



May 2024

AT THE LIBRARY!

POUGHKEEPSIE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

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Adults



Inmates: Stories from the Poughkeepsie Almshouse

Wednesday, May 1, 6 pm, Lateef Islam Auditorium (29 N. Hamilton Street)



Concert: Irish Music*

Saturday, May 4, 2:30 pm, BRD



Open House at the FPC!

Friday, May 10, 10 am - 4 pm, SPD

Book Clubs

Graphic Novel Book Club*

Thu, May 9, 7 pm, Virtual. *This Country: Searching for Home in (Very Rural America)* by Navied Mahdavian

Books & Brews Book Club

Wed, May 15, 7 pm, Juan Murphy's Pub.

Dragon Hoops by Gene Luen Yang

Mystery Mondays*

Mon, May 20, 11 am, BRD.

The Bookman's Promise by John Dunning

Create!

Exercise Your Writing

Sunday, May 5, 2 pm, ADR



Open Mic

Wednesday, May 8, 7 pm ADR

Writing & Illustrating Children's Books*

Saturday, May 11, 9:30 am, ADR

Tasty Treats with Tina

Saturday, May 11, 3 pm, ADR

Guitar Circle

Tuesday, May 14, 10 am - 12 pm, BRD

An Evening of Poetry: Monique Erickson

Thursday, May 16, 7 pm, ADR

Write, Write, and Rewrite

Saturday, May 18, 10 am - 12 pm,

Lehman-Loeb Art Center, Vassar College

Oh Freedom Quilting*

Saturday, May 18, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm, SPD

Paper Crafting

Thursday, May 23, 6:30-8:30 pm, ADR

Ukulele Strumalong

Thursday, May 28, 6 pm, ADR

Free Tai Chi

Fridays, 9:15 am OR 10:30 am, BRD

Managing Money* (Alzheimer's Assoc.)

Thursday, May 2, 11:30 am, BRD

Tree Seedling Giveaway

Saturday, May 4, 10 am - 12 pm, BRD

The Incredible Carbon Journey*

Sunday, May 5, 2:30 pm, ADR

First-Time Homebuyers' Seminar*

Tuesday, May 7, 5 pm, ADR

Virtual Narcan Training*

Tuesday, May 7, 6 pm, Virtual

Recycling 101 for Adults*

Wednesday, May 8, 2 pm, ADR

Butterfly Gardening*

Monday, May 13, 6:30 pm, ADR

Great Decisions: Mideast Realignment

Monday, May 13, 6:30 pm, BRD

Steinstuecken: A Little Pocket of Freedom*

Tuesday, May 14, 7 pm, Virtual

Trap, Neuter, Return (TNR)*

Tuesday, May 14, 12 pm, ADR

Does Anybody Really Know What Time It Is?

Wednesday, May 15, 6:30 pm, ADR

Ghetto to Glamour: How Jews Redesigned the Fashion Industry*

Friday, May 17, 3 pm, BRD

Meet the Author: Jeff Golden*

Saturday, May 18, 2:30 pm, BRD

Hiking Club: Peach Hill Park*

Sunday, May 19, 9 am (32 Edgewood Drive)

Dancing in the Dark: A History of Dance in the Movies*

Thursday, May 23, 7 pm, Virtual

Plant Swap

Wednesday, May 29, 6:30-7:30pm, ADR

Rover Pupdates

Grocery Store Visits

Thursdays, 10 am - 12 pm

Stop & Shop at 44 Plaza

May 2 (54 Burnett Boulevard)

Stop & Shop at Post Road Plaza

May 9, (2540 South Road)

ShopRite of North Poughkeepsie

May 16, (North Road & Winslow Gate Road)

Adams Fairacre Farms

May 23, (765 Dutchess Turnpike)



Computer Classes

at ADR unless noted; prereqs may apply

Personal Assistance (Drop in)

Computer Lab
Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri, 11 am - 1 pm

Basics

PC Basics

Wednesday, May 8, 1 pm

Technology

Medicare 101/ Navigating the Medicare Website*

Thursday, May 2, 9:30 am

Friday, May 17, 9:30 am

Microsoft Office

Microsoft Word 101*

Monday, May 13, 3 pm,

Wednesday, May 15, 6:15 pm



Microsoft Word 102*

Monday, May 20, 3 pm,

Wednesday, May 22, 6:15 pm



Microsoft Access 101*

Wednesday, May 8, 6:15 pm



DIY with Microsoft Publisher*

Saturday, May 18, 11 am

Volunteers Wanted!

Monday, Wednesday, or Friday, 11 - 1, ADR

Assist patrons with computer issues, transferring photos, scanning documents. This volunteer opportunity is for adults. Contact Tino

Muscetta at tmuscetta@poklib.org or x3380.

Senior Center Visits

Office For the Aging (OFA)

Tuesday, May 7, 10:30 am - 12 pm

(114 Delafield Street, Poughkeepsie)

Town Senior Center (TOP)

Tuesday, May 14, 10:30 am - 12 pm,

(14 Abe's Way, Poughkeepsie)

Find out where Rover the Roaming Library bookmobile will be!

