

The
Growing Learner's
Library

READ, EXPLORE, DISCOVER



Fall 2018
Program Booklet

Welcome to the Growing Learner's Library

The Growing Learner's Library Program Booklet is published in the spring and fall of each year. It contains information about the exciting activities for you and your family at the Library. Please keep in mind as you plan your library visits:

- **Youth Services programs are designed for attendance by both children and their adult parent/caregiver. Please be prepared to stay and enjoy the program with your child. Our attended child policy requires a parent/guardian or caregiver to accompany children ages 12 and under at all times.**
- Registration for each session opens at 10:00 am on the registration date indicated and closes 24 hours before the start of each program unless otherwise noted.
- When registering for programs that run for five-weeks (indicated in the booklet), you are registering to attend all five weeks of the program.
- If you register for a program and discover that you cannot attend, please contact the Youth Services Department at 243-4642, ext.2231 to be removed from our registration list so that others on the waiting list can attend. For multiple class programs, your child will get the most out of the program if they attend all of the classes. If you find you are unable to attend at least three or more of the classes, please consider registering at another time.
- We understand that sometimes a child needs a break. Please feel free to step out of a program if necessary and rejoin us later.
- Please be advised that the Library sometimes photographs group programs for use in the Library's publications and advertisements. Photos are the property of Bosler Memorial Library. If you would prefer not to appear in any group photo taken by the Library, please advise your program leader prior to the event.

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2018 Sessions (Sessions 6 and 7 in this Booklet)

Session 6: September 10 to October 14, registration opens August 27

Session 7: November 5 to December 9, registration opens October 22

Bosler Memorial Library
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United Way of Carlisle
& Cumberland County

**The Library will be closed on
September 3, November 7 and 22,
December 24 and 25.**

**The Library will open at noon on
October 3 and close at 5pm on
December 31.**

Monday through Friday 10am to 9pm
Information Services and Youth Services Departments
close at 8:45pm. Library doors are locked at 8:55pm

Saturday 10am to 5pm
Information Services and Youth Services Departments
close at 4:45pm. Library doors are locked at 4:55pm

Sunday 1pm to 5pm
Information Services and Youth Services Departments
close at 4:45pm. Library doors are locked at 4:55pm

Member of the Cumberland County Library System

Parking is available in the Library's parking lot located at the rear of the Library. You may also park in the Pomfret Street Garage and the Library can validate your ticket. In addition, there is metered parking on the street surrounding the Library and free parking within the surrounding blocks. The Library's parking lot has handicap parking spaces and there are two metered handicap parking spaces on High Street directly in front of the Library.

Note: For programs beginning before 10am, please use rear entrance.

Baby Time
Birth to 18 months
Session 6:
 Tuesdays, 11:00am to 11:45am
 Thursdays, 9:30am to 10:15am
Session 7:
 Tuesdays, 10:30am to 11:15am
 Wednesdays, 9:30am to 10:15am
Program Length: 45 minutes
Registration Limit: 10

Your infant has so many things to learn! You and your child will learn songs and rhymes you can share. You will also learn ways to be your child's first, forever, and best teacher. We share a special book for babies in each class. For moms, dads, grandparents and anyone else who cares for your infant.

(Note: There will be no program on 11/7.)

Toddler Tales
19 to 35 months
Session 6:
 Wednesdays, 9:30am to 10:15am
 Thursdays, 10:30am to 11:15am
Session 7:
 Tuesdays, 9:30am to 10:15am
 Thursdays, 9:30am to 10:15am
Program Length: 45 minutes
Registration Limit: 12

There's so much to explore and discover! Help your child develop a love of reading and learning at Toddler Tales, while you learn some tips and tricks to continue teaching her at home. Stories, songs, rhymes and finger plays, as well as a chance to explore things around her with hands-on activities and interact with other children her age.

(Note: There will be no program on 10/3 and 11/22.)

Preschool Storytime
3 to 6 years
Session 6:
 Mondays, 9:30am to 10:15am
 Wednesdays, 10:30am to 11:15am
Session 7:
 Mondays, 9:30am to 10:15am
 Thursdays, 10:30am to 11:15am
Program Length: 45 minutes
Registration Limit: 15

Preschool Storytime is fun, educational, and helps give your child a solid foundation for the future! Enjoy age-appropriate books, hands-on crafts, and activities that encourage your child to ask questions and explore the world around him. Your child will leave with early learning skills that will help her succeed in school and in life!

