CALENDAR OF EVENTS

















June, July & August 2024

FOR KIDS

DROP-IN LEGO PLAYTIME

Saturdays, June 1-August 31, 1-4:30 pm

Open to all ages. Registration required.

Drop by the children's area to make your own LEGO creations. Ask for LEGOs at the front desk.

TEENS

TEEN BOARD GAME AND PIZZA AFTERNOONS

Saturdays, June 8, 22, July 6, August 3, 2-4:45 pm

Open to children aged 10 & older. Registration required. Enjoy an afternoon of pizza & a variety of exciting board games.

HARRY POTTER BINGO *

Wednesday, July 31, 6-8 pm, 10:30 am

Open to teens & adults. Registration required. It's a Harry Potter-themed bingo with chances to win prizes. Light refreshments provided.

FOR ADULTS

MEDICARE WITH CONFIDENCE

Wednesday, June 5, 2 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Get educated on Medicare basics, important terminology, enrollment periods, plan types available and cost assistance.

ADULT BOARD GAME NIGHT

Wednesdays, June 5, 19, July 3, 17, August 14, 21, 5:30-8 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Play a variety of exciting board games, socialize & have fun.

RUTGERS MASTER GARDEN CLASSES

Saturday, June 8, 10 am: COMPANION PLANTING

Saturday, July 13, 10 am: MIDSUMMER PLANTING FOR FALL

HARVEST

Saturday, August 3, 10 am: CREATING A WILDLIFE HABITAT

Open to adults. Registration required.

Rutgers Master Gardeners share their tricks & tips for garden success.

COLORFUL CONVERSATIONS *

Mondays, June 10, August 12, 2:30-4:30 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Enjoy adult coloring pages and conversation, with light refreshments.

TEN THOUSAND GATES ZEN

Wednesday, June 12, 7 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Join us to learn various types of meditation.

Please wear loose, comfortable, clothing and bring a cushion or pillow.

EHT BOOK CLUB

Thursday, June 13, 6:30 pm: The Wager: A Tale of Shipwreck, Mutiny, and Murder by David Grann

Open to adults & teens. Registration requested.

Enjoy lively discussions with fellow book lovers.

YOGA AT THE LIBRARY

Saturdays, June 15, 29, July 27, August 10, 24, 10 am

Open to adults. Registration required.

Gain strength & flexibility while finding balance & reducing stress.

All levels welcome, please bring a mat.

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COLONIAL MILLS OF ENGLISH CREEK TALK

Tuesday, June 18, 6-8 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Norman Goos, from the Atlantic County Historical Society, hosts a presentation on the Colonial Mills of English Creek.

GRIM READERS BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, June 25, 6:30 pm: All Good People Here by Ashley Flowers Tuesday, July 30, 6:30 pm: Bright Young Women by Jessica Knoll Tuesday, August 27, 6:30 pm: The Cloisters by Katy Hays

Open to adults. Registration required.

Explore dark fiction, thrillers, mysteries, science fiction & horror.

KEEP THIS TOSS THAT

Thursday, July 11, 3-4:30 pm

Open to adults. Registration required. Learn how to declutter and simplify space.

DIAMOND PAINTING *

Saturday, July 20, 11 am-1 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Discover the joy and stress-relieving benefits of this craft.

NAVIGATING SENIOR LIVING

Tuesday, August 13, 3 pm

Open to adults. Registration required.

Learn the key items to look for when choosing a retirement or healthcare community.

RECYCLED BOOK ART

Saturday, August 17, 2:30-4 pm

Open to adults & teens. Registration required. Upcycle old & damaged books to make funky book art.

FOR all

YARNBENDERS CROCHET AND KNITTING CLUB

Tuesdays, June 4-August 27, 5-7 pm

Open to ages 9 & older. Registration required.

Enjoy crafting with friendly folk. All skill levels welcome.

PUZZLE MANIA

August 12-31

Open to all ages.

Help fit a few pieces into one of our age-appropriate puzzles.

SUMMER READING PROGRAMS ADVENTURE BEGINS AT YOUR LIBRARY

FOR KIDS

KIDS SUMMER READING BASKET

June 17-August 10

Open to ages 1-12.

