

CENTRAL ARKANSAS LIBRARY SYSTEM

PROGRAM GUIDE SUMMER 2019



The Central Arkansas Library System serves the educational and entertainment needs of Pulaski and Perry County residents, with 13 unique library branches and our flagship campus, Library Square in downtown Little Rock. Card holders enjoy access to more than one million items, including books, audiobooks, ebooks, DVDs, periodicals, databases, telescopes, bird-watching kits, and even fishing poles. Our virtual branch, CALS.ORG, is open 24/7, allowing patrons to download ebooks, audiobooks, music, magazines, movies, and TV shows.

This summer, CALS embarks on an exciting new phase in our growth and progress as a library system.

To better serve you, in 2017 we commissioned a professional library consultant to help us develop a strategic plan for 2019-2022. That plan began with listening to you, our stakeholders.

We gathered extensive community suggestions and insight through a widely distributed public survey as well as a day-long retreat with a diverse group of community members. We were delighted to hear that many people love our library system and highly value our programs and resources, as well as our caring and dedicated staff. But we were also grateful for all the insightful suggestions for how CALS could serve our people in more innovative and effective ways.



Those community suggestions, along with the professional advice of the consultant who studies public libraries all across the country, have yielded a very helpful tool for us. We now know much more about your top priorities and needs from your library system, and with those in mind, the new CALS strategic plan is ready for implementation.

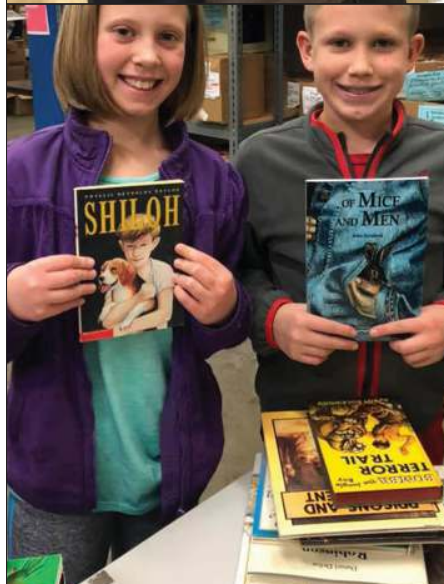
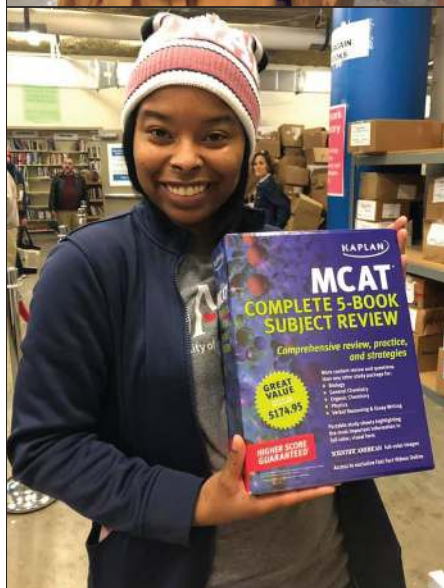
Our first goal is to extend our outreach to the many and varied communities who use the library. In addition, we'll explore creative methods to remove the barriers that can prevent people from using our resources. Increasing our cultural awareness and staff diversity will help us better understand how to assist each person in our service area.

In response to your feedback, we'll also reallocate our resources in 2020 and beyond to spread them more widely across our 14-branch system where possible to areas of greatest need. We'll seek partners and opportunities for this library to help people and families address their challenges. CALS has a rich collection of offerings at Library Square, our downtown Little Rock campus. These resources and programs need to move out into our branches, where more people can experience them, and outside the walls of our library buildings. We are deeply committed to ensuring wider access to all that the library system offers.

As we focus on other needs you identified, such as early literacy for children and entrepreneurship and business skills for adults, we will lift the library's service to new levels. We will take inspiration from other libraries around the country that have encouraged innovation and creative thinking to enhance their usefulness to their people.

This is only a beginning, but it's an invigorating moment as we embark on a new path, planning the ways we'll help our community members climb to the places they want to go.





Used Book Sale

These people found the perfect book for only \$1.

What will you find?

\$2 hardbacks

\$1 paperbacks

THU | JUL 11 | 5-7 PM

Friends of CALS members only

FRI | JUL 12 | 10 AM-6 PM

Friends of CALS may enter at 9 a.m.

SAT | JUL 13 | 10 AM-4 PM

Friends of CALS may enter at 9 a.m.

Memberships available at the door.

Main Library Basement | Library Square | 100 Rock St.

Who are Friends?

For over 50 years, Friends have provided support through advocacy, fundraising, and promotional programs. As a Friend of CALS, you will play a vital role in the success of your library. Join today at cals.org/friends.

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holiday closures

FATHER'S DAY
SUN | JUN 16

INDEPENDENCE DAY
WED | JUL 3 (CLOSE AT 6 PM)
THU | JUL 4

WEEKLY MEETINGS WILL NOT BE HELD ON THESE DAYS.
PROGRAM TIMES AND DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
VISIT CALS.ORG OR CONTACT THE HOST LIBRARY TO CONFIRM.

upcoming events

SUSAN ORLEAN, *THE LIBRARY BOOK*
SAT | SEP 28

USED BOOK SALE
THU-SAT | NOV 7-9

SELF PUBLISHED/SMALL PRESS BOOK FAIR
SAT | NOV 9



It's time for Summer Reading Club! We have weekly, age-specific activities, free meals for children and teens, special guests, and several out-of-this-world special events. It only takes a few moments to register at cals.beanstack.org. Sign up to earn prizes, receive book recommendations, and experience a universe of stories, movies, and activities, including a free ticket to see the Arkansas Travelers—all you have to do is read!



Be Mighty Little Rock is a citywide campaign to connect kids and teens 18 and under to free meals. Summer meals will be offered at several CALS branches, as well as other locations throughout Little Rock. Various activities are offered at meal sites to help children stay active and learn. Such activities may include reading or exercise programs, cooking classes and games, among others. Parents are encouraged to take advantage of this free and much-needed resource for their children. Our goal is for every kid and teen in Little Rock to have the resources needed to Be Mighty.

summer meal sites

Meals are served Monday, June 3-Friday, Aug. 9.

brooks

MON-FRI | 11-11:45 AM
MON-FRI | 4-5 PM

dee brown

MON-FRI | NOON-12:30 PM

children's

MON-FRI | 11-11:45 AM
MON-FRI | 4-4:45 PM
SAT | 2-2:30 PM

fletcher

MON-FRI | 2:30-3:30 PM

main

MON-FRI | 3:45-4:45 PM
SAT | 2-3 PM

mcmath

MON-FRI | 12:30-1:30 PM

nixon

MON-FRI | NOON-1 PM

rooker

MON-FRI | NOON-1 PM

sanders

MON-FRI | 11:15-12:15 PM

terry

MON, WED, THU | 3:30-4:30 PM

williams

MON-SAT | 10-10:30 AM
MON-SAT | 1:15-1:45 PM

These campaigns are made possible with help from our partner organizations.





PINNACLE MOUNTAIN STAR PARTY

SAT | JUN 8 | 8:30-11 PM | FREE

Join the Central Arkansas Astronomical Society for a presentation followed by an evening of stargazing.



STRANGE NEW WORLDS: IS THE EARTH SPECIAL?

CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | SAT | JUN 15 | 7 PM | FREE

Dr. Phil Plait's visit will celebrate space flight and the Apollo program with a multimedia presentation packed with humor and backed by solid science. He began a career in public outreach and education with the *Bad Astronomy* website and blog, debunking bad science and popular misconceptions. His book *Bad Astronomy* was released in 2002, followed in 2008 by *Death from the Skies!* Sponsored by the Arkansas Space Grant Consortium and Central Arkansas Astronomical Society.



CHESLEY BONESTELL: A BRUSH WITH THE FUTURE (NR)

CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | FRI | JUL 26 | 7 PM | FREE

Long before space travel, Chesley Bonestell painted planets and space scenes that later proved eerily accurate. The story of his artwork and career is the subject of this film, named "Best Documentary" at both the Comic-Con International Independent Film Festival and the Boston Science Fiction Film Festival. Sponsored by the Arkansas Space Grant Consortium and Central Arkansas Astronomical Society.

CALS Blasts into Space with NASA, Astronomy, and Visionary Sci-Fi Artist

BY ROSSLYN ELLIOTT AND DARRELL HEATH

Whether you're a seasoned astronomy buff or a kid just discovering the allure of outer space, this summer at CALS will bring a universe of fun events centered on space and space flight. There will be multiple system-wide programs aligned with the CALS Summer Reading theme, "A Universe of Stories."

Thanks to a grant from the Arkansas Space Grant Consortium, the library system will be offering two special presentations to honor the 50th anniversary of the Apollo manned spaceflight program. Astronomer Phil Plait (*Bad Astronomy*) will appear in person with his trademark blend of humor and science. Art lovers and sci-fi fans will get to see a new, award-winning film about

Chesley Bonestell, the prophetic artist whose iconic paintings defined "space" in the American imagination.

CALS is delighted to partner with the Central Arkansas Astronomical Society (CAAS), the group that applied for the grant that will bring these quality programs to Central Arkansas. "We hope the wonder of studying space will encourage young people more generally to enjoy science," said Darrell Heath of CAAS.

Other events celebrating space flight and the Apollo program include screenings of *Apollo 13* and *Hidden Figures*. After viewing these films, you might want to be inspired to check out some of the free telescopes available through CALS to do a little star-gazing of your own!

a universe of movies

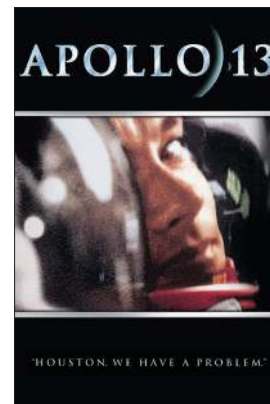
CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | MOVIES BEGIN AT 7 PM



THU | JUL 11 | \$5



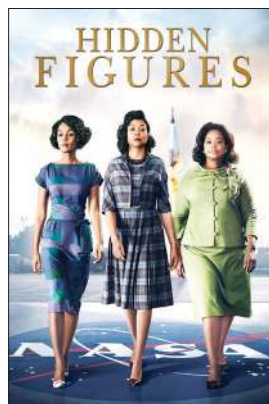
THU | JUL 18 | \$5



SAT | JUL 20 | \$2



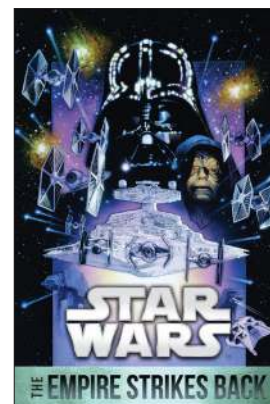
THU | JUL 25 | \$5



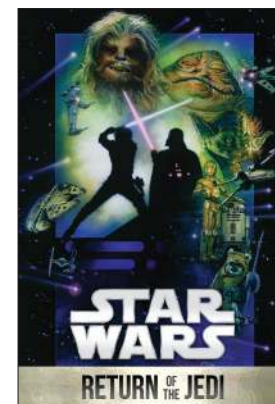
TUE | JUL 30 | FREE



THU | AUG 1 | \$5



THU | AUG 8 | \$5



THU | AUG 15 | \$5

weekly meetings & storytimes

Summer Reading Club activities are June 10-July 28 unless otherwise noted. Times marked with an asterisk (*) are storytimes.

