HENDERSON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

JOIN CONNECT EXPLORE

Illuminations

Quarterly Newsletter Fall 2017

Inside this Issue:

From the Director's Shelf	2
Library Hours & Locations	3
Spotlight on Staff	3
Library Card Sign-up Month	4
Banned Books Week	4
Libby	5
New Services	5
Eclipse Day	6
MindKare Behavior Health Kiosk	6
Health Fair	6
Fake News	7
Robert Morgan	7
Quilt Blocks	8
Edneyville Branch	8
Youth Programs	9
Summer Reading	10-11
FOL Book Sale	12
Highlights from FY2016-2017	12
Board of Trustees	12
Donations	12
Holiday Hours	12

www.henderson.lib.nc.us

Your library has received national recognition!

To read more, see page 2.

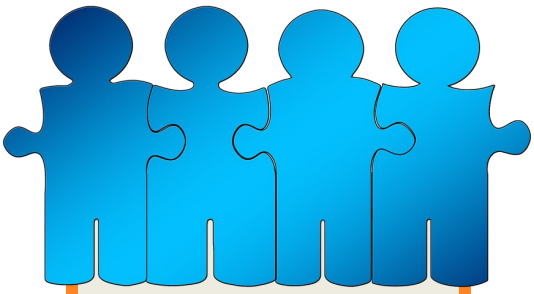
FROM THE DIRECTOR'S SHELF

Henderson County Public Libraries Receive National Recognition!

Where People Connect, Communities Achieve

The Henderson County Public Library has been utilizing the nationally developed *Edge Toolkit* since 2014 to better identify technology needs within each of our facilities and improve services to our unique populations. This month, the library received national recognition of our successes and was profiled in the Edge newsletter and online website.

Our initial analysis using the toolkit identified three main areas that needed to be addressed: internal culture and services for individuals with disabilities, digital literacy services, and community partnerships to address workforce and economic development.



The *Edge* profile recognizes the strides we have made over the past three years to break down barriers for individuals with disabilities, improve the digital literacy skills across our community, and partner with local agencies to increase technology skills for job seekers and current and prospective small business owners.

We are thrilled to have received this recognition for our accomplishments thus far, but realize that this is only the beginning. We will continue to utilize the *Edge* resources and tools to identify further technology needs within each of our facilities and develop ways to enhance our services. Through existing community partnerships and the cultivation of new partnerships we will work to further strengthen digital literacy skills across the community.

Edge is an initiative led by the Urban Libraries Council and developed by a national coalition of leading library and local government organizations with support from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. The toolkit provides a national set of benchmarks for public libraries to evaluate their technology services, and includes resources, recommendations, and tools for strategic planning and community engagement.

– Trina Rushing, *Library Director*

"Edge has helped transform how our stakeholders view the library. The shift in the cultural atmosphere of the library did not happen overnight, but by focusing on engaging the community to enhance digital literacy skills, we are beginning to be seen as a key resource for addressing workforce and economic development issues."

-Trina Rushing

The Henderson County Edge profile can be accessed here:
http://www.libraryedge.org/toolkit/libraryprofiles/Henderson2017.

SPOT LIGHT ON STAFF

LIBRARY HOURS & LOCATIONS

Main Library 697-4725
301 N Washington Street
Hendersonville, NC 28739
Mon-Thu 9-8 Fri & Sat 9-5

Edneyville Branch 685-0110
2 Firehouse Road
Hendersonville, NC 28792
Mon & Tue 9-7
Wed & Thu 9-5
Fri & Sat 10-2

Etowah Branch 891-6577
101 Brickyard Road
Etowah, NC 28729
Mon & Wed 9-7
Tue & Thu 9-5
Fri & Sat 10-2

Fletcher Branch 687-1218
120 Library Road
Fletcher, NC 28732
Mon & Wed 10-7
Tue & Thu 10-5
Fri & Sat 10-4

Green River Branch 697-4969
50 Green River Road
Zirconia, NC 28790
Mon & Fri 9-5*
Tue & Thu 9-6*
Wed & Sat 9-1
**Closed for lunch 12-1*

Mills River Branch 890-1850
124 Town Center Drive
Mills River, NC 28759
Mon & Fri 9-5
Tue & Wed 9-6
Thu & Sat 9-1

Vicki Huntley
Circulation Manager

I have been a resident of Henderson County my whole life and couldn't imagine living anywhere else. I graduated from East Henderson High School in 1999 and then High Point University in 2003 with a bachelor's degree in English Literature. I worked in the Department of Social Services for Henderson and Buncombe counties for thirteen years.

Working at the library is an absolute dream. I love walking in each morning, breathing in deep, and smelling books. Books, words, grammar… they've been a huge part of my life as far back as I can remember. This career change has already brought such joy and happiness to my life. My kids think I'm a super hero because I work at "the big library."

Karen Bryant, Etowah Branch Manager

I'm a native of Guilford County, North Carolina, but my family and I have called Hendersonville home for almost 20 years. The library has always played an integral part in our lives. In fact, we practically brought up our two boys at the Henderson County Public Library– taking them to storytime, children's programs, and checking out piles of books every week. Now we have two teenagers who still love to read.

Before becoming Etowah Branch Manager, I was a very busy auxiliary library assistant for Henderson County. My background also includes marketing, photography, and computer/software technical support. I'm also conversational in Spanish. When not at the library, I'm usually hiking with my family, taking nature photographs, listening to podcasts and of course, reading.

THE ONLY THING MORE POWERFUL THAN A TEEN TITAN?

A LIBRARY CARD!

September is Library Card Sign-up Month!

ALA AmericanLibraryAssociation

Library Card Sign Up Month is an annual campaign reminding parents, caregivers, and students that signing up for a library card is the first step towards academic achievement and lifelong learning. This year, the Teen Titans show the power of having a library card.

All patrons who register for a new card during the month of September will have the chance to enter into a drawing for a Kindle Fire or Kindle Fire Kids Edition.

Already have a card? Stop by your branch during September to share your library superpower and enter for the same chance to win.

Banned Books Week: Celebrating the Freedom to Read

Banned Books Week is an annual event that brings libraries, bookstores, and schools together to assert the freedom to read and bring awareness to the harms of censorship. The week highlights the value of free and open access to information and celebrates the fact that, in a majority of cases, the books remain available.

Here are the top 10 challenged books of 2016*

1. ***This One Summer***, written by Mariko Tamaki; illustrated by Jillian Tamaki
2. ***Drama***, written by Raina Telgemeier
3. ***George***, written by Alex Gino
4. ***I Am Jazz***, written by Jessica Herthel and Jazz Jennings
5. ***Two Boys Kissing***, written by David Levithan
6. ***Looking for Alaska***, written by John Green
7. ***Big Hard Sex Criminals***, written by Matt Fraction; illustrated by Chip Zdarsky
8. ***Make Something Up: Stories You Can't Unread***, written by Chuck Palahniuk
9. ***Little Bill*** (series), written by Bill Cosby; illustrated by Varnette P. Honeywood
10. ***Eleanor & Park***, written by Rainbow Rowell

According to ALA Office for Intellectual Freedom

Libby is a one stop shop for accessing thousands of FREE ebooks and audiobooks from your library.

Search your app store for Libby and start exploring the collections below:

Proctoring Services

Available at the Main Library

The Main Library now offers proctoring services to the community.

Proctoring is available:

- ✓ **at the Main Branch in Hendersonville**
- ✓ **to anyone in the community**
- ✓ **for both online and paper/pencil tests**

All tests require a valid photo ID. Each test is $20 plus incidental fees such as printing costs of $0.10 per b/w, $0.20 per color page.

For more information on proctoring services, please call the Main Library at 828-697-4725, option 3.

New Online Calendar

Help us create the buzz

The library's new event calendar allows you to share your events on facebook or twitter with a click.

Let friends know what you're up to and encourage them to join in.

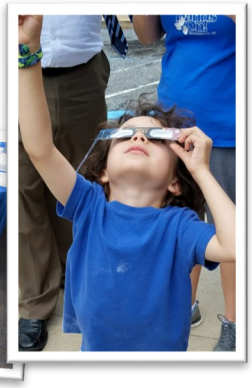
You can also add events to your calendar.

Eclipse Events a Huge Success

A big thanks to Lisa Donaldson, Youth Services Librarian, for writing the grant and organizing such wonderful activities.

The library distributed 1,000 eclipse viewing glasses to patrons thanks to a grant from STAR Library Network. Lebby from Pisgah Astronomical Research Institute presented the science of the eclipse to a capacity crowd 10 days before the eclipse.

