



THE PATRON

SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER & NOVEMBER 2017
EVENTS OF THE CLEVE J. FREDRICKSEN LIBRARY



Main: Cleve J. Fredricksen Library
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Hours: Mon - Tues 9-9, Wed 9-6, Thurs - Fri 9-9, Sat & Sun 1-5

Branch: East Pennsboro Branch Library
98 S. Enola Drive, Enola, PA 17025 • 717-732-4274
Hours: Mon, Tues & Thurs 10-8, Wed & Fri 11-5, Sat 10-2, Sun Closed

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Rock Icons Concert with Shea Quinn & Friends Thursday, September 7 at 7 pm

On the Lawn or in the Atrium
After last year's exciting night of 80s hits, we're thrilled to have Shea Quinn

& Friends back for a night of favorites from the late, great rock icons of the past. Relive their glory days with us! It promises to be a night of great music and even greater fun!

Rain or Shine! No registration necessary.

Sponsored by the McCormick Family Foundation.

Books, DVDs, Audiobooks, Jigsaw Puzzles, Games and more!

Friends of Fredricksen
BOOK & MEDIA SALE
Sept. 21^{thru} 24

LPs \$2 One Day Only! Saturday

PLUS...Children's Books Extravaganza! 5,000 Children's Books. Thursday thru Sunday, in the Library Atrium

Separate Sunday BAG SALE for Childrens Books in the Atrium

Thursday, September 21 from 2:00 pm to 7:00 pm –

Special Friends Preview Sale! Join the Friends and attend!

Friday, September 22 from 9:00 am to 8:30 pm

Saturday, September 23 from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Saturday ONLY - LPs \$2.00! Classical, Jazz, Popular, etc.

Sunday, September 24 from 1 pm to 4 pm – BAG SALE!

You may purchase sale items on Thursday, September 21 from 2:00 to 7:00 p.m. if you join or are a current member of the Friends, a library volunteer, or staff member of Fredricksen Library. The membership brochure is downloadable from our website.

2017 FREDRICKSEN LIBRARY LOOP 5K



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fredricksenlibrary.org or stop in during regular library hours.

Registration now open. All proceeds will help to support a wide variety of library programs and services.

Saturday, September 23 at 8:30 am

Join the Fredricksen Library for the 12th Annual Library Loop, a 5K family fun event at a COOLER time of the year! You can run or walk the 5K course or 1 mile course. Additionally, there will be a 50 yard Dewey Decimal Dash for children 5 and under. Teams and costumes encouraged - dress as your favorite literary figure, super hero, pop culture icon or any family friendly character! For more information or to register, go to

fredricksenlibrary.org or stop in during regular library hours. Registration now open. All proceeds will help to support a wide variety of library programs and services.



PREPARING FOR KINDERGARTEN

One Monday a month, based on school district, at 6:30 pm during the 2017/18 school year.

Help your little one
prepare for a lifetime
of learning!

Children attending these school districts are welcome:

Camp Hill (Hoover Elementary),

East Pennsboro (West Creek Hills and East Pennsboro Elementary),

West Shore (Washington Heights, Lower Allen and Highland Elem.),

Cumberland Valley (Shaull, Hampden, and Sporting Hill)

Children entering kindergarten in the fall of 2018 will do kindergarten readiness activities, hear stories, have parachute fun, and work with colors, numbers, letters, sorting, rhyming and science. Children may meet other future students and make early friendships! Registration now open with the first session starting Aug 28th. Sessions run one hour.

FALL Programs & Events

Adult programs

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

Bus Trip to the National Book Festival in Washington D.C.

Saturday, September 2 at 7:30 am

Cost: \$40.00. See the website for more info

Rock Icons Concert with Shea Quinn & Friends - On the Lawn (or in the Atrium!)

Thursday, September 7 at 7 pm

Curl Up with the Classics*

First Tuesdays from 10:00 am to 11:00 am

September 5 - Planning Session - Curl up with the Classics with our daytime book discussions. This meeting is all about YOU. Come, bring a book(s), make recommendations for selections. - Register Aug. 1.

October 3 - *The Invisible Man* - Register Sept. 1.

