Locations & Hours

LIBRARY SQUARE
100 Rock Street | Little Rock | 72201

Main Library
(501) 918-3000
Mon-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM

Ron Robinson Theater
Call for availability | (501) 320-5748

Rock It! Lab
(501) 320-5748
501 Makers & The Village | Mon-Fri | 9 AM-6 PM
The River Shop | Sat | 10 AM-4 PM

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Curbside Service is available unless otherwise noted.
Hours are subject to change. Please check our website for the most current information, including holiday closures.

Esther Dewitt Nixon Library
703 West Main Street
Jacksonville | 72076 | (501) 457-5038
Mon/Wed-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Tue | 9 AM-8 PM

Oley E. Rooker Library
11 Otter Creek Court
Little Rock | 72210 | (501) 907-5991
Mon-Wed/Fri-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

Amy Sanders Library
10200 Johnson Drive
Sherwood | 72120 | (501) 835-7756
Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

Adolphine Fletcher Terry Library
2015 Napa Valley Drive
Little Rock | 72212 | (501) 228-0129
Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

Roosevelt Thompson Library
38 Rahling Circle
Little Rock | 72223 | (501) 376-4282
Tue/Thu | 9 AM-8 PM | Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat | 9 AM-6 PM

Sue Cowan Williams Library
1800 Chester Street
Little Rock | 72206 | (501) 376-4282
Tue/Thu | 9 AM-8 PM | Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat | 9 AM-6 PM

CALS BRANCHES

Millie M. Brooks MicroLibrary
13024 Highway 365 South
Wrightsville | 72183 | (501) 537-3186
Tue/Thu | 9 AM-4:30 PM | Wed | 11:30 AM-4:30 PM | No Curbside

Dee Brown Library
6325 Baseline Road
Little Rock | 72209 | (501) 568-7494
Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

Hillary Rodham Clinton
Children’s Library & Learning Center
4800 West 10th Street
Little Rock | 72204 | (501) 978-3870
Mon-Wed/Fri-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

John Gould Fletcher Library
823 North Buchanan Street
Little Rock | 72205 | (501) 663-5457
Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM

Maumelle Library
10 Lake Pointe Drive
Maumelle | 72113 | (501) 851-2551
Mon-Wed/Fri-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

Sidney S. McMath Library
2100 John Barrow Road
Little Rock | 72204 | (501) 225-0066
Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

Max Milam Library
609 Aplin Avenue
Perryville | 72126 | (501) 889-2554
Mon/Wed-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Tue | 9 AM-8 PM

Bobby L. Roberts Library
of Arkansas History & Art
Butler Center for Arkansas Studies
Roberts Library Research Room
(501) 320-5700
Tue-Fri | 10 AM-5 PM | Sat | 12-4 PM | No Curbside

The Galleries & Bookstore at Library Square
(inside Roberts Library)
(501) 320-5790
Tue-Sat | 10 AM-5 PM

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Go, See, Do! Summer at CALS.

July in Arkansas is a month that stretches out – kids are fully into the swing of summer, boredom has started to set in, and the oppressive heat makes time outdoors less and less fun (at least when there isn't any water involved). CALS to the rescue! July is packed with events that will entertain any age group and won’t hit you where it hurts (your wallet).

If you haven’t already, sign up for Summer Reading Club; it’s open to all ages and is a great way to encourage reading throughout the summer, and there are even prizes! To enter the prize drawings, keep track of the books you read and library events you attend on CALS.beanstalk.org. It’s that easy! CALS has planned a month full of accompanying activities including magicians, drum lessons, concerts and crafts! All Summer Reading Club events are free.

The Friends of CALS used book sale is back and we are packing out the basement ready for you to find your next favorite beach (or couch) read. With $1 paperbacks and $2 hardbacks, there’s no reason not to overflow your bookshelves. Join us over the weekend of July 7-9. (And yes, there will be one more book sale in the fall).

Ron Robinson Theater has two opportunities per week to watch some fun films on the big screen. Join them for Terror Tuesdays and Extra-Terrestrial Thursdays. Tickets are $7 each. And do not miss the interactive screening of The Rock Horror Picture Show ($10 tickets).

If art is more your thing, the Galleries & Bookstore at Library Square have several events to get you out of the house and steeped in the culture of local art. 2FAN (Second Friday Art Night) on July 8 will have artists, authors and a food truck. The new “Saturdays at the Galleries” brings a different local artisan each Saturday afternoon to explain their artist approach.

Whether you stay around Library Square or make your way to your local branch, CALS has something to help everyone in your family chase away that summer boredom.
2ND FRIDAY ART NIGHT
JULY 8 • FRIDAY • 5–8PM

FEATURED ARTIST: Tim Jacob, painting

FEATURED AUTHOR: Doug Stowe, The Wisdom of Our Hands: Crafting, A Life. (Note: Doug has written multiple books about woodworking, etc. but this is his newest. He is also an artist and will have new wooden boxes for sale at the event).

FOOD TRUCK: Mr. Keith’s Kettlecorn

MUSIC: Kami Renee

VENDOR: Emmylou’s Flower Bar

EXHIBITIONS ON VIEW:
Yard Work: Inspirations Found in Our Own Backyards | OPEN THROUGH OCT 1 | LOFT GALLERY
Allen Jarvis: Land, Water, and Sky | OPEN THROUGH AUGUST 27 | LOFT GALLERY
The Shape of Home: Multimedia Works of Diane Harper | OPEN THROUGH JULY 30 | LOFT GALLERY
Summer Reading Club encourages reading and engagement in library activities for all ages.

Online registration is available at cals.beanstack.org or through the Beanstack Tracker mobile app.

All summer readers can receive a free book bag at their local branch while supplies last. The first 1,000 children (ages 6-12) to register will receive a badge book to track their reading progress all summer long.

Using Beanstack, the online tracking platform, readers can get book recommendations and earn digital badges for logging books and films, writing reviews, participating in library programs, and other activities.

Every badge earned will count as an entry in our weekly prize drawings.

Kids and Teens who earn at least 8 badges will win a free book! Books can be picked up at all branches.

REGISTER NOW AT
CALS.BEANSTACK.ORG
**Drumming Workshop**

"Wendy the Whale and the Great Beachy Cove Bake-off!"

**momandpop Music & Movement Class**

**kickoff events**

Join us for

at these branches

Kids get messy with color powder. Then we'll get washed off and have some water fun with the Fire Department.

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**July 9** 10:30 am Main Library, Youth Services

**July 28** 2:00 pm Dee Brown Library

**Oceans of Possibilities**

**Music & Fun**

**Museum of Discovery**

**Set sail for Oceans of Possibilities!**

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**June 14** 10:30 am Main Library, Youth Services

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**June 30** 10:30 am Terry Library

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**July 13** 10:30 am Williams Library

**July 13** 1:00 pm Rooker Library

**Momonilojo Music & Movement Gloss for Preschoolers**

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**Tommy Terrific’s Wacky Magic Show**

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Join us for Kickoff Events at These Branches

**Roosevelt Thompson Library**
**JUNE 2 • 5:30-7PM**
Register for SRC at this kickoff event with games, crafts, prizes, and fun for the whole family. Set sail for Oceans of Possibilities!

**Children’s Library & Learning Center**
**JUNE 4 • 10 AM-12 PM**
Enjoy lunch and cool treats while playing fun games with the opportunity to win prizes! This event will also serve as a ribbon cutting for a new Little Free Pantry. Bring non-perishable food items to be entered in a drawing for a chance to win a CALS swag bag that includes a $25 gift card.

**Sidney McMath Library**
**JUNE 11 • 10 AM-12 PM**
**OCEAN COMMOTION**
A party with mermaids, pirates, snacks, games and crafts, including shark tooth necklaces, sand art, and a photo station. Weather permitting, stations will be set up inside and outside the library.

