

## **Featured Adult Virtual Programs for April 2026**

### **The Declaration of Independence:**

#### **America's Birth Certificate from Conception to Celebration**

Monday, April 6, 7:00 pm

Historian Joel Farkas discusses the development of the document, from the Magna Carta (1215) to the French and Indian War, the Declaration of Independence, the Revolutionary War, the French Revolution (and Napoleon), the War of 1812, to today. Joel Farkas is a graduate of The Ohio State University, an Officer in the United States Army, a National Park Service volunteer docent at Washington's Headquarters, Morristown, NJ, a lecturer at Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Rutgers University, and a lecturer at Florham Institute for Lifelong Learning at Fairleigh Dickinson University. Sponsored by the Friends of the Hickory Corner Library. *Please visit [events.mcl.org](https://events.mcl.org) to register to receive the link to the program.*

### **The Gambler, the Writer, and Zelda:**

#### **The History Behind *The Girl in the Green Dress***

Monday, April 20, 6:30 pm

Join author Mariah Fredericks as she discusses her new mystery, inspired by the unsolved 1920 murder of Joseph Elwell. Through images and historical insight, Fredericks explores how she wove together the real-life stories of Elwell, Morris Markey, and Zelda Fitzgerald in her novel *The Girl in the Green Dress* -- praised by *The New York Times* as "dazzling ... a lively return to Jazz Age Manhattan." *Please visit [events.mcl.org](https://events.mcl.org) to register to receive the link to the program.*

### **Introduction to the Art of Arabic Calligraphy**

Tuesday, April 28, 6:30 pm

Celebrate Arab American Heritage Month with calligrapher Elinor A. Holland. Explore the history, meaning, and traditional practices of Arabic script calligraphy, including the Arabic alphabet, global lettering styles, and classic tools. The program concludes with a live calligraphy demonstration showcasing this ancient and beautiful art form. *Please visit [events.mcl.org](https://events.mcl.org) to register to receive the link to the program.*

### **A Poetry Happening: Mercer Poets Read**

Wednesday, April 29, 7:00 pm

Join us for a celebration of National Poetry Month. Mercer County Library System continues this popular program for its fourth year, featuring local poets reading their own work or a favorite published poem. All are invited to attend an enjoyable evening of poetry! *Please visit [events.mcl.org](https://events.mcl.org) to register to receive the link to the program.*

## **Featured Adult In-Person Programs for April 2026**

### **Hooked on Yarn**

Thursdays, April 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 10:00 – 11:00 am

Hollowbrook Branch

320 Hollowbrook Drive

Ewing, NJ 08638

609-883-5914

Are you passionate about crafting with yarn and creating cozy, handmade masterpieces? Look no further! Our *Hooked on Yarn* program is the perfect place for beginners and experienced crafters alike to come together and share their love for yarn art. For ages 16 and up.

### **Heartfulness Meditation**

Saturday, April 4, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm  
West Windsor Branch  
333 North Post Road  
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550  
609-799-0462

Heartfulness: living by the heart. Experience simple yet effective guided relaxation and meditation techniques. Reduce stress, calm your mind, and improve the quality of your life. Practical sessions on Heartfulness meditation with Yogic Transmission. Open to teens and adults, ages 15 and over.

### **Financial Literacy**

Saturday, April 4, 1:00 – 2:00 pm  
West Windsor Branch  
333 North Post Road  
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550  
609-799-0462

This program is designed to provide participants with practical money skills, covering budgeting, saving, credit management, insurance basics and planning for specific events and long term. The session focuses on real-life decision-making, building financial confidence, and identifying sustainable habits that strengthen their financial wellbeing and future stability.

### **Understanding Inheritance Tax**

Tuesday, April 7, 6:30 pm  
Robbinsville Branch  
42 Robbinsville-Allentown Road  
Robbinsville, NJ 08691  
609-259-2150

April is Financial Literacy Month! Join Lisa Elkin-Wallis, an auditor with the New Jersey Division of Taxation for 14 years, as she covers the role of an executor or administrator, types of beneficiary classes, potential tax obligations, filing requirements, how to obtain waivers, and other important information you should know. A Q&A session will follow. *Registration is required.*

### **Is It AI?**

Tuesday, April 7, 7:00 – 8:00 pm  
Hickory Corner Branch  
138 Hickory Corner Road  
East Windsor, NJ 08520  
609-448-1330

You may not be able to completely avoid AI, but by using critical thinking, you can discern factual results and LLM “hallucinations” to use this technology as a supplement. This

presentation highlights AI's current skill levels and several MCLS databases that have incorporated it as an option when initiating a search. You will also learn best practices. *Registration is requested.*

### **Play Mah Jongg**

Thursdays, April 9, 16, 23 & 30, 3:00 – 5:00 pm

West Windsor Branch

333 North Post Road

Princeton Junction, NJ 08550

609-799-0462

We will be playing American Mah Jongg and using the most recent National Mah Jongg League (NMJL) Card. Open to players of all skill levels. Sponsored by the Friends of the West Windsor Library.

### **CASA Information Session**

Thursday, April 9, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

West Windsor Branch

333 North Post Road

Princeton Junction, NJ 08550

609-799-0462

CASA is a network of volunteers assigned by a NJ Family Court Judge to provide advocacy services for children in the foster care system. CASA volunteers work with the child's caregivers (e.g., foster parents, school, state case worker, etc.) to ensure these children are receiving all the services they require and nothing is falling through the cracks. The purpose of this Information Session is to explain the role of a CASA volunteer, and to recruit additional volunteers for unassigned children in the foster care system.

### **Haiku Prize Ceremony & Poetry Reading with Open Mic**

Thursday, April 9, 6:30 – 8:00 pm

Lawrence Headquarters Branch

2751 Brunswick Pike

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

609-883-8292

Celebrate National Poetry Month with the Mercer County Library System (MCLS) at a lively Poetry Reading and Haiku Prize Ceremony! Hear the winners and finalists read their award-winning haikus, meet the judges, connect with poets and poetry lovers, and enjoy a warm, literary night filled with inspiration and community. A 15-minute open mic session will follow—come early to sign up, share your own work, and cheer on fellow poets. Sponsored by the Friends of the Lawrence Library and Friends of the Hopewell Library. *Registration is requested.*

### **Bingo**

Thursday, April 9, 6:30 pm

Twin Rivers Branch

276 Abbington Drive

East Windsor, NJ 08520

609-443-1880

Do you love games? The Twin Rivers Library has bingo! Come and take a chance at winning a small prize. *Registration is required.*

### **Mah Jongg Meet-Up**

Saturdays, April 11 & 18, 10:00 am

Ewing Branch

61 Scotch Road

Ewing, NJ 08628

609-882-3148

New and experienced players are invited to play a game of Mahjong. Rules will be explained by a staff member when needed. Bring your own set or use one of the library's. Please bring your Mah Jongg card if you have one! Sponsored by the Friends of the Ewing Library. *Registration is required. Call 609-882-3148 or e-mail ewprogs@mcl.org.*

### **Retirement Planning**

Saturday, April 11, 10:30 am

Robbinsville Branch

42 Robbinsville-Allentown Road

Robbinsville, NJ 08691

609-259-2150

Planning for retirement doesn't have to be daunting. In honor of Financial Literacy Month, join a representative from AARP to learn tips for determining if you are on track, and learn practical strategies to help you achieve retirement peace of mind. It's never too late to take charge of your financial future. *Registration is required.*

### **College Funding Info Session**

Monday, April 13, 6:30 – 8:00 pm

Hickory Corner Branch

138 Hickory Corner Road

East Windsor, NJ 08520

609-448-1330

Learn how to get the most money possible in financial assistance for your child's college education costs. Presented by Kevin Simme, president of College Funding Alternatives, Inc. *Registration is requested.*

### **Caregiver Support Group (Bilingual)**

Tuesday, April 14, 12:00 - 1:30 pm

Hickory Corner Branch

138 Hickory Corner Road

East Windsor, NJ 08520

609-448-1330

This is a safe space to share and to learn about ways caregivers can cope with their stress and concerns. Kat Verdi, MAT, CADDCT, facilitates and shares (in English and Spanish) many resources available; her mission is to educate, empower, and encourage. Snacks will be provided. *Registration is required.*

### **Grupo de Apoyo para Cuidadores (Bilingüe)**

Martes, 14 de abril, de 12:00 a 1:30 p. m.