November 7 - *The Good Earth* - Register Oct. 1.

You must have read or listened to the book in order to attend. Homeschoolers welcome! (12 and under must be accompanied by adult.)

Language at the Library*

GERMAN: First & Third Thursdays, 11:30 am - 12:30 (Sept 7, Sept 21, Oct 5, Oct 19, Nov 2, Nov 16)

FRENCH: First & Third Thursdays, 1:00 pm-2:00 pm (Sept 7, Sept 21, Oct 5, Oct 19, Nov 2, Nov 16)

ITALIAN: Second Thursdays, 12:30 pm-1:30 pm (Sept 14, Oct 12, Nov 9)

SPANISH: Every Thursday, 10:00 am-11:00 am

BRAZILIAN PORTUGUESE: Last Saturdays,

2:00 pm-3:00 pm (Sept 30, Oct 28, Nov 25)

Some experience in the language is necessary. Our expert leaders will guide you through discussion, conversation and culture of your chosen language.

Never Too Old - YA Book Club for Adults

First Thursdays from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

September 7 - *I Am The Messenger* by Marcus Zusak - Register Aug. 1.

October 5 - *Monster* by Walter Dean Myers - Register Sept. 1.

November 2 - *The Sun is Also a Star*, bestseller Nicola Yoon - Register Oct. 1

You might grow older but you don't have to grow up! Join our new book club where adults discuss books aimed at teen readers.

Foreign Film Fridays

Fridays, 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm & 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm
September 8 - Wajida - FROM SAUDI ARABIA
Rated PG.

October 13 - The Eagle Huntress - FROM MONGOLIA Rated G. This breathtaking documentary follows a 13-year-old girl as she trains to become the first female eagle hunter in twelve generations.

October 27 - Living Is Easy with Eyes Closed - FROM SPAIN Not Rated.

November 10 - Gloria - FROM CHILE Not Rated. Sponsored by Jane and Bill Murray.

Blood Drives at Fredricksen

Fridays from 4:00 pm to 7:30 pm

September 8 and November 10

Call Central Pennsylvania Blood Bank at 1-800-771-0059 for info.

Trivia After Hours - (B.Y.O.B.)

Second Saturdays from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Come and be part of this monthly new take on trivia nights right here in the middle of the library. The doors are closed and the glasses are empty, so make sure to bring your favorite drink. We'll

provide snacks, corkscrews and bottle openers.

September 9 - Pop Culture - Register Aug. 1.

October 14 - Harry Potter - Register Sept. 1.

November 11 - Star Wars - Register Oct. 1.

Ages 21 & up.

Registration is not required, but recommended.

Twisted Stitchers Knitting Group

Second Mondays from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

September 11, October 9 and November 13

16 years and older. Registration now open.

Indie Film Friday: Dope

Friday, September 15

2:00 pm to 4:00 pm & 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

A critical hit and audience favorite out of the Sundance Film Festival. FROM THE USA

Rated R. Sponsored by Jane and Bill Murray.

Fredricksen Writes

Mondays from 6:45 pm to 8:45 pm

September 18 - Register Aug. 15

October 2 and 16 - Register Sept. 1 and 15

November 6 and 20 - Register Oct. 1 and 15

A writers group that provides aspiring writers a forum for their literary work and feedback from their peers in a respectful environment.

Day of Listening*

Third Tuesdays from 2:00 pm to 6:30 pm

September 19 - Register Aug. 15

October 17 - Register Sept. 15

November 21 - Register Oct. 15

Everyone has a story, every story deserves to be heard, and we want to listen. If you'd like to share your story, sign up for a 45-minute time slot and have a one-on-one interview with a loved one or someone we provide. Using the Storycorps app, we will then upload your interview to the national archives of the Library of Congress, if you so choose.

Fredricksen Reads

Third Tuesdays from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

September 19 - Planning Session for 2018. This meeting is all about YOU. Come, bring a book(s), make recommendations for selections. - Register Aug. 15

October 17 - *Everything I Never Told You* by Celeste Ng

November 21 - *Underground Railroad* by Colson Whitehead - Register Oct. 15

You must have read or listened to the book to attend.

Friends of Fredricksen Fall Book & Media Sale

Thursday, Sept. 21 through Sunday, Sept. 24

Ruggaber Community Room & Children's Book Extravaganza in the Atrium!

2017 FREDRICKSEN LIBRARY LOOP 5K

Presented by Geisinger Holy Spirit

Saturday, September 23 at 8:30 am

See the website for more info.

Mindfulness Matters: Steps to a Happier, Healthier Life*

First Sunday each month Oct. through May
1:30 pm to 3:00 pm

This series of seminars leads participants along the path of mindfulness and meditation, specifically the practical application of mindfulness techniques in our daily lives. These techniques are scientifically proven to increase memory, enhance focus, lower blood pressure, decrease the stress response, and increase overall wellness.

October 1 - Understanding the Nature of Reality - Register Aug. 15.

November 5 - Setting Out on the Journey - Register Sept. 15.

More mindfulness classes on

Dec 3, Jan 7, Feb 4, Mar 4, Apr 1, May 6

Gardening with Nature Series

Tuesdays from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

September 26 - Naturalistic Planting Design

Understanding the growth patterns and

interactions of perennial plants is key to a more naturalistic planting style that combines design elements with ecological principles.

October 24 - Small is Beautiful - Minor Bulbs Everyone is familiar with tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths, but there are many other "minor" bulbs that are easy to plant and even easier to care for. Explore bulbs beyond the ordinary as Master Gardeners some of their favorite flowering bulbs for spring and fall color. Cost per workshop is \$5.00. To Register call 717-240-6500

Getting Started with Knitting

Two Saturdays: September 30 & October 7

1:30 pm to 3:30 pm In this two-part workshop, you will learn how to cast on, knit, purl, bind off, increase and decrease stitches and read a knitting pattern. Ages 16 and up, please.

Register Sept. 1. Cost: \$7.50 for 2 classes.

"Over There" and Back Home:

America and World War I

Two Tuesdays: October 3 and 10

7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Join John Maietta, as he honors the centennial of nearly five million American troops mobilizing to join the Allied cause in World War I. This two-part program will cover the causes of the war, its course on the battlefields of Europe, and its impact on the lives of ordinary people back home. No registration necessary.

Adult Crafternoon: Canvas Cutout Art

Sunday, October 8 from 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Every artist begins with a blank canvas, but what if the canvas itself IS the art? With a few simple tools, some tracing and some paint, you can make a three dimensional piece of art that reflects your personal taste. \$7.50 per person, ages 16 and older. Register Sept. 1

Natalie D. Craumer Writers Workshop:

Flash Fiction: What is it?

Eight Tuesdays: October 10 - November 28

6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Part poetry, part narrative, flash fiction is a genre that is deceptively complex. If you are an intermediate or advanced writer, join Catherine Jordan, author and editor, for an 8-week series. Registration: Sept. 1 for NEW students and Sept. 15 for returning students.

Great Stories* - One Wednesday a month

(Oct 11, Nov 8, Dec 6, Jan 3, Feb 7, March 7, Apr 4, May 2) from 10:00 am to 11:30 am

Join this monthly group as we explore short stories, sudden fiction, novellas, and graphic stories. Read and discuss two stories a month from "The Best American Short Stories of the Century" compiled by John Updike.

One-time fee of \$12. Register Sept. 1.

Getting Started with Crochet

Two Saturdays: October 14 and 21

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Learn how to crochet at the library! You will be instructed how to begin the foundation of your project. You will also learn the basic stitches..... slip stitch, single crochet, double crochet and how to finish off your project. Register Sept. 15. Ages 16 and up. Cost: \$7.50 for two classes.

Understanding The Essentials Of Estate

Planning with Attorney Brian J. Hinkle of

Mette Evans and Woodside

Tuesday, October 17 - 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

How proactive planning can guard against adverse legal situations.

Fredricksen Library Holiday Book Tree

November & December in the Fredricksen Atrium

For a minimum \$10 donation, patrons are able to have a name or family name placed on the spine of a book for the 2017 holiday season. What a wonderful way to honor your family or loved one and support your library!