Preschool Poetry Builders
(3 to 6 years old)
Session 7:
 Mondays, 10:30am to 11:15am
Program Length: 45 minutes
Registration Limit: 15

For children ages 3 to 6, this special storytime features great poetry and fun play with blocks and other toys!

Coming October 19 through 27, 2018



Discovery Programs

Birth to 23 months

Note: For programs beginning before 10am, please use rear entrance.



123 Play With Me
Wednesdays, 10:45am to 11:45am
Program Length: 60 minutes

Session: 7

Registration Limit: 12

123 Play With Me is a series of programs for parents and their children. Join us for an hour of play with your child, a short circle time, and meet some community resource specialists who can answer your questions about your child's development.
(Note: There will be no program on 11/7.)



Stay and Play
Tuesdays, 9:15am to 10:00am
Program Length: 45 minutes

Session: 6

Registration Limit: 12

An hour to spend some time focusing on your infant or toddler, having fun together with our developmentally appropriate toys, and sharing the joys and challenges of parenting with others going through the same stages!

19 to 35 months

Toddler Holiday Stories and More

Program Length: 45 minutes **Registration Limit: 12**

Our Toddler storytime with a holiday theme!

Halloween

Session: 6

Thursday, October 25, 9:30am to 10:15am

Thanksgiving

Session: 7

Friday, November 16, 9:15am to 10:00am
Saturday, November 17, 10:00am to 10:45am

Christmas

Saturday, December 15, 10:00am to 10:45am

3 to 6 years

Preschool Holiday Stories and More

Program Length: 45 minutes **Registration Limit: 15**

Our Preschool storytime with a holiday theme!

Halloween

Session: 6

Sunday, October 28, 3:00pm to 3:45pm
Monday, October 29, 6:00pm to 6:45pm

Charlie Brown Thanksgiving

Session: 7

Saturday, November 10, 11:00am to 11:45am

Christmas

Sunday, December 16, 1:30pm to 2:15pm
Tuesday, December 18, 6:00pm to 6:45pm

The New Baby and Me: A Special Program for New Siblings

Join us for our new storytime, just for kids **ages 3 to 6 years old** who are expecting a new brother or sister. We'll celebrate your impending or new arrival by spending an hour together hearing great stories about siblings, and practicing some Big Kid skills to help mom and dad with the new baby. A special gift awaits each new big brother or sister who participates.

Program Length: 60 minutes

Registration Limit: 10 per session

Session: 6

Session: 7

Tuesday, October 16, 10:30am to 11:30am

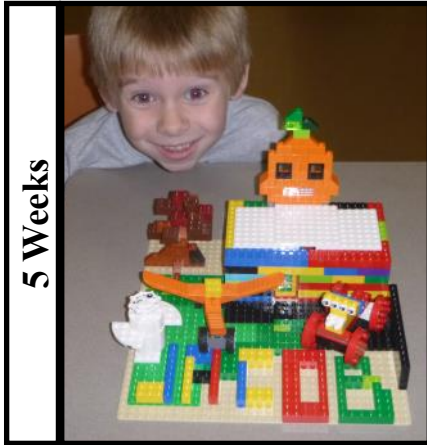
Thursday, December 13, 10:30am to 11:30am

Discovery Programs

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3 to 6 years

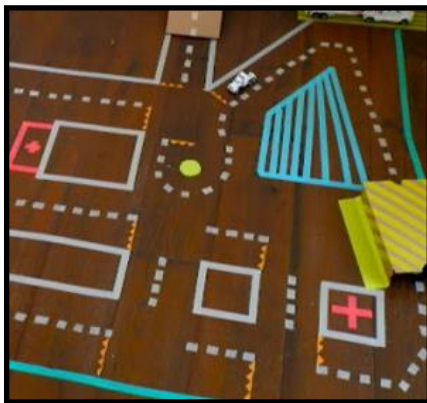


Little Legos
Mondays, 10:30am to 11:15am
Program Length: 45 minutes
Registration Limit: 12 per session

Session: 6

Little Legos is a special monthly Lego Club for children ages 3 to 6 years. Each class will feature a different challenge for young builders. We provide the baseplates and Lego bricks, you and your child provide the fun! Creations will be photographed and shared on the Library's Facebook page.

5 to 8 years



Tape Town
December 26, 27, 28
10:00am to 11:00am or 6:00pm to 7:00pm each day
December 29
10:00am to 11:00am or 1:00pm to 2:00pm
Program Length: 60 minutes
Registration Limit: 12 per class

Session: 7

Join us for a drive through Tape Town, a giant system of roadways, where you can visit all kinds of shops and travel side streets to some new and very interesting villages. Bring your own car (matchbox size work best), or we'll have a limited supply of "rental cars."

