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Hoopla is here!



Starting on February 1st, you can stream or download movies, music, eBooks, eAudiobooks and more.

Digital media has been added to the offerings of the Warren County Library. With [hoopla](#) members will have free access to nearly half a million titles (and growing) of movies, tv shows, music albums, eAudiobooks, eBooks and comics /graphic novels.

Content is available 24/7 and is instantly available...no waiting list or late fees.

Up to 5 items can be borrowed each month. You can download or stream content to a mobile device such as a tablet or smart phone. Just download the hoopla digital app from Apple, Google Play or Amazon store. If you are using a computer, you can visit www.hoopladigital.com

and stream content. Movies can be borrowed for 3 days, music for 7 days and books (eBooks, eAudiobooks and graphic novels) for 21 days.

For more information on using the service, you can view these YouTube videos:

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Create a hoopla account and start browsing—you can save items to a favorites list (click the heart) to have a go-to supply of materials.

Makers Day



Calling all Makers!

Warren County Library will be celebrating the 3rd annual New Jersey Makers Day on March 25.

We are looking for local artists, tinkerers, and adventurers! If you have a unique hobby, skill, or passion that you'd like to share, please tell us about it and we will try our best to include you in the day's festivities.

Please email Maryjean at mbakaletz@warrenlib.org by

March 1st if you are interested in participating in our 2017 Makers Day.

We are looking forward to Makers Day and we have some exciting new technology to share also. Mark your calendar now, you don't want to miss this event !

Headquarters—White Township

Blind Date with a Book

How about going on a Blind Date with a Book? This month our wrapped books check out with a treat! We have blind dates ready for all ages, look for them displayed throughout the library. Adults can return the "Rate your Date" form for a chance to win a sweet prize!

Lunch and Learn: Improving Your Focus 2/1 1:00 PM

Bring your own bagged lunch and join us to watch this Lynda.com video tutorial. Learn how to develop survival skills to avoid distractions and stay focused on what's most valuable. Curate your digital and physical space to strengthen concentration, discover ways to keep your mind on task, and protect your relationships by focusing on what's most important. Registration required.

The Writers' Group of Belvidere 2/1 6:30 PM

All levels of writing experience and all genres are welcome. This is a wonderful opportunity to share your work as a writer and to get feedback. Bring something to read or just come and listen. You must be 18+ to attend. Registration is required.

Job Seeking Assistance

Need help searching for a job? Filling out an online application? Writing a resume? We can help. Sign up for one-on-one assistance with our staff.

2/2 10:00am and 1:00pm
2/7 & 8 7:00pm
2/11 10:30am
2/14 10:00am, 2:00pm, 7:00pm
2/17 10:00 and 11:00am
2/21 & 22 7:00pm
2/23 10:00am and 1:00pm
2/25 10:30am
2/28 1:00, 2:00 and 7:00pm

Mah-jongg @ the Library! 2/3, 10, 17, 24 1:00 PM

Learn to play this interesting and challenging game. Bring a friend! 18yrs + Adults only

Knit & Crochet with Gerrie 2/7, 14, 21, 28 3:00 PM

Come one, come all! Whether you are able to share your expertise or would like to learn to knit, you are welcome to join the group.

The Accountant - Showtime 2/7 6:00 PM

Q: What to do on a frigid, February evening? A: Watch a movie! Ben Affleck is a math savant who is finagling the books for a new client. Meanwhile, the Treasury Department is closing in on his activities and the body count is stacking up!

Lunch and Learn: Communicating with Confidence 2/8 1:00 PM

Bring your own bagged lunch and join us to watch this Lynda.com video tutorial. Most people dread speaking in public, but effective oral communication is a key skill in business. Jeff Ansell provides simple communication tools, strategies, and tips that are easy to use and produce immediate results. He'll help you sound more confident, use body and language to better express ideas, and overcome anxiety. All these concepts are brought together in two real-world coaching exercises that will help you see the techniques in action. Registration required.

