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## National Library Week, Poetry Month coming in April

The arrival of April is special to many people for different reasons — for some it signifies spring time, while for others it marks the beginning of baseball season.

April is also a big month for libraries. National Library Week (April 8-14) and National Poetry Month are both recognized during that month.

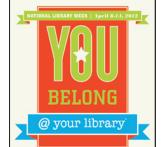
Whether you are a job seeker looking for resources to land a new job, a parent looking for free activities for children or a student search-

**SEE PAGE 2 FOR SPECIAL LIBRARY WEEK/POETRY MONTH EVENTS** 

ing for your next favorite book, you belong at your library.

Today's libraries help level the playing field by making both print and digital information affordable, available and accessible to all people. Libraries

provide cultural heritage and genealogical collections, materials in print



and electronic formats, job seeking resources, English as a second language and citizenship classes and many other creative and resourceful programs.

Libraries have historically served as our nation's great equalizers of

knowledge. The strength of libraries has always been the diversity of their

collections and commitment to serving all people. This National Library Week, join our nation's libraries and librarians by celebrating the place where we all belong.

"Today's libraries provide a wide range of opportunities for people with diverse needs and interests," Atlantic City Free Public Library Director Maureen Frank said. "That means providing their communities with tailor made collections and ser-

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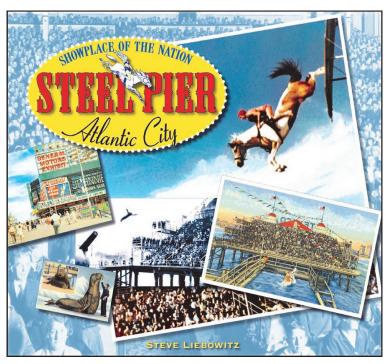
## Liebowitz to discuss book about Steel Pier

The Atlantic City Free Public Library will hold a special Meet the Author program featuring Steve Liebowitz at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 31, in the Main Library's second-floor meeting room.

Liebowitz will discuss his book "Steel Pier, Atlantic City: Showplace of the Nation." His work is the first in depth book written solely on Steel Pier.

This program is free and open to people of all ages.

A large-format coffeetable book, Steel Pier, Atlantic City: Showplace of the Nation chronicles the history of seaside entertainment piers, Atlantic City's competing piers and the incredible rise of Steel Pier, which



Author Steve Liebowitz wrote "Steel Pier, Atlantic City: Showplace of the Nation."

has been described as "a combination of Broadway, Miami, Las Vegas, Hollywood, Barnum and Bailey, and a state fair." The book includes 227 historic photographs and images.

Liebowitz, who has researched the Steel Pier and Atlantic City's entertainment history for years, has written articles for the *Baltimore Sun, Baltimore Jewish Times* and *Generations*, the journal of the Jewish Museum of Maryland. He resides outside of Baltimore.

Please call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3112, for more information.

## African American Heritage Museum honors library

The Atlantic City Free Public Library was among four groups selected to be honored by the African American Heritage Museum of Southern New Jersey at the museum's 10th anniversary celebration on Feb.

Museum founder Ralph E. Hunter, Sr,, thanked the library for its "continued commitment to the African American Heritage Museum, and for sharing in its mission to enhance the cultural and educational land-

scape of this region."

The library has partnered with Hunter and the museum the last several years. The library has displayed several popular exhibits that Hunter has created in celebration of Black History Month. He has also been a guest speaker at the library.

The museum also selected AtlantiCare, Buena Vista Township and The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey as this year's honorees.

# Fun, interactive program explores work of Dr. Seuss

The Atlantic City Free Public Library will examine the works and background of Dr. Seuss with a special Seussology children's program at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, March 8, in the Main Library meeting room. The program is for children ages 4-8.

A very funny and silly cat runs this fun, lively and interactive program, causing all types of mischief along the way.

Participants can test their knowledge of Seuss Trivia in the Seussology Game Show. Interact with the Cat in the Hat as he teaches the Foot Book Dance during the Seus-



The library's Seussology program last year was a hit with the children.

sology Dance Party. Comedy abounds as tongue twisting is taken to the next level during Seussology Rhyming Time.

For more information on this program, please call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050.

# Get into St. Patrick's Day spirit at free library concert

The Atlantic City Free Public Library will celebrate St. Patrick's Day by hosting an Irish concert 6 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, at the Main Library. The concert is free and open to people of all ages. No registration is required.

Ceol Binn, featuring Soprano-guitarist Leslie Clarke and harpist Stephanie Sussmeier, will perform. Clarke has performed as a soloist with the Stockton Oratorio Society, Festival Chorus, St. Peter's United Methodist Church, First Church of Christ Scientist in Ocean City, and with the Tuscany Singers at the Renault Winery and Joseph's Restaurants.

Sussmeier has been playing the harp for more than a decade. She performs for weddings and background music, and teaches harp at her home and at the Ocean City Arts Center.

For more information, call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3115.

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# Tax assistance available at library by appointment

AARP Tax Aide Program volunteers will be at the Main Library (One North Tennessee Ave.) to provide tax assistance on Wednesdays through April 11.

You must make an appointment by calling (609) 677-8266. The volunteers will be in the Main Library meeting room on the second floor from 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

This service is for low-income residents and senior residents of Atlantic County.

# **Enjoy 24/7 access to eBooks** with Gale Virtual Library

Atlantic City Public Library card holders have 24/7 access to the Gale Virtual Reference Library, which is available from any device with an Internet connection.

The Gale Virtual Reference Library provides access to eBooks covering thousands of topics, including: biography, business, education, environment, history, religion and science. These eBooks are a great place to start your research, since they offer well-researched and detailed information.

The library has added two new prestigious eBooks on Islam: "Encyclopaedia of the Qur'an" and "Islamic



Beliefs, Practices and Cultures."

To find our eBooks, use the library's Online Catalog located on the front of the library's website — www.acfpl.org; or, choose the Do Research tab on the library's website and select Premium eResources and go to Dictionaries and Encyclopedias section.

Call (609) 345-2269, e-mail reflib@acfpl.org or visit the Main Library Reference Desk for more information.



## Prominent A.C. couples highlighted at library

The Atlantic City Free Public Library offered an exhibit, "Atlantic City Portraits of a People," during February for Black History Month. The exhibit, created by African-American Heritage Museum of Southern New Jersey founder Ralph E. Hunter, Sr., featured prominent African-American Atlantic City couples, along with 100-year-old photos of a local family, the Pettijohns. (Top) Art Dorrington, Karlos and Joanna LaSane, Edythe Greene and Georgeanna Davis listen to Hunter introduce them. (Right) Hunter discusses a photo featuring Ralph and Edythe Greene.



## Library offers free ESL classes

The Atlantic City Free Public Library offers its card holders ESL classes.

The ESL classes — open to adults 18 years of age and older — are essential for students to not only gain English language skills, but to help them adjust to American life and culture.

Registration is required. To register, visit the Main Library's first-floor tutoring room from 12-1 p.m. on Mondays. Those who can't make it to the Main Library at that time can call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3115.

Everyday Finances

Fridays from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 13, 20, 27 Students get acquainted with the American banking system. Students will learn terms and get information about handling personal finances and more.

Intermediate ESL Class

Mondays from 1-4 p.m. March 5, 12, 19, 26 and April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Students will practice conversational skills. They will learn appropriate and relevant vocabulary, and gain more confidence performing basic and advanced functions of daily life.

## Discover America! ESL Conversation Class

Tuesdays from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. March 6, 13, 20, 27 and April 3, 10, 17, 24

Participants will discuss America's geography, government, culture and citizenship requirements. In addition to speaking skills, participants will work on reading, writing and listening.

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vices for people of diverse backgrounds, language abilities and technological skills."

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the country each April.

The Atlantic City Free Public Library will celebrate National Library and National Poetry Month.

The library will continue a tradition by holding a "Food for Fines" food drive during National Library Week. People can make a donation of non-perishable food items in lieu of paying a fine on overdue materials April 9-14 at both its Main Library and Atlantic City Library Express locations. The food will be donated to the Community FoodBank of New Jersey — Southern

Branch. For each nonperishable item donated, the accrued fines for one overdue item will be waived.

The library has also scheduled some special programs in recognition of National Library Week and National Poetry Month:

## Teen and Tween Poetry Contest

Entries accepted March 5-April 1.

April is National Poetry Month! Students ages 9-11, 12-14, and 15-17 are invited to submit up to three poems in any style and on any subject. Winners will be announced on April 16, and winning poems will be on display in the Teen Lounge through the month of April. Submit your poems at the Youth Services Desk or email them to lhunt@acfpl.org. Include your name, age and phone number with your submissions. Prizes will be awarded for first place and honorable mentions in each age category.

Write Your Own Memoir: Creative Writing Series Mondays at 6 p.m. April 2, 9, 23, 30 In this four-part series, which will be held in celebration of National Library Week and Poetry Month, participants will learn tips and skills to write creatively, with an emphasis on poetry and the memoir. Their values, beliefs, and life lessons learned that they would like to share will be weaved into one beautiful piece. Instructor Eva Feeley is a writer and teacher of all types of creative writing. Her memoir-writing classes have become very popular in Cape May and surrounding counties over the past few years. She shares her love of writing and poetry with members of the region's libraries, nursing home and hospices.

## Intro to Poetry and the Spoken Word

Saturday, April 21, at 2 p.m. 2 p.m.

This workshop is an introduction to the process of both writing and performing. Through a series of theater games, improvisational exercises and writing prompts, students will develop short written pieces which they will then work on staging and presenting as performance pieces. Register by calling (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050. Ages 10-17

#### Watch, discuss movies with Film Society

The Atlantic City Free Public Library's Film Society has announced its schedule for March and April:

## View and Discuss: 12 Angry Men

Saturday, March 10, at 1 p.m. This 1957 courtroom drama stars Henry Fonda and was directed by Sidney Lumet. It is not rated and runs 96 minutes.

#### Director Sidney Lumet Manday, March 12, at 5:30

Monday, March 12, at 5:30 p.m. This classroom session will fo-

cus on the life and career of this legendary filmmaker.

#### View and Discuss: Memento

Saturday, April 14, at 1 p.m. This 2000 psychological thriller stars Guy Pearce and was directed by Christopher Nolan. It is rated R and runs 113 minutes

#### Short Story-to-Screen

Monday, April 16, at 5:30 p.m. This classroom session will focus on how short stories are adapted and expanded into feature-length films.

### Library marks Women's History Month with quilt mosaic program

Looking for fun and educational activities that the family can enjoy and learn about together?

The Atlantic City Free Public Library offers weekly "Fun Day Sunday" programs that are designed for children and adults. The programs are held at 2 p.m. in the Main Library's second-floor meeting room. The programs are free.

Participants will make a quilt mosaic on March 18 in celebration of Women's History Month. Quilt making is an original form of recycling to make something both useful and beautiful. Participants will work with quilt patterns and create their own quilt mosaic.

Please see the Family Events section on page three for the complete Sunday schedule.

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PLEASE NOTE: Space is limited for the Sunday programs. Call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050, to reserve a space.

Nobody will be admitted into the Sunday programs after 2:15 p.m.

#### Read Across America with Dr. Seuss Capture a Quote Bookmarks

Sunday, March 4, at 2 p.m. Using a variety of materials, participants will choose an image and a quote from a Dr. Seuss book and create a personalized bookmark. All supplies are provided. Ages 6 through adult.

### Iris Folded Shamrock

Sunday, March 11, at 2

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day by making an exquisite paper-cut shamrock. Iris folding is done by arranging and layering strips of paper



or even fabric in a spiraled pattern that resembles the iris of a camera lens. All supplies are provided. Ages 8 through adult.

#### Quilt Mosaic in Honor of Women's **History Month**

Sunday, March 18, at 2 p.m. Please see story on page two for program description.

#### **Make Nouveau Tiles**

Sunday, March 25, at 2 p.m. Beginning in the 1880s, the "Art Nouveau" style flourished in art. Beautiful pottery was mass produced during this era. Make your own hand-painted tiles that look like the real thing. All supplies are provided. Ages 8 through adult.

#### **Loom Flowers**

Sunday, April 1, at 2 p.m. Participants will create synthetic flowers on a small round loom by wrapping the yarn from peg to opposite peg and rotating the loom. These flowers that could be used as part of a headband, a gift topper ... the sky's the limit!

#### **Indoor Mini-Garden Crate**

Sunday, April 15, at 2 p.m. Participants will assemble and decorate a crate, decorate improvised flower pots, and then plant flowers in their indoor garden. All supplies are provided. Ages 8 through adult.

#### Life in the Saltmarsh

Sunday, April 22, at 2 p.m.

Participants will assist our Wetlands Institute instructor in creating a living model of a salt marsh. As they go, they'll be introduced to the extremely important elements of a salt marsh, including; tides, mud, sun, grasses, bacteria, fiddler crabs, snails, plankton, fish, terrapins, birds, and how all of these elements affect humans. Once the model is created, participants will be able to take a closer look and also investigate other hands-on activities and live animal touch tanks. Ages 8 through adult.

#### **Huichol Yarn Paintings to Celebrate** Cinco de Mayo

Sunday, April 29, at 2 p.m.

In the United States, Cinco de Mayo (May 5) has become a day to celebrate Mexican history, culture and art. In this workshop, participants will explore the traditional yarn painting of the Huichol peoples of Mexico. Using a variety of materials, and using Huichol designs as an inspiration, participants will create their own yarn paintings. All supplies are provided. Ages 8 through adult.

ALL PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT **TO CHANGE** 

THE ATLANTIC CITY FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED: **APRIL 6 AND 8** 

### **Computer training** for library members

Call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3066, for more information

Setting up an Email Account Tuesday, March 6, at 4:30 p.m.

**Managing and Sending Digital Photos** Friday, March 9, at 1 p.m.

**Computer Fundamentals** Tuesday, March 13, at 4:30 p.m.

**Navigating the Internet** Tuesday, March 20, at 4:30 p.m.

**Computer Fundamentals** Friday, March 23, at 1 p.m.

**Job Applications and Resumes** Tuesday, March 27, at 4:30 p.m.

**Beginning Word** 

Tuesday, April 3, at 4:30 p.m.

Job Applications and Resumes Tuesday, April 10, at 4:30 p.m.

**Fundamentos de Computacion** (Taught in Spanish) Tuesday, April 17, at 4:30 p.m.

**Computer Fundamentals** Friday, April 20, at 1 p.m.

**Beginning Excel** 

Tuesday, April 24, at 4:30 p.m.

Selling Items on eBay Wednesday, April 25, at 10 a.m.

NOTE: Classes are three hours long unless noted. Pre-registration is required at the Computer Help Desk on the first floor of the Main Library.



#### **OLDER ADULTS** SPECIAL INTEREST SERIES

Call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3115, for more information

**Arts and Crafts: Maracas** 

Monday, March 5, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Jackie Caplan

New Year, New You! Anti-Aging Skin Care Workshop (Part I)

Monday, March 12, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Maritza Rodriguez-Smith, Beauty Consultant

**Senior Wellness: Detoxification** 

Monday, March 19, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Steve Chang, Pharmacist

Morning with the Mayor

Guest: Jackie Caplan

Monday, March 26, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Hon. Lorenzo T. Langford, Mayor of the City of Atlantic City

**Arts and Crafts: Mosaic Coasters** Monday, April 2, at 10:30 a.m.

New Year, New You! Anti-Aging Skin Care Workshop (Part II)

Monday, April 9, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Maritza Rodriguez-Smith, Beauty Consultant

Senior Wellness: 10-Minute Workout Monday, April 16, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Steve Chang, Pharmacist

**Seniors and Social Security Issues** Monday, April 23, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Carolyn Conover, Atlantic County

Division of Intergenerational Services

Seniors on Safety (S.O.S.) Program Monday, April 30, at 10:30 a.m. Guest: Mary Rodgers, AtlantiCare Regional Medical Center Trauma Center

## Youth Services Programs

#### Call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050, for more information

#### **Homework Help**

Need Homework Help? Call Youth Services (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050, to make an appointment with a librarian for personalized homework and information literacy help.

#### **Teen Choice Awards**

Vote for your favorite movies, songs, and video games at the library March 4-10 and be entered in a raffle for extra computer or gaming time. Ages 13-17.

#### **Teen and Tween Poetry Contest**

Entries accepted March 5-April 1. See National Library Week/National Poetry Month story beginning on page one for details about this program.

#### **Pre-school Rhyme Time**

Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and April 5, 12, 19,

Features stories, songs, finger plays and crafts. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Library story times are a fun way to help your child develop skills they will need to be ready to read. Ages 3-5.

#### **Baby Bounce and Play Group**

Thursdays at 11:30 a.m. March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and April 5, 12, 19, 26

Stories, songs, rhymes and movement help build pre-reading skills. Best suited for infants to age 2 with caregiver.

#### **Comic Drawing**

Thursdays at 3:30 p.m.

March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and April 5, 12, 19,

Marvel DC Comic Illustrator Joe Del Beato will lead the drawing instruction. All materials supplied. Ages 9-17.

#### Paws to Read with Baby Bully

Fridays at 4 p.m. March 2, 16 and April 13, 27

"Children reading to dogs" is a program for children to read to Baby Bully, a certified therapy dog, in a relaxed and fun environment. Ages 4-10.

#### Wii Madness

Thursday, March 8, at 2 p.m. Compete in a single-elimination Wii Sports Tournament to determine the Wii Madness Champion. Register by calling (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050. Ages 13-17.

#### **Creative Craft Fridays**

Fridays at 3:30 p.m. March 9, 23 and April 20

Kids use their imagination to make and take home crafts with seasonal themes. Children less than 9 years of age must be accompanied by an adult/guardian. All materials supplied. Ages 6-16.

#### Tween Day in the Teen Lounge

Saturdays at 11 a.m. March 10 and April 7, 14

Kids are invited to rock out in the Teen Space. This is your chance to enjoy gaming: Xbox360, PS3, Nintendo Wii. Participants need a library card in good standing. Ages 9-12.

## Crafty Teens: Geeked Out Jewelry

Saturday, March 10, at 2 p.m. Recycle our old computer parts to make unique, "geeked out" jewelry. Register by calling (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050. Ages

#### Children's Book Club

Saturdays at 3 p.m. March 17, 31 and April 14, 28 Share a great book, then learn how to

make an interactive poster about it with graphics, video, sound and text. Any child who joins receives a free copy of the book. Refreshments and crafts included. Call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050, to register. Ages 8-11.

#### **Teen Advisory Group**

Saturday, March 24, at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 21, at 1 p.m.

Teen Advisory Group meets monthly to discuss volunteer projects, changes to the library, teen programs, and much more! Ages 13-17.

#### Teen Filmmakers Club

Saturday, March 24, at 3:15 p.m. Actors, directors, camera operators, makeup artists and film enthusiasts create book trailers, library videos, and other video projects. Ages 13-17.

#### **Journal Spilling**

Saturday, April 7, at 2 p.m.

Create a mixed-media journal entry using water color paints and collage techniques. Participants will take home their own journal. Register by calling (609) 345 -2269, ext. 3050. Ages 13-17.

