



Library Live

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LIBRARIES TRANSFORM

**BECAUSE
HANDS-ON
LEARNING
BUILDS
STRONGER
BRAINS.**

**BECAUSE MORE
THAN A
QUARTER OF U.S.
HOUSEHOLDS
DON'T HAVE A
COMPUTER WITH
AN INTERNET
CONNECTION.**

**BECAUSE IT'S 3
A.M. AND YOU
NEED TO READ
HARRY POTTER
AND THE CURSED
CHILD.**

Happy National Library Week!
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.

The theme of this year's
National Library Week
(April 9– 15) is Libraries
Transform, which ties into the
ALA's campaign of the same
name. Libraries Transform is a
public awareness and
advocacy campaign which
speaks to what today's libraries
and librarians do for and with
people, rather than simply what
they have.


The goal of the campaign is
help libraries and librarians
speak with a unified voice
about the value of today's

libraries, while also raising
awareness for what modern
libraries are about.

One emphasis of the Libraries
Transform campaign is STEAM
programming, especially
through makerspaces.

Makerspaces give people the
opportunity to gather in a
specific area to share materials,
equipment, ideas, and more,
and often have a technology
theme.

The Mannington Public Library
is launching their first
makerspace this month as part
of the Celebration (see page 5
for details)! The Fairmont
branch is also trying to gauge
interest in a makerspace,
please contact Julie Mike at
304-366-1210 for more details.



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April New Releases

DVDs

Autism: A Family's Journey
Easter Bunny Adventure
How to Catch the Easter Bunny
Ice Age: The Great EGG-scapade
Incarnate
A Monster Calls
Monster Trucks
Office Christmas Party
Passengers
Paterson
Patriot's Day
Rogue One
Sing
Smack 'Em Up
Space: The Final Frontier
Underworld: Blood Wars
Walk with the Enemy
WWE Wrestlemania
Monday is RAW
Z Nation: Season 3

Large Print

All By Myself Alone
by Mary Higgins Clark
Behind Closed Doors by B.A. Paris
Bound Together
by Christine Feehan
The Girl Before by J.P. Delaney
The Girl on the Train
by Paula Hawkins

Nonfiction

Born a Crime by Trevor Noah
Clean by Alejandro Junger
En Route by Steven Grayson
The Lost City of the Monkey God
by Douglas Preston
Milk and Honey by Rupi Kaur
Norse Mythology by Neil Gaiman
Nursing Assistant Exam
Tears We Cannot Stop
by Eric Dyson
Thank You for Being Late
by Thomas Friedman
Thinking Fast and Slow
by Daniel Kahneman
The Whole30 Cookbook
by Melissa Hartwig

Bestsellers

Behind Closed Doors by B.A. Paris
Bound Together by Christine Feehan
The Burial Hour by Jeffrey Deaver
The Chosen by J.R. Ward
City of Friends by Joanna Trollope
Convergence by CJ Cherryh
Fallout by Sara Paretsky
Fast and Loose by Stuart Woods
The Fix by David Baldacci
A Girl's Guide to Moving On
by Debbie Macomber
The General's Women
by Susan Wittig Albert
Ghost Writer in the Sky
by Piers Anthony
Golden Prey by John Sandfor
High Stakes by Fern Michaels

Audio Books

All By Myself by Mary Higgins Clark
The Burial Hour by Jeffrey Deaver
The Chosen by J.R. Ward
Fast and Loose by Stuart Woods
The Fix by David Baldacci
The Neighbor by Dean Koontz
One Perfect Lie by Lisa Scottoline
Taking the Titanic by James Patterson
Two From the Heart
by James Patterson
War Cry by Wilbur Smith

Playaways

Furiously Happy by Jenny Lawson
Gutenberg's Apprentice
by Alix Christie
Let's Pretend This Never Happened
by Jenny Lawson
The Limpopo Academy of Private Detection by Alexander McCall Smith
Murder in Thrall by Anne Cleeland
Uncommon Appeal of Clouds
by Alexander McCall Smith

Children

An Awesome Book by Dallas Clayton
An Awesome Book of Love
by Dallas Clayton
An Awesome Book of Thanks
by Dallas Clayton
Billions of Bricks by Kurt Cyrus
Bunjitsu Bunny Jumps to the Moon
by John Himmelman
Leaf Man by Lois Ehlert
Look Up! by Jin-Ho Jung
One Proud Penny by Randy Slegel
Trouble Next Door by Karen English

Keller's Fedora by Lawrence Block
The Last Chance Olive Ranch
by Susan Wittig Albert

My Italian Bulldozer
by Alexander McCall Smith
The Neighbor by Dean Koontz
The Night the Stars Went Out
by Karen White
No Easy Target by Iris Johansen
One Perfect Lie by Lisa Scottoline
The Stars are Fire by Anita Shreve
Taking the Titanic by James Patterson
Thrawn (Star Wars) by Timothy Zahn
Two From the Heart
by James Patterson
War Cry by Wilbur Smith

Launchpads

A Day Away (Ages 5-7)
A Fun Run (Ages 8-10)
A is for Alphabet (Ages 3-5)
B is for Books (Ages 3-5)
Brush Up (Ages 5-7)
C is for Counting (Ages 3-5)
Change the World (Ages 8-10)
D is for Discover (Ages 3-5)
Don't Get Spooked (Ages 10+)
E is for Explore (Ages 3-5)
Head of the Class (Ages 8-10)
Kindergarten Here I Come (Ages 5-7)
Kitchen Extreme (Ages 10+)
Kitchen Treats (Ages 5-7)
No Place like Home (Ages 8-1)

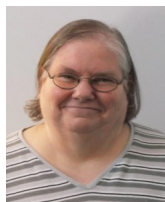
Teen

Bone Witch by Rin Chupeco
City of Saints & Thieves
by Natalie Anderson
Crazy Messy Beautiful
by Carrie Arcos
Empress of a Thousand Skies
by Rhoda Belleza
Exo by Fonda Lee
Long May She Reign
by Rhiannon Thomas
Queens of Geek by Jen Wilde
Stranger than Fanfiction
by Chris Colfer
Universal Harvester
by John Darnelle
The Upside of Unrequited
by Becky Albertalli
Valiant by Lesley Livingston
Wonder Woman: The Official Movie Novelization by Nancy Holder
The You I've Never Known
by Ellen Hopkins
You're Welcome, Universe
by Whitney Gardner



Fairmont

Satterfield Retires



Long time MCPLS employee Barbara Satterfield is retiring April 5 after 37 years of excellent service at the Fairmont branch. During her time at MCPL, she has worked as the Head Cataloger, Serials Manager, and in the circulation department. If you see Barbara, please congratulate her and wish her well in her retirement!

Spring Into Easter



Join us Saturday April 15 for a fun afternoon of crafts and activities of Bunny'rific fun. Special spring themed crafts, treats, games are a few of the special activities you'll find. You can make an Easter Bunny magnet decoration to add to your festive preparations. There will be some hidden surprises as well! Hop on into the library for a special spring celebration welcoming Easter fun!

Artible: Dessert & Art



We're starting something new! Artible is our new adult class! Here you will create a one-of-a-kind painting and enjoy some delicious desserts! Our first session will be Friday, April 21 at 5 pm

Participants must bring their own paints and brushes; canvases and instruction will be provided. This class is free and open to adults 18-up and registration is required. The class will be every other month, but you can attend all or some. For more information or to sign up, please contact Julie at 304-366-1210.

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Fairmont, WV 26554
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Friends Book Sale

Join us April 1 from 11 am - 3 pm for a book sale of epic proportions! We have TONS of children's and young adult books, books on CD, fiction, and more! All books will be \$3 per bag.

Books on Tap

Books on Tap will meet Friday, April 7 at 6 pm at Muriale's restaurant. The title for this month is *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* by Ken Kesey. Come join us for some great food, great drinks, and great company! Stop by the library and pick up your copy soon.



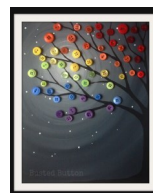
Book It Book Club



Book It will meet Tuesday, April 4 at 6 pm at the library. This month's book choice is *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime* by Mark Haddon! Books will be available for check out the week of March 27. The club is always open to new members, so stop by and pick up your copy today.

Adult Craft Class

Our adult craft class will meet Monday, April 24 at 5 pm. This month we will celebrate the starry night sky and spring buds by creating a night-time button painting.



Canvases and paint will be provided- just bring a collection of old buttons to decorate your tree! Registration is required, so call or stop by to sign up.



