HENDERSON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

# Illuminations

*Quarterly Newsletter* Summer 2019

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OUT OF THIS WORLD SUMMER FUN

**FOR ALL AGES!**

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*For more information, see pages 6 -7.*

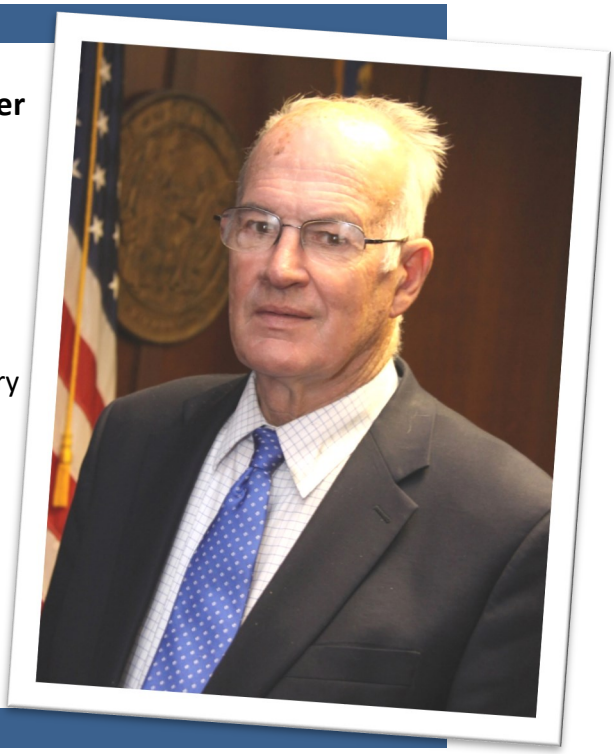
# FROM THE DIRECTOR'S SHELF

## A Fond Farewell to Outgoing Board Members

**In June we say a fond farewell to two individuals who have served as longtime Library Board of Trustees members.**

**Candler Willis has served as a valued member of the Board of Trustees for 34 years.**

First appointed in 1985, his service has spanned the terms of three library directors - Elizabeth Marshall, Bill Snyder, and myself. He has experienced first-hand the significant growth in the system and the rapid emergence of technology. During his tenure the card catalog was computerized, the Main Library renovated, three additional branch libraries opened, Wifi installed in all libraries, and the digital revolution exploded. Candler has contributed greatly to the success of the library over the years and has remained a strong advocate of its mission in the community. His breadth of knowledge and dedication will be missed. ***Thank you, Candler!***



**Tom Orr has served on the Board of Trustees since 2014.**

His passion for literature and love for the library has remained apparent throughout his service. Tom actively participated in board discussions, attended library events, and supported and advocated for the library throughout the community. His 5 years of service is appreciated. ***Thank you, Tom!***

-Trina Rushing, *Library Director*

# SPOT LIGHT ON HELPING THE COMMUNITY

## 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

THANK YOU!

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK'S

# FOOD FOR FINE$

In only **SIX DAYS,** library patrons donated **1,960 POUNDS** of non-perishable food items for Interfaith Assistance Ministry.

# FEED the NEED

**TO KEEP THE CHARITABLE SPIRIT GOING, ALL HENDERSON COUNTY LIBRARY LOCATIONS WILL SERVE AS FEED THE NEED COLLECTION SPOTS.**

Many children rely on meals served at school as their main source of nutrition. Henderson County Public School System has partnered with Feed the Need to help support these children during the summer when school meals are not available.

**Collections can be dropped off during our Summer Fun @ Your Library program from June 3-August 3.**
What better way to instill the importance of community giving than encouraging your child to donate nourishment for their classmates?

**RECOMMENDED FOOD CHOICES***

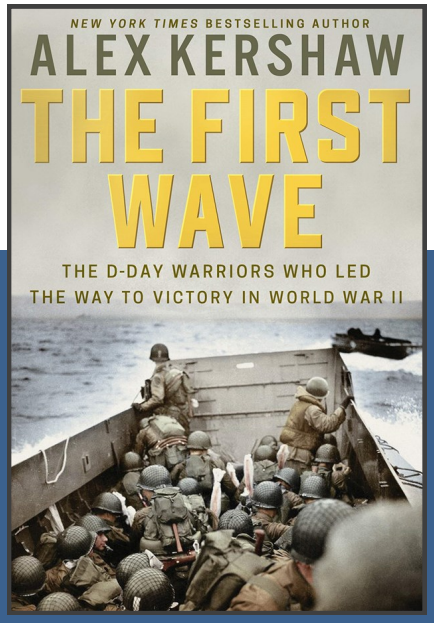
- Canned/Dried Fruit
- Oatmeal/Cereal
- Soups & Stews
- Beans & Franks
- Vienna sausages
- Canned Spaghetti
- Pudding
- Crackers

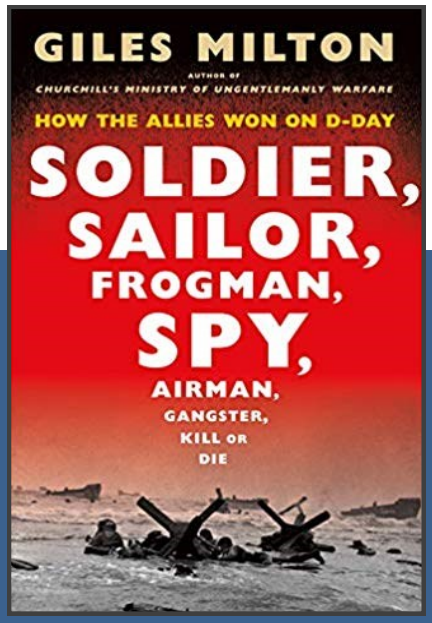
***Please note that food is given directly to children so containers should be easy for a child to open on their own. Pop tops on cans please.**

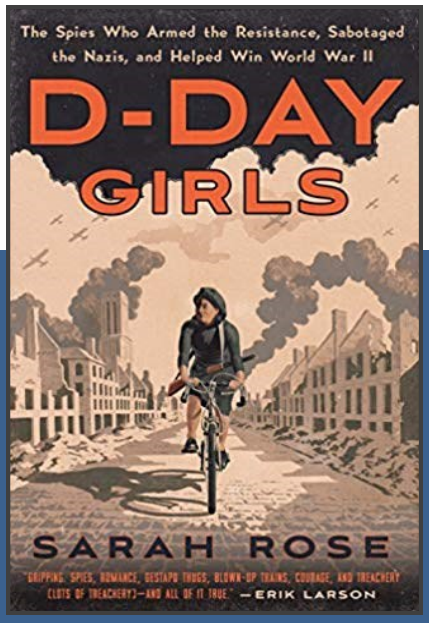
# D-DAY COMMEMORATION

**June 6, 2019 marks the 75th anniversary of the landing of allied forces in France; an offensive that led to the fall of the Nazi regime less than one year later.**

Commonly referred to as D-Day, the sacrifice and bravery of those involved is commemorated in three new titles:

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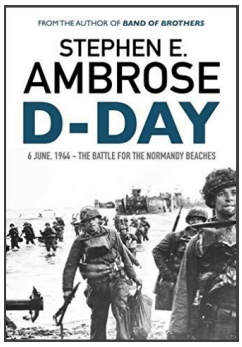
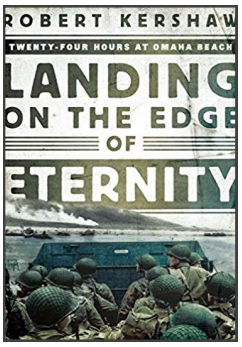
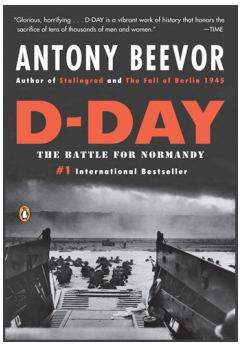
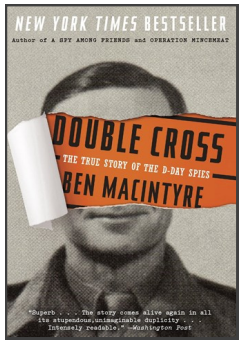
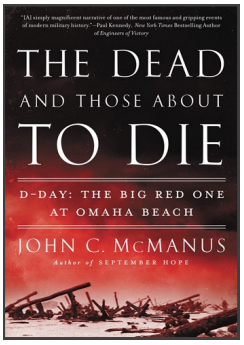
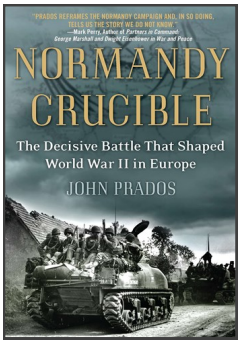


