



## Clymer Library June Programs

**Note: the adult program “Accomplished Vocalist Lisa Dellarosa” originally scheduled for Thursday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. has been rescheduled to Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6 p.m.**

- **Adults—Sign Up For Summer Reading!**

Clymer Library announces the theme of the 2017 Adult Summer Reading Program, “Build a Better World.” Patrons are invited to try something new this summer: at home, in the community, throughout the country, and around the globe. Read a new book, try a new craft, meet new people, and learn about new places. Registration begins on Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>. For more information, call the library at (570) 646-0826 or visit our website at [www.clymerlibrary.org](http://www.clymerlibrary.org). Register and read/log one book to receive a special gift. Patrons who read and log books will be eligible for our weekly prize drawings. All programs are free of charge.

- **Kids—Sign Up For Summer Reading!**

Summer has finally arrived! Time to enjoy all the opportunities the library offers our readers. Registration for the “Build a Better World” Summer Reading Program starts Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>. Sign up at the circulation desk and receive a welcome package to start you on your reading journey. While you are here, color a paper village model to decorate our library shelves. Don’t forget to mark your calendar and register (required) for the programs you want to attend. At each subsequent library visit, show how you are building a better world by adding your “Acts of Kindness” leaves to our tree display.

- **Teens—Sign Up For Summer Reading!**

Build a Better World! This year's Summer Reading Experience for Teens begins June 12<sup>th</sup>. Sign up online for a free account, and then keep track of how much you read to earn prizes and raffle entries. The Grand Prize is a \$75 Amazon Gift Card! The teen program is open to students who have just completed grades 6-12. Stay tuned for details about how to get started! Save the dates for these exciting teen programs: Dr. Bore's Escape Room, Thursday, July 6<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m.; Building Challenge, Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. Registration will begin in June.



## **Adult Programs:**

- **Zumba Returns This Spring and Summer**

Come to the library on Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at 1 p.m. for the second of four afternoon sessions of Zumba, an exercise that combines strength and resistance training with innovative dance moves, using a chair as your dance partner. It is a high intensity workout that focuses on defining your muscles, improving overall cardiovascular health, and burning major calories in the process. Registration is required for this event. For more information and to sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Learn About Genealogy**

Genealogy expert Patrick Quigley returns to the Clymer Library on Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at 6 p.m., and then monthly through the fall to answer your questions about genealogy and assist with your family research. Patrick will be here at the library at 6 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month through October. Registration is required for this event. For more information and to sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Experience the Theatre at the Library**

On Tuesday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m., the Lake Naomi Drama Club will present five short Readers Theater plays billed as "Senior Citizen Laughs." These scripts are performed under arrangement with ArtAge Senior Theatre Resource Center. Coconut Creme Pie features Marianne Hajduk and Bob Baechtold; On Purpose features Al Wismer, George Bishop, and Ron Kehler; It's Not About the Pot Roast features Fran Whipple and Gundi Veritas; The Wild Sister features Pat Mosunic, Judie Tim, and Lynda Carcaterra; Gin and Tonic features Penny Antrim and Barry Eisenberg. All plays are directed by Carol Ray and Nance Brown. Registration is required for this event. For more information and to sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Crafters Group Continues**

Do you have a craft you've wanted to finish but haven't had the time? Do you want to relax with a tight knit group? The Clymer Library invites you to its Crafters Group—knitting, crocheting, quilting, book art, etc. We meet with one another to work on our own projects and spend time together once a month. This month's meeting will be Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. Please call the library at (570) 646-0826, and ask for Diane for more information. Come with your craft or just come to meet one another. We will serve tea and cookies.

- **Adult Coloring Continues**

The Clymer Library's free stress relief coloring program for adults continues by popular demand. Patrons ages 18 and up are invited to stop by at any time all month long to color on their own. The library will supply the coloring pages and colored pencils or you can bring your own. Then come join us on a new date, Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. for a relaxing group coloring session, complete with complimentary cookies, beverages, and soothing music. Again, we will provide

the supplies. When you are done, be sure to leave your finished work of art to be displayed at the library! You must sign up for the June 26<sup>th</sup> session only, so if you are interested, call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Brown Bag Book Club This Month**

The library's Brown Bag Book Club will meet on Wednesday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 p.m. The club will read The Autobiography of Mrs. Tom Thumb by Melanie Benjamin. For more information, contact Melissa Lopez at the Clymer Library at (570) 646-0826.

- **Local History: The Amish and Mennonites**

On Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m., Norm Rubin will give an interesting presentation on the Amish and Mennonites. This informative session will cover the origins of these two groups, why they exited Europe and relocated to different parts of the world, and their settlements in Pennsylvania. Learn about your local history! Registration is required for this event. For more information and to sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.



## **Children's and Teens' Programs:**

- **Check Out Story Hour for Children**

The library's popular Story Hour for children ages 3-5 will be held on Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, & 26<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. Join Miss Love for a half-hour of songs, stories, and felt-board, followed by creative play with some special toy collections. Registration and adult caregiver participation are required.

- **Book Babies Story Time Continues**

Book Babies Story Time for kids ages infant-2 will be held Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. Join Miss Love for an interactive time of song, felt-board, rhymes, scarves, and stories designed for specifically for babies and toddlers. Registration and adult participation are required.

- **Play Gizmo's Game for a Prize**

Gizmo has made his home in the Children's Section of the library. He loves asking questions and seeing if the children can find the answers in the books displayed around him. Each week, Gizmo will ask a question and give a hint about where to look for the answer. Feed your response to Gizmo for a chance to win a prize from the treasure chest. Weekly winners will be drawn each Thursday by 3 p.m. Ages 5-11.

- **The Library's Lego Club Continues**

Whether you are a first-timer or a proficient Lego builder, you are invited to join Clymer Library's new once-monthly LEGO® Club on Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 p.m. LEGO® are provided. Masterpieces will be on display in the children's section until next month's meeting. Theme: *Tree House*. Parental attendance is required for children under 8 years. Registration is preferred but not required. Ages 5-11. For more information, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Enjoy Together Time and Play With Blocks**

On Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m., enjoy a special play and social time with your young child and other adult caregivers in the multi-purpose room of the library. The Block Play collection will be available for the children's use. Sign up and adult supervision are required. Ages infant-5. To sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Build Skills and Have Fun With STEM**

On Tuesday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m., put your engineering skills to the test and see if you can build the tallest tower using only a section of newspaper and some masking tape. Registration and adult supervision are required. Ages 5-11. To sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Drift Off to Dreamland With Stories**

Start the summer-time fun in your pajamas with a special quiet story time before bed on Tuesday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm. No music, no toys, just a few good stories to pave the way to sweet dreams. Registration and adult supervision is required. Ages 2-8.

- **Discuss Stories In Junior Book Talk**

Love to read but prefer reading your own selections? Then join our once-monthly book club for junior readers. This month's meeting will be Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. Choose a book you want to read, then be prepared to share what you liked/hated about your selection. We'll talk books, get new recommendations, and enjoy fun activities together. Don't forget to bring your book for our book-selfie display! Registration is required. Ages 8-11.

- **Watch a Movie at the Library**

Bring your children to Clymer Library on Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. to watch the animated musical comedy, Sing. This movie is rated PG. Bring a drink; we'll provide the popcorn. Sign up and parental supervision are required. Ages 5-11. To sign up, please call the library at (570) 646-0826 or stop by the circulation desk.

- **Exercise and Have Fun With Friends**

Put your game face on and join Miss Love on Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. for some fun exercise outside (sunny) or indoors (rainy). Wear your sneakers and bring a water bottle for some energetic and friendly team competitions. Registration and adult supervision are required. Ages 5-11.

- **Fun With Face Masks**

On Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m., bring your creativity and design a mask that depicts your personality. All materials are provided. Registration and adult supervision are required. Ages 5-11.

- **Tricky the Fox and the Pocono Pace Car Visit**

Pocono Raceway is helping us celebrate the start of our Summer Reading Program by sending its mascot, Tricky, with the Pace Car on Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup> at 11 a.m. Bring your family and friends to the library to see the pace car up close, get Tricky's autograph, see what other extra surprises Tricky is bringing! Registration is required. All ages welcome.

- **Kids, Learn to Relax and Exercise With Yoga**

On Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup> at 1 p.m., learn the art of relaxation with this introduction to yoga session. Bring a yoga mat if you have one. Seating is limited to 25, so register early! Registration is required. Children under the age of 8 must have adult supervision. Ages 5-11.

- **Simple and Healthy Foods at a Make-and-Eat Picnic**

In this hands-on presentation on Thursday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:30 a.m., we will learn to make some simple healthy foods to eat, picnic-style, at the library. Registration and adult caregiver supervision are required. Ages 3-12. **\*PLEASE NOTIFY US OF ANY FOOD ALLERGIES WHEN YOU REGISTER!\***

- **Make a Card, Brighten a Patient's Day**

On Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m., help build a better world by using your creativity to design cards that we will give to hospitalized patients in our area. Make as many cards as you want. All materials are provided. Registration and adult supervision are required. Ages 3-11.

- **Dance to Help the Homeless**

Put on your dancing shoes and dance to the oldies on Tuesday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m. Admittance to the dance is a new pair of socks (for any age or gender) as a donation to a local homeless shelter. Registration and adult supervision are required. Ages 3-11.

- **Brave Dogs in Blue Visit the Library**

The K-9 division of the Pocono Mountain Police is coming to the library on Wednesday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. to share the important work of the canine officers and learn more about their contribution to our community. Registration and adult supervision are required. All ages welcome.

- **Learn New Words, Feed the Hungry**

On Thursday, June 29<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m., work in teams to complete a series of on-line (freerice.com) vocabulary matches and see which team wins the most bowls of rice to help feed the world's hungry. Small prizes will be awarded each team. Registration is required. Ages 8-11.



### **Fundraisers:**

- **Check Out Clymer Library's First Annual Arts and Crafts Show**

Tobyhanna Elementary Center (TEC) and Friends of Clymer Library are bringing their first Juried Arts and Crafts Show to the Pocono Plateau on Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at TEC down the road from Clymer Library on old Rt. 940 beginning at 10 a.m. Artisans from throughout Northeastern Pennsylvania will be showing and selling their art work. A wide selection of wearable and decorative art will be available for purchase.

