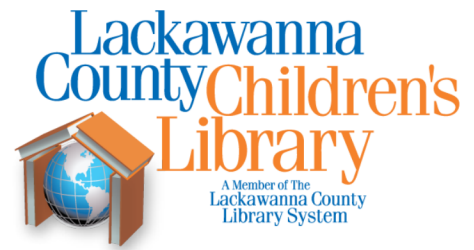


JANUARY 2024 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 Happy New Year	1 LIBRARY CLOSED	2 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Toddlers on the Move Ages 1-3 11:30 AM	3 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Toddlers on the Move Ages 1-3 11:30 AM	4 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Toddlers on the Move Ages 1-3 11:30 AM Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 6 PM	5 	6 Sensory Saturdays All Ages 10:30 AM No Registration Required
7 	8 Creative Writing & Storytelling Grades 2-6 4:30 PM Mother Goose Lap Rap Babies & Toddlers 6 PM	9 Stories with Community Helpers: PA Ambulance All Ages 10:30 AM Toddler Tumble Time Ages 1-3 11:30 AM Novel Thoughts: <i>Timo the Adventurer</i> Grades 4-6 6:00 PM Common Core Math Grades K-3 6:00 PM	10 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Toddler Tumble Time Ages 1-3 11:30 AM	11 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Toddler Tumble Time Ages 1-3 11:30 AM Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 6 PM	12 Lego Club Ages 5-12 3 PM No Registration Required 	13 Sensory Saturdays All Ages 10:30 AM No Registration Required
14 Sundays with Friends: Ha-Ha Magic All Ages 2:00 PM 	15 LIBRARY CLOSED 	16 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Little Builders' Party Ages 3-8 11:30 AM Common Core Math Grades K-3 6:00 PM	17 Stories with Community Helpers: Dr. Michael Friedman All Ages 10:30 AM Little Builders' Party Ages 3-8 11:30 AM Danger Club: Binary Code Friendship Bracelets Grades 4-6 6:00 PM	18 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Little Builders' Party Ages 3-8 11:30 AM Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 6 PM	19 	20 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM
21 	22 Creative Writing & Storytelling Grades 2-6 4:30 PM Mother Goose Lap Rap Babies & Toddlers 6 PM	23 Stories with Community Helpers: Scranton Fire Department All Ages 10:30 AM Novel Thoughts: <i>Timo the Adventurer</i> Grades 4-6 6:00 PM Common Core Math Grades K-3 6:00 PM	24 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Homework & Hangout Grades 4-6 5:00 PM No Registration Required	25 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM KNOWN Tutoring 4:30-6:30 PM No Registration Required Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 6 PM	26 	27 The Curiosity Club: Phases of the Moon Pre K-Grade 3 2 PM
28 Lego Club Ages 5-12 2 PM No Registration Required	29 Mother Goose Lap Rap Babies & Toddlers 6 PM 	30 Stories with Community Helpers: Mayor Paige Cagnetti All Ages 10:30 AM Common Core Math Grades K-3 6:00 PM	31 Stories with Cal & Newbery All Ages 10:30 AM Banned Book Club: <i>Charlotte's Web</i> Grades 4-6 6:00 PM	TO REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS, VISIT THE LIBRARY OR CALL UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE! 		
						LIBRARY HOURS Sunday 1 PM-5 PM Monday 9 AM-8 PM Tuesday 9 AM-8 PM Wednesday 9 AM-8 PM Thursday 9 AM-8 PM Friday 9 AM-5 PM Saturday 9 AM-5 PM

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THE LACKAWANNA COUNTY CHILDREN'S LIBRARY PROUDLY PRESENTS

RECURRING PROGRAMS

STORIES WITH CAL AND NEWBERY | ALL AGES

Children are introduced to the wonderful world of reading through stories, songs, fingerplays, and crafts! Features a puppet show with the Children's Library's famous puppets, Cal and Newbery!

MOTHER GOOSE LAP RAP | MONDAYS [w] 6PM | BABIES AND TODDLERS

A great library start for babies! Features stories, music, fingerplays, and new friends to meet!

TODDLER TUMBLE TIME | AGES 1-3

Toddler Tumble Time is designed specifically for toddlers. Join us as we work on skills such as balancing, throwing, kicking, and jumping using a combination of movement and one-on-one activities for parents and children.

TODDLERS ON THE MOVE | AGES 1-3

Toddlers enjoy creating sound and music, while moving and dancing to their favorite songs, fingerplays, and rhymes.

LITTLE BUILDERS' PARTY | AGES 3-8

Join us for the Little Builders' Party! Children will use a variety of age-appropriate manipulatives to design, create, and build. Children will use their imaginations to build amazing structures while practicing socialization and cooperation.

LEGO CLUB | AGES 5-12

Spend an afternoon building with friends. Design your own creation, or we will give you a challenge! Work by yourself or as a team. Whether you are a Lego master or a first-timer, this is the program for you! *No registration required.*

CREATIVE WRITING AND STORYTELLING | EVERY OTHER MONDAY [w] 4:30PM | GRADES 2-6

With the guidance of Ms. Heather Tomlinson, children will create stories using their own drawings and writing from prompts such as books we read or games we play. Children will be encouraged to write and create at a level in which they feel comfortable. This series is intended to foster their creativity, imagination, and a simple love for storytelling.

KNOWN TUTORING | THURSDAY, JANUARY 25 [w] 4:30PM | GRADES 3-6

The KNOWN (Knowledge Navigating Opportunities Worth Noticing) Tutoring program provides free academic assistance for students in the Scranton community. Learning is powerful, and the opportunities it can provide are endless. The program supplies students with the encouragement and resources they need to strengthen their talents and venture toward success. *No registration required.*

NOVEL THOUGHTS: "TIMO THE ADVENTURER" | TUESDAYS, JANUARY 9 & 23 [w] 6PM | GRADES 4-6

This month we will be reading the graphic novel *Timo The Adventurer*. Having read every book in his tiny village, young Timo decides it is time to leave home and become a hero. When he rescues an enchanted beast named Broof, Timo gains a gruff and reluctant ally. But little does Timo suspect that Broof's mysterious past will bring complications to his journey. You'll love the engaging hero, surprising plot twists, and host of fantastical creatures in this spell-binding fantasy.

COMMON CORE MATH FOR FAMILIES | TUESDAYS STARTING JANUARY 9 [w] 6PM | GRADES K-3

Join us to learn and practice Common Core Math! We will explore basic skills and problem solving through games, manipulatives, and alternative equations. Parents will participate to learn new and fun ways to approach math with your children. This program will be led by a certified elementary school teacher and the goal is to take the misery out of math homework. Find out how much fun numbers can be!

SENSORY SATURDAYS | SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 [w] 10:30AM | ALL AGES

Sensory Saturday includes play that focuses on activities to engage your child's senses, helping them develop language and motor skills. It also helps with cognitive growth, fosters social interactions, and encourages experimentation. This program is suitable for children of all ages and abilities. *No registration required.*

SUNDAYS WITH FRIENDS: HA-HA MAGIC | SUNDAY, JANUARY 14 [w] 2PM | ALL AGES

Join us and be dazzled by Ha-Ha Magic at the Lackawanna County Children's Library! This event is proudly sponsored by the Friends of the Scranton Public Library.

STORIES WITH COMMUNITY HELPERS | ALL MONTH | ALL AGES

Join us for a special story times throughout the month with community helpers who will read a story and discuss what they do at their job and how they help us and the community!

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9 [w] 10:30: **PA AMBULANCE**

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17 [w] 10:30: **DR. MICHAEL FRIEDMAN FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23 [w] 10:30: **SCRANTON FIRE DEPARTMENT**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30 [w] 10:30: **SCRANTON'S MAYOR PAIGE COGNETTI**

DANGER CLUB: BINARY CODE FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17 [w] 6PM | GRADES 4-6

Learn the Binary code alphabet, and use it to hide a positive word in a friendship bracelet or necklace.

HOMEWORK & HANGOUT | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24 [w] 5PM | GRADES 4-6

Come hang out, do homework, and make friends! This is a safe, relaxed space to socialize, play games, listen to music, and more. Ms. Meghan will provide computer access, homework help, music, and board games. This program is held in the Technology Lab on the lower level of the Library. *No registration required.*

CURIOSITY CLUB: PHASES OF THE MOON | SATURDAY, JANUARY 27 [w] 2PM | PREK-GRADE 3

Join Miss Jenna and the rest of the Curiosity Club this month to celebrate the Winter Reading Challenge by learning about the phases of the moon. This program is sure to be out of this world!

BANNED BOOK CLUB: "CHARLOTTE'S WEB" | WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31 [w] 6PM | GRADES 4-6

Did you know that *Charlotte's Web*, one of the most popular children's books ever, was banned? Join Ms. Meghan to discuss this popular book, and find out why it was banned.

DURING POOR WINTER WEATHER, THE LIBRARY FOLLOWS THE SCRANTON SCHOOL DISTRICT'S DECISION ON CANCELLING OR POSTPONING EVENTS. CHECK THE LIBRARY'S WEBSITE OR FACEBOOK PAGE OR CALL FOR UPDATES. NOTE THAT, EVEN IF EVENTS ARE CANCELLED, THE LIBRARY MAY STILL BE OPEN FOR BASIC SERVICES.



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