**Oley Rooker Library**
**JUNE 13 • 1:00PM**
Special concert by mömandpöp under the pavilion.

**Amy Sanders Library**
**JUNE 13 • 10 AM**
Help us kick off the summer with a Color War where kids get messy with color powder. Then we’ll get washed off and have some water fun with the Fire Department.

**Dee Brown Library**
**JUNE 13 • 2-4 PM**
**JUNE 14 • 10AM-12PM**
Join us in starting Summer Reading Club off on the right foot with games, crafts, and snacks.

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**LELA BLOOM BLOOMIN’ PUPPETS**

**Scott Davis Comedy Magic Show**

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Be Mighty
Meal Schedule

Kids and teens 18 and younger can receive free USDA meals through Be Mighty Little Rock and the Central Arkansas Library System. Summer meal service will begin on June 1, 2022 and go through August 20, 2022. Lunch will be served Monday-Saturday at 11 library branches. Some sites will even offer breakfast. Find a list of local meal sites on the Be Mighty website, bemightylittlerock.org/meals.

There is no cost. However, meals must be consumed on site.

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Arkansas Travelers Tickets

Sign up for Summer Reading Club and receive TWO free tickets to Arkansas Travelers baseball games! Grab tickets for Tuesday, June 7, starting May 31, and Tuesday, August 2, starting July 11.

Tickets can be picked up at CALS branches while supplies last.

Summer Reading Activity Bags

Summer Reading participants can pick up grab & go activity bags throughout the summer. We will have at least two bags per month for each age group (preschool, kids, teens, and adults). Some locations may have weekly activity bags available.

Summer Reading Club Shark Park Party

JULY 13 • 10AM-12PM

Beat the heat with Summer Reading Club at the River Market Splash Pad!

We’ll have popsicles, shark crafts, ocean-themed lawn games, and some play time in the splash pad.

Shirts are for sale to the public for $8 each and are available in Youth sizes XS-XL and adult sizes S-4XL.
**SATURDAYS AT THE GALLERIES**  
**ALL MONTH • SAT • 11A-2P**  
GALLERIES/BOOKSTORE • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES  
RECURRING: YES • REGISTRATION: YES  
Artist demos every Saturday thru August

**DIVING INTO CRAFTS**  
**JULY 1, 8, 15, 22 • FRI • 10:30A**  
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO  
Dive into the library and make some ocean-themed crafts.

**FAMILY STORYTIME**  
**ALL MONTH • FRI • 10A**  
MCMATH LIBRARY  
IN-PERSON • INFANTS/TODDLERS  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO  
Join us for books, rhymes, and songs. This storyline will be best for toddlers and their caregivers, but older/younger siblings are welcome.

**LIVE WITH THE OCEAN**  
**ALL MONTH • MON • 10:30A**  
SANDERS LIBRARY  
IN-PERSON • INFANTS/TODDLERS  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO  
Join us as we watch live footage of ocean creatures and the places they live.

**CARD COMFORT**  
**JULY 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 • FRI • 4P**  
MAIN LIBRARY • YOUTH SERVICES  
IN-PERSON • KIDS  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO  
Week been stressful? Need some place to relax and just play some card games in a safe relaxing environment? Join us every Friday in July to play some classic card games!

**CRAFTING WITH MS. BRANDY LOW WASTE ART CHALLENGE WORKSHOP**  
**JULY 1, 15, 29 • FRI • 1P**  
CHILDREN'S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • K-TEENS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO  
Participate in the Low Waste Art Challenge, by coming to Children’s to create an art piece out of recyclable materials. All supplies and materials provided just bring your creativity!

**EARLY 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION**  
**JULY 1 • FRI • 2P**  
CHILDREN'S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO  
Celebrate 4th of July early with us as we make some eco-friendly “fireworks.”

**KINDERS MUSIC & FUN**  
**JULY 1 • FRI • 10:30A**  
CHILDREN'S LIBRARY  
IN-PERSON • INFANTS/TODDLERS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO  
Music and fun with the Kinders!

**4TH OF JULY ON THE 2ND!**  
**JULY 2 • SAT • 10:30A**  
MAIN LIBRARY • YOUTH SERVICES  
IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO  
Join us in the Garden as we do some fun outdoor crafts and activities to help celebrate the fourth of July early.

**KIDS GARDEN CLUB, KIDS 8-11**  
**JULY 5, 12, 19, 26 • TUE • 9A**  
CHILDREN'S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • 3RD-5TH  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES  
Come explore the garden and learn about seeds, bugs, bees, flowers, and yummy things to eat! Sign up at the circulation desk at Children's Library, or call 501-978-3870.

**PRESCHOOL STORYTIME**  
**JULY 5, 12, 19, 26 • TUE • 1P**  
ROOKER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO  
We sing, we dance and read stories too!
STORYTIME  
JULY 5, 12, 26 • TUE • 4P
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Listen to stories and crafts with an Ocean theme.

STORYTIME  
JULY 5 • TUE • 10:30A  
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Storytime and craft about bubbles.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
MAX MILAM LIBRARY  
JULY 5 • TUE • 10:30A  
MILAM LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • 3-10  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Max Milam Library is celebrating a birthday this month. Come and join us for birthday stories, games, and birthday cupcakes!

FAMILY TRIVIA  
JULY 5 • TUE • 10:30A  
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us for some fun ocean themed trivia!

LAPSIT STORYTIME  
JULY 6, 13, 20, 27 • WED • 10:30AM  
MAIN LIBRARY • YOUTH SERVICES  
IN-PERSON • INFANTS/TODDLERS  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us with your infants and toddlers for a fun filled storytime with books, songs, activities, and more.

PRE-K STORYTIME  
JULY 6, 13, 20, 27 • WED • 10:30A  
MAUMELLE LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL  
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Ocean-themed storytimes filled with books, songs, movement activities, and a craft.

STORYTIME  
JULY 6 • 20, 27 • WED • 10:30A  
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL/INFANTS/TODDLERS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Enjoy listening to stories and singing songs.

LUNAR OBSERVATIONS  
JULY 6 • WED • 8P  
FLETCHER LIBRARY  
IN-PERSON • ADULTS/ALL AGES  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Interested in learning more about the moon and night sky? Join us as UALR scientist and NASA liaison brings his telescope to Fletcher and teaches a class on the wonders of the moon. This program will take place after-hours on the Fletcher green space.

SOCK OCTOPUS - OCEANS OF POSSIBILITY  
JULY 6 • WED • 10A  
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • K-5TH  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Under the ocean lives some strange creatures, with nothing more strange than the eight tentacled beast known as the octopus. Come make your own sock octopus with us this week!

BINGO  
JULY 6 • WED • 3P  
BROOKS MICROLIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Patrons will play bingo for a chance to a free book (a cookbook, a book from the current bestseller list, and a children’s book).

SCOTT DAVIS COMEDY MAGIC  
JULY 6 • WED • 2P  
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY  
IN-PERSON • KIDS/TWEENS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join Scott Davis for Comedy Magic.

MÖMANDPÖP CONCERT  
JULY 6 • WED • 10:30A  
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Mömandpöp deliver engaging, fun music that has enthralled children – and their parents! – for years.

SHARK POP UP CARD  
JULY 6 • WED • 11A  
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS  
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Learn to make a chomping shark pop up card.
**STORYTIME**  
**JULY 7 • THU • 10:30A**  
**WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Storytime all about Pirates!

**SCOTT DAVIS COMEDY MAGIC**  
**JULY 7 • THU • 2P**  
**THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Kids come enjoy the amazing Comedy Magic Show of Scott Davis.

**FAMILY MOVIE**  
**JULY 7 • THU • 2P**  
**WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Bring the whole family, snacks, pillows & blankets to watch “Spongebob: Sponge on the Run”

**BOOKS VS FILMS**  
**MOVIE TREAT**  
**JULY 8, 22 • FRI • 3P**  
**CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Books or Movies? Come by and watch a movie while enjoying a snack!  
July 8th: Percy Jackson, Sea of Monsters  
July 22nd: Nim’s Island

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
**CHILDREN’S LIBRARY AND LEARNING CENTER**  
**JULY 8 • FRI • 1P**  
**CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Join the Hillary Rodham Clinton Children’s Library and Learning Center celebrate its 9th Birthday. Stop by for cake, punch, and a scavenger hunt with prizes!

**SCOTT DAVIS “COMEDY MAGIC”**  
**JULY 9 • SAT • 10:30A**  
**NIXON LIBRARY IN-PERSON • INFANTS-5TH/KIDS**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Summer Reading themed comedy magic!

**MID SUMMER MESS FEST**  
**JULY 9 • SAT • 10A-12P**  
**DEE BROWN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Get messy with activities, games, and demonstrations to celebrate getting halfway through Summer Reading Club! Wear shoes and clothes you can get messy in!

**CRAFTING WITH MS. BRANDY COMIC STRIP WORKSHOP**  
**JULY 9 • SAT • 1P**  
**CHILDREN’S LIBRARY IN-PERSON • TWEENS/KIDS/3RD-5TH**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Want to create your own superhero or make your own comic?? Come join Miss Brandy and make your stories come to life!

**BRIAN AND TERRI KINDER**  
**JULY 9 • SAT • 10:30A**  
**THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Family fun and music with Brian and Terri Kinder

**MUSIC AND MOVEMENT**  
**JULY 11 • MON • 10:30A**  
**TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Mömandpöp will be at Terry Library for a music and movement class.

**MAKER MONDAYS**  
**JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 4P**  
**MAIN LIBRARY • YOUTH SERVICES IN-PERSON • KIDS**  
Recurring: WEEKLY • Registration: NO  
Every Monday we will work on a craft using the various skills we have to make something to help us beat the heat of summer.

**COUNT UP SUMMER STEM**  
**JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 1P (K-3RD)**  
**CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • K-3RD**  
Recurring: WEEKLY • Registration: YES  
Our Count Up tutors will be offering hands-on math themed activities weekly on Mondays this summer at the Children’s Library branch! Dates are June 13-August 1; no sessions on July 4 when library is closed. Join us whether you’re a math whiz or not: no proficiency level required. Grades K-3 from 1-2:30P and grades 4-8 from 3-4:30P.  
[Register here](#).

**COUNT UP SUMMER STEM**  
**JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 3P (4TH-8TH)**  
**CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • 4TH-8TH**  
Recurring: WEEKLY • Registration: YES  
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[Register here](#).

**STORYTIME**  
**JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 10A**  
**THOMPSON LIBRARY IN-PERSON • INFANTS/TODDLERS**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Sing, dance and listen to stories.

**LAYERS OF THE OCEAN**  
**JULY 11 • MON**  
**AGES 7-9, 10:30A • AGES 10-18, 11:30A**  
**DEE BROWN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Learn about the 5 layers of an ocean using hands-on activity with materials already in your kitchen!

**LELA BLOOM PUPPET SHOW**  
**JULY 11 • MON • 1P**  
**ROOKER LIBRARY IN-PERSON • INFANTS-2ND**  
Recurring: NO • Registration: NO  
Lela Bloom Puppet Show.

**OCEANS OF FUN**  
**KIDS PROGRAMS**  
**JULY 12, 19, 26 • TUE • 10:30A**  
**MAUMELLE LIBRARY IN-PERSON • K-2ND**  
Recurring: WEEKLY • Registration: NO  
Oceans of kid-friendly crafts, science experiments, music, and puppets.
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<td>Help prevent plastic from entering the ocean by making a new cloth shopping bag. Patrons will screen-print a design onto a bag which they can take home. Supplies and Space are limited. Sign up ahead of time to guarantee your spot.</td>
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OPEN MAKER SPACE
JULY 16, 23, 30 • SAT
DEE BROWN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Activities geared towards playful invention, investigation, and collaboration. Staff on hand to help patrons explore ideas and the process of making. Some guided activities available.

For Kids (9:30-10:30A):
July 16 - sea mythology create-ure
July 23 - Origami Ocean
July 30 - water bottle submarine craft

For Teens/Adults (11A-21P):
July 16 - CNC demo
July 23 - Origami Ocean
July 30 - fused plastic sewing

LELA BLOOM PUPPET SHOW
JULY 16 • SAT • 10:30A
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Come and enjoy an amazing puppet show with the one of a kind presenter named Lela Bloom.

DIG IT! GARDEN CLUB
JULY 16 • SAT • 10:30A
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us for a garden workday and hands-on activities. Topics and activities vary throughout the season.

TAIL WAGGIN’ TUTORS
JULY 16 • SAT • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • INFANTS-TWEENS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Relax and read to an adorable trained therapy dog.

CRAFTING WITH MS. BRANDY
JULY 16 • SAT • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Keep your books handy all summer! Join Ms. Brandy and create your own book tote!

PRESCCHOOL SUMMER READING CLUB STORYTIME
JULY 18, 25 • MON • 10:30A
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
SRC storytime at the Terry Library!

DIY CRAFT
JULY 20 • WED • 3:30P
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: BIWEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Practice your reading with a certified therapy dog.

BOOKS AND BROWNIES
JULY 18 • MON • 3P
CHILDREN'S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS/TWEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Bring your favorite book to share and make sea salt brownies!

“WATERCOLOR” SEASCAPES
JULY 20 • WED • 11A
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Use upcycled plastic and water-based markers to create a “watercolor” seascape.

OCEAN BINGO - OCEANS OF POSSIBILITY
JULY 20 • WED • 10A
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • K-5TH
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Let’s all learn about the ocean together with a fun morning of BINGO!

FRIENDFISH STORYTIME
JULY 20 • WED • 10A
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS/PRESCHOOL
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Friendfish is a treasure! Join Ms. Kelly for storytime and make a fishy activity afterwards!

EXPLORING THE STARS
JULY 21, 28 • FRI • 6P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join Dr. Darrell Heath, NASA Space Grant Coordinator at UA Little Rock, for an all-ages class about and space observation. Each session includes a classroom education and activity. Drop in ac check it out!

WHO LIVES IN AN ANEMONE?
JULY 21 • THU • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Who can even say that? Come learn about the home of the clown fish, the anemone, then make your own!

LELA BLOOM PUPPETS
JULY 21 • THU • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us for a puppet show.

DIY CRAFTS
JULY 21 • THU • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
All supplies and instructions provided to create under the ocean crafts to take home.

OCEAN DAY CELEBRATION
JULY 18 • MON • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS/PRESCHOOL
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Ocean Day Celebration! We will learn what Ocean Day is and have a paper lantern craft.

LELA BLOOM PUPPET SHOW
JULY 19 • TUE • 10:30A
MILAM LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • 3-10
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Ms. Lela will be bringing her puppet show to us and you are in for a treat!

STORYTIME
JULY 19 • TUE • 10:30A
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Storytime and craft about water.

SALT WATER DENSITY INTENSITY!
JULY 19 • TUE • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • K-5TH
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Density, what’s that? Let’s learn with this awesome scientific experiment!

ARDOT BOTANIST
JULY 19 AT 10:30A
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join Nick Dial, Botanist, as he presents a program on the importance of pollinators and the benefits of growing your own food.

DIY CRAFT
JULY 20 • WED • 10:30A
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
All supplies and instructions provided to make an aquarium craft.

“WATERCOLOR” SEASCAPES
JULY 20 • WED • 11A
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Use upcycled plastic and water-based markers to create a “watercolor” seascape.

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JULY 20 • WED • 10A
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • K-5TH
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
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CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS/PRESCHOOL
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CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Who can even say that? Come learn about the home of the clown fish, the anemone, then make your own!

LELA BLOOM PUPPETS
JULY 21 • THU • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us for a puppet show.

DIY CRAFTS
JULY 21 • THU • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
All supplies and instructions provided to create under the ocean crafts to take home.
DIY CHIA PET
JULY 21 • THU • 10:30A
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Participants will decorate their Chia pet, learn how to plant seeds, as well as continue to watch them grow at home.

NATURALLY ARKANSAS:
YOU AND NATURE AT NIGHT
JULY 21 • THU • 6:30P
VIRTUAL • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES
Light pollution is a global problem, but there’s increasing awareness and a global movement to reduce it. Join Bruce McMath, Chair of the Arkansas Night Sky Association (ANSA), and host Lynn Foster for a discussion of what ANSA is doing and what you and your community can do to help.

BINGO
JULY 21 • THU • 10:30A
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us for ocean themed bingo. Limited space.

JEWELS OF THE SEA
SNACK TIME
JULY 22 • FRI • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • KIDS/PRESCHOOL
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
They say diamonds are a girl’s best friend, but maybe you’re more of the pearl type? Come in and have a pearly snack!

LELA BLOOM PUPPET SHOW
JULY 23 • SAT • 10:30A
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Come watch a puppet show by everyone’s favorite Lela Bloom.

PICNIC BOOK TASTING
JULY 23 • SAT • 12P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • 3RD-5TH/KIDS/TWEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
What is your taste in books? Come by and browse different books and leave with your favorite one!

NARWHALS...
SWIMMING IN THE OCEAN!
JULY 23 • SAT • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • PRESCHOOL/KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Come learn about the unicorn of the sea, the narwhal!

MÖMANDPÖP
JULY 23 • SAT • 10:30A
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • INFANTS-5TH
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Come see Parent’s Choice silver honor award winner Mömandpöp for some comedy music fun!

HOME DEPOT
JULY 23 • SAT • 10:30A
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Home Depot will be providing wood crafts for the children to construct and letting them use different tools to build their project.

SUMMER READING GRAND FINALE
JULY 26 • TUE • 10A
PERRYVILLE CITY PARK • IN-PERSON • AGES 3-10
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Celebrate Summer Reading and splash at the Splash Pad, and enjoy a popsicle!

PRINCESS MOANA
JULY 27 • WED • 1P
ROOKER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Princess Moana will read us a story and sing songs.

BUBBLE BLOWERS
JULY 27 • WED • 10A
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Kids will get an opportunity to use pool noodles to make some excellent bubble blowers outside and have fun in the sun!

LUMINOUS CREATURE ART
JULY 27 • WED • 11A
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Use a scratch art technique to create artwork celebrating the glowing creatures of the deep sea.

MID-YEAR VISION BOARDS
JULY 27 • WED • OPEN HOURS
BROOKS MICROLIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Patrons and staff will do a middle of the year vision board for things to accomplish by the end of 2022.

SUMMER READING CLUB
CRAFT CABANA
JULY 28 • THU • 10:30A
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Join us for some SRC arts and crafts!

TIE DYE
JULY 28 • THU • 10:30A
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Tie up the summer with tie dye! Participants must bring their own items to be dyed. Limit of 3 items per person.

FRIENDS OF CALS
USED BOOK SALE
$1 PAPERBACKS
$2 HARDBACKS
25% OFF FOR EDUCATORS
JULY 7-9
MAIN LIBRARY • 100 ROCK STREET
ACT OF KINDNESS
WATER BOTTLE DRIVE
ALL MONTH • MON-SAT
OPEN HOURS
MAIN LIBRARY • 2ND FLOOR • ALL AGES
RECURRING: DAILY • REGISTRATION: NO
We’re collecting new/gently used, reusable water bottles at Main Library to have on hand for patrons and local shelters this summer. Help us reduce waste and support your community! Bottles can be brought to Main Library through Saturday, July 30th. Questions: Bekah Smith, rasmith@cals.org or 501-918-3000.

OUR SONGS PROJECT:
CARDS FOR NURSING HOMES
ALL MONTH • MON-SAT
OPEN HOURS
FLETCHER LIBRARY • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
We have partnered with Our Songs Project to supply them with positive messages to be distributed during their live concerts. Come be a part of making someone’s day better by picking up some materials and turn them in to any librarian at Fletcher.

NEWSPAPER POT
GRAB & GROW KIT
ALL MONTH • MON-SAT
OPEN HOURS
MAIN LIBRARY • 1ST FLOOR • ALL AGES
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
It’s a great time to plant tomatoes for your fall harvest! Come pick up a grab & grow newspaper pot kit at Main Library on the 1st floor. Kit includes: soil, newspaper pot, & a packet of cherry tomato seeds. The pot is biodegradable and can be planted directly in your garden.

GRAB & GO ACTIVITY BAGS
ALL MONTH • MON-SAT
OPEN HOURS
NIXON LIBRARY • PRESCHOOL
RECURRING: DAILY • REGISTRATION: NO
STEAM-based activity bags for Preschool age kids.

GRAB & GO ACTIVITY BAGS
ALL MONTH • MON-SAT
OPEN HOURS
NIXON LIBRARY • K-5TH/KIDS
RECURRING: DAILY • REGISTRATION: NO
STEAM-based activity bags for School age kids

FAMILY FRIDAY
COLOR BY NUMBER
JULY 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 • FRI
OPEN HOURS
ROOKER LIBRARY • ALL AGES
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
This is a fun ocean-themed color by number activity for all ages.

DIY PORTHOLE CRAFT
JULY 1 • FRI • OPEN HOURS
MAIN LIBRARY • YOUTH SERVICES • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Come by and grab a kit to make your own porthole. We are here to help, or you can take it home for fun later!

OCEAN CREATURE MATCHING GAME
AVAILABLE BEGINNING JULY 11
MON • OPEN HOURS
MCMATH LIBRARY • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Pick up a set of memory matching cards featuring popular ocean creatures.

LEAPING DOLPHINS
AVAILABLE BEGINNING JULY 25
MON • OPEN HOURS
MCMATH LIBRARY • KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Dolphins will appear to leap and play in the ocean when you make this take home craft kit.

MAGIC SAND
JULY 6 • WED • OPEN HOURS
ROOKER LIBRARY • 3RD-5TH
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Pick up a magic sand kit for older kids

GRAB & GO
JULY 18 • MON • OPEN HOURS
ROOKER LIBRARY • K-2ND
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Grab & Go shark facts.

PAPER BAG JELLY-FISH
JULY 18 • MON-SAT • OPEN HOURS
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • 3RD-5TH/KIDS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Create your own recyclable jellyfish using a paper bag.

GRAB & GO 9-12
JULY 20 • WED • OPEN HOURS
ROOKER LIBRARY • 3RD-5TH
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Ocean animal scratch art.

GRAB & GO SEAHORSE CRAFT
JULY 25 • MON • OPEN HOURS
ROOKER LIBRARY • K-2ND
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Grab & Go ocean animal mask.
DEADLANDS RPG
ALL MONTH • FRI • 4P
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Deadlands is a western themed table-top role playing game. Spots are limited, so make sure to register with your name, age and experience level, by emailing Emery at ejohnson@cals.org

TEEN TIME
ALL MONTH • WED • 4P
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS/TWEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Stop by the library to create crafts, play games, and nerd out.

ANIMAL CROSSING: CALS EDITION
JULY 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 • FRI • 3:30PM
VIRTUAL • FB/TWITCH • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Help Ashley build a collaborative Animal Crossing island for Level 4!

TWEEN TIME
JULY 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 • FRI • 3:30PM
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Play video games and eat snacks! Held in the meeting room.

MYTHS AND MONSTERS OF THE OCEAN
JULY 5, 12, 19, 26 • TUE • 3:30PM
MAIN LIBRARY • LEVEL 4 • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Come learn about oceanic lore with fun activities and games!

JOB ASSISTANCE
JULY 5, 19, 26 • TUE • 1P
MAIN LIBRARY • COMPUTER LAB
IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Looking for a new job can be overwhelming, but we’re here to help! Call 501-918-3015 or email jobassistance@cals.org to set your one-on-one appointment.

GIANT JELLIES
JULY 6 • MON • 3P
MAIN LIBRARY • LEVEL 4 • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Come make giant jellyfish with Ms. K!

LIGHT UP ANGLER FISH
JULY 5 • TUE • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Make an angler fish with a light up lure.

AROUND THE TABLE COOKING CLASSES
JULY 6, 13, 20, 27 • WED • 1P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Around the Table Teen Cooking Class is designed to improve cooking skills, food safety, food resource management, and healthy eating, as well as increase awareness surrounding stress, emotional eating, health values, and feeding children. Participants enjoy hands-on cooking, facilitated conversations, and interactive activities that build healthy connections to food, self, and community.

TEEN GAME CORNER
JULY 6, 13, 20, 27 • WED • 2:30PM
MAUMELLE LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Teens and tweens (12 & up) can play card games, board games or Wii (rotating selection). Snacks will be available. Come in and beat the heat! Free, no registration required.

DIY CRAFT
JULY 6 • WED • 2P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

All supplies and instructions provided to create mermaid sugar scrub.

TEENS IN THE GARDEN
AGES 12 AND UP
JULY 7, 14, 21 • THU • 9A
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • TEENS/TWEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Service-learning opportunity for tweens/teens to help with planting, harvesting, weeding and other garden tasks. Participants will also prepare produce for the library’s weekly Free Little Farmstand. Sign up at the desk at Children’s Library or call 501-978-3870.

JELLYFISH WATERCOLOR
JULY 7 • THU • 2P
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Paint a beautiful and calming jellyfish with watercolors using masking and salt techniques.

SUMMER READING CLUB
MARINE TEENS
JULY 7 • THU • 3:30PM
FLETCHER LIBRARY
IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO


T-SHIRT BAGS
JULY 7 • THU • 12:30PM
DEE BROWN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • AGES 12-19
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Transform old t-shirts into a tote bag. Bring your own shirt or use one of ours. There will be limited space.
OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES
TWEEN PROGRAMS
JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 2:30P
MAUMELLE LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
“Oceans of Possibilities” lie ahead including magic, science, and crafts.

OCEANS OF CREATIVITY-
TEENS ARTS & CRAFTS
JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 2:30P
MAUMELLE LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO
Teens and tweens (12 & up) create Summer Reading Club themed arts & crafts. Featuring Gelli printing, wood painting, map drawing, watercolor & more. Free, no registration required.

COUNT UP SUMMER STEM
JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 3P
CHILDREN’S LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • 4TH-8TH
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES
Our Count Up tutors will be offering hands-on math themed activities weekly on Mondays this summer at the Children’s Library branch! Dates are June 13-August 1; no sessions on July 4 when library is closed. Join us whether you’re a math whiz or not: no proficiency level required. Grades K-3 from 1-2:30P and grades 4-8 from 3-4:30P. Register at https://cals.rocks/CountUpSTEM

WORLDS UNDER WATER
JULY 12 • TUE • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Create a model with unconventional materials and explore the layers of the ocean.

MARITIME WATERCOLOR PAINTING
JULY 12 • TUE • 12:30P
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES
Join us for an easy-to-follow watercolor art class. Learn the basics and create your own boat scene. Registration is required. Space is limited.

DIY CRAFT
JULY 13 • WED • 2P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
All Supplies and instructions provided to created mini treasure chests.

MARBED MUGS
JULY 14 • THU • 12:30P
DEE BROWN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • AGES 12-19
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Create a marbled effect with your favorite colors on a mug.

CRICUT 101 PART II
JULY 14 • THU • 5:30P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES
Learn how to create a shirt using Cricut Design Space. This class will focus on multi color designs and layering. Contact Latina at lsheard@cals.org to register.

FAUX SCRIMSHAW CARVINGS
JULY 14 • THU • 2P
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

SUMMER READING CLUB MARINE TEENS
JULY 14 • THU • 3:30P
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Coastal Seas part 2: Project day: Sculpt and decorate a coral reef.

TEEN ART PROGRAM
JULY 14 • THU • 5:30P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Creating wave art on canvas.

MIXED MEDIA JELLYFISH
JULY 19 • TUE • 2P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Experiment with different art mediums to create a jellyfish.

BOOK RECOMMENDATION SOCIAL
JULY 20 • WED • 3P
BROOKS MICROLIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Adult and Teen patrons will socialize and make book recommendations regarding current books they are reading. Staff will familiarize patrons with creating Libby accounts for eBook reading.

SANDCASTLE BUILDING CONTEST
JULY 20 • MON • 3P
MAIN LIBRARY • LEVEL 4 • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Test your sandcastle building abilities and win a prize!!!

DIY CRAFT
JULY 20 • WED • 2P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
All supplies and instructions provided to create a craft to take home.

TABLUT GAME
JULY 21 • THU • 12:30P
DEE BROWN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • AGES 12-19
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Learn how to play a board game that was once played by Vikings. Figure out how to put tangrams together to form sea creatures.

SUMMER READING CLUB MARINE TEENS
JULY 21 • THU • 3:30P
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
High Seas part 1: Nature documentary, book recommendations, and conservation discussion questions on open seas and deep waters.

GLOW -IN-THE-DARK ART
JULY 21 • THU • 2P
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Create fluorescent ocean art inspired by the bioluminescent animals of the deep.

SUMMER READING CLUB MARINE TEENS
JULY 28 • THU • 3:30P
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TWEENS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
High Seas part 2: Project Day: Create 3D paper crafts to build a hanging ocean scene.

A LIFE AQUATIC-
MICROSCOPIC
JULY 28 • THU • 2P
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO
Use microscopes to explore the small side of marine life.
Grab & Go
All grab & go activities are available while supplies last

**WOODEN SPOON PIRATES**
**JULY 7 • THU • 10A**
**MILAM LIBRARY • 12+**
**RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO**
Create your own pirate crew made with wooden spoons.

**CHOCOLATE MARSHMALLO PENGUIN POPS**
**JULY 14 • THU • 10A**
**MILAM LIBRARY • 12+**
**RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO**
Follow this easy-to-make recipe for a tasty treat.

**YARN PAINTING: DOLPHINS**
**JULY 21 • THU • 10A**
**MILAM LIBRARY • 12+**
**RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO**
Use cardboard, yarn and glue to paint dolphin art.

**SEASHELL ACCESSORIES**
**JULY 28 • THU • 10A**
**MILAM LIBRARY • 12+**
**RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO**
Complete your summer attire with a DIY seashell accessory.

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**Josué Rivas**
Josué Rivas (Mexica and Otomi) is an Indigenous Futurist, creative director, visual storyteller and educator working at the intersection of art, technology, journalism, and decolonization. His work aims to challenge the mainstream narrative about Indigenous peoples, co-create with the community, and serve as a vehicle for collective healing.

