



January 2024

FROM THE DIRECTOR



It's not unusual for us to see people smiling like this at the Library! Where else can you go to borrow up to 30 books at one time, meet an author in person or through Zoom, visit a therapy dog (or horse in the summer!), make toddler art projects, discuss books in a welcoming group setting, get help printing out copies and sending faxes, and ALL FOR FREE.

And yes, all those examples above are things you can actually do this month – and throughout the year - at your library... just to name a few.

So let us give you something to smile about in the New Year. Keep reading for upcoming library events, news, and resources, many available 24/7.

Best wishes for a Happy and Healthy New Year from all of us at the Library!

Happy Reading

Jayne
Library Director





A poster for a family bingo night event. The background is a dark blue night sky with white snowflakes. In the center, a yellow banner reads "NORTH WALES AREA LIBRARY". Below the banner, three children are sitting around a table, playing bingo. The table is covered with bingo cards and balls. The scene is set in a snowy landscape with two evergreen trees on either side of the table. The text "Family Bingo Night" is written in a large, white, cursive font at the top. Below the banner, the date and time are listed: "WEDNESDAY JANUARY 3RD 5:00PM". At the bottom, there is a white box with the text: "COME JOIN THE FUN AND PLAY SOME BINGO WITH YOUR FAMILY! REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED AND CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE www.northwaleslibrary.org".

Family Bingo Night

NORTH WALES AREA LIBRARY

WEDNESDAY
JANUARY 3RD
5:00PM

COME JOIN THE FUN AND PLAY SOME
BINGO WITH YOUR FAMILY!

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED AND
CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE
www.northwaleslibrary.org



A poster for a family movie night event. The background is a light blue, textured surface with white snowflakes. In the center, there is a still from the movie "Ice Age" showing the characters Manny the mammoth, Sid the sloth, and Diego the dingo. The title "ICE AGE" is written in large, white, block letters at the top. Below the still, the text "Family Movie Night" is written in a large, purple, serif font. Below that, the date and time are listed: "January 17th @ 5PM".

ICE AGE

Family Movie
Night

January 17th @
5PM



MURDER
MYSTERY
NIGHT AT THE
LIBRARY!

Mystery

JANUARY 22ND @ 5PM

AGES 12 TO 17

REGISTERED EVENT!

FREE PIZZA



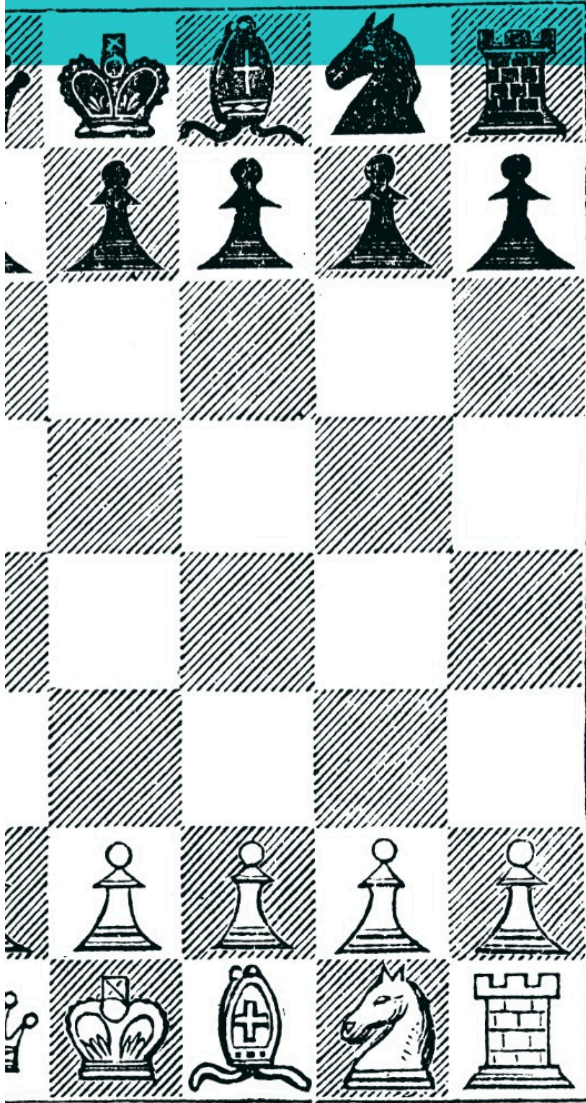
BOARD GAME MEET-UP

Saturday, January 20 @ 12 pm

All Ages

This group meets on the third Saturday of the month. Fun for all ages. No registration required. For more information, [email us](#).

