This February it’s BEATLEMANIA at the Library!

In February 1964 the Beatles rocked the nation on the Ed Sullivan show. In honor of their American beginnings, the library will be celebrating all things Beatles related during the month of February. We have many things planned for this special celebration. Our display cases will feature Beatles’ LPs, artwork, newspaper headlines, and memorabilia. People of all ages can try to find the Fab Four hidden throughout the library. Enjoy special viewings of A Hard Day’s Night, Help!, and Yellow Submarine. Finally, join us on Sunday, February 9th at 2PM for a Beatles Party featuring a Beatles trivia game, their music, The Beatles™ Rock Band™, and Beatles refreshments. It will be fun for the whole family! Get all of the information about this month and a list of library materials on our blog at: http://sewickleylibrary.org/beatlemania/

February Book Lovers Book Sale

Stock up on books for your late winter reading! Sponsored by the Friends of the Sewickley Public Library with all proceeds benefiting the Library. The sale will run from Friday, 2/14 to Sunday, 2/16. Sunday is Bag Sale Day! Fill a bag for $5!

Freegal is now available for Sewickley Public Library members!

Thanks to the generosity of the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, all card holders in Allegheny County now have access to free music downloads via Freegal. Freegal provides access to approximately 3 million songs, including Sony Music’s catalog of legendary artists. Download three free music tracks (MP3 format) from popular artists each week with no software to download and no digital rights management (DRM) restrictions. Log in with your library barcode number and PIN. Start downloading now at https://carnegielibrary.freegalmusic.com/
Adult Programs & Services - February 2014

OASIS Computer Classes - Classes are happening this month. Please call or pick up an info packet at the Reference Desk.

Tech Café Appointments - Have a feisty phone? Has your eReader gone eRidiculous? Schedule one-on-one help with a librarian. Call the Reference Desk for details.

Need Resume Help? Call the Reference Desk to make an appointment with local resume expert Bob Ryan.

Sahaja Meditation - Every Saturday @ 11AM - Enjoy the silence, peace, and stress release that is always free.

A Hard Day’s Night - Tuesday, February 4 @ 7PM - A 'typical' day in the life of the Beatles, including many of their famous songs. All-Ages Program. (NR, 1964, 87min)

Help! - Wednesday, February 5 @ 7PM - Ringo finds himself the human sacrifice target of a cult and the band must try to protect him from it. All-Ages Program. (NR, 1965, 92min)

Yellow Submarine - Thursday, February 6 @ 7PM - The Beatles agree to accompany Captain Fred in his Yellow Submarine and go to Pepperland to free it from the music hating Blue Meanies. All-Ages Program. (G, 1968, 85min)

Write Now! - Every Friday @ 10:30AM - Have you ever resolved to write in a daily journal, or record your family's story, yet found the good intentions slipping away? Achieve your writing goals.

Downton Abbey Season 4 - Fridays @ 2PM - In case you missed the beginning of season 4 or just want to watch it again! 2/7: Episode 2; 2/21: Episode 3; 2/28: Episode 4.

Craft BeTWEEN the Lines - February 8 @ 11AM - Create with local artists for this new arts and crafts program for Ages 10 and up. Adults are welcome to attend with or without a Tween or Teen. There is a materials fee of $4. Please Register.

Beatlemania Party! - Sunday, February 9 @ 2PM - Party like it's 1964! Partake in a Beatles trivia game, listen to their music, play The Beatles™ Rock Band™, and enjoy Beatles refreshments (including a Beatles cake!) It will be fun for the whole family!

Natural Healing with Therapeutic Grade Essential Oils - Tuesday, February 11 @ 7PM - Young Living therapeutic grade essential oils have been documented to treat colds and infections, improve inflammation and reduce pain, improve skin quality, provide chemical free options for healing and cleaning and are even being studied for their effectiveness in killing cancer cells. Please Register.

Mystery Book Group - Tuesday, February 11 @ 7PM - Stop at the Reference Desk to request a copy of this month’s selection, Mr. Churchill’s Secretary by Susan Elia MacNeal.

Conversation Salon - Wednesday, February 12 @ 10AM - This interesting group of adults meets on the second Wednesday of each month. Coffee and great discussions!

Reiki Healing Exchange - Wednesday, February 19 @ 6:30PM - Learn more about Therapeutic Touch and experience a relaxing, peaceful evening. A $5.00 donation for the library is requested.

Brown Bag Book Group - Thursday, February 20 @ 11:30AM - Bring your lunch and join the discussion led by Rosa Lamour Dorman and Librarian Mary Jean Voigt. This month’s book is Songs of Willow Frost by Jamie Ford and can be ordered at the Reference Desk.

Fourth Tuesday Book Group - Tuesday, February 25 @ 7PM - You are invited to join us for lively discussions and interesting insights into a wide variety of books. Stop at the Reference Desk to request a copy of this month’s selection, God’s Hotel: A Doctor, A Hospital, and a Pilgrimage to the Heart of Medicine by Victoria Sweet.
BOOKFLIX IS BACK!

BookFlix is an engaging online literacy resource that pairs award-winning, animated versions of classic books with related non-fiction eBooks from Scholastic. Additionally, BookFlix includes: multiple pairs in Spanish, interactive games and activities, web links, author biographies, and educator/parent resources!

Try it today—BookFlix is easy to access at home or in the library!

- Visit www.sewickleylibrary.org/kids
- Under READ, select “Read More”
- Select the “BookFlix” link
- Insert your Allegheny County card barcode number
- Watch, Read, & Learn!

Questions? Contact the children’s department at (412) 741-0937

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 41ST ANNUAL ALLEGHENY COUNTY CHESS TOURNAMENT!

The 41st Annual ACLA Chess Tournament will be held on Saturday, March 8 at 9:30AM - The Sewickley Public Library will host a chess tournament for children in Kindergarten through 8th grade. It will be broken into two divisions: the junior division for children in Kindergarten through 4th grade and the senior division for children in 5th through 8th grade. All skill levels welcome! You must register to participate. The first place winners from both divisions are invited to participate in a county-wide tournament. Grades K-8.

Please Register for the following programs unless otherwise noted

KIDS IN THE KITCHEN – Saturday, February 1, 11AM-12PM – Let’s have fun making marzipan, a sweet confection we’ll use to create candy fruits and vegetables for Valentine’s Day!! Grades 3-5.

CHESS CLUB - Wednesday, February 5, 7-8PM - Do you enjoy playing chess? We’ll briefly discuss the rules of the game and then get right down to playing! All skill levels welcome! Bring a chess set if you’re able. Grades K-8.

DANCE PARTY - Thursdays: February 6, 13, 20, & 27, 6:45 - 7:15PM - Come and dance the night away! New in February, we’ll be starting some yoga! Toddlers and Preschoolers, with a caregiver.
**AMERICAN GIRL: MEET MOLLY** - Saturday, February 8, 2:30-4PM - Join us for a fun-filled afternoon at the library as we explore life on the home-front during WWII! We’ll play some games, make a craft, and have a tasty American Girl treat! Bring your doll and a friend! **Grades K-3.**

**DOG TALES** - Sunday February 9, 3-4PM - Come by and snuggle with and read to certified Therapy Dogs. These dogs love to be petted and ESPECIALLY love to be read to by children. Picture books and reading books will be available. Please register for a 15 minute time slot to read to a dog. **Ages 4-10, with Adult.**

**MATH AND SCIENCE FUN: HAVE A HEART** – Monday, February 10, **1PM – 1:30PM** OR 2:30- 3:15PM - We will explore parts of our body through stories, songs and a craft. **Ages 2-5, with a caregiver.**

**FAMILY BINGO** - Monday, February 10, 7-8PM - Everybody wins and everyone has fun! Who could ask for anything more! Bingo, Library-style! **Family Program.**

**MAGIC TREE HOUSE CLUB** – Saturday February 15, 11AM-12PM – Join Jack and Annie as we visit the arctic and create our very own **polar** portraits. **Grades K – 3.**

**NEWBERY BOOK CLUB** - Sunday, February 16, 2-3PM- Read the 2013 Newbery Winner, *The One and Only Ivan* by Applegate and come ready for great discussion and fun! In March we’ll meet on the 16 and discuss the 2014 winner, which will be announced on Monday, January 27. **Grades 4-6.**

