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# ALL AGES

GAME DAY FOR ALL!
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1:30 – 4:30 PM
Game Day is fun for everyone, so join us in the
community room for an afternoon of board games,
cards, brain teasers and more! We will have some
games available, but please feel free to bring your
own! Bring your friends! All ages are welcome; 12
& under must be accompanied by an adult. No
registration necessary. registration necessary.

#### **BINGO FOR BOOKS FOR ALL AGES!**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1:30 PM OR 3:00 PM
Join us to play Bingo! Each person will win at least two
books to take home and keep. All ages are welcome;
ages 12 & under must be accompanied by an adult.

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## **2024 WINTER READING CHALLENGE**

**FEBRUARY 1 TO FEBRUARY 29** 

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fredricksen.beanstack.org
Do you love reading as much as we do? Join us for our
2024 Winter Reading Challenges. Earn badges and
virtual tickets for prizes by reading whatever you like
and doing activities. Register beginning February 1 at
fredricksen.beanstack.org.

# **SURVIVING CABIN FEVER CONCERT** with Kevin Neidig and Henry Koretzky THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 7 PM

This multi-talented acoustic duo will chase those cabin fever blues away with tunes designed to get your toes tapping. Kevin is an award-winning Americana singer/ songwriter/composer and multi-instrumentalist. Henry has been performing since the 1980s on mandolin, guitar and as a singer. Together, they showcase their individual talents and unique sound with music that will warm your heart.

#### STORIES AND SOUNDS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 AT 3 PM

This show introduces elementary school children to storytelling through music and theater. It features live performance by theater major students from CASA, Dr. Ai-Lin Hsieh, cello professor at Messiah University, and Peter Sirotin, Concertmaster of the Harrisburg Symphony & Director of Market Square Concerts. All ages welcome! No registration necessary.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

Ages 18+. For more details or to register go to fredricksenlibrary.org or call 761-3900 x 225.

#### A SHORT HISTORY OF FOLK MUSIC IN THE UNITED STATES (2 PART SERIES)

In both parts of the series, audience participation will be encouraged – singing, insights, dialogue, etc.
PART 1 – MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 7 – 8:30 PM
Part 1 will cover the years 1840-1940 - field songs, dance songs, songs about freedom and the railroad, protest, union, Dustbowl songs and more. PART 2 - MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 7 - 8:30 PM Part 2 begins with Woody Guthrie and includes Pete Seeger, Bob Dylan, Bruce Springsteen, Joan Baez, Tom Waits and others. We will share music that taps into escape, understanding, and transformation and we will talk about what Seeger called "the folk process."

BEEKEEPING 101 (5 SESSIONS) THURSDAYS - JAN. 4 - FEB. 1, 6:30 - 8:30 PM In this 5-week classroom course, Cornell Master Beekeeper Tiffany Ayres, will offer lessons structured to help the "newbee" beekeepers retain the shared information and apply to their own bees. For more information or questions see SayBees Apiary on Facebook. Cost is \$150 for all 5, 2-hour sessions. Registration required.

# **REMEMBERING THE HOLOCAUST**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Jenna Rappaport, the Director of Holocaust Education for the Jewish Federation of Greater Harrisburg, will tell her grandparents' harrowing stories of war and settling in Harrisburg, PA. Ms. Rappaport will then connect these themes of remembrance, strength, and resilience to current events and to the overall importance of continued Holocaust education.

## LINCOLN'S LIES, LEGENDS & MYTHS

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• SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2-3 PM

- Abraham Lincoln sets the record straight and separates
- fact from fiction. Join actor James Hayney in his
- portrayal of our nation's 16th President.

# INTRO TO PA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES HOME COMMUNITY BASED **WAIVER PROGRAM**

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 10 AM

Whether you are interested in employment, applying for services, or a combination of both, this presentation by the GHG Team will introduce you to the waiver program (www.dhs.pa.gov) and its relationship with the community. The team will offer assistance with the application process for services as well as employment opportunities. No registration necessary. Coffee and donuts provided.

## INTRO TO CARDIO-KICKBOXING

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2 PM

This intro class, suitable for all fitness levels, will give you the basics you need to start moving like a champ. Coach Andres Gutierrez has more than 30 years of experience and currently teaches at CMA West/Hampden Township Recreation Department. Wear athletic clothing and bring a water bottle. No registration necessary.

