This Summer Join PWPL for…

Please join us for our Summer Reading Club! This year’s theme is *A Universe of Stories*, in celebration of space exploration and the 50th Anniversary of the Moon Walk.

Registration for Port Washington card holders has already begun for the Adult Summer Reading Club — please be sure to stop by the PWPL’s Information Desk to pick up your prize packet (while supplies last). To participate in the Summer Reading Club, we invite you to submit book reviews between July 1 and August 16; the more reviews you submit the greater your chances of winning a weekly prize. Submit five or more reviews to be entered in the grand prize drawing. This program is made possible by the Friends of the Library.

PWPL is offering exciting programming tied to our Space theme throughout the summer. On Tuesday, July 2 at 7:30 p.m Tony Traguardo will perform “Is There Music on the Moon?” On Friday, July 12 our Sandwiched In program will be conducted by a lecturer from the Cradle of Aviation. Take advantage of the library’s 3D printing technology to design and print your own spaceship on July 12th or 15th! To test your knowledge of all things space related, our popular Trivia night is back on Tuesday, June 30. Live @ PWPL will welcome The Moon and You, a folk/soul band from Asheville, NC featuring Port native Melissa Hyman on Wednesday, July 31. Space-themed films will be screened throughout the summer, including a multi-generational screening of “Muppets in Space” on Friday, July 26 at 7 p.m.

In addition to a wide variety of “out of this world” summer programs, the Children’s room offers a Summer Reading Club for kids entering grades 1 to 6, and Smart Start for children birth to 5 years old. In person registration for both programs begins Monday, July 8. See page 8 for a complete list of Children’s events. Teenspace also has a Summer Reading Club which is co-sponsored by Friends of the Library (registration is in progress) and on Tuesday, July 9 there will be a “Star Wars Science” workshop where teens will be making comets and constructing light sabers.

For more information and a complete list of events, look for all the summer Space-themed programming specially marked in the full calendar inside the newsletter, or please visit www.pwpl.org

We look forward to seeing you at PWPL to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Moon Walk!

Remembering Lucy Salerno

Generations of Port Washington children grew up visiting the Children’s Room and seeing Lucy Salerno, widely known as simply “Miss Lucy.” Sadly, Lucy passed away at the age of 90 on May 6, 2019.

Lucy was born and raised in Port Washington, and together with her husband Albert raised three children. She began her career at PWPL as a part-time shelver in October 1970. She then became a Library Aide in July 1995 and retired in November 2014. She told *The Port Washington News* in 2000 that working at the library was “the best job in the world” because of the great staff and congenial environment.

Debbie Wanna, Head of Human Resources reflected on Lucy:

“Lucy was a wonderful person, she was funny, caring, loved her family, and she was a great baker – my favorite were her biscotti. She loved to crochet – many of us were recipients of her handiwork – I received a beautiful crochet blanket when my first child was born which I still have today. She will be greatly missed.”

Rachel Fox, Director of Children’s Services, shared the following:

“Lucy was like everything to me. She was my Port Washington mother, I always tried to emulate her kindness and her upbeat ways. There wasn’t a kid in Port Washington that didn’t know Lucy. This is a huge loss for our community.”

Keith Klang, Library Director, noted:

“I remember attending Lucy’s pajama story times as a young boy. Her warmth and compassion made the Library come to life for me. Years later, I was fortunate enough to work side by side with her. Lucy, with her monkey puppet Frankie by her side, truly created story time magic. Lucy was a special member of our PWPL family and though she will be deeply missed, her legacy of kindness and generosity will long endure.”

Several of our PWPL patrons sent us messages upon hearing of Lucy’s passing:

“One of the most loving and funny people I’ve ever known. You could always laugh with Lucy. She brightened every day.”

“Mrs. Salerno always had a smile and a new book that she knew my boys would love.”

