## **Library Happenings**

Community Library of Allegheny Valley

#### Harrison Location

1522 Broadview Blvd. Natrona Heights, PA 15065 Phone: 724-226-3491

Monday through Thursday: 11:30 am to 8:30 pm

Friday: 10 am to 2 pm

Saturday: 9 am to 4 pm

Sunday: Closed



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**Tarentum** Location

400 Lock Street Tarentum, PA 15084

Phone: 724-226-0770

Monday through Wednesday: 10 am to 6 pm

Visit us online:

www.alleghenyvalley

Friday: 10 am to 4 pm

Saturday: 10 am to 2 pm

Thursday and Sunday: Closed

#### Both libraries are closed November 22 and 23 Happy Thanksgiving!



#### **Makerspace: Fall Crafts** 6 to 8 pm Nov. 14 (Harrison)

These simple crafts will brighten up your fall and holiday decorating. Register at 724-226-3491.

#### **Makerspace: Holiday Resin Projects** 5:30 pm Nov. 21 (Harrison)

Use resins to create items perfect for fall and winter. Participants will learn about different ways to use the medium and make their own jewelry and other small items. As a safety precaution, masks and gloves will be required for this activity. \$1 materials fee. Call 724-226-3491 to register or for more information.

#### <u>Senior Folks vs Boredom – who will win?</u> 12 to 1:30 pm Dec. 16 (Harrison)

This program is for those of us who are bored. Did you used to be the life of the party, even if it lasted all night but now your time to leave the partiers and go home – at 8 p.m. Let's talk about what we can do to break those long dark and dreary winter hours. And, of course, Thanksgiving. Please sign up at 724-226-3491.

#### **Holiday Cookie Exchange** 5:30 pm Dec. 12 (Harrison)

If you enjoy baking the is the group for you. A cookie exchange is an excellent way to get a wide variety of cookies in time for the holidays. Participants will be divided into groups of no more than ten and bake a dozen cookies for each member. Register at 724-226-3491 by Dec 3 at 5 pm to participate. Please include a first and second choice of type of cookie to make.

#### Who Knew? Where the boys are? Where the girls are? 6 to 7 pm Nov. 13 OR 14 (Tarentum)

Learn more about some of the many pastimes of the early Tarentum residents. Audience participation welcome. Registration required at 724-226-0770 as seating is limited.

#### Writers Workshop 5 to 6 pm Nov 14 (Harrison)

Whether you are writing romance novels or completing memoirs, this is the group for you. Participants meet once a month to share their work and ideas and receive constructive criticism from like minded peers. This program is offered on the second Wednesday of the month. Call 724226-3491 with questions.

#### **Cooking Class: Soups** 5:30 pm Nov. 28(Harrison)

Cooking is fun and easy at the library in this hands on workshop. In this class we will make soups. Call the library for a full ingredients list. \$2 materials fee. Registration required by Nov. 26. Register at 724-226-3491. Want more cooking fun? A cooking class will be held on the 4th Wednesday of every month.



#### **Ceramic Ornaments Parts 1 & 2** 5:30 to 7:30 pm Nov. 29 5:30 to 7:30 pm Dec. 6 (Harrison)

Create your own unique holiday ornaments. Give them as gifts or use them to brighten up your own home. Students will sculpt their ornaments during part 1 and glaze them during part 2. Can't attend a session? Call to inquire about our make up days. \$1 materials fee required. Registration required. Call 724-226-3491 or email myserk2@einetwork.net for more information and to reg-

#### Ongoing Programs Happening at Harrison

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Historical Book Club: 7 to 8 pm Nov. 5 Open Computer Lab: Tuesdays 12 to 2 or by Appt 50 Book Challenge: 6 to 7 pm Nov. 27

> Game Day: 11 am to 1:45 pm Nov. 9 Yarn Friends: 5:30 to 7:30 pm Nov. 26

Open Makerspace: 6 to 8 pm Nov. 19, 11:30 to 1:45 Nov.



#### **Cooking Class: Perfect Pizzelles** 5:30 pm Dec. 12 (Harrison)

Cooking is fun and easy at the library in this hands on workshop. In this class we will pizzelle cookies and other cookie fun. Call the library for a full ingredients list. \$1 materials fee. Register at 724-226-3491. Want more cooking fun? A cooking class will be held on the 4th Wednesday of every month except December.



Sign up for the library's mailing list! Receive emails containing our newsletter and other important information. Email "mailing list" to Katie at myserk2@einetwork.net to sign up.



# November Children's Programs

**Community Library Of Allegheny Valley** 

#### LAPSIT

For children 0-3 years **Harrison Location** 

- 11 am Tues.
- 9:30 am Thurs.
  - 9:30 am Fri.

• 10:30 am Fri.



#### STORYTIME

For children age 3 to 5 **Harrison Lcation** 

- 11 am Mon.
- 11 am Thurs.



Registration for Storytime and Lapsit 2018 begins online on Monday, Dec. 10th at 11:30 am! The classes will begin the week of January 7th. When registering online, go to that week and select the day you want to register for.

#### Al Amazing's:

**Elf on My Shelf** 

#### December 3rd from 3—6 pm

This one man holiday show is a fun time for all ages!

Stage Right-Books Come Alive will perform

#### "How the Grinch Stole Christmas"

December 11th at 6:00 pm

Fun for the whole family! After the show, make a craft to take home! Space is limited.

Register at the front desk or by phone starting Monday, November 12th at 11:30 am.

### **Kids Quest**

Join us for stories, crafts, and experiments

4:30 to 5:30 pm Nov. 6, Jan. 8, Feb. 5

For Kindergarten and 1st Grade Registration required at 724226-3491

## Youth & Teen Programs

#### **Monthly Programs:**

#### **American Girl Zone**

For girls ages 7 and up Meets 1 to 2 pm one Saturday a month

#### **Homeschool Art**

For home school families Meets one afternoon a month

#### **Magic Tree House Adventures**

For independent readers in grades 1-4 Meets 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm on Thursday a month

#### STEM/Maker Program

For kids in grades 1-6 Meets 4:30 to 5:30 pm after school

#### **Lego Challenges**

For kids in grades 2-5 Meets 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. after school

#### **Needle and Thread Club**

For Grades 4 & up 12-1 pm one Saturday a month





\$1 donation per program per child. For more information or to be notified of program schedules, and availability, contact Susan Wilson at 724-226-3491 or wilson2@einetwork.net.

#### ANIME CLUB

Meets one Saturday a month, Nov. 3th from 12 pm—2 pm Dec. 1 from 11:30—2:30 pm For teens in grades 9 and up!



An interactive book club for grades 7-12.