

Guided Craft Kits for Kids

Fridays, June 17th & June 24th

Stop by on these Fridays to pick up the latest Guided Craft Kit for Kids! See craft for recommended ages. Stop by or call ahead for availability. Available at all branches while supplies last.

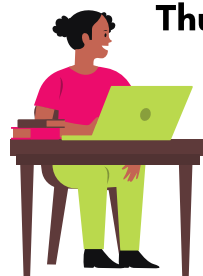
Make & Take Crafts at the Elkins Park Library

Fridays, beginning June 17th

Drop in while supplies last to make a craft or take a set of materials to make the craft at home. Suggested ages 3-10.

Tech Time with John at the Glenside Library

Thursdays from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm



Schedule a time for an individualized session with John on a library computer or your own device. Ask at the Glenside Free Library to register for the next available session.

June Storytimes



Outdoor Storytime at the Glenside Library

Mondays, June 13th & 27th @ 10:30 am

Join Ms. Tegan for Outdoor Storytime at the Public Art Space on the corner of Keswick and Waverly Avenues. We'll read stories, sing songs, recite rhymes and more! When the garden is ready, we'll visit the Library Garden after Storytime to see what's growing. Weather permitting. Recommended for ages 6 months to 5 years. REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED and begins 1 week in advance.

Indoor Storytime at the Elkins Park Library

Tuesdays, June 21st & 28th @ 10:30 am

Join us in the community room for stories, rhymes, fingerplays, and songs. Please arrive a little early to get settled in your socially distanced family "bubble." Space is limited. REGISTRATION RECOMMENDED. MASKS REQUIRED for ages 2 and up.



Hours

East Cheltenham

215-379-2077

400 Myrtle Avenue
(Inside the Rowland Community Center)
Cheltenham, PA 19012

E-mail address: eastcheltenham@mcclinc.org

Temporarily closed

Elkins Park

215-635-5000

563 Church Road, East of Old York Road,
Elkins Park, PA 19027

E-mail address: elkinspark@mcclinc.org

Monday, Wednesday

10-8

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

10-6

Saturday

10-4

Glenside

215-885-0455

215 South Keswick Avenue, Glenside, PA 19038

E-mail address: glenside@mcclinc.org

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

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Tuesday, Thursday

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Saturday

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La Mott

215-635-4419

7420 Sycamore Avenue, La Mott, PA 19027

(Inside the La Mott Community Center)

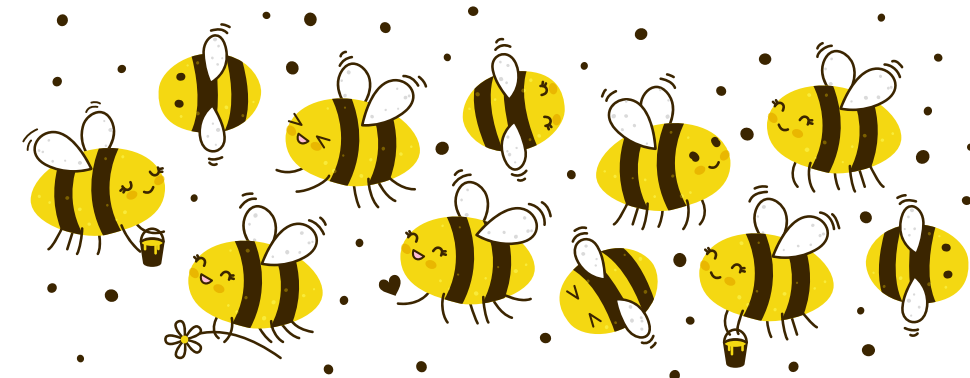
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Building Community — Transforming Lives

June 2022 Calendar



Mary Kay Moran, Director
215 S. Keswick Ave.
Glenside, PA 19038
215-885-0457

ctllibsys@mcclinc.org

Monday-Friday 9 am to 5 pm

Next Library System Board Meeting
Wednesday, June 22nd, 2022 @ 7:00 pm
on Zoom

The public is welcome to attend.

www.cheltenhamlibraries.org

In-Person: Recurring

Build & Play at the Elkins Park Library

Thursdays, June 16th through August 11th, except July 28th @ 10:30 am
Create, Build, Play! Use a variety of different types of blocks (Magnatiles, K'Nex, soft foam blocks, Mega Bloks, Duplos, wooden blocks, Lego-style bricks, and more!) to construct anything you can imagine. For ages 2-10. REGISTRATION RECOMMENDED.

Tween/Teen Tuesday at the Glenside Library

Tuesdays, June 21st & 28th @ 4:00 pm
Each week we'll check out the garden and do a fun activity. June 21st will be Silent Book Club, and June 28th will be a Sea Glass Craft. Ages 11-17. REGISTRATION REQUIRED, beginning two weeks before the event.

Rep. Nelson's Office Hours at the Glenside Library

Tuesday, June 21st @ 10:30 pm to 12:30 pm
Representative Napoleon Nelson's office will be at the Glenside Library on the third Tuesday of each month to answer questions and provide services. Drop-in.

Senior Opportunities Table Event at the Glenside Library

Tuesday, June 21st @ 10:30 am
The Constituent Services Officer from Representative Napoleon Nelson's office will highlight senior opportunities in our area. This table of opportunities will be available on the third Tuesday of each month this summer. No registration required.

Wonder Wednesday at the Glenside Library

Wednesdays, June 22nd & 29th @ 4:00 pm
Each week we'll have a fun activity to explore and after we'll explore the garden to see what is growing, what needs to be harvested, and how it differs each week.

- Wonder Wednesday, June 22nd: Summer Book Club for Kids

- Book Club will read and discuss one book each month (also on July 20th and August 17th). Books will be provided and available for pickup for each participant. For our first meeting, please come having read the book: The Wild Robot by Peter Brown. A light snack will be offered. In the interest of being sustainable, please bring a refillable water bottle. For ages 8-12. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

- Wonder Wednesday, June 29th: Rainbow Rocks with Ray

- Come paint rainbow rocks with your favorite Pride Flag. There will also be a Pride Song or two with Radiance Angelina Petro to celebrate Pride Month. All supplies provided. Masks recommended. Ages 8-12. REGISTRATION REQUIRED, beginning two weeks before the event.

Thursday Morning Matinees at the Glenside Library

Every Thursday morning, starting June 23rd @ 10:00 am
Matinees will alternate between PG and PG13 movies. Check the cheltenhamlibraries.org website for the upcoming title schedule, and register on the "Attend It" section of the library website. Limited walk-in availability. REGISTRATION RECOMMENDED. MASKS REQUIRED.

In-Person: Special Events

Ask Me Anything with Ray Petro at the Elkins Park Library

Wednesday, June 1st @ 6:30 pm
Radiance Angelina Petro is a local trans/non-binary activist, writer, singer/songwriter, speaker, educator, and workshop leader. For this workshop, Radiance welcomes any and all questions about her trans experience. Since this workshop is about a lived-trans experience, Ray will not be addressing questions of politics, trans athletes, or any faith tradition. She will be glad, however, to talk surgeries, coming out, pronouns, and much more. There will be opportunities to ask questions publicly or privately. Recommended for ages 13 and up. MASKS REQUIRED.

Game Day with John Pappas at the Elkins Park Library

Saturday, June 4th @ 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm
Get your game on at the Elkins Park Library! All experience levels are welcome to join us. This is an open gaming event so feel free to bring your favorite board games and get a group together to teach, learn, and play. Library volunteers will be bringing in some past featured games to teach. MASKS REQUIRED.

