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NEWSLETTER | JAN/FEB 2017

Expect more at the FFL!



DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Thank you for your patience as we work on our new, green space! Sure we're adding parking, but it's so much more. A new pavillion, memorial bricks, and beautiful landscaping will provide an outdoor space for program inspiration and community gatherings! Follow our progress weekly on our Instagram account, @fayettevillelib, or contact me at SConsidine@fflib.org

BOOK SALE!
SATURDAYS
January 7 & February 4
10AM-2PM

The FFL is launching Flipster on January 1st! Welcome to a new way to read magazines!

Flipster
MAGAZINES



Dr. Oz: The Good Life * Entertainment Weekly
Food Network Magazine * HGTV Magazine * O: The Oprah Magazine
People * Redbook * Rolling Stone * Sports Illustrated
Time Magazine * US Weekly * Wired

FEATURED EVENTS

Preschool Information Fair

Join us for the 10th Annual Preschool Information Fair! Representatives from local preschools will provide information to families about their programs.

Saturday, February 4 @ 10:30AM

Well-Read Wednesday Book Club

Join us for new book club for adults! Books will be on reserve at the reference desk. Pick up your copy today. Light refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, January 11 @ 2:00PM
The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry, Rachel Joyce

Wednesday, February 8 @ 2:00PM
The 100 Year Old Man Who Climbed Out the Window and Disappeared, Jonas Jonasson

Black History Month Movie & Discussion "Malcolm & Martin"

Join us for a viewing of PBS's "Malcolm & Martin" video, followed by a lively discussion lead by Jerome Walker.

Tuesday, February 28 @ 6:30PM

Local History Show & Tell

Dig through your attics and dressers for your favorite piece of history to share, and join us for an informal show & tell.

Tuesday, January 31 @ 2:00PM

Fireside Chats: People & Stories of Fayetteville

Remember an old ghost story or local scandal? Have a secret favorite spot in town? Bring along your favorite storyteller or local history buff, or share some memories of your own! Join us for a coffee, a chat, and a peek at the FFL's Local History collection.

Tuesday, January 10 @ 2:00PM
Sunday, January 22 @ 2:00PM

Intro to Web Development: 4 Part Series (for Adults)

Participants will learn basic HTML, CSS, and will begin to build their own websites. This class is a four part series and each week will build on the week before. Please plan to attend all four classes.

Tuesdays: February 7, 14, 21 & 28 @ 6:30PM

Presidents Week HIGHLIGHTS

Geek Girl Day
Explore STEAM through hands-on projects that integrate science, technology, engineering, art, and math. For students in grades 3-5. Registration required and opens January 17!
Monday, Feb 20 from 10:00AM-3:00PM

STEAM Camp Day
In this free camp, attendees will engage in hands-on activities in the areas of science, technology, engineering, art and math. For students in grades 6-8! Registration required and opens January 17!
Wednesday, Feb 22 from 10AM-3PM

The FFL Minecraft Games
Battle it out in our arena with your team of 5 players. Come with friends or make new ones! All ages welcome. Registration required.
Thursday, Feb 23 @ 1:00PM-3:00PM

Celebrating Black History Month in February at the FFL!

The FFL Skype Book clubs, Teen Book Club and Books and Brownies will be reading books by celebrated black authors. Come join us and see movies honoring Black History Month. And don't miss on February 28 Jerome Walter will lead a discussion about the "Malcom and Martin" video!

DID YOU KNOW?

Based upon community input in 2016, the Fayetteville Free Library (FFL) increased the number of **inhouse magazine subscriptions to 93!** Additionally, we've added a new digital service, Flipster, which will provide **12 online magazines** for patrons' use on their iPhone, tablet or smart phone!

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS
Closed January 1 & 16
Early Closing on Feb. 20 @ 5PM

LIBRARY HOURS (Labor Day-June)
Monday-Thursday: 9AM-9PM
Friday-Saturday: 10AM-5PM
Sunday: 1PM-5PM

FAB LAB HOURS
Monday-Thursday: 10AM-8PM
Friday: 10AM-4PM
Saturday: 10AM-1PM
Sunday: 1PM-4PM

CAFE HOURS
Monday-Thursday: 9AM-6PM
Friday: 10AM-3PM
Saturday: 10AM-2PM
Sunday: 1PM-4PM

CONNECT WITH US



Innovative library services in a state of the art environment.



At the FFL we are dedicated to providing our community with STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math) learning programs. We provide free access to ideas, information and tools that support our community's 21st century needs and aspirations. View and register for events at www.fflib.org/events

AGES 0-6

Yoga Storytime (age 3-6)

Yoga Storytime is a full body experience, building early literacy skills and healthy bodies at the same time!

Tuesdays, January 3, 17 & 31 @ 10:30AM
Tuesdays, February 7 & 21 @ 10:30AM

Free to Be (age 3-6)

An early childhood music and acting class. Sing, dance and put on plays to live guitar music!

Thursday, January 5 @ 10:30AM
Thursday, February 2 @ 10:30AM

First Steps (age 1-4)

A language building program using music, movement, rhymes & stories. For toddlers.

Wednesdays @ 9:30AM (excluding 2/22)

Baby Storytimes with Sign (age 0-2)

We will enjoy stories together and build important early literacy skills with music, movement, technology, crafts, and STEM learning! For babies.

Wednesdays @ 10:30AM (excluding 2/22)

Signing Storytime (age 2-6)

Each month we will learn 6-7 signs that correspond to a book.

Tuesdays, January 10 & 24 @ 10:30AM
Tuesdays, February 14 & 28 @ 10:30AM

SmartPlay (age 0-6)

Smartplay encourages discovery, creativity and the development of early literacy skills with games, puzzles, storyboards and more!

Thursdays January 12 @ 10:30AM
Thursday, February 9 @ 10:30AM

Music & Movement (age 0-6)

Sing, dance, play musical instruments, and use the parachute in this fun early music education program.

Thursday, February 16 @ 10:30AM

Valentine's Dance Party (gr. PreK-2)

Join us as we celebrate Valentines Day FFL style. Get dressed up and join us for crafts, cookies and of course a dance party!

Saturday, February 11 @ 10:30AM

Science Storytime (age 3-6)

Join us for science storytime! We will read stories, and do fun experiments. For ages 3-6.

Thursday, January 19 @ 10:30AM
Thursday, February 23 @ 10:30AM

GRADES K-5

WeDo Lego Robotics (gr. K-3)

Explore the world of Lego Robotics using the WeDo construction kits.

Grades K-1: Monday, Jan 2 @ 4:00-5:15PM
Grades K-1: Monday, Feb 6 @ 4:00-5:15PM
Grades 2-3: Monday, Jan 23 @ 4:00-5:15PM
Grades 2-3: Monday, Feb 20 @ 4:00-4:45PM

Coding For Kids with Scratch (gr. 3-5)

Weekly stand alone classes will focus on different projects. Registration required.

Tuesdays, January 3, 10, 17 & 24 @ 4:00PM

Craftastic Critters (gr. 3-6)

Each week there will be a different craft to

make. Registration is preferred
Mondays @ 4:30-5:30PM

Books & Brownies! (gr. 3-6)

Join us for snacks and drinks while we discuss the current book of the month!

Monday, January 9 @ 4:00-5:00PM
The Fourteenth Goldfish by Jennifer Holm
Monday, February 13 @ 4:00-5:00PM
One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia

Creation Club Junior (gr. 3-5)

Are you creative? Do you like Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math? Learn new skills and use the various technology at the FFL. Registration required.

Wednesdays, January 11 and 25 @ 4:00PM
Wednesdays, February 8 and 22 @ 4:00PM

Action Art (gr. K-2)

Join us for a hands-on, active approach to art! Activities are designed to promote active exploration and focus on the process of creating.

Thursday, January 12 @ 4:00PM
Thursday, February 9 @ 4:00PM

Drop In and Build Lego (gr. K-5)

We will have thousands of legos available for all ages.

Tuesday, February 21 from 2:00-4:00PM

GRADES 6-12

Teen Book Club (age 11+)

Join us for a book discussion and pizza. Pick up a copy of the book at the circulation desk.

Thursday, January 5 @ 5:00-6:00PM
Ready Player One by Ernest Cline

Thursday, February 2 @ 5:00-6:00PM
All American Boys by Reynolds and Kiely

Anime Club (age 11+)

Each meeting we will watch a few episodes of an anime series, talk about the manga.

Mondays, Jan. 9, 30 and Feb. 13, 27 @ 4PM

Teen Writer's Guild

Calling all middle or high school student interested in creative writing.

Thursdays @ 4:00PM

Teen Advisory Board Meeting

Advising board on teen programs, topics, and services in the FFL made up of teen community members and library users.

Wednesday, January 11 @ 5:30PM

Coding with Arduino

Come code with our 10 Arduino kits. Attendees will build the circuits using components like resistors, capacitors, LEDs, servos and more.

Thursday, January 12 @ 3:30PM
Thursday, February 9 @ 3:30PM

Little Bits Challenge (gr. 3-8)

Come check out all the Little Bits kits and focus on a monthly design challenge.

Thursday, January 19 @ 4:00PM
Thursday, February 23 @ 4:00PM

Coding for Teens: Python (gr. 6-12)

Join us for a 4-week coding course on Python. Class size is limited, registration required.

Tuesdays, February 7, 14, 21 & 28 @ 4:00PM

Sewing Class (age 12+)

Join us using one of the Fab Lab Machines or bring your own.

Pillow: Monday, January 23 @ 5:30PM
Apron: Monday, February 27 @ 5:30PM

PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES

Jane Austin Book Club

Join us for tea and scones every month as we discuss the classic Jane Austin books movies and TV shows.

Sense and Sensibility
Wednesday, January 11 @ 6:30PM
Pride and Prejudice
Wednesday, February 8 @ 6:30PM

Electronics Club (all ages)

This is a community-led club, where members ask questions, learn about these new technologies and bring existing projects or new ideas. The club will work with Arduinos, Raspberry Pis, and more.

Thursday, January 26 @ 6:00-8:00 PM
Thursday, February 23 @ 6:00-8:00 PM

Adult Robotics Club

Whether you are interested in electronics, computers, mechanics, or all three, come to our organizational meeting and meet other like minded people.

Thursday, January 12 @ 6:30PM
Thursday, February 9 @ 6:30PM

ADULTS

Coding with Arduino

Come code with our 10 Arduino kits. Attendees will build the circuits using components like resistors, capacitors, LEDs, servos and more.

Thursday, January 5 @ 3:30PM
Thursday, February 2 @ 3:30PM

Home Repair Series

In this class, attendees will learn how to make basic home repairs. We will cover new tools and techniques to make the job easier.

Wiring: Wednesday, January 11 @ 6:00PM
Drywall: Wednesday, February 8 @ 6:00PM

Adult Making Programs

Join us in the Fab Lab for an informal crafting activity program for adults.

Decorating Pots
Thursday, January 12 @ 10:30AM
No Sew Pillow
Thursday, February 9 @ 10:30AM

Meet-the-Author Book Club

Join us for a book discussion followed by a live Skype with the author.

Cruel Beautiful World by Caroline Leavitt
Monday, January 9 @ 6:30 PM
Leaving Lucy Pear by Anna Solomon
Monday, January 23 @ 6:30PM

Lazaretto by Diane McKinney-Whetstone
Monday, February 13 @ 6:30PM

Behold the Dreamers by Imbolo Mbue
Monday, February 27 @ 6:30PM

Women & Meditation

In this 4-part series, learn about The Four Doors to enjoyment, empowerment & fulfillment that meditation can open for you!

Tuesday, January 17 @ 6:30PM
Wednesday, February 8 @ 6:30PM

Will the Internet Always Be American?

Join us as we livestream this event!
Tuesday, January 24 @ 12:00PM



Sully

Tuesday 1/10, 6:30PM
Friday 1/13, 2:00PM



Teen Movie: The Ring

Thursday 1/12, 6:00PM



Family Movie: The Secret Life of Pets

Saturday 1/14, 10:00AM



Teen Movie: High School Musical

Wednesday 1/18, 6:00PM



The Light Between the Oceans

Tuesday 1/24, 6:30PM
Friday 1/27, 2:00PM



Black History Month: Race

Monday 2/6, 6:30PM



Teen Movie: World War Z

Thursday 2/9, 6:00PM



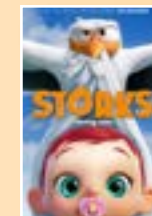
The Girl on the Train

Tuesday 2/14, 6:30PM
Friday 2/17, 1:00PM



Teen Movie: Remember the Titans

Wednesday 2/15, 6:00PM



Family Movie: Storks

Friday 2/24, 10:00AM



Teen Movie: Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children

Friday 2/24, 2:00PM