

## Special Events

### Celebrate Simchat Torah!

Help us put the "simcha" (joy) in Simchat Torah! Join PJ Library South Hills Ambassador and Temple Emanuel Librarian at this free, family friendly storytime and craft open to all!

Thursday, October 4, 4 pm

### Guitar Petting Zoo!!

Drop-in to meet and listen to members of The Pittsburgh Classical Guitar Society, try-out kid-sized guitars, learn a few songs, and hear members of the Kid's Classical Guitar Orchestra.



For kids ages 5 & up and family.

Sat., Oct. 6, Drop-in between 2-4 pm

### Monster Mash!

Invent monstrous, fantastical, or just silly creations through sculptural forms. Be inspired by books and your own imagination as you bring your creatures to life! This is a Pittsburgh Filmmaker / Pittsburgh Center for the Arts program brought to you Matt's Maker Space.

For kids ages 5-7. Registration begins Sept. 22.

Saturday, October 20, 10 am

### Fright Night!

Join us for our annual Fright Night, a celebration of all things spooky! Thrills and chills for the entire family. Spooky stories, puppet show, crafts, and the Maze of Dewey!

Friday, October 26, 6:30-8:30 pm



## For Middle School

### Otaku Club *Now 2x a month!*

A monthly club for lovers of all things anime and manga! Watch anime, make kawaii crafts, play games and eat snacks. No registration

Thurs., Sept. 27, Oct. 11 & 25, 3:30 pm

### Talking Comics *New Day*

Do you love graphic novels? Join us as we go beyond the page. Read, chat, & create! Check book club column for more information

### Duels & Dice

A monthly hangout for fans of tabletop role playing and collectible trading card games. Bring your own cards, minis, and dice to trade, paint, and play. We'll provide playmats and a referee for basic rule assistance. Ages 12-18. Thurs., Oct. 18, 3:30 pm

### SNACKtivities: Halloween Party & Film Contest!

Stop in after school to snack on some Halloween candy AND create your own stop-motion horror film!! There will be prizes for the top three short films! Space is limited, please sign up online.

Wednesday, October 31, 3-5 pm

House Of Horror Movie Club is a teen-run horror movie night! Parents' permission is required to attend each film, please pick up an informational brochure in the Teen Space! All films are rated PG or PG-13. Tuesday, October 7, 3-5 pm

### Teen Open Sound Studio

Teen musicians, storytellers, poets, and aspiring podcasters are invited to open studio time to work on and record songs and spoken word material!

Miss Katie will be there to assist with your technical needs. Tuesday, October 16, 6-8 pm

### The Creeps Horror Book Club

For those who enjoy being afraid...A new book club open to all middle schoolers! Please check book club column for more information.

### The Great Library Ghost Hunt!

Meet in the Teen Space to try your hand at the actual ghost-hunting techniques! See how each tool works, learn some background on ghost-hunting, then check the library for ghosts!

Monday, October 29th, 3 pm

# OCTOBER

# KIDS' CALENDAR



more...

storytimes, classes, book clubs, STEAM, art, music, legos, chess, dance, family events, books to discover & friends to meet!

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more for kids

## Weekly Classes

### Book Babies

Enjoy great books, learn new rhymes, and meet other families in your neighborhood in this fun, interactive program. For babies birth - 2 w/adult. Wednesdays, 9:30, 10:15, 11 am. Sept. 19-Nov. 7

### Storytime for 2s & 3s

Discover delightful fingerplays, stories and songs in this participatory program created especially for 2-3 year olds & their caregiver. For ages 2 -3 w/adult. Thurs., 9:30, 10:15, 11 am. Sept. 20-Nov. 8

### Wild About Books

Experience new and classic picture books, enjoy favorite songs, & learn new fingerplays in this interactive program. For kids ages 4-6. Tuesdays, 10:30 am. Sept. 18-Nov. 6

### Crafternoons! *New Day*

Let kids tap into their creative side while they explore stories and art. Fun for kids ages 4 - 8. Wednesday, 4 pm. Sept. 19-Nov. 7



## Monthly Events

### Pajama Storytime

Enjoy interactive stories and creative activities in this monthly evening storytime. Wearing PJs is optional, but fun! For ages 3 -6 & family. Thursday, October 11, 6:30 pm

### Tail Waggin' Tutors

Sign up to read to a dog! Practice your reading skills with a very attentive listener. Readers must pre-register beginning September 7. Thursday, October 4, 7 pm

### Lego Club *New Day*

Come create awesome Lego structures and meet new friends! (Practice STEM and building skills too). For kids ages 6 to 10. Registration begins Sept. 25. Monday, October 22, 4 pm

### Chess Club

Learn new moves and strategies and have fun playing with other kids. All levels of chess play. For kids in K- grade 6. Wednesday, October 10, 6:30 pm

- Register for our programs online! From our homepage, go to "Programs & Groups" and click on "Event Calendar"
- All programs at the Mt. Lebanon Public Library are generously funded by The Friends of the Mt. Lebanon Library
- KidsRead Email List  
Upcoming events in your mailbox!  
Email: [childrenslibrary@einetwork.net](mailto:childrenslibrary@einetwork.net),  
Subject: Subscribe Children's. Include email address in the text.

## Book Groups



Book club books are available at the Children's Desk one month prior to meeting date. Registration for all clubs occurs when the book is checked out.

### Book Explorers

Fun activities and discussion will strengthen young readers and foster a love of reading! For kids in 1st & 2nd grade. Tuesdays, 6:30 pm. Oct. 23, Nov. 13

### Crazy for Comics

Discuss graphic novels and analyze the comic book format. Then create your own comic & engage in cool STEM and Maker projects. For kids in grades 3, 4, & 5. Wednesdays, 6:30 pm. Oct. 3, Nov. 7

### Girls Night Out:

#### Mother-Daughter Book Club

Have fun discussing a new thought-provoking book each month with other moms and daughters who love to read! For girls, ages 10 - 13 & their moms. Tuesdays, 7 pm. Oct. 9, Nov. 6

### Talking Comics *New Day*

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