brooks

*AGES 1-10 | SAT | JUN 1-29 | 10:30 AM
*AGES 1-10 | FRI | JUL 12-26 | 10:30 AM

brown

AGES 10-14 | MON | 11 AM
AGES 5-9 | TUE | 11 AM
*PRESCHOOL | WED | 11 AM
FAMILIES | FRI | 2 PM

children's

*AGES 5 & UNDER | WED | 10 AM, 10:30 AM
*AGES 5 & UNDER | THU | 10 AM, 10:30 AM
FITNESS | AGES 6-12 | TUE | 1 PM
GARDEN TO KITCHEN | ALL AGES | WED | 2 PM

fletcher

AGES 5-7 | MON | 2:30 PM
*PRESCHOOL | TUE | 10 AM
AGES 7-12 | WED | 10 AM
PRESCHOOL | THU | 9:30 AM

main

AGES 5-12 | MON-FRI | 4 PM
TEENS | MON-SAT | 2 PM
AGES 6-8 | TUE | 10:30 AM
AGES 9-12 | WED | 10:30 AM
*BABIES & TODDLERS | THU | 10:30 AM
*AGES 3-5 | FRI | 10:30 AM
FAMILIES | SAT | 10:30 AM, 3 PM

maumelle

TWEENS & TEENS | MON | 2:30 PM
AGES 6-8 | TUE | 10:30 AM
*PRESCHOOL | WED | 10:30 AM, 2:30 PM
*BABIES & TODDLERS | THU | 10:30 AM

mcmath

FAMILIES | MON | 6 PM
AGES 6-12 | TUE, THU | 2 PM
TEENS | WED | 6 PM
*AGES 2-5 | FRI | 10:30 AM

milam

*PRESCHOOL | TUE | 10:30 AM
*AGES 5-12 | TUE | 2 PM
TEENS | TUE | 4 PM
LEGO® | ALL AGES | WED | 10 AM-5 PM

nixon

TWEENS | TUE | 3 PM
*PRESCHOOL | WED | 10:30 AM
AGES 6-11 | WED | 3 PM
*TODDLERS | FRI | 10:30 AM
TEENS | FRI | 3 PM

rooker

AGES 6-8 | MON | 10:30 AM
*PRESCHOOL | TUE | 10:30 AM
AGES 9-12 | WED | 2:30 PM
TEENS | THU | 4 PM
MOVIES | FAMILIES | FRI | 3 PM

sanders

TEENS | MON | 10:30 AM
ALL AGES | TUE, THU | 10:30 AM
STEAM | AGES 5-10 | TUE | 4 PM
*AGES 1-5 | WED | 10:30 AM
*AGES 2-3 | WED | 11:15-11:45 AM
TEENS | WED | 4 PM
MOVIES | ALL AGES | FRI | 10:30 AM

terry

*BABIES | MON, THU | 9:30 AM
AGES 6-8 | MON | 10:30 AM
*TODDLERS | TUE | 9:30 AM
AGES 9-12 | TUE | 2:30 PM
TEENS | WED | 2:30 PM
*PRESCHOOL | THU | 10:30 AM

thompson

*BABIES | MON | 10 AM
*PRESCHOOLERS | MON | 11 AM
KNITTING CIRCLE | ADULT | MON | 1 PM
LEGO® CREW | AGES 6-12 | MON | 4 PM
*PRESCHOOLERS | WED | 10 AM
*FAMILIES | THU | 6 PM
AGES 5 & UNDER | FRI | 10 AM

williams

*PRESCHOOL | TUE | 10:30 AM
ADULTS | TUE | 6 PM
*AGES 6-8 | WED | 10:30 AM
TEENS | WED | 2 PM
*AGES 9-12 | THU | 10:30 AM
FAMILIES | THU | 2 PM

august storytimes

children's

AGES 5 & UNDER | WED, THU | 10 AM

main

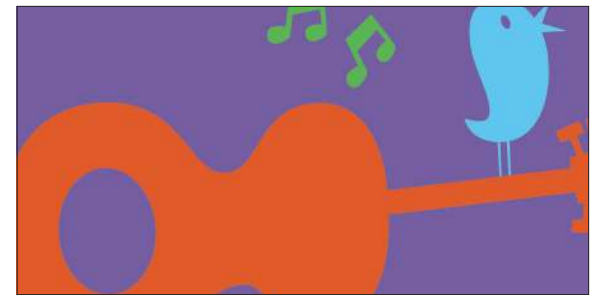
AGES 2 & UNDER | THU | 10:30 AM
AGES 3-5 | FRI | 10:30 AM

rooker

AGES 5 & UNDER | SAT | 11 AM

thompson

FAMILIES | MON, WED | 10 AM
AGES 5 & UNDER | FRI | 10 AM



KIDSTOCK FAMILY MUSIC FESTIVAL HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON CHILDREN'S LIBRARY & LEARNING CENTER SAT | JUN 8 | 10 AM-2 PM

Our annual Summer Reading Club kick off is bigger than ever with bubbles, sidewalk chalk, lawn games, snacks, and performances by some of our favorites. 10 a.m.: Tommy Terrific's Wacky Magic; 11 a.m.: Animal Meet and Greet with the Little Rock Zoo; noon: Brian & Terri Kinder; 2 p.m.: Dogtown Ukulele Band



LIBRARY NIGHT AT ARKANSAS TRAVELERS DICKEY-STEPHENS PARK MON | JUL 22 | 7 PM

Anyone who registers for Summer Reading Club will receive a free general admission ticket to see the Travs play the Frisco RoughRiders. Pick up a ticket at your local branch beginning July 1 and join us at the ballpark.



SRC END OF SUMMER CELEBRATION HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON CHILDREN'S LIBRARY & LEARNING CENTER SAT | JUL 27 | 10 AM-2 PM

Whether you read one book or 100, we want you to party with us. Join us for a fun day of crafts, games, and celebrating our summer reading achievements. One-man band Mister Morphis will perform at 10 a.m.



summer reading club special guests

Michael Albert: Modern Pop Art

Artist Michael Albert Will talk about his art, show us some examples, then run a hands-on Cereal Box Collage workshop. Each session is two hours.

CHILDREN'S | TUE | JUL 9 | 10 AM | FAMILIES
FLETCHER | TUE | JUL 9 | 6 PM | ADULTS
MAIN | MON | JUL 8 | 2 PM | FAMILIES
MCMATH | THU | JUL 11 | 2 PM | AGES 6-12
SANDERS | FRI | JUL 11 | 6 PM | ADULTS
TERRY | MON | JUL 8 | 6 PM | FAMILIES
WILLIAMS | THU | JUL 11 | 10 AM | AGES 9-12

True Alisandre & Chris Caldwell: Drumming

Attendees will participate in a group drumming experience using their own bodies, ordinary objects, and hand percussion instruments.

CHILDREN'S | TUE | JUN 18 | 11 AM
DEE BROWN | MON | JUN 10 | 11 AM
FLETCHER | WED | JUN 19 | 10 AM
MAIN | TUE | JUN 25 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | TUE | JUN 11 | 10:30 AM
MCMATH | THU | JUN 20 | 2 PM
SANDERS | THU | JUN 27 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | MON | JUN 17 | 10:30 AM
THOMPSON | WED | JUN 19 | 3 PM

Arkansas Game & Fish Commission Mobile Aquarium

Hear about the aquatic turtles native to our area and see the AG&FC's 1,000-gallon mobile aquarium. Each session is one hour.

BROOKS | TUE | JUN 25 | 2 PM
DEE BROWN | TUE | JUN 25 | 11 AM
CHILDREN'S | TUE | JUN 11 | 11 AM
FLETCHER | WED | JUN 26 | 10 AM
MAIN | WED | JUL 3 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | MON | JUN 24 | 2:30 PM
MCMATH | THU | JUN 27 | 2 PM
MILAM | TUE | JUN 11 | 2 PM
NIXON | WED | JUN 26 | 3 PM
ROOKER | WED | JUL 3 | 2:30 PM
SANDERS | TUE | JUN 18 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | TUE | JUN 18 | 2:30 PM
THOMPSON | WED | JUL 10 | 3 PM
WILLIAMS | THU | JUN 27 | 10:30 AM

Lela Bloom Puppet Show

Ms. Lela will enlighten and entertain you with an interactive show and storytelling. Each show is 45 minutes.

CHILDREN'S | THU | JUL 18 | 10 AM
DEE BROWN | WED | JUN 26 | 11 AM
FLETCHER | TUE | JUL 23 | 10 AM
MAIN | FRI | JUN 28 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | WED | JUL 24 | 10:30 AM
MCMATH | FRI | JUL 12 | 10:30 AM
MILAM | TUE | JUL 9 | 10:30 AM
NIXON | WED | JUL 3 | 10:30 AM
ROOKER | TUE | JUL 16 | 10:30 AM
SANDERS | WED | JUL 17 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | THU | JUL 11 | 10:30 AM
THOMPSON | WED | JUL 10 | 10:30 AM
WILLIAMS | TUE | JUL 2 | 10:30 AM

Scott Davis Magic

Scott Davis presents an interactive comedy magic show. Each session is one hour.

DEE BROWN | TUE | JUN 18 | 11 AM
CHILDREN'S | TUE | JUL 16 | 11 AM
FLETCHER | WED | JUN 12 | 10 AM
MAIN | WED | JUN 19 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | MON | JUN 10 | 2:30 PM
MCMATH | TUE | JUL 16 | 2 PM
MILAM | TUE | JUN 18 | 2 PM
NIXON | WED | JUL 10 | 3 PM
ROOKER | WED | JUN 19 | 2:30 PM
SANDERS | TUE | JUL 9 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | TUE | JUL 9 | 2:30 PM
THOMPSON | WED | JUN 12 | 3 PM
WILLIAMS | THU | JUL 25 | 10:30 AM

The Kinders

Brian Kinder and his wife, Ms. Terri, perform interactive, rollicking good-time concerts for kids. Each concert is one hour.

DEE BROWN | WED | JUL 3 | 11 AM
CHILDREN'S | SAT | JUL 13 | 11 AM
MAIN | SAT | JUL 20 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | TUE | JUL 30 | 10:30 AM
MCMATH | FRI | JUL 5 | 10:30 AM
MILAM | TUE | JUL 30 | 2 PM
NIXON | SAT | JUN 22 | 10:30 AM
ROOKER | TUE | JUN 4 | 4 PM
SANDERS | FRI | JUL 12 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | MON | JUL 1 | 6:30 PM
THOMPSON | MON | JUN 17 | 11 AM

Museum of Discovery's Adventures in Space

Investigate the challenges of space exploration through experiments and demonstrations about gravity, laws of motion and pressure. Each session is one hour.

BROOKS | TUE | JUN 18 | 2-3 PM
DEE BROWN | TUE | JUN 11 | 11 AM
FLETCHER | WED | JUL 17 | 10 AM
MAIN | WED | JUN 26 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | MON | JUN 17 | 2:30 PM
MCMATH | THU | JUN 13 | 2 PM
MILAM | TUE | JUL 2 | 2 PM
NIXON | WED | JUL 3 | 3 PM
ROOKER | WED | JUN 26 | 2:30 PM
SANDERS | THU | JUN 13 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | TUE | JUN 11 | 2:30 PM
THOMPSON | WED | JUL 17 | 3 PM
WILLIAMS | THU | JUL 18 | 10:30 AM

Craig O'Neill Storytime

Local newsman Craig O'Neill doesn't read a book—he performs it! Kids of all ages will enjoy this storytime.

CHILDREN'S | TUE | JUN 25 | 11 AM
FLETCHER | TUE | JUL 2 | 10 AM
MAUMELLE | TUE | JUL 23 | 10:30 AM
MILAM | TUE | JUL 16 | 10:30 AM
SANDERS | THU | JUL 18 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | THU | JUL 25 | 10:30 AM
THOMPSON | TUE | JUL 9 | 10 AM

Tommy Terrific's Wacky Magic Show

With the help of his Magician's Handbook and the audience, Tommy will explore the magic of space. Shows are designed for kids ages 3-12 but are fun for the whole family. Each show is 45 minutes.

