



The Information Junction



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Friends of the Library Board Meetings

Crewe:

1st Thursdays, 4-5pm
(bi-monthly)

Blackstone:

3rd Tuesdays, 4-5pm

The Friends of the Library are non-profit, volunteer organizations which work to support the Nottoway County Public Libraries. They raise funds for library improvements and programs and gladly welcome new members.

The Nottoway County Public Library offers a wide selection of **eBooks and digital magazines**. These are available to download through the website at www.nottlib.org



It's Time to Get a Clue @ Your Library

The Summer Reading Program **begins the week of June 10**, and our theme for this year's program is **Get a Clue @ Your Library**. **Registration is ongoing** and, as usual, readers of all ages are welcome to take part. You can sign up on paper at any branch, online by following the link on our website, by scanning the code at right or by following this link: www.tinyurl.GetaClue2024



There are many studies out there touting the benefits of reading just 20 minutes per day - we hope you'll do at least that much over the summer break and encourage your little ones to do the same. The June reading log is available now, and we hope that you'll use it to record the number of minutes you (or your kiddos) spend reading each day.

Each person who turns in a completed reading log will be asked to choose a prize. The younger crowd will have a choice of hardback books, and readers who are first grade and up will have a different choice to make. Readers (first grade and above) who complete and return both logs will also be entered into a drawing for a \$25 gift card and younger folks returning two completed logs will receive a total of two new books.

Here's a listing of the complete schedule of our Summer Reading programs and events for June...

- Week of June 10: Detective Camp
- Week of June 17: Board Games
- June 19 at 1:00: *Who Am I?* presented by Twin Lakes State Park at the Crewe library
- June 21 (5-7pm): Silent Book Club at the Blackstone Library
- Week of June 24: Spy Camp and Lazer Maze
- June 27 (6-8pm): Silent Book Club at the Crewe Library



Be sure to stop in or visit our Facebook page regularly for updates and more information. All things Summer Reading related can be found at www.facebook.com/GetAClue2024.



What's Next?



www.nottlib.org

Locations

BLACKSTONE Library
Demetrius Nelson, Manager
434-292-3587
415 South Main Street

Sun	closed
Mon	closed
Tue	12-6
Wed	12-6
Thur	12-6
Fri	10-2
Sat	10-2

BURKEVILLE Library
Agnes McCormick, Manager
434-767-5555
114 Agnew Street

Sun	closed
Mon	closed
Tue	9:30-5
Wed	closed
Thur	9:30-5
Fri	10-2
Sat	9-12

CREWE Library
Susan Howe, Manager
434-645-8688
414 Tyler Street

Sun	closed
Mon/Thur	10-6
Tue	10-8
Wed	10-8
Thur	10-6
Fri	closed
Sat	10-2

Administration

Jacqueline Zataweski,
Director

Demetrius Nelson,
IT Tech

Burkeville Blood Drive

We are partnering with Burkeville Baptist Church for another Red Cross blood drive on June 18 from 2 to 6pm. Schedule your donation online at www.redcrossblood.org or by calling 1-800-REDCROSS. If the satisfaction of helping to save lives isn't enough, there's a financial reward this month... **donate by June 30 and receive a \$15 e-gift card!**

This Summer At Your State Parks

Don't forget to stop at the library and borrow a nature back pack... each one includes a pass good for free (day) parking at VA State Parks.

- June 11 (9-10am) – Kayaks on the Lake at Bear Creek – Boat House
- June 14 & 15 (7-10pm) – Firefly Festival at High Bridge (**tickets required**)
- June 15 (10-11am) – Explore the Past at Holliday Lake – Jones Cemetery
- June 15 (1-2pm) – The Children of Lee and Grant at Sailors Creek – Visitor Cntr
- June 20 (10-11am) – GPS Treasure Hunt at James River – Green Hill Pond
- June 21 (1-2pm) – Medicinal Plant Walk at Powhatan – Launch A Parking
- June 28 (3-4pm) – The Occaneechi Story at Occoneechee – Visitor Center
- June 29 (4-5pm) – Hide & Seek at Twin Laks – Discovery Area
- July 3 (10-11am) – Senses of Nature at Bear Creek – Lakeside Snack Bar
- July 20 (9-10pm) – Dark Sky Program at James River – Shelter #4
- July 27 (6-9pm) – Music in the Park at Occoneechee – Amphitheater
- August 3 (7-10pm) – The Nashville Nights (music) at Pocahontas – Amphitheater

Library Closures

The Nottoway County Public Library System will be closed on Wednesday, June 19 for the Juneteenth holiday. The Library will also be closed **Thursday, July 4.** If you need reading material, keep in mind you can **borrow eBooks and digital magazines** from our digital branch **any time**, even when the branches are closed.

New Items in Our Collection

It is important that we have items that interest you and we welcome suggestions for new books and DVDs. Some upcoming books include:

