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At 1 pm on every Saturday in March, Marion Carnegie Library will host automotive maintenance classes for everyone aged 10 – 18. These classes are made possible by the library's PNG at MCL program and by Hale's Automotive of Marion, who will lend their service truck to the library each weekend in March.

"Automotive Maintenance Month" will offer a chance to learn essential car maintenance skills like putting on a spare tire, changing windshield wiper blades, and more. Each week's class will feature a new topic. These classes will equip participants with the knowledge to handle basic maintenance tasks confidently.

Mike Whitver, the library's Technology Lab Mentor, will lead the classes. Mike has worked in the automotive industry for many years and is currently a student in SIU Carbondale's world-renowned Automotive Technology program. "I am excited to lead these activities after running similar automotive programs in Chicago! The kids will be able to get completely hands-on and learn skills they'll be able to use for the rest of their lives," says Whitver.

PNG at MCL events are always free and open to everyone aged 10 - 18. No library card is required to attend and a full rundown of PNG at MCL programs and events is available at marioncarnegielibrary.org/PNGatMCL and you can find a full lineup of library events at marioncarnegielibrary.org/events!

About Marion Carnegie Library

Marion Carnegie Library, standing on Marion's historic Market Street and in the direct center of Williamson County, is a public library with a collection including books, magazines, DVDs, audiobooks, digital content, and more. The library also offers public meeting spaces, a study room, printing and faxing services, access to electronic resources, Wi-Fi, public computers, and numerous free, in-library programs for all ages. Marion Carnegie Library is dedicated to fulfilling community educational, informational, cultural, and recreational needs in a relevant and timely manner.