

## WHO

**Playgroup** is an opportunity for children ages 1 month and up to play and interact. It is also a time for parents to socialize with other parents.

**Small Fries** is designed for children 12-36 months. It consists of a short story, songs, playtime and a simple art activity.

**LapTots** provides an opportunity for caregivers and children 18 months to 3 years to interact in small groups and one-on-one with developmentally appropriate activities. **THERE MUST BE ONE ADULT PER CHILD.**

**Preschool Storytime** is intended for children ages 3 to 5 years. This program offers stories, songs, movement activities, art experiences, and fun each week.

**Family Storytime** is intended for children of all ages. More complex stories and activities may be introduced to encourage participation by school-age children.



## WHAT AND WHY

Your child is invited to discover the world of books at one of the Storytimes offered by the Monroe County Library System. Books, stories, and songs are part of the program. Most story sessions conclude with an art project or other special activity.

## WHEN AND WHERE

Most Monroe County Library System branches hold one or more weekly Storytimes. Each session lasts about 45 minutes. We ask parents to remain in the library while Storytime is in session. This will provide opportunities to use the library's resources as well as to visit with other parents.



All Storytimes are publicized in the *Monroe Evening News*. Feel free to call the nearest branch for details and for information on programs for other age groups and special events.

**If schools in the area are CLOSED due to inclement weather, all library youth programs are cancelled for that date.**

**If the schools in your area are DELAYED due to weather, all youth programs will proceed as scheduled.**

September 2009

# FALL STORYTIMES

SEPTEMBER 13-DECEMBER 5  
2009



MONROE COUNTY  
LIBRARY SYSTEM  
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Bedford, Blue Bush, Carleton, Dorsch Memorial, Dundee, Ellis Reference & Information Center, Erie, Frenchtown-Dixie, Ida, Maybee, L.S. Navarre, Newport, Rasey Memorial, South Rockwood, Summerfield-Petersburg, and R.A. Vivian Branches

Your Monroe County Library System

<http://monroe.lib.mi.us>

See our website for a complete  
Calendar of Events

### **BEDFORD BRANCH**

8575 Jackman Road, Temperance, MI  
(734) 847-6747

#### **Family Storytime**

Tuesdays at 6:30 PM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Wednesdays at 10:00 AM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Thursdays at 10:00 AM & 11 AM

#### **LapTots**

Fridays at 10:00 AM & 11 AM

*Registration required for all programs.*

### **BLUE BUSH BRANCH**

2210 Blue Bush Road, Monroe, MI  
(734) 242-4085

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Fridays at 10:30 AM

### **CARLETON BRANCH**

1444 Kent Street, Carleton, MI  
(734) 654-2180

#### **Small Fries**

Tuesdays at 10:00 AM

#### **Playgroup**

Tuesdays at 4:00 PM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Wednesdays at 10:00 AM

#### **Family Storytime**

Wednesdays at 4:00 PM



### **DORSCH MEMORIAL BRANCH**

18 East First Street, Monroe, MI  
(734) 241-7878

#### **Family Storytimes**

Mondays at 6:30 PM

#### **LapTots**

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM

#### **Playgroup**

Thursdays at 10:30 AM

### **DUNDEE BRANCH**

144 East Main Street, Dundee, MI  
(734) 529-3310

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Mondays at 11:30 AM

#### **Small Fries**

Tuesdays at 10:00 AM

### **ELLIS REFERENCE AND INFORMATION CENTER**

3700 South Custer Road, Monroe, MI  
(734) 241-5277 or 1-800-462-2050

#### **Playgroup**

Mondays at 10:00 AM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

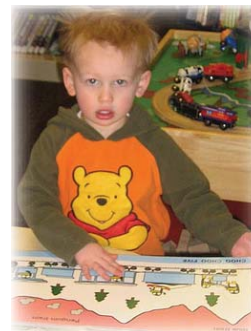
Tuesdays at 6:00 PM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Wednesdays at 10:00 AM

#### **LapTots**

Thursdays at 10:00 AM



### **ERIE BRANCH**

2065 Erie Road, Erie, MI  
(734) 848-4420

#### **LapTots**

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

### **FRENCHTOWN-DIXIE BRANCH**

2881 Nadeau Road, Monroe, MI  
(734) 289-1035

#### **Playgroup**

Mondays at 10:00 AM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

### **IDA BRANCH**

3016 Lewis Avenue, Ida, MI  
(734) 269-2191

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Tuesdays at 10:00 AM

#### **Small Fries**

Thursdays at 10:00 AM

### **MAYBEE BRANCH**

9060 Raisin Street, Maybee, MI  
(734) 587-3680

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Mondays at 6:30 PM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Fridays at 10:00 AM

### **NAVARRE BRANCH**

1135 East Second Street, Monroe, MI  
(734) 241-5577

#### **Playgroup**

Tuesdays at 11:00 AM

#### **After School Storytime**

Wednesdays at 4:00 PM

### **NEWPORT BRANCH**

8120 N. Dixie Highway, Newport, MI  
(734) 586-2117

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM

#### **Playgroup**

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

### **RASEY MEMORIAL BRANCH**

4349 Oak Street, Luna Pier, MI  
(734) 848-4572

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Thursdays at 10:30 AM

### **SOUTH ROCKWOOD BRANCH LIBRARY**

12776 Fort Street, South Rockwood, MI  
(734) 379-3333

#### **Family Storytime**

Wednesdays at 6:30 PM

### **SUMMERFIELD-PETERSBURG BRANCH**

60 E. Center Street, Petersburg, MI  
(734) 279-1025

#### **Small Fries**

Mondays at 10:00 AM

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Fridays at 10:00 AM

### **VIVIAN BRANCH**

2664 Vivian Road, Monroe, MI  
(734) 241-1430

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Thursdays at 10:30 AM

The Monroe County Library System enriches the quality of life for all residents of the county by providing free access to informational, educational and recreational resources.