

May 2022

At The Little Falls Public Library



May Story Times

May 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th

Join us for story times every Thursday at 11am. Please register on our website.

Rhyme Time

Tuesday, May 10th at 11:00am

Our Rhyme Time story times are for children 2 and a half and under (older siblings are welcome!)

We will read stories, sing songs and offer lots of opportunities for movement and participation through finger play and action rhymes. All are welcome. No registration required.



Chess Club

Wednesday, May 11th at 3:30pm

Challenge a new opponent to a game of chess and learn new strategies and techniques.

Players of all levels are welcomed! No registration is necessary. Chess sets will be provided.

Paying for College

Wednesday, May 11th at 7pm via zoom

Explore the complex world of need-based and merit based financial aid. Parents and students will learn strategies for lowering their EFC (Expected Family Contribution), the new FAFSA rules, and tips for optimizing college admissions and scholarships.

Register on our website.

Kids Yoga

Friday, May 13th at 10:15am

Join Ms. Kelly from Kidding Around Yoga at the library for preschool yoga. Don't forget to bring your yoga mat or towel. Registration is required.

Cake Wars: Hosted by TAB

Monday, May 23rd at 6:30pm

Teams of two will compete in a cake decorating contest! Must be in sixth grade and up. Please sign up on our website.

Join the Teen Advisory Board

What is TAB? TAB is a group of teens committed to making the library a better place! TAB is open to all teens from grades 6th to 12th (new members are always welcome)!

By joining TAB, you will also earn volunteer hours, which will look great on college applications! Stop by the library to sign up or email Ms. Linda at belen@littlefallslibrary.org with any questions. Our next meeting is *Wednesday, June 1st from 6-7pm.*

Leap Into Science

The Little Falls Public Library is pleased to offer a free Leap Into Science, Light and Shadow Workshop. Leap into Science is a nationwide program from The Franklin Institute Science Museum that integrates open-ended science activities with children's books, for children and families to learn together.

Explore the science of light and shadow through hands-on activities and children's books. Have fun while learning to think like scientists!



Wednesday, May 18th at 6:30pm for elementary children ages **5-9**
Monday, May 23rd at 6:30pm for preschool children ages **3-5**

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten



Did you know that reading to your child is one of the most powerful ways to boost their brain power?

The Library invites you and your young ones (any child from birth until entering Kindergarten) to participate in 1000 Books Before Kindergarten. The program is free, and provides a great way to bond with your child.

Stop by the front desk to register and pick up a folder that contains a program overview, log, suggested booklist, and early literacy tips. Logging books read is as simple as checking off a number on a paper log, or via the app.

Stop by the library when you reach each 100 mark, and your child will receive a small prize!

EBSCO's Learning Express

Access EBSCO's library by registering with your Little Falls library card!

What you can find on the Learning Express Library:

*Job and Career Accelerator

High School Equivalency Center

Prepare for College

(PSAT, SAT, ACT, and AP Test Prep)

Grade 4-8 Educator Resources

High School Students

(Mathematics skills, Social Studies skills, etc.)

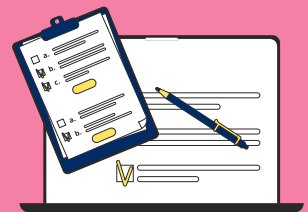
College Students

(College placement exam prep, graduate school admissions prep, etc.)

*Computer Skills Center

(Learn about Microsoft programs, general computer and internet skills, etc.)

**Patrons without a Little Falls library card may access the Computer Skills Center and the Job and Career Accelerator only.*





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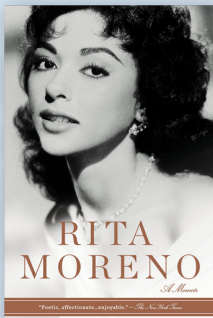
LITTLE FALLS PUBLIC LIBRARY



The Little Falls Public Library is seeking dedicated volunteers to join our new English as a Second Language (ESL) teaching program. Volunteers will be trained to teach English to non-native speakers with the assistance of the Literacy Volunteers of America of Essex and Passaic County. All interested in volunteering should contact the Little Falls Public Library at 973-256-2784, or email interim director Jennifer Larrinaga at larrinaga@littlefallslibrary.org



BOOK CLUB



TUESDAY, JUNE 7TH AT 6PM & WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8TH AT 11AM

Join us IN PERSON for the Little Falls Public Library's upcoming book club meeting! We will be discussing Rita Moreno's self-titled memoir! Copies of July's book will be available at the front desk starting **June 7th, the night of the book club meeting.**

HISTORY OF THE CANFIELD/MORGAN FARM

MONDAY, MAY 9TH AT 7PM



You have driven by it many times on Pompton Avenue. Now you can learn about the history of the Canfield/ Morgan Farm. Join Jean Jaeger (of the Cedar Grove Historical Society) at the library as she takes you on a journey through this historic treasure. All are welcome and no registration is required.

ADULT COLORING

EVERY FRIDAY FROM 11AM - 1PM

Drop in every Friday at the library between 11am-1pm. We will supply all materials, no registration is required.



WHO'S GOT GAME? **2ND & 4TH WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH** **JOIN US MAY 11TH & MAY 25TH!**

Drop in to challenge an opponent between 11am-1pm on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday during the month of May! The games that will be provided are chess, checkers, cards, scrabble and mahjong. No registration necessary. This program is for adults.

MARGARITA GLASS PAINTING

TUESDAY, MAY 17TH AT 6:30PM



Join Bernadine as she walks you through a step-by-step painting tutorial. Each person will paint two glasses. This program is for Little Falls patrons only. Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/bdz54efu>

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