

Mon—Thurs: 9am-8pm | Fri: 9am-6pm | Sat: 10am-5pm | Sun: 12-5pm

PCL will open at 12:00pm on Friday, December 5 to accommodate staff training.

Holiday Hours:

Wednesday, December 24: CLOSED | Thursday, December 25: CLOSED | Friday, December 26: CLOSED | Wednesday, December 31: 9am-5pm | Thursday, January 1: CLOSED.

CANDLELIGHT NIGHT AT PCL

Friends of the Pittsford Library Candlelight Night Book Sale Tuesday, December 2 | 10:00am-7:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room Find hardcover and paperback books, DVDs, CDs, and games at great prices for a variety of age ranges and interests. All items are in excellent condition – perfect for gift giving! All proceeds go to support programs and materials at the library.

Candlelight Night Fun for Kids
Tuesday, December 2 | 5:00-7:30pm | Children's Room
Stop in to create a winter craft and enjoy a fun photo opportunity. For kids of all ages.

Nazareth Students Piano Performance Tuesday, December 2 | 5:00-6:30pm | New Book Area Nazareth University School of Music students will perform classical and holiday music during Candlelight Night.

Ann Mitchell Jazz Trio
Tuesday, December 2 | 6:30-7:30pm | New Book Area
Ann Mitchell Jazz Trio, featuring John Gabriele on keyboard and Dave
Arenius on bass, will showcase timeless holiday classics and introduce a
few forgotten gems of the season.

ALL AGES EVENTS

Puzzle Swap & Cozy Puzzling
Saturday, December 6 | 10:30am-12:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room
All are invited for snacks and puzzling! Puzzles for kids and adults will
be available to work on. Participate in the swap and take some new
puzzles home to work on. Drop off puzzles in the Children's Room
beginning November 24 and receive a voucher for the number you
donated. Stop by on December 6 to pick some out to take home!

Garden Skills: Soil & Decomposition

Sunday, December 7 | 2:00-3:30pm | Fisher Meeting Room Instructors from the Gandhi Institute will present a primer on restorative practices, sustainability, and soil and decomposition. Learn about the value of the soil in your garden, how your plants benefit from decomposition, and what you can do to make your garden thrive. This event is in concert with the 2025 Rochester Reads book *Soil* by Camille T. Dungy. Open to all ages. **Registration required.**

Break-In Room: Race to Save Frosty
Tuesday, December 30 | 2:00-7:00pm | Fletcher Steele Room
Can you solve the puzzles, open the locks, and save Frosty from the
heat before he melts? This break-in room activity is for groups of 2-6,
and each group must register for one 15-minute time slot. Best for ages
7 and up, but all are welcome. Registration required.

ADULT EVENTS

Knitting for Charity Tuesday & Thursday, December 2 & 18 | 10:00am-12:00pm | Fletcher Steele Room

This group creates items for charity organizations. Bring needles and yarn.

O Pen: Poetry Over Lunch Wednesdays, December 3, 10, 17, & 31 | 12:00-1:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room

Read and discuss provided contemporary poems.

Red Cross Blood Drive Friday, December 5 | 10:00am-3:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room Donate blood to help save lives. Make an appointment through the Red Cross.

Pressed Flower Pine Tree Friday, December 5 | 2:00-3:00pm | Learning Center

Join Jeanette Zavislan of Grimble Hill Farm and Forest for a workshop on crafting a picture of a pine tree out of pressed flowers that can be framed. Perfect for gifting or decorating for the holidays! Registration required.

Scrap Happy Scrapbookers
Wednesday, December 10 | 4:00-6:00pm | Learning Center
Practice skills, discuss techniques, and learn from fellow scrapbookers.

Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia Thursday, December 11 | 1:00-2:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room The Alzheimer's Association presents basic information on the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, stages, risk factors, research, and FDA-approved treatments. Registration recommended.

Tina Turner Knits: Finish Your Holiday Projects Saturdays, December 6, 13, & 20| 10:15am-12:15pm | Learning Center

Finish up your holiday projects before it's too late! Tina will help finish projects and fix issues. **Registration required.**

Crafternoon: Holiday Wreath

Friday, December 12 | 12:30-2:00pm | Learning Center

Librarian Robyn will help participants make a holiday wreath out of faux greens and other materials. **Registration required**.

Fabulous Films @ the Library Monday, December 22 | 5:30-7:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room The Naked Gun | 85 minutes | PG-13 | 2025

Only one man has the particular set of skills - to lead Police Squad and save the world.

CONCERTS

Rochester Jewish Chorale

Tuesday, December 16 | 6:30-7:30pm | Fisher Meeting RoomThe Rochester Jewish Chorale will perform a variety of seasonal and other selected tunes.

SENIOR EVENTS

Senior Classic Holiday Film

Thursday, December 11 | 3:00-5:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room

Christmas in Connecticut | 101 minutes | NR | 1945

A food writer who has lied about being the perfect housewife must try to cover her deception when her boss and a returning war hero invite themselves to her home for a traditional family Christmas.

Senior Leisure Coloring Hour Friday, December 12 | 3:00-4:00pm | Learning Center

Stop in alone or with a friend to color and connect. Coloring sheets, supplies, and snacks will be provided.

Early Bird Bingo

Friday, December 19 | 3:00-3:30pm | Learning Center

Seniors are invited to join us for an afternoon game of Bingo! Winners will take home prizes.

TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

Constant Connection: Tech Addiction and How to Disconnect Tuesday, December 9 | 6:00-7:30pm | Fisher Meeting Room
Tired of the continual screen glow? Need to reconnect with life 1.0?
Come and chat with a recovering technology addict about ways to find balance in your life. Participants will hear about tips and tricks (and, yes, even technology) that can help you unplug. Presenter Miranda Stefano is a librarian who has been teaching information literacy for over 10 years. Registration recommended.

December events for Children, teens & all ages

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	тни	FRI	SAT
	1 9:30 - Baby Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 12:00 - All Ages Story Time	2 9:30 - All Ages Story Time 10:00 - Book Sale 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 3:30 - Teen Community Service* 5:00 - Candlelight Night	3 6:00 - Crochet Club*	4 9:30 - Baby Story Time 10:00 - Baby Play Time 10:45 - Baby Story Time	5 OPEN AT 12:00	6 10:00 - Scavenger Hunt 10:30 - French Story Time 10:30 - Puzzle Swap & Cozy Puzzling
7 12:15 - Music Makers Session 2:00 - Garden Skills: Soil & Decomposition*	8 9:30 - Baby Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 11:00 - All Ages Play Time 12:00 - All Ages Story Time	9:30 - All Ages Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 11:00 - All Ages Play Time	10	11 9:30 - Baby Story Time 10:45 - Baby Story Time 4:00 - Pressed Flower Lumiere* 4:00 - Lego Club	9:30 - All Ages Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 12:00 - All Ages Story Time	13
14	15 9:30 - Baby Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 12:00 - All Ages Story Time	16 9:30 - All Ages Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 3:30 - Teen Community Service* 5:00 - Teen Writing Group*	17 9:30 - Music & Movement with Miss Kate* 10:15 - Music & Movement with Miss Kate* 5:30 - Teen Community Service*	18 9:30 - Baby Story Time 10:00 - Baby Play Time 10:45 - Baby Story Time	19 9:30 - All Ages Story Time 10:15 - All Ages Story Time 12:00 - All Ages Story Time	20
21	22	23	CLOSED	25 CLOSED	CLOSED	27
28	29	30 2:00 - Break-In Room* 5:00 - Glow Party	CLOSE AT 5:00		Children's Event Teen Event All Ages Event * Registration is required	

December events for adults & all ages

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 6:30 - Great Novels Book Group	2 10:00 - Book Sale 10:00 - Knitting for Charity 5:00 - Nazareth Students Piano Performance 6:30 - Ann Mitchell Jazz Trio	3 12:00 - O Pen	4	5 10:00 - Blood Drive* 2:00 - Pressed Flower Pine Tree* OPEN AT 12:00	6 10:15 - Tina Turner Knits* 10:30 - Puzzle Swap & Cozy Puzzling
7 2:00 - Garden Skills: Soil & Decomposition*	8 11:00 - Wise Owls Book Group	9 2:00 - Senior Circle Book Group* 6:00 - Constant Connection*	10 12:00 - O Pen 4:00 - Scrap Happy Scrapbookers	11 1:00 - Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia* 3:00 - Senior Classic Holiday Film	12 12:30 - Crafternoon* 3:00 - Senior Leisure Coloring Hour	13 10:15 - Tina Turner Knits*
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21	5:30 - Fabulous Films 6:15 - Nonfiction Book Group*	23	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	27
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TV Today

Tuesday, December 16 | 12:30-2:00pm | Fisher Meeting RoomThe future of television is happening now. From antennas to new streaming services, from smart TVs to smartphones, the choices you have and the ways you watch TV can seem endless and confusing. Join technology instructor Daniel Jones as he walks you step by step through the options available to you in a clear and understandable way. **Registration recommended.**

