

ANTHONY PIO COSTA MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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PRESS RELEASE

Anthony Pio Costa Memorial Library February 2018 Newsletter
Registration is required for all programs.

BYOD: Bring Your Own Device:

Bring your Smartphone or tablet to the library for individual training. We will show you the basics of the device and answer any questions you have! This training will take place every **Thursdays at 10:30am.**

Learn and Play Mah-Jongg

Are you interested in playing Mah Jongg? You're in luck! A resource will be available if patrons have any questions about the game! Mah-Jongg will be held on **Wednesdays from 11am-2pm.**

Crochet and Knit Club

Will be held every Monday and have a resource available twice a month: Resource will be available starting in March!

Monday, March 12th and 26th at 6:30pm

Monday, April 2nd and 16th at 6:30pm

Monday, May 7th and 21st at 6:30pm

Senior Book Club

Just Kids by Patti Smith on Monday, February 12th at 12 pm.

Adult Book Club

The Book That Matters by Ann Hood on Monday, February 12th at 7pm

Movies:

Everything, Everything.....PG-13

Friday, February 2nd at 1pm

The Glass Castle..... PG-13

Friday, February 16th at 1pm

Senior Strength Training

Thursday, February 8th & 22nd at 10:30am

Yoga for Young Professionals (20s, 30s, & 40s)

February 1st at 7pm

Tai Chi

Tuesday, February 20th at 1:30pm

Tai Chi is now at the Fairfield Library. Join Mariam Shankman of Mir-Yam Tai Chi, Chi Kung and Meditation with the combination of movement, meditation, and principals will be practiced at this one hour long workshop.

Lovers & Strangers: Handwriting Analysis

Monday, February 5th at 7pm

What does your handwriting say about love & relationships?

Eat Right for Your Heart

Tuesday, February 6th at 7pm

A healthy diet and lifestyle are your best weapons against cardiovascular disease. Please join us for American Heart Month where Danielle Colombo, Registered Dietician from ShopRite of Lincoln Park will show you simple lifestyle changes for long-term benefits for your health and for your heart. Sampling and recipes included.

Valentine's Social

Friday, February 9th at 1pm

Come join us at the library for a Valentine's Social with plenty of sweet treats.

Love Songs Concert: Gerard & Diane Barros

Tuesday, February 13th at 2pm

Gerard & Diane Barros sing at this can't miss Valentine's Day concert.

Tech Talk: Instagram

Monday, February 26th at 7pm

Instagram is one of the most popular social media sites around. However many have trouble using it. Please join us at the Fairfield Library for an instructional talk on how to use Instagram.

DIY Craft: Marble Mugs

Tuesday, February 27th at 1pm or 7pm

Adult Paint Night with Art Kids Academy

Wednesday, February 28th at 7pm

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February 2018 – Children’s and Teen Programs

REOCCURING EVENTS

Book Babies:

Tuesdays at 10:15am

For children ages 6 months–2 years

Pre-K Story Time:

Mondays at 2pm and Thursdays at 4pm

For children ages 3-5

Evening Storytime:

Tuesdays. Twice Monthly. February 6th & 20th at 7pm

For Pre-K & K+

Paws for Reading:

Saturdays. Once Monthly. February 20th at 11am.

Our therapy dogs return to listen to your stories. New and improving readers are welcomed to read their favorite books to our pups during this hour-long event. Our furry friends are excited to read with you!

Music Together Class:

Fridays. Once Monthly. February 16th at 10:15am

We’re so excited to partner with Music Together of West Essex to get our littlest patrons moving & shaking! This will be a monthly program for babies & preschoolers.

Playtime for Tots:

Wednesdays. Once Monthly. February 21st at 10:15am

Bring your little one and enjoy some toys, sensory bins, and other fun stations at this community play hour!

Yoga for Kids:

Thursdays. Once Monthly. February 8th at 7pm

Kids in Kindergarten through 3rd grade are invited to stretch and relax at this monthly yoga program led by Aleksandra Mufceska. Moms and Dads are welcome to join as well.

Lego Fridays:

Fridays. Once Monthly. February 9th at 4pm

Kids ages 5 & up can free build with our Lego bricks & have their creations displayed until the next month's meeting!

Maker Monday (Grades K-2):

Mondays. Once Monthly. February 12th at 4:15pm

Create a Valentine's Day craft to share with all of your loved ones.

Maker Monday (Grades 3-6):

Mondays. Once Monthly. February 26th at 4:15 pm

Would you like to learn a new language while exercising your computer skills? Come create a beaded necklace or keychain that spells out your name – in binary code!

SpineBenders Book Club:

Thursdays. Once Monthly. February 15th at 6pm

Each month, we will meet to discuss the book we've read and then participate in themed activities. All members will suggest and vote on future books to read – graphic novels and informational texts encouraged! Grades 4-6.

Homework Help:

Tuesdays from 4-5pm

*Students in Kindergarten through 6th are encouraged to partner with our teen volunteers at weekly homework help sessions. **PLEASE NOTE: If Fairfield schools are closed, there will be no Homework Help.*

FEBRUARY EVENTS

Wii Gaming Club:

Wednesday, February 7th at 4pm

Play favorite WiiU games like Mario Kart 8, Super Smash Bros., and Wii Sports! K+

Stuffed Animal Sleepover at the Library:

Friday, February 16th at 3pm

Bring in your favorite stuffed animal or toy for a special storytime! Your toy can fall asleep here in the children's room Pick up your friend on Saturday to find out about all he did overnight

Family Game Night:

Thursday, February 22nd at 7pm

Families are invited to unplug and engage with games here in the library! Enjoy some of our board games and puzzles or even bring your favorite to share.

Children's Concert with Miss Nina:

Saturday, February 17th at 1pm

Miss Nina's songs, music, and activities in her shows are designed to support early childhood learning – but kids will be too busy dancing and singing along to notice! All ages.

Carnival of the Animals with Touch the Music:

Tuesday, February 20th at 1pm

After reading “The Carnival of the Animals”, Claudia Lemmerz introduces different instruments representing the animals. Then, children have the opportunity to try them all out.

STEM Maker Workshop (Grades 2-4):

Saturday, February 24th at 1pm

Join Dr. STEM for a fun-filled science workshop! Second-fourth graders will engage in a fun engineering project led by this former educator.

TEEN EVENTS

Teen Advisory Board (TAB):

Thursday, February 1st at 6pm

Teens are invited to be a part of our TAB! Earn community service hours while contributing to outreach projects, prepping for library programs, and even collaborating on how our library serves teenagers like you!

Comic Club:

Thursday, February 8th at 6pm

Discuss, learn, and immerse yourself in comic culture at this monthly club for teens!