



“Beyond the Bookcase”

April - June 2026
Quarterly Newsletter



CLOSINGS

May 25th: Memorial Day
June 19th: Juneteenth

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LIBRARY HOURS

Monday:	10:00am-6:00pm
Tuesday:	10:00am-6:00pm
Wednesday:	10:00am-6:00pm
Thursday:	10:00am-6:00pm
Friday:	10:00am-6:00pm
Saturday:	10:00am-2:00pm
Sunday:	Closed

PROGRAMS

Spoon Rings | Teen-Adult

April 11 - 11:00, 12:30, 2:00pm

Repurpose spoons into a ring with Kim Chebalo. Registration required.

Family Bingo | All Ages

April 24 - 5:30pm

Bring the whole crew for Family Bingo Night! Enjoy a fun-filled evening of prizes, laughter, and classic bingo—plus free pizza for everyone.

Genealogy Workshop | Adult

May 2 - 6:00pm

Learn about genealogy with experts on the topic. Registration required.

Stained Glass | Adult

May 5 - 5:00pm

Make a glass pollinator friend for your indoor plant. Learn the process of the Tiffany stained glass technique and solder your own creation. Registration required.

Spring Slate Painting | Teen-Adult

May 19 - 5:30pm

Paint a spring themed slate. \$5 per person, registration required.

Bike Decorating | All Ages

May 23 - 10:00am

Decorate your bike to ride in the Memorial Day parade. More info to follow.



Intro to Drawing | Teen-Adult

June 9 - 5:30pm

Learn the basics of drawing with artist Molly Fox. Supplies provided, free of charge. Registration required.



SAVE THE DATE:

Summer Learning Program | All Ages

July 6th -August 1st

Get ready to dig into adventure! We're thrilled to announce our 2026 Summer Learning Program, "Unearth a Story." Join us for four weeks packed with curiosity, creativity, and community fun. Two big events are already on the calendar: *Fur, Feathers, and Scales* where kids can meet amazing live animals (7/8), and a bubbly, joy-filled *Foam Party* (8/1)! There will be something to discover for all ages!

Registration Party:
Wednesday, July 1st 4-6pm



REGISTRATION REQUIRED:

To register for a program, call the library at 585-384-5170, email foxm@stls.org, or message us on Facebook.

MONTHLY PROGRAMS

Studio Art | Adult

One Monday per Month - 5:30pm

Join us for a classroom style art class.

Mahjong | Adult-Senior

Tuesdays - 10:00am

Weekly game of American Mahjong.

Patchwork Neighbors | All Ages

3rd Saturday of the Month - 10:00am

All ages, skill levels, and neighbors are invited to come together and sew lap quilts for a shared community project.

Library Little Ones | Children

Monday, Wednesday, & Fridays - 9:30-11:30am

Weekly drop-in play group for children and their caregivers.

Bone Builders | Seniors

Tuesdays & Thursdays - 9:00am

Free, low impact exercise class for seniors.

Creative Community | All Ages

Wednesdays - 4:00pm

Weekly craft adaptable for all ages and abilities.

Book Club | Adults

Last Wednesday of the Month - 12:00pm

Join us for a discussion of our monthly pick.

April: *A Great Big Beautiful Life* by Emily Henry

May: *The Nest* by Cynthia D'Aprix Sweeny

June: *The Book Club for Troublesome Women* by Marie Bostwick



TWEENS & TEENS

Teen Time | Ages 14-18

First Friday of the Month

Monthly teen only hangout. Invite friends to make a craft, play a game, watch a movie or battle on the Nintendo Switch.

TAKE & MAKES

Passive Program | All Ages

Any Day, Any Time

Each month a new craft will be provided at the circulation desk for patrons to "take and make" a craft at home.

LITERACY

STORYTIME

Ages 0-5

Children can join us for a read aloud and activity. Every other Thursday at 4:00pm.

SIT, STAY, READ!

Ages 6-14

Early readers practice reading aloud with a service dog. Every other Thursday at 4:00pm.

1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

Ages 0-5

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten is a national initiative that encourages parents to read with their children before starting kindergarten.

Sign up today!

2026 READING CHALLENGE

All Ages

Try a new genre each month of 2026 to be entered for a chance to win a prize. Stop by the circulation desk to pick up your reading log!



ONLINE RESOURCES



MANGO LANGUAGES

Mango is a language learning platform with over 70 languages and ASL modules.



KANOPY

Kanopy is a streaming platform from OverDrive that offers unlimited access to thousands of documentaries, movies, and series.



LIBBY

Libby is the free app from OverDrive that lets you borrow ebooks, digital audiobooks, and magazines from our library anytime, anywhere!



GROUND NEWS

Ground News is a platform that makes it easy to compare news sources, read between the lines of media bias and break free from algorithms.



JOB NOW

Live, anytime, anywhere job assistance, including up-to-date nationwide and local job search engines, professional resume critique, and proven interview techniques.



PETERSON'S TEST PREP:

Test Prep and Career Resources-Gale offers a variety of resources for education, lifelong learning, and academic research.

LIBRARY OF THINGS

NON-BOOK ITEMS AVAILABLE FOR CHECKOUT

- Nintendo Switch
- Nintendo Switch Games
- Yoto Mini Player
- Yoto Cards
- Launchpads
- NYS Empire Pass
- Alfred Ceramics Museum Pass
- RMSC Pass
- Fishing Poles
- Puzzles
- Sewing Machines
- Long Arm Sewing Machine
- Seed Library



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SUGGESTIONS

Please share any suggestions you may have regarding items for checkouts, programs, library of things, passes, or anything library related with us. We want to hear from YOU!



General Suggestions



Program Suggestions