BROOKS | MON | JUN 10 | 2 PM
CHILDREN'S | SAT | JUN 8 | 10 AM
MAIN | SAT | JUL 13 | 10:30 AM
MAUMELLE | TUE | JUN 25 | 10 AM
MCMATH | FRI | JUN 28 | 10:30 AM
MILAM | TUE | JUN 25 | 2 PM
NIXON | SAT | JUL 13 | 2 PM
ROOKER | MON | JUN 10 | 10:30
SANDERS | MON | JUL 15 | 10:30 AM
TERRY | MON | JUN 10 | 6:30 PM
THOMPSON | SAT | JUN 1 | 2 PM
WILLIAMS | WED | JUN 26 | 10:30 AM



bookstore at library square

MEMOIR WRITING FOR SENIORS
THU | JUN 6-27 | NOON-1:30 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: DMOORE@CAL.S.ORG OR 918-3035

This class takes attendees age 55 and older through the steps of writing their life stories. Participants should plan to attend all four sessions. No writing experience needed.

millie m. brooks library

FIRST PERSON PLURAL ART EXHIBIT
JUN 4-16

This traveling exhibit on Arkansas women is in celebration of the centennial of women's suffrage.

DIY VISION BOARD
SAT | JUN 8 | 11 AM-NOON

Let your vision board inspire you to set goals and complete them over the remainder of the year.

LIVESTREAM WORKSHOP
THU | JUN 13 | 3-4 PM

Nathan Smith will teach you how to set up and stream live video for platforms like Twitch, YouTube, and Mixer.

dee brown library

COOK BOOK POTLUCK
THU | JUN 6; JUL 11; AUG 8 | 6:30-7 PM

It's like a book club for cookbooks. Each month, we'll choose a cookbook and each select a recipe to prepare. We'll share the results with the group at the next month's meeting then choose the next cookbook.

EAT SMART, BE ACTIVE

MON, WED | JUN 10-26 | 5-6 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: JVESS@CAL.S.ORG OR 568-7494

Learn to prepare nutritious meals and snacks that are affordable and easy to make. Class size is limited. Participants should plan to attend all six sessions.

SPICE IT UP

THU | JUN 13; JUL 18; AUG 15 | 6-7:30 PM

We're peering into our spice cabinets to see what all of the fuss is about. Fire up your senses with samples to smell, taste, and touch.
Jun: pepper; Jul: curry; Aug: cinnamon

FREEZER MEAL EXCHANGE

THU | JUN 20; JUL 25; AUG 22 | 6-7:30 PM

Each participant prepares five frozen entrées that will feed four people each. Each month we trade meals. In the June meeting, we'll cover the basics of preparing frozen entrées for the crock pot or oven of busy, hungry people. We'll also talk about food safety guidelines and get the list of pre-approved recipes. Then, we'll select recipes and prepare for next month.

ISSUES THAT MATTER: EDUCATION IN ARKANSAS

THU | AUG 22 | 6-7 PM

This moderated discussion will focus on issues surrounding education in Central Arkansas and include questions from the audience. Sponsored by CALS, KUAR, and the League of Women Voters.

hillary rodham clinton children's library & learning center

BLOOD DRIVE

TUE | JUN 11 | 11 AM-2 PM

Help us help the Arkansas Blood Institute. Donors get a t-shirt and pass to Magic Springs.

john gould fletcher library

GALAXY PAINTING

THU | JUN 20 | 6-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 663-5457 OR AT BRANCH
All materials provided.

INNERVERSE WORKSHOP

SAT | JUN 22; JUL 20; AUG 17 | 10 AM-NOON

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 663-5457 OR AT BRANCH
Kerri Michael will show you how to explore your inner universe through yoga, guided meditation, and writing prompts. Dress comfortably and bring a yoga mat if you have one.

STARTING YOUR MEDITATION PRACTICE

SAT | JUN 29 | 4-5 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 663-5457 OR AT BRANCH
Mike Mueller, Levi Agee, and Sister Deborah Troillett will explore ways mindfulness and meditation can bring deeper meaning to our lives and interactions with others.

BOARD GAME SWAP MEET

SAT | JUL 13 | 3-4 PM

Take a game; leave a game. Share your old favorites and refresh your collection.

DIY LAVA BEAD AROMATHERAPY BRACELETS

THU | AUG 15 | 6-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 663-5457 OR AT BRANCH

main library

LEGACIES & LUNCH

MAIN LIBRARY DARRAGH CENTER

WED | JUN 5; JUL 3; AUG 7 | NOON-1 PM

Jun: Tommy Jameson, lead architect for the restoration of the Taylor House; Jul: Author/editor Jay Jennings on the works of Charles Portis; Aug: Jim Yeager, author of *Backroads and Ballplayers*. Legacies & Lunch is a program of the Butler Center for Arkansas Studies.

TECHNOLOGY AND POSTURE: DOES IT AFFECT YOU?

MAIN LIBRARY LEE ROOM

SAT | JUN 8 | 1-2 PM

When used incorrectly, cell phones, laptops—even books—can affect the stresses we put on our bodies. Dr. Brian Murphy will show us how to do it correctly.

THE POWER OF STORY

MAIN LIBRARY LEE ROOM

SAT | JUN 22 | 1-2:30 PM

Hilary Trudell of The Yarn will conduct this workshop on the art of storytelling.

MEMOIR WRITING FOR SENIORS

MAIN LIBRARY FRIBOURGH ROOM

WED | JUL 10-31 | NOON-1:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: DMOORE@CAL.S.ORG OR 918-3035

This class takes attendees age 55 and older through the steps of writing their life stories. Participants should plan to attend all four sessions. No writing experience needed.

STARTING YOUR MEDITATION PRACTICE

MAIN LIBRARY LEE ROOM

SAT | AUG 3 | 1-2 PM

Mike Mueller, Levi Agee, and Sister Deborah Troillett will explore ways mindfulness and meditation can bring deeper meaning to our lives and interactions with others.

KOKEDAMA WORKSHOP

MAIN LIBRARY LEE ROOM

SAT | AUG 24 | 1:30-4 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CEDWARDS@CAL.S.ORG OR 918-3078

UCA Japanese Outreach Coordinator Chiemi

Shimizu will guide us through the art of kokedama, or “moss ball” plants. All materials are provided.

FIRST PERSON PLURAL ART EXHIBIT

AUG 26-SEP 7

This traveling exhibit on Arkansas women is in celebration of the centennial of women’s suffrage.

maumelle library

REEL TALK

TUE | JUN 4; JUL 2; AUG 6 | 6:30-8:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 851-2551

Watch a movie together and then discuss it.

SOCRATES CAFE

THU | JUN 6; AUG 1 | 6-8 PM

Discuss philosophy in a non-academic setting.

QUILTING & SEWING GROUP

THU | JUN 13, 27; JUL 11, 25; AUG 8, 22 | 10 AM-4 PM

Bring your own machine and supplies.

YOGA

SAT | JUN 15-JUL 27 | 10-11:15 AM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 851-2551

MAKE AND TAKE

SAT | JUN 15; JUL 20; AUG 17 | 11 AM-NOON

We have a different craft each week. In June, we’ll make Father’s Day cards.

ART NIGHT

MON | JUN 24; JUL 22; AUG 26 | 6:30-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 851-2551

Have fun painting or making a craft with other adults.

sidney s. mcmath library

MOVIE NIGHT: TYLER PERRY’S MEET THE BROWNS (PG-13)

WED | JUN 5 | 5:45-8 PM

I FOUND IT ON PINTEREST!

SAT | JUN 8; JUL 13 | 4-5 PM

Learn how to construct and sample cool pins.

MASSAGE BY CAT

SAT | JUL 27 | 2-6 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CHICKS@CAL.S.ORG OR 225-0066

Enjoy a 15-minute massage by licensed massage therapist Cat Hicks.



WE’VE TEAMED UP WITH AARP TO OFFER
CLASSES JUST FOR THE 50 AND UP CROWD.

brooks

PREPARE TO CARE

TUE | JUN 4 | 9:30-10:30 AM

FRAUD WATCH BASICS

TUE | AUG 6 | 9:30-10:30 AM

fletcher

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 663-5457

LIVING LONGER, LIVING SMARTER:

HOME & COMMUNITY

SAT | JUN 8 | 2-3 PM

FRAUD WATCH: IDENTITY THEFT

WED | JUL 17 | 6-7 PM

LIVING LONGER, LIVING SMARTER:

HEALTH

TUE | AUG 6 | 6-7 PM

maumelle

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 851-2551

JOB SEARCHING IN THE DIGITAL

AGE

TUE | JUN 18 | 6:30-7:30 PM

NETWORKING AND INTERVIEWING

SKILLS

TUE | JUL 16 | 6:30-7:30 PM

RETIREMENT PLANNING TIPS

TUE | AUG 20 | 6:30-7:30 PM

rooker

iPAD CLASS

SAT | AUG 24 | 9 AM-6 PM (HOUR LONG
CLASSES ALL DAY)

sanders

REGISTRATION REQUIRED:

GCARRICO@CAL.S.ORG

FRAUD WATCH BASICS

SAT | JUN 8 | 10-11:30 AM

ALZHEIMER’S HEALTHY LIVING

FOR THE BRAIN & BODY

THU | JUN 13 | 6-7:30 PM

FINANCIAL BASICS FOR 50+

SAT | AUG 10 | 10-11:30 AM

terry

BRAIN HELP

THU | JUL 11 | 1-2 PM

PREPARE TO CARE

WED | AUG 14 | 6-7 PM

max milam library

SEW MUCH FUN

WED | JUN 5, 19; JUL 3, 17; AUG 7, 21 | 10:30 AM-NOON
Beginners learn basic skills by making simple projects that can be completed in one session. Sewing machines are provided.

PERRY COUNTY HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

TUE | AUG 13 | 7-8 PM
Tim Nutt will present *Historical Photos of Houston, Arkansas*.

HOW TO LIVE GLUTEN-FREE

TUE | AUG 20 | 6:30-7:30 PM
Learn how to read labels, use apps, and navigate cooking and eating out.

esther dewitt nixon library

MOVIE NIGHT

THU | JUN 6; JUL 25 | 5-7 PM
THU | AUG 29 | 4:30-7:45 PM
Jun: *The Fifth Element* (PG-13); Jul: *Captain Marvel* (PG-13); Aug: *Avengers: Endgame* (PG-13)

ORGANIZING YOUR SPACE

THU | JUN 13 | 6-7 PM

SCI-FI MUSIC TRIVIA NIGHT

THU | JUN 27 | 6-7 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 457-5038
Snacks provided.

ADULT PAINTING CLASS

THU | JUL 11 | 4-6 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 457-5038
We'll paint a cherry tree holding the moon.

TRIVIA NIGHT

THU | AUG 8 | 6-7 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 457-5038
Test your pop culture knowledge. Snacks provided.

bobby l. roberts library of arkansas history & art

FINDING FAMILY FACTS

ROBERTS LIBRARY ROOM 204
MON | JUN 10; JUL 8; AUG 12 | 3:30-5 PM
Rhonda Stewart shares the basics of genealogy.

oley e. rooker library

VEGAN COOKING

MON | JUN 3; JUL 8 | 6-7 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: STURNER@CAL.S.ORG OR 907-5991

Mimi Lindsey will teach us marinades for grilling (June) and salad dressings (July).

CRAFT LESSONS

MON | JUN 10; JUL 15, 22; AUG 12, 26 | 6-7:30
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: STURNER@CAL.S.ORG OR 907-5991

Jun 10: round loom knitting; Jul 15: guided painting; Jul 22: jewelry; Aug 12: fluid art painting; Aug 26: jewelry

DIY ALCOHOL INK COASTERS

MON | JUN 17 | 6-7 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: STURNER@CAL.S.ORG OR 907-5991

ESSENTIAL OILS FOR BACK TO SCHOOL

MON | AUG 5 | 6-7 PM
Mimi Lindsey will help you de-stress.

amy sanders library

FIDDESTICKS

THU | JUN 6-AUG 29 | 1-3 PM
Bring your needles or hooks. Learn a thing or two or just enjoy the company. All skill levels welcome.

QUILLING EARRINGS

SAT | JUN 22 | 10:30 AM-1 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: GCARRICO@CAL.S.ORG
Peggy Fitzgerald will show you how to roll, loop, and curl strips of paper using this age-old art form.

MIXED MEDIA PAINTING

SAT | JUL 13 | 10 AM-1 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: GCARRICO@CAL.S.ORG
Create a masterpiece that's a mixture of collage and painting with Natalee Ainsworth.

FINANCIAL LITERACY: SAVINGS

SAT | JUL 20 | 9:30 AM-3 PM
Terri Evans will tell you how to watch your savings account grow.



adolphine fletcher terry library

LADIES' NIGHT: SOLO SALSA DANCING

WED | JUL 10 | 6:30-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CJONES@CAL.S.ORG OR 228-0129

OUT OF THIS WORLD BEADING

WED | JUL 17 | 6-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CJONES@CAL.S.ORG OR 228-0129

Make solar system bracelets.

SENIORS SALSA DANCING

THU | AUG 8 | 11 AM-NOON

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CJONES@CAL.S.ORG OR 228-0129

The moves will be simple; no partner required.

PAPERCRAFTS: FLOWERS & MEDALLIONS

WED | AUG 21 | 6-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CJONES@CAL.S.ORG OR 228-0129

roosevelt thompson library

FIT & FUN

SAT | JUN 1-AUG 31 | 10-11 AM

These morning wellness classes include meditation, yoga, dance, and more.

SPACE FILMS FEST

MON | JUN 10-JUL 22 | 5-7 PM

Watch a selection of the coolest space movies.

CHEFS WHO LOVE TO TEACH

TUE | JUN 11 | 6:30-7:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: DDURST@CAL.S.ORG OR 821-3060

Stephanie Garrett, pastry chef at the Capital Hotel, will teach us something sweet.

PAINTING PARTY

SAT | JUN 29; JUL 20 | 2:30-4:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: DDURST@CAL.S.ORG OR 821-3060

MEMOIR WRITING FOR SENIORS

TUE | AUG 6-27 | 1:30-3 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: DMOORE@CAL.S.ORG OR 918-3035

Four-week class taking attendees through the steps of writing their own life stories. Participants should plan to attend all four sessions. No writing experience needed.

sue cowan williams library

DIY EARRINGS WORKSHOP

TUE | JUN 11 | 6 PM

ACCESSORIES SWAP

TUE | JUN 25 | 6 PM

Bring your gently worn accessories to trade.

FIRST PERSON PLURAL ART EXHIBIT

JUN 15-JUL 6

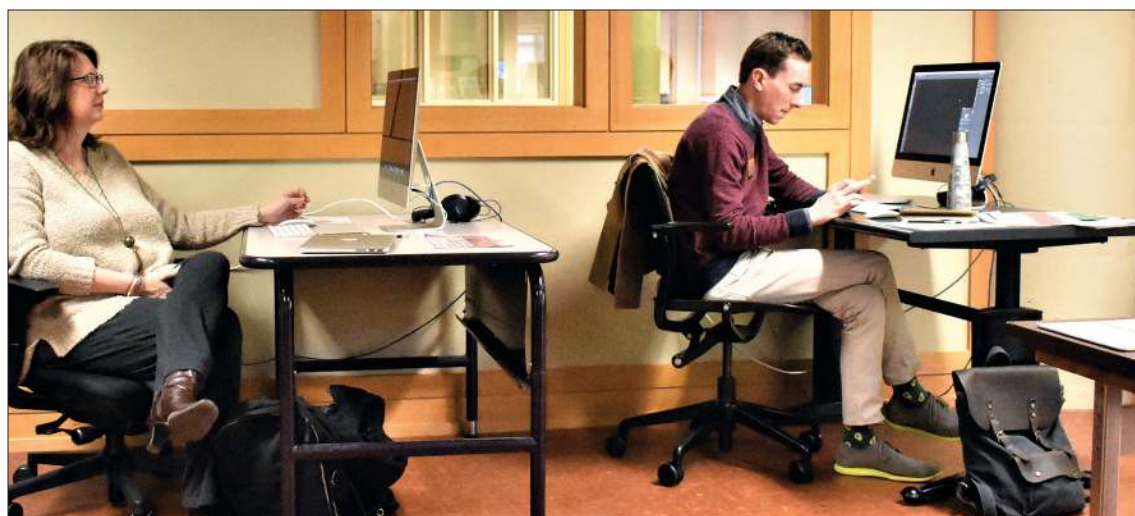
This traveling exhibit on Arkansas women is in celebration of the centennial of women's suffrage.

RECIPE SWAP

TUE | JUL 9 | 6 PM

Bring a treat and its recipe to share and swap with others.

ALL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.



CALS Can Help Small Businesses and Entrepreneurs

We're continuing to assist you in starting or growing your own business. There are programs across all library branches to teach skills needed to start and run a business and to showcase your product or service in today's digital market. There's also the Williams Library Business and Technology Center, a studio full of resources and equipment for entrepreneurs to use for free. Find out more at cals.org. Classes marked with an asterisk (*) are in partnership with the Arkansas Small Business and Technology Development Center.

fletcher

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 663-5457 OR AT THE BRANCH

STARTING A BUSINESS IN ARKANSAS*

TUE | JUN 11 | 6-8 PM

FINDING THE PERFECT FRANCHISE*

TUE | AUG 20 | 6-8 PM

main

CLASSES ARE IN TECHNOLOGY CLASSROOM A ON THE 3RD FLOOR AND REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED: DIGITAL@CAL.S.ORG OR 918-3068.

MASTERING MAILCHIMP

THU | JUN 13 | 6-7:30 PM

WEB MINI-CAMP

MON-FRI | JUN 24-28 | 9:30 AM-NOON

Build your own WordPress-based website from the ground up.

LIBRARY RESOURCES FOR ENTREPRENEURS

TUE | JUL 9 | 9:30-10:30 AM

CREATE YOUR WEBSITE WITH WORDPRESS

SAT | JUL 13 | 9:30 AM-2:30 PM (WITH LUNCH BREAK)

IS STARTING A BUSINESS RIGHT FOR YOU?*

MAIN LIBRARY DARRAGH CENTER

TUE | JUL 23 | 10-11 AM

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

UP TO SPEED ON QUICKBOOKS

TUE | AUG 13 | 9:30-11 AM

PROMOTE YOUR THING: CANVA.COM

SAT | AUG 24 | 3:30-4:30 PM

REV YOUR SMALL BUSINESS WITH SEO

TUE | AUG 27 | 1-2:30 PM

Search Engine Optimization (SEO) is a key part of helping your website stand out in an online world.

maumelle

STARTING A SMALL BUSINESS IN ARKANSAS*

SAT | AUG 17 | 10 AM-1 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 851-2551

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SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING STRATEGIES*

SAT | JUN 8 | 10:30 AM-1 PM

HOW TO WRITE A BUSINESS PLAN*

SAT | JUL 20 | 10:30 AM-12:30 PM

terry

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: CJONES@CAL.S.ORG OR 228-0129

PLAN NOW OR PAY LATER*

TUE | JUN 4 | 1-2 PM

HOW TO WRITE A BUSINESS PLAN*

THU | AUG 29 | 10 AM-NOON

thompson

LIBRARY RESOURCES FOR ENTREPRENEURS

WED | AUG 14 | 2-3 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: DIGITAL@CAL.S.ORG OR 918-3068

williams

FINANCING YOUR BUSINESS*

THU | JUL 25 | 1-3 PM



millie m. brooks library

PIVOTAL PERSON APPRECIATION

MON | JUN 3, 17; JUL 1, 15 | 11-11:45 AM

We'll highlight an individual who is either a key role model to the public or has done something positive to implement change for distressed communities and the people within them.

Jun 3: 2pac; Jun 17: Jaiden Smith; Jul 1: Akon;

Jul 15: Nipsey Hussle

SIGHT SEEING

TUE | JUL 2 | 5-6:30 PM

Take turns observing nature and wildlife with our library's binoculars.

NEBULA NECKLACES KIT

TUE | JUL 9 | 1-2 PM

Create galaxy-themed necklaces.

ESCAPE ROOM MOVIE & CHALLENGE

THU | JUL 18 | 2-3 PM

Watch *Escape Room* (PG-13) then see if you can get through our escape room challenge.

dee brown library

PC BREAKDOWN

THU | AUG 1 | 11 AM

Ever wanted to know what's inside a computer? Here's your chance to take one apart to see what's inside that makes it tick.

GREEN SCREEN TRANSFORMATION CLASS

MON | AUG 19 | 4:30 PM

Shoot video of yourself, then transport yourself almost anywhere through the magic of compositing.

hillary rodham clinton children's library & learning center

CUDDLE UP & READ

SAT | JUN 1, 15, 29; JUL 13 | 10-11 AM

This special storytime and playtime is for teen or young adult parents and their children.

TEEN TECH LAB

TUE | JUN 4-JUL 30 | 11 AM-NOON

Practice keyboarding skills, learn how to create a résumé and apply for a job or school, and other cool tech stuff.

CREATE & SIP

FRI | JUN 14, 28 | 2:30-3:30 PM

Show off your creativity during these paint, craft, and create sessions. Snacks provided.

TEENS IN THE KITCHEN

SAT | JUN 15, 29; JUL 13 | 2-3 PM

Learn basic cooking skills, produce meal components, and learn culinary history.

john gould fletcher library

ROBOT OBSTACLE COURSE

FRI | JUN 7 | 3-4 PM

Guide Sphero through a cardboard labyrinth of your own creation.

DIY GALAXY BATH BOMBS

FRI | JUN 21 | 3-4 PM

Craft colorful sparkling bath bombs to make your relaxation time look like a swirling galaxy.

3D PEN ART

FRI | JUL 5 | 3-4 PM

SCI-FI STORIES BRAINSTORM

FRI | JUL 19 | 3-4 PM

We'll provide prompts to help you on your way to writing original science fiction stories.

MAKER MONDAY

MON | AUG 19, 26 | 3:30-4:40 PM

Invent, craft, and code after school.

main library level 4

Activities in Level 4 are for ages 12-19 only.

DROIDS AND DRONES

WED | JUN 26 | 2-3 PM

Learn about how robots work and see a drone in action.

DIY STAR SLIME

WED | JUL 3 | 2-3 PM

ASTRONAUT FOOD AND NASA TV

TUE | JUL 9 | 2-3 PM

Get the full space experience from the comfort of Earth.

DIY GALACTIC BATH BOMBS

WED | JUL 24 | 2-3 PM

OUT OF THIS WORLD JEOPARDY

WED | JUL 31 | 2-3 PM

Test your knowledge of our world and the known universe.

WRITE THE SKY

FRI | AUG 2 | 4-5 PM

Use our writing prompts to build a story.

HUMAN LIBRARY

WED | AUG 7-28 | 4-5 PM

Ever wonder what someone's story really is? Visit our human library to find out.

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maumelle library

PLANET TEEN

MON | JUN 10-JUL 22 | 2:30-3:30 PM

Explore outer space with crafts.

GAME ON

WED | JUN 12-JUL -24 | 2:30-3:30 PM

Get together with other teens and play games.

CAFE OLE

MON | AUG 5-26 | 3:30-4:30 PM

Hang out with other teens and drink hot cocoa.

TEEN TIME TUESDAYS

TUE | AUG 6-27 | 3:30-4:30 PM

There's a different after-school activity each week.

sidney s. mcmath library

FIZZING PLANETS

WED | JUN 12 | 6-7 PM

Create colorful planet-inspired bath bombs.