Hands On! Hendersonville provided educational fun for all ages just before patrons gathered on our field to witness what historians declared to be the most documented event in history.



Mindkare Behavior Health Kiosk

The library has partnered with Vaya Health to increase awareness, reduce stigma, and increase access to care regarding common and treatable mental health and/or substance use disorder conditions by installing a Mindkare Behavior Health Kiosk at the Main Library. The kiosk allows persons to self-determine potential needs by completing a confidential screening assessing six mental health issues: anxiety, depression, post-traumatic stress disorder, bi polar disorder, eating disorders, and alcohol and substance abuse disorders. According to Vaya, the kiosk "is not a diagnostic tool. It is only a recommendation for seeking support and help."

This partnership is one way the library is seeking to join with community agencies to increase health awareness within the community. In addition to the screening offered at the physical kiosks, persons may access the Vaya MindKare online mental health and substance use disorder screening from their mobile device or in the privacy of their own home.

If you or someone you know is interested in taking the assessment, visit www.vayamindful.org.

Health Fair

Join us on Friday, October 13th from 2-4pm for a community health fair.

The fair will provide patrons the opportunity to learn about topics such as nutrition, physical, mental, and behavior health, and much more from Park Ridge Hospital, Thrive, and other community health venues.

At 3:00pm, a Health Department representative will present a program of fun nutritional exercises for children.

Fake News

Fake news is a growing reality in an increasingly online world. For economic, political, or malignant reasons, individuals or companies will deliberately spread misinformation. They often take the form of flashy headlines around the borders of questionable websites.

With a little critical thinking and caution, you can avoid being duped by fake news.

For tips on spotting fake news, register for one of our upcoming classes at the Main Library:
October 12th @ 10am
November 16th @ 10am

Want to share your library story?
Visit our webpage and click on this link.

Share Your Library Story

Robert Morgan
shares his story of the bookmobile

I will never forget my first glimpse of the Henderson County Bookmobile… There was so much to choose from it made me dizzy. And the books were there for the taking… From that bookmobile I checked out *Farmer Boy* and *Little House on the Prairie*. Later I discovered Jack London's *White Fang*, *Dog of the North*, and *Call of the Wild*… I read these books in odd moments between milking the cows and feeding the chickens. I read in my room on rainy days when we could not work in the fields. I read at night under the single bulb overhead light in my room. From the hot, sweaty, repetitive work of the farm I escaped into the thrilling world of the West, and the Yukon… Mrs. Keeling and the other bookmobile assistants brought me books month after month. They brought books they thought might interest me… The debt I owe to Emily Keeling and Henderson County Public Library is enormous… Without their services and timely help I might not have been able to do the work I needed to do at that time, and when the opportunities came I might not have been prepared.

"There was a county-wide competition among school children for naming the new bookmobile. 'Ridge Runner' was the happy choice."

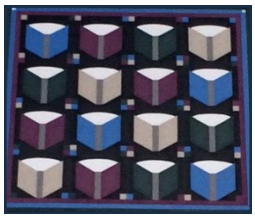
—from "Ridge Runner: Emily Keeling and the Henderson County Bookmobile"

Thank you to Mr. Morgan for sharing his library story and expressing what the bookmobile meant to thousands of county residents.

Library System Joins County Quilt Block Trail

Five library branches now boast quilt blocks designed specifically for the communities they serve. The Main Library is joined by Edneyville, Etowah, Fletcher, and Green River branches as official stops on the Henderson County Quilt Block Trail.

The trail began as a partnership between the Western NC Quilt Guild and the Henderson County Tourism Development Authority "as a way to preserve our heritage and promote beautiful art throughout the county."



The library joins other organizations including the Flat Rock Playhouse and Blue Ridge Humane Society in supporting the art of quilt making.

Each library block design incorporates at least one book to boast the library's dedication to literacy for all ages. All five blocks were made possible by donations from the Lawrence and Florence Vanderberg Foundation.

Henderson County Quilt Block Trail brochures are available from the Henderson County Travel and Tourism's Information Center.

For more information about the county's quilt block trail, visit http://westernncquilters.org/quilt-trail/index.shtml.

Greetings from the Edneyville Branch!

