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Guthrie
Memorial
Library

SummerQuest 2025 EVENTS

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RECURRING EVENTS/SERIES:

B Baby Story Time

Build baby's early learning skills! Play and socialize with other families, then enjoy reading and singing with Miss Kelly. Ages birth-2.

Mo JUNE 2,9,16,23,30; JULY 7,14,21,28; and

AUGUST 4,11

from 10:15am to 10:45am

BP Bedtime Story Time

Put on your jammies and enjoy stories, songs, and rhymes with Miss Kelly! Everyone is welcome but best suited for ages 5 and under.

Mo JUNE 2,16,23,30; JULY 21,28; and AUGUST 4,11

from 6:30pm to 7:00pm



T Guthrie Teen Advisory Group

Guthrie's Teen Advisory Group or TAG is your opportunity to have your voice heard by library staff and to help shape the future of your library!

What Will I Do in TAG?

- Help plan teen programs and events
- Make suggestions for the Teen Library collection
- Earn community service hours
- Eat snacks, make friends, and have fun!

How Do I Join?

Attend any of our meetings, which take place on the first Monday of every month at 6:00pm in the Teen Library! We are always accepting new members. If you have any questions about TAG, feel free to send us an email, call us, or message us via social media! For grades 7 to 12 only.

Mo JUNE 2, JULY 7, and AUGUST 4

from 6:00pm to 7:00pm

BPS Penn Township Community Park Story Time

Join Miss Kelly at Penn Township Community Park for stories, songs and fun! Enjoy time outside under the big pavilion for story time and then play at Kids Kingdom for a great family time adventure!

Tu JUNE 10,17,24; JULY 8,15,22,29;

and AUGUST 5,12

from 10:00am to 10:45am

A Health and Wellness Workshops for Seniors

65 or older? Join us for a series of weekly health and wellness workshops. Plus, enjoy a hot lunch* served after the program!

*to receive your hot lunch, please register in advance at the Adult Desk or call 717-632-5183

Tu JUNE 3,10,17,24; JULY 1,8,15,22;

and AUGUST 5,12,19,26

from 10:15am to 2:00pm



PS Crafty Tuesday

Join us for a different craft each week. Ages 3-11.

Tu JUNE 10,17,24; JULY 1,15,22,29;

and AUGUST 5,12,

from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

ST Youth Chess Club

Join us Tuesdays at 5:00pm. All skill levels are welcome! Ages 6-18.

Tu JUNE 3,10,17,24; JULY 1,8,15,22,29;

and AUGUST 5,12,19,26

from 5:00pm to 7:30pm

A Mystery Book Club

The Mystery Book Club meets the first Tuesday of every month. Books are not provided. You may check out/reserve a copy of the book from any local library to pick up at Guthrie.

June - *The Measure* by Nikki Erlick

July - *The Covenant of Water* by
Abraham Verghese

August - *Apples Never Fall* by Liane Moriarty

Tu JUNE 3, JULY 1, and AUGUST 5

from 6:30pm to 8:00pm

PS Library Along Lake Marburg

Join Miss Kelly and Miss Renae from Codorus State Park to learn about a different native animal each week, plus stories, games and a craft. Meet at the Classroom Building on Marina Road.

We JUNE 11,18,25; JULY 2,9,16,23,30;

and AUGUST 6,13

from 10:00am to 10:45am

TA Hanover's in Stitches: Knitting and Crocheting Club

in the Bare Center

Join us every other Wednesday afternoon!

This group is for all skill levels, beginners to experienced. Lead members will be able to teach anyone looking to learn. Extra supplies and tools will be available.

We JUNE 4,18; JULY 2,16; and AUGUST 6,20

from 12:30pm to 2:30pm

S Explore Art

This 6-week program is for ages 8-12 to learn about different artists and their styles. Call the library or stop by the Children's Desk to register.

We JUNE 11,18, 25; JULY 2,9,16

from 2:00pm to 3:00pm

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Events are subject to change. Please check our [web calendar](#) for updates!

Suggested Ages: **B** 0-2 **P** 3-5 **S** 6-11 **T** 12-18 **A** 19+ **E** 0+ YORKLIBRARIES.ORG/SummerQuest

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ST Youth Pokémon Club

This club is designed for all players from beginner to expert. We are happy to teach anyone that is willing to learn the game. You may bring your own cards or build a deck (to keep and take home) with cards available at the library.

