

# SOUTH RIVER PUBLIC LIBRARY

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## RAFFLE TICKET REMINDER

The final day to enter our summer raffle is August 15<sup>th</sup>! Winners will be drawn on August 18<sup>th</sup>. Don't miss your chance to win some great prizes.

## HOW TO PLOT YOUR NOVEL

August 7<sup>th</sup>

Got a story in your head? Learn how to shape your plot and bring your ideas to life.



## UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS

08/04: Messy Art Monday @6PM  
08/06: End of Summer Bubble Party @2PM  
08/06: Storytime at the Community Garden @10AM  
08/07: How to Plot Your Novel @5PM  
08/07: Book Club for Adults @6:30PM  
08/11: Beginner Crochet @5:30PM  
08/11: Mature Anime Night @6:30PM  
08/12: Tie Dye Emotions with NJ4S @2PM  
08/15: Free Draw Friday @2:30PM  
08/18: Anime Night @6PM  
08/19: Paint & Sip @6:30PM  
08/26: Wave Goodbye to Summer with NJ4S @2PM



## PAINT & SIP IS BACK!

Unwind with a brush in one hand and mocktail in the other. Register for a relaxed night of art!



## TIE DYE WITH NJ4S

Craft meets self-expression in this colorful program with NJ4S. Pillowcases, and good vibes included!

## MEETINGS: SCHEDULE

08/12: Friends of the Library @7PM  
08/26: Trustees Meeting @7pm

## STORYTIME AT THE GARDEN

Join us for a special outdoor storytime surrounded by sunshine, stories and blooming fun! Register now before spots fill up.



## SUMMER BUBBLE FUN!

We're wrapping up summer with a foamy, bubbly blast! Join us for a fun-filled outdoor event.



## BEGINNERS CROCHET

Curious about crochet? Learn the basics in a relaxed, hands-on session. Perfect for first-timers or for anyone who wants a refresher! Supplies provided.



## WAVE GOODBYE TO SUMMER

Ease out of summer with a peaceful hour of journaling, crafts, and reflection. This gentle program is all about closing the season with intention and creativity. Perfect for kids preparing for a new chapter!

To register for events, call SRPL at (732) 254-2488 or visit: <https://www.southriverlibrary.org/calendar>

# CRAFT'S CORNER

## POSTPONED

### ADULT CRAFT NIGHT

No adult craft event this month but don't worry, we'll be back soon with more creativity! Check the event calander on the SRPL website for future updates.

Date: N/A  
Time: N/A



### KNIT & CROCHET

All levels, this group welcomes everyone who wants to create and connect. Registration Required.

Every Thursday  
Time: 2 PM - 3 PM



### BEGINNER CROCHET

Students will learn the basics of crochet. How to make a foundation chain, single crochet and more. Previous knowledge of crochet is not required. Registration required. Ages 8+.

Date: Monday 08/11  
Time: 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM



### TIE DYE EMOTIONS WITH NJ4S

Create your own colorful t-shirt or pillow case! Supplies, light refreshments, and emotion regulation resources provided. Pillow cases will be provided, bring your own white shirt if you'd prefer to die a shirt. Registration is required for this program.

Date: Tuesday 08/12  
Time: 2 PM - 3 PM



## FREE DRAW FRIDAY

Bring your sketch book and supplies and draw with fellow attics in a creative environment! All ages welcome. Respiration required.

Date: Friday 08/15  
Time: 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM



## WAVE GOODBYE TO SUMMER WITH NJ4S

Join us for an end of the summer celebration with guided journaling prompts and crafts! Supplies, light refreshments and journaling resources provided.

Date: Tuesday 08/26  
Time: 2 PM - 3 PM

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# ACTIVITIES



## GENTLE YOGA FOR ADULTS

Date: Every Monday  
Time: 4 PM  
Duration: 1 hour



## DND & OTHER GAMES

Date: Every Thursday  
Time: 5 PM  
Duration: 1 hour



## WALKING CLUB

Date: Every Thursday  
Time: 9 AM  
Duration: 1 hour



## PILATES

Date: Every Friday  
Time: 1PM  
Duration: 1 hour  
**UPDATE: No class on the 15<sup>th</sup>**

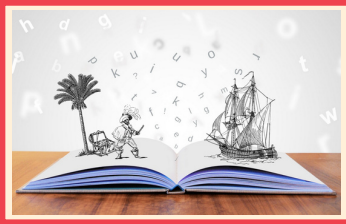


## HOW TO PLOT YOUR NOVEL

Learn how to plot your novel using techniques from *Save the Cat Writes a Novel* and *The Art of Dramatic Writing*. This hands on program will give students the tools to write an outline, formulate 3D character charts and discover their novel's premise. A presentation will be given, followed by a time for questions and a chance for students to put their ideas into practice. Registratiron Required. Ages 18+

Date: Thursday 08/07  
Time: 5 PM - 6 PM

# ACTIVITIES



## LITTLE LEARNERS STORYTIME

No registration required!

Date: Every Friday  
Time: 11 AM



## MINI MOVERZ

Mini Moverz invites babies, toddlers, and their parents to a class filled with singing, dancing, and skill-building activities. Enjoy music, instruments, and fun as adults and little ones bond, socialize and play together.

Every Monday  
Time: 11 AM (30-45 Min)



## STORYTIME AT THE COMMUNITY GARDEN

Join us for a special outdoor storytime at the South River Community Garden! Weather dependent, so make sure to check our socials before heading over. Community Garden is located at 39 Causeway St South River, NJ 08882.

Date: Wednesday 08/06  
Time: 10 AM



## END OF SUMMER BUBBLE PARTY

Dive into the bubble fun, there will be big bubbles, bubble snow, bubble foam, smoke bubbles, ALL the bubbles!

Date: Wednesday 08/06  
Time: 2 PM

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## MATURE ANIME NIGHT

This one's for grownups only! Join us on August 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM as we screen a selection of more mature anime titles both past and present. Anime has plenty of material designed for older audiences and any adults curious about the medium are all welcome and encouraged to attend! Registration required.

Date: Monday 08/11  
Time: 6:30 PM



## ANIME NIGHT

Come watch some anime and have some Japanese snacks! Registration required.

Date: Monday 08/18  
Time: 6 PM