Life and Limb Exhibit

More than three million soldiers fought in the Civil War from 1861-1865. More than half a million died, and almost as many were wounded but survived. Hundreds of thousands were permanently disabled by battlefield injuries or surgery, which saved lives by sacrificing limbs. *Life and Limb: The Toll of the Civil War* explores the experiences of disabled Civil War veterans who served as a symbol of the fractured nation and a stark reminder of the costs of the conflict.

Join us mid-March through April to view *Life and Limb: The Toll of the Civil War*. This exhibition was developed and produced by the National Library of Medicine, National Institutes of Health.

Wednesday Night Tabletop Game Group

Do you like to play games like *Pandemic*, *Codenames*, *Seven Wonders*, *Quartz*, or other European board games? Then join us at the main branch on Wednesday nights from 5 pm - 9 pm for our Tabletop Game Group!



Peruse our library of games, or bring your own to share! This event is open to adults and mature teens. Refreshments will be provided! Get your game on! Contact Dan Ward at 304-366-1210 for more information, or join our Facebook group: MCPL Wed Night Games!

Awesome Readers Club (Teens)

Our teen book club will be taking a short break in the month of April! We will resume Monday, May 15 at 4:30 pm to discuss *Ashes* by Isla J. Bick!

EGGstraordinary Activities

The fun of Easter Eggs isn't just for kids. In fact, the Fairview Library is encouraging adult patrons to participate in our "Hunting a Good Book" program.

Participants can choose a wrapped book (each featuring a different colored Easter Egg sticker) from our current display April 3- 28. Each sticker corresponds to a matching plastic Easter Egg, and inside the egg is a prize. At the end of the program, all entrants' names will be placed in a drawing for a chance to win a \$25 restaurant gift card. The hunt is on!

Catch Some Sun



Adults are invited for even more fun on April 25th at 3 pm for our "Catch Some Sun" craft program. A variety of suncatchers and paints will be available for your artistic pleasure. Space is limited; please contact the library to sign up!

Around the Library

April 9 – 15 is National Library Week. That also means it's Fine Free Week in the Marion County Public Library System. Be sure to get those overdue library items returned and fines waived!

Book Sale

The Friends are sponsoring their spring book sale from April 3 – 22. There are plenty of great deals to be found on books and A/V!



Fairview

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Fairview, WV 26570
304-449-1021

Rocking In Our Reading Shoes

As "Story Time" heads into April, we have more children's authors to shine the spotlight on. This round we're featuring James and Kim Dean (*Pete the Cat's Easter Adventure, Pete the Cat and His Four Groovy Buttons*), Eric Carle (*The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Brown Bear Brown Bear*), and Mo Willems (*Knuffle Bunny, Don't Let the Pigeon Stay Up Late*).

This month's coloring workshop is "Everybunny Loves Reading."

Circle Time

Our "Circle Time" crew will return for more fun and funny picture books aimed at our younger readers while our 3rd and 4th graders will continue the saga of The Magic Treehouse and Mac Barnett's The Terrible Two.

Teen Crafternoon

There's crafting fun for teens as well in April. Ms. Linda is offering the "CD Scratch-Off Art" program on the 18 at 3 pm. Participants will create works of art from blank CDs and acrylic paint. Space is limited; please contact the library to sign up!

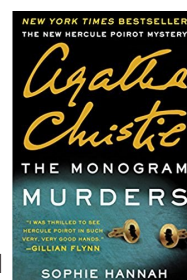


Tuesday Nite Knitters

Join our weekly knitting group! We meet every Tuesday at 1 pm!

Speaking of Books

Speaking of Books will meet April 25 at 4 pm to discuss *The Monogram Murders* by Sophie Hannah.



Hercule Poirot's quiet supper in a London coffeehouse is interrupted when a young woman confides to him that she is about to be murdered. She is terrified – but begs Poirot not to find and punish her killer. Once she is dead, she insists, justice will have been done.

Later that night, Poirot learns that three guests at a fashionable London Hotel have been murdered, and a cufflink has been placed in each one's mouth. Could there be a connection with the frightened woman? While Poirot struggles to put together the bizarre pieces of the puzzle, the murderer prepares another hotel bedroom for a fourth victim. -Goodreads

What Do You Know About That? Trivia

On April 27th from 9 am – 4 pm, it's the "Easter and Libraries Edition" of our monthly trivia contest. The contestant with the most correct answers wins a prize. Patrons ages 14 and up are eligible to participate.