We JUNE 4,11,18, 25; JULY 2,9,16,23;

and AUGUST 6,13,20, 27

from 4:00pm to 6:00pm

P Play K

Play K is for children attending Kindergarten in the fall of 2025. This 6 week program will provide your child with a wide range of early learning experiences and will help your child start school ready to read and learn in all subject areas. The Play K curriculum provides support for Pennsylvania's Learning Standards for Early Childhood and the goals of "Every Child Ready to Read". Call the library to register as space is limited. 717-632-5183

Th JUNE 5,12,19,26; JULY 3,10

10:15am to 11:00am

T VR Fridays!

Drop in anytime between 3:00 and 5:00 pm on Fridays to play on our Meta Quest VR set in the Teen Library!

Fr JUNE 6,13,20,27; JULY 11,18,25;

and AUGUST 1,8,15,22,29

from 3:00pm to 5:00pm

S Library Tales for Tails

Come read to one of our amazing reading therapy dogs! Call the Children's Library to schedule a 15-minute session.

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Sa JUNE 7,14,21, 28; JULY 12,19,26;

and AUGUST 2,9,16,23

from 10:00am to 11:00am

A Art Trivia Night At Guthrie

Grab your friends and family to make a team of up to 4 people and compete to win prizes and more importantly, bragging rights. Teams greater than 4 people can still play, however they will be ineligible for winning the prizes. Players should be 18 years of age or older. Exemptions are available on a case by case basis. Call 717-632-5183 to register your team over the phone.

Tu JUNE 24, JULY 22

from 6:00pm to 7:30pm



E Pete the Cat Meet and Greet

Stop by the library to meet everyone's favorite blue cat, Pete the Cat! Come meet the story book character and listen to his latest adventure.

Sa JUNE 7 from 11:00am to 12:00pm

E Ryan Bridge "The BugMan"

Nature is all about colors, and not biting or stinging humans. Bugs and insects have almost unlimited colors. What are these colors used for? Ryan Bridge "The BugMan" will focus on how bugs and insects use color to survive.

Mo JUNE 9 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm

T Mario Kart Tournament

Compete against your peers in this video game tournament for teens! To register for your place in the tournament, call us at 717-632-5183 or stop by the Adult Desk. Space is limited.

Th JUNE 12 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

BPS The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs

Beth Rebert of Fun-In-It Storytelling will share the story of "The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs!" by Jon Scieszka.

Fr JUNE 13 from 10:15am to 11:00am

T Teen Cuisine - Homemade Pizza

Interested in learning to cook? Join us for Teen Cuisine, a cooking program for teens who want to learn how to cook a meal for themselves and their family! We will be making homemade pizza, salad, and a chocolate hazelnut mousse. At the end of the program, you will have gained some practical culinary skills and a dinner to take home for your family! Space is limited. To reserve your place, call us at 717-632-5183 or stop by the Adult Desk.

Th JUNE 19 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

T Teen Pop Culture Trivia Night

Do you live and breathe Top 40? Do you know more about the latest celebrity beef than any current events? Do you spend too much time on that dang phone? Join us for Pop Culture Trivia Night! Test your knowledge of everything tv, movies, music, celebrity, and more in this jeopardy-style trivia night for teens. Form a team of 2-4 players (ages 12-17) and register online today. Space is limited.

[Register on our web calendar](#)

Mo JUNE 23 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm

T Board Game Café

Stop by the library for a relaxing afternoon of board games and light refreshments. Choose from an assortment of classic and new board games and play them with your friends or family.

Th JUNE 26 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

E Songs and Stories of the Civil War with Matthew Dodd

Enjoy songs and stories of the Civil War on this special weekend of remembering the Battle of Hanover. The Battle that happened before the Battle of Gettysburg right here in Hanover. Matthew makes this program educational and fun for children of all ages.

Fr JUNE 27 from 10:15am to 11:00am

E Meet York Revs' Mascot "DownTown"

Bring your camera for a story time and photo opportunities with our favorite baseball mascot, DownTown, of the York Revolution team!

Note: This program is being held at the Penn Township Community Park, 4601 Grandview Road, Hanover, PA 17331

Tu JULY 1 from 10:00am to 10:45am

T Teen Cuisine

Interested in learning to cook? Join us for Teen Cuisine, a cooking program for teens who want to learn how to cook a meal for themselves and their family! At the end of the program, you will have gained some practical culinary skills and a dinner to take home for your family! More information about July's recipes coming soon. Space is limited. To register, call us at 717-632-5183 or stop by the Adult Desk.

Th JULY 3 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

E Phredd Ukulele One Man Band

Join us in the Bare Center for PHREDD, a Ukulele Flailing, Harmonica Wailing, Suitcase Drumming, Kazoo Hum-Humming, Ukulele Bundle of Joy!

Mo JULY 7 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm



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PS T-Shirt Machine

Draw a design on your shirt with our crayons, then a staff member will use our heat press machine to make it permanent! **What to Bring:** Bring your own white or light-colored shirt. Make sure the t-shirt you bring is 100% cotton. We've also had success with pillowcases and canvas bags.

Tu JULY 8 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

T Teen Crime Solvers

Are you passionate about mysteries? Do you have the detective skills to uncover the truth? This summer, embark on an exciting adventure with Teen Crime Solvers! Delve into the evidence and collaborate with others to unmask the culprit behind the crime. Join us for a thrilling experience that will test you and your friends sleuthing abilities!

[Register on our web calendar](#)

Th JULY 10 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

S Science Heroes: Adventure of the Missing Color

Through hands-on experiments and fun, interactive stories, we get kids excited about the science that's all around us as we celebrate the scientists who color our world with art!

Mo JULY 14 from 6:00pm to 7:00pm

A Post Civil War with Kenneth Serfass

Guthrie Memorial Library will host Kenneth Serfass on the topic, Post Civil War: Reconstruction as a General in Chief (1865-1868), The Life of Ulysses S. Grant. We will meet in the Bare Center.

[Register on our web calendar](#)

Mo JULY 14 from 6:00pm to 7:45pm

A Cookbook Club

July Theme: Childhood/Family Recipes

Prepare your dish and bring it (and your recipe) along to share with all your cookbook club friends! There will be a new recipe theme each month, but always a great group of people. Please RSVP by calling 717-632-5183 or at the Main Desk at Guthrie Memorial Library at least 7 days before the meeting. Meets the third Tuesday of every other month in the Bare Center.

Tu JULY 15 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm



T Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

"One person's trash is another person's treasure." Use recycled materials to create something practical or an eco-friendly piece of art. With a bit of imagination, items destined for the landfill can get a new life. **What to Bring:** Look around your house and see what can be repurposed. Items can include clean colorful lids, paper, magazines, fabric, "steampunk" gears and gadgets, egg cartons, bubble wrap, packing peanuts, shopping bags, paper towel rolls, and so much more! Your library will have supplies, too.

[Register on our web calendar](#)

Th JULY 17 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

BPS Mark DeRose Music and Art

Join solo artist Mark DeRose for a music show with a positive and "feel good" vibe! Mark's show combines his love for the visual arts with his love for songwriting. Mark's songs, art work, and the show's activities all compliment one another in an effort to communicate his message that encourages his young listeners to embrace and enjoy life to it's fullest, be creative individuals, and most importantly, confidently be themselves!

Fr JULY 18 from 10:15am to 11:15am

S DIY Marbled Paper Project: With Miss Bre

Time to have some messy fun! Let's explore colors in an attempt to make marbled paper! Each participant will have a finished piece to take home.

[Register on our web calendar](#)

We JULY 23 from 2:00pm to 3:00pm

T Juggling for Teens with Antonio Briley Jr.

Have you ever wanted to learn how to juggle? Balance a bowling pin on your chin? Other things? Taught by the Appell Center's man of many talents Antonio Briley, Jr. (you may know him as Bananaman), this 1-hour class will give you the opportunity to learn about all the quirky, interesting, and fun skills you've ever imagined, and some you haven't.

Th JULY 24 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm

S Leap into Science: Magnet Magic

Have you ever wondered how magnets actually work? Magnets have invisible forces that allow objects to pull together (attract) or push apart (repel). This workshop invites children to have fun exploring the magic of magnetic forces!

We JULY 30 from 2:00pm to 3:00pm

T Fortnite Festival Tournament

Compete against your peers in this video game tournament for teens! To register for your place in the tournament, call us at 717-632-5183 or stop by the Adult Desk. Space is limited.

Th JULY 31 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

S Art That is Fishy

Come practice the ancient art of gyotaku with Penn State Master Watershed stewards. Young people will have the chance to create a fish print, create their own fish, examine fish anatomy, and play games that explore how fish survive in our waterways.

We AUGUST 6 from 2:00pm to 3:00pm

T Super Smash Bros. Tournament

Compete against your peers in this video game tournament for teens: Super Smash Bros! To register for your place in the tournament, call us at 717-632-5183 or stop by the Adult Desk. Space is limited.

Th AUGUST 7 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm



T Teen Movie Party

Mourn the end of summer by attending our Teen Movie Party! Hang out with friends, eat popcorn, and watch a 2023 mockumentary comedy film about the eccentric staff of a rundown theater camp. This film is PG-13 for "some strong language and suggestive/drug references". For more information about the film including the title, please stop by the Adult Desk or call us at 717-632-5183 to inquire.

Th AUGUST 14 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

E Dr. Marc Charisse Professor of Prestidigitation

Magical entertainments and custom conjurer's effects.

Fr AUGUST 15 from 10:15am to 11:15am

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