CHESS CLUB



CHESS CLUB

TAKING PLACE AT
THE LIBRARY
WEEKLY ON
SATURDAYS AT 1PM.
REGISTRATION IS
REQUIRED AND CAN
BE FOUND ON OUR
WEBSITE!

FOR KIDS

Join Miss Vicki for Story Time @ the Library on Tuesdays at 10 am. Stories, songs and family fun. For ages 3 to 5 and their caregivers.

STORY TIME

Miss Erin will lead Story Time @ the Library on Thursdays at 11 am. For ages 3 to 5 and their caregivers.

Monthly Story Time at Montgomery Twp Community & Rec. Center

Join Miss Lisa on the **third Wednesday of every month at 10:00am** for a special story time at the **Montgomery Township Community & Rec. Center**

1030 Horsham Rd,
Montgomeryville, PA 18936



THIS MONTH: JANUARY 17TH AT 10AM

www.northwaleslibrary.org

STEAM PLAY GROUP

NORTH WALES AREA LIBRARY

STEAM Play Group

AGES 0-5

**JANUARY 9TH &
JANUARY 23RD
@ 10:30AM**





Monday January 15th

@ 5 pm

Make your own masterpiece!

Ages 5-14

www.northwaleslibrary.org

**New
Class at
the
North
Wales
Area
Library**



**Toddler
Movement
Class**

**January 17th and
January 31st**

Registration @ 11:15
required for each
class!





North Wales Area Library

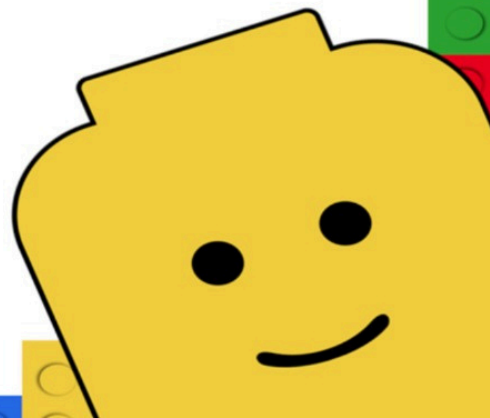
LEGO CLUB

For Ages 3 - 13

**Wed. January 10th at
5pm**

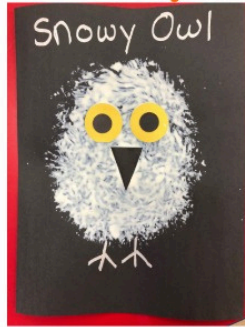
**Sat. January 20th at
2pm**

Come build with us!



Toddler

Art



Wednesday, January
24th at 11:00am

Ages 1-6

Great Motor Skills
Craft for Toddlers!

*Registration required
and will be posted on our website below.
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BOOK CLUBS

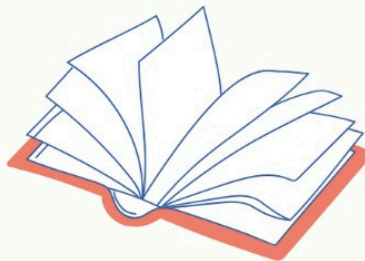
Books can be purchased starting at \$10
**Interested in joining? Email Jayne at
Jayne@NorthWalesLibrary.org**

January Book Clubs:

[Jan 4th at 7pm] Summer in the Spotlight
Zoom with Author: Liz Johnson

[Jan 23rd at 7pm] Lessons in Chemistry
by Bonnie Garmus **(\$15 to purchase a copy)**

[Jan 24th at 2pm] The Paris Library
by Janet Charles **(\$12 to purchase a copy)**





North Wales Area Library



COOK BOOK CLUB



**Monday
January 22nd
@ 6pm**

This month we will be preparing recipes from "30-Minute Meal Prep: 100 Healthy and Delicious Recipes to Eat All Week" by Robin Miller



**BASIC
LITERACY**



**CIVIC AND SOCIAL
LITERACY**

HOUSE REP. LIZ HANBRIDGE MOBILE OFFICE

The office of
House Representative Liz Hanbidge
will host

MOBILE OFFICE HOURS at North Wales Area Library

233 S. Swartley St, North Wales, PA 19454
215-699-5410
www.northwaleslibrary.org

2nd Tuesday of Every Month

1/9/24 2/13/24 3/12/24 4/9/24 5/14/24 6/11/24
7/9/24 8/13/24 9/10/24 10/8/24 11/12/24 12/10/24

11:30am-12:30pm

Office staff will be available to help you with:

- Vehicle registrations, special tags, duplicate titles, driver's license, and non-driver identification card applications
- Handicapped plate and placard applications
- PACE/PACENET applications
- PA road maps
- Birth and death certificate applications
- PA income tax forms
- Property Tax/Rent Rebate applications
- Complaints about state road conditions
- PA Treasury, unclaimed property claims
- SEPTA Senior Citizen Discount card applications



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FIBER ARTS GROUP

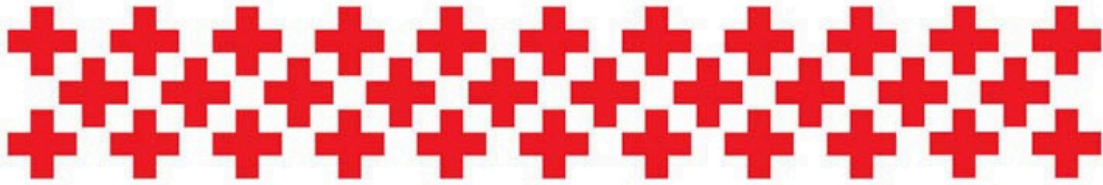


Monday, January 8 @ 1 pm & 5 pm
Looking for help with a new pattern? Recently had an interest in learning a new technique? Just want to get together with like minded crafters? Join us here! Drop-ins welcome. For more information, contact [Barbara](#) (1 pm) or [Lauren](#) (5 pm).

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

American Red Cross

Give blood. Help save lives.



Blood Drive
North Wales Area Library

Thursday January 18th, 2024
1PM-6PM

Sign up at redcrossblood.org and use sponsor code:
North Wales Library



Come donate in January and receive a Dunkin coupon for a free medium beverage and a free Egg & Cheese Wake-Up Wrap

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

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ONE-ON-ONE COMPUTER HELP



Would you like one-on-one help to better understand Windows, how to best manage your files, help with Microsoft Word or Excel, Email, browsing the web, security questions, or anything else specific on your PC? Get assistance by having someone sit with you and help you understand using your PC. Sign up now for one-on-one computer tutoring. Indicate a few preferred dates and times plus the topics you would like help with. Call 215-699-5410 or email librarian@northwaleslibrary.org with your information. The fee is \$10/hour.

UPCOMING EVENTS



MINI GOLF AT THE LIBRARY

NORTH WALES AREA LIBRARY
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND
5:00PM-6:30PM

THE LIBRARY WILL BE CONVERTED INTO A 9-HOLE MINI GOLF COURSE.

REGISTERED EVENT!

The poster features a green background with a watercolor texture. On the left, there is an illustration of a mini-golf hole with a red flag on a yellow pole and a white ball. Below this, there are two golf clubs with pink shafts and white heads, and three golf balls in green, orange, and red. The text is centered and right-aligned in a bold, black, sans-serif font.

ELVIS IS COMING BACK!



Friday February 9th at 7pm

TICKETS \$25 EACH

**CALL OR VISIT THE LIBRARY
TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT!**

**THIS EVENT WILL BE BYOB
AND SNACKS.**

[www.northwaleslibrary.org/
elvis-tribute-artist](http://www.northwaleslibrary.org/elvis-tribute-artist)

233 S Swartley St
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