



Library Update

Supporting Learning, Building Community, Enriching Lives

News & Events

Spring Edition

March - May, 2010

Adult Programs

MAIN LIBRARY

CELTIC MYTHS, LEGENDS AND FOLKTALES WITH BETH OHLSSON

Saturday, March 13 at 2 pm in Room 1. Be a time traveler for an afternoon and hear Celtic lore from a professional storyteller!

MEDICARE/MEDICAID FRAUD

Thursday, March 18 at 2pm in Room 1. Mrs. Ricker from MAC will lead a discussion and offer tips to help people track their medical insurance forms to identify fraud and to report suspected fraud. **50+ event**

SCRAPBOOK CLUB

Mondays: March 1, April 5, May 3 at 6 pm. Bring your materials and share ideas at our casual hour long crop. Some materials supplied.

COMMUNICATION & BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT TIPS

Saturday, April 10 at 2pm. Helpful suggestions for caregivers, family & friends of persons with dementia. Presented by an Alzheimer's Association representative. **50+ event, RR**

BIVALVE STATION

SENIORS

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays in March at 10 am. Have lunch and play games, use computers and make crafts. This is a shared program with the Westside Community Center. **50+ event**

CENTRE BRANCH

BOOK TALK

First Sunday of the month at 2 pm. Join other local readers to discuss and learn about favorite books, authors, and genres. Follow us on Goodreads.com!

JOB SEARCH SEMINAR - CAREER SEARCH PREPARATION

Monday, March 8 at 10 am. Topics will include: What do you want from work? What do Employers want from Employees? Taking Stock of Your Skills, The STAR Method of Presenting your Skills, The Barriers to Reemployment and How to Overcome Them.

CLASSIC FILM

Second Sunday of the month at 2 pm. Enjoy a movie and popcorn!

SENIOR WII

Third Sunday of the month at 2 pm. Spend an afternoon enjoying virtual golf, bowling and more. **50+ event**

BASIC DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY: BE AMAZED WHAT YOUR CAMERA CAN DO

Thursdays: March 25, April 29, May 27 at 1pm. Do you feel overwhelmed by the buttons and general functions on your digital camera? What do all those symbols mean? Join us in exploring exactly what our digital cameras can do for us. Bring your digital camera, and those frustrating questions, to a picture perfect class. **RR**

PHOTO EDITING WITH FUN AND FREE SOFTWARE

Thursdays: March 25, April 29, May 27 at 2:30 pm. Do you need user friendly photo editing software that is also FREE? Join us in learning about a great product from Google that makes editing, managing, and sharing your best photos with friends and family as easy as pressing a button! **RR**

CLASSIC GAMES - SCRABBLE

Fourth Sunday of the month at 2 pm. Come play the classic board game Scrabble with other fans!

JOB SEARCH SEMINAR - WRITING A RESUME, COVER LETTER AND THANK YOU LETTERS

Monday, April 12 at 10 am. Topics will include: Types of Resumes, Basic Resume Guidelines, Cover Letters - Purpose & Design, Why Thank You Notes are "Gold."

JOB SEARCH SEMINAR - APPLICATIONS AND INTERVIEWS

Monday, May 10 at 10 am. Topics will include: Application Rules for Successful Completion, Elements of the Interview, How to answer the "Tell me about yourself" question, The Importance of Closing the Interview, How to Handle Salary Negotiation.

JOB SEARCH CENTER



Activities and classes are currently being scheduled. Check our online calendar for details. Just go to www.wicomicolibrary.org and click on calendar in the upper right corner.

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HOLIDAYS

All locations will be closed:

April 2 - Good Friday

April 4 - Easter

May 31 - Memorial Day

50+ event - geared towards people over 50, but all are welcome.

RR — registration required

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PITTSVILLE BRANCH

PITTSVILLE BRANCH PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Tuesdays: March 2 & April 6 at 6:30 pm. Love taking pictures? Want to learn more about photography? Then this is the club for you! All skill levels welcome. Each meeting offers a different topic. Learn new skills and share your photos with others. **RR**

SPICE UP WITH NAZ -PAKISTANI COOKING CLASS

Thursdays: March 11 & April 8 at 6 pm. Learn to make (and sample) authentic Pakistani recipes. **RR**

SENIOR CARD NIGHT

Wednesdays: March 17 & April 21 at 6 pm. Seniors come meet others and learn to play a different card game each month (your choice). **RR**

Computer Classes - call location to register

BIVALVE STATION

PUBLISHER

Friday, March 5 at 10 am. Use template wizards and fundamental frames to create flyers, brochures, newsletters, etc.

BASIC INTERNET

Friday, March 12 at 10am. Learn to use an Internet Browser to move around the World Wide Web and search for information.

INTERMEDIATE INTERNET

Friday, March 19 at 10 am. Learn how to do more in-depth web searches using databases and engines.

INTRO TO EMAIL

Friday, March 26 at 1pm. Covers the basics of sending and receiving email and how to set up your own Yahoo account.

CENTRE BRANCH


WHAT IS A PC?

Tuesdays: March 2, April 6, May 4 at 10 am. A discussion of basic computer terminology and components.

KEYBOARD & MOUSE SKILLS WORKSHOP

Tuesdays: March 2, April 6, May 4 at 11:30 am. Practice typing and mouse control.

GETTING AROUND IN WINDOWS

Thursdays: March 4, April 8, May 6 at 10 am. Learn to control and navigate windows. 

MANAGING MY DOCUMENTS

Thursdays: March 4, April 8, May 6 at 11:30 am. Learn to organize files and folders in windows.

WEB NAVIGATION

Tuesdays: March 9, April 13, May 11 at 10 am. Learn how to move around and explore the Internet.

SEARCH THE WEB

Tuesdays: March 9, April 13, May 11 at 11:30 am. Discover search engines and learn how to find what you want online.

SIGN UP FOR EMAIL

Thursdays: March 11, April 15, May 13 at 10 am. Create your own free email account.

EMAIL SKILLS WORKSHOP

Thursdays: March 11, April 15, May 13 at 11:30 am. Learn and practice various features of your email account.

WEB TRENDS

Tuesdays: March 16, April 20, May 18 at 10 am. Discover popular Internet sites and features.

WEB TRENDS SPECIAL TOPICS: SOCIAL NETWORKING

Tuesdays: March 16, April 20, May 18 at 11:30 am. Learn how to use the top social networking sites to reconnect with old friends and stay connected with new ones.

GETTING STARTED WITH WORD

Thursdays: March 18, April 22, May 20

at 10 am. Learn basic editing and formatting.

GETTING STARTED WITH EXCEL

Thursdays: March 18, April 22, May 20 at 11:30 am. Learn basic spreadsheets and formulas.

WEB TRENDS SPECIAL TOPICS: BLOGGING

Tuesdays: March 23, April 27, May 25 at 10 am. Set up and learn to use your own blog to share anything from political views to your favorite recipes.

WEB TRENDS SPECIAL TOPICS: BLOG READERS

Tuesdays: March 23, April 27, May 25 at 11:30 am. Learn how to set up and use a Reader, an online tool that helps you keep up with all your favorite blogs.

GETTING STARTED WITH PUBLISHER

Thursdays: March 25, April 29, May 27 at 10 am. Learn to create your own flyers and brochures.

GETTING STARTED WITH POWERPOINT

Thursdays: March 25, April 29, May 27 at 11:30 am. Learn to create your own slide show.

PITTSVILLE BRANCH

EMAIL 101

Thursday, March 18 at 6:30 pm. Explore Gmail, set up a free email account, learn how to send and receive email messages.

THE LOUNGE

Teens Only

TEEN TECH VIDEO CONTEST

March 7—13, all day. It's Teen Tech Week 2010! This year's theme is **Learn, Create, Share!** To celebrate, the Library is asking teens to participate in a Video Contest. Teens can sign up this week at any Wicomico Library location.

For details visit our Teen Lounge website.

MAIN LIBRARY

EXPRESS YOURSELF WITH YARN

Mondays: March 1, April 5, May 3 at 6:30 pm. Do you like to knit or crochet? Would you like to learn? Come join us for an evening of creativity! We will provide knitting needles, crochet hooks and yarn to use for the evening. Or bring your own. Ages 10 - 18.

TUESDAY NIGHT GAMING @ THE LOUNGE

Every Tuesday at 7 pm. Come play your favorite Wii and PS2 games in the Game Room!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT GAMING @ THE LOUNGE

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THURSDAY GAMING @ THE LOUNGE

Thursdays at 4 pm. Come play your favorite Wii and PS2 games in the Game Room!

ANIME CLUB @ THE LOUNGE

Mondays: March 8, April 12, May 10 at 6:30 pm. Watch a member selected anime movie/show and take part in an activity with an anime theme. Ages 12-18 only.