#### **Create Embossed Metal Encaustics**

Tuesday, April 10, at 2 p.m. Derived from the Greek word "enkaustikos," meaning "to heat" or "to burn," wax-based paints have been used by artists and craftsmen since the 5th

#### **Crafty Teens: Food Wrapper Purse**

Wednesday, April 11, at 2 p.m. Celebrate Earth Day by making a change purse using recycled food wrappers. Register by calling (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050. Ages 13-17.

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### **Adult programs**

#### **Irish Concert**

Wednesday, March 14, at 6 p.m. See story on page one for description.

Meet the Author: Steve Liebowitz Saturday, March 31, at 2 p.m. See story on page one for description.

Write Your Memoir Writing Series April 2, 9, 23 and 30, at 6 p.m. See National Library Week/National Poetry Month story beginning on page one for details about this program.

#### Current Issues Series: The 2012 **United States Presidential Election** Wednesday, April 25, at 6 p.m.

Richard Stockton College of New Jersey Political Science professor Dr. Arcuri will take an in-depth look at the upcoming United States presidential election. This discussion will include the pros and cons of the different candidates.

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#### FILM SOCIETY Watch • Listen • Learn • Discuss

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THE MAIN LIBRARY
IS OPEN SEVEN DAYS
A WEEK!

#### **CITY COUNCIL HONORS LIBRARY'S TEEN VOLUNTEERS**

Atlantic City's City Council approved resolutions honoring the Atlantic City Free Public Library's teen volunteers on Feb. 22 at City Hall. Each teen earned a Presidential Volunteer Service Award for the number of hours they volunteered at the library over the previous year.

The President's Volunteer Service Award recognizes individuals, families, and groups that have achieved a certain standard – measured by the number of hours of service over a 12-month period or cumulative hours earned over the course of a lifetime.

The library staff members and teen volunteers pictured are (from left to right): Teen Services librarian Laura Hunt, teen volunteers Nicole Agosto, Destiny Story, Shanordo Thorpe, An Le, Darsh Patel, Hannan Kaleem, Rabiul Sany and Manisha Kapasiawala, and Library Director Maureen Sherr Frank. City Council members pictured in the back (from left to right) are: Moisse Delgado, Aaron Randolph, Marty Small,



William Marsh, Rizwan Malik, Frank Gilliam and Steven L. Moore.

Each of the teens volunteered at least 50 hours during 2011, while Agosto and Sany volunteered more than 250 hours.

During the year, the teens assisted the librarians with more than 35 programs (including festivals), helped develop the library's new teen website, wrote blogs and book reviews, shelved materials and more.

The Atlantic City Free Public Library is a service of the City of Atlantic City.



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## Did You Know?

## The library's collection features books written in 15 languages

Here are some other interesting or helpful facts about the Atlantic City Free Public Library.

- The library offers free validation of one-hour parking at the New York Avenue Parking Garage. Tip: if you visit the Main Library on the weekend, park in an unmarked spot in the nearby City Hall parking lot.
- An expanded Richmond Branch Library is being constructed and should be open within the next year.
- The Main Library is open seven days a week, and Atlantic City Library Express a temporary location while the Richmond Branch is under construction is open Tuesday through Saturday.
- The current best sellers list and books on the list are prominently displayed on a rack near the main entrance to the Main Library.
- Most of the library's premium e-resources are available to our members 24/7 from any device with access to the Internet.
- A free online tutoring service for children and teens is available through the library's website. Call (609) 345-2269, ext. 3050, to learn more.
- Library card holders can make an advance reservation to use a computer
- If you need Word Processing, you will be given up to two hours of computer time if you have a computer card.
- Free computer training classes are offered for library members including classes in Spanish!
- The libray's International Night Series, featuring live music and dance performances, are held Wednesdays in July and August at Kennedy Plaza.
- The Main Library features a unique Teen Space, complete with great computers, graffiti art mural, big -screen TV and popular gaming systems.



#### **Main Library**

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Free parking — ask for details

#### **Main Library Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday & Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday 12 p.m. to 5 p.m.

#### **Library Express**

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Atlantic City, NJ 08401
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Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Friday & Saturday
10 a.m. to 6 p.m.



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