



## Did you hear the Baldwin Library is moving?

*The Baldwin Library will be renovating and relocating to Leland Center, with projected move-in anticipated in early 2019!*

The new Baldwin Library at Leland will feature...

- Easily accessible borough location with convenient access to public transportation
- Increase of 1,100 square feet compared to Wallace Building
- Ample parking—both off-street and on-street with designated handicapped spaces
- Separate areas for adults, teens and children, with the option of expanding the Children's Area

**Want to learn more?**

Visit our project website:

*Baldwinborolibrary.org/  
Leland*

## September is Love Your Library Month

LOVE **YOUR** LIBRARY 

**Your donation in September goes further!**

Throughout the month of September, thanks to the generous support of the Jack Buncher Foundation, all donations made to the Baldwin Library will be matched!

**Now is the perfect time to support your library.**

For every dollar donated, Baldwin Library will receive a portion of a \$150,000 match pool to support our early literacy programs and educational outreach.

**You can make a difference in a child's education.**

Donate to the library today to support programs that promote reading to young children, like our 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program. We simply cannot offer these reading programs without your help.

**Don't wait! Make your gift really count. Donate today.**

*Make checks payable to Baldwin Borough Public Library or  
donate online at [baldwinborolibrary.org](http://baldwinborolibrary.org).*



**"I was thrilled to sign my daughter up for the program...She could not wait to go to the library on the weeks where she reached a milestone in her trek toward 1,000 (books)." - Tara Abbott**

## ADULT FEATURED PROGRAMS

For a listing of ALL of our programs,  
please visit our website.

### Free Technology Help

## Tech Help @ BBPL

Registration required for all classes.

### Learn to borrow FREE books, music, magazines & more

Monday, Sept. 11 @ 6:30 pm; OR  
Tuesday, Sept. 12 @ 2 pm

Come learn how to borrow and download  
FREE content directly to your device.  
You can borrow materials at your  
convenience. *Bring your device!*

### Maximize Your Memories: Digital Photos Workshop

Monday, Sept. 25 @ 6 pm OR  
Tuesday, Sept. 26 @ 2 pm

Bring your camera or smart phone to  
class and we will practice saving photos  
to a flash drive on the computer, creating  
folders to keep you organized and more!

### Ancestry.com Workshop

Monday, Oct. 2 @ 6 pm OR  
Tuesday, Oct. 3 @ 2 pm

October is Family History Month! Attend  
this workshop to gain hands-on  
experience with ancestry.com and learn  
some tips! Ancestry.com is FREE at the  
library. We will have computers for you to  
explore the database and ask questions.

### Facebook Workshop

Monday, Oct. 30 @ 6 pm OR  
Tuesday, Oct. 31 @ 2 pm

Have questions about using Facebook?  
Attend this class for a brief overview of the  
social network, ask questions and use one  
of our laptops to explore the site.

### Google Tools Class

Monday, Nov. 6 @ 6:30 pm OR  
Wednesday, Nov. 8 @ 2 pm

Don't have Microsoft Word or Excel, but  
still want to create documents and  
spreadsheets? No Problem! You'll learn  
different tools available for free including  
Google Docs, & Google Sheets.

### Spring Travel Series

Join us for a travel film. *No registration  
required. Tuesdays @ 7 pm:*

- Sept. 26: *Czech Republic*
- Oct. 3: *Art Trails of the Riviera*
- Oct. 10: *Ireland's Wild River*
- Oct. 17: *Ecuador, the Royal Tour*
- Oct. 24: *Central Japan*
- Oct. 31: *South Side, Pittsburgh*

### Opioids 101: Presented by Prevention Point Pittsburgh

Wednesday, Sept. 20 @ 7 pm

Opioid  
addiction has  
become an  
epidemic in  
PA. Learn about the signs of opioid  
addiction, techniques to recognize  
symptoms of overdoses & what you can do  
to help. *Program sponsored by the Kiwanis  
Club of Baldwin. Appetizers will be served.  
No registration required.*



### Local Author Book Talk:

Dan J. Kirk | Friday, Sept. 29 @ 6 pm

Meet local author  
Dan J. Kirk, who  
recently published  
a fascinating book  
of fiction,