UNTAMED QUILLS

Tuesdays: March 9 & 23, April 13 & 27, May 11 & 25 at 6:30 pm. Untamed Quills is a group of young adult writers in search of inspiration. Young adults ages 15 - 21 are welcome to attend.

TAC (TEEN ADVISORY COUNCIL)

Mondays: March 15, April 19, May 17 at 6:30 pm. Want to help choose the books, movies and music we buy for the

Teen Lounge? Have ideas about the events we schedule for teens? Enjoy some PIZZA while we talk about what you'd like to see.

LOUNGE READS (TEEN BOOK CLUB)

Mondays: March 22, April 26, May 24 at 6:30 pm. Join us for Lounge Reads at the Main Library. Find out what other teens like to read and tell us about your favorite books! Pizza will be provided!

CREATIVE MARBLE WORKSHOP

Saturday, March 27 at 2 pm. Come create pins, magnets or tokens with craft marbles (flat on the bottom). We'll glue photos (words work too) to the flat surface of the marble and see it magnified! All supplies will be provided - bring your own photos if you like.

OPEN MIC POETRY CAFE @ THE LOUNGE

Saturday, April 24 at 2 pm. Celebrate National Poetry Month! Teens can read an original poem, one of their favorites or just come to listen and enjoy some cafe treats. Registration is required. Teens ages 12 - 18 only. RR

GAME ON!

Saturdays 4-6 pm. Free video game play! **ROBOTICS (LEGO MINDSTORM) EVENT**

Friday & Saturday: March 12 & 13, April 9 & 10, and May 7 & 8 at 6:30 pm. Build and program a mini robot using the LEGO Mindstorm NXT. A two night event, for ages 12-16. RR

TEEN ANIME CLUB

Third Thursday of the month at 6 pm. Permission slips required.

TEEN FLICKS!

Last Saturday of the month at 6:30 pm. A movie and popcorn!

COOL CRAFTS 101

Saturdays: April 17 & May 15 at 6 pm. Learn the basics of knitting, crochet, beading and more. Great for those who already have some experience and those who are just beginning.

POSTSECRET MASH-UP

Saturday, May 22 at 6 pm. Always wanted to send a PostSecret postcard but never dared to? We'll provide the blank postcard, the postage and the supplies for you to create a personalized PostSecret. Privacy will be respected!

PITTSVILLE BRANCH

WII NO SCHOOL!

March 1 & 31, April 1, 2 & 5 all day. Play all the latest Wii games all day at the Branch!

WII AFTER SCHOOL

Every day after school at 3 pm. Play all the latest Wii Games!

PITTSVILLE BRANCH ANIME/MANGA CLUB FOR TEENS

Tuesdays: March 16 & April 13 at 6:30 pm. Share your love of Anime and Manga with other fans. Meets once a month. RR

CENTRE BRANCH

WELCOME TO THE WORLD OF WORK

Wednesday, March 3 at 6 pm. Starting a new job or your first job this summer? Let DEF help you put your best foot forward and succeed by learning these fundamental workplace skills. RR

Programs for Children & Families

MAIN LIBRARY

TIME 4 TWO'S

The first two Tuesdays of every month at 10:30 am. Story time for 2 year olds. Stories, music, singing, finger plays, simple craft and much more.

3-5's STORY TIME

First three Wednesdays of the month at 10:30 am. All 3, 4, and 5 year olds and their caregivers are welcome for stories, finger plays, songs and a take home craft during our 1/2 hour story time.

BARISTA & BOOKS

Fourth Wednesday of the month at 10:30 am. What is a Barista? Find out when Starbucks presents story time. All 3, 4, and 5 year olds and their caregivers are welcome to join us for stories, finger plays, songs and a take home craft during our 1/2 hour program. Enjoy coffee, cocoa and pastries compliments of our Salisbury Starbucks.

LAPTIME FOR BABIES

First two Thursdays of the month at 10:45 am and 11:30 am. Our baby brains are developing so fast! Songs, finger plays, stories and fun for babies ages 0-23 months and their caregivers. Please choose the session that best fits your schedule.

READ-A-LONG WITH ROSIE

Third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm. Family oriented story time for kids ages 5-11 and their parents/caregivers. Enjoy guitar and piano keyboard music, interactive stories, and light refreshments.

