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September is Literacy Month: Be a Literacy Tutor and Change a Life

Over 20 Literacy Agencies to Participate in FAMILY LITERACY FAIR at the Main Library on Saturday, September 24– 1:30-4:00 p.m.

September is National Literacy Month, a time to focus attention on the fundamental role of literacy in all areas of our lives. In recognition of this important theme, the Public Library of Cincinnati & Hamilton County will host its fifth annual Family Literacy Fair on Saturday, September 24 from 1:30-4:00 p.m. at the Main Library, 800 Vine Street.

Whether seeking help with learning initial reading or language skills, improving current reading or language skills, exploring educational opportunities as a returning student, or information on volunteer opportunities, the Family Literacy Fair is an opportunity for individuals and families alike to find out about free literacy help, including:

- Agencies that provide literacy and educational services to youth and adults
- Free Literacy Help and Volunteer Opportunities in the Area
- Information on Volunteering Opportunities
- Information on Screen and Classes for Children and Adults with Profound Reading Difficulties
- GED Preparation Classes
- English as a Second Language

The Cincinnati Reds have gone to bat for literacy! Anyone attending the fair can register to win prizes and a set of four tickets for the Cincinnati Reds' Sunday, September 25 game against the Phillies at 1:15 p.m.

For more information, contact the Literacy Coordinator at (513) 369-4570.

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✓ Information about events at the Main Library and 41 branch libraries is available on the Internet site: www.CincinnatiLibrary.org.