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Hours: Mon - Thur: 9:00am - 8:00pm

Friday: Noon - 6:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am - 5:00pm

~~ Dates Closed ~~

Sept. 4 - Labor Day      Nov. 23-24 - Thanksgiving

Sept. 7 - Staff In-Service Day      Dec. 25-26 - Christmas

Nov. 11 - Veterans Day      Jan. 1-2 - New Year's

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51 years of growth with the community

*Hamburg Township Library*

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## Hamburg Community Fine Art & Craft Fair

Saturday, October 7, 2017

9am to 4pm

The Hamburg Township Library is pleased to announce the 9th annual Hamburg Community Fine Art & Craft Fair. Come explore the work of over 40 local artists and crafters, including painting, photography, pottery, glasswork, textiles, jewelry, and woodwork. Support the library by purchasing some delicious treats and coffee from the bake sale, or enjoy lunch from St. Mary's PTO.

**Interested artists:**

This show is juried.

Applications can be found at

[www.hamburglibrary.org](http://www.hamburglibrary.org)

or at the front desk, and are

due September 22, 2017.

*Explore. Shop. Eat.*



## Bargain Hunter's Extravaganza!

Saturday, November 18 • 9am to 2pm

### Bake & Craft Sale @ the Library

Come shop for hand-sewn items and delicious baked goods from the Scrap-A-Holics quilting group.

The Scrap-A-Holics meet Tuesdays, noon-3:00pm at the library. All are welcome to join. For more information, call Pat Shinn at 810-231-1767, or stop in on Tuesdays.

The group accepts donations of cotton fabric, yarn, thread, sewing notions, and money. Your donations help make a difference to the following charities: St. Joseph Mercy Livingston Hospital, Pregnancy Help Line, Mott Children's Hospital, the American Red Cross, and the Hamburg Fire Department.



### Book Sale @ the Library

All hardcovers and AV are \$1.00 each, softcovers are \$0.25 each, or \$4.00 to fill a grocery bag. We will supply the grocery bags. The Library will accept donations Monday, October 30 through Wednesday, November 15.

**Items not accepted:**

Reader's Digest condensed books, magazines, encyclopedias, text books, or anything musty, dirty or damaged. Receipts will be given if requested.

### Christmas Bazaar @ the Senior Center

Shop for holiday craft gifts or just something for yourself. Join us for a bake sale, lots of raffle prizes, and oodles & oodles of great vendors. See you on November 18.

**New & Used Sale has been moved to Sept. 16**

Accepting your donations of clean and gently used garage sale type items in good condition from Aug. 1 to Sept. 15. No furniture, clothing, or shoes will be accepted.

**Senior Center hours:**

Monday - Friday  
9:00am to 4:00pm

Phone: 810-222-1140



*Support local artists, crafters, and authors at your Hamburg Township Library and get a jump-start on your holiday shopping!*



## Local Author Fair

Saturday, November 4, 2017

11am to 2pm

Come meet and talk with over a dozen local authors about their books, as well as their writing and publishing process.

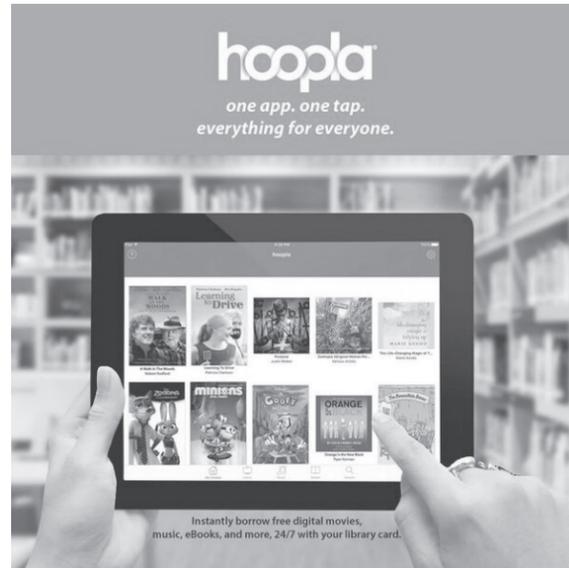
- Purchase their books and get them signed
- A variety of genres will be represented
- All ages are welcome
- Hot beverages will be provided
- No registration required



**Interested authors:** applications can be found at [www.hamburglibrary.org](http://www.hamburglibrary.org) or at the front desk, and are due September 30, 2017.

## Introducing: Hoopla!

A new FREE digital service where you can access thousands of movies, TV shows, music albums, e-books, and audio books, online and with your mobile device – all you need is a valid library card!



### Getting Started:

- 1: Download the Hoopla app or go to [www.hoopladigital.com](http://www.hoopladigital.com)
- 2: Log in with your library card (library card number and the password you use to access your library account)
3. You will be prompted to enter your email address and create a new password
- 4: Browse or Search Hoopla's selection of digital movies, music albums, e-books, audio books, and comics
- 5: Download up to 4 titles per month, free of charge

## Other Digital Updates



**Axis 360:** HTL has partnered with Pinckney and Fowlerville libraries to expand the selection of e-books and e-audio books. This means more variety and shorter waiting periods for popular titles. Download the free Axis360 app to explore the exciting upgrades we've made to our digital collection. Instructions can be found on the Library's website: [www.hamburglibrary.org](http://www.hamburglibrary.org).



**RB Digital Magazines:** Zinio Magazines has become RB Digital! RB Digital offers 50 full-color, interactive digital magazines for your enjoyment - free with your library card. Browse from a collection of popular titles with no holds and no limits - check out as many magazines as you want and keep them in your account as long as you wish. If you already have an account, you just need to update your old Zinio app. To create an account and get started, visit [www.rbdigital.com](http://www.rbdigital.com).

### How Can I Help Support the Library?

**Adopt A Magazine:** Visit: [www.hamburglibrary.org/Materials.html](http://www.hamburglibrary.org/Materials.html) for a full list of adoptable subscriptions. The Library will mark all issues of your adopted title with a label of recognition.

**Collection Development:** Cash donations will support the growth of our books, DVDs, music CDs, audio books, and digital resources.

**Garden Development:** Cash donations will support the ongoing care of existing flower beds, new plants, and general maintenance.

**Memorials or Legacy Donation:** Make a contribution in memory of a loved one, or make a legacy donation in your will, life insurance, or pledged amounts.

*These generous contributions help us continue and expand your library services.*



### LIL' WIGGLERS BABY TIME

Thursdays: 10am-10:45am Sept. 14 to Dec. 14

*A story time designed for babies, newborn to 2 years old. Join us for 45 minutes of fun! Parent or caregiver and child will interact while participating in stories and songs in a format designed especially for babies. Free play will follow with age appropriate toys and socialization for babies and caregivers.*

### LAPSIT

Mondays: 10am-10:45am  
Sept. 11 to Dec. 11

*Geared towards 2-3 year olds. Join us for 45 minutes of parent and child interaction through stories, songs, and fingerplays all from the comfort of the caregiver's lap.*

### STORYHOUR

Mondays: 1:30-2:30pm Sept. 11 to Dec. 11  
Thursdays: 10am-11am Sept. 14 to Dec. 14

*Geared towards 3-5 year olds. Children will enjoy 30 minutes of storytelling followed by a 30 minute theme-related craft, with parent/caregiver participation.*

## Stuffed Animal Sleepover Adventure!

*Ever wonder what goes on at the library after everyone goes home?*

*Bring your stuffed animal or doll (not your favorite, you might miss them too much) for an overnight, fun-filled Stuffed Animal Sleepover Adventure!*

### DROP-OFF:

Tuesday, September 26  
between 9am - 5pm

*Sit down, read them a book, then give a goodnight kiss to your stuffed friend.*



### PICK-UP:

Wednesday, September 27  
between 12pm - 8pm

*What did your stuffed friend do while you were sleeping? Find out in the photo booklet of their adventures.*

Pre-registration required 810-231-1771

## Calling all crafters age 17 and under

We will be holding the Kids Craft Fair in April and we wanted to remind you to start making items to sell now.



Craft fair applications will be available in January.

# A CALAMITOUSLY CATASTROPHIC HALLOWEEN PARTY

CANDY  
CARMEL APPLES  
FUN  
SATURDAY, HAUNTED LIBRARY  
OCTOBER 21 @ 7PM HAY RIDES GAMES

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED ALL AGES WELCOME  
810.231.1771

# Santa Claus

Wednesday, December 6 @ 6:30pm

Wishes!  
Lists!  
Cookies!

Stories!  
Candy!  
Smiles!

Placeholder numbers will be passed out starting at 6:15pm

No Registration Required

## Ornament Making

Join us to make and decorate some Christmas ornaments, one to take home and one to decorate the library Christmas tree. Pre-registration required



Tuesday, November 28 @ 6:30pm  
Ages 5 & under  
Wednesday, November 29 @ 6:30pm  
Ages 6 & up

## TOYS FOR TOTS

Help the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve by donating brand-new, unwrapped toys in the collection boxes in the Library lobby.

