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Dr. Seuss Wants You!



Did you know that prolific children's author Theodor Geisel was a commercial illustrator and political cartoonist before he was famous?

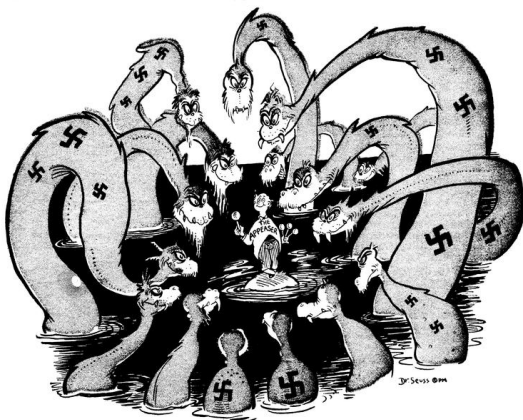
Join the Marion County Public Library during the month of February for our newest exhibit, *Dr. Seuss Wants You!*

isolationism, racism, antisemitism, and willingness to appease.

Dr. Seuss Wants You! will show you a side of Dr. Seuss that you may never have expected!

This traveling exhibit is brought to you by The Center for Holocaust and Humanity Education.

'Remember . . . One More Lollypop, and Then You All Go Home!'



In these illustrations, typical Seuss characters encourage us to discover the issues that America must address while the rest of the world was at war during the 1940s.

Seuss' art confronts common issues in America that were often ignored, including our own

Coming next month:

Life and Limb: The Toll of the American Civil War. Free six week exhibit from the U.S. National Library of Science. March-April.

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February New Releases

DVDs

Allies
Arrival
Bad Santa 2
The Ballers: Season 1 & 2
The Birth Of A Nation
DC Super Heroes: Batman, Superman, Wonder Woman, Flash
Dr. Strange
Fuller House: Season 1
Girl On The Train
Hacksaw Ridge
Inferno
Littlest Pet Shop Pet Stars
Max Steel
Ouija Origin Of Evil
Queen Of Katwe
Shut In
Trolls
Tyler Perry's Boo: A Madea Halloween

Large Print

An Amish Man of Ice Mountain
by Kelly Long
Barbeque and Bad News
by Nancy Naigle
The Chemist by Stephenie Meyer
Conclave by Robert Harris
Echoes in Death by J.D. Robb
Humans Bow Down
by James Patterson
Infernal Parade by Clive Barker
The Lullaby Sky by Carolyn Brown
Never Never by James Patterson
Vanished by Kendra Elliot

Graphic Novel

Plants VS Zombies, Vol. 1: Lawnmageddon
Plants VS Zombies, Vol. 2: Timepocalypse
Plants VS Zombies, Vol. 3: Bully for You
Plants VS Zombies, Vol. 4: Grown Sweet Home
Plants VS Zombies, Vol. 5: Petal to the Metal

Bestsellers

1636: The Ottoman Onslaught
by Eric Flint
Bone Box by Faye Kellerman
Book of American Martyrs
by Joyce Carol Oates
Born of Vengeance by Sherrilyn Kenyon
Broken Glass by V.C. Andrews
A Darkness Absolute
by Kelly Armstrong
Death of a Ghost by M.C. Beaton
Death's Mistress by Terry Goodkind
Devil in Spring by Lisa Kleypas
Echoes in Death by J.D. Robb
Fatal by John Lescroart
French Twist by James Patterson
Heartbreak Hotel
by Jonathan Kellerman

Audio Books

Bone Box by Faye Kellerman
Book of American Martyrs
by Joyce Carol Oates
Born of Vengeance
by Sherrilyn Kenyon
Devil in Spring by Lisa Kleypas
Echoes in Death by J.D. Robb
French Twist by James Patterson
Heartbreak Hotel
by Jonathon Kellerman
Into the Fire by Jeaniene Frost
Malicious by James Patterson
A Million Little Things
by Susan Mallery
Robert B. Parker's Revelation
by Robert Knott
An Uncommon Protector
by Shelley Shepard Gray

Nonfiction

Hidden Figures
by Margot Lee Shetterly
I Hate Everyone Except You
by Clinton Kelly
Instant Pot: Electric Pressure Cooker Cookbook
by Sara Quessenberry
The Princess Diarist by Carrie Fisher
Shaken by Tim Tebow
Three Days in January by Bret Baier

Children

Before Morning by Joyce Sidman
Bunny Slopes by Claudia Rueda
Hank's Big Day by Evan Kuhlman
A Hat for Mrs. Goldman
by Michelle Edwards
My Name is James Madison Hemings
by Jonah Winter

The Lioness is the Hunter
by Loren D. Estleman
Loving Eleanor by Susan Wittig Albert
Malicious by James Patterson
Most Dangerous Place
by James Grippando
My Not So Perfect Life
by Sophie Kinsella
My Soul Sings by Kim Vogel Sawyer
Never Never by James Patterson
Old Bones by Cynthia Harrod Eagles
Prince of Outcasts by S.M. Stirling
Robert B. Parker's Revelation
by Robert Knott
The Sea Hunters II by Clive Cussler
Treasured Grace by Tracie Peterson

Other Fiction

Always Close to Home
by Jerry S. Eicher
Amish Cooking Class
by Wanda Brunstetter
Blood in the Water
by Taylor Anderson
Brush of Wings by Karen Kingsbury
Into the Fire by Jeaniene Frost
Jerusalem by Alan Moore
Maybe It's You by Candace Calvert
An Uncommon Protector
by Shelley Shepard Gray
A Wish on Gardenia Street
by Shelley Shepard Gray

Playaway Launchpad

Parades of Sound (Ages 3-5)
Dinoriffic (Ages 3-5)
Transport Station (Ages 3-5)
A Royal Party (Ages 5-7)
Ready, Set, Action! (Ages 8-10)

Young Adult

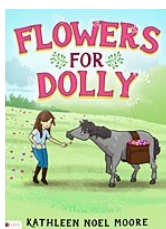
Carve the Mark by Veronica Roth
The Edge of Everything by Jeff Giles
Hate List by Jennifer Brown
The Hate U Give by Angie Thomas
King's Cage by Victoria Aveyard
Moon Chosen by P.C. Cast
Wintersong by S. Jae-Jones

Juvenile Fiction

House of Robots
by James Patterson
The Land of Stories #5: An Author's Odyssey by Chris Colfer

Fairmont

Children's Author Kathleen Noel Moore



Mark your calendars for Saturday, February 4, when we will welcome children's author Kathleen Noel Moore from 1 pm - 3 pm in the children's room.

Her book, *Flowers for Dolly*, tells the heartwarming story of a little girl that longs for a horse of her very own. The public is welcome and refreshments will be provided.

Love Your Library

The library will have Valentine card making stations on Saturday, February 11— just in time for to let your loved ones know you care! Join us to design your very own cards!

Stickers, markers, crayons, doilies and more will be provided to make a personalized valentine for someone special. The materials will be available for card making 2-3:30pm.

Also, stop by and let people know one of your all-time favorite books during valentine's week! Unique hearts will also be provided for you to write a book you love to be displayed in the library.

Classes for Kids

Our baby time, toddler time, and story hour classes are still accepting new applicants! Contact Julie Mike for babies age 0-18 months and toddlers age 18-36 months. Contact Christian Cox for preschool age children! Both can be reached by calling the library at 304-366-1210.

321 Monroe Street
Fairmont, WV 26554
304-366-1210

Awesome Readers Club

Our teen book club will be meeting Monday, February 13 at 4:30 pm to discuss *Everything, Everything* by Nicola Yoon. Pick up a copy of the book at the circulation desk and join us for a fun filled afternoon with fellow book lovers!

Please note that we will not meet on days when school has been cancelled in Marion County.



Adult Craft Class



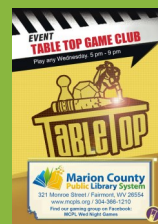
The adult craft class will meet Monday, February 27 at 5 pm. This month we will be creating a dry-erase memo board. Materials will be provided, but sign up is required. Call or stop by today to register!

Art is Sweet

Would you like to create a 'one-of-a-kind' masterpiece? Would you like to sample some decadent desserts? Then let us know! Call or stop in at the library and add your name and number to our 'Interest in Art' list. If there are enough inquiries, we will hold art & dessert classes monthly at the library.

The class will be free and by registration only, just bring your own paints and brushes. Canvases and instruction will be provided. These will be simple, beginning classes that most everyone can do. Spend a couple of hours and take home a beautiful piece of art! The list will be available through the month of February, so check in today and make yourself heard!

Wednesday Night Tabletop Game Group



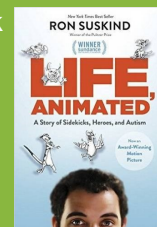
Do you like to play games like Pandemic, Codenames, Seven Wonders, Quartz, or other European board games? Then join us at the main branch on Wednesday nights from 5 pm - 9 pm for our Tabletop Game Group!

Alternative, advanced and imaginative games will be featured. 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!

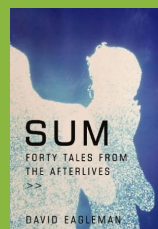
COMING NEXT MONTH:

Books on Tap

Books on Tap will pick up on Friday, March 3 at 6 pm. We will be meeting at Mi Pueblo. The selection for this month is *Life, Animated* by Ron Suskind, and will be available for check out the first week of February. If you are interested in reading some great books, talking to great people, and having some great fun, stop by today to sign up!



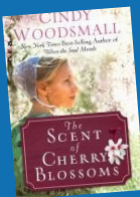
Book It Book Club



Adults: Book It will resume Tuesday, March 7 at 6 pm at the library. The first selection for this year will be *Sum: Forty Tales from the Afterlives* by David

Eagleman, and will be available to check out the first week of February! If you are interested in reading some great books, talking to great people, and having some great fun, stop by today to sign up!

All You Need is Love (and Books)



Come check out titles that are all about the highs, lows and everything in between of love and romance!

Getting' Crafty With It

Teens and adults both have the opportunity to show off their creative skills in February with two different programs.

On February 14 at 3:30 pm, Ms. Linda invites **TEENS** ages 12-17 to join her for "Weave My Heart Alone." Participants will create one of two pixelated heart mats to display for Valentine's Day while enjoying snack cakes and hot chocolate.



On February 28 at 3 pm Ms. Janna and Ms. Linda are looking for **ADULT** accomplices to get their "Mug Shots."



Actually, participants are encouraged to attend this crafting session to create a personalized coffee mug!

Space is limited for both programs so registration is required.



Fairview

500 Main Street
Fairview, WV 26570
304-449-1021

"Beary" Special

We are presenting kids' mini crafting sessions February 1 - 14. Children can choose to make either the "Beary Special" magnet craft or the "Conversation Hearts Turtle" magnet craft to share with family and friends.



Our featured coloring workshop is "Fall in Love with Reading."

Toddler Time & Story Hour sign-ups start February 13!

It's February, and that means it's registration time for the spring semester of children's programming at the Fairview Public Library!

Sign ups for Toddler Time (ages 12 months – 2 years) and Story Hour (ages 3 – 5 years) will begin at 9 am on February 13.

Parents can register their children by calling the library or stopping by. Space is limited, and registration will continue until classes are filled.

Life's a Bowl of Cherries

February's monthly guessing game is "Life's a Bowl of Cherries." The patron who comes closest to guessing the number of Cherry Sours in the jar without going over wins!



Speaking of Books

Speaking of Books will meet February 28 at 4 pm to discuss *Go Set a Watchman* by Harper Lee.

Go Set a Watchman features many of the characters from *To Kill a Mockingbird* some twenty years later.

Returning home to Maycomb to visit her father, Jean Louise Finch—Scout—struggles with issues both personal and political, involving Atticus, society, and the small Alabama town that shaped her.



Exploring how the characters from *To Kill a Mockingbird* are adjusting to the turbulent events transforming mid-1950s America, *Go Set a Watchman* casts a fascinating new light on Harper Lee's enduring classic. - Amazon

What Do You Know About That? Trivia

Our monthly trivia contest, "What Do You Know about That?" takes place on February 23 from 9 am – 4 pm. This month we'll see how well you know Romance Movies! Patrons ages 14 and up are eligible to participate, and the patron with the most correct answers wins the prize!

Tuesday Nite Knitters

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

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LIBRARY

Mannington

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

Find real LOVE in a good BOOK!

Take our Blind Date challenge this month. Pick a book, rate it, and enter to win **dinner for two!**

Blind Dates are wrapped up and ready for all ages: **He & She Reads** for adults, **Just Hanging Out** for teens, and **Puppy Loves** for children. **PLUS** a special treat in every wrapping.

Have You Heard a Good Book Today?



Books on CD, Books on Playaway, Playaway Views, Music CDs, and DVDs in the window display can and **should** be checked out and enjoyed today!

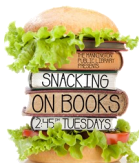
Friends Meeting & Sale

The Friends of the Mannington Library will be meeting on Jan. 30 at 6:00 pm; we're planning exciting renovations to our Children's Room! Please join us.

A cozy fire and a stack of books. West Virginia winters don't get any better than this! Friends Book Sale; open every Friday 10 am - 4:30 pm and Saturday 9 am - 1 pm.

Snacking on Books

Middle school students are invited to join us for a snack every Tuesday after school! Carol is reading, the kids are crafting, and all are eating!



Toddler Time & Story Time

Toddler time and Story time will resume programming on Feb. 14 & 15. Story time plays an important role in introducing children to the magic of books. If you are interested in registering a child for our spring session, please call the library (304) 986-2803 for more information.

Toddler Time is a program for children up to 3 years of age that meets on Tuesdays, and Story Time is a program for children 2-5 years of age that meets on Wednesdays at 10:30 am.

Van Gogh & Goodies Adult Coloring

Coloring isn't just for children anymore. Carol will be hosting Van Gogh & Goodies: Adult Coloring on February 13 at 5 pm.



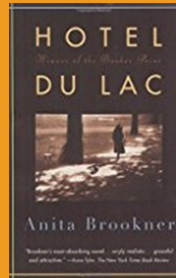
WV Choice Training

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 classes are scheduled each month for the rest of the year.

Training for this month is scheduled for February 3, 23, 27, and 28 from 9 am - 5 pm. To sign up for training, call West Virginia's Choice at 304-291-345 ext. 235 or ask for Melissa.

Cover2Cover

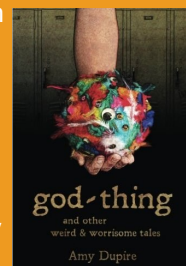
February 16 at 1:30.
This month's title:
Hotel Du Lac by
Anita Brookner.



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.

Fiction Addiction

The Fiction Addiction Teen Book Club will meet Monday, February 13 at 3:30 pm. This month's title is **god·thing: and other weird & worrisome tales** by Amy Dupire.



A Northern transplant teenager chafes under the culture of her Southern U.S. high school and creates her own deity. A reanimated corpse joins a zombie crawl, and stuffed animals spill the beans on their darkest secrets.

These YA short stories offer curious insights into human nature with humor as well as an unsettling view toward its darker truths. -Amazon

Tax Preparation

Tax Forms have arrived. Forms can also be obtained through IRS.gov. **If you need assistance with your income tax returns**, FSU VITA is coming to our library to prepare taxes for the public on Saturday, February 11 from 9 am to 4 pm and Friday, March 24 from 10 am to 5 pm.

Run by supervised accounting students, an appointment is not necessary. They operate on a first come, first serve basis. Contact Trudy at 304-367-4261 for more local VITA dates!

Marion Libearian, the town librarian

Hello All!



Brrrrrr, it's that time of the year! Winter is upon us. I so love this time of year because it's perfect reading weather. There is nothing quite like curling up to a good book with something warm to drink!

The library as always is here for your entertainment! Hoopla continues to grow and offer more and more services. It's a great time to snuggle in for a good movie!

February is also the month for Valentine's Day! Remember the library not only has HOOPLA but Freegal that you can listen to romantic music for this special day. Stay Warm and Cozy!

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]

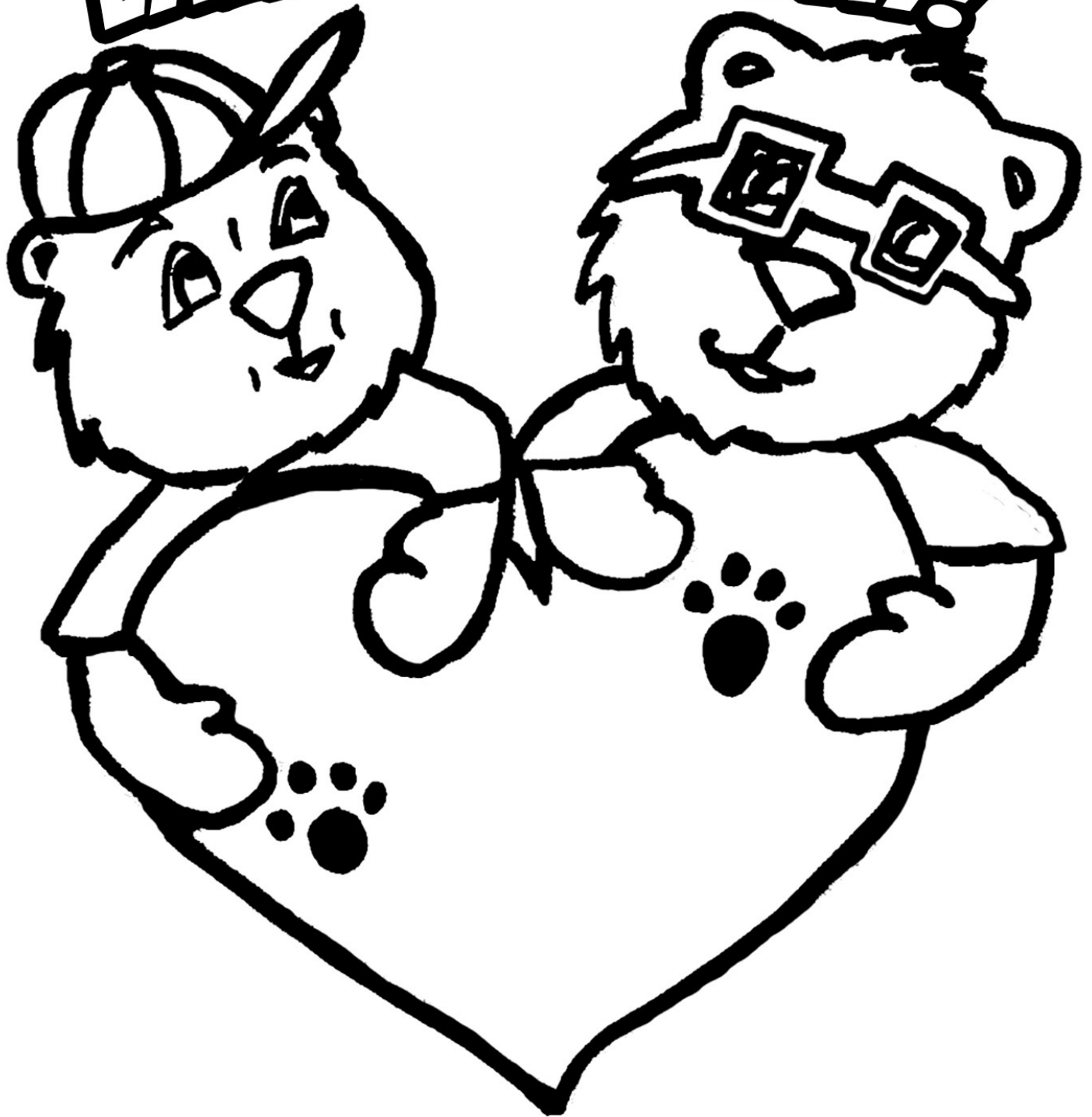
Wednesday

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]

**HAVE A
"BEARY" HAPPY
VALENTINE'S DAY!**



Fairmont

- January 26– Feb. 24: *Dr. Seuss Wants You*
- February 1-31: *Bill of Rights* Exhibit (lobby)
- February 1, 8, 15, 22: Wednesday Night Tabletop Game Group
- February 4: Children's Author Kathleen Noel Moore
- February 6: CLOSED– Library In-Service Day
- February 11: Valentine Making Stations
- February 13: Awesome Readers Club (4:30) *Everything, Everything* by Nicola Yoon
- February 20: CLOSED– Presidents' Day
- February 27: Adult Craft Class
- March 3: Books on Tap
- March 7: Book It Book Club
- March 21: Author Amber Tran

Mannington

- January 30: Friends of the Library Meeting
- February 3, 23, 27, 28: WV Choice Training
- February 3, 10, 17, 24: Friends Book Sale
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Winter Hours

Fairmont

Monday: 9 am—6 pm
Tuesday: 9 am—6 pm
Wednesday: 9 am—6 pm
Thursday: 9 am—6 pm
Friday: 9 am—6 pm
Saturday: 9 am—4 pm
Sunday: CLOSED

Fairview

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Mannington

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