


# PROGRAMMING AND EVENTS: ADULTS

## JULY 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	 PrendergastLibrary Focusing on Your Future.	1 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Nature's Imprints: 12:30-1:30pm	2 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Meet the Masters: 1-2:00pm Creative Writing Group:* 3:30-5:30 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 4-7:00pm	3 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Crafting & Community - Community Led Lesson: 5-6:30pm	4 CLOSED	5 Saturday All-Ages Crafting - Flower Pressing: 1:30-3:30pm
6	7 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 4-7:00pm Solar Dyeing Program: 5:30-6:30pm	8 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm	9 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Meet the Masters: 1-2pm Creative Writing Group:* 3:30-5:30 BOCES HSE/GED:* 4-7pm Books and Brews: 5:30-6:30pm	10 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Crafting & Community - Bring Your Own Craft: 5-6:30pm	11 Genealogy & Memory Lab: 2-4:00pm	12
13	14 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 4-7:00pm	15 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 4-7:00pm Virtual Reality Games: 5-6:30pm - drop in and play!	16 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Meet the Masters: 1-2:00pm Creative Writing Group:* 3:30-5:30	17 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Crafting & Community - UV Resin: 5-6:30pm	18 Rock Painting: 2-4:00pm Add to William Snakespeare, the library's Newest Rock Snake!	19
20	21 BOCES HSE/GED Class: * 9-1:00pm	22 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm	23 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Meet the Masters: 1-2:00pm Creative Writing Group:* 3:30-5:30	24 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Crafting & Community - Give Back Day: 5-6:30pm	25 No Pressure Book Club: 2-4:00pm All Ages Movie Night - "Toy Story 4" Rated G: 4:30-6:30pm	26 Black Out Art: 11:30-12:30pm
27	28 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 4-7:00pm	29 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm	30 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Meet the Masters: 1-2:00pm Creative Writing Group:* 3:30-5:30 BOCES HSE/GED:* 4-7pm	31 BOCES HSE/GED Class:* 9-1:00pm Judith's Reading Room Dedication: 4:30-5:30pm Crafting & Community - Sewing Swap: 5-6:30pm	509 Cherry St Jamestown NY (716) 484-7135 prendergastlibrary.org	HOURS Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Sunday: Closed

\*Signifies programs that are developed and run by external community organizations or individuals

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## Adult Summer Reading



Pick up a brochure at the Information Desk to learn more about this year's Summer Reading Program.

## Community Days

**Every Wednesday 9:30am – 6:00pm**

Join us for drop-in activities on our Front Lawn

- 10:30-11:00am: Outdoor Storytime
- 11:00-1:00pm: Outdoor Play
- 11:00-1:00pm: Mobile Market
- 11:30-12:15pm: YMCA Kids' Lunches (must be under 18 and register for this free program)
- 1:00-2:00pm: Meet the Masters program
- 2:00-6:00pm: Outdoor Games

## Books & Brews

**Library Book Club @ Labyrinth**

**Wednesday 7/9 5:30-6:30**

Monthly Book Club for Adults!

Meets at Labyrinth (12 E. 4th St, Jamestown)

**July's Book:**

***Eruption* by Michael Crichton & James Patterson**

## Summer Programs for Adults

### **Solar Dyeing**

**Monday, July 7, 5:30-6:50**

Experiment with Cyanotype paper, using different items to create silhouettes as the sun dyes the paper. Register at the Information Desk or call 716-484-7135 ext. 226.

### **Virtual Reality Games**

**Tuesday, July 15, 5:00-6:30**

Stop by the front lobby to play Virtual Reality games at the library! Ages 18+

### **Rock Painting**

**Friday, July 18 2:00- 4:00**

Paint a rock to add to William Shakespeare, the library's new rock snake who lives in the front garden. Paint a rock to take home, too.

### **Blackout Art**

**Saturday, July 26, 11:30-12:30**

Learn how to use sharpies to create black-out poetry, pixel art, or sharpie magic. Instruction provided to adults 18+ for an hour; independent art exploration available until supplies run out.

## High School Equivalency Classes

BOCES teaches High School Equivalency classes at the library for free. Times and days vary - please see the calendar for details.

For more information:

**Call BOCES at (716) 672-3188 ext. 3500**

## Meet the Masters

**Wednesdays 1:00-2:00**

Learn about our Summer Reading mascots' artistic namesakes and the Masterpieces they created in real life! Each week will bring information about 2 of our artists and a small craft to pay homage to their great works. Coloring sheets will be available throughout the week to explore in a passive program. No registration is needed for this free program for all ages.

## Drumming with Infinity

**Thursdays 11:00 – 12:00**

**Starting July 10**

Join us on the Front Lawn for free drumming lessons! Drums and other percussion instruments are provided, or you can bring your drum. Funded by the Murray L. Bob Educational Initiative.

## Crafting & Community

**Thursdays 5:00 – 6:30**

1st Thursday: Community Led Lesson (Supplies Provided)

2nd Thursday: Bring Your Own Craft

3rd Thursday: UV Resin (Supplies Provided)

4th Thursday: Give Back - Help us Prep other Programs! / Bring Your Own Craft

## No Pressure Book Club

**Third Friday each month: July 25**

**2-4:00pm**

Drop in to discuss what you're reading - or not. Just want to read? You can do that too!

## Genealogy and Memory Lab

**Second Friday each Month: July 11**

**2-4:00pm**

Drop in during this program and a staff member will be available to help with genealogy research or show you how to convert your VHS tapes, negatives, or slides to digital format

## Anytime Programs:

These activities are available in the library any time we are open:

### **Novel Experience Art Activity**

Each month, we provide a fun art activity by the Information Desk. This month's theme is "Animals," Patron art created during this month will be on display in August.

### **CCLS Roadtrip**

Play Road Trip Bingo this summer - visit as many of the 38 libraries in the Chautauqua-Cattaraugus Library System to win prizes! Pick up Road Trip Maps from the library's front lobby.