



# 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, May 14, from noon to 1:15 pm to discuss One Thousand White Women by Jim Fergus. The selection for June will be The Radium Girls: The Dark Story of America's Shining Women by Kate Moore.

The **Thursday Evening Book Club** will meet on Thursday, May 16, from 6:45 - 8:00 pm to discuss The Rent Collector by Camron Wright. The selection for June will be The Radium Girls: The Dark Story of America's Shining Women by Kate Moore.

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.

## BOOKMARKS

Did you know that there are two kinds of bookmarks available at the circulation desk at the library? Friends of the Library has large and small magnetic book marks available for purchase. All proceeds benefit the library.

## DONATIONS APPRECIATED

The Franklin Public Library will accept donations for our Used Book Sale, monetary donations for library programs, and especially stamps. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

## TALKING ABOUT HERBS

**Talking About Herbs** will be held at noon - 1:00 pm on Thursday, May 30, 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 program is free and new members are welcome. No registration is necessary.

## ADULT COLORING

**Outside the Box, Inside the Lines** is an adult coloring group that will meet bi-weekly on Thursdays. Color your way to calm. All supplies are provided. We will meet Thursdays, May 9 and 23 from 6:30-7:30 pm.

## BOOKS N MORE SALE

The **Books N More Sale** will continue at the Gems Building (on Rt.8 opposite Giant Eagle) on Wednesday, May 1, Friday, May 3, Saturday, May 4, Sunday, May 5, and Monday, May 6. The sale will be open everyday from 10:00 am-8:00 pm and on Sundays from noon - 4:00 pm. Come see the large selection of books, CD's, DVD's, L.P.'s, tapes, VHS, magazines, and audio books.

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The **Friends of the Library** will meet on Tuesday May 14, from 6:30 to 8:00 pm at the library for their monthly meeting. All current members of the Friends of the Library are invited as well as those from the community who are interested in becoming a member. This amazing core group plan, organize, and fundraise all year long.

*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.*

## CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

The Franklin Public Library will be closed Saturday, May 25, and Monday, May 27, in observance of Memorial Day.



## MAY HAPPENINGS IN THE JUNIOR ROOM

### MAKERSPACE

**Makerspace Monday** will be held on Monday, May 13, from 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm. This is a program for kids ages 8-12 who enjoy making stuff, crafting, and experimenting. Come meet new friends, enjoy snacks, and create new things. This month we will be using perler beads. The program is held the 2nd. Monday of each month. Registration is required.

### PLAYGROUPOUP

**Playgroup** is for ages birth to 8 years old. This is a great chance for both children and parents to make new friends! Come meet, play, and connect. We will meet in the junior room on Tuesdays, May 7, 14, 21, and 28 from 10: am-12:30 pm. Wiggly Worm and Busy Bee Storytime will resume in June.

### CRAFTING WITH MISS TERRIE

**Crafting With Miss Terrie** is for ages 7-12 year olds. We will be meeting every third Wednesday of the month from 5:30-6:30 pm. This month we will meet on Wednesday, May 15 at the library to make Wire Art. All supplies to complete crafts are provided. Keep watching for a sample coming soon in the lobby display case. Please note: We will be using paper/fabric scissors, acrylic paint, hot glue guns, hammer/nails, and needle/thread to complete the projects. Please call and register your child since the class is limited to 10.

### 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 Tuesdays, May 14 and 28, from 4:00 to 5:00 pm. We will watch an Anime (Japanese animated 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.

### T.I.T.A.N.

**T.I.T.A.N. (Teens Into Taking Action Now)**, a group for teens ages 13-18, will meet Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29, from 3:00-6:00 pm. Time is being dedicated to brainstorm and plan a teen specific space at the library. T.I.T.A.N. has been awarded a grant through Keystone SMILES Youth Philanthropy Mini-Grant Project and we are calling on **ALL VENANGO TEENS** for input and help!

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

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

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to **Diane Jackson**, the winner of the Spring Raffle sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

### QUILTATHON

Tickets are still being sold for the "I Spy" quilt made by Sherry Bastecki and the "Geometric Fish" quilt made by Bobbie Watkins and her daughter. Each chance is \$5.00 or 5 for \$20.00 to be eligible to win one of the quilts. The drawing will be held Monday, May 6, at 4:00 pm.



