



The Coy Chronicle

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March Book Releases - Request Now



Upcoming Events



LONGWOOD GARDENS

2022 Longwood Gardens Community Read

"Listening to Trees"

What would a tree tell us if we just took the time to listen? Trees represent growth, peace, and nature while teaching us how to plant deep roots and reach for the sky. They also may help us gain insight into ourselves and our place in the world.

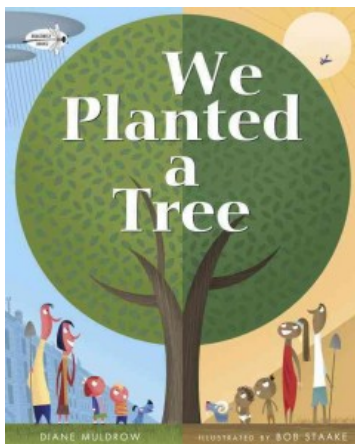
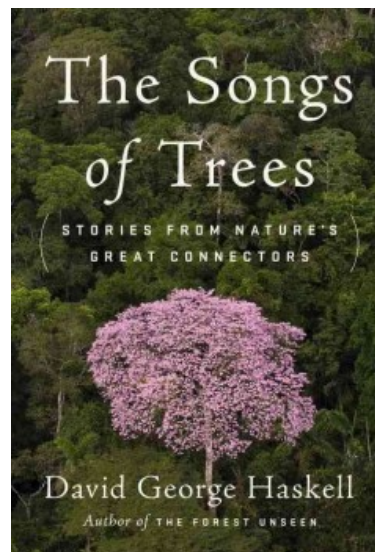
This year we are showcasing three titles for our community read. They can all be requested through our online card catalog by simply clicking on the links below.

The Songs of Trees : Stories from Nature's Great Connectors

by David George Haskell

Journey with David Haskell as he repeatedly visits a dozen trees in cities from Manhattan to Jerusalem, forests (Amazonian, North American, and boreal) and areas on the front lines of environmental change, including eroding coastlines, burned mountainsides, and war zones. In each place he shows how human history, ecology, and well-being are intimately intertwined with the lives of trees.

Scientific, lyrical, and contemplative, *The Songs of Trees* reveals the biological connections that underpin all life. In a world beset by barriers, Haskell reminds us that life's substance and beauty emerge from relationships and interdependence.



We Planted a Tree

by Diane Muldrow

In this poetic picture book with environmental themes and illustrated by award-winning artist Bob Staake, two young families in two very different parts of the world each plant a tree.

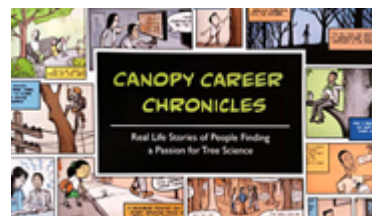
As the trees flourish, so do the families . . . while trees all over the world help clean the air, enrich the soil, and give fruit and shade.

With a nod to Kenya's successful Green Belt Movement, Muldrow's elegant text celebrates the life and hope that every tree—from Paris to Brooklyn to Tokyo—brings to our planet.

Canopy Career Chronicles

by the team at the Morton Arboretum (Illinois)

This engaging graphic novel follows the stories of eight people pursuing careers caring for and protecting trees. Each character's journey takes a different path, highlighting the skills, experiences, and inspirations of this diverse field of professionals. [Learn more.](#)



A 'Hear Me Out' Dialogue

In partnership with the Northland Public Library, the Coy Public Library of Shippensburg, the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, and the Cleve J. Fredricksen Library, the Free Library of Philadelphia presents

Artificial Intelligence: A 'Hear Me Out' Dialogue

Wednesday, March 2nd - 5:30-7:30 pm
Topic: Artificial Intelligence - [Register](#)

Wednesday, April 6th - 5:30-7:30 pm
Topic: Cryptocurrency - [Register](#)



Jammin' at the Library

Wednesdays from 11:30 am-1:30 pm
Held in the Community Room



We have a series of informal jam sessions with local musicians at the library. Come to play or come to listen. All are welcomed.

Spring Online Auction 2022

Saturday, April 23rd - Sunday, May 1st

We are announcing our second annual online auction to benefit the library! Last year's auction raised \$3,448 for our library, and we are aiming to raise \$10,000 this year. Our 2021 auction featured collected items donated by the Friends and Board members. This year we are opening the request for donations from the community and local businesses! All proceeds from the auction go directly to library operations.

Saturday, April 23rd
- Sunday, May 1st



SPRING 2022
ONLINE
LIBRARY AUCTION

The Coy Public Library of Shippensburg

We will happily accept handcrafted items, artwork, gift cards (to local stores, restaurants, businesses), certificates for services (labor, consultations, instruction, etc.), gift baskets, collectibles and much more! Please contact Angie Sachleben if you have something to donate: asachleben@hotmail.com.

Paint Night with



Local Artisan Andrea

In early February, we held a Paint Night fundraiser with local artisan Andrea Weaver. Participants painted historical slates from the library's carriage house. We would like to thank Andrea and everyone who helped make this event a great success.

We look forward to offering another paint night in the near future!



Kids' Korner



Spring 2022 Youth Services Programs

Registration is required for all programs. Call 717-532-4508, visit the library, or [register online](#).

We will have programs offered in-person (with the current safety measures in place), outdoor when possible. There are a limited number of spots in each in-person program, and we may be unable to accommodate walk-ins or extra registrations.

[Check out our spring programs!](#)

Kids' Special Events

Read Across America Day

Wednesday, March 2
10:00 am-4:00 pm

Reading Rainbow Event



Saturday, March 12

American Girl Tea Party



On National Read Across America Day, students, teachers, parents, and community members around the nation come together to read books and celebrate the joy of reading.

Come for a special storytime on the hour for Read Across America Day!

9:30 am & 11:30 am

We will be reading at this event at the **Shippensburg Firefighter Activities Center**, at the two listed times, with other activities going on.

Register and join us on Thurs, March 31st from 5:30-7 pm for a Wellie Wisher's Tea Party or you can grab a take-home kit!

For children ages 5-10. Bring your doll and have fun doing Wellie Wisher activities while enjoying tea and snacks! Registrations will be accepted until March 21st, or the program is full.



Spring Celebration

April 2nd
1:00 pm-3:00 pm

Easter Bunny Visits
1:15 pm-1:45 pm
and
2:00 pm-2:30 pm

Please join us for our Spring Celebration on April 2nd!
From 1:00-3:00 pm we will have a candy hunt throughout the library and a Sock Hop with music.

Easter Bunny visits will be from 1:15 pm- 1:45 pm and 2:00 pm-2:30 PM. Light refreshments will be offered.

Travel throughout the library visiting different stations to complete an activities card. Place cards into a raffle to win a gift basket for your family!



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Teens

Teen Scene
Every Thursday at 3:00 pm

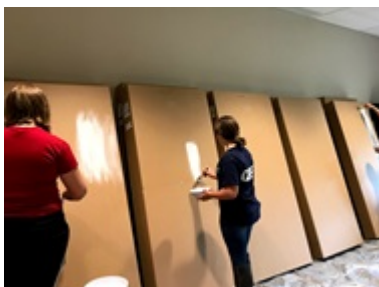


Hang out and enjoy activities such as games, movies, holiday parties, and more!

Ages 12-18 welcomed.

[Register.](#)

Behind the Scenes



The Book Nook

March Special at the Book Nook

All Books

Buy One Get One Free!

(Except Signed and Civil War Books)

Tuesdays: 5pm - 7pm

1st Thursday of the month: 9am - 7pm

Other Thursdays: 10am - 12pm

& 5pm - 7pm

Fridays: 9am - 12pm

Saturdays: 10am - 2pm

MARCH BOOK NOOK SALE
@ Coy Public Library of Shippensburg

BOOKS ARE
BUY ONE GET ONE FREE!
Except Signed and Civil War Books

Tuesday 5:00 to 7:00

First Thursday of the Month 9:00-7:00

Thursday 10:00 to 12:00

5:00 to 7:00

Friday 9:00 to 12:00

Saturday 10:00 to 2:00

The majority of items
are priced between
.10 to \$2.00!

We accept credit cards
(minimum of \$5.00
purchase)

**Book donations are welcome during the
times listed above.**

Friends of the Coy Library

Silent Auction of the Month

Friends of the Shippensburg Public Library will conduct a silent auction of various framed art each month until April 2022 in the library lobby. The print below is titled "Antiquites" and is by the artist Martin Figlinski of Florida. The print is beautifully framed and matted and measures 22.5W x 20.5H. Painting was donated by the late Mike Devlin and his wife Fran Devlin.

Auction will begin March 2nd and continue through March 16th. Bidding will begin at \$25 with \$5.00 increments to increase the bid.

Please stop by and see "Antiquites" and help support your local library.



Friends Coffee Hour

Fridays
9:00-11:00 am

Join the Friends for coffee at the Annex!
Come see what the Friends do
to support the library. **Please park on King St. if
attending Coffee Hour!**



Summer Learning Program



Book Nook & Amazon Storefront



Fundraising Events



These are some of the services and activities provided by the Friends.
Show your support for your community library, become a Friend of the Coy Public Library today!

Resources

COVID-19 Updates

The CDC created a new tool, COVID-19 Community Levels, to help communities decide what prevention steps to take based on the latest data.



[Know Your Community Level](#) can be found [here](#).



[NextReads Newsletters](#)

Looking to find your next read? Subscribe to NextReads newsletters which will offer you the newest books to read for specified topics (Kids' Books, Mystery Books, History & Current events, Home & Garden, Nature & Science, Audiobooks, etc.).

Library Information



[Hours](#)

Mon-Thurs: 9am - 8pm
Fri-Sat: 9am - 5pm
Sunday: Closed

Saturdays during the summer
will be 9am-1pm.

[Mission Statement](#)

The Coy Public Library of Shippensburg exists to provide cultural vitality and lifelong learning through open access to reading, reference, programs, and community space.

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