

What's Happening

Summer 2022



OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES

SummerQuest 2022
June 1- August 13



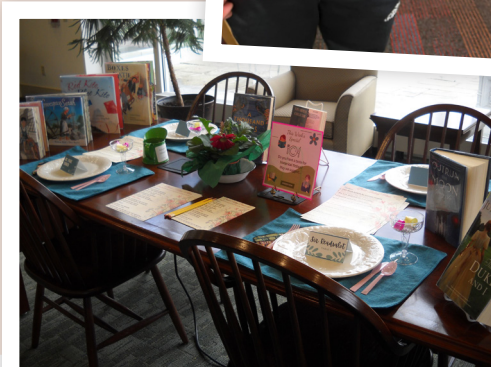
ADAMS COUNTY
LIBRARY



Thanks to the many donors to the Adams County Library System who support our mission and values! Each day, our six branches in Gettysburg, Biglerville, Carroll Valley, East Berlin, Littlestown and New Oxford serve the Adams County community. With your support each branch is able to provide programs that enable us to continue our purpose to open gateways for exploration by connecting people to opportunities that enrich their lives.

Our mission is to open gateways for exploration and we do! Each branch is equipped with high-speed internet access. With this access, our staff offers tutorials on how to use the internet and to take advantage of all that we offer. If you are job hunting, we encourage you to attend our Introduction to Brainfuse JobNow program. You can meet with a staff member to learn about programs like the CloudLibrary or how to start searching your family's history and genealogy. We've had a Master Gardner class and a presentation on how to raise bunnies. Local authors have also participated! Recently, the Trone Memorial branch displayed drawings and paintings which were submitted by teenagers from Bermudian Springs High School. If you find yourself in a reading rut ask a Library staff member for help exploring new authors. If you haven't been to a special program, please take advantage of our free events!

Thank you for your ongoing stewardship and support for the Adams County Library System!



More information about the ACLS Giving Society is available on our website, www.adamslibrary.org under the Support the Library tab or by contacting Erica Duffy, Development Director at ericad@adamslibrary.org or 717-334-0163.



FunFest



Friday, June 10 · 4-7pm
Gettysburg Rec Park



FunFest is our free event that celebrates the kick-off into SummerQuest, the Adams County Library summer learning program. FunFest encourages children & families to experience everything the library & community has to offer. Vendor booths provide crafts & activities for children to celebrate this year's 'Oceans of Possibilities' theme. There will be a DJ, face painting, balloon artists & more! Enjoy food, shaved ice and a famous milkshake from the PA Dairymen's Association available for purchase. For more info: www.adamslibrary.org/funfest

OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES SummerQuest

June 1-August 13

Registration starts May 25



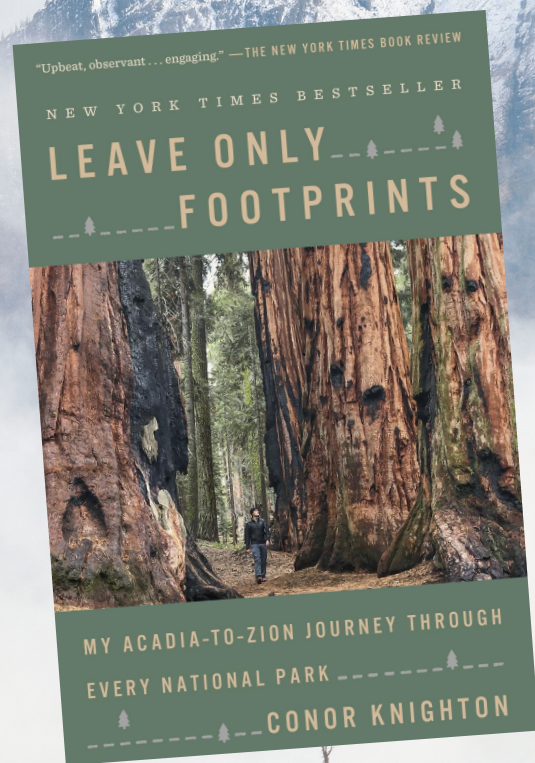
SummerQuest provides children the opportunity to experience everything the library has to offer through leisure reading, virtual programs, and participation in a variety of activities. Children register for the program and are asked to log the activities they complete. Incentives are offered for the completion of certain activities. This year's theme is 'Oceans of Possibilities.'

In addition to library activities, Adams County Libraries partner with Wellspan to provide a physical activity program called GO (Get Outdoors) Adams! Based on the outdoor hobby of letterboxing, GO Adams! places 15 landmarks (wooden marker posts with a unique etching attached) in various local parks. Children and their families are provided with rubbing sheets to record their visit to the various landmarks. The sheets are then returned to the local libraries, and then on to Wellspan, with the chance to win prizes.

www.adamslibrary.org/summerquest

Coming this fall!

Adams County Reads One Book October 2022



The Adams County Reads One Book program is the largest adult program for the system. In October, we have programming centered on topics addressed in one book, which we encourage all community readers to read. The selected book for this year is: Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton. The CBS Sunday Morning correspondent gives readers a behind-the-scenery look at his travels to each of America's National Parks, discovering beautiful places and meeting interesting people. Stay tuned for programs coming this fall!

GETTYSBURG LIBRARY

JUNE 2022 - AUGUST 2022



CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Celebrate World Reef Day

JUNE 1

2:00 PM

Join us at the library for a classic Disney Pixar movie about your favorite clownfish.

The LMNOP Club: Baby Storytime

Wednesdays 6/1-8/31

9:30 AM

Join us at the library every week for some stories and songs.

Mother Goose on the Loose: Toddler Storytime

Tuesdays and Wednesdays 6/1-8/31

10:30 AM

Join us at the library for stories, songs, and a craft. Please note there is no storytime on 7/26

Sail Away to Summer Ice Cream Social

JUNE 2

3:00

We all scream for ice cream in the Summer! Come celebrate the start of Summer Quest and make some new friends. Enjoy some ice cream and pick up your books for summer.

Preschool Storytime

Thursdays and Fridays 6/2-8/26

10:30 AM

Join us at the library for stories, songs, and a craft.

Explorers Club

JUNE 2/ JULY 7/ AUGUST 4

10:00 AM

Explore the great outdoors! Join Robyn on one of the GO Adams hikes! Are you new to the GO Adams program and want to see what the program is like or do you love the great outdoors? Then this is the program for you. We will meet in the parking lot of the address given in the GO Adams Wayfinder booklet. We will then complete the trail and get the animal rubbing for your rubbing sheet. This program is weather permitting. Please bring water and sunblock and wear appropriate footwear. A parent/ guardian must be present for the hike if your explorer is under 18 years old

JUNE 2- Caledonia State Park

(Sea turtle)

JULY 7- Pine Grove Furnace State Park

(Walrus)

AUGUST 4- Plum Creek (Orca)

Family Movie Afternoon

JUNE 5

2:00 PM

Sail the seven seas and enjoy a film based on a piece of classic literature starring Jim Henson's characters and Tim Curry. All ages are welcome to attend.

Make it Mondays

Mondays 6/6-8/29

Drop by for an easy and fun craft every Monday during the Summer. Craft kits are first come first serve.

Sandcastle Building

JUNE 9

12:00 PM

Create sandcastles and play with kinetic sand at the library.

Crafternoon

4:30 PM

Kindergarten- 5th grade

JUNE 9- Clay ocean animals

JULY 14- Sea turtle

AUGUST 11- Starfish

Join us in the afternoon and make a seasonal craft.

Trail Hiker Storytime

JUNE 4

11:00 AM

Saturday, June 4th is National Trails Day. Do you like walking trails beside the ocean? Or trekking through the mountains? Come enjoy a trail mix snack while listening to stories about walking in nature—and learn about some places you can go to take a hike! 11:00-11:30am. Geared toward ages 3-7, but all are welcome. Please register online, as space is limited.

Monterey Bay Monday: Otter Spotters

JUNE 13

2:00 PM

Pre-k-2nd grade

This educational program is brought to you by the Monterey Bay Aquarium. Come for an afternoon of fun learning about adorable otters and make an otter puppet.

Barks and Books

JUNE 14/ JULY 12/ AUGUST 9

4:00 PM

Come to the library to practice your reading skills and read to a therapy dog. A therapy dog with KPETS (Keystone Pet Enhanced Therapy Services) will be here at the library for you to read with.

Crazy STEM Time: Water

JUNE 15

2:00 PM

Ages 4-8

Water is everywhere but what is the science behind water. Come do some hands-on experiments and learn more about water. Registration is required.

Go Fishing Storytime

JUNE 18

11:00 AM

Saturday, June 18th is National Go Fishing Day. Join us and "go fishing" to take turns choosing the stories and activities. 11:00-11:30am. Geared toward ages 3-7, but all are welcome. Please register online, as space is limited.

Pajama Storytime: Around the Campfire at Children of Gettysburg 1863

JUNE 21/ JULY 19/ AUGUST 16

6:30 PM

This Storytime is for all ages and the books are geared toward Kindergarten and first grade. Join us for a relaxing Storytime in your pajamas! For the Summer, enjoy pajama storytime around the campfire! We will be meeting at the Children of Gettysburg 1863 museum. Stories will be read and campfire songs will be sung at this outdoor event. In the event of inclement weather, storytime will be held inside. This is a free event however if you would like a tour of the museum prior to the event you will have to pay for a ticket inside. Siblings and stuffed animals are welcome to attend.

Sailboat Racing

JUNE 22

2:00

Ages 5-12

Design and build your sailboat then race it against other builders. Registration required

A Visit From Strawberry Hill

JUNE 26

2:00 PM

Come to the library to meet the scaly, furry, and feather friends that call Strawberry Hill home. This will be a fun and educational program about animals. All ages

Book Club 1st- 3rd grade

JUNE 29

2:00 PM

Read the book and then watch the movie. Discuss both and decide which was better. For those entering 1st, 2nd, or 3rd grade. The first 10 registrants will receive a free copy of the book, additional library copies will be available to borrow. Books will be available on June 1st Registration required

Movie Matinee:

National Chocolate Day

JULY 7

3:00 PM

Celebrate national chocolate day by watching the Gene Wilder classic about a famous chocolate factory.

Monterey Bay Monday: Birds on the Brain

JULY 11

2:00 PM

3rd-5th grade

This educational program is brought to you by the Monterey Bay Aquarium. Come for an afternoon of fun and learn about birds and participate in activities to become a junior ornithologist.

Mermaid Tea Party

JULY 13

2:00

Ages 3-7

Calling all mermaids. Join us at the library for mermaid theme tea party fun. There will be a story and a craft. Light refreshments will be served. Mermaid costumes and outfits are encouraged Please register online space is limited

Magic Show: Pirate Mike and His Quest for the Treasures of the Sea!

Presented by Michael Reist, the Amazing Magi

JULY 16

2:00 PM

Calling all magic lovers. This educational and interactive magic show will be filled with comedy, storytelling, and a live rabbit! All ages

Book BINGO - All Ages

JULY 20

6:00 PM

Join us for an afternoon of bingo with a special round dedicated to Pennsylvania to celebrate National Pennsylvania Day and compete for the best prizes: books

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A Visit with Sam Apple

JULY 26
11:00 AM
Sam Apple, author of The Saddest Toilet in the World and The Day the Kids Took Over will be visiting the library to talk about his books! This program is brought to you by the generous donation of the Helen K. Martin Endowment. The first 30 kids to register will receive a copy of one of the books. Please register online.

Book Club

JULY 27
2:00 PM
4th-6th grade
Read the book and then watch the movie. Discuss both and decide which was better. For those entering 4th, 5th, or 6th grade. The first 10 registrants will receive a free copy of the book, additional library copies will be available to borrow. Books will be available on July 1st. Registration required

Pirate Party

AUGUST 7
2:00
Argghh mates! Join us at the library for a swashbuckling good time. There will be pirate themed activities for all ages and light refreshments will be served.

Spy Day

AUGUST 13
10:00
Join us outside under the tent at the Children of Gettysburg 1863 Children's museum. The library and museum will be presenting spy-related activities for elementary-aged children to enjoy and test out their spy skills. This is a free outdoor event, if you would like to go into the museum a ticket will be required.

TEENS & TWEENS

Teen Extravaganza

JUNE 3/JULY 1/ AUGUST 5
3:30 PM
This event will be put together and run by the Teen advisory board and all teens are welcome to attend.

Make Your Own Whale Cellphone holder

JUNE 9
2:30 PM
TEENS
Create your own whale cellphone holder using clay.

Dungeons and Dragons

JUNE 16
6:00 PM
Ages 10-17
Calling all adventurers! Join us for a Dungeons and Dragons adventure on the high seas and help save the day. Please register online space is limited.

Dreams as Vast as the Seven Seas: vision boards

JUNE 23
3:00
TEENS
Create a vision board representing what you want for the future. Materials will be provided.

Teen Advisory Board TAB

JUNE 27/ JULY 25/ AUGUST 29
4:30 PM
Come to the library to discuss and choose things that you would like to see at the library including programs.

Oceans of Possibilities Book Chat

JULY 2
2:00 PM
Tween and teen
Bring a favorite book to recommend to others, and expand the possibilities on your reading options list. Bonus prize if your book features the beach or water! Join us for book-related activities and a snack. Saturday, July 2nd, 2:00-3:00pm. Please register online, as space is limited.

Mermaid Sugar Scrub

JULY 6
4:00 PM
TEENS
Create your own mermaid sugar scrub. Please register online

Cupcake Wars

JULY 21
3:00 PM
Ages 8-17
Are you the best cupcake decorator in the county? Come on down to your local branch to show off your skills. During this competition, you will be decorating cupcakes for a chance at a prize. The winner will be selected by a local judge. The winners then go on to have the final round of the competition at the Gettysburg library. Please register online space is limited.

Driftwood Beach Craft

JULY 30
2:00 PM
Saturday, July 30th is the International Day of Friendship. Join us to make a "driftwood" beach picture with shells and paint. Bring a friend to create a matching set, or come to make some friends here at the library. 2:00-3:00pm. Please register online, as space is limited.

Ultimate Cupcake Wars

AUGUST 1
4:00 PM
Winners from each library branch will be competing in the final battle at the Gettysburg library.

Book Club

AUGUST 3
2:00 PM
7th-8th grade
Read the book and then watch the movie. Discuss both and decide which was better. For those entering 7th or 8th grade. The first 10 registrants will receive a free copy of the book, additional library copies will be available to borrow. Books will be available on July 1st. Registration required

Monterey Bay Monday: #Teens can make a difference

AUGUST 8
2:00 PM
Twins and Teens
This educational program is brought to you by the Monterey Bay Aquarium. If you're ready to make a difference this is the program for you. Learn about conservation and ways you can take action to help our planet.

Teen Book Club

AUGUST 10
2:00 PM
Read the book and then watch the movie. Discuss both and decide which was better. For those 13 and older. The first 10 registrants will receive a free copy of the book, additional library copies will be available to borrow. Books will be available on July 1st. Registration required

ADULT EVENTS

First Friday Silent Films

JUNE 3 - AUGUST 5
Join us on the second floor of the Gettysburg Library as we show silent films from the early 1900s. Films will be streamed all day.
FRIDAY, JUNE 3:
A Trip to the Moon (1902)
FRIDAY, JULY 1:
Daisy Doodad's Dial (1914)
FRIDAY, AUGUST 5:
The Lonedale Operator (1911)

Saturday Strolling Book Chat

SATURDAY, JUNE 4
9:00 AM
We'll meet at the High Street entrance of the Gettysburg Library. As we walk, we'll talk about the books that we're currently reading and our favorite authors. The walk will generally last 45 minutes to an hour and a half. Weather permitting. Registration Required.

Check 'Em Out: What Are You Reading?

MONDAY, JUNE 6
6:00 PM
Do you want to join a book club, but don't want to be told what to read? That's what this book club is all about! There's no set title to read, so meet with other readers to talk about all things books! You might just leave with a new author or title to try! Registration Requested.

Mango Languages 101

TUESDAY, JUNE 7
6:00PM
We'll be taking a tour of Mango, an online language-learning database that combines real life situations and audio from native speakers with simple, clear instructions. Learn actual conversation at your own pace. Over 90 languages available. Registration Required.

Grow with Google: Protect Yourself from Online Scams

TUESDAY, JUNE 28
6:00 PM
Learn to identify and protect yourself and your personal information from online scammers. In this workshop you'll learn about three real-life online scams and familiarize yourself with some of the techniques scammers commonly use to access sensitive information. Registration Required.

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Saturday Strolling Book Chat

SATURDAY, JULY 2
9:00 AM
We'll meet at the High Street entrance of the Gettysburg Library. As we walk, we'll talk about the books that we're currently reading and our favorite authors. The walk will generally last an hour to an hour and a half. Weather permitting. Registration Required.

Grow with Google: Improve Your Resume with Practical Strategies

FRIDAY, JULY 15
1:00 PM
Read a resume like a hiring manager. In this workshop, you'll learn how to help your resume stand out and communicate your strengths. Bring your device with you to work along with the presentation. Registration Required.

Saturday Strolling Book Chat

SATURDAY, JULY 16
9:00 AM
We'll meet at the High Street entrance of the Gettysburg Library. As we walk, we'll talk about the books that we're currently reading and our favorite authors. The walk will generally last 45 minutes to an hour and a half. Weather permitting. Registration Required.

Sam Apple Author Visit

TUESDAY, JULY 26
6:00 PM
Meet Sam Apple, author of Ravenous: Otto Warburg, the Nazis, and the Search for the Cancer-Diet Connection. Registration Required.

Check 'Em Out: What Are You Reading?

MONDAY, AUGUST 1
6:00 PM
Do you want to join a book club, but don't want to be told what to read? That's what this book club is all about! There's no set title to read, so meet with other readers to talk about all things books! You might just leave with a new author or title to try! Registration Requested.

National Coloring Book Day

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2
6:00PM
Relive your childhood playdates and discover new health and wellness benefits now that coloring is no longer just for kids! Coloring can help reduce stress and anxiety, and improve motor skill, sleep and focus. We'll provide the supplies, you bring your creativity.

Saturday Strolling Book Chat

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5
9:00 AM
We'll meet at the High Street entrance of the Gettysburg Library. As we walk, we'll talk about the books that we're currently reading and our favorite authors. The walk will generally last 45 minutes to an hour and a half. Weather permitting

POWER Library 101

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12
1:00 PM
POWER Library is an online portal to many resources to find trustworthy answers to questions about healthcare, consumer purchases, personal finances and much more. In POWER Library you can get access to newspapers, magazines, journals, historical documents, online databases, etc. with your Library Card. Registration Required.

Julia Child's Birthday

MONDAY, AUGUST 15
6:00 PM
We'll celebrate by watching an adaption of Julie Powell's autobiographical book about an amateur chef who decides to try out every recipe in a cookbook by chef Julia Child and writes about it in a blog over the course of a year. Meanwhile, flashbacks show Child learning about French cuisine while living in Paris. Registration Requested.

Introduction to Heritage Quest

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18
6:00 PM
Heritage Quest is a free tool, accessible with your library card, powered by Ancestry. We'll cover some of the basic databases and search functions, and there will be ample time for Q&A and demonstrations. Registration Required.

Saturday Strolling Book Chat

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20
9:00 AM
We'll meet at the High Street entrance of the Gettysburg Library. As we walk, we'll talk about the books that we're currently reading and our favorite authors. The walk will generally last 45 minutes to an hour and a half. Weather permitting. Registration Required.

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CARROLL VALLEY LIBRARY

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CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Preschool Pals

TUESDAYS, JUNE 7 - AUGUST 30
10:00AM
Story time for preschool children ages 3 - 5. Join Miss Crystal for stories, songs, and playtime.

Baby Bookworms

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 1 - AUGUST 31
10:00AM
Story time for children ages 0 - 3. Babies, toddlers, and their parent or caregiver will sing songs, do finger-plays, read books, and have playtime.

Barks and Books

MONDAYS,
JUNE 6 / JULY 11 / AUGUST 1
6:30PM
Reading to a therapy dog helps to build confidence in new or reluctant readers. Bring your child to the library to read to Danny, our favorite KPets pup!

To the Pond Story Time

TUESDAY, JUNE 21
10:00AM
Local author, Anna Heckert, will be using a ukulele and puppets to present a story time about her children's book "To the Pond."

Seashell Fun

MONDAY, JUNE 27
6:30PM
Come and learn all about seashells and make a beautiful seashell craft! Registration required.

Window Garden Boxes

THURSDAY, JULY 7
6:30PM
Adams County 4-H is planting interest in gardening and 4-H at the Carroll Valley Library. The hands-on presentation will teach youth about the basic needs of a garden and how plants thrive and grow. Using what they've learned, participants will plant flowers and vegetables in a window garden box made from recycled materials. Ages 8-13. Registration Required.

Science Fun

THURSDAY, JULY 14th
6:30pm
Join our favorite mad scientist, Dani K., and learn about cool science experiments that you can do with things you have at home. Registration required.

"Reptile Explorers" Interactive Science Program

SATURDAY, JULY 16
2:00PM
Jesse Rothacker lives with 100 live reptiles and 3 humans, so every day is a new story! Whether he's blaming a gila monster for ruining the coffee, or forgetting to tell his wife about the alligator in the bathtub, you never know what mess he'll get into next! Come and meet some of the cold-blooded critters that are Jesse's housemates!

The Amazing Maji Magic Show

MONDAY, JULY 25
6:30PM
The Amazing Maji will be presenting the "Treasures of the Sea" magic show which will be fun, amazing, interactive, and filled with comedy! All children will receive four free gifts for attending the show.

Lego Play Day

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18
6:30PM
Use your imagination and creativity and our Legos! Make a creation relating to our summer reading theme "Oceans of Possibilities" and win a prize. Registration required.

TEENS & TWEENS

Sunrise Sipper and Star Charms

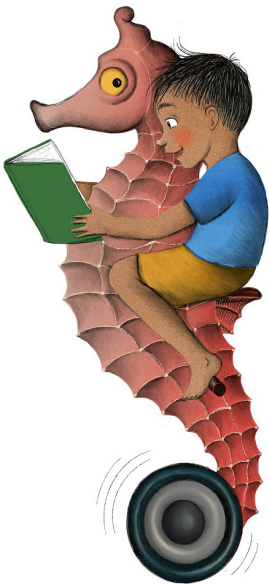
THURSDAY, JUNE 23
6:30PM
Make a refreshing mocktail and a pretty beaded star charm decoration. Registration required.

Cupcake Wars

THURSDAY, JULY 28
6:30PM
Are you the best cupcake decorator in the county? Come on down to your local branch to show off your skills. During this competition, you will be decorating cupcakes for a chance at a prize. The winner will be selected by a local judge. The winners then go on to have the final round of the competition at the Gettysburg library. Ages 8-17. Registration Required.

Rainbow Fruit in Glitter Cups

MONDAY, AUGUST 8
6:30PM
Glitter makes everything great! Layer fruits by color for a healthful, rainbow snack. Then, dress up your fruit with a glitter cup and fork. Registration required.



ADULT EVENTS

Wooden Home Décor Sign

MONDAY, JUNE 13
6:30PM
Make a wooden home décor sign with four interchangeable plaques for the different seasons. Registration required.

Amphibians and Reptiles of Pennsylvania

THURSDAY, JULY 7
6:30PM
Did you know, the Keystone State is home to 40 species of amphibians and 38 species of reptiles? Amphibians and reptiles serve as bioindicators and can tell us important information about the quality of the environment around us. Learn about the basic morphology and ecology of Pennsylvania's amphibians and reptiles and how to identify some of the more commonly seen species along with those species that need special protection.

Basic Exercise for Adults 50+

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16
1:00PM
Basic stretching and toning for every muscle group. Will include a warm up and cool down. Registration required.

HARBAUGH-THOMAS LIBRARY

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CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Courtyard StoryWalk®

Enjoy an interactive story experience with a StoryWalk® outside in our courtyard!
JUNE: Pete the Cat: Go, Pete, Go! by James Dean
JULY: Grumpy Bird by Jeremy Tankard
AUGUST: Sheep Take a Hike by Nancy Shaw

Stories and More!

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 1 - AUGUST 31
10:30AM
Join Miss Karin for books, songs, and activities. Geared towards children ages 2-5, but all ages are welcome!

Stories and More!

TUESDAYS, JUNE 7 - AUGUST 30
6:30PM
Join Miss Cindie or Miss Barbara for books, songs, and activities. Geared towards children ages 2-5, but all ages are welcome!

Barks and Books

WEDNESDAYS
JUNE 8 / JULY 13 / AUGUST 10
11:45 AM - 12:45 PM
Practice reading to the lovable KPETS therapy dog, Danny! Sign up for a 15 minute time slot.

Kindergarten, Here I Come!

THURSDAYS
JUNE 9 / JULY 14
3:30PM
We'll have a short storytime and lots of fun early literacy activities for children who are entering kindergarten at Biglerville Elementary School in the fall of 2022! A 15 minute session on Conscious Discipline will be offered to grown-ups. Conscious Discipline empowers adults with proven strategies to increase connection, self-regulation, and positive behavior in your home. Activities will be guided by Harbaugh-Thomas Library staff members, volunteers and Biglerville Elementary kindergarten teachers Mrs. Buccheister and Mrs. Carey.



Conscious Discipline

TUESDAYS
JUNE 14 / JULY 12 / AUGUST 16
6:30PM
Looking for some parenting help? Learn how to increase connection, self-regulation and positive behavior management in your home, resulting in a happier and healthier home environment. This 8-session series uses the Conscious Discipline Parent Education Curriculum. This is for parents of any age child but is targeted to parents of children ages 0-7. Facilitated by local kindergarten teacher Missy Carey.

LEGOpalooza!

WEDNESDAYS
JUNE 15 / JULY 20 / AUGUST 17
1:00PM
Ages 4-12.
LEGOS and more LEGOS. Free play with optional fun challenges!

All About Bees & Flowers

FRIDAY, JUNE 17
10:30AM
Ages 5-12
Master Gardener Carolyn Black will discuss the importance of bees in our community. Includes a craft.

Strawberry Hill Animal Ambassadors

THURSDAY, JUNE 23
6:30PM
All ages.
The animal ambassadors include a variety of native turtles, amphibians, a skunk, and a barred owl. Strawberry Hill's trained naturalist-handlers will bring exciting "biofacts" to see, touch, smell, and hear!

Rockin' and Readin'

FRIDAY, JULY 15
10:30AM
Ages 5-12.
This music program for all abilities is interactive, engaging, and FUN! Mixing story with movement and music, board certified music therapist Amy Buser will keep things rocking!

Magic Show: Pirate Mike and His Quest for the Treasures of the Sea!

MONDAY, JULY 25
3:00PM
Ages 4-12
The Amazing Maji, Michael Reist, leads an educational and interactive magic show filled with comedy, storytelling, and a live rabbit!

Pirates Lost at Sea by Talewise

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4
6:30PM
Ages 4 - 12.
Science and storytelling combine to create drama on the high seas! Live experiments and volunteers from the audience save the day and move the story along!

Summer Quest Ice Cream Sundaes

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9
3:00-4:30PM
All ages.
Drop in for our Summer Quest Sundae party!

TEENS & TWEENS

Teen Subscription Boxes

JUNE-AUGUST
7th-12th Grade
Sign up to receive your own monthly subscription box, complete with a library book selected for you by staff as well as some surprise gifts inside! Sign up at the Harbaugh-Thomas front desk. Registration is required and spots are limited.
WEDNESDAY JUNE 1
WEDNESDAY JULY 6
MONDAY AUGUST 1

Choreography & Dance

THURSDAYS, JUNE 2 - AUGUST 25
6:00PM
Ages 8-18
TCC Choreography instructor Sophia Gray guides attendees through stretching and cardio moves. Hip-hop, jazz and ballet styles are incorporated into these weekly dance sessions. Please register. Space is limited.

Teen Chill Day

THURSDAY, JUNE 2
12:30-6:00 PM
7th-12th Grade
Spend an extended time in the Teen Center to celebrate the last day of school! Join us for refreshments, Smash, ping-pong, and much more!

Anime Club

FRIDAYS
JUNE 3 / JUNE 17 / JULY 8 / JULY 22 / AUGUST 5
4:30-5:30PM
7th-12th Grade
Join your friends to watch your favorite anime series or check out something new. Meeting select Fridays over the summer. Registration is preferred and dates are subject to change.

Tabletop Gaming: Let's Roll...Some Dice!

MONDAY, JUNE 6
3:30-5:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Get rolling with some old favorites like King of Tokyo, and explore some new titles like "Call to Adventure", the Stormlight Archives board game. Registration is preferred.

Gaming Club

TUESDAYS, JUNE 7 - AUGUST 23
5:00-6:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Join the Harbaugh-Thomas Gaming Club to explore new games, hone your aim, improve your smash skills, and much more. Space is limited and registration is required.



Teen Center Hours

Monday-Friday 3-6PM
June 2022 - Aug 2022

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Table Tennis Summer League

WEDNESDAYS
JUNE 8 / JUNE 15 / JUNE 22 / JULY 13 /
JULY 20 / JULY 27 / AUGUST 3
3:30-5:30PM
7th-12th Grade
Sign up in May and early June to participate in our summer-long table tennis league. Records will be kept of each Wednesday's matches, and a prize will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places at the end of the summer. Registration is preferred but drop in players are always welcome!

Chess Summer League

THURSDAYS
JUNE 9 / JUNE 23 / JULY 7 / JULY 14 /
JULY 21 / JULY 28 / AUGUST 4
3:30-5:30PM
7th-12th Grade
After challenging your body with table tennis, come in and challenge your mind in our chess league. ELO rating will be calculated for all games played, and prizes will be awarded at the end of the summer. Registration is preferred but drop ins are welcome!

Cupcake Wars

TUESDAY, JUNE 14
3:00 PM
Ages 8-17
Are you the best cake decorator in the county? Come to the Harbaugh-Thomas Library to show off your skills. During this competition you will decorate cupcakes for a prize! The winners will be selected by a local judge. Winners advance to the final round at the Gettysburg Library.
STEAM Experimentation Day
THURSDAY, JUNE 16
3:00-6:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Come in and work with several STEAM projects: play video games with bananas using our Makey-Makey controller kits, program tiny robots, put together a raspberry pi computer, and much more! Registration is required.

Exploring Percussion & Sounds

TUESDAY, JUNE 21
3:30PM
Ages 8-18
Highly energetic program where kids will learn a fun exercise that includes the basics of rhythm and counting using a variety of sounds. This beginner class is designed for kids who are new to the fundamentals of percussion.

Percussion sounds will be achieved by using:

- Hand claps
- Feet stomps
- Finger snaps
- Body slaps
- Suggestions can also be incorporated into the program

At the end of the session, attendees will perform a short percussion piece together.
Led by Robert McCarthy who has taught percussion for over forty years. He has performed and taught percussion for National Champion Drum Corps and Marching Bands.

Ceiling Tile Painting: Planet Earth

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6
3:00-6:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Paint two ceiling tiles in the image of our beautiful planet and free paint around the edges to give it your signature touch! The tiles will replace two in the ceiling of the Teen Center, so get your style up there and leave your mark for the generations to come!

Tabletop Gaming: Cards, Cards, and More Cards

MONDAY, JULY 11
3:30-5:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Tear back into Marvel Munchkin and other deck-builders like Rumble in R'lyeh and Cryptozoic.
Put your cards on the table! Registration is preferred.

Seeing Eye Puppies!

THURSDAY, JULY 14
6:30PM
Ages 8-18
Meet some Seeing Eye puppies and hear how 4-H puppy raisers care for them. Puppy raisers are foster families from all walks of life, who nurture and care for puppies from The Seeing Eye until they are about 13 to 16 months old. Raisers teach the puppies basic manners and commands, and socialize them to a variety of social situations and experiences that range from shopping and car rides, to visiting airports and boarding airplanes.

Qigong

MONDAY, JULY 18
3:00PM
Ages 8 through Adult

Want to learn a fun and easy way to release anxiety and boost your energy? Try Qigong (pronounced Chee-gong) with Spring Forest Certified Practice Group Leader, Laura Geesaman. Qigong uses gentle movement to focus the mind and balance the body, so it's a little like meditation but you don't have to sit still!

Intro to Guitar

SATURDAY, JULY 30
2:30-5:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Work with musician Will Johnson to learn the basics of jamming on the guitar! Bring your own or use one of our loaned instruments. Registration is required.

Tabletop Gaming: The All Timers

MONDAY, AUGUST 8
3:30-5:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Spend the day competing with friends to dominate the tabletop! Select games from previous sessions will be made available. Registration is preferred.

Lego Challenge

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10
4:00-5:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Challenge yourself solo or with a team of up to 3 to build the tallest possible tower in 30 minutes! The winner will receive a small prize. We will also have voting on the most interesting tower, so try to spice it up as much as you can! Registration is required.

Intermediate to Advanced Guitar

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13
2:30-5:00PM
7th-12th Grade
Already know your basic chords and want to expand your playing? Come jam with Will and try out more intermediate to advanced techniques, including learning songs, writing your own riffs, playing solos, and playing in a group setting! Registration is required.

ADULT EVENTS

Harbaugh-Thomas Cookbook Club Facebook Group

ONGOING
This is a group for anyone who loves cooking and cookbooks. Members can share recipes, post photos of what they're

cooking, ask for advice or suggestions, and talk about their favorite cookbooks. There's also a monthly theme to help us focus our culinary creativity, which can range from different cultural cuisines to seasonal ingredients. Come join us!

Knitting Group

TUESDAYS, JUNE 7 - AUGUST 30
1:00-3:00PM
This is a drop-in knitting time for knitters of all levels. Don't know how to knit? Stop by and learn! Conversation and creativity abound.

Shelf Indulgence Book Club

THURSDAYS JUNE 16 / JULY 21 /
AUGUST 18
1:00PM
We hope to engage our readers by offering books with a variety of story lines, genres, pacing, characters and moods. Mostly we read fiction, but usually include one or two nonfiction titles over the course of the year. You're welcome to drop in on one discussion, or all of them. Copies of the book are available at the Harbaugh-Thomas Library and can be sent to any Adams County Library System branch for convenient pick up.
JUNE 16 The Keeper of Lost Things by Ruth Hogan
JULY 21 The Mountains Sing by Phan Que Mai Nguyen
AUGUST 18 The Thursday Murder Club by Richard Osman

Preserving Your Family Textile Treasures

THURSDAY, JULY 21
6:30PM
Dr. Karin Bohleke, Director of the Fashion Archives and Museum of Shippensburg University, provides a beginner's guide to the do's and don'ts for preserving cherished family textile heirlooms. Attendees may bring one or two items whose origins and dating have become unclear with time or which have conservation concerns.

Easy Yarn Wall Hanging

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16
3:00PM
Adults and Teens
Join us for an afternoon of crafting fun! We will show you how to make a unique and beautiful yarn wall hanging to decorate your home. We will provide the supplies, you just supply the creativity and style!

LITTLESTOWN LIBRARY

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CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Fun with Chess!

MONDAYS, JUNE 6 - AUGUST 29
6:00-7:45PM
Are you a beginner at chess and want to learn? Are you an experienced chess player and want to test your skills? Drop in weekly to watch and play with a local chess aficionado. All ages and all skill levels welcome.

Preschool Story Time

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 8 - AUGUST 31
10:30AM
Join Miss Jess for preschool story time! We'll have fun and encourage early literacy through stories, songs, movement, and more! Each week's story time concludes with time for creative free play with our age-appropriate building toys, a great time for social interaction for both children and adults!