Este es un espacio seguro para compartir experiencias y conocer estrategias que permitan a los cuidadores manejar el estrés y las preocupaciones asociadas con su labor. La Sra. Kat Verdi, MAT, CADDCT, dirige la sesión y ofrece (en inglés y en español) diversos recursos disponibles. Su misión es educar, empoderar y brindar aliento a los cuidadores. *Se ofrecerán refrigerios. Es necesario inscribirse previamente con la librería.*

### **Adult Craft - Bird House Wind Chime**

Monday, April 13, 7:00 – 8:00 pm

Hollowbrook Branch

320 Hollowbrook Drive

Ewing, NJ 08638

609-883-5914

Crafting can be relaxing, and when you craft together with someone, it can help build a friendship and a sense of community. Join us at the Hollowbrook Branch and you can create a bird house wind chime. Snacks and water will be provided. For ages 18 and up. *Registration is required.*

### **Midday Masterpieces**

Tuesday, April 14, 2:30 – 3:30 pm

Hollowbrook Branch

320 Hollowbrook Drive

Ewing, NJ 08638

609-883-5914

Join us at the Hollowbrook Branch and have the chance to create the craft you might have missed out on the previous night. The craft for this program you will create a bird house wind chime. Snacks and water will be provided. For ages 18 and up. *Registration is required.*

### **Creative Coping Journaling: A Practice for an Inspired Life**

Wednesdays, April 15 & 29, 1:00 pm

Hightstown Memorial Branch

114 Franklin St.

Hightstown, NJ 08520

609-448-1474

Anyone looking for an inspirational and creative entry into journaling is invited to join this new writing group. We'll base our writings on curated journal entries from the Isolation Journals, the popular mindful journaling activity by Suleika Jaouad, author of "The Book of Alchemy." Led by Jessica Engelhart of JFCS of Greater Mercer County. In each session we'll read a journal prompt, consider what inspired it, write about it, and discuss it. No experience in creative or journal writing is necessary. Bring a journal or notepad or use the writing paper, pencils or pens available. *Registration is requested.*

### **"Rank the Desserts" and Ranked-Choice Voting**

Wednesday, April 15, 7:00 – 8:00 pm

Lawrence Headquarters Branch

2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8292

Join Stephanie Overton-Hall from Voter Choice New Jersey and the Lawrence League of Women Voters for “Rank the Desserts,” a fun, tasty way to explore ranked-choice voting! Sample delicious homemade desserts, rank your favorites on a real ballot, and watch the votes counted in real time. You’ll learn what ranked-choice voting is, how it works, and where it’s already being used—from Maine to Alaska to NYC. Come for the sweets, stay to discover how this simple system can make elections fairer and more representative! *Registration is requested.*

### **Karaoke Hour**

Thursday, April 16, 2:30 – 3:30 pm  
Hickory Corner Branch  
138 Hickory Corner Road  
East Windsor, NJ 08520  
609-448-1330

It’s all good fun! No matter what your singing ability, you’re bound to find an appreciative audience here at Hickory Corner Branch! Be sure to bring a list of songs you’d like to sing. Or come just to listen. *Registration is requested.*

### **Nazi Youth Camps in America**

Thursday, April 16, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8292

During Holocaust Remembrance Month, please join Barbara Krasner, Director of the Mercer County Holocaust, Genocide & Human Rights Education Center, for a compelling program on the little-known rise of German-American Bund youth camps in the 1930s and early 1940s, including New Jersey’s Camp Nordland. Drawing on primary sources and government records, she explores how these camps spread Nazi ideology in the United States—and how local communities resisted. Krasner also connects this history to her Newark family’s immigrant experience, offering a powerful reflection on vigilance, extremism, and the importance of remembrance. *Registration is requested.*

### **Yoga Nidra with Candice Wisaksono**

Friday, April 17, 2:00 – 3:00 pm  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8292

Join certified Yoga Nidra Teacher and Reiki Master Candice Wisaksono for a deeply restorative session designed to release stress, promote healing, and restore inner balance. Through the gentle practice of Yoga Nidra combined with Reiki energy, Candice creates a nurturing space where participants can experience peace, clarity, and renewal. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat to fully enjoy the practice.

### **Unearthing a Story: James Garfield**

Saturday, April 18, 10:00 – 11:30 am

Hopewell Branch

245 Pennington-Titusville Road

Pennington, NJ 08534

609-737-2610

Though his presidency was cut short by an assassin's bullet, James A. Garfield left behind a remarkable collection of correspondence. Join us to help digitize these fascinating historical documents. Participants are encouraged to bring a laptop; a limited number are available on site. *Unearthing a Story, One Page at a Time* is a collaborative transcription series where volunteers convert historical documents into searchable digital text, supporting researchers, genealogists, and the preservation of history for future generations. *Registration is requested.*

