



The Franklin File

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Library Hours:

Monday—Thursday

10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Friday

10 a.m. to 5 p.m.



Franklin Township Library To Reopen For **Browsing By Appointment Only** Monday, April 5

You may schedule half hour appointments (one per day) between the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, as well as 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday evenings.

- Guests **must** schedule an appointment for browsing
- No walk-ins
- Masks must be worn at all times
- Socially distancing guidelines must be followed
- Public restrooms remain closed (please plan accordingly)
- Sanitizing stations will be available for use throughout the library
- Public computers will not be available for use at this time
- Staff will wear masks at all times
- Curbside pickup service remains available
- Returned items need to be put in the drop box outside and will still be quarantined for seven days

To schedule an appointment, please call the library at (856) 694-2833, ext. 1. A staff member will review the browsing guidelines with you at that time. Upon arrival at the library, a staff member will greet you at the front door at your appointed time.



Celebrate National Library Week With Us!

The first ten guests to schedule and keep an appointment for in-person browsing will receive a free canvas tote bag, courtesy of the Friends of the Library.

Library Giving Day April 7

#LibraryGivingDay is a one-day fundraising event with the goal of encouraging people who depend on and enjoy public libraries to donate to their individual library. And in turn, that support will go toward the incredible programs, services and materials provided by your local library.



Upcoming Programs and Events

Wee Read Storytime

Every Wednesday On Facebook thru June 12

Storytime is a fun way to help your child develop the skills they will need to be ready to read. Join Miss Linda every Wednesday morning at 10:30 a.m. for a new edition. Can't view it at that time? Check out our Facebook page to catch up. Miss Linda can't wait for you to join her as she reads stories, sings songs, and does rhymes. Some weeks there will be a craft to go along with the story. The fun is perfect for ages 3 to 5.

April Crafternoon To Go: Cork Memo Board

We will provide all materials necessary to create a handy Cork Memo Board. Create your own design or follow the directions included in the kit. To request a kit for curbside pickup, call (856) 694-2833, extension 1. Available to Franklin Township adult library cardholders only. One per person. While supplies last.

Adult Book Discussion Group To Meet Virtually Monday, April 12 7:00 p.m.

This month's selection is *The Beekeeper's Lament* by Hannah Nordhaus. If you are interested in joining the group, or need assistance with finding a copy of the book, please contact the library. Open to adults only, ages eighteen and up. Registration required.

**Friends of the Library
Monthly Meeting
Saturday, April 24
9:30 a.m.**

**Please Note: We will be closed
on Good Friday, April 2.**

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY HUGE BLOWOUT BOOK SALE

**Saturday, May 15
8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Sale will be held in the Franklin Township Community Center. Nothing over .50 cents! Huge savings with **"Fill a Bag Specials!"** Guest must wear masks and adhere to all social distancing guidelines.



Virtual Cooking Classes Coming Soon!

We are excited to announce a new program initiative—a virtual monthly cooking class! Each month, we will feature a recipe from a different country. Local chef Mark Kalla of Natali Vineyards in Cape May Court House will show us how to cook the recipe. We are hoping to offer our first class in April. Chef Kalla will be making a Polish favorite, Kapushta. Stay tuned for further details!