*Between the  
Innings*. It crackles with the intensity of a  
high fastball and serves as an ode to the  
sport of baseball itself. Copies of the  
book will be available for purchase.  
*No registration required.*

### Do you have trouble reading a newspaper or other standard size print?

#### Do you have a physical or visual limitation that limits your ability to read?

Come learn about a FREE library service that can help you by delivering materials  
directly to your house! Join us as we welcome a staff member from the Library for the  
Blind & Physically Handicapped. *No registration required.*

Friday, Oct. 20 @ 2 pm

### FREE BINGO Fridays



We'll play 10 games of BINGO & you can  
win prizes. *No registration required.*  
Fridays @ 1 pm: Sept. 15, Oct. 20,  
Nov. 17 & Dec. 15.

### Get Creative!



Visit our website for a complete list of fall  
knitting & craft programs including,  
**Last Minute Christmas Ideas:**  
Friday, Dec. 1 @ 2 pm.

### Christmas Through the Years Day Trip: Ligonier, PA

Saturday, Dec. 2: 8:30 am - 8:30 pm | Cost: \$91 per person

#### Highlights include:

- Enjoy a Candlelight Tour at the  
Compass Inn Museum
- Traditional Christmas buffet at the  
Ramada of Ligonier
- Shopping in historic downtown  
Ligonier
- "Christmas  
through the  
Years" holiday  
show at the Diamond Theater.
- Drive through the holiday light display  
at Overly's Country Christmas.

Travel with  
**BBPL**

Register with full payment at the library by Wednesday, Nov. 1.

### Get Informed @ Maternal and BBPL Child Health Services

Tuesday, Sept. 19 @ 2 pm

Nancy Scopelitis, Public Health Nurse from  
the Allegheny County Health Department,  
will present various programs that are  
available for free to families (regardless of  
income level) during pregnancy and one to  
two years after birth. *Registration required.*

### Estate Planning & Retirement Solutions

Tuesday, Nov. 14 @ 6:30 pm

Local Attorney Joe Covelli & Roy Laux,  
Financial Advisor and radio host, will offer  
free estate planning program that includes,  
how to plan your estate so that it will  
efficiently and cost effectively pass to your  
loved ones, overview of wills and power of  
attorney information. *Registration required.*

## KIDS & TEEN FEATURED PROGRAMS

For a listing of ALL of our programs,  
please visit our website.

### FAMILY PROGRAMS

#### Baldwin Community Star Party

Friday, Sept. 22 @ 7:45 pm (Rain/cloudy  
Makeup Date: Friday, Oct. 6 @ 7:45 pm)  
Presented by The Amateur Astronomers  
Association of Pittsburgh

A family astronomy presentation followed by guided viewing of the wonders of the night sky through telescopes. Bring your own binoculars if you have them! Great for all ages! *Registration required.*



#### Every Second Counts: Plan 2 Ways Out! Meet the Firefighters Night | Wednesday, Oct. 11 @ 6:30 pm

Firefighters from Option Independent Fire Company will be at the library for Fire Prevention Week to teach about making your family's escape plan from two exits. Kids can also see the firetrucks and equipment. *Registration required.*

#### Creepy Crawly Café | Friday, Oct. 20 @ 6:30 pm

A menu of drinks, appetizers, a main entree and dessert, revolving around foods that sound gross but taste great! *Registration (online, in person or by phone) begins Oct. 2 and requires a \$5 per family deposit (payable in-library or by mail) by Oct. 13 to secure your spot.*



#### Halloween Storywalk | Friday, Oct. 27 @ 7 pm

Come dressed in costume for our Halloween storywalk! Meet favorite characters at four different storywalk stations where kids will hear a story, participate in an activity, and collect goodies at each station! *Please bring along a treat bag/bucket. Registration required & begins Oct. 2.*

### YOUTH PROGRAMS

#### KinderFlute

Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm: Sept. 6 & 13

KinderFlute is a program perfect for children ages 4-9 that teaches them music and how to play flute through games and movement. We are offering two, FREE, introductory classes taught by a private flute teacher and KinderFlute in-training instructor. Flutes and materials for activities will all be provided. *Please see our website for additional flute lessons available beginning Sept. 23! Registration required.*



