



# THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT



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TREE PITTSBURGH 20 In Partnership with BBW Shade Tree Commission

## THE SECRET LIFE OF ROOTS

**Brennan Plaza**  
Grades 4 - 6  
Registration Required

**June 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 1:30 PM**

Can roots give trees superpowers?  
Let's explore the mysterious activities of tree roots and their underground helpers with our friends at the Baldwin Brentwood Whitehall Shade Tree Commission and Tree Pittsburgh.  
We will also test the power of roots with an experiment!



# JUNE

**DROP IN TO THE LIBRARY  
BETWEEN 1-3PM ON TUESDAYS**

▲ **JUNE 16 - WRITE LIKE AN EGYPTIAN** ▲

🌸 **JUNE 23 - MOSAIC ART** 🌸

## Creek Creatures FAMILY NIGHT




**Monday, June 29 @ 6:30 pm** **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

What critters can be found in our creeks and what can they tell us about the water?  
Join us in our quest to find life, including the tiniest animals, in Streets Run, right beside the library. Nets and sampling gear are provided.  
☔ **Dress for weather, and wear rubber boots that keep feet dry.** ☔  
📍 Location: Park in the back lot behind the pool and meet at the tennis court.

# ASTRONOMY WITH NICOAL THE TRAVELING SCIENTIST



**JUNE 30 | 1:30 PM** Registration Required

### STORYTIMES

You're invited to storytime, where literacy and fun come together! Listen to our favorite stories, sing along to our favorite tunes, and enjoy an activity or two!

**Book Babies (0-2)**  
Thursdays at 10:30 am  
**Toddler Time (2-4)**  
Wednesdays at 10:30 am  
**Preschool Storytime (3-5)**  
Tuesdays at 10:30 am

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## STORIES, SLICES & SAVINGS




**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

WITH CLEARVIEW FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

**THURSDAY JUNE 18 | 12 PM**

Let's turn lunchtime into a fun and meaningful family experience with Clearview & Whitehall Library.  
Join us for a special library program where stories and creativity come together to introduce young learners to smart money habits.

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## Teens & TWEENS Hangout

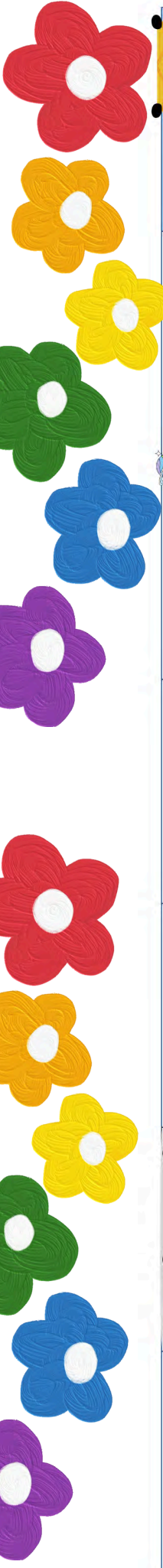
**STARTING JUNE 17TH!**  
**NO REGISTRATION**

Come relax, connect, and have fun at our Teen Hang Out Program!  
Enjoy games, music, activities, and a space to chill with friends in a welcoming environment designed just for tweens and teens **ages 11 & up.**  
**1<sup>ST</sup> AND 3<sup>RD</sup> WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH | 6:30 PM**

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## JUNE PROGRAMS & EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31 	1 	2 10:30 am (Ages 3-5) Preschool Storytime	3 10:30 am (Ages 2-4) Toddler Time	4 10:30 am (Ages 0-2) Book Babies	5	6 
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21 	22 6:30 pm (Teens & tweens) Stars, Stripes, and Summer Fun Family Night	23 10:30 am (Ages 3-5) Preschool Storytime 1:00 pm (Grades 1-5) Mosaic Art 1:30 pm (Grades 4-6) Secret Life of Roots	24 10:30 am (Ages 2-4) Toddler Time	25 10:30 am (Ages 0-2) Book Babies	26 	27 
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# SUMMER MAGAZINE



★  
A SUMMER FULL OF FUN!

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MAKE FRIENDS, BE CREATIVE,  
AND SHARE LAUGHS!



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# FAMILY NIGHT

Registration Required for events



Join us for a star-spangled outdoor celebration at the library!

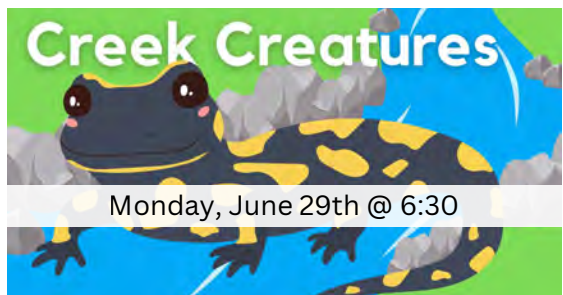
Enjoy games, creative crafts, stories, and exciting activities for all ages as we celebrate America's 250th anniversary. Hot dogs and ice cream will be available for participants.

Bring the whole family for an evening of fun!



Join us for a rock-solid storytime filled with silly stories and creative fun! Kids will choose a rock companion and transform it into a one-of-a-kind pet using art supplies and imagination!

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Are there connections between trees and clean water? Why is clean water important? What critters can be found in our creeks and what can they tell us about the water? Join us in our quest to find life, including the tiniest animals, in Streets Run, right beside the library. We'll have nets and all necessary sampling gear. Dress for weather, and wear rubber boots that keep feet dry.

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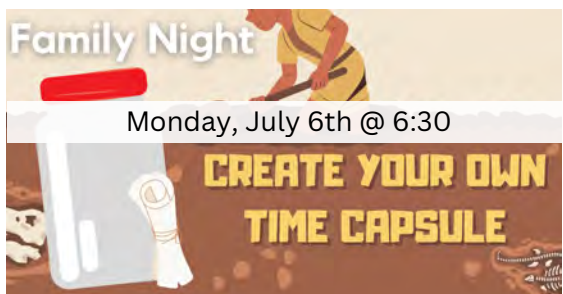
Join us for dino-stories and hands-on fun as children create their own mini gardens complete with dinosaur decorations! Enjoy stories, songs, and a creative activity that brings the prehistoric world to life.

Perfect for little explorers with big imaginations!  
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Get ready to pop into creativity!

Use 3D pens to design your own bubble wand and then experiment with different bubble recipes to see which makes the best bubble!  
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Children will create their own time capsules by filling them with drawings, and special keepsakes that tell their own story.

Families are encouraged to bring small items or photos from home, and the library will provide boxes and supplies to create a time capsule.



Enjoy an evening full of hands-on activities and prehistoric fun!  
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Become a dinosaur detective!

Create your own fossil, uncover dinosaur fingerprints, engineer your very own dino, and explore how dinosaurs might have flown.



Tuesdays 1 - 3 PM

Drop-in

No Registration Needed



Tuesday, July 7th

@ 1:00



Tuesday, July 28th

@ 1:00



WRITE LIKE AN EGYPTIAN



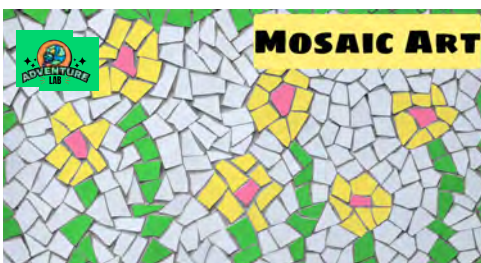
Tuesday, June 16th

@ 1:00



Tuesday, July 14th

@ 1:00



Tuesday, June 23rd

@ 1:00



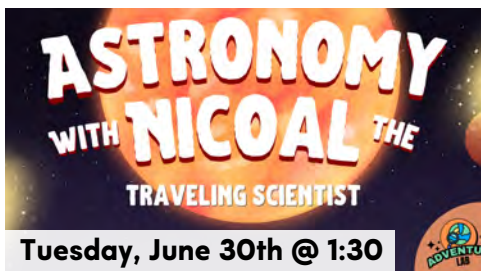
Tuesday, July 21st

@ 1:00



Tuesday, Aug 4th

@ 1:00



Tuesday, June 30th @ 1:30

Sit under the stars while we learn about the life cycle of stars, and which constellations are over Pittsburgh this season!

\* Registration Required \*



Activities include: Introduction to Astronomy, Make Your Own Constellation, and more.



ADVENTURE LAB

Grades 1 - 5

# TEEN TIME



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@ 6:30 pm**

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## Uneath A Story: Summer Reading 2026

This summer, join the Collaborative Summer Library Program's Uneath A Story™ theme and celebrate curiosity! From June through August, Uneath a Story underscores the joy of discovery that reading brings and that every person and every community has stories waiting to be found and shared – through books, programs, and local knowledge. Visit your local library to learn more.



Thursday, June 18th @ 12:00 PM

## Brennan Plaza

Registration Required

Let's turn lunchtime into a fun and meaningful family experience with Clearview & Whitehall Library.

Join us for a special library program where stories and creativity come together to introduce young learners to smart money habits.

We will start with a relaxed pizza lunch, then gather for a reading of *How the Moon Jar Was Made*.

After the story, families will jump into a hands-on craft activity, creating their own personalized "moon jars" using envelopes.

Each participant will design three envelopes for spend, save, and share, then decorate them to reflect their own goals and personality before tying them together to take home.

It is a simple and creative way to spark important conversations and build confidence with money, all while connecting with your community and Clearview.



**SIGN UP FOR OUR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER:**

