Manlius Informed Series: David Rubin & the Ivory Tower
Thursday, Nov. 10 • 10 am - 12 pm
Experts will discuss the 2016 election results in the village auditorium.

Chess Night
Thursday, Nov. 10 • 7 pm
Anton Ninno, President of Syracuse Chess, Inc., will talk about the history of chess and demonstrate the basics for you to try.

Inside the National Spelling Bee
Tuesday, Nov. 22 • 7 pm
Dr. Jacques Bailly, the official pronouncer of the Scripps National Spelling Bee, will discuss the history of the spelling bee, the value of spelling, and his own experience as the 1980 spelling champion at age 14.

Historical Perspectives
Pearl Harbor Remembered
Wednesday, Dec. 7 • 1 pm
Retired Army Command Sergeant Major Robert H. Good will reflect on the attack on Pearl Harbor on its 75th anniversary.

Meaning of Christmas Symbols
Wednesday, Dec. 14 • 1 pm
Ever wonder how we got the Christmas tree? What does a candy cane symbolize? Who is the poinsettia named after? Learn about familiar Christmas symbols with Cheryl Pula.

Health & Mindfulness
Find Balance: a YL Oola Class
Monday, Nov. 7 • 5 - 7 pm
Oola is that awesome state of balance in fitness, finance, family, field, faith, friends, and fun. This class from Young Living essential oils uses discussion, music, scent, and goal setting.

iCare: Health Care at Home
Tuesday, Nov. 8 • 5:30 pm
Learn what to expect and how to prepare for homecare with this class from Becky Auyer and the Institute for Caregivers.

Speed Oiling with Young Living
Wednesday, Nov. 30 • 6 - 8 pm
Learn more about essential oils without a sales pitch. Join us for a fast-paced, interactive experience and leave with samples, recipes, new & a general understanding of essential oils. There will be things to touch, smell, and taste!

Audubon Gallery Reception
Sunday, Nov. 13 • 2 pm
Dr. Harold and Barbara Jones of Manlius have generously expanded the Audubon collection with an additional ten prints. Come meet the benefactor and learn about these incredible illustrated works of art and science.

Lincoln Center Local Screenings
Experience Lincoln Center’s world-renowned performances in high definition, delivered locally to our Community Room.
Act One: A Play by James Lapine
Thursday, Nov. 17 • 1 pm
Starring Tony Shalhoub & Andrea Martin. 140 mins.
Curtain Up: The School of American Ballet Workshop Performances
Thursday, Dec. 15 • 1 pm
Go behind the scenes to see the intensive training for ballets like Swan Lake & The Western Symphony. 58 mins.

College & Finance
NY’s 529 College Savings Program
Tuesday, Nov. 29 • 6 pm
Whether saving for college, graduate studies, trade or technical school for your child, yourself, or someone else, NY’s 529 College Savings Program Direct Plan can help. It’s never too early to start with these tax-deductible savings!

Google Apps Workshop
Tuesday, Nov. 15 • 7 pm
Learn how to leverage your (free!) Google account to create documents, spreadsheets, presentations and more—all saved to the cloud.

Holiday Tech Gift Guide
Tuesday, Dec. 6 • 6 pm
Not sure what new tech to give this holiday season? Come hear about smartphones, tablets, e-readers, and fitness tech. We’ll sift through the offerings and offer tips for safe online shopping.
BOOK GROUPS

Contemporary Book Club
1st Tuesdays at 2 pm
Nov. 1: Everybody’s Fool by Richard Russo
Dec. 6: Winter Fortress: The Epic Mission to Sabotage Hitler’s Atomic Bomb by Neil Bascomb
Jan. 3: The Last Days of Night by Graham Moore

Mystery Lovers Book Club
1st Wednesdays at 10:15 am
Nov. 2: The Girl in the Spider’s Web by David Lagercrantz
Dec. 7: Mystery fun and selection party!
We will be munching on goodies and picking out titles for the coming year.
Jan. 4: The Caretaker by A. X. Ahmad

Real Life Readers
3rd Thursdays at 2 pm
Nov. 17: Cure: A Journey into the Science of Mind Over Body by Jo Marchant
Dec. 15: In the Kingdom of Ice: The Grand & Terrible Polar Voyage of the USS Jeannette by Hampton Sides

Read, Cook, Eat!
Read the book (optional), bring a dish on the theme to pass (optional), and come have a good time. Registration required. Copies of the book are available at the desk.
Wednesday, Nov. 9 • 6 pm
Book: Medium Raw: A Bloody Valentine to the World of Food and the People Who Cook by Anthony Bourdain
Dish: Your favorite international dish

Wednesday, Dec. 7 • 6 pm
No book for December!
We are hosting a cookie exchange.
Make & bring a plate of holiday treats to share.

Manlius Library Writers
On the first and third Wednesdays of every month at 3:30 pm, join other creative minds in flash fiction exercises and share your work for constructive feedback. Drop in!

Free English Classes (ESOL)
Every Tuesday and Thursday between 9 am and noon, practice English skills in a classroom setting. All adults are welcome. Sponsored by OCM BOCES (453-4684).

For Kids & Families

Money Mammals
 Tues., Nov. 8 • 1 pm
Joe the Monkey & his friends work to help children understand the value of saving, spending & sharing. Sponsored by SECNY Federal Credit Union.

Reading & Running
 Tues., Nov. 8 • 2 - 5 pm
Spend two hours learning serious soccer skills in the village auditorium with the Syracuse Silver Knights. Wind down with a special reading & discussion with the players. Ages 6-12.

