

DISCOVER • LEARN • GROW



LIVERPOOL PUBLIC LIBRARY

Where the Community Connects

April & May 2023

Events

Community Guide for Programs and Classes



Adults

Kids

Teens

CHECK US OUT!

Connect our community, engage people, inspire discovery, learning, and growth.

Follow us on Social Media



LPL.org

Adult Programs

*Registration is required. Visit our events calendar at LPL.org to register.



Business

Money Smart with SECNY and OCC*

Tues, April 18 · 6 p.m. · Carman
Are you beginning to explore the different ways to pay for college or navigating the FAFSA forms? SECNY FCU and OCC are here to help! They will answer how to consider paying for college, the costs of living, and what some of the different options for a post-high-school life could look like. This is open to both students and adults working through this process. For 16+.

Gaming

Let's Get Trivial!*

Wed, April 5 & May 3 · 7 p.m.
Bull & Bear Roadhouse
Join the masters of information and fun, the Liverpool Public Library staff, at this monthly program designed to make connections and learn some fast facts!

Adults with Disabilities Hangout

Mon, April 10 & May 8
1 p.m. · Carman
A sensory-friendly environment for tabletop games, arts and crafts, and more!

Let's Play Mah-Jongg Experienced Players*

Mon, April 24 & May 22
6:30 p.m. · Sargent
This program is for those who have experience playing Mah-Jongg. Bring your board if you like!

Mah-Jongg for Beginners*

Mon, April 24 & May 22
6:30 p.m. · Sargent
This is an instructional beginner's session.

Get Creative

Card Making with Renee*

Mon, April 3; May 22
6:30 p.m. · Carman or Sargent
Unleash your creativity in this fun, hands-on card making program! Supplies Fee is \$20.

Painting with Evelyn*

Tue, April 4, 11, 18, 25
3 p.m. · Studio@LPL
Paint an Adirondack vista over this 4-week class. A \$10 supply fee is due & payable to Evelyn Fiorenza on the first day. All materials provided.

Hooks & Needles*

Thur, April 6 & May 4
10 a.m. · Sargent
Enjoy knitting, crochet, needlepoint, cross-stitch, or beading? Bring your project & share tips and tricks.

Creative Writing Workshop

Wed, April 12 & May 17 · 6 p.m.
Collaborate@LPL & Sargent
This safe space is for anyone and everyone regardless of experience, from people who have never written anything all the way to published authors. We will work on three sections: reading, writing, and sourcing. For 18+.



What's Cookin':*

In Studio@LPL
Mon, April 17 · 7 p.m.
This month we will create dishes featuring recipes where the main ingredients are bread or cheese.
Mon, May 15 · 7 p.m.
This month we will create dishes featuring brunch recipes.

Art Series: Charcuterie Boards*

Wed, April 19 · 7 p.m. · Studio@LPL
Join us for this fun evening where we will create a beautiful food board! Register in groups or as individuals.



Art Series: Chain Art*

Tues, May 9 · 7 p.m. · Studio@LPL
Using bicycle chain, local artist and bike enthusiast, Robert Neiderhoff will lead participants in creating art from the chains.

Keep Calm & Craft On*

Carman
Celebrate your love of crafting at this informal program.

Tues, April 25 · 7 p.m.

This month we will use repurposed items to be more earth friendly.

Tues, May 30 · 7 p.m.

This month the Bead Society of CNY will lead us in creating a piece of jewelry.



Health & Wellness

Yo-Chi*

Tues, April 4, 11, 18, 25
11:30 a.m. · Carman

Led by wellness coach, Gwen McCarroll, Yo-Chi is a harmonizing blend of Yoga poses and Tai Chi forms to increase strength, breathing capacity, and balance. For all levels.

Service Dogs & Disability Awareness

Tues, April 4 · 5 p.m. · Carman
There will be service dogs and their handlers for you to meet and answer any questions you may have! Open for 16+.



Public Health & Environment

Tues, April 11 · 7 p.m. · Carman
Dr. Lemir Teron (SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry) discusses the local implications of climate change & environmental justice.

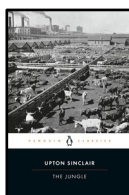
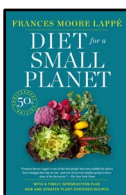
The Serious Side of Food*

Wed · 6:30 p.m. · Sargent
Join us for this short-term book discussion about food. This series exposes some of the pressing issues that lie on our plates.

