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Kirby Café

September 2017

35 Kirby Avenue Mountain Top, PA 18707 570-474-9313 www.kirbylib.org Fax 570-474-2587



Holiday Closing



The library will be closed on Tuesday, September 5 in observance of Labor Day. Please note if a holiday falls on a Monday, the library will be closed on Tuesday.

2017 Annual Fund Drive



Enjoy coffee, tea, or hot chocolate for \$1.50 plus tax.

Want to become a volunteer?



Applications for age 13 & up can be obtained from the Circulation Desk or from www.kirbylib.org. Contact Audrey at 570-474-9313 ext. 303 for more information.

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PLEASE HELP US REACH OUR \$28,000 GOAL

We are currently at the 18,000.00 mark! Thank you to all of our friends and patrons who have sent a donation. We truly appreciate it!

We rely on the generous donations of our community. If you did not receive a donation form in the mail, you can make your donation by using our secure website, www.kirbylib.org, or by picking up a form at the library.

You may not be aware of this, but the Marian Sutherland Kirby Library offers services to over 18,000 residents in 7 municipalities. These services include computers, books, movies, reading rooms, children's programming and much more.

The Marian Sutherland Kirby Library is proud to be your community library and we certainly wouldn't be here without you. We are so grateful for your continued support and generosity!

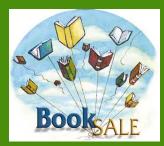
From the entire Marian Sutherland Kirby Library Staff & Volunteers, we thank you!

PA Forward Star Libraries

you would like to support. The library will receive 0.5% of your purchases any time you shop AmazonSmile.

Thank you for participating!

Book Sale!



Shop for great bargains at our book sale. Items may be purchased individually (plus tax) or buy a bag to fill up for 5.00 tax included.



PA Forward Star Libraries

You may be wondering why so many local public libraries are talking about stars that their library is earning. The M.S. Kirby Library has already earned our Bronze Star, and we're quickly working toward our Silver and Gold Stars! But what does that mean?

The Pennsylvania Library Association has a new programming initiative to make sure that libraries are reaching their greatest potential to meet the needs of our patrons.

We have five main ideas that we are focusing our programs around: Basic Literacy, Information Literacy, Civic and Social Literacy, Health Literacy, and Financial Literacy. When you do specific programs based on these ideas, you earn the stars!

Basic Literacy

- Libraries can push Pennsylvania to achieve one of the highest literacy rates in the country, a trained and skilled workforce, and a growing economy, tax base, and population.

Information Literacy

- Libraries can help all Pennsylvanians learn how to use online resources and current technology to improve their education, to enhance their job skills, to develop their personal lives, and to fully participate in a digital society.

Civic and Social Literacy

- Libraries can play an important role in helping citizens have the knowledge and skills they need to improve their lives, to participate and contribute effectively to their community, government, and society, and to connect with one another through discourse.

Health Literacy

- Libraries can play an important role in helping citizens manage their own and their family's well-being, and empower them to be effective partners with their healthcare providers so they can live longer, more productive lives.

Financial Literacy

- Libraries can help citizens become informed consumers and guide individuals, small businesses, and other organizations to contribute to the economic vitality of their community through innovation, entrepreneurship, and economic development.

Be sure to follow our website, Facebook page, and monthly newsletter to see all of our programs that we offer!

Children

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Registration for all programs is required. Call 570-474-9313 or stop in at the library to register for the following programs:



Lapsit--0-23 months

Thursdays, September 7, 14, 21, & 28 -- 9:30 am

Story Time--Ages 2-3 1/2

Wednesdays, September 6, 13, 20, & 27 -- 11:00 am

Pre-K Story Time-- Ages 3 1/2 - 5

Fridays, September 22 & 29 -- 11 am



with you if you have some.

Paint Kindness Rocks--All ages

Friday, September, 1 10:00-2:00

Stop in and have fun painting rocks and then take them to hide in places where you would like to spread a little kindness. You can bring rocks



Back to School "Spread" -- Families with children in grades K-12

Saturday, September 2 -- 1:00 pm Food, coloring, Magna Tiles.