### **Adult Craft: Simple Coloring Page Suncatcher**

Monday, April 20, 2:00 pm

Twin Rivers Branch

276 Abbington Drive

East Windsor, NJ 08520

609-443-1880

Use coloring pages and canning jar rings to make a pretty hanging suncatcher. *Registration is required.*

### **Super Pentominoes**

Monday, April 20, 2:30 – 4:00 pm

West Windsor Branch

333 North Post Road

Princeton Junction, NJ 08550

609-799-0462

Ronghao Chen, engineer and puzzle inventor, presents new discoveries of an old and famous scientific block puzzle "Pentominoes". Playing the Pentominoes puzzle can increase your reasoning logically, improve your spatial thinking ability and have fun. His demonstration of 2D and 3D puzzle patterns shows you mathematical wizardry of geometry and combination. Many new puzzle solutions received by computer programming and solving are difficult to find if only used by the human brain. This event is suitable for ages 6 and above.

### **Quilling 101: Hearts**

Tuesday, April 21, 2:30 pm

Twin Rivers Branch

276 Abbington Drive,

East Windsor, NJ 08520

609-443-1880

We're rolling, cutting, and gluing thin strips of paper to make vibrant hearts this month. All materials will be provided. No experience necessary. *Registration is required.*

### **TrashedArt Contest Reception**

Tuesday, April 21, 6:30 – 8:00 pm  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8292

The Mercer County Library System is hosting the 17th Annual TrashedArt Contest Reception. The contest celebrates Earth Day by encouraging patrons to turn ordinary trash into extraordinary art. Grand prize winners will be awarded for first, second and third places, as well as a People's Choice award. The reception is open to the public. Light refreshments will be served. *Registration is requested.*

### **Stitch Club**

Wednesday, April 22, 2:30 pm  
Twin Rivers Branch  
276 Abbington Drive  
East Windsor, NJ 08520  
609-443-1880

Come learn the basics of cross-stitch and embroidery or bring a work in progress for some designated stitching time. *Registration is required.*

### **Zen Coloring**

Thursday, April 23, 4:00 pm  
Twin Rivers Branch  
276 Abbington Drive  
East Windsor, NJ 08520  
609-443-1880

Take a break from your busy day and enjoy the meditative practice of coloring. No artistic experience needed, just come to relax and recharge. *Registration is required.*

### **Lawrence HQ Branch Blood Drive**

Saturday, April 25, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8292

Mercer County Library's Lawrence Headquarters Branch is partnering with the American Red Cross and the Boozy Book Babes Book Club to host a community blood drive. Donating blood is a simple way to make a lifesaving difference, and your contribution helps support patients in urgent need. Appointments are required to ensure a smooth experience for all donors.

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### **How to Create a Pollinator Garden for Beginners**

Saturday, April 25, 10:30 am

Hopewell Branch  
245 Pennington-Titusville Road  
Pennington, NJ 08534  
609-737-2610

Join the Hopewell Valley Community Wildlife Habitat Program for a fun and informative session on starting your own pollinator garden. Learn all about the importance of pollinators and how you can attract them to your garden. Expert speakers will guide you through the process step by step. You will learn how to start a garden of any size (even if you are new to gardening), why now is the time to start your garden and how to create a low maintenance garden that you'll love. Don't miss out on this opportunity to make a positive impact on the environment while beautifying your outdoor space. *Registration is requested.*

### **Haitian Food Tasting**

Saturday, April 25, 2:00 pm  
Hightstown Memorial Branch  
114 Franklin St.  
Hightstown, NJ 08520  
609-448-1474

Curious about Afro-Caribbean cuisine? Marie Rochelin, of Black Perle Haitian Cuisine, will give a presentation on this style of cookery and its ingredients before offering a tasty sampling. Sponsored by the Hightstown Library Association. *Registration is required.*

### **Non-Fiction Book Group: *This Is What America Looks Like***

Tuesday, April 28, 10:30 am  
Ewing Branch  
61 Scotch Road  
Ewing, NJ 08628  
609-882-3148

Join us in reading *This Is What America Looks Like: My Journey from Refugee to Congresswoman* by Ilhan Omar. An intimate and rousing memoir by progressive trailblazer Ilhan Omar - the first African refugee, the first Somali-American, and one of the first Muslim women elected to Congress. *Registration is required. Call 609-882-3148 or e-mail [ewprogs@mcl.org](mailto:ewprogs@mcl.org).*

### **Community Toran (Banner)**

Wednesday, April 29, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Hickory Corner Branch  
138 Hickory Corner Road  
East Windsor, NJ 08520  
609-448-1330