“When a child came up to her desk, she put down whatever she was doing and truly listened to that child, speaking to them as an equal. I will never forget the effect that had on my children.”

It has been said that reading aloud to children is one of the most educational and loving acts one could do for a child. Thank you, Miss Lucy.
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Save The Date!
The 51st Annual Book & Author Luncheon will be held on Friday, May 8, 2020
FOL’s 50th Book & Author Luncheon Shines!

The Friends of the Library celebrated the 50th Anniversary of its annual Richard Dodge Whittemore Book & Author Luncheon on May 10 at North Hills Country Club. The sold-out audience of 340 enjoyed presentations by the featured authors, novelist Meg Wolitzer and New York Times chief classical music critic Anthony Tommasini. Port’s own Susan Isaacs once again graced the event as moderator. Enjoy these photos taken by Robert Salzbank.
JULY
ADULT & FAMILY EVENTS
Priority seating at all events is reserved for Port Washington residents and cardholders.

EXHIBITS:
During the months of July and August, The Adler Gallery will exhibit its annual AAC Member Show from July 2 through August 26. Look for hidden images in Shelley Holtzman’s painting and participate in the Nassau Library Tour Scavenger Hunt.

ONGOING REGISTRATIONS:
Summer Exercise Classes:
Exercise Over 50: Chair with Adriana O’Ferrall. Tuesdays 9:15 a.m. Seven Sessions starting 7/9/19 ending 8/27/19. No class 7/23/19.
Yoga: (Thursday Morning – Note new day/time for Summer). Yoga with Rebecca Scaramucci. Thursdays 10:45 a.m. Seven Sessions starting 7/11/19 ending 8/29/19. No class 7/25/19.
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EVENTS CALENDAR:
All summer long we’re hosting events based on this year’s national theme: A Universe of Stories.

Look for events marked with a ⭐️ to join us in celebrating!

1 MONDAY
Happy Birthday, Olivia de Havilland! The actress, born this day in 1916, plays talented violin student Amelia Cornell in My Love Came Back (1940-85 min.), directed by Curtis Bernhardt and co-starring Jeffrey Lynn, Eddie Albert and Jane Wyman. 7:15 p.m.

2 TUESDAY
A Universe of Stories:
Is There Music on the Moon? with Tony Traguardo Celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 mission that first landed a man on the moon! Festivities include a viewing of “The Dark Side of the Rainbow,” the combined playback of Pink Floyd’s legendary “Dark Side of the Moon” album with a partial showing of Victor Fleming’s 1939 film The Wizard of Oz that gained a cult following due to its bizarre synchronicity. Also, on the bill: “Echoes of 2001,” another unique film-clip-to-music piece that gives new perspective to the ending of Stanley Kubrick’s visionary film. The addition of moon-related clips and songs by such artists as Andy Williams, David Bowie, Cat Stevens and Paul McCartney makes for a program that will be ... dare we say it ... out of this world? 7:15 p.m.

3 WEDNESDAY

4 THURSDAY
PWPL CLOSED for Independence Day

5 FRIDAY
No Sandwiched In This Week
A Universe of Stories: Silent Running (1977-90 min.), Astronaut Bruce Dern and three little robots try to save the last of the Earth’s trees. Special effects wizard Douglas Trumbull directed. Peter Shickele’s score features vocals by Joan Baez. 7:15 p.m.

8 MONDAY
Virtual Visits: Emmanuel Leutze’s Washington Crossing the Delaware On the heels of July 4th explore The Metropolitan Museum of Art’s iconic painting portraying one of the greatest moments in American History. Museum educator Alice W. Schwarz, will discuss the full story about the painting’s history, the artist, his process and his artistic choices. 2:30 p.m. FOL.

Documentaries with Professor Val Franco This month we will take a look at several remarkable documentaries, starting with Reuben Atlas and Jerry Rothwell’s Sour Grapes (2016-85 min.), about wine auctions and the ease with which a supposed millionaire fooled almost everyone in this world of high-priced wines, including Bill Koch, one of the world’s wealthiest wine collectors. 7:15 p.m.

9 TUESDAY
Free Blood Pressure Screenings Conducted by St. Francis Hospital 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. HAC Fiction Book Group: A discussion of The Friend by Sigrid Nunez. Copies available at the Information Desk. 7:30 p.m.

10 WEDNESDAY
Medicaid Sign-up Help Free, walk-in assistance from the Nassau-Suffolk Hospital Council 2:30 – 6 p.m.
Photography Club of Long Island. Guest Speaker TBA. Visit www.pclplphoto.org for details 7:30 p.m.

11 THURSDAY
A Universe of Stories: Apollo 13 (1995-140 min.). “Houston, we have a problem.” Ron Howard’s white-knuckle docudrama recreates the “routine” space flight that nearly ended in disaster. Tom Hanks, Kevin Bacon, Bill Paxton, Gary Sinise and Ed Harris star. 7:15 p.m.

12 FRIDAY
Sandwiched In: Cradle of Aviation: Apollo at 50! Five years after the launch of Sputnik, the first man-made satellite was launched into orbit, President Kennedy’s “We choose to go to the moon” speech persuaded the American public that outer space has emerged as the new frontier. Heading into outer space was a technical battle fought by American scientists, engineers and astronauts that culminated with America reaching the moon and returning safely back to Earth. 12:15 p.m.

World Travels with Ron Brown: Ethiopia According to Ethiopian history, the Queen of Sheba ruled from the ancient city of Axum. She had a son with King Solomon of Israel who ruled after her son, King Menelik I. Axum also claims to have the original Ten Commandments. As Axum declined, Lalibela became the capital of this mountain Christian kingdom and today is home to unique churches carved out of one giant rock. Finally, Addis Ababa became the capital of the kingdom in 1886 and is today one of the most beautiful capital cities of Africa. Dr. Brown spent several weeks in this exciting country in January 2019, 3 p.m. FOL.

3D Print Your Own Spaceship Have you ever wanted to design your own spaceship? Think about what UFOs might look like? Our tech-xperts will show you how to design, build and print your own spaceship using Tinkercad. Please bring your own laptop or Chromebook (no tablets please). Registration required. 5:30 p.m. and Monday July 15 at 3 p.m.

15 MONDAY
Afternoon on Broadway:
The Works of Comden and Green Join Marc Courtade as he explores the works of Betty Comden and Adolph Green, who wrote the lyrics and books for some of Broadway’s best musicals – a partnership that lasted over fifty years. They learned, teaming with their friend Leonard Bernstein, to create the musicals On the Town and Wonderful Town. They also collaborated with Julie Styne on several musicals, including Bells Are Ringing and Peter Pan, and Morton Gould on Billion Dollar Baby. He also wrote several movie scripts, including Singin’ in the Rain and The Band Wagon. 3 p.m. MAC

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Documentaries with Professor Val Franco Francesco Carrozzini’s Franca: Chaos & Creation (2016-80 min.) is an intimate portrait of Franca Sozzani, the brilliant editor-in-chief of Italian Vogue. At times galvanizing, at others controversial, Sozzani has always been considered the driving force behind one of the world’s most esteemed fashion bibles. 7:15 p.m.

16 TUESDAY
Author Event: Mariah Fredericks Death of a New American Mariah Fredericks returns to PWPL to discuss her new novel, Death of a New American. The book is the atmospheric, compelling follow-up to the stunning debut A Death of No Importance, featuring series character Jane Prescott. 7:30 p.m.
18 THURSDAY
Non-Fiction Book Group
A discussion of Doing Justice: A Prosecutor’s Thoughts on Crime, Punishment, and the Rule of Law by Preet Bharara. Copies available at the Information Desk. 1:30 p.m.

