



Library Live

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Summer Reading Sign Ups

Fairmont:

Sign ups for our toddler, kids (grades k-5), teens (grades 6-12), and adult programs start June 1! 6th graders can choose between the kid and teen programs. Register by calling 304-366-1210.

Fairview:

Summer Reading registration for children, teens, and adults begins on May 23 and will continue through June 13, or until classes are filled. You may register in person or call in by phone— 304-449-1021.

Mannington:

Sign ups for our summer reading programs start June 13! Kids are encouraged to sign up in advance of June 13 and formally register that day at our kick off party. You may register in person or call in by phone— 304-986-2803

On your mark, get set, **READ!**

Be a reading champion this summer at MCPLS during our sports themed summer reading programs. Don't worry, you don't have to be a pro-athlete in order to be a pro-reader!

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

The themes for this year are: "On your mark, get set, READ!" (toddler & kid), "Get in the game: READ" (teen), and "Exercise your mind. READ!" (adult).

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



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June New Releases

DVDs

10 Cloverfield Lane
13 Hours
45 Years
Anomalisa
The Boy
Coat of Many Colors
Eddie the Eagle
Gods of Egypt
Kung Fu Panda 3
Orange is the New Black
Season 3
The Other Side of the Door
Race
Triple 9
Zootopia

Audio Books

All Summer Long
by Dorothea Benton Frank
Bay of Sighs by Nora Roberts
Born of Legend
by Sherrilyn Kenyon
Cavendon Luck by Barbara
Taylor Bradford
Defender by Diana Palmer
Dishonorable Intentions
by Stuart Woods
End of Watch by Stephen King
The Games by James Patterson
Liberty's Last Stand
by Stephen Coonts
Marrying Winterborne
by Lisa Kleypas
Night Shift by Charlaine Harris
Prayers the Devil Answers
by Sharyn McCrumb
The Pursuit by Janet Evanovich
A Sinful Calling by Kimberla
Lawson Roby
Tom Clancy's Duty and Honor
by Grant Blackwood

Bestsellers

I Almost Forgot About You
by Terry McMillan
Barkskins by Annie Proulx
Bay of Sighs by Nora Roberts
Born of Legend
by Sherrilyn Kenyon
Cavendon Luck by Barbara
Taylor Bradford
The Charmers by Elizabeth Adler
Christmas on My Mind
by Janet Dailey
End of Watch by Stephen King
The Games by James Patterson
The Island House by Nancy Thayer
Liberty's Last Stand
by Stephen Coonts

Large Print

15th Affair by James Patterson
That Darkness by Lisa Black
A Dream of Miracles by Ruth Reid
The Dressmaker's War
by Mary Chamberlain
Land of Silence by Tessa Afshar
A Lowcountry Wedding
by Mary Alice Monroe
The Nest by Cynthia Sweeney
The Obsession by Nora Roberts
Rimfire by William W. Johnstone
Wife by Wednesday
by Catherine Bybee

Non-Fiction

*Are We Smart Enough to Know How
Smart Animals Are?*
by Frans de Waal
Dark Money by Jane Mayer
First Women by Kate Andersen Brower
Old Age by Michael Kinsley
The Rainbow Comes and Goes
by Anderson Cooper
Red Platoon by Clinton Romesha
The Secret War by Max Hastings
The Sleep Revolution
by Arianna Huffington
Smarter Faster Better
by Charles Duhigg

Children

The Airport Book by Lisa Brown
The Animals' Ark by Marianne Dubuc
DC Justice League Draw It
The Deadliest Creature in the World
by Brenda Z. Guiberson
Flora and the Peacocks
by Molly Schaar Idle
Have You Seen Elephant?
by David Barrow
Parachute by Danny Parker

Long Cosmos by Terry Pratchett
Night Shift by Charlaine Harris
Prayers the Devil Answers
by Sharyn McCrumb
The Pursuit by Janet Evanovich
Robert Ludlum's The Bourne
Enigma by Eric Van Lustbader
A Study in Sable
by Mercedes Lackey
Tom Clancy's Duty and Honor
by Grant Blackwood
Vengeance by Zane
Vinegar Girl by Anne Tyler
What We Become by Arturo Reverte

Playaway

The Apartment by Danielle Steel
Best of My Love by Susan Mallery
A Brush of Wings
by Karen Kingsbury
Extreme Prey by John Sandford
The Last Mile by David Baldacci
Wilde Lake by Laura Lippman

Playaway Launchpad

From Letters to Words (ages 3-7)
*Berenstain Bears: Working
Together* (ages 5-7)
Dr. Seuss Favorites V.1 (ages 5-7)
Dr. Seuss Favorites V.2 (ages 5-7)
Dr. Seuss Favorites V.3 (ages 5-7)

Playaway View

*Good Night Gorilla and Other
Favorite Animal Stories*
Lots & Lots of Jets & Planes V. 3
Meet the Shapes
Wild Animal Orphans V. 2

