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## Library Champions

Congratulations to Warren County Board of Chosen Freeholders!

On April 25<sup>th</sup>, The Board of Chosen Freeholders were named "Library Champions" by the New Jersey Library Association at a ceremony held at their annual conference.

The Board was recognized for

its continuing support of the Warren County Library through its ongoing program to improve Warren County Library facilities. It was noted that two branches had been relocated to renovated spaces with additional parking and meeting space since 2011 and a third branch will be relocated in 2017.

This commitment to provide excellence in library service in Warren County allows our library to continue its mission to deliver equal access to life-long education through self-directed education, research assistance and education and instructive and enlightening experiences.

## Streaming and downloading just got better

Warren County Library has just added over 19,000 eAudio-books to our Cloud Library service. The new content includes a mix of non-fiction, fiction and books for children and youth. Just visit [www.yourcloudlibrary.com](http://www.yourcloudlibrary.com) and download the app to take your books with you.

We will be adding more eBooks when the service is expanded in a couple months so you will never be without something to read. Don't forget you can also get eBooks and eAudio-books on Hoopla ([www.hoopla.digital.com](http://www.hoopla.digital.com)) or download the app from iTunes, Google Play etc.)

If you haven't tried Hoopla yet, this is a great time to start. Since summer is a time when people often have more time to relax, we are giving you more loans on Hoopla. During the months of June, July and August you will be able to borrow up to 10 items instead of the usual 5 items. This means more movies, music, eBooks and eAudio to take with you on vacation or in the car. Since you can download the content on mobile devices you can use your home WiFi to load content on your tablet or phone and avoid using your data plan when traveling.

Want to watch your movies on your TV? Try casting the con-

tent to your TV. Check out this article to find out more about casting content to your TV: <http://www.digitaltrends.com/home-theater/how-to-mirror-smartphone-tv/>. If you can't cast the content, you may be able to stream a movie from your laptop to your TV using a HDMI ether cable(s). Here are some basic instructions on how you can do this: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y7fCaWms3Zo>

Have you used Hoopla or the Cloud Library? Tell us what you think about the service by completing this online survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TY5Y9M>

### Reminder

The Library will be closed on  
Saturday, May 27  
and Monday, May 29, 2017

### Staff News

We are pleased to welcome  
**Jenna Melnick**  
to the Library.

This month we say goodbye to **Lynda.com**. After 2 years of offering and promoting the service, low usage did not justify continuing with the subscription.

## Headquarters—White Township

### **Polish Your Resume Workshop** 5/1 6:00 PM

First impressions are lasting and a resume with a typo or mistake could cost you a job interview. Bring a hard copy of your completed resume for a look-over by library staff and other workshop participants. We'll read it and offer supportive, helpful suggestions. Pre-registration required. NOTE: tools and tips for resume writing can be found at [careerconnections.nj.gov](http://careerconnections.nj.gov). Click Prepare, then Top-Notch Resumes.

### **Job Seeking Assistance**

5/2 10:00 AM, 1:00 & 7:00 PM  
5/3 7:00 PM  
5/4 10:00 AM, 1:00 PM  
5/5 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM  
5/8 6:00 PM  
5/9 10:00 AM, 1:00 & 7:00 PM  
5/10 7:00 PM  
5/11 10:00 AM, 1:00 PM  
5/12 10:00 & 11:00 AM  
5/15 1:00 & 6:00 PM  
5/16 7:00 PM  
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Need help searching for a job? Filling out an online job application? Writing a resume? We can help. Sign up for one-on-one assistance with our staff.

### **Knit & Crochet with Gerrie** 5/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 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.

### **La La Land - Showtime** 5/2 6:00 PM

Join us for the showing of *La La Land*, which won 6 Academy Awards. This enchanting musical, starring Ryan Gosling & Emma Stone, tells the story of a jazz pianist falling for an aspiring actress and consequently experiencing the joy and pain of pursuing dreams.

### **The Writers' Group of Belvidere** 5/3 6:30 PM

Please join us, 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 if you like. You must be 18+ to attend. Registration is required.

### **Criminal Justice Reform** 5/4 12:00 PM

Join Brian Rother, Assistant Division Manager, Pretrial Services, NJ Superior Court, Vicinage 13 for this informational program which will cover the following topics - where bail reform started in NJ; what is Bail and who has the right to it; who is an eligible defendant; finger printing with Live Scan; risk assessment; the pretrial monitoring unit, speedy trial rules; and making reform a reality! Please register.

### **Mahjongg @ the Library!** 5/5, 12, 19, 26 1:00 PM

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

### **Chess Knights** 5/8, 15 6:00 PM

Isaac Asimov, Ben Franklin, Bill Gates, David Bowie, 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.

### **Paper Cherry Blossoms** **A Pinteresting Program** 5/10 2:00 PM

Display cherry blossoms all year long with this delicate tissue paper version hand-dyed by Mary Ellen. Please register for this adult craft.

### **Friends of the Warren** **County Library Headquarters** 5/11 6:30 PM

As the Library's support group, the Friends do everything from raising funds to helping sponsor programs.

All are welcome!

### **Memory Screening Program** 5/15 2:00 PM

The Library and the Warren County Division of Aging and Disability Services are providing free, confidential memory screenings and educational materials as part of the Alzheimer's Foundation of America's National Memory Screening Program. Screenings are administered by a qualified healthcare professional. Screenings last approximately 10 minutes and consist of a series of questions. The screening results are not a medical diagnosis, but can suggest if someone should see a physician for a full evaluation. Screening sessions will be held in order of registration, so please be prepared to wait for your turn.

### **HQ Literary Club PM** 5/22 7:00 PM

Join our newest evening Book Club! Dom will lead the discussion, you can join in, or sit back and listen to other club member's interpretations; you decide! Call the library for details.

### **Dynamics of Mental Health** **in the Family**

5/25 7:00 PM

May is Mental Health Awareness Month and NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) will be at the library to discuss the impact a mental health condition can have on the family. 1 in 4 adults experiences a mental health condition every year; 1 in 20 lives with a serious mental illness such as schizophrenia or bipolar disorder. In addition to the person directly experiencing mental illness, family, friends and communities are also affected. This program shares methods for managing stress and identifies helpful resources.

### **Warren County Job Seekers** **Networking Group** 5/26 10:00 AM

Today's job market is not easy to navigate. Join us this informal job seeking networking group where you

can share your job search experiences and learn how to improve your job seeking skills. Support and encouragement one another, share tips and job leads. Light refreshments will be served. Please register.

#### JUST FOR KIDS

#### **Lapsit Story Time & Sing Along** 5/2, 9, 30 10:00 AM

Join us for a short program for babies and toddlers. We'll sing, bounce, clap, and share a story or two! Then, if you want, stay for a half-hour of play time with your new friends. Please sign up.

#### **2-Year-Old Story Time** 5/2, 9, 30 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** 5/2, 9, 30 1:30 PM

This story time features fun crafts for children, a special party or two, and stories, stories, stories! No registration required - drop in when you can.

#### **Birds at Your Library** 5/3, 10 4:00 PM

Calling all citizen scientists! We learned about bugs, now let's watch out for birds. Join us for this 6 week program. We will do hands-on science activities and keep weekly bird count logs that will be shared with real scientists! Registration is required. Ages 10-14.

#### **Story Time** 5/5, 12 10:30 AM

Story time features a variety of fun crafts and stories for children.

#### **Family Movie Night** **Monster Trucks (PG)** 5/10 6:30 PM

A teen befriends an otherworldly creature that's able to possess his pickup truck. Soon enough, the duo must stop an oil company from wreaking havoc on their town.

#### **Minecraft HQ Youth** 5/11 4:30 PM

Make new friends, spend time with old friends, share your passion with a new community! On our own private server make mega-builds, build redstone computers, or design a Hunger Games arena to test your battle prowess.

#### **STEM For Little Ones: How Does Your Garden Grow** 5/13 11:00 AM

Story time is incorporated with STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) concepts for young children accompanied by an adult. This month we'll do some gardening activities. Registration is required (the adult does not need to register). For kids age 3 and up.

#### **LEGO Club** 5/17 4:30 PM

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

#### **Maker Club - Solar Powered Summer** 5/24 4:30 PM

We'll harness the power of the sun to cook delicious treats, create amazing art and power cool cars. For kids age 7 and up, registration required. Presented by Kaleidoscope Enrichment.

#### JUST FOR TEENS

#### **Tween Local History Club** 5/4 4:30 PM

Join us in the local history room as we unravel juicy details of events from the past. We will be looking through old newspaper microfilms and rare books to learn about our local history and to help the library learn about some of it's more unusual items. For tweens; please register.

#### **Tween Slime Time** 5/6 11:00 AM

Come join us for an hour of slimy fun! We are going to experiment and make a whole bunch of fun and different slimes! For tweens.

#### **Minecraft HQ - Teen** 5/11 6:30 PM

A group just for tweens and teens who play Minecraft! Make new friends, spend time with old friends, share your passion with a new community! On our own private server make mega-builds, build redstone computers, or design a Hunger Games arena to test your battle prowess. Registration required.

#### **Teen Movie Night** 5/16 6:30 PM

Join us for the film adaptation of Patrick Ness' beloved young adult novel, *A Monster Calls*.

#### **Brunch for Tweens and Teens** 5/20 12:00 PM

Join us for an afternoon full of treats, crafts, and a movie! For tweens and teens. Registration required.

#### **Everyday Art with Judi Painter!** 5/24 7:00 PM

If you have the slightest desire to be an artist of any type or simply want to feel free creatively, please come and experience the "magic" of Everyday Art! Workshops will focus on mindfulness and intention, while preparing a work of art with a purpose. Each month has a topic or theme and it is always a surprise.

#### **Reuse, Recycle, Craft!** 5/31 4:30 PM

Join us for an evening of creativity and re-purposing. Teens will be provided with supplies for a recycled craft and can sort through materials to make re-purposed items of their choice. Today's theme: Bad Art!

## Catherine Dickson Hofman

### Job Seeking Assistance

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5/26 2:30 PM  
5/30 11:00 AM  
5/31 6:30 & 7:30 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.

### Knit Wits

**5/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 9:00 AM**

Join us Tuesday mornings to crochet, knit and chat while creating items to donate to community organizations.

### Adult Artists

**5/3, 10, 17, 24, 31 10:00 AM**

Let the artist in you emerge! Join us and learn techniques in water color, pastel and other mediums.

### Loss of the RMS Titanic

**5/4 2:00 PM**

The North Warren Seniors present an informative and lively talk by Bob Stead on the Titanic tragedy. All are welcome!

### Knitters Niche Knitting Group

**5/4, 11, 18, 25 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.

### 1st Friday Writer's Group

**5/5 7:00 PM**

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

### PM Literature Club

**5/10 7:00 PM**

Leave the hustle and bustle behind and join this reading group for interesting reads and lively discussions.

### AM Literature Club

**5/15 10:00 AM**

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

### Polish Your Resume Workshop

**5/16 1:00 PM**

First impressions are lasting and a resume with a typo or mistake could cost you a job interview. Bring a hard copy of your resume for a look-over by library staff and workshop participants. Registration required.

### Adult Pinterest Craft

**5/17 7:00 PM**

Join Morgan to make this popular Pinterest craft, a water marbled coffee mug. Materials are provided by the library. Registration required.

### Adult Jeopardy

**5/18 7:00 PM**

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

### Water Color Workshop

**5/19, 26 9:30 AM**

Artist Toni Chaplin will share her techniques and ideas at this workshop. Registration required; \$25 due upon arrival to class.

## JUST FOR KIDS

### Family Movie - A Mermaid's Tale

**5/20 11:00 AM**

A family-friendly tale of the friendship between a girl and a quirky mermaid that could heal an age-old feud between humans and sea people. Rated G, 92 minutes.

### 6th Grade Bookworms

**5/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 3:30 PM**

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

### Hands-On-Banking For Kids

**5/3 4:00 PM**

Wells Fargo will show kids where

money comes from and the best ways to use it. Please register.

### Story Hour

**5/4, 11, 18, 25 10:00 AM**

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

### Science Action Club - Birds!

**5/4, 11, 18, 25 4:30 PM**

Science Action Club is all about becoming citizen scientists by observing the natural world, playing games, and (most importantly) eating snacks. This session focuses on the feathery and fascinating world of birds. For ages 9 and up. Please register.

### Lapsit Story Time

**5/5, 12, 19, 26 11:00 AM**

Join us for a short interactive story time for very young children and a caregiver. The program uses rhyme and repetition to build language and literacy skills.

### Read To A Pet

**5/6 11:00 AM**

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

### Maker Mondays

**Let's Go Fly a Kite**

**5/8 4:00 PM**

Join Miss Sandy of Kaleidoscope Enrichment to build paper planes, rockets and kites! Combine science and crafts to make awesome flying contraptions. For kids aged 5 to 8. Registration is required.

### Quick Craft

**5/12 4:00 PM**

Stop by and make a really cool craft! Ages 5 and up. Registration required.



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**Minecraft Marathon**  
**5/22 3:30 PM**

Spend your spring break smashing blocks at the Minecraft Marathon! For ages 7 and up. Please register.

**Trending Today**  
**Pirates of the Caribbean**  
**5/26 4:00 PM**

Make a treasure chest and fill it! Ages 8 and up. Please register.

## Franklin—Franklin Township

**Knifty Knitters**  
**5/2, 9, 23, 30 1:30 PM**

Relax, unwind and join our knifty little group. Beginner or advanced, all are welcome.

**Creative Crochet**  
**5/4, 11, 18, 25 1:30 PM**

Get hooked on crochet. Come one, come all - beginner or advanced.

**Tech Sessions**  
**May 11, 25 6:00 – 6:30 pm**

Looking for some computer help? Join us for individual tech help on devices, basic computer skills, navigating the internet, putting a book on hold or looking up library events. By appointment only, please.

**Knitters of the Round Table**  
**5/16 1:30 PM**

Gather 'round the table and share the love of knitting.

**Polish Your Resume Workshop**  
**5/22 6:00 PM**

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### JUST FOR KIDS

**Toddler Tuesday**  
**5/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 4:00 PM**

Story and dance time for toddlers followed by an easy, DIY craft. Registration recommended - but stop in when you can!

**Birds in Your Library**  
**5/3, 10, 17, 24 6:00 PM**

Calling all citizen scientists! We learned about bugs, now lets watch out for birds. Join us for an 8 week program all about birds. We will do hands-on science activities and keeping weekly bird count logs that will be shared with real scientists! Registration is required. Ages 10-14.

**Hour of Code**  
**5/3, 10, 17, 24, 31 4:00 PM**

Master how to code while having fun! Code is the person behind the curtain to nearly all aspects of our daily lives - code makes our computers run, our videogames load and even keeps our traffic lights in sync. Use the fun games at code.org to learn this indispensable skill in a fun, supportive environment! Ages 5 - 12; registration required.

**Into the Woods**  
**5/4, 11 6:00 PM**

Discover the natural world, play interactive games, make a craft. For ages 5 - 9; registration required.

**Make-a-Mess Science Hour**  
**5/8 4:30 PM**

Hands-on science experiments. Come test out theories and learn something new. Ages 5-9; registration required.

**Mom & Me Craft**  
**5/13 12:00 PM**

Make a popsicle bracelet for your favorite mom, grandma, aunt or special someone. Make a power band or bracelet for yourself too! All ages welcome! Registration required.

**Origami Club**  
**5/20 1:00 PM**

Learn the art of origami, share your ideas and create something new each time. Registration required.

**Youth Minecraft**  
**5/15 4:30 PM**

Craft a better world! Exclusively for ages 5-9, this club introduces children to the exciting and challenging world of Minecraft. Come join us for the fun! Registration required.

**LEGO Club**  
**5/25 4:00 PM**

Build your imagination, share ideas and find inspiration. Registration required.

### JUST FOR TEENS

**Purl Jam Knitting Club**  
**5/5 4:00 PM**

Make a change to your wardrobe! We knit, we crochet, we embroider, we sew. Join the fun, encouraging work as we all learn how to be more thrifty and create our own works of wearable art! Beginners are always welcome. Ages 10 +; registration required.

**Henna Tattoos**  
**5/6 1:00 PM**

Stop and get a henna tattoo by a local artist. For ages 12 and up; registration required. *Funding has been made possible, in part, by the Warren County Cultural and Heritage Commission and the Friends of the Franklin Branch of the Warren County Library.*

## Franklin (continued)

### **Chess Club**

**5/8, 22 4:30 PM**

Open to all tweens, teens and young adults. Come join us to play chess. Registration required.

### **Code Monkeys**

**5/12 4:00 PM**

Engross yourself in the world of electronics! We have MakeyMakey's, Arduinos, computers and other electronic tools to let you create and explore. Create an LED parade, program a game to be played on bananas, learn how to code JavaScript -

anything is possible! For ages 10 +; registration is required.

