

Monroe Twp. Library

Library Lines Newsletter

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Library Hours

Monday-Thursday: 11am-9pm
Friday & Saturday: 10am-3pm

**Closed for President's Day
2/16.**

Event Spotlight

Line Dancing with Darlene on
**Wednesdays, February 4th & 11th
12:30-1:30pm and Fridays, February
6th, 13th, 20th & 27th.**

Registration required.

ASL for Adults will take place on
Wednesday, February 11th at 6pm.
Registration required.

American Red Cross Blood Drives will
take place on **Thursday, February 12th
and Thursday, February 19th from 1pm
to 6pm.** Call 1-800-733-2767 for an
appointment.

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Adult Programming

D&D Club **2/3, 2/10, 2/17 and 2/24** **at 6pm**

Are you interested in diving into the world of tabletop RPGs, but not sure where to start? A Dungeon Master with over 30 years of experience, and his assistant, will be teaching all of the skills needed to make and play characters in the amazing fantasy setting of Pathfinder.

Registration required.

Needle Arts Group **2/4 and 2/18 at 6:30pm**

Do you like to knit or crochet?

Like to do embroidery, needlepoint, beading, quilting, or other needlework? Bring a current project to work on in a fun, informal atmosphere. All

levels of experience are welcome. This is not a class; however, sharing of tips and experience is encouraged.

Registration not required.

Felt Craft for Adults **2/5 at 1pm**

Celebrate Valentine's Day with the ultimate snuggle buddy! Participants will create a sweet felt teddy bear full of love and softness!

Basic sewing skills are strongly encouraged.

THIS IS NOT A CLASS.

Registration required.

Inkwell Writers Group **2/11 at 6:30pm**

An adult creative writing group looking for fun, creative, artistic writers who find it hard to stay motivated to write. Join us as we encourage each other in maintaining a writing schedule with the goal of using writing as a tool of empowerment, healing and personal discovery.

Registration required. Contact the group facilitator Jerome Jackson at 609-372-8908.

Craft for Adults **2/12 at 1:30pm**

Adults of all ages are invited to the library to make a decoupage heart-shaped trinket box with napkins, mod-podge, and other items!

Registration required.

Movie Discussion Club **2/12 at 7pm**

This month, we're tackling two movies...The Iron Claw about the Von Erich wrestling family, and One Night In Miami, the story of a tense night that Malcom X, Muhammad Ali, Sam Cooke, and Jim Brown experienced during the civil rights struggle.

Registration not required.

Adult Programming

Lunch & a Movie 2/9 and 2/23 at 12pm

Bring your lunch to the library as we honor the late actor/director Rob Reiner with two of his best movies. Popcorn generously donated by Regal Cinemas.

The Princess Bride on 2/9
A Few Good Men on 2/23

Registration not required.

Felt Craft for Adults 2/19 at 1pm

This February, we're serving love! No cooking required! Craft your own adorable felt raviolis and celebrate showing affection through food and creativity. Basic sewing skills are strongly encouraged.
THIS IS NOT A CLASS.

Registration required.

Adult ASL Club 2/11 at 6pm

Join our Sign Language Club with our group leader, Niki. Each month, a group of us meet at the library to go over basic signs and practice finger spelling and numbers. Please be aware this is not a class and you do NOT receive any certificates or degrees of completion for attending this group.

Registration required.

Bingo for Adults 2/14 at 11:30am

Adults of all ages are invited to play Bingo at the library! You could win prizes like books to take home, restaurant coupons or other fun stuff.

Registration required.

Get It Together! Homeschool Parents Meeting 2/9 at 6:30pm

Calling all homeschooling parents in Williamstown! Get It Together with your fellow parent-teachers in the area with this once-a-month meeting. Great for collaborating resources and ideas. Bring your own snacks and creature comforts.
Registration is on our online events calendar.

Adult Programming

Les Francophiles 2/23 at 6:30pm

Bonjour et bienvenue !
If you are learning, or are interested in starting to learn, French in 2026, Les Francophiles is a great opportunity to meet other enthusiasts and stay motivated. We will meet once a month at the library. All levels of experience are welcome.

Registration required.

Nightmare on Marsha Ave Book Club 2/25 at 2pm

This month, we'll cover two different works--the graphic novel *Wellington* by Aaron Mahnke, and H.P. Lovecraft's short story "Dreams in the Witch House."

No registration required.

Board Game Night for Adults 2/25 at 6:30pm

Adults of all ages can come and enjoy our board game night! We've got games like Trivial Pursuit, Scrabble, Clue, and other classics. You're also welcome to bring your own. It's a great way to unwind for a couple hours and meet new people.

Registration required.

Bookworms Book Club 2/18 at 1pm

The Bookworms Book Club is a reading group for adults that meets at 1:00 on the third Wednesday of each month. This month's book is *The Jackal's Mistress* by Chris Bohjalian, a thrilling story of love and sacrifice set during the Civil War.

Registration required.

Murder Mystery 2/19 at 6pm

Calling all crime and mystery fans! Join us at the library for an evening of sleuthing, as we work through clues, evidence, and puzzles in an attempt to solve a murder case.

Registration required.

Bookmarks Book Club 2/24 at 7pm

The Bookmarks meet on the last Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. except for December. All adults are invited to read along with us and join our monthly discussions. This month's book is Natalie Jenner's *The Bloomsbury Girls*, which centers on the women working at London's Bloomsbury Books in 1950.

Registration required.

Children's and Teen Programming

Welcome to Ramadan Storytime 2/21 at 12pm

Children are invited to join the library in this special Ramadan Storytime! Children will learn about the month of Ramadan, read stories and make a craft!

Registration is required.

Teen Homeschool Hangout 2/2 at 11:30am

Teens (ages 12-18) are invited to come meet-and-greet other homeschoolers in the community. This program will meet once a month starting this fall for homeschooled teens to enjoy varying family-friendly activities that encourage learning, discussion, and socialization.

Registration required.

Tween Paint Night 2/17 at 6pm

Tweens (7-12) can join Williamstown's very own traveling artist Gina Martucci! Tween's will paint their very own painting.

Registration required. Please remember to sign up each child individually.

Storytime: Vikings! 2/26 at 11:30am

Children can stop by the library and read some books, sing some songs and make a craft while learning about Vikings.

Registration is required.

Teen Take-and-Make Bags: Sand Art Kit

TEENS AGES 12-18 are invited to stop by the circulation desk starting Monday, February 2nd through February (while supplies last) to grab a sand optical illusion art kit!

TEEN craft bags are reserved exclusively for ages 12-18 and are available on a first-come basis while supplies last

Children's Take-and- Make Bags: Valentine Heart Butterfly

Children can stop in the library and pick up a Valentine's Heart Butterfly craft to take home and make using a clothes peg, construction paper hearts, google eyes and pipe cleaners.

No registration required.
While supplies last.

Story Time To-Go Bags

Children ages Birth-5 are encouraged to visit our Story Time To-Go Display Shelf to grab a Take-and-Make Story Time Craft Bag and an accompanying Book to bring home with you for your very own Alphabet-themed story time! Each week, the craft activity and books will be related to a new letter of the alphabet.

Bags/Books are available on a first-come basis while supplies last

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