



# Graham Gazette

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## “Name the Newsletter” Contest

Thanks to everyone who entered the “Name the Newsletter” contest. Congratulations to the lucky winners, who received a John Graham Library canvas tote bag and library note cards! The newsletter’s new name is the “Graham Gazette.”

*Congratulations!*

## Our Summer Reading Program is Coming!

Our annual Summer Reading Program begins on June 1<sup>st</sup>, with the theme of “Fizz, Boom, Read!” Watch upcoming newsletters for further information.

We’ll offer prizes for meeting your reading goals, and hold exciting special events.

## New Library Catalog

The library’s new catalog, Encore, is operational! Visit it at the library’s catalog computers or online at [catalog.cumberlandcountylibraries.org](http://catalog.cumberlandcountylibraries.org)

New features include:

- “Did You Mean?” search suggestions
- Personal Reading History
- Hold Request Improvements



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## Knitting Group

The John Graham Library’s Knitting Group meets at 1:00 pm on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Both beginners and experienced knitters are welcome!

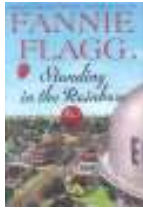


## Book Club

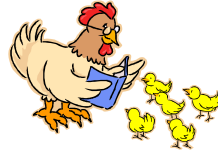
The John Graham Library's Book Club meets at 1:00 pm on the first Monday of every month from October through May.

We will discuss ***Standing in the Rainbow*** by Fannie Flagg on February 10<sup>th</sup> and ***The English Assassin*** by Daniel Silva on March 3rd.

To request copies of these books, go to the Cumberland County Library System's website at [catalog.cumberlandcountylibraries.org](http://catalog.cumberlandcountylibraries.org) or ask a library employee.



## Storytime Corner



All children and caregivers are welcome on Tuesday mornings from 10:30 am-11:30 am for stories, songs, crafts, and occasional special visitors!

February Storytimes will feature the following themes:

February 4<sup>th</sup>: Groundhogs

February 11<sup>th</sup>: Love

February 18<sup>th</sup>: Penguins

February 25<sup>th</sup>: Teeth



## Did You Know? You Can See Historic Local Newspapers at the John Graham Library

The John Graham Public Library's collections include extensive holdings of local newspapers on microfilm, ranging in age from 1849 to 1991. The newspapers include:

- Weekly News (Shippensburg, 1/4/1849-6/12/1851)
- Valley Star (Newville, 11/25/1858-5/1925)
- Star of the Valley (Newville, 9/2/1865-12/28/1875)
- Plainfield Times (Plainfield, 5/11/1882-4/9/1902)
- Star and Enterprise (Newville, 1/6/1897-12/27/1906)
- The Times (Newville, 10/2/1901-12/1/1904)
- The Valley Times (Newville, 12/8/1904-12/29/1910)
- Valley Times-Star (Newville, 3/17/1927-1991)

Ask at the circulation desk to see the microfilmed newspapers.

