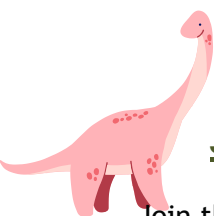


August 2026

NEWSLETTER



Jurassic Discovery Tour

Tuesday, August 4th at 3:00pm

Join the librarians to go on a Jurassic Discovery Tour and learn about different dinosaur species!

This program is for children aged 6-11 years.

Registration is required as space is limited.

Dino Palooza for Teens

Wednesday, August 12th 2:00pm

Join us for our end-of-summer dino palooza! We will have dinosaur trivia, cookie decorating, and a craft station!

Light refreshments will be provided.

Registration is requested, not required.



Media Meet Up

Tuesday, August 18th at 6:00pm

Media Meet-Up is your no-pressure, book, audiobook, podcast, movie, etc. club for adults that meets quarterly. You're invited to share with the group or simply listen to others for some new ideas; there's no pressure. Drop in to join us at any Meet-Up at any time during any session.

Q1's Theme: Favorite Genre, Book, Movie, Podcast, etc.



Staff Picks for August

Book: We Did Ok, Kid

By Sir Anthony Hopkins

TV Show: The Vampire Diaries

Movie: The Heat

Interested in any of these titles? Check them out today!

Patron of the Month

Our Patron of the Month is picked to recognize outstanding patrons at NAPL. Eileen has been a steadfast patron of NAPL for over ten years.

She is apart of the Friends of NAPL who run fundraisers to support the library and she often volunteers her time for our Annual Basket Social. We appreciate her time and dedication to the library and we also wish her a very happy birthday!



Backpack Distribution

Saturday, August 1st 9:00am-2:00pm

The AKMC Foundation will be distributing 100 backpacks filled with school supplies for those in need. No registration is required, only proof of NASD residency.





CHILDREN

Storytimes

Lapsit Storytime

August: 4
10:30am

Toddler Storytime

August: 5
10:00am

Preschool Storytime

August: 6
11:00am

In-Person Programs

Stay to Play - June 24th to August 5th - 10:30am

August 4th - Jurassic Discovery Tour - 3:00pm

August 6th - Game Club - 6:00pm

August 8th - Fossil Fest - 9:00am

August 20th - STEAM Club - 3:00pm

ADULT

In-Person Programs

August 4th - Greater Northampton Area Conversations - 6:00pm

August 11th & 25th - Quiet Creativity Hours - 6:00pm

August 13th & 27th - Tech Confidence Lab - 5:00pm

August 26th - Sugar & Spice Book Club - 1:00 & 6:00pm

The Truth According to Ember by Danica Nava

August 31st - Coffee & Community - 9:30am

Ways to Donate

To donate to the library, please use the links below. This helps lessen the cost of office supplies, books, and other materials needed for daily operations.

Thank you!

napl.tiny.us/NAPLWishlist

napl.tiny.us/NAPLbooks

Tech Tutoring

Saturdays - 9:00am - 12:00pm

Mondays - 11:00am - 1:00pm

Check our website or call us to sign up for some tech help with one of our knowledgeable volunteers. Phones, desktops, & laptops - oh my!

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on social
media!



TEENS

In-Person Programs

August 3rd - TCW / Mini Dino Terrariums - 2:00pm

August 5th - TAB / Rant Like a Velociraptor - 2:00pm

August 10th - Teen Game Club - 2:00pm

August 10th - Teen Anime Club - 3:00pm

August 12th - Dino Palooza - 2:00pm

Friends of the Library

Next Meeting is on
August 25th at 6:30pm



Library Board Meeting
August 13th at 6:30pm

2026 Basket Social & Online Auction

Annual Autumn Basket Social

Friday, October 9th at 6:00pm

Tickets: presale starts September 8th!

\$10 per sheet, special buy 3 get 1 free!
Special goes until October 8th.

Annual Autumn Online Auction

Begins at 9am on September 27th until
11pm on October 3rd

To place bids, make an account on
Betterworld.org
Auction link: napl.tiny.us/2026-auction

We hope to see you there!