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LIBRARY CLOSINGS:

July 4

Independence Day

Sundays in June, July & August

Summer Lunch Program

Monday - Friday, July 5 - August 12
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM



Kids under 18 or young adults with disabilities up to age 21 who are enrolled in school can receive a FREE bagged lunch at the Seneca Falls Library on Monday to Friday from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM beginning on July 5th. No proof of finances or registration is needed. Sponsored by the USDA and the Seneca Falls School Central District.

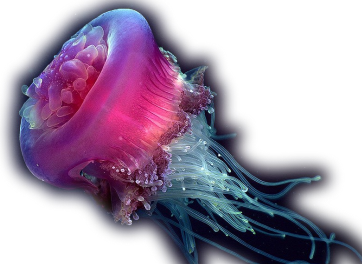
Summer Reading Program



The Summer Reading Program kicks off on July 5th and continues through August 12th. The 2022 theme is: **Oceans of Possibilities**. Kids and Teens will love learning more about the world's oceans and the sea creatures which call these waters their home.

The Summer Reading Program has been a staple of the Seneca Falls Library for decades. It was developed to encourage children to continue reading and learning through the summer months and enjoy everything the library has to offer!

Register online for the 2022 Summer Reading Program at sflibny05.readsquared.com.



Adventure Passes

Summer is a great time to explore the Finger Lakes! The Seneca Falls Library now has admission passes to many regional attractions for you to borrow. Stop by today to get your key to a great adventure!

Learn more on page 6.

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What's Happening

Upcoming Events

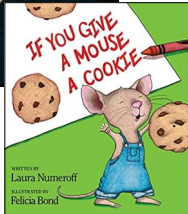
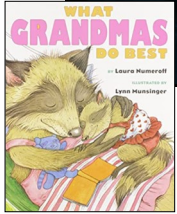
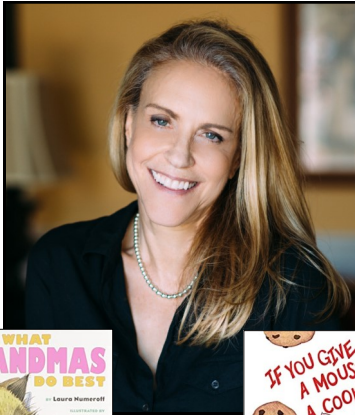
Check out what's happening at your library!

June

Children's Book Festival

Saturday, June 4
10:00 AM - Noon

Experience the fun and excitement of the Children's Book Festival as we feature renowned children's author, Laura Numeroff! The festival will include crafts, free books, the Most Improved Reader Awards and a Zoom presentation with questions and answers.



Want to know more?

Contact the Seneca Falls Library
at (315) 568-8265 x2

or visit our website at
www.senecafallslibrary.org

Follow us on
social media!



June

Adopt-A-Pet (Stuffed Animals)

For Children, 5th grade and under
Begins June 27th



Kids (5th grade and under) will have the opportunity to adopt a stuffed animal which they can bring home and keep. Each child will receive not only the stuffed pet to love but also a pet tag and adoption papers! To bring home a pet, kids must commit to taking care of their fur-ever cuddle buddy by **reading aloud to it for 20 minutes each night.**



Stories in the Park

Kid's Territory Playground
171 W. Bayard, SF

Fridays in June
10:00 AM

Have you been looking for a way for your toddler to meet other children? Join Miss Tara, the Seneca Falls Library Youth Services Coordinator, and reading dog, Trevor, at Kid's Territory / Jerry Galusha Playground for some fun in the sun! Miss Tara will read stories followed by play time. There is no need to register - just show up! (Weather permitting.)



July

Rosamond Gifford Zoo to You Online

Wednesdays in July
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Kids will love seeing animals up close from the comfort of their own home via Zoom! Four virtual programs will focus on the amazing world of wildlife and help your child to discover the creatures who call the Rosamond Gifford Zoo home. (Sponsored by the Bernard Carl and Shirley Rosen Library Fund).

Register for this program after June 30th by emailing: tara.montoney@gmail.com

Wednesday, July 6 @ 3:00 PM Amazing Adaptations

Why do tigers have such big teeth? How far can an owl turn its head? Discover how animals survive in their environments using specific body parts or behaviors known as adaptations.



Wednesday, July 13 @ 3:00 PM Beastly Builders

From dens to dams, holes and hives, animals have different ways of finding and making shelter. Explore many types of homes animals build in the wild.



Wednesday, July 20 @ 3:00 PM At Home in my Biome

Grasslands, deserts, forests... These are just some of the places our animals call home. Discover more about biomes and how their qualities determine what animals live there.

Wednesday, July 27 @ 3:00 PM Rainforests



Tropical rainforests are one of the most diverse environments on earth, with over half of our known plant and animal species residing there. Explore the layers of rainforest and the animals that inhabit them.

What's Happening

Upcoming Events

Check out what's happening at your library!

July

Home Alone Safety

Training for Youth, Ages 7-12

Friday, July 8

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM



This two-hour class, taught by Epic Trainings, is designed to teach children ages 7-12 the importance of behaving responsibly and helping to prepare them to stay at home alone. Space is limited. Registration is required by emailing tara.montoney@gmail.com after June 30th.

Babysitter Training

Training for Youth Ages 11+

Friday, July 8

11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Is your child interested in becoming a certified babysitter? Register for this free, 5-hour, course taught by Epic Training! Youth will learn the roles and responsibilities of a babysitter as well as basic first aid. Each student will receive a certification card upon completion of the course. Space is limited. Email tara.montoney@gmail.com after June 30th to register.



July

Little PowerHouse

Tuesday, July 12

Open House: 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Wednesday, July 13

Tiny Home Storytime: 10:00 AM

Puzzle Room: 1:00, 2:00, 3:00 PM



Visit the Little PowerHouse in the library parking lot! The "PowerHouse" uses a Tiny Home structure with educational elements inside to help educate residents on ways to reduce their energy use, and transition to renewable forms of energy.

An open house will be held on Tuesday, July 12th from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM. On Wednesday, there will be a Tiny Home Storytime at 10:00 AM and Puzzle Room game at 1:00, 2:00, and 3:00 PM. Registration is required for the Puzzle Room. Registration begins June 30th.

Feeding Frenzy Cooking

Monday, July 11, 18 & 25

1:00 - 2:00 PM (Kids)

2:30 - 3:30 PM (Teens)

Kids and teens will learn basic cooking skills through this fun, free program! Local chefs, Ginny and Anthony DeMillo of Simply Homemade will help kids to create cuisine that is sure to please! Registration begins June 30th. Email tara.montoney@gmail.com.

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The Rev Theatre Company

The Fisherman and His Wife

Friday, July 22

11:00 AM



Life is simple for a fisherman and his wife, Isabel, until the fisherman catches a magical fish!

Your kids will love this retelling of a classic fairy tale as performed by The Rev Theatre Company. This live, 45-minute production will take place on the Seneca Falls Library lawn. No advanced registration is required. Feel free to bring blankets and lawn chairs. Weather dependent.

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August

Painting with Friends

Wednesday, August 24 (K-2nd)

Thursday, August 25 (3rd - 5th)

Monday, August 29 (6th - 12th)

Wednesday, August 31 (Adults)

6:30 PM



It's a painting party! Walk away with a painting on canvas that you create yourself. This program will be led by instructors from The Artist's Lounge and will feature easy-to-follow directions. The sessions will take place at the Seneca Falls Library. All materials will be provided for this free program. Space is limited. Registration begins June 30th.

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Mark Your Calendar

Programs and Events

Storytime *

Every Wednesday @ 10:00 AM
Stories for young children

Stories in the Park

@ Kids Territory Playground

Fridays in June @ 10:00 AM

Outdoor fun. See page 2. Weather permitting.



Children's Book Festival

Saturday, June 4 @ 10:00 - Noon
See page 3

Tales with Trevor

Tuesdays, June - August @ 3:30 PM

(Except August 16)

Kids read aloud to a friendly dog

Club Cricut *

Wed., June 8, July 13 & Aug. 10 @ 5:30 PM
Craft using a Cricut cutting machine



Dragon Cook-A-Book *

Thursday, June 9 @ 3:30 PM
Make dragon-themed story and snacks

Literary Legos *

Friday, June 10 @ 3:30 PM
Build a Lego creation based on a story

Crafternoon *

Monday, June 13 @ 3:30 PM
Get creative

Family Movie Night

Friday, June 17 @ 6:00 PM
Popcorn and a family-friendly movie

Stuffies & Stories *

Virtual / Online

Wednesday, June 22 @ 7:00 PM
Kids get ready for bed

Books & Brews *

At Red Brick Pub, 57 Fall Street, SF

June 27, July 27 & Aug 24 @ 8:15 PM

Book club for Adults 21+

Retro Game Night

Wed., June 29, July 20 & Aug 17 @ 5:30 PM
Classic board and video games

Canal Fest

Visit us on the canal harbor

Friday, July 1 @ 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Saturday, July 2 @ 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Prizes and Information

Bookmobile *

Tuesdays, July 5 - August 9

9:00 - 10:00 AM (E. Cady Stanton school)

12:45 - 1:45 PM (SF Community Center)

Books on wheels. See page 6.



Seneca Falls Library

Calendar of Events

There's something for everyone at the Seneca Falls Library!

Rosamond Gifford Zoo to You *

Wednesdays in July @ 3:00 PM
Virtual zoo program. See page 3.

Brown Bag Storytellers

Thursdays, July 7 - August 11 @ noon
Outdoor story time and lunch with teachers



Shark Attack Cook-a-Book *

Thursday, July 7 @ 7:00 PM
Shark-themed snacks

Epic Training: Home Alone Safety *

Friday, July 8 @ 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Preparing kids to be home alone. See Page 3.

Epic Training: Babysitting Course *

Friday, July 8 @ 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Babysitting Skills Course. See Page 3.

Ocean Art *

Friday, July 8, 15 & 29 @ 10:30 AM
Friday, August 5 @ 10:30 AM
Crafts and fun

Movie in the Park

At People's Park, 35 Water Street, SF

Friday, July 8 & 29 @ 9:00 PM

Outdoor family movie night (weather permitting)

Pirates Palooza *

With Seth Kennedy

Saturday, July 9 @ 10:00 AM

Pirate story, treasure maps, swords and

Sea Challenge Book Club *

For 3rd to 5th graders

Mondays, July 11 - Aug. 1 @ 10:00 AM

Book club for kids

Feeding Frenzy Cooking *

With Simply Homemade

Monday, July 11, 18, 25 @ 1:00 PM (kid)

Monday, July 11, 18, 25 @ 2:30 PM (teen)

Life skill development

CR7 All Grilled Up food truck

Tuesday, July 12 @ 4:30 - 7:30 PM

Purchase dinner

The PowerHouse Open House

Tuesday, July 12 @ 5:00 - 7:00 PM

Tiny home exhibit. See page 3.

Tiny Home Storytime

Wednesday, July 13 @ 10:00 AM

Special storytime

PowerHouse Puzzle Room *

Wednesday, July 13 @ 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Logic and problem-solving game

Under the Sea Lego Challenge: Aquarium *

Thursday, July 14 @ 10:30 AM

Build with Legos based on a story

Dirtmeister: Dive into Reading

Friday, July 15 @ 7:00 PM

Marine science program. (Outside)



Healthy Ocean Snacks

Hosted by Seneca County Cornell Cooperative Ext.

Wednesday, July 20 & Aug. 8 @ 11:30 AM

Kids receive free lunch and ocean-themed snack.

Ocean Yoga *

For ages 5 - 8

Thursdays, July 21 - Aug. 11 @ 10:30 AM

Yoga for kids

The Rev Theatre Company

The Fisherman and His Wife

Friday, July 22 @ 11:00 AM

Outdoor children's theater. See page 3.



Ocean Animals Dance Party *

Hosted by the Girl Scouts of America

Friday, July 22 @ 1:00 PM

Pre-K to 3rd grades. Craft, game, dancing.

Sharknado at the Library *

With Seth Kennedy

Saturday, July 23 @ 10:00 AM

Sharks and tornados combined

Under the Sea Lego Challenge: Ships, Subs & Sea-life *

Wednesday, August 3 @ 10:30 AM

Build with Legos based on story

Sharing is Caring: Ocean Clean-up *

With Seth Kennedy

Saturday, August 6 @ 10:00 AM

Clean water stories and activities.

Mermaid Cook-A-Book *

Monday, August 8 @ 7:00 PM

Mermaid-themed stories and snacks



Movie on the Lawn

On Seneca Falls Library lawn

Friday, August 12 & 26 @ 8:30 PM

Outdoor movie night. Weather permitting.

Painting with Friends *

Wednesday, August 24 @ 6:30 PM (K - 2nd)

Thursday, August 25 @ 6:30 PM (3rd - 5th)

Monday, August 29 @ 6:30 PM (5th - 12th)

Wednesday, August 31 @ 6:30 PM (Adults)

Get artistic. See page 3.

Please register for starred * programs.

All programs subject to change.

Registration for July & Aug. programs begins 6/30.

New Books

Keep a lookout for these new titles that are coming soon!

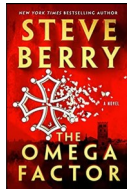
June

Blade Breaker

by Victoria Aveyard

The Omega Factor

By Steve Berry



Here for the Drama

by Kate Bromley

Somebody Like Santa

by Janet Daily

The Franchise: New York Yankees

by Mark Feinsand



Upper Bohemia

by Hayden Herrera

Out of the Clear Blue Sky

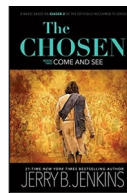
by Kristan Higgins

The Hotel Nantucket

by Elin Hilderbrand

The Girl Who Survived

by Lisa Jackson



The Chosen: Come and See

by Jerry B. Jenkins

A Face to Die For

by Iris Johansen



Forging Silver Into Stars

by Brigid Kemmerer

In the Shadow of Lightning

by Brian McClellan

Unfailing Love

by Janette Oke



Storm Tide

by Wilbur Smith

A Time to Bloom

by Lauraine Snelling

Kindred: Neanderthal Life, Love, Death and Art

by Rebecca Wragg Sykes

July

The 6:20 Man

by David Baldacci

The Bad Guys:

Open Wide & Say Arrrgh!

by Aaron Blbey



Frozen: Polar Nights

By Jen Calonita and Mari Mancusi

Into the Mist

by P. C. Cast



The Science Spell Book

by Cara Florance

Grace Under Fire

by Julie Garwood



Rizzoli & Isles: Listen to Me

by Tess Gerritsen

The Big Dark Sky

by Dean Koontz



Master of Iron

by Tricia Levenseller

The Best is Yet to Come

by Debbie Macomber

The Sweet Remnants of Summer

by Alexander McCall Smith

Shattered

by James Patterson

Cold, Cold Bones

by Kathy Reichs



These Twisted Bonds

by Lexi Ryan

No One is Alone

by Rachel Vincent

The It Girl

by Ruth Ware



August



The Final Gambit

by Jennifer Lynn Barnes

Overkill

by Sandra Brown

The Bronzed Beasts

by Roshani Chokshi

Quicksand

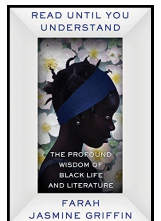
by Janet Dailey

The Housekeeper

by Joy Fielding

Read Until You Understand

by Farah Jasmine Griffin

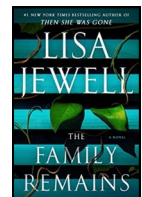


Collateral Damage

by J. A. Jance

The Family Remains

by Lisa Jewell



The Hunt

by Faye Kellerman

Tick Tock

by Fern Michaels

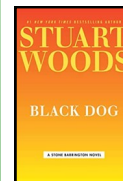
Babysitter

by Joyce Carol Oates



The Ninth Month

by James Patterson



The Challenge

by Danielle Steel

Black Dog

by Stuart Woods

Stephen King

"Books are a uniquely portable magic."

Check this Out!



adventures
ARE WAITING

Adventure Passes

Enjoy what the Finger Lakes have to offer . . . for **free**! Thanks to the **Friends of the Seneca Falls Library** and in cooperation with multiple cultural and recreation organizations, entrance passes to regional parks and museums are now available to borrow from the Seneca Falls Library. These include:

Seneca Falls Historical Society
National Women's Hall of Fame
New York State Parks, Recreation & Historic sites (Empire Pass)
Rochester Museum and Science Center
PRI – Museum of the Earth
Rosamond Gifford Zoo + Onondaga Parks
Corning Museum of Glass

Adventure Passes may be borrowed for up to one week by Seneca Falls Library card holders in good standing. One pass may be checked out at a time. Most passes are for **general admission for two adults and accompanying minor children**. The passes are completely free to library card holders but late fees or replacement fees will apply. More passes will be added soon!

Bookmobile

The Bookmobile will be rolling through Seneca Falls again this summer! Kids who may find it difficult to visit the library can meet the Bookmobile at two locations on **Tuesdays** from **July 5th through August 9th**.

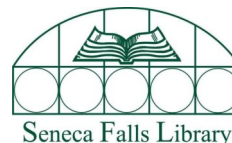
The Bookmobile will be parked at the **Elizabeth Cady Stanton School (38 Garden Street)** from **9:00 - 10:00 AM** and at the **Seneca Falls Community Center (35 Water Street)** from **12:45 - 1:45 PM**. Children can borrow and return books, learn about library programs, register for a library card, and meet Trevor, our new reading dog. Snacks will be provided by the Seneca Falls Backpack Program.



Annual Report

Visit our website to review the Annual Report which summarizes activity for 2021. The document is available for public review at:

senecafallslibrary.org/annual-report



Around the Library

2nd Floor

The second floor looks different than before! In an effort to make library collections more accessible to all of our patrons, shelving units have been removed to allow those utilizing electric wheelchairs to maneuver between bookcases. The change has resulted in an "open feel" and allows more light to stream in.

A new staff desk and work area is coming soon.



Photo: Staff removing bookcases to make way for a new work area.

Windows



Finger Lakes Water-proofing replaced caulk around each pane of the library's east and west facing windows in April. The window caulking had begun to disintegrate, allowing water to enter during rainstorms.



New Clerk

Meet the newest member of the SFL team, Lourdes "Lou" Shafer! Lou has been a resident of Seneca Falls for 23 years. She comes to us from the Seneca Falls Central School District and took on the role of daytime Library Clerk. Stop by and give a warm welcome to Lou the next time you visit the library!

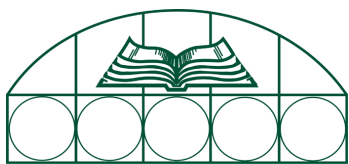


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Library Hours

Building Open:

Monday through Saturday, 10 AM - 8 PM
Saturday, 10 AM - 5 PM

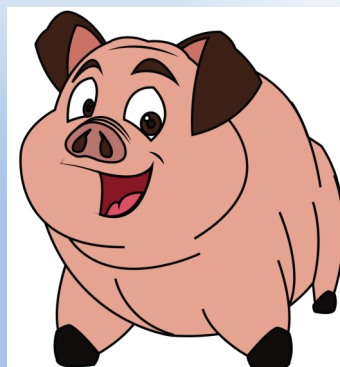
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- x1 Hours of Operation
- x2 Circulation Desk
- x3 Library Director
- x4 Administrative Assistant
- x5 Youth Services Coordinator

1/2 a Pig Raffle Drawing June 15, 2022

Join the excitement! Purchase a **ticket for \$10.00** for a chance to win half a pig! The pig was pasture raised in Fayette, NY at **Autumn's Harvest Farm**. The winner will receive **pre-butchered meat in standard cuts** that is **vacuum sealed** and **frozen**. The prize is valued at \$450.75.



Tickets are available at the Seneca Falls Library circulation desk and through select library volunteers. Ticket holders must be 18 years or older. Winners need not be present to win. The winner must designate a delivery location within 50 miles of the Seneca Falls Library.

Complete rules, including details of all cuts of meat, are available at www.senecafallslibrary.org.