Tech Blast Tuesdays
Cool off on hot summer nights with short tech workshops and make the most of your device.

- Google Drive
  Tuesday, July 11 • 7 pm
- iPhone Basics
  Tuesday, July 18 • 7 pm
- Libby (OverDrive)
  Tuesday, August 1 • 7 pm
- iPad Basics
  Tuesday, August 8 • 7 pm
- Social Media
  Tuesday, August 15 • 7 pm

Manlius Library Writers
1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 3:30 pm
Drop in! We share pieces of our work and try our hand at two flash fiction exercises. All levels of experience and genres welcome!

Manlius Cooks
Help us make a community cookbook! Share your favorite recipes and cooking stories with us at www.manliuslibrary.org/cooks.

Erie Canal & the Chittenango Landing
Saturday, July 8 • 3 pm
To mark the bicentennial of the Erie Canal, Mike Allen, resident blacksmith & historical interpreter at the Chittenango Landing Canal Boat Museum, will discuss the dry docks of Chittenango Landing, the Erie Canal, and the role the Erie Canal played in local commerce.

Free NY State of Health Counseling
Thursday, July 13 & August 10 • 1 - 4 pm
Navigators from the Salvation Army will be here on the second Thursday of every month to help you find the best healthcare plan on the NY State of Health exchange site.

Sacred Sites: North Star Country
Monday, July 17 • 10:30 am
Local author Madis Senner will talk about sacred sites around Central New York. Hear about the unique, local and historically significant places you can visit to find and sense a special kind of spirituality.

Lunch & Learn: Websites 101
Tuesday, August 22 • 1 pm
Are you a small business owner? Learn the basics of starting your own website, including the difference between companies like Wix and Wordpress, ecommerce considerations, and more. Registration required.

Manlius, What’s Your Story?
We’re building a local history digital collection and need your help! During the month of August, drop off up to 12 personal photos and tell us what you know of the who, what, and when. We’ll scan the pictures at high resolution and upload them to our collection. Pick up your pictures in September along with the digitized scans of your photos on a CD, and help us create an online history of Manlius and its people.

Adult Summer Reading Program
Through Labor Day, pick up a frequent reader punch card at the front desk. No registration needed! For every 10 books you check out (and read, we hope), you’ll get a treat from the treasure chest and enter to win a raffle prize. Make this your most literary summer ever!

Save the Date!
Manlius Library is going to the birds on Saturday, October 14. Join us to celebrate the completion of the Audubon Collection and Gallery.

Monday Matinees
New movies at 2 pm.
7/3 • A Dog’s Purpose
7/10 • A Street Cat Named Bob
7/17 • I Am Not Your Negro
7/24 • The Last Word
7/31 • A United Kingdom
8/7 • Their Finest
8/14 • A Quiet Passion
8/21 • Norman
8/28 • Going in Style

Dude Movies
No tear-jerkers or romcoms, but lots of popcorn. Wednesdays at 6:30 pm.
7/12 • Logan
7/19 • The Great Wall
7/26 • Get Out
8/9 • Life
8/16 • The Fate of the Furious
8/23 • T2 Trainspotting

Better Than the Book?
Thursday Movies
Escape the heat, enjoy our AC and relax with popcorn & new movies adapted from books. Movies start at 4 pm.
7/13 • The Shack
7/20 • The Lost City of Z
7/27 • The Zookeeper’s Wife
Book Groups

All groups are open to new members. Just drop in!