## ORLA BOARD MEETING

The **ORLA Board Meeting** will meet on Wednesday, May 15, at the Oil City Library from 3:30-4:30 pm.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed at the library for various activities. They are required to get clearances because children may be involved. The fees for these are waived for non-profit entities such as the library. In addition helpers are needed for each event. Contact the library if interested at the circulation desk, emailing us at fol.franklin@gmail.com, or messaging us on facebook at www.facebook.com/franklinfriends.

## CAREERLINK WORKSHOPS

### **Stress Management**

**Workshop** will be held Thursday, May 9, beginning at 1:00 pm. Learn short term and long-term techniques to deal with stress, create more peaceful environments, and calm your life.

**Basic Computer Skills** will be held Thursday, June 6 beginning at 10:30 am. Almost all workplaces require some computer skills. Learn to confidently navigate your way through basic systems, including the desktop environment, internet searching, emailing, and Microsoft word.

**ResCare Academy** will be held Thursday, July 11 beginning at 10:30 am. Get signed up for a FREE account that offers thousands of online Career-Enhancement courses. Learn how to navigate this site and take courses at your own pace to enhance your professional development.

## LIBRARY HOURS

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

## PENNSYLVANIA ROOM HOURS

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

## ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES

**Adult Education Classes** meet Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 5:30-7:30 pm. All classes are provided at no cost to students. For more information or to register call 1-800-461-6711.

## USED BOOKS N MORE SALE

Thank you so very much to all the volunteers and customers of the Venango County Book Sale, ongoing on Rt 8 at the GEMS Building across from Giant Eagle. All your participation is very much appreciated.

## THANK YOU QUILTERS

Our Quiltathon was another success. Thank you to everyone who came out to quilt and especially those who got sponsors. The winners of the quilts will be notified after the drawing on May 6.

## RECENT MEMORIALS

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

**Jack L. Eakin** - Brady's Civil War (Garrison), Battles of the Civil War (Johnson & McLaughlin), The Civil War - A Visual History (Parragon), Old West - The Soldiers (Time-Life), and The Perfect Life of Hunters (Joly) - Given by Frances Eakin

**Barry Harrison** - Monetary donation by Franklin High School Class of 1961

**Jenna Lee Knight** - Love Song of the Little Bear (Brown) - Given by Darlene Knight

**Ethel Warren** - A Novel Murder (Penny), Bitter Words (Fields) - Given by Irene Flook



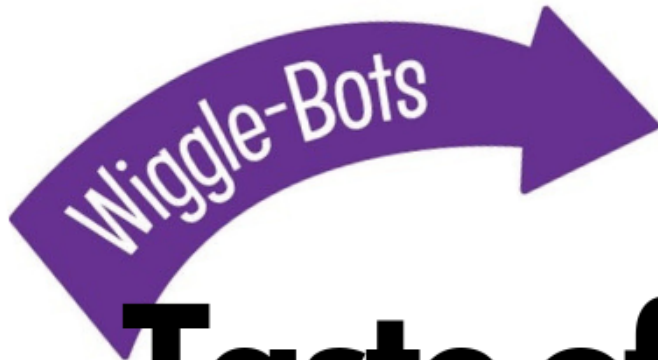
## IN HONOR OF

The following was given in honor of:  
**Bernie & Joe Findlan** - Call It Courage (Sperry) - Given by Marie A. Kickler

**Barry Jackson** - Mary Poppins (Travers) - Given by Marie A. Kickler

## ORLA MISSION

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



# Taste of Robotics

**Children and Teens (ages 10-14) are invited to a week-long immersion in robotics! Learn to code, program, and create your own robot. Parents and the Public are welcome to view the completed projects on Friday June 14th!**

**When: June 10-14**

**Time: 10-12 pm**

**Who: Ages 10-14**

**Where: Franklin Public Library**

**Led by Laura Jones!**

**Sign up today! Space is limited to 14 participants.**

