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NEWSLETTER

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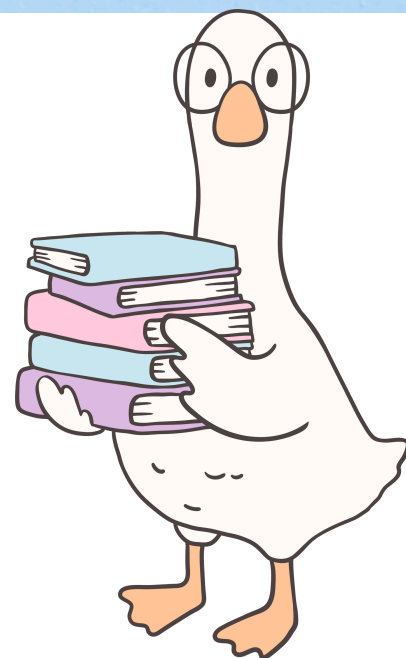
HAT BAR TEEN PROGRAM

TEENS are invited to decorate their own hat at the CHCPL Hat Bar! Snacks, music, and all materials will be provided. Registration is required to attend this FREE program. Call 859-234-4881, visit the library, or on our website!

BOOK BABIES STORY TIME

Celebrate the launch of the new Book Babies Storytimes beginning in September on Tuesdays at 10 am at the library! This kickoff event will feature a mini story time session, early literacy play stations for caregivers and babies to explore together, making a keepsake craft to commemorate the occasion, and more.

We will be giving away (limited) free baby storytime kits to take home.



Cynthiana-Harrison County
Public Library
104 N. Main St.
Cynthiana, KY 41031
859-234-4881

CHCPL CLOSURES:

CHCPL will be closed on
August 22nd.

YOUTH PROGRAMS

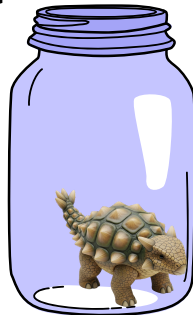


STORY TIME
THURSDAYS @10AM

MINI TIME CAPSULE CRAFT

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1ST @10AM

Join Bri in decorating and painting glass jars and placards to take home to bury to commemorate the past summer.



SUMMER WRAP-UP UNEARTH ART STUDIO

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8TH @10AM

Did you miss a summer program you wished you could attend? Did you come to a program and love it so much you want to do it again? Drop in and create during this studio time with leftover supplies from our Unearth a Story summer programs!



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HOMESCHOOL EXPLORERS
MONDAY, AUGUST 10TH @11AM

Homeschool Explorers is back! We will check on our library worm farm, feed the worms, and do a wormy learning craft.

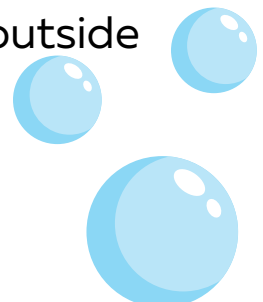


SNAPSHOT SCRAPBOOK ART
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19TH @5PM

In celebration of World Photography Day, kids will create a scrapbook page with drawn "photos", favorite summer memories, stickers, and embellishments.

HOMESCHOOL EXPLORERS
MONDAY, AUGUST 24TH @11AM

Let's play with bubbles outside the library!



YOUTH PROGRAMS

BOOK BABIES STORY TIME KICKOFF

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25TH @10AM

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LEGO CLUB

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26TH @5PM

All youth ages are invited to explore your creativity at Lego Club! Complete a challenge and receive a small prize!

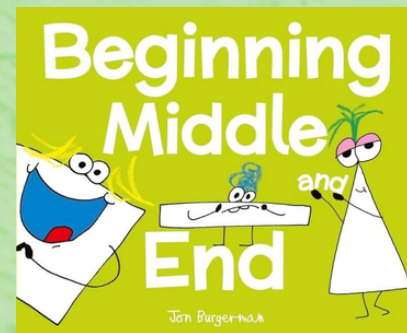


NEW EASY BOOKS



BAA BAA SHOP

Wendell Brooks



BEGINNING

MIDDLE AND END

Jon Burgerman

SIGN YOUR KID UP FOR THE 1000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM!

This is an amazing initiative to start kids reading young! Swing by the Youth Services desk and grab a folder labeled 1000 Books Before Kindergarten.

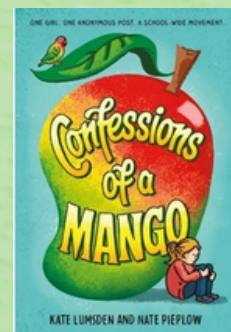


NEW JUVENILE BOOKS



THE IN BETWEEN KID

Dana Ram



CONFESSIONS OF A MANGO

Kate Lumsden

TEEN PROGRAMS

MELLOW MONDAYS

AUGUST 17TH, 24TH, & 31ST

TEENS are invited to hang out, chat, play video games, do puzzles, craft and do whatever they want after school on Mondays! Snacks will be provided.



HAT BAR

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6TH @5PM

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WORD SCRAMBLE

Back to School

1. CILNEP_____
2. BCKCAAPK_____
3. ARTEAEFIC_____
4. BSULC_____
5. OERKOMHW_____
6. DOERFL_____

TEENS= ANY MIDDLE OR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS: THE LIBRARY GUILD

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28TH @1:45PM

Join Jaelyn for a Dungeons & Dragons adventure! Please fill out the form on the website so Jaelyn can properly prepare the quest! For time purposes, Jaelyn asks that you try to have a character sheet already filled out. There are tutorials and a sheet you can print off to prepare before the program on the website.

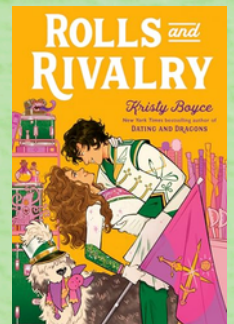


NEW YA BOOKS



BETH IS DEAD

Katie Bernet



ROLLS AND RIVALRY

Kristy Boyce

TEEN & ADULT PROGRAMS

FELTING THE FUTURE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1ST @1PM-3PM



The Kentucky Foundation for Women is hosting a Felting the Future workshop in our Community Room. Join artist Kris Grenier to explore wet-felting, needle-felting, and embroidery techniques. Each participant will create their own unique piece of fiber art, which will contribute to a statewide art project. Supported by the Kentucky Foundation for Women's Art Meets Activism program; Kris will combine the works of 500 Kentuckians into a vibrant textile mural. This event is for ages 13 and up. Women, girls, and non-binary folks welcome.

Registration is required. Please call 859-234-4881 or visit the library to sign up. Registration will close on Monday, July 27. (This is a separate grant-funded program through the Kentucky Foundation for Women and is not affiliated with CHCPL)

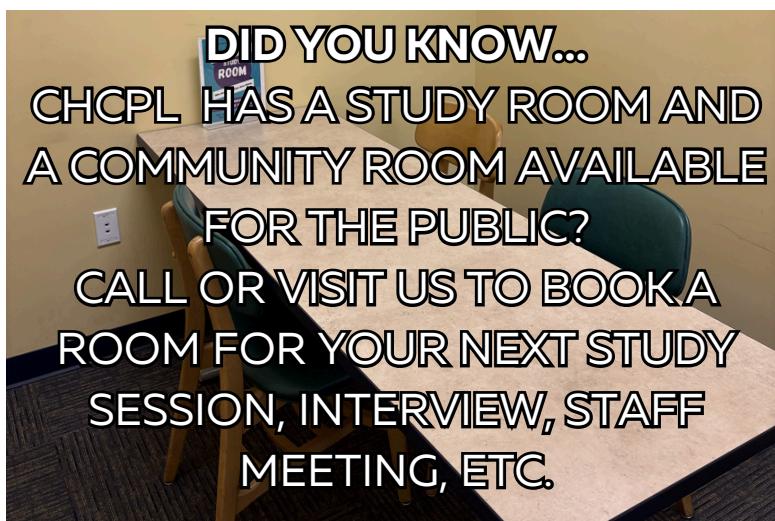
CANVA FOR CREATORS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20TH @5PM

A beginner friendly introduction to



Canva taught by our Public Relations Specialist, Jaelyn. She will guide patrons through creating graphics, flyers, presentations, and using the different tools on Canva. This is perfect for content creators, influencers, artists, students/teachers, and entrepreneurs. Please bring a mobile device (phone, tablet, or laptop) or a notebook for notes during the demonstration. CHCPL does have Chromebooks available for checkout. No registration necessary to attend this FREE TEEN and ADULT program (middle schoolers +).



ADULT PROGRAMS

TAI CHI MEDITATION IN MOTION
WEDNESDAY 5, 9, 12, & 19 @9AM

CHAIR YOGA

**MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, &
FRIDAYS @10AM**

**MAHJONG 101: LEARN HOW TO
PLAY WITH LYNLEA KISER**
TUESDAY, AUGUST 4TH @5PM

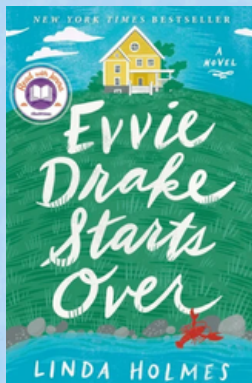
Learn how to play Mahjong, a Chinese game with tiles! This game is perfect for gin rummy fans. Registration is required for this FREE ADULT program. Call 859-234-4881 to claim your spot.



**SIGN UP TO RECIEVE EMAIL
NOTIFICATIONS ABOUT
PROGRAMS ON THE WEBSITE!**

Click "join our mailing list" at the bottom of the screen.

EVENING BOOK GROUP
TUESDAY, AUGUST 25TH @5PM



**PICK UP A COPY AT
THE FRONT DESK!**

TINY GOOSE, BIG STYLE
**TUESDAY, AUGUST 11TH @5PM &
THURSDAY, AUGUST 13TH
@11:30AM**

Create outfits for your new mini goose! This adorable goose is the perfect size for a desk or bookshelf.

Registration is required. Call 859-234-4881 to register.



CROCHET CONNECTION

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18TH @5PM

Join Amy once a month to learn a new crochet pattern!



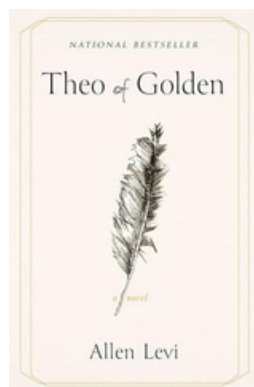
This month's pattern is a bookmark! The pattern calls for 16 yards of yarn that fits a 5.0mm hook. Free patterns and guidance for beginners and intermediate crocheters.

BOOK GROUP
**THURSDAY, AUGUST 27TH
@11:30AM**



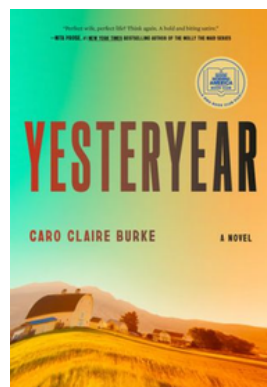
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLERS AT CHCPL

FICTION



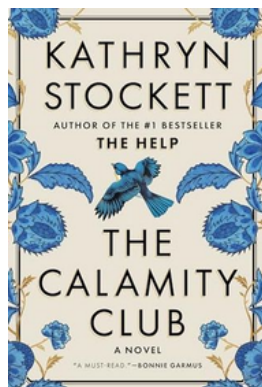
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Allen Levi



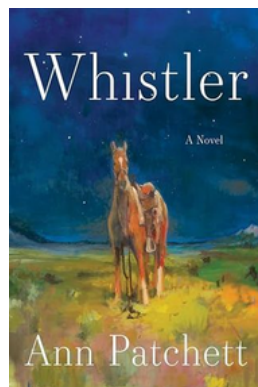
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Caro Claire Burke



THE CALAMITY CLUB

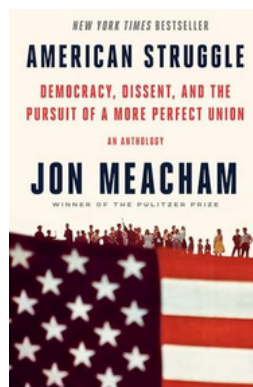
Kathryn Stockett



WHISTLER

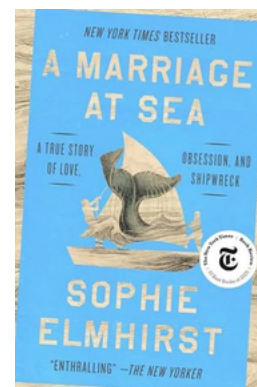
Ann Patchett

NONFICTION



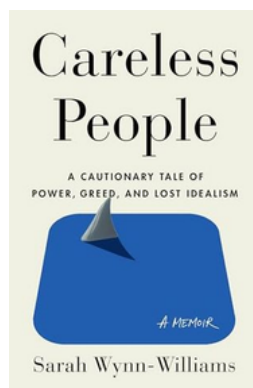
AMERICAN STRUGGLE

John Meacham



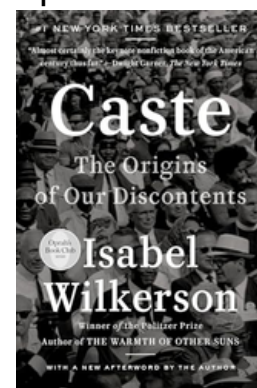
A MARRIAGE AT SEA

Sophie Elmhirst



CARELESS PEOPLE

Sarah Wynn-Williams



CASTE

Isabel Wilkerson

STAFF SPOTLIGHT: FRAN

Circulation Clerk & Genealogy Manager

Fran manages materials in the Kentucky Room. She assists patrons researching family Genealogy and answers any questions about Cynthiana and Harrison County.

Time with CHCPL: 6 years

Favorite Authors: James Patterson and Karin Slaughter



STAFF RECOMENDATION

Jaelyn recommends the card game Taco Cat Goat Cheese Pizza.

"This is my absolute favorite game! It is perfect for family game night, hanging out with friends, and on the go! You will be laughing by the end of the first round. Just beware: your hand will start to sting!"



RESERVE BOOKS WITH THE LIBRISTA APP!



LOOK FOR THIS ICON!

Librista can be used for more than just reserving books. You can also see your list of current checkouts, make lists, see your history, browse trending/new items, and have easy access to the website.

AUTHOR SPOTLIGHT:

ELLE KENNEDY

A New York Times,
USA Today and Wall
Street Journal



bestselling author, Elle Kennedy grew up in the suburbs of Toronto, Ontario, and is the author of more than 40 titles of romantic suspense and contemporary romance novels. You may already be familiar with her work through Amazon Prime's Off Campus, the recent adaptation of her bestselling novel The Deal.

WORD SCRAMBLE

Answers

- 1.PENCIL 2.BACKPACK
- 3.CAFETERIA 4.CLUBS
- 5.HOMEWORK 6.FOLDER

DATA BASE HIGHLIGHT:

Do you need to search the latest issue of the Cynthiana Democrat? The CHCPL database has issues from 2008 to current. The database is powered by Newsbank.