Visit poklib.org/rover



* Registration required for programs marked with star. Register at poklib.org or by phone. ADR: Adriance (free parking and easy access off Noxon Street), BRD: Boardman (141 Boardman Road), SPD: Sadie Peterson Delaney African Roots Branch Library (FPC: 29 N. Hamilton Street, Room 224).

POUGHKEEPSIE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT'S

SEED SOWING CENTER




Visit poklib.org/seed-sowing to learn more about this initiative and how to get seeds!

Did you know? PPLD now has tools available to check out! Visit poklib.libguides.com/ppldtoollibrary, scan the QR code, or call the Reference Desk at x3702.




Connect

Brain Games
First and second Fridays, 10 am, ADR

Stitch Your Heart Out
Fridays, 10 am, BRD


Pick Up Stitches
Saturdays, 10 am, BRD

Board Game Mondays
1 pm, BRD

All-Ages Chess Club
Mondays, May 6, 13, 20, 5-7 pm, BRD

Brain Games for Seniors
Office For the Aging (OFA)
Thursdays, May 16, June 13, 12:30-2 pm, 114 Delafield Street

Town of Poughkeepsie Senior Center (TOP)
Tuesdays, May 21, June 18, 10:30 am – 12 pm, 14 Abe's Way



Teens

Video Gaming
Mondays & Thursdays, 3-5 pm, ADR

Chess Club
Tuesdays, May 7, 21, 6-8 pm, ADR

Movie Nights
Tuesdays, May 7 - June 11, 5:30-7:30 pm, ADR

Anime & Manga Book Club*
Wednesdays, May 8, 22, 5 pm, ADR


Dungeons & Dragons
Saturdays, May 11, 18, 2-4:30 pm, ADR


Teen LEGO Builders*
Tuesdays, May 14, 28, 5 pm, ADR

The Game of LIFE: The Real Cost*
Thursday, May 16, 6:30-8 pm, BRD

Banned Book Club: Shout by Laurie Halse Anderson*
Thursday, May 23, 5 pm, BRD

Art Workshop*
Wednesday, May 29, 4 pm, ADR





Community Service Volunteers
Scan the QR code to view opportunities!

Weekly Story Times

Preschool Learning Center (PLC) Story Time
Mondays, May 6 – June 10, 10-11:15 am
Tuesdays, May 7 – June 11, 10-11:15 am

Preschool Story Time
Mondays, May 6 – June 10, 10-10:30 am, BRD

Toddler Time
Tuesdays, May 7 – June 11, 10-10:50 am

Music & Movement
Tuesdays, May 7 – June 11, 2-2:45 pm

Baby Time
Wednesdays, May 8 – June 12, 10-10:50 am


Walk & Wiggle
Wednesday, May 8 – June 12, 10-10:50 am

Music & Movement
Thursdays, May 9 – June 13, 10-10:50 am

Toddler Time
Thursdays, May 9 – June 13, 10-10:30 am

Toot & Scoot & Play
Thursdays, May 9 – June 13, 10:40-11:30 am

Sensory Lab
Fridays, May 10 – June 14, 10-11 am



Children

Mother Goose Story Time
Wednesday, May 1, 4-4:45 pm

Star Wars Day*
Saturday, May 4, 11am - 12 pm

Chess Club
BRD: Mondays, May 6, 13, 20, 10, 5-7 pm (all ages)
ADR: Tuesdays, May 7, 21, 6-8 pm (children and teens)

Stories in the Story Nook
Mondays, May 6 – June 10, 4-4:30 pm, ADR

Kids' Brick Builders' Club*
Wednesday, May 8, 22, June 5, 5:30 pm, ADR

Extraordinary Animals*
Tuesday, May 14, 4-4:45 pm, ADR

Pop-Up Planetarium: Explore the Cosmos*
Thursday, May 9, 3:30-4:15, 4:30-5:15, 5:30-6:15 pm, ADR

LEGO and More: Brick Building*
Monday, May 13, June 10, 4-5:30 pm, BRD

Kawaii Food Cross-Stitch*
Tuesday, May 21, 4-4:50 pm, BRD

Little STEAMers for Homeschoolers*
Wednesdays, May 15, 29, 11 am - 12 pm, ADR
or Thursdays, May 16, 30, 1:30-2:30 pm, ADR

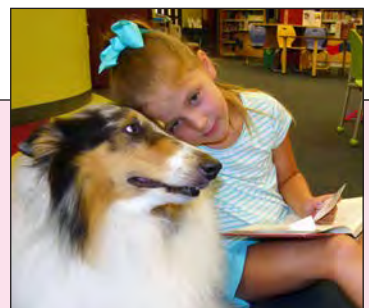


Read to the Dogs*
Wednesday, May 15, 4-5 pm, BRD

Homeschool Social Hour*
Friday, May 17, 31, 1:30-2:30 pm, ADR

Little Bits STEM*
Tuesday, May 21, 28, 4-5 pm, ADR

K-2 Stories & Crafts*
Wednesday, May 22, 4-4:50 pm, BRD

Pokémon Scavenger Hunt
Monday, May 6 - Friday, June 28, SPD

Summer Reading Kick-Off Party
Saturday, June 29, 10 am – 12 pm,
Adriance Parking Lot
Weather permitting.
No registration.