#### **HISTORY OF CLIMATE SCIENCE AND GLOBAL WARMING SINCE 1950**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 2 PM

Join historian Justin Suran as we explore a brief history of climate science and global warming in an effort to explain how scientists arrived at a global scientific consensus that humans are rapidly changing the climate.

# UP FROM OBSCURITY: SUCCESS STORIES FROM THE AGE OF **SEGREGATION**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1 PM

Join noted historian, John Maietta for Black History Month and an exploration of five notable African Americans of the 19th and early 20th centuries No registration required.

#### FILM

Attendees must be at least 18 years old. For more details or to register go to fredricksenlibrary.org

#### **INDIE & FOREIGN FILM FRIDAYS**

Watch the selected film and stay for the moderated discussion! You must have watched the film to participate in the discussion. Sponsored by Bill and

JAN 12. 2 PM. DISCUSSION TO FOLLOW AT 4 PM Gonzo: The Life and Work of Hunter S. Thompson (120 mins)

FEB 16, 2 PM, DISCUSSION TO FOLLOW AT 4 PM A White, White Day (109 mins)

**BLACK HISTORY MONTH FILM SERIES**These films, rated by Ebony, Esquire, The New Yorker and others, are some of the best in the entertainment industry today in recognizing African Americans and their voice in social commentary, U.S. and world history.

THURŚDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 6:30 PM

Till (2023)

- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 3:30 PM Black Panther: Wakanda Forever (2023) THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 6:30 PM
- One Night in Miami (2021)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 6:30 PM Judas and the Black Messiah (2021) THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 3:30 PM Nope (2022)

## **BOOK CLUBS**

You must have read or listened to the book to attend. Ages 18 and older. Registration open.

#### MOVING FORWARD BOOK GROUP

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH, 1 PM - 2 PM In cooperation with Hospice of Central PA, we will be reading books focusing on the redemptive power of the human spirit. You must have read or listened to the book to attend. Ages 18+. Hybrid meeting. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7
The Solace of Water by Elizabeth Byler Younts

#### **CURL UP WITH THE CLASSICS**

FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH, 10 AM - 11 AM
Join us as we discuss these classic plays! You must
have read or listened to the book to attend. Ages
18 and older, please. This program is sponsored in
memory of Marie Schleicher. Hybrid meeting. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6 - A Raisin in the Sun by Lorraine Hansberry

#### **CURL UP WITH THE CLASSICS SERIES:** Tales from the 1001 Nights translated by Sir Richard Burton

THURSDAYS, JAN 18 - FEB 22, 8 - 9 PM VIA ZOOM Join us online as we discover and discuss some of the Arabian Nights tales that have been translated by Sir Richard Burton. Please read the listed stories ahead of each meeting, but please don't read ahead. You can find the schedule on our website!

#### FREDRICKSEN READS

FOURTH MONDAY OF THE MONTH, 7 PM - 8 PM Join us on ZOOM for our Fredricksen Reads Book Discussions. You must have read or listened to the book to attend. Ages 18 and older, please. JAN 22 – Wandering Souls by Cecile Pin FEB 26 – Take My Hand by Dolen Perkins-Valdez

# LANGUAGE AT THE LIBRARY

Our expert leaders will guide you through conversation and culture.

#### **ITALIAN - CONVERSATION**

SECOND AND FOURTH THURSDAYS, 12:30 - 1:30 PM Join this language immersion conversation group with an experienced native teacher who will guide you through discussion, conversation and culture of the language. Some experience in the language is necessary. Registration is required to receive the

#### **ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS**

THURSDAYS, JAN. 18 - MARCH 21, 7:30 - 8:30 PM You will be learning the basics of the Italian language through live interactive classes and group work. A variety of online multimedia resources will be used to develop basic vocabulary, conversation skills and to introduce some cultural topics like cuisine, art, lifestyle, etc. Classes are very easy to access. You will receive a Zoom link invitation through which you will be automatically directed to your classroom. Ages 16 and older. Cost: \$120 for 10 classes. Students will be advised to also purchase a book online. Register online, by phone, or in person at the library.

#### **SPANISH - BEGINNER**

FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAYS, 10 - 11 AM Learn basic Spanish conversation in an informal and friendly setting. This immersive conversation workshop is a great way to acquire the fundamentals of a new language. No registration necessary.

#### SPANISH - INTERMEDIATE

SECOND & FOURTH THURSDAYS 10 - 11 AM The intermediate level speakers will have a chance to practice with one another in a casual setting. A themed conversation for each session will be announced. No registration necessary.

# FRENCH (ALL LEVELS) THURSDAYS 1 - 2 PM

Join this casual and fun conversation group. Some experience in the language is necessary Expert leaders will guide you through discussion, conversation and culture of the language. No registration necessary.

#### **ESL CONVERSATION CIRCLE**

MONDAYS, JAN 8 THROUGH FEB 19, 7 - 8 PM Adult English language learners can practice conversational English in a safe and welcoming environment. Registration is required. To register call, text or whats app Katie Martin-Momose at Catholic Charities 717.329.6139; kmartin@cchbg.org.

#### **GENERAL PROGRAMMING**

#### **COMPUTER ASSISTANCE**

WEDNESDAYS, JAN 17, 31, FEB 7, 21, 10 - 12PM Need help with the computers or printers? Ask any of your questions at the Reference Desk during the dates/times listed above. We'll have a dedicated volunteer to ready to help! No registration necessary.

# **COFFEE (BYO) AND CONVERSATION**

2ND MONDAY OF THE MONTH, 10 - 11:30 AM
This round table discussion will give participants an opportunity to share their life lessons in an informal, neutral, and respectful way while enjoying a favorite beverage (BYO or stop by our Coffee Corner). Each month the group will consider one or more topics and everyone attending will have the opportunity to highlight their experience with others gathered around the table. The group is facilitated by Jim Logue. No registration is required. Ages 18+.

#### **ASK A DIETICIAN**

WEDS, JAN 17, FEB 21, 9:30 - 11:30 AM Just inside the main entrance door Do you have questions about the food you are eating? What exactly is a healthy meal or snack? Chat with Registered Dietician Nutritionist Holly Conrady, MS, RDN, LDN from Penn State Health Holy Spirit Medical Center.

#### **HANDICAP CHESS & STRATEGY GAMES POSTER DONE**

1ST FRI, JAN 5, FEB 2, 4:30 - 8:30 PM Handicap chess allows players of different experience levels to play a competitive game of chess. The more experienced player will start the game with fewer experienced player will start the game with fewer pieces. The greater the difference in experience, the greater the amount of removed pieces. Players can play regular chess if they prefer. Participants are asked to bring a chess set, if possible, but it is not required to participate. Participants who want to expand their horizons are welcome to try other games of strategy. Beginners are welcome. Feel free to drop in when you can and leave when you need to. No registration required. Ages 14+ registration required. Ages 14+

#### **EMBROIDERER'S STITCH IN**

1ST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH, 1 PM - 4 PM Join us for an afternoon of working on your own project, sipping some tea (tea is provided; bring your own mug) and chatting with others. Learn some needlework tips, tricks and trends in the craft of embroidery. Don't have a current project? Just come and be inspired to start one! No registration necessary.

#### **MEDITATION TO CALM THE MIND**

THURSDAYS 12 - 12:30 PM

Learn short, easy 15-minute meditations to calm the mind. Meditation is an ancient tool to calm anxiety, worry, depression, and more. Led by Buddhist nun, Kelsang Chondzin, a teacher and practitioner of almost 20 years, these meditations are suitable for people of any religion. Everyone is welcome! No registration necessary.

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#### **\*THE PUZZLERS**

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- 2ND MON, JAN 8, FEB 12, 5 8:30 PM

- Enjoy seeing a jigsaw puzzle come together? Just
   grab one or two from your own stash and join fellow
   enthusiasts in choosing, assembling and enjoying the
   selected puzzle a 300-500 piece puzzle is suggested.

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- Drop in when you can and leave when you need. No . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
- registration necessary.

# THE WAR ROOM: MILITARY HISTORY

1ST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH, 6 PM - 8:30 PM Come and join your fellow military history aficionados in a meaningful discussion about battles and other military events ranging from circa 1000 BCE up to recent military history. The three priorities for this group are having fun, learning new things, and hopefully developing new friendships. Ages 16+.

#### PHILOSOPHERS' ROUNDTABLE

2ND MONDAY OF THE MONTH, 2 PM - 3:30 PM This round table discussion will apply the Socratic Method to help delve into philosophical discussions. Each month the group will choose a philosophical issue and everyone attending will have the opportunity to learn and discuss with others in an open and respectful environment. What a great way to expand your mind and reach further with your thoughts! Ages 18 +.

#### **CPBB MONTHLY BLOOD DRIVE**

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH, 10 AM - 5:30 PM Come and donate blood to the Central Pennsylvania Blood Bank – the bus will be parked along Walnut Street near Fredricksen's lower parking lot.
Registration is inside the library's lower level lobby.
Call CPBB 1-800-771-0059 with questions or to schedule an appointment. A form of ID is required to

#### **COMPUTER BASICS**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27 & FEBRUARY 24, 2-3 PM Improve your basic computer skills. Use our laptops or bring your own! In this session, we will introduce the parts of the computer, identify, and use essential keys on the keyboard, and work on mouse skills.

#### **DEVICE ADVICE**

THURSDAYS, DEC 7 - FEB 22, 5 - 6 PM
Need hands-on help with your smartphone, tablet, laptop or e-reader? Sign up for a thirty-minute Device Advice session for in person assistance. Bring your personal tablet, laptop, smartphone, or e-reader with you. Make sure you have all passwords you might need during the session.

#### FREDRICKSEN WRITES

1ST & 3RD MON, 7 - 8:30 PM Fredricksen Writes is for writers of all experience levels who want to be critiqued and in exchange provide critiques for other writers. This group is best suited for writers of memoirs, short stories, novels or essays. Join us to observe and learn what we're all about. Space is limited; registration required.

#### **PEACEFUL POSES YOGA**

FRIDAYS, JANUARY 12, FEBRUARY 23, 9:15 AM Join Ann Fields for an adult slow flow yoga class. This class will explore yoga poses, breathing techniques and ways to deal with stress and anxiety. No experience is necessary. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle and yoga mat. Registration suggested, but not required.

#### **GENEALOGY CLUB**

TUESDAY, JAN 16, FEB 13, 11 AM – 12 PM
During each session, we will spend time working on our individual research and have the opportunity to bounce our family history questions off of other club members. You will need to bring a computer for each session to work on your research and to access the different recovered.

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- JANUARY 16: Regular meeting
- FEBRUARY 13: Immigration records and ship
- passenger lists

#### **EVENING GENEALOGY CLUB**

TUESDAY, JAN 9, FEB 6, 5 - 6 PM
During the meeting, you will have the opportunity to work on your research and bounce your family history questions off of other club members. You will need to bring a computer for each session to work on your research and to access the different resources.

**DECEMBER 12:** Genealogy and the holidays JANUARY 9: Genealogy and photography (bring a couple family photos, circa 1839 to the present) FEBRUARY 6: Immigration and ship passenger lists

#### NEURODIVERGENT ADULT SUPPORT **GROUP (AUTISM, ADHD, ADD)**

SATURDAYS, JAN 20, FÉB 17, 3 - 4:30 PM This program is intended to give neurodiverse people opportunities to discuss relevant topics, share resources and think of ways to help each other. A project of the Neurodiverse Network (https://www. ndnet.org). 18+ adult.

#### **PAINT WITH US**

SATURDAY, FEB 10 & SUNDAY, FEB 11, 1 - 3 PM Enjoy step-by-step instruction with our experienced and enthusiastic instructor. You'll leave with a one-of-a-kind creation to enjoy! Cost: \$5 per person. All art materials supplied. Registration required. Ages 18+.

# FRIENDS OF FREDRICKSEN MINI-BOOK SALE The Friends of Fredricksen will be hosting mini-book

sales throughout the year focusing on different themed books. The sale will take place during the library's open hours upstairs near the Circulation Desk. All items priced at \$2 or as marked.

JAN 15 - 21 Health & Wellness and Travel books FEB 12-18

Books on local and state history, events, and culture



Need a career update, help with your resume, investment resources or small business support? The Business & Career Center offers workshops and sessions to help you succeed and meet your goals.
The BCC can open paths to new opportunities! BCC. FREDRICKSENLIBRARY.ORG TO REGISTER!

#### QUIDANCE SESSIONS

**VARIOUS TIMES, REGISTRATION REQUIRED** Choose this one-on-one session to receive feedback that encourages action to define & refine your goals. In addition, we can also conduct any current or past BCC workshop in a Guidance Session appointment; just choose a time to suit your schedule and let us know what welchen you are interested in

what workshop you are interested in.

# CAREER WORKSHOPS

#### **MOCK INTERVIEWS**

2ND AND 4TH MONDAYS OF THE MONTH, 10 AND 11 AM TIME SLOTS, REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Practice your interview skills with an HR professional! This 30-45 minute session will consist of a simulated interview for a position you are interested in and an evaluation offering strategies for improvement. Dress for the part, do your research and come practice your interview skills!

#### PROMOTING YOURSELF: CREATING A LINKEDIN PROFILE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 10AM

Join us for this introductory workshop and learn how to set up a new profile or reboot your existing profile and experience the best professional results.

TECHNOLOGY SKILLS WORKSHOPS

#### **EXCEL BASICS**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 10 AM
Learn beginner-level skills or update your older version skills in Microsoft 2019 (using BCC laptops).

#### **POWERPOINT BASICS**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 10 AM
Learn beginner-level skills or update your older version skills in Microsoft 2019 (using BCC laptops).

#### **INTRODUCTION TO GOOGLE SUITE**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 10 AM
Google has its own set of productivity and creation tools, and they're free – all you need is a Gmail account. Bring your own device and learn more about this versatile platform.

# **CLOUD STORAGE**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 10 AM

Learn about advantages and drawbacks of and how to harness the utility of "the cloud."

#### **BASICS OF ENCRYPTION SOFTWARE**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 10 AM

Encryption Software is a way to keep data that you send and receive over the internet safe and confidential. Come learn the basics of this valuable tool, develop a safer internet presence and put your privacy concerns

## INTERMEDIATE EXCEL

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 10 AM
The follow up to our Excel for Beginners Workshop!
Join us and learn next level Excel functions like
VLOOKUP, SUMIFs and Pivot Tables in this hands-on
workshop. You'll also learn crucial text-related features
like splitting and joining text, removing duplicates and
data validation.

#### **IPHONE BASICS SERIES**

TUESDAYS, JANUARY 9 - FEBRUARY 13, 3:00PM TUESDAYS, JANUARY 9 - FEBRUARY 13, 3:00PM In this six-session class taught by Mr. Jim Gates, we'll explore the iPhone's settings, learn tips and tricks for contacts and text messages, and become more proficient in using the keyboard and Safari app. Learn how to take better pictures with the Camera, explore the Photos app features, and receive extra photo editing tips and tricks. Classes are 90 minutes, please plan to attend all 6 sessions. Registration is required.

#### **IPAD BASICS SERIES**

TUESDAYS, JANUARY 9 – FEBRUARY 13, 6:00PM If you've got an iPad and think that you're not using it to its full potential, join experienced teacher James Gates in this face-to-face class to explore the many uses of the iPad that you may not know. Classes are 90 minutes, please plan to attend all 6 sessions. Space is limited, experienced in required. limited--registration is required.

> FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOPS

#### START (START TODAY AND RETIRE TOMORROW!)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 6 PM
Do you think that you don't make enough money to
save for retirement right now? If you are saving and
investing, do you think you are saving and investing
enough? The PA Department of Banking and Securities
will be delivering an informative workshop on saving for
retirement at YOUR stage of life, no matter where you
fall on the retirement timeline.

#### **REVERSE MORTGAGES – WHAT CAN** YOU EXPECT?

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 6 PM
Is it right for me? What is a Reverse Mortgage, what
do I need to qualify, what are the procedures are for
obtaining and retaining a Reverse Mortgage, what are the financial requirements to obtain and / or the alternative options to consider (such as a home equity line of credit); what to avoid, drawbacks, obligations and how you can repay the debt.