NORWESCAP Tax Assistance 2/9, 22, 23, 27 10:00 AM

FREE income tax assistance is available for those with uncomplicated returns- including the elderly, people with disabilities, and income eligible people. Call NORWESCAP for appointment 888-387-9830 (Ext. 3502)

Friends of the Warren County Library HQ 2/9 6:30 PM

As the Library's support group, the Friends do everything from raising funds to helping sponsor programs. Join them as they discuss current fundraising plans. All are welcome!

Make & Take Jewelry Workshop 2/18 1:00 PM

Penny from Island Girl Jewelz will show you how to make a beautiful beach inspired bracelet. Materials and instructions will be supplied and you will go home with a unique, finished piece! Class size limited; registration is required.

Hoopla Demonstration 2/23 3:00 PM 2/27 7:00 PM

Join us to learn about our new eResource! Bring your laptop, phone, tablet or any other device and we will help you download Hoopla. All ages are welcome.

Warren County Job Seekers Networking Group 2/24 10:00 AM

Today's job market is not easy to navigate. Join an informal job seeking networking group where you can share your job search experiences and learn how to improve your job seeking skills, support and encourage one another, share tips and job leads. We will meet every 4th Friday of the month. Please register.

HQ Literary Club PM 2/27 7:00 PM

Join our newest book group!

JUST FOR KIDS

Chess Knights 2/28 6:00 PM

Isaac Asimov, Bill Gates, David Bowie, Keanu Reeves, Harry Houdini, Heidi Klum and many other famous people are all chess players. Learn to play the game or test your skills with a match! All ages are welcome. Registration required.

Minecraft HQ Youth 2/2 4:30 PM

Share your passion with a new community! Make mega-builds, build redstone computers, or design an arena to test your battle prowess. Registration required.

Story Time**2/3, 10, 17, 24 10:30 AM**

Story time features a variety of fun crafts for children, and, as always, stories, stories, and stories! Please sign up.

Take Your Child to the Library!**2/4 10:00 AM**

It's Take Your Child to the Library Day! We'll have activities throughout the day - stories, crafts, games, a movie, and Chipper will be waiting for you to find him.

Kids' Crafts**2/4 11:00 AM**

Drop in from 11:00 - 12:00 noon to make crafts with Miss Gerrie.

Family Movie***The Secret Life of Pets*****2/4 2:00 PM**

Bring your whole family to see *The Secret Life of Pets* on our BIG screen! Rated PG.

Lapsit Story Time & Sing Along**2/7, 14, 21, 28 10:00 AM**

In this short program for babies and toddlers, we'll sing, bounce, clap, and share a story or two! If you want, stay for a half-hour of play time with your new friends. Please sign up.

2-Year-Old Story Time**2/7, 14, 21, 28 11:00 AM**

Stories, rhymes, and a craft for 2-year-olds and an adult caregiver. Please sign up.

Story Time Fun with Miss Gerrie**2/7, 14, 21, 28 1:30 PM**

Story time with Miss Gerrie features

a variety of fun crafts, a party or two, and stories! Please sign up.

Bugs at the library**2/8, 15, 22 4:00 PM**

Help save the planet! Become a citizen scientist to make observations, record data and take photographs of all the bugs in and around our library. Our observations will help research scientists determine what actions should be taken to ensure a healthy local environment!

Family Movie Night***Pete's Dragon* (PG)****2/8 6:30 PM**

For years Grace has heard tales of the fierce dragon deep in the woods. The stories are just tall tales-until she meets Pete, a mysterious boy who claims to live in the woods with a giant, green dragon named Elliott.

LEGO Club**2/15 4:30 PM**

It's LEGO fun at the library! Take on our challenge of the month or build something of your choosing. Work alone or in a group. We'll provide the LEGO bricks; please do not bring your own. Registration required. For age 7 and up.

STEM For Little Ones:**Fun with Color****2/18 11:00 AM**

This story time incorporates STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) concepts for young children accompanied by an adult. Join us to explore and experiment with colors. Registration is required. For kids age 3 and up.

Maker Club**2/22 4:30 PM**

Join Kaleidoscope Enrichment to make cool science-based projects. For kids age 7 and up. Registration is required.

JUST FOR TEENS**Minecraft HQ - Teen****2/2 6:30 PM**

A group just for tweens and teens. Share your passion with a new community! Make mega-builds, build redstone computers, or design an arena to test your battle prowess.

Card & Board Game Tournament**2/11 12:00 PM**

Come hang out and play some old and new card and board games. I promise, it won't be boring! Plus, we will have snacks and prizes. Registration is recommended not required.

Teen Movie Night***Suicide Squad* (PG-13)****2/15 6:30 PM**

An intelligence officer has determined that only a secret group of despicable individuals with nothing to lose can avert a potential apocalypse. So she has assembled these dangerous super villains, given them a powerful arsenal of weapons, and sent them on a suicide mission.

Reuse, Recycle, Craft!**2/27 4:30 PM**

Come for an evening of creativity and re-purposing. Teens will be provided with supplies for a recycled craft and will also be able to sort through materials to make re-purposed items of their choice.

Catherine Dickson Hofman—Blairstown

Adult Artists**2/1, 8, 15, 22 10:00 AM**

Let the artist in you emerge! Come join other budding artists and learn techniques in water color, pastel and other mediums.

Knitters Niche Knitting Club**2/2, 9, 16, 23 4:00 PM**

Like to knit? Don't know how, but want to learn the basics? Join us and knit with a community! All ages are encouraged and welcome to attend.

Water Color Workshop**2/3, 24 9:30 AM**

Join artist Toni Chaplin when she shares her techniques and ideas during this popular water color workshop. Registration required. \$25 due upon arrival to class (checks preferred).

1st Friday Writer's Group

2/3 7:00 PM

Bring your writing, any genre, for friendly, frank critique ... or come just to visit. We love newcomers.

NORWESCAP Tax Assistance

2/6, 10 10:00 AM

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Knit Wits

2/7, 14, 21, 28 9:00 AM

Join us on Tuesday mornings to crochet, knit and chat while creating items to be donated to various community organizations.

Valentines For Vets

2/7 12:30 PM

Join the Blair Woman's Club to create valentines for vets and cookies for truck drivers.

Lunch & Learn

Improving Your Focus

2/8 12:00 PM

Bring your own bagged lunch and join us to watch this Lynda.com video tutorial. Learn how to develop survival skills to avoid distractions and stay focused on what's most valuable. Curate your digital and physical space to strengthen concentration, discover ways to keep your mind on task, and protect your relationships by focusing on what's most important. Registration required.

PM Literature Club

2/8 7:00 PM

Join the group for interesting reads and lively discussions.

Walk-In Kindle Help

2/9 6:00 PM

Need help with your kindle? Stop in between 6 and 7 p.m. on Thursday evening and we'll help you with the basics. No appointment necessary.

Lunch & Learn

Communicating with Confidence

2/14 12:00 PM

Bring your own bagged lunch and join us to watch this Lynda.com video tutorial. Most people dread speaking in public, but effective oral communication is a key skill in business. Learn simple communication tools, strategies, and tips that are easy to use and produce immediate results. Sound more confident, use body and language to better express ideas, and overcome anxiety. All these concepts are brought together in two real-world coaching exercises that will help you see the techniques in action. Registration required.

Movie - *Girl on the Train* (R)

2/14 7:00 PM

Celebrate Valentine's Day! Come by yourself or bring a date! Rachel, unemployed and devastated by her divorce, fantasizes about a seemingly perfect couple she sees every day from the train. One day Rachel sees something shocking that entangles her in a mystery. We'll supply popcorn and chocolate kisses!

Adult Pinterest Craft

2/15 7:00 PM

Morgan will present a Pinterest craft and the library will supply everything that you need for a Valentine's Day Canvas. Registration required.

