Grandview Heights Public Library

programs & services

September – November 2022

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Your Library Card

Materials & Loan Periods

"Hot Picks" Books	7 days
Magazines	7 days
DVDs/Blu-rays	7 days
Video Games	7 days
Books (excluding "Hot Picks")	21 days
Audiobooks	21 days
Audiobooks Nontraditional Items	21 days 21 days

Maximum Items Checked Out

Patrons in good standing (owing less than \$10) may have a maximum of 100 physical items checked out at a time. This includes 20 movies, 40 CDs, 5 video games, 5 vinyl records, 2 board games. New patrons may have a maximum of 10 physical items at a time for the first 30 days. (Maximums from digital collections, nontraditional items, and SearchOhio and OhioLINK items vary.)

Cards for Children 17 & Under

Parents are responsible for their children's library cards. Only legal guardians/custodians are allowed access to a child's card. A parent or guardian may ask (in-person only) to have grandparents, siblings, child care providers, step-parents, etc. added to a child's account.

Past Due Accounts

Past due accounts owing \$25 or more may be sent to a collection agency. ▶ There are no daily incremental fines for overdue items borrowed at GHPL, except for items borrowed from statewide network OhioLINK.

▶ The library blocks patron accounts that have \$10 on their account, and/or an item that is 21 days overdue, and/or 10 overdue items.

Items 35 days overdue are marked lost, and a bill for the replacement cost and processing fee is mailed.

• The library does not offer refunds for lost items that have been paid for and then returned later.

Lost, Stolen, or Missing Items & Cards

Patrons are responsible for all materials checked out on their card including lost and damaged items. Please report lost cards/items immediately.

Adding Users to Your Account

A patron's library record is confidential. Patrons may ask at a service desk (in-person only) to have specified users added to their accounts.

Access GHPL Online

Access your account at ghpl.org to place reserves, choose your pickup location, renew materials, save searches, and create lists. Also, reserve a meeting room, download or stream digital media, learn about library events/news, donate to the library, and access information and resources.

Renewing Items

Most items automatically renew when due, up to the maximum number of renewals, unless requested by other patrons.



Library Services appl.org/services

Automatic Holds

Automatic Renewal (on most items)

BookPage Newsletter

Copier

Culture Pass

Device Advice

Digital Library

Drive-Thru Pickup

E-Newsletter

Family Restroom

FAX/Scanner

Free Online Courses

GHPL Mobile App

GHPL PopUp Library

GHPL StoryWalks

Golden Buckeye Card Applications

History Walks App

Homebound Delivery

Meeting Rooms

Memory Building Kits

Mobile Printing (use your device to send print jobs from anywhere)

Nursing Room

Notary (by appointment)

Public Computers (Internet/Microsoft Office/Adobe Reader, Acrobat) **Reference Services**

School Outreach

Staff Book Recommendations

Study Cubicles

Tax Forms (seasonal & limited)

Technology Tutoring (by appointment)

Used Books Donation Box (outdoors)

Voter Registration

Wheeled Walker (mobility aid for in-library use)

WiFi (library property and at Grandview Heights Parks/Pool)

Memory Building Kits

Do you know or live with someone who has Alzheimer's disease, dementia, or memory loss? Memory Building Kits help spark conversation, fond memories, and relaxing activities among multiple generations and family members. Each kit contains items and interactive activities that focus on a theme or decade. Reserve a kit at ghpl.org/nontraditional or browse them on the second floor of the library.





Grandview Heights Public Library StoryWalks®



StoryWalks at both C. Ray Buck Park (1280 Goodale Blvd.) and Wyman Woods Park (1520 Goodale Blvd.) are a fun way to enjoy a story or activity with the whole family outdoors in our community's beautiful parks. ghpl.org/storywalks.



Free WiFi in Grandview Heights Parks

SUPPORTING INITIATIVES

- Provides greater access to the library's digital collections at ghpl.org/ebooks.
- Promotes library, parks and recreation, and city events.
- Provides outside working space for individuals and businesses.
- Supports Grandview Heights Schools' 1:1 Computing program.
- Provides emergency communication network for first responders.



History Walks

Take self-guided walking tours featuring fascinating local legends, inspiring structures, and notable people. Download the free app from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store. Presented with the Grandview Heights/Marble Cliff Historical Society.



The Society's **Tour of Homes** is Sunday, October 2. Learn more at ghmchs.org. Check out past home tours on the app.

