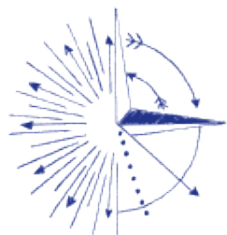




September 2024

All events are FREE and open to the public – no library card required!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 Closed for Labor Day	3 2:00 Daytime Book Group: <i>West with Giraffes</i> (A, R) 5:00 Percy Jackson D&D Adventure (T, R)	4 2:30 Storytime with Andy the Armadillo (F) 6:00 Crochet Club (F)	5 10:00 Matter of Balance (A, R) 2:00 Creative Play at The Family Place (F, R) 4:00 Notary Services (R) 5:00 Percy Jackson D&D Adventure (T, R) 6:45 Friends of EPL Meeting 7:00 Facebook Writing Prompts (F, O)	6	7 11:00 Block Party (F) 1:00 Drawing Caricatures with Alex Clare (R)
8 CLOSED	9 6:00 Career Coaching (A, O, R)	10 10:30 Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group (A, R)	11 2:30 Zoellner Arts Storytime (F) 6:00 Crochet Club (F)	12 2:00 US Rep. Wild's Mobile Office Hours 4:00 Notary Services (R) 6:00 Teen Writers Group (T)	13 10:30 Family Fun Storytime (F)	14
15 CLOSED	16	17 2:00 Creative Writing (A, R) 4:00 EPL Board Meeting 5:30 Movie Group: <i>Gosford Park</i> (A, R)	18 5:00 Find Your Ancestors (A, R) 6:00 Crochet Club (F)	19 4:00 Notary Services (R)	20	21 11:00 Primary Storytime with Miss Katey of Girl Scouts
22 CLOSED	23	24 1:00 Memoir Writing Group (A, O, R)	25 6:00 Crochet Club (F)	26 4:00 Notary Services (R) 6:30 Books 'n' Barks (F)	27	28
29 CLOSED	30		Programs Marked: (A) Adults (F) Family Event (O) Online Event (R) Reg. Required (T) Teens	Is the library open? - check our website - check our Facebook page - check WFMZ's Stormcenter		



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The library will be CLOSED Monday, September 2, for Labor Day. Have a safe and happy holiday!
It's National Library Card Sign-Up Month! Join the library today and explore all the great FREE resources available to you!

Adult Events

Libby Lessons.* RSVP to Lauri for help with Libby for eBooks and other digital collections. Bring your charged device and library card to your 30-minute appt. Days & times vary.

Notary Public Service.* Most Thursdays, 4 to 6 PM. The library offers free notary services, by appointment only, for residents of Emmaus and Macungie Boroughs, or Upper Milford Township. Call 610-965-9284 to make an appointment, indicating the type of notarization needed.

Daytime Book Group.* Tues. Sept. 3, 2 to 3 PM. Join us to discuss *West with Giraffes* by Lynda Rutledge. Some copies available to borrow when you sign up.

A Matter of Balance Fall Prevention Program (Full; wait-list only).* 8 Thursdays, July 11 to Sept. 5 (no session 7/25), 10 AM to noon. Do you have concerns about falling? *A Matter of Balance*, offered in conjunction with Allentown Health Bureau, helps older adults reduce their fears of falling by learning to view falls as controllable, reducing fall risks at home, and increasing strength, balance, and activity levels. The series consists of eight 2-hour sessions.

Career Coaching.* Mon. Sept. 9 @ 6 and 6:30 PM. Get help improving your resume and cover letter or get expert interviewing tips from Bill Miner, Apprenticeship and Training Representative with PA Dept. of Labor & Industry. Have your relevant career documents available for your 30-minute, one-on-one coaching video conference.

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group. Tues. Sept. 10, 10:30 AM to noon. Join the Alzheimer's Association and South Mountain Memory Care at the library to learn more about caring for someone with Alzheimer's and expand your network of support. Call 610-965-7662 or email csteele@southmountainmemorycare.com to attend.

U.S. Representative Susan Wild's Mobile Office Hours. Thurs. Sept. 12, 2 to 5 PM. A representative from Rep. Wild's office will be available for drop-in, mobile office hours to answer questions, address concerns, and provide other constituent services. Rep. Wild's office can be reached at 484-781-6000.

Creative Writing Group.* Tues. Sept. 17, 2-3:30 PM. Join us for in-person creative writing with Pat Johnson, a long-time creative writer. The group welcomes those who want to write creatively for fun and/or publication.

Movie Group. Tues. Sept. 17, 5:30 to 6:30 PM. Join us for an in-depth analysis of *Gosford Park*. Ideas and open discussion are encouraged. Refreshments will be provided. RSVP to Ciro at epilstaff@cliu.org, by calling 610-965-9284, or at the front desk.

Find Your Ancestors.* Weds. Sept. 18, 5 to 7 PM. Sign up for a 30-min. session with Chris for assistance uncovering your family tree and using Ancestry.com.

Memoir Writing Group.* Tues. Sept. 24, 1 to 2:30 PM. Join author Jerry Waxler and others on a Zoom video conference to write about your life.

*Please call 610-965-9284 to RSVP, or send Adult event RSVPs by email to Lauri at eplicollection@cliu.org and Kids & Teens event RSVPs by email to Miss Sue at epikids@cliu.org.

**Please note this film may contain material not suitable for all ages. Use the rating as a guide.

Family, Children's & Teen Events

Percy Jackson D&D Adventure!* Tuesday & Thursday Sept. 3 & 5, 5 to 6:30 PM. Ellie K. will present a Percy Jackson inspired D&D (Dungeons & Dragons) game as her Gold Star Project for Girl Scouts. This game will encourage working together toward a common goal, game theory and probability, and will be all around fun! Limited to 10 teens, 6th-12th grade. Registration required.

Storytime with Andy the Armadillo. Weds. Sept. 4, 2:30 to 3 PM. The Texas Roadhouse Mascot, Andy the Armadillo, will read to kids of all ages. Drop in.

Crochet Club. Wednesdays, 6 to 7:30 PM. Drop in for our weekly crochet club! All skill levels and beginners are welcome. Bring your current crochet project or get started with advice from more experienced crocheters.

Creative Play at The Family Place.* Thursdays Aug. 8 – Sept. 5, 2 to 3:30 PM. Creative play for children ages 1-3 and their adults! Siblings may also join. Over five weeks, we'll have a community resource share info and answer questions: (Aug. 15: Larissa Noto of *The Lovely Little Lotus*; Aug. 22: Heather Kistler, RD, CSP, LDN, Pediatric & Neonatal Clinical Dietitian, Sodexo Clinical Nutrition Department, Lehigh Valley Reilly Children's Hospital.) Limited to 15 families.

Facebook Writing Prompts. Thurs. Sept. 5, 7 to 8:30 PM. Join us on FB (@emmauspl.org) for a new prompt every 15 minutes. Write about each one or save them for later. Share your work or keep it private -- it's your choice at this all-ages online event!

Block Party. Sat. Sept. 7, 11 AM to noon. For all little builders of preschool and elementary ages and their caretakers. Miss Sue will open the block cabinet in the Children's wing and we will make amazing things together.

Drawing Caricatures with Alex Clare* Sat. Sept. 7, 1 to 3 PM. For 3rd grade and up. If you're interested in drawing caricatures and want to learn the basics of live drawing and cartooning, then this event is for you! You'll get a crash course in traditional caricature art, and learn the importance of line weight and simplification when cartooning. Drop-ins are also welcome. Limited to 16. Walk-ins also welcome if there's room.

Zoellner Arts Storytime. Weds. Sept. 11, 2:30 to 3 PM. Zoellner Arts presents a storytime highlighting the Zoellner Arts Center children's presentation for that month. All ages. Drop in.

Teen Writers Group. Thurs. Sept. 12, 6 to 7:30 PM. For teens in 6th grade and older. Join Miss Sue to write from new prompts and talk about writing. Drop in.

Family Fun Storytime. Fri. Sept. 13, 10:30 to 11 AM. Fridays are for fun! Join Miss Lisa for a storytime filled with stories, rhymes, and songs. Best suited for ages 2-6, but all ages welcome. Drop in.

Primary Storytime.* Sat. Sept. 21, 10:30 to 11 AM. Ms. Katey from the Girl Scouts of Eastern PA will be joining us for a Primary aged storytime – for Kindergarten through 3rd grade! Join us and learn more about scouting and what fun you can have as a Girl Scout! Registration suggested, but drop-ins also welcome.

Books 'n' Barks. Thurs. Sept. 26, 6:30 to 7:30 PM. Come and read to the LV Therapy Dogs! Bring your own books or choose one from the library. All ages. Drop in.

