



How did you  
color YOUR  
world this  
summer?

JULY 2025

# COVER TO COVER

Upper Sandusky Community Library



## Culture and Community

Summer is a great time to connect with friends and neighbors. At USCL, we are excited to create this kind of opportunity by inviting you to participate in our Culture and Community Potluck on Wednesday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in our large meeting room.

Father Savio Manavalen from Transfiguration of the Lord Parish will begin the evening by sharing information and stories of his Indian culture and how the varied use of spices play an important part of the foods cooked there. Then, you'll get to taste for yourself and enjoy some of the dishes that Father Savio brings to share for the potluck dinner.



Everyone is encouraged to bring a dish to share with the group, especially one that you think reflects your culture or family heritage. It's sure to be a night of new experiences and new friendships!

*There is no registration required for this program.*

## July Events

2nd: Culture and Community Potluck

3rd: Closing at 6 p.m.

4th: CLOSED

10th: Craft Party

14th: Book donation drop-off begins

17th: 100 Book Club Reception

21st: Lunch Bunch

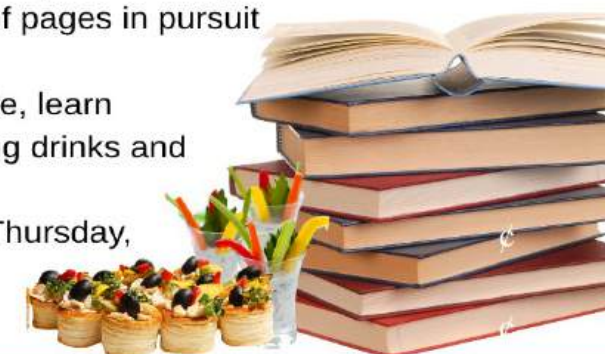
21st: Taste of the Decades

## 100 Book Club Reception

If you've read 100 books and turned in your book tracker, then you are invited to a special night of recognition. Upper Sandusky Community Library will be honoring all those who have read thousands of pages in pursuit of being inducted into The 100 Book Club Hall of Fame.

Participants will receive a 100 Book Club t-shirt and certificate, learn about this year's program, and then share some time enjoying drinks and appetizers.

The 100 Book Club reception is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 17 in the library's large meeting room. The event is by invitation only.



Connect with us! [www.usclibrary.org](http://www.usclibrary.org) or [uscl@seolibraries.org](mailto:uscl@seolibraries.org)

Mon.- Thurs. 9:00 a.m.- 8:00 p.m. Fri. 9:00 a.m.- 6:00 p.m. Sat. 9:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.



## Taste of the Decades

Take your taste buds back in time for this month's Taste of the Decades: The 1950s! On Monday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in USCL's large meeting room, Patti and Tony Davidson will explore the food sensations of the decade and make several undeniable classics that June and Ward Cleaver would have been proud to serve at their dining table.

Patti will share with you the comfy classic that is Chicken Pot Pie and no '50s sit-com worthy meal is complete without that jewel-toned, dancing dessert-J-E-L-L-O!

Registration begins on July 14<sup>th</sup>. Register online, by phone or in person.



## Craft Party

It's a Craft Party rewind in July! On Thursday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. you're invited to choose your own crafting adventure as Rachel brings back favorite crafts from the past. There will be soap to felt, boho coasters and picture frames to create, and much more. If you couldn't make Craft Party, here's your chance to make what you missed!

As usual, all supplies and snacks are provided so invite a friend and be sure to register online, by phone or in person beginning June 30<sup>th</sup>.

## Get Some Ink

Do you have documents, forms or shipping labels that you need to print? USCL offers printing services from our computers or from your phone. To print from the computers, just use your library card or request a guest pass. To print from your phone, connect to the USCL Printing wi-fi in your settings and select our Ricoh printer to print. It's as easy as that!



## Lunch Bunch

Have lunch with Cheryl and your library community on July 21<sup>st</sup> at noon in USCL's large meeting room. Bring a dish to share following this month's theme of Red, White, or Blue Food. Don't forget to bring your recipe to share with the group!

### Annie's Fruit Salsa and Cinnamon Chips

2 kiwis, peeled and sliced  
2 Golden Delicious apples, peeled, cored and diced  
8 oz. raspberries  
1 lb. strawberries, chopped  
2 Tbsp white sugar  
1 Tbsp. brown sugar  
3 Tbsp. fruit preserves, any flavor  
10 (10 inch) flour tortillas  
Butter flavored cooking spray  
2 cups cinnamon sugar

In a large bowl, thoroughly mix kiwis, Golden Delicious apples, raspberries, white sugar, brown sugar and fruit preserves. Cover and chill in the refrigerator at least 15 minutes.

Preheat oven to 350°. Coat one side of each flour tortilla with butter flavored cooking spray. Cut into wedges and arrange in a single layer on a large baking sheet. Sprinkle wedges with desired amount of cinnamon sugar. Spray again with the cooking spray. Bake in the preheated oven for 8 to 10 minutes. Repeat with any remaining tortilla wedges. Allow to cool approximately 15 minutes. Serve with chilled fruit mixture.

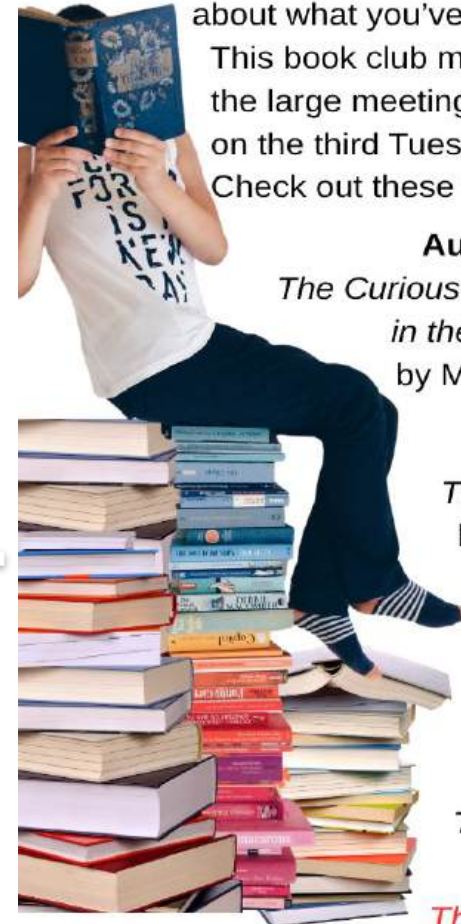
Find this cookbook and more recipes like this in the 641 section of our non-fiction area.



## COMMON READERS

Looking for a way to connect with other readers? Join Common Readers and discover a new book each month then gather to discuss your thoughts about what you've read.

This book club meets at the library in the large meeting room at 6:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of the month. Check out these upcoming selections.



### August 19th

*The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time*  
by Mark Haddon

### September 16th

*The Invention of Wings*  
by Sue Monk Kidd

### October 21st

*James*  
by Percival Everett

### November 18th

*The God of the Woods*  
by Liz Moore

*There are no book club meetings in July and December*

## INGLORIOUS BOOKWORMS

Explore a new book genre each month and then gather to discuss your thoughts and opinions with other genre readers like you! This groups meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. at Don Tomasso's Italian Kitchen at 123 W. Wyandot. Please RSVP on our website if you plan to attend.

### August 27th: Mystery

*The Alienist*  
by Caleb Carr

### September 24th: Western

*Red Rabbit*  
by Alex Grecian

### October 22nd: Horror

*The Nightmare Man*  
by J.H. Markert

### November 19th: Fantasy

*Ninth House*  
by Leigh Bardugo

## Storytime with Miss Jill

### Tiny Tots (ages 0-3):

Monday 10:00 a.m.,  
Tuesday 5:30 p.m.,  
Wednesday 11:00 a.m.



### Preschool (ages 3-6):

Monday 11:00 a.m.

## Did you know...

*The Friends of the Library Book Sale is only a month away!*

We will be accepting your donations of gently used books starting Monday, July 14<sup>th</sup> through August 2<sup>nd</sup>.



## In Memory...



**Jacob David Ralph**  
by Grandma Cheri and Grandpa Ben