# KREUTZ CREEK LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

**DECEMBER 2024** 

# LIBRARY

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#### **LIBRARY HOURS**



CLOSED CHRISTMAS EVE TUESDAY 12/24/2024 CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY

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#### CLOSED NEW YEARS EVE TUESDAY 12/31/2024

#### CLOSED NEW YEARS DAY WEDNESDAY 01/01/2025

Mondays & Wednesdays - 10 am - 2 pm Tuesdays & Thursdays - 12 pm - 8 pm Fridays & Saturdays - 10 am - 1 pm



We wish our Kreutz Creek Library community good health, happiness, and peace during this holiday season and throughout the coming year.

#### **McPherson Tree Farm**

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Tis the holiday season and once again McPherson Tree Farm is partnering with Kreutz Creek Library donating \$5.00 to the library for each holiday tree purchased using the 2024 Christmas Coupon. Begin or continue a family tradition by selecting a Douglas Fir Christmas tree – bring the family, the camera, even the dog – and help support Kreutz Creek Library. Operating days/hours and directions are detailed on the <u>coupon!</u>





Holiday Gingerbread Story Time with Miss Felicia VISIONS OF GINGERBREAD COOKIES DANCED IN THEIR HEADS

Thurs., December 5, 2024 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm <u>Please RSVP!</u>

Join us for this family story time full of holiday cheer!

#### A Celebration of Poetry Join the fun!

Students in grades 1 - 12 in York & Adams Counties, enter your best poems in our 36th Annual contest. Poems are accepted November 17th to January 17th Local poets & community leaders will choose the winning poems. Winners will be invited to read their poems aloud during the celebration event on April 16 and receive a copy of the 2025 edition of the A Celebration of Poetry booklet!



Find the submission guidelines and the entry form by visiting the YCL website

Let your creativity soar!

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# **CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY PROGRAMS**

#### Preschool Story Time with Miss Felicia

Ages 3 - 5 Winter Schedule Fri., Jan. 17th – Fri., March 7th



#### 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Come enjoy special stories and music presented by Miss Felicia and make a fun craft. This is for children ages 3-5 years and their caregivers.

#### **RSVP Requested**

#### Fall Family Story Time with Miss Felicia at Chick-fil-A East

**1st Thurs. of the month** 

Thurs., Sept. 5th -Thurs., Dec. 5th

9:00 am - 9:45 am

Come enjoy stories and make a fun craft with Miss Felicia at Chick-fil-A East York on the first Thursday of each month. This is for children ages 3-5 years and their caregivers. Please <u>**RSVP online</u>** or by calling 717-252-4080.</u>



# Spoiler Alert

#### **TEENS**, ages 12 - 18

#### Thurs., Dec. 5th | 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Spoiler Alert! is a teen review group that meets online via Zoom. We discuss and review books, TV Shows, movies, video games, and more. The group meets every month. <u>Please RSVP</u> on our online calendar to receive the Zoom link.



Sat. Dec. 21st 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Frieren: Beyond Journey's End

by Kanehito Yamada





#### Baby and Toddler Story Time with Miss Felicia

Ages 0 - 3 Winter Schedule Wed., Jan 15th -Wed., March 5th 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Join Miss Felicia on Wednesdays at the library to enjoy fun-filled short stories, songs, and fingerplays.

#### **RSVP Requested**

Kreutz Creek Library's Builders Club Designed for Kids, ages 6 and up! 2 Opportunities to Attend

# CANCELLED FOR DECEMBER SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!



Miss Felicia selects a new theme each month. Use your imagination to create your masterpiece. We have LEGO® bricks, Keva Planks, K'nex, Lincoln Logs, Magnatiles, and much more. No registration required.

### **TWEEN PROGRAMS, ages 9 - 12**



The Danger Club In-Person Tues., Dec. 10th 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Join Miss Jennifer for a new adventure every month, with just the right amount of mayhem!



Join Miss Jennifer as she engages Tweens in shaping library programs for their age group.



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# Silent Book Club | Ages 13+



Thursday, Dec. 5th 6:00 pm – 7:45 pm

Community Room A SOCIAL GROUP FOR PEOPLE WHO LOVE TO READ!

Do you want to hang out with people, but not sacrifice your reading time? Do you take a book with you to social gatherings? If you answered "Yes" to any of these questions, we would love to have you join us. Trivia, refreshments, reading, and book talk!



Garden Talk with Melanie Markowski

December's Garden Talk with Melanie Markowski is canceled for the holidays. See you in January!

We may sít in our library and yet be in all quarters of the earth. - John Lubbock



# Stitch and Chat!Chat and Stitch!Stitch and Chat!DAYTIME GROUP:EVENING GROUP:1st and 3rd Tuesdays1st and 3rd Thursdays

1:00 pm to 2:45 pm Tues., Dec. 3rd

Tues., Dec. 17th

1st and 3rd Thursdays 6:00 pm - 7:45 pm Thurs., Dec. 5th

Thurs., Dec. 19th

KCL's group of crocheters and knitters chat while working on projects already begun or while starting brand new ones. No matter whether you knit, crochet, cross-stitch, or embroider, all are welcome! Come to one group or both. The more the merrier.

# THE FRIENDS CORNER

The Friends of Kreutz Creek Library is a group of civic-minded individuals who recognize that a good library is central to a good community. Through committee work, the Friends raise funds, help promote library awareness and help to improve and expand library service by working with the library manager.

# Used Book Donation Drop-Off Days at Kreutz Creek Library

#### **November Dates:**

Tues., Dec. 3rd | 12 noon – 6:00 pm Wed., Dec. 11th | 10 am – 2:00 pm



The Friends of KCL have added another way to donate your gently used books, CDs, DVDs, jewelry, and jigsaw puzzles. We now have several Book Drop-Off days scheduled throughout the year. In September, just stop by the library on the above dates/times and the Friends will take care of you.

Remember, you can still arrange special appointment times for drop-off by calling the main desk at the library or emailing <u>Friends.kcl@gmail.com</u>

#### Friends of KCL Branch Support Group



In-Person Gathering in the Community Room

> Tuesday, Dec. 17th 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

The Friends typically gather on the 4th Tuesday of the month for a 1-hour meeting starting at 5:30 pm in the large Community Room.

To prevent a conflict with the Christmas holiday December's meeting will be held on the 3rd Tuesday. Drop by to hear library updates and discussions about upcoming events and join in on the exchange of ideas to ensure our community library remains vital for future generations.

Join us Tuesday, Dec. 17th at 5:30 pm. All are welcome. If you have any questions email us at <u>Friends.KCL@gmail.com</u> or call the library at 717-252-4080.