



Program Guide

July and August 2023

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LIBRARY

Where the Community Connects

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Adult Programs

**Registration is required. ^If you like this program, check out similar items in the Library of Things! Visit our events calendar at LPL.org to make a reservation.*



Hooks and Needles*^
Thursdays, July 6; Aug. 3
10 a.m. • Sargent
Enjoy knitting, crochet, needle-point, cross-stitch or beading. Bring your project, socialize, learn from others and share tips and tricks.

Historic Walking Tours*

Thursdays • 5:30 p.m.

Join us for these guided walking tours. Thanks to the collaborative efforts of the Village of Liverpool Historian's Office and the LPL, much of this history has been preserved through curated walking tours.

July 6: Oswego Street — This tour takes you past historic houses and buildings, talks about historic industries, businesses, residents and architectural styles that still line Oswego Street today. Meet in the LPL lobby.

Aug. 3: Schools, Trolleys and a Famous Architect — This tour takes you past historic houses and buildings, talks about residents, and discusses architectural styles that still peek out at us today. Meet on the corner of Fourth and Birch Street.

Walking Club

Fridays • 9 a.m. • Various Locations

Fresh air, a little physical fitness and friends. Join us on this weekly walk, as we walk for approximately 45 minutes in various locations close by.

July 7: Meet at the Salt Museum and walk on the Onondaga Lake Trail.

July 14: Meet in the parking lot of the Onondaga Lake West Trail, located over the Longbranch bridge on Longbranch Road.

July 21: Meet under the Hiawatha Bridge in the Destiny USA parking lot to access the Creekwalk.

July 28: Meet at the Willow Bay tram turn around and walk back towards the village.

Aug. 4: Meet at Longbranch Park.

Aug. 11: Meet at Freedom of Espresso in Franklin Square.

Aug. 18: Meet at the Syracuse University boathouse parking lot off Longbranch Road and walk towards the Wegmans Dog Park.

Cricut Your Cup*

Saturday, July 8 • 10:30 a.m. • Studio@LPL

Bring a beverage container of your choice (cup, pint glass, water bottle, etc.) and personalize it with LPL's Cricut machine. All Cricut supplies and instruction provided. No experience necessary.

Community Cafe for Seniors

Mondays • 10 a.m. • Sargent

Join us at this casual program designed for seniors to come together to talk, engage with others and have fun. Coffee, tea and hot chocolate will be provided.

July 10: Summer Reading — Let's talk about great books to read this summer. Come with your recommendations!

Aug. 14: Vacation Memories — Bring your favorite vacation memory to share. If you have photos, bring them too.

Adults with Disabilities Hangout^

Mondays, July 10; Aug. 14 • 1 p.m. • Carman

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

Estate Planning Basics*

Tuesdays • 2 p.m. • Sargent

Safe Harbor Wills and Trusts will discuss the essentials of Estate Planning.

July 11: Keeping Your Family Out of Probate

Aug. 15: Asset Protection

Mexican Train Dominoes

Wednesdays, July 12; Aug. 9 • 2 p.m. • Sargent

Know how to play Mexican Train Dominoes and are looking to meet other fans of the game? Stop by the LPL for this monthly meet up. Bring your own set and a couple of friends.

One Night Out

Thursdays, July 13; Aug. 24

6:30 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Take a night off and join us for an evening of relaxation and fun. We will begin the evening with mocktail hour and move on to our main event.

July 13: Colorfest — Based on the Holi Celebration, we will throw colored powders at each other. Please wear something you do not mind getting stained or permanently colored. Cornhole will also be set up for those who do not wish to get colorful.

Aug. 24: Karaoke and Cornhole

Thank you to our community partners, Raymour & Flanigan, for their sponsorship of this program.



