

LIBRARY TALK



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Library Hours

Closed
Mon, May 25th
Memorial Day

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

Fudge's Six Month Anniversary



Gender: Heifer (Female)



Birthday: Sept. 16, 2025
6 Mo. Weight 444 lbs.
6 Mo. Height 45 inches.

Fudge is so proud of her heritage. She is not just any cow; she's a Holstein with a legacy. Her ancestors hail all the way from the Netherlands. After the New World was settled, and demand for milk increased, dairy breeders in the United States turned to Holland for their stock. In 1852, a gentleman named Winthrop Chenery purchased a Holland cow from a Dutch sailing master who landed cargo in Boston, Massachusetts. The cow had furnished the ship's crew with fresh milk during the voyage. She proved to be such a satisfactory producer that Holstein stock was quickly regarded as the perfect dairy breed for our growing nation.

Fudge recognizes that she is part of an elite breed because today, 90% of all dairy cows are Holsteins. They are also the largest of all breeds, tipping the scales at 1500 pounds. While Holstein milk is slightly lower in fat and protein as compared with Jersey cows, it is the top choice for liquid milk. So, the next time you enjoy a bowl of cereal, raise a glass to Fudge and her Holstein family—because every delicious drop has a rich history and a proud Holstein behind it!



The Pillars of Retirement with

Sean Clark, MBA, MRFC, CFEI
CEO, York Independents, Inc.

Tuesday, May 5th
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Register Here!

Market downturns, investment options, long-term care, and more—what do they mean for your retirement? You've worked hard to build your savings. Are you ready to enhance your retirement plan and maximize your benefits?

Join us at the Kreutz Creek Library Tuesday, May 5th for an educational workshop focused on **Investments, Income, and Healthcare**, including strategies to navigate the current market environment.

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY PROGRAMS

Baby and Toddler Story Time with Miss Felicia



SPRING Ages 0 - 3
Spring Schedule

Wed., March 18th - May 6th
10:30 am - 11:15 am
Please RSVP

Join Miss Felicia for our Spring Session story times to enjoy fun-filled short stories, songs, and fingerplays.

Preschool Story Time with Miss Felicia

Ages 3 - 5
Spring Schedule

SPRING



Fri., March 20th - May 8th
10:30 am - 11:15 am
Please RSVP

Join Miss Felicia for our Spring Session story times to enjoy fun-filled short stories, songs, and a take-home craft each week.

Kreutz Creek Library's Builders Club Library Tales for Tails For Ages 6+

There will be no Builder's Club and Tales for Tails in May but we will see you again in June!

TWEEN PROGRAM, ages 9 - 12

The Danger Club
Kreutz Creek Library
2nd Tuesday of the Month
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

The Danger Club
Tuesday, May 12th
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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

Silent Book Club | Ages 13+



Thursday, May 7th
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! Just drop in. No RSVP necessary!

TWEEN/TEEN PROGRAM, ages 9 - 18

Library Squad
Tuesday, May 19th
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm



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



Cookbook Group
Thurs., May 28th
6:00 pm - 7:45 pm
Community Room
RSVP Requested!

May's Theme: **Hot or Cold Salads**

Bring a sweet or savory prepared dish (based on the theme for the month), a copy of your recipe, & share in the taste-testing with other cooking enthusiasts. Please RSVP! All are Welcome!



Garden Talk with Melanie Markowski

Growing Dahlias
Thurs. May 14th
6:30 - 7:45 pm

"If flowers had a runway, dahlias would steal the show."
Dahlias are perennials but not cold-hardy for our planting zone. Although requiring a tad more maintenance, their stunning blooms make it all worthwhile. Join Melanie to hear all about the "ins and outs" of growing dahlias in your own backyard.

We will have some yellow dahlia tubers to give away.



Death Café Book Club | Please RSVP

May Book Selection:

“Year Of Wonders” by Geraldine Brooks

Facilitated by Andrea Williams, MA

Bereavement Counselor, Grane Hospice

Tuesday, May 26th | 6:00 pm –7:30 pm

You are not alone during times of change, grief, and loss. No matter if you are navigating a recent loss, reflecting on one from the past, or preparing for an anticipated transition, the Death Cafe Book Club offers a welcoming space to share and heal. As we dive into the themes of our monthly book selection, connect with others who understand your journey. **Our May book selection is “Year Of Wonders” by Geraldine Brooks.** Copies of our March selection are available for check out at the Member Services Desk.

Please register on our online calendar.

Please Note: Beginning in March, the Death Cafe Book Club’s monthly meetings will alternate between evening and daytime sessions. **May will be an evening session on the 4th Tuesday of the month.**



Stitch and Chat!

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NEW DAY & TIME!

DAYTIME GROUP:

**2nd and 4th Wednesdays
12:00 pm to 1:45 pm**

**Wed., May 13th
Wed., May 27th**

EVENING GROUP:

**1st and 3rd Thursdays
6:00 pm - 7:45 pm**

**Thurs., May 7th
Thurs., May 21st**

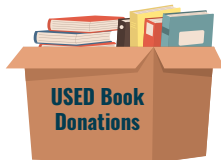
KCL’s group of crocheters and knitters chat while working on projects already begun or while starting brand new ones. No matter whether you knit, crochet, cross-stitch, or embroider, all are welcome! Come to one group or both. **The more the merrier.**

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

- Tues., May 5th | 12 noon- 6 pm**
- Thurs., May 21st | 12 noon - 6 pm**
- Tues., June 2nd | 12 noon - 6 pm**
- Thurs., June 18th | 12 noon - 6 pm**
- Tues., July 7th | 12 noon - 6 pm**
- Thurs., July 23rd | 12 noon - 6 pm**



The Friends of KCL have added another way to donate your gently used books, CDs, DVDs, and jigsaw puzzles. We now have Book Drop-Off days scheduled throughout the year. Stop by the library on the above dates/times and the Friends will be there to help. Remember, you can still arrange special appointment times for drop-off by calling the main desk at the library or emailing Friends.kcl@gmail.com

Friends of KCL Branch Support Group



In-Person Gathering in the Community Room

**Monday, May 18th
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm**

The Friends group typically meets on the third Monday of each month for a one-hour meeting starting at 5:30 PM in the large Community Room. In April, the meeting will be moved to the second Monday to avoid a conflict with the Spring Used Book Sale activities. Everyone is welcome to join us for library updates, discussions about upcoming events, and the exchange of ideas to ensure our community library remains vibrant for future generations. If you have any questions, please email us at Friends.KCL@gmail.com or call the library at 717-252-4080.

Thank you!