19 FRIDAY
Sandwiched In: “My Name is Alexander Hamilton”
Professor James Coll returns to PWPL to explore the life and political philosophy of the New York Founding father currently dancing his way across a Broadway stage. Singing by attendees not required but will be encouraged. 12:15 p.m.

An Evening with Members of Sweetwater
Join Tony Traguardo for an evening with Nancy “Nansi” Nevins, Alex Del Zoppo, and Fred Herrera, three original members of Sweetwater, the first band to perform at Woodstock in 1969. This multimedia event will feature never-before seen footage and rare memorabilia from Sweetwater’s early history, a short musical performance, and a moderated Q&A session. 7:30 p.m.

22 MONDAY
Hootenanny. Tony Traguardo hosts this recurring event in our ongoing SoundSwap series. The library transforms into a 1960s coffee house for local musicians, singers and songwriters to come together for an evening of music that offers our audience unique musical team-ups and performances. Soloists may share the bill with duo, trio and group performances, summoning up a spirit of musical camaraderie and spontaneity that will cover a wide range of genres. Performers interested in participating in this or future Hootenanny events should contact Tony Traguardo at 883-4400, ext. 1406. 7:30 p.m. FOL

23 TUESDAY
Happy Birthday, Raymond Chandler!
The pulp author, born this day in 1888, is most famous for creating private detective Philip Marlowe, as portrayed by James Garner in Paul Bogart’s Marlowe (1968-96 min.). This adaptation of Chandler’s The Little Sister also stars Gayle Hunnicutt, Carroll O’Connor and Rita Moreno. 3:00 p.m.

24 WEDNESDAY
Happy Birthday, Amelia Earhart!
The pioneering aviatrix, born this day in 1897, is played by Diane Keaton in Yves Simoneau’s docudrama Amelia Earhart: The Final Flight (1994-95 min.). Rutger Hauer and Bruce Dern co-star. 7:15 p.m.

26 FRIDAY
Sandwiched In: Unforgettable – A Centennial Tribute to Nat King Cole
TV producer and writer Bob Waldman returns with a celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of legendary singer and pianist Nat King Cole. The centennial tribute features highlights from Cole’s landmark 1956-57 TV series (Cole was the first African-American to host a prime time network television show), as well as performances from the King Cole Trio, Cole favorites like “The Christmas Song,” “Nature Boy” and “Unforgettable” (with daughter Natalie), and guest appearances by Harry Belafonte, Sammy Davis Jr. and Frank Sinatra. 12:15 p.m.

A Universe of Stories: Muppets from Space
(1999-88 min.), Gonzo learns that his extraterrestrial relatives are about to pay a visit. Kermit, Miss Piggy, Fozzie Bear and Animal co-star with Jeffrey Tambor, F. Murray Abraham, Ray Liotta and Andie MacDowell. Tim Hill directed. 7:00 p.m.

30 TUESDAY
Space-Themed Trivia Night
Test your knowledge about our Summer Reading Theme – Universe of Stories and other Space-Related Trivia. Play as an individual or a team. All ages welcome! 7:30 p.m.

31 WEDNESDAY
Live @ PWPL: The Moon and You
The Moon and You is a folk/soul band based in Asheville, North Carolina featuring married songwriters and multi-instrumentalists Ryan Furstenberg (banjo, guitar) and Port Washington native Melissa Hyman (cello). See article in newsletter. 7:30 p.m. FOL

COMMUNITY MEET-UPS
Chess
Join a game, every Tuesday at 2 p.m.

Scrabble
Join a game, every Friday at 2 p.m.

Next Chapter
A current events discussion group, meeting the 2nd Saturday of each month at 10 a.m.

Great Books
Discussion group will resume again in September.

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Quick Reads

Holiday Closing
The library will be closed on Thursday, July 4 in celebration of Independence Day.

PWPL at the LIRR
Ride and Read returns! Visit us at the train station on Wednesdays from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m., July 3 through September 25. Grab some books for the train – no card needed!

Borrow an Empire Pass
Just in time for summer! The Empire Pass provides unlimited day-use to all New York State parks. Hike, picnic, swim, bike and enjoy trails, forests and beaches – including Jones Beach and Robert Moses State Park. Pass allows entry for as many friends and family as your vehicle holds and can be reserved at the library or at pwpl.org

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Library Hours
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Wednesday: 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Sunday: Closed as of June 30
Sunday hours will resume after Labor Day.

Residents of the Port Washington Union Free School District are entitled to a PWPL card, which may also be used at any library in Nassau County. To apply for a card, stop by the library with proof of residence or apply online at pwpl.org. Non-residents, who work in Port Washington may also apply.
The Moon and You is a folk/soul band based in Asheville, NC that tours the US and Western Europe. At its core are married songwriters and multi-instrumentalists Ryan Furstenberg (banjo, guitar) and Port Washington native Melissa Hyman (cello). The band released its debut album *A White Light That Sings* in June 2016, to critical acclaim.

At once excitingly inventive and cozily familiar, the Moon & You continues to craft a compelling, acoustic Americana sound. The duo’s ever-evolving output encompasses a wide range of American roots music, flavored by contributions from a rotating cast of super-talented friends. Their onstage synergy and warmth invite audiences in, offering a peek into a strange and joyful universe of their own.

From Woodstock to the Walk on the Moon. From the Vietnam War to the Assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr. and Bobby Kennedy. From the ‘64-‘65 World’s Fair in Flushing Meadow Park to the Miracle ‘69 Mets. The members of the Schreiber Class of ’69 will spend part of their 50th Reunion, taking place on Saturday, July 13, sharing an Oral History of growing up in Port Washington during the 1960’s. In partnership with the Port Washington Public Library Local History Center, the interviews will be available through the PWPL oral history collection.

New Standing Desk in the Lab
In our ongoing effort to make our services as accessible as possible, we have added a “Standing Desk” Internet workstation to the Lab. This was based upon feedback from several patrons that have issues with sitting for long periods of time.

PWPL is part of the 2019 Nassau Library Tour
Join the 2019 Nassau Library Tour! Road trip to as many of Nassau’s public libraries as you can during July and August. Each one is your gateway into a new community – visit the library, then explore the attractions, restaurants, and parks nearby. Take the self-guided tour as a family, a team of friends, or go solo. In each library there’s a unique feature to hunt for, and you’ll earn prizes as you go along. Visit 45 or more and be entered to win a grand prize! To get started and receive additional information, visit tour.nassaulibrary.org.

Project Puentes
Participants in Project Puentes with their teacher, Berta Cevallos. Project Puentes, a project of Long Island Together, is a training program for bilingual Spanish speakers to become professional community interpreters.

For more information, contact Sonia Arora: sonia@meow.name or www.longislandjwj.org/project-puentes/.
Inspired Ink Wants Your Story
TeenSpace's new literary magazine, Inspired Ink, is online and we are accepting submissions from teens. Share your thoughts and stories about working a summer job, taking a road trip, touring are accepting submissions from teens. Share your thoughts and stories about working a summer job, taking a road trip, touring.

Teen Summer Workshops
Teen Workshops are open to Port residents entering grades 7-12 as of September 2019. Register online at www.pwpl.org/teens or by calling 883-4400 x1500. Summer teen events are made possible by the Friends of the Library.

July 1 - August 17 / Summer Reading Club
Read, write mini-reviews, win prizes! Pick up a packet of reading club materials in TeenSpace while supplies last. Registration is in progress.

July 9 at 7 p.m. / Star Wars Science
May the force be with you on this stimulating journey through space, making comets and constructing lightsabers. Registration is in progress.

July 11 at 7 p.m. / Wire Jewelry Workshop
Create a unique piece of wire jewelry. Registration is in progress.

