

UNEARTH A STORY

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Every summer at our Library, children, teens, and families "unearth" something new — a story, an idea, or a sense of what's possible.

Unearthing a Story, this year's Summer Reading theme, draws on the spirit of discovery, while reflecting the Library's role in helping young readers uncover endless possibilities. Check out all the adventures waiting for you at the library this summer!



Saturday, June 6 - Saturday, August 15

- Reading logs available beginning June 6.
- If you prefer, track your reading online with Beanstack. Ask a staff member for more info!

All programs are FREE

- Registration is recommended for all programs and **required** for a select few.
- Unless otherwise noted, programs take place at the library.
- For full event details and links to registration, please visit: LancasterPublicLibrary.org.

Programs are subject to change

- When in doubt, check our website for updates.

SPECIAL EVENTS

BIG Book Sale

Saturday, June 20 · 7AM-8PM

Sunday, June 21 · 8AM-7PM

Monday, June 22 · 8AM-5PM (1/2 price day!)

Shop our selection of 250,000+ quality used books, plus thousands of other items including vinyl records, CDs, and DVDs. Cash, credit cards, and checks accepted. Proceeds benefit LPL!

Sale held at F&M's Alumni Sports & Fitness Center

Scoops Community Night

Tuesday, August 11 · 5-8PM

Enjoy dinner and/or dessert at Scoops Ice Cream & Grille, **mention this fundraiser**, and 20% of your food purchase will benefit the Mountville Branch! You can also support the library by purchasing discount tickets to Boulders Miniature Golf the next time you visit the Mountville Branch!

ADULT PROGRAMS

Lunch Time Junk Journaling

Make a journal, using recycled and found materials, to record your thoughts, ideas, and memories. *Most supplies provided, if you have a blank journal or notebook—please bring it!*

2nd Wednesdays · 11:30AM · Ages 18+

Adult Crafternoons

Whatever your medium — cross stitch or crochet, watercolors or mixed media, or something else entirely — join us to mingle while you work on your projects! *All skill levels, but we do not provide instructions or materials.*

4th Thursdays · 1:30PM · Ages 18+

Noveltea Book Club

A book discussion for bibliophiles who appreciate a good cup of tea just as much as a good story.

Jun 18: *Everything is Tuberculosis* by John Green

Jul 16: *The Alice Network* by Kate Quinn

Aug 20: *Whiskey Tender* by Deborah Jackson Taffa

3rd Thursdays · 6PM · Ages 18+

Genealogy for Beginners

Unlock your family story — we will explore the library's genealogy resources, allow time for questions, and learn from each other.

Saturday, July 11 · 10:30AM · Ages 18+

Andy the Armadillo Storytime

Join us for a special storytime with Andy the Armadillo*, the Texas Roadhouse mascot! We will have armadillo stories and an armadillo-themed craft. *Andy is a costumed character.

Monday, June 29 · 10:30AM · Ages 4-11

Astronomy in the Park

Let's learn how telescopes work as we explore the summer skies! Summer is a great time to turn your eyes to the skies and learn about the stars. *We'll meet outside, in front of the library, and walk over to the Borough Park together.*

Wednesdays, July 8 and August 12 · 8PM · All ages

Baby Storytime

A special storytime with Miss Shannon just for babies and their parents/caregivers!

Most Thursdays · 10:30AM · Ages 0-11 months

Building Bridges

Come to the library for the ultimate building challenge! During this hands-on workshop, you will create your own bridge design using a variety of materials, engineering skills, and teamwork.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Thursday, June 18 · 1PM · Ages 7-12

Chalk the Walk

Everyone is invited to the library to create a canvas of color. Your unique sidewalk art will help us bring the library to life! *This program will take place outside the library, weather permitting.*

Thursdays, June 11 and July 9 · 10:30AM · All ages

Colonial Fun and Games

Take a step back in time as we explore how kids played more than 200 years ago. Way back in the day, games required creativity and movement, and sometimes involved a little friendly competition. *This program will take place outside the library, weather permitting.*

Monday, July 20 · 5:30PM · All ages

Critter Connection

Meet some lovable critters like snakes, turtles, geckos, guinea pigs, and more! Learn about these animals as you interact with them. ****This program will take place at the Mountville Church of the Brethren, located across the street from the library**** **Registration required, including adults.**

Monday, June 8 · 10:30AM · All ages

Dino Chat with Mr. Mike "Dinosaur Man"

Mr. Mike will lead us through 270 million years of dinosaur history! We will learn lesser-known facts about the ancient creatures everyone already knows and meet some fascinating beasts that rarely take center stage. ****This program will take place at the Mountville Church of the Brethren, located across the street from the library**** **Registration required, including adults.**

Monday, June 15 · 10:30AM · All ages

Dino-Mite Creations

Get ready for a roaring good time! Our weekly dinosaur craft program is hands-on and filled with creative activities and prehistoric fun.

Most Fridays · Drop-in 10:30AM-12:30PM · Ages 4-12

First Monday Pajama Storytime

Throw on your pajamas and head to the library for stories, singing, and dancing that will help get the wiggles and giggles out before bedtime!

1st Mondays · 6:15PM · Ages 4-11

Little Dino, Big Roar

Fossils can teach us a lot about dinosaurs. We'll learn about famous paleontologists and create our own large and small fossils. Bonus! Everyone will take home their own edible amber fossil.

Monday, August 3 · 1:30PM · Ages 5-11

Mark DeRose Music

Don't miss this feel-good show for kids of all ages! Mark DeRose uses songs, art, videos and activities to communicate his message of embracing life, creativity, and having the confidence to be yourself. ****This program will take place at the Mountville Church of the Brethren, located across the street from the library****

Registration required, including adults.

Monday, June 22 · 1:30PM · All ages

Pennsylvania Paleontology

Learn what Pennsylvania looked like 400+ million years ago! See real fossils and learn about our state fossil, the trilobite. Participants will work together to put together a big (paper) dinosaur.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Monday, July 6 · 3PM · Ages 5-11

Pollinator Week Storytime

The Lancaster County Master Gardeners will teach us about the importance of pollinators in our environment with a storytime and fun craft!

Thursday, June 25 · 10:30AM · Ages 5-11

Preschool Storytime

Share the joy of reading with your little ones by joining Miss Rachel for stories, songs, and a craft!

Most Tuesdays · 10:30AM · Ages 3-6

Read-a-Loud with Raven

Build reading confidence with the help of Raven, a loving therapy dog. Sign-up your 1st-4th grade reader and watch their love of reading (and dogs!) grow. **Registration required.**

4th Saturdays · 10:30AM · 15-minute time slots

Red, White, and Tunes

Sing, move, and celebrate! Participants will have fun singing songs, full of rhythm, movement, and American pride. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Tuesday, June 23 · 1PM · Ages 4-11

Stegosaurus to Steam

Learn how we went from dinosaurs to the coal that powers trains. See a model steam engine and learn the story behind the black rock that powered Pennsylvania. Presented by the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Thursday, June 25 · 1:30PM · All ages

Toddler Time

A crowd-pleasing storytime that offers social interaction and builds a love of reading through engaging stories, fun songs, and more!

Most Wednesdays · 10:30AM · Ages 1-2



Reading and participating in engaging reading activities throughout the summer are two effective ways to combat summer learning loss, or the summer slide. Our Summer Reading Program can help children retain reading skills and foster a love for the library!