

# April 2022

*News for the patrons and neighbors of Fairport Harbor Public*

## Story Time & Toys are Back!



The Library's new Youth Services storyteller, Miss Karly, cannot wait to have your family stop by the Library for stories, music, and interactive

activities. There is one morning session, Mondays at 10 am, and one evening session, Wednesdays at 6pm and run April 4 through May 4. Both sessions are open to young families of all ages 0-5. Registration is appreciated but drop-ins are very welcome to join us. Register to attend on the library's website.

Families will also be excited to see that the toys have returned to the children's indoor Reading Garden. Families can visit the Library any time to play on their own or meet

## Knitting, Local History, and Writing

**Local history** is of interest to young and old alike. One Saturday a month, folks gather at Fairport Library for an afternoon of stories and tales hosted by John Ollila. Join us next on Saturday, April 23, 1:00pm - 2:00pm.

**The Fairport Harbor Scribblers** writing group will meet 6:30pm - 8:00pm, Monday, April 25. The group is led by Kate Sully, an aspiring YA & NA contemporary fiction author and teacher at Lake Erie College. The group will be sharing writing tips, writing prompts, and respectful constructive criticism of personal writings (if writers choose to share). This group is open to writers of all genres and skill levels from age 16 to 160.

**Calling all yarn lovers!** Whether you knit, crochet, needle felt, etc., join in for some stitch time, inspiration, and conversation on Saturday, April 30, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm at Fairport Harbor Public Library. The group meets once a month. No experience is necessary to join, knitting learners are very welcome.



## Learn to Speak Canine

Dogs communicate with us all the time. Professional, licensed canine trainer and educator of humans, Megan Wessels, will help us understand what they are saying at Fairport Harbor Public Library 1:00pm - 2:00pm, Saturday, May 7. Register to attend on the library's website.

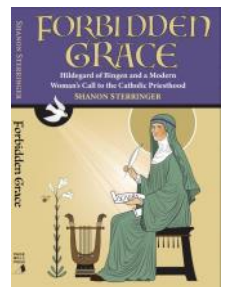


## Container Gardening with Maria Zampini

You don't need a yard to get your green thumb ready for spring! Maria Zampini, horticulturist and President of UpShoot, is known as the "Spiderwoman" of the green industry. She will be presenting a program on Container Gardening 1:00pm - 3:00pm, Saturday, April 9. Maria says, "This will be fun! We'll talk containers, gardening trends, new plant varieties, I'll bring the hottest new gardening books, and I usually bring a gardening door prize too!" Register to attend on the library's website.

## Meet Author Shanon Sterringer

Meet local author, Dr. Shanon Sterringer, 11:00am - 12:30pm, Saturday, April 23 at Fairport Harbor Public Library. They will speak about their new book "Forbidden Grace: Hildegard of Bingen and a Modern Woman's Call to the Catholic Priesthood" Register to attend on the library's website.



## Vaccine Clinic

The Lake County Health District will be at Fairport Library April 8 and 29, 10am to 2:30pm for COVID vaccines. Walk-ups welcome! Pfizer & Moderna - 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th shots given.

# EVENTS

Please register for all events: Space may be limited due to physical distancing requirements, supplies may be limited, and virtual links need to be sent in advance

- April 4, 11, 18, 25 - Story Time 10am
- April 6, 13, 20, 27 - Short on Time Book Group  
12:30pm (*online*)
- April 6, 13, 20, 27 - Story Time 6:30pm
- April 7- HERO Club - 3:15pm
- April 7, 14, 21, 28 - Anime Club - 4pm
- April 7 & 21 - Pens & Swords - 5pm
- April 8 - Vaccine Clinic -10:00 am-2:30pm
- April 9 & 23 - Chess Club - 10am
- April 9 - Container Gardening with Maria Zampini -  
1pm
- April 11 -Try Something New Book Group -6:30 pm
- April 12 - Library Board of Trustees: Long Term  
Planning Committee Meeting 5:30 pm
- April 18 - Let's Talk Book Group -6pm
- April 19 - Library Board of Trustees Meeting - 5:30 pm
- April 23 - Book Signing Dr. Shannon Sterringer - 11am
- April 23 - Fairport History Discussion - 1pm
- April 25- Fairport Harbor Scribblers - 6:30pm
- April 28 - Senior Center Book Club - 10:30 am
- April 29 - Vaccine Clinic -10:00am-2:30pm
- April 30 - Knitting Group - 11am
- May 2 - Story Time 10am
- May 4, 11, 18, 25 - Short on Time Book Group  
12:30pm (*online*)
- May 4 - Story Time 6:30pm
- May 5, 12, 19, 26 - Anime Club - 4pm
- May 7 & 21- Chess Club - 10am
- May 7 - Megan Wessels - Talking Canine - 1pm
- May 9 - Try Something New -Book Group 6:30 pm
- May 10 - Library Board of Trustees: Long Finance  
Committee Meeting 5:30 pm
- May 16 - Let's Talk Book Group -6pm
- May 17 - Library Board of Trustees Meeting - 5:30 pm
- May 26 - Senior Center Book Club - 10:30 am
- June 5 - Pens & Swords - 5pm
- June 6 -11 - Friends of the Library Book Sale
- June 11 - Art & Craft Fair - 9am-3pm