We will be making a community Toran, a colorful doorway banner with beautiful, patterned fabric. This will be our first meeting to plan the project. *Registration is not required.*

### **History of the Yardley-Wilburtha Bridge**

Wednesday, April 29, 6:30 pm  
Ewing Branch

61 Scotch Road  
Ewing, NJ 08628  
609-882-3148

Presented by Joe Donnelly, Deputy Executive Director of Communications, Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission. A series of bridges once crossed the Delaware River between Ewing Township's Wilburtha section and what is now Yardley, PA. In 1835, the two states authorized the formation of a local stock-issuing company to establish a new bridge crossing, which led to the construction of the eighth covered wooden bridge along the river. And that's when a mystery begins: nobody knows when that bridge opened or who built it. Mr. Donnelly will attempt to unravel some of the mystery, with a presentation about the largely forgotten wooden and steel river bridges that once served Ewing. *Registration is required. Call 609-882-3148 or e-mail ewprogs@mcl.org.*

### **New York Blood Center Blood Drive**

Thursday, April 30, 12:00 – 6:00 pm  
Robbinsville Branch  
42 Robbinsville-Allentown Road  
Robbinsville, NJ 08691  
609-259-2150

Help us put a pause on blood shortages. Donate blood today and you can save up to three lives. New York Blood Center (NYBC) is one of the largest community-based, non-profit blood collection and distribution organizations in the United States. *Registration is required.*

### **Featured Youth Services In-Person Programs for April 2026**

#### **Kids' Concert with Miss Kim**

Wednesday, April 1, 10:00 am  
Hightstown Memorial Branch  
114 Franklin St.  
Hightstown, NJ 08520  
609-448-1474

Join local musician Miss Kim for 30 minutes of classic and original children's songs. Sponsored by the Hightstown Library Association. For children up to age 5. *Registration is requested.*

#### **Easter Egg Hunt**

Wednesday April 1, 2:00 – 2:30 pm  
Thursday, April 2, 2:00 – 2:30 pm  
320 Hollowbrook Drive  
Ewing, NJ 08638  
609-883-5914

The Easter Bunny visited the Hollowbrook Branch and hid some of his eggs inside the library. It's your job to find all his eggs and keep the prizes inside. For ages 4 and up. *Registration is required.*

#### **The Great Egg-scape Birthday Bash**

Wednesday, April 1, 5:00 pm  
West Windsor Branch  
333 North Post Road  
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550  
609-799-0462

Join us as we celebrate the hatching of our chicks! We'll begin our party by meeting some adorable, fuzzy chicks and singing a special birthday chorus. Afterward, explore stations - such as engineering and crafts - to learn more about our chicks. At the end, everyone will receive a sweet treat to take home. All ages welcome, youngest with a caregiver. Sponsored by the Friends of the West Windsor Library.

*Registration is required.*

### **BINGO Character Meet & Greet**

Thursday, April 2, 10:00 am  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8295

Bingo is visiting our Lawrence Branch! Come pose for a photo with Bingo and then stay for themed crafts and activities. For kids of all ages, with a caregiver. *Registration is required at [www.mcl.org](http://www.mcl.org).*

### **Author Visit - LaToya Thomas**

Thursday, April 2, 4:00 – 4:45 pm  
Ewing Branch  
61 Scotch Road  
Ewing, NJ 08628  
609-882-3148

LaToya Thomas has written two beautiful books entitled *Lilly's Lesson: A Lesson in Self-Control* and *An Attitude of Gratitude: A Reminder of the Beauty That Exists Around Us*. Hear the author read her books and talk about her process in creating them. Everyone will receive a bookmark! For children ages 4 and up. *Registration is required. Call 609-882-3130 or e-mail [ewprogs@mcl.org](mailto:ewprogs@mcl.org).*

### **Sensory Storytime**

Fridays, April 10, 17 & 24, 10:00 – 10:30 am  
Hollowbrook Branch  
320 Hollowbrook Drive  
Ewing, NJ 08638  
609-883-5914

In April, for Autism Acceptance Month, the Hollowbrook Branch will be hosting a Sensory Storytime. During this program, we will pair sensory items the children can play with that will go along with the books being read. We will also sing songs and create a fun craft. This program is for children ages 3 and up. *Registration is required.*

### **Drop-In Caregivers & Littles Meet Up**

Friday, April 10, 10:00 am  
Hightstown Memorial Branch  
114 Franklin St.  
Hightstown, NJ 08520  
609-448-1474

