



# The Information Junction



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## Friends of the Library Board Meetings

### Crewe:

1<sup>st</sup> Thursdays, 4-5pm  
(bi-monthly)

### Blackstone:

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays, 4-5pm  
at The Book End

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](http://www.nottlib.org)



## This Month at Your Library (and beyond)

The start of the new school year means that, like the students, we are returning to school, too! Most Wednesdays will find us at the high school during lunchtime, but don't worry...if you too, would like to try making an altered book like this one, we're currently working on a plan to make that happen at one of our branches (most likely in October).



You can also find us at local State Parks this month - we will be providing craft activities at **Twin Lakes on Sunday, September 17 and Sunday, September 24 (both) at 1:00.** We'll be at **Sailors Creek** as well; you can find us there **on Saturday, September 23 at 1:00.** We will be reading *Diary of a Spider* and offering spider-related crafts, and the park will be presenting *Spiders of the Piedmont* at 2:00.

There's no need to travel outside of the County to find library programs, though...you can find them right here in Nottoway! Mrs. Nelson will be holding a very special **Grandparents Day Story Time at the Crewe Library on Saturday, September 9 at 10:30,** and the **Burkeville branch** will host Ms. Knight for **Story Time on Thursday, September 14 at 10:30.** Mrs. Nelson will be helping the little ones make **Grandparents Day cards,** and Ms. Knight will be providing savings **banks to decorate and take home,** so you'll want to be sure to join them both!

Near the end of the month, **In Town Arts' Julie Krake** will be offering a how-to **mosaic program,** but the **details have yet to be finalized,** so please check back with us from time to time.

## Wanted: Your Recycling

As we prepare for Crewe and Boo (a family-friendly "haunted" library planned for October 14), we're discovering that we don't drink nearly enough milk! With that being the case, it would be greatly appreciated if, **instead of recycling your gallon plastic jugs from milk or water, you'd bring them to us, instead.** Don't worry - the plastic will be recycled after the festivities are over.





NOTTOWAY COUNTY  
PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM

[www.nottlib.org](http://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  
224 West Nunnally 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

# What's Next?



## At Your State Parks - Paddle Quest!

The waters of Virginia connect communities and people across landscapes, providing an endless source of adventure and fun. There are 41 total state parks, with 31 offering the Paddle Quest program. Just visit a Park and participate in a paddle based adventure, then record your visit at the State Park Adventures page. You earn a sticker for paddling at just five parks, and that's easy to do...just look at the nearby opportunities this month:

- Sept 2 (2 - 5 pm) – Exploring the James River Canoe Paddle - James River State Park (Canoe Launch)
- Sept 4 (9 - 11 am) - Rise & Shine Paddle - Pocahontas (Swift Creek Boat Launch)
- Sept 9 (9 - 10 am) - Kayak Intro and Lake Tour - Bear Creek (Boat House)
- Sept 16 (9 - 11 am) - Let's Go Canoeing - Occoneechee (Interpretive Center)
- Sept 29 (5:30 - 7 pm) - Sunset Canoe Tour - Powhatan (Launch A Parking)
- Sept 30 (11 - 12:30 pm) - Canoe Tour - Twin Lakes (Prince Edward boat ramp)

## Library Closures

All branches of the **Nottoway County Public Library System will be closed on Monday, September 4 for Labor Day and Friday, September 8 for staff training.** 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 materials that interest you and we welcome suggestions for new books. Some recent – and upcoming – items include:

