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LIBRARY HOURS

Monday through Thursday Friday and Saturday Sunday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed

The library is closed on Saturday, June 24; Monday, July 3; and Tuesday, July 4.

SUMMER EVENTS

LIFE IN PETERS TOWNSHIP 20TH YEAR CELEBRATION

For all ages Saturday, June 10, 1 to 3 p.m. Throughout the library

To celebrate the 20th Anniversary of the Life in Peters Township Oral History project, we will honor the 20 original interviewees for their contributions to preserving the history of Peters Township. We will also salute the graduates of the Peters Township High School Class of



At the completion of the Life in Peters Township project, former Library Director Pier Lee presents Thomas McMurray with a personalized copy of his interview transcript.

1973, who are celebrating their 50th anniversary this weekend. Learn fascinating Peters Township history, revisit memories, and find out more about the many resources available in the Peters Township Public Library Archives. All ages are welcome. **Register at ptlib.org/pt20 or call 724.941.9430 ext. 3260.**

TIE-DYE TIME

For all ages Wednesday, June 28, 3 to 7 p.m. Outdoors in the Library Backyard



Join us for another tie-dye time at the library! Swing by anytime; we will be outside with tie-dye supplies for you. All you need to bring are the clothes or items you want to tie-dye - 100% cotton materials work best. Please limit the number of things to dye to two per person. Tie-dye can be messy,

so dress appropriately for this creative event for all ages! This event is weather dependent. Our rain date is Thursday, June 29.



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YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMMING



Please visit the library calendar at events.ptlibrary.org to register for our free programs or call 724.941.9430 #3. Summer programs will begin on Monday, June 26, and run through Saturday, August 12, 2023. Registration for most programs opens 4 weeks before the program date. Registration for weekly programs for Babies to Age 5 begins 2 weeks before the program date.

Featured Summer Events

WONDERS OF WILDLIFE

Presented by the Pittsburgh Zoo For Grades K through 4 Monday, June 19, 1 to 1:45 p.m. Main Lobby, 1st floor

Discover fur, feathers, and scales in this introduction to some of the world's most fascinating animals. Using live animals from the Pittsburgh Zoo, we will explore the physical characteristics of each animal while learning how they are uniquely adapted to their environments. Registration is required for each child participating.

MARIO KART TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, June 20 & Monday, July 24 Grades 1 to 3: 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Grades 4 to 6: 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Grades 7 to 12: 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Teen Room, 1st floor

Come and meet up with your friends for a competition! We require an adult in the building for children in Grades 1 to 3. Registration is required to participate.

BACKYARD STORYTIME



For ages 4 to 6 Every Thursday, June 29 to August 10, 10 to 10:30 a.m. Outdoors in the Library Backyard

Join Miss Linda and Miss Patty in the library "backyard." This will "bee" a summer filled with stories, activities, and crafts. Weather permitting, this program will be outside. We will move inside to the Multi-Purpose Room if the weather does not cooperate. Register all children participating in each session.

PITTSBURGH PUPPET WORKS: A BEE C'S DEE

For Ages 3 to 7 Friday, July 7, 1 to 2 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Join us as Pittsburgh Puppet Works returns for A Bee C's Dee, an alphabet-themed show about a bumble bee trying to learn the ABCs. Registration is required for each child participating.

Y ON THE FLY

For Grades K to 3 Mondays, July 17 & Aug. 7, 2 to 3:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

The Y on the Fly is an innovative mobile YMCA program delivering games, sports, physical activity, and healthy eating habits to youth. The focus is to ensure kids are getting enough physical activity daily. Registration is required for each child participating.

Recurring Children's Programs

The Summer Session for our popular weekly programs will run from Monday, June 26, through Friday, August 11. Registration is required for each child participating in each session. Registration opens two weeks before each program date. These programs include:

TODDLER TALES

For Ages 2 to 3 ½ Every Monday, June 26 to Aug. 7, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

BODIES IN MOTION

For Ages 3 to 5 Every Monday, June 26 to Aug. 7, 11 to 11:30 a.m.

BOOK BABIES

For Birth to 15 months Every Tuesday, June 27 to Aug. 8, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

MOTHER GOOSE STORYTIME

For Ages 1 to 2 1/2 years Every Tuesday, June 27 to Aug. 8, 11 to 11:30 a.m.

TINY TUNES

For Ages 3 to 5

Every Wednesday, June 28 to Aug. 9, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

For Ages 3 1/2 to 5

Every Wednesday, June 28 to Aug. 9, 11 to 11:30 a.m.

PAWS FOR READING

For Pre-K and up

Second Saturday of the Month, 10 to 11:30 a.m.

(June 10, July 8, Aug. 12)

Youth Services Department, 1st floor

We are excited to host certified therapy dogs at the library. Register online for your time slot to read to these furry friends. Registration is required for each child participating.

WILD KRATT WEDNESDAY

For Pre-K and up

Second Wednesday of the Month, 12 noon to 12:30 p.m.

(June 14, July 12, Aug. 9)

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Bring a bag lunch and picnic as you watch nature unfold with the Kratt brothers on the big screen. Registration is required for each child participating. Walk-ins are not guaranteed a space.

CHESS WITH A CHAMPION

For Grades 1 to 6

Third Tuesday of the Month, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

(June 20, July 18, Aug. 15)

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Mr. Pete, our local chess champion, is ready to share basic play techniques. A library staff member will be assisting Mr. Pete during each session. Registration is required for each child participating.

WATER SAFETY STORYTIME

For Ages 3 to 5

Thursday, June 22, 6 to 6:30 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Join us for an interactive storytime and presentation in partnership with Goldfish Swim School. Hang out after the class to get a picture with Bubbles! Registration is required for each child participating.

FAMILY LEGO NIGHT

For the whole family

Fourth Monday of the Month, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

(June 26, July 24, Aug. 28)

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Build Legos together as a family. Create and name your design to be displayed in the Youth Services Department. It will stay on display until just before the next Lego night. Registration is required for each child participating.

SPACE EXPLORATION CAMP

For Grades 1 to 3

Every Thursday, June 29 to Aug. 10, 2 to 2:45 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Come together for a summer of engineering, exploring, and learning about outer space with our friends from the PBS Kids TV series *Ready Jet Go*. Each week we will have a new, unique mission to complete. We offer this program in partnership with the library's WQED Inquire Within grant funded by Clearview Federal Union. Registration is required for each child participating.

CURIOUS GEORGE CURIOUS CLUB

For Ages 4 to 7

Every Thursday, July 6 to Aug. 3, 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Each week we will introduce children to different STEM skills inspired by the Curious George series. We will send you home with activities so the exploration can continue once you leave the library! We offer this program in partnership with the library's WQED Inquire Within grant funded by Clearview Federal Union. Registration is required for each child participating.

ONCE UPON A KARAOKE

For all ages

Monday, July 10, 6 to 7 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Bring the whole family and sing your hearts out! We will have karaoke CDs for you to choose your songs. Bring your own CD if you have a favorite song to sing. Registration is required for each child participating.

PUZZLES PIECES WORKSHOP

For Grades 2 to 4

Friday, July 21, 10 to 11 a.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Carnegie Science Center's BNY Mellon Mobile Fab Lab brings indepth digital fabrication to our library. You will learn to use CAD software to manipulate a laser cutter to create puzzle pieces. Registration is required for each child participating.

Tween Programming



Tween Food Imposters program

TWEEN WRITER'S CLUB

For Grades 4 to 6

Tuesdays, June 6, June 20 & July 18, 4 to 5 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Join Ms. Beth to discuss all things writing-related. Bring paper/pencil or a laptop to write on, plus any stories you'd like to share.

TWEEN MAKER MONDAY

For Grades 4 to 6

Mondays, June 19, July 17 & Aug 21, 4 to 4:45 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Enjoy working with your friends on different STEAM-based DIY activities. We will have a light snack for you. Registration is required.

TWEEN BOOK CLUB

For Grades 4 to 6

Fourth Thursday of the Month, 4 to 4:45 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Join Ms. Linda for a book talk and activity. The first five registrants for the discussion will get a free copy of the book. Registration

June 22: *Summer Up* by Tom Leinbacher

July 27: Saving Hanno: The Story of a Refugee Dog by

Miriam Halahmy

SMASH BROS TOURNAMENT

For Grades 4 to 6

Tuesdays, June 27 & July 11, 4 to 5 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Meet up with your friends for a Smash Bros Tournament.

Registration is required.

SOLAR BUGS WORKSHOP

For Grades 5 to 8

Friday, July 21, 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Carnegie Science Center's BNY Mellon Mobile Fab Lab brings in-depth digital fabrication to our library. The sun gives us tons of energy each day! You will learn to harness that energy through small solar panel projects that move. Registration is required.

TWEENMADE: MINI BEESWAX CANDLE

For Grades 4 to 6

Friday, July 28, 1 to 2 p.m.

Outdoors in the Library Backyard

Make a custom candle! First, you'll decorate a mini glass jar and lid, then pour your candle and add a scent of your choice. Registration is required.

Teen Programming

TEEN WRITER'S CLUB

For Grades 7 to 12

Tuesdays, June 6, June 20 & July 18, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Teen Room, 1st floor

Join Ms. Beth to discuss all things writing-related. Bring paper/ pencil or a laptop to write on, plus any stories you'd like to share.

TEENMADE: LEMON-HONEY BUNDT CAKES

For Grades 7 to 12

Friday, June 16, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Join Ms. Beth for another yummy baking class. We'll learn how to make a delicious mini lemon-honey bundt cake with a homemade honey glaze. Registration is required.

LUNAR CHRONICLES BOOK CLUB

Third Wednesday of the Month, 1 to 2 p.m.

(June 21, July 19, Aug. 16)

Teen Room, 1st floor

Join us for a pizza lunch as we discuss books from the popular series *The Lunar Chronicles* by Marissa Meyer. The first five registrants get a free copy of the book. Registration is required. We will be reading Cinder (June), Scarlet (July), and Cress (August).

SMASH BROS TOURNAMENT

For Grades 7 to 12

Tuesdays, June 27 & July 11, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Meet up with your friends for a Smash Bros Tournament. Registration is required.

TEEN DROP-IN CHESS

Wednesdays, June 28 & July 26, 1 to 2 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Stop in and play a game of chess with your friends.

TEEN TASTE CHALLENGE

For Grades 7 to 12

Thursday, June 29, 7 to 7:30 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Can you taste the difference between the name brand and the generic snacks? Join us for a blind taste test of popular treats and see if you can determine the "real thing" or the "copycat" just by tasting it! Registration is required.

TEEN CHOICE BOOK CLUB

For Grades 7 to 12

First Saturday of the Month, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Let's munch a light pizza lunch while we discuss the books. Registration is required. The first five registrants get a free copy of the book.

July 1: These Violent Delights by Chloe Gong

Aug. 5: Song of the Crimson Flower by Julie C. Dao



Teen volunteers created "Stress Relief Kits" for May's Mental Health Awareness Month.

VOLUNTEEN BOARD

For Grades 7 to 12

First Saturday of the Month, 11 a.m. to 12 noon (July 1 & Aug. 5) OR

First Thursday of the Month, 6:30 p.m. (July 6 & Aug. 3) Teen Room, 1st floor

The library is now accepting teen volunteers. Meet with Ms. Shannon monthly in the Teen Room to help plan events and prepare for library activities. Weekly and special volunteers

are also needed. Attendance at one monthly VolunTEEN Board meeting (either the first Thursday or the first Saturday) is required to serve as a library volunteer.

COLLEGE ESSAY WRITING WORKSHOP

For Grades 9 to 12

Tuesday, July 11, 2 to 3 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Join Ms. Beth and library intern/college student Morgan for this intro to essay writing workshop. We'll teach you how to brainstorm the perfect personal essay idea, go over the Common App guidelines, and give you our tips and tricks for drafting an essay that shines! Each participant will go home with a helpful informational packet. Registration is required.

TEEN CRINGE-WORTHY MOVIES

For Grades 7 to 12

Select Wednesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Join us as we watch and critique some of these forgotten films.

July 12: Thumb Wars

July 19: Howard the Duck

July 26: Santa Claus Conquers the Martians

Aug 2: TBD

CHRISTMAS IN JULY MOVIE MARATHON

For Grades 7 to 12

Tuesday, July 25, 12 noon to 5 p.m.

Teen Room, 1st floor

Let's celebrate Christmas in July with a marathon of your favorite holiday movies and snacks!

TEENMADE: MINI BEESWAX CANDLE

For Grades 7 to 12

Friday, July 28, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Outdoors in the Library Backyard

Make a custom candle! First, you'll decorate a mini glass jar and lid, then pour your candle and add a scent of your choice. Registration is required.



Be creative and register for one of our TweenMade or TeenMade classes!

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

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(L to R) Sarah Quinn, Victoriya McKay. Suzanne Grove is missing from the photo.

We are excited to welcome Sarah Quinn, Suzanne Grove, and Victoriya McKay to our staff. Suzanne has taken the position of Library Technician with our Adult Services Department. She helps plan and host adult programs and is our newest face on the Reference Desk on the 2nd floor. In addition to working at the library, Suzanne is the associate editor for CRAFT Literary magazine and writes fiction and poetry. Sarah is our Makerspace and Technology Librarian in the Adult Services Department. She coordinates technology programs, oversees the Makerspace, and offers technical help to our library users. Sarah graduated from the University of Pittsburgh with a Master's in Library and Information Science and has previously worked at the University of Pittsburgh Library System and the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh. Victoriya joins the Circulation Department as a Library Assistant. Please stop by the library and say hello to our new staff!

RESUME AND COVER LETTER REVIEW

Every Wednesday, June 7 to July 26 By appointment only from 2 to 4 p.m. Conference Room, 2nd floor

Do you need help editing, proofreading, or refining your resume and cover letter for job applications? Maybe you aren't quite sure where to begin with drafting these materials. Either way, we can help! These documents are often the first thing recruiters and prospective employers review. We're excited to offer one-on-one appointments for resume and cover letter review. Whatever

your confidence level, we're happy to help. Please email Adult Services Technician Suzanne Grove at sgrove@pt-library.org to schedule your 30-minute appointment or to ask any questions about this service.



SOUTH PARK: PAST, PRESENT, FUTURE

Wednesday, June 7, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Do you know how South Park came to be? Or why Allegheny County never installed the proposed lake? Have you seen the restored Cascades at Stone Manse or the connector trail to the Montour Trail? To discover more about past, present, and future projects in South Park, please join Barbara Brewton, Project Manager for the Allegheny County Parks Foundation, and Carolyn Savikas, Chair of the Friends of South Park, for this historical and informative session. Registration is required to reserve your seat.

SO, YOU WANT TO BE A WRITER?

Adults and teens 16+ Tuesday, June 13, 6 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Have you thought about writing a book, or perhaps, you've started or even finished one? How do you find an agent or navigate the complex world of publishing? Join bestselling and award-winning local author Linda Rettstatt to discuss these questions and more. Learn from the experiences (good and bad) of a multi-published author. Linda Rettstatt has been writing and publishing for more than twenty years. She is the author of over forty-five novels/novellas and several short stories and contributions to collections such as Chicken Soup for the Soul. She is a copy editor and proofreader, independently and with Wings ePress. Registration is required to reserve your seat.

CHESS DYNAMICS & WINNING STRATEGIES

For adults 18 and up Wednesdays, June 14 & July 12, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Reading Room, 2nd floor

Former chess champion and grandmaster Pete Vuljanic offers chess instruction for players aged 18 and up. To join this free class, you must understand how to play the game and move each piece. This class is not suitable for tournament-level players. Registration is required.

SHARE WITH ME JENNY D!

Wednesday, June 14, 6 to 7 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Local podcaster Jenny D shares her journey and why she is passionate about telling inspiring stories from the community to the public. From vacation horror stories to cancer survivors, Jenny D's podcast covers topics ranging from relationships, careers, mental health, and much more. Her podcast aims to inform, educate, and entertain her listeners. Join Jenny D for some real talk because she believes everyone has a story, and you never know who else is going through the same thing! Registration is required to reserve your seat.

TAYLOR SWIFT ERAS NIGHT

For adults and teens Thursday, June 15, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Calling all Swifties! Whether you got tickets or not, celebrate Taylor's return to the Burgh with our Eras celebration. Super fans and casual supporters are welcome. We will have light snacks and games like Taylor trivia, song bingo, button-making, and Pin the Scarf on Jake. Dressing up is encouraged! Registration is required to join the fun.

MONDAY MATINEE

Mondays, June 19, July 17, & Aug. 21, 1 to 4 p.m. Reading Room, 2nd floor

Join us once a month for a Matinee Movie showing. Enjoy a feature film and popcorn. Registration is required to reserve your seat and ensure we have enough popcorn. Check the online event listing at the beginning of the month to see what movie we will be showing!

STRATFORD-UPON-AVON

Wednesday, June 21, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Explore the birthplace of William Shakespeare in this virtual walking tour. Packed with fascinating facts, stories, and characters, you will be captivated by this medieval village. Beeyonder, a virtual tour guide company, leads this tour. Registration is required to reserve your seat for the tour.

OPEN MIC NIGHT

For adults and teens Wednesday, June 21, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Whether you're an emerging artist or have been performing publicly for decades, we invite you to share your skills with the community at our Open Mic Night! We welcome singers/ songwriters and musicians, the reading of poetry or flash fiction, and short comedy acts! Take your turn in the spotlight, or enjoy supporting your friends, family, and fellow residents. Registration is required to reserve your seat in the audience for this event. If you want to perform, please complete our talent form at ptlib.org/openmic. If you would like to serve as an MC for the event, please email Suzanne Grove at sgrove@pt-library.org.

SIT & FIT

Thursdays, June 22, July 27, & Aug. 31, 9:30 to 10 a.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor (June & Aug.) Reading Room, 2nd floor (July)

With easy-to-follow instructions, you will tone and stretch your body in this low-impact, mindful movement class. The class will be set to soothing music and is perfect for mature adults and seniors of all abilities. Your instructor will be Meghan Greenwood, an ACE-certified group fitness instructor with over 15 years of teaching experience. Registration is required. We are accepting 20 mature adults/seniors for this program.

COMPOSTING 101

Tuesday, June 27, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor and a Zoom option

Join us to learn about various (easy) ways to make compost happen! Turn your kitchen scraps and yard trimmings into the decomposed material known as compost. Add that compost to your garden soil to add nutrients, retain moisture, and encourage the growth of beneficial microorganisms that support plant growth. Dr. Candy DeBerry gardens on 1/3 acre on the edge of the small city of Washington in southwestern Pennsylvania. She is passionate about growing native plants to support biodiversity, harvesting blue ribbons from the county fair for her garlic, tomatoes, and peppers, and collecting eggs from her three backyard chickens. Register to reserve your seat in the library or join us online from home. We will send you a Zoom link to join us.

MUSIC TRIVIA

Monday, July 10, 1 to 2 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Join us for music trivia for adults this summer! Questions will feature sights and sounds that graced the airwaves from the '50s to the '80s. Play individually or form a team and compete to see who knows the most! Registration is required to reserve your seat.

LEARN TO CROCHET

Six-week class

Tuesdays, July 11 to Aug. 15, 6 to 7:30 p.m. Reading Room, 2nd floor

This class, taught by Linda Lutes, is designed for beginner and novice crocheters. Learn how to hold the hook, the six basic stitches, crochet in the round, and more. Each student will receive step-by-step instructions and a training guide. Plus, you'll complete fun projects, including a Granny Square Potholder, Party Coasters, and Fingerless Gloves! The library will provide supplies for all projects, including a crochet hook and yarn. This is a six-week class. By registering for the first class, you are registering for all six sessions. There is no cost to attend, and PTPL provides supplies. Registration is limited to only seven adults. You must register to participate. Linda Lutes is an avid crocheter and a certified crochet teacher.

MARY ANNING: HISTORY'S GREATEST FOSSELIST

Tuesday, July 11, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor and Zoom option

In 1799, Mary Anning was born into a humble family in the medieval port of Lyme Regis on the south shore of England, part of its Jurassic Coast. Little did she know she would go on to develop an unmatched eye for finding the undiscovered creatures embedded in 185 million years of geological history in the notoriously unstable cliffs. Join Anglophile and former UK resident Claire Evans for a lively talk on "the greatest fossil hunter the world has ever known" and the Jurassic Coast, the UNESCO World Heritage site she was lucky enough to call home. We will be joining Claire virtually. Register to reserve your seat in the library or join us online from home. We will send you a Zoom link to join us.

MEDICATION SAFETY

Wednesday, July 19, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

What vitamins do you actually need? Learn the role of vitamins and supplements in your health and nutrition from Dr. Frank M. McCabe, who shares what conditions and illnesses vitamins may be helpful for. McCabe is a Pharmacist Consultant with over 38 years of experience in the Healthcare industry. Registration is required to reserve your seat.

POMPEII WITH AN ARCHAEOLOGIST

Thursday, July 20, 11 a.m. to 12 noon Reading Room, 2nd floor

Explore the ancient city of Pompeii and its ruins and take a trip back in time. Main highlights include the City Gate and walls, the Roman thermpolium (fast food), the Basilica, the Temple of Venus, the Forum (Main Roman Square), the Temple of Jupiter, the Main Roman Road, and the Roman Market. Beeyonder, a virtual tour guide company, leads this tour. Registration is required to reserve your seat.

FAMILY PREPAREDNESS

Tuesday, July 25, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-purpose Room, 1st floor

This presentation covers the importance of documenting and capturing your or a loved one's life's work and legacy. Chuck O'Neill, the founder and CEO of Executor Services, will educate you on the components needed to get an accurate plan in place for transitions and why it is crucial to get started right away.

BLACKOUT POETRY

For adults and teens Wednesday, July 26, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Blackout Poetry, also called Erasure Poetry, is a fun way to begin engaging with the poetic art form and flexing your creative muscles without all the pressure of crafting a poem from scratch! We'll have many options of existing text/source material to shape your vision and a fun activity guide to learn more about this art form. Registration is required.

HARRY POTTER TRIVIA

For adults and teens Monday, July 31, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Multi-Purpose Room, 1st floor

Commemorate Harry Potter's birthday with themed trivia at the library. Gather your friends, form teams, and compete for bragging rights and small prizes. We will serve light snacks. We invite teens and adults to this trivia night. Every individual must register to participate.

Library-Sponsored Clubs

Please consider joining one of our many library clubs. Most do not require registration - all are welcome to drop in. Share your interests with new friends!

BOOKS AND BREWS

Second Thursday of the Month, 7 to 8 p.m. (June 8 and July 13)

Join library staff at Monday's Brewing at 1055 Waterdam Plaza Drive in McMurray for our new book club. No registration is needed. Email Illyanna Logan at ilogan@pt-library.org for the book selections for June and July.

EVENING BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

Second Wednesday of the Month, 6:45 to 7:45 p.m. Reading Room, 2nd floor

Club Leader: Contact the library

This book club will meet in person and has a Zoom option if members wish to participate from home. Registration is required to attend in person and to receive the Zoom Link.

June 14: 11/22/63 by Stephen King

This selection is available for checkout at the Reference Desk and on Libby.

July 12: The Paris Apartment by Lucy Foley

This selection is available for checkout at the Reference Desk and on Hoopla.

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

Third Wednesday of the Month, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Reading Room, 2nd floor Club Leader: Lori Obel

This book club will meet in person and has a Zoom option if members wish to participate from home. Registration is required to attend in person and to receive the Zoom Link.

June 21: The Midnight Library by Matt Haig

This selection is available for checkout at the Reference Desk and on Libby.

July 19: Leave Only Footprints by Conor Knighton This selection is available for checkout at the Reference Desk and on Libby.

MYSTERY BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

Last Tuesday of the Month, 1:30 to 3 p.m. Reading Room, 2nd floor Club Leader: Peter Stamoolis

This book club will meet in person and has a Zoom option if members wish to participate from home. Registration is required to attend in person and to receive the Zoom Link.

June 27: Wake by Shelley Burr

This selection is available for checkout on Kindles at the Front Desk, on Libby, and on Hoopla.

July 25: The Moonstone by Wilkie Collins

This selection is available for checkout on Kindles at the Front Desk, on Libby, and on Hoopla.

COLORING & CRAFT CLUB

First and Third Thursdays of the Month, 1 to 2 p.m. (June 1 & 15, July 6 & 20)

Take a break and spend time coloring and creating while chatting with friends. We will provide coloring and crafting supplies, or feel free to bring your own. No registration is necessary.

CROCHET & KNITTING CLUB

Second Thursday of the Month, 6 to 7 p.m. (June 8 and July 13)

Crocheters and knitters are welcome to our monthly club. Bring your own projects and share stitches with friends. This class does not have a teaching component. Please check our event calendar for craft classes with instructors. Registration is required.

"ROOTS" GENEALOGY CLUB

Second Tuesday of the Month, 1 to 3 p.m. (June 13 and July 11)

Share resources, information, and methods for exploring your family's history. No registration is necessary.

LENSSHOOTERS PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

No meetings during the summer. The next meeting is Sept. 13.

STAMP CLUB

Third Tuesday of the Month, 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. (June 20 and July 18)

New members are always welcome to share stamps and peruse the collections of other philatelists at our monthly meetings. No registration is necessary.

WORLD WAR II DISCUSSION GROUP

Last Wednesday of the Month, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. (June 28 and July 26)

A monthly discussion series featuring topics about World War II: new members are always welcome! No registration is necessary.



Travel plans this summer? Learn some useful phrases before you go! Choose from over 70 languages through Mango Languages! Learn on the go or offline, on desktop, or mobile — absolutely free. All you need is a Peters Township Public Library card to begin! Go to ptlib.org/mangotutorial to learn more.