Staff and patrons enjoy time together at the monthly Sing-a-long

As you travel down 64 this fall to visit the apple orchards, pick a pumpkin, or sample a spiced donut, take some time to stop by Edneyville Branch Library. We're nestled near Edneyville Park so you can take a walk along the winding path to the footbridge, rest your bike on our new bike rack, and pull up a rocking chair on our screened porch. On the third Monday of each month at 3:30pm, tap your toes, bring an instrument, or pick out a song at the monthly "Old Time Sing-a-long." Edneyville has over 20 volunteers and we love them all. Their help allows us to keep generous open hours.

This spring more than two dozen community members came out to do some spring cleanup and spread mulch. The results are fantastic. We are also excited to be a new addition to the Henderson County Quilt Block Trail. Our block is titled "Apples in the Field" and celebrates the area's agricultural roots.

a wooded path meanders through the woods and over the creek to the library

If you don't know it's there you might miss the library, but peek through the trees, you will see it's a popular spot! The library has dozens of programs for all ages, including weekly storytimes, several book clubs, and hands on activities for children.

Stop by and say hello– we'd love to meet you!

- Cindy Camp-Fisher, *Branch Manager*

Fall Children's Programming

Mountain Heritage for Kids Series

Join us this fall for programs that celebrate mountain culture. The series kicks off on September 13th with apple growing in Henderson County and a tasty sampling of the many varieties grown in our area. On September 20th, Ben Seymour, a luthier and old-time musician, will perform music on the mountain dulcimer and give kids an opportunity to make their own mountain music (registration required). On October 11th, local clogger Mary Ann Borgersen will be here to demonstrate and teach mountain clogging. These events will take place in the Children's Auditorium in the Main Library at 4pm.

Mad Scientists on Wheels

Hands On! Drs. Bunsen and Beaker return to our branches this fall to spark interest and excitement in understanding content and knowledge through reasoning, reflection, tools, and language. Check the Library Calendar for locations, dates, and times.

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Celebration

More than 100 preschoolers along with their parents are dedicated to reading 1,000 books before starting kindergarten. Those who have reached the goal of reading 1,000 books are invited to a special celebration on Thursday, November 4th at 4:30pm in the Kaplan Auditorium at the Main Library. Each child will receive special prizes for reading and have their picture added to the wall of fame. All winners and their families will be treated to a pizza dinner.

Spanish Storytime Returns (in collaboration with El Centro)

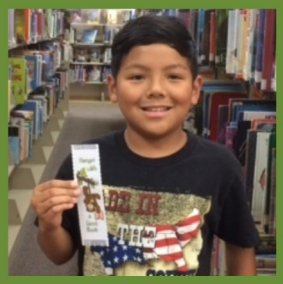
Each storytime is conducted in Spanish and celebrates Latino culture with special visits from Spanish speaking leaders in the community. Join us this fall on the 2nd Thursday at 6pm in the Kaplan Auditorium of the Main Library. All are welcome.

Asheville Art Museum Storytimes at Etowah

We are excited to announce that the Asheville Art Museum will be on hand the 2nd Tuesday of every month at the Etowah Branch Library's Family Storytime at 10:30am. Staff from the Asheville Art Museum will be doing a special art project with the children who attend storytime.

Summer Fun @ the Library!

Children's Summer Reading Program



Kenny Malis with bookmark from The Laurel Chapter of the Embroiders' Guild of America

From worms to radio astronomy, over 70 special events were available for toddlers through teens this summer at our libraries. Kids learned how to build a better world through Lego activities, mountain music, and invention. Readers were challenged to track their minutes read (preschoolers completed early literacy activities) and many took up the challenge– several times! It was an exciting and rewarding summer for all.

833 kids from preschool through elementary completed the reading challenge for a total of 1,157 logs!

Kids create their own city with Legos

A big thank you to the Friends of the Henderson County Public Library who so generously supported the special events and prizes associated with our Summer Fun @ the Library program this year. Thank you to the Laurel Chapter of the Embroider's Guild of America who provided participants with beautiful handmade bookmarks. Thank you also to Hands On! who donated free passes for prizes and Dancing Bear Toys who donated a gift card to the library.

Alina Celeste leads the crowd in silly songs

Team ECCO shows off reptiles

Teens crack the code to break out of the box

Teen Summer Reading Program

This summer, teens had fun learning to make upcycled journals, how to survive in the wilderness, explored radio astronomy, had fun making healthy snacks, created their own roller coasters, cracked the code to open the breakout box, learned to rug hook, and more! Thank you to all our program presenters and to the Friends of the Library for making it all happen!