At the Circulation Desk this month, "We Like Ike (and Mike)!" Put in your best guess on how many Mike n Ike candies are in the jar, be the closest without going over, and win!

LIBRARY

Mannington

Mannington Middle Art Exhibit

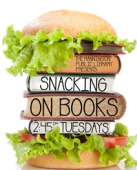
Mr. Puskas, art teacher at Mannington Middle School, will proudly display works of art showcasing his students' talent at the library April 3-21. This exhibit always provides interesting and various forms of visual art.

Celebrating National Library Week April 9-15

Army Man Launchers! Introducing our new Makerspace! Supplies will be provided for experimenting, imagining, making mistakes and adjustments to plans, and discovering where your imagination can take you. Launch your army man and hit the target to WIN a Prize! **Libraries Transform** lives and communities, visit ours today.

Snacking on Books

Middle school students are invited to join us for a snack every Tuesday after school. We'll discuss what you're reading; include reading tips and fun activities to do before, during, and after reading.



Blackshere Pizza Parties

We're celebrating Blackshere's kindergarten class during the month of April. Every time a kindergarten student visits the library and checks out material in any format, we will add a designated pizza topping to our bulletin board. The Homeroom with the most toppings at the end of the month will win a pizza party.

109 Clarksburg Street
Mannington, WV 26582
304-986-2803

Van Gogh & Goodies

Carol is planning an evening of Rock Painting for the Van Gogh & Goodies crowd Monday, April 17 at 5:00 pm.



Friends of the Library

We are fully engaged in our annual Friends membership campaign for 2017. This year, the summer reading program theme is "Build a Better World". The Friends' goal is to "build a better children's library" and we need your help. For more information on renovation plans and supporting our goal, please pick up a letter at the Mannington Public Library.

Listen while you work! We currently have a great selection of books on CD; perfect for spring cleaning entertainment. The Friends Book Sale is open every Friday 10:00-4:30 and Saturday 9:00-1:00.

Story Time & Toddler Time

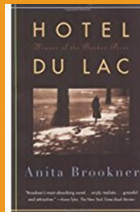
Hopping into spring with I Don't Want to be a Frog! Miss Janet and Miss Carol have big plans for Toddler Time and Story Time children this month. Stories, crafts, games, and an Easter party promise to be fun for all.

Please call the library (304) 986-2803 for more information regarding "Toddler Time" a program for children up to 3 years of age that meets on Tuesdays, and "Story Time" a program for children 2-5 years of age that meets on Wednesdays at 10:30 am.

Cover2Cover

April 20 at 1:30. This month's title:

Hotel du Lac by Anita Brookner.



Telling the story of Edith Hope, who writes romance novels under a pseudonym. When her life begins to resemble the plots of her own novels, however, Edith flees to Switzerland, where the quiet luxury of the Hotel du Lac promises to restore her to her senses. But instead of peace and rest, Edith finds herself sequestered at the hotel with an assortment of love's casualties and exiles. She also attracts the attention of a worldly man determined to release her unused capacity for mischief and pleasure.

Fiction Addiction

The Fiction Addiction Teen Book Club will meet Monday, April 10 at 3:30 pm. This month's title is **Proxy** by Alex London.



Syd's life is not his own. As a proxy he must to pay for someone else's crimes. When his patron Knox crashes a car and kills someone, Syd is branded and sentenced to death. The boys realize the only way to beat the system is to save each other so they flee. The ensuing cross-country chase will uncover a secret society of rebels, test the boys' resolve, and shine a blinding light onto a world of those who owe and those who pay.

WV Choice Training

West Virginia's Choice is holding training classes at the Mannington Public Library consisting of First Aid and CPR in order to be hired as Personal Attendant's (Direct Care Worker's) for clients who need in-home assistance. Training for this month is scheduled for March 27-28 and 30-31, 9 am-5 pm. For information on this training, call West Virginia's Choice at 304.291.3345 ext. 235 or ask for Melissa.

Marion Libearian, the town librarian

Hello All!



April showers, get your umbrella out! The library is cloudy with a chance of new materials everywhere! Be sure to check our new shelves as well as our every growing online options!

National Library week is upon us! The buzz is the library staff will be celebrating with a special spirit week. Each day will be a fun dress up day highlighting a genre or items the library has to offer. Be sure to stop in and see us.

