Macomb Reads Carnival

Target Audience: Pre-K through Elementary Students and Families

When: Saturday, November 8, 2025, from 10:00am-2:00pm

Location: Macomb ISD, 44001 Garfield Road, Clinton Township, Michigan

Kickoff: 10:00am - Join JoAnn Purtan and Mark Hackel at the Event Kickoff!

Special Guests: Author Johnathan Rand, Author Leslie Helakoski, Illustrator Bea Jackson,

County Executive Mark Hackel, and Radio Co-Host JoAnne Purtan

Festival Activities:

- Puppet Show: Alex Thomas & Friends
- Magician Jasen Magic
- Authors Johnathan Rand & Leslie Helakoski
- Illustrator Bea Jackson
- FREE Children's Books
- STEM & Art Activities
- DJ, Puppets, Music & Games
- Costumed Characters & School Mascots

Register Online: www.misd.net/MacombReads

Partners: Macomb County School Districts, Macomb County, All The World's A Stage,

Anton Art Center, Detroit Zoo, Huron-Clinton Metroparks, Jimmy John's Field & USPBL