July 16 at 6 p.m. / Super Smash Brothers Tournament
Play on our Nintendo Switch and test out our PlayStation VR. Participating VR players will need to have a parent/guardian sign a waiver prior to game play. Registration is in progress.

July 17 at 7 p.m. / Songwriting Workshop
No instruments needed for this hands-on creative expedition. Participants will leave with a file of the music they helped create. Registration is in progress.

July 23 at 7 p.m. / Folded Book Art
Join us for this recycled folded book project. Visit TeenSpace to see a sample. Registration begins July 11.

July 24 at 7 p.m. / Ka-Pow! Superhero Action Art
Create your own comic book action image. Registration begins July 11.

July 25 at 7 p.m. / Careers in Writing
Learn about the various career paths open to writers. This event will be led by local teen Lily Labella. Registration begins July 11.

July 30 at 7:30 p.m. / Book Discussion
We will discuss Secrets of My Hollywood Life by Jen Calonita. Copies can be picked up in TeenSpace beginning June 20. Don’t miss Jen’s Writing Workshop on August 6th. Registration is in progress.

July 31 at 7 p.m. / Writers Workshop
Not sure what to write about or how to get started? This workshop can help inspire your inner creativity. Beginner writers welcome. Led by local writer and mentor Sonia Arora. Registration begins July 11.

August 1 at 7 p.m. / Manga Drawing
Learn to draw in this style popular in Japanese graphic novels. Registration begins July 11.

August 6 at 7 p.m. / Guest Author Jen Calonita Writing Workshop
Author Jen Calonita will facilitate this workshop and provide an opportunity for both aspiring and experienced writers to collaborate. Registration begins July 11.

Sphero Robots / August 7 at 7 p.m.
Learn to navigate and play with a Sphero robot. Registration begins July 11.

Fourth Grade Book Discussion
Mondays, July 22 and August 12 at 7 p.m.
Books will be available at the time of registration in the Children's Room. Kids should complete reading their first book by July 22. Register at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 8.

Second Grade Book Discussion
Thursdays, July 25 and August 8 at 7 p.m.
Books will be available at the time of registration in the Children's Room. Kids should complete reading their first book by July 22. Register at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 8.

STEAM Saturdays
Steam Saturday: Movable Spacecraft Toy Vehicle
Saturday, July 13
Create a cardboard car capable of movement through the use of magnets. For children entering grades 1 to 3 at 10 a.m. For children entering grades 4 to 6 at 1 p.m. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 1

Steam Saturday: Create a Comet - Saturday, July 20
Make a comet with science teacher, Chris Buchman. For children entering grades 1 to 3 at 10 a.m. For children entering grades 4 to 6 at 11:30 a.m. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 8.

Steam Saturday: Cradle of Aviation Digitarium - Saturday, July 27
Discover the majesty of the stars and our universe in the Cradle of Aviation’s portable planetarium. For children entering grades 1 to 3 at 10 a.m. For children entering grades 4 to 6 at 11 a.m. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 15.

Steam Saturday: Rocket Book Folding Craft
Saturday, August 3 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Create your own rocket using recycled materials. For children entering grades 1 to 6. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 22.

Kindergarten Through Sixth Grade
Fifth and Sixth Grade Book Discussion
Tuesdays, July 9, 23 and August 6 at 7:15 p.m.
Books will be available at the time of registration in the Children's Room. Kids should pick up their first book and complete reading by July 9. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning June 24.

Librarian's Choice: Session I
Wednesdays, July 10, 17, 24 at 4 p.m.
Stories, exercise, crafts…you don’t know what you will get until the day of the program. Be prepared for anything, especially fun! For children entering grades 1 to 3. Registration begins online July 1.

Knitting Camp – Wednesdays,
July 10, 17, 24, 31 and August 7, 14 at 7 p.m.
Learn the basics of knitting and work together to create a small beginner project, such as fingerless gloves or a scarf. For children entering grades 4 to 6. All materials provided. Sponsored by The Friends of the Library. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 1.