Monday: Hats off to the library, staff will wear their favorite fun hat

Tuesday: Comic Book /Hero Day, highlighting our graphic novels and comic books

Wednesday: Movies and more, showcasing our selection of DVD and online items

Thursday: Music, CD's, FREEGAL and more

Friday: Favorite Book Character, staff will dress as one of their favorite characters.

Join us for a fun filled week of celebrating libraries everywhere!

MCPLS Bookmobile

Monday

Pierpont Lab Preschool: 9:30-10:30. FSU Campus
Monongah Park Trailhead: 11:00-12:00. Monongah
Hutchinson: 1:30-2:00. Woodlands Assisted Living
Stepping Stone, Inc: 3:45-4:45. East Grafton Road

Tuesday

Rug Ratz: 9:30-10:30. [1st & 3rd Week]
Rivesville Head Start: 11:00. [1st & 3rd Week]
Teleperformance: 12:00. Bellview
Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45. East Park Elementary [1st & 3rd Week]
Baptist Temple: 9:15-10:15. Morgantown Avenue [2nd & 4th Week]
Heart Junction Child Care: 10:30-11:30. Rivesville [2nd & 4th Week]
Disability Action Center: 2:30-3:30. 102 Benoni Ave. [2nd & 4th Week]

Wednesday

White Hall: 8:45-9:45. Middletown Mall
Barrackville Preschool: 10:30-11:30. [1st & 3rd Week]
NASA IV & V: 12:00-1:00. Back Parking Lot [1st & 3rd Week]
Bunner Ridge: 2:30-3:30. Sagebrush Roundup lot [1st & 3rd Week]
Carolina Head Start: 10:30-11:30. [2nd & 4th Week]
Wonderland Learning: 12:00-1:00. Mannington [2nd & 4th Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 2:45-3:45. Blackshere Elementary [2nd & 4th Week]

Thursday

Bright Beginnings Day Care: 9:30-10:30. 22 Moran Circle, Rt 73
Sunbeam Child Care Center: 11:00-12:00. Mary Lou Retton Drive
Rock Lake: 2:00-3:00. Community Center [1st & 3rd Week]
Colfax: 3:30-4:30. Community Center [1st & 3rd Week]
Learning Options, Inc: 1:00-2:00. Songbird Lane [2nd Week]
Kidz Connection: 3:30-4:30. Bellview Blvd [2nd & 4th Week]



Fairmont

- April 1: Friends of the Library Book Sale
- April 1– April 21: *Life and Limb* Exhibit
- April 4, 11, 18, 25: Toddler Time 1 & 2
- April 5, 12, 19, 26: Tabletop Game Group
- April 5, 12, 19, 26: Story Time
- April 6, 13, 20, 27: Story Time
- April 7, 14, 21, 28: Baby Time
- April 7: Books on Tap (Muriale's)
One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest
by Ken Kesey
- April 4: Book It- *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime* by Mark Haddon
- April 9-15: National Library Week
FINE FREE WEEK
- April 15: Family Fun Spring Event
- April 21: Artible– Painting & Dessert
- April 24: Adult Craft Class

Mannington

- April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29: Friends Book Sale
- April 3-21: Mannington Middle Art Exhibit
- April 7, 14, 21, 28: Friends Book Sale
- April 4, 11, 18, 25: Snacking on Books
- April 4, 11, 18, 25: Toddler Time
- April 5, 12, 19, 26: Story Time
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- April 10: Fiction Addiction (3:30 pm)
Proxy by Alex London
- April 17: VanGogh & Goodies Adult Craft
- April 20: Cover2Cover (1:30 pm)
Hotel Du Lac by Anita Brookner
- April 20, 21, 24, 25: WV Choice Training

Fairview

- April 3-22: Friends of the Library Book Sale
- April 3-28: Hunting a Good Book Adult Reading Program
- April 3, 24: Toddler Time
- April 4, 11, 18, 25: Tuesday Nite Knitters
- April 4, 25: Circle Time 1
- April 5, 12, 26: Wednesday Story Hour
- April 6, 27: Thursday Story Hour
- April 9-15: National Library Week: **FINE FREE WEEK**
- April 11: Circle Time 2
- April 17-20: No Story Time Classes – Spring Break
- April 25: Speaking of Books– *The Monogram Murders*
- April 25: Catch Some Sun Adult Crafternoon
- April 27: What Do You Know About That? Trivia Contest



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