**PJ STORY TIME: FRIENDSHIP FUN!** – Wednesday, February 19, 6:30-7:15PM - Let’s share stories, songs and rhymes all about friendship! We’ll make a craft and enjoy a tasty snack. Come in your jammies and bring a friend to join in the fun! **Family Program.**

**YOUNG SCIENTISTS** - Tuesday, February 25, 7-8PM - If you consider yourself a young scientist or would like to work on being one, join us as we explore **crystals** and perform some (potentially messy!) experiments! **Grades 3–5.**

**JUNIOR JET-SETTERS: LET’S EXPLORE EGYPT!** - Friday, February 28, 1-1:45PM - Let’s travel the globe with stories! In January we explored France, now let’s journey to Egypt! We’ll share Egyptian folktales, explore Ancient Egypt, and end with a festive craft! **Ages 3-5.**

**FABULOUS FRIDAYS!** - Friday, February 28, 4-5:30PM – Stop by the children’s department to make a festive craft and enjoy a tasty treat. No need to register! **All Ages.**

**TWEEN FINAL FRIDAYS!** - Friday, February 28, 7-9PM - 5th & 6th Graders! Join us for a new monthly **after-hours** party for TWEENS ONLY. Prove your quick thinking in our Minute-to-Win-It games, try to get the best time in our Obstacle Course, make handmade **Buttons** and other crafts, or just chill out with video, board, and card games. Plus, **Pizza**, snacks and beverages. Every attendee will receive a gift bag!
Honor Donations

Isabella Yocum, in honor of Rita Crawford.
Bruce and Martha Smith, in honor of Carolyn Dollar Schade.
The Morel Family, in honor of the Sewickley Public Library Children’s Department.
Quaker Valley School District, in honor the following for their years of service on the Quaker Valley Board of School Directors: Danielle Burnette, Debbie Miller, Jack Norris, and Kay Wijekumar.

General Donations

Robin and Dingy Hays
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Memorial Donations

Daniel Geller and Bernadine Butcher, in memory of Harry F. Butcher.
Carroll Ferguson, in memory of Leroy Egan.
Lawrence Haddad, in memory of Roy Egan.
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Honorable and Mrs. William Standish, in memory of Dr. Roy Egan.
Ernest and Mary Tucci, in memory of Leroy Egan.

Marvin Wedeen, in memory of Dr. Leroy Egan.
Joe, Karin, and Gino Masterani, in memory of Emily Jancart.
Joseph and Kristi Canzano, in memory of Diane Marx.
Louis and Sharon Cisar, in memory of Diane Marx.
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FEBRUARY

*Programs are for teens in grades 6 through 12, unless otherwise noted*

MAKE A BLIND DATE WITH A BOOK

Surveys due by Monday, February 10th

Books available to pick up by Friday, February 14th

Trying to find that special new book to add to your collection? We've got the perfect proposal for you: Sign-up for Blind Date with a Book and receive a mystery FREE BOOK to take home and enjoy. Your perfect match will be waiting for you in the Teen Department on Friday, February 14th - VALENTINE’S DAY! Registration required.

ELECTRIFYING VALENTINES

Monday, February 10th, 6-7 pm

Anyone can buy a Valentine’s Day card. Show you really care by making your own - that LIGHT UP! We’ll have everything you need to make a bunch of truly ELECTRIFYING Valentine’s Day cards, plus snacks! Registration required!

TWEEN Final Fridays!

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RECURRING PROGRAMS

Make'n'More

Every Tuesday, 3:00 to 5:00 pm

Anime Club

Wednesday, February 5th & 19th - 3:30 - 5 pm

Teen Advisory Council

Make SPL Teen your own. Monday, February 24th, 6:00 to 7:00 pm

Sewickley Sunday Jam Session

Teen musicians ONLY! Sunday, February 23rd, 1:00 to 4:00 pm

Battle dates for BOB 2014 are: 6th Grade - February 18th, 7th & 8th Grade - February 19th, and High School - February 25th.
EAT AT BRUEGGER’S AND HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR THE LIBRARY

Thinking of buying a 2014 Bottomless Mug Club Card from Bruegger’s? If you buy your card at the Sewickley Bruegger’s Bagels on a Library Saturday with a coupon, 15% of your purchase will go to the Friends of the Sewickley Library.

EVENT DATE AND TIME
Saturday, February 1, 2014
6a - 6p

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