***Fifth War Loan Drive, Main Street Hendersonville, June 7, 1944.***

(BAKER BARBER PHOTOGRAPH COLLECTION, HENDERSON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY, COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF HENDERSON COUNTY)

**In this column we feature books and authors with regional appeal to Western North Carolina and more broadly, with a strong sense of place in the Southeast. Place any of these on hold at the library through the NC Cardinal catalog.**

With summer just around the corner, place your holds just in time for vacation. ***The Summer House*** by Jenny Hale has the right mix of feel good romance about two friends fixing up an Outer Banks vacation rental and finding a secret diary. An independent woman does what she pleases in small town North Carolina in De'Shawn Charles Winslow's ***In West Mills***. ***The Favorite Daughter*** by Patti Callahan Henry is a follow up to the ***Bookshop at Water's End***, a low country novel about coming home. The Beach House series by Mary Alice Monroe continues with a scene that will resonate with local readers in ***The Summer Guests*** when a hurricane sets off an evacuation to nearby Tryon. Not to be confused with another Mary Monroe, the Neighbors series continues with ***Over the Fence***, set in Deep South during Prohibition.

For even more historical books, ***The Magnetic Girl*** by Jessica Handler blends genres with an illusionist touring the vaudeville circuit as a magician, based on the real life "Georgia Wonder." In ***Dawson's Fall*** by Roxana Robinson, a Charleston newspaperman chronicles a changing society in the decades that followed the Civil War. ***Call Your Daughter Home*** by Deb Spera features three women confronting injustice in Depression-era South Carolina. In a book that's generating a lot of interest, follow a librarian on horseback across Kentucky hills and hollers in ***The Book Woman of Troublesome Creek*** by Kim Michele Richardson.

In thrilling reads, ***And Then You Were Gone*** by R.J. Jacobs explores what happens when a loved one vanishes at a Tennessee Lake, told by a bipolar narrator who suspects foul play. Johnson City author Scott Pratt has a new murder mystery series in gory detail with ***The Sins of the Mother***. North Georgia author Brian Panowich released the anticipated sequel to ***Bull Mountain***, about the sheriff of a region of family clans vying for control of the drug trade in ***Like Lions***.

In lighter mystery series, Rita Mae Brown has a new dog and cat mystery called ***Whiskers in the Dark***. In series debut ***Cookin' the Books*** by Amy Meade, someone poisons the local librarian at the annual luncheon and literary caterer Tish Tarragon is on the case. In yet another library mystery, ***Read on Arrival*** by Nora Page, a Georgia librarian is willing to go the distance to get a long overdue book back. The closest to home is going to be ***Murder in the Reading Room*** by Ellery Adams which features the Biltmore Estate.

Other odds and ends to round out your reading could be the cookbook ***Smoke, Roots, Mountain, Harvest***, or a book of essays about race and reconciliation by a pastor and descendant of Robert E Lee, ***A Sin By Any Other Name***. For short story collections with Southern authors and settings, pick up ***Staff Picks*** by George Singleton or ***Let Me Out Here*** by Emily Pease.

*Thanks for reading!*

- Ed Graves, *Branch & Collection Coordinator*

SUMMER Showcase

CELEBRATING OUR CITY FAVORITES

**for your library!**

Help us celebrate what the library means to you by voting for us as one of your community favorites.

**Stop by our table at the**

**Blue Ridge Mall**

**for giveaways and a special children's performance.**

**THURSDAY, JULY 18**
**2:00-5:00PM**

**Voting opens at 8am on Friday, July 12th.**

**Cast your vote at ourcityfavorites.com**

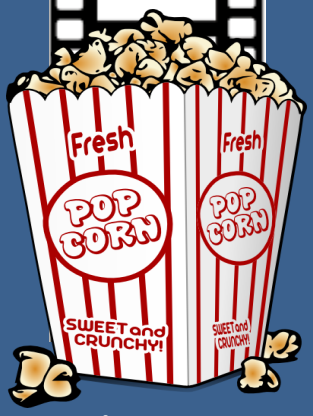
**JUNE 20:** ***Mary Poppins Returns***
**JULY 18:** ***The Upside***
**AUGUST 15:** ***Isn't It Romantic***

**MOVIES ARE SHOWN AT 2PM.**

**First Man**
**June 5th @ 2pm**

**The Upside**
**July 3rd @ 2pm**

**Mary Poppins Returns**
**August 7th @ 2pm**




**Enjoy a FREE afternoon at the movies at the Main Library.**

**Patrons with hearing devices equipped with a telecoil (t-coil) can use the Kaplan Auditorium's Hearing Loop to take advantage of the full experience.**

***Those without a t-coil can borrow a listening device for FREE. Ask staff for details.***

## JUNE 3—AUGUST 3, 2019

*Adventures abound during Summer Fun @ Your Library. Come check us out!*

***SUMMER FUN FOR KIDS AND TEENS*** Youth Services staff are excited to celebrate a Universe of Stories this summer with fun programs for children and teens. Don't miss out on magic, music, science, live animals, stories, yoga, crafts, and more! Check out the Summer Fun Calendar for Children and Teen events at all branches! Children and Teens can pick up a reading card at any branch starting June 3rd. Complete your card by reading or listening to books, graphic novels, magazines, or whatever else you like to read. Turn your first card in by August 3rd to pick out a free book and be entered into a prize drawing. Additional cards completed give you extra chances in our grand prize drawing. Our preschool friends can join the fun, too, by picking up an activity card to earn a free book and entry into a prize drawing. New this year– enter your name each time you attend a program for a chance to win an end of summer prize drawing! Encouraging children and teens to continue reading during summer break helps them maintain and improve their reading skills. Even reading just a little every day can make a difference. Join us this summer as we encourage young readers.

- Lisa Donaldson, *Youth Services Coordinator* - Samantha Shearin, *Youth Services Librarian*

***SUMMER FUN FOR ADULTS*** Don't leave all the fun to the kids this summer. The library has dozens of programs for adults as well as reading logs which can be entered for drawings to win prizes at each library location. We're kicking off the summer programs on June 13th at 6pm with a concert featuring well-known storyteller, Connie Regan-Blake. It's no coincidence that our summer theme, A Universe of Stories, corresponds with the 50th anniversary of the moon landing. Themed programs at the Main Library include a sneak peak on June 18th at 2pm of the PBS broadcast event "Chasing the Moon." We'll be showing a 40 minute episode of the series which airs in full on UNC TV on July 8, 9, and 10, 2019. Sign up for one of three chances to test your skills in our "Space Station Escape" room on July 11th and 12th. On those same days, anyone can step into our 1969 living room to soak up the retro vibe and watch original footage of the Apollo 11 moon landing.

- Sarah Hudson, *AV/Programming Librarian*

## JOIN US FOR A CONCERT BY CONNIE REGAN-BLAKE, ONE OF AMERICA'S MOST CELEBRATED STORYTELLERS.

**This performance, kicking off our Summer Reading Program, "A Universe in Stories," is family friendly and suitable for audience members age 9 and up. Although she travels the world telling stories, Connie makes her home in Asheville, NC and continues the tradition of Appalachian storytelling in her work.**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 6PM**
**MAIN LIBRARY, KAPLAN AUDITORIUM**

# LANDING ON THE MOON!

**Stop by the Children's Department and step back into the year 1969.**

**A loop of the moon landing will be playing– all are welcome to pop in and experience this giant leap for mankind.**

**THURSDAY, JULY 11, 9AM-4PM**
**FRIDAY, JULY 12, 9AM-4PM**
**MAIN LIBRARY, CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT**

# SPACE STATION ESCAPE!

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED:** ***SIGN UP ONLINE FOR ONE OF THE THREE SESSIONS OFFERED!*** **hendersonpl.libcal.com**

**THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2PM OR 6PM**
**FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2PM**
**MAIN LIBRARY, LEARNING LAB**

# STAR WARS PARTY

**FOR GRADES K-5**

*Join us for Star Wars themed games and activities as we celebrate this galaxy of stories!*