Talk Like a Pirate Day

Tuesday, September 19 Grades K-2 -- 6:00 pm Talk like a pirate & dress up like one if you want to! Learn kid-to-pirate lingo, enjoy some pirate-y snacks & make a parrot craft!





"Cruise in to Kindergarten" Information Night for parents of children entering Kindergarten in the 2018 or 2019 school years --children are welcome too!

Tuesday, September 26 -- 6:00 pm

Learn about the program and how to promote an early love of reading and books at home, and other activities your family can do to get your child ready for kindergarten. The little ones are invited.

to practice important motor skills with cutting & coloring & also verbal skills reciting the alphabet & sounding out letters.

Furry Tails

Is your child a shy or hesitant reader, or does your child just love to read? Angie visits the library at 6:30pm on the fourth Wednesday of every month! Call or visit to sign your child up to read to this gentle, certified therapy dog! Her next visit is **September 27.**



Make Home Made Chocolate Milk --Grades 3-5

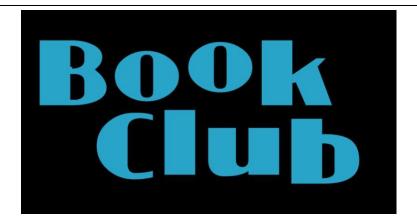
Saturday, September 30-- 1:00

Learn how to make chocolate milk from scratch & enjoy some cookies for a yummy afternoon snack!



Teens (Grades 6-12)

Registration is required for all programs. Call 570-474-9313 or stop n at the library to register for any of the following programs:



T(w)een Book Club Planning Meeting

Tuesday, September 12 -- 6:00 pm

Would you like to be part of a book club? Come share your thoughts & ideas about what books you would like to read and what activities you would like to take part in. Make Navi Lights for Zelda Day! Refreshments will be provided.



T(W)een Book Discussion & Activity

Saturday, September 23 -- 1:00 pm

Books will be distributed for the book club & make treat bags to be delivered to local businesses for "Good Neighbor Day".

Adults

Register for programs at the library or call 570-474-9313

Color Me Calm!

Wednesday, September 13 -- 6:00 - 7:30

Come color your cares away while listening to relaxing music. Coloring pages & supplies will be provided or feel free to bring your own.



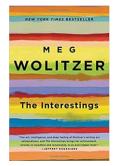
Kirby Book Club

The selected book is The Interestings by Meg Wolitzer

Saturday, September 23 -- 1:00 pm Meet in the Reading Room

Wide in scope, ambitious, and populated by complex characters who come together and apart in a changing New York City,

The Interestings



explores the meaning of talent; the nature of envy; the roles of class, art, money, and power; and how all of it can shift and tilt precipitously over the course of a friendship and a life.



In vestments Demystified

presented by Daniel R. Cronauer of Daniel R. Cronauer & Associates, LLC

Wednesday, September 20 -- 6:30 pm

Discussion will include an explanation of different types of investments & how they work.

Socrates Cafe

Wednesday, September 27 -- 6:30pm Conducted by Steve Wallace

Adults from all walks of life gather for conversation and intellectual interaction. The group meets the fourth Wednesday of the month in the Reading Room.

Registration is not necessary just show up!





Learning and Applying Feng Shui for Better Health, Wealth, and Loving Relationships

presented by Sybilla Lenz of Positive Living by Design Inc.

Wednesday, October 4 -- 6:30 pm

Feng Shui is a Chinese art which is based on the belief that the way you arrange things within a building, and within the rooms of that building, can affect aspects of your life such as happiness & success.

This program will discuss the two powerful schools of Feng Shui & how the five elements interrelate with each other in your home.

Basic Computer Classes



FREE Computer Classes

Are you or is someone you know struggling to learn the basics of computers? Join one of our free classes today simply by calling or visiting the library to sign up.

Adults ages 18 & older may choose from two basic computer classes.

Beginner Computer Lessons

Every other Thursday from 2:00pm - 3:00pm. One-on-one training of basic computer skills. Intended for people with no previous experience.