What's Cookin'***

Mondays • 7 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Savor community and connections at this fun, social and creative program for those who love to cook! Create a dish and show it off to fellow chefs at the library. Discuss what you like about the dish and recipe, share any tips or tricks you may have found. This summer we invite our community youth to join us. Cookbooks related to the monthly theme will be available at the Information @ LPL Desk. *In the event of inclement weather, this program will be held inside the library.*

July 17: Beach Party

Aug. 21: Favorite Family Recipe

Creative Writing Workshop

Wednesdays, July 19; Aug. 16 • 6 p.m. • Sargent

A safe writing space for anyone regardless of experience, from beginners to published authors. We will work on three sections: reading, writing and sourcing. Each workshop will begin with reading a series of poems or a chapter from a fiction or nonfiction book. Next a prompt will be presented, and participants will write. In the end, all can share their work. For 18+.

All Together Now!

Community Nights at the Library!

Thursdays • 6 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

The LPL celebrates community this summer by bringing people together on select Thursday evenings for Community Nights! Each night will be themed differently and will offer the opportunity to connect, learn and grow together. *In the event of inclement weather, this program will be held in the Carman Community Room.*

July 20: Healthy You

July 27: Plant Swap and Sustainability

Aug. 10: Annual Buy Local

Aug. 17: Culture Celebration

Card Making with Renee*

Mondays, July 24; Aug. 7 • 6:30 p.m. • Carman

Enjoy card making with instructor Renee Piraino. A \$20 supply fee will be due at the class, which allows you to bring home four projects.

Keep Calm and Craft On!***

Tuesdays, July 25 • 7 p.m. • Carman

Aug. 29 • 7 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Celebrate your love of crafting! Show what you've been creating and participate in a crafting demonstration or a hands-on project.

July 25: Cricut

Aug. 29: Glass Painting



**Registration required*

Art Series: *The Art of the Con* Book Discussion

Wednesday, July 26 • 7 p.m. • Sargent

Anthony M. Amore's *The Art of the Con* tells the stories of some of history's most notorious yet untold cons. Pick up a copy of the book *The Art of the Con* by Anthony Amore starting Wednesday, June 28 at the Information @ LPL Desk or through Libby, and then join us for the group discussion.

55+***

Mondays • 2 p.m.

This program is designed for active individuals 55+. Each month we will do something different. Please wear appropriate footwear and bring water.

July 31: Manlius Walking Tour - Meet at the Manlius Public Library at 1 Arkie Albanese Ave, Manlius, NY. This walk will take approximately one hour.

Aug. 21: Oakwood Cemetery - Take a guided tour of Oakwood Cemetery led by the The Historic Oakwood Cemetery Preservation Association. This tour will last for two hours.



Volunteer Days: Meals on Wheels*

Wednesday, Aug. 23 • 10:45 a.m. • Meals on Wheels

We will meet at Meals on Wheels (413 Church St, North Syracuse, NY) to create freezer meals. Participants must be 18+. Please wear closed-toe shoes and refrain from wearing sleeveless shirts.

Emergency Preparedness*

Tuesday, Aug. 29 • 5 p.m. • Carman

Welcome back Sergeant Morgan as he leads us through a one-hour Emergency Preparedness training. The course provides an introduction to responding to a natural or human-caused disaster. Participants are advised on how to properly develop family emergency plans and stock up on emergency supplies.

Summer Field Trips - For All Ages

Adults and families are invited to join the library as we explore and learn about our community. Each week we will meet at a different location, have a tour and learn about that business or organization. *Registration required



Summer Field Trips: Syracuse Hancock International Airport*

Wednesday, July 12 • 2 p.m. • Syracuse Hancock International Airport

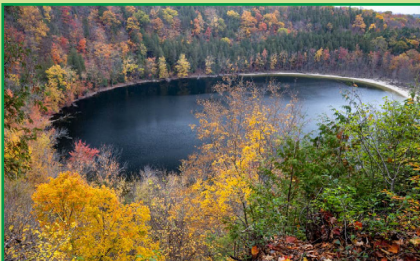
Visit Syracuse Hancock International Airport for a tour including the airline ticketing areas, the passenger screening process, the baggage claim area and the aviation museum.



Summer Field Trips: Syracuse Stage*

Wednesday, July 19 • 2 p.m. • Syracuse Stage

Get a behind-the-scenes look at this professional theater. Founded in 1974, Stage has produced more than 300 plays in 48 seasons including a number of world, American and East Coast premieres. In addition, Stage maintains a vital educational outreach program that annually serves over 30,000 students from 24 counties.



Summer Field Trips: Clark Reservation*

Wednesday, July 26 • 2 p.m. • Clark Reservation

Mike Serviss will show us a living display of the endangered ferns that are being conserved at the park in the Nature Center followed by a short hike to check out the fossils on Table Rock Trail and other interesting park features, flora, and fauna. Please wear proper footwear for hiking.



Summer Field Trips: Skä·noñh Center*

Wednesday, Aug. 2 • 2 p.m. • Skä·noñh Center - Onondaga Lake Park

The Skä·noñh - Great Law of Peace Center is a Haudenosaunee (Iroquois) Cultural Center focused on telling the story of the native peoples of Central New York. The history is told through the lens of the Onondaga Nation and covers topics such as Creation, European Contact, The Great Law of Peace and more.



Summer Field Trips: NBT Bank Stadium*

Wednesday, Aug. 9 • 2 p.m. • NBT Bank Stadium

Visit NBT Bank Stadium, home of the Syracuse Mets. The Syracuse Mets are a Minor League Baseball team of the International League and the Triple-A affiliate of the New York Mets. Get a behind the scenes tour of the stadium and see where our favorite baseball players spend their time during the season.



Summer Field Trips: Brady Farm*

Wednesday, Aug. 16 • 2 p.m. • Brady Farm

On this trip we will visit Brady Farm, part of the Brady Faith Center. Started in 2016 they are an urban farm with the goal of providing sustained nutritious foods, employment and education that nourishes the body, mind and spirit of the residents. Join us as we tour the farm and learn about their mission and organic methods of production.

Events For All Ages



Art Series: Create Pop Art with Michael Albert for Adults & Teens* Tuesday, Aug. 15 6 p.m. • Carman

Meet artist Michael Albert, best known nationally for making collage artworks from cereal boxes and other printed cardboard consumer brand packages. His work has been described as a cross between Pop Art, Cubism and Recycling. At this program, you are invited to participate in a hands-on collage workshop, where you will create your own collage using the same materials that Mr. Albert uses to create his serious works of art. At the end, there will be a free poster giveaway and signing. This workshop is intended for teens and adults. See the workshop at 2 p.m. for children and families.



Puzzle Frenzy*

Wednesday, July 5 • 2 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Calling all puzzle fans! If you think you can out-puzzle other puzzle fanatics, meet at the library and compete against others. Build a team or sign up as an individual and we will pair you with others. If registering as a team, please register under one name. Teams limited to four.

LPL Summer Rock Painting

Saturday, July 15 • 11 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Join us in the garden to paint rocks with encouraging words or images. Bring your creations home or share somewhere in your community. We will provide paints, ideas and rocks. One rock per patron, but feel free to bring your own additional rocks.

Chess Club @ LPL*

Mondays, July 17; Aug. 21 • 6 p.m. • Carman

Join fellow chess players for friendly competition. Community chess leader Mike Miller, a life-long member of the U.S. Chess Federation, will be present to offer tips and suggestions. For players of all levels. Registration is encouraged, but drop-ins are welcome as space allows.

Family Food-Off*

Tuesday, Aug. 1 • 6 p.m. • Carman

Compete against other families by making one dish with a star ingredient and pantry items provided by us. You will receive an email a week before the event with the star ingredient. You will have access to our Charlie Cart Mobile Kitchen, which includes griddle, cooktop, oven (toaster), blender/food processor and microwave.

Chess on the Lawn

Saturday, Aug. 5 • 10 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Join us on the side lawn for mega Chess. We will also have regulation size boards for players of all skill levels. Rain location will be the Carman Community Room.

Tie Dye on the Lawn

Tuesday, Aug. 22 • 10 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Wear your play clothes, bring cotton garments and leave with cool tie-dyed creations of your own design. To prevent overcrowding, we ask that people with last names that begin with A-L come between 10 to 11 a.m., or M-Z between 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. If that doesn't work, come when you can. Visit LPL.org for weather related updates.