Manlius Library Readers
Join us for a special one-night evening book club in the new Carol Gilligan Memorial Pollinator Garden behind the library!
Tuesday, July 25 • 6:30 pm
Cutting Back: My Apprenticeship in the Gardens of Kyoto by Leslie Buck

Contemporary Book Club
1st Tuesdays at 2 pm
July 11: The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper by Phaedra Patrick
Aug. 1: The Lilac Girls by Martha Hall Kelly
Sept. 5: The Twelve Lives of Samuel Hawley by Hannah Tinti

Mystery Lovers Book Club
1st Wednesdays at 10:15 am
July 5: Blue Monday by Nicci French
Aug. 2: The Wrong Side of Goodbye by Michael Connelly
Sept. 6: Murder on the Quai by Cara Black

Real Life Readers
3rd Thursdays at 2 pm
July 20: Freakonomics: A Rogue Economist Explores the Hidden Side of Everything by Steven D. Levitt & Stephen J. Dubner
Aug. 17: Sun Moon Earth: The History of Solar Eclipses from Omens of Doom to Einstein and Exoplanets by Tyler Nordgren

Elementary School Supply Drive
When you're back-to-school shopping this summer, please consider picking up extra crayons, markers, glue sticks, colored pencils, #2 pencils, pink erasers, 2 pocket folders, composition notebooks, safety scissors, and backpacks. Drop these items off before August 18 and we'll deliver them to F-M elementary school nurses for distribution to local kids.

Fayetteville Farmers Market
Manlius Library will visit the Fayetteville Farmer's Market on July 6 and August 3. Stop at our tent to pick up a scavenger hunt sheet & recipe cards. We'll have a new one each month!

Teen Events

Topics may change! Check our online calendar for updates.

Adulting 101
Mondays • 1 pm
7/10 • Shop, Cook, Eat
7/17 • Money Management
7/24 • Laundry Blues
7/31 • On The Job Hunt
8/7 • Car Maintenance
8/14 • Zombie Apocalypse!

Monday Night Magic (the Gathering)
Mondays • 6 pm
Bring your deck or come use ours and learn how.
We'll have open play from 6 to 8:30 pm for grades 6+
July 10, July 24 & August 7

Teen Movies
Tuesdays • 1 pm
7/11 • Rogue One
7/18 • Before I Fall
7/25 • The Outsiders
8/1 • La La Land
8/8 • Beauty & the Beast
8/15 • Assassin's Creed

Happy Birthday, Harry Potter!
Saturday, July 29 • 11 am - 3 pm

Book Discussion: The Outsiders
Monday, July 31 • 6 pm

Escape the Library!
Wednesday, August 16 • 11 am - 3 pm

Tween Events

Tween STEAM
Wednesdays • 1 pm
7/5 • Slime Day
7/12 • Popsicle Architecture
7/19 • Cubelets & Little Bits
7/26 • Katamino
8/2 • Bloxels pt. 1
8/9 • Bloxels pt. 2

Tween Craft
Thursdays • 1 pm
7/6 • Edible Crafts
7/13 • Paint Chip Crafts
7/20 • String Art Crafts
7/27 • 8-bit Art
8/3 • Mosaic Crafts
8/10 • Crafts Buffet

Bookaneers
Saturdays • 11 am
7/8 • 11 am - 2 pm • Hoot by Carl Hiassen
8/5 • 11 am - 2 pm • A Dog’s Purpose by W. Bruce Cameron

Pokémon Open Play
Fridays • 1 pm
Bring your deck or come use ours and learn how.
We'll have open play from 6 to 8:30 pm for grades 3+
July 7, July 21 & August 4
Summer Activities

American Girl History
Friday, July 21 • 10 am
Learn about American Girl doll character Samantha Parkington, a proper young Victorian girl living in 1904 NYC. Explore Samantha’s world and learn about American history, with topics including the suffragettes and daily life. Presented by Teresa Wood from History Houses. Ages 4 - 12. Registration required.

No-Show Policy
Please sign up for only those you know you can attend. If you find you are unable to attend on a specific date, please call the library or email programs@manliuslibrary.org to cancel. 24 hour notice is required for cancellations. If you miss 2 or more classes without the required cancellation notice, you will be withdrawn from all other summer classes.

Bricks 4 Kidz
Friday, July 28 • 11 am - 1 pm
Come enjoy creative LEGO-based games and activities led by a Bricks 4 Kidz host. We’ll have plenty of bricks to keep little builders busy and happy. Ages 3 - 12. Registration required.