**Sebastián Hidalgo**
Sebastián Hidalgo is a civic-oriented visual and investigative journalist born and based in Chicago, IL. He covers issues related to the current state of belonging—immigration policy, low wage labor, and environmental justice.

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Free • CALS Ron Robinson Theater | July 28, 6:30 PM

**CALS SPEAKER SERIES**
The Central Arkansas Library System presents two exciting photojournalists—Sebastián Hidalgo and Josué Rivas—as guests for the 2022 Speaker Series. They will show some of their photographs and speak about their work.

Register: [CALS.org/Speaker-Series](http://CALS.org/Speaker-Series)

This program honors J.N. Heiskell. He was former editor of the Arkansas Gazette and the longest-serving member of the library’s Board of Trustees.
**TERROR TUESDAYS**

**JULY 5, 12, 19, 26 • TUE**

**DOORS OPEN AT 6P • FILM STARTS AT 7P**

**TUE 7/5:** VOYAGE TO THE PLANET OF PREHISTORIC WOMEN (1968, NR)
A team of astronauts are in for an unexpected encounter with monsters and beautiful women after their spaceship crashes on Venus.

**TUE 7/12:** TEENAGERS FROM OUTER SPACE (1959, NR)
A sensitive young alien teams up with a teenaged human girl to try and protect Earth from an imminent, giant lobster invasion.

**TUE 7/19:** KILLERS FROM SPACE (1954, NR)
Bug-eyed beings from Astron Delta bring a nuclear scientist back to life as a spy.

**TUE 7/26:** CAT WOMEN OF THE MOON (1953, NR)
A group of astronauts travel to the moon and find that it’s inhabited by a race of telepathic cat women.

**EXTRA TERRESTRIAL THURSDAYS**

**JULY 7, 14, 21 • THU**

**DOORS OPEN AT 6P • FILM STARTS AT 7P**

**THU 7/7:** 2001: A SPACE ODYSSEY (1968, G)
An imposing black structure provides a connection between the past and the future in this enigmatic adaptation of The Sentinel by sci-fi author Arthur C. Clarke. When Dr. Dave Bowman and other astronauts are sent on a mysterious mission, their ship’s computer system, HAL, begins to display increasingly strange behavior, leading up to a tense showdown between man and machine that results in a mind-bending trek through space and time. Directed by Stanley Kubrick.

**THU 7/14:** CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE THIRD KIND (1977, PG)
Roy Neary, an Indiana electric lineman, finds his quiet and ordinary daily life turned upside down after a close encounter with a UFO, spurring him to an obsessed cross-country quest for answers as a momentous event approaches. Directed by Steven Spielberg and starring Richard Dreyfuss.

**THU 7/21:** ALIEN (1979, R)
In deep space, the crew of the commercial starship Nostromo is awakened from their cryo-sleep capsules halfway through their journey home to investigate a distress call from an alien vessel. The terror begins when the crew encounters a nest of eggs inside the alien ship. Directed by Ridley Scott and starring Sigourney Weaver.

**COVID POLICY:** Masks are recommended for those who are not fully vaccinated.
ARKANSAS SOUNDS PRESENTS:
A CELEBRATION OF MICHAEL BURKS
JULY 29 FRI • DOORS OPEN AT 7P • EVENT STARTS AT 8P
RON ROBINSON THEATER • IN-PERSON • ADULTS • TICKETS $10

Enjoy a tribute to the legendary Arkansas blues giant, Michael Burks. To celebrate what would have been his 65th birthday, a collective of friends, family, and former band members will share the stage for a special concert. The Michael Burks Project starts the show, and includes Michael's former band members Lance Womack and John Davies; as well as Burks’ mentee, noted guitarist Josh Parks; and features special guests Gil Franklin and Amy Garland. Following a brief intermission, former members of Michael Burks’ touring band, Wayne Sharp and Chuck “Popcorn” Louden, will then join Davies and Parks to play together for the first time since Michael’s passing. Don’t miss this incredible collection of world class blues talent honoring the legacy of The Iron Man, Michael Burks.

Beer, wine, and concessions will be available. For more information and to purchase tickets online, visit RonRobinsonTheater.org

ARKANSAS SOUNDS PRESENTS:
BOBBY RUSH IN AN INTIMATE SOLO CONCERT
JULY 16 • SAT • DOORS OPEN AT 7P • EVENT STARTS AT 8P
RON ROBINSON THEATER • IN-PERSON • ADULTS • TICKETS $40

Don’t miss Grammy Award winner, Blues Hall of Fame member, 13-time Blues Music Award winner, and B.B. King Entertainer of the Year Bobby Rush perform an acoustic solo show. Rush is one of the last Black bluesmen from the class to emerge out of and triumph in the 1950s, ’60s, and ’70s. In 2019 he had a cameo in the Golden Globe-nominated Netflix original film Dolemite Is My Name, the Rudy Ray Moore biopic featuring Eddie Murphy as Moore. In 2020, he released “Dolemite Kid,” a single inspired by his nine years on tour with Moore, his day working with Murphy, and the hit film. With the release of his 2020 album Rawer Than Raw, an all-acoustic effort that pays tribute to the rich blues history of Mississippi, Rush has cemented his reputation as one of the preeminent bluesmen in the world, one of the last living links to the music’s glorious past, and an inspiration for its future stars. The album won a Grammy Award for Best Traditional Blues Album.

Tickets are $40. Beer, wine, and concessions will be available. For more information and to purchase tickets online, visit RonRobinsonTheater.org

INTERACTIVE SCREENING:
THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW (1975, R)
JULY 9 • SAT • DOORS OPEN AT 6P • FILM STARTS AT 7P
RON ROBINSON THEATER • IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS • RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Join CALS Ron Robinson Theater for an unforgettable interactive screening of The Rocky Horror Picture Show! After a newly-engaged couple’s car breaks down they seek shelter at the bizarre residence of Dr. Frank-N-Furter. As their innocence is lost, Brad and Janet meet a houseful of wild characters, and through elaborate dances and rock songs, Frank-N-Furter unveils his latest creation: a muscular man named “Rocky.” Admission is $10. Prop bags (with everything you need to participate!) will also be available for $10. Beer, wine, and concessions will be available.

For more information and to purchase tickets online, visit RonRobinsonTheater.org

BINGOFLIX: PLAN 9 FROM OUTER SPACE (1959, NR)
JULY 23 • SAT • DOORS OPEN AT 6P • FILM STARTS AT 7P
RON ROBINSON THEATER • IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS • RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Bingoflix returns this July with Plan 9 From Outer Space! Play bingo along to cheesy movie cliches for your chance to win a prize! Evil aliens attack Earth and set their terrible “Plan 9” into action. As the aliens resurrect the dead of the Earth, the lives of the living are in danger. Admission is $7. Beer, wine, and concessions will be available, and tickets can be purchased at the door.

For more information and to purchase tickets online, visit RonRobinsonTheater.org
FIDDLESTICKS
ALL MONTH • THU • 1P
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Bring your needles or hooks. Any kind of craft is welcome. Learn a thing or two or just enjoy the company.

TAI CHI
JULY 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 • SAT • 10A
MAIN LIBRARY • 5TH FLOOR
IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Taylor Novay leads us in Tai Chi each Saturday. Please check back for possible cancellations that will be updated here.

ALCOHOL INK ART
JULY 5 • TUE • 6P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

All supplies and instructions provided to create Alcohol Ink Art

JOB ASSISTANCE
JULY 5, 19, 26 • TUE • 1P
MAIN LIBRARY • COMPUTER LAB
IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Looking for a new job can be overwhelming, but we’re here to help! Call 501-918-3015 or email jobassistance@cals.org to set your one-on-one appointment.

