

# The Information Junction



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#### Weekly for the Kids

Listen in on WSVS 97.1 fm or 800 am three mornings a week

Ms. Gail will be sharing stories and letting us know about many of the other resources the library offers

#### For the Adults

Be a Friend!

#### Friends of the Library Board Meetings Crewe:

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

#### Blackstone:

3<sup>rd</sup> 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

## Tune In to WSVS for Story Time

The Nottoway County Public Library System is continuing to practice caution and discourage gatherings, but that doesn't mean that we don't miss sharing great stories with you! Ms. Gail has been hard at work, selecting and practicing the stories she will be reading for you three times each week on WSVS. Tune in to 97.1 or stream online at

www.wsvsamfm.com every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday morning at 10:30 to enjoy a story, and don't forget that these on-air adventures count toward the 1000 Books Before Kindergarten

"challenge". Stop by any branch to pick up a reading log, or print one from our website, and fill a circle every time your pre-school child is read a story. When the page is full, bring it to the library and exchange it for a free book!



## Take & Make Kits Continue

Last month, we told you about penny spinners and dragons; in this newsletter, it's all about current and upcoming craft kits for adults (and older children). Right now, you can go to any Nottoway County branch and pick up a dot painting kit so that you can make a decoration like the one shown below (created by Ms. Gail). Later this month, you will be able to come to the library and take home that includes everything that you need to decoupage a coaster.

In the coming weeks, the library will offer take home kits for a



variety of STEM challenges. We'll be asking you to build a catapult and to tell us how far you can get a pom-pom to fly. We'll be asking youngsters to construct towers out of mini-marshmallows and toothpicks, and we'll be providing salt, glue, and one other component to make an art project that uses science, too. Please be sure to tag us on social media when you show off your projects!



NOTTOWAY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM

#### 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

Donnie Derflinger, IT Tech

# What's Next?



## **Future Fun Stuff**

November 14 (10am): Fall Colors Hike @ Twin Lakes State Park Ends November 20: Snowflake Project @ Longwood Center for the Visual Arts December 4-6 (5:30pm): Lights at the Lake @ Bear Creek Lake State Park December 11 (6pm): Blackstone Christmas Parade

December 12 (10-3): Antebellum Christmas @ Sailors Creek State Park

**St. Nicholas WILL NOT be making an appearance** (due to COVID) December 20 (10am): Winter Solstice Hike @ High Bridge Trail State Park

### Upcoming at the Library of Virginia

Saturday, November 21 from 10-11:30am Research Sprint - History Unfolded: US Newspapers and the Holocaust



Help uncover history! What did Virginia newspapers report about Nazi persecution during the 1930s and 1940s? By identifying Holocaust-related articles, we will begin to understand what the average Virginian would have known during WWII. Registration information can be found at Iva.virginia.gov/news/calendar

## **Library Closures**

The Nottoway County Public Library System will be closed on Tuesday, November 3 for Election Day and on Wednesday, November 11 in honor of Veterans Day. The library will also be closed for Thanksgiving Thursday, November 26 through Sunday, November 29.

All branches will be closed Thursday, December 24 through Sunday, December 27, and the library will also close Thursday, December 31 and Friday, January 1. If you need reading material, keep in mind you can borrow eBooks and digital magazines from our digital branch at your convenience.

#### **New Items in Our Collection**

It is important that we have materials that interest you and we welcome suggestions for new materials. Some recent – and upcoming – items include:









