

Library Live

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New: myLIBRO

myLIBRO allows patrons to use voice & chat conversation to connect with libraries through Amazon's Alexa and a mobile app.

With myLIBRO, patrons can search the catalog, place holds, reserve & renew, check fines, download & play audiobooks on Overdrive.

Available for free on Google Play and in the Apple Store. Visit www.mcpls.org/myLIBRO for more information!



Summer Reading Wrap Up

Summer Reading 2020 is a wrap! Even though this year's program looked quite a bit different, we enjoyed spending the summer with you!

Kids and teens over 24,000 minutes of reading on Bookpoints this summer, while participating adults read over 150 books!

Special Thanks

to these local businesses for helping with our scavenger hunts! Did you find the colored dragons, princess, and treasure chest?

Fairmont:

- Adams Office Supply
- Arts & Antiques Marketplace
- Eye Candy Beauty Supply
- Joe N Throw
- Law Office of Christopher Wilson
- Marion County Chamber of Commerce

Fairview:

- First Exchange Bank
- Cuts Plus

Fairview Cont.:

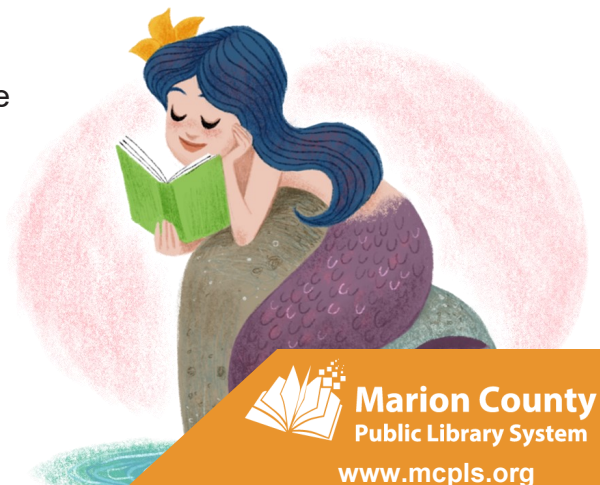
- Hometown Hotdogs
- Little Dippers Ice Cream Parlor

Mannington:

- Baby B's BBQ Cafe
- Mario's Restaurant
- Mountaineer Florist
- Miller's Hardware
- Something Special
- T&L Hotdog

We'll be taking a break from children's programming in August, but be sure to be on the look out for information about fall virtual story times, coming soon.

Thank you for your patience as we try new things! We wouldn't be able to do what we do without your support!



Marion County
Public Library System

www.mcpls.org

August New Releases

Find more new releases, complete with links, at www.mcpls.org/new

DVDs

Becoming Evil: The Mafia Capone
Final Destination Collection
The Food Cure
Jumbo 2
Operation Endgame
Pariah
Peter Pan Live
Salem's Lot (2004)
The Shining (2003)
Star Trek V
Star Trek IX
Streets of Blood
Teen Musical: The Movie
The Wretched
WWE Backlash 2020
WWE Extreme Rules 2020

Series DVDs

Batwoman: Season 1
The Flash: Season 6
The Good Doctor: Season 3
Grey's Anatomy: Season 15
Hawaii Five O: Season 10
Silicon Valley: Season 6
The Wonder Years: Season 1-5

Kids DVDs

Berenstain Bears Family Vacation
Hop on the School Bug
Huck & Tom's Mississippi Adventure
Kid Brainac: The Solar System
Llama Unleashes the Alpacalypse
Odd Squad the Movie

BOCD

The Boy from the Woods
by Harlan Coben
Choppy Water by Stuart Woods
Crooked River by Douglas Preston
Daddy's Girls by Danielle Steel
Hit List by Stuart Woods
Long Range by C.J. Box
Masked Prey by John Sandford
The Midwife Murders
by James Patterson
The Numbers Game
by Danielle Steel
A Private Cathedral
by James Lee Burke
Royal by Danielle Steel
Texas Outlaw by James Patterson

