



October 2023

From story time to scary movie, we have something for everyone this October!

CIRCLE TIME FOR BABIES AND TODDLERS

Mondays at 10:30 a.m.

Infants and toddlers and their parents/caregivers will have fun rhyming and moving! With a focus on repetition, each week children build their repertoire of rhymes both old and new! There is an informal playgroup following Circle Time.

TECH TUESDAYS

Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. to noon

Need some help using the library's digital services? Have a tech issue giving you some grief? The library offers one on one basic tech help on Tuesdays from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

ADVANCED DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Saturday, October 7th at 11:45 a.m.

Are you an adventurer at heart? Then join us for BSDL's Dungeons and Dragons Group. This group meets monthly to play Advanced Dungeons and Dragons. This program is for Adults and Teens.

ROMANCE BOOK CLUB

Thursday, October 12th at 4:00 p.m.

From meet-cutes to happily ever after, this new book club will explore all facets of the romance genre. Copies of this month's book, "Thank you for Listening" by Julia Whelan are available at the Library. [Reserve a copy today](#), or download using the hoopla app.

BOOK SHARE

Wednesday, October 18th at 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a cup of coffee or tea and talk about books. Share what you have read recently and find out what fellow community members have been reading. This is a great way to discover new books!

BUSY BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, October 24th at 4 p.m.

The book club for busy people! Each month we discuss a SHORT story in less than an hour. Meets monthly on the 4th Tuesday of the month. Each month's reading is from The Best American Short Stories 2022. This month's story is "The Meeting" by Alex Ohlin. [Reserve a copy of the book online](#), or you can read this month's story from VQR Online at <https://www.vqronline.org/fiction/2021/03/meeting>

BENZIE SHORES DISTRICT LIBRARY

NOT SO SPOOKY STORY TIME

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28TH AT 10:30 AM



Children, toddlers and their caregivers are invited to join us for a special story time with bats, ghosts, and monsters- OH MY! Miss Kaitlin shares her favorite hallo-reads and a sweetly spooky craft. Costumes encouraged!

The Garden Theater & Benzie Shores District Library present

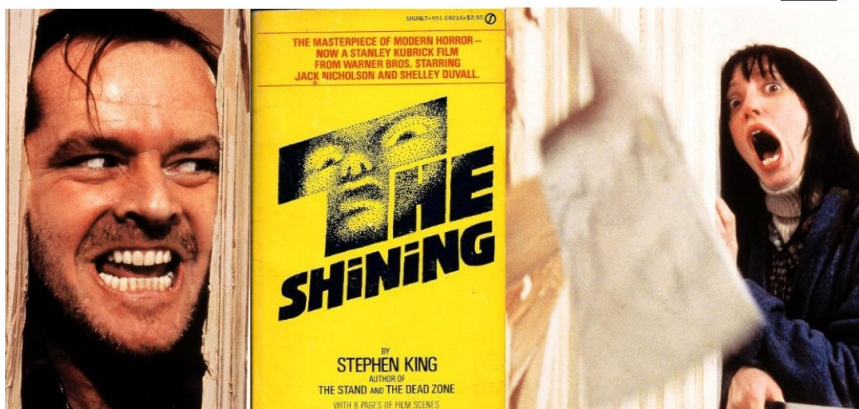
BOOK TO BIG SCREEN BOOK & FILM DISCUSSION SPOOKY EDITION!!!!!!

Saturday, October 28, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m.

at The Garden Theater

301 Main St, Frankfort, MI 49635

Read the book. See the film.



BOOK TO BIG SCREEN

Saturday, October 28th at 3:00 p.m.

It's the time of year for pumpkin spice, falling leaves, and cozy mysteries. It's also scary book season and we're reading one of the most iconic horror stories of all! Our Book to Big Screen this fall is *The Shining* by Stephen King. Read the book (if you dare), then join us at the Garden Theater for a FREE screening of Stanley Kubrick's film based on the book. Check out a book from the Library or download using the Libby app.

This film is Rated R (Restricted).

Romance Book Club

FIRST SESSION MEETS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12TH @ 4 P.M.

BOOK: THANK YOU FOR LISTENING BY JULIA WHELAN



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TEENY TINY BUSY BOOK CLUB
The book club for busy people! Each month we discuss a SHORT story in less than an hour. Meets monthly on the 4th Tuesday of the month @ 4:00 p.m. Call or visit benzieshoreslibrary.org to reserve the current month's selected title.

Titles shared at the September book share:

[The Covenant of Water](#) & [Cutting for Stone](#) by Abraham Verghese
[Canary Girls](#) by Jennifer Chiaverini
[Mad Honey](#) by Jody Picoult
[The Family Roe](#) by Joshua Prager
[Heroes of the Frontier](#) by Dave Eggers
[Trust](#) by Hernan Diaz
[The Thursday Murder Club](#) by Richard Osman
[Lady Tans Circle of Women](#) by Lisa See
[Killers of the Flower Moon](#) by David Grann,
[Not So Different What You Really Want to Ask About Having a Disability](#) by Shane Burcaw and Matt Carr
[Hotel Pastis](#) by Peter Mayle

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