



HUNTINGDON COUNTY LIBRARY PROGRAMS

APRIL AND MAY 2026

LOOK INSIDE FOR
INFORMATION ON
UPCOMING EVENTS:

**FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY
BOOK SALE**

EDUCATIONAL SPEAKERS

CRAFT NIGHT

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

AND MORE!



A VERY SPECIAL VALENTINE'S DAY STORY TIME



In February, we hosted a very special story time to give our youngest patrons a chance to exchange valentines and show their appreciation for the library!

Heart-shaped sugar cookies were enjoyed, and pink hot air balloons were crafted, along with a few read-aloud stories to match the theme.



Family Story Time Schedule April and May 2026

April Stay & Play: Spring Cleaning

Join us all month long for a special spring-themed Stay & Play where little ones can "clean up" in the most fun way possible!

Join
us!

May Stay & Play: Picnic Playtime

Join us for an outdoor-inspired Stay & Play filled with picnic-themed fun!

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Pajama Day

Wear your favorite pajamas, bring your favorite stuffed animal, and join us for a warm and snuggly storytime at the library. And we promise, this is no April Fools' prank!

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Flower Power Story Time

Stories, songs, and sensory bins to welcome spring.

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Celebrate National Library Week

We'll share fun, library-themed stories and then take an exciting "behind-the-scenes" tour to discover what really happens at the library when you're not looking.

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Earth Day

Join us for an Earth Day celebration!

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Miss Beth for the Day

Have you ever wanted to be Miss Beth for a day? Now's your chance! Come to story time dressed like Miss Beth. However you imagine Miss Beth, we can't wait to see it.

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Star Wars Week

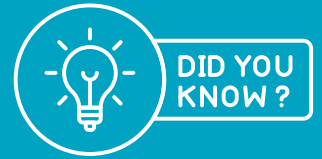
Celebrate Star Wars Week with stories from Star Wars, songs, and galactic fun for the whole family! Kids are encouraged to dress as their favorite character (or wear their favorite outfit) and bring their favorite Star Wars plush. May the 4th be with you!

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Family Story Time Celebration

Join us for our last family storytime before Summer Reading begins! We'll celebrate with favorite stories, singing, dancing, and special snacks. It's a joyful send-off before we kick off a summer full of reading fun!

Coming up next: This summer, something wild is waiting to be discovered... pages that come alive, challenges that spark imagination, and prizes that make every step of the journey worth it. Are you ready to unearth a story?



Huntingdon County
Library will mail books
to homebound patrons!

LIBRARY BY MAIL

**CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE LIBRARY?
LET THE LIBRARY COME TO YOU!**



Library By Mail is a free service that
delivers books and audiobooks to
eligible Huntingdon County residents.

If you are homebound and have a
library card, you are eligible
for this program!

Contact Lew at lkissinger@huntingdonlibrary.org

A PERSONALIZED LIBRARY EXPERIENCE, DELIVERED.

**DON'T
MISS**

COFFEE WITH LEW

**EVERY TUESDAY
10 AM - 12 PM**



A Green Corner in the Library

Tucked near the back of the historic part of our Huntingdon County Library is a window seat area that feels like a retreat. With large windows letting in the light, it's the perfect spot to slow down and enjoy a good book or get some work done on your laptop. The sunshine pours across the seats, creating a welcoming space that makes it easy to lose track of time...
in the best way.

Surrounded by healthy plants, thanks to the patient care of our very own Karolee Coffman, this corner of the library offers a calm, refreshing atmosphere. The plants add a touch of nature that makes the space feel peaceful and green.

Located right near our magazine subscriptions, this space is also ideal for browsing your favorite titles. Pick up your usual current issue or discover something new. However you choose to use it, we invite you to stop by, take a seat, and make the window nook your own little reading retreat at the library.



Dream Design Print

**Want to create
with the 3D
printer?**

Follow these steps and
you'll be printing
in no time.



