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The Information Junction



For the Kids

Dial A Story is now available 24/7 and features a new story each week (changing on Wednesday).

See the article on this page for more information.

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

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



Presenting: Dial A Story

We're hoping that "COVID conditions" will allow for Story Time to resume later this month...In the meantime - and for EXTRA stories to count for your 1000 Books Before Kindergarten goal - you can enjoy a story over the phone, thanks to the Library of Virginia.



Dial 1-833-690-0646 to hear a story read in both English and Spanish. Each Wednesday, a new story will be available to listeners around the state. The stories will be a rotation of recent and classic picture books, fairy tales and folk tales, and books highlighting equity, diversity and inclusion. This program, **available 24/7**, presents an analog opportunity for strengthening reading readiness using picture books and telephone technology.

DIY: Decoupage a Coaster



We can't guarantee that your ceramic tile coaster will look as amazing as this one (created by Rebeca Noorani), but we hope that you'll give it a try!

Bring a friend and come to the Crewe Library on **Tuesday, August 24 at 6:30 pm** to make your own decorative coaster.

We will supply everything you need...except the creativity! Kits not used at the program will be available as a Take & Make activity.

Outdoor Fun - Straw Rockets!

Saturday, August 21 is your (child's) chance to build a rocket of their very own! Choose the location that suits you best, and join us for some outdoor fun:

Burkeville: 9:30

Crewe: 11:00

Blackstone: 12:30





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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

Donnie Derflinger,
IT Tech

What's Next?



And...That's a Wrap!

The Summer Reading Problem has come to an end, and we'd like to thank everyone who participated. We had nearly 70 people of all ages register this year - that's amazing!!! Winners for the prize drawing(s) will be announced in the next few days, and children who completed the program and submitted their game cards before the deadline will soon receive their Metro Richmond Zoo admission passes in the mail.



This Month, at a State Park Near You

- August 7 at 1pm – Lake Explorers at Twin Lakes – behind the Spot
- August 12 at 10am – Walk and Talk: Birding at High Bridge – Camp Paradise
- August 14 at 12pm - Scat Attack at Pocahontas - visitor center
- August 22 at 9:30am – Snaps and Apps at Occoneechee – visitors center
- August 27 at 8:30pm – Movie Under the Stars at Staunton River - amphitheater
- August 28 at 8pm – Summer Night Star Lights at Sailor's Creek – visitors center

Don't forget to **stop by any branch to borrow a Nature Backpack** - a parking pass is included, and the **packs circulate for two weeks**, just like books!

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:

