

**Hollidaysburg Area Public Library**  
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# March 2025

## 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 10:00 PAWS to Read
2 All Day Maker Mondays 11:00 Canasta/MahJongg 6:30 ABC Photo Society	3	4 10:30 Storytime & Craft 12:30 Needlework & Arts	5 5:00 Twisted Stitchers	6 6:30 Talking History	7 10:30 Storytime 3:30 Lego Club	8
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**BASIC LITERACY**

## Book Clubs

**Inspirational Book Club, Thursday, March 13 at 6:30 p.m.** We will be discussing *The Truthseeker*, by Dee Henderson.

**Women Writers Book Club, Wednesday, March 19 at 6:00 p.m.** Our book for March will be *Loud*, by Drew Afualo.

**Best of Times Book Club, Thursday, March 27 at 2:00 p.m.** The book for discussion this month is *Small Mercies*, by Dennis Lehane.

## Programs

**Canasta & Mah Jongg, Mondays at 11:00 a.m.** Beginners are welcome.

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

**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.

**Needlework & Arts Group, Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m.** Bring your own materials and projects for this crafting club intended for adults.

**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 March 13, 20 and 27.** Need to get your wiggles out? Dance, sing, shake the parachute and some shaky eggs too!

**Legos Club, Fridays from 3:30-4:30 p.m.** Bring your imagination, we'll supply the Legos. This program is intended for ages 5-12.

**Altoona/Blair County Photo Society (ABCPS), 6:30 p.m., Mondays, March 3 and 17.** The Photo Society gathers to discuss a variety of topics, including taking and editing pictures. Learn something new with any type of camera or smart phone. New members are always welcome. Call (814)207-1479 with questions.

**Paws to Read, Saturday, March 1 at 10:00—11:30 a.m.** Meet and read to pets from the Central PA Humane Society. Children ages five and up are welcome with their caregivers.

**Talking History, 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 6.** "A History of the Altoona Curve and Some of the People Who Made it happen". Preston Shoemaker, Assistant Director of Communications and Broadcasting with the Altoona Curve, will talk about the history of the Curve and present a slide show of past players and managers. A question and answer session will follow.

**Fairy Garden Fun, 6:00 p.m. on Monday, March 24.** All ages are welcome to join Lisa Haas from NatureWorks Park as we construct fairy gardens. There is no charge for this program. Please bring an 8-12 in container. Soil, moss and some fairies and decorations have been donated for the gardens. Please register by calling (814)695-5961 ext. 101 or sign up at the Library. Space is limited.

### **Abibliophobia**

(a-bib-lee-oh-fo-be-ah)

(n) The fear of running out of reading material

Tip for overcoming abibliophobia:

Visit your local Library!

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