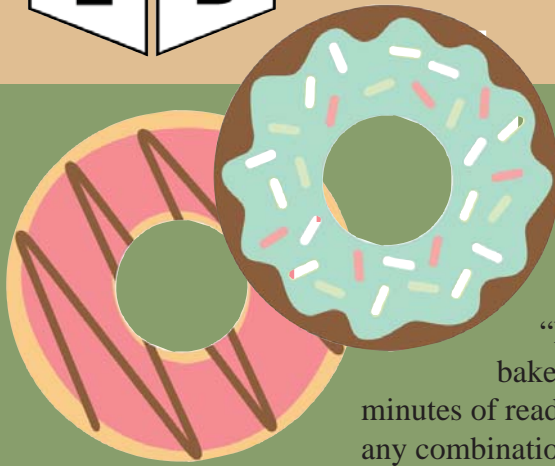


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## ANTIOCH PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

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### Donut Feel Good to Read!

This year's Children's Department Winter Reading Program theme will be "Donut Feel Good to Read!" To finish the program, kids will have to reach a baker's dozen of points! A point is equal to one book, every day you read, or 10 minutes of reading. That means to finish you must read 13 books, 13 days, 130 minutes, or any combination of the three!

Kids who complete the program receive a coupon for a free donut from Lovin' Oven. Registration and logging begins January 2nd, and the program ends February 16th. You can register via [apld.beanstack.org](http://apld.beanstack.org) and if you participated in the Summer Reading Program, you can use the log-in info you used then!

Don't forget to pickup your prizes starting February 1st!

### Local Author and Illustrator of *Gnat & Corky* Book Series Visit Library

Visit the Library on Sunday, February 24 to welcome Courtney Kotloski (Corky) author and Natalie Sorrentino (Gnat) Courtney's illustrator partner of the 16- book *Gnat & Corky* Series; based on the spirit of real kids. There will be two early afternoon programs, a family storytime reading of a *Gnat & Corky* recent release by Kotloski and later a craft project for children. At 3:30 p.m. author and illustrator will give a short lecture on the writing and publishing process. A small cookie, coffee, tea, and juice reception will follow. *Gnat & Corky* Books are published by Orange Hat Publishing and can be purchased on Amazon or Barnes & Noble.

#### Sunday, February 24 - FAMILY STORYTIME - 1:30 p.m.

Here the stories in the Authors voice and enjoy juice and cookies after.  
All ages welcome.

#### GNAT & CORKY INSPIRED CRAFT - 2:15 p.m.

Construct a delightful craft inspired by one of the *Gnat & Corky* books. Space will be limited.  
Preregistration required, ages 4 to 12 years.

#### LECTURE & RECEPTION - 3:00 p.m.

Hear about the writing and publishing process then meet and speak with the Author and Illustrator during small coffee, tea, and cookie reception.

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Friday and Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. | Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.



## Direct from the Director

Jennifer Drinka  
Library Director

*“Play is the work of childhood.” ~Jean Piaget*

Winter is upon us and this season of darkness draws people close to reflect and remember. I remember Mary Kay McNeill, our treasured library trustee from 1995 through her death in 2017. Over \$3,000.00 was donated to the library in memory of Mary Kay McNeill, which was used to purchase a new train and Duplo table for the Children’s Department, which will make its debut this winter.

Mary Kay was particularly passionate about providing the very best learning environment for our youngest patrons. This new addition to our library encourages early literacy skills through play, which is one of the five practices of early literacy. Children tell stories as they play and learn important sequential thinking and executive functioning skills. I think that Mary Kay would find this a perfect way to remember and honor her legacy.

Please join us to commemorate and celebrate Mary Kay McNeill at a special event in her honor.

Mary Kay McNeill  
Honorary Train and Duplo Table Debut  
Sunday, January 27, 2-3 p.m.

## AARP TAX AIDE

Beginning Thursday, February 7 at 9:30 a.m.

AARP volunteers will be preparing tax returns for seniors and those with low income. Please call 847-395-0874 after January 1, 2019 and ask for Adult Reference to schedule an appointment. We do not take walk-ins and cannot prepare Wisconsin tax returns.

## CHESS & COOKIES

Second Tuesday of each month  
6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Chess and Cookies is a place where you can get together with others to enjoy the classic and fun game of chess. If you don’t know how to play, we can teach you! Or, if you have played for years, we have a spot for you, too. Come and join us for a great game of chess, and some cookies too!

Open to everyone ages 6 through adult.

December 11  
January 8 & February 12



## LIBRARY FRIENDS

### Become an Antioch Library Friend

The Antioch Library Friends are always looking for new members. Throughout the year their member volunteers work in their Used Book Shop, organize sales, help out at special event programs and basically have a great time with one another as they provide much needed assistance and funding to the Library. The Friends meet the first Thursday of most months at 10:00 a.m. at the Library and membership forms are in the Used Book Shop and at the Circulation desk for easy access. Consider becoming a valued Antioch Library Friends today. Next meeting will be January 3, 2019



As you do your online holiday shopping this season, please remember the Antioch Library Friends. With every purchase you make through Smile.amazon.com, Amazon will make a donation to your selected charitable organization. How? Go to Smile.Amazon.com from your computer or other device browser. On your first visit to Smile you will select who will receive the donation. Then just shop. Thousands of items are eligible for the Smile donation program and you can use it with your Amazon Prime account too. And remember, all proceeds taken in by the Antioch Library Friends benefit the library.



## Taco Tuesday

Teen Book Club

4th Tuesday of every month  
4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Stop in the Library and eat tacos and talk about books. Talk about your favorite books and hear about what other people are enjoying. Tacos provided!

There is no book club in December  
Join us on January 22 & February 26

## SafeSitter Certification Class

Saturday, February 23 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

SafeSitter® prepares students in grades 6-8 to be safe when they’re home alone, watching younger siblings, or baby-sitting. Students learn life-saving skills such as how to rescue someone who is choking, and helpful information like what to do if there is severe weather. The one day of lessons is filled with fun activities and role-playing exercises. Students even get to use CPR manikins to practice choking rescue! A \$30 fee is required at the time of registration, and the sitter must be at least 11 years old on the day of the class. Please bring a sack lunch.

*Teen events are for ages 12-19 and require registration unless otherwise noted.  
We encourage teens to register early. Minimum numbers are often required for programs to run.*

## **Crafting and Cocoa - Thursday, December 6 at 4:30 p.m.**

Add a little something special to your tree this year by making your own golden snitch ornament. You can also make a sparkling ornament using book pages. Oh, and we will be sipping hot cocoa while we make these!

## **Soapmaking - Saturday, December 15 at 2:00 p.m.**

Create homemade soap to use yourself or give as a gift this holiday season. Customize your soap using a variety of scents and colors. Register for your spot soon, space is limited!

## **Mandala Record Painting - Thursday, January 3 at 4:30 p.m.**

Start the year off by creating a beautiful piece of art. Paint a mandala on an old vinyl record using paint pens. All materials are provided.

## **Snapshots: Intro to Everyday Photography**

### **Saturday, January 26 at 2:00 p.m.**

The best camera is the one that you have with you. Make the most of your camera and capture everyday moments. Bring your smartphone, compact, or DSLR. Learn photography basics in a class taught by Zee from Zshots Photography.

## **Project Linus: Make a Blanket**

### **Saturday, February 16 at 1:00 p.m.**

Stop by and help make no-sew fleece blankets for Project Linus, a national organization that provides blankets to children and teens in need. All materials provided by the Library. For ages 12-18.

## **MAKER MONDAYS at 6:00 p.m.**

### **3D Printed Calendar - January 7**

Create a calendar you can use year after year. Participants will be given a couple options for creating a calendar and then can make it their own by adding to the design. Projects will be saved and printed after the class free of charge. Participants will be notified when their project is ready for pickup.

### **Sound Trap Music Studio - February 4**

Want to compose your own piece of music? Come learn to use the Sound Trap Music Studio and experiment with all sorts of digital instruments and loops to create your very own music. Sound Trap is an easy way for beginners or advanced musicians to get creative with music and sound.

