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LIBRARY CLOSINGS:

July 4

Independence Day



Annual Membership Meeting



Please join us for the annual Membership Meeting on **Monday, June 16, 2025**

at **5:30 PM** in the

library **conference room**. Supporting library Members (those who donate \$35 or more in a calendar year) are eligible to nominate and vote for Board Trustees.

Summer Reading Program



This summer, the Seneca Falls Library is inviting everyone to "Color Our World" with the annual **Summer Reading Program!** Dive into a vibrant world of stories, activities, and learning opportunities that celebrate the spectrum of imagination. Whether you're participating in colorful crafts or attending engaging workshops, this program encourages readers of all ages to expand their horizons and discover the diverse hues of creativity. Join in the fun and let your imagination paint a brighter, more colorful summer. The Summer Reading Program **begins July 1st!**

Freddy Frog's Foam Party



Get ready for some bubbly fun! The Summer Reading Program kicks off on July 1st at 2:00 PM with an awesome Freddy Frog Foam Party, sponsored by the Bernard Carl and Shirley Rosen Library Fund, plus free and tasty ice cream from Sprinkle Starship, sponsored by the Seneca County Children's Committee. Registration is not required.

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What's Happening

Upcoming Events

Check out what's happening at your library!

June

Meat Raffle

Age 18+

Drawing on June 30
12:00 PM



Be sure to purchase your ticket for **\$10.00** for a chance to win **26 pounds of pasture-raised meat** from **Autumn's Harvest Farm!** Tickets will be made available at the Seneca Falls Library circulation desk and from select library volunteers. The **drawing will be held on June 30, 2025 at Noon.**

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. Cash and check only.

Complete rules are available at SenecaFallsLibrary.org/meat-raffle-rules/



The winner will receive:

- 4 New York Strip Steak (12 oz. each)
- 2 Sirloin Steaks (16 oz. each)
- 2 packages Bacon
- 4 Chicken Breasts
- 4 Thick boneless pork chops
- 4 packs grass-fed Ground Beef
- 2 smoked Ham Steaks
- 2 packages Bacon Burgers
- 2 packages Sweet Italian Pork Sausage
- 2 packages Bone-in Chicken Thighs

Valued at \$358.00
Average weights listed
Estimated 26 lbs. total

July

MESS-tival

Kids and Family

Wednesday, July 16
12:30 - 2:00 PM



Get ready to unleash your inner artist at MESS-tival, the messiest art festival in town! We'll have stations overflowing with colorful paint and all sorts of fun supplies, just waiting for little hands (and maybe even big ones!) to dive in. This is your chance to explore unorthodox ways of creating unique crafts. Join us for a day of fun, weather permitting. No registration is required – just show up and get ready for a glorious mess!

Splatter Blasters by SPLAT! Sumthin'

Kids and Family

Friday, July 25
1:00 PM



Get ready for colorful fun! Kids can throw, drip, spray, and splatter paint in a giant tent, creating a wild, collaborative artwork. Plus, they can make unique spin art masterpieces using eco-friendly machines and take their swirling creations home. It's sure to be a vibrant and exciting experience for all!

August

Home Alone Safety

Ages 8 - 12

Thursday, August 7
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM



This two-hour class, taught by Epic Trainings, is designed to teach children ages 8-12 the importance of behaving responsibly and helping to prepare them to stay at home alone. Space is limited. Registration is required.

Painting with Friends

Thur, Aug. 26 @ 10:00 AM (Ages 2 - 4)

Tue, Aug. 26 @ 6:00 PM (Grades K - 2)

Tue, Aug. 26 @ 7:00 PM (Grades 3 - 5)

Wed, Aug. 27 @ 6:30 PM (Grades 6-12)

Thur, Aug. 28 @ 6:30 PM (Adults)

Paint with us! 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 is required.



