

Library Hours:

Mon—Thurs

9-9

Friday 9-5

Saturday—9-5

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Library board meetings

are scheduled for the
third Thursday of each
month @ 7 p.m.

Meetings are held in the
Tech Center.

Next meeting will be

May 19, 2022.

The GFJ Library will be

closed on :

Friday, May 13 from 1-5

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The GFJ Library will be hosting a Covid-19 Vaccine Pop Up Clinic on Monday, May 23rd - 11:00am—1:00pm
The clinic is hosted by the Broome County Health Department

First, second and booster shots available. Please bring your vaccine card if you are getting boosters. **12+ Pfizer and J&J single shots available.**

No appointment or ID needed, walk-ins welcome.

If you would like to register: **5/23/22 Pfizer Booster at GFJ Memorial Library**

<https://apps2.health.ny.gov/doh2/applinks/cdmspr/2/counties?>

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5/23/22 J&J Single Dose at GFJ Memorial Library- Endicott

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The clinic will be held in the down-

stairs meeting room (Scott Room).

Tech Classes for May: We are offering in-person classes again! **If you wish to attend in person you must register.** To register, go to www.gfjlibrary.org/tc and select the

class. Seats are limited. If you want to attend a class virtually no pre-registration is required. Classes are presented via ZOOM. To join a class virtually, click on the following link at the designated time or copy & paste it into your browser: tinyurl.com/GFJTC-class

In-Person only - Registration Required

Android Smartphones and Tablets: Questions and Answers- Wednesday, 5/4 at 3:00pm

We will focus on the most common questions that Android users ask. Attention will be centered on the basics in order to help you more effectively use your Android device.

Hybrid (In-person or Virtual) - Registration Required for in-person seats

Meet Libby! Free eBooks, Audiobooks and Magazines!- Wednesday, 5/10 at 3:00pm

Libby is a free app, built by Overdrive, which helps you borrow eBooks, digital audiobooks, and magazines from your public library with a Four County Library Card number and PIN.

Hybrid (In-person or Virtual) - Registration Required for in-person seats

Internet 101: Understanding and Searching the Web- Thursday, 5/12 at 1:00pm

Increase your understanding of how the internet works and learn some tips to improve your Internet search skills.

Hybrid (In-person or Virtual) - Registration Required for in-person seats

Amazon Fire: The Affordable Tablet- Tuesday, 5/17 at 1:00pm

This overview of the Fire Tablet will include navigation and organizing apps, storage and customization.

Hybrid (In-person or Virtual) - Registration Required for in-person seats

Excel Basics- Thursday, 5/26 at 3:00pm

Excel is a software program created by Microsoft that uses spreadsheets to organize numbers and data with formulas and functions. This presentation is for BEGINNING users of Excel, not for experienced users.

Tech Help— An appointment is required for a 15-minute session with a Tech Center staff member to help with technology issues. Call or email the Tech Center in advance for more information and to make an appointment. (607)757-5359 or gfjtechcenter@gmail.com.

GFJ LIBRARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR MAY 2022

Children & Teen Events



Stop in the Children's Room and pick up May's **Take & Make craft**, a colorful, butterfly magnet Available while supplies last.

I'd Rather Read YA Book Club

GFJ Library and Your Home Public Library (JC) and the Vestal Public Library have created a virtual book club for those who love Young Adult books. This month's book is ***Darius the Great is Not Okay*** by Adib Khorram.

Clinically-depressed Darius Kellner, a high school sophomore, travels to Iran to meet his grandparents, but it is their next-door neighbor, Sohrab, who changes his life.

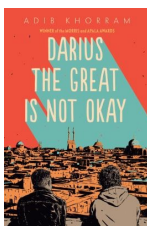
When: Wednesday, May 25

Time: 6:00pm via Zoom

Register online to get the Zoom link. Contact your library for more information .

GFJ Library: Follow this link to register for our meeting on April 27 at 6:00pm:

<https://forms.gle/am7LA1NGgXrmQAxz5>

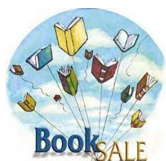


Copies of ***Darius the Great is Not Okay*** are available at the participating libraries.

The GFJ Library will have new hours beginning

June 1, 2022: Monday—Thursday 9-8

Friday & Saturday 9-5



Friends of the Library May Book Sales

Friday, May 6 & 20, 10-4,

Saturday, May 14, 10-2

Adult Events

GFJ Book Club May 25—1:00 p.m.

The GFJ Book Club will meet in the downstairs meeting room to discuss: ***The Midnight Library*** by Matt Haig. Between life and death there is a library, and within that library, the shelves go on forever. Every book provides a chance to try another life you could have lived. To see how things would be if you had made other choices... Would you have done anything different, if you had the chance to undo your regrets?"

Display Cases: **Tribute to Sherlock Holmes by Jeanne Nolan**

Jeanne was an avid reader and patron of the George F. Johnson Memorial Library. She loved all books, especially those written by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Her passion for reading mysteries, especially Sherlock Holmes novels led to her collecting doll house miniatures, which she used to assemble these shadow box scenes based on Sherlock Holmes stories.

Ask the Librarian:

Dear Librarian:

Time marches on and I find that my eyes get tired much more easily these days. I love to read, but sometimes the print in a book is just too small for me to read comfortably. My friend told me she enjoys something called "large print books." Might you have some of these at your library available for borrowing?

Sincerely, *Nearsighted Nellie*

Dear Nearsighted Nellie:

We do! We have a large collection of Fiction and Non-Fiction large print books in the adult section of the library. There are also large print editions in Children's and Teen sections. They circulate for the same amount of time as regular books and they can be renewed once.