Tie Dye Fashion Show

Thursday, Aug. 24 • 1 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Come show off your Tie Dye on the Lawn creations! Walk down the "red carpet" and model the cool creations you made Tuesday ... or just wear your favorite tie-dye clothing if that's what you prefer. Help us celebrate all things tie dye!



*Registration required

Children

Up to Age 5

Toddler Bubble Party

Saturday, July 1 • 10 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

A bubble party in our Dinosaur Garden. There will be all kinds of bubbles to play with including a bubble machine and a variety of bubble wands and solutions.

Story Time in the Park

Mondays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31; Aug. 7, 14, 21, 28

10:30 a.m. • Onondaga Lake Park

Enjoy a story time at Onondaga Lake Park. We will be near the playground and shuffle board games. We suggest bringing a blanket. Rain location will be in the Children's Room at the library.

Toddler Toy Time

Wednesdays, July 5, 12, 19; Aug. 2, 9, 16, 30

10 a.m. • Carman

Socializing and play for children up to age 5. This builds language skills, the importance of teamwork and sharing, and grows confidence in how to make friends. Let's play and experience using social skills that will prepare children for kindergarten.

Story Time in the Garden

Thursdays, July 6, 13, 20, 27; Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24

10 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

A story time for children birth to age 5 and their families. We suggest bringing a blanket.

Pajamas and Plushies Story Time

Thursdays, July 13, 27; Aug. 10, 17, 24

6:30 p.m. • Sargent

A story time in our pajamas! Wear your PJs and bring your favorite doll/plush for an interactive story time that promotes early literacy skills. For children up to age 5, but 6+ might enjoy it, too. For parents of children 6+, check out our adult program happening at the same time.

Baby Time

Fridays, July 7, 14, 21; Aug. 11, 18, 25 • 10 a.m. • Carman

A story time for children up to age 5. We'll have chairs, but you can bring a blanket to sit on the floor.

Summer Maker Club*

Mondays, July 10, 24, 31; Aug. 7, 14, 21

1 p.m. • Studio@LPL

July 17 • 1 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Join us each week to make fun creations that you can take home!



Stimulating Sensory Stations*

Tuesdays, July 11, 25, Aug. 8 • 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. Best suited for children ages 18 months to 3 years.

BYOB Bring Your Own Baby!

Friday, July 14 • 11 a.m. • Carman

This program is a time for the little ones to play and make crafts, while parents and other caretakers have time to get to know each other. This event will be held after Baby Time.

Stretches and Stories

Tuesdays, July 18; Aug. 1, 15, 29 • 10 a.m. • Carman

Yoga stretches and story time. For ages 2 to 5. A yoga mat or blanket is suggested.

Ages 5+

Crazy 8s Math Club*

Mondays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31;

Aug. 7, 14, 21 • 11 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Want math fun? Join our club. We'll guide grades K-5 through interactive math lessons they're sure to love.

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

Saturdays, July 8 • 1 p.m. • Onondaga Lake Park

Aug. 5 • 1 p.m. • Carman

This monthly gathering offers children 5-10 with ADHD a chance to meet other children, while engaging in fun activities and sharing their experiences. There will be a parent/educator present to lead discussions aimed at helping children with ADHD thrive, not just survive. Parents are encouraged to stay with their child, to learn to foster discussions at home.

July 8: Informal popsicle and playground playdate at Onondaga Lake Park

Aug. 5: Making habits and routines and preparing for the end of summer

Pokemon Club

Mondays, July 10; Aug. 14 • 6:30 p.m. • Studio@LPL

Learn and explore the world of Pokémon! Join us to play trading card games and/or exchange cards. Learn from other fans the different types of Pokémon, their advantages and disadvantages, defensive strategies and more. All experience levels welcome.

Summer STEAM Club Presents*

Tuesdays • 2 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

For ages 5+.

July 11: Owls with Beaver Lake Nature Center

July 18: Baltimore Woods Nature Center

July 25: Bats with The Great Swamp Conservancy

Aug. 1: Fizz-tastic Reactions

Aug. 8: Tech-sploration

Reading Buddies*

Tuesdays & Thursdays • Times Vary

Session 1: July 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27

Session 2: August 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17

Help your child improve their reading skills by working one-on-one with a Reading Buddy. Reading Buddies are teens selected from the Liverpool CSD Career and Technical Education Child Development Program. During the 40 minute meeting, the Reading Buddies will play word games, read books and help your child select books based on their reading level. Reading Buddies will be trained by LCSD teachers and will be supervised by a librarian. Space is limited per session. Grades 1-4 are welcome. Please be able to attend all six classes.

Let's Create!*

Tuesdays • 7 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Create one-of-a-kind art. For ages 3+.

July 11: Nature Art

July 25: Edible Art

Aug. 8: Outdoor Art

The MOST Presents: All Together Now:

Systems of the Human Body*

Tuesday, July 18 • 6:30 p.m. • Carman

Learn about the human body by exploring the different systems within it. Discover the main purpose of each system and the ways they interact, allowing us to accomplish the amazing things we do every day.



Let's Cook Super Snacks*

Thursday, July 20 • 1 p.m. • Carman

What makes your body super strong? Join LCSD's Director of Food Services, Annette Marchbanks, as she helps us make some snacks that are super for the body! Learn about the beneficial nutrients in different foods and then make a snack to eat. This program is for children ages 5-12. Parents should plan to attend with their children, but please register children only. Snacks are only guaranteed for children who are registered, but walk-ins are welcome as space allows.

Storytelling Camp*

Monday, July 24 to Friday, July 28 • 10 a.m. • Carman

Join us for Storytelling Camp, sponsored by the LPL. Experienced Storytelling Coach and Reading Specialist Mary Rys will share lots of ideas, tips and resources for your enjoyment! Students going into grades 3-7 are invited to join us for this exciting camp. It is recommended, but not required, that you come to all five sessions.

Beginner's Scratch Coding*

Fridays, July 28; Aug. 4, 11, 18 • 1 p.m. • Sargent

Students grades 3-7 who want to learn the basics of SCRATCH computer programming, we've got a hands-on opportunity for you. Join us for this four session, hour-long training for absolute beginners, taught by Denise Craig of Baldwinsville. Students will learn about the layout of scratch, easy animations, coordinates, movement, and they will learn to create their own games. Attendance at all four classes is required, as each session builds on the previous one.

Mix, Match, and Make New Friends - Sticker Trading Spectacular*

Saturday, Aug. 12 • 1 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Hang out in the Dinosaur Garden to trade stickers, share some of your favorites and even make some new friends! Bring stickers to trade, plus some will be provided! For children ages 6-9.

Create Pop Art with Michael Albert for Families*

Tuesday, Aug. 15

2 p.m. • Carman

Meet artist Michael Albert, best known nationally for making collage artworks from cereal boxes and other printed cardboard consumer brand packages. His work has been described as a cross between



Pop Art, Cubism and Recycling. At this program, you are invited to participate in a hands-on collage workshop, where you will create your own collage using the same materials that Mr. Albert uses to create his serious works of art. At the end, there will be a free poster giveaway and signing. This workshop is intended for children and families. Children should be ages 5+ and if left alone, should be able to use art supplies independently.

Children of All Ages!

Paws to Read

Every Saturday in July and August

10 a.m. • Children's Room

Read to our four-legged friends from PAWS of CNY, Inc. These dogs are sweet, gentle and love to have young friends read to them. Visit us in the Children's Room to read or just say hi to the dogs.

Farmers' Market for Kids*

Tuesday, July 11 • 11 a.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Discover the world of farmers markets with Liverpool CSD's Director of Food Services, Annette Marchbanks. Children will get to explore different fruits and vegetables and then use the fresh produce to make a snack. Children will also receive a boxed lunch, and families are invited to picnic in the Dinosaur Garden after the program. Please register children only. Meals are guaranteed for children who are registered, but walk-ins are welcome as space allows.



Zoo to You*

Thursday, July 20 • 6 p.m. • Carman

Learn what it means to be a conservationist and how our community can work together to save our planet. Join the Zoo To You crew to find out what we do to help the Earth and how you can help. Meet some of our small but mighty friends, who we can team up with to advocate and act for the good of our environment.

Sensory Story Time

Saturday, July 22 • 10 a.m. • Carman

A story time with dimmed lighting and a different structure than our regular story times. This is great for any kids who get overwhelmed by crowds or have trouble socializing. We will use movement and play along with stories to learn about our senses. This is also a great way for parents to network and learn with their littles.

Sensory Toy Time

Saturday, July 22 • 11 a.m. • Carman

A play time with a focus on sensory based toys, while giving children a chance to socialize and play with other kids. Older siblings welcome!

Back to School SpongeBob Party!

Friday, Aug. 4 • 10 a.m. • Carman

Celebrate going back to school with everyone's favorite "boating" student, *SpongeBob SquarePants*. We will have crafts, bubbles and more.

If You're Happy and You Know it Story Time

Saturday, Aug. 12 • 10 a.m. • Carman

A story time celebrating National Happiness Month! We will start with a story and end with a fun craft that is happiness themed.



Grand Day!

Thursdays, July 13; Aug. 17 • 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 and enjoy fun activities.

July 13: Take our I Spy Challenge and enjoy the film *The Land Before Time*.

Aug. 17: Play classic board games like Chutes & Ladders, Candyland and Sorry and enjoy the film *The Parent Trap*.

Paw Patrol Party!

Wednesday, July 19 • 12:30 p.m. • Carman

Crafts, activities and fun games all *Paw Patrol* themed!

Tech Help via Appointment

Looking for help with technology? Curious about how to use your new iPad? If you're having trouble with technology, Mr. A and Daniel are offering individual help many days of the week in the LPL. Visit LPL.org/events to make an appointment.

Tweens

Tween Scene!*

Wednesdays, July 5, 12, 19, 26; Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
6 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden

Tweens ages 10 to 12 (or grades 4-6) can join us for games, crafts and activities related to the theme of the week.

Tween Summer Robotics Camp*

Monday, July 17 to Thursday, July 20 • 1 p.m. • Studio@LPL

In this four-day series, led by CNY Robotics Founder Andrew Leary, participants will learn about circuitry by completing challenges using Sparkfun Inventor Kits. All supplies, including laptops, will be provided. For ages 10 to 13. Attendance at each session is required, as each session builds on the previous one.

Program a Playable Video Game!*

Tuesday, July 25 to Thursday, 27
12:30 p.m.

Sargent

Join us for this three-session summer program, to learn how you can use Microsoft's MakeCode Arcade to program a playable platform game, like Donkey Kong or Super Mario Bros. Attendance at each session is required, as each session builds on the previous one.



Tweens and Teens

Teen / Tween Art Lounge*

Mondays • 1 p.m.

July 3, 10, 31 • Dinosaur Garden

July 17, 24 • Sargent; Aug. 7, 14 • Carman

A teens and tweens meetup celebrating all kinds of artistic expression with new art techniques explored each week, including digital artistry, sewing zipper pouches, nail polish mug art and more. This is a free program where all supplies are included. Registration requested, but walk-ins welcome as space permits.

Cubing @ LPL*

Friday, July 7, 14, 21 • 11 a.m. • Studio@LPL

Are you a speed Cuber or want to be? Join us for this teen-led program to practice your skills. We will have time for hanging out, learning algorithms to improve your speed and some friendly competition. All skill levels welcome. Ages 9+. Please bring your own Rubik's Cube if you have one.

Photography Summer Camp for Tweens and Teens*

Monday, July 10 to Thursday, July 13

Noon • Sargent

Learn the principles of photography using everyday equipment like phones and tablets in a collaborative, hands-on classroom setting. Hone your skills by taking photos during outings with instructor Olivia Chapman, a senior at the SU School of Visual and Performing Arts. Participants will then learn editing techniques at the library. Attendance at each session is required, as each session builds on the previous one.

Book Warriors Book Club*

Wednesdays • 5 p.m. • Dinosaur Garden and Zoom



Book Warriors is for children 9+. Pick up the book the first Wednesday of the month.

