

KIDS MATTER HERE

Good Stuff About Our Grantees

Book Some Fun at the Main Library

Join the Detroit Public Library for fun and exciting activities geared toward the entire family on Saturday, Feb. 3.

The library kicks off African-American History Month at 11 a.m., featuring performances by Detroit-Windsor Dance Company. ♦ There will be music, storytellers and the history of Spoken Word in Friends Auditorium – Main Library, 5201 Woodward.



At 2 p.m., author Kevin Boyle will discuss "Arc of Justice," a saga of race and civil rights in the Jazz Age, chronicling the trial of Ossian Sweet – an African-American doctor notable for his refusal to leave his newly purchased home to a white mob attempting to force him out in 1925 – and what this event has meant for Detroit. ♦ You also will be able to tour the exhibits of the Fred Hart Williams Society – the first African-American Genealogical Society in Michigan – and the African-American History in stamps, presented by the U.S. Postal Service.

Come and explore the world in a cultural marketplace from noon until 5 p.m., and check out artifacts, books, jewelry, clothing and art from around the world. Also, a variety of ethnic foods will be available.

The library will be open to the public, and the celebration runs from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. ♦

For more information, call 313.833.4042, or visit www.detroitpubliclibrary.org.

Come, learn and enjoy!



The Skillman
FOUNDATION

Created in 1960, The Skillman Foundation helps children in metropolitan Detroit by improving their homes, schools, and neighborhoods. Read this page every week for important news about Skillman Foundation grantees and their work.

100 TALON CENTRE DRIVE, SUITE 100
DETROIT, MI 48207
313.393.1185

www.skillman.org
mailbox@skillman.org