Submit an entry slip for every book you've read each week for a chance to win a prize basket.

KIDS CRAFT BLAST

Mondays, June 24-July 29, 1 pm

Wednesdays, June 26-July 31, 1 pm

Open to ages 5-12. Registration required. Create fun, weekly summer crafts.

BABY AND TODDLER STORYTIME

Tuesdays, June 25-July 30, 10:30 am

Open to ages 6-36 months. Registration required. Songs & stories designed to develop early literacy skills.





STEAM CHALLENGE DAY Tuesdays, June 25-July 30, 1 pm Thursdays, June 27-August 1, 1 pm (except 7/4)

Open to ages 6-12. Registration required.

STEAM-focused activities that will make you think creatively.

NJ FISH AND WILDLIFE STORYTIME

Thursday, June 27, 10:30 am

Open to all children. Registration required.

NJ Fish and Wildlife visit for a story, craft, & bring some live animal

ADVENTURES WITH ENDEAVOUR THE THERAPY DOG

Friday, June 28, 10:30 am

Open to all children. Registration required.

Endeavour, the Bernese Mountain therapy dog, will visit the library. Listen to stories, sing songs, & have fun with this adorable pooch.

SATURDAY FAMILY STORYTIME

Saturdays, June 29-August 3, 10:30 am

Open to all ages. Registration required.

Bring the family and enjoy a morning of songs, and stories.

SATURDAY FAMILY STORYTIME FEATURING MUSIC WITH **ASHLEIGH AYRES**

Saturday, July 6, 10:30 am

Open to all ages. Registration required.

Local music instructor, Ashleigh Ayres, presents a lively musical storytime fit for the whole family.

THURSDAY FAMILY STORYTIME

Thursdays, July 18-August 1, 10:30 am

Open to all children. Registration required. Songs, stories, and oh so much fun!

SUMMER PLAY

Audition & Practices: Friday, July 26, Monday, July 29-Tuesday,

August 6, 2 pm (except 8/3 & 8/4)

Open to ages 6-12. Registration required.

Do you want to be an actor? Now is your chance!

Join us in an original play, that will be practiced & performed by you!

TALEWISE PRESENTS: SCIENCE HEROES: ADVENTURE OF THE LOST TREASURE

Friday, August 2, 10:30 am

Open to ages 5-12. Registration required.

Come for a treasure-hunting adventure deep within the jungle! Help conduct exciting science experiments that bring this story to life! Don't miss this exciting and interactive STEM learning adventure.

CRAFT CLOSET CLEANOUT

August 12-31

Open to ages up to 18. Registration required.

Make something creative with leftover summer materials.

FOR TEENS

TEEN SUMMER READING BASKET

June 17, July 8, 22

Open to ages 13-18.

Submit an entry slip for every book you read into our SRP box for a chance to win a prize basket.



CRAFT BLAST-TEEN

June 24-August 3, daily

Open to ages 12 and older.

Stop by the library to grab a weekly summer craft to take and make.



FOR ADULTS

ADULT SUMMER READING BASKET

June 17, July 8, 22

Open to adults.

Submit an entry slip for every book you read into our SRP box for a chance to win a prize basket.



ZOO-TO-YOU: CAPE MAY COUNTY ZOO VISIT

Friday, July 12, 10:30 am

Open to all ages. Registration required.

Learn appreciation for our natural world through this interactive program, along with animal visitors.

MAGICIAN CHAD JUROS

Friday, July 26, 10:30 am

Open to all ages. Registration required.

Be amazed by astounding tricks & magical abilities of the famous Chad Juros!

CHALK IT UP!

August 5-10

Open to all ages.

Ask for chalk at the front desk & decorate our sidewalks with your chalk creations.

SUMMER PLAY PERFORMANCE

Wednesday, August 7, 6:30 pm

Open to all ages. Registration required.

View the live performance of our original summer play.



* Sponsored by the Atlantic County Library Foundation. Children under age 9 must be accompanied by an adult. Please advise of any food allergies.

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See <u>www.atlanticlibrary.org</u> for updates.

Click on Calendar of Events for online program registration or for information on events held at other Atlantic County Library System locations.



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Friday, June 21 (Observed)

INDEPENDENCE DAY Thursday, July 4

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