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September 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="border: 5px solid orange; border-radius: 25px; padding: 20px; text-align: center;"> <p>Hours:</p> <p>Tues, Weds, & Thurs 10AM - 8PM</p> <p>Friday & Saturday 10AM - 5PM</p> <p>Closed Sunday & Monday</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin: 10px auto;"/> <p>Our space is limited, please check online to see if registering is required.</p> <p>Don't forget to sign up for our newsletter and like us on Facebook!</p> </div>		3	4	5	6	7
		<p>4pm Tuesday Tasters</p> <p>6:30pm Author Talk: Historical Fiction with Lisa Voelker</p>	<p>1pm Afternoon Book Club</p>	<p>6:30-8:30pm "What's it Worth?" Online Antiques Appraisal</p>	<p>4pm Friday Crafternoon</p>	<p>2-5pm Drop-In Tech Help</p>
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				<p>6pm Financial Planning Basics</p>		
		17	18	19	20	21
		<p>6:30pm Writer's Group</p>	<p>11am Story Time</p> <p>6pm Teen Advisory Board</p>	<p>11am Bouncy Baby Story Time</p> <p>6:30pm Evening Book Club Online</p>		
		24	25	26	27	28
		<p>6pm Cricut Craft: Banned Books Tote</p>	<p>11am Story Time</p> <p>1pm Mediumship Online</p> <p>6pm TAB Presents: Teen Paint & Sip</p>	<p>11am Bouncy Baby Story Time</p> <p>2pm Meet your Neighbor: Hydroponics with Phil Anderson</p>		

Tuesday Tasters

Tuesday, September 3 @ 4pm

There are so many different flavors of treats to try! Each month we'll have an assortment of flavors for one type of snack, including foods like potato chips and candies. This special program will be held monthly throughout summer. Ages 6 and up; registration required.

Author Talk: Historical Fiction with Lisa Voelker

Thursday, September 3 @ 6:30pm

Meet award-winning author Lisa Voelker as she discusses her research and process for her novel *The Spoon: The Story of Two Families' Survival of the Hungarian Revolution*. Based on a true story, *The Spoon* follows the journey of two families unexpectedly united, their lives changed forever, thrown together in the maelstrom of the student protest which quickly devolved into what we now know today as the Hungarian Revolution.

Lisa Voelker was born and raised in the small seaside village of La Jolla, California. Many of her childhood summers were spent with her grandparents in rural New England where Lisa's mother, a teacher, fostered a lifelong love of history in her daughter. Throughout her life, Lisa has gathered stories from strangers, friends, and family. Lisa lives with her husband in the Pacific Northwest.

Afternoon Book Club

Wednesday, September 4 @ 1pm

Join us online or in the library for a discussion of this month's selection, *'Heaven & Earth Grocery Store'* by James McBride. Copies are available at the library or on the Libby app.

Registration Required for Zoom Link.

"What's it Worth?" Online Antiques Appraisal

Thursday, September 5 @ 6:30-8:30pm

Author, auctioneer, appraiser, and radio show host Mike Ivankovich will introduce you to the concepts that determine value and will share what your antiques, collectibles, and personal treasures are really worth today. Join us online and bring one or two items for him to appraise. Each attendee will receive a few moments for appraisal (determined by time), while Mike will be sharing tips and strategies for both buying and selling. Mike Ivankovich has been involved in some phase of the antiques and collectibles business for more than 40 years. As a Pennsylvania auctioneer, he has been named Pennsylvania's "Auctioneer of the Year." As an author of more than 20 books he guides clients through the entire home downsizing process, helping them deal with their antiques, collectibles, and general household contents. He is the host of the "What's It Worth? Ask Mike the Appraiser" radio show and is also a professional GPPA & MPPA Appraiser specializing in appraisals for estate, insurance, inheritance, divorce, insurance claim, and non-cash charitable donation.

Registration required.

Friday Crafternoon

Friday, September 6 @ 4pm

Ages 6-11 are invited for a relaxed, fun craft activity the first Friday of the month.

Drop-In Tech Help

Saturday, September 7 @ 2-5pm

Drop by the library for all of your basic technology needs! Our dedicated volunteers or librarians will help you learn about using your computers, smart phones, tablets, or other devices. If you need assistance using library apps, searching the library databases, or creating any of your own accounts, we're here for you! Stop by any time between 2-5pm. For more advanced tech help, consider making an appointment so we can best serve your needs.

Financial Planning Basics

Thursday, September 12 @ 6pm

How smart are your goals? Are you on the right path? Do you need more knowledge on how to make and stick to a budget? This workshop covers it ALL! Setting goals, budgeting, having an emergency fund, insurance, using credit, investing, tax planning, saving for college, retirement planning, and even estate planning! Join us for this informative talk with Nick Cantrell who has had over 14 years of experience as a financial planner. Nick brings an independent and holistic approach to planning and investing. Named Top Next-Gen Wealth Advisor for three consecutive years by Forbes, Nick will be able to help you better understand your finances and answer your questions. Registration required.

Writer's Group

Tuesday, September 17 @ 6:30pm

This is a group for aspiring writers, led by Susan Roney O'Brien, MFA. All are welcome, no matter your writing level! Join this group as they improve their writing together. You can either join us in person at the library or virtually. Registration required for Zoom link.

Story Time!

Wednesday, September 18 & 25 @ 11am

This Story Time is designed for ages 2-5 and includes singing and crafts with fun STEM connections! Registration required.

Teen Advisory Board

Wednesday, September 18 @ 6pm

Ages 13-18 can help the library and make their voices heard on the Teen Advisory Board!

We'll meet on the third Wednesday of each month to discuss library programs and other fun projects. Bring friends and enjoy snacks as our group helps to make the library a place for all teens to enjoy. Teens can commit as a little or as much time as they like, and those looking for additional volunteer hours will be offered opportunities through Teen Board meetings. Registration encouraged.

Bouncing Babies Story Time!

Thursdays, September 19 & 26 @ 11am

Infants and toddlers aged 0-23 months are invited to this musical program specially designed to engage the tiniest library users while developing early literacy skills. Registration required; space is limited.

Evening Book Club

Thursday, September 19 @ 6:30pm

Join us online for a discussion of our monthly book club book. This month we will read *'The Country of the Blind'* by Andrew Leland. Copies are available at the library or on Libby.

Registration required for Zoom link.

Cricut Craft: Banned Books Totes

Tuesday, September 24 @ 6pm

Let the world know you read banned books! You'll learn to use the library's Cricut machine with a basic introduction to this electronic cutting and drawing tool. You'll design your own tote using iron-on vinyl for Banned Books Week, or select a pre-made design. This workshop is for ages 16 and up, and registration is required. All materials included.

Registration required; space is limited.

Mediumship Online

Tuesday, September 25 @ 1pm

Experience the insights of mediumship in a unique, online gallery format hosted by the nonprofit group With Love and Gratitude. The mediums will offer messages, validations and connections for selected participants in the group. Whether you're seeking guidance, closure, or simply curious, this event provides a supportive and enlightening atmosphere. With Love and Gratitude is a nonprofit organization dedicated to education and service. To learn more, visit www.withloveandgratitude.com.

Registration required.

TAB Presents: Teen Paint & Sip

Tuesday, September 25 @ 6pm

Enjoy a relaxing watercolor class with your friends as you sip some delicious mocktails! Ages 12-18. Registration required.

Meet your Neighbor: Hydroponics with Phil Anderson

Tuesday, September 26 @ 6pm

Join us with local gardening expert Phil Anderson. Phil will teach us the basics of Hydroponics, which is the technique of growing plants using a water-based nutrient solution rather than soil. Learn how to start your own hydroponics garden at home and come with questions! Phil has been gardening for 40 years, and has sold at local farmers markets.