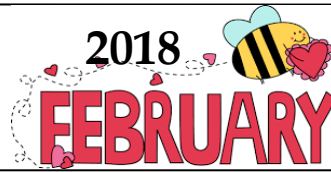


Library Happenings

Community Library of Allegheny Valley



Visit us online:
www.alleghenyvalleylibrary.org

Harrison

Monday through Thursday:
11:30 am to 8:30 pm

Location

1522 Broadview Blvd.
Natrona Heights, PA 15065
Phone: 724-226-3491

Friday: 10 am to 2 pm
Saturday: 9 am to 4 pm
Sunday: Closed

Tarentum

Monday through Wednesday:
10 am to 6 pm

Location

400 Lock Street
Tarentum, PA 15084
Phone: 724-226-0770

Friday: 10 am to 4 pm
Saturday: 10 am to 2 pm
Thursday and Sunday: Closed

Annual Quilt Show

On Display Through March 3 (Harrison)

Quilts will be displayed through March 3.

Come in to vote for your favorites in each of three categories: Hand-quilted, machine-quilted, or wall hanging. Voting ends Feb. 24.

Before the Job Interview

6:30 pm Feb. 12 (Harrison)



Job seekers welcome! In this class we will discuss how to prepare for a job interview and get ready to enter the workplace. Register at 724-226-3491.

Hand Stitched Hearts

5:30 to 7:30 pm Feb. 21 (Harrison)

Practice your stitching skills by creating decorations out of felt. Use these hearts to decorate your home or share them with your friends and family. Register at 724-226-3491.

Food for the Heart

1 pm Feb. 21 (Harrison)

Become the master of mealtime and learn how to improve your diet. Discover new heart healthy recipes and which foods will promote good heart health. Register at 724-226-3491.



Crochet Shamrocks

5:30 to 7:30 pm March 1

Learn how to make these simple crochet shamrocks. Display them as decorations or give them away and share the luck. Participants should already know basic crochet stitches and bring a crochet hook to class. Don't know how to crochet? Attend Yarn Friends on Feb 26 or Open Makerspace on Feb 28 to learn the basics. Register at 724-226-3491.

Lifestory Writing

5 to 6 pm Feb. 5 and 19 (Harrison)

Everyone has a story. Lifestory writing helps document experiences for future generations, gain an overview of your life, and enjoy the personal satisfaction that comes with writing. Enjoy a sense of community with those who share your interest in writing.

Learn how to share your story in this fun and informal class. Bring your writing to be workshopped during meetings. This group will meet on the first and third Monday of every month.

Library 200 Club

Support the library by purchasing 200 club tickets. Pay \$30 for one of 200 tickets for the first quarter of the year. A drawing will be held each Tuesday. The owner of the number drawn each week will receive \$100 and be immediately entered for the next week's drawing. Stop in and see if your lucky number is still available!

Open Makerspace

11:15 to 1:45 pm Feb. 16

5:30 to 8 pm Feb. 28 (Harrison)



Have an idea for a new project? Come and create using our library's makerspace. Stop by and use the sewing machine, Cricut, Scan n Cut, Quilling tools, screen printing machines, pottery supplies, and computers. Spend time swapping ideas with fellow makers. Use of the machines is free but disposable materials (ex: paper and glue) will not be provided.

Who Knew? Flu Epidemic of 1918

6 to 7 pm Feb. 20 OR 21 (Tarentum)

Learn about the flu epidemic of 1918 in our area with our guest speaker, **Tom Soltis**, Assistant Professor of Sociology at Westmoreland Community College. **Registration required** at 724-226-0770 as seating is limited. This has been rescheduled from January.

Ongoing Programs Happening at Harrison

Historical Book Club: 7 to 8 pm Feb. 5
Open Computer Lab: Tuesdays 12 to 2 or by Appt
50 Book Challenge: 6 to 7 pm Feb. 20
Yarn Friends: 5:30 to 7:30 Feb. 26



Sign up for the library's mailing list! Receive emails containing our newsletter and other important information. Email "mailing list" to Katie at myserk2@einetwork.net to sign up.

February Children's Programs

Community Library Of Allegheny Valley

LAP SIT

For children 0-3 years

Harrison Location

- 11 am Tues.
- 9:30 am Thurs.
- 9:30 am Fri.
- 10:30 am Fri.

**All Lapsit Programs are currently full. Please register on the waitlist for the next available spot.*



STORYTIME

For children age 3 to 5

Harrison Location

- 11 am Mon.
- 11 am Thurs.

For more information, contact Judy Errico at 724-226-3491.

The classes will run through May 4th.

What's new in the children's department?

We have 3 New Preschool Grab Bags you can check out and take home to enjoy on a cold, winter day! Our current offerings: Birds, Feelings and STEM-Weather

We also now have games you can sign out and play within the library! Current offerings: Attribute Shapes and Cards, Peg Boards and Alpha Bots!

"Discover and Learn"

Parent/Child Workshop Registration

Free 4 Week Program

Tuesdays in March from 6:00 pm – 7:15 pm

OR

Wednesdays in March from 10:00 am – 11:15 am

Each week, a different child care specialist will be on hand to answer questions. Plan to attend all four sessions.

Enjoy time with your child in our toy "wonderland."

Registration starts Monday, Feb. 12th. Call or stop in.

Youth & Teen Programs

What's New?



We have Four American Girl Doll Kits that you can check out and take home for one week!

Our current doll kits: Rebecca, Maryellen, Melody and Tenney

Monthly Programs:

American Girl Zone

For girls ages 7 and up

Meets 1 to 2 pm on Saturday, Feb. 3 and 17

Magic Tree House Adventures

For independent readers in grades 1-4

Meets 4:30 p.m to 5:30 p.m.

one Thursday a month, Feb. 22

STEM/Maker Program

For kids in grades 1-6

Meets 4:30 to 5:30 pm after school

Lego Activities

For kids in grades 2-5

Meets 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. after school



\$1 donation per program per child. For more information or to be notified of program schedules, and availability, contact Susan Wilson at 724-226-3491 or wilson2@einetwork.net.

ANIME CLUB

Meets one Saturday a month

For teens in grades 9 and up!

12 Noon February 24



An interactive book club for grades 7-12.

Join us for our 6th year!!!