REGISTRATION INFORMATION:
For programs requiring registration, go to farmlib.org/events or call the Main Library at (248) 553-0300 or the Farmington Branch at (248) 553-0321, then choose the department you wish to reach.

NEXT BOARD MEETINGS: Thursday, Oct. 10, 6 p.m.
Main Library Ernest E. Sauter Board Room

2019-2020 Great Michigan Read: What the Eyes Don’t See
Tuesday, Oct. 22, 1 p.m.
Oakland Community College Smith Theatre
Registration required; farmlib.org/events
Hear the dramatic story of how Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha used science to prove Flint kids were exposed to lead, and how she courageously went public with her research.

The Farmington Community Library is pleased to partner with Oakland Community College and the West Bloomfield Township Public Library to bring you this program.

The 2019-20 Great Michigan Read is presented by Michigan Humanities and supported by national, statewide, and local partners, including the National Endowment for the Humanities and The Meijer Foundation.

ADULT NEWS and EVENTS
The Farmington Community Library is the place to be! We offer unique and fun activities for all ages: author appearances and engaging presentations, book discussion groups, reading programs, free wifi and internet, concerts, movie showings, and so much more!

For all October events visit farmlib.org/events
ADULT PROGRAMS: Always free! Always fun!

College Affordability Workshop
Thursday, Oct. 3, 6 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
This workshop is designed to answer parents’ biggest questions about college planning. Presented by financial adviser Mike Sirk.

Rural Photography
Friday, Oct. 4, 2 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
Photographer Jackson Faulkner will share some of his favorite photos and the stories behind them.

Star Wars Reads Day
Saturday, Oct. 5, 1-4 p.m.
Main Library
All ages welcome! Join us for our annual celebration of all things reading and all things Star Wars!

Gone With the Wind: 80th Anniversary
Sunday, Oct. 6, 2 p.m.
Main Library
Register today for this celebration of the book and the film!

Learn to Meditate: Heartfulness, Relaxation & Meditation
Thursdays, Oct. 10, 17, 24, 31, 7 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
A 4-week course to learn simple relaxation and meditation exercises to help restore balance in life, manage stress and improve your health.

Learn to Find Your Family’s Ancestors
Tuesday, Oct. 8, 6 p.m.
Main Library Computer Lab
Registration required; (248) 553-6880
Please bring names, dates and places for the best research assistance.

Tax Planning Strategies & Investing
Thursday, Oct. 10, 6 p.m.
Main Library Conference Room A
Registration required; (248) 553-6880
Jonathan Strong returns to review key items and new laws you need to understand for tax planning and to improve your tax situation.

Sunday Concert: McKinFolk Duo
Sunday, Oct. 13, 3 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
Vocalist Michelle McKinney and pianist Bill Meyer will feature the lyrics and love songs of the legendary Harold McKinney.

Wildlife of Southeast Michigan
Tuesday, Oct. 15, 7 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration required; (248) 553-6880
Naturalist Andrew Nowicki will discuss the variety of wildlife found in Southeast Michigan. No animals will be at this event. This program is intended for adults.

International Film Series: The Guilty
Wednesday, Oct. 16, 6:30 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880, Adults only
Watch The Guilty (R, 1 hour, 25 min.) on the big screen.

College Affordability Workshop
Thursday, Oct. 24, 6 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
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Conversion Station Training
Thursday, Oct. 31, 6 p.m.
Main Library Heritage Room
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
Learn how to use the Library’s Do-It-Yourself Media Conversion Station. It includes photo slide scanners; a VHS to DVD converter; and a cassette to CD/MP3 converter. Bring media (Music CD-Rs, DVD-Rs or USB drives) to save your memories.

Conversion Station Training
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Citizenship Q & A
Tuesday, Oct. 22, 6:30 p.m.
Farmington Branch Meeting Room
Registration requested; (248) 553-0321
Frank Castria from the Detroit office of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services will explain the citizenship process in detail and answer your questions.

Adulting 101: How to Buy Your First Home
Wednesday, Oct. 23, 7 p.m.
Main Library Auditorium
Registration requested; (248) 553-6880
The financial advisors at the non-profit Michigan Schools & Government Credit Union will walk you through the entire home buying process, step-by-step.

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Monthly Book Discussion Groups
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Popular Books
The Alice Network by Kate Quinn
Wednesday, Nov. 6, 2 p.m.
Farmington Branch Meeting Room

Costick Center
Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng
Thursday, Nov. 7, 1 p.m.
William Costick Activities Center

Top Shelf Reads
News of the World by Paulette Jiles
Monday, Nov. 18, 7 p.m.
Sidecar Slider Bar (Registration required)

Hooked on Books
My Antonia by Willa Cather
Monday, Nov. 25, 7 p.m.
Main Library Conference Room A

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Popular Books
My Life on Fire by Coleen Wing
Wednesday, Oct. 2, 2 p.m.
Farmington Branch Meeting Room

Costick Center
Born A Crime by Trevor Noah
Thursday, Oct. 3, 1 p.m.
William Costick Activities Center

Top Shelf Reads
We Sold Our Souls by Grady Hendrix
Monday, Oct. 14, 7 p.m.
Sidecar Slider Bar (Registration required)

G.N.U.: Geeks, Nerds and U!
Levithan Reads by James S.A. Corey
Wednesday, Oct. 23, 7 p.m.
Farmington Branch Meeting Room

Hooked on Books
Beautiful Ruins by Jess Walter
Monday, Oct. 28, 7 p.m.
Main Library Conference Room A

October Book Discussion

Popular Books
A Mother’s Reckoning by Sue Klebold
Wednesday, Oct. 2, 2 p.m.
Farmington Branch Meeting Room

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