April 12: *Diet for a Small Planet*
by Frances Moore Lappé

May 10: *The Jungle*
by Upton Sinclair

This program is made possible through a Reading and Discussion Grant from Humanities New York.



Medicare 101 with Michele
Wed, April 19 · 2 p.m. · Sargent
Michele Hawthorne, licensed Medicare insurance agent, will guide you through the process of Medicare coverage and various plans.

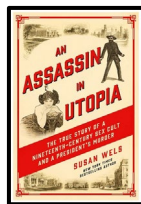
Mental Wellness Bingo
Wed, May 24 · 2 p.m. · Carman
Aetna will be at LPL with health resource information highlighting ways to keep your mental wellness sharp along with your physical well-being.



History

An Assassin in Utopia: The True Story of a Nineteenth-Century Sex Cult & a President's Murder

Tues, April 4 · 7 p.m. · Carman
New York Times bestselling author Susan Wels joins us virtually to talk about her book which traces the connection between the free-love community in Oneida, NY, and the assassination of President Garfield.



Mount St. Helens
Thur, April 27 · 1 p.m. · Carman
Len Sharp will discuss the eruption and the aftermath. Sharp had the opportunity to be one of the first civilians to climb into the still active Mt. St. Helens volcano as part of a National Science Foundation and United States Geological Service Honors Field Experience.

Beer-ie Canal Was A-Risen
Thur, May 18 · 7 p.m. · Carman
This discussion examines the Erie Canal's beer boom in the 19th century and its new one in the 21st. Presented by Derrick Pratt.



Historic Ships
Thur, May 25 · 2 p.m. · Carman
Jon Anderson will display models of twelve historic ships from various eras. Stop by between 2 – 5 p.m. to view the ships and discover their histories.



At the February 8th board meeting, the Liverpool Public Library Board of Trustees appointed Susan Reckhow as Library Director III. Susan joined the LPL team in 2017 as Assistant Library Director III, in which she played a major role in the renovation of the library. Susan has served as Interim Director since August 2022. Congratulations, Susan!

In the Community

Period Supply Drive

April 1-30

Lack of period products is a hidden consequence of poverty. Donations of period supplies during the month of April, are appreciated and will be provided to individuals in need. Sponsored by Books and Beyond Book Club.

Adults with Disabilities

Volunteer Days

Thur, April 13; May 18

10 a.m. · Carman

Volunteer at the library. We will be working on different projects to help the staff.

State Sen. John Mannion Mobile Office Hours

Mon, April 17 & May 15 · 5-7p.m.

Meet the Senator's staff and ask questions.

Volunteer Days:

Let's Clean Up!*

Tues, April 18 · 1:30 p.m. · Lobby

Join us in celebrating the earth by helping clean up the library garden, and around Johnson Park. Gloves and bags will be provided! All ages.

Volunteer Days: National Historic Markers Clean-up*

Fri, April 28 · 1 p.m. · Studio@LPL

This service-oriented event brings people and communities together to maintain historic markers by cleaning them and providing an opportunity to celebrate and preserve history. Created by the William G. Pomeroy Foundation.

Exploring Tomorrow's Transit

Tues, May 2 · 5-7 p.m. · Carman
Exploring Tomorrow's Transit (ETT) is a public engagement effort by Centro and the Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council (SMTC) to better understand our community's diverse needs & expectations around public transit.



Volunteer Days:

Loaves & Fishes*

Thur, May 11 · 1:45 p.m. · Offsite

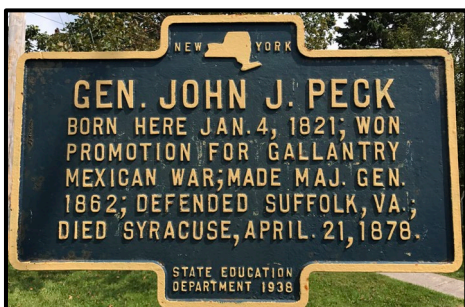
We will meet at St. Joseph's to hand out food on their Fresh Foods Day. The Food Pantry, located in St. Joseph the Worker Parish Center, is a supplementary source for those in need. Registration is required and limited to 6 participants. Please meet at St. Joseph's at 1:45 p.m.

