Library is Open: Friday, December 26
Wednesday, December 31 (9AM - 5PM)

Library is Closed: Wednesday, December 24
Thursday, December 25
Thursday, January 1

Santa's Visit
Saturday, December 6, 9:30-11:30AM

Stop by the library for our annual visit from Santa Claus. Enjoy cookies baked by the Friends of the Library, make a craft, and memorialize your moment with Santa with a free professional photograph courtesy of Aranes Photography.

Photography Exhibit: Rick Branscomb
Photos on display during December
Reception Wednesday, Dec 4, 7PM

December's exhibit will feature photos by local photographer Rick Branscomb. There will
be a reception on Wednesday, December 4 from 7-8:30PM – come and meet the artist. Light refreshments will be served.

Christmas Floral Centerpiece Workshop
Wednesday, December 10, 7PM

Make a beautiful centerpiece for your holiday table. The centerpiece will be made out of long lasting materials so it can be used throughout this year's holiday season. It will be a low, round centerpiece designed with a pillar candle, boxwood, noble fir, white pine, cedar, red carnations, white cushion poms, Christmas ribbon, and white tipped pine cones. The workshop is presented by Anne’s Florals and Gifts of Hudson.

There will be a $30 materials fee for this workshop. Advanced registration is required: call 886-6030 or register online.

Annual Gingerbread House Contest
Houses Due December 5
Gingerbread Party: Thu Dec 18, 6:30PM

People of all ages are welcome to enter our annual Gingerbread House competition. Individuals, families or other groups can enter. Houses can be built out of any material, but exterior decorations must be entirely edible. Houses must fit on a platform of 24” x 24” or less. Houses will be displayed in the children's room until the Gingerbread Party and Prize
Ceremony at 6:30PM on December 18.

Drop off houses at any time through December 5.

**Review 2014 and Create and Amazing 2015**
Tuesday, December 9, 7PM

In this program, you will review 2014 in a systematic, useful way so you can find out what worked, what didn’t, and how you want to change things up in the near future. You will use this review to set some goals for 2015 that will allow you to head into the new year with excitement, passion and joy!

Presented by Master Certified Life Coach Diane MacKinnon, MD. Pre-registration is requested. [Register online](#) or call 886-6030.

**A Cup of Christmas Tea**
Friday, December 12, 1:30PM

Come and share a spot of tea (or coffee, if you prefer), cookies and holiday memories as the Genealogy Club celebrates the season! Writing down family traditions is an important part of genealogy research, and we will talk about ways to preserve customs unique to you and yours. We will also listen to a reading of the book *A Cup of Christmas Tea* and start a tradition of our own. Everyone is welcome.

**Holiday Film/Book and Potluck**
Tuesday, December 16, 11:30AM

Join us for a screening of "Mrs. Miracle" starring Doris Roberts, followed by a potluck lunch and discussion of the book and film.

Copies of the book are available at circulation. This event is in place of the regular book discussion group at 1:30PM. Everyone is welcome.

Let Amy know what you plan to bring! Call 886-6030 or email amyfriedman@rodgerslibrary.org

---

**Teen Fall Programming**

**One Time Programs**
**Build-a-deer**  
Tuesday, December 9, 5-6PM  
*(Grades 6-8 only)*

Use chocolate modeling dough, candy clay, candy, more candy, and even MORE candy topped with a sprinkling of Christmas magic to build your very own delicious North Pole reindeer.

**Ongoing Programs**

No registration required, just drop in on the day.

**Fandom Tuesdays**  
Every Tuesday, 2:15-4PM

**Teen Takeover At Your Library**  
Every Wednesday, 2:15-4PM

**Monster Club (grades 6-8)**  
Every Thursday, 4-5PM

**Pokemon League**  
2nd Saturday (December 13), 10-11:30AM

**Gaming Club**  
2nd Saturday (December 13), 12-4PM

---

**Second Hand Prose**  
Sunday, December 14, 11AM - 3PM  
Thursday, December 18, 5PM - 8PM

'Early Bird' admittance at 10AM Sunday granted to paid members of the Friends. You may become a member at the sale for as little as $10. Please enter via the ramp at the rear of the building. DONATIONS of DVDs, CDs, and gently used books are NEEDED and may be brought to Second Hand Prose or to the Library during regular hours.
### Additional December Events

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Event Type</th>
<th>Event Details</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Paper Techniques</strong></td>
<td>Gate Style Holiday Cards THU 12/4, 6:30PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Beading Group</strong></td>
<td>Sat 12/6, 1-4:30PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Free Film</strong></td>
<td><em>The Hundred Foot Journey</em> THU 12/11, 6:30PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Genealogy Club</strong></td>
<td><em>A Cup of Christmas Tea</em> Fri 12/12, 1:30PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Pokemon League</strong></td>
<td>Sat 12/13, 10-11:30AM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Gaming Day</strong></td>
<td>Sat 12/13, 12-4PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Beading Group</strong></td>
<td>Tue 12/16, 5PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Book Discussion</strong></td>
<td><em>Mrs. Miracle &amp; Potluck</em> Tue 12/16, 11:30AM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Family Film</strong></td>
<td><em>Planes: Fire &amp; Rescue</em> Sat 12/20, 1PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Drop In Stitchers</strong></td>
<td>Fridays, 9:30-11:30AM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Drop in eBook Help</strong></td>
<td>Mon 12/1, 7-8PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mon 12/8, 1:30-2:30PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mon 12/15, 7-8PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mon 12/22 1:30-2:30PM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mon 12/29, 7-8PM</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>