

Adult Programming Calendar

Gentle Chair Yoga

Tues., Aug. 5, 12 & 19, 2:30-3 pm

Free, low-impact beginners' yoga practice with Molly Lawrence! Registration is requested but we can welcome a few walk-ins too.

Now weekly! **Register:**

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

Meet Author Sherinda Ryter

Sat., Aug. 9, 11 am-1 pm

Local writer Sherinda

Ryter, author of the cozy mystery series starting with *First Cousins' Killer*

Reunion and *Killer*

Seconds, will be at PYPL to answer your questions and talk shop about the craft of writing. She'll have copies of her books for sale and signing too. Don't miss this chance to meet your next favorite author!

Family Research Support

Group: Ship Manifests

Weds., Aug. 13, 4-5 pm

All meetings hybrid! This month, we'll look at a variety of resources for researching the passenger lists that might include clues about your ancestors. **Use this link to register if attending virtually:** <http://bit.ly/PYPLfam>.

French Table de Conversation

Thurs., Aug. 14, 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. Contact Alex at the library for location.

Arts & Drafts: Weave Your Own Coasters

Sat., Aug. 16, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. *at*

LyonSmith Brewing Co. (2597 Assembly Avenue, Keuka Park).

Rescheduled from July.

Local artist Jeannette McDunnah presents a new series of fun art projects for adults! This month, weave a special coaster for that glistening glass or condensation-covered can. No dewy drink gets left behind. **Register at** bit.ly/artsdraftspy.

Looking for activities for over Labor Day Weekend? Check out a pass from our Experience Library!

NY State Parks - Museum of Glass - Sciencenter - and more!

Bridge Building: Community Resilience Through Personal Connection

Thurs., Aug. 7, 6-7pm

In this new series, Penn Yan Public Library invites the public to step out of their comfort zones and get to know people who may be different from them. We believe that highlighting people of diverse identities strengthens our community by fostering tolerance, understanding, and empathy between people from different backgrounds. For this session, we welcome Ashly Dumbleton, a student who grew up in Dundee and attends Keuka College, who will share their experience as a Deaf person. We'll have time for respectful dialogue after her presentation. The library is very grateful to Keuka College for providing ASL interpretation for this event. Please register here to receive links to the podcast and to attend:

<https://tinyurl.com/56ktpzuh>

Regular Monthly Meetings

- Friends of PYPL: Thursday, Aug. 7, 4:00 pm
- PYPL Library Board: Thursday, Aug. 21, 6:30 pm

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

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: Ten Warning Signs

Tuesday, Aug. 19, 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. Registration is required. Call 1-800-272-3900 or visit alz.org/crf.

Alzheimer's Association
Caregiver Support Group
Mon., Aug. 25, 4pm, in person
This is a safe place the care partners of people living with dementia 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

Keuka Writes

Mon., Aug. 25, 6:00-8:00 pm, hybrid
Welcoming all writers from around our beautiful lake! This year, we invite you to two-part sessions, starting with critique sessions before moving on to prompts, lessons, or open writing. Please keep material you'd like feedback on to no longer than five typed pages. We'd love to help you work on submissions for *Bluff & Vine*, our local literary magazine! Email keukawrites@gmail.com to get on the mailing list and learn about this and other upcoming sessions.

New DVDs

- Stealing Pulp Fiction
- Marvel's Thunderbolts*
- The Phoenician Scheme
- Friendship
- Neighborhood Watch
- How to Train Your Dragon (2025)
- 1923 season 2
- The Accountant 2
- A Good Girl's Guide to Murder
- Death Valley
- The King of Kings
- Karate Kid: Legends
- The Unholy Trinity
- Flow

Community Stuff Swap & Outreach Fair

Sat., Aug. 23, 10 am-12 pm

Members of the community are welcome to clear out their closets, attics and basements to bring clean, useful, usable items to the library for others to freely take - helping to declutter our lives, keep items out of the waste stream, and get them into the hands of

people who can use them. This year, we're inviting representatives from local service organizations to table at these events, offering another layer of value and connectedness. Our outreach guests will be Yates NY Connects/Office for the Aging and Child and Family Resources, Inc.

Now available @ PYPL: Stay Sharp Kits



These special bundles of activities are designed for people are experiencing memory loss or other cognitive issues. They're also great for anyone looking to improve short-term memory and cognitive speed! This Titanic set is just one of four available at PYPL (the others include Cars, Railroads, and Americana).

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)
- Digital resources including Kanopy, Mango Language Learning, & Consumer Reports
- 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 Stations