Volunteer Days:

Meals on Wheels*

Wed, May 17 · 10:45 a.m. · Offsite

We will meet at Meals on Wheels to create freezer meals. Please bring a mask and prepare to follow Meals on Wheels protocols for COVID-19. Participants must wear closed-toe shoes. Sleeveless shirts not allowed. Registration required. Meet at 413 Church St, North Syracuse, NY 13212. Participants must be 18+.



BUDGET VOTE

2023-2024

Tuesday, May 16

6 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Wetzel Road Elementary

4246 Wetzel Road

Public Hearing:

Wednesday, May 3

6:30 p.m.

Carman Community Room

Liverpool Public Library

Two trustee seats will be up for election.



Fill-a-Bag Book Sale

Sat. April 29 · 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Sun. April 30 · 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

\$5/bag or 5 bags/\$20

Music & Social Events

Adults with Disabilities Hangout

Mon · April 10 & May 8

1 p.m. · Carman

Join Ms. Edina in a sensory-friendly environment for tabletop games, arts and crafts, and more.

One Night Out

Thur · 6:30 p.m. · Carman

Take a night off and join us for an evening of relaxation and fun.

April 13: 1990s Trivia

May 11: Speed Friendship

Women's Voices Music Series

Sun, April 16 · 2 p.m. · Carman

Enjoy this music series with local CNY talent, made possible with funds from grants administered by CNY Arts.

Jess Novak: is "Central NY's blues-rock wonder woman," according to TheNewsHouse.



Songwriters in the Round

Sun, May 7 · Noon · Carman

Join us to share your songs or songs-in-progress in a casual "in-the-round" setting. Writers of all skill levels are welcome.

Celebrating Moms*

Sat, May 13 · 10 a.m. · Carman

Join us at the library for a few hours of rest & relaxation designed just for moms. There will be giveaways!



Nature & Science

Syracuse Rose Society

Rose Fair

Sun, April 2 · 11 a.m. · Carman

Visitors can learn about every aspect of growing beautiful roses from knowledgeable members of the Syracuse Rose Society.

All About Trees

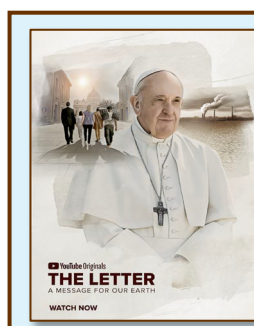
Mon, April 3 · 7 p.m. · Carman

Lisa Ballantyne of The Village of Liverpool Tree Committee will give a presentation on how Liverpool became a Tree City USA from forming a committee to developing a mission and the important work being done by the group.

Cracking Cases with Former Onondaga Medical Examiner Mary Jumbelic*

Wed, April 12 · 2 p.m. · Carman

LPL welcomes former chief medical examiner of Onondaga County, and nonfiction author, Mary Jumbelic, MD, as she discusses her fascinating 25-year career as a forensic examiner.



Screening of "The Letter: A Message to Our Earth"

Sat, April 15 · 2 p.m. · Carman

Join us for a screening of "The Letter." This documentary features a small group of people from around the world who have an encounter with Pope Francis that gives them new hope for confronting the planetary climate crisis.

Let's Talk About Sustainability

Sat, April 15 · 11:30 – 1:30 p.m. ·

In celebration of Earth Day, visit the Liverpool Public Library lobby to learn about how individuals can help create a more sustainable world. Meet in lobby.

Liverpool Community Gardeners Presents: Village of Liverpool is a Tree City USA

Tues, April 18 · 7 p.m. · Sargent

Trustee Christina Fadden, founding Chair of the Village Tree

Committee, will discuss Liverpool's accreditation as a "Tree City USA."

Technology

Affordable Connectivity Program

Program

Tues, April 4 · 1 p.m. · Sargent

The Digital Literacy Coordinator from LiteracyCNY will present a thorough overview of the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) and devote time to assisting patrons in signing up for the service and answering questions.

How to Make a Good Password*

Mon, May 15 · 10 a.m. · Sargent

Tues, May 16 · 7 p.m. · Sargent
Mr. G will show you how to create good passwords that you can remember, how to avoid those that are easily cracked, and how to check to see if your password is secure.

