September

9/9 at 6:30 pm: American Plants in English Gardens  
Join Tim and Lisa of Ballantyne Gardens to hear how the American founding fathers and John Bertram brought Native American plants to the gardens of Europe.

9/12 at 2 pm: Family Tech Workshop: Microsoft Word  
Registration required. Bring your own laptop or use one of ours to do hands-on learning. Parents and children will learn Word basics and tricks together.

9/15 at 1 pm and 5:30 pm: The Sea is Wide: Caregiving for Alzheimer’s  
Author Rundy Purdy will share his journey as a caregiver for his grandfather. Join us for an honest, moving and supportive look at caregiving for a difficult, tragic disease.

9/16 at 10:30 am: Caring for the Pan Am Flight 103 / Lockerbie Collection  
Archivist Vanessa St. Oegger will talk about the disaster of 1988 that shook Syracuse.

9/22 at 7 pm: Great Minds / Great Ideas: Joseph Stiglitz  
Explore the ideas of this Noble Prize–winning economist, who argues that the economic policies of the last 30 years have failed all but the wealthiest of us. Are we undemocratic?

9/25 at 1 pm: The Light at the End of the Trail  
Local author David Moore has faced depression, illness, drugs, and even a religious cult.

9/29 at 1 pm and 6 pm: Disaster Preparedness  
Remember the tornado in Smithfield? Participate in a life-saving training course from NYS and make sure you have the tools and resources to respond to the next natural or man-made disaster.

9/30 at 7 pm: Tech Tutorial: Google Photos  
Registration required. Back up your tablet or phone photos to the cloud for free!

October

10/3 at 2 pm: Family Tech Workshop: Image Editing in Word  
Registration required. Parents and children can get creative and clever in MS Word.

10/10 at 1 pm and 10/12 at 10 am: Rite Aid Flu Clinic

10/13 at 7 pm: Tech Tutorial: Pinterest 101  
Registration required. Learn how to use this social media tool and find pinspiration!

10/14 at 10:30 am: Sue Greenhagen’s Graveyards of Madison County  
Take a look at interesting names and interesting headstones of local graveyards.

10/20 at 1 pm: Preplanning: Make It Easy On Your Loved Ones  
What services are available? Are there new options to consider? Join us with Erich Schepp of Schepp Family Funeral Homes and plan now so grieving loved ones won’t need to later.

10/20 at 7 pm: Great Minds / Great Ideas: Celtic Languages in the 21st Century  
A survey of the six surviving Celtic Languages from local expert Dr. Jesse Harasta.

10/21 at 10:30 am: The History of Modern Funeral Service  
Why do we wear black? Have we always mourned with flowers? Learn some not-so-grisly history.

10/28 at 10:30 am: Death Rites Across Cultures  
Get a glimpse into mortuary school with a look at funerals in different religions and cultures.

10/28 at 5:30 pm: iCare: Caregivers, Do You Need a Break?  
Learn how respite care can help you avoid burnout and find relief when you need it.
BOOK GROUPS

1st Wednesdays at 10:15 am
September 2: Proof Positive by Archer Mayor
October 7: The Crossing Places by Elly Griffiths
November 4: The Lighthouse by P. D. James

Mystery Lovers

1st Tuesdays at 2 pm
September 1: The Good Luck of Right Now by Matthew Quick
October 6: Our Souls at Night by Kent Haruf
November 3: The Girl on the Train by Paula Hawkins

Contemporary Book Club

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Real Life Readers

3rd Thursdays at 2 pm
September 17: Red Notice by Bill Browder
October 15: Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania by Erik Larson
November 19: The Train to Crystal City: FDR’s Secret Prisoner Exchange Program by Jan Jarboe Russell

Pins & Needles

Every Wednesday at 6:30 pm
Knit, crochet, embroider, or cross-stitch your way into a good chat. Tutorials are available, as well as extra yarn and needles for newbies.
Kids Programs

Young Tech: Creative Coding
Monday, September 14 at 11 am
For students in grades 5+. Special encore of the summer program. Make your own simple video game using Scratch! Registration required.

Young Naturalists
Saturday, September 26 at 2 pm
For students in grades 5+. Learn about basic biology and local ecology with Don Gates and the Izaak Walton League! Registration required.

Day Off From School Movies
Hotel Transylvania
Monday, September 14 at 2 pm
No admittance after the movie begins. Rated PG. 92 minutes.

Cinderella (2015)
Wednesday, September 23 at 2 pm
No admittance after the movie begins. Rated PG. 114 minutes.

Monster House
Monday, October 12 at 2 pm
No admittance after the movie begins. Rated PG. 91 minutes.

Minecraft for Beginners
Saturday, September 26 at 2 pm
For beginners only, we’ll will teach you how to play Minecraft so you can join in the fun. Registration required.

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Wednesday, September 23 at 2 pm
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Minecraft for Parents
Wednesday, September 23 at 6 pm
This one’s for the parents and caregivers! Come learn the basics and benefits of the game your kids love to play. See how it can be used at home as part of your child’s learning experience.

Junior Pizza & Books
Thursday, October 1 at 6 pm
For students in grades 3 - 5. Registration required.

Young Pizza & Books
Wednesday, October 7 at 6 pm
For students in grades 5-8. Registration required.

Star Wars Reads Day
Saturday, October 10 from 11 am to 2 pm
Calling all wookies! Join us for a day of Star Wars fun & activities.

Minecraft Mania
Every Wednesday from 2 to 6 pm
LEGO Free Play
Every Wednesday from 2 to 7 pm

Make a Mug Better
Sunday, September 20 at 2 pm & Friday, October 9 at 2 pm
We have dozens of ceramic mugs for you to personalize à la Pinterest. Registration required.

Crack the Computer Case
Sunday, October 4 at 2 pm
Rip apart a computer to learn the parts so you can build your own or speed one up. Registration required.

Haunted Scavenger Hunt
Monday, October 26 to Sunday, November 1 at 5 pm
Visit the library in your Halloween costume & identify characters hidden around the library for a raffle prize! Pick up clue sheets at the kids desk.
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Hours
Monday - Thursday
10 am - 9 pm
Friday & Saturday
10 am - 5 pm
Sundays
1 pm - 5 pm

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Sept. 5, Sept. 6 & Sept. 7

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Public libraries are essential to our communities. They are the great equalizer, critical to true democracy, a place where a world of information is freely accessible to all. For 100 years Manlius Library has served as a place for building community, enriching lives, and inspiring ideas. As we celebrate our centennial, we recognize that we are also celebrating a century of support from our community.

To celebrate 100 years of this amazing partnership, we would like to invite everyone to our centennial celebration to be held on October 17 from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. Join us for a celebration of all the great things that are happening here at the library, new displays and renovations, exciting programming, stimulating collections, and more! Keep an eye out for additional information.

While the day will include the opportunity to “Meet and Greet” the new director, I hope to meet many of you before then! I am so proud and pleased to be a part of Manlius Library during this exciting time and look forward to continuing our collaborative partnership with this wonderful community.

Jennifer Milligan
Library Director

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