# December 2025 NEWSLETTER



#### **Christmas Hours**

The library will be closed on Wednesday, December 24th & Thursday, December 25<sup>th</sup>.

The library will also be closed on Wednesday, December 31<sup>st</sup> & Thursday, January 1<sup>st</sup>.

Normal weekend hours.

#### Friends of NAPL Sip 'n' Shop

Do you have notoriously difficult to shop for friends or family? We do! Grab a handcrafted gift from a local artisan to thoughtfully fill your gifting gap!

Tickets for entrance, wine, and nibbles are: \$8.00 presale ends December 4th. \$10.00 at the door.

#### Fast Friendships

Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup> 1:00-3:00pm

This is a speed friending event, similar to speed dating. Do you have trouble making friend? Fear no more! Join us for our Fast Friendships event and make friendships that will last years!

#### **Staff Picks for December**

Book: Bury Our Bones in the

Midnight Soil

by V.E. Schwab **TV Show:** Bob's Burgers **Movie:** Christmas with the

**Kranks** 

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. Lori has been a patron of NAPL for a long time. She is constantly seeking the next best psychological thriller and her love for the library is seen through that passion.



#### **Resource Sharing**

NAPL now offers resource sharing! Resource sharing means we have the ability to receive materials from 29 libraries in the area. To access, go to our catalog via northamptonapl.org,

then click the menu to change the library and choose the Multi-District Lehigh Valley Pocono option. You will now have access to more resources with your library card. If you need assistance, please call us at 610-262-7537 or email us at info@northamptonapl.org.



#### **CHILDREN**

#### **Storytimes**

Lapsit Storytime 10:30am
December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>
Toddler Storytime 10:00am
December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>
Preschool Storytime 11:00am
December 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>

#### <u>In-Person Programs</u>

December 4<sup>th</sup> - Game Club - 6:00pm December 18<sup>th</sup> - STEAM Club - 6:00pm



## ADULT In-Person Programs

December 8<sup>th</sup> - Plot Twisters Book Club - 6:00pm

December 9<sup>th</sup> - Holiday Craft Party- 6:00pm

December 10<sup>th</sup> - Library Board Meeting - 6:30pm

December 13<sup>th</sup> - Fast Friendships: Speed Friending - 1:00pm

December 17<sup>th</sup> - Sugar 'n' Spice Book Club - 1:00pm & 6:00pm

#### <u>TEENS</u>

#### **Take Home Kits**

December 1st - Bird Seed Ornament

#### **In-Person Programs**

December 6<sup>th</sup> - TAB / Cookie Decorating Party - 1:00pm December 6<sup>th</sup> - TCW / Bag Charm Palooza - 2:00pm December 27<sup>th</sup> - Teen Game Club - 1:00pm December 27<sup>th</sup> - Teen Anime Club - 2:00pm

#### Zine Library

Teens are encouraged to make their own zine to submit to our new zine library! For more questions please email our teen librarian at medelheiser@northamptonapl.org



#### **Teen Resource Pantry**

NAPL is now collecting donations for our Teen Resource Pantry! This pantry will provide youth who are unhoused and/or have unmet needs access to free snacks, school supplies, and hygiene products.

Donations can be dropped off any time the library is open.

We will not accept any used, opened, or secondhand items.

#### Stitch & Craft

Tuesday, December 9<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm Holiday Party!

party combined with the adult craft event. This will be held in the community room.

#### Interested in joining a club? Email us today!

info@northamptonapl.org

#### Friends of the Library

Next Meeting is Tuesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30pm



Library Board Meeting Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm

### Once Upon a Crime

See you in January!

\*Please do not attend if you're sensitive to discussions of violence or explicit content.

Registration required.

#### **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!



#### <u>Upcoming Events</u>

Sugar 'n' Spice Book Club will be held on Wednesday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm & 6:00pm

Closure on Wednesday, December 31<sup>st</sup> & Thursday, January 1<sup>st</sup>