



January 2010

Lebanon Community Library

125 N. 7th St.,
Lebanon, PA
717-273-7624
[www.lclibs.org/
lebanon](http://www.lclibs.org/lebanon)

Check out our blog at
[lebanonlibrary
.blogspot.com](http://lebanonlibrary.blogspot.com)

Library Hours

Mon.—Wed.
8am—8pm
Thurs.
8am—6pm
Fri.—Sat.
8am—5pm



Do you have gently used books lying around? Donate them to the library and share the joy of reading!



January Happenings...

January 1– 3—Library Closed.

January 7 2PM - The Thursday Afternoon Book Group will discuss *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* by Mary Ann Shaffer.

January 11 12PM - Lebanon County Library System board meeting. Open to the public.

January 12 9AM - The Tuesday Morning Book Group will discuss *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson. Registration is required.

January 26 6:30PM - The Tuesday Evening Book Group will meet. Title TBA.

January 27 12PM—Lebanon Community Library board meeting. Open to the public.

*For Book Group information and registration, contact Michelle Hawk at 273-7624 ext. 3 or refdesk@lclibs.org.



Celebrate a Birthday with a Story!

Storytime Birthday Parties are available at the library for children ages 3-6. \$150 includes the use of the Community Room plus a Storytime and Craft. *Each child will receive a book to keep.* Parties may be scheduled on Saturday afternoons. Full details are available at www.lclibs.org/lebanon/programs.php. Call the children's office at 717-273-7624 x4 for more information or to schedule your party.



Even the federal government can help you achieve your New Year's Resolutions! For federal websites to help you manage debt, quit smoking, reduce stress, and more, visit www.usa.gov/Citizen/Topics/New_Years_Resolutions.shtml



Mrs. K reading *A Very Marley Christmas*.

Storytime with Santa



Craft time.

Sign up to get this newsletter in your email!
Go to www.lclibs.org/lebanon/links.php



Book Blurbs:

Justice: What's the Right Thing to do? by Michael Sandel

Sandel, a Harvard professor, dissects philosophical approaches to justice from ancient to modern times. He explores moral dilemmas that would give Solomon a headache. A thought-provoking book for those who are not afraid of challenges to their beliefs.

Blurb by Victor Commisso.

Find this book in the library at 172.2/SAN

What the Dog Saw by Malcolm Gladwell

A fascinating collection of Gladwell's columns from the New Yorker. If you read *The Tipping Point*, you know Gladwell can bring a fresh perspective to mundane subjects. Essays in this book cover mammoths, hair dye, ketchup, dogs, Enron, and more. Well written and thought provoking.

Blurb by Victor Commisso.

Find this book in the library at 814.6/GLA

Recent Releases You Might Like:

Fans of Alexander McCall Smith should like his latest book, *Tea Time for the Traditionally Built*. (If you don't know what 'traditionally built' means, you'll need to read *The No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency* first.)

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That Old Cape Magic, the latest from Richard Russo, author of *Empire Falls*. FIC/RUS

Talking To The Dead, by Barbara Weisberg. The true story of Kate and Maggie Fox, two young girls who conned millions into believing they had psychic powers. 133.91/WEI

The American Future, by Simon Schama. A noted British historian's take on currents and trends in American history. 973.93/SCH

Reclaiming History, by Vincent Bugliosi, a massive rebuttal of all the conspiracy theories surrounding the assassination of JFK. At 1600 pages, it will keep you occupied for a while. 973.922/BUG

January Storytimes

Public storytimes are held each Tues. at 11AM and Thurs. at 9AM in the Storytime Room.

All 3-5 year olds are welcome, and no registration is required.

Tues. Jan. 19 & Thurs. Jan. 21—Teeth

Tues. Jan. 26 & Thurs. Jan. 28—Carnivals & Fairs

Smart Start Storytimes



For children up to 2 years of age.

Mondays at 10:30AM:

Feb. 22, Mar. 1, 8, & 15

Computer Classes Offered at Lebanon County Libraries

Classes on various computer-related topics are being offered at the Lebanon County Libraries. Contact your local library to register. These classes are made available through the Lebanon County Library System's Job Services Program and a community impact grant from United Way of Lebanon County. Class space is limited.

January/February 2010 Schedule

Tues., Jan. 5 at 6:30 PM. **Sign up For and Use a Free E-mail Account.** Lebanon Community Library. 717-273-7624

Mon., Jan. 11 at 1PM. **Typing a Simple Letter.** Matthews Public Library, Fredericksburg. 717-865-5523

Mon., Jan. 18 at 6:30 PM. **Log Onto the Internet and Search.** Richland Community Library. 717-866-4939

Wed., Jan. 20 at 6:30 pm. **Learn Keyboard and Mouse.** Myerstown Community Library. 717.866.2800

Mon., Jan. 25 at 6:30 pm. **Sign-up For and Use a Free E-mail Account.** Palmyra Public Library. 717.838.1347

Mon., Feb. 8 at 1:00 pm. **Learn Keyboard and Mouse.** Annville Free Library. 717.867.1802

Tues., Feb. 9 at 6:30 pm. **Type a Simple Letter.** Lebanon Community Library. 717.273.7624

Wed., Feb. 17 at 6:30 pm. **Log Onto the Internet and Search.** Myerstown Community Library. 717.866.2800

Mon., Feb. 22 at 6:30 pm. **Log Onto the Internet and Search.** Palmyra Public Library. 717.838.1347

Class Descriptions:

Computer Keyboard and Mouse: the first class for beginners who have never used a computer introduces students to basic keyboarding and mouse movement techniques.

Log Onto the Internet and Search: the second class for beginners. Computer Keyboard and Mouse is a prerequisite. Students navigate the library website with the teacher, then move on to other Internet navigation and end up on a site where they fill in an online application.

Get and Use a Free E-Mail Account: having an email account is a "must" for job seekers. This course reviews setting up a free account, sending and receiving email, and sending attachments.

Typing a Simple Letter: introduction to Word Processing.

We are developing more classes. Check with your local library for more information or call Peggy Shirk, Job Services Coordinator at 273-7624.

Volunteers Needed: To volunteer to teach a more advanced computer class or conduct a job seeker skills workshop, please contact Anne Hall, Community Relations Coordinator at 273-7624.