### **Teen Minecraft**

**5/15 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.

### **Teen Gardening Club**

**5/19 4:00 PM**

The Musconetcong Watershed Association will show us how to garden

using native plants. Registration is required. Ages 10+.

### **Trouble Makers Club**

**5/26 4:00 PM**

Come and learn interesting techniques, try new mediums and share ideas! The Trouble Makers Club is the best way to meet all the other makers and creators in our community! Open to all makers in middle school and above. Registration is required.

## Northeast—Independence Township

### **Seeking Assistance**

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

### **Mahjongg**

**5/1, 8, 15, 22 10:00 AM**

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

### **Yarn Over Time**

**5/1, 8, 15, 22 6:00 PM**

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

### **Friends Meeting**

**5/1 7:00 PM**

Become an advocate for your library and join this group of volunteers as they discuss fund-raising and programming for the library. Bring your ideas!

### **Quilting Snails**

**5/2 5:30 PM**

This club is dedicated to machine quilting. Beginners, intermediate, and experienced are all welcome! Please bring your own machine to the meeting. Registration required.

### **Crafty Ladies**

**5/4, 11, 18, 25 1:30 PM**

If you like to knit or crochet, or would like to learn, join us!

### **Your Weekly Coloring Time**

**5/4, 11, 18, 25 6:30 PM**

Join us to unwind and de-stress. We provide colored pencils and coloring sheets, soothing music and snacks, all you need to do is relax and color. Ages 18 and above. Please, no children. Registration is requested, but not mandatory.

### **First Time Home Buyers**

**5/6 12:00 PM**

First Hope Bank will present a home buying seminar and credit score solutions. Registration required..

### **Sunrise Seniors**

**5/9 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. Topic to be announced. Registration is required.

### **Oldies Karaoke & Pizza**

**5/12 4:30 PM**

Join us for another karaoke & pizza! This month we will be singing the oldies and, of course, eating pizza! Registration is required.

### **Don Carswell-Local Author**

**5/13 10:30 AM**

Meet author Don Carswell, who has recently published his book, *Look at the Sun*. Don has traveled extensively through 89 countries and all 50 states. He has explored Latin America, and a two-week solo bus journey across Central America inspired this book. Registration is required.

### **Adult Craft**

**5/16 12:30 PM**

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

### **Financial Night at the Library**

**5/16 7:00 PM**

Financial Night at the Library will

meet every third Tuesday of the month. Our host, Daniel Glaskey, will present trending financial topics. Spend an hour learning about various topics to help you with decisions on financial matters. Registration is required.

#### **Bookworms**

**5/17 1:30 PM**

Join our monthly book club as we review *A Man Called Ove*, by Fredrik Backman.

#### **Book Friends**

**5/17 6:30 PM**

Come and enjoy a lively café style book club for discussion and light refreshments. Our book is *Orphan #8*, by Kim Van Alkemade.

#### **Warren County Job Seekers Networking Group**

**5/19 3:00 PM**

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#### **Colofonia Youth Ensemble**

**5/20 1:30 PM**

Join us for an afternoon of classical music performed by the Colofonia Youth Ensemble. All ages are welcome.

#### **Polish Your Resume Workshop**

**5/25 2:00 PM**

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reer Connections: [careerconnections.nj.gov](http://careerconnections.nj.gov). Go to Prepare, then Top-Notch Resumes.

#### **Tapestry Fiber Arts Group**

**5/30 10:00 AM**

This new club is dedicated to hand quilting and combining talent, ideas, creativity, and skills to explore an art form. Registration is required.

#### **JUST FOR KIDS**

#### **Stories & Craft**

**5/3, 10, 31 10:30 AM**

Come listen to stories, sing songs, and make a themed craft each week! Registration is required.

#### **Stories & Music**

**5/4, 11 10:30 AM**

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

#### **Infant Story Time**

**5/5, 12 10:30 AM**

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

#### **Minecraft Club**

**5/5 4:00 PM**

Are your kids Minecraft machines? Creeper crazed? Stuck on Steve? Well block out some time because we are bringing Minecraft to the library! 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.

#### **Radical Rocketeers**

**5/6 10:00 AM**

Radical Rocketeers meets the first Saturday of every month from 10 am to 12 pm. All ages welcome! Great individual or family activity. The program starts with a short business meeting and then moves into the fun part of rocket building. Basic supplies are provided or you may bring your

own. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required.