Please DO NOT donate: stuffed animals, realistic-looking weapons, or gifts with food.

Saturday, November 25 to  
Saturday, December 16

## Mitten Tree

for the month of December

Stop by the Library and donate some Winter Warmth!

We'll be taking new (store-bought or hand-knit) gloves, mittens, scarves and hats for the tree in the lobby.

\*\* all donations will go to LACASA of Livingston County



## Jackie's Book Club

Join your friends and neighbors for a lively, informal adult book discussion on the first Wednesday of each month at 1:00pm. Pick up a copy of the books before the discussion dates.

<p>September 6 <b>The 100 Year Old Man Who Climbed Out the Window and Disappeared</b> by Jonas Jonasson Fic: 384p</p> <p>MOVIE: September 20</p>	<p>October 4 <b>Moonface</b> by Angela Balcita Non-Fic: 220p</p>	<p>November 1 <b>Orphan Train</b> by Christina Baker Kline Fic: 278p</p>	<p>December 6 <b>Water for Elephants</b> by Sara Gruen Fic: 335p</p> <p>MOVIE: December 20</p>	<p>January 3 Bring a dish to pass. Pick out a recipe from a cook book in the library's collection.</p>
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## MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY

### THURSDAY MATINEE

All showings are free and open to the public. Bring a snack and enjoy the show. Movies begin promptly at 1:00pm on the Thursdays listed below.

<p>September 21 <b>Beauty and the Beast</b> PG 129 minutes</p>	<p>October 19 <b>Wonder Woman</b> PG-13 141 minutes</p>	<p>November 9 <b>The Lost City of Z</b> PG-13 140 minutes</p>	<p>December 21 <b>The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks</b> TV-MA 93 minutes</p>
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## Have a Heart, Save a Life

You can help save lives by joining the Organ Donor Registry. Come to the Hamburg Township Library October 10 - 16 and visit the table in the front lobby to learn more about organ donation, and how you can become an organ donor in just a few minutes! The Michigan Libraries for Life Organ Donor Registration Drive has inspired 3,500 donors since it began in 2010. Please consider joining the effort and giving the gift of hope!



## Golden Classics

### Car, Truck, Tractor & Motorcycle Show

**When:** Saturday, September 16  
10am - 3pm (Rain date is Sept. 23)

**Where:** Golden Septic & Landscaping Supplies (Corner of M-36 & Hamburg Rd)

**DJ • Silent Auction • Food • Door Prizes**

All proceeds will go to Saint Joseph Mercy Livingston Hospice in memory of Cookie Golden.

For more information, call: 810-923-8230

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

for all programs to insure available seating and supplies.

Registration begins Monday, August 28, 2017.

Programs with fees must register in-person at the front desk.

Class fees are non-refundable. If registering a group of more than 2 people, you must provide names and phone numbers for each person - registration is non-transferable.

Age requirement is 15 years +

All programs begin promptly at time indicated.

Call 810-231-1771

for further information and registration.

Free programs can be registered online at:

[www.hamburglibrary.org](http://www.hamburglibrary.org)

**Lunch & Learn**

Thursdays at 12:00pm

Bring your lunch and learn something new. Drinks provided. Examples of crafts will be in the lobby showcase. Registration required. Space is limited.

**Women Traveling Solo, September 14, Free**

Traveling alone as a woman can be an exciting and powerful experience. Join Margaret Flannery, from Hostelling International USA, for tips to make the most out of your journey. This is a great class for those thinking of traveling solo for the first time, and for those with solo travel experience to share.

**Creepy Card Making, October 12, \$10/person**

Make two fun Halloween cards with Joan Sanders to get you in the spooky spirit.

**Folded Book Art, November 2, Free**

Turn an old book into a piece of home décor by learning how to fold its pages into a fun design.

**Quilted Christmas Tree, December 7, Free**

Make a cute quilted Christmas tree using Styrofoam, pins, and fabric scraps - sure to add charm to your holiday decorating.

**Genealogy Series**

Wednesdays at 6:30pm

Join Sarah Hatter to learn about different genealogy resources. Registration required. Space is limited. Programs are free.

**Finding Vital Records for Your Genealogy Research September 20**

Learn what vital records are, how important they are to your genealogy research, and how to locate them using both online and print sources. This class is aimed at beginners, but anyone interested in genealogy is welcome.

**SeekingMichigan.org October 18**

Find out more about your Michigan ancestors by using the collections available to you from the Library of Michigan and the Archives of Michigan, including state census records, death certificates, plat maps, and Civil War records. This is a not-to-be-missed resource!

