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 **SPRING 2023**
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Manlius Library Out & About

National Library Outreach Day is Wednesday, April 26.
Here at Manlius Library we love to get out into the community all year long. Outreach Librarian Kristin Neri makes regular visits to senior residences and day habilitation centers. Miss Windy can be found at the YMCA East every 4th Friday for a story time. In the warmer months you can find us at the Fayetteville Farmers Market and other fun venues, too! You just never know where we'll pop up. Be sure to stop and say hi if you see us out and about!

Tech Programs

Tech Tutorials

2nd Mondays • 11 am

A casual, instructional session for beginners with a different topic each month.

March 13: Goodbye OverDrive, Hello Libby (with two bonus sessions on March 12 at 1:30 pm and March 14 at 6:30 pm)

April 10: Cutting the Cord: How to Stream

May 8: Internet Safety

Open Tech Q&A

Wednesdays 11 am - 12 pm

Stop by and see Laura with your tech questions every Wednesday. Bring your device for hands-on help.

Tech Time at the Senior Centre

Fridays • 11 am - 12 pm

Make a half hour appointment for tech help at the Manlius Senior Centre. Walk-ins welcome if there is an opening. Call 315-682-7889 to make an appointment.

Films

Monday Matinees & 2nd Showings

A newly released, popular film every Monday at 2 pm. Check our online calendar or at the front desk for film titles. Repeat showings of the Monday Matinee film occur every Thursday at 1 pm.

Feel Good Flicks

A feel-good, familiar favorite select Tuesdays at 6:30 pm. Check our online calendar or at the front desk for film titles.

Black & White Wednesdays

Wednesdays at 1 pm in May

May 3: It Happened One Night

May 10: The Little Colonel

May 17: The Apartment

May 24: Dr. Strangelove

May 31: Casablanca

Manlius Informed Series

The Spring 2023 Manlius Informed Lecture Series will run on Tuesdays at 1:30 pm from April 4 through May 23. This season's lectures will be hybrid with the option to attend in-person or virtually via Zoom. Please register ahead of time for each event if you would like a Zoom link. Check our website for the full speaker and subject list.

The Great Outdoors

Woodland Wildflower Walk

Saturday, May 6 • 11 am

Join Katie Mulverhill (Environmental Educator for NYS Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation) for a walk and talk about woodland wildflowers. *Note: Trail will be somewhat steep/rocky in parts.* Space is limited; please register.

Telescope Night

Friday, May 12 • 8 pm

Come see the stars like never before during this very special event, hosted by the Syracuse Astronomical Society. Telescopes will be set up in the back parking lot. All ages welcome; no registration required. *Rain date: May 13.*

Art/Crafts/DIY for Adults

Canvas and Conversation

2nd Mondays • 6:30 pm

Paint along and paint together! A different project every month. Please register.

Crafting Corner

3rd Mondays • 6:30 pm

Explore a new craft or hobby each time and leave with a finished project.

Hooks & Needles

Fridays • 10:30 am

Crochet, knit, crewel, embroidery... all fiber arts welcome! Bring your own project to work on, or use our supplies to learn and practice basic stitches.

Afternoon Art

2nd Fridays • 10:30 am

A casual afternoon of art. A different technique or project each time. No registration required; as space allows.

DIY Mason Jar Brownies

Thursday, March 9 • 7 pm

Drop in and make a delicious treat for your cupboard or for a friend. While supplies last.

DIY Non-Toxic Cleaners

Thursday, April 13 • 7 pm

Stop in and make non-toxic cleaning products for your home, just in time for spring cleaning! While supplies last.

Clothing Swap

Friday, April 21 - Sunday April 23

Want to freshen up your wardrobe or clean out your closet? Come in and swap or just to "shop" (all items will be free of charge). We'll be accepting donations of clean, gently used clothing starting April 1. (It is not required that you bring clothes in to take clothes home.) Visit our website for more information.

Friday 10 am - 4:30 pm • Saturday 10 am - 4:30 pm • Sunday 1 - 4:30 pm

Book Clubs & Groups

All groups are open to new members.
Books available for checkout at the front desk.

Mystery Lovers Book Club

4th Mon. • 10:15 am

March 27: *The Guest List* by Lucy Foley

April 24: *What Happened to the Bennetts* by Lisa Scottoline

May 22: *The Woman in Cabin 10* by Ruth Ware

Connect with the Classics

4th Mon. • 6:30 pm

March 27: *Gulliver's Travels* by Jonathan Swift

April 24: *The Odyssey* by Homer

May 22: *All Creatures Great and Small* by James Herriot

Bookmarks Book Club

1st Tues. • 1:30 pm

March 7: *The Four Winds* by Kristin Hannah

April 4: *Jacqueline in Paris* by Ann Mah

May 2: *Wish You Were Here* by Jodi Picoult

Read, Cook, Eat Book Club

3rd Wed. • 4:30 pm

March 15: *One Italian Summer* by Rebecca Serle

April 19: *Kitchen Without Borders: Recipes & Stories from Refugees and Immigrant Chefs* by Eat Offbeat

May 17: *Death by Bubble Tea* by Jennifer J Chow

Thrills & Chills

4th Thurs. • 6:30 pm

March 23: *Cujo* by Stephen King

April 27: *A Flicker in the Dark* by Stacy Willingham

May 25: *Bad Cree* by Jessica Johns

Goodbye Overdrive, Hello Libby!

