



JANUARY & FEBRUARY

RED CROSS BLOOD DONATION DAY

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16 AT 1 PM

Join us for a life saving event! The American Red Cross will be set up in our Community Room ready for your donation. Giving blood is one of the single most helpful 45 minutes you can give. Take the time today to donate at the library! Appointments are set up though the Red Cross site. Save a life!

BOOK SALE!

Friday, February 2 from 9 am – 5 pm
Saturday, February 3 from 10 am – 4 pm
Sunday, February 4 from 12 pm – 4 pm

Don't forget – Sunday is Half Price Day

CLOSINGS: MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 2024
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2024

NOT TO MISS!

WORD THERAPY WRITING

SUNDAYS AT 6 PM & MONDAYS & TUESDAYS AT 7 PM

Join Word Therapy Writing! Find out how much you can write in 20 minutes! Our evening is organized by timed writing sessions and a break in between to talk with other writers. Writing along with others on Zoom can build better habits and boost creativity. All skill levels and ages from teens on up are welcome. We aim to inspire! The last Tuesday of each month will be a writing group meeting.

FOR ALL AGES | REGISTRATION REQUIRED TO RECEIVE ZOOM LINK

SATURDAY MATINEE: INDIANA JONES AND THE DIAL OF DESTINY (PG-13)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 AT 1 PM

Daredevil archaeologist Indiana Jones races against time to retrieve a legendary dial that can change the course of history. Accompanied by his goddaughter, he soon finds himself squaring off against Jürgen Voller, a former Nazi who works for NASA. Refreshments will be available.

MOVIE IS RATED PG-13 | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

ADVANCED LEARN TO PLAY MAH JONGG

MONDAY, JANUARY 22 AT 6:30 PM

Improve your game by learning tips, tricks, and advanced tactics of the ancient and exciting game of Mah Jongg from a seasoned player.

FOR ADULTS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

LEARN TO PLAY MAH JONGG

MONDAYS, FEBRUARY 5, 12, 26 & MARCH 5 AT 6:30 PM

Join experienced players to learn the ancient and exciting game of Mah Jongg. It is encouraged that you attend all 4 sessions because they build on each other and are geared to getting you playing quickly.

FOR ADULTS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

TELL YOUR STORY: PERSONAL NARRATIVE WRITING CLASS

STARTING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 AT 6:30 PM

For five weeks, writers will discover personal memories, learn to craft stories into written memoir, and share their written work. Writers of all levels of experience are welcome. Sessions will address ways to retrieve details, create believable characters, organize the narrative, use dialogue effectively, sharpen the text through careful editing, and related topics. Linda Loomis will facilitate the group.

FOR ADULTS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

CHILDREN & TEEN PROGRAMS

VIDEO GAME CLUB

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 4 PM

SATURDAYS, JANUARY 27 & FEBRUARY 24 AT 12 PM

Hang out and play games with others! We will provide laptops with Roblox and internet access, a Nintendo Switch for party games, and a VR Headset (Meta Quest 2). All are welcome, and feel free to bring your own devices to play on.

ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

DISCOVERY DEN

THURSDAYS, JANUARY 11 & FEBRUARY 8 AT 12:30 PM

Let's discover our senses! Sensory playtime for children ages 18 months to 3 years. Activities will be focused on experiencing the senses in unique ways.

FOR 18 MONTHS- 3 YEARS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BOARD AND CARD GAME CLUB

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 22 & FEBRUARY 12, 26 AT 4 PM

Like board games and trading card games? We do too! There will all types of board games to play and learn, as well as card games to play. A different game will be brought in each week to try. Feel free to bring your favorite board or card game!

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

WE'RE GONNA MAKE IT!

TUESDAYS, JANUARY 9, 23 & FEBRUARY 6, 20 AT 4 PM

Join us to make wax food melts, hot glue pendants, beaded wire tree, and a yarn octopus!

FOR AGES 10-15 | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

DANCE WITH GAIL'S LITTLE DANCING PALS!

SATURDAYS, JANUARY 20 & FEBRUARY 17 AT 11:30 AM

This creative music class is meant to encourage movement and play via dance. A caregiver must attend with children.

FOR AGES 6 MONTHS TO 5 YEARS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

DROP-IN ART

FRIDAYS, JANUARY 5, 19 & FEBRUARY 2, 16 AT 3 PM

Drop-in and do art with us! We're making paper cup dinosaurs, paper jelly fish, a tube shaker instrument, and magnets!

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

STEAM-Y SUNDAYS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 & FEBRUARY 25 AT 1 PM

Join us on the last Sunday of every month for a fun STEAM activity! In January we're making Kohakutou Candy. In February, we're making edible cookie dough!

FOR AGES 8-15 | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

STORYTIMES

DROP-IN STORY TIME WITH MR. KC

EVERY MONDAY AT 10:30 AM

Story time with Mr. KC! Come in and listen to a story and play. Every week will be a new story with a new theme.

FOR AGES 2-5 | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

READ & PLAY STORY TIME

EVERY TUESDAY AT 10:30 AM

Enjoy stories and play with toys!

FOR 6 MONTHS- 24 MONTHS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

CAREGIVERS' CONVERSATIONS

EVERY TUESDAY AT 11 AM

After our Read and Play story time, caregivers can relax and have a breather, while their children play together. Refreshments for grown ups will be provided, and children of all ages are welcome!

FOR CAREGIVERS AND THEIR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

READING WITH REDDI

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 20 & FEBRUARY 10, 17 AT 1 PM

Come read to Reddi the dog. Practice your reading skills in a judgement-free zone! There will be 4 timeslots per day, with time slot signup at time of arrival. Books will be provided, and feel free to bring your own.

FOR AGES 2-10 | CAREGIVER REQUIRED | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

STORYTIME WITH MRS. G & MS. JESSIE

WEDNESDAYS, STARTING JANUARY 31, AT 9:30 AM

It's time for storytime with Mrs. G and Ms. Jessie! This is a 10 week event meant for children ages 2 to 4. Storytime with arts and crafts. Registration is required. Sign up once and you are automatically registered for the 10 week session.

FOR AGES 2-4 | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

READING WITH WILLOW

WEDNESDAYS, FEBRUARY 1, 15 & 29 AT 4 PM

Come read to Willow a licensed service dog. Practice your reading skills in a judgement-free zone! There will be 4 timeslots per day, with time slot signup at time of arrival. Books will be provided, and feel free to bring your own!

FOR AGES 2-10 | CAREGIVER REQUIRED | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

STORY TIME WITH MISS ANNA!

SUNDAYS IN FEBRUARY AT 1:30 PM

Story time on different topics and a craft!

FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BOOK CLUBS

MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

THURSDAYS, JANUARY 11 & FEBRUARY 8 AT 10 AM

January's book is Mad Honey by Jodi Picoult. February's book will be chosen at January's meeting.

FOR ADULTS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BOOKS FOR BREAKFAST

TUESDAYS, JANUARY 16 & FEBRUARY 20 AT 9:30 AM

The books are to be decided.

FOR ADULTS | IN PERSON & ON ZOOM | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BROWN BAG BOOK CLUB

WEDNESDAYS, JANUARY 31 & FEBRUARY 28 AT 11:30 AM

The January book is By Book or By Crook by Eva Gates. The February book is TBD.

FOR ADULTS | IN PERSON & ON ZOOM | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

B'VILLE EVENING BOOK CLUB

THURSDAYS, JANUARY 25 & FEBRUARY 29 AT 6 PM

The January book is Lady Tan's Circle of Women by Lisa See. The February book is Mad Honey by Jodi Picoult.

FOR ADULTS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

INFORMATION

TECH HELP DROP-IN

EVERY FRIDAY AT 10 AM (NOT ON JANUARY 5)

Get one-on-one help with your electronic devices including phones, tablets, and laptops.

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BPL BOARD MEETING

WEDNESDAYS, JANUARY 10 & FEBRUARY 14 AT 7 PM

Monthly business meeting of the BPL Board of Trustees. Open to the public.

FOR ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

LEARN ABOUT UNCLAIMED FUNDS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24 AT 3 PM

Come to a lecture about Unclaimed Funds. Leah, a representative from the New York State Comptroller's office, will brief the audience on what kind of funds are held, how to claim them and more information on estate funds. This program is hybrid - come in person or "Zoom in".

FOR ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED TO ATTEND IN PERSON | REGISTER ONLINE FOR THE ZOOM LINK

CRAFTING

EVENING KNITTING CLUB

EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:30 PM

Work on your knitting projects with others.

FOR AGES 13+ | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

QUILTING & KNITTING WITH FRIENDS

FRIDAYS, JANUARY 5, 26 & FEBRUARY 9, 23 AT 10 AM

Spend the day sewing and knitting with others.

FOR ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

CRAFT EXCHANGE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 AT 1 PM

Bring your gently used or new craft supplies. You don't need to bring anything to come and take something!

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

CARD MAKING ONLINE

THURSDAYS, JANUARY 11 & FEBRUARY 8 AT 7 PM

We will have a kit containing all the materials you'll need for the class. We recommend a \$5 donation (if possible), payable when you pick up the kit.

FOR AGES 13+ | ON FACEBOOK LIVE & ZOOM | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

CANDLELIGHT QUILT GUILD

TUESDAYS, JANUARY 9 & FEBRUARY 13 AT 7 PM

Each month Guild meetings feature a presenter or a project.

FOR ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

PUZZLE EXCHANGE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 AT 1 PM

Bring your gently used or new puzzles you no longer want! You don't need to bring anything to come and take something.

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

PLAY & LEARN

PLAY MAH JONGG

EVERY MONDAY AT 3 PM

Join other experienced Mah Jongg players in some friendly games at the library.

FOR ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

WEDNESDAY ONLINE DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 6 PM

We will "meet" on Discord, using chat and voice channels to play D&D 5e. Sign-up for this event and you will get a link to the Syracuse Society of Geeks' Discord server. We will meet IN-PERSON on the last Wednesday of every month.

FOR AGES 13+ | ON DISCORD | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

BOARD GAME DROP-IN

EVERY THURSDAY AT 11:30 AM

Drop in for an afternoon of relaxing fun playing board games.

FOR ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

MAGIC: THE GATHERING NIGHT

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4 & FEBRUARY 1 AT 6 PM

Join us to play and learn to play Magic: The Gathering! This is a trading card game where players take turns battling one another by casting spells, summoning creatures and using artifacts depicted on individual cards!

FOR ADULTS | REGISTRATION REQUIRED

GENTLE MORNING EXERCISE

EVERY SATURDAY AT 10 AM

No pushing yourself too far! These exercises can be done from a chair if you wish. We will do Tai Chi Chih or Yoga.

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

OPEN MIKE NIGHT

WEDNESDAYS, JANUARY 10 & FEBRUARY 14 AT 7 PM

Here's your chance to show off your talent to a fun-loving welcoming audience. Performer signups begin at 6:30 pm.

FOR ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER
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