FALL Programs & Events

Zentangle Workshop

Sunday, November 12 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm
Join Nancy Robbins, Certified Zentangle Instructor, as she teaches you this easy-to-learn, relaxing, and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing structured patterns. Registration begins October 15. A \$7.50 registration fee covers your materials.

Film & Discussion: Salam, Neighbor

Tuesday, November 14 at 7:00 pm
JUST OUTSIDE OF SYRIA: As the first filmmakers allowed by the United Nations to set-up inside a Syrian refugee camp, Zach and Chris plunge into the heart of the world's most pressing humanitarian crisis. In partnership with World Affairs Council of Harrisburg. Discussion led by Joyce Davis and other community leaders. No registration necessary.

Social Security Disability with Attorney Victoria Edwards of Mette Evans & Woodside
Tuesday, November 28 - 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Blood Pressure Screenings by Geisinger

Holy Spirit Thursdays 9:15 am to 1:00 pm
Geisinger Holy Spirit partnered with Fredricksen Library to offer free Blood Pressure Screenings. For your convenience, three parking spaces are reserved near the main entrance.

Coffee Corner - Weekdays 9:30 am to 3 pm
Coffee, Teas, Hot Cocoa, Bottled Water & Snacks
All of the net proceeds/donations benefit Fredricksen Library*

Donation Station Book Donations - First Saturday of every month from 1 pm to 3 pm
The Friends of Fredricksen will hold Donation Station on the first Saturday of every month to accept donations of books and media for their Book & Media Sales. To drop off donations, please park in the lower parking lot nearest to the sidewalk.

*The Daytime Academy is made possible by a grant from Harsco Corporation, honoring the memory of Derek C. Hathaway and his passion for life-long learning.

Pollock Children's Library programs

For more details or to register go to fredricksenlibrary.org or call 761-3900 x 229.

Mission Transition 2017/2018: Preparing for Kindergarten

One Monday a month, based on school district, at 6:30 pm during the 2017/18 school year. Help your little one prepare for a lifetime of learning. Children attending these school districts are welcome:

Camp Hill (Hoover Elementary),

East Pennsboro (West Creek Hills and East Pennsboro Elementary)

West Shore (Washington Heights, Lower Allen and Highland Elementary),

Cumberland Valley (Shaull, Hampden, and Sporting Hill) Register July 31. First session starts Aug 28. Sessions run one hour.

Block Party for Big Kids

Fridays from 10:30 am to 11:30 am
September 1 – Register Aug. 18
October 9 – Register Sept. 25
November 24 - Register Nov. 10
Come join us for a morning of fun and creativity with blocks and strengthen your STEM abilities! For ages 5 to 8. Register August 18.

Keva Plank Party

Fridays from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm
September 1 – Register Aug. 18
October 9 – Register Sept. 25
November 24 - Register Nov. 10
Keva Planks are specially designed to teach balance and improve fine motor skills. For ages 8 to 12. Register August 18.

Youth Chess Night

Fridays, September 1, October 6 and November 3 from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm
Experts from the Harrisburg/ West Shore Chess Club will be on hand to assist young chess players and match up competitors with equal skill level. Ages 7-13. Participants are asked to bring a chess set if possible but not required. No registration required..

American Girl Book Club - Grades 1 to 3
Tuesdays September 5, October 3 & October 31 - 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm Take a trip through American history with the American Girl Book Club. We will meet and discuss a different American Girl and learn about her time period each month. Please read the book prior to attending; dolls are welcome but not required. Snack and Craft included. Register once for all three sessions August 25, for grades 1 to 3 only.

Story Time Yoga

Tuesdays at 4:00 pm
September 5 - Register Aug. 22
October 3 - Register Sept. 19
Children ages 4 to 6 will enjoy collaborative group play, yoga, creative movement, breath-work, and mindfulness.

STEM Exploration Lab

Wednesdays from 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm
September 6 – Register Aug. 23.
October 18 – Register Oct. 4.
November 15 – Register Nov. 1.
Explore Science, Technology, Engineering and Math with us. For children in grades K-5.