ASTRONAUT FOOD

WED | JUN 19 | 6-7 PM

SPACE CRAFTS

THU | JUN 20; JUL 18 | 2-3 PM

Jun: nebula necklace; Jul: moon rocks

ANIME NIGHT

WED | JUN 26; JUL 31; AUG 28 | 6-7 PM

Watch anime, learn about Japanese culture, and eat yummy snacks.

DIY GLOW IN THE DARK STARS

WED | JUL 10 | 6-7 PM

INCREDIBLE EDIBLE COMETS

WED | JUL 17 | 6-7 PM

Examine the visual attributes of comets in our solar system using ice cream and ginger ale.

CANDY SUSHI

WED | AUG 14 | 6-7 PM

max milam library

SATURDAY AT THE MOVIE: *ENDER'S GAME* (PG-13)

SAT | JUN 1 | 3-5 PM

THE WOW FACTOR

TUE | JUN 11 | 4-5 PM

Discover how optical illusions use color, light, and patterns to trick the mind into seeing false images.

DIY NEBULA NECKLACES

TUE | JUN 25 | 4-5 PM

SUPERHEROES TO THE RESCUE

TUE | JUL 16 | 4-5 PM

Honoring your favorite superhero.

CELEBRATING THE YOUUNIVERSE

TUE | JUL 23 | 4-5 PM

It's an SRC pizza party finale.

GLUE GUN PAINTING

WED | AUG 14 | 4-5 PM

It's painting, but with hot glue.

QR SCAVENGER HUNT

SAT | AUG 31 | 10 AM-5 PM

Get mobile device with a QR app and a Scavenger Hunt QR sheet at the library. Complete and turn it in by 5 p.m. to be in drawing for gift card.

esther dewitt nixon library

SAFE DATES

TUE | JUN 4-AUG 6 | 5:30-6:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 457-5038

Navigate the dating world while staying safe.

MARIO KART TOURNAMENT

FRI | JUN 14 | 3-4:15 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 457-5038

FUN WITH FOOD

FRI | JUN 21 | 3-4 PM

BLACKLIGHT PAINTING

FRI | JUN 28 | 3-4 PM

MOONTROT FILM FEST PREP

FRI | JUL 5, 12, 19 | 3-4 PM

Create a six-minute sci-fi movie for the festival on July 31.

SUPER SMASH BROS. TOURNAMENT

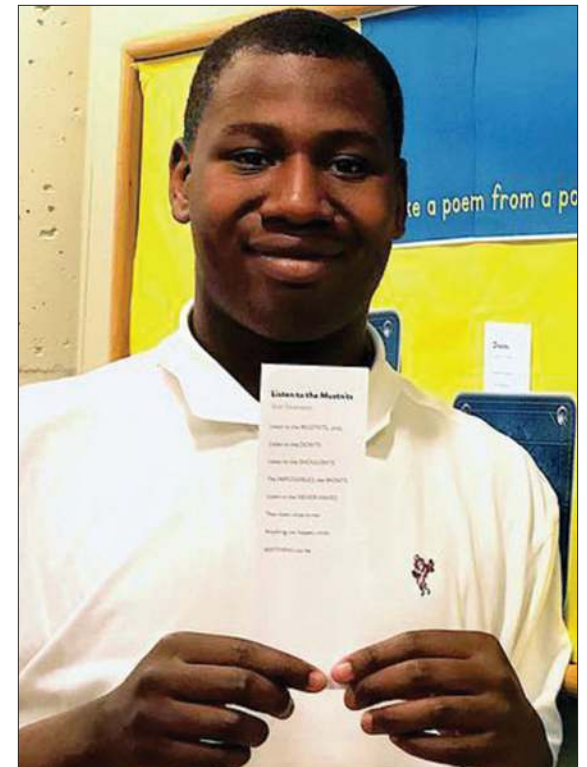
FRI | JUL 26 | 3-4:15 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: 457-5038

MOONTROT SCI-FI FILM FEST

WED | JUL 31 | 3-5 PM

Film festival featuring six minute movies made by teens. Awards to follow. Snacks provided.



oley e. rooker library

DIY GALAXY TOTE BAGS
THU | JUN 20 | 4-5 PM

ALCOHOL INK COASTERS
THU | JUN 27 | 4-5 PM

BEGINNER SEWING CLASS
THU | JUL 25 | 4-5 PM
REGISTRATION REQUIRED: STURNER@CALS.ORG OR 907-5991

MELTED CRAYON ART PROJECT
SAT | AUG 31 | 11 AM-NOON

amy sanders library

TEEN TIME
WED | JUN 12-JUL 24 | 4-5 PM
Activities include food competitions, DIY galaxy accessories, and a Star Wars Escape Room.

MOVIES
FRI | JUN 14-JUL 5, 19 | 10:30 AM
Enjoy new and classic movies.

GAME DAY SHUFFLE
MON | JUN 17-JUL 8, 22 | 10:30-11:30 AM
Board games, life-size games, video games, and outdoor games.

TEEN TIME
MON-FRI | AUG 19-30 | 4-5 PM
Stop by after school for book chats, crafts, video games, and general nerding out.

adolphine fletcher terry library

DIY NEBULA NECKLACES
WED | JUN 19 | 2:30-3:30 PM

DIGITIZE YOUR ART
WED | JUL 17 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Turn your artwork on paper into digital art that can be resized, recolored, and remixed using free software. No artistic ability required.

DIY TOTE BAGS
WED | JUL 24 | 2:30-3:30 PM

VOLUNTERRY TEENS
WED | AUG 21, 28 | 4-5:30 PM
Need volunteer hours for school? We can help.

roosevelt thompson library

JOB RESOURCES FOR TEENS
THU | JUN 6 | 4-5 PM
Find out about free tools from the library to help you find a job, prepare for college, and build skills you can use to reach your professional and artistic goals.

TEEN ODYSSEY
THU | JUN 13-JUL 25 | 4-5 PM
Hangout, create, game, and caffeinate, then learn life skills and do community service projects.

COSMIC COOKING
TUE | JUN 18; JUL 16 | 3-4 PM

GREEN SCREEN TRANSFORMATION
THU | JUL 18 | 4-5 PM
Shoot video of yourself, and then transport yourself almost anywhere else through the magic of compositing.

sue cowan williams library

SAFE DATES
MON-FRI | JUN 10-14 | 1 PM
Learn how to navigate the dating world while staying safe.

AFRICAN DRUMMING
WED | JUN 12 | 2 PM
Stephin Booth will lead this interactive instructional workshop.

DIY MOON SAND & SLIME
WED | JUN 26 | 2 PM

DIY MOON ROCKS
WED | JUL 10 | 2 PM



Say Yes to the Prom Dress!

CALS McMath Library Makes Teen Dreams Come True

BY ROSSLYN ELLIOTT

CALS staff member Tracey Eatmon was on a mission. Knowing how much prom means to high school students, she was going to make sure that girls who needed prom dresses could have them, regardless of their financial circumstances.

“Years ago, I had a family member who needed a prom dress and wasn’t able to buy one,” Eatmon said. “At that time, a local radio station did a prom dress drive, and my family member was successful in finding a dress. I decided that if I was ever in a position to help in that way, I’d do it.”

In spring 2018, Eatmon started the prom dress drive at CALS McMath Library, where she is the assistant manager. The donated dresses were offered to those who needed them absolutely free of charge, with no obligation and no return necessary.

“Last year, we collected 300 dresses,” Eatmon recalled. “Because it was the first year and just getting started, only about 10 or 15 dresses were given out on the day of the event, but the rest of the dresses trickled out afterward when people heard about it.”

But this year’s event brought a major change.

“The event really blew up to the point that people were calling us and messaging us beforehand. We collected 500 dresses, and on the morning of the giveaway event, there was a line of people waiting outside the door, like a Black Friday sale! We gave away 300 dresses on that single day.”

Dresses weren’t the only donated items that Tracey and her 8 helpers sent home with grateful young women. The drive also collected scores of pairs of dressy shoes and sparkly jewelry. All the jewelry was gone by 5 p.m. that day.

The spirit of giving was contagious.

“I had one patron who saw what we were doing and was just determined to help,” Eatmon said. “Even though she was going through her own financial pressure with a check that hadn’t come in, she said, ‘I don’t care, I’m going to donate!’ So she went to J. C. Penney to get some jewelry, and then she brought back these beautiful pieces and donated them.”

Staff and volunteers went the extra mile to try to find that perfect dress for every girl.

“The girls who came in to look for dresses were so excited! They were running around trying to find sizes and colors,” Eatmon said. “If they had trouble finding a dress, we’d help them dig a little further. And then they’d finally try that one on and say ‘This is it!’ It was wonderful.”

Branch manager Laura Hodo also heard from grateful members of the community. “One woman called us before the event, and at first, she just wanted information. She was sure there must be some catch, like maybe you had to donate a dress to get one, or you had to return the dresses afterward. And then I said, ‘Really, all you have to do is show up, and it’s completely free.’ She was so overcome with emotion that she ended up in



tears, thanking us for what the library was doing for the community and the girls.”

Eatmon believes that the event is perfect example of the crucial role that libraries now play in local communities.

“I think it’s awesome that we are beyond books now,” she said. “When I first came to the library in 1997, it was all about books. Now, we have so many different programs of all kinds, and you can even get documents notarized here.”

Eatmon tries to spread the word to people who don’t know yet about all the help and resources CALS makes available.

“Sometimes people say to me, ‘Oh, you work at the library? It must be quiet,’ and I say, ‘Oh no it’s not!’ Then they are amazed when I rattle off a list of all the free programs and services we provide. The prom dress drive provided yet another layer to all the things that the library can do to help people in the community.”





millie m. brooks library

MARbled PLANETS ART KIT

TUE | JUN 18 | 1-2 PM

Construct a planet-themed marbled painting.

SHOW AND TELL

FRI | JUN 21 | 11 AM-1 PM

Bring your favorite toy or device, introduce a favorite activity, or display a special skill.

KICKBALL

FRI | JUN 28 | 4-5 PM

GREEN SCREEN TRANSFORMATIONS

THU | JUL 11 | 3-4 PM

Shoot video of yourself, then transport yourself almost anywhere through compositing.

dee brown library

DIY GALAXY SENSORY BOTTLES

TUE | JUL 2 | 11 AM

MARbled PLANETS ART

MON | JUL 8 | 11 AM

Paint your very own planets using marbles.

DIY NEBULA NECKLACE

MON | JUL 15 | 11 AM

hillary rodham clinton children's library & learning center

SPACE STATION CREATION

TUE | JUN 4, 18; JUL 16, 30 | 2:30-3:30 PM

We'll have space-themed fun and crafts.

TAIL WAGGIN' TUTORS

THU | JUN 6-AUG 29 | 3:30-5 PM

Read to one of our certified therapy dogs.

COOK THE BOOKS

MON | JUN 10, 24; JUL 8, 22 | 10-11 AM

Prepare and enjoy treats from familiar stories.

ASTRO ART

TUE | JUN 11, 25; JUL 9, 23 | 2:30-3:30 PM

STAR COOKS

MON | JUN 17; JUL 1, 15, 29 | 10-11 AM

Little ones make simple celestial-themed snacks. Parent/caregiver required.

john gould fletcher library

MARSHMALLOW CONSTELLATIONS

WED | JUN 12 | 10-11 AM

DIY SPACESHIP

MON | JUN 17 | 2:30-3:30 PM

Have a blast with this pulley STEAM craft.

FREE PLAY WITH ROBOTS

MON | JUL 22 | 2:30-3:30 PM

Get to know Sphero, Ollie, and the Ozobots.

WORLD CULTURE WEDNESDAY

WED | AUG 28 | 3:30-4:30 PM

Sample snacks from countries around the world while learning about other cultures.

main library

ASTRONAUT PUDDING

TUE | JUN 18 | 10:30-11:30 AM |

Making your own astronaut-approved desert.

ASTRONAUT BOOT CAMP

WED | JUL 24 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Think you've got what it takes to be an astronaut?

PRINCESS PARTY

SAT | JUL 6 | 10-11 AM

Dress as your favorite princess and enjoy princess stories, crafts, and more.

BACK TO SCHOOL GAME SHOW

TUE | AUG 13 | 4-5 PM

maumelle library

OUT OF THIS WORLD CRAFTS

MON | JUL 1, 8, 15, 22 | 2:30-3:30 PM

DANCING ON THE MOON

TUE | JUL 2 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Kathleen Marleneanu will show us some moves.

STORYTIME WITH CRAIG O'NEILL

TUE | JUL 23 | 10:30-11:30 AM

sidney s. mcmath library

3, 2, 1 BLAST OFF!

MON | JUN 10 | 6-7 PM

Observe baking soda rocket demos, experiment with straw rockets, and make a rocket craft to take home.

CONSTRUCT THE SOLAR SYSTEM

TUE | JUN 18 | 2-3 PM

Use styrofoam balls to create our solar system.

MISSION TO MARS

MON | JUL 22 | 6-7 PM

Travel to Mars in an interactive game.

OREO PHASES OF THE MOON

TUE | JUL 23 | 2-3 PM

We'll bring enough cookies for the craft and the snack.

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max milam library

UNDER THE STARS

TUE | JUN 18 | 7-8 PM

Join us for campfire stories, crafts and s'mores.

FRUIT STAMP PAINTING

SAT | JUL 13 | 2-3 PM

Use fruit as your stamp.

VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY

TUE | AUG 6 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Celebrate back to school and the 50th anniversary of the children's book classic.

esther dewitt nixon library

READER'S THEATRE CAMP

TUE | JUN 11, 25; JUL 9, 23 | 3-4 PM

Write a script, make costumes, and act out your story with puppets. We'll wrap up the camp with a show on July 30 at 3 p.m.

ART SHOW

WED | JUL 17 | 3-4 PM

View the artwork done by teens during the Dinner with an Artist program in the Spring. Snacks provided.

OBSERVATORY

WED | JUL 24 | 3-4 PM

Watch shooting stars and spot constellations with our homemade observatory.

END OF SRC AWARDS

WED | JUL 31 | 10:30-11:45 AM

Celebrate the end of Summer Reading Club.

oley e. rooker library

DIY GALAXY SLIME

WED | JUN 12 | 2:30-3:30 PM

DIY MOON ROCK CANDY

MON | JUL 1 | 10:30-11:30 AM

MAKE YOUR OWN MOON SAND

MON | JUL 15 | 10:30-11:30 AM

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

SAT | AUG 17 | 11 AM-NOON

We'll have fun, games, and free school supplies (while they last).

amy sanders library

WOOD CRAFTS WITH HOME DEPOT

SAT | JUN 15 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Our friends from The Home Depot will provide wood crafts to construct and let us use different tools to build our project.

4-H SCIENCE

THU | JUN 20 | 10:30-11:30 AM

A science experiment and space collide.

ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

TUE | JUL 23 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Learn about the rocks and minerals in our area.

STEAM POWER

TUE | AUG 20, 27 | 3:30-4:30

STEAM combines science, technology, engineering, art, math, and you.

adolphine fletcher terry library

LEGO® JR. MAKERS

TUE | JUN 11-AUG 27 | 4-5 PM

CHESS AND CHECKERS CLUB

THU | JUN 13; JUL 11; AUG 8 | 4-5 PM

All skill levels welcome. Come ready to play.

MEET AND GREET THE STORYTELLERS

TUE, THU | AUG 27, 29 | 10-11 AM

Hear about our upcoming storytime programs.

roosevelt thompson library

BLOCK PARTY: LIL' BUILDERS & LEGO® CREW

MON | JUN 3; JUL 1; AUG 5 | 10 AM AND 2 PM

Playtime with big blocks for ages 5 and under at 10 am.

LEGO® free play and a movie at 2 pm for ages 6 and up.

OPERATION CURIOSITY

WED | JUN 12-JUL 24 | 3-4 PM

Explore the world through experiments, arts, and crafts.

GAME ON!

WED | JUL 31; AUG 7, 14, 21, 28 | 3-4 PM

Learn and play board games, cards games, and more.

sue cowan williams library

AFRICAN DRUMMING W/ STEPHIN BOOTH

THU | JUN 13 | 10:30 AM

SUMMER READING CLUB: STORYTIME

TUE | JUN 18 | 10:30 AM

ASTRONAUT TRAINING

WED | JUL 3 | 10:30 AM





millie m. brooks library

NATIONAL ROTISSERIE CHICKEN DAY

SAT | JUN 1 | 11:30 AM-12:15 PM

Patrons can grab a piece of chicken to celebrate the barnyard bird.

NATIONAL EAT YOUR VEGGIES DAY

MON | JUN 17 | 3-3:45 PM

Sample a variety of veggie trays and salad fixings.

NATIONAL PARFAIT DAY

TUE | JUN 25 | 1-2 PM

Make your own parfait cups. Supplies provided.

dee brown library

DINNER & A MOVIE

SAT | JUN 1; JUL 13; AUG 10 | 2-5 PM

Jun: trail mix and *The Great Outdoors* (PG);

Jul: nachos and *Nacho Libre* (PG); Aug: pizza and *Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles* (PG-13)

SPACE BINGO

MON | JUN 17 | 11 AM

COOKING MATTERS

MON, WED, FRI | JUL 15-26 | 11 AM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: [JVESS@CAL.ORG](mailto:jvess@cal.org) OR 568-7494

Charles Maxwell will cover meal preparation, grocery shopping, food budgeting, and nutrition. Practice fundamental food skills, including proper knife techniques, reading ingredient labels, and making a healthy meal for a family of four on a \$10 budget. Adults and teens take home a bag of groceries so they can practice the recipes taught that day. Participants should plan to attend all six sessions.

hillary rodham clinton children's library & learning center

DRUM CIRCLE

SUN | JUN 2-AUG 25 | 2-3 PM

Join us for a rhythmic celebration of community, connection, and spirit.

LEGO® CLUB

MON | JUN 3-JUL 29 | 2-4 PM

GARDEN CLUB

WED | JUN 5-JUL 31 | 9-10 AM

Exploring our gardens and greenhouse and learn about gardening and beekeeping with Mr. Drew.

FAMILY TINKER LAB

SAT | JUN 22; JUL 6, 20; AUG 3, 17, 31 | 11 AM-12:30 PM

Enjoy our open studio creative space. Try one of our project ideas or something of your own.

john gould fletcher library

SOUNDS IN THE STACKS

TUE | JUN 25 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Five-piece eclectic folk-rock band Ship of Fools will play while you browse for a new read.

STAR WARS BASH

SAT | JUL 27 | 1-3 PM

We'll have themed games and activities for all ages, but tread carefully as there may be storm troopers lurking nearby...

AFTERSCHOOL ORIENTATION

THU | AUG 15 | 3:30-4:30 PM

Kids learn what to expect from our afterschool programs as well as what behavior we expect from them. Parents are encouraged to attend.

main library

FAMILY NIGHT: ASTRONAUT ADVENTURES

MAIN LIBRARY YOUTH SERVICES

MON | JUN 10 | 6-7:30 PM

Do you love space? If so, join us for crafts, snacks, and games designed for the aspiring astronaut.

THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

MAIN LIBRARY YOUTH SERVICES

SAT | JUN 15 | 10-11 AM

It's been 50 years since the original publication of this beloved classic. Enjoy reading, snacks, and crafts inspired by this classic children's book.

EARTH'S PLACE IN SPACE

MAIN LIBRARY DARRAGH CENTER

THU | JUL 11 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Journey through time from early humans' understanding of the night sky to our current (and future) efforts to understand the outermost reaches of the universe. What mysteries are we exploring now, and where do we go from here?

FAMILY NIGHT: BIRDHOUSE BUILDING

MAIN LIBRARY YOUTH SERVICES

MON | JUL 15 | 6-7:30 PM

Build a birdhouse for your feathered friends. One per family, please. While supplies last.

MUSIC, SWEET MUSIC

SAT | AUG 31 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Musicians will teach us about the different instruments in an orchestra, how they sound, and how to play them.

maumelle library

FAMILY LEGO® TIME

TUE | JUN 11-JUL 23 | 2:30-3:30 PM

SOUNDS IN THE STACKS

THU | JUL 18 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Enjoy the music of pop/jazz band Saffron.

FAMILY MOVIE DAY

WED | AUG 7-28 | 3:30-5:30 PM

sidney s. mcmath library

KIDS IN THE KITCHEN

WED | JUN 5- JUL 17 | 2-3 PM

Prepare and taste simple and healthy food, participate in yoga sessions, and learn safety practices.

DIY MOON SAND

THU | JUN 6 | 2-3 PM

MARS GARDEN

THU | JUL 25 | 2-3 PM

Make a mini Mars greenhouse by constructing your own unique landscape and planting seeds in red soil.

max milam library

FISHING DERBY

SAT | JUN 8 | 8:30-11 AM

We kick off Summer Reading Club with outdoor fun at Lake Sylvia. Anyone over age 16 must have valid Arkansas fishing license to participate.

SUMMER READING AT THE MOVIES

THU | JUN 13, 20, 27; JUL 11, 18, 25 | 12:30-3 PM

Jun 13: *Space Buddies* (G); Jun 20: *Space Jam* (PG);

Jun 27: *Treasure Planet* (PG); Jul 11: *Wall-E* (G);

Jul 18: *Jetsons: The Movie* (G); Jul 25: *Muppets From Space* (G)

HUNTER'S EDUCATION

SAT | AUG 10 | 8:30 AM-6:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: AGFC.COM

Traditional instructor-led classroom with hands-on demonstrations.

esther dewitt nixon library

WORLD WIDE KNIT IN PUBLIC DAY

SAT | JUN 8 | 9:30 AM-1 PM

Knit or crochet with us, and maybe even help us yarn bomb the library lobby. Snacks provided.

READER'S THEATRE SHOW

TUE | JUL 30 | 3-4 PM

Variety storytelling show featuring the Reader's Theatre Campers.

SOUNDS IN THE STACKS

THU | AUG 1 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Dogtown Ukulele, a seven-piece all-ukulele rock band will entertain while you browse the shelves.

oley e. rooker library

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

FRI | JUN 14-JUL 26 | 3-5 PM

E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial (PG) will kick off our summer of space-themed movies.

SRC BLOCK PARTY

MON | JUL 29 | 6-8 PM

MOVIE MONDAYS

MON | AUG 5-26 | 4-5:30 PM

Family-friendly movies rated G or PG.

amy sanders library

SUMMER READING CLUB KICK OFF

MON | JUN 10 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Meet Clifford the Big Red Dog and play life-size games.

OUTER SPACE ESCAPE ROOM

SAT | JUL 13 | 1:30-5:30 PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED BY JUN 29: GCARRICO@CALS.ORG

Unlock puzzles and riddles to escape the library.

WATER WASH OUT

FRI | JUL 26 | 10:30-11:30 AM

When lawn sprinklers just aren't good enough, we get the fire department to bring a hose.

adolphine fletcher terry library

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

MON | JUN 10-JUL 22 | 6:30-7:30 PM

TAIL WAGGIN' TUTOR

MON | JUN 17 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Read out loud to a dog who loves to read and cuddle.

BINARY BRICKS

MON | JUL 22 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Learn the concepts of computer programming by creating a set of instructions to guide a LEGO® mini-figure through a colorful maze.

roosevelt thompson library

SUMMER READING KICK-OFF PARTY

SAT | JUN 1 | 2-4 PM

Start off the summer with out-of-this-world magic tricks by Tommy Terrific, followed by games and snacks.