Libby

Access thousands of e-books, e-audiobooks, graphic novels, picture books for kids, and more with Libby! This free app is an easy way to access our Digital Downloads collection, also available at ghpl.org/ebooks. Libby is available for Android, iOS, some Chromebooks, and on your browser at libbyapp.com.

GHPL App

Download the free Grandview Heights Public Library app, available from the Apple App Store and Google Play Store. Search the catalog, request and renew items, access digital resources, see upcoming library events, and check out items from your phone.



Nontraditional Lending Reserve these items with your GHPL card



- Acoustic guitars
- Binoculars
- Blu-ray player (region-free)
- Board games
- Bocce game
- Book baskets
- Bullhorn
- CD player
- Croquet
- Dominoes
- Driver training cones
- Early Learning Backpacks

- Electricity usage monitor
- Infrared thermometer
- Knitting needles
- LED projector
- Mahjong
- Metal detector
- Microphones (Blue Yeti)
- Microscope/prepared biology slides
- Portable Bluetooth record player

- Rune stones
- Super 8, slides & negatives scanner
- Tarot cards
- Telescope
- Ukuleles
- Umbrellas
- Vinyl records
- VR Headsets for Immersive Reality Books
- Yarn winder and swift





Teacher Collections

Teachers may contact Youth Services to have collections of books gathered for school use. Learn more at ghpl.org/services.

Library Visits

Teachers may bring their classes to the library for tours, research, assignments, and projects. Please reserve a date and time in advance with staff to alleviate any space or resource conflicts.

Outreach to Schools

The Youth Services staff provides outreach services, including book talks and instruction on the library's digital resources, book deliveries, story times, and GHPL PopUp Library visits to many local day care locations, schools, and summer programs.

Ellison Die Cutter

A paper cutting machine is available to the public for in-library use. Choose from 50+ letters and designs. Please bring your own paper.

HelpNow

Live homework help from online tutors

Get live assistance Monday-Friday 2-11 pm and 24/7 access to learning resources, including: writing labs, paper reviews, SAT practice tests, and group study. For students K-12 and adult learners.



Ancestry Library Edition

Genealogy

Access billions of historical and genealogical records. Available in-library only, including through our WiFi.

Chilton Library

Detailed Vehicle Repair

Most models from 1940-present, including step-by-step repair instructions. Browse or search by specific make, model, and year.

The Columbus Dispatch Collection

Online Newspaper

Current and archived issues of *The Columbus Dispatch* (1985-present), with full-color newspaper pages, individual articles, and online-only content.

Consumer Reports

Through EBSCOhost Research Databases

Nonprofit organization dedicated to product testing, consumer research, and education.

Creativebug

Crafting 1000+ video classes in painting, knitting, crafting, sewing, and more.

Gale Courses

Educational Courses

Instructor-led courses in computer applications, web design, accounting, personal development, and much more.

JobNow

Job assistance from live, online coaches

Get help with your resume, cover letters, job interview preparation, and more. Plus, find career resources, job hunting assistance, and test preparation resources online 24/7.

LinkedIn Learning

Educational Courses

Instructor-led courses and video tutorials in computer applications, web design, accounting, and more.

Local History

Explore Grandview Heights/Marble Cliff Historical Society collections, History Walks, GHHS Yearbooks, *Columbus Citizen-Journal* photo archives, and more.

Mango Languages

Languages

Quick and easy online lessons – Spanish, French, Italian, ESL, and more. Free mobile app.

New York Times Digital Access

Online Newspaper

Unlimited access to articles from The New York Times with your GHPL card.

Northstar Digital Literacy

Technology Skills

Learn basic computer, software, and technology skills for daily life, employment, and higher education.

NoveList Plus

Readers' Advisory

200K+ fiction and nonfiction authors and titles with read-alike suggestions for all ages.

Online Job & Test Resources

LearningExpressLibrary through OhioMeansJobs

Standardized practice tests (SAT, ACT, GMAT), job & resume help, computer skills tutorials, professional careers (nursing, real estate, etc), and more. For elementary school through college.

Washington Post Digital Access

Online Newspaper

Unlimited access to The Washington Post online with your GHPL card.





E-Books & Digital Media ghpl.org/ebooks

Digital Downloads

Digital Downloads

E-Books, E-Audiobooks, Online Magazines Thousands of titles available. Get Libby, the free mobile app, or visit libbyapp.com.



Kanopy

Movies

Stream 30,000 classic, indie, and documentary films with your GHPL card. Titles are always available - no waiting lists! Free mobile apps, including for your TV.



Hoopla

Movies, TV, Music, E-Audiobooks, E-Books, Comic Books Instantly access thousands of movies, TV shows, e-books, comic books, and audiobooks. Free mobile apps, including for your TV.



Freegal

Music

Download free, legal MP3s (to keep!) from Sony Music's collection of 5 million songs. Five downloads each week. Free mobile app.



Classic Reads

E-Books

300+ classic novels with no waiting. Available through the GHPL Mobile App.



Scholastic Teachables

Teacher Resources

Printable lesson plans, skill sheets, reading passages, and more for all subjects and all grades.



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Farm Animal Visit

Thursday, September 1, 7 pm

(Rescheduled from May 3)

Visit with chickens, ducks, turkeys, and rabbits on the library lawn! "Bring the Farm to You" lets you see, touch, and learn about your favorite farm animals. For all ages. No registration required.





Flights with Friends: Barrel & Taps Wednesday, September 21, 7-8:30 pm

Enjoy delicious samples and the latest library releases at socials around Grandview Heights! Hosted by the GHPL Foundation. For ages 21 & up. ghpl.org/flights.





Fentanyl Risks: Empowering Youth

Tuesday, September 27, 6:30 pm

After losing her beloved son last year from fentanyl poisoning, Beth Weinstock, M.D. founded BirdieLight. Join Start Talking Grandview and Dr. Weinstock for this school-year kickoff event for parents and caregivers to learn the dangers of unintentional fentanyl ingestion along with tools to help detect the presence of fentanyl to prevent death or harm by fentanyl poisoning.



American Red Cross Blood Drive

Wednesday, September 28, 12:30-6:30 pm Give blood at the library. Call 1-800-RED-CROSS or sign up at redcrossblood.org to schedule an appointment. Walk-ins will be accepted only if all appointment slots have not been filled.

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Hispanic Milestones in Comics

Thursday, September 29, 7 pm

Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month! Explore the impact and influence of Hispanic characters and creators in comic books with GHPL staff member Lloyd and artist/graphic designer Juan Lara.



Common MOSSES, LIVERWORTS, and LICHENS of Ohio

a visual guide Robert Klips

Botany in Miniature: The Fascinating World of Mosses and Lichens

Tuesday, October 4, 7 pm Discover the intriguing mosses and lichens we encounter every day with OSU Associate Professor Emeritus Robert Klips, author of *Common Mosses, Liverworts, and Lichens of Ohio: A Visual Guide.*



8th Annual Grandview Chocolate Walk

Thursday, October 6, 6-8 pm

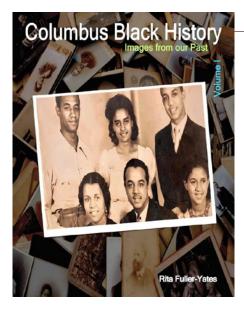
Enjoy a walking tour of Grandview Heights with unique chocolate stops at participating businesses to benefit the GHPL Foundation's Endowment Fund. A limited number of \$25 tickets will be available. Visit ghpl.org/foundation for more information.

Us vs. Them: Lessons from the Animal Kingdom

Thursday, October 13, 7 pm

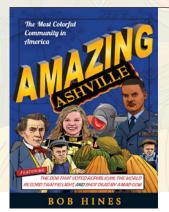
Did you know that elephants can detect ethnicity, zebrafish larvae can tell kin from non-kin, and naked mole rats form local dialects and violently expel "speakers" of other dialects? Explore the root causes of bias against outgroups across the animal world that help us understand social conflict in human societies with Dr. Zeynep Benderlioglu from OSU's Department of Evolution, Ecology, and Organismal Biology.





Columbus Black History Thursday, October 27, 7 pm Author Rita Fuller-Yates shares stories and photos of 200 years of Black life in Columbus from her book *Columbus Black History: Images From Our Past, Volume I.*





Amazing Ashville

Tuesday, November 1, 7 pm

Humorist and author Bob Hines explains why a dog voted Republican, a rooster paid for its own meals, a turtle collected coins, and visitors were confused by an unusual traffic light. Hear these and countless other true and mysterious tales from Ashville, Ohio, located just half an hour south of Columbus.



Screenwriting: The Nuts & Bolts Thursday, November 3, 6:30-8:30 pm

Learn how to write a smart, tight screenplay and get advice on what to do with it after it's finished. Writer, producer, and GHPL staff member Deb Havener will lead you through the steps for this evening of creativity and inspiration.

GHPL Crafts for a Cause

Monthly beginning November

Work sessions: First Sundays, 1-2:30 pm

Create amazing handmade gifts for local, national, and international charities! We feature a different craft and organization each month. Craft at home using our instructions or bring your own supplies and join GHPL staff member Wendy for the first Sunday work session. Bring your completed crafts to the library in a clean plastic bag by the end of each month. ghpl.org/craftsforacause.



The Art of Paper Folding Thursday, November 17, 7 pm

Create simple, beautiful objects by folding paper with Monica Salisbury from Ohio Paper Folders. Class minimum: 5; maximum: 15. No fee. Registration required at ghpl.org/events beginning November 3.

Take & Make Craft Kits for Adults

Monthly

Pick up a craft kit inspired by our Creativebug database. Available while supplies last. Visit ghpl.org/ craft to access Creativebug, find booklists, and more.

September: Book Cover October: Bullet Journaling November: Calligraphy Place Cards



Grandview Library Writers Group

Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month, 6:30-8:30 pm Note: 11/23 meeting will take place 11/30 due to Thanksgiving holiday. Share your work and workshop with other writers. Hosted by GHPL staff members Chris and R.C.



Discover New Voices

All ages | Monthly

Explore new and diverse perspectives with Lift Your Read staff recommendations! Visit ghpl.org/lift. September: Labor Day October: Emotional Wellness Month November: National Ohio Day

Share Your Book Reviews All ages

Start a community conversation with Project Postcard! Pick up a blank postcard from the library, write your book review, and return it to the library. Visit ghpl.org/postcard.

Food Drive

November 14-December 16

Drop your canned or non-perishable food items at the library for the Mid-Ohio Food Collective's food pantries. Most needed food items: chili with beans, canned fruit (in juice/light syrup), tuna, canned vegetables, canned meat, soup with vegetables, and peanut butter.

Film Festival

Political Cinema

Mondays, October 3-24 & November 7, 6 pm

Tired of partisan bickering and campaign ads but still want to get psyched for the upcoming election? Join us for these politicallythemed films that are as American as Election Day, hosted by GHPL staff member Chris.



10/03 *Mr. Smith Goes to Washington* (1939)

Frank Capra directs James Stewart and Jean Arthur in this story of an idealistic senator battling corruption.

10/10 State of the Union (1948)

A businessman's run for president impacts his professional and personal life. Starring Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn. Directed by Frank Capra.

10/17 The Last Hurrah (1958)

Spencer Tracy faces his last mayoral election in a New England town. Directed by John Ford.

10/24 The Best Man (1964)

What compromises would you make to get the presidential nomination? Starring Henry Fonda. Screenplay by Gore Vidal.

11/07 The Candidate (1972)

Robert Redford plays an outspoken senate candidate with nothing to lose.



Vote for your favorite classic movie from our list of candidates! The winning film

will be shown during a special screening in our next events season. Drop off your ballot during any of the Monday movies this fall.



NDOOR CONCERT SERIES



Imber Solis

Tuesday, September 6, 7 pm A soulful blend of pop and jazz with singer/songwriter Imber Solis and co-writer/keyboardist Scott Lee.

Kristin Gramza

Thursday, October 20, 7 pm A blend of pop melodies and rock & roll soul with singer/songwriter Kristin Gramza.





Tiffani Marie Thursday, November 10, 7 pm Covers and originals with singer/songwriter Tiffani Marie and keyboardist Tyler Eve.

Youth Events

2-5 years

Story Times

No Registration Required

Baby Games 0-18 months Thursdays, 10:15-10:45 am & 11:15-11:45 am September 8-November 17

Tales for Toddlers 18-36 months Tuesdays, 10:15-10:45 am & 11:15-11:45 am September 6-November 15

Family Story Time 2-5 years Mondays, 11-11:30 am September 12-November 14

Family Story Time: Evening Edition 2-5 years Wednesdavs, 6:30-7 pm September 7-November 16 Mondays, 2-2:30 pm September 12-November 14

Music & Movement



PopUp Library at Pierce Field

Thursdays, September & October, 3-4:30 pm

Stop by after school to check out some books and pick up an activity to take home, weather permitting.

Monday Mash-Ups

Grades 4 & up Mondays, August 22-November 28 (except 9/5 & 11/7), 3:15-4:15 pm Games, crafts, karaoke, yoga, movies - stop by and see what's going on!

Newport Aquarium Presents: The Science of Sharks

Kids of all ages Saturday, September 10, 2-3 pm

Sharks are awesome but tend to be misrepresented and misunderstood. The WAVE Foundation is working to change that by bringing live Coral Cat Sharks to the library so we can learn how to make a difference in shark conservation! Space is limited. Registration required at ghpl.org/events beginning August 20.

Dungeons & Dragons Club

Grades 6-12 Saturdays, 1-4 pm September 17, October 8 & 29, November 19 Learn how to play in the realms of fantasy in this classic role-playing game. No registration required.

Picasso Preschoolers

Ages 3-5 Wednesdays, 10:30-11:15 am September 21, October 19, November 16 Create a masterpiece to take home! Learn ab

Create a masterpiece to take home! Learn about the elements of art beginning with a short story time. Then, unleash your own artistic abilities to either mimic what you have learned or create your very own style of art. Dress for a mess. Space is limited. Registration required at ghpl.org/events two weeks prior to each date.



Local Heroes & Touch-a-Truck Day Kids of all ages

Wednesday, September 28, 7 pm Meet our local police, fire, and EMT heroes, and learn about the life-saving work they do every day! Explore a fire engine and see the inside of an ambulance and a police cruiser. Come early and join us for a community helper-themed story time at 6:30 pm!



Super Smash Bros. Gaming Tournament Grades 4 & up

Thursday, October 6, 3:15-4:30 pm

Battle your friends and earn the ultimate bragging rights! Space is limited. Registration required at ghpl.org/events beginning September 22.

Virtual ACT Crash Course

For high school students Friday, October 28, 4:30-8:15 pm

Are you taking the ACT soon? Dr. Srinath Sampath from PrepAccelerator is offering a free, rigorous, and fast-paced crash course that focuses on problemsolving for all 4 sections of the ACT. Registration required at tickettailor.com/ events/prepaccelerator/711545 beginning October 14.

Howlin' Halloween

Monday, October 31, 6-8 pm Make the library one of your Grandview Heights Beggars Night stops! Grandview Heights Parks & Recreation and the library team up again this year for Halloween.



Stuffed Animal Clinic Saturday, November 12, 10 am-noon Kids of all ages

Bring your favorite stuffed animal friend to Youth Services between 10 am-noon for a check-up with a real vet! Dr. Jill Bishop from CityPets 614 will be on hand to make sure your stuffed animal is in tip-top shape. No registration required.

GHHS Art Gallery at the Library

Stop by "The Basement" at the library any time to view original art by Grandview Heights High School students.

Early Literacy

Diversity

October is Dyslexia Awareness Month. One strategy to help children struggling with early signs of dyslexia is to use a ruler to help them read in a straight line. This can help them stay focused. Visit education.ohio.gov for more resources.

Book Exploration

Let children hold books and turn the pages. Ask them to predict what the next word might be in a sentence and name the objects in the illustrations. Talk about the character's actions. If they want to flip back to a previous page, no problem! There's no wrong way to explore a book.

Call and Response

When your baby is cooing and babbling, wait for them to finish and respond to them as you would if you were having a conversation with someone. This helps teach them how communication works.

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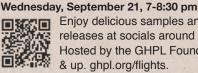
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Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 10 am-8:30 pm Friday: 10 am-6 pm Saturday: 10 am-5 pm Sunday: 1-5 pm

Library Closed: September 4-5, November 23 at 6 pm, November 24 **Automated Phone Renewal:** 1-877-772-6657 (1-877-77-BOOKS) Ask Us: ask@ghpl.libanswers.com





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Grandview Gift Box



Give the gift of hand-selected specialties from local businesses this holiday season! Proceeds support the GHPL Foundation and local merchants. To purchase a gift box, visit grandviewgiftbox.org.



Support the Library

Learn how your tax-deductible donation or sponsorship can support the library. Visit ghpl.org/support.



Have you recently attended a library event? Share your experience with us at ghpl.org/feedback.

The library is wheelchair-accessible. Ramps and elevators provide access to the entire building. Walkers available. Library events may be photographed/filmed for promotion in library publications, website, or e-newsletters. Attendance automatically confers consent for your likeness to be used. Please notify staff if you decline being photographed for yourself or your child.