Special Events

October

Spooky Saturday (Downtown Halloween event)

October 20, Noon to 3:00pm

Kids twelve and younger, put on your best holiday costume, and trick-or-treat through the downtown businesses and organizations, including Bosler Library! Pick up your map of participating businesses at Georgie Lou's Retro Candy (56 W. High Street).

December

Doughnuts with Santa

December 1, 9:00am to 11:00am

Families are invited to join us for some sweet refreshments, as the big guy makes a stop at Bosler Library to hear kids' holiday wish lists. There are holiday games, classic holiday cartoons, and a free gift from Santa for each child. Parents and grandparents, feel free to bring your camera to capture the holiday memories as your little one whispers in Santa's ear.

School Age Programs

Note: For programs beginning before 10am, please use rear entrance.

5 Weeks

Travel With Me!

(Grades K through 2)

Thursdays, 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Kids in K-2nd grades are invited to join us for our new Travel with Me! program. We will be journeying to Mexico, Nigeria, China, Italy and Iraq over the 5 weeks of the program. The activities for this program focus on the cultural aspects of the countries, such as music, art, stories, food, language and games, as well as much more!

Program Length: 60 minutes

Registration Limit: 12

Session: 6



5 Weeks

Lego Club

(Grades K through 5)

Session 6: Sundays, 1:30pm to 2:30pm

Program Length: 60 minutes

Registration Limit: 12 for each session

Kids in Kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to join our 5-week Lego Club! We'll provide the baseplates and Lego bricks, you provide the ideas! Each class will feature a different challenge for our young builders, and the results will be photographed and shared on the Library's Facebook page.

Session 7: Wednesdays, 6:00pm to 7:00pm

(Note: There will be no program on 11/7.)

Sessions: 6 and 7



5 Weeks

Meet the Artists: The Baker Street Edition

(Grades K through 3)

Tuesdays, 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Pairing mystery solving with creative design, we'll first put your deductive powers to the test, as we share some adaptations of classic Sherlock Holmes stories. Then we'll see if you can use your creative talents to help create two new faux stained glass transoms to decorate our new reading room for adults!

Program Length: 60 minutes

Registration Limit: 15

Session: 7

5 Weeks

American Girls Club: Meet Addy

(Grades 2 through 4)

Sundays, 1:30pm to 2:30pm

It's the summer of 1864, and Addy Walker's family is planning a dangerous escape. Born into slavery, the family is split apart before they can make their escape. Follow Addy's adventures as she bravely works towards freedom, for herself and her family. Participants will read the first book in the series about Addy, and then experience her time period with discussion of the book, as well as hands-on activities focusing on the crafts, cooking, and games of the time period. All participants will receive a copy of the book.

Program Length 60 minutes

Registration limit: 12

Sessions: 7



LEAP Into Science Family Day: Balance (Elementary Age Children)

One Day Event: Saturday, November 24, 10:30am to 11:30am

Program Length: 60 minutes

Registration Limit: 10 families

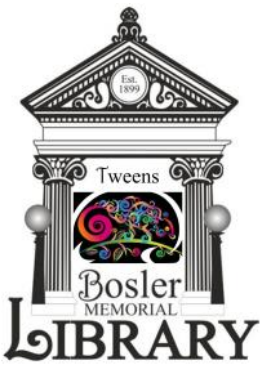
We balance all the time, without even realizing it. We balance when we stand, walk, and run! This one-day family workshop invites you and your family to have fun exploring balance in objects, as well as in your own bodies!

Session: 7

Tween Programs

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Note: For programs beginning before 10am, please use rear entrance.



5 Weeks

Space Camp
(Grades 3 to 6)
Saturdays, 10:30am to 11:30am
Program lengths: 60 minutes
Registration limit: 12

Sun, moons, stars, and planets. Explore them all in our Space Camp for ages 9 to 12, with fun hands-on activities and your own Space Camp Lab Book to take home!

Session: 6

Holiday Art Series (Ages 7 to 12)

Through these individual programs we bring our Meet the Artists format to the holidays giving children ages 7 to 12 an opportunity to explore the artistic styles of well-known artists while creating their own holiday projects.

Session: 6

Halloween
(featuring the style of Vincent Van Gogh)
Saturday, October 27, 11:00am-Noon
Tuesday, October 30, 6:00pm-7:00pm

The Meet the Artist and American Girls Club programs are made possible with funds contributed through the Pennsylvania Educational Improvement Tax Credit program (EITC) by Orrstown Bank and Weis Markets.

Program Length: 60 minutes.
Registration Limit: 15 per session.

Session: 7

Thanksgiving
(featuring the style of Wayne Thiebaud)
Saturday, November 10, 9:30am-10:30am
Thursday, November 15, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Christmas
(featuring the style of Richard Diebenkorn)
Saturday, December 8, 10:00am-11:00am
Tuesday, December 11, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Teen Programs



STEM Building Challenge (Ages 13-17)
Tuesday, September 25, 4:00pm to 4:45pm **Program Length: 45 minutes**
Location: Teen Room **Registration Limit: 15**
With 100 cups, can you build a structure to rival the Great Pyramid? Can you make a sturdy bridge with nothing but spaghetti and marshmallows? We challenge you with these tasks, and maybe a few more! You bring the ideas and talent, we'll provide the supplies. Show us what you've got!

Session: 6

Teen Art Challenge (Ages 13-17)
Wednesday, November 21, 4:00pm to 4:45pm
Location: Teen Room

Art comes in many forms, and is made up of all types of media. We've got some unusual items that you might not think of when someone says "art," but this month we're challenging you to turn them into just that! Think you're up for the challenge?

Session: 7

Program Length: 45 minutes
Registration Limit: 15

Sharpie Tie Dye (Ages 13-17)
Wednesday, December 12, 4:00pm to 5:00pm
Location: Teen Room

Create a unique t-shirt for yourself, or as a gift! Using Sharpies, participants will learn how to create a tie dye effect. Plan your design, and we'll show you how to turn it into an artistic piece of attire.

Session: 7

Program Length: 60 minutes
Registration Limit: 10

GREATER CARLISLE AREA OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUR GROWING LEARNER

Here is a list of other learning opportunities in the area. The list is not comprehensive but highlights just some of the opportunities available. These programs offer more ways for young people to continue to learn, explore and discover.

DICKINSON COLLEGE

Dickinson Farm

Offers great programs on sustainability for area youth. Go to www.dickinson.edu/farm, then select Farm Events, then Programs for Youth. They also offer guided tours of the Farm for the public!

The Trout Gallery

This art museum of Dickinson College seeks to inspire creativity and to support the study and experience of the visual arts. Besides students and faculty, residents of the Central Pennsylvania area are welcomed to enjoy its collections, exhibitions, programs, publications, and professional resources. [Www.troutgallery.org](http://www.troutgallery.org) or call (717) 245-1344.

Performances / Events

The arts are the creative core of Dickinson College. The community is invited to poetry, art, music, dance, stargazing, and theatre performances. www.dickinson.edu/events or call (717) 245-1289.

AGRICULTURE

Penn State Extension

Offers programs and workshops on nutrition and parenting, as well as overseeing the Cumberland County 4-H program for kids. <http://extension.psu.edu/cumberland> or call (717) 240-6500.

FINANCE

Maranatha-Carlisle

Maranatha-Carlisle is a charitable ministry whose primary focus is to educate consumers about sound financial management. We help individuals and families establish household budgets that are realistic and manageable. <http://maranatha-carlisle.org/wordpress/>

COMMUNITY/EDUCATION

Hope Station

Hope Station offers several excellent programs for area youth, such as Homework Club for elementary age children, the Kids Café after-school snack program, and their Youth Leadership Program for high school students. Get more information at www.hopestationcarlisle.org.

HEALTH, FITNESS, AND RECREATION

Carlisle Family YMCA

To promote personal growth, enhance family values and provide community service through programs available to all. <http://www.carlislefamilyymca.org/>

YWCA

The YWCA Carlisle is on a MISSION to eliminate racism, empower women and girls, stand up for social and racial justice, help families, and strengthen communities. To this end, they offer a wide variety of programs for everyone...female and male...preschoolers to seniors! To learn more and get involved, check out their wide range of preschool, summer camp, youth programs, adult classes, and racial justice programs. <http://ywcacarlisle.org/index.php/programs/>

The Carlisle Parks and Recreation Department (CPRD)

CPRD owns and/or maintains 18 park areas, the municipal building (Stuart Community Center, 415 Franklin Street), and other facilities totaling more than 175 acres of park land for the community. In addition, the department provides recreational programs and services for all ages such as dance classes, sport leagues, fitness programs, bus trips, craft classes, summer concerts, and more. <http://www.carlislepa.org/departments/parks-recreation/> or call (717) 243-3318.