July 26: *The Penderwicks: A Summer Tale of Four Sisters, Two Rabbits, and a Very Interesting Boy* by Jeanne Birdsall

Aug. 30: *Swim Team* by Johnnie Christmas

Dungeons and Dragons for Tweens and Families*

Saturdays, July 29; Aug. 19 • Noon • Carman

Join us for a monthly program as we build characters and play single-shot campaigns with experienced Dungeon Masters. New and experienced players alike are welcome. For tweens, teens and families.

Digital Painting Series for Young Artists*

Aug. 1, 2, 8, 9 • 1 p.m. • Sargent

In this four-class series, graphic design artist and owner of the Liverpool Arts Center Sandra Sabeen will lead teens in an introduction to digital painting using the ProCreate app on the LPL iPads. Students will learn to work with brushes, layers, photo-manipulation techniques and color palettes. All materials will be provided by LPL. Attendance at each session is required, as each session builds on the previous one.

Summer Podcasting Program for Tweens*

Tuesday, Aug. 15 to Thursday, Aug. 17
11:30 a.m. • Sargent

Join us for this unique three-session podcasting program this summer. Learn the basics of podcasting and record and edit your own podcast — from scratch. Attendance at each session is required, as each session builds on the previous one.



Teens

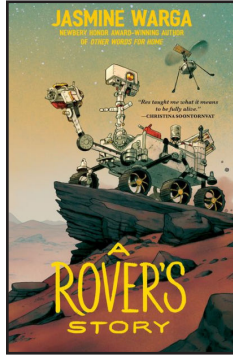
Teen Night

Wednesdays, July 5, 19, 26, Aug. 2, 16, 23, 30

Carman • 6 p.m.

July 12, Aug. 9 • Sargent • 6 p.m.

A night for teens to hang out with games, art supplies and activities that are different each week.



Teen Book Cafe

Thursdays, July 13 and Aug. 10

2 p.m. • Studio@LPL

Join us as we eat donuts and discuss a new book each month. Pick up your copy of the book at the Children's Desk the month before.

July 26: *Bea Wolf* by Zach Weinersmith

Aug. 30: *A Rover's Story* by Jasmine Warga

Homeschool

Homeschooling 101 for Parents*

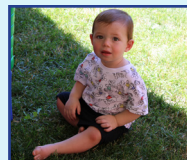
Mondays, July 10; Aug. 14 • 7 p.m. • Sargent

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



*Registration required

Have You Pledged to Read Yet?

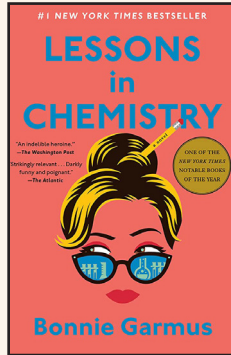
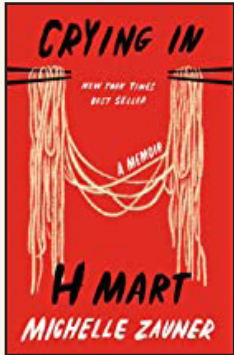


Let's Read, Liverpool!
Scan the QR code or
visit lpl.org/pledge
to sign our summer
pledge to read!

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. • Dinosaur Garden

July 6: *Crying in H Mart* by Michelle Zauner — A memoir about growing up Korean American, losing her mother, and forging her own identity.

Aug. 3: *Lessons in Chemistry* by Bonnie Garmus — The book follows a chemist in the 1960s who does not get the respect she deserves. Her life takes an unexpected turn when she becomes the host of a famous cooking show Supper at Six.

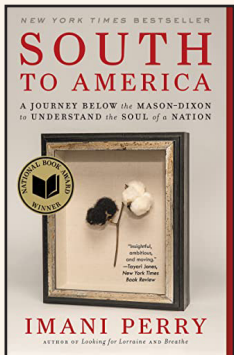
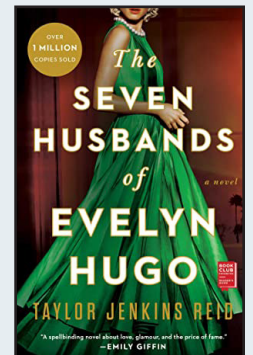
To attend virtually please email laurel.griffith@lpl.org.