Adult Jeopardy

2/16 7:00 PM

Test your trivia knowledge on a wide variety of topics as the Library presents its version of Jeopardy. Registration required. Ages 18 and up.

Beginner's Computer Class - Word Part 2

2/17 10:00 AM

We'll take all of the skills that were learned in Word Part 1 and put them to use during Part 2 of this basic Word class. Registration required. Mouse skills a must.

Hoopla Demonstration

2/17 4:00 PM

2/22 7:00 PM

2/28 11:00 AM

Have you always wished the library would provide a service that you could stream or download movies or tv shows? Well, you're in luck! We just got Hoopla, an easy-to-use digital media platform that is free for our library card holders. Think of Netflix, but with music CDs, comics, audiobooks, and ebooks too. Bring a device and see how the service works!

Job Seeking Assistance

2/18 1:30 PM

Need help searching for a job? Filling out an online job application? Writing a resume? Sign up for one-on-one assistance with our staff.

Historical Blirstown Presentation

2/21 12:30 PM

Speaker Christine Beegle will talk about the interesting history of beautiful Blirstown. Sponsored by the Blair Woman's Club.

AM Literature Club

2/27 10:00 AM

Start your day off with an interesting read and some thought provoking discussions. All book-lovers are invited to attend!

JUST FOR KIDS

Story Hour

2/2, 9, 16, 23 10:00 AM

Miss Morgan invites children ages 3-5 (and brothers and sisters) to look, listen, laugh, learn and discover the library. Join the fun! Please register.

Read To A Pet

2/4 11:00 AM

Sign up to read to a pet for 10 minutes. They love to listen to stories! By *Creature Comfort - pet therapy for children - building connections through animal visitation, one cold nose at a time*. Registration required.

Maker Mondays**Build A Better Valentine****2/6 4:00 PM**

Join Sandy from Kaleidoscope Enrichment to build cool valentines using paper crafting, engineering and construction! For ages 5 to 8. Registration required.

6th Grade Bookworms**2/7, 14, 21 3:30 PM**

Stop by after school and take turns reading the latest club selection. Registration required.

We Love Snacktivity**2/9 10:30 AM**

Make a sweet treat for Valentine's Day. We'll have heart shaped cookies for you to decorate. Make one for yourself and share another with your special valentine.

Quick Craft**2/10 4:00 PM**

Check back for details soon. Registration required.

Family Movie - Trolls (PG)**2/11 11:00 AM**

When their village is invaded by the grumpy Bergens, two mismatched friends must work together in perfect harmony to save the day. We'll supply popcorn for the whole family and a special Troll treat for the kids.

Youth Minecraft**2/23 4:30 PM**

Venture into Minecraftia to build, farm, explore the world - and of course, mine and craft. A fun, collaborative environment to test your building skills, meet new friends and learn! For ages 5-9. Please register.

Maker Mondays**Build A Better Valentine****2/27 4:00 PM**

Join Sandy from Kaleidoscope Enrichment to build cool valentines using paper crafting, engineering and construction! For ages 9 to 12. Registration required.

JUST FOR TEENS**Science Action Club****2/1, 8, 15, 22 4:00 PM**

Through games, projects, and hands-on activities, we will investigate nature, document discoveries, connect with scientists, and design strategies to protect our planet. For ages 10-14. Please register.

Teen Minecraft**2/23 6:30 PM**

Make new friends, spend time with old friends, share your passion with a new community! Make megabuilds, build redstone computers, design a Hunger Games arena to test your battle prowess. For ages 10+. Please register.

Franklin—Franklin Township**Kisses in a Jar Contest**

A kiss is just a kiss, as the song goes - or is it? Win a whole jar full of kisses by guessing how many the jar holds before St. Valentine's Day! The closest guess wins it all!

Crochet Corner**2/2, 9, 16, 23 1:30 PM**

Come one, come all! Beginner or advanced, young or seasoned! If you've always wanted to learn the art of crochet, we will teach you! So share in the fun and friendship, and let your creative juices flow!

