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SCHLOW CENTRE REGION LIBRARY
Your Guide to Reading & Learning

[March/April 2025]

Schlow Highlights: Children's



Friday, March 21 at 9:30am-11:30am

Curious about your child's developmental progress? Evaluations are administered by certified therapists from local early intervention agencies.

Ages: Newborn to 5 years

Where: Children's Activity Room

No registration necessary, but children will be evaluated on a first come, first served basis.

Skills will be evaluated in five major areas:

- motor (crawling, rolling, walking, hand-eye coordination)
- social (attention span, interactions, play)
- cognitive (thinking, reasoning)
- language (speech, understanding, pronunciation of words)
- adaptive (eating, dressing, toileting)

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Saturday, April 5 at 10:30am

Enjoy a fabulously fun show with local puppeteer Adam Swartz and his puppet friends!

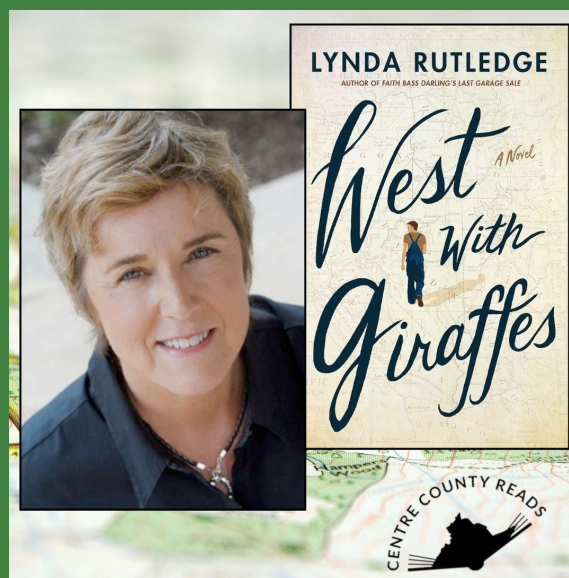
Recommended for ages 2-10.

Registration suggested.

This program is presented and performed in memory of Adam's mother, Susan Hazi Swartz.

[Register](#)

Schlow Highlights: Adult & Teen



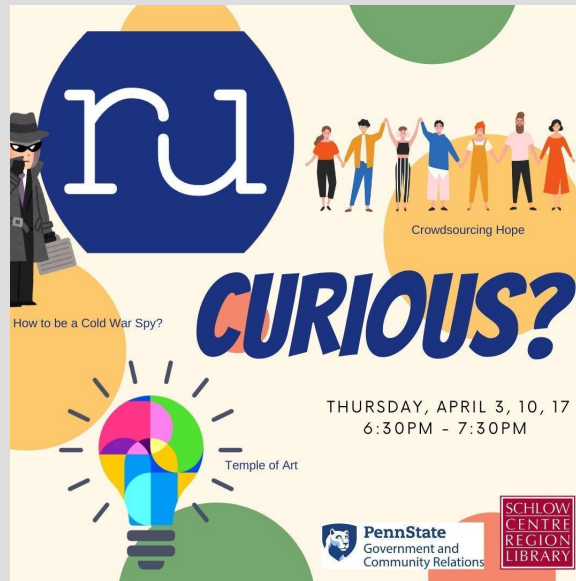
Wednesday, March 26 at 7:00pm

Join us for the highlight of Centre County Reads 2025: A Virtual Evening with Lynda Rutledge! Bestselling author Rutledge will join Dr. John Marsh, director of Penn State's Centre for American Literary Studies, in a moderated discussion followed by audience questions. Part adventure, part

historical saga, and part coming-of-age love story, *West with Giraffes* explores what it means to be changed by the grace of animals, the kindness of strangers, the passing of time, and a story told before it's too late.

This program is provided in cooperation with the Centre County Reads.

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April 3, 10, & 17 at 6:30pm

RU Curious? is back! Join us Thursday evenings in April to learn about fascinating topics.

April 3: How To Be a Cold War Spy

April 10: Temple of Art

April 17: Crowdsourcing Hope

No registration required.

Presented in cooperation with Penn State's Office of Government and Community Relations.

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Children's Event Calendar



Adult & Teen Events Calendar



Author Spotlight

Did You Know?



Schlow Meets You Where You Are!

Help us determine how we can communicate with you better online.

Please take a few minutes to complete this survey to help us determine the type of content that you would like to see and where you would like to see it.

Staff Spotlight



Courtney Steiner

Children's Library Assistant

What do you love about working at Schlow?

I love working at Schlow for a number of reasons. I'm constantly being exposed to new books and graphic novel recreations of books I grew up on. The staff here is genuinely kind and fun to work with. I love to see little kids figure out how to interact with each other and get the courage to ask me for help and I love to hear parents talk with their children about the most random and unexpected things, because that's what needs addressing.

Would you rather live in the future or the past and why?

I choose the future (which if you think about, I kind of already get to do that). I am far too acclimated to the luxuries of running water and electricity; I don't think I would fare very well without them. Plus, I love the ease with which we can access information and art, it can only keep getting better from here!



New Event!



This year's **Summer Reading Program** invites participants to "Color Our World". Get outside and explore all the colors of your world by joining us for the inaugural **Sweatin' For Schlow Virtual 5K!** At **Schlow Library**, we are where you are, wherever that may be. This event gives us an

opportunity to come together as a community, enjoy nature, and kick off the **Summer Reading Program**.

It's easy to participate!

- Register by filling out the online form by **May 1st**.
- Log your time between **May 22nd and June 5th**.
- Attach your photo(s) to be eligible for the award categories.
- Attend the IN-PERSON **Sweatin' For Schlow Virtual 5K Reception** on **June 20th** from 6pm-8pm in the Downsborough Community Room (optional).

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**Save
the
Dates!**

- **May 14 & 15** Centre Gives
- **May 23** Nerf Night
- **May 31** Summer Reading Kickoff Party
- **June 6** Retro Video Game Night
- **June 21** *Freedom Songs* by Bright Star Touring Theatre

None of this would be possible without your support.
You are essential to the success of Schlow Centre Region Library. **Thank you!**

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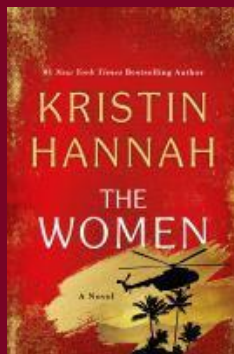


[Legacy Giving](#)



What You're Reading

Adult



Young Adult



Kids



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Region Library**

[814.237.6236](tel:814.237.6236)

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State College, PA 16801
schlowlibrary.org

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Hours

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WED 9am to 8pm
THU Noon to 8pm
FRI 9am to 6pm
SAT 9am to 5pm
SUN 1pm to 5pm

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