Meet & Play (for New Parents)

Thursdays, September 7, October 12 and November 9 from 9:30 am to 11:00 am
Parents and children ages birth - 3 years meet once a month in a play group setting to chat and share experiences with other new parents. No registration required.

American Girl Book Club – Grades 3 to 5

Thursdays, September 7, October 5 & November 2 from 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm
We will meet and discuss a different American Girl and learn about her time period each month. Please read the book prior to attending; dolls are welcome but not required. Snack and Craft included. Register once for all three sessions August 25, for grades 3-5 only.

Family Play Time

Thursday evenings September 7 and 14 from 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm OR **Friday mornings September 8 and 15** from 9:30 am -11:00 am
Children have the opportunity to play with toys in several developmental areas such as fine and gross motor, dramatic play, blocks, books, music and more! Children ages 1 to 3 1/2 and siblings birth to 5 are welcome. Register Aug 24.

Myths, Legends, and Tales From Around the World

Fridays from 4:30 pm to 5:15 pm
September 8 - Register Aug. 25
October 27 - Register Oct. 13
November 17 - Register Nov. 3
Explore myths, legends, and tales from the ancient world and different cultures through story, music, art, or science. For ages 8 to 12.

Artist Alley - Fridays from 6:30 pm to 7:15 pm
September 8 - Register Aug. 22

October 27 - Register Oct. 13
November 10 - Register Oct. 27
Aspiring artists ages 8 to 12 will explore a different artist and their work each month and then get messy with a craft.

Story Time & Music Therapy by Sovia Therapy

Saturdays from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm
September 9 - Apples, Apples, Apples!
October 14 – Going to the Zoo
Read aloud stories, sensory play and music run by music and developmental therapists for all ages including those with developmental delays. A parent must accompany each child. No registration necessary.

Meet & Play (for Grandparents)

Thursdays, September 14, October 19 and November 30 from 9:30 am to 11:00 am
Grandparents play an important role in the lives of children and it's not always easy. Bring your grandchildren (ages 1 – 4) to the library for a morning of play and fun. Relax and socialize while meeting other grandparents. Toys will be provided for children to play. No registration required. Meets one Thursday a month.

Fall Story times - 6-week sessions

September 18 through October 27
Register Sept 4 for Baby and Me; Sept 5 for all others - Registration includes ALL sessions:
Just Baby & Me (ages 0-2)- Monday- 9:30, Tuesday- 10:15, Thursday- 9:30 & 10:15, Friday- 11:00

Twos – Monday- 10:30, Tuesday- 9:30, Wednesday 9:30 & 10:15

Threes – Tuesday- 11:00, Wednesday- 11:00, Friday- 10:15

Picture Book Time (age 4-K)- Monday 1:15 pm, Friday 9:30

Math Meets Music

Mondays from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm
September 18 - Register Sept. 4
October 16 – Register Oct. 2
November 20 - Register Nov. 6
A mathematical concept is blended with a musical component. We will start with a story book related to the program, play a game or complete an activity demonstrating and teaching how the two ideas work with each other (Such as how rhythm is also fractions) and complete a craft. For ages 5-8 (K-2)

Cooking Club in Candy's Kitchen

Wednesdays from 4:00 to 5:00 pm
September 20 - Register Sept. 6.
October 18 – Register Oct. 4
November 22 - Register Nov. 8
Become a master chef and learn cooking techniques in our brand new library kitchen! Kids will learn cooking and food safety as well as fun recipes they can make for their families! Please let us know any allergies when registering. For ages 9-12.

READ to Dogs - Thursdays - 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm

September 21 - Register Sept. 7
October 19 - Register Oct. 5
November 16 - Register Nov. 2
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 reluctant to read aloud. For readers 12 and under.

Lego Club - Mondays from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm
September 25 - Register Sept. 11.
October 23 – Register Oct. 9
November 27 - Register Nov. 13
Participants will gather to build Legos individually and in groups both through challenges and times of free play. For grades 3 – 6 with registration starting Sept. 11.

