Summer Reading
Sign Ups

Bookmobile:
Programming runs June 12–July 28, please see the back of this newsletter or contact Lynn at 304-366-1210 x 130 for more information.

Fairmont:
We have programs for toddlers and up! Sign ups start June 1! Register by calling 304-366-1210.

Fairview:
Registration for children, teens, and adults begins on May 17 and will continue through June 7, or until classes are filled. You may register in person or by calling 304-449-1021.

Mannington:
Summer Reading begins June 5 with Joey Stepp magician/funny guy/balloon artist at 6 pm. Please contact the library for more information and to register for programs for the whole family; 304-986-2803.

BUILD A BETTER WORLD

Whatever projects you have planned for this summer, your local library has something for you. Resources to help you learn, grow, connect, and create... So, whatever you want to build or whatever your family needs, there are summer reading programs for all age groups!

Summer is an exciting time at your library, so come join us for great books, special events and more to help you build a better world!

Check out the sidebar on the left for information about how to sign up for the summer reading program at your branch!

Be on the lookout for lists of our fabulous summer events, activities, and prizes, coming soon!
June New Releases

DVDs
24: Redemption
All About Eve
Barbie: Princess & Puppy Pack
Before I Fall
A Cure for Wellness
Care Bears and Cousins
D.C. Super Hero Girls
Fifty Shades Darker
Fist Fight
Get Out
John Wick: Chapter 2
Justice League Dark
Last Stop on Market Street
The Last Word
Lego Batman Movie
Logan
Mermaid’s Tale
The Shack
Table 19
Tom & Jerry: School’s Out
Wild Kratts: Panda-monium

Large Print
Any Day Now by Robyn Carr
Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine by Gail Honeyma
Her Secret by Shelley Shepard Gray
No Easy Target by Iris Johansen
Without Warning by Joel C. Rosenberg

Nonfiction
Ballplayer by Chipper Jones
Crazy is my Superpower by AJ Mendez Brooks
A Force For Good by Daniel Goleman
Hallelujah Anyway by Anne Lamott
It Takes Two by Jonathan Scott
The Most Beautiful by Mayte Garcia
Nevertheless by Alex Baldwin
Old School by Bill O’Reilly
Option B by Sheryl Sandberg
Prince Charles by Sally Bedell Smith
Shattered: Inside Hillary Clinton’s Doomed Campaign by Jonathan Allen

Bestsellers
Beach House for Rent by Mary Alice Monroe
The Black Elfstone by Terry Brooks
Blue Streak Summer by T.I. Lowe
Camino Island by John Grisham
Dangerous Minds by Janet Evanovich
Dare to Love, Books 1-3 by Carly Phillips
The Duchess by Danielle Steel
The Farmers Market Mishap by Wanda E. Brunstetter
Heart on the Line by Karen Witemeyer
Kiss Carlo by Adriana Trigiani
Life Unwritten by T.I. Lowe
Magpie Murders by Anthony Horowitz
Murder Games by James Patterson
Naomi’s Hope by Jan Drexler
Red Hill by Jamie McGuire
Remington 1894 by William W. Johnstone
Robert Ludlum’s The Bourne Initiative by Eric Van Lustbader
Sandpiper Cove by Irene Hannon
The Silent Corner by Dean Koontz
Sin of a Woman by Kimberla Lawson Roby
The Sunshine Sisters by Jane Green
Tom Clancy’s Point of Contact by Mike Maden
The Ultimatum by Karen Robards
Under a Summer Sky by Melody Carlson
Use of Force by Brad Thor
With Me in Seattle, books 1-2, 4 by Kristen Proby

Audio Books
Camino Island by John Grisham
Come Sundown by Nora Roberts
Dangerous Minds by Janet Evanovich
Detective Cross by James Patterson
The Duchess by Danielle Steel
Indecent Exposure by Stuart Woods
Love Story by Karen Kingsbury
Murder Games by James Patterson
Nighthawk by Clive Cussler
Robert Ludlum’s The Bourne Initiative by Eric Van Lustbader
Tom Clancy’s Point of Contact by Mike Maden
The Ultimatum by Karen Robards
Use of Force by Brad Thor

Children
Bad Kitty Takes the Test by Nick Bruel
Batman Classics: 5 Minute Batman Stories by Donald B. Lemke
Brown Bear & Friends by Bill Martin
Pete the Cat and the Cool Cat Boogie by James Dean
Pete the Cat and the Lost Tooth by James Dean
Roadwork! by Melissa Lagonero

Graphic Novels
Angel Catbird, Vol 2 by Margaret Atwood
Big Nate: Revenge of the Cream Puffs by Lincoln Peirce
Dog Man by Dav Pilkey
The Dark Knight Returns: The Last Crusade by Frank Miller
Hilo: The Great Big Boom by Judd Winick
Steven Universe & The Crystal Gems by Josceline Fenton

Juvenile Fiction
Adventurous Children of the Donner Party by Holly Bennett
Karen’s Campout by Ann M. Martin
Middle School Mayhem by Rachel Russell

Teen
Bad Blood by Demitria Lunetta
Bang by Lyga Barry
But Then I Came Back by Estelle Laure
Count All Her Bones by April Henry
Dark Days Past by Alison Goodman
Definitions of Indefinable Things by Whitney Taylor
Drawn Away by Holly Bennett
End Game: Books 1-3 by James Frey
Iron Fey: Books 1, 4, 5 by Julie Kagawa
Flame in the Mist by Renee Ahdieh
Shallow Graves by Kali Wallace

Mature Graphic Novels
Deadly Class, Vol 5 by Rick Remender
Demonic by Christopher Sebela
Fables, Vol 1 by Bill Willingham
The Fix, Vol 2 by Nick Spencer
The Judas Coin by Walter Simonson
Kill or be Killed, Vol 1 by Ed Brubaker
Potter’s Field by Mark Waid
Providence ACT 1 by Alan Moore
Saga, Vol 7 by Brian K. Vaughan
Velvet, Vol 1-3 by Ed Brubaker
The Walking Dead, Vol 27 by Robert Kirkman

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Artible: Art & Dessert
Artible will be held on Friday, June 2 at 5 pm. This month’s project will be q-tip lilac blossoms. Bring your own paints and brushes and join us for good company, delicious desserts, and great art!

Adult Craft Class
Our adult craft class will meet Monday, June 19 at 5 pm. This month we will be creating a ‘stained glass painting’. Participants must bring an old frame or small window with glass intact. Paints and instruction will be provided. Call or stop by the library today to register.

Kids Summer Reading
Summer Reading sign ups start June 1 for ages 18 months and up! Prepare to “Build a Better World” with our weekly classes! Contact Julie (Toddlers & Preschool) and Christian (K-5) with questions!

Monday: Toddlers (18-36 m)- 10 am
Preschoolers (3-5 yr)- 1 pm
Tuesday: K-1st- 10:30 am
Wednesday: 2nd-3rd- 10:30 am
Thursday: 4th-6th- 10:30 am

Due to the 4th of July falling on a Tuesday, classes will be pushed back a day during the week of July 3-7: K-1 Wednesday, 2nd-3rd Thursday, and 4th-6th Friday.

Each Friday there will be a special all ages event at 2 pm, beginning with the opening puppet show on June 3! Kids can turn in weekly timed reading logs to be entered for prizes!

Cooking with Brandi
Adult summer reading participants are invited to Cooking with Brandi. This 8 week course will give you tips on how to Build a Better World through good nutrition. Take home new recipe cards and win great prizes each week while learning to live a happier, healthier life! Classes begin Monday, June 5 at 5 pm. Call Brandi at 304-367-2772 to register today!

Teen Summer Reading
Sign up now for the Teen Summer Reading program! Open to preteens and teens grades 6-12, this FREE program will let participants build a potato clock, create a hollow book craft, and more! The person who reads for the most hours this summer will win a Kindle Fire, courtesy of the Friends of the Library! This is one summer program you won’t want to miss. Contact Jessica Batten for more info!

Adult Summer Reading
Our adult summer reading program begins June 1. Pick up your totes and join us for Build a Better World! Fill out and turn in your reading logs for a chance to win one of three great prize baskets! Titles will be counted, and the top three readers will receive 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes.

Also happening will be some great programming events, including a storytelling seminar with WV Storyteller JoAnn Dadisman, and a Murder Mystery Dinner! All events are free, but registration is required. Murder Mystery is limited to the first 40 sign-ups, so call or stop by early to get in on this fun evening of murder, mayhem, and mystery!

Friends Book Sale
Join us June 3 from 9 am - 1 pm for this month’s Friends of the Library Book Sale! There are DVDs, Books on CD, fiction, large print and more…..all waiting for you to take on your summer vacation!

Readin’ & Kneadin’
Readin’ & Kneadin’ is the area’s best book club for cat lovers! Readin’ & Kneadin’ meets at the Marion County Humane Society’s cat Thursday, June 15 at 6:30 pm. June’s book is Marley & Me by John Grogan! Check out a copy today!

Book It Book Club
Book It will meet Tuesday, June 13 at 6 pm. This month’s book choice is A Walk in the Woods by Bill Bryson! The club is always open to new members, so stop by and pick up your copy today.