ADULT ACTIVITY TIME
JULY 6, 13, 20, 27 • WED • 1P
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

We will have a variety of games you can come in to play.

LEGACIES & LUNCH
SAM STRASNER: DOCUMENTARY PREVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF WHAT IS A WONDER BOY?
JULY 6 • WED • 12-1P
ROBERTS LIBRARY, ROOM 124
HYBRID • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Arkansas Tech University marked the 100th anniversary of its “Wonder Boys” nickname in 2020. As part of the commemoration, ATU staff members Sam Strasner, Taylor Gamez, and Daniel Gallegos, along with graduate assistant Stormi Leonard, undertook a project to capture that century of athletic success through a combination of interviews and archival research.

The resulting documentary film project, What is a Wonder Boy?, will debut in 2022 to coincide with the establishment of the Arkansas Tech University Athletic Hall of Fame. This Legacies & Lunch will offer a sneak preview of the film and an accompanying discussion about the process of documenting history in this fashion. Register here.

JOB ASSISTANCE
JULY 7, 21, 28 • THU • 3P
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES

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CRAFTING WITH OPAL
JULY 7, 21 • THU • 4P
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

This is in-person & virtual. To register please call 501-457-5038.

July 7: Ocean themed mixed media craft
July 21: Mermaid needle felt brooch craft

PAGE TURNERS
JULY 7 • THU • 1:30PM
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Meetings are held on the first Thursday of every month. Members read a single book for discussion at the meeting. Contact Ginann at gswindle@cals.org for more information.

JEWELRY CLASS:
STAR EARRINGS
JULY 7 • THU • 6P
ROOKER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Make your own star earrings.

THE HENNA ARTIST – AUTHOR TALK WITH ALKA JOSHI
JULY 7 • THU • 8P
LOCATION?? • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: ???

Join us for an evening with New York Times Best Selling author and Reese Witherspoon Book Club pick Alka Joshi as she discusses her bestselling books, The Henna Artist and The Secret Keeper of Jaipur.

2ND FRIDAY ART NIGHT
JULY 8 • FRI • 5-8P
ROBERTS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: NO


RECYCLED SEASIDE LANTERN
JULY 9 • SAT • 10:30A
MILAM LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Create a Seaside Lantern using a recycled glass jar and cording.

MASTER PIECE PUZZLE CLUB
JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON-SAT • 1P
SANDERS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Drop in puzzle club for adults. Work alone or with others and chat about puzzles, books, and more. All levels of puzzling skills welcome—a great way to relax!

*Puzzles provided but donations of complete puzzles in good condition are appreciated*
Yoga
JULY 11, 18, 25 • MON • 12P
COX BUILDING, 3RD FLOOR
IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Vanessa Weiding leads a refreshing yoga session. All levels welcome. Mats provided.

Meditation at Main Online
JULY 11, 25 • MON • 12P
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Cory Jones of Compassion Works for All leads us in an online guided meditation on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month.

Maritime Watercolor Painting
JULY 11 • MON • 6P
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Join us for an easy-to-follow watercolor art class. Learn the basics and create your own boat scene. Registration is required. Space is limited.

Finding Family Facts
JULY 11 • MON • 3:30P
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES

The Butler Center offers a beginner’s genealogy class the second Monday of every month, taught by Rhonda Stewart, the Butler Center’s local history and genealogy expert. Participants will learn how to use online databases and city directories, as well as how to archive family documents. Jump-start your genealogy research with this fun and creative way to learn about the past.

Register here.

Lawyers in the Library
JULY 12 • TUE • 11A
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Come talk with lawyers on the topic of public benefits and the law.

Recycled Book Bags from Feed Bags
JULY 12 • TUE • 2P
MILAM LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Did you miss getting a recycled book bag on Earth Day? Here is your chance to make one for yourself as we continue to recycle feed bags into great book bags.

DIY Craft
JULY 12 • TUE • 2P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

All supplies and instructions provided to create a craft to take home.

First Time Homebuyers Workshop
JULY 12 • TUES • 6:30P
VIRTUAL • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Join us for a first-time homebuyer workshop that will take the mystery and uncertainty out of buying a home and getting mortgage ready. We will cover commonly used terms when going through the mortgage process, what documents are needed, applying for a loan, the approval process, and so much more.

Cricut 101 Part II
JULY 14 • THU • 5:30P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • TEENS/ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Learn how to create a shirt using Cricut Design Space. This class will focus on multi color designs and layering. Contact Latina at lsheard@cals.org to register.

Getting Things Done: The Art of Stress Free Productivity – Author Talk with David Allen
JULY 14 • THU • 11A
MAIN LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: ??

Join us as we sit down in conversation with New York Times Best Selling author David Allen, one of the world’s most influential thinkers on personal productivity.

True Stories Book Club
JULY 14 • THU • 2P
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES

We will be discussing “March, Book 1” by John Lewis, Nate Powell, and Andrew Aydin This book club reads non-fiction books including true crime, biographies/memories, self-help, current events, social sciences/politics.

In-person & virtual (Zoom). If you would like to participate in this program please call (501) 457-5038.

Folded Book Art
JULY 16 • SAT • 1P
MAIN LIBRARY • 5TH FLOOR
IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Fold pages of a book to create a unique fold book art piece. Registration is required.

Email cedwards@cals.org.

Acupuncture with Margaret Goodloe of Omnis Rehab
JULY 16 • SAT • 11A
MAIN LIBRARY, DARRAGH CENTER
IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Acupuncture & East Asian Medicine are systems of healing that go back thousands of years and have many billion patient success stories. Join us on Saturday, July 16, at 11:00 AM when Margaret Goodloe will teach us about this pain relief and inflammation reducing method of treatment.

Community Livingroom
JULY 18 • MON • 10A
MAIN LIBRARY • 1ST FLOOR CAFÉ
IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Have ideas for ways we can improve things here at the library? Join us for coffee and candid conversation. We’re here for your thoughts and ideas! Questions: Bekah, rasmith@cals.org

DIY Craft Program
JULY 19 • TUE • 2P
WILLIAMS LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

All supplies and instructions provided to create marbled mugs.

Page Turners
JULY 19 • TUE • 6:30P
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: YES • REGISTRATION: NO

Group will discuss “Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo” by Taylor Jenkins Reid.

Book Recommendation Social
JULY 20 • WED • 3P
BROOKS MICROLIBRARY
IN-PERSON • ADULTS/TEENS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Adult and Teen patrons will socialize and make book recommendations regarding current books they are reading. Staff will familiarize patrons with creating Libby accounts for eBook reading.

POSTPONED -- Phil Plait Presents Eclipse Across America
JULY 20 • WED • 7P
RON ROBINSON THEATER • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Join us at Ron Robinson Theater for a presentation on the 2024 solar eclipse followed by a book signing from Discovery Channel’s “How the Universe Works” host Phil Plait.
CRAFT NIGHT FOR ADULTS
JULY 21 • THU • 6:30PM
MAUMELLE LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Come to the library and paint a mermaid door hanger, all supplies provided.

NIXON BOOK BUDDIES
JULY 21 • THU • 1P
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Thursday, July 21: We will be discussing “Braiding Sweetgrass: Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge, & the Teaching of Plants” by Robin Wall Kimmerer.

If you would like to participate in this program call (501) 457-5083.

PERSONAL ARCHIVING AND DIY MEMORY LAB
JULY 21 • THU • 3:30PM
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Learn how to organize your personal papers, photos, scrapbooks, and other items to digitize and store them for future generations. And find out more about CALS DIY Memory Lab and how to use it to preserve your family history.
Register here.