Bestsellers

Bitter Pill by Fern Michaels
Choppy Water by Stuart Woods
Feels like Family by Sherryl Woods
The Friendship List by Susan Mallery
The Hollow Ones by Guillermo Del Toro
The Hooligans by Peter T. Deutermann
The Jackal by J.R. Ward
The Lions of Fifth Avenue
by Fiona Davis
Mexican Gothic
by Silvia Moreno-Garcia
Midnight Sun by Stephanie Meyer
The Midwife Murders
by James Patterson
No Offense by Meg Cabot
One to Watch by Kate Stayman-London
Or What You Will by Jo Walton
The Palace by Christopher Reich
The Prisoner's Wife by Maggie Brookes
A Private Cathedral
by James Lee Burke
The Pull of the Stars
by Emma Donoghue
The Revelators by Ace Atkins
Robert Ludlum's The Bourne Evolution
Royal by Danielle Steel
The Silent Wife by Karin Slaughter
Someone to Romance by Mary Balogh
Squeeze Me by Carl Hiaasen
Sucker Punch by Laurel K. Hamilton
Then She Vanished
by T. Jefferson Parker
Thick as Thieves by Sandra Brown
Uranus by Ben Bova
Whirlwind by Janet Dailey

Inspiration

The Amish Schoolteacher
by Jerry S. Eicher
A Heartwarming Romance Collection
by Wanda E. Brunstetter
How Sweet It Is by Robin Lee Hatcher
Love in Unlikely Places by Linda Byler
The Mockingbird's Song
by Wanda E. Brunstetter
Steadfast Mercy by Ruth Reid
Turning Tide by Melody Carlson

Misc. Fiction

500 Miles from You by Jenny Colgan
American Demon by Kim Harrison
Beach Read by Emily Henry
Bonnie by Christina Schwarz
The Books of Lost Names
by Kristin Harmel
The Bright Lands by John Fram
Don't Make a Sound by T.R. Ragan
Find Her Alive by Lisa Regan
Friends and Strangers
by J. Courtney Sullivan
The Girl Beneath the Sea
by Andre Mayne
The Heart of Hill Country
by Sherryl Woods

Misc. Cont.

The Parfait Murder by Luna Snow
Playing Nice by J.P. Delaney
Piecing It All Together by Leslie Gould
Pines by Blake Crouch
Queen of Storms by Raymond E. Feist
Scorpionfish by Natalie Bakopoulos
Secrets of Southern Girls
by Haley Harrigan
The Shadows by Alex North
500 Miles from You by Jenny Colgan
Sisters and Secrets by Jennifer Ryan
South of the Buttonwood Tree
by Heather Webber
Survival Instincts by Jen Waite
Survivor Song by Paul Tremblay
Utopia Avenue by David Mitchell
The Wedding Thief by Mary Simses
Well-behaved Indian Women
by Saumya Dave
What You Wish For
by Katherine Center
Where the Lost Wander
by Amy Harmon
A Woman Alone by Nina Laurin
The Woman Before Wallis
by Bryn Turnbull
The Year of the Witching
by Alexis Henderson

Large Print

1st Case by James Patterson
Afterlife by Julia Alvarez
Aussie Rules by Jill Shalvis
The Black Swan of Paris
by Karen Robards
Bloody Genius by John Sandford
A Blessing to Cherish
by Lauraine Snelling
Choppy Water by Stuart Woods
Deadlock by Catherine Coulter
In the Cradle Lies by Olivia Newport
The Lies that Bind by Emily Giffin
The Long Way Home by Robin Pilcher
The Lost and Found Bookshop
by Susan Wiggs
Love & Other Crimes by Sara Paretsky
Merry and Bright by Jill Shalvis
The Midwife Murders
by James Patterson
The Mockingbird's Song
by Wanda E. Brunstetter
Perfect Little Children
by Sophie Hannah
Pretty Things by Janelle Brown
A Private Cathedral
by James Lee Burke
The Pull of the Stars
by Emma Donoghue
Quantum by Patricia Cornwell
Queenie Malone's Paradise Hotel
by Ruth Hogan
Royal by Danielle Steel
The Silent Wife by Karin Slaughter
Thick as Thieves by Sandra Brown
A Walk Along the Beach
by Debbie Macomber

Non-Fiction

- The Answer Is...* by Alex Trebek
Breath: The New Science of a Lost Art
by James Nestor
The Case of the Vanishing Blonde
by Mark Bowden
Cutting and Self Harm
Decoding Your Cat
A Dirty Year: Sex, Suffrage, and
Scandal in Gilded Age New
York by Bill Greer
The End to White Politics
by Zerlina Maxwell
Everyone Can Bake
by Dominique Ansel
The Hardest Job in the World: The
American Presidency
by John Dickerson
Hollywood Park: A Memoir
by Mikel Jollett
The Lincoln Conspiracy
by Brad Meltzer
Me and White Supremacy
by Layla F. Saad
The Mythology Book by Georgie Carroll
The Next Great Migration: The Beauty
and Terror of Life on the Move
by Sonia Shah
Pelosi by Molly Ball
Reimagining Capitalism in a World on
Fire by Rebecca Henderson
Ripped from the Headlines
by Harold Schechter
Rose's Ice Cream Bliss
by Rose Levy Beranbaum
The Splendid and the Vile
by Erik Larson
Untamed by Glennon Doyle
Wait, I'm The Boss?!? The Essential
Guide for New Managers to
Succeed from Day One
by Peter Economy
Weird AI: Seriously by Lily E. Hirsch

Juvenile Fiction

- Anybody Shining*
by Frances O'Roark Dowell
Bug-napped! By Franklin W. Dixon
Choosing Sides by Alex Morgan
Hurricane Heroes in Texas
by Mary Pope Osborne
In the Zone by Alex Morgan
Late Lunch with Llamas
by Mary Pope Osborne
Monster and Boy
by Hannah Rodgers Barnaby
Roll With It by Jamie Sumner
Settle the Score by Alex Morgan
Shadow in the Woods: And
Other Scary Stories
by Max Brallier
They Call Me the Night Howler!
by R.L. Stine
The Time of Green Magic
by Hilary McKay
The Vanishing Statue
by Carolyn Keene

Young Adult

- 10 Things I Hate About Pinky*
by Sadhya Menon
Burn by Patrick Ness
Burn Our Bodies Down
by Rory Power
By the Book: A Novel of Prose
and Cons by Amanda Sellet
The Damned by Renee Ahdieh
Evil Thing: A Tale of that De Vil
Woman by Serena Valentino
Found by P.C. Cast
The Girl in the White Van
by April Henry
Hawk by James Patterson
Hunted by the Sky by Tanaz Bhathena
Love, Jacaranda by Alex Flinn
Midnight Sun by Stephanie Meyer
My Calamity Jane by Cynthia Hand
My Name is not Friday
by Jon Walter
Never Been Traced
by Kenneth S. Kappelmann
Night of the Dragon by Julie Kagawa
Scavenge the Stars by Tara Sim
Soledad in the Desert
by Meredith Sue Willis
A Song Below Water
by Bethany C. Morrow
A Song of Wraiths and Ruin
by Roseanne A. Brown
This is My America by Kim Johnson
Today Tonight Tomorrow
by Rachel Lynn Solomon
The Voting Booth by Brandy Colbert
They Went Left by Monica Hesse
You Say it First by Katie Cotugno
You're Next by Kylie Schachte

Children

- Destined for Greatness*
by Alexandra West
Fiona Flamingo
by Rachael Urrutia Chu
First Day of School by Jory John
Hair Love by Matthew A. Cherry
Happy in Our Skin by Fran Manushkin
Interrupting Cow by Jane Yolen
Let's Visit the Doctor
Meet Wonder Woman
by Alexandra West
Mulan and the Dragon Race / A Song
for Cinderella (2 Books in 1)
Old Rock (Is Not Boring)
by Deb Pilutti
Pearl Goes to Preschool
by Julie Fortenberry
Pete the Cat's Happy Halloween
by James Dean
A Place Inside of Me: A Poem to Heal
the Heart by Zetta Elliott
Poppy Pickle by Emma Yarlett
Pup on the Run by Elle Stephens
Testing the Waters by Jane Yolen
Unicorn Kisses by Stephanie Moss
A Unicorn Named Sparkle and the
Pumpkin Monster
by Amy Young
We Will Rock Our Classmates
by Ryan T. Higgins

Video Games

Nintendo Switch:
Collection of Mana
Final Fantasy VII
Snipperclips

XBOX One:
Alien Isolation
Just Cause 4
Ori and the Will of the Wisps
Rage 2
The Sims 4

PS4:
Flashback Classics Vol 3
Ghost of Tsushima
The Last of Us Part II
Lego Marvel Collection
Monster Energy Supercross 3
Plants Vs. Zombies
Secret of Mana
Sega Genesis Classics
Tumblestone

Graphic Novels

- The Bad Guys in Dawn of the*
Underlord by Aaron Blabey
Beserk 5 by Kentarō Miura (MGN)
Big Nate Stays Classy
by Lincoln Peirce
The Case Study of Vanitas:
Vol 6-7 by Jun Mochizuki
Danganronpa 2: Goodbye Despair
by Kuroki Q
Demon Slayer: Kimetsu No Yaiba
By Koyoharu Gotoge
Dr. Stone by Riichiro Inagaki
Justice/Doom War 5
by Scott Snyder
The Moment of the Storm by Neil
Gaiman (American Gods #2)
My Ainsel by Neil Gaiman
(American Gods #2)
My Hero Academia Vol 23-24
by Kohei Horikoshi
One Piece Vol 11-14
One Punch Man Vol. 19-20
by Yusuke Murata
Persona 5 by Hisato Murasaki
Rick and Morty Vol 11
by Kyle Starks
Tokyo Ghoul:re. Vol. 12-13
by Sui Ishida



August Events

All events will be held virtually, due to COVID-19

Mannington Friends of the Library Book Sale

The Mannington Friends of the Library Book Sale is BACK! They've revamped their book sale room, and many new donations await visitors! We look forward to seeing you!

NEW HOURS

Wednesdays: 1 pm - 3 pm

Fridays: 9 am - 1 pm

Saturdays: 9 am -12 pm

Adult Craft: Clothespin Trivets

Join us virtually to create a colorful or rustic Clothespin Trivet for your kitchen! You can paint it, stain it, or decorate it however you want. Using it will keep your table fun and free of heat marks!



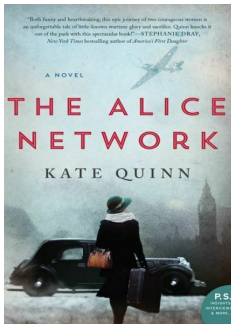
Registration is required for this Zoom event. Participants need to provide a valid email to which the meeting invitation will be sent just prior to the event. (Sign up at www.mcpls.org/events)

Clothespins will be provided and will need to be picked up at your local branch during the week of August 10th. Participants who do not pick up their supplies will be deleted from the roster and the items and spot will be given to others on the waitlist. Participants will need to provide their own supply of: hot glue, paint, clear sealer or any other decorations.

Speaking of Books

The Speaking of Books Book Club returns in August! Join us Tuesday, August 4 at 4 pm to discuss *The Alice Network* by Kate Quinn

"Two women—a female spy recruited to the real-life Alice Network in France during World War I and an American socialite searching for her cousin in 1947—are brought together in a mesmerizing story of courage and redemption." - Amazon



Click here to register: <https://bit.ly/3204NJr>

Tabletop Game Group

Missing our Wednesday Night Tabletop Game Group? Not to fear, WNG is happening virtually! Please contact Dan Ward at dward@mcpls.org for more information on how to join the fun! Part of the WV Nerd Herd, North Central WV's Boardgaming Community.

August 5, 12, 19, 26: 5 pm

Beyond the Book Club

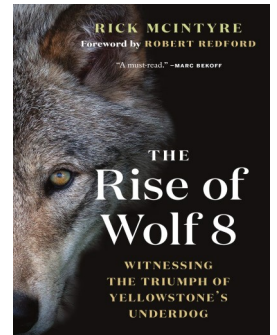
Join us as we read and meet to discuss *The Rise of Wolf 8* by Rick McIntyre. It is available to borrow digitally with your Marion County Public Library Card and the Hoopla app (available in eBook or audiobook).

For the "Beyond the Book" activity, join us for "Wild Wonderful Wildlife of West Virginia's Wetlands: The Science Behind Understanding Wetland Restoration."

Increase your understanding and appreciation of the value that wetlands bring to the ecosystem and your day to day life in West Virginia during this informative and engaging presentation by Dr. Jim Anderson, professor of wildlife ecology and management and the Davis-Michael Professor of Forestry and Natural Resources at West Virginia University.

Register for each event: www.mcpls.org/events
These virtual events will use Webex, a user-friendly conferencing platform.

August 24: Discussion: *The Rise of Wolf 8*
August 17: Wild Wonderful Wildlife of West Virginia's Wetlands: The Science Behind Understanding Wetland Restoration



Graphic Novel Book Club

Join us Tuesday, August 4 at 4 pm in an online discussion of Noelle Stevenson's New York Times bestselling *Nimona*.

Originally a webcomic, *Nimona* is about the titular character who becomes the sidekick of the vengeful villain, Lord Ballister Blackheart. Their goal is to expose the Institution of Law Enforcement and Heroics for being less than heroic.

Filled with fantasy action, comedy, and an emotional ending, this graphic novel is suitable for both teens and adults.

The graphic novel can be accessed through Hoopla!

This virtual event will use Webex, a user-friendly conferencing platform. Participants can choose to connect online for both audio and visual or just by phone (audio only), depending on your comfort level and internet availability. Participants must register by noon on August 3rd with an active email address. Registered participants will receive an emailed invitation link to the virtual meeting.

