



The Information Junction



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Friends of the Library Meet: Crewe:

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

Blackstone (Board):
3rd Tuesdays, 4-5pm

The Friends of the Library 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

March Happenings

As the weather improves, the clocks “spring forward”, and people are more likely to venture out, your library continues to be a destination that we hope you’ll keep in mind. Literacy Program Director Kathy Oliver will be offering a “**fiber tasting**” on **Saturday, March 7 from 10-2** at the **Crewe Library**. You will not, of course, be tasting fibers, but instead will have the chance to experience the feel of a variety of fibers - some from animals, some plant-based.

If you haven’t heard yet, **Yoga with Cosima** has returned to the Crewe library on **Mondays at 4:30**. Like all library events and programs, the sessions are offered at **no cost to our patrons** - just bring your own yoga mat! The class will work heavily with the practice of twisting, balancing, and seated postures and all levels of practice are welcome to join in.



We’ll be trying something entirely new to us on **Saturday, March 21 at 2:00 in Blackstone - speed puzzling!** If you’re unfamiliar with the idea, here’s how it works...**teams of 2-4 puzzlers register in advance**. On the day of the event, all teams will receive copies of the same **500 piece puzzle**, and will compete to find out **who can complete it in the least amount of time**. Sign up at tinyurl.com/NCPLpuzzles, by scanning the QR code, or by leaving a message at 434-538-0495.



It goes without saying that Ms Melissa will be keeping busy this month, too. During the first week of March, the littles will be making the cutest little luck bugs you’ve ever seen, and the following week, you can find a **take-home activity at each branch** so the kiddos can make a shamrock wreath at home. On St Patrick’s Day and the days that follow, the children’s craft is a **daffodil**, and for the week of the 23rd, they’ll be making **bunny bookmarks**. There are crafts for the adults, too...**beaded shamrocks** for the first part of the month and **bunny garlands** later on. For all of the dates, times, and locations, check our Facebook page or calendar.

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
224 2nd Street NW

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.	10-6
Tue	10-8
Wed	10-8
Thur	10-6
Fri	closed
Sat	10-2

Administration

Jacqueline Zataweski,
Director

Demetrius Nelson,
IT Tech

Getting Ready for Earth Day

Just because Earth Day is more than a month away, it doesn't mean that we can't start our preparations now. Ms Melissa has been finding all sorts of Earth Day activities - so many that it's possible that she'll have to choose her favorites - and we have found that there is another organization out there that's getting ready for Earth Day, too.



This spring, the Library is participating in **Neighborhood Forest's 16th Annual free tree program**. The program provides **free 6-12" trees** to children each year. Parents **must register** their children **no later than March 15** and can do so by going to tinyurl.com/FreeTree2026, by scanning the code above, or by visiting their local branch.

New Items in Our Collection

These books will soon be part of our collection (if they're not already)...

A Far Flung Life by ML Stedman: "Stedman sets the stage beautifully to allow for a heart-wrenching moral dilemma to play out... Most impressive is the subtle yet profound maturation of...characters." —*Publishers Weekly*

Life after Power by Jared Cohen: "The author packs this expansive sweep of presidential history with enough storytelling verve and grounded research to legitimize these presidents' underrepresented post-term stories... An engaging dip into the history of the presidency." —*Kirkus Reviews*

The Four Pillars of Investing by William Bernstein: "Bernstein has brilliantly distilled what is essentially four books into one here in an enlightening tour through investing theory, history, psychology and business using practical examples, stories, metaphors, math and a bit of humor. It's full of hard-won investing perspective and sage advice in an easily digestible format —*Eric Balchunas, analyst, Bloomberg*

