



May Programs

Adult Programs

Digital Literacy

Tuesdays | 10 AM-1 PM

Saturdays | 10:30 AM-12:30 PM

You may register for a one-hour appointment by contacting the Information Desk. Trained volunteers from Literacy Rochester are available to assist with computer skills like operating devices, the internet, and using software.

Spring Foraging: Learn to Identify and Locate Wild Mushrooms & Edible Plants

5/2 | 6:30-8:00 PM

Registration is open. Spend an evening with MaryJo Lane of MJ Creative Gardens as your guide to finding wild edibles in your springtime surroundings. This fun evening will include a demonstration and free raffle drawings of herbal and mushroom gifts!

America's Entry into the Vietnam Conflict: LBJ & the Gulf of Tonkin Incident

5/5 | 2:00-3:30 PM

Registration is open. Lyndon Johnson took over the presidency and the handling of the crisis in Vietnam. Join MCC Professor of History Mark Sample as he tells the story of the people and the actions that brought on one of the most divisive events in American history.

Lotus Flower Lantern Workshop

5/6 | 6:30-7:45 PM

Registration is open – please register for your age group's session. A member of the Korean Spirit and Culture Promotion Project will give step-by-step instructions on making a lovely lotus flower lantern using colored paper and wireframes.

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Sweet Bites: A Taste of Poetry

5/7 | 12:00-1:00 PM

Registration is open. Taste the sweetness of poetry! Copies of the poems will be available at the Circulation Desk beginning the afternoon of May 3.

Health Care Navigator Session

5/7 | 4:30-7:00 PM

Call (585) 613-7662 to register and find out what to bring. Get help from a certified counselor to enroll in the NY State of Health Marketplace.

Facebook FAQs

5/8 | 6:30-8:00 PM

Registration is open. Arthur Catalanello will cover the most commonly asked questions and answers about Facebook by users. Attendees should already have a Facebook account and a basic knowledge of this platform.

Meet the iPad

5/9 | 12:30-2:00 PM

Registration is open. Become acquainted with this revolutionary computer. What is a tablet computer? How does it work? What are apps? Plus so much more!

Adult Craft: Magnetic Vase

5/11 | 2:00-3:30 PM

Registration is open. Upcycle glass jars and colorful paper napkins into a beautiful vessel that can house a flower cutting, a small succulent, or an air plant.

Swing Dance

5/13 | 6:30-8:00 PM

Registration is open. Come experience the joy of swing dancing! Please wear smooth-soled shoes. No partner necessary.

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May Book Discussion

5/16 | 2:00-3:00 PM

Registration opens 4/18. Copies of each month's selection will be available at the library for pickup prior to the meeting. This month's selection is *All Creatures Great and Small* by James Herriot.

Garden-Worthy Native Plants

5/16 | 6:00-7:30 PM

Registration is open. Megan Meyer of Healthy Yards Monroe County and Color Penfield Green will discuss native plants, including how to start a native pollinator garden and the best places to purchase native plants.

Healthy Soils, Healthy Gardens: Our Living Soil and Regenerative Gardening

5/18 | 10:00-11:30 AM

Registration is open. Master Gardener Laura Weller Brophy will talk about her experiences learning to care for lawns and gardens through soil health in a more ecologically friendly way.

Introduction to Kathak, Classical Indian Dance

5/20 | 6:30-8:00 PM

Registration is open. Celebrate AAPI month by learning Kathak, one of the seven Indian classical dance styles that originated in the north of India.

Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia

5/30 | 6:30-8:00 PM

Registration is open. Learn about the impact of Alzheimer's, the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, stages and risk factors, current research and treatments available for some symptoms, and more.



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Tweens & Teens

Tween Makers

4/18, 5/2, 5/16 | 4:15-5:00 PM



Registration for grades 4-8 is open. Join fellow makers for a surprise activity! It could

be a craft, science experiment, cooking project, and more.

Free Comic Book Day

5/4 | 10:30 AM-Noon



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in drawing your own "Charlie Brown" comic strip from start to finish. Learn the techniques of layout, panel composition, sketching, inking, and lettering – along with some comic book history!

Lotus Flower Lantern Workshop

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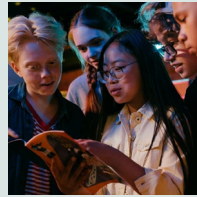
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Spirit and Culture Promotion Project will give step-by-step instructions on making a lovely lotus flower lantern using colored paper and wireframes. Enjoy a presentation about the lotus and the lantern festival and a short document on Korea at the end of the class. In addition, books on Korean history and culture will be available for free!

Tweens & Teens

Teen Advisory Board

5/9 | 4:00-5:00 PM

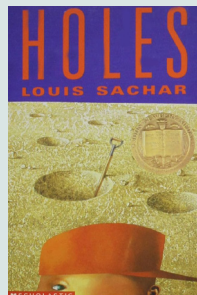


Registration for grades 6-12 is open. The Teen Advisory Board meets monthly to help out at

the library and plan fun things to do! We also call on TAB members when needed to assist with running programs or helping with other tasks for which they would receive community service hours. The monthly meetings are a great place to make friends and support your community. Snacks provided!

Tween Book Club

5/14 | 4:15-5:00 PM



Registration for grades 6-8 is open. Meet with other tweens who like to read!

This month we will be reading *Holes* by Louis Sachar. As further evidence of his family's bad fortune, which they attribute to a curse on a distant relative, Stanley Yelnats is sent to a brutal correctional camp in the Texas desert where he finds his first real friend, a treasure, and a new sense of himself. There will be snacks, crafts, and a chance to talk about books. Pick up a copy at the library!

Tweens & Teens

Stardew Valley: Create Your Own Junimo

5/17 | 4:00-5:00 PM



Registration for grades 6-12 is open. Are you a proud farmer? Have you braved the Skull

Cavern? Join us to create your own junimo friend and meet fellow farmers.

Book Sale

Friends of PPL Children & Young Adult Book Sale

Thursday, 4/25

2:00-8:00 PM (members only)

Friday-Saturday, 4/26-4/27

10:00 AM-5:00 PM (open to all)

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Children's Programs

Ongoing Programs

K-4 Crafty Fun Days

4/24 & 5/29 | 4:15-5:00 PM

Registration opens two weeks before each session. A fun story and craft for kids in grades K-4!

Tween Makers

4/18, 5/2, 5/16 | 4:15-5:00 PM

Registration for grades 4-8 is open. Join fellow makers for a surprise activity!

Writing Workshop

5/7 & 5/21 | 4:15-5:00 PM

Registration for grades 3-5 opens two weeks before each date. Join other writers for some creative writing activities and a snack.

Kids' Book Club

4/18 & 5/23 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Registration for grades 3-5 is open. Do you love to read? Here's your chance to read and talk about a book with other kids. April's selection is *The Elephant in the Room* by Holly Goldberg Sloan. May's selection is *Mac B. Kid Spy: Mac Undercover* by Mac Barnett. Copies will be available at the library.

April Program

Children's Book Week

Bookmark Contest

April 15-30 | For Grades K-5

Drop by the library and pick up a form to design a bookmark on the theme "No Rules. Just Read." Then drop off your form before the end of the day on April 30 – winners will be announced the week of May 6. Winners will get a supply of their bookmarks and a Barnes and Noble gift card.

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Cursive Club

Mondays, 5/6-5/20

4:15-5:00 PM

Registration for grades 3-5 for this series opens 4/22. Would you like to learn how to write in cursive? Here's your chance to practice with some fun activities.

Muffins with Mom Story Time

5/11 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Registration for ages 3-7 with Mom or Grandma opens 4/27. It's almost Mother's Day and we're going to celebrate with a special story time devoted to moms. We'll enjoy stories and sing songs in honor of mothers and munch on some tasty muffins, too!

Science Saturday

5/18 | 1:00-2:00 PM

Registration for grades K-4 with an adult opens 5/4. Come to the library for some science fun! Do a hands-on science activity with your grownup.

Children's Programs

May Story Times

Outdoor Story Time

Mondays, 5/6-5/20 & 6/3

10:30-11:00 AM

For ages 2-6 with an adult; drop in – no registration required. Bring a blanket or towel to the Penfield Community Center Courtyard for some stories, songs, and fun! In the case of rain, we'll be in the story time room.

Baby Story Time

Tuesdays, 5/7-5/28

11:30 AM-Noon

Registration for each date opens 4/23. Songs, stories, and finger plays for infants and pre-walkers and their caregivers.

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