

Library Happenings

Community Library of Allegheny Valley



Visit us online:
www.alleghenyvalleylibrary.org

Harrison Location

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

Monday through Thursday:
11:30 am to 8:30 pm
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Friday: 10 am to 2 pm
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Saturday: 9 am to 4 pm
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Sunday: Closed

Tarentum Location

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

Monday through Wednesday:
10 am to 6 pm
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Friday: 10 am to 4 pm
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Saturday: 10 am to 2 pm
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Thursday and Sunday: Closed

Both of our branches will be closed on Monday, January 15 for a staff meeting.

Annual Quilt Show! (Harrison)

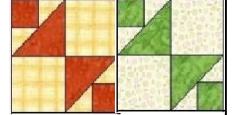
Quilts will be accepted Jan. 8 to 19. Quilts will be displayed Jan. 20 through March 3.

Entries limited to two per person. Quilts must be handmade, but the person submitting the quilt does not have to be the one who made it. Quilts will be entered into one of three categories: hand-quilted, machine-quilted, or wall hanging. A winner in each category will be announced on February 26.

There will be a reception for the show on January 23 at 6:30.

For more information, contact Katie at 724-226-3491 or myserk2@einetwork.net.

Don't forget to stop by and vote for your favorite quilts!



Essential Oils Diffusers

6 pm Jan. 17

Fill your life with wonderful smells. Learn how to make and use essential oil diffusers. Registration required at 724-226-3491. (Harrison)

Quilt Show Reception

6:30 pm Jan. 23

Come and celebrate the opening of our annual quilt show with us. Admire our quilts and vote for your favorites. See images of past winning quilts and meet with fellow quilt lovers. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Registration encouraged but not required at 724-226-3491. (Harrison)



Computer Class: All About eBooks

6 to 8 pm Jan. 29

This course will teach participants how to find and view electronic versions of books and magazines. The course will also cover how to check out eBooks from the library. Please bring a tablet to class if you have one. Call 724-226-3491 to reserve your space.

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 or \$100 for the entire year of 2018. 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.



Open Makerspace

5:30 to 8 Jan. 11

11:15 to 1:45 pm Jan. 26 (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 Jan. 16 OR 17 (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.



Quilled Greeting Cards

5:30 pm Jan. 31

Learn how to use strips of paper to create 3 dimensional greeting cards. Register at 724-226-3491. (Harrison)

Ongoing Programs Happening at Harrison

Historical Book Club: 7 to 8 pm Jan. 8

Open Computer Lab: Tuesdays 12 to 2 or by Appt

Lifestory Writing: 5 pm Jan. 15

50 Book Challenge: 6 to 7 pm Jan. 16

Yarn Friends: 5:30 to 7:30 Jan. 22



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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.

January Children's Programs

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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.*



The classes will begin the week of January 8th.

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.

Block Play

Wednesday, January 17th

9 am-12 pm

Come and be creative...see what you can design using blocks that are magnetic, shaped or wooden.

Hammer Time!

Thursday, February 1st

6pm-?

Ages 3 and up

We're making string hearts!

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!

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 Jan. 13

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, Jan. 25

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,

Jan. 27 from 12 pm – 2 pm

For teens in grades 9 and up!



An interactive book club for grades 7-12.

Join us for our 6th year!!!