



January 2023 – All Events are FREE and open to the public.

Please help us to stay safe, healthy and open by continuing to follow all health guidelines and library policies.

The Library will be CLOSED Monday, Jan. 2.

No physical holds expire and no physical items are due when the library is closed. You can use any LCLC book drop for returns. Have a safe & happy holiday!

Adult Events

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

Daytime Book Group.** Tues. Jan. 3 @ 2 PM. Join us to discuss *In the Midst of Winter* by Isabel Allende. Some copies available to borrow at the front desk.

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

Zoom Video Conferencing Basics*. Mon. Jan. 9 @ 11AM. Join us for a free in-person computer workshop that includes a PowerPoint, learner handout, activity sheet, and certificate of completion. Bring your charged device with you if you have one.

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group.** Tues. Jan. 10 @ 10:30 AM. Presented by Alzheimer's Association Delaware Valley Chapter and hosted by Devon House Senior Living, and facilitated by Laura Crossan, CDP. Register at 610-967-1100 or email lcrossan@devonhouseseniorliving.com. Visit www.alz.org/delval to learn more about caregiver programs and resources.

Evening Book Group.** Tues. Jan. 10 @ 6:45 PM. Join us to discuss *My Brilliant Career* by Miles Franklin. Some copies available to borrow at the front desk or purchase it from Let's Play Books Bookstore in Emmaus.

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

Creative Writing Group.** Tues. Jan. 17 @ 1 PM. Join us for an in-person creative writing group with Pat Johnson, a long-time creative writer. The group welcomes all those who want to write creatively for fun and/or publication.

Find Your Ancestors.** Weds. Jan. 18 @ 5 PM. Sign up in advance for a 30-minute appointment with Chris to get in-person assistance uncovering your family tree and insight using Ancestry.com.

iOS Tablet Basics*. Mon. Jan. 23 @ 11AM. Join us for a free in-person computer workshop that includes a PowerPoint, learner handout, activity sheet, and certificate of completion. Bring your charged device with you if you have one.

Memoir Writing Group.** Tues. Jan. 24 @ 1 PM. Join author Jerry Waxler and others on a ZOOM videoconference to write about your life.

Family, Kid & Teen Events

Storytime For All. Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM. Readers of all ages are invited to join Miss Sue with their adults for fun stories, singing, & crafts.

Crochet Club. Wednesdays @ 6 PM. Drop in for our weekly crocheting club! All skill levels are encouraged to join in. Bring your current crochet project or get started with advice from more experienced crocheters.

Zoom Storytime.** Thursdays @ 1PM. Virtual stories for all ages with Miss Sue - registration required for the link to join.

Facebook Writing Prompts. Thurs. Jan. 5 @ 7 PM. Join us on Facebook 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 in this all-ages online event.

First Friday Scavenger Hunt. All Day. Fri. Jan. 6. Hunt on your own or with a team to find winter clues around the library to earn a small prize.

First Friday Movie Matinee: DC League of Super-Pets. Fri. Jan. 6 @ Noon. Join us for a free screening of *DC League of Super-Pets* (2022, PG, 1h45m) Krypto the Super-Dog and Superman are inseparable best friends, fighting crime side by side in Metropolis. However, Krypto must master his own powers for a rescue mission when Superman is kidnapped. Please note that this film may contain material not suitable for all ages. Children under 12 require adult supervision.

Block Party. Sat. Jan. 7 @ 11 AM. For all little builders of preschool and elementary ages and their care-takers. Miss Sue will open the block cabinet in the children's wing and we will make amazing things together.

Pinterest Party: Cookie-Cutter Candles*. Mon. Jan. 9 @ 6 PM. Doesn't January feel a little dreary and dark after the holiday season? Light up your life by making some cookie-cutter candles with us! Your choice of cookie cutter shapes. Supplies provided for the first 30 participants. First come, first served. Adult supervision required.

Teen Writers Group. Thurs. Jan. 12 @ 6 PM. For teen writers in 6th grade and older. Join Miss Sue to write from new prompts and talk about the process of writing.

Pajama Day. All Day. Sat. Jan. 14. Wear your jammies and bring your stuffie – It's PJ Day at the Library.

Books 'n' Barks. Thurs. Jan. 26 @ 6:30 PM. Books 'n' Barks is back! Read to the Lehigh Valley Therapy Dogs – no registration needed – bring your own books or choose one from the library.

Game Night. Mon. Jan. 30 @ 6:30 PM. Let's play! Choose from our selection of card and board games or bring your own. All are welcome. No registration necessary.

Family Place Parenting Workshops.** Tues. Jan. 31 @ 10:30AM. A weekly workshop series for families with children under the age of 6 - limited to 15 families. Each week will feature a new facet of learning with a community partner. Sign up in advance for one or every session.

* This Digital Literacy Workshop is brought to you through a grant provided by AT&T and PLA. Looking for more self-paced learning? Check out digitalllearn.org

** Please call 610-965-9284 for RSVPs or send Adult Event RSVPs by email to Lauri at eplcollection@cliu.org and Kids & Teens Event RSVPs by email to Miss Sue eplkids@cliu.org.