ACE STORYTIME

Saturday, March 6 at 11 am. Children and their caregivers are welcome to join us for stories, finger plays, songs and a take home craft during our 1/2 hour program with the ACE (Active Children's

Education) group from Salisbury University. All ages are welcome to come to this free program in the Children's Program Room.

1776 FAITH BY PHIL WEBSTER

Saturday, March 6 at 1 pm. Mr. Webster has recently published a book called "1776 Faith: the Christian worldview of the signers of the Declaration of Independence." He will appear in Revolution-era costume to speak about his research and findings, and to sell and sign copies of his book. Book price is \$16.94, including tax. Suitable for all ages.

BETH OHLSSON - LOCAL TREASURE, STORYTELLER

Saturdays: March 13, April 10, May 8 at 11 am. Local Storyteller Beth Ohlsson takes on splendid adventures with her words. This free 45 minute program is for those who love to travel far and wide, hither and yon - all while sitting in their chair!

BUNNY HOP!

Thursday, March 25 at 10:30 am. Join the Children's staff as we hop, sing and jump our way into spring. Gather in the Children's area for songs, finger plays and fun! We welcome all little bunnies, ages 0-5, and their caregivers.

CLOWNING AROUND WITH RINGLING BROS. & BARNUM & BAILEY

Monday, March 29 at 10:30 am. Special guests from Ringling Bros. & Barnum & Bailey, "The Greatest Show on Earth" will be here with their *Illuscination* story time. Look for your chance to win free tickets to the circus in April!

LITERACY ALIVE!

Saturday, April 17 at 11 am. Kappa Delta Pi from Salisbury University makes literacy come alive for children with fun activities, stories and crafts. Join Kappa Delta Pi anytime between 11 am and 3 pm in the Children's Program Room.



PLANT YOUR OWN MOTHER'S DAY GIFT!

Saturday, May 8 at noon in Room 1. Planting with GINNY ROSENKRANZ.

Plant your own gift!

WICOMICO COUNTY STUDENT ART SHOW

April 23—May 2 all day in the Children's area. The library hosts the Wicomico County Board of Education Art Show featuring over 1,000 art works from students in every Wicomico school.

KIDS & PARENTS CELEBRATE AMERICAN WETLANDS MONTH

Visit this wonderful exhibit May 13—19 in the Children's Area of the Main Library. A hands-on display by Environmental Concern's Traveling Library Display "Amazing Adaptations." This display travels to libraries around the state of Maryland to help celebrate American Wetlands Month each May. Environmental Concern is located in St. Michaels, Maryland.

CELEBRATE CINCO DE MAYO

Wednesday, May 5 at 10:30 am. We will celebrate with stories, a piñata, finger plays, and music!



CENTRE BRANCH

FAMILY FILM

Second Saturday of the month at 11 am. A movie and popcorn!

KIDS CRAFT SERIES - NATURE CRAFTS

Saturdays: March 20 & April 17 at 2 pm. Kid approved crafts! **RR**

KIDS ROBOTICS WORKSHOP

Tuesdays: March 23 & April 20 at 2 pm. Interested in robotics for the younger crowd? Join us as we build and program mini robots using the Lego WeDo Robotics.

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KIDS ROBOTICS WORKSHOP

Fridays: March 26 & April 23 at 6 pm. Interested in robotics for the younger crowd? Join us as we build and program mini robots using the Lego WeDo Robotics.

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FRIENDS AND TALES

Saturdays: March 27 & May 1 at 2 pm. Enjoy stories and fun with interactive play! Theme: Joseph the Tailor & The Little Monkey.

CELEBRATE CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK

Monday, May 10—16 all day. Encourage your child to love books during this celebration of reading. Participate in our week-long reading challenge for fun and prizes!

CELEBRATE AMERICAN WETLANDS MONTH AT THE CENTRE BRANCH

May 14—19 all day. "Amazing Adaptations," a traveling display from Environmental Concern, now available at the Centre Branch.

BOOKS, BOGS AND BUGS SERIES PRESENTS

TURTLES!

Saturday, May 15 at 2 pm. Books, Bugs, and Bogs have gone totally turtles! Kids ages 3-9 are invited to bring the whole family for an hour of exploring the terrific world of turtles. HEAR a story featuring the adventures of a turtle, FEEL the shell of an actual turtle, and CREATE a turtle to take home with you. **RR**

PITTSVILLE BRANCH

STORY TIME

Tuesdays: March 9 & 23, April 6 & 20 at 10 am. Join us for a half hour of stories, music and fun for children aged 2 to 5.

