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PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM

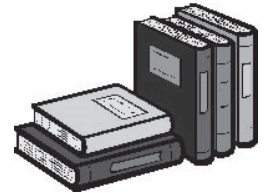
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The Information Junction

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the LIBRARY



Library Card Sign-up Month

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

Book and Bake Sale

Saturday, Sept. 12th
10 am to 5 pm and
Sunday Sept. 13th
1 to 5 pm at the
Blackstone Library
sponsored by the
Friends of the Library.

September is Library Card Sign-up month—a time when libraries across the country remind parents that a library card is the most important school supply of all.

This national campaign was launched in 1987 by then Secretary of Education, William Bennett who wanted every child to have a library card and use it. Since then, thousands of libraries have

joined together each fall to promote this effort.

Library cards are free to residents in Nottoway County and any citizen 6-years-old or older may be granted a library card.

Children under the age 14 are required to have a parent or legal guardian make and endorse the application for a card.

Studies show that libraries play an important role in the education and

development of children.

We welcome everyone to discover what your libraries have to offer: books, computers, ebooks, local history collections, “Imagination Works” weekly story times, online databases with access to children’s resources, travel information, popular magazines, basic ESL, library programs and events. Visit your library to get involved.

FREE Computer Classes

The Nottoway County Public Library and Literacy Program are pleased to offer a variety of FREE computer classes for the public.

Literacy Director Robin Sapp explains, “Our patrons and students turn to us for technology

assistance to complete job applications, write resumes, conduct web-based searches, as well as training in basic computer skills such as email, internet, MS Word and much more.

The first class in the series will be Basic Computer

Skills to begin on Wednesday, September 16th at the Blackstone Library form 6-8 p.m. To register for the class please call Ms. Sapp at 434-645-9594. Seating is limited with reservations taken on a first called first served basis.



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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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The Home of gently used books....



Tues, Thurs, and Fri 10 to 5

434-292-3836

**Book and Bake
Sale**

**Sat. 9/12 and Sun.
9/13 at the
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Operated by the Friends of
the Blackstone Library

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What's New



Library of Virginia

The Nottoway County Public Library System offers the TumbleBookLibrary which is a collection of TumbleBooks, animated, talking picture books, suited for elementary school children.

"These electronic books are a literacy resource that keeps children interested and involved in reading," said Librarian of Virginia Sandra G. Treadway.

The TumbleBookLibrary collection can be accessed online from every computer in your local

public library with an Internet connection. Users not physically at the library can access Tumblebooks through the library website at www.nottlib.org and then on the home page click on the Free ekids box.

The web site is easy for children to navigate and allows children to hear stories read fluently. There are even options to hear the stories in French or Spanish. Each story comes with puzzles and games geared to ensure reading comprehension.

The TumbleBookLibrary program is supported in whole or in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services, under the provision of the Library Services and Technology Act as administered by the Library of Virginia.

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

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

Alert
By James Patterson

Silver Linings
By Debbie Macomber

Adult Large Print Fiction

Game Over
By Fern Michaels

The Last Time I Saw Her
By Karen Robards

Young Adult Fiction

Golden Specific
By S. E. Grove

Graphic Novel

Windmill Dragon
By David Nytra

Juvenile Non-Fiction

Child Soldier
By Jessica Dee Humphreys

Easy Fiction

The Day the Crayons came Home
By Drew Daywalt

Float
By Daniel Miyares

804-692-3500

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.

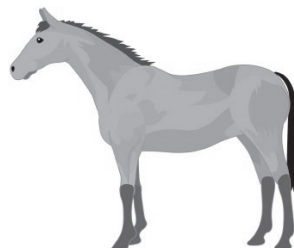
Programs times are:

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



September Theme

Bit and Bridle

We Love Horses!

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

News and Events

Displaying an assortment of action figures and comic books the Bamfcomics Store located in Crewe, Virginia has this unusual display the month of September. B. J. Price and Ellen Jones owners of Bamfcomics have over 250,000 items in their store for children and adults. Bamf is a term that

originated in the comic books published by Marvel in the superhero Nightcrawler series. Comic books have been popular for decades and the golden age of comics was 1938- 1950. Comics now have an age appropriate rating and most adults wish their mothers hadn't thrown out the ones

they had as children. Bamfcomics will celebrate BATMAN DAY on September 26th and HALLOWEEN FEST on October 31st. Stop by the library and look at this interesting display at 400 Tyler Street, Crewe, Virginia Call 434-645-8688 for library hours.

The September program will be presented by Dr. Greg Kimball on Friday, September 25th from 7 to 8 pm at the Crewe Library on the many rare manuscripts and books lost during the American Civil War. Dr.

Kimball will discuss some of the materials taken from and returned to the Commonwealth, including items of local significance such as the Bible taken by a Union soldier from the Nottoway Court House.

Everyone is invited to attend this program by the Friends of the Crewe Library and the Nottoway County Public Library System. Call 434-645-8688 for more information.

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September 2015 Calendar

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Library Card Month
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 materials available at your local library.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
	Children's Program	Adult Program		Obamacare Assistance 1-5 pm BURKEVILLE		
7	LABOR DAY Library Closed	8 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	9	10 Obamacare Assistance 1-5 pm BURKEVILLE	11 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BLACKSTONE	12 BOOK AND BAKE SALE 10 AM TO 5 PM BLACKSTONE
13 BOOK AND BAKE SALE 1 PM TO 5 PM BLACKSTONE	14 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am CREWE	15 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	16 Computer Class 6-8 pm BLACKSTONE	17 Obamacare Assistance 1-5 pm BURKEVILLE	18 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BLACKSTONE	19
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	28 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am CREWE	29 Stories & Crafts 10:30-11am BURKEVILLE	30 GED Classes 5-8pm CREWE			
	GED Classes Begin 5-8pm CREWE	Friends of the Library BLACKSTONE 4-5pm	Computer Class 6-8pm BLACKSTONE		Friends Program 7-8pm CREWE	
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