Second Level Computer Lessons

Every other Wednesday from 3:30pm - 4:30pm. One-on-one training for email and web browsing. Great if you already know the basics!

New Materials

New Materials August 2017

FICTION

Dragonsworn ~ Sherrilyn Kenyon

Gone gull ~ Donna Andrews

Crime scene ~ Jonathan Kellerman

Exposed ~ Lisa Scottoline

Seeing red ~ Sandra Brown

The store ~ James Patterson

Without fear or favor ~ Robert K. Tanenbaum

I know a secret ~ Tess Gerritsen

The other girl ~ Erica Spindler

The saboteur ~ Andrew Gross

Y is for yesterday ~ Sue Grafton

Map of the heart ~ Susan Wiggs

Red swan ~ P.T. Deutermann

Secrets of the tulip sisters ~ Susan Mallery

Stranger in the house ~ Shari Lapena

Watch me disappear ~ Janelle Brown

Emma in the night ~ Wendy Walker

Meddling kids ~ Edgar Cantero

Battlefront II: Inferno squad ~ Christie Golden

Lying game ~ Ruth Ware

Pieces of happiness ~ Anne Ostby

Break down ~ B.A. Paris

Before we were yours ~ Lisa Wingate

Here and gone ~ Haylen Beck

NONFICTION

Strays ~ Britt Collins

Joy of bird feeding ~ Jim Carpenter ~ donated by Angie, Janet,

Amy, Flo & John in memory of Irene Davis

Rediscovering Americanism ~ Mark R. Levin

Women in the world of Frederick Douglas ~ Leigh Fought

Kennedy and King ~ Steven Levingston

Dangerous ~ Milo Yiannopoulos

JFK: a vision for America

Deepa's secrets ~ Deepa Thomas

Return of the king ~ Brian Windhorst

New small garden ~ Noel Kingsbury ~ donated by Deborah L.

Kutz in memory of Anita L. Learn-McCartney Annual Fund Drive 2017

Essential pruning techniques: trees, shrubs, conifers ~ George E.

Brown ~ donated by Ron Myers Well Drilling in memory of

Albert Myers Annual Fund Drive 2017

Investing for dummies ~ Eric Tyson

Hunger: a memoir of (my) body ~ Roxane Gay

Devil's bargain ~ Joshua Green

The Bright hour ~ Nina Riggs

The hippies: a 1960's history ~ John Anthony Moretta

Be a hero ~ John Geddes

The bright hour ~ Nina Riggs

An inconvenient sequel: truth to power ~ Al Gore

A speck in the sea: a story of survival and rescue ~ John Aldridge ~ Ayers Towing Service, Inc. in memory of Thomas Simms Annual Fund Drive 2017

LARGE PRINT

Any dream will do ~ Debbie Macomber

The store ~ James Patterson

Paradise Valley ~ C.J. Box

Crime scene ~ Jonathan Kellerman

Seeing red ~ Sandra Brown ~ donated by the Osiecki Family Annual Fund Drive 2017

CD BOOKS

Everything all at once ~ Bill Nye

Bill O'Reilly's legends & lies: the Civil War ~ David Fisher

House of spies ~ Daniel Silva

The late show ~ Michael Connelly

Paradise Valley ~ C.J. Box

Lying game ~ Ruth Ware

An inconvenient sequel: truth to power ~ Al Gore

DVD

The fate of the furious

Snatched

Boss baby

The Circle

YOUNG ADULT

Generation one ~ Pittacus Lore

Spellbook of the lost and found ~ Moira Fowley-Doyle

In 27 days ~ Alison Gervais

The last magician ~ Lisa Maxwell

The secret history of us ~ Jessi Kirby

JUVENILE FICTION

Fergus and Zeke ~ Kate Messner

Jasmine Toguchi: Mochi queen ~ Debbi Michiko Florence

EASY BOOKS

Pete the cat and the cool cat boogie ~ Kimberly & James Dean We're all wonders ~ P.J. Palacio

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