Knifty Knitters**2/7, 14, 28 1:30 PM**

Knitting is a great way to relax, unwind and create something beautiful! Already know how to knit? Always wanted to learn but were afraid to try? Come join us and knit away!

Job Seeking Assistance**2/8, 10, 16, 22, 28 2:00 PM**

Need help searching for a job? Filling out an online application? Writing a resume? We can help! Sign up for one-on-one assistance with our staff. Registration is required.

Stenciled Mug Adult Craft**2/11 1:00 PM**

Everyone needs a mug during the winter - for hot cocoa, tea and coffee in the morning! How much better would it taste in a stenciled mug you designed yourself? Choose a hearts for St. Valentine's Day or farm animal stencil. For adults aged 18 and up; registration is required.

Adult Computer Class**2/15 4:00 PM**

Do you need help with basic computer skills or have questions about a new device? Come in to learn

more! Feel free to bring your laptop or device. Registration required.

Evening Readers**2/15 7:00 PM**

If you are interested in joining this dedicated group who loves their library, come and share your love of reading! This month, we will review the classic *Of Mice and Men* by John Steinbeck (fiction).

Franklin Friends**2/21 1:00 PM**

Join our friends group! The Friends provide family programming throughout the year, and donate funds to help us help you! An example of their generosity is our splendid Classic DVD collection. Come in and check out our group, and help the Franklin Branch!

Franklin (continued)

Knitters of the Round Table

2/21 1:30 PM

Gather 'round the table - the knitting table, that is! Bring whatever you're working on - or would like to work on - and share the love of knitting!

Page Turners

2/21 1:30 PM

The club is excited to review *A Man Called Ove* by Fredrik Backman. If you enjoy good conversation and friendship, and you want to share your love of reading, come join us!

JUST FOR KIDS

Bugs in Your Library

2/1, 8, 15 6:00 PM

Help save the planet! Become a citizen scientist to make observation, record data and take photographs of all the bugs in and around our library. Our observations will help research scientists determine what actions should be taken to ensure a healthy local environment! Please register.

Pajama Story Time

2/2, 9 6:30 PM

Don your pjs and cuddle up with your favorite stuffed buddy - it's pj story time with Miss Lydia! For ages 3-9; registration is required.

Paper Heart Crafts

2/4 11:00 AM

Join us for an afternoon of paper crafts using only paper hearts. Make some fun decorations for Valentine's Day! Registration is required.

Get Up & Groove!

2/7, 14, 21, 28 4:00 PM

Story time incorporating physical movement with stretches, hula hoops, breathing...you name it! Let's learn and groove together while reading! Ages 2-5; registration required.

Pokémon Club

2/10 4:30 PM

Since the library has become a Pokémon stop for Pokémon Go! it is only nat-

ural to have a Pokémon Club! So come join us and share your passion for all things Pokémon! For ages 9 and up; registration is required.

LEGO Club

2/16 6:00 PM

Put your construction hats on and come take up the LEGO challenge! Design and create all kinds of cool things! Share ideas! Use the LEGO Club newsletter to try new concepts in LEGO construction! For ages 3-12; registration required.

DIY Story Time

2/16 6:30 PM

Make up your own story - with your own hands! Act out a story using sock puppets you make yourself or our flannel board and stockpile of flannel critters! Please bring a sock to make into a puppet for some do-it-yourself fun! For ages 3-5; registration required.

DIY Story Time

2/23 6:30 PM

What a neat concept - a do-it-yourself story time! Join us as we make story time truly your own - with your own book! Learn how to make a book to write in and color. For ages 3-5; registration required.

Origami Club

2/25 1:00 PM

Introducing a new club dedicated to the art of folding paper! Join us and learn the Japanese art of Origami. Registration strongly recommended.

Make-a-Mess Storytime

2/27 4:30 PM

Make a mess in a library? Unthinkable! But not anymore - come join us and MAKE A MESS! All kinds of gooey, messy, unclean fun! And stories to boot! For ages 5-9; registration is required.

Youth Minecraft

2/28 6:00 PM

Hit pay dirt with our Youth Minecraft Club! Exclusively for ages 5-9,

this club introduces children to the exciting and challenging world of Minecraft! Registration required.

JUST FOR TEENS

After School Chess Club

2/3, 17 4:30 PM

Learn the basics of the classic game of chess, or brush up on what you already know. If chess is not your game, try our other strategy games! This club is open to tweens, teens and young adults, ages 10 and up. Registration is required.

Purl Jam Knitting Club

2/8, 22 4:00 PM

Knitting is knifty, and anybody can do it! Come jam with us and learn the art of knitting. Open to teens and young adults, ages 12 and up. Parents are most welcome, too! Registration is required.

Teen Videogame Club

2/18 1:00 PM

Can't get enough of video games? Come join our new club and share your gaming enthusiasm! If you have your own controller from a PS3, feel free to bring it. The game is on! For ages 10 and up; registration is required.

Makers Night

2/24 4:00 PM

Come and learn new techniques, try new mediums and share ideas! Maker's Night is a networking night to meet all the other makers and creators in our community! Open to all makers in middle school and above. Registration is required.

Teen Minecraft

2/27 6:30 PM

Come and join us as we build a whole new world one block at a time! Dig your way into the Minecraft experience! For ages 10 and up; registration required.

Blind Date with a Book

Celebrate Valentine's Day at the Northeast Branch all month long! Children are welcome to take out a book with a paper heart on it and receive a bookmark/pencil combo. Children will also receive one ticket when they check out books from the Blind Date cart which will allow them a chance to win a family prize. Teens and adults can check out mystery books which are wrapped and will also receive one ticket for a chance to win a family prize when they check out a mystery book. The teen and adult mystery books also contain a blank review. Write a review and submit it to us to receive an extra ticket for the family prize!

Crafty Ladies

2/2, 9, 16, 23 1:30 PM

If you like to knit or crochet, or would like to learn, join our crafty ladies!

Your Weekly Coloring Time

2/2, 9, 16, 23 6:30 PM

Unwind and de-stress. We provide colored pencils and coloring sheets, soothing music and some snacks. You just relax and color. Ages 18 and above. Please, no children. Registration is requested, but not mandatory.

Mah-jongg

2/6, 27 10:00 AM

Join a great group of people and play Mah-jongg. Games from beginner to advanced. Beginners welcome!

Yarn Over Time

2/6, 27 6:00 PM

This crochet and knitting group is designed for after work and evening crafters. All ages and experience levels welcome. Join us to get acquainted, share ideas, techniques, and work on your own creations.

Friends Meeting

2/6 7:00 PM

Become an advocate for your library

by joining a group of volunteers who meet once a month to discuss fundraising and programming for the library. Bring your ideas!

Quilting Snails

2/7 5:30 PM

The Quilting Snails is a club dedicated to machine quilting. Beginners, intermediate, and experienced are all welcome! Please bring your own machine to the meeting. This club will be meeting monthly. Registration required, please sign up online or at the branch.

Origami Club

2/8 6:30 PM

Join Cylvia Ultz and learn origami! All ages are welcome to join this creative club. Young children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required, please sign up online or at the branch.

Sunrise Seniors

2/14 9:30 AM

Sunrise Seniors meets every second Tuesday of each month at 9:30 am. Start your morning with coffee, baked goods, and friendly conversation. Lucy Hurley, from Home Instead Senior Care, will be talking about senior falls. Registration is required.

Bookworms

2/15 1:30 PM

Join our monthly book club! We are reading *The God of Small Things* by Arundhati Roy.

Book Friends

2/15 6:30 PM

Come enjoy a lively cafe style book club for discussion and light refreshments. We are reading *The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry* by Gabrielle Zevin.

Adult Craft

2/21 12:30 PM

Join Miss Jody in making a seasonal craft, all materials provided. Registration is required.