Tech Help by Appointment with Mr. A, Mr. G, or Mr. Perez

If you're having trouble with technology, Mr. A, Mr. G, or Mr. Perez, are offering individual help during April & May. Please visit LPL.org or call us to schedule an appointment.

Travel

Tanzania Safari

Mon, May 1 · 7 p.m. · Carman
Join former staff member, Alan Napier, as he takes us on a journey to Africa. Napier and his wife were recently part of a touring group that explored the country's culture in addition to viewing animals on the Serengeti.



Travels with Tom*

Thur, May 18 · 1 p.m. · Carman
Join Tom Henry as he shares all the wonderful places you can visit within a day's drive of Syracuse. Zoom available.

Seniors

***Registration is required.** Visit our events calendar at [LPL.org](https://lpl.org) to register.

Community Café for Seniors

Mon, · 10 a.m. · Sargent
Join us at this new program designed for seniors to come together to talk, learn, and have fun.

April 10: Tess Kenney from Touching Hearts at Home

May 8: Lisa Piering from OCCRA will talk about recycling.

55+

Birds of Onondaga Lake*

Mon, April 24 · 2 p.m.
Onondaga Visitors Center
Join other nature and birding enthusiasts for a walk on the West side of Onondaga Lake where we will look for birds, waterfowl and maybe even an eagle or two.

Senior Information Fair

Fri, May 19 · 1 - 3 p.m. · Carman
Join us at this event where local organizations serving seniors will be on hand to answer questions and provide information. Topics will include housing, health insurance, meals and nutrition, social outlets, and more!

55+

Barnes-Hiscock House*

Mon, May 22 · 2 p.m. · Off-site
The house was the primary asset of the Corinthian Club, a private women's club which occupied the building since it's founding in 1949 until 2009. The tour includes stairs – no ramps or elevators.

Hearing Evaluations*

Mon, May 22
11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Representatives from Hearing Life will provide free hearing tests. This is a baseline test to help determine if you require a more advanced evaluation. Tests will be provided on a first-come first serve basis.



Drop-in Tech Help with Digital Navigators
Tue · 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Wed · 1:30 – 7 p.m.

Chess for all Ages

***Registration is required.** Visit our events calendar at [LPL.org](https://lpl.org) to register.

Chess Club @ LPL*

Mon · April 17 & May 15 · 6 p.m.
Carman
Join fellow chess players for friendly competition. For Players of all levels.

Learn Chess Tactics*

Mon · April 17 & May 15
5 p.m. · Carman
Chess Tactics immediately precedes Chess Club and participants are welcome to stay for one or both. Registration is encouraged, but walk-ins are welcome.

Spring 2023 Quick Chess Event*

Sat · April 22 · 1 p.m. · Carman
This friendly Quick Chess Event will be fun for those familiar with chess tournaments and those new to tournament chess. Advance registration recommended.

Chess Lounge

Sat · April 22 · 12:30 p.m.
Studio@LPL
A welcome place to sit and relax for families and players involved in the tournament. Board games and chess sets available.



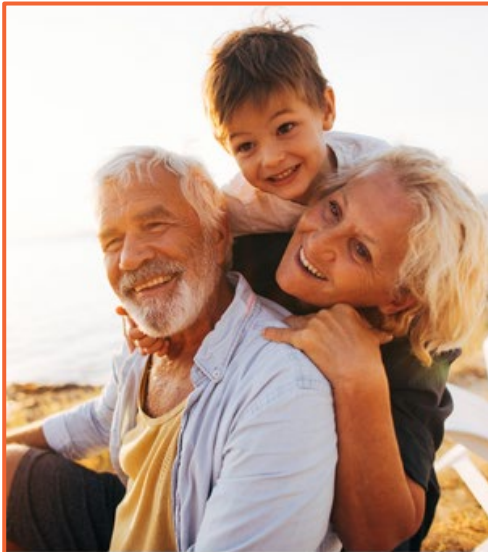


Children up to age 5

*Registration is required. Visit our events calendar at LPL.org to register.

Paws to Read

Sat, April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; May 6, 13, 20, 27 · 10 a.m. · Children can read to one of our four-legged friends from Paws of CNY. These dogs are sweet, gentle dogs who would love to have some friends come and read to them.



