

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September - December 2018

FOR KIDS

STORYTIME UNIVERSITY

Saturdays, September 1-December 29, 10:30 am

Open to ages 3-6, children must be accompanied by an adult.

Miss Debbie uses the latest books & some old favorites to help introduce new vocabulary & reinforce learning. Children & their caregivers will enjoy stories, songs, rhymes & movement while building language & literacy skills.

WEDNESDAY STEM DAY

Wednesdays, September 5, 19, October 3, 17, November 14, 28, December 12, 5:30 pm

Open to ages 5-12, younger children must be accompanied by an adult.

Registration requested.

Libraries are great places to explore STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math). Learn together as we use a variety of materials to make STEM come alive!

HALLOWEEN CANDY COUNTING CONTEST

October 9-27

Open to ages 8-12.

Enter for a chance to win the whole jar by guessing closest to the exact number of candies.

THE POWER OF THE BYSTANDER – BULLYING PREVENTION WORKSHOP

Saturday, October 13, 4 pm

Open to ages 8-12.

All children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Registration required.

Join Sifu Shaman as he teaches anti-bullying techniques that empower you to make a difference.

View demonstrations, participate in role-playing skits & join in the "Rhythm of Respect" drum circle.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

Saturday, October 27, 1-2:30 pm

Open to ages 8-12.

Registration requested.

Come in for treats & tricks.

Costumes are optional, but encouraged.

PAPER BAG TURKEYS

Saturday, November 17, 1:30-3 pm

Open to ages 5-11, younger children must be accompanied by an adult.

Registration required.

Make a fun Thanksgiving turkey puppet . . . and gobble up some holiday snacks.

GINGERBREAD PLAYHOUSE

Saturday, December 8, 1:30 pm

Open to ages 3-6, children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required.

Color a kid-sized cardboard gingerbread house, work together to construct it—then take turns playing inside. Make a quick craft & enjoy real gingerbread & cocoa.

PENGUIN CRAFT

Tuesday, December 18, 5:30 pm

Open to ages 5-11.

Registration required.

Make a perky penguin for the holidays.

FOR TEENS

TEEN POETRY SLAM

Monday, December 10, 4-5:30 pm

Open to ages 12-17.

Registration required.

Share your original poems (limit 2)

with other teen poets & a panel of judges.

Poems must be less than 5 minutes & may not contain hate speech, vulgar language, or inappropriate sexual content.

Submit your poem to the library by Nov. 30.

Please no costumes, props or music.

Prizes awarded.

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FOR ADULTS

CREATIVE COLORING FOR ADULTS

Saturdays, September 1-December 29, 1:30-3 pm

Open to adults.

Join us in the upstairs Reading Room for a relaxing afternoon of coloring.

Bring your creative spirit & let your imagination roam.

All materials provided.

RESOURCES FOR SENIORS

Friday, September 7, 1-2:30 pm

Open to adults.

Registration requested.

There's a wealth of senior services available to Atlantic County residents.

With this informational event,

you'll learn what programs & services are available to you.

Light refreshments will be served.

ATLANTIC COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM
PLEASANTVILLE

PLEASANTVILLE PURLS

Wednesdays, September 12, October 10, November 14, December 12, 1-3 pm

Open to all.

Beginners & experienced knitters welcome.

Share ideas and practice your skills along with others who love knitting.

PLEASANTVILLE PAGE TURNERS

Tuesdays, September 18, October 16, November 20, December 18, 1:30-3 pm

Open to adults & teens.

Join us for a relaxing afternoon discussing some of your favorite books.

Light snacks will be served.

STORY SLAM!

Wednesday, November 7, 6-7:30 pm

Open to ages 18 & older.

Registration required.

Submit a short, original story utilizing the theme

“A Funny Thing Happened” by October 15

to be read aloud at our Story Slam on November 7.

Each piece must be less than 5 minutes &

may not contain hate speech, vulgar language, or inappropriate sexual content.

Judging based on audience reaction,

adherence to the theme, staying within the time limit & story delivery.

Prizes awarded.

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MINDFULNESS MEDITATION

Saturday, December 1, 3 pm

Open to adults.

Registration requested.

De-stress for the holidays through gaining greater control & participation in everyday life.

FOR ALL

ATLANTIC COUNTY LIBRARY FOUNDATION BOOK SALE

September 1-December 31

Open to all.

Visit our ongoing book sale room

and find readable treasures at a bargain.

Proceeds benefit the Atlantic County Library Foundation.

THIRD THURSDAY FAMILY GAME NIGHT

Thursdays, September 20, October 18, November 15, December 20, 6 pm

Open to all.

Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Drop by the library for some family time together & play our board games!

We have Scrabble, Monopoly Junior & more.

COFFEE WITH A COP

Wednesday, October 10, 3 pm

Open to all.

Enjoy a cup of coffee and get acquainted

with members of the Pleasantville Police Department.

Ask questions about the job or simply have coffee, snacks & say hello.

VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

Saturday, November 10, 2-4 pm

Open to all.

Listen as local veterans share their stories.

HOLIDAY KARAOKE

Saturday, December 15, 2-4 pm

Open to all.

Sing your favorite holiday tunes.

Light refreshments provided.

Sponsored by the Atlantic County Library Foundation.

Please advise of any food allergies.

For online program registration or for information on events held at other Atlantic County Library System locations, go to www.atlanticlibrary.org and click on Calendar of Events.

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Please see the library website for any updates.

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

LABOR DAY

Monday, September 3

COLUMBUS DAY

Monday, October 8

ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, November 6

VETERANS DAY

(Observed)

Monday, November 12

THANKSGIVING DAY

Thursday, November 22

CHRISTMAS DAY

Tuesday, December 25

Leaves are falling. *Autumn* is calling.

ATLANTIC COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM/ PLEASANTVILLE

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