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Belvidere
908-475-6322
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Fri. 9:00 am-6:00 pm
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**Catherine Dickson
Hofman Branch**
4 Lambert Road
Blairstown
908-362-8335
M-Th 9:00 am-9:00 pm
Fri. 9:00 am-6:00 pm
Sat. 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Franklin Branch
1502 Route 57
Washington
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Starting September 5
M-Th 1:00 pm-9:00 pm
Fri. 1:00 pm-6:00 pm
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Makers Day is almost upon us!

New Jersey Makers Day is a statewide celebration of hands-on, all age learning! Through making, tinkering, experimenting and crafting Makers Day looks to facilitate a new perspective on education in the library space. Over the last four years the Warren County Library System has happily celebrated Makers Day - and this year is no different!

Last year Makers Day drew a statewide audience of over 85,000 individuals at over 300 locations all across the state! At the four branches of the Warren County Library we served nearly 1,000 residents with a multitude of crafts, experiments and shenanigans ranging from cutting edge electronics and robotics programs to old school favorites like tie dying and weaving.

The Warren County Library is committed to creating a community in our county that promotes and supports a wide definition of making. Knitters, woodworkers, gardeners, musicians, photographers, welders, artists, web designers and every other type of maker are all equals with invaluable skills and knowledge. For New Jersey Makers Day we have done everything to ensure as many different mediums and fields of making are represented in our libraries.

Stand out programs for Makers Day 2018 are – DIY kaleidoscopes, a human Spirograph, demonstrations of the library's 3D printer and laser cutter, sewing personalized paper bunting, robotic demonstrations from local high school students, build and animate your own zoetrope, DIY bubbles and bubble wands, experiments with static shock and colored lights, yoga instructions, no bake energy treats, seed starters and much, much more.

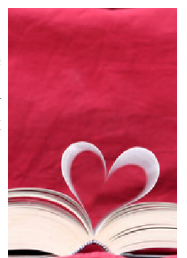
Join us at any of our four library branches on **Saturday March 10** from **10am to 4pm** for a fun filled day!

National Library Lovers' Month

February is Library Lovers' Month, a month-long celebration of school, public, and private libraries of all types. At Warren County Library we like to celebrate the month with our "Blind Date with a Book." Each branch has its own twist on this dating service, so check at the front desk to find out more. You just might discover that special new author or title.

If you are a library lover, invite you to share why you love your library. Tell us why at:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SFFVQNB>



Staff News:

CONGRATULATIONS!
To Nancy VanSyckle and
Lucia Chase
on their retirements

Please note:

Warren County Library will be closed
**Monday 2/12, (Lincoln's Birthday) &
Monday 2/19 (Presidents' Day)**

Library Updates

The statewide interlibrary loan system (loans between library systems) is experiencing significant delays in the delivery of items. If you have requested items from another library system, we cannot estimate when you will receive them. The agency responsible for this service is working with the contractor to resolve the problem and clear the backlog of deliveries. Our library operated delivery service that moves items between branches is not affected by the disruption of the interlibrary loan system.

Mahjongg @ the Library!**2/2, 2/9, 2/16, 2/23 1:00 PM**

Learn to play this interesting and challenging game in our beautiful program room. Bring a friend! Adults 18+ only. Please Register.

Showtime**2/6 6:00 PM****The Writers' Group of Belvidere****2/7 6:30 PM**

Please join us the 1st Wednesday of every month for the Writers' Group of Belvidere meeting. 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. Adults 18+. Registration is required.

Meeting of the Friends of the Warren Co. Library Headquarters**2/8 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 their current fundraising plans. All are welcome! No Registration.

Headquarters Literary Club**2/15 2:00 PM**

Program Closed - The Evening Book Club, 4th Wednesday of each month, is still open.

Warren County Garden Club - Deer Resistant Plants**2/22 1:30 pm**

Oh, DEER, they can do such damage to our gardens! The Warren County Garden Club invites county residents to attend a free presentation by Jerry Fritz, owner of Linden Hill Gardens (Ottsville, PA). Jerry will discuss ways to design a beautiful garden using an array of deer resistant flowers and plants. Limited seating. For information/reservations, please call Lois at 908-213-0311. Adults 18+.