STEM Imagination Builders: Block Party

Tuesdays from 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

September 26 - Register Sept. 12

October 24 - Register Oct. 10

November 28 - Register Nov. 14

Imagine, design, construct! Building with blocks strengthens STEM abilities For children ages 3 to 6 years and their caregivers. Made possible by a Cruise into Kindergarten program grant from The Office of Commonwealth Libraries.

DIA! Diversity In Action Family Book Club

Tuesdays from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

September 26 - Register Sept. 12

October 17 - Register Oct. 3.

November 21 - Register Nov. 7

The Día Family Book Club is a reading program that engages children and families in the shared reading and discussion of contemporary children's literature that reflects our common plurality. For grades 2-5.

Library for Lunch - Elephants can do what?

Wednesday, September 27 and Friday,

September 29 from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm.

Children ages 3 - 6 will hear stories about elephants and view some elephants doing some unique things. Perhaps, you will try some of those unique things? Participants should bring their lunches. Drink and snack will be provided. Cost is \$1 per person. Registration is required and begins on Sept. 13.

Family Movie Nights

Fridays from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

September 29 - The Lego Batman Movie

October 20 - Paranorman

November 24 - Sing

We will be showing a G or PG rated movie. Free popcorn will be served. All ages welcome and all children must be accompanied by an adult. No registration necessary.

Wishing Day

Saturday, September 30 from 1:30 pm to 3 pm

Place a wish on our wish tree and learn about wishing traditions around the world. We all have a dream for our world, what's yours? Drop in anytime between 1:30pm-3pm. Outside the library by tree at staff entrance, rain location inside children's library. Presented in conjunction with Macmillan publishing's release of Katherine Applegate's Wishtree.

Homework Helpers Club

October through April

Thursdays, from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

(Other days by appointment)

Homework assistance to students in grades 1-5. The volunteer helpers are experienced educators ready to help with all subject areas.

A parent/caregiver must remain in the library during the instruction. No sessions are held during holiday weeks or when the library is closed. Please call Diane Myers, 717-761-3730, to register or if you have any questions.

Daddies Do Hair

Monday, October 2 from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Venturing where no man has gone before! Any man who takes care of a little girl will find these simple hair styling tips useful. Bring your daughter to learn basic combing and brushing before we move on to mastering a neat ponytail, braiding and pinning a simple up-do. This hair "boot camp" will be led by a professional hair stylist (who is also a Dad). Registration begins Sept. 18.

Family Play Workshop

Thursday evenings October 5 - November

9 (no class 10/26) from 6:30 - 7:45 pm OR

Friday mornings October 6 - November 10 (no

class 10/27) from 9:30 - 10:45 am Parents, grandparents and caregivers with their children

will enjoy playtime & socialization Register Sept. 21. For ages 1 - 3 1/2 years and siblings birth - 5

Star Wars Reads

Tuesday, October 10 at 10 am for ages 3 to 6

Crafts, games, music and highlighted books!

Star Wars/science fiction themed costumes

welcome. Register Sept. 19.

Fredricksen Story time at Country Meadows

Wednesdays, October 25 and November 29

from 10:00 am to 10:45 am

Program in partnership with and held at Country

Meadows, Building 2, Garden Room, 355 S.

Sporting Hill Road. No registration necessary.

Library for Lunch--Fall International Festival

Wednesday, October 25 & Friday, October 27

11:30 am to 12:30 pm Children ages 3 - 6 will

hear stories and do some international folk

dances. Bring your lunch and a drink and snack

will be provided. Cost is \$1. Register Oct. 11.

Sherlock Holmes Escape Room

Monday, October 30 at 5pm, 6pm or 7pm

In celebration of the 125th anniversary of

Sherlock Holmes entering the literary canon,

we are holding an escape room for children!

Sherlock has locked you in his office and is

testing you to see if you are worthy of working

with him. Can you escape before it's too late? For

children ages 8 - 12. Registration begins October

16. Register for one time slot - there will be

sessions each hour - 5 pm, 6 pm and 7 pm.

Infant Massage - Mondays, November 6 & 13

9:30 am - 10:30 am Parents will learn the art of

infant massage and how to massage their babies.