Grand Day!*

Mon, April 3 · 1 p.m. · Carman
Join us for this event celebrating the special relationship between grandparents and grandchildren. Get your photo taken, enjoy a snack, & create together. Then sit back and enjoy a screening of the family classic *Homeward Bound*.

Toddler Toy Time

Mon, April 3, 10, 24; May 8, 15, 22 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Let's play and experience using social skills that will prepare children for starting kindergarten.

Stimulating Sensory Stations*

Tues, April 4, 18; May 2, 16, 30 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Sensory stations give caregivers the opportunity to explore the senses with their little ones and talk about the items hidden inside each station.

Froggy! Story Time*

Wed, April 5 · 12:30 p.m. · Carman
Hear some of our favorite Froggy books and make a fun frog craft.

Pajamas & Plushies

Thur, April 6, 13, 27; May 4, 11, 18, 25 · 6:30 p.m. · Carman
You can wear your pajamas and bring your favorite doll/plush for an interactive story time that promotes early literacy skills for children.

STEAM Story Time*

Thur, April 6 & May 4 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Explore Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math through picture books and hands-on activities. For children 2-5 yrs.

Baby Time

Fri, April 7, 14, 21, 28; May 12, 19, 26 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Join Miss Amanda for a story time special to children 0-2! Baby lapsit story times are shown to help develop & stimulate a baby's cognitive abilities through repetitive growth.

BYOB: Bring Your Own Baby!*

Fri, April 7 & May 26 · 11:30 a.m. · Carman
This is a time for the little ones to play and make crafts while parents and other caretakers have time to network and get to know one another.

Toddler Egg Hunt

Sat, April 8 · 10 a.m. · Carman
An egg hunt and other fun activities.



Stretches & Stories

Tues, April 11, 25; May 9, 23 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Yoga stretches and story time. It's a great way to teach toddlers to have improved attention and social skills.

Family Story Time

Wed, April 12, 19, 26; May 3, 10, 17 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Stories, music & movement for children birth-5 and their families.

Hands-On STEAM for Preschoolers*

Sat, April 15 & May 6 · 10 a.m. · Studio@LPL
Explore Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math through picture books and hands-on activities. For children 2-5 yrs.

Hora del Cuento en Español*

Sat, April 15 & May 20 · 10 a.m. · Carman
¡Vamos a Leer Juntos en Español! Esta hora de cuentos fue diseñada para las familias que hablan español en casa activamente. Todos los libros y canciones serán en español. (Yes, this story time will be conducted in the Spanish language.)

Step Into Spring!*

Mon, April 17 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Thur, April 20 · 6:30 p.m. · Sargent
Join us and our friends at Help Me Grow Onondaga for a program that promotes social emotional awareness, fine and gross motor skills, and other aspects of your child's development.

Books & Cooks*

Wed, April 19 & May 17 · 2 p.m. · Carman
Cornell Cooperative Extension and PEACE Headstart come together to help teach parents about healthy food options for their children.

Emotional Exploration – Little People have Big Feelings Too*

Thur, April 20 & May 18
4:30 p.m. · Carman

Explore different ways to identify and talk through emotions with your little ones.

StoryWalks® Returns! Families

All Day Event · April 25
All Day Event · May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
Celebrate the return of nice weather by getting out and enjoying one of our StoryWalks®. Multiple locations; New stories on Tuesdays and remain weekly.



Nature Club*

Thur, April 27 & May 25
6:30 p.m. · Studio@LPL
Each month we will explore the natural world by providing nature-based experiences and citizen science activities.

Mother Goose Story Time

Mon, May 1 · 10 a.m. · Sargent
We will read stories and have a fun mother goose themed craft.

Toddler Cinco de Mayo Party

Fri, May 5 · 10 a.m. · Carman
Come celebrate Cinco De Mayo at the library! We will have crafts, activities, and some fun goodies to try.

Sensory Toy Time

Sat, May 20 · 11:30 a.m. · Carman
Play time, but with sensory based toys.

International Tiara Day Story Time*

Wed, May 24 · 10 a.m. · Carman
We will have story time and a make your own tiara/crown craft. Become a prince/princess and leave feeling like royalty.

Children 5-12 yrs.

*Registration is required. Visit our events calendar at LPL.org to register.



