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Spooky Presentations and Special Guests Coming to DPLS libraries

[DEFIANCE] – Searching for some fall fun? Defiance Public Library System has you covered, with an assortment of spooky presentations and special guests coming to the area this fall.

Graveyard Shift

Author and paranormal investigator Sherri Brake is no stranger to cemeteries. On Oct. 11, she'll share some of her eeriest discoveries with us at the Stroede Center for the Arts, 319 Wayne Ave., Defiance, beginning at 6 p.m. The event is free and open to the public, so bring a friend--if you dare! (Presentation is geared to adults and teens.)

Meet the Renegade, Simon Girty

Simon Girty was an American colonial who was kidnapped by the Seneca. Following his full assimilation, he was portrayed as a villain, even into the current century. Come meet Simon, as historian David Westrick brings him to life to share his story in a live performance Oct. 18 beginning at 5 p.m. at Johnson Memorial Library, 116 W. High St., Hicksville, in the Community Room. No registration is required, and all are welcome to attend.

Is Defiance Public Library...haunted?

Legends and ghost stories abound in Ohio. Paranormal investigator James Willis, founder of ghostsofohio.org, has travelled all over the state gathering stories of hauntings, and he's coming to share them with us Nov. 6 beginning at 6 p.m. at the Stroede Center for the Arts, 319 Wayne Ave., Defiance. This event is free and open to the public. No registration or tickets required. (Presentation is geared to adults and teens.) The best part? He'll share the results of a recent investigation at Defiance Public Library.

For more information about Defiance Public Library System's programs and events, visit defiancelibrary.org/calendar or call your library.

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