

# Programming Highlights at The Library Spring & Summer (April – September) 2018

#### Libraries Rock, but only because YOU are rock star readers.

Be a summer reading rock star & help *The Library* meet a community goal of 2 million minutes read. Sign up for Summer Reading Club beginning June 1 at dcls.org! Pick up a Compass at The Library or visit dcls.org/events to make sure you don't miss any of the rockin' programs planned all summer long."

# Literary Yoga William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library Monday, April 9 at 6:30 pm

Books aren't just for reading, they can help you get in shape! Join certified yoga instructor Susan Bennett as she leads us through yoga poses using books. No registration required. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

# Friends of the Alexander Family Library Meeting William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library Tuesday, April 10 & July 10 at 6:30 pm

We invite all library lovers to join us as we plan fundraising events, programs, & give suggestions to aid in the selection of materials for the library. For more information, call (717) 566-0949 or visit dcls.org/friendsevents.

## 2nd Wednesday Cinema

William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library Wednesdays, April 11, May 9, June 13 July 11, August 8 & September 12 at 6:00 pm

Join us for a monthly film series that features international films. For more information, or to find out what film will be shown each month, call (717) 566-0949.

#### **Edible Books Contest**

William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

Saturday, April 14, 12:00 – 2:00 pm

Celebrate libraries with us! Individuals or groups can create an edible version of their favorite book & bring it to The Library. Attendees will taste & judge the confections. Registration required to enter an edible book. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **Novel Thoughts Book Club**

Tuesdays, May 1, June 5, July 3 & August 7 at 6:30 pm

- or - Novel Thoughts, Too! Book Club

Tuesdays, May 15, June 19, July 17 & August 21 at 1:00 pm

William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

Join other book lovers for a monthly book discussion. Books are determined by participants. To find out which book will be discussed this month, call (717) 566-0949.

**Mary Sachs Series: Pamper Yourself!** 

William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

Saturday, May 12 at 11:00 am

You spend a lot of time taking care of other people, so take some time to take care of yourself! We'll make bath bombs, have paraffin hand treatments, & watch Breakfast at Tiffany's. Danish & coffee will be provided. For women, registration required. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **Storytimes & Discovery Program Registration Begins**

Dauphin County Library System - All libraries

Session 4: Registration begins Tuesday, May 22, Session begins

June 4

Session 5: Registration begins Tuesday, July 3, Session begins

July 16

Session 6: Registration begins Tuesday, September 4, Session begins September

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10:00 am

Registration begins for five-week sessions at The Library that focus on topics including reading, math, science, art & financial education. Learn more about these programs at dcls.org or call your local library!

### **Summer Reading Club Ice Cream Kick-off!**

William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

Tuesday, May 29 at 5:30 – 7:30 pm

Here's the scoop: stop by The Library, register for the Summer Reading Club, join in the activities, & build your own ice cream sundae! For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949.

#### **Escape Room**

#### William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

#### Thursday, June 7 at 6:00 pm

This face paced game will have your heart racing to see if your team can escape! Everyone will be placed inside a room with clues & a box. Use the clues to figure out the passwords, codes, & locks to solve the case before time runs out! No registration required. For teens, ages

12-17 years. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **Library Regatta**

# William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

#### Thursday, June 14 at 6:00 pm

Don't let the boat sink! We'll provide the supplies, but you build the boat to race your opponents using just the air in your lungs. Will your boat make it down the track? No registration required. For children, ages

6-12 years. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **Family Dance Party**

# William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

#### Thursday, July 19 at 6:00 pm

Bust a move at our high-energy dance party! Storytime favorites will be paired with Top 40 hits to keep the whole family moving & grooving. Dancing games will challenge you, but dancing books will be available if you need a break. Lace up your dancing shoes & get ready to jump, twist, & shout! For families with children of all ages. No registration required. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **Dancing Drum**

#### William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

#### Thursday, July 26 at 6:00 pm

All the way from New Orleans... drum and dance with Dancing Drum. They bring the drums & percussion instruments, you bring your energy! For families with children of all ages. No registration required. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### Slightly Edible

#### William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library

#### Thursday, August 2 at 6:00 pm

Can you dream up & create a two-course meal using ingredients that require no cutting, cooking or heating? No cooking experience necessary. Have fun & try to make something slightly edible... the judges will decide! For teens, ages 12-17 years. Registration required. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

# Family DIY with Home Depot William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library Thursday, August 9 at 6:00 pm

Work together as a family to build & create with the help of an expert from the Home Depot. The DIY project you create will be yours to take home! For families with children ages 3 & up. Registration required. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **Toddler Art**

# William H. & Marion C. Alexander Family Library Thursday, August 16 at 6:00 pm

Looking to channel your child's inner Picasso? Prepare to get messy with fun, creative, & process-driven art! No registration required. For toddlers, ages 18-35 months. For more information, visit dcls.org or call (717) 566-0949 x1204.

#### **End of Summer Celebration**

**Fort Hunter Park** 

Saturday, August 18, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

The Library's fans rock! Celebrate summer, music, & the joy of reading at our End of Summer Celebration. Pack your own picnic lunch & enjoy performances by a variety of musicians.