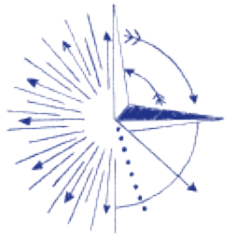




# April 2025

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

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 <b>2:00</b> Daytime Book Group: <i>The Only Woman in the Room</i> (A, R)	2 <b>10:30</b> Spring Storytime (F) <b>2:30</b> Let's Poet! Writing Workshop (F, T)	3 <b>10:00</b> A Matter of Balance (A, R) <b>4:00</b> Notary Services (R) <b>6:00</b> Facebook Writing Prompts (F, O) <b>6:30</b> Friends of EPL Meeting	4	5 <b>11:00</b> Block Party (F) <b>2:00</b> College Admissions Workshop (A, T, R)
6 CLOSED	7 <b>6:00</b> Pinterest Party: Bunny Candleholders (F, R)	8 <b>10:30</b> Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group (A, R) <b>6:45</b> Evening Book Group: <i>A Visit from the Goon Squad</i> (A, R)	9 <b>10:30</b> Spring Storytime (F) <b>6:00</b> Crochet Club (F)	10 <b>10:00</b> A Matter of Balance (A, R) <b>4:00</b> Notary Services (R) <b>6:00</b> Teen Writers Group (T)	11 <b>3:00</b> Let's Make Bookmarks! (F)	12
<b>N A T I O N A L L I B R A R Y W E E K -- A P R I L 6 – 12</b>						
13 CLOSED	14	15 <b>2:00</b> Creative Writing (A, R) <b>4:00</b> EPL Board Meeting <b>5:30</b> Movie Group: <i>The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent</i> (A, R)	16 <b>10:30</b> Spring Storytime (F) <b>5:00</b> Find Your Ancestors (A, R) <b>6:00</b> Crochet Club (F)	17 <b>10:00</b> A Matter of Balance (A, R) <b>4:00</b> Notary Services (R)	18	19
20 CLOSED	21	22 <b>1:00</b> Memoir Writing (A, R)	23 <b>10:30</b> Spring Storytime (F) <b>6:00</b> Crochet Club (F)	24 <b>10:00</b> A Matter of Balance (A, R) <b>4:00</b> Notary Services (R) <b>6:30</b> Books 'n' Barks (F)	25 <b>6 – 8 PM</b> <b>Friends of EPL</b> <b>Annual Spring</b> <b>USED BOOK SALE</b>	26 <b>8 AM – 3 PM</b> <b>Friends of EPL</b> <b>Annual Spring</b> <b>USED BOOK SALE</b>
27 CLOSED	28	29	30 <b>10:30</b> Spring Storytime (F) <b>6:00</b> Crochet Club (F)		<b>Programs Marked:</b> <b>(A) Adults</b> <b>(F) Family Event</b> <b>(O) Online Event</b> <b>(R) Reg. Required</b> <b>(T) Teens</b>	<b>Is the library open?</b> - check our website - check Facebook: @emmauspl.org - check WFMZ's Stormcenter



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## April 2025 – All events are FREE and open to the public.

Celebrate National Library Week April 6-12 and stop by to make your own unique bookmark on April 11 (see below)

Shop the Friends of EPL Annual Spring Used Book Sale April 25 & 26 at the library (see below)

### Adult Events

**Libby Lessons.\*** RSVP for help with Libby for eBooks and digital collections. Bring your charged device and library card to your 30-minute appointment. 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 schedule, indicating the type of notarization needed.

**Daytime Book Group.\*** Tues. April 1, 2 to 3 PM. Join us to discuss *The Only Woman in the Room* by Marie Benedict. Some copies available to borrow at the desk when you sign up.

**A Matter of Balance Fall-Prevention Program.\*** 8 Thursdays, March 13 to May 1, 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. The program will also set goals for increasing activity levels, encourage small changes to reduce fall risks at home, and demonstrate ways to exercise to increase strength and balance. The series consists of eight 2-hour sessions; you are required to sign up for the full series.

**Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group.** Tues. April 8, 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](mailto:csteele@southmountainmemorycare.com) to attend.

**Evening Book Group.\*** Tues. April 8, 6:45 to 7:45 PM. Join us to discuss *A Visit from the Goon Squad* by Jennifer Egan. Some copies available to borrow at the desk when you sign up.

**Creative Writing Group.\*** Tues. April 15, 2 to 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. April 15, 5:30 to 6:30 PM. Join us for an in-depth analysis of *The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent*. Ideas and open discussion encouraged. Refreshments will be provided. RSVP to Ciro at [eplstaff@cliu.org](mailto:eplstaff@cliu.org), 610-965-9284, or at the front desk.

**Find Your Ancestors.\*** Weds. April 16, 5 to 7 PM. Sign up for a 30-min. session with Chris for assistance with uncovering your family tree and using Ancestry.com.

**Memoir Writing Group.\*** Tues. April 21, 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 Christine at [eplcollection@cliu.org](mailto:eplcollection@cliu.org) and Kids & Teens event RSVPs by email to Miss Sue [eplkids@cliu.org](mailto:eplkids@cliu.org).

### Family, Children's & Teen Events

**Storytime for All Ages.** Wednesdays April 2–May 28, 10:30 to 11 AM. Join Miss Sue in the lecture room for spring seasonal fun with stories, songs, and art! Drop in.

**Let's Poet! Writing Workshop.** Weds. April 2 @ 2:30 to 3 PM. April is National Poetry Month! EPL loves poetry, and we're happy to help all would-be poets to try some new and easier forms of writing. And, it doesn't even have to rhyme! Join us at the STEM table ready to write.

**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.

**Facebook Writing Prompts.** Thurs. April 3, 6 to 7:30 PM. Join us on Facebook (@emmauspl.org) for a new prompt every 15 minutes. Write about each one in real time or save them for later. Share your work or keep it private. The choices are yours at this all-ages online event.

**Block Party.** Sat. April 5, 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.

**College Admissions Workshop.\*** Sat. April 5, 2 to 3 PM. Allison Berger of Limitless Paths will present a free college admissions workshop for parents of high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors (students also welcome). Topics include the admissions process, financial aid and scholarships, timelines, and deadlines.

**Pinterest Party.** Mon. April 7, 6 to 7 PM. Join us to make some cute bunny candleholders from wine glasses. **Registration now required!** Call 610-965-9284, sign up at the front desk, or email [nritter@emmauspl.org](mailto:nritter@emmauspl.org). Limit of 24. Adult supervision is required for children.

**Teen Writers Group.** Thurs. April 10, 6 to 7:30 PM. For teens in 6<sup>th</sup> grade and older. Join Miss Sue to write from new prompts and talk about the process of writing.

**Let's Make Bookmarks!** Fri. April 11, 3 to 3:30 PM. It's National Library Week! Come and meet us at the STEM table and celebrate the joy of reading by making the PERFECT bookmark! All ages.

**Books 'n' Barks.** Thurs. April 24, 6:30 to 7:30 PM. Come on over and read to the Lehigh Valley Therapy Dogs! No registration needed; just drop in. Bring your own books or choose one from the library.

### FRIENDS OF EPL ANNUAL USED BOOK SALE at the Library!

Friday, April 25, 6 – 8 PM

Members-Only Preview Sale -- join at the door for \$10

Saturday, April 26, 8 AM – 3 PM

(2-3 PM – \$5 Brown-Bag Blowout)

Cash & Checks

