



December 2021



McCord Memorial Library 32 W. Main St. North East PA (814)725-4057 www.mccordlibrary.org

McCord Memorial Library: Great Library Great Community Annual Appeal 2021-2022

Due to COVID-19, these past two years have been difficult for many families. McCord Memorial Library had been closed for a number of months and we still have a few restrictions. McCord Memorial Library appreciates the past support that our North East community has given, and are asking for continued support of the 2021-2022 annual appeal. Though the majority of our funding comes from tax dollars, we must also raise funds each year in order to continue serving the community as we do.

Any contribution you make will help us assure the continued excellence of McCord Memorial Library in the future and is very much appreciated.

Thank you!

More information about our ongoing mission and McCord's many accomplishments are available online at www.mccordlibrary.org/about



Sugar Plum Saturday December 4

10:00-2:00

Join us during regular library hours

- ♦ Make Crafts
- ♦ Take home Crafts
- ♦ Cricut demonstration



Santa Visits! December 16

11:00-12:00

- ♦ Take pictures with Santa
- ♦ Make crafts



We CANNOT accept
used book donations
at this time

Library Hours

Mon & Tues 10-7
Wed—Fri 10-5
Saturday 10-2

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MEMORIALS

Books Purchased from Donations in Memory of:

NANCY DAY

By

The Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce

Archer, Jeffrey: Over my dead body

Grisham, John: The Judge's List

MacComber, Debbie: Dear Santa

Rosenfelt, David: Best in Snow

CATHERINE JOAN McCHESNEY PAGE

BY

Al and Beverly Walz

Kingsbury, Karen: Forgiving Paris

By

North East Community Food Pantry

Lear, Bernadette A: Made free & thrown open to the public

Pettegree, Andrew: The Library: a fragile history

Donations made to Current Needs Fund in Memory of:

NANCY DAY

By

Parkside Residents Council

Donations made to Endowment in Memory of:

BETTY RIZZO

By

Frank and Jean Abate

DONALD TRIANA

By

Mary Triana

*Memorials, Endowments, and
Tributes honor family members and friends*

***If your employer makes matching donations, be sure
to note that on the form.***

*Memorial brochures are available at the library
or by calling: (814) 725-4057.*

Adult

Non Fiction

Finley, Janet E: Quilts in everyday life, 1855-1955
Helicopter flying handbook: FAA-H-8083-21B
 Moran, Jack: An Introduction to theoretical and computational aerodynamics
 Pearl, Matthew: The Taking of Jemima Boone: colonial settlers, tribal nations, and the kidnap that shaped America
 Pritchard, Forrest: Start your farm

Fiction

Russell, Craig: Hyde
 Smith, Ian: Wolf point
 Soyinka, Wole: Chronicles from the land of the happiest people on earth
 Sparks, Nicholas: The Wish
 Strout, Elizabeth: Oh William!
 Watkins, Claire Vaye: I love you but I've chosen darkness

Large Print

Archer, Jeffrey: Over my dead body
 Bartz, Andrea: We were never here
 Freeman, Dianne: Fiancée's guide to first wives and murder
 Haines, Carolyn: Independent bones
 Herbert, Brian: Dune: The Lady of Caladan
 Higgins, Kristan: Pack up the moon
 Jackson, Lisa: Third grave
 Kinsella, Sophie: The Party crasher
 Patterson, James: 2 Sisters detective agency
 Robb, J. D: Forgotten in death
 Tóibín, Colm: The Magician

Non Print

Fiction Book on CD

Preston, Douglas J: Bloodless

DVD

Ghost
 Agatha Christie's Seven Dials mystery

Teens

Young Adult Fiction– 8th to 12th grade

Angeles, Janella: When night breaks
 Jackson, Holly: As good as dead

Children

Blue Dot– Picture Books

Ho, Joanna: Playing at the border: a story of Yo-Yo Ma
 Kalish, Ellen: The Christmas owl
 Kann, Victoria: Rubylicious
 Zoboi, Ibi/ Wise, Loveis: The People Remember

Green Dot– Earliest Reader

Willems, Mo: Guess what!?

Orange Dot– Earliest Chapter

Rawson, Christopher: Stories of gnomes & goblins

Red Dot - 4th & 5th grade

Parish, Herman: Amelia Bedelia & friends blast off

Yellow Dot: 6th & 7th grade

Rowling, J. K: The Christmas pig
 Scieszka, Jon: The Perfect planet

Children's Non Fiction

Epstein, Nadine: RBG's brave & brilliant women: 33 Jewish women to inspire everyone
 Heiligman, Deborah: Clara Lemlich
 Messner, Kate: Tracking tortoises: the mission to save a Galapagos giant

To place a book on hold

Call (814)725-4057 to request the item

OR

1. Go to mccordlibrary.org
2. Click catalog
3. Log in to the catalog
 Username is your library card barcode
 Password is last four digits of your phone #
4. Search for the book
5. Click Place request
6. Choose your pickup library
7. Click submit request

Fun and Games



Cryptoquip

E P F B O B Y R K N B S V O E K G E
 B D B M C Y S X C N H J Z R H Y S P N
 N E B K M U H V G C U J S O B M—E S J X K V F
 G S V N H K V B M R: D H R B Y S S Z.

Clue E = H



Sudoku

	5			3		9	7	
		8		1	2		5	3
3		9			7	2		1
		6		9			1	
	2			7		3		
	1	3	5				9	2
1		5	3		9	7		
	3				1	5		
	9			2	5		3	

Winter Holidays Around the World Word Search

A R S C G H J U K I K B F R R I S
 Q W T F G H A N U K K A H K A T A
 J Y L L T P R E N B F G H J E H I
 D R U J T E A K O S I M O L Y R N
 P O C E R T B N H J F D S U W E T
 E R I W R T N B M G L K Y O E E N
 R T A Y N L K R A M A D A N N K I
 C H R A S L S O L S T I C E E I C
 H G F R D E S A W Q V B N J S N O
 Q E F G H B N J U N I C K W E G L
 C H R I S T M A S R E B V U N S A
 W R Y B N J H G F M K I L P I A S
 C F K W A N Z A A S E T X A H Z S
 Z A T R E M N J R T E U H J C K L
 E R D C Z Y Y A D G N I X O B L O
 J H F D S A Y T R B V M K L J P Q



Word Bank

RAMADAN
 STLUCIA
 BOXINGDAY
 THREEKINGS
 CHRISTMAS
 HANUKKAH
 SAINTNICOLAS
 KWANZAA
 OMISOKA
 SOLSTICE
 CHINESENEWYEAR



News, Updates, & Activities

Book Review

Oh William! By Elizabeth Strout

A masterful exploration of human empathy, *Oh William!* captures the joy and pain of watching children grow up and start families of their own; of discovering family secrets, late in life, that rearrange everything we think we know about those closest to us; and the way people live and love, despite the variety of obstacles we face in doing so. And at the heart of this story is the unforgettable, indomitable voice of Lucy Barton, who once again offers a profound, lasting reflection on the very nature of existence. This is the way of life, Lucy says. The many things we do not know until it is too late.

Review courtesy of goodreads.com



Writer's Corner

Check out our collected writing resources!
Character, Plot, Prompts,
Setting, SPaG, & Miscellaneous
<https://mccordlibrary.org/writers-corner/>

Seeking Small-town Stories

Do you have an interesting story to share? As part of our continued commitment to serve our North East community, we are seeking small town stories to record for short 5-10 minute videos to put on our website.

Sign-up form available at front desk

Check out our YouTube Channel!

Simply search for "mccord library"

Look for:

- ◆ Authentic Homemade Ravioli
- ◆ Butterfly Bookmarks
- ◆ Is there a bird in the library?
- ◆ And more!

COVID update

If you are fully vaccinated you do not need to wear a mask at McCord Library. If this changes we will notify patrons by door signage, website, and social media. Please continue to wear a mask if unvaccinated per state guidelines.

Coming soon!

Monday STEMdays

Join us for STEM activities select Mondays
1-1:30 starting in January 2022

Planned dates: 1/17, 1/31, 2/7, 2/21

LEGOs, Robots, KNEX and more!

Recommended ages 4-8

Kids on the Block

January 24th, 1pm

Puppet show focused on hearing and visual impairments

Recommended ages 5-10

December 2021 Adult and Teen Calendar

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1 F.O.L Library Decoration	2	3	4 <i>Crafty Teens</i> 10-2
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 <i>B.O.D.</i> 3-4	16 Santa Visits! 11-12	17	18
19	20 <i>Basket Drawing</i>	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

CLOSED

December 2021 McCord Library Events Story Time Schedule

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Fri	Sat
	Preschool/ Homeschool 1:00—1:30	Preschool 12:00-12:30	Preschool 12:00-12:30	Baby/Toddler 11:00-11:30		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Story time includes a story & activity or craft ♦ Free to attend, no preregistration required ♦ <u>Adult must stay with child</u> 			1 Gingerbread Baby <i>gingerbread ornaments</i>	2 Eight Jolly <i>Reindeer headbands</i>	3	4
5	6 Gingerbread Friends <i>paper gingerbread friends</i>	7 Gingerbread Christmas <i>gingerbread house craft</i>	8 The Gingerbread Bear <i>collages</i>	9 Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star <i>stars</i>	10	11
12	13 The Mitten <i>mittens</i>	14 The Hat <i>hats</i>	15 Dinofours Our Holiday Show! <i>painting</i>	16 Santa visits! <i>11-12</i>	17	18
19	20 The Grinch <i>wear green green painting</i>	21 There Was An Old Lady Who Swallowed A Bell <i>bells</i>	22 May I Pet Your Dog? <i>Therapy Dogs</i>	23 Jingle Bells <i>bells</i>	24	25
26	27 Polar Express WEAR PAJAMAS	28 Happy New Year, Pooh! <i>wishing wands</i>	29 Fancy Nancy Books <i>Dress fancy!</i>	30 No story time 	31	

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