



News Release

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To the Editor: These events and items of interest are scheduled for the public at the Clifton Park-Halfmoon Public Library for the week of **May 23 - May 29, 2016**. Please announce these events prior to the PROGRAM date. Thank you for your assistance. We appreciate the coverage.

Upcoming Events at the Clifton Park-Halfmoon Public Library

What's in the Local History Room? – Monday, May 23 at 2:00pm

Clifton Park, NY -- This introduction to the Local History Room will give you a look at our collections of books, scrapbooks, diaries, photos, oral history files, and records from former one-room schools. We'll also explain what you can find on our library website: <http://www.cphlibrary.org/historical/>. Space is limited; please register online, in-person or by calling the Library at 371-8622.

Library Board of Trustees Meeting – Monday, May 23 at 7:15pm

Clifton Park, NY -- A meeting of the Clifton Park-Halfmoon Public Library Board of Trustees will be held on Monday, May 23 at 7:15pm at the Library. The public is welcome to attend. Please call the Library at 371-8622 for more information.

Preschool Movies – Tuesday, May 24 at 10:15am

Clifton Park, NY – Families with children ages 3-6 are welcome to DROP-IN for this series of short, literature-based films, including: *In the Small, Small Pond*; *Scaredy Squirrel*; and *Emperor's New Clothes*. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Knitting, Crocheting and More – Tuesday, May 24 at 6:00pm

Clifton Park, NY – Interested in meeting other hand crafters and having time to just sit down and knit? Adults and young people in grades six and older are invited to attend this drop-in program led by library staff. This is an informal, once a month program to practice knitting. Crocheters, quilters and needle workers are also welcome! Light refreshments will be served. Please call the Library at 371-8622 for additional information.

Herb Gardening – Tuesday, May 24 at 6:30pm

Clifton Park, NY -- Save money on your grocery bill while having fun digging in the dirt! This program will give you an introduction to creating your own delightful herb garden. Presented by Peter Bowden of Hewitt's. Please register online, in-person or by calling the Library at 371-8622.

Wagging Their Tails for Tales: Reading Therapy Dogs – Wednesday, May 25 at 4:00pm

Clifton Park, NY -- Help your children gain more confidence in their reading abilities and improve their reading skills with this special therapy dog program in the Children’s Library. Children build confidence from the experience and are encouraged to continue with their reading at home. For children entering grades 1-4. Limited 15-minute appointments are available by calling the Youth Services Department at 371-8622. Walk-ins welcome if time slots are available.

Use Online Resources to Plan a Great Vacation – Wednesday, May 25 at 6:00pm

Clifton Park, NY -- Is that hotel really as beautiful as their website indicates? How can you find good restaurants when you’re on the road? How can you find really good travel deals and save money? Learn how to unleash the power of your computer or mobile device to assure a wonderful travel experience. Good planning – Great trip! Registration required.

Daytime Book Discussion Group – Thursday, May 26 at 2:00pm

Clifton Park, NY – Join us for the daytime edition of our popular book discussion group. This month we will be discussing *The Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy*, the follow-up novel to Rachel Joyce’s bestseller *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry*. Registration is requested.

Makerspace – Thursday, May 26 at 4:15pm

Clifton Park, NY -- Experiment, build and create as you discover some basic science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) principles. This month's challenge will invite participants to experiment with Makey Makey and Snap Circuits. For students in grades 3-5; registration required beginning May 19 at 9:30pm. Please register online, in-person or by calling the Library at 371-8622.

DIY Family Movie-Making – Thursday, May 26 at 6:00pm

Clifton Park, NY -- Make your own movie (DVD) to cherish memories or share with family and friends. We will add pictures, videos, and music to your PowerPoint slideshow. PowerPoint is easy and fun to use. Please bring your pictures, videos, and music on a flash drive. This is a 2-day series open to all ages. Please register online, in-person or by calling the Library at 371-8622.

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