A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS

TUE | JUL 9 | 8-10 PM

Join us for a guided star-gazing session with members of the Central Arkansas Astronomical Society. Prime viewing time will be around 9 p.m.

FINAL APPROACH: END OF SUMMER BASH

THU | JUL 25 | 6-7 PM

sue cowan williams library

FRIYAY

FRI | JUN 7-JUL 26 | 3 PM

We'll have fun, games, and activities for all ages.

MOVIE VIEWING: WALL-E (G)

THU | JUN 13 | 2 PM

BINGO AND PRIZES

THU | JUN 27 | 2 PM

MOVIE VIEWING: E.T. (PG)

THU | JUL 11 | 2 PM





movies

MOVIES ARE IN THE CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER

CUJO (R)

THU | JUN 27 | 7 PM | \$5

This film is in conjunction with the Stephen King Rules! Book Club on Friday, June 28. See page 23.

STONEWALL UPRISING (NR)

FRI | JUN 28 | 7 PM | FREE

DO THE RIGHT THING (R)

FRI | JUL 12 | 8 PM | \$5

This film is in conjunction with the Rodney Block Collective concert on Saturday, July 13.

BINGOFLIX: PLAN 9 FROM OUTER SPACE (NR)

TUE | AUG 6 | 7 PM | \$5

Fill up a Bingo card with "so bad it's good" movie clichés to win prizes.



\$ 2 TERROR TUESDAYS

CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | MOVIES BEGIN AT 7 PM | DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM

NOSFERATU (NR)

JUN 4

WHITE ZOMBIE (NR)

JUN 11

THE BRAIN THAT WOULDN'T DIE (NR)

JUN 18

HORRORS OF SPIDER ISLAND (NR)

JUN 25

THE TERROR (TV-PG)

JUL 2

TEENAGERS FROM OUTER SPACE (NR)

JUL 9

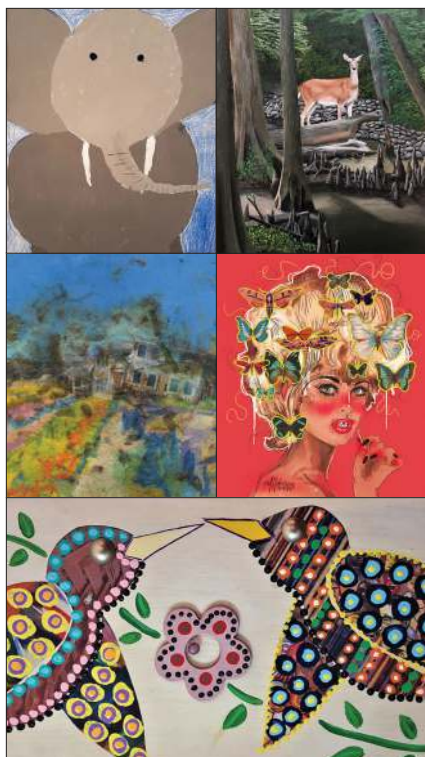
THE WASP WOMAN (NR)

JUL 16

HOUSE ON HAUNTED HILL (NR)

JUL 23

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art

ARKANSAS ART EDUCATORS: STATEWIDE STUDENT ART
HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON CHILDREN'S LIBRARY & LEARNING CENTER
JUN 1-AUG 31

ARKANSAS LEAGUE OF ARTISTS
THE BOOKSTORE AT LIBRARY SQUARE
JUN 14-JUL 29
RECEPTION FRI | JUN 14 | 5-8 PM

MELISSA COWPER-SMITH: NATURAL TREATMENT
THE GALLERIES AT LIBRARY SQUARE
JUN 14-SEP 28
RECEPTION FRI | JUN 14 | 5-8 PM

ARKANSAS SOCIETY OF PRINTMAKERS: BIG IMPRESSION PRINTS
THE GALLERIES AT LIBRARY SQUARE
JUL 12-OCT 26
RECEPTION FRI | JUL 12 | 5-8 PM

ART SCHMART: JESSICA & MICHAEL CRENSHAW
THE BOOKSTORE AT LIBRARY SQUARE
JUL 12-AUG 3
RECEPTION FRI | JUL 12 | 5-8 PM

EAGER, YOUNG, AND QUALIFIED: MILKDADD
THE BOOKSTORE AT LIBRARY SQUARE
AUG 9-31
RECEPTION FRI | AUG 9 | 5-8 PM

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lectures

UNDERSTANDING WHITE SUPREMACY: WHY WE MUST HEAR BLACK VOICES
UA LITTLE ROCK DOWNTOWN | TUE | JUN 11 | NOON
Richard Hughes has spent more than 48 years working at the intersection of religion and American culture. His latest book is *Myths America Lives By: White Supremacy and the Stories That Give us Meaning*. This Ira Sanders Distinguished Lecture is co-sponsored by the UA Little Rock Anderson Institute on Race and Ethnicity.

2019 GENEALOGY WORKSHOP
CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | SAT | JUL 20 | 10 AM-3 PM | FREE
Angela Y. Walton-Raji, author of *Black Indian Genealogy Research*, will lead this workshop, geared to helping genealogists of all levels sharpen their genealogical skills and enlarge the scope of their research.

DELIA OWENS
CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | SUN | JUL 21 | 2 PM | FREE
Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens is the selection for the 2019 statewide reading program, If All Arkansas Read the Same Book. Hear Owens speak about her bestselling novel "that is a mystery, a love story and a courtroom drama, but it is primarily a sociobiological drama about self-reliance, survival, and how isolation affects human behavior." This special presentation by the Arkansas Center for the Book at the Arkansas State Library is funded in part by the U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services. For more information on this speaker, please visit www.prhspeakers.com.

comedy

WELLRED COMEDY TOUR
CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER | FRI, SAT | AUG 9, 10 | 8 PM
\$30 GENERAL ADMISSION; \$50 TICKET WITH MEET & GREET AFTER THE SHOW
Smart, hilarious, and incisive, the Liberal Rednecks (Tre Crowder, Drew Morgan, and Corey Ryan Forrester) confront the Confederacy of Dumbasses, tackling everything people think they know about the South—the good, the bad, the glorious, and the shameful—in a laugh-out-loud funny and lively manifesto for the rise of a New South.

concerts

ALL CONCERTS ARE IN THE CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER.

DAVE ROSEN BIG BAND
FRI | JUN 14 | 8 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 7 PM) | \$10
Celebrate Flag Day with this seventeen-piece band as they play jazz, pop, and patriotic favorites.

THE MUSES PROJECT: BROADWAY CABARET SEASONS OF LOVE
WED | JUN 19 | 7 PM
This "Best of" Broadway concert includes beloved songs from popular shows such as "Cabaret," "Wicked," and "Rent."

RODNEY BLOCK COLLECTIVE
SAT | JUL 13 | 8 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 7 PM) | \$15
Continue our Spike Lee celebration with a special concert featuring music from Lee's films. See Lee's most famous film, *Do the Right Thing*, for \$5 on Friday, July 12, at 8 p.m. in the CALS Ron Robinson Theater.

COUNTRY MUSIC SNEAK PEEK WITH THE SALTY DOGS
FRI | AUG 16 | 8 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 7 PM) | FREE
A screening of the 45-minute advance trailer of Ken Burns' *Country Music* documentary will be followed by a performance of classic country songs by the Salty Dogs. The *Country Music* film premieres September 15 on AETN/PBS.



CLASSES ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. CLASSES MEET IN THE 3RD FLOOR TECHNOLOGY CLASSROOM AT THE MAIN LIBRARY UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. REGISTRATION REQUIRED; GO TO CALS.ORG/TECH-CLASSES.

AUTOMATE YOUR LIFE

TUE | JUL 30 | 1:30-2:30 PM

TUE | AUG 6 | 6-7 PM

Bring your home into the Internet age using voice activation, automation, and more.

BASIC COMPUTING

WED | JUN 19 | 2-3 PM (THOMPSON)

THU | AUG 15 | 2:30-4 PM

SAT | AUG 24 | 9:30-11:30 AM

EXCEL-A-THON

SAT | JUN 15 | 10 AM-4:30 PM

Go from Excel zero to Excel hero in one day.

GAME DESIGN WITH UNITY (SATURDAY SEMINAR)

SAT | JUN 22 | 10 AM-3:30 PM

Make a video game in just one day with the software suite professionals use.

HELLO WORLD: INTRO TO CODE

THU | AUG 15 | 6-7:30 PM

WED | AUG 21 | 9:30-11 AM

Learn the basic techniques and concepts of writing computer programs.

HELLO WORLD: OBJECT-ORIENTED CODE

THU | AUG 22 | 6-7:30 PM

WED | AUG 28 | 9:30-11 AM

Expand your coding skills with project-oriented programming.

MICROSOFT EXCEL PART 1: THE BASICS

THU | JUN 20 | 2:30-4 PM

MICROSOFT EXCEL PART 2: FORMULAS, CHARTS, AND DATA VALIDATION

WED | AUG 7 | 2:30-4 PM

MICROSOFT EXCEL PART 3: PIVOTTABLES, LOOKUP, AND MORE

THU | AUG 8 | 6-7:30 PM

MICROSOFT PUBLISHER FOR BEGINNERS

TUE | JUL 23 | 1:30-3 PM

MICROSOFT WORD FOR BEGINNERS

SAT | JUL 27 | 10-11:30 AM

MICROSOFT WORD FOR EXPERIENCED USERS

SAT | JUL 27 | 1:30-3 PM

OPEN LAB

TUE | JUN 4 | 10:30 AM-NOON

THU | JUN 6 | 6:30-7:30 PM

FRI | JUN 7 | 10:30-11:30 PM

MON | JUN 10 | 1:30-3 PM

THU | JUN 27 | 2-4 PM

THU | JUL 11 | 2:30-4 PM

TUE | JUL 16 | 10:30 AM-NOON

WED | JUL 17 | 9:30-11 AM

WED | JUL 31 | 9-11 AM

TUE | AUG 13 | 2-3:30 PM

WED | AUG 14 | NOON-1:30 PM

THU | AUG 15 | NOON-1:30 PM

TUE | AUG 27 | 10:30 AM-NOON

Drop by and ask your burning technology questions or get help with a specific problem.

ROCK STAR TECH TIPS

FRI | JUN 7 | 1-2 PM

TUE | JUN 11 | 2-3 PM

WED | JUL 31 | 2-3 PM (THOMPSON)

Save yourself time and effort by learning the tricks and shortcuts tech professionals use.

SURF SECURE

FRI | JUL 19 | NOON-1 PM

THU | AUG 1 | 6-7 PM

Protect your personal information and privacy in the digital world using password managers, two-step verification, and techniques to stay safe online.

YOUR DIGITAL LIBRARY: EBOOKS, AUDIOBOOKS, AND MORE

TUE | JUL 2 | 1:30-3 PM

YOUR DIGITAL LIBRARY: VIDEO, MUSIC, AND MORE

THU | JUN 6 | 2:30-4 PM

TUE | JUN 18 | 6-7:30 PM (THOMPSON)

WED | JUN 19 | 9:30-11:30 AM

MULTIPLE CLASSES AVAILABLE FOR:
ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR, INDESIGN, PHOTOSHOP, &
PREMIERE
GOOGLE PHOTOS
KEYBOARDING BASICS
VIDEO EDITING FOR BEGINNERS

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book clubs

BOOK CLUBS ARE OPEN TO ADULTS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

bookstore

AFTER HOURS: A LITERARY BOOK CLUB

MON | JUN 3 | 6 PM

Always Happy Hour by Mary Miller

STEPHEN KING RULES!