## **FINALS WEEK - STRESS RELEASE**

### **Stress Ball Study Break - Starting at 4:00 p.m.**

#### **Monday December 17 & Tuesday, December 18**

Stress balls will help your body release tension and relieve stress. They can also help to increase concentration. So, why not stop by the teen maker table on the lower level of the library and make one for yourself. It may be just what you need to help get you through finals week.

### **Therapy Dog Study Break - Starting at 5:00 p.m.**

#### **Wednesday, December 19 & Thursday, December 20**

Take advantage of a study room or open study area at the library as you study for your finals. Need a break? Pet away your stress by spending a few minutes with a certified therapy dog. Visit the dog on the main floor of the Library until 7 p.m.

## **FUN WITH GAMES**

### **Yu-Gi-Oh! Tournament**

#### **Saturday, January 26 from 12:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

Join us for an afternoon of dueling. Test your deck and meet new friends. Prizes for the top players and snacks for all! Go to: <http://www.yugioh-card.com/en/limited/index.html> to check your deck for Forbidden and Limited cards in Advanced Format. Open to ages 12 and up.

### **Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Nintendo Switch Release Friday December 7 at 4:00 p.m.**

This is the day you have been waiting for, the release of Super Smash Bros. Ultimate and we need you to unlock all the characters! This is your opportunity to check out the characters and stages and get some practice before our tournament on December 21st. Sign up to guarantee your spot on the roster.

### **Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament**

#### **Fridays at 4:30 p.m. on December 21 & February 15**

Join us for two Super Smash Bros. Tournaments! We will be playing after hours so make sure you get in the doors by 5:00 p.m. This will be a double elimination tournament for players age 14 to 22. Players must register, but spectators are welcome. Prizes will be given to the top 3 players!

### **Magic & More**

#### **First Saturday of each month from 12:00 to 4:00 p.m. December 1, January 5 and February 2**

Join us the first Saturday of each month to play Magic: the Gathering. But, it's more than just Magic! The library has a variety of games available for you to play. Or, bring your own favorite game to play. The library will also provide snacks! Open to ages 12 to 20.

## **ANIME EXPO**

### **Saturday, January 19 - 4:30 p.m.**

Attention anime and manga fans! It's an after-hours event just for you, put on by the Anime Club! We will have a variety of activities including cosplay and of course we will have food! Come early, as the doors will close at 5 p.m. This event includes JV Anime Club and Anime Club so ages 11-20 are welcome. Space is limited so sign up early!

## **ANIME CLUB**

### **Every Monday from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Join with other Anime/Manga fans who share your enthusiasm for this genre. Or, come to see what Anime is all about. Snacks will be served. This club is for students in high school to age 20.

## **JV ANIME**

### **1st & 3rd Tuesdays from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**

Interested in Anime? Already a fan or curious to know what it's all about? We have various activities, watch anime, discuss manga and of course have snacks! JV Anime is for any middle school student age 11 and older.

**December 4 & 18 | January 15 | February 5 & 19**



# KIDS HAPPENINGS

*Children's programs are for ages newborn -12 years unless otherwise noted.*

*Children must meet the age requirement on the day of activity.*

*Registration begins the first of each month and includes programs within the first week of the following month.*

*Registration is taken online at [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info) or by calling 847-395-0874 option 3*

## Newborn - 39 months

### Baby Bounce

(Newborn - 19 months with caregiver)

A 15 minute storytime that includes songs and short books followed by 30 minutes of play and socializing.

**Mornings at 9:30 a.m.**

Monday, December 3

Tuesday, December 18

Tuesday, January 8 & 15

**Tuesday, February 5 at 11:30 a.m.**

### Wiggles & Walkers

(Newborn - 35 months with caregiver)

Join us for this interactive wiggling, giggling good time with fun activities designed to promote early literacy, language development and a love of books.

**Mornings at 10:00 a.m.**

Tuesday, December 4

Monday, December 17

Monday, January 7 & 21

Monday February 4

**Tuesday, February 12 at 6:30 p.m.**

### Baby Art

(Ages 12 - 30 months with caregiver)

Baby and caregiver will create a masterpiece together in this interactive class. Be prepared to get messy. This program is limited to baby and caregiver.

**Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.**

January 29 & February 19

### Tiny Tots

(Ages 15 - 36 months with caregiver)

This interactive storytime for tiny tots & their caregivers includes stories, songs, fingerplays, flannel boards and a simple craft.

**Mornings at 10:00 a.m.**

Tuesday, December 11

Monday, January 28

### Toddler Valentine Party

(Ages 24 - 39 months with caregiver)

Toddlers and their caregivers are invited to attend an interactive Valentine Party.

Time to dance, make a craft, enjoy shakers and a movie.

**Monday, February 11 at 10:00 a.m.**

## Toddler Time

(Ages 24 - 39 months with caregiver)

Time for fun! Listen to stories, play color and number recognition games, sing songs, enjoy fingerplays and flannel board activities followed by a painting craft.

**Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.**

December 13, January 10 & February 14

## Newborn - 5 years

### Walk-in Family Storytime

This is an interactive walk-in storytime that is designed for 2-5 year olds but we will welcome any child from newborn to five years old. This storytime features short picture books, songs, flannel boards, rhymes, and lots of movement!

**Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.**

December 5 - Fairy Tales

December 19 - Pizza

January 30 - Dance

February 20 - Music

**Saturday, January 12 - Ocean at 10 a.m.**

**Tuesday, February 5 - Sports at 10 a.m.**

**Tuesday, January 22 at 6:30 p.m.**

### Story and Craft

(Ages 2 - 4 years with caregiver)

Children will listen to a story and then make a craft.

**Evenings at 6:00 p.m.**

Tuesday, December 18 - Snowman

Wednesday, January 16 - Artic Fox

Wednesday, February 13 - Heart

Wednesday, February 27 - Strawberry

Thursday, February 28 - Cupcake

## Ages 3 - 12

### Little Picassos Paint With Me

(Children 2-6 years with caregiver)

Do you love to paint as much as your child? This special program is one where the caregiver is invited and encouraged to have fun painting with their child! Be a mentor or just have fun together!

**Mondays at 10:00 a.m.**

December 10 - Holiday

January 14

## All About Animals

(Ages 3 - 5 years)

This is a storytime featuring a different animal every month that will highlight learning and fun facts about the animals, as well as stories and crafts.

**Saturday at 3:00 p.m.**

December 15 - Penguins

**Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.**

January 23 - Polar Bears

February 27 - Foxes

### Preschool STEAM

(Ages 3 - 5 years)

This is an interactive storytime for preschoolers that includes picture books, songs, flannel boards, and a craft. This storytime has an emphasis on encouraging STEAM-based interests.

**Mornings at 10:00 a.m.**

Saturday, December 8 - Animals

Wednesday, January 9 - Snow

Tuesday, February 12 - Five Senses

### Spanish Story and Craft

(Ages 3 - 7 year)

Children will learn about a variety of different topics in Spanish and make a craft associated with that topic. There will be fun songs and flannel boards to help the children understand the words more.

**Afternoons at 4:30 p.m.**

Thursday, January 17

Tuesday, February 19

### Family Craft

(Ages 3 -12 years with caregiver)

**Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.**

December 15 - Christmas Decoration

February 9 - Valentine's Day Decoration

### Walk-In Craft

(Ages 3 - 12 years)

Join us for fun crafts that you'll get to take home!

**Thursdays at 12:00 p.m.**

December 20 - Melted Snowman

January 10 - Snowman Paper Masks

February 7 - Winter Mittens

**Tuesday, January 15 - Hot Cocoa at 12 p.m.**

*Registration is required for all Antioch Public Library District programs, children through adult, unless otherwise noted. For more information or to register contact APLD at:*

*847-395-0874 or go online at [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info)*



## Read and Feed Your Imagination!

with **Cartoonist Paul Merklein**

Wednesday, February 6 at 6:30 p.m.

(Registration begins on January 2 at 9:00 a.m.)

Putting marker to paper, Paul will delight as lines and scribbles turn into some of your favorite book and cartoon characters. Enjoy comedy, art and audience participation in this entertaining presentation. You may even pick up a drawing technique or two.

### Scratch Coding

(Ages 8-12 years)

Join us in the computer lab to create coding programs using Scratch. Using Scratch programming language, children can program their own interactive stories, games, and animations.

Tuesday, January 8 at 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, February 16 at 2:00 p.m.

### Yoga for Tweens

(Ages 8 - 12 years)

Tweens are invited to join us for a night of yoga and meditation. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle, towel or yoga mat. **Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.**

December 12, January 9 & February 20



### Tween Graphic Novel Book Club

(8 - 12 years)

Join us each month to read a different graphic novel and discuss them. The genres will vary from realistic to the fantastic and beyond! Best of all, each month the tweens will help pick the next month's book. Snacks will be provided.

**Mondays at 6:30 p.m.**

December 10

January 14

February 11

## Ages 7 - 12 years

### -Ology Club

(7 - 12 years)

Each month we'll explore a different -ology and learn about a new subject. Whether it's a field like Archaeology that people study every day, or one we wish we could go into, like Dragonology!

**Thursday at 4:30 p.m.**

December 13 - Mythology

**Mondays at 6:30 p.m.**

January 28 - Paleontology

February 25 - Dragonology

### Tween Nights

(Ages 7-12 years)

Make and take home some DIY crafts.

**Evenings at 6:30 p.m.**

**Mondays**

December 3 - Holiday Slime

January 7 - Snow Slime

February 4 - Hot Cocoa Jars

**Wednesday**

January 23 - Snowman Mason Jars

**Thursday**

February 21 - Fleece-Tie Pillow

### Puffy Paint DIY Ornament

(Ages 8 - 12 years)

Come in to make a puffy paint ornament for the holidays.

**Tuesday, December 11 at 6:00 p.m**



### Crazy 8s Math Club

(Grades 3rd - 5th)

It's time for a math club unlike any other! Each session consists of a different, unique, and exciting math activity that any kid, grades 3-5, will enjoy. Light it up with Glow in the Dark Geometry, race to the finish line with Toilet Paper Olympics, and send your favorite stuffed animal friend on a fun trip with Zip Line Zoo! December will have the last 2 sessions of this 8-session program designed to build up math skills with every week.

**Wednesday, December 12 at 4:30 p.m.**

**Monday, December 17 at 6:30 p.m.**



### Felting Classes

(Ages 5 - 8 years) **\*\*Eight year-olds can register for the bowl or frog, but not both.**

#### Wet Felt a Bowl

**Saturday, January 26 at 11:00 a.m.**

(Registration begins on January 2 - 9:00 a.m.)

Come join fiber artist Natasha Lehrer Lewis, and learn how to magically felt a bowl. Use beautifully dyed wool, an orange, soap, water, and some scrubbing to produce a unique bowl perfect for little treasures. Hear stories about her sheep, her art and her adventures as you create your own special piece!

#### Leapfrog Felting!

(Ages 8-12 years)

**Saturday, January 26 1:00 p.m.**

(Registration begins on January 2 at 9:00 a.m.)

Hop on over to join fiber artist Natasha Lehrer Lewis, as she walks students through making a felted frog. Made with wool, and sculpted with needle felting techniques, it will even bounce when completed. She'll tell tales of her life as a shepherd, artist and teacher while you make this adorable little creation.



*Registration is required for all show performances. All ages are welcome unless otherwise noted. Programs, dates, and times subject to change. When registering for a performance please be sure to include everyone who will be attending, adults and infants need to be counted. Thank You!*



# ADULT HAPPENINGS

## WORKSHOPS & LECTURES

### Cutting the Cable

Wednesday, December 5 at 7:00 p.m.

Is the cost of cable television getting out of your budget? If you truly want to “cut the cable”, what are the alternatives to cable television and what are the costs? Come join us while we look at alternative ways to see your programs and explore the future of streaming and digital reception in our area.

### Senior Journaling

Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m.

January 15 and 22 | February 12 and 19

Co-sponsored with Catholic Charities this is a journaling group that will meet in January and February led by Kari Pohar. January we will journal our memoirs of our past and family. February we will journal the great loves in our lives. Journals will be provided. This is for people 60 or older.

### Introduction to DSLR

(Digital) Photography for Adults

Saturday, January 26 - 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Do you know what your DSLR is capable of? What do all those buttons mean? Bring your camera and learn to make your DSLR work for you in a class taught by Zee from Zshots Photography.

## HEALTH AND WELLNESS

### Chair Yoga

Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m.

December 4 - January 8 - February 5

Looking for a way to relax? Try this type of chair yoga. Wear comfortable clothes. Jenny Neumann from The Reiki Hut will be leading this class.

### Guided Meditation

Mondays at 7:00 p.m.

December 17 - January 21 - February 11

Please bring a mat or cushion to sit on for this guided meditation led by Jennifer Murrin.

## GAME NIGHT

For the 20s & 30s Crowd

6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

December 4 & 18 | January 15 | February 5

If you are in your 20s or 30s, from Codenames to Sushi Go!, we've got the games (and snacks) to make a great

Game Night! Bring your favorite games or try some of ours. If board games are not your thing, there is a

Magic the Gathering game going on the side. Come by yourself or with a group.

A fun time will be had by all!



### Dementia Friendly Strategies for Family and Friends of Caregivers

Thursday, January 17 at 7:00 p.m.

This interactive program will help caregivers understand the symptoms of Alzheimer's disease and other dementia disorders. They will also learn strategies which can help to lower stress in people with dementia and their caregivers. Handouts including a list of practical resources will be provided

### Heart Disease and Stroke

Prevention, Warning Signs, and Treatment

Thursday, February 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Maureen Cull of Antioch Area Healthcare Accessibility Alliance (AAHAA) will talk about heart disease and stroke. She will answer any questions afterwards.

## MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT

### Holiday Cheer Concert

Sunday, December 9 at 2:00 p.m.

The Timeless Music Review Show adds extra cheer to the holiday as they perform classic carols as well as new pop holiday music. You will be left singing your favorites as you walk down memory lane to the songs that you grew up with along with new favorites.

### Lights Out, Everybody: Mystery and Horror

During the Golden Age of Radio

Sunday, January 20 at 2:00 p.m.

This program uses sound clips from some of radio's best known mystery and horror programs (including “Escape,” “Inner Sanctum,” and “Lights Out”) to illustrate how radio could truly be a “Theater of the Mind” and use music, voices and sounds to create indelible — and often frightening — “pictures.”

### Those Were the Days

Radio Players of Lake County

Sunday, February 10 at 2:00 p.m.

Those Were the Days Radio Players of Lake County will be performing a program from an old-time radio broadcast. The performance has not been decided yet so stay tuned!

### It's Skip Griparis Time Travels

to the Heroes of Rock

Sunday, February 17 at 2:00 p.m.

Skip Griparis was a member of the New Colony Six. He talks about and plays the music of the 50's and 60's. Skip talks about how the various aspects of the industry got started, and being a comedy impressionist he catches all of their nuances to give the audience a great perspective on the music of the era.

### Thursday Night At the Movies

1st Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

December 6 - *Mamma Mia, Here We Go Again* - PG13

January 3 - *Ant Man and the Wasp* - PG13

February 7 - *Crazy Rich Asians* - PG13



*Many adult programs and events have limited attendance numbers. Unless otherwise noted preregistration is suggested. Contact the Adult Reference desk at 847-395-0874 ext. 9063, or online through the library program calendar at [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info) or visit the library in person to signup.*



## PowerPoint Basics

Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

December 5 or January 2

Learn the basics of PowerPoint presentation. In this class we will go over the basic layout of PowerPoint 2016 and create slides so you will know how to make a slideshow presentation for friends, family, or work.

## PowerPoint Basics: Workshop

Wednesday, January 9 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Take everything you learned in the PowerPoint Basics Class and apply it to exercises in this workshop style class.

## PowerPoint Intermediate

Wednesday, January 16 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

With PowerPoint Intermediate, we will go over setting up a PowerPoint with images, videos, transitions, animations, and more.

