



MAY 2017 at the LIBRARY

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Library Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 9 am-9 pm

Fri-Sat: 9 am-5:30 pm

Sun: 1-5:30 pm



EVENTS

May the Fourth Be With You: Star Wars

Trivia - For Teens and Adults Look for special displays & café treats in library. Fun & prizes. Trivia in evening.

6:30pm, Thurs., May 4 Sharon Lawson Room

Fiscal Fitness: Personal Banking Options - by Jody Dyer, Regions Bank

6:30pm, Mon., May 8 Dorothy Herron Room A

Grace Notes Flute Ensemble Concert - 7pm, Thurs., May 11 Main Gallery

BCPL Board of Trustees Meeting

5:30pm, Tues., May 16 Board Room

Affordable Care Act Enrollment

Appointments required; call 1-844-644-5443.

9am-5pm, Wed., May 17

Adult Coloring - For Teens & Up

Coloring pages & supplies provided.

7-8:30pm, Thurs., May 18 Reading Rotunda

It's Your Career: Managing Change in the

Workplace Registration required: Call 983-2241 or www.blountchamber.com/community/soft-skills

7:30-10am, Fri., May 19 The Learning Lab @ BCPL

Community Job Fair at Second Harvest

(136 Harvest Ln., Maryville) NOT AT LIBRARY!

(FREE - Onsite interviews & job search assistance)

10am-2pm, Fri., May 19

Southern Appalachian Studies Series:

Southern Appalachian Wildlife -

by Billy Minser & Lonnie McMillan

7pm, Mon., May 22 Sharon Lawson Room

Library at Friday Night Lights (Downtown

Maryville at Founder's Square near CBBC Bank)

5-8 pm, Fri., May 26

Summer Reading Registration Begins

9am-5:30pm, Fri., May 26 For All Ages

Tic Tac Toe: Get card & win prizes for reading.

Library at Downtown Maryville Farmers

Market (Founder's Square near CBBC Bank)

9am-12pm, Sat., May 27

Library Closed, Memorial Day - Mon, May 29

#BCPLHistoryHunt - Scavenger Hunt

throughout Maryville For All Ages

Thurs., June 1 through Thurs., July 27

Mini-Con -- All Ages - Wear costumes!

Adults, Teens & Children activities: costume contest, superheroes, Vince Vawter & local authors, food, vendors, trivia, more!

10am-5pm, Sat, June 3 Throughout Library

CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

Programs are in Children's Library unless noted

Library Closed-Memorial Day -Mon, May 29

Elementary Age Activities:

Imagination Library Graduation Gala-- 10am, Sat., May 6 Main Gallery

Summer Reading Registration Begins

9am-5:30pm, Fri., May 26 For All Ages

Reading Challenge Journal at registration.

Mini-Con -- All Ages - Wear costumes!

Children's activities include a costume contest, special story time, LEGO fun, crafts, superheroes, movie & more! Lunch provided!

10am-5pm, Sat., June 3 Throughout Library

S.T.E.A.M. Kids--Grades K-5. A different adventure every week from science experiments to art projects. Materials available while they last 4-5pm, Every Friday

LEGO Club--Grades K-5. Children complete themed & timed challenges + time for free play 4-5pm, Every Tuesday - LEGOs provided.

Play Chess @ Your Library: All Ages welcome to play chess each Thurs. and Sat. Teen Central Area

1-4pm, Thursdays & 10am-3pm, Saturdays

Sanctioned Chess Tournament: Monthly

Growing Ready Readers-Early Literacy:

Summer Reading Registration Begins

9am-5:30pm, Fri., May 26 For All Ages

Little Learners-Ages 3-5. Interactive sessions focus on language acquisition & pre-literacy skills: stories, music, motion, play, crafts.

10 & 11am, Tuesdays & 10:30am, Thursdays

Baby & Me--Ages 2 & under

Lapsit sessions feature short stories, action rhymes, music & pre-literacy tips & tricks for caregivers. Social time for caregivers & babies.

10 & 11am, Wednesdays

Family Storytime--Open to all, but recommended for ages 5 & under Bring family for interactive stories, songs, movement, activities. 10:30am, Sat., April 29 & Sat., May 27

Sensory Story Time--Open to all, but especially designed for kids with special needs & developmental age of 3-5. Interactive stories, songs, movement & activities. 6pm, Tues., May 30

LEARNING LAB @ BCPL

The Learning Lab @BCPL is located in the stand-alone building on Cusick Street at the library's main entrance.

FREE Computer Courses to promote job skills are taught by Adult Ed. & library instructors, funded by ARCONIC Foundation.

Registration Required. Call 865-273-1428 or 865-982-0981 ext. 4 or go to Reference Desk. (You must have some computer experience.)

Microsoft Word 2013 Essentials

2-session class

12:30-3pm, Mon., May 15 & Wed., May 17

Microsoft Excel 2013 Essentials

2-session class.

12:30-3pm, Mon., May 22 & Wed., May 24

Microsoft PowerPoint 2013 Essentials

2-session class.

12:30-3pm, Wed., May 31 & Mon., June 5

Email

1-session class.

12:30-3pm, Mon., May 1

TEEN EVENTS

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Play Chess @ Your Library: All Ages

welcome to play chess each Thurs. and Sat.

Teen Central Area

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Blount County Nerd Group: 7th grade & up,

Computer Programming/Coding

By Kaleb Davenport & Garrett Smith

3-5pm, Saturdays Board Room

Dungeons & Dragons - All Ages welcome but

recommended for ages 12 & up. Join the fun in this tabletop role-playing game led by Brandon

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5:30-8:30pm, Tuesdays Reading Rotunda

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6:30pm, Thurs., May 4 Sharon Lawson Room

Gaming @ Your Library - Games of all kinds: Board games, Mario Kart, Smash Bros., Yu-Gi-Oh! Pokémon or bring your own. Snacks provided.

2-4pm, Sat., May 13 Dorothy Herron Room A

TECH TIME - BASICS

Sessions are in Study Room A - Reference Area

TECH TIME - Walk in and learn basic computer skills: Email, Internet, Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest & E-Books. Bring your technology questions and get assistance from a Tech Time facilitator.

2:30-4 pm, Every Thursday

EXHIBITS

May 1-31:

"Townsend Artisan Guild" coordinated by Susan Cooper - Art wall at Bookmark Café, 1 vertical display case near AV area & 1 square pedestal case in the Entry Rotunda

"Star Wars" Exhibit coordinated by A.J.

Rowe - 2 mid-gallery display cases near Bookmark Café in Main Gallery.

"Knoxville Scale Modelers

Association" Exhibit coordinated by Todd Burchett & Dick Johnston - vertical display case at the end of check-in desk,

"Summer Camp at Great Smoky

Mountain Institute of Tremont" coordinated by Allison Kutcher-1 square pedestal case near AV area.

"Southern Appalachian Wildlife"

Exhibit coordinated by Linda Marcus - in Genealogy display case at Temporary Books Shelves.

"For a Quirky Display:" visit the Reference Department.

"Intrigued By the First Line?" Exhibit coordinated by BCPL Circulation Staff - in Main Gallery between the two Circulation Desks.

"Blount County Arts & Crafts Guild Member Art" coordinated by Lyda Plemons - on two easels in sitting area of the Main Gallery.

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