Albright Memorial Library

500 Vine Street, Scranton, PA 18509

PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

JULY 2026

Monday - Thursday: 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. | Friday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Sunday: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

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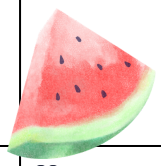
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
To view all events and register online, please scan this QR code using your smartphone camera.			1 Movie Matinee *Hamilton* 2 PM to 4:45 PM	2 Teen Game Night 6 PM to 7:30 PM	3 Closed	4 4TH OF July Closed
5 Today We Are Open 1 PM to 5 PM	6 Take & Make Spice Kit Available starting today Adult Gaming Club 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM	7 Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM Puzzle Swap 5 PM to 6:30 PM Knot Another Stitch 6 PM to 7:30 PM	8 Movie Matinee *Letty Lynton* 2 PM to 3:30 PM Creative Writing Community 6 PM to 7 PM	9 Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM Teen Creator Lab 6 PM to 7:30 PM	10	11
12 Bookworms Book Club 2 PM to 3:30 PM Today We Are Open 1 PM to 5 PM	13 Movie Night *Letty Lynton* *6 PM* PM to 7:30 PM 	14 Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM	15 Movie Matinee *Strange Journey: The Story of Rocky Horror* 2 PM to 3:30 PM Socrates Cafe 6 PM to 7:30 PM SPL Book Club 6 PM to 7:30 PM	16 Teen Cinema Club 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM	17	18 The Olde Stories & GUZHGUITREMIN Presents: 3 PM to 4 PM
19 Today We Are Open 1 PM to 5 PM	20 Adult Gaming Club 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM	21 Pottery Workshop 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM Knot Another Stitch 6 PM to 7:30 PM	22 Movie Matinee *Lee* 2 PM to 4 PM	23 Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM Clothing and the Civil War 6 PM to 7 PM Teen Mini-Masterpieces 6 PM to 7:30 PM	24	25 Sidewalk Book Sale 10 AM to 3:30 PM
26 Today We Are Open 1 PM to 5 PM	27 Crafting with Hannah 6 PM to 7:30 PM	28 Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM Get Healthier Sleep 6 PM to 7 PM	29 Movie Matinee *The Christophers* 2 PM to 3:45 PM Ink & Intention 6 PM to 7 PM	30 Tech Table 5 PM to 7 PM Teen Anime Club 6 PM to 7:30 PM	31	

PA FORWARD STAR PROGRAM GOLD LEVEL LIBRARY

TO REGISTER FOR A PROGRAM, VISIT ALBRIGHT.ORG OR CALL 570-348-3000

See back for program details

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MOVIES

Enjoy a free movie at the Library
Henkelman Room

Wednesday, 7/1 at 2 p.m. | *Hamilton* - Rated PG-13
Wednesday, 7/8 at 2 p.m. | *Letty Lynton* - Rated PG-13
Monday, 7/13 at 6 p.m. | *Letty Lynton* - Rated PG-13
Wednesday, 7/15 at 2 p.m. | *Strange Journey* - Not Rated
Wednesday, 7/22 at 2 p.m. | *Lee - Rated R*
Wednesday, 7/29 at 2 p.m. | *The Christophers* - Rated R

TECH TABLE

Tuesdays & Thursdays | 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Reference Department

Get help with app navigation, settings updates, privacy, security, and device optimization for smartphones, tablets, and laptops. Drop-in sessions are available without appointments. Limited to 20 minutes.

ADULT GAMING CLUB

July 6 & 20 | 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Technology Lab

Join our Adult Gaming Club for all players, whether you're a dedicated gamer or a casual player. Enjoy an evening of Nintendo Switch games like Super Smash Bros. Ultimate and Mario Kart 8. Bring your own device or use ours; drop-ins are welcome!

TAKE & MAKE SPICE KIT

Available Starting July 6
Circulation Desk

Explore new flavors and recipes with this month's featured spice, poppy seed! Pick up a kit to receive a sample of our spice and a selection of recipes to try. Kits will be available at the Circulation Desk starting July 6th and will be available while supplies last. (Limit of 2 kits per card per month)

PUZZLE SWAP

July 7 | 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Director's Office

Join our Puzzle Swap! Drop off gently used puzzles at the Albright Memorial Library from June 22nd to July 7th to receive swap tickets, or bring them on event night. Puzzles should be complete and in original boxes. Visit anytime during the event to find a new puzzle—no registration needed.

KNOT ANOTHER STITCH

July 7 & 21 | 6 p.m to 7:30 p.m.
Director's Office

If you love working with fiber through crocheting, knitting, cross-stitching, or embroidery, join our stitching group! Bring your current projects and enjoy friendly conversations with others who share your interests.

CREATIVE WRITING COMMUNITY

July 8 | 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Henkelman Room

Calling all writers! Join the Creative Writing Community to share ideas, improve skills, and receive feedback. All experience levels are welcome, including poets, novelists, short story writers, journalists, editors, and word enthusiasts!

THE BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB

July 12 | 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Henkelman Room

Join the Bookworms Club at Albright Memorial Library this month as we dive into our latest selection, *Gilead* by Marilynne Robinson, for an engaging discussion and shared reading experience.

SOCRATES CAFÉ

July 15 | 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Director's Office

Join us for Socrates Café. These gatherings will bring people together from all walks of life to raise questions about, listen to, and discuss a topic chosen by the group that evening.

SPL BOOK CLUB: *THE CARTOGRAPHERS*

July 15 | 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Henkelman Room

From the acclaimed author of The Book of M comes a thrilling tale of a young woman who finds a mysterious map in her late father's belongings. This map reveals a deadly secret, leading her on an extraordinary adventure to uncover her family's dark history.

THE OLDE STORIES & GUZHGUITREMIN PRESENTS:

July 18 | 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Henkelman Room

Mark R. Reinhart, an expert in energetic, martial, philosophical, and healing arts, invites readers to explore Chinese culture through his book, "Thunder Over Wind... Another Doorway Into the Wisdom of the Yijing (I Ching)." The program includes musical accompaniment featuring guitar, theremin, Eurorack, guzheng, qin, and tabla.

POTTERY WORKSHOP

July 22 | 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Albright Memorial Library

Join Experience Pottery for a fun and creative evening making your own Herb Stripper Dish with pinching techniques. You'll create your own dish from clay, customize the shape and size, and add personal touches like stamps, names, or little messages. At the end of the night, pieces will be taken to the studio to get fired so they are microwave-dishwasher and food safe. The fee is $25 per person, which is non-refundable and must be paid at the time of registration.

CLOTHING AND THE CIVIL WAR

July 23 | 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Albright Memorial Library

Join the Scranton Public Library and Emily Lance for an overview of Civil War fashion trends from the North and South. The presentation will cover the effects of consumer culture and photography on fashion. Attendees can view samples of period clothing provided by the Lackawanna Historical Society.

SIDEWALK BOOK SALE

July 25 | 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Albright Memorial Library

The Friends of the Scranton Public Library will host a Sidewalk Book Sale at the Albright Memorial Library on Saturday, July 25th, featuring a wide assortment of affordable, pre-owned items for readers and collectors of all ages. Rain date Saturday, August 1st.

CRAFTING WITH HANNAH SNYDER

July 27 | 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Albright Memorial Library

Join Hannah Snyder for a night of crafty fun! Hannah will be teaching attendees how to make a felt ornament. Bring a friend! Make a friend! A $25 materials fee is due at the time of the class.

GET HEALTHIER SLEEP

July 28 | 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Albright Memorial Library

Join the American Heart Association to discover the science of sleep! Why is sleep so vital for our well-being? In this workshop, you will explore how sleep impacts your heart health and risk factors, as well as effective strategies to enhance your sleep hygiene and habits.

INK & INTENTION

July 29 | 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Director's Office

Participants engage in a 2-part session beginning with a 20-minute stress meditation to ground and settle the mind and body. Following the meditation, participants will engage in a gratitude journaling session to improve their overall outlook and practice thankfulness.

TEEN PROGRAMS

FOR AGES 12-18

All programs take place in the Tech Lab located on the lower level of the Children's Library.

For a complete overview of the teen programs, please refer to their monthly program flyer.

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