MOVIE MONDAY

March 8 & 22 at 6 pm. A movie and popcorn. Call ahead for movie info. **RR**

The Circus is coming to town!

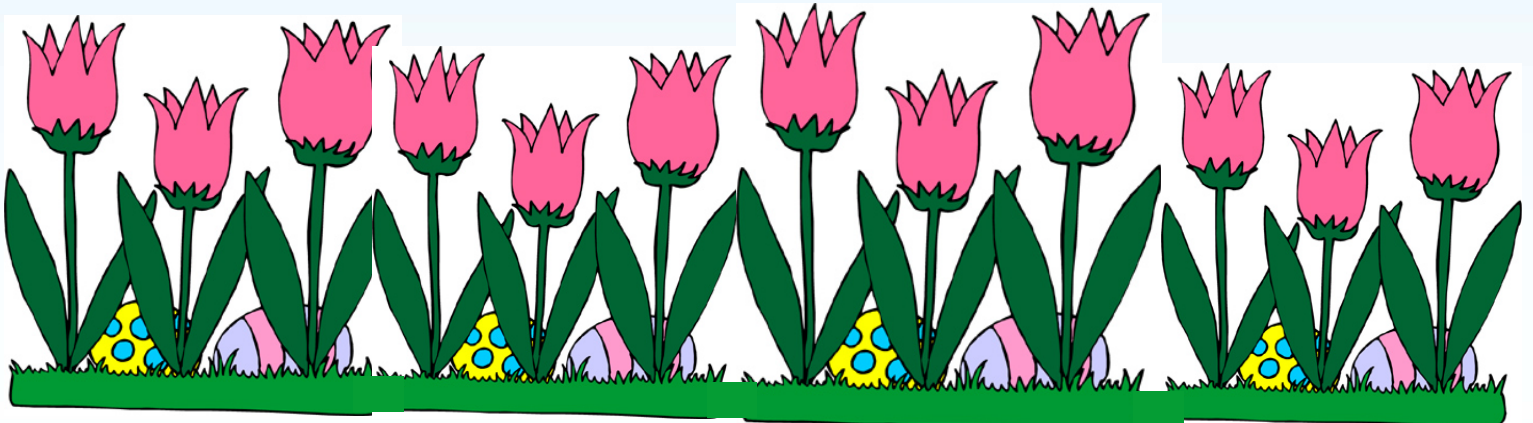
**Get ready for our reading
contest to**

WIN FREE TICKETS!

**Look for discount coupons at
the Main Library, Centre Branch
& Pittsville Branch**

**Ringling Bros. and
Barnum & Bailey
The Greatest Show on Earth**

At the Civic Center April 1-4



Celebrate National Library Week

April 11-17, 2010

National Library Week is April 11-17, a time to celebrate the contributions of libraries, librarians and library workers in schools, campuses and communities nationwide.

We are celebrating National Library Week by introducing our new Friends Committee to the public and inviting new members to join.

“Libraries are the heart of every community and our library helps our community thrive,” says Tom Hehman, Library Director. “At our library, people of all



backgrounds come together for community meetings, lectures and classes, to do research with the assistance of a trained professional, to get help finding or applying for a job or to find homework help, as well as free access to computers, books, movies and music.”

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the country each April.

Main Library

122 South Division St., Salisbury
410-749-3612

Mon - Wed 10 am - 9 pm
Thu - Sat 10 am - 5 pm

Bivalve Station

Westside Community Center
21109 Bivalve Lodge Rd., Bivalve
410-873-2472

Call for days and hours

Centre Branch

Centre at Salisbury mall
North Salisbury Blvd. Salisbury
410-546-5397

Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat 10 am - 9 pm
Sun 11 am - 6 pm

Pittsville Branch

Next to Pittsville Elementary/Middle
School Pittsville
410-835-2353

Mon, Wed 2 pm - 8 pm
Tue, Thu 10 am - 8 pm
Fri 2 pm - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 4 pm



Friday Night Live!

Spring Concert Series

at the Main Library



**Slim DeNunn &
The High Rollers - March 12**
Blues, Rock-n-Rhythm-n-Roll



Peter Fletcher - April 9th
Classical guitar

TBA - May

All shows 7 p.m.

**Please see our web page for the most
current event schedule:
www.wicomicolibrary.org**

All events are FREE and open to the public.