Daytime Programs for Youth

Tuesday, June 11, 10:30 am
Milan Public Library
19 Church St., Milan
**Character Development**
with Fred Blanco (Cesar Chavez)

Wednesday June 12, 10:30 am
Edison High School
2603 State Rte 113 E. Milan
**Stories of Fun and Food**
with Karen Vuranch (Julia Child)

Thursday, June 13, 10:30 am
Milan Public Library
**Legendary Children’s Stories From Mid-Twentieth Century**
with Susan Marie Frontczak (Erma Bombeck)

Friday, June 14, 10:30 am
Milan Public Library
**To Make Gentle the Life of Martin Luther King and Robert F. Kennedy**
with Jeremy Meier (Robert F. Kennedy)

Saturday, June 15, 10:30 am
Sandusky Library
114 W. Adams St., Sandusky
**Legendary Children’s Stories From Mid-Twentieth Century**

In this hands-on workshop, kids will learn the fundamentals of building a character from the ground up through age-appropriate theater games. Character games are a handy tool for creating, developing, and experimenting with characters. This workshop will also discuss research techniques and how to start creating a historical performance. Workshop participants will get a firsthand look at how a character can be taken from a simple idea to a fully developed historical personae ready for performance. **Best for ages 10 and up.**

Karen Vuranch has been a traditional storyteller for many years. Her stories are participatory for the children and engage them in lively tradition of storytelling. These stories will range from traditional tales such as Stone Soup, where a stingy community learns to share, to modern stories such as the tender tale of The Bake-Shop Ghost. Food will be the center of each story and the children will learn as well as be entertained.

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Martin Luther King spoke of acceptance and equality. He spoke of peace. Robert Kennedy ran for president on those ideals. In this workshop, we'll talk about these concepts—acceptance, equality and peace—and evaluate how they can be used in life. Participants will learn about the lives of MLK and RFK and how their goals for society impact us today. **Recommended ages 10-18**

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