

BOSLER BUZZ



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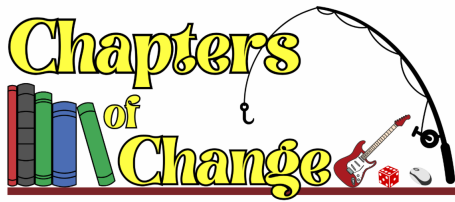
Bosler's first Open Mic Night of 2026 was a hit! We had a great variety of performers and musical genres! Open Mic Night takes place the fourth Wednesday of each month from 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm. Join us for our next event on Wednesday, February 25! All music makers, poets, and comedians are welcome to perform. All community members are invited to attend. Open to all ages and no pre-registration is required!

Spring Programming Guides Available

We have great programs happening this spring! For adults we have a local history series, health programs, a new Adult Lego Club, and much more. For kids we have monthly Tween Quest, Tween Tech Saturdays, Play and Learn Groups, and more!

**View our Spring 2026
Growing Learner's
Library Booklet
(Programs for ages
birth to 17 years)**

**View our Spring 2026
Carlisle Institute
Booklet (Programs for
adults)**



Thank you to everyone who responded with a gift to Bosler's 2025-2026 annual campaign. As of January 31st, we have reached 76% of our \$130,000 goal!

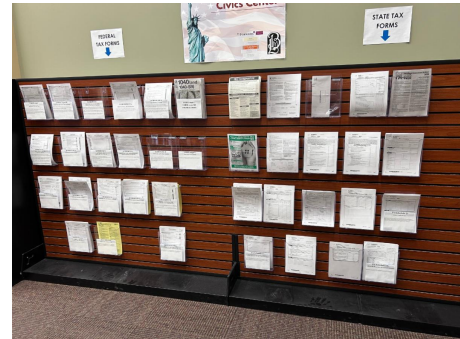
Every donation, regardless of size, contributes to our mission of empowering lifelong learning. If you haven't done so yet, please join us today in investing in tomorrow's minds with your donation **here**.

For questions, please contact Molly Shane, Development Officer, at (717) 243-4642, ext. 3222 or mshane@cumberlandcountylibraries.org.

Donate Now!

Tax Forms are Available

Bosler has printed income tax forms available for patrons to take. These are located on the first floor near the Information Services Desk. Federal, state, and local forms are available. We have a large variety of forms pre-printed, if you need a tax form that is not currently available please ask at a staff member and we would be happy to print it for you, at no charge.



Bosler is also a proud partner of the United Way of the Capital Region's Money in Your Pocket Program. This program provides free tax preparation services to eligible individuals. To learn more about this program please visit:

<https://www.uwcr.org/how-we-help/resources/money-in-your-pocket/>



Travel with Me (7 to 10 years)

Kids ages 7 to 10 are invited to join us as we "travel" to explore the seven Wonders of the World!



Purple Sunrise Trio

Classic Rock and...
...a few surprises.

Music @ Bosler: Purple Sunrise Trio

Join us for this month's Music @ Bosler featuring The Purple Sunrise Trio! This will be a great performance of classic rock, plus a few surprises!

Thursdays in March: 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

Registration is required, register for [Travel with Me.](#)

Friday, February 27 at 7:00 pm

Our Music at Bosler concert series is made possible in part from the Arts for All Fund, a charitable fund of the Greater Harrisburg Community Foundation, a regional foundation of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC).



Medici.tv now available!

Last summer the Cumberland County Library System offered a "Summer Treat" of Medici.tv. We are excited to announce that it is now available for all of 2026! Medici.tv is a premier resource for classical music programming including stunning live events from the world's most prestigious halls, plus thousands of concerts, operas, ballets, and more in the video-on-demand catalog.

Medici.tv can be watched on all digital devices through their website and mobile apps. Simply enter your library card number and start watching!

[Access Medici.tv today!](#)

History of Superstitions

Why do we fear the number 13? What's with pennies in wishing wells? Are you scared of black cats? Discover the quirky and mysterious roots of everyday superstitions. Join us for this intriguing presentation (just before Friday the 13th) presented by Rissa Miller.



Wednesday, March 11 at 6:00 pm

Rissa Miller is an editor, author, herbalist, seer, and storyteller. Her storytelling expertise stems from extensive research into the area of esoteric history, including ghosts, witchcraft, cryptids, and folklore. Rissa believes the most enduring stories teach us not only about humanity's past, but also give reason to reflect on our own present beliefs and realities.

Registration is required. **[Register for History of Superstitions.](#)**



Dementia Friends Information Session

Dementia Friends is a global movement developed by the Alzheimer's Society in the United Kingdom and now underway in the United States. The goal is to help everyone in a community understand five key messages about dementia, how it affects people, and how we each can make a difference in the lives of people living with the disease. This program will describe what dementia is, how it affects people, and help you recognize how you can make a difference. Presented by Beth Greenberg.

Thursday, March 5 at 6:00 pm.

Registration is required. [Register to learn about Dementia Friends.](#)



Adult LEGO Club

Adults (ages 18+) are invited to join us for exciting LEGO challenges! Bosler will provide the LEGOs.

Join us for our first session on March 7 from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. No registration is required.

[Check out the future dates and the topics for Adult LEGO Club.](#)

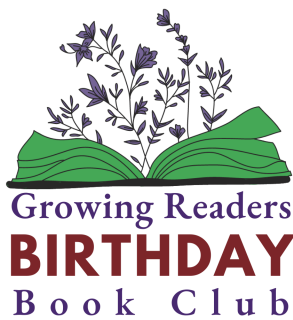


information and a link to donate online.

Support lifelong learning through Match Madness this March! With a matching gift incentive of \$150,000 from the **Partnership for Better Health, WellSpan Health, and other partners**, Bosler Memorial Library will receive a portion of that sum based on what we raise! Check your email inbox this March 1-31 for more

Growing Readers Birthday Book Club

Bosler's Growing Readers Birthday Book Club is a special service just for children from birth to 5 years of age. Register your child for the Birthday Book Club any time before their fifth birthday, and the Library will send them a special birthday card each year! Bring that card to the Library, and we will give your child a new paperback book to keep



– Bosler's birthday gift to your special reader! To participate, you must reside in Bosler's service area and register your child for a library card.

The Growing Readers Birthday Book Club is partially supported through funds received from the **United Way of Carlisle and Cumberland County** and **Karns Quality Foods**.

Sign your child up for the Growing Readers Birthday Book Club!



Teen Cafe

Teens, ages 13 to 17, are invited to join us each Wednesday for an exciting game, craft, or activity! Topics will be posted in the Teen Room.

Wednesdays from 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

No registration is required.

ADULT COLORING NIGHTS



Adult Coloring Nights

Join us the second Wednesday of each month and color! Colored pencils and coloring sheets will be provided.

March 11

April 8

4:30 pm to 7:30 pm

No registration required.

Saigon 1973 - 1975: Not the Usual War Stories **Monday, March 16 at 6:00 pm**

Many people believe the Vietnam War ended when the United States military left, but that is only partially true. Between the signing of the Paris Peace Accords on January 28, 1973, and the fall of Saigon on April 30, 1975, fighting between North and South Vietnam continued while several thousand American civilians, including families with young children, lived and worked in Vietnam. Karen Kaiser and Kat Fitzpatrick were among them.

Using images and personal stories—some harrowing, some humorous—Karen and Kat share their real-life experiences in Saigon during the last days of the Vietnam War. You will learn why they were invited into a critical war zone, the nature of a super-secret



propaganda radio station, what challenges they faced, and how they made it out in time.

Registration is required. Register for Saigon 1973 - 1975.



Keith Falconer (center), Executive Director of the **G.B. Stuart Charitable Foundation**, stopped by the Library earlier this month to accept the **2025 Nancy J. George Library Champion Award** on behalf of the G.B. Stuart Foundation. Pictured with Keith are Jeff Swope, Executive Director of Bosler Memorial Library, and Molly Shane, Bosler's Development Officer. The Nancy J. George Library Champion Award recognizes individuals, businesses, and organizations that have contributed tremendously to outstanding library service in our community.



Tween Quest (9 to 12 years)

Tweens ages 9 to 12 are invited to come to the library each month to try a new game, activity, or art project! We have a new topic each month, check them out below:

March - Puff Paint T-shirts
April - Create a Planter Garden (join us in the Children's Learning Garden)
May - Cyanotypes

Monday, March 2 at 4:00 pm

Registration is required. [Register for March Tween Quest.](#)



Local History Series: America 250

Join CCHS' Education Director, Matthew March, for a celebration of the 250th anniversary of the American Revolution. This session will focus on the people and stories of Cumberland County, which made it vital to the formation of the United States of America.

This program is in partnership with the Cumberland County Historical Society.

Wednesday, March 18 at 6:00 pm

Registration is required. [Register for America 250.](#)



909 Walnut Bottom Road, Carlisle

Wednesday, March 25, 2026

11:00 am—8:00 pm



**Enjoy a delicious dinner with
family and friends,
and up to 25% of the cost of your meal
will support the Bosler Memorial Library!**

*** Dine-in orders only. ***

****Please do not hand out flyers at Hoss's
during the event****

GROUP: BOSLER GROUP #133276

Dine to donate and help the Bosler Memorial Library! Our next dine out fundraiser will take place on March 25 at Hoss's on 909 Walnut Bottom Road from 11:00 am until 8:00 pm. Bring the flyer with you and up to 25% of the cost of your meal will support the Bosler Memorial Library!

Storytimes

Bosler hosts regular storytimes all year long, every week! Check below to see the ages and days and times available. These storytimes do not require registration, **please drop-in!***

*Space is limited, so be sure to arrive early.

Baby Time (Birth to 18 months)

Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:30 am to 10:00 am

Toddler Tales (19 to 35 months)

Mondays and Wednesdays from 10:15 am to 10:45 am

- and - Wednesdays from 11:15 am to 11:45 am

Preschool Storytime (3 to 6 years)

Mondays from 11:15 am to 12:00 pm - and -
Fridays from 10:30 am to 11:15 am

**American Red Cross Blood Drive**

The Bosler Memorial Library is a premier Blood Drive location for the American Red Cross. Donate today and help save lives!

[Donate at one of Bosler's upcoming Blood Drives.](#)

**Found inside the Library!**

We have a new supply of puppets! Check these out in the Youth Services Department, you can either enjoy them at the Library or check them out and take them home!

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