



# May 2024

## Neptune City Library

A member of the Monmouth County Library System  
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<https://www.neptunecitynj.com/neptune-city-library>

**\*The Library will be closed Monday, May 27 in observation of Memorial Day**



### **BABY TODDLER STORYTIME - Ages 1 - 4 (with parent/caregiver)**

Join us to enjoy finger plays, songs, stories, bubbles, and related activities!  
Mondays from 2:30 - 3:00 pm

### **FAMILY STORYTIME - Ages 5 - 7 (with parent/caregiver)**

Come for story readings and hands-on craft projects/activities!

**Registration suggested one week before each date by phone or in-person. Space is limited; please call to cancel.**

Mondays from 3:30 - 4:00 pm

May 6 - Happy Mother's Day! Make a card for a special person in your life!  
May 13 - Read it, Read it! Listen to pond stories and make your own frog!  
May 20 - Hatched! Read a book about birds and create your own chick!



### **SCHOOL AGE ACTIVITY - Ages 7 and up (with parent/caregiver)**

**Registration suggested one week ahead by phone or in-person. Space is limited; please call to cancel.**

Monday, May 6 from 4:15 - 4:45 pm

STEM Stop! Huff and Puff Houses! Create structures out of marshmallows and toothpicks. Are they strong enough to hold up against the big bad wolf? Test it out! **Please alert librarian to any allergies prior to the program.**



### **TAKE 'N MAKE CRAFTS**

Pick up a craft kit to make-at-home! Find directions and themed reads in the slideshow at [MonmouthCountyLib.org](https://www.monmouthcountylib.org).

May 1 - 14: Amazing Alien **AND** May 15 - 31: Happy Sun



### **SPECIAL EVENTS!**

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#### **\*Animal Tracking Molds with Wild Jersey! - Ages 7+**

Monday, May 13 from 4:00 - 4:45 pm

Learn how to spot animal tracks, identify who might have left them, and create your own! Take home your own plaster mold of an animal paw you select. Dress for mess!



#### **\*Read to a Therapy Dog! - Ages 5+**

Monday, May 20 from 4:00 - 4:45 pm

Therapy dogs offer a calming, nonjudgmental ear. Choose a book from our shelves to read aloud to a furry friend!



### **SPECIAL VIRTUAL EVENT!**

#### **Join Yasu Theatre in a Japanese Storytelling Journey - Grades K - 5**

Prepare to be amazed and dazzled by an exciting storytelling show! Stories will come to life incorporating Japanese folktales and origami! Watch on-demand through the Monmouth County Library's Kids page slideshow until May 6.

