



GLOVERSVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

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SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2026

NEW LIBRARY HOURS

Starting September 7, the Library's hours are changing!

Mondays will be open for curbside service only. Between 10 AM-2 PM, individuals may pick up, return, & renew items, place hold requests, update library cards, and use wireless printing

Library Hours Starting September 7th

Sun: Closed

*Mon: 10 AM-2 PM

*Curbside Service Only

Tue: 9 AM-5:30 PM

Wed: 11 AM-7:30 PM

Thurs-Fri: 9 AM-5:30 PM

Sat: 10 AM-4 PM

ADULT/TEEN EVENTS & SERVICES

No registration required, unless otherwise noted. Please call to make reservations, or register on our website.
Adult/teen programs are for ages 13 and up, unless noted.

Alzheimer's Assoc. Caregiver Support Group

Sep 16, Oct 21, Nov 18
@ 11 AM

Share experiences, exchange
tips, and find community.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Public Narcan Training

Nov 20 @ 4 PM

Learn how to save a life with
training from The Rob Constanine
Recovery Center.

Fall Yoga Series

Sep 4, 18 ; Oct 2, 16

Nov 6, 20 @ 9:30 AM

Are you yoga-curious?

Instructor Colleen Rasmussen
will introduce the foundations
of this popular form of fitness!

Registration required

Demystifying Dementia

Sep 19, 26 ; Oct 3 @ 10:30 AM

This three-week series, led by professional dementia educator and support coach Casey Venturini, will dismantle the myths and misconceptions, and separate the stories from the facts. We'll look honestly at what dementia is, what it isn't, and what remains possible after a diagnosis. Join us for one or all sessions, and leave with strategies, action items, and resources.

Week 1: What It Is, What It Isn't

We'll start with what almost nobody gets right: the basics. Dementia isn't a disease. It isn't a normal part of aging. Memory isn't always involved. We'll look at what's really happening in the brain, what the research says about risk, and how much of it is within our control.

Week 2: The View from Inside

What does dementia feel like from the inside? We'll hear from people living with dementia. We'll look at what changes and what stays completely intact. Behavior that seems confusing usually makes perfect sense once you know what to look for.

Week 3: Words That Work

This week, we'll turn our understanding into action and look at the best practices for interaction, cover how to start the talk your family keeps putting off, and explore where you can turn when you need help.



Adult Crafting

Sep 23, Oct 28, Nov 18
@ 1:30 PM

Sep: Mason Jar Gnomes

Oct: Yarn Table Mats

Nov: Spiral Ornaments

Registration required

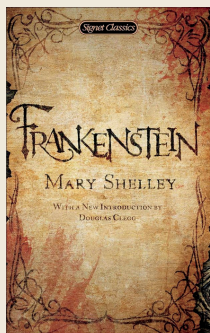
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Books 'N' Brews

@ Plaza Italian Bistro
130 N. Pine St., Gloversville

Join us each meeting for good company and engaging conversations over food and drinks. The first round of appetizers is always on us!

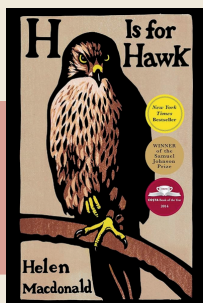


Sep 9 @ 6 PM

Frankenstein
by Mary Shelley

Nov 4 @ 6 PM

H is for Hawk
by Helen Macdonald



**Space is limited
Registration required**

Frightful Fulton County: Ghosts, Legends, and Lore

Oct 7 @ 6 PM

Witch lights! Phantom tannery workers! A haunted mansion! Join Samantha Hall-Saladino from the Fulton County Historical Society as we explore some of the urban legends and ghost stories from throughout the county's history.

Tech Tuesday

Oct 6 @ 1 PM

Mary Carrier from MVLS will be here to help with smartphones, social media, email, internet searching, MS Office (Word, Excel, & PowerPoint), and Google Drive. Sorry, she can't help with hardware (laptops, computers, or printers). Receive one-on-one assistance for 20-30 minutes, first come-first serve.

The Art of Visible Mending

Nov 7, 14, 21 @ 1 PM

This three-part hand-sewing workshop series will introduce sashiko and boro, two traditional Japanese hand-stitching practices rooted in mending, sustainability, and slow craft.

Designed for beginners and open to all skill levels, the series will combine cultural history, hands-on instruction, and creative exploration. Participants will learn foundational techniques, and complete samples of sashiko stitching and a finished tote bag utilizing boro techniques. Must attend all three sessions.

Registration Required

Garden Winterizing

Oct 21 @ 4-6 PM

It's that time of year! Help us prep for overwintering the garden. Please come dressed to work outside while we do the last garden maintenance of the year. Don't forget your trusty trowel!

Rain date: Oct 22 @ 1-3 PM

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our website for any required programs.
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YOUTH EVENTS

Children under age 7 must be accompanied by an adult caregiver for all programs, unless otherwise noted.

ALL AGES

STORY TIMES

Unless noted below, story time is held in the Early Literacy Center of the Youth Services area.

Themed Story Time

Sep 10, 17, 24
Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
Nov 5, 12, 19
@ 10:30 AM

Our traditional Story Time explores a different theme each session.

Sonny's Snoozy Story Time

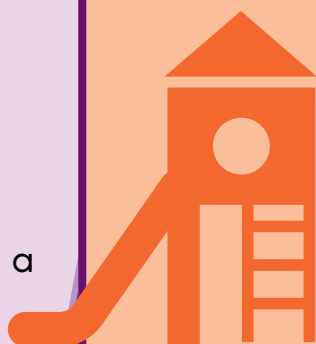
Oct 7, Nov 4
@ 6 PM

Come to the library to wind down and cuddle up in your PJs while we read relaxing bedtime stories.

Stay-at-Home Story Time

Sep 12, Oct 10, Nov 14
via Facebook

Join Sonny for a fun virtual story time on Facebook. New sessions are uploaded the second Saturday of every month.

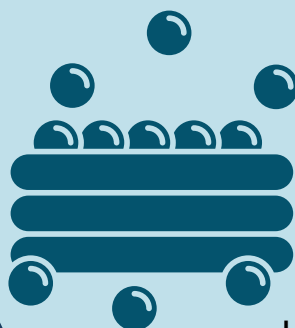


Child's Play: Indoor Playground

Sep 12, 19, 26 ; Oct 3, 10, 24
Nov 14, 21, 28
@ 2 PM

Ages 18 mos - 5 years

Explore our indoor soft foam play zone! 90-minute drop-in session available every Saturday at 2 PM.



Child's Play: Giant Ball Pit Week

Nov 24, 27, 28 @ 2 PM
Nov 25 @ 11 AM

Grades Pre K - 2

Have a ball in our new giant ball pit! 90-minute drop-in sessions, only during the week of Thanksgiving.

Pick-A-Pickle Party

Nov 7 @ 2 PM

It's time for a picklepalooza! Join us for pickle-themed stories, followed by a pickle-flavored snack taste test. There will be pickle potato chips, pickle pretzels, pickle cookies, pickle crackers, and more.

Vote for your favorite!

Grades K - 5

Milk & Cookies

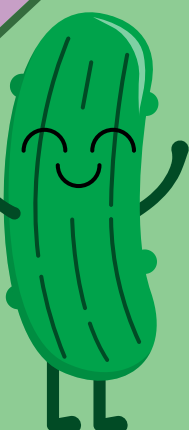
Moms' Support Group

Sep 17; Oct 15; Nov 19
@ 1 PM



All Moms & Children Welcome!

Nathan Littauer's own Nancy Quinlan, RN, IBCLC for guidance, support, and answers to your breastfeeding and postpartum questions.



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Big adventures begin with a little library card!
Our new children's-themed cards are available to patrons from birth, so every child can start their Library journey from day one!



Teddy Bear Adoption Day

Sep 9 @ 4 PM

Celebrate National Teddy Bear Day by adopting your very own fuzzy friend and decorating their outfit! We'll supply the teddy, you bring your imagination and create an outfit for your new bear buddy. Everyone gets to take home an adoption certificate along with their bear.

Grades K - 5
Registration required



Stuffie Story Time & Sleepover

Drop-off Sep 18 by 5 PM

Pick-up Sep 19 by 3 PM

Come for pajama story time and leave your stuffed animal for a sleepover adventure! Throughout the night, we'll be posting photos of your stuffies playing and exploring the library. Then, the next day (September 19), be sure to come back to the Library by 3 PM to pick up your stuffie and a souvenir Stuffie Sleepover button!

Grades Pre K - 5



Count Your Buttons Day

Oct 21 @ 12 N - 6 PM

Haven't heard of Count Your Button Day? We're going to change that! Stop by Youth Services at any point during the afternoon to guess how many buttons are in our giant button jar, go on a button scavenger hunt, and enjoy a button-themed DIY table craft.

Grades Pre K - 5



The Magic of Monsterology Show

Oct 17 @ 2 PM

In this family-friendly magic show, Professor Arcane will explore the seven families of monsters and dazzle youngsters with tricks involving vampires, werewolves, space aliens, witches, ghosts, and other creatures. Kids can take home their own monster information sheet, in preparation for Halloween.

Grades K - 5
Registration required