176 teens entered reading logs for a chance at a prize. A guessing game winner from each branch won a gift card to Epic Theaters and two grand prize winners each received a Kindle Fire.

Adult Summer Reading Program

For the fourth year, the library offered adults a chance to join in summer reading fun. Adults recorded the number of hours they read by completing a reading log. Each participant who read at least 5 hours was eligible for prizes including one of six Kindle Fire HDs and local business gift cards.

This year, 1,596 adults completed reading logs for a grand total of 7,980 hours read! In addition to reading logs, the library hosted many activities designed to "Build a Better World" including a musical travelogue program, an informative program on hiking for families, and movie matinees taking viewers to other worlds.

Special thanks to the Friends of the Library for supporting our programs and prizes.

Congratulations to our Winners!

Chloe Tackett

Chesney TenPenny

Nikole Higgins

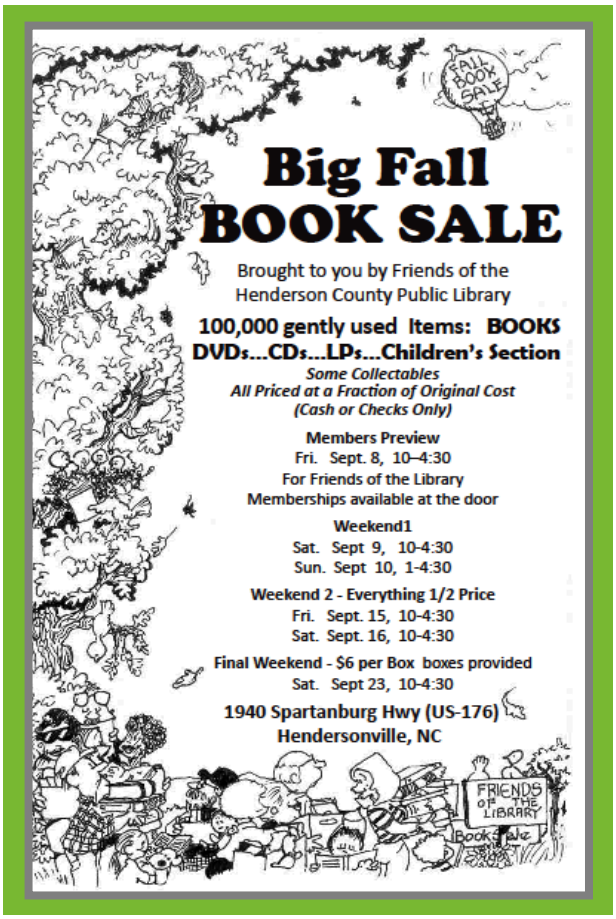
Isaac Neiman

Sam Kowalak

Sandy Bandy

Stacey Klepp

Molly Angel



Highlights from FY2016-2017

We Were Busy!

1,056,328 total items checked out

571,475 in person visits to our libraries

178,736 virtual visits to online library resources

75,051 active library card holders

115,372 informational questions answered

590 adult programs and **718** youth programs sponsored by the library; Total attendance= **29,705**

We Made a Difference!

55,152 uses of our free public internet computers

33,314 uses of our free wireless sessions

29,791 technology questions answered

4,171 career questions answered

241 attendees completed **47** basic computer, technology, and career classes

110 individuals trained during **106** one-on-one technology sessions

---

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Vance Yoder, *Chairman* **Allison Reynolds**, *Vice-Chairman*

Katie Winkler, *Secretary* **Bill Ramsey**, *FOL President* **Grady Hawkins**, *Commissioner*

Candler Willis **Tom Orr** **Susan Williams** **Marcia Kelso**

Thank you to those who have donated:

Writers' Guild of WNC
Garden Club of Hendersonville
Donna Cirillo
Beth Kiger
Readers & Feeders Book Club
Library Technical Services Staff
Gwyneth Noble

DONATING FUNDS TO PURCHASE ITEMS FOR THE LIBRARY IS A WONDERFUL WAY TO IMPACT YOUR COMMUNITY.

