

## Community Library of the Shenango Valley

### October 2021 FREE EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

#### **COMMUNITY LIBRARY OF THE SHENANGO VALLEY**

11 N. SHARPSVILLE AVE. SHARON, PA 16146 724-981-4360 www.clsv.net 10 AM—8 PM Monday—Thursday 10 AM—5 PM Friday & Saturday

#### **CLSV STEY-NEVANT LIBRARY BRANCH**

1000 ROEMER BLVD. FARRELL, PA 16121 724-983-2714 www.steynevantlibrary.com Monday—Thursday 11 AM—7 PM

# Come in and look around t some of our new displays!

Empty Bowls Mercer County: An Artful Taste to Ending Hunger. Thursday, October 21,2021 3-7pm @ Hope Center for Arts & Technology 115 Anson Way, Sharon, PA 16146. Join us for a simple meal of soup and bread donated by local restaurants and bakeries. Take home a bowl handcrafted by local artisans and students as a reminder that hunger persists. Know your support helps feed the hungry right here in Mercer County. Tickets available at Eventbrite.com, at DFWMC ,or at the door. For more info call Sarah at 724-981-0353 ext. 106.





Exhibiting this month on the library art wall are 7 watercolor portraits by local Artist and Instructor Sherry Liscio



The train display is presented by the Buhl Model Train Society. It doesn't depict any particular area or time but that's part of the fun. Model railroading, like any other art form, is up to the creator and can be as realistic or fanciful as you want it to be. Many enjoy modelling a specific location and time period, typically somewhere they grew up or feel a strong connection to. Others like myself like to build what we think is interesting or just push the edges of reality. Neither is wrong or better and that's what I love about the hobby.

If you'd like to get involved in model railroading (or even just creating scenes) feel free to come to our monthly meetings, or you can contact the club or, if interested in N-scale particularly, my shop page both of which are on Facebook. Flyers and business cards are available on the layout.

The Buhl Model Train Society is hosting our 14th annual show in the Buhl Club gym Dec 11-12 from 1pm-5pm. Entry as always is free.

www.facebook.com/Buhlmodeltrainsociety www.buhlmodeltrainsociety.com www.facebook.com/shultzsmodshop

### For Children

### Lego Club

Tuesdays, 5:30-7:00 PM.

You have the imagination and we have the Legos! Build something new each week! Limited to 15 participants on a first come first serve basis.

### Ooey Gooey Art

Fridays, Oct. 15, 22, & 29, @10:30 AM.

A weekly, messy, fun project! Please come prepared to get messy.

### **Music with Miss Jess**

Friday, Oct. 8 @ 10:30 AM.

Sing, dance, and make music with us! Enjoy a musical adventure with music therapist Jess Davis.

### **Story Time**

Wednesdays, Oct. 13, 20, & 27 @ 10:30 AM.

Join us for hands-on activities, stories, songs, and more!

## After School STEM Thursday, Oct. 14 @ 4 PM Come make a spooky diving ghost!



### For Teens

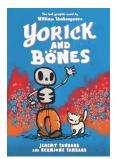
Teen DIY: Wax Seals
Wednesday, Oct. 13, @ 3:30 PM.
Come make your very own wax

All teen programs are for ages 12 –18.



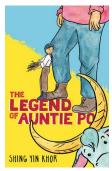


# New in Juvenile Graphic Novel



Yorick is a skeleton who was just dug up after a few hundred years of sleep. He speaks like it too. "Forsooth, my joy, I barely can contain!"

Bones is the hungry dog who did the digging. Though he cannot speak, he can chomp. What will become of these two unlikely companions? Will Yorick ever find the friend he seeks? Will Bones ever find a tasty treat that does not talk back?



Aware of the racial tumult in the years after the passage of the Chinese Exclusion Act, Mei tries to remain blissfully focused on her job, her close friendship with the camp foreman's daughter, and telling stories about Paul Bunyan--reinvented as Po Pan Yin (Auntie Po), an elderly Chinese matriarch.

Anchoring herself with stories of Auntie Po, Mei navigates the difficulty and politics of lumber camp work and her growing romantic feelings for her friend Bee. The Legend of Auntie Po is about who gets to own a myth, and about immigrant families and communities holding on to rituals and traditions while staking out their own place in America.

### For Adults

Writers Group Mondays, 1:30-3 PM.



Join in a creative environment and meet with other writers.

### Knit, Needle Work, & More Tuesdays, 12:30-2 PM.

Bring any kind of needlework! Get tips, ideas, and new patterns.

#### **Chess Club**

Thursdays, 5-7:30 PM.

Advance your skills or learn how to play! All levels of expertise welcome!

### **Gadget Workshop**

Thursdays, Oct. 7 & 21

Need help learning how to use your phone? Not sure what the icons do on your laptop? Sign up for a one on one session! Call or come in to sign up.

