

# Allen Park Public Library

Off the Shelf for October 2025



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## Celebrate Banned Books Week with the Library October 5 - 11



Join the Allen Park Public Library in celebrating our right to read with a special screening of the documentary *Banned Together: The Fight Against Censorship*! The film pulls back the curtain on two of the most controversial issues in America today: book bans and curriculum censorship in public schools. *Banned Together* follows three students as they fight to reinstate 97 books suddenly pulled from their school libraries. Our special event on Saturday, October 11 at 2:00 p.m. will feature bagels and biscuits to enjoy during the movie followed by a discussion! Patrons ages 10 and up are welcome to attend the viewing. Visit our website or the Library for more information.

## For Families & Children



### Family Craft Night

Create a seasonal wreath based on Poe's *The Raven*!

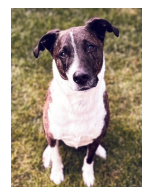
**Monday, October 6**  
**6:00 p.m.**



### Family Fun Storytime

Join us for themed stories & snacks! All ages welcome.

**Saturday, October 11**  
**10:30 a.m.**



### Books with Brooks

Visit and read to our special therapy dog guest!

**Saturday, October 18**  
**10:30 a.m.**



### Under 5 Storytime

Children ages five & under with caregivers welcome.

**Every Wednesday**  
**10:30 a.m.**

## Special Presentations



### Women's Self-Defense Class

Learn environment awareness strategies at this seminar!  
*Women ages 13+ welcome.*

**Saturday, October 4**  
**2:00 p.m.**

## For Tweens & Teens



### Roll Reversals

Join us for our RPG group as we embark on a special mission through a Marvel Multiverse campaign!  
Ages 10 -18 welcome.

**Every Monday**  
**6:00 - 7:45 p.m.**

## Spooky Seasonal Programs



### Spooky True UFO Stories

Join us for a discussion from the Mutual UFO Network about real sightings!

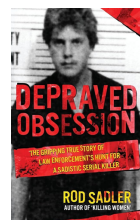
**Tuesday, October 14**  
**6:00 p.m.**



### Dark Corners of MI History

Returning author Tobin T. Buhk discusses infamous local events!

**Monday, October 27**  
**6:00 p.m.**



### Author Talk w/ Rod Sadler

Listen to retired police officer turned writer discuss his latest chilling account, *Depraved Obsession*.

**Tuesday, October 28**  
**6:00 p.m.**

*As the title suggests, this material may be upsetting to attendees.*

## Library Hours

*In-Library Services*

**Monday, Tuesday & Thursday**  
10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, Friday & Saturday**  
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

*Curbside Services will end 15 minutes before closure each day.*

**An appointment is needed to use Curbside Services.**

## Upcoming Closures

The Allen Park Public Library will be closing early on

**Friday, October 31**  
at 4:00 p.m. for Halloween.

*Our dropbox, located on the wall to the left of our parking lot entrance, is available 24/7.*



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