Emerging artists from our local community high schools and colleges are invited to participate in the show. You can call the library at (570) 646-0826 and ask for Carol Kehler or Irene Stolzenberg for more information. All work must be done by the artist hosting the booth.

- **50/50 Fundraiser to Benefit Clymer Library's Kids' Programs**

Get your tickets at the circulation desk for a chance to win up to \$2,000! Tickets are \$10 each and only 400 tickets in total will be sold. We will draw one winning ticket, and the winner will receive 50% of the value of all tickets sold. The drawing will be on Friday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

- **Coming Soon: the Clymer Library's 2017 House Tour & Brunch**

The Clymer Library's ever-popular summer fundraising and social event is back again this year. The 2017 House Tour and Brunch will take place on Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>.

This year's tour will feature unique and elegant homes in Arrowhead Lakes, Locust Lake Village, Pinecrest Lake Golf & Country Club, and Lake Naomi Club, and other prestigious communities. There are many different themes of design and fashion to see along the route, from rustic mountain venues to fashionable and informal residences. These homes can provide hundreds of decorating and renovation ideas for your next home décor project.

Spend a relaxing day with friends while touring these exceptional homes, each within a short distance of one another. Start the day by joining us for a Brunch Buffet at 10:30 a.m. at the Lake Naomi Club prior to the tour. The tour itself begins at 12 p.m. noon. Tickets for BOTH the Brunch and Tour are \$38; for JUST the House Tour tickets are \$18 and tickets for JUST the Brunch are \$20. All proceeds benefit the Clymer Library.

You can buy your tickets at the Clymer Library (115 Firehouse Road, Pocono Pines, PA 18350). Further details are available at the circulation desk or by calling the library at (570) 646-0826.

- **Leave a Legacy at Clymer Library**

With summer upon us, the Clymer Library Custom Paver Sponsor Program is underway. The Paver Program gives library supporters the unique opportunity to permanently engrave their names, symbols, or logos into a sidewalk paver for installation in the entranceway of the library. Pavers can also be engraved in remembrance or in honor of a loved one.

The program gives donors the opportunity to show their support for the library for many years to come. All donations from the paver program directly benefit the library, which serves the residents of Tobyhanna and Tunkhannock Townships. To order a paver or to make a donation, visit [www.polarengraving.com/clymerpavers](http://www.polarengraving.com/clymerpavers), stop at the library's circulation desk, or call (570) 646-0826. All donations are tax deductible.



- **Clymer Library Seeks New Member for Board of Trustees**

The trustees of the Clymer Library are seeking a resident of Tobyhanna or Tunkhannock Townships to become part of the library's board. In addition to being passionate about helping the Clymer Library continue to grow as a resource to the community, applicants should have experience in one or more of the following areas:

**Finance/Accounting Expertise**—Working with the library director, the board's finance committee is responsible for guiding the fiscal management, capital expenditures, and budget preparation for the library.

**Marketing/Public Relations Experience**—The marketing committee develops and executes all press releases, fundraising campaign communications, and contact with media outlets to promote the many programs and other library activities.

**Non-profit Fundraising**—As a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, the Clymer Library relies on community donations, grants, and various fundraising events that require creativity, planning, and coordination with library staff and volunteer management.

**Facilities Management**—The facilities committee assists the library director with day-to-day facilities issues involving contractors and vendors for building and grounds. The committee also assists in the planning of future renovations and refreshing projects.

If you or someone you know has relevant experience in any of these areas and is willing to join a working board, please contact the library at (570) 646-0826 for more information on the application process.



## **Dates of Clymer Library Events, June 2017**

**June 1:** Zumba, 1 p.m.; Genealogy, 6 p.m.

**June 5:** Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

**June 6:** Lego Club, 4:30 p.m.

**June 7:** Block Play, 11 a.m.

**June 8:** Book Babies, 10:30 a.m.

**June 12:** Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

**June 13:** STEM: Towers, 3:30 p.m.; PJs Story Time, 6 p.m.; Lake Naomi Drama Club, 6 p.m.

**June 15:** Book Babies, 10:30 a.m.

**June 17:** Movie at the Library, 1 p.m.

**June 19:** Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.; Outdoor/Indoor Games, 1 p.m.

**June 20:** Crafters Group, 2 p.m.; STEAM: Face Masks, 3:30 p.m.

**June 21:** Tricky Visit/Pocono Pace Car, 11 a.m.; Yoga for Kids, 1 p.m.

**June 22:** Book Babies, 10:30 a.m.; Make & Eat Picnic, 11:30 a.m.

**June 26:** Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.; Sunshine Cards, 1 p.m.; Adult Coloring, 2 p.m.

**June 27:** Sock Hop Dance, 3:30 p.m.

**June 28:** Brown Bag Book Club, 12:30 p.m.; PMRPD K-9 Visit, 1 p.m.

**June 29: Block Play, 11 a.m.; Vocab Match, 1 p.m.; Amish History, 6 p.m.**