New Titles

New Books

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

June

El Dorado Drive
by Megan Abbott

Stuart Woods' Finders Keepers
by Brett Battles



Don't Forget Me, Little Bessie
by James Lee Burke

It Takes a Psychic
by Jayne Castle



Unshaken
by Shelley Shepard Gray

It Happened on the Lake
by Lisa Jackson

Don't Let Him In
by Lisa Jewell



The Death Mask
by Iris Johansen



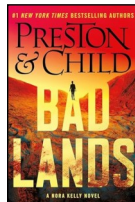
We Could Be Magic
by Marissa Meyer

Fox
By Joyce Carol Oates

The First Gentleman
by James Patterson & Bill Clinton

The President's Shadow
by James Patterson

Bad Lands
by Preston & Child



The Love Fix
by Jill Shalvis

A Mother's Love
by Danielle Steel



July

Glorious Rivals
by Jennifer Lynn Barnes



The List
by Steve Berry

Disney Epic Mickey Comics Collection
by Peter David

The Chosen: Not My Will
By Dallas Jenkins

*A book is a dream
you hold in your hand.*
- Neil Gaiman, Author

The Hamptons Lawyer
by James Patterson and Mike Lupica

The Unraveling of Julia
by Lisa Scottoline



Crossfire
by Wilbur Smith

The View from Lake Como
by Adriana Trigiani



The Woman in Suite 11
by Ruth Ware

Wayward Girls
by Susan Wiggs

These are just a few of the books
coming to the Seneca Falls Library.
Stop by the Library or check out our
website to discover even more titles!

August



High Season
by Kate Bishop

The Fallen & the Kiss of Dusk
by Carissa Broadbent

The Society of Unknowable Objects
by Gareth Brown

Zomromcom
by Olivia Dade

Too Old for This
by Samantha Downing



Well, Actually
by Mazey Eddings



Jenny Cooper Has a Secret
by Joy Fielding

The Book of Lost Hours
by Hayley Gelfuso

Five Found Dead
By Sulari Gentill

Once a Villain
by Vanessa Len

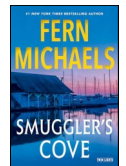
For the Record
by Emma Lord



Accomplish to the Villain
by Hannah Nicole Maehrler

Joy Moody is Out of Time
by Kerryn Mayne

Smuggler's Cove
by Fern Michaels



The Locked Ward
By Sarah Pekkanen



One Dark Night
by Hannah Richell

A Killer Getaway
by Sienna Sharpe

For Richer For Poorer
by Danielle Steel

Mark Your Calendar

Registration is required for all starred * programs using their individual QR codes.

General registration for the Summer Reading Program is at ReadSquared. Registration for programs scheduled in July and August begins June 23rd!

Next Chapter Book Club *

Teens & Adults with Disabilities

Mondays @ 10:00 AM

Book club for those with developmental challenges

Library After School

Grades 6-12

School days (thru 6/13) @ 2:30 - 4:00 PM

Hang out with us

Youth Dungeons & Dragons *

6th grade and up

Mondays @ 4:00 PM

Classic role-playing game



Chess Club

High School and Adults

Mondays @ 6:00 PM

Chess plus strategy

Tales with Trevor

Children

Tuesdays in June @ 3:30 PM

Kids read to a friendly dog

Storytime

Young children

Wednesdays @ 10:00 AM

(Except August 6 & 13)

Stories for young children

Block Heads *

Grades 6-12

Wednesday, June 4 & 18 @ 4:00 PM

Wednesday, July 2, 16 & 30 @ 4:00 PM

Wednesday, August 13 & 27 @ 4:00 PM

Lego-based STEM program

Adult Dungeons & Dragons *

Adults

Wednesdays @ 5:30 PM

Adults-only role-playing game

Tech Tutor

Everyone

Thursday, June 5 @ 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Thursday, June 19 @ 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Technology help

Tween Art Club *

Ages 8-12

Thursday, June 5, 12 & 19 @ 4:00 PM

Thursday, July 3, 10 & 17 @ 4:00 PM

Thursday, August 7, 14 & 21 @ 4:00 PM

Craft projects based on literature



Calendar of Events

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

Stories in the Park

Young Children

@ Kids Territory, 171 W. Bayard St., Seneca Falls

Fridays in June @ 10:00 AM

Stories and outdoor play time. Weather dependent.

Literary Legos *

Grade 2 and up

Friday, June 6 @ 3:30 PM

Build a Lego creation based on a story



3D Print Club *

4th grade to adult

Saturday, June 7 @ 1:00 PM

Saturday, July 5 @ 1:00 PM

Saturday, August 2 @ 1:00 PM

Working with library 3D printer

Mini Model Painting

Adults and Teens

Saturday, June 7 @ 3:00 PM

Saturday, July 5 @ 3:00 PM

Saturday, August 2 @ 3:00 PM

Paint miniature figures and models

Crafternoon *

Kids and families

Monday, June 9 @ 3:30 PM

Get creative



Kids Cricut Craft *

Kids

Tuesday, June 10 @ 4:00 PM

Tuesday, July 1 @ 4:00 PM

Tuesday, August 5 @ 4:00 PM

Story plus craft featuring Cricut designs

Crochet Club

All ages

Tuesday, June 10 @ 6:30 PM

Tuesday, June 24 @ 6:30 PM

Stitch and chat

Teen Manga Club *

Ages 13 - 18

Wednesday, June 11 @ 4:00 PM

Wednesday, July 9 & 23 @ 4:00 PM

Wednesday, August 6 & 20 @ 4:00 PM

Manga and Graphic Novels

Caterpillar Cook-A-Book *

Kids

Monday, June 16 @ 3:30 PM

Stories and themed snacks



Please register for starred * programs.
All programs are subject to change.

Annual Membership Meeting

Library Members

Monday, June 16 @ 5:30 PM

Board of Trustees election



Arcade at the Library

All ages

Tuesday, June 17 @ 3:30 - 5:30 PM

Tuesday, July 15 @ 3:30 - 5:30 PM

Nintendo Switch and board games

Movie Matinee with candy necklaces

Kids

Thursday, June 19 @ 1:00 PM

Make candy necklace and watch a movie



Going Solar

Adults

Saturday, June 21 @ 10:30 AM

Information residential transition to solar

Stuffie Adoption

Pre-K to 5th grades

Begins Monday, June 23 @ 10:00 AM

Adopt a stuffed animal and read to it daily

Adult Culinary Club *

Adults

@ Simply Homemade, 2194 Yellow Tavern Rd, Waterloo

Tuesday, June 24 @ 5:00 PM

Tuesday, July 29 @ 5:00 PM

Tuesday, August 26 @ 5:00 PM

Flavorful, social, hands-on cooking

Adult Board Game Night

Adults

Friday, June 27 @ 6:30 PM

Friday, July 25 @ 6:30 PM

Friday, August 29 @ 6:30 PM

Friendly competition & social opportunity

Meat Raffle Drawing

Ages 18+

Monday, June 30 @ 12:00 PM

See page 2. Need not be present to win.



Good Times with the Golden

Kids

Mondays in July & August @ 10:30 AM

(Except August 26)

Read aloud to a friendly dog, Trevor



Freddy Frog's Foam Party

Kids

Tuesday, July 1 @ 2:00 PM

Soapy, bubbly fun!

Mark Your Calendar

Rainbow Cook-a-Book *

Kids

Thursday, July 3 @ 10:30 AM

Stories and rainbow-themed snacks



Brownbag Storytellers

Kids

Thursdays in July @ 12:00 PM

Outdoor Storytime with teachers plus activity

Fraud Management *

Adults and Teens

Thursday, July 3 @ 1:00 PM

Protecting against scam



Credit Management for Teens *

Teens and Adults

Thursday, July 3 @ 4:30 PM

Building financial futures

Purple Space Chicken Bookclub *

Grades 2-5

Mondays in July @ 10:30 AM

Book club for kids. Free book for participants!

Summer Lunch Program

School-aged children / teens

Monday - Friday, July 7 to August 8

@ 11:30 PM - 12:30 PM

Free bagged lunch



Eat the Rainbow *

Mon. July 7, 14 & 21 @ 1:00 PM (Grades 3-5)

Mon. July 7, 14 & 21 @ 2:30 PM (Grades 6-12)

Cooking Course

Bookmobile

Youth

@ Kid's Territory, 171 W. Bayard St., SF

Tue., July 8, 15, 22, 29 @ 9:00-10:30 AM

Tuesday, August 5 @ 9:00 - 10:30 AM

Library on the road

Good Times with the Golden

Children

Tuesdays in July and August @ 10:30 AM

(Except August 26)

Read aloud to a friendly dog, Trevor

Bedazzled Bricks Lego Club *

Grades 2 and up

Tuesday, July 8 @ 12:30 PM

Tuesday, July 29 @ 12:30 PM

Lego creations based on a story



Chameleon's Color Party

Kids

Hosted by the Girl Scouts

Wednesday, July 30 @ 12:30 PM

Story, craft and dance party

Book Wyrms *

Tweens and Teens

Tue., July 8, 15, 22, 29 & Aug. 5 @ 2:00 PM

Fantasy Genre book club for teens



Dan the Snakeman

Families

Wednesday, July 9 @ 12:30 PM

Amazing reptiles



The REV Theatre

Presents: *Rumpelstiltskin: Unspun!*

Thursday, July 10 @ 10:00 AM

Outdoor children's theatre. Weather dependent.



Chromatic Crafts *

Pre-K to 5th

Friday, July 11 @ 10:30 AM

Friday, July 18 @ 10:30 AM

Thursday, July 24 @ 10:30 AM

Friday, July 25 @ 10:30 AM

Children's crafting fun

Guerilla Gardening *

Ages 11 - 18

Friday, July 11 @ 1:00 PM

Planting for positive change

Outdoor Movie Night

Families

Friday, July 11 @ 9:00 PM

Friday, August 1 @ 9:00 PM

Starlit cinema on library lawn. Weather dependent.

