

Holiday Events at the Portsmouth Public Library

November 1- December 10- Toy Drive – Portsmouth Public Library

The Portsmouth Public Library is sponsoring a toy drive for children in need. Toys can be for a boy or a girl, age infant-16. If the toy requires batteries, you are asked to please provide those with the toy. Toys will be collected until December 10, at which point they will be donated to Scioto County Children's Services for the children in foster care throughout the county. Drop off a new unwrapped toy in the Local History Department of the Portsmouth location.

Santa Visits

Santa Claus will be visiting a library near you this year. Children of all ages are invited to visit and get a free picture with Santa.

Monday, December 4 at 6pm at South Webster

Monday, December 10 at 6pm at New Boston

Tuesday, December 11 at 6pm at Wheelersburg

Thursday, December 13 at 6pm at Portsmouth

Monday, December 17 at 6pm at Lucasville

Free Holiday Story Times

Tuesday, December 11 – Books N' Play (ages 4-6) at 11:30am at Portsmouth

Wednesday, December 12 – Toddler Time (ages 2-3) at 11:30am at Portsmouth

Thursday, December 13 – Book Babies (ages 3 months – 24 months) at 1pm at Portsmouth

Friday, December 21 – Christmas Story Time (ages 6 & under) at 11:30am at New Boston

Free Holiday Programs

Monday, December 3 – Lighted Potpourri Jar Craft (adults 18+) at 6pm at New Boston (\$3 program fee)

Tuesday, December 4 – Handmade Holiday Gifts (adults 18+) from 2-6pm at Portsmouth

Tuesday, December 4 – Mini Snow Globe Ornament (ages 7-12) at 4pm at Portsmouth

Tuesday, December 4 – Holiday Family Movie Nights (ages 12 & under) at 5:30pm at Portsmouth

Wednesday, December 5 – Holiday Ornament Craft (ages 7-12) at 4:30pm at New Boston

Saturday, December 8 – Holiday Craft Program (ages 12 & under) at 2pm at Portsmouth

Tuesday, December 11 – Snowman Wreath Craft (adults 18+) at 5:30pm at South Webster (\$6 program fee)

Wednesday, December 12 – Wintry Bottle Craft (adults 18+) at 1pm at Lucasville (\$3 program fee)

Thursday, December 12 – DIY Holiday Sweater (adults 18+) from 2-6pm at Portsmouth (bring your own sweater)

Thursday, December 13 – Sock Snowman Craft (ages 7-12) at 4pm at South Webster

Monday, December 17 – Holiday Stress Ball Craft (ages 13-18) at 6pm at New Boston

Wednesday, December 19 – Cardboard Cup Holder Snowflake Craft (ages 8-12) at 4:30pm at Portsmouth