**THU., JUNE 27, 2PM**
**MAIN LIBRARY, KAPLAN AUD.**

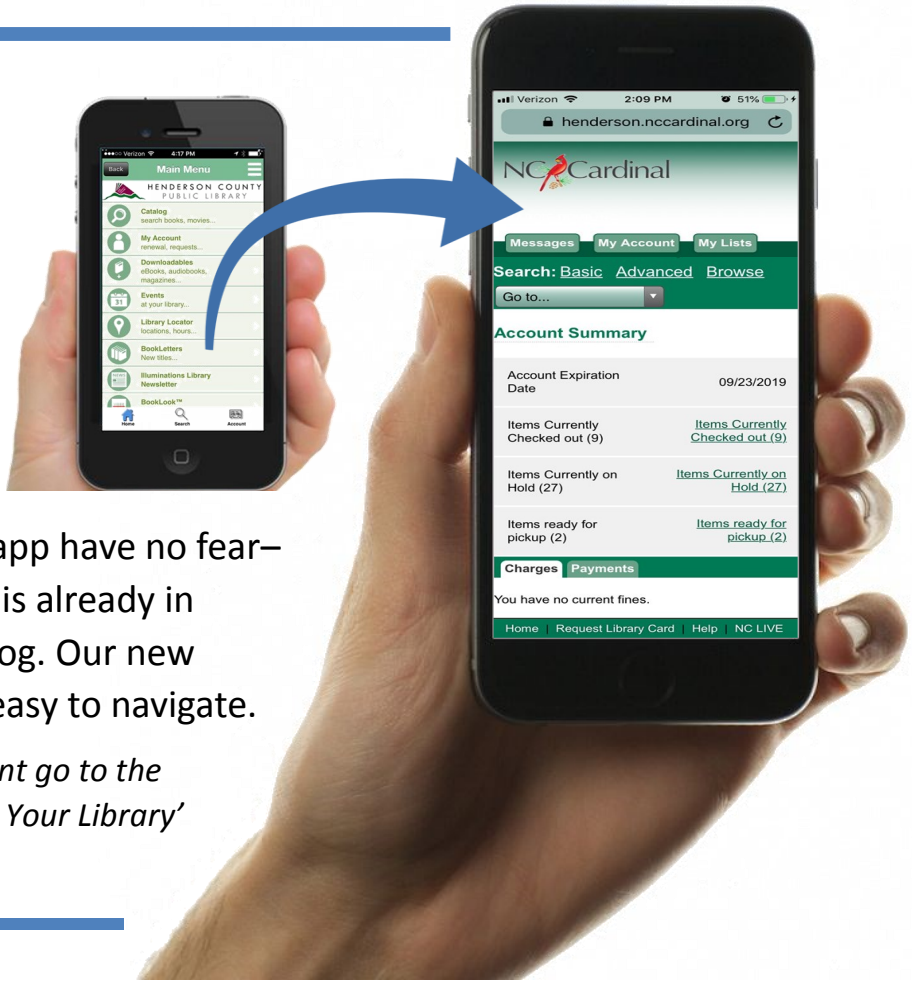
# Harry Potter TEAM TRIVIA

**FOR TEENS**

**THU., AUGUST 1, 3PM**
**MAIN LIBRARY, KAPLAN AUD.**

# LIBRARY APP

## END OF SERVICE




**This October, access to the library app will end.**

If you currently use the library app have no fear– all of your account information is already in 'My Account' through our catalog. Our new website is mobile friendly and easy to navigate.

*For steps on logging into your account go to the library's homepage, open the 'Using Your Library' tab and click 'My Account.'*

## LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

**Vance Yoder**, *Chairman* **Jean McGrady**, *Vice-Chairman*

**Katie Winkler**, *Secretary* **Susan Manning**, *FOL President* **Grady Hawkins**, *Commissioner*

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

### Thank you to those who have donated:

Margaret Varner
Gloria Elasky
Steve Harrison
Phyllis Brown
Nenon Ujiki
Helen Rollar
Wayne & Deborah Matthews
Frank & Mary Sacho

**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:

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|---|---|
| **INDEPENDENCE DAY** | **Closed Thursday, July 4th** |
| **LABOR DAY** | **Closed Monday, September 2nd** |

# SUMMER PROGRAMMING – *Adults*

## MAIN LIBRARY

**Wed., June 5th @ 2 PM** - Midweek Matinee, *First Man*

**Fri., June 7th @ 10 AM** - Become a Library Power User

**Thu., June 13th @ 6 PM** - Connie Regan-Blake Storytelling Concert

**Wed., June 19th @ 2 PM** - Sneak Peek of *Chasing The Moon* (airing on UNC TV in July)

**Wed., July 3rd @ 2 PM** - Midweek Matinee, *The Upside*

**Thu., July 11th 9 AM– 4 PM** - Landing on the Moon (Drop-in)

**Thu., July 11th @ 2 PM OR 6 PM** - Space Station Escape *Register Online

**Fri., July 12th 9 AM– 4 PM** - Landing on the Moon (Drop-in)

**Fri., July 12th @ 2 PM** - Space Station Escape *Register Online

**Wed., July 17th @ 2 PM** - Adult Crafternoon: Christmas in July

**Wed., August 7th @ 2 PM** - Midweek Matinee, *Mary Poppins Returns*

### Computer Classes @ Main:

We offer a variety of basic computer skills classes which are stand alone classes. ***Check the online calendar for upcoming classes. Registration is usually required.***

*Check our website for a comprehensive program list.*

**www.hendersoncountync.gov/library**

## 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 Club

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

**Thu., June 20th @ 2 PM** - Matinee, *Mary Poppins Returns*

**Tue., June 25th @ 2 PM** - Gardening for Butterflies

**Thu., July 18th @ 2 PM** - Matinee, *The Upside*

**Thu., August 15th @ 2 PM** - Matinee, *Isn't It Romantic*

## FLETCHER BRANCH

**Tuesdays @ 3 PM** - Intermediate Conversational Spanish

**Thursdays @ 12:30 PM** - Mahjong

**Saturdays @ 1 PM** - Chess Club

**1st & 3rd Monday @ 10:30 AM** - Mandala Coloring *Reg. Required

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

**2nd Thursday @ 1:30 PM** - Writers Guild

**3rd Saturday @ 10:30 AM** - Yarn Therapy *Reg. Required

**Sat., July 27th @ 10:30 AM** - Needle Felting *Reg. Required

## MILLS RIVER BRANCH

**Tuesdays @ 1 PM** - Knit and Crochet Group

**Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 9 AM** - Yoga (No Yoga on 6/18 & 6/20)

**Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM** - Pilates (No Pilates 6/26 & 7/10)

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

**Wed., June 11th @ 11 AM** - Chair Yoga

# SUMMER PROGRAMMING — *Children & Teens*

***THERE WILL BE NO STORYTIMES IN AUGUST***

## MAIN LIBRARY

***Children:*** *There will be no regular storytimes during August. We will resume our regular storytime schedule on Tue., Sep. 3rd. Four O'Clock Club will not be held June-August.*

**Tuesdays @ 10:30 AM** - Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5)
**Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM** - Toddler Storytime (18 months-3 years)
**1st Wednesday @ 4 PM** - LEGO Club (no session in August)
**Thursdays @ 10:30 AM** - Discovery Storytime (families welcome)
**Thursdays @ 11:15 AM** - Bouncing Babies Storytime (birth - 18 months & a caregiver)

**Mon., June 10th @ 1 PM** - B-Rad the Kids Magician
**Mon., June 17th @ 11 AM** - To the Moon and Beyond
**Thu., June 27th @ 2 PM** - Star Wars Program
**Thu., July 11th 9 AM– 4 PM** - Landing on the Moon (Drop-in)
**Thu., July 11th @ 2 PM OR 6 PM** - Space Station Escape*
**Fri., July 12th 9 AM– 4 PM** - Landing on the Moon (Drop-in)
**Fri., July 12th @ 2 PM** - Space Station Escape*
**Tue., July 16th @ 2 PM** - Planetary Poetry Palooza
**Fri., July 19th @ 11 AM** - EcoEXPLORE: Herpetology
**Mon., July 22nd @ 11 AM** - Chicken Little (Pork Chop Productions)
**Tue., July 23rd @ 10:30 AM** - Tales and Tunes for Pre-K
**Wed., July 31st @ 2 PM** - Soap Bubble Circus
**Thu., August 22nd @ 2 PM** - Billy Jonas