**Maker Mondays**

Mondays at 6:30pm

Have fun learning some new DIY skills. Examples of crafts will be in the lobby showcase. Registration required. Space is limited.

**Winterize Your Garden, September 18, Free**

Join The Royal Gardeners to learn how best to prepare your garden for a Michigan winter. They will go over general winterizing practices, specifics for flower and vegetable gardens, as well as how to create visual interest in your garden during the winter months.

**Potpourri & Pumpkins, October 16, Free**

Come make a festive fall potpourri with your favorite fall scents, like apple and cinnamon, to take home in a decorative jar. We'll also show you how to make and enjoy a delicious pumpkin dip.

**Small Bites & Sweet Treats, November 13, \$10/person**

Need something new to bring to your holiday potluck, party, or cookie exchange? Join Renee Chodkowski, the Great Foodini, for a cooking demonstration of several delicious appetizers and desserts, sure to please everyone this holiday season.

Doors open at 6:15pm.

**Holiday Gift Card Holders, December 11, Free**

Learn how to craft three different gift card holders out of scrapbook paper, perfect for your holiday gift-giving.

**Local History**

Registration required. All programs are free.

**Iconic Restaurants of Ann Arbor**

Tuesday, September 12, 6:30pm

From fine dining to bars and cafes, Ann Arbor has a long tradition of iconic local eateries. Authors Jon Milan and Gail Offen will discuss Ann Arbor's most memorable restaurants, from historic hang-outs to favorite newcomers. Their book will be available for sale and signing.

**Infamous Michigan Murders**

Tuesday, October 10, 6:30pm

Author Tom Carr will explore the more gruesome side of Michigan's history, with true crime stories of murder, death, and disappearance from the 1700s through the present. His book will be available for sale and signing.

**Prohibition in Michigan**

Tuesday, November 14, 6:30pm

From bath tub gin to rum running, come learn about the history of the prohibition era in Detroit and throughout Michigan with historian Joe Oldenburg.

**Legendary Detroit Retail**

Monday, November 27, 6:30pm

Kick off the holiday shopping season by reminiscing about Detroit's legendary retailers along Woodward Avenue. Author Michael Hauser is back to discuss the rise and fall of your favorite downtown emporiums, including images, ads, architecture, and their beloved Christmas traditions. Come early to peruse photos and artifacts from 6:00 to 6:30pm.

**Early Aviation Pioneers**

Tuesday, December 5, 6:30pm

Join historian Russell Doré for a look at the four American aviation pioneers who provided the foundation for worldwide commercial aviation - Orville and Wilbur Wright, Bill Boeing, and Donald Douglas. Learn about their contributions and innovations, and hear stories about their dedication and bravery.

**Drop-In Tech Help**

Thursdays, September 28, October 26, November 30  
3:00 - 6:00pm

National Honor Society students from Pinckney High School will be on-hand to provide free basic tech help. Bring in your phone, tablet, or laptop, or use one of the library computers. Get help using apps, email, internet, Microsoft Office, and electronic library resources. No registration required. Free.



**Enrichment Series**

Registration required. All programs are free.

**Estate Planning**

Monday, September 11, 6:30pm

Learn the basics of estate planning with Hantz Group, including how to avoid common mistakes, maximize savings, and integrate your estate plan with your existing financial plan. Pizza and pop will be provided, compliments of Hantz Group.

**Great Decisions**

Mondays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 1:30pm

Discussion and video will highlight topics of universal interest from around the world. Purchase your optional workbook at: [www.fpa.org/great\\_decisions](http://www.fpa.org/great_decisions)

**Memory Loss, Dementia, & Alzheimer's Monday, October 9, 6:30pm**

Join Katie Peil from the Alzheimer's Association to learn about differences between normal memory loss and Alzheimer's disease, including risk factors and the diagnostic process.

**Meditation**

Monday, October 30, 6:30pm

Learn about the history and theory of meditation, and how it can help promote relaxation and wellness in your life, with Anna Hodges Oginsky, from Heart Connected. Anna will also lead participants in a short meditation.

**Parenting Series**

Mondays at 6:30pm

Registration required. Programs are free.

**Healthy Snacks for Picky Eaters, Sept. 25**

Come make and enjoy some delicious and nutritious snacks with MSU Extension Educator Shelley Frazier, and take home the recipes so you can prepare them with your children. They are easy, fun, and tasty, so your picky eaters won't even know they are healthy!

**Master Your Mornings, October 23**

Mornings are often a big challenge for busy parents, scrambling to get everyone ready, fed, and out the door on time. Join Carolyn Anderson-Fermann from Simply Organized Life to learn three simple steps to help you master your mornings with kids.