



SPRING EDITION - 2023

# CHATTER

The Official Newsletter  
of Stackhouse Park

## Are You Planning an Event This Year?

Stackhouse Park has 3 spacious rental pavilions situated in the beauty of nature. To learn more or make a reservation, visit [stackhousepark.com/pavilions](http://stackhousepark.com/pavilions) or call (814) 536-1674.

Pavilion #1

### Tioga Pavilion

Located along Tioga Path and comes equipped with tables and a nearby port-a-potty.



Pavilion #2

### The Fireplace Pavilion

Located along Elk Run Trail and comes equipped with tables, electrical outlets, a fireplace, and a nearby port-a-potty.



Pavilion #3

### Spangler Pavilion & Play Area

Located at the Luzerne Street entrance next to the StoryWalk© and children's play area.



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*Edited by Amber Sanna*



The Mood Family performing by The Fireplace Pavilion at the 2019 Summer Solstice Party.



## The Johnstown Storywalk© Update

In January "A Hat for Minerva Louise" by Janet Morgan Stoeke was swapped out for a storybook about a boy who's lost mitten becomes a warm home for woodland animals. But it quickly becomes too full and bursts!

Complimentary copies of "The Mitten" by Jan Brett were gifted to children who visited the Cambria County Library and identified which page of the story had black hearts drawn on it.

"Me... Jane" by Patrick McDonnell will be featured in April and anyone attending any Stackhouse event can enter to win a Jane Goodall doll until May 15th. "Me... Jane" is a true story about a young Jane Goodall's travels with her treasured toy chimpanzee, Jubilee. Jane loved nature and dreamt of a life living with and helping animals.

Dr. Jane Goodall later pioneered the study of chimpanzees, confirming how important it is to always follow your dreams.



Amelia visited the Storywalk© and Cambria County Library to claim her complimentary book.

### Upcoming StoryWalk© Titles

**April** - "Me... Jane" by Patrick McDonnell

**May** - "Weezer Changes the World" by David McPhail

**June** - "All in a Day" by Cynthia Rylant

**July** - "A House for Hermit Crab" by Eric Carle

**August** - "Betsy the Rescue Dog" by Marianne Sampinato

**September** - "Elusive Moose" by Joan Gannij & Clare Beaton

## Check Out Our NEW Web Store!

[bonfire.com/store/stackhouse-park-web-store](http://bonfire.com/store/stackhouse-park-web-store)



### Stackhouse Park Web Store

Official Merchandise

#### ABOUT

Powell Stackhouse Park is located in Johnstown, Pennsylvania with over 250+ acres feature accessible trails and endless opportunities.

[www.stackhousepark.com](http://www.stackhousepark.com)

#### Stackhouse Simple Color Logo



In tandem with the newly re-designed Stackhouse Park website, we launched our new Web Store in January on National Squirrel Appreciation Day. Our "I'm Nuts About Stackhouse Park" merch and stickers were our first products available and were an immediate hit. We plan to keep our Bonfire store stocked with more regular Stackhouse Merch, as well as other "special" designs throughout the year.



# Stackhouse Park

## Bunny Hop

### SATURDAY, APRIL 8



Join us between 10:00-11:00 a.m.  
for an Egg Hunt!

No Registration Required  
Egg Hunts will be divided by age groups  
Please arrive by 10:30 a.m. to participate



# UPCOMING EVENTS

## QUARTER TWO

### April

**8th @ 10 am** - Bunny Hop & StoryWalk© update

**29th @ 10am** - Hike with a Board Member, Lauren Lazzari, starting at the main pavilion

**15th @ 9-11am** - Trail Maintenance

### May

**TBD** - Hike with a Board Member, Andrew Stephenson & Mallie Stephens

**13th @ 10-12 am** - Library Learning Celebration & StoryWalk© update

**20th @ 9-11am** - Trail Maintenance

### June

**15th @ 10/11:30 am** - Art in the Park & Hike with a Board Member, Shayna Blackford, Leah Johncola & Lauren Lazzari

**17th @ 9-11am** - Trail Maintenance

**21st @ 6-8pm** - Summer Solstice Celebration & StoryWalk© update

**22nd @ 10/11:30 am** - Art in the Park

**29th @ 10/11:30 am** - Art in the Park

## 2023 Membership Drive

While the City of Johnstown owns Stackhouse Park, Inc., it provides no financial support for maintenance, operations, or programming. Everything at the Park is made possible by those who support us with their 100% tax deductible donations.

To sign up, visit:

<https://www.cfalleghenies.org/fund/stackhouse-park-fund/>



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## Hike with a Board Member Series

The Park offers guided hikes each month which are led by a featured board member.

The Ziburas kicked off the series with the First Day Hike on New Year's Day which included a trek over the new bridge on the Tall Timber Trail.



John Messina led a great Valentine's Day night hike, and March's hike was held on the Spring Equinox at dusk and led by Eric Schwerer.

Board Chair, Lauren Lazzari, will host the next hike on April 29th at 10am starting at the main pavilion.

## Summer Solstice Celebration



The Park's annual Summer Solstice Celebration is on June 21st this year. The celebration includes free live music, kids activities and food for sale by The Hungry Owl. It's a great way to spend the longest day of the year!

**Art** | **Thursdays**  
WESTMONT @10AM  
LOWER YODER @11:30AM

# in the Park

FREE AND WEEKLY- THURSDAYS THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER.  
ART AND SOCIAL SKILLS FOR ELEMENTARY AGED YOUTH,  
BUT ALL AGES ARE WELCOME.

## SUMMER 2023

WESTMONT ENTRANCE @10AM  
LOWER YODER ENTRANCE @11:30AM

**JUNE: 15TH, 22ND, 29TH**

**JULY: 6TH, 13TH, 20TH, 27TH**

**AUGUST: 3RD AND 10TH**

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998 LUZERNE ST  
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JOHNSTOWN, PA 15906

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## Would You Join Our Book Club?

We are gauging interest in starting a Stackhouse Park Book Club.

Let us know if you're interested by emailing us at [powellstackhousepark@gmail.com](mailto:powellstackhousepark@gmail.com).



## Renew Your Membership or Join Us!

Powell Stackhouse Park, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Each year, we seek your support for the continued operation of Powell Stackhouse Park. The Park is owned by the City of Johnstown, but the City provides no financial support for maintenance, operations, or programming. Our expenses are underwritten by those who support us each year with their 100% tax deductible donations.

Membership comes with a free subscription to Chatter; admission to the Annual Member Picnic and Jamboree, and an "I'm Nuts About Stackhouse Park" adhesive squirrel sticker.

### Please select your membership pledge(s):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Friend (\$50)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Family (\$40)       |
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