

Holidaysburg Area Public Library
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October 2024

Hollidaysburg Area Public Library



Library Hours
 Mon - Thurs 9:30 - 8:00
 Fri - 9:30 - 5:00
 Sat - 9:30 - 5:00
 Sun - 1:00 - 5:00

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
		1 10:30 Storytime 12:30 Needlework & Arts	2 5:00 Twisted Stitchers	3 10:30 Dance Sing & Play 6:30 Talking History	4 10:30 Storytime 3:30 Legos in the Library	5
6	7 All Day Maker Mondays 11:00 Canasta/Mah Jongg 6:30 Language at the Library	8 10:30 Storytime 12:30 Needlework & Arts	9 5:00 Twisted Stitchers	10 6:30 Inspirational BC	11 10:30 Storytime 3:30 Legos in the Library	12 Pumpkinfest ~ Downtown Hollidaysburg HHGTours 
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Book Clubs

Inspirational Book Club, 10/10 at 6:30p.m.

Discussing *Scrapping Plans*, by Rebecca Seitz. All are welcome. No signup is necessary.

Women Writers Book Club, 10/16 at 6:00 p.m.

Discussing *And Then There Were None*, by Agatha Christie. All are welcome to attend.

Best of Times, 10/31 at 2:00 p.m. Discussing *The Untouchable*, by Elie Honig. All are welcome. No signup is necessary.

Tech

Computer Class, 10/23 at 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Tom Robison will answer specific computer questions at these classes. Email corporal99@msn.com ahead of time. No signup is needed, all are welcome.

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Programs

Canasta/Mah Jongg Club, Mondays at 11:00a.m.

Beginners are welcome. Call 814-693-9292 to sign up. This program is intended for adults.

Maker Mondays, All Day. Maker Mondays are all day in the Children's Room. A station will be set up with a different craft, challenge or activity each week. Come and explore the fun!

Needlework & Arts Group, Tuesdays at

12:30pm Bring your own materials and projects for this crafting club intended for adults.

Storytimes, Tuesdays and Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

Join us for fabulous stories, great songs and a lot of fun! Children must be accompanied by a caregiver.

Twisted Stitchers, Wednesdays at 5:00 p.m. Bring your own project, yarn, and hooks; spend time with other crafters.

Dance, Sing and Play! 10:30 a.m. on October 3, 17, 24 and 31. Need to get your wiggles out? Dance, sing, shake the parachute and some shaky eggs too!

Legos in the Library, Fridays from 3:30-4:30.p.m. This program is intended for ages 6-12. Signup is needed, space is limited. Email pennie@halibrary.org to sign up.

Talking History, 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 3. Local historian Regis Nale will present "Relics of the Hollidaysburg Canal Era": the era connections, folksy details and back stories of his collection of photographs.

Language at the Library, Mondays at 6:30 p.m. October 7 is German, October 14 is Spanish, and October 21 is French. Join the HAHS language teachers and their students in the German, French and Spanish Clubs for Language at the Library. Intended for children grades K-6. Parents/caregivers must remain in the Library while child participates in program.

Pumpkinfest, Downtown Hollidaysburg, October 12. Join Miss Pennie for Storytime in front of the Courthouse at 10:00 a.m., and be sure to visit the Library's tent for a craft!

Penn State Extension Master Gardeners of Blair County Fall Garden Series, 6:30 p.m. on Monday, October 28. Dr. John Peccia will offer an in-depth presentation on "Growing Specialty Mushrooms: Where to Start?" Register at extension.psu.edu, or email questions to blairmg@psu.edu

Friends of the Library Book Sale, October 16-18.

The preview sale for members will be Tuesday, October 15 from 6:00-7:30. Wednesday and Thursday sale hours will be 9:30-7:30. Friday sale hours are 9:30-3:00. \$5 bag day will begin Thursday evening at 5:00, and run through Friday.

Paws to Read, Saturday, 10/19 at 10:00 a.m. Meet and read to pets from the Central PA Humane Society. Studies show reading to animals is the perfect way to help your child feel less anxious and improve their reading skills. Children ages five and up are welcome with their caregivers.

Hollidaysburg Heritage Guided Tours will be at 12:15 on Saturday, October 19. There are three tours offered, with an option for brunch at the U.S. Hotel. HHGTours is also offering a tour of the historic Highland Hall complex, highlighting the building's history, architecture, and uses over the years, on October 12 at 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Go to www.hollidaysburglibrary.org or www.HHGTours.org for more information and to make your reservation.

Friends of the Library are once again selling **pecans** and **holiday wreaths**. One-pound bags of pecans are \$11 each; there will be three sizes of wreaths to choose from. All orders must be prepaid. Stop by the Library to place your orders.