Awesome Readers Club (Teens)
Our teen book club will meet TUESDAY, June 13 at 4:30 pm to discuss Charlie, Presumed Dead by Anne Heltzel!

Wednesday Night Tabletop Game Group
Do you like to play 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! Join our Facebook group, MCPL Wed Night Games, for more information!
Building A Better World

Kids Program
It’s June, and that means summer reading programs are just around the corner at the Fairview Public Library! Beginning June 13, Ms. Janna and Ms. Lee Ann will help our juvenile patrons “Build a Better World.” For children ages 3-6 years, we’re featuring “If You Build It, They Will Come” and “Building Bridges for a Better World.” Our participants aged 7-10 years will be treated to “Skilled to Build” and “Pay It Forward.”

Teens & Adults
The summer reading fun doesn’t stop with the kids. Teens and adults are also invited to join us for their respective programs. Ms. Susie’s adult reading program begins on June 7 with “Build a Better Home” and continues each week with “Build a Better Community,” “Build a Better Country,” and concludes with “Build a Better World.”

Ms. Linda’s teen program begins on June 22nd with “Inside the Library: Building a Better World Through Art” and closes with “Outside the Library: Building a Better World Through Community Service.”

In addition to classes, participants will have opportunities to collect tickets each week for various activities. These tickets will go into our grand prize drawing, and the lucky winners will be announced at our program finale in July.

Let’s Work Together
On June 22nd, we’re offering a special kids and teens session, “Financial Literacy,” presented by Jennifer Beach of First Exchange Bank.

Our coloring workshop for June is “Book’ a Trip – Read!”

What Do You Know About That? Trivia Contest
Our monthly trivia returns on June 29 from 9 am – 4 pm. Come try your luck at our Superheroes Edition. The contestant with the most correct answers wins a prize from Hometown Hot Dogs.

Gone Fishin’
Our featured Circulation Desk guessing game is “Gone Fishin’.” Take your best guess on how many Swedish Fish are in the jar, be the closest without going over, and win!

Tuesday Nite Knitters
Join our weekly knitting group! We meet every Tuesday at 4 pm!

Speaking of Books
Speaking of Books will meet June 27 at 4 pm to discuss Breakfast With Buddha by Roland Merullo.

When his sister tricks him into taking her guru on a trip to their childhood home, Otto Ringling, a confirmed skeptic, is not amused.

Six days on the road with an enigmatic holy man who answers every question with a riddle is not what he’d planned. But in an effort to westernize his passenger—and amuse himself—he decides to show the monk some “American fun” along the way.

From a chocolate factory in Hershey to a bowling alley in South Bend, from a Cubs game at Wrigley field to his family farm near Bismarck, Otto is given the remarkable opportunity to see his world—and more important, his life—through someone else’s eyes. Gradually, skepticism yields to amazement as he realizes that his companion might just be the real thing.

In Roland Merullo’s masterful hands, Otto tells his story with all the wonder, bemusement, and wry humor of a man who unwittingly finds what he’s missing in the most unexpected place.

Two follow ups, entitled Lunch with Buddha and Dinner with Buddha are now available. -Amazon
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Build a Better World
Are you ready to Build a Better Reader this summer? We are gearing up for the summer reading program. We have purchased lots, and lots of new books, booked entertainment, and planned great programs for all the children in our community. It all begins Monday, June 5 at 5 pm with Joey Stepp Magic.

Here are some summer reading highlights!

Construction Fun with stories, games and crafts, June 12 at 5:30 pm.

Build a Better Nest with games, crafts, and a presentation by the WV Raptor Rehabilitation Center, sponsored by Kiwanis Club of Mannington, June 19 at 5 pm.

Build a Better Future with Teach Children to Save presented by First Exchange Bank, June 26 at 5:30 pm.

Build a Better World for the whole family. Teens will Build a BINGO by meeting reading challenges. Adults will also be literarily challenged though out the summer.

Participants of all ages will earn tickets for chances to win great prizes. Register your child and yourself today at the library or by calling 304-986-2803.

Saturday Morning Movie @ The Library
Feature film: Lego Batman. A cooler-than-ever Bruce Wayne must deal with the usual suspects as they plan to rule Gotham City, while discovering that he has accidentally adopted a teenage orphan who wishes to become his sidekick. June 17 at 11 am; refreshments provided.

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.

Summer has arrived! The Book Sale is the main source of funding for Friends of the Mannington Public Library, with proceeds going to support library programming, the outdoor classroom, and special renovation projects at our library. The Friends Book Sale is open every Friday 10:00-4:30 and every Saturday 9:00-1:00.

Cover2Cover
June 15 at 1:30. This month’s title: All The Lost Girls by Patricia Foster.

Patricia Foster’s lyrical yet often painful memoir explores the life of a white middle-class girl who grew up in rural south Alabama in the 1950s and 1960s, a time and place that did not tolerate deviation from traditional gender roles. Her mother raised Foster and her Sister as “honorary boys,” girls with the ambition of men but the temperament of women.

An unhappy, intelligent woman who kept a heartbreaking secret from everyone close to her, Foster’s mother was driven by a repressed rage that fed her obsession for middle-class respectability.

It was only a psychological and physical breakdown that helped Foster to realize that she couldn’t save her driven, complicated mother and must struggle instead for both understanding and autonomy.

Fiction Addiction
The Fiction Addiction Teen Book Club will meet Monday, June 12 at 3:30 pm. This month’s title is Neverwhere by Neil Gaiman.

Richard Mayhew is a young man with a good heart and an ordinary life, which is changed forever when he stops to help a girl he finds bleeding on a London sidewalk. His small act of kindness propels him into a world he never dreamed existed. There are people who fall through the cracks, and Richard has become one of them. And he must learn to survive in this city of shadows and darkness, monsters and saints, murderers and angels, if he is ever to return to the London that he knew.
Hello All!

It’s that time of year again! SUMMER READING! This year’s theme of “Build a Better World” is going to be a fun time! I can just imagine all the great things kids will construct this summer! I’ve heard about so many great things coming to the library, I can BEAR’ly wait!

As school comes to a close, not only is it a great time to participate in Summer Reading, but also a great time to use the library to prepare for those great vacations. We have plenty of Launchpad tablets for children through adults, Playaway Views, and audiobooks to keep the whole family entertained on any road trip.

We look forward to seeing you this summer!

**MCPLS Bookmobile**

**Monday**

- **Energy Express:** 9:30-10:30. West Fairmont Middle School
- **Monongah Park Trailhead:** 11:00-12:00. Monongah
- **Hutchinson:** 1:30-2:00. Woodlands Assisted Living
- **Stepping Stone, Inc:** 2:30-3:30. East Grafton Road

**Tuesday**

- **MCPARC:** 9:00-11:30. Wave Tec
- **Teleperformance:** 12:00. Bellview
- **Marion County Public Library:** 2:30-3:30. 321 Monroe St. [1st & 3rd Week]
- **Disability Action Center:** 2:30-3:30. 102 Benoni Ave. [2nd & 4th Week]

**Wednesday**

- **White Hall:** 9:00. Middletown Mall
- **Rug Ratz:** 10:30-11:30. [1st & 3rd Week]
- **Heart Junction:** 10:30-11:30. Route 19 Rivesville [2nd & 4th 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]
- **Marion County Public Library:** 2:30-3:30. 321 Monroe St. [2nd & 4th Week]

**Thursday**

- **Bright Beginnings Day Care:** 9:30-10:30. 22 Moran Circle, Rt 73
- **Sunbeam Child Care Center:** 10:30-11:30. 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]

**Friday**

- **Kidz Connection:** 9:30-10:30. Bellview Blvd
- **Marion County Public Library:** 11:30-12:30. 321 Monroe St.

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**Fairmont**
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- June 15: Readin’ & Kneadin’
  Marley & Me by John Grogan
- June 15: Family Fun Spring Event
- June 19: Adult Craft Class
- June 20: CLOSED: Staff Inservice Day
- June 30: Summer Reading Kick Off Puppet
  Show: “Build a Better World Through Stories”

**Mannington**
- June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: Friends Book Sale
- June 3, 10, 17, 24: Friends Book Sale
- June 5: Summer Reading Kick Off Party with
  Joey Stepp Magic (5:30 pm)
- June 12: Fiction Addiction (3:30 pm)
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- June 28: K-4 Summer Reading Finale

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**Bookmobile**
- May 29-31: CLOSED
- June 12-13: Art Enlargement (Photo Op Prep)
- June 19-20: Cress Seed Designs
- June 26-27: Photo Op Canning Jar Lids
- July 3-4: Duct Tape Projects
- July 10-11: Drone Demo Day
- July 17-18: Painted Letter Nameplates
- July 24-25: Triangle Newspaper Blocks

For more information about bookmobile programming, please contact Lynn Clough at 304-366-1210, extension 130!

**Movies in the Park**
In conjunction with MCPARC and the County Commission, held at Palatine Park at dusk!
- June 10: The BFG
- July 22: A Dog’s Purpose
- August 26: Lego Batman
- September 16: Beauty & The Beast