International Games Day
Sat., Nov. 19 • 1 - 4 pm
Join us for a fun afternoon of gaming throughout the library! Games will take over the library, including Minecraft, Wii games, life-sized games, board games, chess, checkers, and more!

Gingerbread Houses
 Tues., Dec. 27 • 1 pm
Come make your very own Gingerbread House! A variety of sweets will be available for decorating. Ages 6+

The Season of Giving
Take a Bite out of Fines
Between Saturday, November 26 and Wednesday, November 30, you can get up to $5 of late fines waived by bringing in items for donation to the F-M Community Outreach food pantry. Fines must be from Manlius Library-owned materials. Items needed include cans of fruits and vegetables, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, and toilet paper.

CNY Diaper Bank
1 out of every 5 children in Onondaga County lives in poverty. Diapers, which are not covered by WIC or SNAP, can cost over $100 per month. The CNY Diaper Bank provides diapers for babies and toddlers in need. Please consider dropping off new or opened boxes of diapers in any size at Manlius Library. Read more at cnydiaperbank.org.

Pins & Needles
Starting Nov. 30
Wednesdays • 6:30 pm
We’re back just in time for the chilly weather! Join us and work on your latest yarn or thread project. Share ideas, pattern snags and stories! All ages & skill levels welcome.
### Families

#### Pajama Time
Thursdays • 6:30 pm
Join us for a calming story time to wind down for bed. All ages.

* Annual Polar Express Story Time
Thurs., Dec. 22 • 6:30 pm
A special Pajama Time all about the Polar Express!

#### Wiggleworms
Fri., Nov. 11; Dec. 9, 16, 23 & 30 • 11:15 am
Shake & shimmy to book-based music & movement. All ages.

#### Family Fun Time
Wednesdays (except Nov. 23) • 4:15 pm
Stories, songs & crafts for families with children aged 3+.

* Annual Gingerbread Story Time
Wed., Dec. 21 • 4:15 pm
A special Family Fun Time with cookie decorating!

#### LEGO & Minecraft Freeplay
Wednesdays • 2 - 8 pm

### Tweens

#### The Wonder Club
Wednesdays • 3:30 pm
Discover something new, fun, creative and WONDERful every Wednesday afternoon for ages 10+.

#### Tween Pizza & Books Club
Pick up a copy of the book so you can come eat pizza & snacks, chat about the book, and watch the movie together. Ages 10-15.

* Mon., Nov. 7 • 6:30 pm
  Coraline by Neil Gaiman
  Mon., Dec. 5 • 6:30 pm
  Thurs., Dec. 29 • 2:30 pm

#### Tween STEAM
Fun, science and tech skills for ages 10-15.

* Mon., Nov. 21 • 6:30 pm
  Marshmallow Engineering
  Mon., Dec. 19 • 6:30 pm
  Pretzel Rod Log Cabins

### Teens

#### NaNoWriMo
Tuesdays • Nov. 1, 15, 29 • 4 pm
It’s National Novel Writing Month! Teens and tweens in grades 6 through 12, come work on a novel, talk to other writers, and discuss your work. We’ll provide the supplies and inspiration (plus snacks!), while you write the words.

#### Harry Potter Celebration
Friday, Nov. 11 • 11 am - 4:30 pm
Costumes encouraged!

11 am • Harry Potter & the Sorcerer’s Stone (PG)
11 am - 12:30 pm • Book discussion
  Let’s talk about Harry Potter & the Cursed Child!
  Light refreshments. Feel free to bring a bag lunch!

1 - 4:30 pm • Drop in crafts & activities
  Come experience some of the classes of hogwart’s.
  Be sorted; send a letter or howler!

2 pm • Harry Potter & the Deathly Hallows Part 2 (PG-13)
All day • Solve the puzzle poster for Potter prizes
Between Nov. 11 and Nov. 18, complete a HP scavenger hunt throughout the library to enter a raffle for a $25 gift card!

#### Tween Pizza & Books Club
Pick up the book and register at the children’s desk. Ages 8-10.

* Sat., Nov. 5 • 2 - 4 pm
  Sat., Dec. 3 • 2 - 4 pm

#### Mad Scientists
Kids aged 8+ are invited to play and learn with SciExcite, a group of FM teens passionate about sharing a love of science.

* Thurs., Nov. 17 • 4:30 pm
* Thurs., Dec. 15 • 4:30 pm

#### Jr Pizza & Books Club
Pick up the book and register at the children’s desk. Ages 8-10. Titles to be announced on our calendar at manliuslibrary.org.

* Sat., Nov. 5 • 2 - 4 pm
* Sat., Dec. 3 • 2 - 4 pm

#### Harry Potter & the Cursed Child
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#### Tween’s Day In
Sat., Dec. 10 • 12 - 4 pm
Starting at noon, watch a movie, eat munchies, & make snowflakes with friends. After the movie, decorate the teen room!

#### Teen Snack & Study
Tues., Dec. 27 • 2 - 5 pm
Drop in to study! We’ll provide the snacks; you provide the brains.
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Village Tree Lighting & Holiday Story Time
Sunday, December 4

Join Miss Karen and friends for holiday stories & songs, then watch the village tree get decorated. Festivities begin at 3 pm. Story Time begins at 3:45 in the village auditorium.

Story Times with Miss Karen

Basically Babies & Books
(birth - 18 months)
Tuesdays at 12 pm
Wednesdays at 9:30 am

Toddler Story Times
(18 months - 2 1/2 years)
Mondays at 11:30 am
Tuesdays at 10:15 am and 11 am

Preschool Story Times
(2 1/2 years - kindergarten)
Wednesdays at 10:15 am
Thursdays at 10:15 am and 1:15 pm
Fridays at 10:15 am

Look inside for more story times & family programs.