**Create a design in
Tinkercad or find a
free design on
Thingiverse.com.**

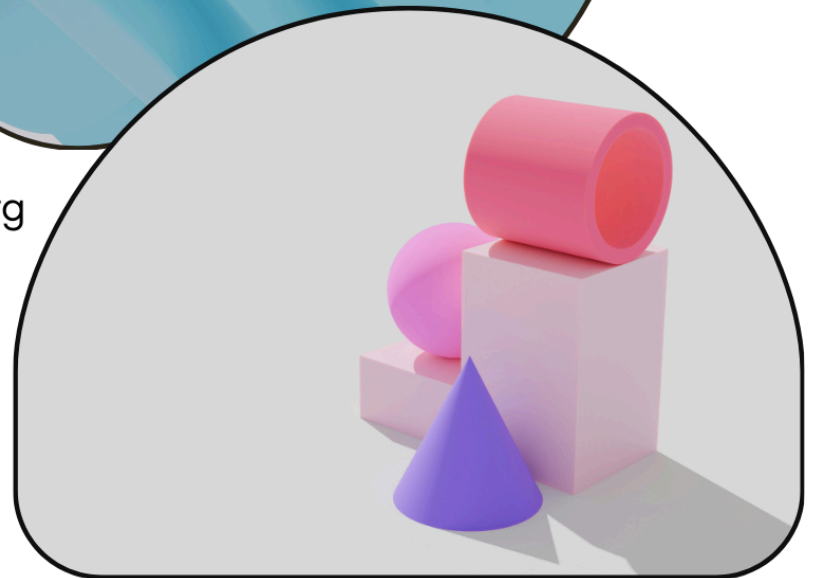
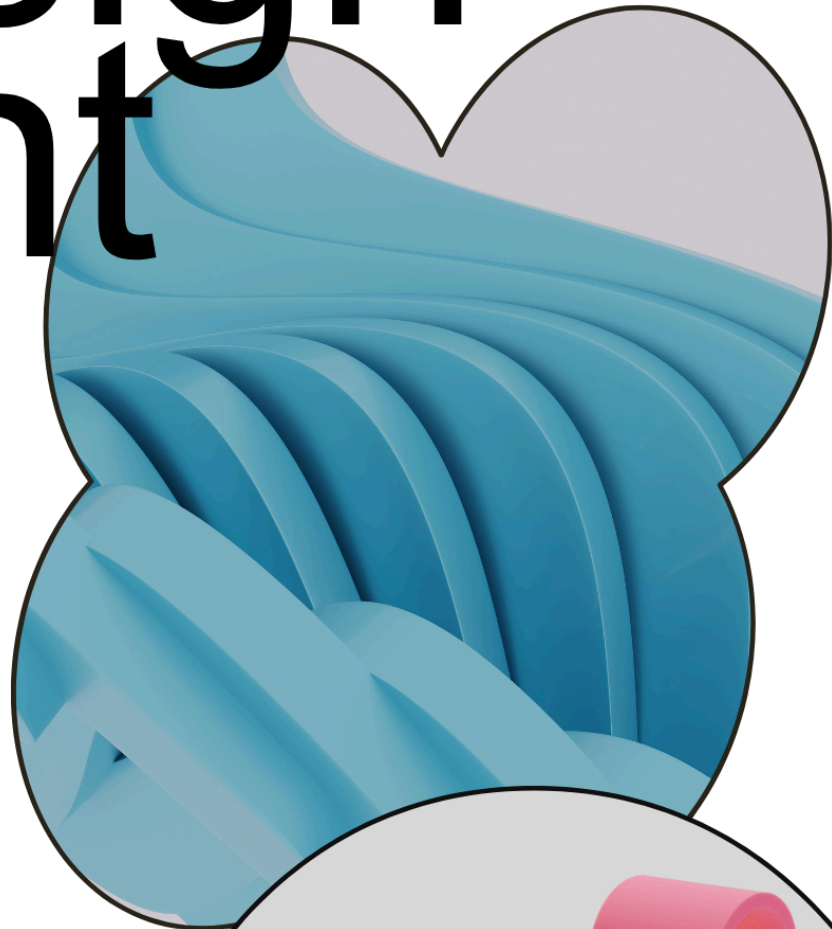
Save as an .stl for 3D
printing.

**Email your ideas and
.stl design to:**

kjackson@huntingdonlibrary.org

**You'll hear back soon
to schedule a time to
use the printer.**

Prints must be under 8 hours.
The cost for filament will be
provided to you after you submit
your files. Most small designs
and kids' first prints cost \$2 - \$5.



Let's Make!

FIRST EVER PRINT?

Try a Fidget Cone AKA A Unicorn Horn!

The Unicorn Horn is a great first project for kids to create with the 3D printer.

Kids can choose the color of the PLA filament, learn to load the filament into the 3D printer, and begin to watch the printer as it creates for them.

The print takes about 4 hours to complete and the PLA for the print costs only \$2.

You can start the print, watch the printer work for as long as you'd like and pick it up later, at your convenience!

Kids will learn the steps to finish a 3D printed object with hands-on practice. A finished 3D print will have support pieces to peel or break off, rough edges that need to be sanded, and (optionally) the potential to add decorative details with paint.

Contact Kaila at
kjackson@huntingdonlibrary.org
for an appointment.

LET'S
3D
PRINT



PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Wed. Apr 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 10:15 AM - Family Storytime:
Join Miss Beth for stories & activities for kids!

Sat. April 4, 11:30 AM - Movies with Lew: The 1928 film
"Spies", directed by Fritz Lang, will be shown

Tues. Apr 7, 12 PM - Writers' Workshop

Tues. Apr 7, 6:30 PM - Juniata Brewing Company
Book Club discussing *Yellow Face* by R. F. Kuang

Tues. April 7, 14, 21, 28, 10 AM - 12 PM
Coffee with Lew

Wed. April 8, 6:30 PM
Bricks & Brews at Juniata Brewing Company

Thurs. April 9, 6 PM - Craft Night:
Make seed starters or storage boxes

Fri. Apr 10, 12 PM - Karl Lang will tell us about one of our
county's most famous residents, Horace Porter

Sat. Apr 11, 11 AM - Tracy Lake, Certified Yoga Therapist at
Intersections, will give a presentation on the benefits of yoga

Sat. Apr 11, 7 PM - Trivia Night at Standing Stone Coffee
Shop. Join us for an evening of Huntingdon County history

Mon. Apr 13, 12 PM - Downtown OIP Book Club discussing
The Berry Pickers by Amanda Peters

Fri. Apr 17, 12 PM - Dr. Jonathan Burns, Director of the
Cultural Resource Institute at Juniata College, will discuss his
archeological discoveries at Fort Ligonier

Sat. Apr 18, 10:30 - 11:45 AM - Join a new group of board
gamers! This month's games are Primates, Ex Libris, On the
Origins of Species, and Freedom: the Underground Railroad

Sat. Apr 18, 12 PM - Reel America: 250 Years showing the
1944 film, *Meet Me in St. Louis* starring Judy Garland, focuses
on four sisters on the cusp of the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair

Celebrate National Library Week: Find Your Joy!

Fri. Apr 24, 12 PM - Heather Lindskold from the Altoona
Area Public Library will provide a workshop covering the
Transparent Language database and the MyHeritage
database

Sat. Apr 25, 12 PM - 3D Printer Class: Learn how to easily
download .stl files and send them to the 3D printer

Tues. Apr 28, 12 PM - Insurance 101:
Joanna Swope of Diversified Financial Solutions will give a
presentation on the importance of financial planning

Thurs. Apr 30, 4-7 PM - Fiber Friends:
Bring your own yarn project and enjoy group conversation as
you work

Huntingdon County Library

April

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COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM

WRITERS' WORKSHOP 12 PM

JBC BOOK CLUB 6:30 PM

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OIP BOOKCLUB
12 PM

COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM

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CELEBRATE NATIONAL
LIBRARY WEEK

COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM


















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COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM
INSURANCE 101
12 PM



2026

Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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 <div style="float: right;">8</div> <p>FAMILY STORYTIME: FLOWER POWER 10:15 AM BRICKS & BREWS 6:30 PM @ JBC</p>	 <div style="float: right;">9</div> <p>CRAFT NIGHT 6PM BOOK SALE</p>	 <div style="float: right;">10</div> <p>HORACE PORTER AND HUNTINGDON 12 PM BOOK SALE</p>	 <div style="float: right;">11</div> <p>YOGA WITH INTERSECTIONS 11 AM TRIVIA NIGHT AT STANDING STONE 7 PM BOOK SALE - BAG DAY!</p>
 <div style="float: right;">15</div> <p>FAMILY STORYTIME: LIBRARIES 10:15 AM</p>	<div style="float: right;">16</div>	 <div style="float: right;">17</div> <p>FORT LIGONIER 12 PM</p>	 <div style="float: right;">18</div> <p>BOARD GAMES 10:30 AM REEL AMERICA 12 PM</p>
 <div style="float: right;">22</div> <p>FAMILY STORYTIME: EARTH DAY 10:15 AM</p>	<div style="float: right;">23</div>	 <div style="float: right;">24</div> <p>TRANSPARENT LANGUAGE WORKSHOP 12 PM</p>	 <div style="float: right;">25</div> <p>3D PRINTER CLASS 12 PM</p>
 <div style="float: right;">29</div> <p>FAMILY STORYTIME: DRESS LIKE MISS BETH! 10:15 AM</p>	 <div style="float: right;">30</div> <p>FIBER FRIENDS 4-7 PM</p>	<div style="float: right;">1</div>	 Kids & Family  Adult  All Ages



Friends of the
Huntingdon County Library

BOOK SALE

**THURSDAY, APRIL 9
10 AM TO 7 PM**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 10
10 AM TO 5 PM**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 11
BAG DAY!
10 AM TO 5 PM**

Fiction - NonFiction
AudioBooks - DVDs
Children's Books & More



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Huntingdon County Library

For more information or to volunteer, please visit
www.huntingdonlibrary.org/friends

THIS SUMMER



A PLACE FOR
THOSE WHO SEEK
TO FIND
A WAY
TO LEAVE
THEIR WORLD
BEHIND



UNEARTH
A STORY™

PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

■ Fri. May 1, 12 PM - Michael Allison, former curator of the Southern Alleghenies Museum of Art, will examine the diverse group of German immigrants who settled our state

■ Sat. May 2, 11:30 AM - Movies with Lew: The film *Some Like It Hot* starring Tony Curtis, Jack Lemmon, and Marilyn Monroe, will be shown

■ May 4- 9, All Week Long! Join us for a week of out-of-the-world fun inspired by Stars Wars. Drop in whenever the Force calls you! There will be Anytime Activities, a Star Wars I Spy Tank Challenge, and entry to win Star Wars prizes

■ Tues. May 5, 12, 19, 26 10 AM - 12 PM
Coffee with Lew

■ Tues. May 5, 12 PM - Writers' Workshop

■ Tues. May 5, 6:30 PM - Juniata Brewing Company Book Club discussing *Open Season* by C. J. Box

■ Wed. May 6, 10:15 AM
Family Storytime: Celebrate Star Wars Week with stories from Star Wars, songs, and galactic fun for the whole family! Kids are encouraged to dress as their favorite character (or wear their favorite outfit) and bring their favorite Star Wars plush. May the 4th be with you!

■ Wed. May 6, 6:30 PM
Bricks & Brews at Juniata Brewing Company

■ Sat. May 9, 10:30 AM - An introduction to Tai' Chi Gung for wellness by certified instructor Holly Hayer

■ Mon. May 11, 12 PM - Downtown OIP Book Club discussing *The Great Alone* by Kristin

■ Wed. May 13, 10:15 AM
Family Storytime Celebration: Join us for our last family storytime before Summer Reading begins! We'll celebrate with favorite stories, singing, dancing, and special snacks. It's a joyful send-off before we kick off a summer full of reading fun!

■ Thurs. May 14, 6 PM - Craft Night: Make Fairy Gnome houses out of jars

■ Fri. May 15, 12 PM - Dr. Anthony Zumpetta, former Deputy Superintendent for Treatment at SCI Huntingdon, will discuss the psychology of criminals

■ Sat. May 16, 12 PM - Reel America: 250 years showing *My Fellow Americans*, rated PG-13, starring Jack Lemmon and James Garner as feuding ex-presidents who uncover a plot to frame one of them for a scandal

■ Thurs. May 21, 12 PM - Donald Gibboney, Deacon at Most Holy Trinity Church, will give us the history of churches in downtown Huntingdon

■ Thurs. May 28, 12 PM - Insurance 101: Tracey Cook, Director of Personal Lines Underwriting of Mutual Benefit Group will give a presentation on teen drivers and your car insurance

■ Thurs. May 28, 4-7 PM - Fiber Friends: Bring your own yarn project and enjoy group conversation as you work

Huntingdon County Library

May

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Kids & Family



Adult



All Ages

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MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU
STAR WARS ACTIVITIES
ALL WEEK LONG



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COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM
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OIP BOOKCLUB
12 PM



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COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM

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COFFEE WITH LEW
10 AM - 12 PM

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**MEMORIAL DAY
LIBRARY CLOSED**



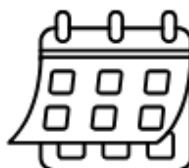
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10 AM - 12 PM



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13 FAMILY STORYTIME: PRE-SUMMER CELEBRATION 10:15 AM	14 CRAFT NIGHT 6PM	15 CRIMINAL PSYCHOLOGY 12 PM	16 REEL AMERICA 12 PM
20	21 HISTORY OF HUNTINGDON CHURCHES 12 PM	22	23 LIBRARY CLOSED
27	28 INSURANCE 101 12 PM FIBER FRIENDS 4-7 PM	29	30

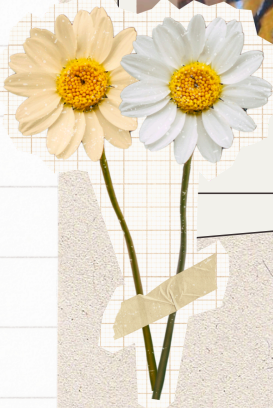


LOOKING AHEAD!

This summer, something wild is waiting to be discovered... pages that come alive, challenges that spark imagination, and prizes that make every step of the journey worth it.

ARE YOU READY TO UNEARTH A STORY?

craft NIGHT



Craft Night is always a big hit at Huntingdon County Library.

In February, participants transformed retired books into beautiful vases for dried flowers.

In March, we turned recycled jars into charming tea lights that added a warm glow to any room.

These creative projects not only sparked imagination but also highlighted fun and simple ways to reuse materials in thoughtful, creative ways.



Join us for our next craft night!

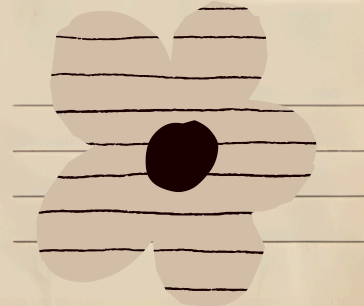
Sign up at the circulation desk to attend our next creative evening.

April 9th at 6pm

Make seed starters or storage boxes

May 14th at 6pm

Create fairy gnome houses out of recycled jars



My Favorite memory
was when we went to the
end of summer party
and miss: Beth Pulled
Tickets for prizes

Thanks to our Huntingdon
County Library patrons Erin,
and her son, Tristian, for
sharing their Library Stories
with us!

My favorite memory of the
library will be the memory
of the library. The children
will grow into adults. The
picture books will stop
being checked out, but the
weekly visits won't end,
and the memories
will come flowing
back as I walk in
the doors. The kids
talking to librarians,
rushing to find the
clues, finding weekend
movies and playing
with toys.

Oh the memories of
the library.



Huntingdon County Library

PROGRAM GUIDE HIGHLIGHTS

APRIL AND MAY 2026



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You won't want to miss...

Trivia Night at
Standing Stone Coffee Shop

Star Wars Week

Children's Stay & Play:
Spring Cleaning &
Picnic Playtime Themes

OIP and Juniata Brewing
Company Book Clubs

Reel America: 250 Years Films

Board Games at the Library

Craft Nights

Writers' Workshop

Fiber Friends Yarn Group

Movies with Lew

And So Much More!