#### **Pokémon Club**

**5/8 6:30 PM**

Join Miss Christina W. and Patrick for Pokémon club. All ages welcome! We'll watch episodes and color! Feel free to bring your Pokémon trading cards and handheld gaming devices. Registration is required. \*Pokémon club is on the second Monday this month due to staff availability.

#### **Origami Club**

**5/10 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.

#### **Galaxy Sensory Bottle Kids' Craft**

**5/13 11:30 AM**

For ages 3-8. Please bring your own plastic water bottle. Create your own galaxy using baby oil, food coloring, and lots of glitter! Registration is required.

#### **PJ Story Time**

**5/22 6:30 PM**

For ages 3-8. Dress in your pajamas, color, and have stories read to you. Registration is required.

#### **JUST FOR TEENS**

#### **Galaxy Tie Dye T-Shirt**

#### **Tween Craft**

**5/13 1:00 PM**

For ages 8-17. Please bring your own cotton black t-shirt and we will use bleach and fabric spray paint to create a galaxy t-shirt. Registration is required.

#### **Minecraft Club**

**5/19 4:00 PM**

Are you a Minecraft machine? Creeper crazed? Stuck on Steve? Well block out some time for Minecraft at the library! We have our own Survival Server, and we are go-



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Meeting of the  
Warren County  
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at 5:30 pm  
Conference Room  
2nd Floor  
Headquarters Branch  
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ing to build, battle, and break stuff. The library provides the laptops and user accounts for play. For ages 10-18. Registration is required.

**Birds in Your Library**  
**5/2, 9, 16, 23, 30 6:00 PM**  
Calling all citizen scientists!  
We learned about bugs,

now let's watch out for birds. Join us at the Northeast Branch for an 8 week program all about birds. We will be doing hands-on science activities and keeping weekly bird count logs that will be shared with research scientists! For ages 10-14. Registration required.

**Tabletop RPG Club**  
**5/13 12:30 PM**

For ages 13-18+. Adventurers' wanted! Learn to play Pathfinder with no experience/preparation needed. Registration is required.

## JERSEY JOB CLUB Online Workshops for Job Seekers-

**Path to Employment:  
Starting Your Job Search**  
**5/2 2:30 PM**

If you're new to the world of looking for a job, this is for you! Start your job search off on the best foot with this basic online overview presented to you in a Power Point format. You'll learn about New Jersey Career Connections, a great online tool to help you to plan, prepare, and succeed at your job search. This is an online workshop that you can enjoy in the comfort of your home. Please register at <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/6891234588975099138> to receive a confirmation email with information about accessing this workshop.

**The Right Career for You**  
**5/4 2:30 PM**

This online workshop will review basic web-based tools to help you determine a good career path. We'll also review four important points to help you consider which job or career would best suit you. You can enjoy this online workshop in the comfort of your home. Register at <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/6288143665114057729> to receive your confirmation email with information about joining the training.

**Acing the Job Interview:  
Part I The Basics**  
**5/9 11:30 AM**

The job interview is the final and most important step to employment and it can be the most stressful. From the comfort of your home, join us for this online Power Point presentation that will review the basics of the job interview. Register at <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/4959485017863000833> to receive your confirmation email with information about joining the training.

**Top-Notch Resumes  
Part I The Basics**  
**5/20 10:30 AM**

Your resume is your primary marketing tool to promote yourself, it should identify your professional strengths, experiences, and skills. Learn the basics of preparing a highly effective resume. This is an online workshop. Please register at <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/41479682> to receive your confirmation email with information about accessing this workshop.

**Master the Art of  
Networking**  
**5/23 10:00 AM**

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, about 70 percent of jobs are obtained through networking, so you simply cannot dismiss networking if you're looking for a job. Join us for this online Power Point presentation reviewing the basics of networking - this could be the key ingredient to finding a job sooner rather than later. Please register at <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/3760002494372757762> to receive your confirmation email with information about joining the training.

Note: Tools and tips on resume writing can be found online at New Jersey Career Connections: [careerconnections.nj.gov](http://careerconnections.nj.gov). Go to Prepare, then to Top-Notch Resumes for information that will help you present your skills and experience in your resume.