The MOST
Friday, August 11 • 2 pm
Science and fun from the Museum of Science and Technology. Made possible in part by a state grant secured by Senator John A. DeFrancisco. Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult. Registration required for each child and adult. Ages 5+

Welcome to Kindergarten
August 11, 16, 17 & 18 • 10:15 am - 12 pm
Prepare your child for kindergarten with stories about school & the chance to board a real school bus! Registration is required.

Summer Story Times
June 26 through August 19
Babies (0 - 18 mos.)
- Tuesdays • 12 pm
- Wednesdays • 9:30 am

Toddlers (18 mos. +)
- Mondays • 11:30 am
- Tuesdays • 10:30 am & 11 am

PreK (3 years +)
- Wednesdays • 10:15 am
- Thursdays • 10:15 am

Pajama Time
- Thursdays • 7 pm

Wiggleworms & Family Fun Time return after Labor Day.

Youth Programs
Topics may change! Check our online calendar for updates.

Family Art
Fridays • 11 am
Get crafty and creative together, learning as you go. Ages 3+
7/7 • Yarn
7/14 • Chalk
8/4 • Paper

Family Movies
Fridays • 1 pm
7/7 • Trolls
7/14 • Moana
8/4 • Rock Dog
7/21 • Sing!
8/15 • Storks

Junior STEAM
Wednesdays • 11 am
Make and learn all summer long. Ages 7+
7/5 • LEGO Chain Reactions
7/12 • Robot Mouse
7/19 • Cubelets & Little Bits
8/2 • Bloxels pt. 1
8/9 • Bloxels pt. 2

Young Naturalists
Tuesdays • 2 - 4 pm
Learn about local ecology with the Izaak Walton League. Ages 7+
Register for each class: 7/11, 7/18, 7/25, 8/1, 8/8, 8/15

Youth on the Fly
Mondays • 1 - 3 pm
Learn how to cast, tie a fly, identify insects, and more! Ages 10+
Register for the entire series: 7/17, 7/24, 7/31, 8/7, 8/14

Pizza & Books & Movies
A book club with lunch & a movie. Registration required. Ages 7+
Treasure Island
Saturday, June 17 • 2 - 4:30 pm
Trumpet of the Swan
Saturday, July 15 • 2 - 4:30 pm
How to Eat Fried Worms
Saturday, August 19 • 2 - 4:30 pm

Registration
Registration is absolutely required for all summer activities except LEGO Free Play, Minecraft Mania, & Movie Matinees. Please use the waiting list. Sign up each child individually on our online calendar at manliuslibrary.org.

Walk-in Wednesdays

LEGO Free Play
11 am - 8 pm

Minecraft Open Server
11 am - 8 pm

Walk-in Craft
2 pm - 4 pm

Walk-in Craft
Welcome to Kindergarten
Prepare your child for a smooth transition with stories about school and the chance to board a real school bus! Presented with the F-M School District Transportation Dept. Registration is required.

10:15 am - 12 pm
Friday, August 11
Wednesday, August 16
Thursday, August 17
Friday, August 18

Story Times with Miss Karen

Basically Babies & Books
0 - 18 months  Tuesdays • 12 pm
Wednesdays • 9:30 am

Toddler Story Times
18 months -  Mondays • 11:30 am
2 ½ years -  Tuesdays • 10:15 am & 11 am

Preschool Story Times
2 ½ years -  Wednesdays • 10:15 am
Kindergarten  Thursdays • 10:15 am

The summer schedule for story time continues through Basically Babies & Books on Wednesday, August 23. The fall schedule returns on Tuesday, September 5.

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Closings
Closed Tuesday, July 4
Closed Labor Day Weekend:
    Sept. 2 - Sept. 4

Hours
Monday - Thursday:
    10 am - 9 pm
Friday & Saturday:
    10 am - 5 pm
Closed on Sundays
    until September 10

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