#### YOUR SPENDING AND SAVINGS PLAN

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 6 PM In partnership with First Commonwealth Bank, we offer this module of the Money Smart for Adults Series, wherein we focus on how to develop a spending and savings plan, and how to prioritize spending when money is short.

#### PROTECTING YOUR IDENTITY AND **OTHER ASSETS**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 6 PM In partnership with First Commonwealth Bank, we offer this module of the Money Smart for Adults Series, wherein we will address ways to recognize, respond to and reduce the risks of identity theft, along with strategies for protecting other assets.

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

# **SOLOPRENEUR ROUNDTABLE**

JAN 26, 12-2PM: Selling Your Best-Public Speaking Basics for Small Business Owners

FEB 23, 12-2PM: Overview of Customer Relationship Management (CRM) Software Options

Come join our monthly roundtable discussion with other owners of small, local businesses (less than 5 employees) and share valuable insight into and support with the unique challenges that solopreneurs face! This roundtable will occur on the last Friday of the month at noon in The Business & Career Center HUB and will have a theme for each session. Please sign up for each session separately. session separately.

# Ages 13-18. Registration required.

#### **PLOT TWISTERS**

TUES, JAN 2 & 16, FEB 6 & 20, 6 PM Plot Twisters is a dynamic teen writers group open to writers of fiction, fan fiction, manga, poetry and more. This program is for teens ages 13-18

#### **TEEN S.T.E.AM ESCAPE ROOM**

SATURDAYS, JAN 20, FEB 24, 3:30 - 4:30 PM Our new Teen S.T.E.AM Escape Room series challenges you and your friends to escape the themed room. This program is for teens ages 13-18. Registration is required. Themes to be announced.

#### **TEEN MYSTERY PARTY**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2 - 4 PM
Our mystery party will challenge you to solve a crime.
You'll need to stay in an assigned character role, keep secrets, drop clues and watch the ticking clock! We'll have light afternoon snacks and a dessert bar. Teens ages 13-18. Registration is required.

#### **TEEN CRAFTERNOON**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 3 - 4:30 PM We are making tons of crafts and projects! You can choose what you'd like to make and maybe learn some new skills. This program is for teens ages 13-18. Registration is required.

#### TABLETOP GAMING DAY

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1:30 - 4:30 PM

This program gives you a chance to try a variety of games - from RPG to card games like UNO and FLUXX. Trivia games, STEAM games, hilarious games and fandom editions of favorite classic games are among the choices. This program is for teens ages 13-18. Registration is required.

# Ages 9-12. Registration required.

#### TWEEN S.T.E.AM ESCAPE ROOM

SATURDAYS, JAN 20, FEB 24, 1:30 - 2:30 PM Our new Tween S.T.E.AM Escape Room series challenges you and your friends to escape the themed room. This program is for tweens ages 9-12. Registration is required. Themes to be announced.

#### **TWEEN LEGO CLUB**

TUESDAYS, JAN 23, FEB 27, 6 - 7:30 PM
Meet up with other LEGO mega fans for free building
and themed challenge builds. We supply all of the
bricks – you bring your imagination! This program is
for tweens ages 9-12.

#### **TWEEN EPIC COMIC CLUB**

THURSDAYS, JAN 25, FEB 29, 6 - 7 PM We have our own chapter of Day Pilkey's EPIC Comic Club! We work on our own comics, drawing inspiration from the Dogman and Captain Underpants series. This program is for tweens ages 9-12. Registration is

#### **TWEEN LEGO BINGO**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 3 - 4:30 PM Test your BINGO skills to win LEGO minifigures, mini builds and full sets. This program is for tweens ages 9-12. Registration is required

#### TWEEN CRAFTERNOON

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1:30 - 3 PM We are making tons of crafts and projects! You can choose what you'd like to make and maybe learn some new skills. This program is for teens ages 13-18. Registration is required.

#### **MYSTERY PARTY**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2 PM TO 4 PM
Our mystery party will challenge you to solve a crime.
Sounds easy? Not so fast. While solving the crime you'll need to stay in an assigned character role, keep secrets, drop clues and watch the ticking clock! We'll have light afternoon snacks and a dessert bar. Tweens ages 9-12. Registration is required.

# CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

# **STORY TIMES**

Storytime is a beloved tradition that helps set the foundation for the joy of reading.

#### **BABY & TODDLER STORYTIME**

MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS AT 10 AM **NO STORYTIME DECEMBER 25-JANUARY 1** Baby and toddler story time engages participants with fun dynamic early learning activities with books, songs, and movement. Recommended ages 0-2. Registration not required.

#### **CHILDREN'S STORYTIME**

MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS AT 11 AM NO STORYTIME ON DECEMBER 25-JANUARY 1 Children's storytime engages participants with fun dynamic early learning activities with books, songs, and movement. Recommended ages 2 and up. Registration not required.

#### **PEACEFUL POSES YOGA STORY TIME**

FRIDAYS, DEC 8 & 15, JAN 12, FEB 23, 10-10:45 AMDECEMBER 8 - NUTCRACKER YOGA

Yoga classes and story times are designed just for kids! Join Ann Fields, founder of Peaceful Poses Kids Yoga, for some mindful movement, deep breaths, and ways we can learn about our feelings. We read books, listen to music, and move our bodies. Recommended ages 2 1/2 - 5 years old. Registration required.

#### **WILD THURSDAYS**

1ST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH, 10 AM

Things are about to get wild. Each month our youngest readers are invited to dress up, discover, and participate in Storytime about a wild monthly theme. Recommended ages 3-5. Registration not

#### **DISNEY STORYTIME**

THURSDAYS, JAN 25, FEB 22, 9:30-10 AM We are taking our story time and adding sparkle to it. Each month a Disney book will be selected and a coloring page or craft associated with that story will be available. These Disney Storytimes are also great times to dress up as your favorite character from the monthly story. Recommended ages 3-5. Registration not required

JANUARY - The Little Mermaid FEBRUARY - Tangled

#### **SENSORY STORYTIME**

TUESDAYS, FEBRUARY 6, 20, 27, 10-11 AM Join us for this interactive Storytime! Sensory Storytimes include stories while providing a space for children to engage in movement, visual aids, and sensory experiences. Recommended ages 3 to 5 years old. Registration Required.

## **GENERAL PROGRAMMING**

#### **AMERICAN GIRL BOOK CLUB**

TUESDAYS, JAN 23, FEB 27, 6:30-7:30 PM Each month we will read about an American Girl character, then meet to discuss each girl. During our meetings we will get to know each other and our favorite American Girls. Bring your American Girl or friend (Our Generation, etc.) doll with you to participate in activities. Recommended ages 8-12. Registration required.

JANUARY - Corinne

FEBRUARY - Maritza: Lead with Your Heart

#### **ARTIST REPRODUCTION TEAM (A.R.T.)**

THURSDAYS, JAN 11, FEB 8, 6 - 7 PM Join us to learn the art technique used by our featured artist of the month. Miss Kayla will teach the technique, then you get to create your own art using that method. Bring your own inspiration and ideas! Recommended ages 8-12. Registration required. JANUARY - Katsushika Hokusai FEBRUARY - Katsushika Hokusai

#### **BOOK EXPLORERS**

MONDAYS, 5:30-6:30 PM
Join us each for Kindergarten Prep and to explore a book. We will read the story, then participate in crafts and activities that relate to the

story. Recommended ages 3-6 years old. Registration required.

#### **CHESS CLUB**

STRIDAYS, JAN 5, FEB 2, 6:30-8:30 PM
Volunteers from the Harrisburg/West Shore Chess
Club will be on hand to assist young chess players
and match up competitors. Join us and have fun!
Participants are asked to bring a chess set if possible,
but not required. Recommended ages 5-13. No Registration Required.

#### DISCOVERY ZONE FUN!

ALL YEAR LONG IN THE CHILDREN'S LIBRARY MONDAYS - Craft Corner 10 AM

TUESDAYS - Family Place Library Workshops (January 9, 16, 23, 30) 10 AM – 12 PM

WEDNESDAYS - Food & Farm, 10 AM – 4 PM \*Starts in January

THURSDAYS - Meet & Greet Library Pups, 2nd, 3rd, & 5th Thursdays 10-11 AM

Bring your little ones to play with our developmental toys and take part in special activities during the mornings. All ages welcome. No Registration

#### \*FAIRY-TALE ADVENTURE WITH \*PENNSYLVANIA BALLET ACADEMY

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- SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 1:30 PM

  Want to be in a fairy-tale? In this story-based

  movement class, you get to be part of the action! We'll

  skip and leap our way through a story and see dances

  performed by Pennsylvania Ballet Academy. For
- ages 3-8. No registration necessary. Siblings welcome.
- Sneakers recommended.

#### FAMILY PAINT & PIX!

FRIDAYS, DEC 15, JAN 19, FEB 16, 6 - 8 PM Join us for a night of creativity and cinemas. Kid's Paint Night will be followed by a drop in family movie. Kids are invited to participate in a movie-based guided painting before the family film starts. Films will be rated G or PG. Registration required. JANUARY - The Magician's Elephant FEBRUARY - Trolls: Band Together

# **READ TO DOGS**

TUES, JAN 16, FEB 6, 20, 6:30 - 8 PM
Specially trained dogs from K-PETs will be at the library to listen to children read aloud. This program is helpful to children who may be shy or reluctant to read aloud and will encourage them to practice reading independently. For budding readers.

Recommended ages 6 - 12. Registration required.

#### WORLD EXPLORERS

2ND MONDAYS, JANUARY 8, FEBRUARY 1, 6-7 PM Explore the world and learn about different cultures and people around the globe. Program includes reading, activity, and discussion. Each month features a different country or region. Recommended ages 6 to 8 years old. Registration required.

JANUARY - Indonesia

FEBRUARY - Madagascar

#### YOUNG EXPLORERS

2ND SATURDAYS, JAN 13, FEB 10, 1:30-2:30 PM This Young Explorers group will learn about art, science, history, and more in their quest to learn more about the world around them. Program includes reading, activity, and discussion. Recommended ages 6 to 8 years old. Registration required. JANUARY – Winter Constellations & The Night Sky FEBRUARY - Pizza DIY: Exploring Ingredients

#### FRACTURED FAIRY TALES

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1:30-2:30PM Have you ever wanted to be the hero (or villain) of your own Fairy Tale? Now is your chance! Learn about some of the most famous fairy tales, such as Little Red Riding Hood or Rapunzel, and learn how they have been retold many times through history (most famously through Disney!). You will then rewrite your own story within your favorite fairy tale! Recommended ages 9 to 12. Registration Required.

#### **STEAM PROGRAMMING**

#### **ROOTS AND SHOOTS KIDS CLUB**

1ST MONDAYS (FEBRUARY 5) 6-7 PM

This program developed by Jane Goodall is a youth service program which helps empower young people to become leaders who build a better world. The mission of the program is to foster respect and compassion for all living things, to promote understanding of all cultures and beliefs, and to inspire each individual to take action to make the world a better place for people, other animals, and the environment. Recommended ages 5-8. Registration required required.

**DECEMBER** – Food Drive at the Library prep. Parents and guardians are welcome to stay and help.

#### STEM FOR KIDS

2ND TUESDAYS (JAN 9, FEB 13) 1-2 PM AND 6-7 PM Get ready to explore, create, learn, and experiment in our STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) monthly meetups. STEM activities are

- a great way to discover concepts and promote
- skills that are scientific, creative, and collaborative.
- Each STEM program includes concept learning
- and experimentation or creation of a project based on the topic. Recommended ages 8-10 years old.
- Registration required.
- JANUARY Astronomy
- FEBRUARY Food Science: Food and Its Impact on
- Climate

#### STEAM DISCOVERY ZONE -**PRESCHOOL**

FRIDAYS, JAN 26, FEB 16, 10 - 11 AM Get ready to explore, create, learn, and experiment in our STEAM (Science, Technology, Art, Engineering, and Math) open discovery stations. STEAM stations will be set-up for self-guided activities where children can discover concepts and skills that are scientific, creative, and collaborative. Adult supervision required. Recommended ages 3-5 years old. Registration required.

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### **DONATION STATION**

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH, 1 - 3 PM
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Please park in the lower parking lot off Walnut St.
near the sidewalk. Donations all other times are limited to one box or less at the Reference Desk when open

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