PAPER ROSES FROM MAPS
JULY 23 • SAT • 10:30A
MILAM LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Learn to make paper roses out of old or new maps. Use these in a bouquet or on a wreath.

NAUTICAL ROPE MIRROR
JULY 23 • SAT • 3P
MCMATH LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Set sail with us as we show you how to make this fun nautical mirror for your home or office.

BYO BOOK CLUB
JULY 25 • MON • 6P
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: YES • REGISTRATION: NO

Join the only book club where you get to choose what you read! Each month bring a book (or several) you’ve read that fit that month’s theme. This month’s theme is Summer Travel, bring your favorite book about going on a vacation, adventure, or journey.

DIY PICKLED VEGETABLES
JULY 25 • MON • 6P
TERRY LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Join us for a hands-on pickling class. Learn the steps needed to safely pickle your own vegetables. Registration is required. Space is limited.

CALS WOMEN’S SUFFRAGE BOOK CLUB - IDA B. THE QUEEN BY Michelle Duster
JULY 26 • TUE • 6:30PM
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES
BOOK: Ida B. the Queen by Michelle Duster

Thursday, July 28: We will be discussing Ida B. the Queen by Michelle Duster. This book club reads fiction & non-fiction books.

SOCRATES CAFE
JULY 27 • WED • 6P
FLETCHER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Non-academic philosophical discussion group. Topics selected by the group. Light refreshments served.

ADULT BOOK CHAT
JULY 28 • THU • 12P
MILAM LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: NO

We will discuss “Grass Dancer” by Susan Power.

CALS SPEAKER SERIES:
SEBASTIÁN HIDALGO AND JOSUÉ RIVAS, PHOTOJOURNALISTS
JULY 28 • THU • 6:30PM
RON ROBINSON THEATER • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Hidalgo covers issues related to the current state of belonging – immigration policy, low wage labor, and environmental justice. His work has appeared in National Geographic, the New York Times, The National Museum of Mexican Fine Art and more. Rivas (Mexico and Otomi) is an Indigenous Futurist, creative director, visual storyteller and educator working at the intersection of art, technology, journalism, and decolonization. He is a 2020 Catchlight Leadership Fellow, Magnum Foundation Photography and Social Justice Fellow, founder of the INDÍGENA, co-founder of Indigenous Photograph and Curator at Indigenous TikTok. Visit sebastianhidalgo.squarespace.com. This program honors J. N. Heiskell, who served as the editor of the Arkansas Gazette for more than 70 years. Arshia Khan moderates.

SHORT FORM
JULY 26 • TUE • 6:30PM
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES

Join us to discuss two short stories every month. Sign up for story links.
Register here.

ADULT ART NIGHT
JULY 26 • TUE • 6:30P
THOMPSON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Make some fruity drinks and add your own decorative straws.

ADULT PAINT NIGHT
JULY 28 • THU • 6P
ROOKER LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: NO

Join us for a paint along class with Ms. Sarah. We’ll be painting jellyfish.
CALS WRITING CIRCLE: MEMOIR WRITING FOR SENIORS
ALL MONTH • WED • 10A
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES
This ongoing class meets once each week and takes attendees aged 55+ through the steps of writing their own life stories. Students are given tools and techniques to help learn to write regularly and productively.
Everyone is welcome; no writing experience is required.
Contact dmoore@cals.org.

CALS WRITING CIRCLE: POETRY & PROSE PERFORMANCE PRACTICE
JULY 21 • THU • 6-7P
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: MONTHLY • REGISTRATION: YES
Contact jjjobe@cals.org.

CALS WRITING CIRCLE: MEMOIR WRITING WORKSHOP
JULY 28 • THU • 6:30P
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES
After you’ve written the first draft, what then? A good workshop group can help you figure out what about your draft needs improving, and the process of critiquing other writers helps you become a better writer yourself. Share your work-in-progress with other writers to give and receive encouragement, insight, and feedback in a safe and respectful environment.
Contact dmoore@cals.org.

CALS WRITING CIRCLE: WRITING ALL YEAR WORKSHOP GROUP
JULY 9, 23 • SAT • 12P
VIRTUAL • ZOOM • ADULTS
RECURRING: BIWEEKLY • REGISTRATION: YES
Are you looking for a writing workshop group? Led by J. Jobe, Writing All Year is a place to share your work-in-progress with other writers. We meet twice a month to give and receive encouragement, insight, and feedback in a safe and respectful environment. Our objective: to improve the work with kindness and compassion. If this sounds like something you’ve been looking for, please join us. Free. All experience levels are welcome.
Contact jjjobe@cals.org.

SATURDAYS AT THE GALLERIES
EVERY SATURDAY THROUGH AUGUST 27 | 11AM-2PM
Meet local artists as they demonstrate their skills and discuss their works.

JULY 2: Celia Storey, Ceramics
JULY 9: Richard Prewitt, Jewelry
JULY 16: Susan Strauss and Michelle Fox, Jewelry
JULY 23: Roger Buchanan, Wood
JULY 30: Marlene Gremillion, Painting

View the full schedule at cals.org/galleries
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BACK TO SCHOOL WELCOME PACK PART 1
JULY 13 • WED • 11A-12:30P
MAIN LIBRARY • HYBRID • ADULTS
3RD FLOOR CLASSROOM A
RECURRING: YES • REGISTRATION: YES

Let’s create beginning-of-the-year welcome videos! In part one of this 3-part series we’ll set up a Weebly website but focus on short videos that introduce you to your students so they can get a feel for who you are. Learn how to create a video that leads up to the 1st day of school, a video that introduces yourself and others, and a video tour for your classroom/school.

CALS is a professional development provider for the Arkansas Department of Education. This class will provide you with 2 hours of professional development (PD) credit.
Register at CALS.org/events-classes

BACK TO SCHOOL WELCOME PACK PART 3
JULY 27 • WED • 11A-12:30P
MAIN LIBRARY • HYBRID • ADULTS
3RD FLOOR CLASSROOM A
RECURRING: YES • REGISTRATION: YES

Last part of this 3-part series will further organize your videos, ideas, and information so you and your students are ready for that 1st week! Note that we will wrap up anything left over from parts 1 and 2 so you’ll be more than ready for classes to start this school year.
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TECH HELP
JULY 5, 12, 19, 26 • TUE • 10A
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Come by and bring your tech questions or your devices for a staff member to walk you through.

GUIDED READING THROUGH POWERPOINT
JULY 6 • WED • 11A-12:30P
MAIN LIBRARY • HYBRID • ADULTS
3RD FLOOR CLASSROOM A
RECURRING: NO • REGISTRATION: YES

Create your own Guided Reading PowerPoint Videos! We'll learn how to incorporate selected text, guiding questions, and the built-in audio recording tool. It will give you the freedom to help students without slowing anything down.
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TECH HELP
JULY 7, 14, 21, 28 • THU • 3P
NIXON LIBRARY • IN-PERSON • ADULTS
RECURRING: WEEKLY • REGISTRATION: NO

Come by and bring your tech questions or your devices for a staff member to walk you through.

DIY MEMORY LAB AT ROBERTS LIBRARY – OPEN NOW

CALS Roberts Library has created a DIY Memory Lab so patrons can digitize their family photographs and (coming soon!) personal VHS/Beta video cassettes and audio cassettes. The Memory Lab is available by appointment for patron use Tuesday through Friday 10am to 4:30pm, and on Saturday as needed.
It is intended to be DO-IT-YOURSELF with a little training, but staff is available to assist you. The Memory Lab is open to everyone; a CALS Library Card is NOT required.

More information is available at RobertsLibrary.org/MemoryLab, or call the Roberts Library Research Room (501-320-5700) or email (memorylab@cals.org).