For infants under 1 year with caregiver. Register

October 23. Sponsored by PinnacleHealth

Cozy Story Times - 4-week sessions

November 13 through December 8

Join us for a cozy and entertaining story time for

children ages birth - K and the family members

they love. Registration is required and sessions

last for four weeks each as follows: [Times TBD].

Register Oct. 31 for the Baby and Me and Nov. 1

for all others.

Play K - 6 session series

Tuesdays and Thursdays November 14, 16,

21 and December 5, 7, and 12 from 12:30

pm to 2:00 pm The Play K curriculum allows

children entering kindergarten in the fall to "play

Kindergarten" using materials from 6 different

"playscapes". Register October 31. Sponsored by

The Office of Commonwealth Libraries as part of

Cruise into Kindergarten.

Teddy Bear Sleepover

Thursday, November 30 from 4:30 pm to 5:30

A special story time for children and their stuffed

animal friends! Children are encouraged to bring

a stuffed animal friend they can feel comfortable

leaving overnight in the library. When story time is

over and the library closes for the evening, the staff

will take pictures of the stuffed animals enjoying

their sleepover and will post the pictures online so

the children can see what their stuffed animals are

up to when the lights go out and the humans leave.

Stuffed animals will be available to be picked

up when the library opens again on Thursday,

December 1. For ages 3-5. Registration starts

November 16 and is limited to 25.

Family Play Time

Thursday, November 30 from 6 pm - 7:30 pm

OR **Friday, December 1** from 9:30 am -11:00 am

Children will play with toys in several

developmental areas such as fine and gross

motor, dramatic play, blocks, books, music and

more! Children ages 1 to 3 1/2 and siblings birth

to 5 are welcome. Register Nov. 16.

Teen programs

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

The Page Turners

Tuesdays from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

September 12, October 10 and November 13

Page Turners is a writers group for teens ages

12-14. Beginners and writers of all genres are

welcome. Join us to share your work, your

struggles, your successes and lots of laughs.

For teens ages 12-14. No registration necessary.

The Plot Twisters

Thursdays from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

September 14 and 28, October 12 and 26

and November 9 and 30

Beginners and writers of all genres are welcome.

Join us to share your work, your struggles,

your successes and lots of laughs as we work

through plot problems, editing issues and seek

constructive feedback. For teens ages 15-18.

No registration necessary.

Teen Meetup

Sunday, October 1 from 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Drop by our Teen Meetup to catch up with your

friends and meet new people. You can try our

activity or just chill out. We will be panning for

gemstones and making wire wrapped keychains,

sun catchers and wall hangings. For teens 12 - 18

years old.

Teen Read Week - Unleash Your Story

October 8 through 14

Join our celebration of teens and teen literature

by contributing your own story. Submit "Page

One" of your own work of fiction, memoir or

poetry between September 17th and October

2nd. All "Page One" submissions will be

displayed during Teen Read Week October

8th - 14th. Entry forms will be available online

and in the library beginning September 1st. Two

winners of teen prize crates will be chosen at

random from all entries. For teens ages 12 - 18.

Chocolate Make and Take

Sunday, October 15 from 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Try your hand at being a chocolatier as we melt,

dip and mold! We'll have a chocolate tasting

table and you'll have the opportunity to craft your

own candies to take home. For teens ages 12 -

18. Register October 1.

Safe Sitter with Geisinger Holy Spirit

Saturday, November 4 and 11

10:00 am to 4:30 pm

Babysitter training program for ages 11-13.

To register call 763-2427. You must attend both

sessions to receive a certificate of completion.

There is a \$30 fee which will include a manual,

a backpack and additional supplies.

Teen NaNoWriMo Meetup

Tuesdays from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm

November 7, 14 and 28

Calling all teen writers to take on the challenge

of National Novel Writing Month and you could

complete a novel in one month! For teens ages

12 - 18. No registration necessary.

NaNoWriMo Write In

Sunday, November 12

11:00 am to 4:30 pm

Teen NaNo-ers - don't miss our half-way (almost)

mark Write In! We'll have laptops for you to use,

stress reliever games, lunch, snacks and lots of

support. For teens ages 12 - 18 who are actively

working on a NaNoWriMo 2017 novel.