Beginning in April, the Overdrive app will be leaving, and you'll borrow ebooks, audiobooks, and magazines to read on your phone, kindle or tablet using the Libby app. It's free and easy to get started for new users and a streamlined experience for current OverDrive app users. Have questions or want a tutorial on transitioning from the Overdrive app to the Libby app? Come to one of our Tech Tutorial sessions! Bring your phone or tablet, and Laura will help you get started with ebooks or make the transition to Libby.

Sunday, March 12 at 1:30 pm

Monday, March 13 at 11 am

Tuesday, March 14 at 6:30 pm

Health & Wellness



Yoga

Wednesdays • 10:15 am

Enjoy yoga with Glenda at the library. Space is limited; please register.

Check online for location. All skill levels welcome.



Sinus & Lymphatic Massage Workshop

Tuesday, April 25 • 6:30 pm

Join Susan Powers, retired Licensed Massage Therapist, to learn how to ease your seasonal allergies with Sinus and Lymphatic Massage. Space is limited; please register.

Library By Mail

Coming soon: Library by Mail, a delivery service for homebound patrons residing in the FM school district. Through Library by Mail, you can request items from the library to be sent to you. We'll even include return postage so you can send the items back. Visit our website or send an email to outreach@manliuslibrary.org to learn how you or a loved one can apply for Library by Mail!

Language & Writing

Manlius Library Writers

Thurs. • 3:30 pm

Join other creative minds to share your work for constructive feedback. All genres and experience levels are welcome! Email any submissions (10 pages or less) to zstvan@manliuslibrary.org for printing before each meeting.

Words on Stage

Tuesdays, March 7 and April 11 • 6 pm

A gathering of local writers, actors, and musicians to share their work in live stage readings and performances in a casual and intimate setting. Submit your work or inquiry to wordsonstagescripts@gmail.com. Spectators welcome! Visit our website for more information.

Free English Classes

Tues. & Thurs. • 9:30 am

All adults are welcome to practice their English skills. Sponsored by OCM BOCES.

Clases de inglés gratis

Martes Y Jueves • 09:30 am

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Manlius Library Scholarship

High school seniors living in the Fayetteville-Manlius school district and pursuing an undergraduate degree in an accredited technical school, college, or university are eligible to apply for the Manlius Library Scholarship. Applicants will demonstrate a commitment to academic success and a high level of dedication to volunteerism and community service.

Note: Special consideration will be given to students who have volunteered for Manlius Library, served on the Manlius Teen council, or have been employed at Manlius Library.

Amount of Scholarship: \$1000

Application Deadline: March 9, 2023

Visit the library, go to manliuslibrary.org, or email Teen Librarian Phoenix Merritt at pmerritt@manliuslibrary.org for an application and more information.

Kids & Family Events

Jigglebugs

Mondays • 10:30 am

Join Miss Windy in the Story Time Room for some music fun! Appropriate for toddlers to preschool, but all ages are welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult caregiver. (No Jigglebugs on April 10, May 22, & May 29)

Toddler Story Time

Tuesdays • 10:30 am

Join Miss Karen in the Story Time Room. Appropriate for toddlers, but all ages are welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult caregiver.

Preschool Story Time

Wednesdays • 10:30 am

Join Miss Karen in the Story Time Room. Appropriate for preschoolers, but all ages are welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult caregiver.

Pajama Story Time

Wednesdays • 6:30 pm

Join Miss Windy in the Story Time Room for some pre-bed-time stories and songs. Children must be accompanied by an adult caregiver.

Lil Explorers

Thursdays • 10:30 am

Sensory and discovery play for toddlers and preschoolers. Children must be accompanied by an adult caregiver.

Egg-celent Easter Adventure

Thursday, March 30 • 4:30pm • Brookdale Manlius
Grab your baskets and hop on over to Brookdale to join Miss Karen for an Easter themed story time and egg hunt!

Future Imagineers

Wednesdays • 2 - 6 pm

Rotating STEAM challenges at the Kid's Tween Tables to design and create! Show your project to Miss Windy, and it may be displayed.

The Kid's Table

1st & 3rd Saturdays • 10:30 am

A space to connect with your child(ren), make memories and make special time together a priority. Registration is preferred; walk-ins will be welcomed if space allows.

March 4 • Exploring Maple

March 18 • Springtime Balloon Twisting Workshop

April 1 • No Foolin' Music Concert with Aaron

April 15 • Eraser Day

May 6 • Slime Fun

May 20 • Field Trip to the Child Safety Fair (Join Miss Windy at the Manlius Recreation Department's Child Safety Fair)

Mini Art Show Kits

Back by popular demand! All ages welcome!

Kits include a mini canvas, paint, and a brush.

Register beginning March 1 (see our calendar for the event on April 3 to sign up) Kits will be available to pick up beginning March 13. Return your completed artwork to the library beginning March 27. Visit the library to see your art on display from April 3 - April 27. Pick up your art pieces and completion certificate beginning April 28.

Limited kits will be available. Register each artist separately.

National Library Week

April 23 - 29

Stop by the Tween Tables for pop up activities during the week including creating your own bookmark!

Events for Tweens & Teens

Shamrock Clay Earrings Craft

Friday, March 17 • 3:30 pm • Teens and Tweens; please register
Teens and tweens join us in making shamrock clay earrings! All materials will be provided. (Walk-ins welcome while supplies last.)

Internet Safety Workshop

Thurs., March 30 • 6:30 pm • Please register
Teens (Ages 14+) and parents! Seminar on internet safety with an Information Security Engineer. Learn safe practices to better your online footprint. (Walk-ins welcome as space allows.)

Super Smash Bros Ultimate

Wed. 4/5 and Tues. 5/16 • 3 pm • Grades 5+, please register
Join us for a Super Smash Bros Ultimate Tournament, hosted by Twitch affiliate Zack Worden. In this bracket style competition, you'll battle it out for a chance to win a Nintendo eShop Gift Card!

Video Game Design Workshop

Friday, April 21 • 3 pm • Grades 5+; please register
Join game designer, Alex Huard (Outer Wilds, Ocean Born) and explore the art of video game design!

Teen Think Tank

4th Fridays • 3:30 pm

High school teens join us in discussions on current events. This is a great way to have your voice heard and, as future leaders, make a difference. Registration required. No meeting in May.

Tween Writer's Box

3rd Mondays • 6 pm

Come and grow your creative writing skills with Miss Anna! For ages 9-13. Please register.

Snack Attack Book Club

1st Saturdays • 1:30 - 2:30 pm • Ages 9-13; please register
Each month, join Miss Phoenix and Miss Windy in creating snacks inspired by a book. Tweens will receive a free copy of the book! No meeting in May.
March 4: *Pie* by Sarah Weeks & April 1: *Slimed* by Liam Gray

Teen Improv Workshop 13+

3rd Thursdays • 6:30 pm • Ages 13-19; please register
Learn and grow in your improv skills. Guest artists will go over different theatrical techniques to strengthen your craft. No experience required! No meeting in March.

Snack & Study

3rd Tuesdays • 3:30 - 5:30 pm

Enjoy a quiet place to study with snacks and online study resources available. May's session will be 5/23.

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Library Hours

Monday - Thursday:
10 am - 9 pm

Friday & Saturday:
10 am - 5 pm

Sunday:
1 pm - 5 pm

Holiday Closings

Easter:

Sat., Apr. 8
Sun., Apr. 9

Memorial Day:

Sat., May 27
Sun., May 28
Mon., May 29

Big Spring Book Sale

Friday, April 28
Preview Sale (\$5 / family)
3 pm - 5 pm

Saturday, April 29
Books, DVDs, CDs, and more!
10 am - 5 pm

Sunday, April 30
Half Priced & Bag Sale
1 pm - 4 pm

The Spring Book Sale will be held in the library's Community Room.

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See our public meeting
schedule at manliuslibrary.org.

Battery Recycling Event

In observance of Earth Day, Manlius Library is collecting batteries to be recycled. Bring your alkaline (single use), lithium (cellphone and laptop), and rechargeable batteries to the library and we'll send them to be properly recycled. See our website for more information.

National Volunteer Week: April 16 - 22

We would like to thank our wonderful volunteers who dedicate their time and energy to help at Manlius Library. Our volunteers straighten the collection, pull holds, assist in our Bookmark Café, help with programming and at our book sale, and do so much more. We are very grateful for their help!

Sign up for our eNewsletters!

Our monthly Adult, Youth, and Teen eNewsletters give you the latest on what's going on at our library. Visit our website to sign up today!

Check out our app!

With our mobile app, you can search the library catalog for materials, place and cancel holds, manage your account, renew items, learn about our new services and programs, and soon you'll be able to do so much more!

To download, search for "Manlius Library" in your device's app store and our app will be the first entry. Launch the app, enter your library card information, and you're all set!

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