



# The Information Junction



NOTTOWAY COUNTY  
PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM



## Weekly for the Kids

Imagination Works!

Wednesday:  
10:30 at Crewe

Thursday:  
10:30 at Burkeville

Friday:  
10:30 at Blackstone

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## For the Adults

Be a Friend!

### 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

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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)



## What Can We Do For You?

In recent years, we have noticed that there is a growing number of home school families in the area, and since the library's purpose is to provide information and resources, we need to know what those families - and others - need. Would you find science programs useful? What about history? Math?

Come to our Meet & Greet at the Crewe Library on **Thursday, January 13 at 1pm and talk to us about your homeschool needs**. Our plan is to do what we can, of course, but also to partner with other agencies such as 4-H and the Virginia State Parks. Once we've gathered this information, we'll begin hosting a series of programs - the Investigation Express.



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[www.ext.vt.edu](http://www.ext.vt.edu)

All are welcome to stop by to share suggestions for future programs and potential resources. Please mark your calendar and join us!



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## She's on Her Way

Harper has begun her journey on the way to reading 1000 Books Before Kindergarten. Congratulations!

The program itself is celebrating a milestone with us - Nottoway's is four years old! If your youngster hasn't started yet, it's never too late to start. Just pick up a reading log at any branch or location or print one from the website and get started tracking each book read to your preschool child. Each time you trade in a completed log, your child will receive a certificate and free book, up to 10 books in all.





# What's Next?



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### 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 Zatawesi,  
Director

## Library of VA Literary Awards

The new year means that you have a new chance to nominate books for the Library of Virginia Literary Awards. The deadline for nominations is February 10. Books eligible for the awards must have been published in 2021 and either written by a Virginia author or, in the case of nonfiction, cover a Virginia subject. You can find the form at <https://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/litawards/nominate.asp>

## This Month at VA State Parks

January 7 (6-8pm) - Stargazing on the Bridge at High Bridge - Camp Paradise  
January 8 (7-9pm) - Stories of the Stars at Staunton River - Visitors Center  
January 15 (10-11am) - Fun Fires at Pocahontas - Visitors Center  
January 29 (10-1) – Historical Tour (at Cedar Crest) at Twin Lakes

## We Have a Winner!

Actually, we have **three** Minute to Win It winners - one from each branch location. We offer them our congratulations and wonder if they'll be able to defend their respective titles? Look for another round of games in early April.



## January Closures

The Nottoway County Public Library System will be **closed on Saturday, January 1**. The library will also be **closed Monday, January 17**. Remember that you can **borrow eBooks** (Overdrive and Hoopla) and **digital magazines** (RBDigital) at **any time, day or night**.



## New Items in Our Collection

It is important that we have materials that interest our patrons. Please ask your librarian about requesting a book you would like to see us add to our collection. Some recent – and upcoming – additions include:

