

BEHIND THE BOOK CASE OF THE FRANKLIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

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BOOK CLUBS

Franklin Public Library hosts two different book clubs a month. Join one or join both! Read what you want, come when you can! The book lists are available at the circulation desk or on our website:

<http://www.franklinlibrary.org/blog/services/bookclubs/>

Bookmarkers Book Club will meet on Tuesday, July 10, from noon to 1:15 pm to discuss The Handmaid's Tale by Margaret Atwood. The selection for August will be I Am Malala by Malala Yousafzai.

The **Thursday Evening Book Club** will meet on Thursday, July 19 from 6:45 - 8:00 pm to discuss The One In a Million Boy by Monica Wood. The selection for August will be One Hundred Years of Solitude by Gabriel Garcia Marquez.

A limited number of copies of the books are available at the library. All programs are free and open to any adult. New members are always welcome.

TALKING ABOUT HERBS

Talking About Herbs will be held at noon - 1:00 pm on Thursday, July 26 at the library. Bring your lunch and your questions to this group of folks who are interested in learning and sharing knowledge about herbs and their use in cooking and wellness. This month's discussion will feature Sonja Hunt who will present a powerpoint about the past, present, and future of GMO foods. This program is free and the public is invited. New members are welcome. Pre-registration is not required.

SUMMER QUEST

Summer Quest which was previously known as the Summer Reading Program is open to all ages and abilities. Children, teens, and adults are invited to participate in many fun, engaging, and educational events throughout the summer following this year's theme of "Library's Rock!"

ADULTS:

Outside the Box, Inside the Lines is an adult coloring group that will meet bi-weekly on Thursday, July 5 and 19 from 6:30-7:30 pm. Get in touch with your inner minimalist, and color your way to calm. Trendy, relaxing, and definitively old-school. All supplies are provided.

Family Karaoke Night will be held on Wednesday, July 18, from 5:00-7:00 pm. This is open to all ages to Lip Sync, Karaoke, or Just Dance fun!!!

BOOK TALK

"Scone by Scone ...Tales From an Innkeeper's Life" is the story of author Deedie Runkel and her husband David. Join them as they delve into the stories of their lives that made for an entertaining book! Copies will be available for check out at the library prior to the book talk! It will be held on Monday, July 30, at 3:00 pm.

GED CLASSES

GED classes will resume July 9. This term continues until August 24. Contact the library for more information.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The **Friends of the Library** will meet on Tuesday, July 10, at 6:30 pm at the library for their monthly meeting. All members as well as those who are interested in becoming members are welcome to attend. Thank you again to everyone who helped to make our annual Quiltathon a smashing success!! Together we raised over \$2400 for the library and its services! Helpers are needed for each event. Contact us by leaving a message at the circ desk, emailing us at fol.franklin@gmail.com, or messaging us at www.facebook.com/franklinfirends. Thank you!

SUMMER 50/50 RAFFLE

The **Summer 50/50 Raffle** will be available to purchase tickets until the drawing on August 10, 2018. Each ticket is \$1.00 and the winner and the Friends of the Library will each receive half of the proceeds. The Friends will use their proceeds to help the library. You do not have to be present to win.

*Programs are free of charge, and open to all, regardless of where participants live. Please call the library at 814-432-5062 to register, so that we can know how many to expect. A library card is **NOT** required.*

CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

The Franklin Public Library will be closed Wednesday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day. Have a safe and happy holiday,



JULY HAPPENINGS IN THE JUNIOR ROOM

STORY TIMES

Story Times are Tuesdays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31.

Mommy and Me (10:30 am - 11:00 am) for children birth to age 3 with a parent or caregiver will feature short picture books, songs, and nursery rhymes.

Busy Bees (11:15 am - 12:00 noon) is for children ages 3 to 6 with a parent or caregiver and will include stories, songs, and crafts designed for preschool children. Pre registration is encouraged.

SUMMER QUEST

CHILDREN:

Milk and Cookies Summer Quest Book Club will be held Monday, July 16 and 30 from 10:30-11:30 am. This is for ages 7-12. The group will discuss a book that is either fantasy or dinosaur themed on July 16 and you can discuss your favorite book on July 30 while enjoying milk and cookies! (Milk substitute available).

Family Movie Matinee will be held Monday, July 16, showing "The Good Dinosaur" and July 30, showing "Peter Rabbit" from 1:00-2:50 pm. Popcorn and A/C for all ages! No registration is necessary.

Mystery Box Building Challenge will be held Monday, July 23 from 3:30-4:30. Are you up for the challenge? Come join us. You can build whatever you choose using materials from a mystery box.

SUMMER QUEST CON'T.

CHILDREN:

SummerQuest STEM

Wednesdays will be held as follows:

July 11 - 10:30-12:00 - Enjoy the sounds of string instruments...make a guitar! Please bring a cereal box with you since our supplies are limited (too many donut eaters at the library!)

July 18 - 10:30-12 - Dig into Rocks and make a dinosaur fossil! (Please bring a shoe box, our supplies are limited)

July 25 - 11:00 am -12 - Slime Lab with a Rock Star twist

TEEN ANIME

The **Teen Anime Club** is a club for teens ages 13 through 18 to come and enjoy cartoons from the amazing culture of Japan. This program will be held on Tuesday, July 10, (NO ANIME ON JULY 31) from 4:00 to 5:00 pm. We will watch an Anime (Japanese animate cartoons), hold roundtable discussions, play Japanese games, and learn a Japanese word of the day! This program will be held the second and last Tuesday of each month. Pre-registration is required and a parent must be present to sign the registration form for first time attendees.

THUNDER

Thunder, a group for teens ages 13-18, will **NOT** be held this summer. See you in the fall.

All programs are free. We reserve the right to cancel any session for lack of registration.

All families are welcome to participate in these programs regardless of residence.

SUMMER QUEST

TEENS:

Teen Book Club will be held on Wednesday, July 11, from 3:00-4:30 pm. We will be discussing "Summer Wars" by Mamoru Hosoda.

The 5th Annual ComicCon will be held on Saturday, July 21, from noon—2:00 pm. This year we are diving into the deep world of fantasy. Wear your best cloaks and fairy wings! Costume and Trivia contests are open for ages 0-18! Fun and games with a Narnia Wardrobe photo booth along with treats to enjoy. Come and enjoy the magic!!!

Animemarathon will be held on Wednesday, July 25, from 10:30 am - 7:30 pm! Come and binge watch your favorite Anime shows and movies! Wear your favorite pjs and bring pillows and some snacks for the long haul. This event is open to ages 13-18, or anyone who is age 12 as long as they have parental permission to watch. (NOTE: This will count as one of the 2 Anime Club meetings for the month.

Harry Potter Birthday Bash will be held on Tuesday, July 31, from 5:30-6:30 pm. All fans of all ages can come and celebrate our favorite Boy Wizard and the lady who wrote him. There will be cake and a trivia contest.

CONGRATULATIONS WINNERS!!

The Advisory Board sponsored a Basket Raffle during the week of Blues & BBQ. The following are the winners:

Jill Calderone - Make Up Basket
Dolly McMahan - Golf Basket
Sherry Wiand - Lottery Ticket Board
David Lenhart - Car Wash Basket
Rhonda Best - Family Board Game Basket
Casey Hutchinson - Relaxing Afternoon Basket
Heather Baker - Chocolate Basket
Marge Astorino -Board Book Basket
Marge Astorino - Wine Basket
John Reagle - Children's Fun Basket
Alicia Kaufman - Pasta Basket
Pat Maxwell - BBQ & Grill Basket

THANK YOU

Thank you to the following donors who helped make the Basket Raffle possible:

The Friends of the Franklin Public Library
The Friends of the Oil City Library
Franklin Blues and BBQ festival chairs
Anne and Clare Bakker
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Thanks to all who participated, the Basket Raffle raised \$1,247 for new public computers for the library.

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday - Thursday
10:00 am - 8:00 pm
Monday, Friday, & Saturday
10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Closed Sundays

PENNSYLVANIA ROOM HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
Noon - 5:00 pm
(Call ahead to be sure the room is open)

ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Adult volunteers are needed at the library for various activities. They are required to get clearances because children may be involved. The fees for these clearances are waived for non-profit entities such as the library. In addition to activity helpers, the library needs regular volunteers to shelve books, assist with youngster programs, or work on other projects for a few hours each week. There is a volunteer form available at the circulation desk to fill out. If you have any questions, please call 432-5062 or visit www.franklinlibrary.org.

CAREER LINK PRESENTS

Career Link Presents Basic Computer Skills on Monday, August 13, beginning at 10:30 am. This course will teach you to navigate your way through basic systems, including desk top environment, internet searching, emailing, and Microsoft word. Please call to register. Space is limited.

RECENT MEMORIALS

The following memorials were placed in the Franklin Public Library in memory of:

John Breene - Donation for Summer Quest 2018 (Summer Reading Program) Given by Phyllis Weltner; Donation for Summer Quest 2018 - Given by Judith Stavola
Dorothy Lerch - Choir of Angels (Macomber) & Twenty Wishes (Macomber) - Given by Sue Lerch
2nd Lt. Zachariah R. Miller - Warning Light (Riccardi) - Given by Keith and Rosalyn Miller, Nate, Chantel Brielle, and Clark Miller
Marjorie Sheffer - The Forgotten Road (Evans) - Given by Karen Proper

CRITTER MCCOOL COLLECTION

The Critter McCool Collection - Donated by Eric McCool, crittermccool@gmail.com
This collection is comprised of many beautiful books of animal themes.

PENNDOT RECRUITMENT

PennDot will have a recruitment board at the library July 9-14 during library hours. This display will provide hand outs of upcoming PennDot job opportunities.

ORLA MISSION

To engage our community, enhance literacy, promote life long learning, and preserve our local culture through resources and programming.

LOOKING AHEAD

(1) Fall Used Book Sale - dates will be announced— donations accepted any time the library is open
(2) Fall Raffle of American Girl Doll Tickets available September 17 to November 17
(3) Cookie Walk during Light Up Night - November 17 - Noon-4:00 pm