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# The Information Junction



## Living Coral Reef Aquarium @ Your Library July 11th

### Monthly for the Kids

#### Imagination Works! Story and Craft Time

- **CREWE Library**  
Mondays 10:30 to 11:30
  - **BURKEVILLE Library**  
Tuesdays 10:30 to 11:30
  - **BLACKSTONE Library**  
Fridays 10:30 to 11:30
- Children are invited for stories, crafts and fun.

### Monthly for the Adults

- **Crewe Friends of the Library board meetings,**  
1st Thursdays, 4-5pm
- **Blackstone Friends of the Library board meetings,**  
3rd Tuesdays, 4-5pm

**The Nottoway Country Public Library offers a variety of programs each month. Please review the calendar on Page 4 for dates and times.**

As part of our Dive Into Reading @ Your Library Summer Reading Program we invite children from kindergarten thru 8th grade to participate in our Living Coral Reef Aquarium program. This program will be presented by Tiffany Deheler on Saturday, July 11th at all three libraries. Children will learn about life on a

coral reef. Ms. Deheler will bring a dive suit to display, will have handouts for the children and will have a craft for the children. See the calendar on page 4 for the time of the program at each library.

Noodle and Hoops games, FREE books and light refreshments will complete this fun filled program.

**“Wonderful Water Pets”** will be our final event presented by Noah’s Last Stop out of Farmville on **Saturday, August 8th.**

Our weekly “Imagination Works” story times will also incorporate this theme for the summer. We invite all children to join us as we Dive into Reading this summer.

## Summer Reading Challenge



There is still time for children to participate in our Summer Reading Challenge. To join this challenge children may pick up a log sheet at any Nottoway County Public Library, fill out the log sheet and select the reading challenge level he or she would like to join.

There are 5 reading levels: Goldfish commit to read 2

books per week, Starfish commit to read 3 books per week, Dolphins commit to read 5 books per week, Sharks commit to read 10 books per week and Whalers commit to read 2 young adult books per week.

The child then records the title of each book read on his or her log. Then he/she brings the log to

the library once a week. If the reading challenge level has been met he/she will receive an incentive prize, place their name on the display board and select a free book. At the end of the summer all of the children who have met the reading challenge will have their name placed in a drawing for a grand prize.



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### Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Library for both Crewe and Blackstone are non-profit, volunteer organizations which work to support the Nottoway County Public Libraries. They raise funds for library improvements and programs. To learn more call:

Blackstone 434-292-3836

Crewe 434-645-7527

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# What's New



## Library of Virginia

**"I Am a Soldier Now":  
United States Colored  
Troops in Virginia's Civil  
War**  
Thursday, July 23rd  
Noon to 1:00 PM  
Conference Rooms  
FREE

Approximately 180,000 African Americans served in the Union army during the Civil War, and many more African Americans served in the Union navy. At least 5,723 black soldiers were mustered into service in Virginia,

although Virginia-born and raised black troops likely joined in other locations. Emmanuel Dabney (Petersburg National Battlefield Park), James Price (historic site manager of the Ben Lomond Historic Site and Bristoe Station Battlefield Heritage Park in Woodbridge), and Dr. Cassandra Newby-Alexander (Norfolk State University) will discuss the history of the United States Colored Troops and the role they played in shaping Virginia's Civil War

experience. This program complements Remaking Virginia: Transformation through Emancipation. In other news, Jan Karon will receive the 2015 Literary Lifetime Achievement Award at the Library's annual gala celebration on October 17th.

For additional information about using the collections and special events contact: Library of Virginia  
800 East Broad Street  
Richmond, VA 23219

## New Books in Our Collection

It is important to us that we have books that interest our patrons. Please ask your librarian about placing a request for a book you would like to see us add to our collection.

