

Apalachin Library

719 Main Street/PO Box 163, Apalachin

(607) 625-3333

www.apalachinlibrary.org (new website coming!)

Our Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday: 10am-7pm

Friday and Saturday: 10am-2pm



January 2024

The Ollie and Nola Show!

Saturday, January 27 at 10:30am



Certified therapy dogs Ollie and Nola are back for another Saturday storytime! There will be dog-related stories, a craft, yummy snacks, and opportunities to read to the dogs after the program. No RSVP is necessary, and all are welcome!

January Closures:

Monday, January 1

New Year's Day

Monday, January 15

Martin Luther King Day

Please note: we will CLOSE for weather whenever the Owego-Apalachin Central School District declares a snow day.

Programs this month

Storytime: Tuesdays and Thursdays | 10:30am

Join Miss Wendy for read alouds, singing, playing, dancing, and crafts! Tuesday and Thursday each week are the same theme. *Please note: if the Owego-Apalachin Central School District declares a 2-hour delay for weather, Storytime will begin at 11am.*

Mahjong: Mondays | 2pm-4pm

Don't know how to play this tile-based game yet? Don't worry, we'll teach you! No registration is necessary, and all are welcome!

Zen before Zzzzs: Tuesdays | 6:30pm

Grab your yoga mat and join yoga instructor Sheehan Shotwell for an inspiring yoga practice each week. No registration is necessary, and all are welcome!

Evening Book Club: Thursday, January 11 | 6:30pm

Yellowface by R. F. Kuang

When Athena dies in a freak accident, June steals her unpublished manuscript and publishes it as her own under the ambiguous name Juniper Song. Place a hold for this book in the catalog or find it on Libby and Hoopla as an eBook or audiobook. No registration is necessary, and all are welcome!

MakerSpace: Button Art: Saturday, January 13 | 10am-12pm

See next page for details!

Afternoon Book Club: Thursday, January 18 | 1pm

The Thursday Murder Club by Richard Osman

In a peaceful retirement village, four unlikely friends meet up once a week to investigate unsolved murders... but this time, the killing takes place on their very doorstep. Place a hold for this book in the catalog or find it on Libby as an eBook or audiobook. The February book will be *The Housemaid* by Freida McFadden. No registration is necessary, and all are welcome!

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See left for details!

Find our booth at the
AES Winter Carnival
hosted by the Apalachin Elementary School Parent Group



**FRIDAY, JANUARY 26
6PM-8PM**

**APALACHIN
ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL**

Make art with buttons at our January MakerSpace! This free program is open to everyone, but space is limited and registration is required. Call 625-3333 or stop by to register!

January MakerSpace:
BUTTON ART!

**Saturday, January 13
10am-12pm**

Space is limited and registration is required.



*Apalachin Library Board Meeting:
Tuesday, January 16
@ 6:15pm*

Members of the community are always welcome to attend!

Thank You

A HUGE ongoing thank you to our supportive community for your kind and generous donations to our library in response to our annual appeal! This newsletter is dedicated to the loving memorials received from 10/23/23 through 12/18/23.

Phil Bixby; Vickie Corbett; Joyce Moore; and Fred Sigler

Souperbowl 2024!

We will be collecting non-perishable food items with non-expired dates (no glass containers, please!) for the food pantry at Park Terrace from **January 29 through February 13**. Predict the Superbowl winner by putting your donations into one of the two team boxes.

Are you in need of help or support?

Tioga PACT:

**Tuesday, January 16
10am-12pm**

PACT works with mothers, fathers, and caregivers prenatally until kindergarten to blend child development education and activities to enhance children's learning.

AspireHope NY:

**Thursday, January 18
10am-12pm**

AspireHope NY, Inc. is a peer-run non-profit organization supporting individuals with social, emotional, behavioral, mental health or developmental challenges and their families.

Tioga Opportunities:

**Thursday, January 25
10am-12pm**

Services include financial education and stability, health and wellness, safe and affordable housing, and community awareness.

TECH TUESDAYS
with **TINA**

Drop by for some one-on-one help on the computer and other devices!

Every Tuesday from 11:30am-1:30pm



A MESSAGE FROM THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY!

Puzzle Raffle!

January 29 is National Puzzle Day! And we're celebrating by raffling off four puzzles in a variety of sizes. Buy tickets (4 for \$1.00) at the desk from Tuesday, January 2 through Tuesday, January 30.

We are still accepting book donations! Did you know you can donate your gently used puzzles and eyeglasses too?