#### Monday Morning Moms | Mondays @ 10:30 am: Sept. 18, Oct. 16 & Nov. 27

Join our first caregiver/child playgroup for children birth-3 years! Meet once a month, participate in a take-home project, and enjoy play time with our new sand and water table and learning toys. *No registration required.*

#### Meet the Author & Illustrator | Friday, Oct. 6 @ 10:30 am

Meet children's picture book author Linda Diesing and illustrator Rachel Rodkey as they share their book *What Do Dogs Do When You Go Off To School?* Meet Linda's dog, Sam, one of the dogs featured in the story! Light refreshments and activity at the conclusion of the program. *Registration required.*

#### Shipwrecked with Mad Science

Wednesday, Nov. 8 @ 6:30 pm

This workshop for students in Grades 4-8 puts you on a deserted island and you must work together to invent means for collecting food and water. Students will leave with their boat creations and a Mad Science eye patch! *Registration required.*

#### Kindness Rocks | Tuesday, Nov. 28 @ 6:30 pm

Join The Kindness Rocks Project movement and gather for a night of rock painting and bringing kindness to others! Students in grades 2-5 will be painting inspirational rocks that you will be able to leave for others to find. We will provide the rocks, you will provide the creativity! *Registration required.*

### STORYTIMES

No registration required.

Available storytimes @ 10:30 am:

**Bouncing Babies & Books:**

Tuesdays

**Tales for 2s & 3s: Thursdays**

Available storytimes @ 6:30 pm:

**Family Explorastory!:**

Thursdays: Sept. 14 & 28; Oct. 12 & 26; Nov. 9 & 30; Dec. 14.



**Preschool Story Alphabet Explorers: Fridays**

**Bouncing Babies and Books Sleepytime Tales: Tuesdays:** Sept. 19; Oct. 3 & 24; Nov. 7 & 21; Dec. 5 & 19

### Teens @ BBPL

#### Canvas and Color Teen Paint Night

Fridays @ 6:30 pm:

Oct. 6 & Dec. 8

Teens in grades 6-12 can join local artist Michelle and learn how to paint your own canvas 9x12 piece of artwork! Learn techniques using acrylic paint to create a take-home masterpiece ready to hang! *Registration required for each paint night.*



#### Prep Before the Step | Monday, October 23 @ 6:30 pm

One of the biggest steps in a teen's life is college, but the road to college actually is paved beginning in middle school. Parents and students in grades 8 and up are invited to join us as we welcome a college professor from Carlow University, who specializes in student placements and high performance learning as she shares her insights and experience in helping your child prepare for a successful college entrance. *Registration required.*

# Baldwin Borough Public Library PROGRAM GUIDE

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## LIBRARY HOURS

MON -- THURS: 10 am - 8 pm  
FRI, SAT : 10 am - 5 pm

## LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Monday, Sept. 4  
Monday, Oct. 9  
Thursday, Nov. 23  
Friday, Nov. 24  
Saturday, Nov. 25  
Monday, Dec. 25

## CONNECT WITH US!

Get the latest library information, photos & more on our social media sites.



- 1. Baldwin Borough Public Library
- 2. Baldwin Borough Public Library Kids & Teens



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## 2017 Fall Book Sale

**Monday, Nov. 6:** 10 am - 8 pm  
**Tuesday, Nov. 7:** 8 am - 8 pm  
**Wednesday, Nov. 8:** 10 am - 8 pm  
**Thursday, Nov. 9:** 10 am - 8 pm  
**Friday, Nov. 10:** 10 am - 5 pm

*Book donations will be accepted at the library during open hours. Books must be in good condition.*

## Pittsburgh Popcorn Sale

Show your support and place your order of Pittsburgh Popcorn during the month of September.

**Sale begins:** Friday, Sept. 1

**Orders due:** Friday, Sept. 29

**Pick up at the library:** Friday, Oct. 20

## B Baldwin Borough Public Library Kids & Teens



The joy when you find a Pittsburgh Paints Rocks at the library that says, "the more you read the more things you will know!" Be sure to register for our Kindness Rocks program: *Tuesday, Nov. 28 @ 6:30 pm.*

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"She woke up this morning and said she was 'TOTALLY EXCITED' to go to storytime at the library!" She got a little bonus making these cool binoculars at our jungle-themed storytime!