Toddler Time

THURSDAYS, JUNE 9 - AUGUST 25
10:30AM
Join Miss Jess for toddler story time! We'll have fun and encourage early literacy through stories, songs, movement, and more! Each week's story time concludes with time for creative free play with our age-appropriate building toys, a great time for social interaction for both children and adults!

Babies and Books

FRIDAYS, JUNE 10 - AUGUST 26
10:30AM
Join Miss Jess for our baby story time, filled with engaging activities to encourage early literacy! We'll have fun sharing stories, songs, bounces, rhymes, and more! Each week's story time concludes with time for creative free play with our age-appropriate building toys, a great time for social interaction for both children and adults!

Kindergarten Here I Come

JUNE 8 / JULY 20 / AUGUST 10
6:00PM
This is a special program for those entering Kindergarten at Alloway Creek Elementary in the fall of 2022. Join us once a month for stories about going to school and activities that focus on school-readiness. You'll also have the chance to meet some teachers from Alloway Creek. Registration is highly encouraged but not required.

Mermaid Party

SATURDAY, JUNE 11
12:00-4:00PM
Join us under the sea as we celebrate mermaids! We'll have a storytime, games, activities, and snacks. We may even have a special underwater friend stop by to play! Costumes and fancy dress are welcome. Registration highly encouraged.

Does Your Water Taste Buggy?

MONDAY, JUNE 13
11:00AM
The BugMan, Ryan Bridge, will answer that question and more, while using real insects to explain the secret world of Aquatic Bugs. The BugMan brings the ponds and streams to you and encourages everyone to touch, pet, and hold the live bugs and insects, as he teaches the audience about underwater ecology and simple bio-diversity and the importance of freshwater conservation. Registration highly encouraged.

Story Time with Local Author Susan J. Cook

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15
10:30AM
Join us for this special story time with local author Susan J. Cook. She'll be reading from her book, The Bus Driver is a Princess.

Summer Spectacular at the Libraries with Girl Scouts

MONDAY, JUNE 20 - FRIDAY, JUNE 24
1:00PM-3:00PM
Join us for a week of STEAM activities presented by Girl Scout staff and volunteers of GSHPA. Every day will focus on a different aspect of STEAM, with an open house on Friday. Girls who attend four or more days will receive a year's membership to Girl Scouts. For girls in grades K-5. Registration required.

Barks & Books

3rd MONDAY, JUNE 20 / JULY 18 /
AUGUST 15
6:00-7:00PM
Did you know that dogs can help struggling readers build confidence. Stop by and read to our lovable, huggable, therapy dog, Danny!

Camp Moss-Keto Mystery of the Missing Calamine Trophy

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22
6:00PM
Join us for this family friendly mystery event! Kids looking for an adventurous summer they'll never forget have two choices inside the Great Swampland State Park: Camp Moss-Keto, nestled by still waters, and Camp Sue-Mack, situated among lush undergrowth. Each camp offers a wide variety of activities culminating in the Great Swampland Olympics on the last day of summer, where the winner takes home the coveted Calamine Trophy. But this year, someone has stolen the Trophy! Was it one of the kids, playing tricks? Was it one of the camp employees, desperate for prestige? Was it an outsider, like the lost hiker who seems strangely knowledgeable about the camps? Or was it—YOU? Registration required. For kids and teens ages 10+.

Ancient Underwater Reptile Show

THURSDAY, JUNE 30
2:00 PM
Mike and Roberta Straka will provide a scientific exploration highlighting the world of undersea creatures that lived at the time of the dinosaurs! You will be introduced to Molly, the Mosasaur, meet other creatures, a fun-filled game show, a twist of magic, and a digging workshop. This event is appropriate for ages 5 to 13 (K-8th grade). Registration required.

Story Time with Cannonball Charlie

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6
6:00PM
Join the official cannoneer, Cannonball Charlie, of the three time Atlantic League Champions, the York Revolution, for a baseball related story time. Don't forget, reading is a blast!

Cupcake Wars

TUESDAY, JULY 19
4:00PM
Are you the best cupcake decorator in the county? Come on down to your local branch to show off your skills. During this competition, you will be decorating cupcakes for a chance at a prize. The winner will be selected by a local judge. The winners then go on to have the final round of the competition at the Gettysburg Library. Registration required as space is limited. For ages 8-17.

What Lives in the Water?

THURSDAY, JULY 28 (rain date -
AUGUST 4)
1:00PM - At Littlestown Community Park
What kind of critters can be found in a stream? Turtles, frogs & fish? Maybe! But there is also amazing wildlife hidden among the rocks and leaves in the stream that tell the story of the health of the stream – some as small as your fingernail. Join Penn State Extension Master Watershed Stewards as we sample Piney Creek at Littlestown Community Park, explore the “macroinvertebrates” found there, and learn what they tell us about water quality.

TEENS & TWEENS

Retro Gaming

1st WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1 / JULY 6 /
AUGUST 3
4:00-5:30PM
Drop in for some old-school video gaming.

Fun with Chess!

MONDAYS, JUNE 6 - AUGUST 29
6:00-7:45PM
Are you a beginner at chess and want to learn? Are you an experienced chess player and want to test your skills? Drop in weekly to watch and play with a local chess aficionado. All ages and all skill levels welcome.

Tiny Art - Juneteenth

SUNDAY, JUNE 12 - SATURDAY,
JUNE 18
VIDEO PREMIERES SATURDAY, JUNE 18
1:00PM, Virtual - Via YouTube
Enjoy a paint night from the comfort of your home! Register and pick up an art kit from Littlestown Library (or have a kit sent to your local branch library) and watch the instructional video on demand. For adults and teens. Registration required.

Ocean Adventures Film Festival

FRIDAYS, JUNE 17 - AUGUST 12
3:00PM
Join us every Friday for an adventure on (or under) the deep blue sea, from killer sharks to scavenging pirates. Stop by the library for a complete list of films.

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Books Against Humanity

TUESDAY, JUNE 14
3:00PM
Grab a book and search for the craziest answer in this library version of the party game favorite.

Camp Moss-Keto Mystery of the Missing Calamine Trophy

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6:00PM
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Registration required. For kids and teens ages 10+.

Shrunk Treasure Keychains

FRIDAY, JULY 1
2:00PM
Design and create your own keychains out of shrink art paper.

Stuffed Felt Sharks

FRIDAY, JULY 8
2:00PM
Create your own no-sew cuddly fish friend.

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Back-to-School Bad Art

SATURDAYS, AUGUST 6 AND 13
10:00AM - 4:00PM
Help us clear out our craft closets and create "bad art" to help celebrate the end of summer.

ADULT EVENTS

Friends of the Littlestown Library Meeting

1st WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1 / JULY 6 / AUGUST 3
7:00PM
Are you interested in becoming more involved in your community and supporting the library? Join the Friends of the Littlestown Library. Stop by or contact the library for more information.

Delving Into Diversity

2nd THURSDAY, JUNE 9 / JULY 14 / AUGUST 11
6:30PM, Virtual - Via Zoom
Join us for this virtual book club where we'll be reading and discussing books around the themes of diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI). Experience engaging and insightful conversation each month at this virtual program hosted by Jess from Littlestown Library and Bryn from New Oxford Library. Registration required. After registration, a staff member will be in contact to send a copy of the book to your local branch library.
JUN 9: If at Birth You Don't Succeed by Zach Anner
JUL 14: The Woman at 1000 Degrees by Hallgrímur Helgason
AUG 11: Children of the Land by Marcelo Hernandez Castillo

Gardening Tips for Lazy Gardeners

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15
6:30PM
Learn how to create a beautiful garden with minimal effort from Penn State Master Gardener Don Zigler.

Littlestown Adult Book Club

3rd TUESDAY, JUNE 21 / JULY 19 / AUGUST 16
11:00AM
Come discuss books with fellow Littlestown bibliophiles! Check with the library for copies of the current selection. In June, the group will be reading The Exiles by Christina Baker Kline.

Wine About It: Book Talk for Book Lovers

4th WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22 / JULY 27 / AUGUST 24
6:00PM, Virtual - Via Zoom
Pour a glass or pint and join us from the comfort of your home for a virtual, casual chat about books. Registration required.

What is Freegal?

THURSDAY, JULY 7
4:00PM
Did you know you have access to music with your library card. Join us to learn about this service and how to use it yourself. Please bring your device with you.

Composting Basics

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17
6:30PM
Learn about the basics of composting with a local Penn State Master Gardener.

LASD First Day of School Boo-Hoo/ Yahoo! PTO Coffee Hour

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18
9:15-10:15AM
The first day of school can leave you feeling sad, happy, or somewhere in between. Whatever you're feeling, feel free to stop by the library, with coffee and donuts supplied by the Alloway Creek PTO, and a story time and activity for younger siblings with Miss Jess. This is a great opportunity to meet other parents and learn more about getting involved with ACES PTO.

Grow with Google - Digital Skills for Everyday Tasks

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31
6:00PM
Learn how to manage work and life tasks more effectively using Google tools. Whether you want to build a budget, create a meeting agenda or organize your priorities, these best practices will boost your productivity.

INTERGENERATIONAL EVENTS

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CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Barks & Books

THURSDAYS
MAY 5/JUN 2/JUL 7/AUG 4
6:30 - 7:30 PM
Sign up for a 15-minute session with a sweet, furry friend to practice reading to a KPets Therapy dog. This program is for children learning to read or children who love dogs and need some practice reading. Please register by calling the library at 717-624-2182 for your 15-minute timeslot.

Strengthening Families 10-14

TUESDAYS
MAY 17/MAY 24/MAY 31/JUNE 7 / JUNE 14/JUNE 21
5:30-8:00 PM
The Strengthening Families Program 10-14 is an evidence-based prevention program dedicated to building families up by focusing on effective parenting skills, stress management, conflict resolution, healthy communication skills and promoting family bonding. The Center for Youth and Community Development (home of Collaborating for Youth) provides trained facilitators that run the program in English and Spanish and it is truly a wonderful experience for those families who participate. Registration is strongly encouraged.

Tuesday Tales Story Time

TUESDAYS JUN 7 - AUG 30
Babies & Toddlers (Ages 0-2) at 10:00 AM
Preschoolers (Ages 3-5) at 10:30 AM
Each storytime is filled with stories, songs, age appropriate activities and toys, and more! Every week has a new theme of stories that encourage early literacy. This story time is best suited for ages 0-2 & 3-5 with a parent or caregiver, but all are welcome! Many weekly themes include the ocean, jellyfish, octopus, sharks, and "Saturday" by Oge Mora (2022 Pennsylvania One Book, Every Young Child).

Special Tuesday Tales: A super Special Guest on July 12th (local author), June 28th at the New Oxford Post Office with Neil (please park at the library and walk over to the New Oxford Post Office - 4 Center Square New Oxford, PA 17350), and a storytelling appearance by York Revolution's Cannonball Charlie on July 26th!
*Tuesday Tales will not meet on July 5th & August 30th.

Summer Fun Fest

FRIDAY, JUN 10
4:00-7:00 PM
Don't be a grumpy gills, come join us at our spot at the Gettysburg Rec Park to complete a jaws-ome craft and track sharks on OCEARCH Shark Tracker online!

Does Your Water Taste Buggy?

MONDAY, JUN 13
3:00-4:00 PM
The Bug Man, Ryan Bridge, will answer that question and more, while using real insects to explain the secret world of Aquatic Bugs. The Bug Man brings the ponds and streams to you and encourages everyone to touch, pet and hold the live bugs and insects, as he teaches the audience about underwater ecology and simple bio-diversity and the importance of freshwater conservation.

After-School Safety Prevention Program with YWCA

JUN 15-JUL 1
9:00 - 11:00 AM
Times by Grades: 9:00 - 9:30 AM Kindergarten - 2nd Grades; 9:30 - 10:00 AM: 3rd - 5th Grades; 10:00 - 10:30 AM 6th - 8th Grades
After-School Safety Matters is an evidence-informed program from the Monique Burr Foundation for Children that follows best practices for prevention education. Children will receive fun, engaging, and age and developmentally appropriate lessons that educate and empower them to prevent, recognize, and respond appropriately to bullying, cyberbullying, child abuse, digital abuse, and other digital dangers. Parents will receive information and materials as children participate in the lessons. The program will be implemented by a trained facilitator. For more information about the program or about child safety, visit www.mbfpreventioneducation.org. For those who attend each lesson, will receive a small prize!

WEDNESDAY, JUN 15: Lesson 1 - Introduction to the Safety Rules
FRIDAY, JUN 17: Lesson 2 - Bullying
WEDNESDAY, JUN 22: Lesson 3 - Cyberbullying
FRIDAY, JUN 24: Lesson 4 - Abuse
WEDNESDAY, JUN 29: Lesson 5 - Digital Safety
FRIDAY, JUL 1: Lesson 6 - Digital Citizenship

Splash-tacular Movie Nights

WEDNESDAY, JUN 22/WEDNESDAY, JUL 6/FRIDAY, JUL 15
6:00 PM
All are welcome to the showing of a selection of family-friendly movies at the New Oxford Library! One movie per night. Registration is preferred.

Post Office Visit and Story Time

TUESDAY, JUN 28
10:00 AM
We are taking story time around town! Please join us at the New Oxford Post Office at 4 Center Square, New Oxford, PA 17350. The local Postmaster will be our special visitor - reading stories and giving a tour of the post office.

Ancient Underwater Reptile Show

THURSDAY, JUN 30
11:00 AM
Mike and Roberta Straka will provide a scientific exploration highlighting the world of undersea creatures that lived at the time of the dinosaurs! You will be introduced to Molly, the Mosasaur, meet other creatures, a fun-filled game show, a twist of magic, and a digging workshop. This event is appropriate for ages 5 to 13 (K-8th grade). Registration is required and space is limited, so sign-up today!

Fin-tastic Sharks

MONDAY, JUL 11
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Create your own science journal and dive into this interactive event on sharks provided by Monterey Bay Aquarium. Learn why sharks are amazing and their importance to the ocean. - they are more than toothy predators. For children ages 6 to 11. Registration required.

Each session will allow children to view OCEARCH Shark Tracker online. Win a free gift if you attend!

Local Author Story Time - Anna Heckert

TUESDAY, JUL 12
10:00 AM
Let's splash "To the Pond" with local author, Anna Heckert, as she reads her book. This story features a trio of lovely ducks who live on a farm as they journey to a pond. Gather your friends and join us for this special event - all are welcome to attend!

What's Better Than Jelly

MONDAY, JUL 18 - MONDAY, JUL 25
VIDEO PREMIERES MONDAY, JUL 25
3:00 PM, Virtual - Via YouTube
Enjoy an evening learning how to make jelly!

Pick up a recipe sheet on how to make jelly throughout the week of July 18th, then watch the video that will be released on our YouTube page on Monday, July 25th. For everyone, children with adult supervision.

It's Knot-ical!

JUL 25-AUG 6
Come sailing into the library, dock your boat, but which knots should you use? By watching instructional videos and flashcards, learn various nautical knots and many others to safely secure your boat.

Special Storytime with Cannonball Charlie

TUESDAY, JUL 26
10:00 AM
Take me out to the ball game, take me out to the crowd! But who is York Revolution's Cannonball Charlie? What's up with the name "Cannonball"? Meet the legend while he shares stories and more!

Don't Be Jelly-Fish

TUESDAY, JUL 26
11:30 AM
Bioluminescence is important to many creatures who live under the sea. This event will focus on what bioluminescence is and why some creatures rely on it, followed by creating your own mini jellyfish aquarium

Don't forget that we will broadcast the Monterey Bay Aquarium Live Jelly Cam throughout the month of July during some events!

Cupcake Wars

WEDNESDAY, JUL 27
4:00 PM
Are you the best cupcake decorator in the county? Come on down to your local branch to show off your skills. During this competition, you will be decorating cupcakes for a chance at a prize. The winner will be selected by a local judge. The winners then go on to have the final round of the competition at the Gettysburg library on August 1st at 4:00 PM for the finals! Ages 8-17. Please register online - space is limited.



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Learning Financial Literacy

THURSDAY, JUL 28
10:00 AM
Learning financial literacy at an early age comes with a variety of benefits including: understanding the value of money, counting coins and dollar bills, making budgets, among other important information. Please join our guests from Members 1st in Hanover to teach and discuss basic money knowledge and terms as well as counting coins. Ages 3 and up. Registration strongly recommended.

Explore Your Five Senses of Coral Reefs

TUESDAY, AUG 2
11:00 AM
Using our five senses - sight, taste, touch, smell, and hearing - we will traverse the coral reefs and make new discoveries. For children aged 5 to 11.

A Sea-riously Good Movie Night

FRIDAY, AUG 5
5:30 PM
All are welcome to the showing of a family-friendly movie at the New Oxford Library! This duo spends the summer in a small, coastal town; however, they are both in constant fear over the townspeople finding out their deepest secrets. Registration is preferred.

Summer Spectacular at the Library

AUG 8 - 12
12:00 PM-2:00 PM
Calling all girls! Join us for a week of STEAM at your local library. We will explore the world of science, technology, engineering, art and math together through engaging hands-on activities for girls grades K-5. Girls Scouts in the Heart of PA is excited to help girls increase their confidence and leadership skills through this program and a free membership for those girls new to Girl Scouts.

GSHPA staff will host this free 2-hour daily program at the New Oxford Library. All supplies will be provided and we will have an open house on Friday for the girls to showcase all the amazing things they did during the week to family and friends. Girls new to Girl Scouts will have the opportunity to receive a free GSHPA membership for the year and join a troop in their neighborhood. More information will be sent out closer to the event date.

"Wave" Goodbye to Summer Movie

FRIDAY, AUG 26
6:00 PM
So long summer, hello schooltime! Before "plunging" into the school year, cool off in the evening with an awesome movie.

TEENS & TWEENS

Rory Gilmore Book Club

JUNE 27-AUGUST 29
6:00 PM
Each month this group reads a different selection from the Rory Gilmore list of 300+ books, chat about our favorite Gilmore Girl moments and discuss the lessons learned from each book. Below are the selections for the next three meetings, place a copy on hold today:

MONDAY, JUNE 27: Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen
MONDAY, JULY 25: Cyrano de Bergerac by Edmond Rostand
MONDAY, AUGUST 29: Letters to a Young Poet by Rainer Maria Rilke

End of School Game Night

FRIDAY, JUNE 3
3:30 PM
Have fun unwinding from the school year with friends while playing games and enjoying snacks provided by the library!

Sea Snacks

TUESDAY, JULY 12
2:30 PM
Come to New Oxford Library to make fun snacks that will look too good to eat!

Battle of the Bots

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9
3:30 PM
Come to the library for a night of learning how to use an Evo Robot. Make it dance, sing, and even talk through the simple tasks.

ADULT EVENTS

Knit & Crochet Group (Virtual)

MONDAYS JUN 6 - AUG 29
6:30 PM
This group meets virtually for knitters and other needle crafters of all levels. Don't know how to knit? Drop in and learn! *No meeting on Monday, July 4, 2022.

Delving Into Diversity Book Club

JUN 9 - AUG 11
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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8:
WEDNESDAY, JULY 13:
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

Reader's Forum

JUNE 9 - AUGUST 11
10:00 AM
Each month this group reads a different genre and the discussions focus on literary critique, gaining new perspectives, and being able to chat with other readers! Below are the selections for the next three meetings, place a copy on hold today:
THURSDAY, JUNE 9: The Wife Upstairs by Rachel Hawkins
THURSDAY, JULY 14: The Lost Apothecary by Sarah Penner
THURSDAY, AUGUST 11: Seven Days in June by Tia Williams

Coloring Club

THURSDAY, JUNE 16
6:30 PM
Sitting down to color a picture can be as effective as meditation in reducing stress. Drop by the New Oxford Library during our adult coloring sessions to see for yourself. All supplies provided. Sessions may include music and herbal tea.

Sights and Architecture Around Ukraine

THURSDAY, JUNE 30
6:00PM
While involved with the Peace Corps during 2007-2009, Mary Hoban traveled to Ukraine and learned a lot about the life and architecture of the towns she lived in during her time there. Join her for a discussion of learning more about the culture and "touring" the colorful areas of the country.

Washington D.C. Monuments Talk and "Tour"

THURSDAY, JULY 21
6:00PM
Take a tour of the monuments, memorials, and buildings in our nation's capital, Washington D.C. Discover the facts, and myths regarding the Lincoln Memorial. Hear a quote from the dedication of the Washington Monument and learn how the statement came true. The design of the Vietnam Wall Memorial had four specific requirements, were they achieved? Throughout the capital the American Flag and the Washington Monument can be seen, join Mary Hoban as she provides a slideshow showcasing our history.

Life in and Around the Water - Lancaster County Parks & Recreation

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18
6:00PM
Have you ever wondered what a water penny is or what a dragonfly and mayfly look like before they get their wings? We will learn about the animals living in our local creeks and streams, explore the life cycles of the critters that live there, and discover how they indicate the water health of their habitat.

TRONE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Pre-School Pals Storytime

FRIDAYS JUNE 17 - AUGUST 5
10:30am
Children ages 3-5 may join Miss Sherry for lively stories and songs.

Bouncing Babies Storytime

FRIDAYS JUNE 17 - AUGUST 5
9:30am
Children from birth to 2 years old may join Miss Sherry with their parent/ caregiver for a few short stories and lots of singing and moving.

STEAM BUDDIES

WEDNESDAYS JUNE 15, 22, 29, JULY 6, 13, 20, 27, AUGUST 3
1:00pm-3:00pm
On these days elementary age children will be partnered with a teenager and as a team they will dive into hands-on Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math activities, creating solutions to challenges. This is for children in Kindergarten - 12th grade.
JUNE 15: Coral Reef Creations: Learn about coral reefs, where the biggest one is and create your own coral reef to take home.
JUNE 22: Survival Island: Can you survive? We will test your ability to survive on a deserted island.
JUNE 29: Lighthouse STEAM Challenge: Learn about lighthouses, build your own and learn to send a morse code message.
JULY 6: Light up angler fish: Learn about circuits and create a sight up angler fish
JULY 13: Shark Week!: Join us for a shark craft and activities
JULY 20: Here Be Monsters: Map-making day: learn about cartography then create your own map.
JULY 27: Oil spill clean up: What happens to the ecosystem when an oil spill happens? What does it take to clean one up?
AUGUST 3: Oceans of Fun Trivia: For our last Buddy session we will work together in teams to answer Ocean Trivia.

Barks and Books

THURSDAYS JUNE 2 / JULY 7/ AUGUST 4
6:30pm - 7:30 pm
Sign up for a 15 minute time slot to practice reading to a KPets Therapy dog. This program is for children just learning to read or children who love dogs and just need a little practice reading. The dogs love hearing our stories.

Make Your Fish's Life Betta: Kids

Wednesday, June 8th
10:30am
Betta fish are a really popular fish to keep as a pet! Join us for a fish Storytime with Miss Sherry. Miss Maddie will teach us about kinds of betta fish, parts of a tank, and fun activities you can do with your fish! This program is for elementary age children.

Where in East Berlin is Miss Sherry

WEDNESDAYS JUNE 8 - AUGUST 3
10:30 am
Miss Sherry will be in a different location each week with a fun Ocean theme storytime. Bring your own beach towel or a lawn chair to sit on. For pre-school and elementary age children.
JUNE 15: Cashman's Ace Hardware
1595 Route 194 N, East Berlin
JUNE 22: Veterans of Foreign Wars post
8896 107 Locust St East Berlin
JUNE 29: Five Points Farm Market & Greenhouse 85 Fickes School Rd York Springs
JULY 6: EBACC 405 North Ave East Berlin (Behind the building)
JULY 13: Cashman's Ace Hardware 1595 Route 194 N East Berlin
JULY 20: East Berlin Community Park 523 North Ave East Berlin
JULY 27: Storytime Garden outside Trone Memorial Library of East Berlin
AUGUST 3: Bermudian Spring Elementary Learning Garden 7335 Carlisle St York Springs

Summer Spectacular : Week of STEAM

JUNE 6 - 10
1:00 - 3:00 PM
Calling all girls! Join us for a week of STEAM at Trone Memorial Library of East Berlin. We will explore the world of science, technology, engineering, art and math together through engaging hands-on activities for girls grades K - 5. Girl Scouts in the Heart of PA is excited to help girls increase their confidence and leadership skills through this program and a free membership for those girls new to Girl Scouts.

Adam Swartz Puppets "My Unbelievable Aquatic Adventure"

THURSDAY JUNE 30
6:00 pm
This fun puppet show is for children of all ages.

TAFE Play -Ruppert Meets Mrs. Tales

THURSDAY, JULY 28
6:00 pm

Lego club

THURSDAYS JUNE 16 - AUGUST 4
1 pm
Come build with us. Each week children will be given a challenge to build with Legos. This is for elementary age children.

Movie Night

THURSDAYS JUNE 23
6pm
JUNE 23 - Dolphin Craft + Movie Night- The movie is about two siblings who befriend a lost dolphin named Bernie, who suddenly goes missing. Rated G. Movie will run 100min. Popcorn provided please bring your own covered drink. For the whole family!

Kindergarten Here I Come

THURSDAYS JUNE 16 / JULY 21 / AUGUST 11
6:00pm
Children who will be entering Kindergarten in the fall of 2022 are invited to attend these sessions where we will have a storytime as well as time to explore different activities that will help each child prepare for Kindergarten. Each month a different Kindergarten teacher from Bermudian Springs Elementary school will attend so children and families may meet and talk to them.

Crafternoon

MONDAYS, JUNE 13 / JULY 11 / AUGUST 8
1:00 - 5:00pm
Stop in at the library on these afternoons for an Ocean craft to make and take home with you.

TEENS & TWEENS

Teen Advisory Board

TUESDAY, JUNE 14TH
6:00pm
On the second Tuesday of each month, for this half hour block, teens get to meet to build library programs, relationships, and community leadership. Ages 11-18.

Event Night!

TUESDAY, JUNE 14TH
6:30pm-7:30pm
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The Reel Deal

THURSDAY, JUNE 9TH
6:30pm
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Day in the Life at the SPCA!

THURSDAY, JUNE 16TH
4:30pm
Ever wonder what it's like to volunteer at the SPCA? Or maybe what it takes to adopt a pet? This lecture is for you! Join Betty Brownley as she talks about her experiences at the local SPCA!

Make Your Fish's Life Betta: TEENS

THURSDAY, JUNE 23RD
6pm - 7pm
Betta fish are really popular pets! But did you know there's a lot of myths about their care? Learn the difference between fact and fiction, and how to take care of your own betta along the way!

Local Wildlife: Native Bees!

June 24th
2pm
Native bees are an integral part of our ecosystem! Join Pamela Haze as she teaches us about the variety of bees in our area, the importance of their habitat, and how we can support them.

Cupcake Wars!

July 7th
6:30pm
Are you the best cupcake decorator in the county? Come on down to your local branch to show off your skills. During this competition, you will be decorating cupcakes for a chance at a prize. The winner will be selected by a local judge. The winners then go on to have the final round of the competition at the Gettysburg library. Please register online space is limited.

Light Paint Night

TUESDAY, JULY 19th
6:30pm - 7:30pm
Using an open camera shutter, a dark room, and a flashlight, what kind of art can you make? Light paint, that's what! With this long-exposure photographing technique, you can "paint" a photograph to your liking.

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Local Wildlife : Birds!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6TH
1pm

From fierce birds of prey to humble songbirds, vibrant avian life surrounds us. Learn to identify birds from afar, by their calls or plumage!

ADULT EVENTS

Crafty Cards Class

WEDNESDAYS MAY 18, JUN 15, JUL 20, AUG 17
2:00pm - 4:00pm

Join us for card making classes on the 3rd Wednesdays of the month with Kathy Freeman! Must register online or by calling the library!

Sit and Sew

JUN 2 & 16, JUL 7 & 21, AUG 4 & 18
12:30pm

On the first and third Thursdays of each month, bring your machine and current project. This group gets together to work on charity quilts as well as personal projects. Beginners welcome!

Chicks with Sticks

TUESDAY, JUN 14, JUL 12, AUG 9
12:30pm

This is a knitting and crocheting group. Please bring your current project or join us in making items to donate!

Tech Help by Appointment

JUN 7 & 21, JUL 5 & 19, AUG 2 & 16
Basic tech help with library apps is available on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month. Call for a 30 minute appointment! 717-259-9000

Walk and Talk Book Club

FRIDAYS, JUNE 17 TO AUG. 26
9:00am - 9:30am

Join us for 30 min. of exercise and discussion of your latest and greatest reads! Wear comfy shoes and meet at the library porch every Friday morning, June 17 through August 26.

The Cottage Garden

TUESDAY, JUN 21
6:30pm

Barb Mrgich has been a Penn State master gardener in Adams County for eleven years. Gardening has been her passion for more than forty years. Cottage gardens give us a chance to use our creativity and ingenuity while supporting wildlife like butterflies and hummingbirds. Learn how to plan the right plants that will thrive in your space to bring you beauty and joy every day.

Mindfulness Class

THURSDAY JULY 14
6:30pm

Join Julie Falk to learn the basics of practicing mindfulness to improve health and happiness. Register online or by calling the library.

Make Your Fish's Life Betta

TUESDAY JULY 5th
6:30pm

Ever keep a betta fish only to have it die a week later? Want to learn how to keep a healthy betta in the future? Sign up for our betta fish program and learn the ins and outs of fish care! This session will teach you about betta fish fact and fiction, how to take care of a tank, and some cool aquascaping tips!

Grow with Google: Creating a Google Account

TUESDAY, AUG 16
6:30pm

Join us for a Google tutorial on creating and exploring a Google account. Bring your own device or reserve a library laptop when you register!

Community Book Discussion

JUN 28, JUL 26, AUG 23
6:30pm

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INTERGENERATIONAL EVENTS

Book Bingo for ALL

MONDAYS JUN 27 & JUL 25
1:00pm

Join us for Book Bingo to win books for your summer reading adventures.

VIRTUAL ADULT EVENTS

Cozy Reads: A Virtual Book Discussion

JUN 8, JUL 13, AUG 10
6:30pm

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MONDAYS JUN 6 - AUG 29
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Test Tube Thursdays (Virtual)

JUNE 16 - Elephant Toothpaste
JULY 21 - Seed Germination Jar

AUGUST 18 - Stomp Rocket

Create your own science experiments at home. Instructional videos will be posted on the Adams County Library Youtube Page for you to follow along. The materials needed will be able to be picked up at your local library branch. Please register online to receive your kit.

Lethal Listing: Murder at the Broker's Open - Murder Mystery Event (Virtual)

FRIDAY, JULY 22

7:00PM, Virtual - via Zoom

Join us for this interactive murder mystery event where everyone is a suspect! Reality stars, luxury estates, and MURDER??? The cameras were ready to roll on a "Reality & Bites" themed party at an over-the-top Broker's Open, but something has gone terribly wrong! Avery Richman, the wealthy art broker who owns the sprawling estate, has been found in his office, strangled with his own expensive silk tie! Who needed Mr. Richman out of the frame? Even influencer status won't help you avoid suspicion at this "Lethal Listing..." especially if the killer is YOU! Registration required.

Tiny Art - Juneteenth (Virtual)

SUNDAY, JUNE 12 - SATURDAY, JUNE 18

VIDEO PREMIERES SATURDAY, JUNE 18

1:00PM, Virtual - Via YouTube

Enjoy a paint night from the comfort of your home! Register and pick up an art kit from Littlestown Library (or have a kit sent to your local branch library) and watch the instructional video on demand. For adults and teens. Registration required.

Wine About It: Book Talk for Book Lovers (Virtual)

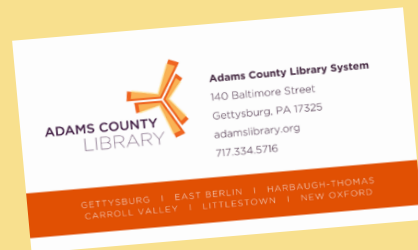
4th WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 30 / APRIL 27 / MAY 25

6:00PM, Virtual - Via Zoom

Pour a glass or pint and join us from the comfort of your home for a virtual, casual chat about books. Registration required.



Coming this fall!

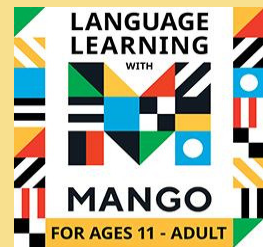


September is:

Library Card Sign-up Month!

September is the perfect time to get your little ones their very first card during Library Card Sign-up Month. It's also a great time to remind friends, neighbors, and colleagues that they, too, can take advantage of the free resources, books, movies, and programming the Adams County Library System provides by stopping in to get a library card. Help spread the word to celebrate Library Card Sign-up Month!

ACLS cards give you access to a wealth of resources like:



The Mystery of Nancy Drew

Thursday, September 29
6:30pm via Zoom



Ninety years ago, a plucky detective stepped out of her blue roadster and into the hearts of readers. The brainchild of publisher Edward Stratemeyer, Nancy Drew proved that a strong heroine with style and bravery could win huge popularity. Join historian Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., to explore the history of America's favorite girl detective. Who was Carolyn Keene, author of the series? Why did this girls' book series, more than any other, captivate generations of readers?

Registration required.

SAVE THE DATE!

Signature Event

September 16, 2022

New York Times, Edgar Award nominated author of twenty crime novels. Published in more than twenty languages, her books have been featured on "Best Book" lists including the Today Show, Entertainment Weekly, People, O (Oprah Magazine), The Boston Globe, and the Washington Post.



In addition to the standalone novels that have earned her a reputation as "a virtuoso" of domestic suspense, she authors two series. In addition to her own work, Alafair also co-authored the "Under Suspicion" series with Queen of Suspense Mary Higgins Clark.

An evening with

Alafair Burke

Join other mystery readers and library lovers at the Gettysburg Library! A limited number of VIP tickets will be available, including a reception with the author and a copy of her most recent book!

LOCATIONS:

Carroll Valley Library

5685 Fairfield Road
Carroll Valley, PA 17320
(717) 642-6009
Fax (717) 642-6430

Hours

Mon./Thurs. - 2:00pm - 8:00pm
Tues./Wed./Thurs. - 11:00am - 5:00pm
Sat. - 10:00am - 4:00pm

Gettysburg Library

140 Baltimore Street
Gettysburg, PA 17325
(717) 334-5716
Fax (717) 334-7992

Hours

Mon. - Thurs. - 9:00am - 8:30pm
Fri. & Sat. - 9:00am - 5:00pm
Sun. - 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Harbaugh-Thomas Library

59 W. York Street
Biglerville, PA 17307
(717) 677-6257
Fax (717) 677-6357

Hours

Mon. - 12:00pm - 6:00pm
Tues. - 12:00pm - 8:00pm
Wed. - 10:00am - 6:00pm
Thurs. - 12:00pm - 8:00pm
Fri. - 10:00am - 6:00pm
Sat. - 9:00am - 5:00pm

Littlestown Library

232 North Queen Street
Littlestown, PA 17340
(717) 359-0446
Fax (717) 359-1359

Hours

Mon/Wed: 2:00PM-8:00PM
Tue/Thu/Fri: 12:00PM-6:00PM
Sat: 10:00AM-4:00PM

New Oxford Library

122 N Peters St.
New Oxford, PA 17350
(717) 624-2182
Fax (717) 624-1358

Hours

Mon. & Thurs. - 2:00pm - 8:00pm
Tues./Wed./Fri. - 11:00am - 5:00pm
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Trone Memorial Library

105 Locust Street
P.O. Box 1014
East Berlin, PA 17316
(717) 259-9000
Fax (717) 259-7651
www.eastberlinlibrary.org

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MISSION & VALUES

It is the vision of the Adams County Library System to see every life fulfilled. To work toward fulfillment of that vision, we have adopted the following:

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