Super Duper Pride Concert for Kids at the Elkins Park Library

Wednesday, June 8th @ 6:30 pm
Super Duper Fireflies is a local queer band made up of Kate Paice and Radiance Angelina Petro. Together they create fun, singable, affirming, inclusive, empowering, and silly songs for kids of all ages. MASKS REQUIRED.

Read to the Dragon at the Glenside Library

Thursday, June 9th @ 4:00 pm
Developing readers are invited to improve their reading skills and make a new friend by reading aloud to Alfie, the library dragon. Visit our website to reserve a 15-minute session. For readers up to age 10. REGISTRATION REQUIRED. MASKS REQUIRED.

Oceans of Possibilities Summer Reading Kick-Off Events

Saturday, June 11th
Stop in for family-friendly activities and learn about our Summer Reading Challenge. For all ages.
•**Elkins Park Library @ 11:00 am to 1:00 pm:** Beach Detective Touch Tables from the Center for Aquatic Sciences (11am-12pm only). Plus, a scavenger hunt and crafts!
•**Glenside Library @ 11:00 am to 2:00 pm:** Scavenger hunt and crafts!

BYOC (Bring Your Own Craft) at the Glenside Library

3rd Thursday of the month, June 16th @ 3:00 pm
Knitting? Crochet? Coloring? Drop in with your own project to join other crafters for a productive and inspiring session. A kettle, Keurig, and craft materials box will be provided for crafters in need of a project. No registration required.

Bananagrams - Family Game Night at the Glenside Library

Thursday, June 23rd @ 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Play/Learn Bananagrams. We will have two tables set up for the Classic Bananagrams game for (ages 7+) and one table for My First Bananagrams suitable for ages 4 and up. For ages 4+. REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED so we can provide bananas for all participants.

Rep. Nelson's Expungement Clinic at the Elkins Park Library

Saturday, June 25th @ 11:00 am to 2:00 pm
Residents of Southeastern PA can attend State Representative Napoleon Nelson's free expungement clinic, co-hosted by Legal Aid of Southeastern PA and the Montgomery County Public Defender's Office. To determine if you qualify for expungement and to register for the event, call Rep. Nelson's office at 215-572-5210. MASKS REQUIRED.

Read to the Dogs! at the Elkins Park Library

Monday, June 27th @ 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Developing readers are invited to improve their reading skills and make a new friend by reading aloud to Sadie or Jackie, certified therapy dogs. We will have two dog/handler teams and two readers in the room at a time. Please call 215-635-5000 to register in advance for a 20 minute session. For readers up to age 10. REGISTRATION REQUIRED. MASKS REQUIRED.

Producing Politics with Daniel Laurison at the Elkins Park Library

Monday, June 27th @ 6:30 pm
Daniel Laurison is an associate professor of sociology at Swarthmore College, the associate editor of the British Journal of Sociology, and a 2021-23 Carnegie Fellow, specializing in social class and political inequalities. Producing Politics takes us inside the campaign industry and offers a look behind the curtain of the careers and culture of political professionals—whose actions are consequential for understanding our political system and American democracy as a whole. Also on Zoom. MASKS REQUIRED.

Kids Art Workshop: Ship Shape Boats at the Elkins Park Library

Wednesday, June 29th @ 4:00 pm
One pirate's treasure may be another's trash. Or recycling that is. Fold your way to a sea worthy pirate ship and make ready to set sail with found and recycled objects. For ages 8-12. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Virtual

Virtual Mixed Media Art Workshop for Kids (Zoom)

Thursday, June 16th @ 4:00 pm
Create a mixed media fish art piece with Instructor Anita Thompson. For ages 8-12. Supplies provided. REGISTRATION REQUIRED, beginning June 1st.

Book Discussion Group (Zoom)

Tuesday, June 29th @ 7:00 pm
This month we will discuss Great Circle by Maggie Shipstead. New members are always welcome! Please email glref@mcilinc.org to register and receive the link. The group meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month on Zoom. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.