

**Youth Program — Blackout Poetry:  
For Students in Sixth through Twelfth Grade**

Friday, April 26, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Main Library Activity Room  
Registration is required.

**Film — *The Big Sick* (2017)**

Directed by Michael Showalter  
Saturday, April 27, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**WordStage Performance — *Give Me Your Tired:  
Expressions of Immigration***

Sunday, April 28, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Traveling Stanzas:  
Immigrant Voices Poetry Contest Reading**

Tuesday, April 30, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Literature Series — Telling Our American Story:  
Immigrant Literature**

Literature Series presented by Barbara Parr  
Wednesdays: May 1, 2019; May 8, 2019; May 15, 2019 and  
May 22, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room  
Registration is required. Register online at [lifelonglearningcleveland.org](http://lifelonglearningcleveland.org)  
or call (216) 226-8275, ext. 127.

**Documentary — *Documented* (2013)**

Directed by Jose Antonio Vargas and Ann Raffaella Lupo  
Tuesday, May 21, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Immigration Legislation in the United States**

Presented by Magistrate Barbara Greenberg  
Tuesdays: June 4, 2019; June 11, 2019; June 18, 2019 and  
June 25, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room

**Musical Performance — NorthCoast Winds:  
Americas' Immigrant Composers**

Sunday, June 9, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Citizenship Workshops**

Presented by Tri-C ASPIRE  
Wednesdays: June 12, 2019, June 19, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Madison Branch Meeting Room  
Wednesdays: July 10, 2019, July 17, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room  
Registration is required. Register by calling (216) 226-8275, ext. 127.

**Music of American Immigrants – Shri Kalaa Mandir**

Sunday, June 23, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Film — *Before Night Falls* (2000)**

Directed by Julian Schnabel  
Saturday, June 29, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Film — *The Good Lie* (2014)**

Directed by Philippe Falardeau  
Saturday, July 13, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Musical Performance — Doan Brook Trio:  
My Family Immigration Story**

Sunday, July 14, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Music of American Immigrants —  
Cleveland Chinese Music Ensemble**

Sunday, August 4, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**Documentary — *Dalya's Other Country* (2017)**

Directed by Julia Meltzer  
Presented by The Refugee Response  
Tuesday, August 6, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

**MAIN LIBRARY**

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**HOURS**

Monday - Saturday  
9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
Sunday  
1:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.



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An Interactive Exhibit,  
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Workshops and  
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Wick Poetry Center  
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# TRAVELING STANZAS: IMMIGRANT VOICES

Lakewood Public Library and the Friends of Lakewood Public Library are proud to partner with the Wick Poetry Center at Kent State University to host *Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices*, an interactive exhibit including creative writing tools and activities. Acknowledging the unique experiences of immigrants in our community, this public display engages a dialogue through the intimate and inclusive voice of poetry. *Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices* will be on view from March 1 through April 30, 2019. The exhibit is open during Library hours, Monday through Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Sunday 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Main Library Second Floor Gallery and complementary display at the Madison Branch, with supporting programs throughout the spring and summer.

*Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices* contains original poetry written by people in our community. Prior to the exhibit, teacher artist Katie Daley, worked with groups from the Cuyahoga Community College's Aspire ESOL classes at Taft School, students in the ASIA Inc. After School program and students from Garfield and Harding Middle Schools. During these workshops, students were engaged with writing prompts and exercises to write verse that reflect experiences from childhood, their home countries and daily life in general.

Lakewood Public Library invites you to read and share in these unique experiences, and learn more about the backgrounds, observations and feelings of our neighbors by visiting the *Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices* exhibit.



## PROGRAMS

Programs are listed in chronological order. For programs that require registration, please register online at [lakewoodpubliclibrary.org/youth](http://lakewoodpubliclibrary.org/youth) or call (216) 226-8275, ext. 140, unless noted otherwise.

### Exhibit — *Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices*

Presented by The Wick Poetry Center at Kent State University  
Friday, March 1, 2019 through Tuesday, April 30, 2019  
Main Library Second Floor Gallery (main exhibit)  
Madison Branch Auditorium (complementary display)

### Youth Program — Puerto Rican Water Bottle Güiro: For Students in First through Fifth Grade

Sunday, March 3, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room  
Wednesday, March 6, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Madison Branch Auditorium  
Registration is required.

### Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices Poetry Contest

Submissions accepted between Monday, March 4, 2019 and Monday, April 15, 2019 at 9:00 p.m.  
Main Library and Madison Branch  
Submissions accepted at any Library service desk and via email to [events@lakewoodpubliclibrary.org](mailto:events@lakewoodpubliclibrary.org). Please include your name, contact information and age group.

### Youth Program — Burmese Marionette Puppets: For Students in Third through Fifth Grade

Monday, March 4, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room  
Registration is required.

### Youth Program — Immigrant Voices Drop-in Story time: For All Ages

Tuesday, March 5, 2019 at 10:30 a.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room  
Registration is required.

### Staffed Exhibit Times

Wednesdays, March 6, 2019 through April 24, 2019  
from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. or by appointment for groups of eight or more  
Main Library Second Floor Gallery  
To schedule for groups of eight or more please email [events@lakewoodpubliclibrary.org](mailto:events@lakewoodpubliclibrary.org) or call (216) 226-8275, ext. 174.

### Youth Program — The Art of Ebru, Paper Marbling: For Students in Third through Sixth Grade

Thursday, March 7, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Main Library Activity Room  
Registration is required.

### Youth Program — Stories About Kenya! Meet Local Author, Daniel J. Cleary: For Students in Kindergarten through Fifth Grade

Friday, March 8, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
Main Library Multipurpose Room  
Registration is required.

### Traveling Stanzas: Immigrant Voices Grand Opening

Featuring: David Hassler, Director Wick Poetry Center;  
Katie Daley, Teaching Artist Wick Poetry Center and a performance by Global Connections  
Friday, March 8, 2019 music starts at 6:30 p.m.,  
opening remarks begin at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Grand Reading Room

### Poetry Workshops

Led by Leanne Hoppe  
Thursdays: March 14, 2019; March 28, 2019 and April 11, 2019  
Tuesdays: March 19, 2019 (18 and younger only); April 2, 2019 and April 16, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Second Floor Gallery  
Tuesday, March 19, 2019 is reserved for individuals 18 and under.

### Film — *The Namesake* (2006)

Directed by Mira Nair  
Saturday, March 23, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

### Documentary — *The Other Side of Immigration* (2009)

Directed by Roy Germano  
Presented by El Barrio Workforce Center  
Tuesday, April 2, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

### Music of American Immigrants — Brian and Kristen Bigley with Ruairi Hurley

Sunday, April 7, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

### Immigrant Voices

Presentation by Aklilu Demessie, Murat Gurer,  
Nar Pradhan, Kiwi Wongpeng  
Tuesday, April 9, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

### Film — *Piñero* (2001)

Directed by Leon Ichaso  
Saturday, April 13, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium

### Music of American Immigrants — Chardon Polka Band

Sunday, April 14, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.  
Main Library Auditorium