

The "Own-a-Day" program is the perfect way to honor or memorialize someone special, publicize a business, or celebrate a birthday or anniversary.

SEPTEMBER 2025

- September 2 - JR Confer Day
- September 3 - WAHWO (We Are Women Helping Others) 15 Year Anniversary
- September 4 - Huck Hepler Day
- September 8 - Nancy Lady Day
- September 16 - Denise Walls Weintraut Day
- September 17 - In memory of Mary Klepper Gage
- September 19 - In memory of Patricia Smertneck
- September 20 - In memory of Anne Parsons
- September 21 - In memory of John Resh
- September 22 - In memory of Harold Yerk
- September 28 - Alan & Karen DeBrody Day

OCTOBER 2025

- October 1 - In honor of Shane Carey
- October 2 - In memory of Ann Dinges
- October 4 - Amelia Rau Day
- October 5 - In memory of Richard Lightbourn
- October 10 - Brandy Plosinski Day
- October 12 - In memory of Rich Roan
- October 17 - Joann Mapstone Day
- October 23 - Bob Orso Sr. Day
- October 24 - EJW Day
- October 27 - Theodora Harner
- October 29 - Barbara Thomas Day
- October 30 - Charlie Brown Day
- October 31 - Mary Lou Archambault Day

September is Library Card Sign Up Month

Celebrate Library Card Sign-up Month 2025 with the theme "One Card, Endless Possibilities." It may be small, but a library card packs a mighty punch.

Borrow museum passes, board games, video games and more from your library's collection. Take part in engaging programs like book clubs, history programs, crafting classes, and lectures.

This year, the James V. Brown Library is hosting a contest to encourage residents to get a library card or renew their card by offering a chance to win one of three \$100 cash prizes.

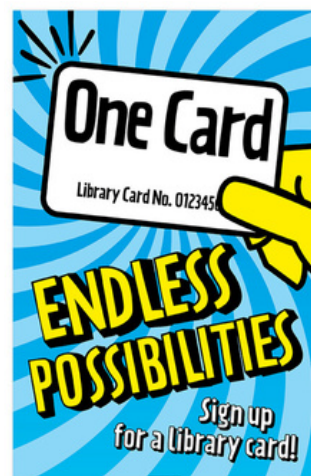
From September 1st through September 30th, visit the Library and enter the contest in one of three simple ways to receive a contest entry ticket:

- Sign up for a new library card.
- Renew or reactivate your existing library card with updated contact information.
- Show your current, active James V. Brown Library card at any Help Desk.

The contest is open to residents who work, reside or attend school in Lycoming County.

Residents of all ages are eligible but minors must have parental consent to receive a prize. Winners must respond to notification within 3 days to claim their prize.

Encourage the whole family to sign up for library cards this month and support your community!





Grant received for Link Library

The Library recently was the recipient of a grant from the First Community Foundation Partnership of Pennsylvania. The \$1,000 grant will enhance the Barbours Link Library as part of the Plunketts Creek Township Foundation Fund at FCFP.

The Library, in collaboration with Plunketts Creek Township, operates a reading room within the former Barbours Schoolhouse.

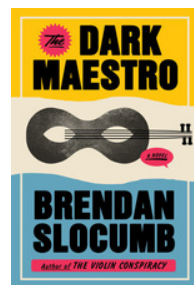


Meet Tangerine the Tiger

During the 2025 Summer Learning Program, the community was invited to name our new plush tiger mascot. The winning name was Tangerine, who joins Orange the Library Lion. This year's theme was "Color Our World" and the Library had more than 2,000 participants during the 8-week program!

Get your tickets now for October 9th Library Gala

Brendan Slocumb is the featured virtual author for this year's Library Gala, which will begin at **5:15 pm Thursday, October 9**, at the Williamsport Country Club. Tickets are \$125 per person and can be purchased by scanning the QR code at right.



Please join us for this exciting fundraiser to support the Library!



Educated
A MEMOIR
TARA WESTOVER
#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

The Friends of the James V. Brown Library

BOOK REVIEW EVENT

OCTOBER 3rd @ 12:15 pm

Educated: A Memoir

by Tara Westover

LOWRY ROOM
(3rd Floor Welch)
ADULT PROGRAM
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

PRESENTER:
Derek Slaughter
Williamsport Mayor and Trustee of
James V. Brown Library's Board of Trustees

FOR MORE INFORMATION
AND TO REGISTER, PLEASE
VISIT: calendar.jvbrown.edu

Fall for Great Books

Fall Book Sale 2025

PINE STREET UMC, 441 Pine Street, Williamsport

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
OCTOBER 16th	OCTOBER 17th	OCTOBER 18th
from 5pm-8pm	from 9am-7pm	from 9am-3pm

"FRIENDS" ONLY PREVIEW NIGHT
*Memberships available at the door

Bag Sales Every Day!

Friends of the JVB Library