ADULT BOOK GROUPS

Books are available for checkout. **Registration required to attend by Zoom.**

Great Novels Book Group Monday, December 1 | 6:30-7:30pm | Fletcher Steele Room Death Comes for the Archbishop by Willa Cather

Wise Owls Book Group Monday, December 8 | 11:00am-12:30pm | Fletcher Steele Room Nickel Boys by Colson Whitehead

Senior Circle Book Group Tuesday, December 9 | 2:00-3:00pm | Fletcher Steele Room OR Zoom

The Wedding People by Alison Espach

Nonfiction Book Group Monday, December 8 | 6:15-7:45pm | Learning Center OR Zoom The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind by Bryan Mealer & William Kamkwamba

TEEN EVENTS

Teen Community Service
Tuesdays, December 2 & 16 | 3:30-4:30pm | Learning Center
Wednesday, December 17 | 5:30-6:30pm | Learning Center
Earn one hour of service credit while helping your library community.
Grades 6-12. Registration required.

Crochet Club: Coasters & Hot Cocoa!
Wednesday, December 3 | 6:00-7:30pm | Learning Center
Crochet a coaster and a hot cocoa mug while enjoying real life hot
cocoa! Best for crocheters with some experience. Grades 6-12.
Registration required.

Pressed Flower Lumiere
Thursday, December 11 | 4:00-5:00pm | Learning Center
Decorate a jar with pressed flowers in the shape of a pine tree. Perfect
for putting a candle in to decorate for the holidays! Presented by
Jeanette Zavislan of Grimble Hill Farm and Forest. Registration
required.

Teen Writing Group

Tuesday, December 16 | 5:00-6:00pm | Fletcher Steele Room Meet other writers and tap into your creativity with prompts and activities. Sharing your writing is always optional! Grades 7-12. **Registration required.**

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Scavenger Hunt

Saturday, December 6 | 10:00am-4:00pm | Children's Room Stop into the Children's Room and find the hidden characters to win a prize!

Music Makers Session

Sunday, December 7 | 12:15-1:00pm | Fisher Meeting RoomJoin Mr. Ray from The Local Sound Collaborative for a fun and festive music session! Bring your dancing feet and get ready to sing along.

Lego Club

Thursday, December 11 | 4:00-4:45pm | Storytale Room Kids can complete a challenge or explore their creativity through free building. For ages 5-10.

Music & Movement with Miss Kate Wednesday, December 17 | 9:30-10:00am & 10:15-10:45am | Fisher Meeting Room

Miss Kate is a board-certified music therapist who uses live music, movement, and story-songs to foster early language, motor skills, literacy, and social-emotional development. Best for ages 1-4 with a caregiver, but kids of all ages are welcome. Registration required for children.

Glow Party

Tuesday, December 30 | 5:00-6:00pm | Fisher Meeting RoomWhat could be cooler than a blacklight party? Enjoy crafts, dancing, and glow-in-the dark fun. Best for ages 4-7, but all ages are welcome.



ALL-AGES STORY TIMES

MONDAYS

December 1, 8, & 15 | 10:15am & 12:00pm | Fisher Meeting Room

TUESDAYS

December 2, 9, & 16 | 9:30am & 10:15am | Fisher Meeting Room *Story times on December 2 will be held in the Storytale Room.

FRIDAYS

December 12 & 19 | 9:30am, 10:15am, & 12:00pm | Storytale Room

BABY STORY TIMES

For ages 0-2 years old with a caregiver.

MONDAYS

December 1, 8, & 15 | 9:30am | Fisher Meeting Room

THURSDAYS

December 4, 11, & 18 | 9:30am & 10:45am | Fisher Meeting Room

PLAY TIMES

ALL AGES

Monday, December 8 & Tuesday, December 9 | 11:00am | Fisher Meeting Room

BABIES

Thursdays, December 4 & 18 | 10:00am | Fisher Meeting Room For ages 0-2 years old with a caregiver.

SPECIAL STORY TIMES

Bilingual French Story Time Saturday, December 6 | 10:30-11:15am | Storytale RoomJoin us for stories, songs, and a craft in French and English. For kids of all ages.

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PCL's Newsletter: bit.ly/pclenews

Your donations to the Friends and Foundation of the Pittsford Community Library make our events possible. Thank you for your support!

Register for events at bit.ly/pclcalendar.

A Zoom invitation will be sent the day of any virtual event.