CORRECTIONS for printed hard copy of the newsletter:

- **Sensory Story Time** is only once a month. Thursday, Feb. 13 and Thursday, March 12.
- **Learning and Loving Mr. Gary** - 1st 3 Tuesday of each Month.
- **Quiltin' Bee** - For All Ages Thursday, Feb 6 & 20, March 5 & 19 located in Kathy Pagles Board Room.
- **Beginning Woodcarving**, Fridays, located in The Game Room near the Oversized area of the library. (Limited to 10, ages 13-18).
- **Play Chess @ Your Library** is now located in The Game Room near the Oversized area of the library.
- **The Game Room is actually called Thursday Night Gaming** and location is in The Game Room near the Oversize area of the Library.
- **YA Cafe & Laser TAB (Teen Advisory Board)**, Feb. 22, is now located in Kathy Pagles Board Room.
- **BCPL Board of Trustees Meeting** Tues., Feb. 25
- **Steve Ross and Dana Jester Painting Classes**, Mar. 4-7. Registration Required. See library website calendar for complete information.
- **LEGO Contest**, March 7, is for ages up to 18.
- **Powerful Tools for Caregivers** - Preregistration by March 5, Please Call 865-306-1690
- **Gaming: Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament** - March 14. For more information go to the library website calendar.
- **Classes for PowerPoint I, March 16** and **PowerPoint II, March 18** will be located in the Kathy Pagles Board Room
- **Order forms available at The Bookmark Cafe** - Whole King Cake $12. Deadline to place your order is March 13.
**BCPL EVENT CALENDAR**

**WHAT'S HAPPENING**

**February & March 2020**

**Library 411**

Blount County Public Library is seeking amateur writers to take part in researching and writing Foothills Voices Volume 3. Applications open March 1-20.

**Foothills Voices**

Steve Ross and Dana Jester will be at the Blount County Public Library from March 4-7th. They will be offering classes each day from 9:00AM - 4:00PM. To register for classes email: steverossdanajester@gmail.com. In addition to classes Steve Ross and Dana Jester will be speaking and painting at the Blount County Public Library on March 5th at 6:00PM in the Main Gallery. This event is sponsored by the Blount County Friends of the Library.

**Displays**

**World War I: Lessons and Legacies** explores the history of the war and its lasting impact on American life.

**Library CLOSED:**

President's Day - Feb. 17

**BLOUNT COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING**

Tuesdays, February 18 and March 17

5:30 PM in Kathy Pagles Board Room.

**SEED LIBRARY OPENING**

MARCH 1ST

**AMATEUR WRITERSANTED**

Foothills Voices classes will begin in April. Amateur writers may apply for this project for the publication of an anthology of creative nonfiction. Apply for this writing and research class March 1-March 20. Further information is available in Adult Services at (865) 279-1428.

**BOOK-A-LIBRARIAN**

Need help with technology & don't know where to start? Need a resume or writing assistance? Complete the online form to schedule assistance from a library staff member.

ALL AGES EVENTS

PLAY CHESS @ YOUR LIBRARY

Tuesdays, 10:00AM - 12:00PM

Adult Services Area

BLUEGRASS MUSIC CLUB

Tuesdays, 7:00PM

Admin Area

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Tuesdays, 5:30 - 8:00PM

Game Area

By signup only:
Email bcpdnd@gmail.com

THE GAME ROOM

Thursdays, 5:30 - 8:00PM

Game Room (behind oversized)

SECOND FRIDAY SCIENCE LUNCH

We’ll screen NASA downlinks and other up-to-the-minute science and tech shows. Bring your lunch and join the conversation. Hands-on activities will be available for students.

Fridays, Feb 7 & March 13, noon Sharon Lawson Room

TEEN EVENTS

BEYOND THE SHELVES LIVE PODCAST

Don’t miss a spectacular live edition of the library’s humorous and offbeat podcast that takes listeners behind the scenes and beyond the shelves.

Friday, Feb. 21, 6:30PM

The Bird & The Book

SPRING QUEST

Journey with your friends through the land of Flowergarden. Choose your role, travel through the library, solve riddles, and battle foes.

March 28, 1:00PM

Sharon Lawson Room

YA CAFE

Saturday, Feb. 22 3PM

Dorothy Herron A

LASER TAG (TEEN ADVISORY BOARD)

Saturday, Feb. 22 4PM

Dorothy Herron A

JUST DANCE 2020 TOURNAMENT

Advanced sign-ups are not required, but to participate, you must be ready to dance at the tournament’s start. As always, you’re also invited to bring your own tabletop game or video game console and games to share.

Saturday, Feb. 8, 1:00PM

Sharon Lawson Room

CHOCOLATE PARTY

What better way to celebrate “Singles Awareness Day” than with a variety of candy-themed games and crafts?

Saturday, Feb. 15 2:00PM

Dorothy Herron A

ADULT EVENTS

ADULT COLORING

Adult Services

THURSDAYS: 10 - 11:15PM

SOUTHERN APPALACHIAN STUDIES SERIES: QUITLIN’ BEE

Thursday, Feb. 6 & 20, March 5 & 19, 10 - 11:15AM

Sharon Lawson Room

WALK ACROSS TENNESSEE

David Dudley chose a unique way to honor his 60th birthday, walking across Tennessee, north to south. Tuesdays, Feb. 4, 7:00PM Sharon Lawson Room

GARDENING SERIES: LAWN’S AND THEIR CARE

Presented by Bob Hoffman. Learn how to care for your lawn the rest of the season.

Tuesday, March 10, 7:00PM Sharon Lawson Room

APPLACIAN READS BOOK CLUB: COUNTRY D’ARK

By Kentucky native Chris Offutt. Discussion will be led by A.J. Coulter. Saturday, March 21, 10:30AM Dorothy Herron A

CHILDREN’S EVENTS

SENSORY MOVIE FUN: MICRO COSMOS

Take an epic journey through your backyard with this close-up nature adventure. (Rated G)

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LEGO CONTEST


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LEAP DAY!

Celebrate our extra day this year while also capping off the fun reading adventure of the “One Book, Many.”

Saturday, Feb. 29, 10:00AM Sharon Lawson Room

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