

Eccles-Lesher Memorial Library

NEWSLETTER



Monday 8:30 a - 5:30 p
Tuesday 9:00 a - 6:00 p
Wednesday Closed
Thursday 8:30 a - 5:30 p
Friday 9:30 a - 4:30 p
Saturday 9:00 a - 3:00 p
Sunday Closed

Memorials

-In Memory Of: Fred Ferris
Given By: Shelly Schons & Family -
The Writer by James Patterson

In Memory Of:
Ruth Ann Wineburg
Given By: Linda Hilliard
- The Pharisee's Wife by Janette Oke

In Memory Of: Cambrie Priestner
Given By: Attorney Jarah L. Heeter Esquire, Heeter & Associates, P.C.
- The First State of Being by Erin Entrada Kelly
- Chooch Helped by Andrea L. Rogers
- Across So Many Seas by Ruth Behar

Memorial Bricks

In Memory Of: Randy Henry
Given By: Ruth Henry

If you would like to place a book in memory or in honor of a friend or loved one, please call or stop at the library.

May 2025

2025 Summer Reading Program Schedule

Tuesday June 3rd @ 6:00 pm Registration & Collect the Colors Scavenger Hunt	Tuesday June 10th @ 6:00 pm Sand Art	Tuesday June 17th @ 6:00 pm Tote Bag Painting with Mohr Illustrations *Registration Required	Tuesday June 24th @ @ 6:00 pm Bookmark Making
Tuesday July 8th @ 6:00pm Magic Postcards	Friday July 18th @10:00am - 12:00 pm Clarion County Libraries Collaborative Program @ Clarion County Park, Shipperville	Tuesday July 22nd @12:00pm End of Summer Reading Pool Party @ Union Cog Pool Park	

*All programs
@ Eccles-Lesher Memorial Library
unless otherwise indicated

Summer Reading 2025 "Color Our World"

Our Summer Reading Program is an inclusive literacy-based series of programs that are accessible and enjoyable for kids of all ages. In addition to each week's program, participants are encouraged to participate in a Summer Reading Challenge, which offers the chance to win some awesome incentive prize bundles. Studies show that kids lose significant knowledge in reading and math over summer break, which tends to have a snowball effect as they experience subsequent skill loss each year. This is referred to as the "summer slide". Research has found that children who did not read at all over the summer experienced a loss of reading skills equivalent to as much as an entire grade level. Children who read at least six books during the summer either maintained or improved their reading skills. Participating in our Summer Reading Program is a great way to beat the "summer slide". This years theme is "Color Our World". Please see the above schedule for details and reach out to our Program Coordinator, Jillian Porter with any additional questions. Phone: 814-473-3800 E-Mail: jillian.porter@eccles-lesher.org



**ECCLES-LESHER MEMORIAL
LIBRARY**

ART SHOW THIS SATURDAY!

Come and vote for your favorite artwork, take a chance on our silent auction, bid on great pieces during our art raffle, and enjoy some light refreshments

**PAINTINGS, DRAWINGS,
CANVAS, & MORE**

SATURDAY, MAY 3RD, 2025

9:30 A.M. - 2:30 P.M.

ALL PROCEEDS SUPPORT SUMMER READING!

**673 MAIN ST.
RIMERSBURG, PA 16248**

FOR MORE INFORMATION



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Digital Library Resources

POWER Kids offers online resources geared toward children in grades K-5. It includes interactive books, research assistance, cyber safety, full-text articles with images and activities, Chat with a Librarian, and much more. You can access the POWER Kids resources by visiting this link: <http://kids.powerlibrary.org/?ID=PL2145> or find it under the **RESOURCES** tab on our website. It's fun, educational, and easy to use, just sign in with your library card!

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POWER Teens provides online resources including full-text research e-resources, collections of photographs and documents, the statewide catalog of materials held in libraries throughout Pennsylvania, and Chat with a Librarian. Access the POWER Teens resources by visiting this link: <http://teens.powerlibrary.org/?ID=PL2145> or find it under the **RESOURCES** tab on our website. To use the e-resources you will need a public library or eCard number, or Single Sign-On provided by a school district.

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STRESS MANAGEMENT FOR WORK AND HOME WORKSHOP



Eccles-Lesher
Memorial Library
673 Main St,
Rimersburg, PA 16248



Tuesday,
May 27



12:00 PM –
1:00 PM

You Will Learn:

- Short term and long-term techniques to deal with stress, create more peaceful environments, and calm your life.

Registration:

www.pacareerlink.pa.gov

Contact your local office for assistance

THIS IS A NO-COST EVENT

PA CareerLink® Erie County | (814) 455-9966 | TTY: (814) 871-4610
PA CareerLink® Oil Region | (814) 678-5050 | TTY: (814) 678-5065
Toll Free: 1-844-333-5248

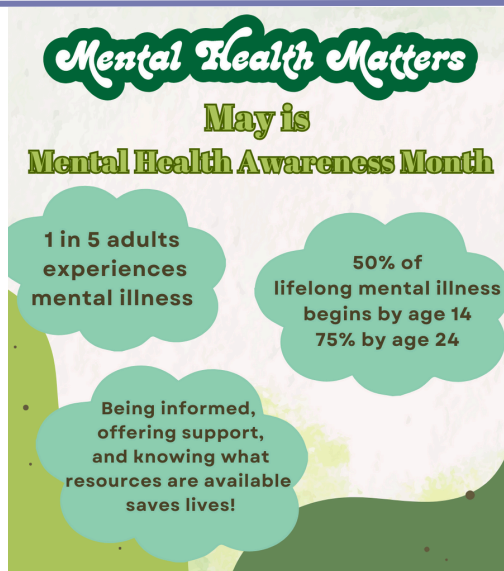


Thank you to the Clarion County Commissioners for proclaiming April 6-April 12 National Library Week in Clarion County!