***Teens:***

**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!
***Find the application online or stop by any branch.***

**Mon., June 17th @ 2 PM** - Teen Ukulele Workshop*
**Thu., July 11th 9 AM– 4 PM** - Landing on the Moon (Drop-in)
**Thu., July 11th @ 2 PM OR 6 PM** - Space Station Escape*
**Fri., July 12th 9 AM– 4 PM** - Landing on the Moon (Drop-in)
**Fri., July 12th @ 2 PM** - Space Station Escape*
**Thu., July 18th @ 3 PM** - Teen Book Club*
**Thu., July 25th @ 3 PM** - Teen Craft Club*
**Thu., August 1st @ 3 PM** - Harry Potter Team Trivia
**Tue., August 6th 2-4:30 PM** - Wire Wrapped Jewelry Workshop*
**Thu., August 15th 2-4 PM** - Jump Start to College*

***Registration Required**

*Use online calendar to register for programs at the Main Library.* **hendersonpl.libcal.com**
*Call or stop by to register for programs at branches.*

## EDNEYVILLE BRANCH

**Mondays @ 10 AM** - Family Storytime (Not in August)
**Thu., June 20th @ 2 PM** - Living in Space* (Hands On!)
**Tue., June 25th @ 11 AM** - Exploring the Universe of Bluegrass Music
**Tue., July 9th @ 11 AM** - Animals of Appalachia
**Wed., July 17th @ 2 PM** - Robotics for Teens* (Zaniac)
**Thu., July 18th @ 3 PM** - Yoga for Kids*

## ETOWAH BRANCH

**Tuesdays @ 10 AM** - Family Storytime (Not in August)
**2nd Thursday @ 3:30 PM** - LEGO Club
**Wed., June 26th @ 2 PM** - Make a Spaceship* (Hands On!)
**Tue., July 9th @ 2 PM** - Animals of Appalachia
**Wed., July 17th @ 11 AM** - Songs and Stories with Silver Trout Artists
**Tue., July 23rd @ 2 PM** - Tales and Tunes for Grades K-5
**Wed., July 31st @ 11 AM** - Soap Bubble Circus
**Mon., August 5th @ 2 PM** - Robotics for Teens* (Zaniac)
**Tue., August 6th @ 10 AM** - Bilingual Family Storytime
**Wed., August 7th @ 2 PM** - Teen Wire-Wrapped Jewelry Workshop*

## FLETCHER BRANCH

**Wednesdays @ 10:30 AM** - Family Storytime (Not in August)
**1st Thursday @ 3:30 PM** - LEGO Club (No session in July)
**Mon., June 10th @ 4 PM** - B-Rad the Kids Magician
**Thu., June 27th @ 3 PM** - Yoga for Kids*
**Fri., June 28th @ 2 PM** - Make a Spaceship* (Hands On!)
**Wed., July 17th @ 2 PM** - Songs and Stories with Silver Trout Artists
**Mon., July 22nd @ 2 PM** - Chicken Little (Pork Chop Productions)
**Mon., July 29th @ 2 PM** - Teen Space Exploration and Travel* (Zaniac)

## GREEN RIVER BRANCH

**Thursdays @ 10 AM** - Family Storytime (Not in August)
**2nd Tuesday @ 4 PM** - LEGO Club
**3rd Friday @ 3 PM** - Green River Craft Club
**Thu., June 6th @ 4:30 PM** - Robotics for all ages* (Zaniac)
**Tue., June 25th @ 3 PM** - Explore the Universe of Bluegrass Music
**Thu., June 27th @ 2 PM** - Living in Space* (Hands On!)
**Thu., July 11th @ 3 PM** - Yoga for Kids*
**Tue., July 23rd @ 3 PM** - What's Out There?* (Zaniac)
**Fri., July 26th @ 2 PM** - Teen Space Exploration and Travel * (Zaniac)

## MILLS RIVER BRANCH

**Mondays @ 10 AM** - Family Storytime (Not in August)
**Special Storytimes in August** - *Contact Mills River for schedule*
**2nd Wednesday @ 4 PM** - LEGO Club
**Fri., June 21st @ 2 PM** - Make a Spaceship* (Hands On!)
**Wed., June 26th @ 11 AM** - Explore the Universe of Bluegrass Music
**Mon., July 8th @ 2 PM** - Teen String Art*
**Wed., July 10th @ 11 AM** - Insane Science of Fairyland
**Wed., July 10th @ 1:30 PM** - Teen Recycled Rockets*
**Tue., July 16th @ 4 PM** - Robotics for Teens* (Zaniac)
**Fri., July 19th @ 2 PM** - Yoga for Kids*
**Wed., July 24th @ 4 PM** - What's Out There?* (Zaniac)