Raising Your Level of Deserve**2/22 6:30 pm**

Life is a feeling experience. If you "think" you deserve more out of life, it's a start. However if you "feel" you do, you've raised your chances of receiving

tenfold. Learn how to do this and see your life improve. Hosted by Bob Burns. Adults 18+. Registration required.

Zumba Class**2/28 5:30 pm**

Join Sandy Polsky and learn to Zumba! Please wear sneakers and comfortable clothes. Adults 18+. Please Register.

Young Adults, Teens, Tweens**The Fuller Brush Girl****2/1 1:30 PM**

Unable to hold a job because of her tendency to get into trouble, bird-brained Sally Elliot (Lucille Ball), gets a job as a Fuller Brush girl, but her attempts at selling cosmetics door-to-door are disastrous. After several misadventures involving obnoxious children and snooty matrons, things go from bad to worse when one of her customers is murdered and she becomes the prime suspect. With reluctant boyfriend Humphrey (Eddie Albert) in tow, Sally and Humphrey, find themselves dodging the police while trying to catch the real killer themselves. Comedy. All ages 13+. No Registration.

Make Toys for Shelter Dogs**2/15 6:30 PM**

Turn an old t-shirt into a dog toy! Toys will be donated to the Common Sense For Animals shelter. Bring an old tee if you have one. It's easy and fun, and dogs love them! Enjoy a snack while you work towards a good cause! Ages 13-18. Please register.

Chess Knights**2/26 6:00 PM**

Napoleon Bonaparte, Alan Turing, Isaac Asimov, Ben Franklin, Bill Gates, David Bowie, Keanu Reeves, Harry Houdini, Heidi Klum and many other famous people are chess players. Learn to play the game or test your skills with a match! All ages are welcome. No Registration.

Knit & Crochet with Gerrie**2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27 3:00 PM**

Come one, Come all! Beginners, intermediate, advanced - all welcome! Learn, teach or just enjoy knitting and crocheting for fun and community. Ages 18+.

Teen Minecraft**2/8 5:00 PM**

Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! Ages 10+. Please Register!

Kids & Tots**Youth Minecraft****2/8 4:00 PM**

Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! Ages 5-9. Please Register.

Family Movie Night-Cars 3**2/14 6:30 PM**

The legendary Lightning McQueen is suddenly pushed out of the sport he loves by a new generation of blazing-fast racers. To get back in the game, he will need the help of an eager young race technician with her own plan to win, inspiration from the late Fabulous Hudson Hornet, and a few unexpected turns. Proving that #95 isn't through yet will test the heart of a champion on Piston Cup Racing's biggest stage! Rated G. Ages 5-9. No registration.

Zentangling Workshop**2/17 1:00 PM**

Join Warren County ARTS member, Pamela Eden Dulaff for a Zentangling Workshop. The Zentangle Method is an easy-to-learn, relaxing, and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing structured patterns. Funding has been made possible, in part, by the Warren County Cultural and Heritage Commission. All ages. Please register.

LEGO Club**2/21 4:30 PM**

Take on our challenge of the month, or build something of your choosing. We'll provide the LEGO bricks. Please do not bring your own. For kids age 7+. Please register.

A Storytime & Warren Garden Club Special**2/6 1:30 PM**

A special Story Time Presented by The Warren Garden Club. Stories, a Valentine craft and treats for all. Age 3-5. Please register. Limited to 15.

Storytime

2/2, 2/9, 2/16, 2/23 10:30 AM
 Story time features a variety of fun crafts for children, and, as always, stories, stories, and stories! Ages 3-5. Please Register.

Storytime Fun with Miss Gerrie

2/13, 2/20, 2/27 1:30 PM
 Story time with Miss Gerrie features a variety of fun crafts for children, a special party or two, and, stories and more

stories! Ages 3-5. Please Register.

Paw Patrol Party!

2/24 11:00 AM
 Woof! Fun and games with Miss Gerrie and your favorite puppy dog heroes! Ages 3+. Registration required.

2-Year-Old Storytime Winter Session

2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27 11:00 AM
 Stories, rhymes, music, and a craft for 2-year-olds with an adult caregiver. Ages 1-2 yrs. Registration required.

Lapsit Storytime and Sing Along Winter Session

2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27 10:00 AM
 A short program for babies and toddlers up to age 2. We'll sing, bounce, clap, and share a story or two! After the program, stay for a half-hour of playtime. Ages up to 2. Registration required.

Catherine Dickson Hofman Branch—Blairstown

NORWESCAP on Preventing Falls

2/1 1:00 PM
 Did you know 95% of hip fractures are caused by falls? And falls are also the most common cause of traumatic brain injuries. Come to this important presentation from Cheryl Walters of NORWESCAP who will talk about being proactive and preventing falls. Sponsored by the North Warren Seniors. No Registration.

De-stress with Jill Howell

2/1 7:00 PM
 Take the first steps to learn how to DESTRESS! Come to a workshop with Jill Howell ATR-BC, LPC art therapist and author of Color, Draw, Collage: Create Your Way to a Less Stressful Life. Through lecture, discussion and experiential you will learn how to better identify your stressors and to how use simple relaxation techniques. Ages 18+. Registration required.

NORWESCAP Tax Assistance

2/5 12:00 PM
2/16 1:00 pm
 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 at 888-387-9830 x 3502.

Valentines for Vets

2/6 12:30 PM
 Join us for a Community Project as we make valentines for veterans and traveler

treats for truck drivers. Sponsored by the Blair Woman's Club. All ages. No Registration.

Knit Wits

2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27 9:00 AM
 The Knit Wits meet on Tuesday mornings to crochet, knit and chat while creating various items to be donated to different organizations. No Registration.

Adult Artists

2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28 10:00 AM
 Let the artist in you emerge! Come join other budding artists and learn techniques in water color, pastel and other mediums. Ages 18+. No Registration.

Drop in Card Creation

2/7 2:00 PM
 Drop-in at the CDH Branch to make unique Valentine's Day cards with Miss Kelly. We'll use a variety of materials and our cool paper cutting machine to craft personalized cards. All ages.

Water Color Workshop with Toni Chaplin

2/9, 2/16 9:30 AM
 Join artist Toni Chaplin when she shares her techniques and ideas during this popular water color workshop. \$25 due upon arrival to class (checks preferred). Adults 18+. Registration required.

PM Literature Club

2/13 7:00 PM
 Leave your daily hustle and bustle behind and join the reading group for interesting reads and lively discussions. No Registration.

Movie Night - The Lost Valentine

2/14 7:00 PM
 Come alone or bring a date and celebrate Valentine's Day at the library with a special screening of The Lost Valentine. During World War II, Navy Lt. Neil Thomas bids Caroline, his pregnant young wife, farewell at Union Station. Before their son is born, Neil's plane goes down in the Pacific and he's declared MIA. Caroline is devastated, but her love never dies. For the next 65 years, Caroline returns to Union Station on the anniversary of her loss to salute his memory. When a TV journalist learns of the touching story, she sets out to investigate what happened to Neil 65 years earlier. We'll supply the popcorn and a special Valentine treat. No registration.

All About Search & Rescue

2/20 12:30 PM
 The local chapter of Search and Rescue will present on their organization. No Registration.

Adult Pinterest Craft

2/21 7:00 PM
 Morgan chose another popular craft idea from Pinterest and the library will supply everything that you need. This month we will be making Relaxation Bath Bombs! Please register.

Arts & Crafts Fundraiser

2/23 & 2/24 All Open Hours
 Come browse arts and crafts from local vendors! There will also be a silent auction for special items. Items will be on

display in the meeting room. This is a fundraiser that benefits the Catherine Dickson Hofman Library Association

AM Literature Club
2/26 10:00 AM

Start your day off with an interesting read and some thought provoking discussions. All book-lovers are invited to attend! No registration.

Young Adults, Teens, Tweens

Creative Arts Studio
2/1, 2/8 4:30 PM

Welcome to Creative Arts Studio! This month, join Laura in creating a Tunisian Crochet Infinity scarf using the gobelin stitch. Yarn and hooks will be provided. This program requires you to attend both Week 1 and Week 2 classes. During Week 1: Learning the basics and getting the scarf started. Participants will take the scarf home to work on. Week 2: Putting our finishing touches on the scarf, and then we will learn how to attach the two ends together! Class for Week 1 will take place on 2/1, and class for Week 2 will take place on 2/8. Grades 6 - 12. Please Register.

Valentine Craft
2/9 4:00 PM
Make a heart-shaped paper flower wall hanging. Ages 10+. Please register.

Coding Club
2/10 2:00 PM
Kids learn coding through fun with laptops and boards like Arduino, MakeyMakeys, circuit playground & more! Miss Sandy of Kaleidoscope Enrichment will lead these activities. Ages 9-12. Please register.

Teen Minecraft
2/15 5:00 PM
Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! Ages 10 - 18. Please register.

Kids & Tots

Quick Craft
2/2 4:00 PM
Make Peter Rabbit and his family. Ages 5+. Please register.

Read To A Pet
2/3 11:00 AM
Sign up to read to a pet for 10 minutes. They love to listen to stories! Call the library to reserve your 10 minute spot. Pet visits are made possible by Creature Comfort - pet therapy for children - build-

ing connections through animal visitation, one cold nose at a time. Please register.

Youth Minecraft
2/15 4:00 PM
Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! Ages 5-9. Please register.

Maker Mondays
2/26 4:30 PM
Combine science and crafts with Miss Sandy of Kaleidoscope Enrichment! This month we'll be sharing the love by making items to donate to local charities! Ages 5 - 12. Please register.

Story Hour
2/1, 2/8, 2/15, 2/22 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! Please register.

Lapsit Storytime
2/2, 2/9, 2/16, 2/23 11:00 AM
Lapsit Storytime for babies and toddlers is an interactive storytime for very young children and a caregiver, lasting about 20 minutes. The program uses rhyme and repetition to build language and literacy skills. Ages 1-2. No Registration.

Franklin Branch – Franklin Township

Crochet Corner
2/1, 2/8, 2/15, 2/22 1:30 PM
Get hooked on the beautiful, lacey art of crochet. Share and learn new techniques, and join us for fun and camaraderie. Beginners or advanced - all are welcome. Ages 18+. No Registration.

Knifty Knitters
2/6, 2/13, 2/27 1:30 PM
Come join our knifty little group and share your love of knitting. Whatever projects you are working on or new projects you want to try - beginner or advanced - all are welcome. Ages 18+. No Registration.

Valentine Mug Adult Craft
2/10 1:00 PM
Warm up your Valentine with a special

Valentine mug you decorate yourself. Adults 18+. Registration required.

Tech Sessions
2/15 5:00 PM
Looking for some computer help? Join us for individual one-on-one tech help on devices, basic computer skills, navigating the internet, or simply putting a book on hold or looking up material/events on our website. Ages 18+. Half-hour sessions; please call for appointment.

Evening Readers
2/21 7:00 PM
Love books and lively discussions? Come join our group of avid readers. This month we will review "The Girl on the Train" by Paula Hawkins (psychological thriller). Ages 18+. No Registration.

Franklin Friends
2/20 1:30 PM
Join our group and support your library!

Knitters of the Round Table
2/20 1:30 PM
Have fun with our knitter knights as we gather at the round table and share our love of this popular art. New ideas, challenging patterns and, most of all, new friends are always welcome. Ages 18+. No registration.

Page Turners
2/20 1:30 PM
If you are interested in a group that loves their library, come join us and share your love of reading. This month, the club is excited to review "Luminaries" by Eleanor Catton. Ages 18+. No Registration.

Young Adults, Teens, Tweens**Danish Weaving Heart Baskets -Drop In Craft**

2/8 5:30 PM
Drop in and make a Danish Weaving Heart Basket for your Valentines. Easy and quick, these baskets make an adorable decoration for your home as well. Come in anytime between 5:30 pm and 7. All ages. No registration.

Chinese New Year Celebration & Lantern Craft

2/16 4:00 PM
Celebrate the Chinese New Year, the year of the dog and craft a paper lantern. All ages. Please register.

Teen Minecraft

2/1 5:00 PM
Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! Ages 10 - 18 Registration Required!

Purl Jam Knitting Club

2/2 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.

Science Action Club - Cloud Quest

2/5, 2/26 4:00 PM
Through the use of the NASA Globe Observer application and science experiments young scientists will begin a deep dive into studying weather systems and anthropogenic climate change. Our Science Action Clubs have generously been funded and supported by the California Academy of Sciences, the National Girls Collaborative Project and MacEwan Consulting. To meet the grant requirements we ask that participants make a good faith effort to attend all sessions. Ages 13+. Registration required.

Hour of Code

2/7, 2/21 4:00 PM
Spend an hour at the library solving a variety of self-guided puzzles in the coding world. Ages 7-12. Please register.

Hidden Figures Movie Viewing

2/8 4:00 PM
Movie viewing, discussion and Hidden Figures science based handouts and work sheets. Ages 8 +. Please register.

Code Monkeys

2/9 4:00 PM
Engross yourself in the world of electronics! We will provide 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! Ages 10 +. Please register.

Spoken Word & Music

2/15 6:00 PM
Share your personal poetry or music while enjoying recited works of Langston Hughes, Nikki Giovanni, Maya Angelou, Paul Laurence Dunbar, and more! Ages 13+. Please register.

Teen Gardening Club

2/16 4:00 PM
Join us as we grow into a more sustainable community! Ages 10+. Registration Required!

Trouble Makers Club

2/23 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. Ages 10+. Please register.

Celebrating African Americans in the Military

2/23 4:00 PM
Ages 10 & up, join us for a video Q&A and trivia with prizes! Please register.

Kids & Tots**Youth Minecraft**

2/1 4:00 PM
Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! Ages 5-9. Please register. !

Great African American Inventors & Scientists

2/2 4:00 PM
Explore the rich history of African American inventors and scientists Garrett Morgan and George Washington Carver. Create graham cracker traffic lights and chocolate peanut butter balls. Ages 6 + Registration required. Note: Craft will contain peanuts & peanut products.

A Chomping Good Storytime

2/6 5:00 PM
Join us to read "The Bear's Toothache" by David McPhail and make an edible craft. Note: Craft contains peanut butter. Ages 5-12; Please register.

Chess Club

2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28 5:00 PM
Learn the game of Chess and challenge your peers! Ages 5-8. Please register.

Coder Bunnyz

2/14, 2/28 4:00 PM
Come learn coding by playing a fun board game! Ages 5-7. Please register.

Big Hat Tea Party

2/17 2:00 PM
Join in the fun at our Big Hat Tea Party. Make a big fancy hat to wear. Sip and munch on tea cakes while listening to a story. Ages 7+; Please register. Moms and Dads are welcome, too!

Mad Scientist's Club- What's that Sound?!

2/20 6:30 PM
Stop! What's that sound?! Do love to make noise? Join us for some experiments involving soundwaves and see if you can make something that POPS! Ages 5+. Please register.

Story Hour Snacktivity

2/15 10:30 AM
Right after Miss Morgan's stories, we'll have a Fruit Loopy snack that will make learning our colors lots of fun. YUM! Ages 3-5. Please register.

Toddler Tuesday - Heart Puppets

2/13 4:00 PM
Story time and crafts for toddlers! Ages 0-2. Registration required.

Crafty Ladies**2/1, 2/8, 2/15, 2/22 1:30 PM**

Like to knit or crochet? Would you like to learn? Join our crafty ladies! Adults 18+. No Registration.

Adult Paint-A-Scape**2/1 6:30 PM**

Paint a still life from a live setup! Learn how to shade properly during this paint-a-scape. A preliminary sketch will be provided on your canvas to guide your finished painting. This is a ticketed event. All materials are included. Tickets are \$35.00. Ages 18+.

Mahjongg**2/5, 2/26 10:00 AM**

Join a great group of people and play Mahjongg. Games from beginner to advanced. Beginners welcome! Adults 18+. No Registration.

Friends Meeting**2/5 7:00 PM**

Become an advocate for your library by joining a group of volunteers who meet once a month to discuss fund-raising and programming for the library. Bring your ideas!

Michael Daigle, Local Author**2/10 1:30 PM**

Meet local author Michael Daigle and learn about his Frank Nagler Mystery series. The series follow the investigations of Detective Frank Nagler and takes place in the fictional city of Ironton, N.J., based on Dover. The series: "The Swamps of Jersey," 2014; the sequel, "A Game Called Dead," 2016, was named a Shelf Unbound Best Indie Book Runner-up, 2016; and "The Weight of Living", 2017, which was awarded FIRST PLACE for Mysteries in the 2017 Royal Dragonfly Book Awards. The author will be discussing his books as well as how to use local history in fiction writing, character development, and how to start writing. Adults 18+. Please register.

Quilting Snails**2/13 5:30 PM**

The Quilting Snails is a club dedicated to machine quilting. Beginners, intermedi-

ate, and experienced are all welcome! Please bring your own machine to the meeting. This club will be meeting monthly. Adults 18+. Please register.

Sunrise Seniors**2/13 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. This month we will be watching a short documentary (23 min. run time, NR) about how and why the Chinese New Year is celebrated. Light refreshments will be provided.

Adult Craft**2/20 12:30 PM**

Join Miss Jody in making a seasonal craft, all materials provided. Ages 18+. Please register.

Bookworms**2/21 1:30 PM**

Join our monthly book club. We will be reading Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger.

Book Friends**2/21 6:30 PM**

Come and enjoy a lively cafe style book club for discussion and light refreshments. Title to be announced.

Tapestry, Fiber Arts Group**2/27 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. Adults 18+. Please register.

Young Adults, Teens, Tweens**Pikachu's Coloring Contest**

Attention Pokémon trainers! Pikachu is holding a special contest in anticipation of the Pokémon club's movie showing & pizza party on February 20th! Stop by the Northeast Branch and pick up a Pokémon coloring sheet. Each time you return a coloring sheet, you get a ticket, enter for you chance to win a poké-tastic prize, and get another one to color. The coloring sheets will be displayed all month long. All ages.

Valentine's Day Carnival**2/2 4:30 PM**

Celebrate Valentine's Day a little early by playing fun carnival games! We'll have beanbag toss, bowling, and pin the tail on the donkey. Seasonal snacks are included. For all ages. Please register.

Chinese New Year's Celebration**2/16 4:30 PM**

Learn about the Chinese New Year in this fun, educational program! Play a fun minute to win it game with chopsticks, color in your own dragon mask, and snack on Chinese inspired food. All ages. Please register.

Pokémon Club: Movie Showing & Pizza Party!**2/20 6:30 PM**

Watch Ash's and Pikachu's re-imagined first meeting in the brand new movie, Pokémon the Movie: I Choose You! (1-hour 38 min. run time) while eating pizza and popcorn! For all ages. Please register.

Beauty and the Beast Movie Showtime**2/24 1:00 PM**

Watch Beauty and the Beast (85 min. run time, rated G, 1991) while enjoying pizza and snacks fit for royalty (we'll even have the grey stuff -- try it, it's delicious). Please register.

Tween Paint-A-Scape**2/3 11:30 AM**

Paint a still life from a live setup! Learn how to shade properly during this paint-a-scape. A preliminary sketch will be provided on your canvas to guide your finished painting. This is a ticketed event. All materials are included in the price of the ticket. Tickets are \$25.00. Ages 7-16.

Yarn Over Time**2/5, 2/26 6:00 PM**

Yarn over Time is a crochet and knitting group 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. No registration.

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Robotics Programming Club
2/10 10:00 AM
 The Robotics Programming Club. This club is intended for those individuals interested in the fundamentals needed to program robots for autonomous competition using the JAVA computer programming language. We will be examining the relationship and interaction between hardware sensors, motors, and the software. Also, we will discuss interruption processing, multitasking, memory management, and signaling as it related to digital sensors used on the **FIRST robots. The lectures will consist of the theory, considerations, problem situations and the logical flow required to control robotic devices. Registrants will need to bring their own personal laptop computer. Grade 9 thru Adult. Register please.

Origami Club
2/14 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. Please register.

Gamer's Club
2/17 12:30 PM
 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. Ages 13-20. Please register.

Teen Minecraft
2/22 5:00 PM
 Take a break from the school day grind and break some blocks in Minecraft! For ages 9-18. Register please.

Beauty and the Beast Tween Craft
2/24 12:00 PM
 Create your own enchanted rose snow globe with Miss Christina W., then stay and watch Beauty and the Beast. Please bring your own mason jar with a lid. Ages 8-17. Please register.

Media Makers
2/26 4:00 PM
 Join a dedicated group of media makers learning new techniques, offering critiques and workshopping new ideas in mediums as varied as video, podcasting and zine publishing. Build a DIY ethos and learn that nothing is stopping you from creating except yourself! Grades 9-12. Please Register.

Kids & Tots
Radical Rocketeers

2/3 10:00 AM
 Radical Rocketeers meets the first Saturday of every month from 10 am to 12 pm. 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. All ages welcome! Children must be accompanied by an adult. Please register.

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Stories & Craft
2/7, 2/21, 2/28 10:30 AM
 Come listen to stories, sing songs, and make a themed craft each week! Please register.

Valentine's Day Storytime
2/14 10:30 AM
 Join Miss Lindsay and Miss Karen H for a special storytime! Listen to Valentine's Day stories, play Valentine's bingo, and decorate cupcakes! Please register.

The Berenstain Bears PJ Story Time
2/26 6:30 PM
 For ages 3-8. This month, listen to stories about the Berenstain Bears. Color, have stories read to you, and wear your pajamas. Please register.

Beauty and the Beast Kids' Craft
2/24 12:00 PM
 For ages 3-8. Get ready to watch Beauty and the Beast by decorating your own enchanted mirror and folding your own chip! Please register.

Stories & Music
2/1, 2/8, 2/15, 2/22 10:30 AM
 Come listen to stories, sing songs, and color too! Ages 2+. Please register.

Infant Story Time
2/2, 2/9, 2/16, 2/23 10:30 AM
 Bring your baby and listen to stories, sing songs, and finger plays. For infants under the age of 2. Please register.

JOB SEEKING ASSISTANCE—WALK IN—NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY

Walk-In Job Seeking Assistance

2/2	1:30-3:30 PM	@ Headquarters Branch	2/8	1:00-3:00 PM	@ Catherine Dickson Hofman
2/27	2:00-3:30 PM	@ Headquarters Branch	2/22	1:00-3:00 PM	@ Northeast

Walk in, No appointment necessary at these times only; on a first-come, first-serve basis.



Online presentation for NJ Career Connections—Jersey Job Club Online Workshops for Job Seekers

These are online workshops that you can take part from the comfort of your home. For Ages 18+ only. If you have any Questions, please call Nancy Propsner (908) 475-6241

Path to Employment: Starting Your Job Search 2/7 2:00 PM

This is a basic, online overview to starting your job search, presented to you in a Power Point presentation. You'll learn about New Jersey Career Connections, a great online tool to help you to plan, prepare, and succeed at your job search. Please register for this online workshop at:

https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/2329215715878638594

After registering you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the training.

Master the Art of Networking: The Basics 2/14 2:00 PM

Networking is a great tool to cultivate relationships to find employment. Join this online Power Point presentation reviewing the basics of networking. This could be the key ingredient to you finding a job. Please register for this Online Workshop at:

https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/1195906200176633602

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Volunteering: A Doorway to Employment 2/21 2:00 PM

Join us for this Power Point presentation and learn how volunteering can get you a job. Find out about the benefits of volunteering. A great opportunity to learn new skills, network, and meet new people. Please register for this Online Workshop at: https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/7316152958259283970 After registering you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the training.

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JOB SEEKING ASSISTANCE AT THE BRANCHES

Book Club for Job Seekers at Headquarters Branch 2/5, 2/26 5:00 PM

We'll continue reading the book, What Color is Your Parachute? A Practical Manual for Job-Hunters and Career-Changers (2018 edition) by Richard N. Bolles. At each meeting, we'll focus in-depth on a chapter in the book: how we can incorporate the ideas, suggestions and insights into our job search and what we need to do differently to get that job offer.

- 2/05/18: Chapter 7: Self-Inventory, Part 1.
- 2/26/18: Chapter 8: Self-Inventory, Part 2.

Facilitated by library staff. Please register.

Resume Review

Bring in 2 hard copies of your resume for a quick review. We'll spend 15 minutes with you going over your resume and how to enhance and tweak it. This is a walk-in opportunity.

at CDH Branch 2/13 1:00-2:00 PM

at Franklin Branch 2/9 2:00-3:00 PM

Networking & Support Group for Job Seekers :

Informal job seekers networking/support group. Share your job search experiences; learn how to improve your job seeking skills. Get motivated and inspired. Support and encourage one another, share tips, resources and job leads. Please register. Adult (18+)

at Headquarters Branch 2/23 10:00 AM
at NE Branch 2/16 3:00 PM

Polish Your Resume Workshop: The Basics at NE Branch 2/17 2:00 PM

During this basic overview, learn how to put your best foot forward with your resume. We'll go over the main elements of a resume and the must-have parts and what not to include on a resume. Please register.

Develop Your Elevator Pitch Workshop at NE Branch 2/28 2:00 PM

An elevator pitch is a quick introduction of yourself professionally to someone you don't know. Great to use while you're networking and looking for a job. Join us at this interactive, hands-on workshop &

create your elevator pitch. You'll use a six-step template to help you develop your elevator pitch, which you can use during your job search. Please register.

Job Seeking Assistance

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. Adults 18+. Please Register.

at Headquarters Branch

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