Thursday Morning Book Klatch*

Thursdays • 11 a.m. • Sargent

July 27: *Book Lovers* by Emily Henry — Nora Stephens' life is books—she's read them all—and she is not that type of heroine. If Nora knows she's not an ideal heroine, Charlie Lastra, a bookish brooding editor, knows he's nobody's hero. As they are thrown together again and again, what they discover might just unravel the carefully crafted stories they've written about themselves.

Aug. 24: *The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo* by Taylor Jenkins Reid — The novel tells the story of the fictional Old Hollywood star Evelyn Hugo, who, at age 79, gives a final interview to an unknown journalist, Monique Grant.



Books and Beyond*

Thursdays • 5 p.m. • Studio@LPL or Sargent

July 27: *South To America* by Imani Perry — The author takes you on a journey through the American South with her, state by state, and explains the history of each state, the people that she encounters, and how the state is today.

Aug. 31: *Monsters: A Fan's Dilemma* by Claire Dederer — In this unflinching, deeply personal book that expands on her instantly viral Paris Review essay, *What Do We Do with the Art of Monstrous Men?*

*Check out our Pajama Story Time happening at the same time for kids.

MOVIES @ LPL



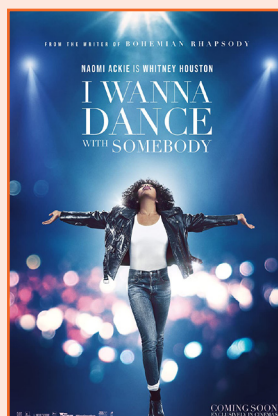
Dungeons & Dragons

Thursday, July 6

1 p.m. • Carman

A charming thief and a band of unlikely adventurers embark on an epic quest to recover a lost relic, but things go perilously awry when they run afoul of the wrong people.

Rated PG-13. 113 Minutes



I Wanna Dance with Somebody

Thursday, Aug. 3 • 1 p.m. Carman

A feature film about the late musical icon, Whitney Houston. Naomi Ackie stars as Whitney Houston in the musical biopic, which is based on the epic life and music of the iconic singer. Directed by Kasi Lemmons and written by Academy Award Nominee Anthony McCarten, the film will take audiences on an emotional, energetic journey through Houston's career and music.

Rated PG-13. 144 Minutes

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LPL2Go @ Liverpool Is The Place Concert

Wednesdays, July 5, 12, 19, 26; Aug. 2, 9, 16

6:30 p.m. • Johnson Park

Stop by and see our friendly library staff and check out some materials at the Liverpool Is the Place Concert.

LPL2Go @ Wemesfelder Park

Thursday, July 6; Tuesday, July 18; Tuesday, Aug. 1

9:30 a.m. • Wemesfelder Park

Come see us at our Library 2 Go! You can check out books, get a library card, receive tech help and enjoy activities for the kids. Wemesfelder Park is located at 6883 Larkin St, Liverpool, NY.

LPL2Go @ Onondaga Lake Park

Mondays, July 10, 17, 24, 31; Aug. 7, 14, 21

10:15 a.m. • Onondaga Lake Park

The LPL will be at Onondaga Lake Park on Mondays this summer! Come find out about library programs, check out books, movies and more. At 10:30 a.m. there will be a story time. Meet us near the shuffleboard courts.

LPL2Go @ Duerr Road Park

Tuesdays, July 11, 25; Aug. 1

9:30 a.m. • Duerr Road Park

Come see us at our Library 2 Go! You can check out books, get a library card, receive tech help and enjoy activities for the kids.

ENJOY A STORYWALK AT THE LPL

Celebrate the return of nice weather by getting out and enjoying one of our new StoryWalks®! Find a new story every Tuesday in the LPL Dinosaur Garden!



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

Closed Sundays in the summer, from June 18 to Sept. 4.

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 changes and updates will be listed on LPL.org.

For program and weather related updates, please visit LPL.org.