Third Grade Book Discussion
Mondays, July 15 and August 5 at 7 p.m.
Books will be available at the time of registration in the Children's Room. Kids should complete reading their first book by July 15. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 1.

Tweens' Night Out: Living Light – Tuesday, July 16 at 7:15
Learn about the phenomenon of bioluminescence, which enables sea creatures to glow in the dark! See and touch a tooth from a deep-diving sperm whale and nautilus shell. Create a ‘bioluminescent ocean’ salt painting. For children entering grades 5 & 6. Sponsored by the PWPL Nautical Advisory Council. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 8.

Instrument Petting Zoo
Saturday, July 20 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
See demonstrations of a variety of string and wind instruments and then try them yourself! Instruments provided by Wright Music. No tickets or registration required.

Fourth Grade Book Discussion
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Second Grade Book Discussion
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**Early Childhood**

**Ready, Set, Story Time**

Mondays, July 8, 15, 22, 29 and August 5, 12 at 9:30 or 10:30 a.m.

Ms. Susie introduces early literacy practices through stories, songs, fingerplays and rhymes. For children of all ages with an adult. Admission is on a first come first served basis for 50 participants for each time slot. Numbered tickets will be available ½ hour before each start time.

**1-2-3 Full STEAM Ahead: Session I**

Tuesdays, July 9, 16, 23 at 9:30 or 10:45 a.m.

Enjoy a one-on-one experience for you and your budding Einstein! A Time for Kids presents an introduction to STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, mathematics) and introduces children to the manipulatives that support a STEAM-based curriculum. For children ages 3 to 5 with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning June 24.

**Play Pals: Session I**

Wednesdays, July 10, 17 at 11:30 a.m.

Spend time with your child and meet new people in an educational and creative environment. For children ages 1½ to 3 years with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 1.

**Baby Rhyme Time: Session I**

Thursdays, July 11, 18 at 9:30 or 10:30 a.m.

A lapsit story time filled with songs, music and bouncing rhymes that emphasizes early literacy skills and introduces babies to the magic of books. For children ages birth to 17 months with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 1.

**Preschool Story Time: Session I**

Thursdays, July 11, 18, 25 at 2:00 p.m.

Enjoy great stories, songs, and fingerplays, while your child develops essential early literacy skills. For children 2½ to 5 years with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 1.

**Sing and Swing Story Time**

Fridays, July 12, 19, 26 and August 2, 9, 16 at 9:30 or 10:30 a.m.

Stories, rhymes and songs emphasize early literacy skills and help instill a lifelong love of learning. For children ages 1½ to 3 years with an adult. Admission is on a first come first served basis for 50 participants for each time slot. Numbered tickets will be available ½ hour before each start time.

**Bilingual Pajama Story Time**

Tuesday, July 30 and August 13 at 7:00 p.m.

Come in pajamas and listen to bedtime stories in English and Spanish. For children of all ages with an adult. No registration required.

**Play Pals: Session II**

Wednesdays, July 31 and August 7 at 11:30 a.m.

Spend time with your child and meet new people in an educational and creative environment. For children ages 1½ to 3 years with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 22. Priority given to first time participants.

**Baby Rhyme Time: Session II**

Thursdays, August 1, 8 at 9:30 or 10:30 a.m.

A lapsit story time filled with songs, music and bouncing rhymes that emphasizes early literacy skills and introduces babies to the magic of books. For children ages birth to 17 months with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 22. Priority given to first time participants.

**Preschool Story Time: Session II**

Thursdays, August 1, 8, 15 at 2:00 p.m.

Enjoy great stories, songs, and fingerplays, while your child develops essential early literacy skills. For children 2½ to 5 years with an adult. Register online at pwpl.org/children/childrens-programs beginning July 22. Priority given to first time participants.

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