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YOUTH EVENTS

October 2025

Please note: Caregivers of children ages 9 and under must remain in the room during the program and caregivers of children ages 10-12 must remain in the library during the program.

Preschool Programs

Babies Boogie Storytime (Birth - 24 months)
Mondays, Oct 6 & 13 at 9:15 AM
Wednesdays, Oct 1, 8 & 15 at 10:15 AM
Stories, songs, and bounces for children ages birth to 24 months. Siblings welcome.

Pajama Story Time Tuesdays, Oct 7 & 21 at 7 PM

Stories, songs, and movement activities before bedtime for children of all ages! Pajamas welcome (not required).

Hop, Skip, Jump (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, Oct 14 & 28 at 11 AM

Dance, jump, stretch, balance! Each time, we'll explore a different game or activity, such as yoga, dance, or parachute play.

Teddy Bear Storytime (Age 2) Wednesdays, Oct 1, 8 & 15 at 9:30 AM

Stories, songs, and movement activities for 2-year-old children. Bring a stuffed toy from home, or use one of ours. Siblings welcome.

Preschool Capers (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, Oct 1, 8 & 15 at 11 AM

Stories, songs, mysteries, and adventures for youth ages 3-5. Siblings are welcome.

Lunch Bunch Story Time Thursdays, Oct 2, 9 & 16 at 12 PM

Stories, songs, and movement activities for children of all ages. Bring a lunch or snack (not required).

All Ages Programs

Beginners' Chess (All ages) Wednesdays at 6:30 PM

Learn how to play chess and hone your skills! All ages are welcome; however, adult supervision is required for players under 13.

Create Space (Youth of all ages) Tuesday, Oct 21 at 5 PM

We provide the supplies; you provide the imagination. Art, inventions, building, and more. Stop by the library to see what you can make from the supplies provided. If you need inspiration, we will also provide you with an optional individual or team challenge. Creative fun for makers of all ages and abilities (adults too!).

Make a Monster (Ages 1-5) Wednesday, Oct 22 at 10 AM

Use your imagination to make a (not so) scary monster! Stop in to see what type of creature you can create. This program is intended for ages 1-5 and will have crafts designed for that age group, but siblings and adults are welcome to join in on the fun.

Treat Trail (All ages) Friday, Oct 24 at 10 AM (Rain date Oct 29) Alderfer Park

Stop by Alderfer Park (420 Oak Drive, Harleysville) to get some sweets and other treats along the trail. Costumes welcome but not required. Feel free to bring a bucket or bag to collect your treats.

School Aged Programs

Lego Club (Youth Ages 5+) Tuesday, Oct 7 at 5 PM Monday, Oct 20 at 4 PM

Stop by the library to complete our monthly challenge or just enjoy some free building time with friends.

Pokémon Club (Youth Ages 5+) Monday, Oct 6 at 4 PM Tuesday, Oct 28 at 5 PM

Stop by the library to meet up with other Pokémon fans to trade cards, talk about the game and the show, play the card game, and complete a craft or other activity.

Ruff, Ruff and Read (Youth Ages 5+)* Saturday, Oct 25

10:30-11:30 AM (10 minute time slots)

Independent readers are invited to come and read to a therapy dog. Register in advance to get a guaranteed 10 minute time slot.

Depending on volunteer and dog availability, a small number of walk-in spaces may also be available. Register using the link or QR code below.



Earn books from the vending machine by reading or doing activities. Participate online or on paper. Ask us how.

Tween Programs

World Explorers Club (Youth Ages 10+) Sunday, Oct 12 at 2 PM

Explore cultures and geography from around the world through trivia, games, crafts, and other hands-on activities. No registration required. This month, we will explore West Africa and its many languages.

Interested in sharing about your own culture? We would love help from individuals with lived experience. Email <u>youthservices@ivpl.org</u> if you would like to participate.



Accessibility Statement: The Indian Valley Public Library strives to make our youth programs accessible for all. If you or your child needs accommodations or extra support, please let us know in person or by emailing youthservices@ivpl.org.

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* Indicates registration is required. Register using the QR code below or this link: https://bit.ly/IVPLOct2025. Unless otherwise indicated, preschool programs do not require registration. You can register to receive reminder emails.