## PowerPoint Intermediate: Workshop

Wednesday, January 23 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Take what you learned in the PowerPoint Intermediate class and put it to practice using custom designed exercises



## Microsoft Excel Basics

Wednesdays, February 20 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

With Excel, you can do everything from organizing contact information to setting a monthly budget. We will go over the basic functions of spreadsheets. After this class, you will know how to enter information, reorganize it, and make a financial tracking budget.

## Microsoft Excel Basics: Workshop

Wednesday, February 27 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

In Excel Basics Workshop, you will spend the class time going over several guided exercises related to the material covered in the Excel Basics class.



## Photoshop Elements Basics

Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

December 12 or February 13

Photoshop is a common term we use today that refers to altering pictures. Often we think that only professionals can use Adobe Photoshop. In this class, we will cover some of the basic functions of Adobe Photoshop and make some fun alterations to photos.

## OTHER DEVICE & SOFTWARE ASSISTANCE

### Intro to Apple Mobile Devices

Saturdays, 9:15 to 10:45 a.m.

Saturday, December 1, January 12 & February 9

Do you have an iPhone, iPod, or iPad that you know can do amazing things, but just haven't figured out how to do them? This small class covers important functions, apps, and how to make your device work for you. (Bring Login and Password for iTunes/iCloud and backup email.)

### Intro to Android Devices

Saturdays, 9:15 to 10:45 a.m.

December 15, January 26 & February 23

How do I know if I have an Android device? Generally if it is not an iPhone, iPad, or Apple product, chances are it is an Android. We will go over important functions, apps, and how to make your device work for you. (Bring Login and Password for Facebook and backup email.)

### Publisher Brochures

Wednesday, February 6 - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

In this class we will learn how to format and create brochures in MS Publisher 2016. Our class will include typing and aligning our texts and inserting images/photos. We will also cover some print settings for our fold preferences.

## Computer Coach

One-on-one instruction will help to get you started with e-mail, word processing, or other computer skills covered in our current classes. Use the Library's computer, or bring a personal laptop or portable device. We have Monday morning and Tuesday evening spots. Please check [www.apld.info](http://www.apld.info) for specific dates and call the Library to reserve a spot.

## AVAILABLE FOR CHECKOUT

Antioch Public Library District cardholders are eligible to checkout for home use the following items:

**Roku Stick** - Loaded with hundreds of movies and Netflix access.

**Mobile Hotspots** - Have you cut the cable? Going on vacation? Whatever the need the Library has mobile hotspots you can use from any location.

**Telescope** - Soon we will have two for use at home by Library patrons. They come with instructions and guide for charting the night sky.

Place a Hold or Check one out today!

## FOR USE AT THE LIBRARY

**MAC Computer** - Lower Level Spiering Room  
**Netbooks** - Adult Reference Desk  
**Coming Soon, OSMO** - Children's Department.

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## BOARD MEETINGS

Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

December 18 | Scheduled one week early  
January 29  
February 26

The public is welcome to attend.

## LIBRARY CLOSURES

ALL DAY

Christmas Eve | Monday, December 24  
Christmas Day | Tuesday, December 25  
New Year's Eve | Monday, December 31  
New Year's Day | Tuesday, January 1, 2019

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# Book Clubs

## Book Chat

7:00 p.m. 2nd Monday of every month

Led by Kat Solheim

December - There is no Book Chat this month

January 14 - *Beneath a Scarlet Sky* by Mark T. Sullican

February 11 - *Things Fall Apart* by Chinua Achebe

## Novel Pleasures

10:00 a.m. 3rd Tuesday of every month

Led by Amy Blue

December 18 - *Miss Kopp's Midnight Confessions* by Amy Stewart

January 15 - *Flight of the Sparrow* by Amy Belding Brown

February 19 - *Rules of Civility* by Amor Towles

To reserve your book copy and take part in one of the adult book clubs, contact the Adult Reference Desk in person or by calling 847-395-0874 ext. 9063.

## Writer's Group



7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

3rd Tuesday of every month

Meet with both beginning and advanced writers. Bring a work in progress to share, or join us to critique another's work. Feel free to bring a topic for discussion. To share copies of your writing with the group please email them by the 5 p.m. of the evening of the meeting to twilliams@apld.info.

Next Meeting Dates:

December 18  
January 15  
February 19

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