The name of any individual receiving an aggregate of $500 in memorial gifts will be added to a plaque in the Main Library. In addition, the name of any individual who donated $500 or more to the library will be added to a plaque at Main.

Visit the donations/memorials tab on our website or call 828-697-4725, option 3 for more details.

Holiday Hours for the Library:

LABOR DAY	**Closed Monday, September 4th**
VETERANS DAY	**Closed Friday, November 10th**
THANKSGIVING	**Closed Thursday November 23rd** **Closed Friday, November 24th** ***Close at 5pm on Wed., Nov. 22nd**

FALL PROGRAMMING – *Adults*

MAIN LIBRARY

1st Thursday @ 2 PM - Stitch In

2nd Tuesday @ 2 PM - Adult Coloring Club

Wed., Sep. 6th @ 2 PM - Midweek Matinee, *The Zookeeper's Wife*

Thu., Sep. 14th @ 2 PM - Secrets of the Smokies with Ben Anderson

Wed., Sep. 20th @ 3 PM - Poemscapes: These Trees

Wed., Sep. 27th @ 6 PM - America in Blue and Gray, Concert

Tue., Oct. 3rd @ 1 PM - Spotlight Film, *The Color Purple* (intro by Safelight)

Wed., Oct. 4th @ 2 PM - Midweek Matinee, *Beauty and the Beast*

Fri., Oct. 13th, 2-4 PM - Community Health Fair
(Children's Program @ 3 PM)

Thu., Oct. 26th @ 2 PM - Writing Your Memoir: A Beginner's Guide

Wed., Nov. 1st @ 2 PM - Midweek Matinee, *Going in Style*

Thu., Nov. 9th @ 2 PM - Literary Afternoon with Leanna Sain

Computer Classes @ Main:

We offer a variety of basic computer skills classes which are stand alone classes. This means you take the ones you want and skip the rest. Classes usually last approximately one and a half hours.

***Registration is required.** You may register in person at the Service Desk inside the Main Library, or call 828-697-4725, ext. 2318.*

Mon., Sep. 11th @ 2 PM	**Computer Basics* (Board Room)**
Tue., Sep. 19th @ 2 PM	**Apple Users Group (Kaplan Aud.)**
Mon., Sep. 25th @ 2 PM	**Email Basics* (Board Room)**
Thu., Oct. 12th @ 10 AM	**NEW! Spotting Faking News* (Board Room)**
Tue., Oct. 17th @ 2 PM	**Apple Users Group (Kaplan Aud.)**
Thu., Oct. 26th @ 10 AM	**Computer Basics* (Board Room)**
Thu., Nov. 2nd @ 10 AM	**Email Basics* (Board Room)**
Thu., Nov. 16th @ 10 AM	**NEW! Spotting Faking News* (Board Room)**
Tue., Nov. 21st @ 2 PM	**Apple Users Group (Kaplan Aud.)**

For more information about class content, please call Michele von Boeck, Instructional Librarian at 828-697-4725, ext. 2305.

EDNEYVILLE BRANCH

1st Thursday @ 2 PM - Women's Book Review Group

3rd Monday @ 3:30 PM - Community Sing-a-long!

3rd Tuesday @ 2 PM - Christian Fiction Book Club

ETOWAH BRANCH

Mondays @ 10:30 AM - Knitting Group

Thursdays @ 10 AM - Blue Ridge Literacy Council Office Hours

3rd Wednesday @ 2:30 PM - Etowah Book Club

Wed., Sep. 27th @ 2 PM - America in Blue and Gray, Concert

FLETCHER BRANCH

Tuesdays @ 11 AM - Blue Ridge Literacy Council Office Hours

Tuesdays @ 3 PM - Intermediate Conversational Spanish

Thursdays @ 12:30 PM - Mahjong

Fridays @ 10:30 AM - Chess Club

1st Monday @ 1 PM - Avid Reader Book Club
(Meeting Sep. 11th instead due to the holiday)

2nd Thursday @ 10:30 AM - Fletcher Book Club

2nd Thursday @ 1:30 PM - Writers Guild

4th Wednesday @ 1:30 PM - Goodwill Career Connections

Mon., Nov. 13th @ 10:30 AM - Conscious Creative Retirement

Sat., Nov. 18th @ 10:30 AM - Needle Felting
*Registration Required

MILLS RIVER BRANCH

Tuesdays @ 1:00 PM - Knit and Crochet Group

Tue. & Thu. @ 9 AM - Yoga with Lynn Edgar *Registration Required

2nd Thursday @ 10:30 AM - Mills River Library Book Club

Wed., Sep. 20th @ 11 AM - Chair Yoga with Lynn Edgar

FALL PROGRAMMING – *Children & Teens*

MAIN LIBRARY

Children:

Tuesdays @ 10:30 AM - Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM - Toddler Storytime (18 months-35 months)

Wednesdays @ 4 PM - 4 O'Clock Club for Kids (Grades K - 5)
(No program on November 22nd)

Thursdays @ 10:30 AM - Music and Movement Storytime (preschool)

Thursdays @ 11:15 AM - Bouncing Babies Storytime
(birth - 17 months & a caregiver)

1st Wednesday @ 4 PM - LEGO Club (4 O'Clock Club)

2nd Thursday @ 6 PM - Spanish Storytime

Wed., Sep. 13th @ 4 PM - Apple Tasting

Wed., Sep. 20th @ 4 PM - The Mountain Dulcimer
*Registration Required– *use online calendar*

Wed., Sep. 27th @ 4 PM - Popping with Power
*Registration Required– *use online calendar*

Wed., Oct. 11th @ 4 PM - Clogging

Wed., Oct. 18th @ 4 PM - The Forest Life Cycle with Ranger Amy

Wed., Oct. 25th @ 4 PM - Spooky Science
*Registration Required– *use online calendar*

Wed., Nov. 8th @ 4 PM - International Game Day

Wed., Nov. 15th @ 4 PM - Math that Glows

Wed., Nov. 29th @ 4 PM - Amazing Animals
*Registration Required– *use online calendar*

Teens:

Teen STEAM Labs– Thu., Sep. 14th, Oct. 12th, Nov. 9th @ 4 PM
*Registration Required– *use online calendar*

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)– 1st Thursday @ 4 PM
If you are a teen in grades 9-12, we need you! Earn volunteer credit for school (also looks great on college applications and job resumes!), while having fun planning teen programs, recommending materials for the teen collection, and more! ***Application is online.***

Teen Read Week is October 9th—14th. Look for a contest at your branch for a chance to win a prize!

Check out the Teen Page on the library website for more events coming soon!

EDNEYVILLE BRANCH

Mondays @ 10 AM - Family Storytimes

Sat., Sep. 2nd @ 11 AM - Gross-ology! *Registration Required

Sat., Oct. 7th @ 11 AM - Amazing Animals– Predator Vs. Prey
*Registration Required

ETOWAH BRANCH

Tuesdays @ 10 AM - Family Storytime

2nd Tuesday @ 10 AM - Storytime & Art with Asheville Art Museum

Wed., Oct. 11th @ 4 PM - Amazing Animals– Predator vs. Prey
*Registration Required

Wed., Nov. 8th @ 4 PM - Fizz Boom Science, Don't Try This at Home!
*Registration Required

FLETCHER BRANCH

Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM - Family Storytime

1st Thursday @ 3 PM - LEGO Club

Thu., Sep. 21st @ 3:30 PM - Bear Basics

Mon., Sep. 25th @ 3:30 PM - Engineering with the Three Little Pigs
*Registration Required

Mon., Oct. 23rd @ 3:30 PM - Children's Science Investigation
*Registration Required

Thu., Nov. 16th @ 3:30 PM - Turkey Talk

GREEN RIVER BRANCH

Thursdays @ 10 AM - Family Storytime

2nd Tuesday @ 4 PM - LEGO Club

3rd Friday @ 3 PM - Green River Craft Club

Thu., Sep. 14th & Oct. 12th @ 1 PM - HomeSet Education Station

Thu., Oct. 26th @ 4 PM - Spooky Science *Registration Required

Thu., Nov. 30th @ 4 PM - Children's Science Investigation
*Registration Required

MILLS RIVER BRANCH

Mondays @ 10 AM - Family Storytime

1st Tuesday @ 4 PM - LEGO Club

Wed., Sep. 6th @ 4 PM - Popping with Power *Registration Required

Wed., Sep. 20th @ 4 PM - Puff Mobiles *Registration Required

Wed., Oct. 4th @ 4 PM - Spooky Science *Registration Required

Wed., Oct. 18th @ 4 PM - Tech No Logic *Registration Required