

# What's Happening

Fall 2022

ADAMS COUNTY  
LIBRARY



## It's planning time!

Each year, the Adams County Library System creates a plan for the next year's library services. We strive to meet the needs and expectations of the Adams County community. Then, we need a balanced budget to achieve our goals. This is a challenging proposition as the Library System consists of 6 branches: Gettysburg, Biglerville, East Berlin, Carroll Valley, Littlestown and New Oxford.

The budget figures include many services that everyone is familiar with, such as public programs for community members of all ages. Throughout the county, the libraries provide about thirty programs a week, serving babies through adults. Consider also the funding for the Library's collection, which includes print and digital materials as well as online resources.

There are also costs that are not as visible. Examples are the costs of the delivery system that moves items between library branches and the free access to public computers and wifi available at each branch.

You may not realize that the Adams County Library is a nonprofit organization. While some funding is provided by the county and the state, the library must raise 25%-30% of the income needed to support the operations of all six branches. This fundraising is accomplished in a variety of ways.

Grants, business sponsorships and donations from library supporters are several sources of income that help the Library System meet its needs. Your support of the Adams County Library System is vital to make valuable library services available!

There are many ways to contribute to the Adams County Library System: financially, as a volunteer and through advocacy. Advocate for the importance of free access to libraries, volunteer regularly or at special events, donate as you are able. You can help provide for the Library's immediate needs, future needs or both! Every donation is truly important and appreciated as we endeavor to provide excellent services at the Adams County Library System.

**For more information about how you can help, please contact Erica Duffy, Development Director at 717-809-9190 or [ericad@adamslibrary.org](mailto:ericad@adamslibrary.org).**





**The Adams County Community Foundation Giving Spree  
is Adams County's Day of Giving!**

# Giving Spree

**November 3, 2022**

**ACCFGivingSpree.org**

**Join us this year on November 3, 2022**

**The Adams County Library System will be one of the 91  
non-profit organizations in Adams County participating this year!**

## September is Library Card Sign-Up Month

Visit any branch of the Adams County Library System to register for your  
free library card or apply online at: [adamslibrary.org](http://adamslibrary.org) or scan QR code.

*Let your imagination  
sing at the library.*



SCAN ME



ALA American  
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Champions  
Inspiring a new generation of readers

An evening with

# Alafair Burke

Adams County Library Signature Event Fundraiser

**September 16, 2022**

**6:30-9:00pm at the Gettysburg Library**

Alafair Burke is a New York Times bestselling, 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 her own work, Alafair also co-authored the “Under Suspicion” series with Queen of Suspense Mary Higgins Clark.



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This signature event is the Library's largest annual fundraiser. The event includes a keynote from Alafair Burke, a book signing opportunity, V.I.P. champagne reception, catered mixer, and a silent auction.

**Tickets: \$100**  
**VIP Tickets: \$150**

[www.adamslibrary.org/signature-event](http://www.adamslibrary.org/signature-event)



SCAN ME



# 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.**



## HORROR ON THE HAUNTED HOUSE TOUR

~ A VIRTUAL MURDER MYSTERY ~



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2022  
@ 7:00PM VIA ZOOM

CIVIC AND SOCIAL  
LITERACY

REGISTER ONLINE AT [ADAMSLIBRARY.ORG/EVENTS](https://adamslibrary.org/events)

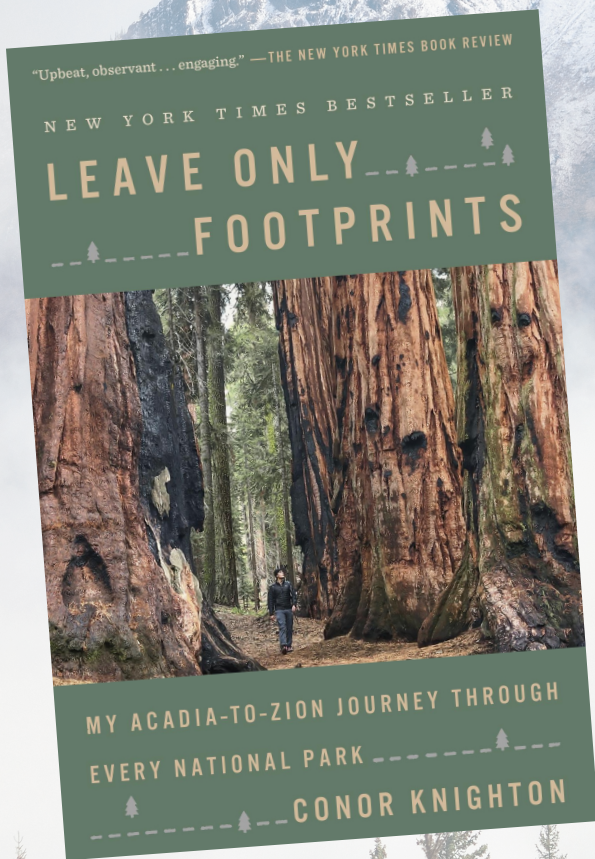
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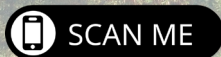
# ADAMS COUNTY READS ONE BOOK



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 the entire community 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. Grab a copy today and attend one of our special programs listed on the next page.



For more info: [www.adamslibrary.org/onebook](http://www.adamslibrary.org/onebook)



# ADAMS COUNTY READS ONE BOOK PROGRAMMING

## **ACROB: Virtual Book Discussion**

Saturday, OCT 1: 10:30 AM  
Sunday, OCT 16: 1:00 PM  
Join fellow readers in a virtual discussion of this year's Adams County Reads One Book selection, Leave Only Footprints. Upon registration, you will receive a link to the Zoom meeting.

## **ACROB: Live Interactive Virtual Tour of Yellowstone National Park**

Thursday, OCT 6  
6:00 PM  
Join us for an informative, fun look at some of the sites at Yellowstone National Park. Experience all the sights, sounds, science, history and ecology with your guide, Ashea Mills, of Walking Shadow Ecology Tours. There are several ways to join in. Let us know upon registration if you would like the Zoom link to view from home or if you would like to join us in person at the library to participate in this tour! Library viewing locations will be Trone Memorial Library, New Oxford Library, and Harbaugh~Thomas Library.

## **Book Discussion: Leave Only Footprints**

Gettysburg Library  
Friday, October 7  
10:00 AM  
Join us as we discuss this year's One Book, Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton. Registration Required.

## **Tuesday Trivia Trap: National Parks**

Gettysburg Library  
Tuesday, OCT 11  
6:30 PM  
Looking for a night to compete with others in a trivia contest? Look no further. An evening of three trivia rounds. And a prize for the winning team participants! Come as a team or come and create a team with other participants. Get trapped with trivia!  
Theme: National Parks  
Registration Required - Register as a team or as an individual.

## **ACROB Book Discussion**

Littlestown Library  
Wednesday, OCT 12  
6:00 PM  
Come in for a lively and insightful evening discussion on this year's One Book, Conor Knighton's Leave Only Footprints.

## **ACROB Readers Forum**

New Oxford Library  
Thursday, OCT 13  
10:00 AM  
Join our Readers Forum and other fellow readers to discuss this year's One Book Selection, Leave Only Footprints.

## **Gettysburg National Military Park & Monuments**

New Oxford Library  
Tuesday, OCT 18  
3:00 PM  
In honor of our 2022 Adams County Reads One Book Program, Mary Hoban will discuss our local National Park's monuments. At Gettysburg there are over 1,328 monuments or markers; within that number are more than 260 monuments to Union regiments. Years after the battle many of those monuments were designed by the men that served in those regiments. The slideshow presentation will take a look at some of those monuments to try to comprehend what they represent. Registration preferred.

## **ACROB Book Discussion: Leave Only Footprints**

Carroll Valley Library  
Wednesday, OCT 19  
2:00 PM  
Join us for some good company and conversation as we discuss this year's Adams County Reads One Book selection, Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton.

## **Capturing the Beauty of the Outdoors**

Littlestown Library  
Wednesday, OCT 19  
6:30 PM  
Learn the how-tos of capturing the perfect outdoor photographs from a local seasoned photographer. Whether your next outdoor adventure is to one of the National Parks or the Gettysburg Battlefield, you'll be sure to leave with tips that'll help you capture the beauty of your adventure.

## **ACROB Book Discussion: Leave Only Footprints**

Harbaugh-Thomas Library  
Thursday, OCT 20  
1:00 PM  
Join us for a discussion of Leave Only Footprints: My Acadia-to-Zion Journey Through Every National Park by Conor Knighton.

## **Recollections of a National Park Ranger**

Carroll Valley Library  
Thursday, OCT 20  
6:30 PM  
From 1978 until January 2017 Brion Fitzgerald served as a ranger with the US National Park Service. During his career he worked at 10 different National Park Service (NPS) sites across the US and its territories. He served in a variety of positions, beginning as an Intern at the Great Smoky Mtn National Park and ending as Superintendent of Virgin Islands National Park and Virgin Islands Coral Reef National Monument. He spent almost half of his career at Gettysburg National Military Park and Eisenhower National Historic Site where he served as Chief Ranger, Chief of Operations and finally as Deputy Superintendent. He will speak about his experience and the areas he was fortunate to have worked in.

## **Thursday Fun Night**

Trone Memorial Library  
Thursday, OCT 20  
6:30 PM  
In honor of this year's Adams County Reads One Book, join Miss Sherry at the Trone Memorial Library for a special Camp Out Storytime for the family!

## **National Park: Flat Stanley/ Flat Ranger**

Gettysburg Library  
Thursday, OCT 20  
4:30 PM  
Learn about the Cane River Creole National Historic Park. We will then make our own Flat Stanley or Flat Ranger and write a letter to the park. Your park ranger will then travel to the park where they receive their own personal tour. Your Ranger may even get the chance to visit another national park. You will be able to pick up your ranger at the library once they have returned from their educational journey.

## **National Parks Trivia for Teens!**

New Oxford Library  
Thursday, OCT 20  
3:30 PM & 6:30 PM  
From well-known landmarks to obscure wildlife factoids, our national park trivia is sure to be a mind-bending challenge! Winners for both will receive a prize.

## **Our Planet Screening**

Gettysburg Library  
Saturday, OCT 22 (first 4 episodes)  
Saturday, OCT 29 (last 4 episodes)  
10:00 AM  
Join us as we screen episodes of David Attenborough's documentary series, Our Planet. Light refreshments will be provided. Registration Requested.

## **Community Book Discussion - Virtual**

Tuesday, OCT 25  
4:00 PM  
Join the Community Book Discussion group to discuss Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton. Email or call to reserve a copy! [sallyc@adamslibrary.org](mailto:sallyc@adamslibrary.org).

## **Community Book Discussion**

Trone Memorial Library  
Tuesday, OCT 25  
6:30 PM  
Join the Community Book Discussion group at the Trone Memorial Library to discuss Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton. Email or call to reserve a copy! [sallyc@adamslibrary.org](mailto:sallyc@adamslibrary.org).

## **What You Miss in Our National Parks If You Stay in Your Car**

Harbaugh-Thomas Library  
Wednesday, OCT 26  
6:30 PM  
Our national parks are an amazing and stunning legacy for those who love the outdoors. A lot can be seen when driving through them, but the real beauty and mystique lies beyond the car door and the paved road. Ed Riggs will take you on a journey of what goes on in the back-country of our most precious resource.

## **3 ½ Decades in the National Parks: A Ranger's Memorable Moments and Lessons Learned**

Gettysburg Library  
Thursday, OCT 27  
6:30 PM  
Retired Park Ranger and Gettysburg Library staff member, John Joyce, looks back at his time as a ranger and the various parks that he worked at. Registration Requested.

# GETTYSBURG LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## CHILDREN & FAMILIES

### The LMNOP Club: Baby Storytime

Wednesdays 9/7-11/30

9:30 AM

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

### Mother Goose on the Loose:

#### Toddler Storytime

Wednesdays 9/7-11/30

10:30 AM

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

### Preschool Storytime

Thursdays & Fridays 9/1-11/25

10:30 AM

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

### Crafternoon

4:30 PM

Kindergarten - 5th grade

SEPT 8 - Fall

OCT 13 - Halloween

NOV 10 - Thanksgiving

Join us in the afternoon and make a seasonal craft.

### Book Club

SEPT 7 / OCT 5 / NOV 2

4:30 PM

1st-2nd grade

Join us once a month to discuss a good book and share a snack.

### Book club

SEPT 14 / OCT 12 / NOV 9

4:30 pm

3rd-4th grade

Join us once a month to discuss a good book and share a snack.

### Book Club

SEPT 21 / OCT 19 / NOV 16

4:30 PM

5th-6th grade

Join us once a month to discuss a good book and share a snack.

### Grandparents Day Storytime

Sunday, SEPT 11

2:00 PM

Sunday, Sept. 11th is National Grandparents Day! Bring your fabulous grandparents to a storytime that's all about celebrating them! Geared toward children ages 3-7, but all are welcome. Please register online.

### Barks and Books

SEPT 13/OCT 11 / NOV 8

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.

### Child Abuse Prevention for Young Families

Tuesday, SEPT 20

5:00 PM

This program is provided by Adams County Children's Advocacy Center. This is a combination training for families, consisting of the 45-minute "What if I Told You?" seminar for parents, coaches, and youth group leaders, while children (ages 5-10) simultaneously attend the Child Safety Matters" training. Both trainings are at 5:00PM at the Gettysburg library.

### Pajama Storytime: Around the Campfire at Children of Gettysburg 1863

SEPT 20 / OCT 18

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.

### Book Bingo

Wednesday, SEPT 21

6:30 PM

Feeling a little competitive lately? ACLS has you covered. Join us for an afternoon of bingo and compete for the best prizes: books

### SepSTEMber Event

Thursday, SEPT 22

4:30 PM

Join us for an afternoon of science fun! Geared toward ages 5-12.

### Punctuation Challenge

Saturday, SEPT 24

All Day

Saturday, Sept. 24th is National Punctuation Day! Stop by the children's department any time to take the punctuation challenge and try to win a prize.

### Teddy Bear Tea Party

Sunday, SEPT 25

2:00 PM

Join us at the library for an afternoon of fun with your bears. Light refreshments will be served. Please register online space is limited.

### Counting Coins

Monday, SEPT 26

4:00 PM

Come learn about money and coins from an expert from Members First credit union.

### Booktober Read-a-thon for Kids!

OCTOBER 1 - 31

Join us for a reading challenge this October! The Booktober Read-a-thon is a month-long reading challenge for kids. For this reading challenge, you will role-play as a fall character! Are you ready to transform into your new form? You'll need to acquire three features of your creature. To play, pick up a Creature Packet and Instructions at the Children's Desk of the Gettysburg Library.

Packets will be available starting October 1st. All completed packets must be turned in to the Children's desk at the Gettysburg Library by 8:30 pm on October 31.

### Saturday Storytime

Saturday, OCT 8

11:00 AM

October is Emotional Wellness Month and Bullying Prevention Month. Join us Saturday, Oct. 8th from 11:00-11:30am for a storytime about taking care of you and others. Geared toward ages 3-7, but all are welcome. Please register online.

### Fall Faire

Friday, OCT 14

2:00-6:00 PM

This fabulous fall event will be held outside at the Children of Gettysburg 1863 museum. There will be vintage games and activities for an afternoon of fall family fun!

### Dog Safety

Saturday, OCT 15

1:00 PM

Ages 5-12

This class will help you learn and understand ways to safely and humanely interact with dogs and ways you can help all the animals at the Adams County SPCA! We hope you'll join us for a fun-filled, learning experience! We can't wait to meet you! Registration is required.

### National Park: Flat Stanley/ Flat Ranger - Gettysburg Library

Thursday, OCT 20

4:30 PM

Come learn about the Cane River Creole National Historic Park. We will then make our own Flat Stanley or Flat Ranger and write a letter to the park. Your park ranger will then travel to the park where they receive their own personal tour. Your Ranger may even get the chance to visit another national park. You will be able to pick up your ranger at the library once they have returned from their educational journey.

### National Color Day Storytime

Saturday, OCT 22

11:00 AM

Saturday, Oct. 22nd is National Color Day. Join us for stories and songs about colors, and enjoy a colorful snack. 11:00-11:30 am. Geared toward ages 3-7, but all are welcome.

### Halloween Cookie Decorating

Monday, OCT 24

5:00 PM

Decorate some spooky Halloween cookies at the library. Registration is required.

### Winnie the Pooh Halloween Fun

Tuesday, OCT 25

4:00 PM

It's time to celebrate everyone's favorite bear. Come on a journey through the hundred-acre wood for Winnie the pooh themed Halloween fun including a viewing of a Winnie the Pooh Halloween movie. Halloween costumes and outfits are encouraged.



# GETTYSBURG LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## Monster Bash Halloween Party

Sunday, OCT 30

2:00 PM

It's Halloween! ACLS staff are putting together the greatest Halloween party in town. We'll have plenty of treats, music, and maybe even a visit from Nosferatu himself. Costumes are encouraged!

## Tot Rock

Tuesday, NOV 1

10:30 AM

Rockstars from Ages Birth- 5 are welcome to come and sing, move, and rock out until their heart is content. Bands will range from Queen to Metallica.

## Friendsgiving

Wednesday, NOV 9

6:30 PM

It's almost Thanksgiving! Celebrate with ACLS by sharing your favorite family friendly recipes and join us in some fall-themed fun for the whole family!

## Pajama Storytime

Tuesday, NOV 15

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! Siblings and stuffed animals are welcome to attend.

## TEENS & TWEENS

### Teen Event

SEPT 2 / OCT 7 / NOV 4

3:30 PM

This program will be chosen by the Teen advisory board and all teens are welcome to attend.

### Swap Ideas Day

Saturday, SEPT 10

2:00 PM

Ages 8-14

Saturday, Sept. 10th is National Swap Ideas Day! Bring a few books you like, table games to play, or a list of your favorite boredom busters. We'll have a snack, chat about your ideas, and try out a few games.

### Book Club

SEPT 28/ OCT 26/ NOV 17

4:30 PM

7th-8th grade

Join us once a month to discuss a good book and share a snack.

### Book Club

SEPT 22 / OCT 27 / NOV 22

4:30 PM

TEENS

Join us once a month to discuss a good book and share a snack.

### Back to School Craft

Thursday, SEPT 29

5:00 - TEENS

Make and decorate an upcycled back-to-school pencil holder

### Teen Advisory Board TAB

SEPT 30/ OCT 28/ NOV 25

3:30 PM

Come to the library to discuss and choose things that you would like to see at the library including programs.

### Dungeons and Dragons

Thursday, OCT 27

5:00 PM

Ages 10-17

Calling all adventurers! Join us for a thrilling Dungeons and Dragons Halloween adventure and help save the day. Please register online space is limited.

### Creative Writing workshop

Thursday, NOV 3

5:00 PM

TEENS

Come for a creative night of writing and fun and get a spark of ideas and inspiration for your next writing piece.

### Monopoly Day

Saturday, NOV 19

2:00 PM

Saturday, Nov. 19th is National Play Monopoly Day! Bring your favorite version of Monopoly to play here at the library. Ages 8-17. 2:00-3:00pm.

## ADULT EVENTS

### First Friday Silent Films

SEPT 2 - NOV 4

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.

SEPT 2: The Floorwalker (1916)

OCT 7: Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde (1921)

NOV 4: The Fireman (1916)

### Saturday Strolling Book Chat

SEPT 17 - NOV 19

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, we will be meeting on SEPT 17, OCT 1 & 15, NOV 5 & 19. Registration Required.

### Silver Screen Saturdays:

#### Keeping it Reel from Book to Movie

Saturday, SEPT 3

2:00 PM

Enjoy a good book and a movie? Come to Silver Screen Saturdays; Watch the film and have a spirited discussion about how they interpreted the book. Read the book ahead of time and bring snacks to enjoy while we watch the film. During this session we will explore the book, To Kill a Mockingbird, by Harper Lee. Registration Required.

### Tech Time!

Friday, SEPT 9

1:00-4:00 PM

Looking for an opportunity to learn how to use Library resources on your personal tech devices? Bring your questions and your devices and we will help you to use your technology! Laughter and learning along the way. This group session will focus on cloudLibrary. Other basic tech questions will be explored as well. Not available for the session? Set up a private session when you register. Registration Required.

### Tuesday Trivia Trap: General Trivia

Tuesday, SEPT 13

6:30 PM

Looking for a night to compete with others in a trivia contest? Look no further. An evening of three trivia rounds. And a prize for the winning team participants! Come as a team or come and create a team with other participants. Get trapped with trivia! Theme: General Trivia Registration Required - Register as a team or as an individual.

### Grow with Google: Level Up Your Leadership Skills

Tuesday, SEPT 20

12:00 PM

Develop leadership skills and approaches to become a more effective leader in the workplace. You will learn how to showcase your leadership abilities on the job, explore strategies to illustrate the value you bring to your organization, and practice thinking like a leader with hypothetical scenarios. This is an On Demand video from Google. Registration Required.

### The Mystery of Nancy Drew: Virtual Program

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### **Silver Screen Saturdays: Keeping it Reel from Book to Movie**

Saturday, OCT 1  
2:00 PM

Enjoy a good book and a movie? Come to Silver Screen Saturdays! Watch the film and have a spirited discussion about how they interpreted the book. Read the book ahead of time and bring snacks to enjoy while we watch the film. During this session we will explore the book, *Call of the Wild*, by Jack London.  
Registration Required.

### **Book Discussion: Leave Only Footprints**

Friday, OCT 7  
10:00 AM

Join us as we discuss this year's One Book, *Leave Only Footprints* by Conor Knighton. Registration Required.

### **Tuesday Trivia Trap: National Parks**

Tuesday, OCT 11  
6:30 PM

Looking for a night to compete with others in a trivia contest? Look no further. An evening of three trivia rounds. And a prize for the winning team participants! Come as a team or come and create a team with other participants. Get trapped with trivia! Theme: National Parks  
Registration Required - Register as a team or as an individual.

### **Historical Fiction Book Club**

Wednesday, OCT 12  
1:00 PM

Come join us on the 2nd Wednesday of each month for a discussion on a selected historical fiction book. This month we will explore, *This Tender Land*, by William Kent Krueger  
Registration Required.

### **Tech Time!**

Friday, OCT 14  
1:00-4:00 PM

Looking for an opportunity to learn how to use Library resources on your personal tech devices? Bring your questions and your devices and we will help you to use your technology! Laughter and learning along the way. This group session will focus on cloudLibrary NewsStand. Other basic tech questions will be explored as well. Not available for the session? Set up a private session when you register.

### **Grow with Google: Set and Reach Your Career Goals**

Tuesday, OCT 18  
12:00 PM

It's not always easy to develop and shape your own career. The good news is there are plenty of actionable steps to take charge of your career and reach your goals. In this session, you'll learn how to set goals that align with your vision, then identify sacrifices and actions you'll need to make to achieve them as well as the strengths and weaknesses that will affect your journey. This session will be led by Sarah Liu, international thought leader, speaker, facilitator on next-generation leadership and the Founder and Managing Director of The Dream Collective. This is an On Demand video from Google. Registration Required.

### **In Stitches**

Thursday, OCT 20  
6:30 PM

Are you a yarn and thread enthusiast? Enjoy crochet, knitting, needle point or other fiber crafts? Then this is the group for you. Drop-in crafting time for people of all levels of experience. Don't know how? Bring materials and stop by to learn! Projects, conversation and creativity are on the agenda! We will be "In Stitches" all evening!  
Registration Required.

### **Our Planet Screening**

Saturday, OCT 22  
10:00 AM

Join us as we screen the first four episodes of David Attenborough's documentary series, *Our Planet*. Light refreshments will be provided.  
Registration Requested.

### **31/2 Decades in the National Parks:**

#### **A Ranger's Memorable Moments and Lessons Learned**

Thursday, OCT 27  
6:30 PM

Retired Park Ranger and Gettysburg Library staff member, John Joyce, looks back at his time as a ranger and the various parks that he worked at.  
Registration Requested.

### **Our Planet Screening**

Saturday, OCT 29  
10:00 AM

Join us as we screen the final four episodes of David Attenborough's documentary series, *Our Planet*. Light refreshments will be provided.  
Registration Requested.

### **Plan Your Disney World Vacation**

Thursday, NOV 3  
6:30 PM

Are you planning a future trip to Disney World? If you're thinking about it, join us as Miss Robyn shares her tips and tricks for making the most economical trip possible.  
Registration Required.

### **Silver Screen Saturdays: Keeping it Reel from Book to Movie**

Saturday, NOV 5  
2:00 PM

Enjoy a good book and a movie? Come to Silver Screen Saturdays; Watch the film and have a spirited discussion about how they interpreted the book. Read the book ahead of time and bring snacks to enjoy while we watch the film. During this session we will explore the book, *Little Women*, by Louisa May Alcott.  
Registration Required.

### **Tuesday Trivia Trap: General Trivia**

Tuesday, NOV 8  
6:30 PM

Looking for a night to compete with others in a trivia contest? Look no further. An evening of three trivia rounds. And a prize for the winning team participants! Come as a team or come and create a team with other participants. Get trapped with trivia! Theme: General Trivia  
Registration Required - Register as a team or as an individual.

### **Historical Fiction Book Club**

Wednesday, NOV 9  
1:00 PM

Come join us on the second Wednesday of each month for a discussion on a selected historical fiction book. This month we will explore, *The Lincoln Highway: A Novel*, by Amor Towles  
Registration Required.

### **TechTime!**

Friday, NOV 11  
1:00-4:00 PM

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Registration Required

### **Grow with Google: Network Your Way to Success**

Tuesday, NOV 15  
12:00 PM

Get actionable networking tips from self-described "undercover introvert" Jason Scott, Google's Head of Startup Developer Ecosystems. In this workshop, you'll learn simple strategies for building connections with people who can help you grow your career. This is an On Demand video from Google.  
Registration Required.

### **In Stitches**

Thursday, NOV 17  
6:30 PM

Are you a yarn and thread enthusiast? Enjoy crochet, knitting, needle point or other fiber crafts? Then this is the group for you. Drop-in crafting time for people of all levels of experience. Don't know how? Bring materials and stop by to learn! Projects, conversation and creativity are on the agenda! We will be "In Stitches" all evening!  
Registration Required.







### CHILDREN & FAMILIES

#### Preschool Pals

Tuesdays, SEPT 6 – NOV 29  
10:00 AM  
Story time for preschool children ages 3 - 5. Join Miss Crystal for stories, songs, and playtime.

#### Baby Bookworms

Wednesdays, SEPT 7 – NOV 30  
10:00 AM  
Story time for children ages 0 - 3. Babies, toddlers, and their parent or caregiver will sing songs, do fingerplays, read books, and have playtime.

#### Barks and Books

Mondays, SEPT 12 / OCT 3 / NOV 7  
6:30 PM  
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!

#### StoryWalk® in the Park

Read a story on yard signs as you take a walk in the beautiful Carroll Valley Park!  
SEPT 1 – 30 Look Out Kindergarten, Here I Come! by Nancy Carlson  
OCT 1 – 31 Ballet Bruce by Ryan T. Higgins

#### Is Air Really There?

Thursday, SEPT 22  
6:30 PM  
Join former Fairfield Elementary School teacher, Mrs. Spalding, as we bring her out of retirement to talk about the air all around us! We will also be doing some cool air experiments!  
Ages 5-10. Registration required.

#### A Day in the Life of a Seeing Eye Puppy

Thursday, SEPT 29  
6:30 PM  
Kathy, from the Seeing Eye Puppy Raisers of Adams County, and her puppy, Warner, will be visiting the Carroll Valley Library! Come and meet them and learn how a Seeing Eye dog helps a blind person. Ages 5-10. Registration required.

#### Terrific Trees

Thursday, OCTOBER 6  
6:30 PM  
Come join us for an evening of hands on activities! Find out how to identify and tell the age of a tree, learn about leaves, and why trees are so important. Have fun making a craft too!  
Ages 5-10. Registration Required.

#### Halloween Bingo & Craft

Monday, OCT 24  
6:30 PM  
Come to the library to make a Halloween craft and play a few rounds of Halloween bingo!  
Ages 5-10. Registration required.

#### Dinovember story time program

Thursday, NOV 10  
6:30 PM  
Join us for a special evening dinosaur story time program! We will be having stories, a craft, and a special visitor! Ages 5-10. Registration required.

#### Lego Challenge

Tuesday, NOV 22  
2:00 PM  
Bring your creative brain to the library to participate in our Lego building event. Compete in our optional challenge for a chance to win a prize!  
Ages 5-10. Registration required.

### TEENS & TWEENS

#### Make Your Own Buddha Board

Monday, SEPT 26  
6:30 PM  
Paint on the surface with water and watch your creation come to life. As the water slowly evaporates your art will magically disappear... leaving you with a clean slate and a clear mind. Ages 11-18. Registration required.

#### "Bunnies at the Library" 4-H program

Thursday, OCT 13  
6:30 PM  
Hop down to the library and join Adams County 4-H Rabbit Club to learn about rabbits and 4-H! 4-H members will be doing a rabbit demonstration where attendees will learn different breeds of rabbits and how to care for rabbits.  
Ages 8-15. Registration required.

#### Decoupage Mason Jars

Monday, NOV 28  
6:30 PM  
Light up the dark by decorating a mason jar with tissue paper and decoupage. Add a candle to make a delightful luminary!  
Ages 11-18. Registration Required.

### ADULT EVENTS

#### Adult Book Club

Wednesdays  
SEPT 21 / OCT 19 / NOV 16  
2:00 PM  
Join us for some good company and conversation!  
September's selection - Rules of Civility by Amor Towles  
October's selection - Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton  
November's selection - Taste: My Life Through Food by Stanley Tucci

#### Beginner's Video Production Workshop

Mondays  
SEPT 12 / SEPT 19 / SEPT 26 / OCT 3  
6:00 PM  
Michael McCabe, from Hilltop Video Services, will present a free 4-part video production workshop for individuals and small businesses. Attendees will receive a free digital copy of his eBook: The Beginner's Guide to Video Production Resources.  
Class 1 - Video production on a shoe-string  
Class 2 - Video production at the speed of light  
Class 3 - Video production free (or nearly free) resources  
Class 4 - Video production 1-2-3  
Registration required.

#### You Can Protect Your Water(shed)!

Thursday, SEPT 1  
6:30 PM  
Susan Boling, PA Master Naturalist volunteer, will explore watersheds, citizen science, and various approaches citizens can take to protect their home waters.

#### Thaddeus Stevens Virtual Documentary

Monday, OCT 3  
2:00 PM  
At the beginning of April, an impressive statue honoring statesman Thaddeus Stevens was installed and dedicated in front of the Adams County Courthouse in Gettysburg. The Thaddeus Stevens Society commissioned a new hour-long documentary detailing Stevens' pivotal role in the progress of our commonwealth and our nation. A dozen historians were interviewed in compiling this documentary, providing keen insights based on decades of research. This documentary will be available to view on Carroll Valley Library's Facebook page beginning on October 3.

#### Recollections of a National Park Ranger

Thursday, OCT 20  
6:30 PM  
From 1978 until January 2017 Brion FitzGerald served as a ranger with the US National Park Service. During his career he worked at 10 different National Park Service (NPS) sites across the United States and its territories. He served in a variety of positions, beginning as an Intern at the Great Smoky Mountains National Park and ending as Superintendent of Virgin Islands National Park and Virgin Islands Coral Reef National Monument. He spent almost half of his career at Gettysburg National Military Park and Eisenhower National Historic Site where he served as Chief Ranger, Chief of Operations and finally as Deputy Superintendent. He will speak about his experience and the areas he was fortunate to have worked in.

#### Lake Communities, Stormwater, and HOA's - Oh My!

Thursday, NOV 3  
6:30 PM  
Join Holly Smith, Penn State Extension Master Watershed Steward Coordinator for Cumberland/Franklin/Adams Counties, for a discussion about lake water quality issues, green stormwater initiatives, and how to increase wildlife habitat in your neighborhood and downstream.



# HARBAUGH-THOMAS LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## CHILDREN & FAMILIES

### Courtyard StoryWalk®

Enjoy an interactive story experience with a StoryWalk® outside in our courtyard!  
SEPT- Sheep Take a Hike by Nancy Shaw  
OCT - We're Going on a Leaf Hunt by Steve Metzger

### Choreography & Dance

Thursdays, SEPT 1 - NOV 17  
6:30 PM

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.

### Stories and More!

Tuesdays, SEPT 6 - NOV 29  
6:30 PM

Join Miss Cindie or Miss Barbara for books, songs, and activities. Geared towards children ages 2-5, but all ages are welcome!

### Stories and More!

Wednesdays, SEPT 7 - NOV 30  
10:30 AM

Join Miss Karin for books, songs, and activities. Geared towards children ages 2-5, but all ages are welcome!

### Parenting using Conscious Discipline

Tuesdays, SEPT 13 / OCT 11 / NOV 8  
6:30 PM

Would you like to feel more empowered as a parent? Learn how to increase connection, self-regulation, and positive behavior management in your home, resulting in a happier and healthier home environment. The 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.

### Explore Music and Rhythm

Fridays, SEPT 16 / OCT 21 / NOV 18  
10:15-11:30 AM

Miss Cindie leads a hands-on interactive music and rhythm experience for children up through age 6 and their grown-ups. Plenty of movement and music for all. Registration required.

### Homeschool - Full Steam Ahead (K-6TH GRADE)

Fridays, SEPT 16 / OCT 21 / NOV 18  
1:00 PM

SEPT 16: Create and decorate a model cardboard building with 3Dux design materials.

OCT 21: Fall science exploration - microscopes and pumpkin guts!

NOV 18: Create your own circle art project based on the work of artist Wassily Kandinsky.

### "To the Pond!" Story Time

FRIDAY, SEPT 23  
10:30 AM

Local author, Anna Heckert, presents her children's book, "To The Pond!" Join us for a song, a story, puppets, and a craft!

### "Lincoln & Lady" Story Time

Tuesday, NOV 15  
6:30 PM

Local author, Cathy Woodson, presents her children's book "Lincoln & Lady" which describes Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg visit from the perspective of a ladybug. View the indoor StoryWalk in the children's room from November 1-November 19. Geared toward ages 4-9.

## TEENS & TWEENS

### Teen Subscription Boxes

SEPT-NOV

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.

Thursday, SEPT 1

Monday, OCT 3

Tuesday, NOV 1

### Wall Painting

Mondays-Fridays, SEPTEMBER 1-30

3:00-6:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Bring some new color to the Teen Center's study room with a freshly painted wall! Be a part of the design process as well as the painting process.

### Gaming Club

Tuesdays, SEPT 6 - NOV 22

5:00-6:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Join the Harbaugh-Thomas Gaming Club to explore new games, hone your aim, improve your smash skills, and more. Registration required.

### Competitive Table Tennis

Wednesdays, SEPT 7 - NOV 16

2:45-6:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Continue the competitive league play from the summer and earn points to propel yourself to the top spot!

### Anime Club

Alternate Fridays starting SEPT 9

4:30-5:30 PM

7th-12th Grade

Join your friends to watch your favorite anime series or check out something new. Meeting every other Friday starting on September 9th. Registration is preferred.

### Switch Sports Singles Tournament

Thursday, SEPT 15

3:00-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Ring in the new school year in the Teen Center with a Switch Sports tournament. Start out with solo events like bowling, badminton, and chambara! Registration is preferred.

### Friday Films

Fridays, SEPT 16 / OCT 14

3:30-6:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Stop by the Teen Center for a feature film on select fall Fridays!

### Tabletop Gaming: Clank!

Monday, SEPT 19

3:00-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Learn to play the epic new tabletop dungeon crawler, Clank! Delve into the depths, collect fabulous treasure, and double-cross your friends! Registration is preferred.

### Homegrown Biofuels

Tuesday, SEPT 27

Thursday, SEPT 29

3:30-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Utilize various everyday products to create a small amount of biodiesel fuel. Use your rudimentary fuel to power small recycled boats outdoors on the second day of the project! Registration is required.

### Tabletop Gaming: Mage Knight

Monday, OCT 3

3:00-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Build your deck to become a powerful mage knight! Travel the realms and battle fierce opponents, solo or as a team. Registration is preferred.

### Switch Sports Teams Tournament

Thursday, OCT 13

3:00-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Create teams or join an existing one to compete in virtual events like volleyball and doubles tennis. Registration is preferred.

### Spooky Slides

Thursday, OCT 27

4:30-5:30 PM

7th-12th Grade

Carve up some halloween specials to create your own microscope slides, or get an up close look at some gross bits from our pre-made sets. Registration is required.

### Table Tennis Singles Tournament

Friday, NOV 4

3:00-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Cap off the season of league play with a winner-take-all single elimination tournament.

### Tabletop Gaming: Brand New

Monday, NOV 7

3:00-5:00 PM

7th-12th Grade

Voted on during the previous sessions, join us in learning a brand new game that will be housed in the Teen Center! Registration is preferred.

### Ceiling Tile Painting

Tuesday, NOV 15

3:30-5:30 PM

7th-12th Grade

Paint a new ceiling tile in fall colors to go on display above the study room! Project will be available throughout the week.



## Teen Center Hours

Monday-Friday 2:45-6PM



# HARBAUGH-THOMAS LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## 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, SEPT 6 - NOV 29

1:00-3:00 PM

Join us for 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

SEPT 15 / OCT 20 / NOV 17

1:00 PM

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.

SEPTEMBER 15: The Rose Code by Kate Quinn

OCTOBER 20: Leave Only Footprints: My Acadia-to-Zion Journey Through Every National Park by Conor Knighton (Adams County Reads One Book)

NOVEMBER 17: The Sweetness of Water by Nathan Harris

### Preventing Dementia: Ways to Optimize your Brain Health

Thursday, SEPT 22

6:30 PM

According to the Alzheimer's Association, more than 6 million Americans are living with Alzheimer's disease. However, memory loss is not a normal part of aging. In this talk, we'll discuss risk factors and other causes of dementia, as well as ways to improve your brain health and prevent cognitive decline. Dr. Catherine Mauss is a board-certified family physician. She is co-owner of Gettysburg Osteopathic Family Health Center, a medical practice she shares with her husband, Dr. Robert Mauss.

### Free Blood Pressure Screenings

Thursdays, OCT 6 / NOV 3

1:00-3:00 PM

People living with hypertension (high blood pressure) often do not have any symptoms, so it is important to know your numbers. Hypertension can lead to serious health problems, including stroke and heart disease. Dr. Catherine Mauss, a family physician at Gettysburg Osteopathic Family Health Center, will be offering free blood pressure screenings.

### Meet Elsie Singmaster: Adams County Neighbor and Storyteller

Wednesday, OCT 19

2:00PM

Susan Hill leads a presentation on Elsie Singmaster Lewars (1879-1958) who lived in Gettysburg for much of her adult life. Her novels and short stories were published widely by Houghton Mifflin Company and by well-known literary journals and popular magazines like Atlantic Monthly, Harper's, and The Saturday Evening Post. Her novel about a Gettysburg family during the Civil War, Swords of Steel, (1933) was an honor book for the 1934 Newbery Award. Though accomplished personally and professionally in her time, few Adams Countians know of Singmaster today. Come and make her acquaintance!

### What You Miss in Our National Parks If You Stay in Your Car

Wednesday, OCT 26

6:30 PM

Our national parks are an amazing and stunning legacy for those who love the outdoors. A lot can be seen when driving through them, but the real beauty and mystique lies beyond the car door and the paved road. Ed Riggs will take you on a journey of what goes on in the back-country of our most precious resource. Adams County Reads One Book event.

## INTERGENERATIONAL

### Fun & Games

Tuesdays

SEPT 13 / OCT 11 / NOV 8

6:30 PM

SEPT 13: Word Games Galore: Scrabble and Codenames

OCT 11: If You Play Your Cards Right: Uno, Marvel Munchkin, and Spades

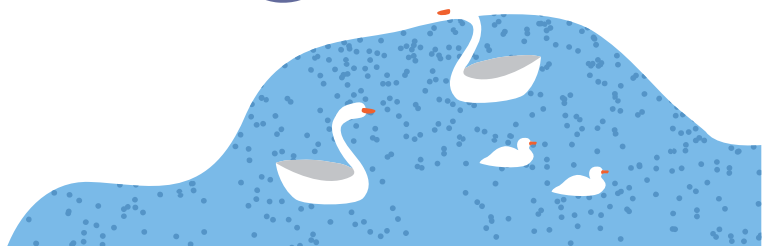
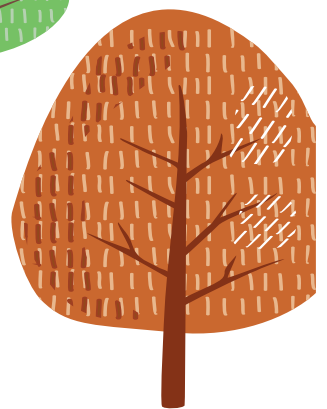
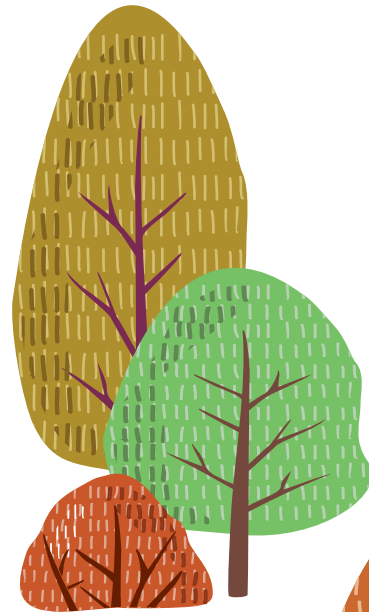
NOV 8: Paddles & Sandbags: Try your hand at ping-pong and cornhole!

### Sarah Cook Myers: Recalling Lincoln at Gettysburg

Thursday, NOV 17

6:30 PM

In this stirring living history performance by local historian Debra Sandoe McCauslin, you'll meet Sarah "Sallie" Cook, a birthright Quaker, member of the Menallen Friends Meeting, and teacher in Adams County schools. Her father, Jesse, was involved in the Underground Railroad that helped bring those enslaved in the South to freedom. On November 19, 1863, 20-year-old Sarah and her sister met Abraham Lincoln at the home of their cousin, Gettysburg attorney David Wills. For children and adults.



# LITTLESTOWN LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## CHILDREN & FAMILIES

### Preschool Story Time

Wednesdays, SEPT 14 - NOV 30  
10:30 AM

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, SEPT 1 - NOV 17  
10:30 AM

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, SEPT 2 - NOV 18  
10:30 AM

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!

### Kid Scientists - Strawbees

Wednesday, SEPT 14  
4:00 PM

Take on a challenge or let your imagination soar with Strawbees, a kit full of straws and connectors where the sky's the limit on what you can create. For ages 6-12.

### Barks & Books

3rd Monday  
SEPT 19 / OCT 17 / NOV 21  
6:00-7:00 PM

Did you know that dogs can help struggling readers build confidence. Stop by and read to our lovable, huggable, therapy dog, Danny!

### Fire Prevention Day with Alpha Fire Company

Saturday, OCT 15  
10:00 AM

Learn all about fire safety and prevention with our local Alpha Fire Company. There'll even be a chance to tour a real fire truck!

### Kid Scientists - Origami Circuits

Thursday, OCT 20

4:00PM

Create your own origami that lights up! For ages 8-12.

### Halloween Story Time

Wednesday, OCT 26

6:30PM

Come dressed in your Halloween best for this family-friendly Halloween Story Time with Miss Jess! All ages welcome and no registration required.

### Kid Scientists - Coding

Friday, NOV 4

4:00PM

Join us for coding fun! For ages 6-12.

### Dinovenember Story Time

Wednesday, NOV 16

6:30PM

It's DINOVENBER! Come celebrate at this special evening story time with Miss Jess and one of her prehistoric pals.

## TEENS & TWEENS

### Retro Gaming

1st Wednesday

SEPT 7 / OCT 5 / NOV 2

4:00-5:30PM

Drop in for some old-school video gaming.

### Comic Club

2nd and 4th Thursdays

4:00 PM

Come chat with fellow fans of comics, manga, and graphic novels. Share what you are reading, enjoy some snacks, and watch some anime while you chat.

### Dungeons and Dragons

Wednesday, SEPT 28

5:30-7:30 PM

Calling all adventurers! Join us for a thrilling Dungeons and Dragons Halloween adventure and help save the day. Registration required as space is limited.

### Tiny Art - Literary Art Trio

Saturdays, SEPT 24 / OCT 22 / NOV 19

1:00PM, Virtual - Via YouTube

Enjoy a paint night from the comfort of your home! This fall, we're painting a Literary Art Trio featuring designs inspired by three iconic writers. Registration opens the Sunday prior to each video's premiere. Register online 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.

SEPT 24: J.R.R. Tolkien

OCT 22: Edgar Allan Poe

NOV 19: C.S. Lewis

## ADULT EVENTS

### Friends of the Littlestown Library Meeting

1st Wednesday

SEPT 7 / OCT 5 / NOV 2

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

SEPT 8 / OCT 13 / NOV 10

6:30 PM, 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.

SEPT 8: Convenience Store Woman by Sayaka Murata

OCT 13: Once a Girl, Always a Boy by Jo Ivester

NOV 10: There There by Tommy Orange

### Banned Books Week Trivia

Friday, SEPT 23

7:00 PM, Virtual - Via Zoom

How much do you know about censorship and the books that are challenged? Join us for this engaging trivia contest and celebrate Banned Books Week.

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### Littlestown Adult Book Club

3rd Tuesday

SEPT 20 / OCT 18 / NOV 15

12:00 PM (New Time!)

Come discuss books with fellow Littlestown bibliophiles! Check with the library for copies of the current selection.

SEPT 20: The Quiet Zone by Stephen Kurczy

OCT 18: Hush, Hush by Laura Lippman

NOV 15: Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton

### ACROB Book Discussion

Wednesday, OCT 12

6:00 PM

Come in for a lively and insightful evening discussion on this year's One Book, Conor Knighton's Leave Only Footprints.

### Capturing the Beauty of the Outdoors

Wednesday, OCT 19

6:30 PM

Learn the how-tos of capturing the perfect outdoor photographs from a local seasoned photographer. Whether your next outdoor adventure is to one of the National Parks or the Gettysburg Battlefield, you'll be sure to leave with tips that'll help you capture the beauty of your adventure.

### Intro to Heritage Quest

Thursday, NOV 17

2:00 PM

Join us for an introduction to Heritage Quest, a free genealogy resource offered through Adams County Library System. We'll cover some of the basic databases and search functions as well as do some demonstrations. Registration highly encouraged

## INTERGENERATIONAL

### Fun with Chess!

Mondays, SEPT 12 - NOV 28

6:00-7:45 PM

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.



# NEW OXFORD LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## CHILDREN & FAMILIES

### Barks & Books

1st Thursdays

SEP 1/OCT 6/NOV 3

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.

### Tuesday Tales Story Time

Tuesdays, SEP 13 - NOV 29

Babies & Toddlers (Ages 0-2) at

10:00 AM

Preschoolers & Up (Ages 3+) at 10:30 AM

Each story time 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-older with a parent or caregiver, all are welcome!

On October 18 & November 8, Tuesday Tales will only have story time from 10:00-11:00 AM for a special school bus & dinovember story time event!

Tuesday Tales will not meet on Tuesdays, September 6th & November 1st.

### Create-A-Maze

Tuesday, SEPT 27

4:00 PM

Creativity meets construction - build a hand-crafted maze using the planks provided by the Keva Bot Maker Maze and other items provided. Through the building process, you will learn about design and proper proportions such as creating tunnels, doorways, and turns. Using your imagination, send the bot through the winding maze. Recommended for those ages 5 to 12 years old.

### "Our Great National Parks" Documentary Viewings

Fridays, OCT 7 & OCT 28

5:00 PM

In honor of the 2022 Adams County Reads One Book selection Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton, we will be showing a documentary narrated by former President Barack Obama about National Parks in two parts. These viewing will display Africa's beaches to Japan's islands and the Great Barrier Reef found in Australia. Find the natural world's untamed beauty and the delicate balance between wildlife and humanity.

Friday, OCT 7: Episodes 1-3

Friday, OCT 28: Episodes 4-5

### School Bus Safety Special Story Time

Tuesday, OCT 18

10:00 AM

Let's hop on a bus just in time for National School Bus Safety Week, this story time will be dedicated to school bus safety and learning all about heading to school. We will be joined by a special guest and their school bus from Lincoln Bus Lines. All are welcome. Beep beep!

### Pine Grove Furnace State Park Mammal Event

Friday, OCT 21

5:00 PM

Environmental Educator, Anthony Kessler, from Pine Grove Furnace State Park will talk about animal adaptation and how you can use physical characteristics as clues to tell you about an animal's lifestyle. Different animals we will learn about during this program are beavers, black bears, and gray foxes - let's learn about these amazing and spectacular animals as well as learning about the Leave No Trace principles to help reduce wildlife conflict. Registration is encouraged.

### Trick-or-Tale Special Story Time

Monday, OCT 31

7:00 PM

Come dressed in your Halloween best for this family-friendly story time with Miss Bryn and receive a small treat.

### Children's Book Bingo

NOV 1-30

Celebrate Children's Book Week during the month of November by completing a bingo card! After completing 3 or more rows - across, down, or diagonal - and win a prize. Pick up a bingo card starting Monday, October 31st! You have until Wednesday, November 30th to finish - good luck!

### Dinovember Special Story Time & Activity

Tuesday, NOV 8

10:00 AM

RAWR! Take a COLOSSAL step into the library for a special "dino" story time and activity - a prehistoric visitor from the cretaceous period may stomp on by! All ages are welcome to enjoy activities throughout the day as well!

### Thanksgiving "Wrap" & Craft

Friday, NOV 18

4:00 PM

What side of the turkey has the most feathers? - The outside! Enough corny jokes, join us to create your very own turkey with sticks, feathers, and colorful yarn. Don't forget, you'll be able to write your own rap or rhyme about turkeys!

## TEENS & TWEENS

### Teen Subscription Box

SEPT 1 - NOV 30

Registration required - Pick up and return a registration form at the library within our normal hours during the first week of the month. Not only will you receive a new book to read but you will also receive a free surprise treat.

### Teen Chat Night

Friday, SEPT 16

4:00 PM

Hang out at the library and talk about your new school year - the good, the bad, and the promising. Games will be provided to play while you hang out!

### National Parks Trivia for Teens!

Thursday, OCT 20

3:30 PM & 6:30 PM

From well-known landmarks to obscure wildlife factoids, our national park trivia is sure to be a mind-bending challenge! Winners for both will receive a prize.

### "Fall" in Love with Leaves

Wednesday, NOV 2

4:00 PM

Easy leaf rubbing activity - part art and part science, for kids ages 10-17 will enjoy learning how to do leaf rubbings and get a peek into the parts of a leaf! Consider bringing in your own leaves from home.

## ADULT EVENTS

### Reader's Forum

SEPT 8 - NOV 10

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, SEPT 8: The Library Book by Susan Orlean

Thursday, OCT 13: Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton (2022 Adams County Reads One Book Selection)

Thursday, NOV 10: Second First Impressions by Sally Thorne

### Bad Art Night

Thursday, SEPT 15

6:30 PM

Join us for a night of different challenges to complete using random art supplies all in a timely fashion - experience is heavily frowned upon. Registration is encouraged.

### Friends of the New Oxford Library Meetings

3rd Wednesdays,  
SEPT 21/OCT 19/NOV 23

6:00 PM

Are you interested in becoming more involved in your community and supporting the library? Join the Friends of the New Oxford Library. Stop by or contact the library for more information.

### National Parks Crossword Challenges

OCT 3 - 22

Thanks to the National Parks Foundation a new crossword challenge will be available weekly to pick up at the library in honor of our 2022 Adams County Reads One Book selection Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton. Once completed, or you need a hint, come back to the library to check the answer key!



# NEW OXFORD LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022

## Gettysburg National Military Park & Monuments

Tuesday, OCT 18

3:00 PM

In honor of our 2022 Adams County Reads One Book Program, Mary Hoban will discuss our local National Park's monuments. At Gettysburg there are over 1,328 monuments or markers; within that number are more than 260 monuments to Union regiments. Years after the battle many of those monuments were designed by the men that served in those regiments. The slideshow presentation will take a look at some of those monuments to try to comprehend what they represent. Please consider registering for this program.

## Adult Coloring Club

Thursday, NOV 17

2:30 PM & 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.

## INTERGENERATIONAL

### Relationship Abuse: What is it?

Monday, OCT 3 & Thursday, OCT 27

6:30 PM

This presentation will take a look into the world of relationship abuse. It will cover the definition of abuse, the prevalence of abuse, why it's so difficult to end abusive relationships, the red flags and warning signs for abuse, and what to do if you or anyone you know experiences abuse. It will also provide you with information on related community resources. The program will be implemented by a trained facilitator from YWCA Hanover's Safe Home. Registration is preferred.

### Trick or Treat: Creative Writing Prompts

Monday, OCT 17, Monday, OCT 31

Haunt us, taunt us, let us test and strengthen your writing skills! Visit the library before Halloween, choose from our writing prompts and create your story. Here's the trick, you only get 10 minutes to create your story! All are welcome to participate.

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# TRONE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

SEPTEMBER 2022 - NOVEMBER 2022



## CHILDREN & FAMILIES

### Thursday Fun Night

Thursdays, SEPT 1, 15, 22, 26, OCT 6, 20, 27, NOV 3, 17  
6:30 PM

SEPT 1 - Bedtime Storytime  
SEPT 15 - American Girl Night  
SEPT 22 - Pete the Cat Night  
SEPT 29 - Super Hero Night  
OCT 6 - Bedtime Storytime  
OCT 20 - Camp Out Storytime  
OCT 27 - Spooky Halloween Storytime  
NOV 3 - Mario & Luigi Night  
NOV 17 - Dinovember Dino Storytime

### Pre-School Pals Storytime

Wednesdays, SEPT 7 - DEC 14  
10:30 AM  
Children ages 3-5 may join Miss Sherry for lively stories and songs.

### Music and Movement Storytime

Wednesdays, SEPT 7 - DEC 14  
11:15 AM  
Children ages 3-5, join Miss Sherry for a storytime with lots of movement, games and music

### Barks and Books

Thursdays  
SEPT 8 / OCT 13 / NOV 10  
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.

### Bouncing Babies Storytime

Fridays, SEPT 9 - DEC 16  
9:30 AM  
Children from birth to 2 years old may join Miss Sherry with their parent/care-giver for a few short stories and lots of singing and moving.

### Learn & Play Storytime

Fridays, SEPT 9 - DEC 16  
10:30 AM  
This is a storytime that will prepare children for kindergarten by learning about the calendar and weather. Each week we will focus on a different letter of the alphabet. We will learn about numbers and practice fine motor skills.

### Homeschool afternoon

Fridays, SEPT 9 / OCT 14 / NOV 11 / DEC 9  
1:00 PM  
Homeschool children from Kindergarten thru 6th grade are able to join us on these afternoons for interactive fun and learning.

SEPT 9 - Apple STEAM  
OCT 14 - Painting STEAM  
NOV 11 - Robotics STEAM  
DEC 9 - Gingerbread STEAM

### Stories and Sensory Play

Mondays, SEPT 12 - DEC 12  
10:30 AM  
Miss Dana will share stories with children including sensory play each week. Note there will be no Storytime on Oct. 10 due to the library closure.

### Crafternoon

Mondays  
SEPT 19 / OCT 17 / NOV 21  
1:00 - 5:00 PM  
Stop in at the library on these afternoons for a craft project to make and take home with you.  
SEPT 19 - Butterfly Craft  
OCT 17 - Slime  
NOV 21 - Feathered Friend Craft

## TEENS & TWEENS

### Flashlight Readers

Thursdays, SEPT 8 / OCT 13 / NOV 10  
6:30 PM  
The Flashlight Readers is a book club meeting 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:30pm. Here, we host open discussions about all genres of books. For our next meeting, bring your own book - maybe an old favorite, or a recent read - to discuss with the group! This is a teen-lead book club for ages 14-18. Register to join!

### Teen Advisory Board

Tuesdays, SEPT 13 / OCT 11 / NOV 8  
6:00 PM  
On the second Tuesday of each month, for this half hour block, teens meet to build library programs, relationships, and community leadership. Ages 11-18.

### Event Night!

Tuesdays, SEPT 13 / OCT 11 / NOV 8  
6:30 - 7:30 PM  
Event nights are one-hour blocks where we play games, compete in contests, watch movies, or make a craft! Event Night subjects are decided by members of the Teen Advisory Board. Please note October 11th is a special event night... check out the Stop Motion Animation! listing for more information.

### String Art Night

Thursdays, SEPT 29  
6:30 PM  
Create your own unique string art design! Perfect for adding a personal touch to a bedroom or dorm.  
Ages 13-18.

### Pumpkin Painting Contest

OCT 1-29  
Get into the Halloween spirit by painting a pumpkin! Turn in your pumpkin anytime from Oct. 1st to Oct. 29th. At the end of the month, awards for best pumpkin will be given out. Grand prize is a bag of books and a lot of candy! Ages 11-18. Two different judgments will take place, one for ages 11-14 and 15-18.

### Stop Motion Animation!

Tuesday, OCT 11  
6:30 PM  
It's amazing what clay, a camera, and patience can make! Create your own animation during this one-hour block by taking pictures of posed clay.

### Poetry Contest

NOV 1-25  
Teens ages 13-18 are welcome to participate in our poetry contest! Following the prompt "Fallen Leaves", submit a poem 1-2 pages in length. Contest starts November 1st and ends November 25th. Good luck!

### Light Paint Night

Thursday, NOV 3  
6:30 - 7:30 PM  
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. Ages 11-18.

### Minecraft Night - Building Competition

Thursday, DEC 1  
6:30-7:30 PM  
Are you the best Minecraft builder? Bring your Nintendo Switch and creative ingenuity, and join us for an hour of Minecraft building.

## ADULT EVENTS

### Sit and Sew

SEP 1 & 15, OCT 6 & 20, NOV 3 & 17  
12:30 PM  
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.

### Architectural Tour of Historic East Berlin with Walt Geiger

Tuesday, SEPT. 6  
6:00 PM  
This program will be an in person walking tour of East Berlin guided by architect Walt Geiger. This will be the second part of the series focusing on the eastern part of town with in depth discussion of the various architectural details. Wear walking shoes and appropriate attire for the weather! Limited spots available - please sign up online or by calling the library at 717-259-9000.

### Chicks with Sticks

2nd Tuesdays, SEP 13, OCT 11, NOV 8  
12:30 PM  
This is a knitting and crocheting group. Please bring your current project or join us in making items to donate!

### Girls Craft Night Out

3rd Thursdays, SEP 15, OCT 20, NOV 17  
6:30 PM  
Bring your mother and teen daughters to hang out and make crafts together! The craft will be displayed at the library 2 weeks before the event.

### Crafty Cards Class

Wednesdays, SEP 21, OCT 19, NOV 16  
2:00-4:00 PM  
Join us for card making classes on the 3rd Wednesdays of the month with Kathy Freeman. Limited seats available - please register online or by calling the library!



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## ADULT EVENTS (CONT.)

### Writer's Group

3rd Tuesdays

SEPT 20/OCT 18/NOV 15

6:30 PM

Writers of any level and any genre (fiction, poetry, nonfiction, etc) are invited to this group! We'll be honing our craft together with some prompts and also have space for critique and discussion of projects at any stage. Please bring along a few pages of your work if you'd like feedback on it during this time. For ages 16 and up. Please register online.

### Tech Help by Appointment

SEP 20, OCT 4 & 18, NOV 1 & 15

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

### Community Book Discussion

SEPT 27, OCT 25, NOV 15

(3rd Tuesday)

6:30 PM

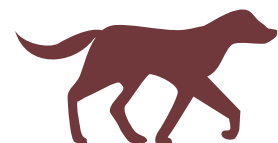
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### Scrapbooking Weekend

Friday, OCT 7: 4 - 10 PM

Saturday, OCT 8: 9am - 4 PM

We provide the space and you bring your own supplies and pictures for uninterrupted scrapbook time! The library will provide you with a table (30 in. by 5 ft.) and chair. Bring your supplies starting at 3:00pm Friday to set up. Please note the library will close at 4:00pm Friday so all participants will need to arrive by 4:00pm Friday. Space is limited - please register early.



### Christie's Capers

NOV 14

11:00 AM

Agatha Christie fans, or those interested in reading Christie's works, are invited to join this book discussion. Each month, we will discuss a book by Christie. Titles will be read in chronological order, based on the original publication date.

Monday, NOV 14: The Mysterious Affair at Styles

## INTERGENERATIONAL

### Game Night Series

Tuesdays, OCT 4/NOV 1/DEC 5

6:30-7:30 PM

Join us for an evening of family-friendly games - fun for all ages!

OCT 4 - Book Bingo

NOV 1 - UNO Game Night

DEC 5 - Dice Games

### Nosferatu Night

Thursday, OCT 27

6:00 PM

Celebrate the 100th anniversary of this groundbreaking 1922 silent film with a screening and discussion. For teens and adults! Light refreshments provided.

## VIRTUAL ADULT EVENTS

### What Would Jane Think: Virtual Book Discussion

SEPT 12, OCT 10, NOV 14

6:30 PM

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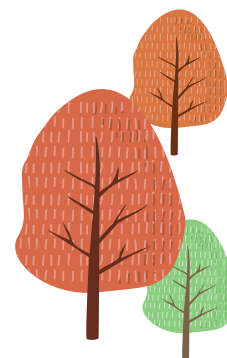
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Friday, SEPT 23

7:00 PM, Virtual - Via Zoom

How much do you know about censorship and the books that are challenged? Join us for this engaging trivia contest and celebrate Banned Books Week.

## Tiny Art - Literary Art Trio

Saturdays, SEPT 24 / OCT 22 / NOV 19

1:00 PM, Virtual - Via YouTube

Enjoy a paint night from the comfort of your home! This fall, we're painting a Literary Art Trio featuring designs inspired by three iconic writers. Registration opens the Sunday prior to each video's premiere. Register online 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.

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Thursday, SEPTEMBER 29

6:30 PM

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? Program being held via Zoom. Registration Required.

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Monday, OCT 3

2:00 PM

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## Horror on the Haunted House Tour - A Virtual Murder Mystery Event

Friday, OCT 14

7:00 PM, Virtual - via Zoom

Join us for this interactive murder mystery event where everyone is a suspect! You are one of a group of thrill-seeking tourists gathered for a Halloween night ghost tour. The Tour Guide leads you up the dim creaking staircase and turns you loose to explore the upper floor. Screams punctuate the silence as the actors jump out of their hiding places to portray murderers and victims. Suddenly, one more scream is heard and a heavy weight tumbles down the stairs. When the Security Guard turns on the lights, you can see the lifeless body of the Tour Guide sprawled on the lower landing. Somebody has pushed her—but who? And why?

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## 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  
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Sat: 10:00AM-4:00PM

## New Oxford Library

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

### Hours

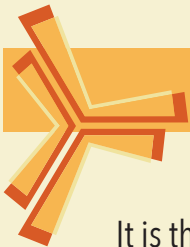
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## Trone Memorial Library

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

### Hours

Mon. & Wed.- 10:00am - 6:00pm  
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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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- **Core Values:** Excellence, Trustworthiness, Stewardship