Caregivers and their little ones (up to age 5) can meet up and socialize with one another. Children can play with age-appropriate toys while caregivers chat. Library staff will be present in the room. *Registration is not required.*

### **Children's Music with Miss Kim**

Friday, April 10, 10:30 am  
West Windsor Branch  
333 North Post Road  
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550  
609-799-0462

Are you ready for a rollicking good time with Miss Kim? She'll have your little one hoppin' and boppin' along to her music in no time! For ages 0-5 years with a caregiver. Sponsored by the Friends of the West Windsor Library.  
*Registration is not required.*

### **Play-Doh Challenge**

Fridays, April 10, 17 & 24, 2:00 – 2:30 pm  
Hollowbrook Branch  
320 Hollowbrook Drive  
Ewing, NJ 08638  
609-883-5914

Are you up for a challenge? The Play-Doh Challenge program will test your creativity and thinking skills while the clock ticks down. The challenges involve molding Play-Doh into whatever the challenge card instructs you to do. For ages 5-9. *Registration is required.*

### **STEM Squad: Potato Battery**

Saturday, April 11, 11:00 am  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8295

Check out a potato battery demonstration involving simple electricity principles! Presented by a Lawrence High student. For ages 4 years old and up, with a caregiver. *Registration is required at [www.mcl.org](http://www.mcl.org).*

### **Read with JoJo**

Saturday, April 18, 10:30 – 11:30 am  
Hightstown Memorial Branch  
114 Franklin St.  
Hightstown, NJ 08520  
609-448-1474

Children (ages 5 & up) who can read independently can sign up for a 15-minute session to read with JoJo the certified therapy dog. *Registration is required by calling the library at 609-448-1474.*

### **Earth Day Storytime with the Lawrence Junior Historians**

Saturday, April 18, 11:00 am  
Lawrence Headquarters Branch  
2751 Brunswick Pike  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648  
609-883-8295

Celebrate Earth Day with this special storytime presented by the Lawrence Junior Historians! Listen to nature stories and songs, followed by a craft. For ages 2-5 years old, with a caregiver. *Registration is required at [www.mcl.org](http://www.mcl.org).*

### **Colonial Tales & Treasures**

Saturday, April 18, 1:30 - 3:30 pm  
West Windsor Branch  
333 North Post Road  
Princeton Junction, NJ 08550  
609-799-0462

What was it like to grow up in West Windsor hundreds of years ago? Bring the whole family to discover the magic of the Colonial Era (1600-1700s). Our friends from the West Windsor Historical Society will share cozy folk talks and local legends during a special storytime. Afterwards, get creative at our craft stations where we will make traditional colonial keepsakes to take home. For ages 5-11 years. Sponsored by the Friends of the West Windsor Library. *Registration is required.*

### **Earth Day Storytime**

Wednesday, April 22, 3:00 – 3:45 pm  
Ewing Branch  
61 Scotch Road  
Ewing, NJ 08628  
609-882-3148

Join us for the Earth Day Story-time and decorate a flower pot with your own creative design and plant a flower seed. For children of all ages. Sponsored by the Friends of the Ewing Library. *Registration is required. Call 609-882-3130 or e-mail [ewprogs@mcl.org](mailto:ewprogs@mcl.org).*

## **Featured Technology In-Person Programs for April 2026**

### **Spring Spreadsheet Series:**

#### **Intro to Excel**

Wednesday, April 1, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

#### **Excel Essentials**

Wednesday, April 8, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

#### **Google Sheets**

Monday, April 13, 10:00 – 11:00 am

**Excel: Charts and Graphs**

Wednesday, April 15, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

**Excel: Pivot Tables**

Wednesday, April 22, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

**Excel: Formulas and Functions**

Wednesday, April 29, 6:30 – 7:30 pm

Lawrence Headquarters Branch

2751 Brunswick Pike

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

609-882-4050

Learn how to use two popular spreadsheet programs to organize data, set up tables and charts, and apply formulas. *Registration is required at [www.mcl.org/events/computer](http://www.mcl.org/events/computer).*

**Open Labs**

Friday, April 17, 10:00 – 11:30 am

Monday, April 27, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

Lawrence Headquarters Branch

2751 Brunswick Pike

Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

609-882-4050

Bring your questions about your personal technology devices or work on a project with the trainers there to help. *Registration is required at [www.mcl.org/events/computer](http://www.mcl.org/events/computer).*