Tapestry, Fiber Arts Group

2/28 10:00 AM

Tapestry is a club dedicated to hand quilting. This club will be dedicated to combining talent, ideas, creativity, and skills to explore an art form. Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.

JUST FOR KIDS**Stories & Craft**

2/1, 8, 15, 22 10:30 AM

Come listen to stories, sing songs, and make a themed craft each week! Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.

Stories & Music

2/2, 9, 16, 23 10:30 AM

Come listen to stories, sing songs, and color! For kids ages 2 and up. Registration is required.

Bugs in your Library-NE

2/2, 9, 16, 23 6:30 PM

Help save the planet! Become a citizen scientist to make observations, record data and take photographs of all the bugs in and around our library. Our observations will help research scientists determine what actions should be taken to ensure a healthy local environment!

Infant Story Time

2/3, 10, 17, 24 10:30 AM

Bring your baby and listen to stories, sing songs, and do finger plays. For infants under age 2. Registration is required.

Pokémon Valentine's Day Party

2/3 4:30 PM

For ages 5 and up. Join Miss Christina W. and Patrick in throwing a Pokémon themed Valentine's Day Party! Decorate a marshmallow peep to look like Pikachu by using candy melts and frosting. We will also be playing a fun party game! Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.



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Meeting of the
Warren County
Library Commission
February 23, 2017 at 5:30 pm
Conference Room/2nd Floor
Headquarters Branch
2 Shotwell Drive
Belvidere, NJ

Library will be closed
February 13 & 20, 2017

Northeast (continued)

**Princess & Prince
Story Time
2/7 10:30 AM**

For ages 3-8. Join Miss Christina W. for a very special story time! Dress up as a prince or princess and have fun stories read to you. Miss Christina W. will help you put together a crown fit for royalty. Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.

**Minecraft Club
2/10 4:00 PM**

Are your kids Minecraft machines? Creeper crazed? Stuck on Steve? Well, block out some time, for Minecraft! We have our very own Survival Server, and we are going to build, battle, and break stuff. The library provides the laptops and user accounts for play. For ages 7-9. Registration is required.

**Valentine's Day Kids'
Craft/Party
2/11 11:30 AM**

For ages 3-8. Join us for a Valentine's Day Party! We'll have themed food and play Cupid's arrow toss. Paint a heart using cotton balls and learn how to dip marshmallows into chocolate. Make sure to wear a smock. Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.

**LEGO Club
2/14 7:00 PM**

Super Science Programs is

back! For boys and girls ages 7 to 12. Please register online or at the branch! This program will run on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Please check the online calendar for any changes.

**Gamer's Club
2/18 10:00 AM**

For ages 6-13. Gamer's Club is for those who have a passion for gaming, any kind, any type, video games, board games, card games, anything you can think of! Everyone is welcome to bring their own portable gaming devices and trading cards (Pokémon trading cards are highly encouraged). Registration is required.

**Fairy Tale
PJ Story Time
2/27 6:30 PM**

Celebrate National Tell a Fairy Tale Day with Miss Christina W! She'll read you classic fairy tales as you color. Also, get the chance to tell your own stories with a fun STEAM activity. Pajamas encouraged! Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.

JUST FOR TEENS ———

**Tabletop RPG Club
2/11, 25 12:30 PM**

Adventurers' wanted! Join us every other Saturday. Learn to play Pathfinder with no experience/preparation needed. Regis-

tration is required. For ages 13-18+.

**Valentine's Day Craft
2/11 1:00 PM**

For ages 8-17. Learn how to fold fortune cookies out of paper and make Valentine's Day marshmallows. Registration is required, please sign up online or at the branch.

**Gamer's Club
2/18 12:30 PM**

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**Minecraft Club
2/24 4:00 PM**

For ages 10-18. Block out some time for Minecraft! We have our very own Survival Server, and we are going to build, battle, and break stuff all month long. The library provides the laptops and user accounts for play. Registration is required.

Staff News

We are pleased to welcome
Debra Soetebeer and Logan Fazio
to the Library.