

PENN YAN PUBLIC LIBRARY'S MISSION IS TO AWAKEN AND SATISFY CURIOSITY IN THE INDIVIDUAL,
THUS ENRICHING THE COMMUNITY.

Adult Programming Calendar

Chair Yoga

Tues., Dec. 10, 1:00-1:30 pm
Note: Now back at 1pm. Free, low-impact beginners' yoga practice with Molly Lawrence! Registration is requested but we can welcome a few walk-ins too. Note that there is no session on Christmas Eve.

Register:
<https://tinyurl.com/4az68me7>

French Table de Conversation

Thurs., Dec. 12, 5:30-6:30 pm;
contact library for location
Connect with other Francophiles over drinks and snacks. Practice your French speaking skills, or sit back and practice listening. All skill levels are welcome. The library will buy one round of hors d'oeuvres; drinks and other food are on you.

Book Talk

Sat., Dec. 21, 11:00am-12:00 pm
at Amity Coffee Co. (3 Main St., Penn Yan)

Gather in community to discuss your current reads! Like a book club, but open-ended. Sing the praises of your latest favorite author, or warn others to banish them from the TBR pile. No registration necessary.

Regular Monthly Meetings

- Friends of PYPL: *Off in December*
- PYPL Library Board: Thursday, Dec. 19, 6:30 pm

In-person at Penn Yan Public Library, 214 Main Street.

The library will close at 1:00 pm on Tues., Dec. 24 and Tues., Dec. 31. The library will be closed on Weds., Dec. 25 and Weds., Jan. 1.

Featured Programs

Cookie Swap

Weds., Dec. 18, 6:30-7:30 pm
Sign up in person at the front desk of the library! Space is limited. Each person selects their favorite cookie recipe. They bake 1/2 dozen cookies for each participant; for example, if there are 6 people participating, each person would bake 3 dozen of their recipe. Each person gets a half dozen of everyone else's favorite cookie – simple as that! You end up with an assortment of yummy cookies to enjoy right away or freeze for upcoming celebrations. Cocoa and tea will be provided. Please bring copies of your recipe for others so they can make them again. **Please visit the library to sign up by December 16 so we have a final number of participants with enough time for baking.**

Arts & Drafts: "Stained Glass" Winter Greeting Cards

Sat., Dec. 21, 1:00 pm *at LyonSmith (2597 Assembly Ave., Keuka Park)*

Local artist Jeannette McDunnah presents a new series of fun art projects for adults! This month, create lovely, wintry cards with a watercolor-painted stained glass effect.

Register at
<https://bit.ly/artsdraftspy>.

ATTENTION PLEASE!
GO ON A SCIENCE ADVENTURE!
Check out an Ithaca Sciencenter pass for a week! It provides free admission for up to two adults and all children living in the same household.
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Check out an Empire Pass today and keep it for a week! The Pass gives you free admission to New York State Parks for one vehicle. Find a list of State Parks at <https://parks.ny.gov/parks/>

Partner programs

Knit Together

Thursdays, 1 - 3pm, in person
All are welcome to share in the love of fiber arts. Sessions are sometimes held elsewhere during nice weather, so consider calling ahead.

Alzheimer's Association Community Education: The Empowered Caregiver

Tuesday, Dec. 17, 4:30 - 5:30 pm, in person
Join a presenter from the Alzheimer's Association of the Greater Rochester area for monthly sessions on a variety of Alzheimer's and dementia-related topics. This new education series from the Alzheimer's Association teaches caregivers how to navigate the responsibilities of caring for someone with dementia and take care of their own well

being. Registration is required. Call 1-800-272-3900 or visit alz.org/crf.

Alzheimer's Association Caregiver Support Group

Mon., Dec. 23, 4pm, in person
This is a safe place for people living with dementia and their care partners to develop a support system, share info, talk through issues, and learn about resources. Register by calling 1-800-272-3900 or by visiting alz.org/crf



New DVDs

- Alien: Romulus
- Deadpool & Wolverine
- Borderlands
- The Wild Robot
- Beetlejuice Beetlejuice
- It Ends with Us
- Kinds of Kindness
- Slingshot
- The Throwback
- The Thicket
- Blink Twice
- You Gotta Believe
- Genie (2023)

Stay Sharp Kits now available @ PYPL!



PYPL is proud to now offer Stay Sharp kits! Each of the four kits - on Americana, classic cars, trains, and the Titanic - comes with reading material, games and activities designed to support memory in adults. They're great for folks beginning to experience memory loss due to dementia or Alzheimer's, as well as those who want to exercise their memories to keep them strong. And they make perfect activities for intergenerational fun between friends and family members, too. They live on the bottom shelf of the local history section on the main floor of the library. Come check one out today!



Library Services

- "Experience Library" passes to state parks, Corning Museum of Glass & Ithaca Sciencenter
- Free WiFi & Mobile WiFi Hotspots
- Public Access Computers
- Online & Mobile Catalog
- Downloadable eBooks & Audiobooks (visit stls.overdrive.com or use the free Libby app)
- Interlibrary Loan
- Reference & Research
- Early Literacy Education
- Youth Services
- Community Outreach
- Local History & Genealogy
- State-Appointed Public Access Law Library
- Books, Magazines, DVDs, Video Games, CDs, Audiobooks & More
- Programs for All Ages
- Handicap Accessible
- Reservable Meeting Room
- Book Drop
- Bicycle Repair Station
- Copy & Fax Service
- Horse & Buggy Parking
- Electric Vehicle Charging Station