Have Fun with LEGOs®*

Tues, April 4 · 10 a.m. · Studio@LPL
Enjoy a stimulating hour with our LEGOs®, create something according to a prompt, or freestyle an unstructured avant-garde/surreal build. For all ages.

Let's Cook! Kid Friendly Recipes*

Tues, April 4 · 1:30 p.m. · Carman
Learn to make kid-friendly recipes with our new Charlie Cart, an all-in-one, hands-on mobile kitchen.

Sticker Palooza*

Wed, April 5 · 10:30 a.m. · Carman
Share your love of stickers with DIY sticker books & a sticker exchange! (If you don't want to bring any stickers that's ok too, we'll have plenty.)

Marvelous Makers Club*

Wed, April 12 & May 10
4 p.m. · Studio@LPL
Paint, markers, crayons & glitter! If you love getting creative with craft materials, this club is for you.

Screen-Free Week

Mon-Sun, May 1-7 · All Day

During the first week of May, thousands of families, schools, and communities around the world will put down their entertainment screens for seven days of fun, connection, and discovery. Pick up a Screen Free Bingo card at the information desk.



Wed · April 12

Celebrating late children's author, Beverly Cleary. On this day each year, everyone is encouraged to take at least 30 minutes to put aside all distractions and enjoy books together.



ADHD and Me, A Support Group for Kids with ADHD*

Sat, April 22 & May 13
1 p.m. · Sargent
This monthly gathering offers children ages 5-10 with ADHD an opportunity to meet other children while engaging in fun activities and sharing their experiences.

Comics & Crafts Book Club*

Tues, April 25 & May 23
4:30 p.m. · Sargent & Studio@LPL
A monthly graphic novel book club with crafts. Pick up a copy of this month's graphic novel at the children's desk starting the 2nd Monday of the month.

Let's Create!

Unpredictable Art*

Tues, April 25 & May 30

7 p.m. · Studio@LPL

Get messy while creating one-of-a-kind process art (a.k.a the process of making the art is the focus, rather than the result.)

Afterschool STEAM:

Recycling Fun!*

Thur, April 27 · 4:30 p.m.

Studio@LPL

Join us this month in the Studio as we explore recycling.

Gardening Science*

Thur, May 25 · 4:30 p.m.

Studio@LPL

Join us this month in the Studio as we explore gardens and all the things that live there.



Boost Your Reading Skills*

Sat, April 29 & May 20

10 a.m. · Collaborate@LPL

School-aged children are welcome to come and learn techniques that could help increase their reading skills.

Let's Celebrate! Star Wars

Sat, May 6 · 1 p.m. · Studio@LPL

May the force be with you as you find the droids you were looking for in our eye spy, show off your knowledge of Star Wars trivia, and more. All ages.



*Registration is required. Visit our events calendar at LPL.org to register.

Homeschool

Homeschooling 101 for Parents*

Mon, April 10 & May 8

7 p.m. · Sargent

Presentations and participant interaction on a variety of homeschool topics to help parents acquire insight, resources, and confidence.

Homeschool STEAM for Tweens*

Tues, April 11 & May 9

1:30 p.m. · Sargent & Studio@LPL

Homeschool students can learn about science, technology, engineering, art and math through hands-on activities and experiments at their own level.

Homeschool STEAM Club*

Tues, April 11 & May 9

1:30 p.m. · Carman

Explore Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math through hands-on activities. For families with children 9 years & under or K-3rd grade.

Homeschool Chess Club*

Tues, April 18 & May 16

1:30 p.m. · Sargent

Join fellow chess players to challenge each other in the world-popular game of chess. The session is casual and all levels of experience are welcome.

Homeschool Game Time!

Tues, April 18 & May 16

1:30 p.m. · Carman

As homeschool parents, you may have acquired a few educational games to help your children learn. Homeschool Game Time! provides space and time to try them out with others!

Homeschool Resource Fair

Sat · April 22 · 9:30 a.m. · Carman

- Learn about educational opportunities and enrichment resources available locally.
- Displays with representatives from homeschool extracurricular providers (sports, choir, drama, co-ops, and more)
- Free curriculum swap (you are welcome to bring some to give away)
- STEAM activities for the kids
- Library resources

Homeschool Show & Share*

Tues, April 25 & May 23

1:30 p.m. · Carman

Homeschool students will have the opportunity to share some of their favorite things during this unique program.