Photo by Dave Hollis, Clarion News

Pictured, left to right:

De Clover (Foxburg Free Library), Brenda Beikert (Knox Public Library), Wayne Brosius (Clarion County Commissioner), Rebecca Aharrah (Clarion Free Library), Rachel Campbell (Eccles-Lesher Memorial Library, Rimersburg), Erin Joyce (Oil Creek Library District)



This May, take action, raise your voice, and help change the conversation around mental health! Everyone is impacted by mental health conditions – including the friends, family, and coworkers who don't live with a mental health condition themselves. NAMI, the National Alliance on Mental Illness, is the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for the millions of Americans affected by mental illness. To learn more visit <https://www.nami.org/get-involved/awareness-events/mental-health-awareness-month/>

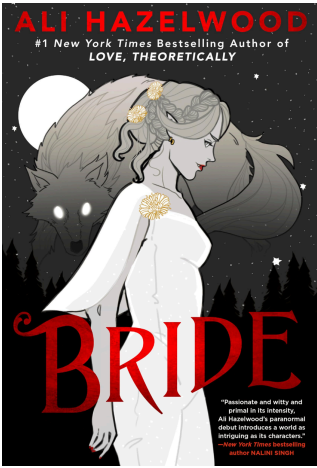
Book Club Picks

Swords & Spice Romantasy Book Club May Pick!

#1 Indie Next Pick!

A Hall of Fame LibraryReads pick!

One of People's Best Books to Read in February



Release Date:
February 6th, 2024

A dangerous alliance between a Vampyre bride and an Alpha Werewolf becomes a love deep enough to sink your teeth into in this new paranormal romance from the #1 New York Times bestselling author of *Love, Theoretically* and *The Love Hypothesis*.

Misery Lark, the only daughter of the most powerful Vampyre councilman of the Southwest, is an outcast—again. Her days of living in anonymity among the Humans are over: she has been called upon to uphold a historic peacekeeping alliance between the Vampyres and their mortal enemies, the Weres, and she sees little choice but to surrender herself in the exchange—again...

Weres are ruthless and unpredictable, and their Alpha, Lowe Moreland, is no exception. He rules his pack with absolute authority, but not without justice. And, unlike the Vampyre Council, not without feeling. It's clear from the way he tracks Misery's every movement that he doesn't trust her. If only he knew how right he was....

Because Misery has her own reasons to agree to this marriage of convenience, reasons that have nothing to do with politics or alliances, and everything to do with the only thing she's ever cared about. And she is willing to do whatever it takes to get back what's hers, even if it means a life alone in Were territory...alone with the wolf.

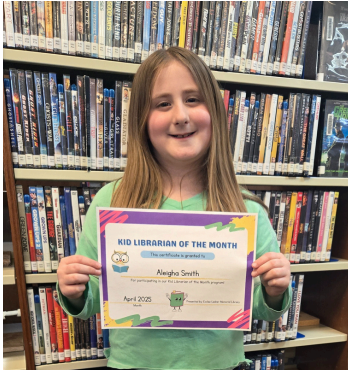
Join us for a fun and engaging discussion on Thursday, May 22nd, at 5:30 p.m.



April Kid & Teen Librarians of the Month

Congrats Aleigha and Kaylee!

Aleigha chose Favorites as her theme. She is 9 and in 3rd grade. Aleigha likes reading because it makes her smart.

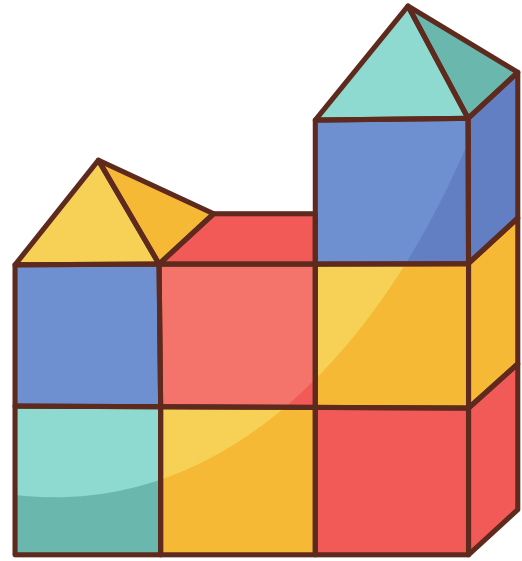


Kaylee chose Manga as her theme. She is 12 years old and in 6th grade. Kaylee likes reading because it helps her calm down.

Block Party

Build with Wooden Blocks, Magna-Tiles, Legos, and many other types of blocks. Animals, Figures, and Vehicles available to complete creations.

Next Party Date: Any time we are open



We will be pausing Sensory Storytime from May through August and restarting in September to focus on Summer Reading



Giving Back and Giving Thanks

National Volunteer Week was April 20th-April 26th. It gives us the opportunity to recognize and celebrate volunteers' contributions and encourage community engagement. These wonderful ladies do so much to support the library, literacy, and promote lifelong learning in our area. Thank you so much to our Friends of the Library for all you do!

Back row (Left to right): Joanne Hosey, Deb Clark, Susan Scott, Susan Crick, Jane Montgomery.
Seated (Left to right): Marcia Nageotte, Audrey Flick, Ruthe Flick.



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