### **Great Issues**

Thursday, Oct. 14 @ 2:00 PM.

We will view the short video by Great Decisions on artificial intelligence followed by a discussion.

### **Fine Arts Painting**

Saturdays, Oct. 16 & 30, 10:30 AM-12:30 PM.

A free art class for adults and teens taught by professional artist Don Gold. Materials and instruction are provided by the library. Learn to work with watercolors and acrylics. All levels of expertise welcome!

### League of Women Voters: The Coming Election Saturday, Oct. 16 @ 2:00 PM.

Join us in person or through Zoom. The program will feature Thad Hall, Mercer County Director of Voter Registration and Elections. He will speak on the county's election process and the coming election. Dr. Kelly Bonomo, Professor of Mathematics at Grove City College, will speak on the ranked-choice voting method. For those wishing to participate virtually, access the library's website, www.clsv.net. One can also use the following link to access the program: https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/85638756496 or join using the Webinar I.D.: 856 3875 6496

### **Book Club**

Thursday, Oct. 28 @ 2:00 PM.

Pick up your book today! We will be discussing I Will Always Write Back by Martin Ganda.

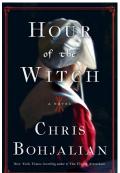
# On the New Shelf





Deep in the shadows under the Paris Opera House resides Erik the Phantom, mysteriously enduring through the decades as the mastermind behind a strange and secret agency. A revolving door of female agents are charged by wealthy Parisians and the French Government to investigate crimes and misdemeanours they would prefer to keep out of the public eye.

The toxic underbelly of Paris is exposed by Erik's tenacious women operatives as they confront horror and corruption throughout the city. But it is one dreadful murder during the 1910 Great Flood of Paris that brings Irene Adler, Kate Reed and others together for a final, deadly confrontation.



Boston, 1662. Mary Deerfield is twenty-four-years-old. Her skin is porcelain, her eyes delft blue, and in England she might have had many suitors. But here in the New World, amid this community of saints, Mary is the second wife of Thomas Deerfield, a man as cruel as he is powerful. When Thomas, prone to drunken rage, drives a three-tined fork into the back of Mary's hand, she resolves that she must divorce him to save her life.

But in a world where every neighbor is watching for signs of the devil, a woman like Mary—a woman who harbors secret desires and finds it difficult to tolerate the brazen hypocrisy of so many men in the colony—soon becomes herself the object of suspicion and rumor. When tainted objects are discovered buried in Mary's garden, when a boy she has treated with herbs and simples dies, and when their servant girl runs screaming in fright from her home, Mary must fight to not only escape her marriage, but also the gallows.

### **Events at the CLSV Stey-Nevant Branch: Oct. 2021**



The Stey-Nevant Library's program, *Health & Literacy for the Future (HLF) is* funded by the Buhl Regional Health Foundation, and is designed to provide our community with the means for a healthier future.

### **Children's Programming**

### Virtual Story Time Mondays @ 12:30 PM.

Mondays are for amazing stories read to you by a librarian. Catch the stories on our Facebook page.

### Mini Pumpkins Tuesday, Oct. 12 @ 3:30 PM.

Kids get to paint mini pumpkins for the holiday!

### Read to Buster the Therapy Dog Thursday, Oct. 26th @ 5:30 PM.

Come read your favorite story to Buster, a registered therapy dog.

### **Pumpkin Lacing**

Tuesday, Oct. 19th @ 3:30 PM.

Come practice your number recognition by threading yarn through holes ranging from one to twenty.

### **Teen Programming**

### **GAME ROOM OPEN!**

Wednesdays, 4-5 PM.

Teens ages 12-18 are invited to hangout in our Game Room! All gaming equipment was donated by *Seeds of Faith Ministry*. All participants must fill out a registration form prior to using the space.

### Yarn Pumpkins Monday, October 18th @ 3:30 PM.

Using yarn, balloons, and glue you can make a cute fall craft at the library.

### **Adult Programming**

### **Wooden Pumpkins**

Wednesday, Oct. 13th @ 2 PM.

For \$2 you too can make a small wooden pumpkin patch for the home. Register as space is limited.

### **Pumpkin Basket**

Wednesday, Oct. 20th @ 2 PM.

Using an old basket, paint, and paper make a cute fall accent piece to match your other fall décor. For just \$2 you can reserve your spot.

### **DID YOU KNOW...**

October is Harvest Month, so come to the library and harvest some yummy herbs and veggies to make a delicious plate!

### **Book Suggestions**

Katie in the Kitchen by Fran Manushkin Green Eggs and Ham by Doctor Suess The Wildwood Bakery by Rebecca Elliott Great Food, All Day Long by Maya Angelo Vegan Cooking by Roberto Martin