Some recent additions include:

**Adult Fiction**  
The Last Man  
By Vince Flynn

Twelve Days  
By Alex Berenson

**Young Adult Fiction**  
Unwind  
By Neal Shusterman

**Juvenile Fiction**  
Surviving Bear Island  
By Paul Greci

**Juvenile Biography**  
Bird & Diz  
By Gary Golio

Easy Fiction  
Sunday Shopping  
By Sally Derby

The Potato King  
By Christoph Niemann

Pool  
By JiHiyeon Lee

Arron to Alaska  
By Hannah Viano

# Nottoway County Public Library System

## Crewe Library

Susan Howe, Manager  
(434) 645-8688  
400 Tyler St., Crewe, VA 23930

Mon/Thur 10-6

Tue/Wed 10-8

Sat 10-2

Closed Sunday and Friday

## Blackstone Library

Joyce Norton, Manager  
(434) 292-3587  
415 S. Main St., Blackstone, VA  
23824

Tue/Thur 12-6

Wed 12-8

Fri/Sat 10-2

Closed Sunday and Monday

## Burkeville Library

Agnes McCormick, Manager  
(434) 767-5555  
114 Agnew Street Burkeville, VA  
23922

Mon/Thur 9:30 - 5

Tues 9:30 - 2

Fri 10 - 2

Sat 9 - Noon

Closed Sunday and Wednesday

## Administrative Office

Chuck Koutnik, Consultant  
Robin Sapp, Director Trainee  
Grace McDonald, Assistant  
Director Trainee  
Donnie Derflinger, IT Tech

# Imagination Works



Story time, music and crafts are presented weekly at your local library for children up to the age of 10. You are invited to have your children attend any of the these programs.

For more information please call Ms. Cindy at 434-645-8688.

Programs times are:

Crewe Library  
Mondays  
10:30 to 11:30 am

Burkeville Library  
Tuesdays  
10:30 to 11:30 am

Blackstone Library  
Fridays  
10:30 to 11:30 am

Conductor Chuck at the Railroad Museum upon request call the Crewe Library at 434-645-8688 to schedule



## July Summer Reading Program

Dive Into Reading @ Your Library

# News and Events

The Crewe Library artist for the month of July is Johnny Robertson. This local woodcarver will display his hand carved wooden snakes and walking canes. The

public is invited to stop by the Crewe Library to see this unique display.

Mr. Robertson will also be the presenter at the Friday, July 24th monthly

program at the Crewe Library from 7 to 8 pm.

For more information contact the Crewe Library at 434-645-8688

Your Nottoway Country Library card provides access to great vacation and beach reading available in print, electronic and audio formats. Patrons may

check out the availability of materials by looking at the catalogue on the library website at [www.nottlib.org](http://www.nottlib.org). By using the four digit pin number patrons may also

go to the web site to download eBooks onto a variety of devices.

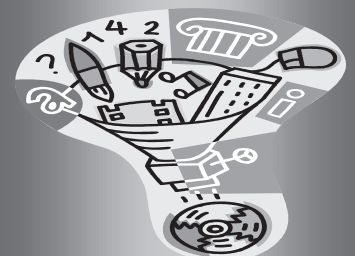
For more information visit or contact your local library.

Heritage Hall invites you to join a group of residents who have started a book club called the Mysteries at 6th and

Main Book Club on Tuesdays at 10:30 am. They hope to determine "Who Done It" before the end of the book.

For more information contact Julie Layman, Heritage Hall Marketing Director at 434-292-5301.

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## July 2015 Calendar




Take a  at our  Books.

### Living Coral Reef Aquarium Event

**Saturday, July 11th**

Crewe 9:30 to 11:00 am  
Burkeville Noon to 1:30 pm  
Blackstone 2:30 to 4:00 pm



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
					Library Closed	Library Closed
 <b>Children's Program</b>	 <b>Adult Program</b>					
6 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am CREWE	7 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	8 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	9 Trustees Meeting 1:30pm CREWE	10 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BLACKSTONE	11 Summer Reading Program "Living Coral Reef Aquarium" Event	
13 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am CREWE	14 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	15 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	16 Friends of the Library BLACKSTONE 4-5pm	17 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BLACKSTONE	18	
20 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am CREWE	21 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	22 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	23 Friends P program 7-8pm CREWE	24 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BLACKSTONE	25	
27 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am CREWE	28 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	29	30	31 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BLACKSTONE		