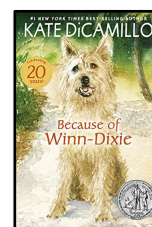
Homeschool Family Book Club*

Fri · 1:30 p.m. · Sargent

Each month, LPL will select a book for families to read together.

April 28: *The Secret Garden* by Frances Hodgson Burnett

May 26: *Because of Winn-Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo



Homeschool Hangout for Tweens*

Tues, May 2 · 1:30 p.m. Studio@LPL

Homeschool Hangout for Tweens is for 10-13 yr-olds who prefer a little space from younger siblings. There will be a Librarian in the room with the Tweens.

Homeschool Hangout*

Tue, May 2 · 1:30 p.m. · Carman

Get together with other homeschool families/students for games, crafts, and more.

Science & Engineering Fair*

Sat, April 1 · 1:30 p.m. · Carman



Liverpool Public Library values STEAM education and getting students together, so we are excited to offer our 3rd Annual Science & Engineering Fair! This non-competitive event is open to all students in grades K-12. There are no specific rules or required format. Simply choose and complete a science or engineering project, record your findings, create a display board, and show off your work. All participants will be entered into a random drawing for a Mad Scientist prize!



*Registration is required. Visit our events calendar at LPL.org to register.

Tween Scene*

Wed, April 5, 19 (Sargent); May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
6 p.m. · Studio@LPL
Tweens ages 10-12 or in grades 4-6 can hang out and play games, make crafts or do fun activities.

Podcasts for Tweens*

Tues, April 25 · 1:30 p.m. · Sargent
Tues, May 23 · 1:30 p.m. · Studio@LPL
For our unique podcast series this Spring, we will delve deep into how YOU can put a professional sounding podcast together. We will follow up on our Fall podcast series where we recorded actual podcasts, by learning how to edit them, add sound and music elements and effectively tell a story.

TWEENS & TEENS

Dungeons & Dragons for Tweens & Families*

Sat, April 15 & May 27 · Noon · Carman

Join us for our monthly D&D program of the year as we design characters and Plan single shot campaigns with experienced D&D players and dungeon masters alike!



Scratch® Game-a-thon*

Sat, May 13 · 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. · Studio@LPL

Join us for LPL's first Scratch-a-thon! You will be presented with a challenge and tasked with building a game in Scratch. Required to be proficient in Scratch® & ability to focus independently.

Book Warriors Book Club*

Wed, April 19: *Invisible* by Christina Diaz

Wed, May 31: *Blackbird Fly*

by Erin Entrada Kelly

Pick up your copy of the book at the Children's Desk, or get an electronic copy on Hoopla or Libby, free apps you can access with your library card. Then join us for the discussion.

Book Warriors is for children ages 9+.

Studio@LPL · 5 p.m. Hybrid option.

TEENS

Teen Night

Wed, April 5, 12 (Studio@LPL), 19;

May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 · 6 p.m. · Carman

A night for teens to hang out with games, art supplies, and activities that are different each week. (May 10, LPL@Studio; May 3, Sargent)

Teen Volunteers

Sat, April 15 · 1 p.m. · Studio@LPL

A monthly meeting of new and returning teen volunteers to learn about volunteer opportunities in our community and at the library.

Teen LGBTQIA+ Club



Sat, April 15 & May 27 · 2:30 p.m. · Studio@LPL

A monthly meeting of LGBTQIA+ teens to celebrate who they are together: Ages 12-19 welcome.

Teen Summer Volunteer Orientation

Sat, May 27 · 1 p.m. · Studio@LPL

A meeting of new and returning teen volunteers to learn about summer volunteer opportunities at the library.



LPL Bike-a-Long

Mon, May 22 · 6:30 p.m. · Salt Museum

Adults, kids, & families – meet at the Salt Museum with your bike to celebrate National Bike Month.

Adult Book Clubs @ LPL

Books are available at the information @ LPL desk a month before the meeting.
New Members are always welcome! ***Registration Required.**

After Dinner Books



Thursdays · 7 p.m. · Carman

April 6: *The Magnificent Lives of Marjorie Post* by Allison Pataki

May 4: *The Library Book* by Susan Orlean

Books and Beyond Graphic Memoirs & Upstate Medical*



Thur, May 25 · 5 p.m.
Sargent

At War With Yourself
By Samuel Williams

When I Returned
From The Center for Cartoon
Studies

Thursday Morning Book Klatch*

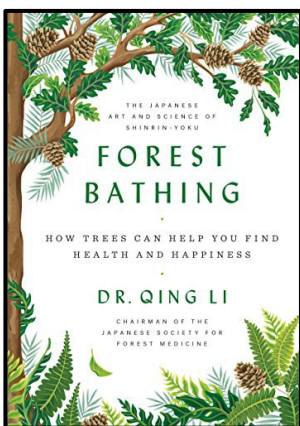


Thursdays · 11 a.m. · Sargent

April 27: *Horse*
by Geraldine Brooks

May 25: *Black Cake*
by Charmaine Wilkerson

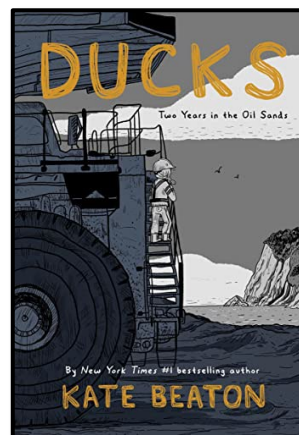
Positive Shelf Talk*



Tues, May 23
5:30 p.m. · Sargent

*Forest Bathing: How
Trees Can Help You
Find Health and
Happiness*
by Qing Li

Books & Beyond*



Thur, April 27
5 p.m. · Sargent

*Ducks: Two Years in
the Oil Sands*
by Kate Beaton

Movie Matinee · Thursdays · 1 p.m. · Carman



**A Man Called
Otto**
April 6
PG13 · 126 min



The Public
April 20
PG13 · 120 min

Movie discussion to
follow; period
supplies donations
encouraged.
Sponsored by Books
& Beyond book
club.



**The
Fabelmans**
May 4
PG13 · 151
min

National Library Week

April 23-29

Is a time to celebrate our nation's libraries, library workers' contributions and promote library use and support.

Short Encounters of the LPL Kind* Mon · April 24 · 6 p.m.

Meet one-on-one with individuals who can provide insight into a variety of topics on issues facing our communities. Get all your questions answered as you rotate to spend 10 minutes with each of these fascinating and informed individuals and "ask almost anything".

National Library Workers Day Tues · April 25

National Library Workers Day, a day for library staff, users, administrators, and Friends groups to recognize the valuable contributions made by all library workers.

Secrets of the Library*

Tues, April 25 · 7 p.m. · Sargent
Thur, April 27 · 1 p.m. · Sargent

During National Library Week, our own Mr. G is going to share library secrets with you, and even include a fun scavenger hunt at the end.

National Library Outreach Day Wed · April 26

National Library Outreach Day all across America! The LPL 2 Go Van will be popping up around Liverpool with items available for checkout and things to do. Please check the LPL calendar for topics.

National Library Advocacy Day Thur · April 27

Take Action for Libraries Day, a day to rally advocates to support libraries. Let us know how much you appreciate us! Fill out an I Love My Library letter to LPL.



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

April 23–29, 2023

Bresnahan Award 2023

Wednesday, April 26 · 6 – 7:30 p.m.*
Liverpool Public Library

*Book readings will take place from 6–7pm with the award presentation at 7pm.

This award is named for Liverpool Central School District Media Specialist, Lori Bresnahan. Her devotion to students and dedication in sharing great literature with them is celebrated with this award. LCSD children grades K–5 voted to determine which book will receive the award.

You and your family are invited to join us for the presentation of the winner.



Liverpool Public Library

310 Tulip St.
Liverpool, NY 13088
315.457.0310 · LPL.org

Board of Trustees:

Ashley Gouger, President
John Hluchyj, Vice President
Denise Baker
Kay Budmen
Yvette Hewitt
Veronica Mainville
Dennis McLaughlin
Susan Reckhow, LPL Director

Hours:

Mon-Thur: 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Sunday: 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Board Meetings:

Board meetings are typically held on the second Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the Carman Community Room. Meeting updates will be listed on LPL.org.



LIVERPOOL PUBLIC LIBRARY

Where the Community Connects

LPL is Closed:

Sunday, April 9, In observance of Easter

Sun & Mon, May 28 & 29, In observance of Memorial Day