FRI | JUN 28; JUL 26; AUG 30 | 6 PM

Jun: Cujo See the movie first! (page 21)

Jul: The Dark Tower: Gunslinger

Aug: Different Seasons

brooks

YOUNG ADULT BOOK CLUB

FRI | JUN 28 | 5-6 PM

MON | JUL 29 | 6-7 PM

Jun: Everything's Eventual by Stephen King

Jul: American Gods by Neil Gaiman

MOVIE VS BOOK CLUB

SAT | JUN 29; JUL 27; AUG 31 | NOON-1 PM

Jun: Gone Girl by Gillian Flynn

Jul: Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly

Aug: The Blind Side by Michael Lewis

ADULT BOOK CLUB

TUE | JUL 30; AUG 27 | 5-6 PM

Jul: The Alice Network by Kate Quinn

Aug: News of the World by Paulette Jiles

fletcher

EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION

WED | JUN 12; JUL 10; AUG 14 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Jun: The Art of Racing in the Rain by Garth Stein

Jul: The Bluest Eye by Toni Morrison

Aug: 100 Years of Solitude by Gabriel Garcia Marquez

LUNCHTIME BOOK GROUP

TUE | JUN 18; JUL 16; AUG 20 | NOON-1 PM

Jun: Killers of the Flower Moon by David Grann

Jul: Missoula by John Krakauer

Aug: Kitchen Confidential by Anthony Bourdain

maumelle

2ND MONDAY BOOK CLUB

MON | JUN 10; JUL 8; AUG 12 | 7-8 PM

Jun: Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine by Gail Honeyman

Jul: Stardust by Neil Gaiman

Aug: True Grit by Charles Portis

mcmath

BOOK CLUB AT THE END OF THE UNIVERSE

MON | JUN 3; JUL 8; AUG 5 | 6:30-7:30 PM

This sci-fi and fantasy discussion group has no assigned reading.

milam

ADULT BOOK CLUB

THU | JUN 27; JUL 25; AUG 29 | 12:30-1:30 PM

Jun: But Enough About Me: A Memoir by Burt Reynolds

Jul: Circling The Sun by Paula McLain

Aug: The Aviator's Wife by Melanie Benjamin

COOKBOOK BOOK CLUB

SAT | JUN 29; JUL 27; AUG 31 | 12:30-2:30 PM

Jun: The Pioneer Woman Cookbooks by Ree Drummond

Jul: Favorite Summer Salads

Aug: Favorite Community Cookbooks

nixon

TRUE STORIES BOOK CLUB

THU | JUN 13; JUL 11; AUG 8 | 2-3 PM

Jun: Chinaberry Sidewalks by Rodney Crowell

Jul: Alligator Candy: A Memoir by David Kushner

Aug: Breaking Night: A Memoir of Forgiveness, Survival, and My Journey From Homeless to Harvard by Liz Murray

NIXON BOOK WORMS

TUE | JUN 25; JUL 23; AUG 27 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Jun: Fourth of July Creek by Smith Henderson

Jul: Belgravia by Julian Fellowes

Aug: Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate

BOOK CHAT

THU | JUN 27; JUL 25; AUG 22 | 1-2 PM

We discuss books we've read, are reading, or would like to read and share our opinions with the group.

sanders

BOOK CHATS

TUE | JUN 4; JUL 2; AUG 6 | 2-3 PM

Share and discuss books you are currently reading. All genres and people are welcome.

PAGE TURNERS

THU | JUN 6 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Contact the library for book titles.

terry

PIZZA PLUS A PAPERBACK

AGES 8-12

THU | JUN 6; AUG 1 | 5-6 PM

Talk about books, eat a slice of pizza, and participate in book-themed activities.

SUSPICIOUS MINDS BOOK CLUB

THU | JUN 6; JUL 11; AUG 1 | 6:15-7:30 PM

A book club for mystery lovers.

Contact the library for book titles.

BOOK LOVERS' BOOK CLUB

TUE | AUG 20 | 11 AM-NOON

In August, we decide what to read through May 2020.

thompson

EVENING BOOK CLUB

TUE | JUN 25; JUL 23; AUG 27 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Jun: Born a Crime by Trevor Noah

Jul: The Elegance of the Hedgehog by Muriel Barbery

Aug: Everything I Never Told You by Celeste Ng

vino's brewpub

WORD VIRUS BOOK CLUB

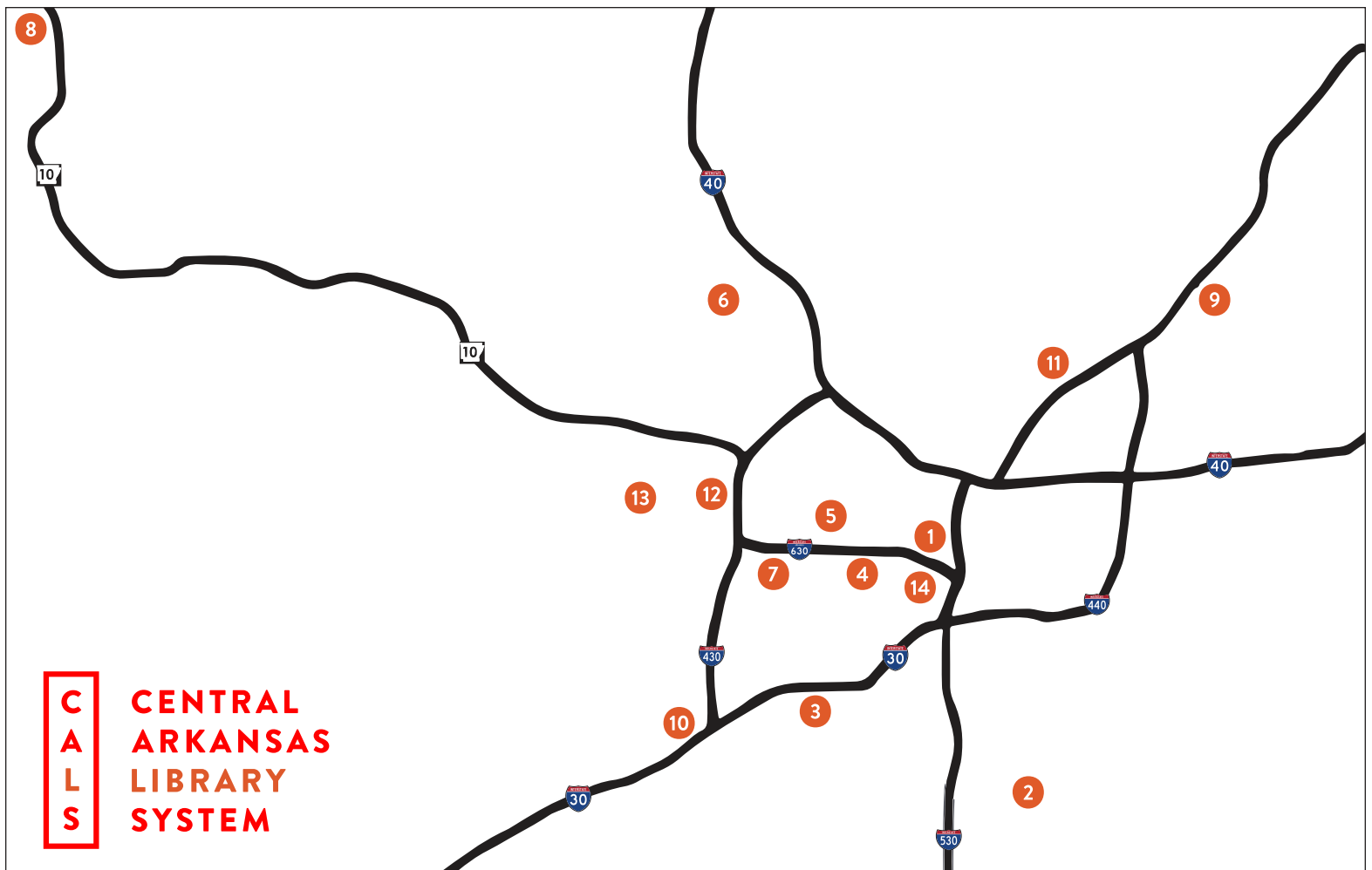
SAT | JUN 8; JUL 13; AUG 10 | NOON-2 PM

Jun: To Say Nothing of the Dog by Connie Willis

Jul: Contact by Carl Sagan

Aug: The Star Diaries by Stanislaw Lem

LOCATIONS



1 library square 100 rock street

MAIN LIBRARY

918-3000
M/TU/W/TH: 9 AM-8 PM • F/SA: 9 AM-6 PM • SU: 1-5 PM
INSIDE: NEXUS COFFEE NOOK

BOBBY L. ROBERTS LIBRARY OF ARKANSAS HISTORY & ART

INSIDE: BUTLER CENTER FOR ARKANSAS STUDIES
AND THE GALLERIES AT LIBRARY SQUARE
320-5700
M/TU/W/TH/F/SA: 9 AM-6 PM

THE BOOKSTORE AT LIBRARY SQUARE

918-3093
M/TU/W/TH/F/SA: 9 AM-5 PM
INSIDE: JIMMY'S SERIOUS SANDWICHES

CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER

INSIDE THE ARCADE BUILDING
320-5715
HOURS VARY BASED ON SCHEDULED EVENTS

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2 **MILLIE M. BROOKS LIBRARY**
13024 HWY 365 S. • WRIGHTSVILLE • 537-3186
M/TU: 10 AM-7 PM • TH/F: 10 AM-6 PM • SA: 10 AM-2 PM

3 **DEE BROWN LIBRARY**
6325 BASELINE RD. • LITTLE ROCK • 568-7494
M/TU/TH: 10 AM-8 PM • W/F/SA: 10 AM-6 PM

4 **HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON CHILDREN'S
LIBRARY & LEARNING CENTER**
4800 WEST 10TH ST. • LITTLE ROCK • 978-3870
M/TU/W/TH/F/SA: 9 AM-6 PM • SU: 1-5 PM

5 **JOHN GOULD FLETCHER LIBRARY**
823 N. BUCHANAN ST. • LITTLE ROCK • 663-5457
M/TU/W: 9 AM-8 PM • TH/F/SA: 9 AM-6 PM

6 **MAUMELLE LIBRARY**
10 LAKE POINTE DR. • MAUMELLE • 851-2551
M/TU/TH: 10 AM-8 PM • W/F/SA: 10 AM-6 PM

7 **SIDNEY S. McMATH LIBRARY**
2100 JOHN BARROW RD. • LITTLE ROCK • 225-0066
M/TU/W: 10 AM-8 PM • TH/F/SA: 10 AM-6 PM

8 **MAX MILAM LIBRARY**
609 APLIN AVE. • PERRYVILLE • 501-889-2554
M/W/TH/F/SA: 10 AM-6 PM • TU: 10 AM-8 PM

9 **ESTHER DeWITT NIXON LIBRARY**
703 W. MAIN ST. • JACKSONVILLE • 457-5038
M/W/F/SA: 9:30 AM-6 PM • TU/TH: 9:30 AM-8 PM

10 **OLEY E. ROOKER LIBRARY**
11 OTTER CREEK CT. • LITTLE ROCK • 907-5991
M/W/TH: 10 AM-8 PM • TU/F/SA: 10 AM-6 PM

11 **AMY SANDERS LIBRARY**
10200 JOHNSON DR. • SHERWOOD • 835-7756
M/W/F/SA: 9:30 AM-6 PM • TU/TH: 9:30 AM-8 PM

12 **ADOLPHINE FLETCHER TERRY LIBRARY**
2015 NAPA VALLEY DR. • LITTLE ROCK • 228-0129
M/W/TH: 9 AM-8 PM • TU/F/SA: 9 AM-6 PM

13 **ROOSEVELT THOMPSON LIBRARY**
38 RAHLING CIR. • LITTLE ROCK • 821-3060
M/TU/TH: 9 AM-8 PM • W/F/SA: 9 AM-6 PM

14 **SUE COWAN WILLIAMS LIBRARY**
1800 CHESTER ST. • LITTLE ROCK • 376-4282
M/W/F/SA: 10 AM-6 PM • TU/TH: 10 AM-8 PM