

CURIOUS GEORGE F. NEWS



Library Hours:

Monday - Thursday
9 am-8 pm

Friday & Saturday
9 am-5 pm

Library Board Meeting:

Wednesday, 1/21 @ 6 pm

Book Sales

The Friends of the Library will be holding book sales on:

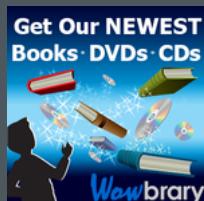
- Fri., 1/9 from 10 am-4 pm
- Sat., 1/17 from 10 am-2 pm
- Fri., 1/23 from 10 am-4 pm



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Job Fair: We'll be partnering with the New York State Department of

Labor on Wednesday, 1/21 from 1-3pm. Connect directly with top-tier employers, explore open roles across multiple industries, and land your dream job on the spot. *No registration is required.*

2026 Adult Book Clubs: Join our meetings in person at 1pm or virtually at 7pm. *No registration is required.*

- The GFJ Classics Book Club meets on the first Thursday of the month and will be having its first regular meeting **Thursday, 1/8 at 1pm**. This month we will be discussing Agatha Christie's *Murder On The Orient Express*.
- The GFJ Book Club meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month and will meet on **Wednesday, 1/28 at 1pm**. This month we'll discuss *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell.

Crochet @ GFJ: Our beginner crochet workshops have been a huge hit! While these sessions fill up quickly, we are regularly adding new dates to meet demand. *Register at gfjlibrary.org/calendar.*

- **1/9 @ 1pm** - Learn to Make a Granny Square
- **1/13 @ 6pm** - Learn How to Make a Beanie
- **1/20 @ 6pm** - Learn to Crochet

Wisdom Keepers Screening Series: Beginning on **1/19**, join us every other **Monday at 2:30pm** for a nine-episode screening of *Wisdom Keepers*, the powerful new PBS Books documentary project celebrating storytelling, cultural knowledge, and community resilience across America.

Kids & Teens

Winter Story Times: Our next story time session will begin the **week of 1/20**. Registration is required and will begin on **Monday, 1/5**. Visit gfjlibrary.org/kids to register or for more info on our programs for our youngest patrons!



Therapy Dogs: Stop by on **Saturdays, 1/10 and 1/24 from 10:30am-12:30pm (new time!)** to read to a therapy dog! No registration is required.

Teen Book Boxes: Register at gfjlibrary.org/teens for a personalized book box, complete with 2 library books and free swag! Book boxes will be available on **2/1 & 3/1**.

Teen D&D: Kids ages 12-18 can come adventure with us at another D&D 5e one shot on **Saturday, 1/31 from 12:30-4:30pm**. Beginners and long-time player are welcome at our tables! Registration is required at gfjlibrary.org/teens.

Adults

Strength & Stability for Everyday Life: We're hosting a gentle movement class designed especially for seniors, focused on improving balance, mobility, and confidence in everyday activities. On **Monday, 1/5 at 1pm**, all ages and fitness levels are welcome to join us, but the pace and instruction are tailored with seniors in mind. Register by calling the library or by visiting gfjlibrary.org/calendar.

Mindful Moments: Alzheimer's & Dementia Support Group: On **Monday, 1/12 at 2pm** join our monthly circle welcoming anyone providing care to someone with memory loss. *No registration is required.*

Classic Movie Club: Stop by on **Thursdays at 2pm** to enjoy a discussion and a classic film! Here's our January lineup:

- **1/8:** Five Star Final
- **1/15:** Confessions of a Nazi Spy
- **1/22:** 20,000 Years in Sing Sing
- **1/29:** Black Legion

JANUARY

***Registration Required**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Library closed	2	3
5 1-Senior Fitness* 3:30-GED Prep 5:30-Middle Readers Book Club*	6 1-Streaming Services Basics* 3-Streaming Services Basics virtual 3:30-GED Prep	7 3:30-GED Prep 	8 1-GFJ Classics Book Club 2-Classic Movie Club 7-GFJ Classics Virtual Book Club	9 10 to 4-Book Sale 1-Beginner Crochet	10 10:30 to 12:30-Therapy Dogs
12 12-Fun with Friends 2-Mindful Moments 3:30-GED Prep 5:30-Jr. Readers Book Club*	13 1-Windows 11 Basics* 3:30-GED Prep 6-Beginner Crochet*	14 11-Discover Awesome Finds offsite class 12 to 4-BT Workforce 3:30-GED Prep 6-ENL Class*	15 2-Classic Movie Club 4:30-Teen Book Club* 6-ENL Class*	16	17 10 to 2-Book Sale
19 2:30-Wisdom Keepers Screening 3:30-GED Prep	20 10 & 11-Toddler Story Time* 1-Android Tech Help 3:30-GED Prep 6-Learn to Crochet*	21 10-Mother Goose Story Time* 1-Job Fair 3:30-GED Prep 6-ENL Class* 6-Library Board Meeting	22 10-Preschool Story Time* 2-Classic Movie Club 6-ENL Class*	23 10 to 4-Book Sale	24 10:30 to 12:30-Therapy Dogs
26 12-Fun with Friends 3:30-GED Prep 5:30-GFJ Readers Book Club*	27 10 & 11-Toddler Story Time* 1-Understanding Smart Wearables* 3-Understanding Smart Wearables virtual 3:30-GED Prep	28 10-Mother Goose Story Time* 1-GFJ Book Club 3:30-GED Prep 6-ENL Class* 7-GFJ Virtual Book Club	29 10-Preschool Story Time* 2-Classic Movie Club 6-ENL Class*	30 	31 12:30-Teen Dungeons & Dragons*