Pigment Palooza with Seth Kennedy *

Grades K - 4th

Saturday, July 12 @ 10:00 AM

Excavate a rainbow



Colorful Fun with Sand & Sun

Hosted by Cornell Coop. Ext. & 4-H Seneca Co.

Kids

Tuesday, July 15 @ 12:30 PM - Art in jars

Tuesday, July 22 @ 12:30 PM - Suncatchers

Stories and crafts



MESS-tival

Kids and families

Wednesday, July 16 @ 12:30 - 2:00 PM

Colorful, messy, creative fun! See page 2.



Poké-Palooza

All ages / Geared towards tweens

Wednesday, July 16 @ 4:00 PM

Pokémon games, cards and manga

Science Heroes:

Adventures of the Missing Color

Kids and Families

Friday, July 18 @ 12:30 PM

Wild science fun for kids

Epic Trainings: Babysitter Course*

Ages 11 and up

Saturday, July 19 @ 10:30 AM - 3:00 PM

Life skills course

Tie Dye Day*

Wed., July 23 @ 12:30 PM (Grades 2nd - 5th)

Wed., July 23 @ 2:00 PM (Grades 6th - 12th)

Dyeing materials

Watercolors with Chris Foxx*

Adults

Thursday, July 24 @ 6:00 PM

Thursday, July 31 @ 6:00 PM

Adult art class



Splatter Busters by SPLAT! Sumthin'

Kids and Families

Friday, July 25 @ 1:00 PM

Messy art fun. See page 2.

Chemistry Chaos with Seth Kennedy *

Preschool to 2nd grades

Saturday, July 26 @ 10:00 AM

Fun and exciting science



Kids Mixology Cook-a-Book *

Grades K - 5th

Monday, July 28 @ 12:30 PM

Fruity drink-making

Chess Camp *

Ages 11-18

Wednesday, July 31 @ 1:00 PM

Thursday, August 7 @ 1:00 PM

Improve your game

Chalk the Walk *

All ages

Friday, August 1 @ 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Decorate our sidewalks

Colorific Contraptions with Seth Kennedy*

Grades K - 4th

Saturday, August 2 @ 10:00 AM

Rockets, spinners and science fun

Epic Trainings: Home Alone Safety *

Ages 8 - 12

Thursday, August 7 @ 9:30 - 11:00 AM

Preparing kids to be home alone

Painting with Friends *

Tuesday, Aug. 26 @ 6:00 PM (Grades K - 2)

Tuesday, Aug. 26 @ 7:00 PM (Grades 3 - 5)

Wednesday, Aug. 27 @ 6:30 PM (Grades 6-12)

Thursday, Aug. 28 @ 6:00 PM (Adults)

Artistic expressions



Finger Paint and Sippies *

Ages 2 - 4

Thursday, August 28 @ 10:00 AM

Snapshots: Children's Book Festival



Trevor greets attendees



Frank Knight Elementary School
Most Improved Readers



Josh Funk
speaks about writing



Elizabeth Cady Stanton School
Most Improved Readers



Josh Funk with one
of his books



Creating crafts



Children's Author, Josh Funk
and library dog extraordinaire, Trevor
enjoying the Children's Book Festival



Josh Funk answered
questions and signed
books



Creating edible crafts



Kids were given a few
previously loved
books to keep

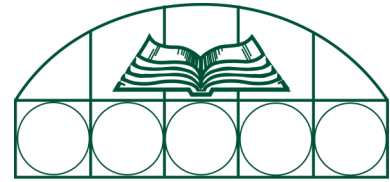


Book basket
drawing winner

The 2025 Children's Book Festival was a joyful celebration of reading, highlighted by the presence of author Josh Funk and the presentation of Most Improved Reader Awards. Attendees enjoyed craft stations, a prize drawing featuring Josh Funk's books, and the opportunity to take home gently used books.

Prom Attire Exchange

Prom Swap participants, your generosity made a difference! The library collected recent formalwear—dresses, suits, shoes, and more—for teens. Many items found new homes, and remaining attire will either be saved for next year's event or donated to a worthy cause. Thank you!



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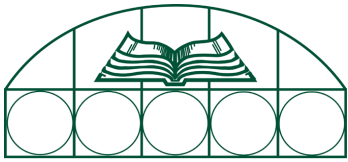
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_____ By Mail _____ by E-mail _____ No thanks. I'll look at the newsletter on the website.

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Monday through Friday, 10 AM - 8 PM
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Summer Lunch Program

Monday to Friday
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
July 7 - August 8

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

