	5 11:00 Leaves 4:00 Read and Create <i>Book vs Movie</i> <i>Where the Wild Things Are</i> FOL: 3:00	6 11:00 Farm Animals 5:00-6:30 Youth Art Show Opening Reception	7 CLOSED	8
9	10 4:00 STEAM Club Ages 6+ Spice Club pick-up	11 11:00 Fall Leaves 4:00 Graphic Novel Club	12 11:00 I am Thankful 4:00 Read and Create <i>Time For Cranberries</i> Activity	13 11:00 Colors 3:30 Teen "Crafternoon" Pumpkin Houses	14 CLOSED	15
16	17 4:00 STEAM Club Ages 6+	18 11:00 Beaded Bracelets	19 11:00 Turkeys 4:00 Read and Create <i>Thank You, Sarah</i> Activity	20 11:00 Turkeys	21 CLOSED	22
23	24 4:00 STEAM Club Ages 6+	25 11:00 All Ages Free Paint	26 Close @ 4:00 11:00 Beaded Necklaces NO Read and Create	27 CLOSED 	28 CLOSED	29
30						