Young Adult

The Awakening of Sunshine Girl
by Paige McKenzie
Asking For It by Louise O'Neill
The Distance to Home
by Jenn Bishop
Flannery by Lisa Moore
Genius the Game by Leopoldo Gout
If I Was Your Girl by Meredith Russo
Kaboom! by Brian Adams
Spirit Level by Sarah Harvey
This is the Part Where You Laugh
by Peter Brown Hoffmeister
Until Friday Night by Abbi Glines

Fairmont

Summer Reading

Bang! And we're off to a fast start! Our 2016 summer reading program, "On your mark, get set, READ!" is just around the corner! Sign ups start June 1 for K-5 students, and will continue until our opening puppet show. The kids will meet once a week for a fun class time, with special all ages events happening every Friday! Kids will earn rewards as they attend classes and programs, and as they read. Weekly drawings will occur, so the more they read each week, the more chances they have to win! Contact the library at 304-366-1210 for more details!

Adult Summer Reading

Sign ups start June 1; you can pick up your tote of information starting June 6!

Summer Reading for Kids 5 and Under

BabyTime will continue through June, and will end June 24. We will resume September 9 for the fall and winter session.

Toddler Time is taking a hiatus the month of June, but don't fret! Sign ups for our Summer Reading Program will begin June 1. Kids 18 months-5 years will enjoy experiments, games, exercises, and art as we get ready, get set, READ!

Toddler classes will be for ages 18-36 months and will be held on Mondays from 11-12. Ages 3-5 years will meet Mondays from 1:30-2:30. Space is limited, so call or stop by the library to sign up!

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Fairmont, WV 26554
304-366-1210

Get in the Game, READ: Teen Summer Reading

Sign ups for our teen summer reading program begin June 1! Teens in grades 6-12 are invited to join us for a month of crafts, themed days, games, movies, prizes, and more! Complete reading logs for a chance to win weekly prizes; one grand prize winner will win big! Sign up in person or by calling 304-366-1210.

Taste and Talk

Exercise your palate...EAT! Adult Summer Reading participants are invited to "Taste and Talk" on Thursday, June 30 at 5 pm.

Three cookbooks will be on display beginning June 10. Browse them, and pick out a recipe that appeals to you. We will make a copy for you, and mark that page so no one else takes your selection. Prepare the dish, and bring it in on the selected day for tasting. You don't have to be a gourmet chef, just enjoy eating and talking about the recipe. Each participant will receive an entry for the grand prize to be given away August 30.

Movie in the Park

Movies in the Park are back for the summer! This month's movie is *Disney's Zootopia*! Grab your kids and head to this FREE family event on June 11! Stop by the MCPLS booth for popcorn. The movie will play in Palatine Park once the sun goes down.



Books On Tap

Books on Tap will meet on Thursday, June 2 at 6 pm. This month's venue will be Joe & Throw on Adams Street. We will discuss *Big Stone Gap* by Adriana Trigiani. Books are available at the circulation desk to borrow. Join us for a fun evening of food, drinks, and games! For more information, contact Julie at 304-366-1210.



Adult Craft Class



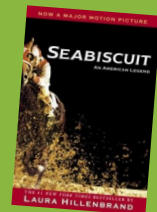
Our adult craft class meets Tuesday, June 21 at 5 pm. This month we will be making Patriotic Mason Jar Lanterns! Call or stop in to sign up. For more information, call Julie at 304-366-1210.

Color Me Crazy

Color Me Crazy will meet on Friday, June 10 at 5pm. This event is free and open to the public. Bring your own coloring utensils and we'll provide the pages and eats! Join us for a relaxing hour of adult coloring fun.

Book It

Book It will meet at the library on Monday, June 13 at 6 pm. This month's selection is *Seabiscuit*, by Laura Hillenbrand. Spaces are still open, and copies of the selection are available at the circulation desk. Join us for good discussion, good company, and tasty snacks!



Coming Next Month!

July 1: Opening puppet show
July 1– August 26: *Artrageous!* Hands on Art Exhibit
July 8: Carnegie Science Center Event at the library
July 11: Teen Crafternoon- 2 pm
July 15: Illusionist Josh Knotts
July 18: Teen Movie Matinee: *Jurassic World*- 2 pm
July 22: Pop Art- Hands on art for kids and teens!
July 23: Movies in the Park
July 25: Percy Jackson Day for Teens- 2 pm



Stay in the Game

To further highlight summer reading, the entryway display for June will be **"Exercise Your Mind and Body."** It will feature a variety of titles that promote active and healthy lifestyles.

Patrons ages 14 and up are eligible to participate in our monthly trivia competition, **"What Do You Know about That?,"** on June 30 from 9 am - 4 pm. Be sure to stop in and put your brain to the test with even more pop culture, current events, and sports topics. A prize will be awarded to the individual with the top score.

Remember to stop by the circulation desk and give us your best guess for our monthly guessing game, **"Gumball Rally."** Guess the number of gumballs in the jar, be the closest without going over, and you'll be the lucky winner.

Cook-a-Book

"Cook-a-Book Is out of This World" will be our theme for Cook-a-Book this summer, with "The Solar System" and "The Constellations" being the highlights for June. Ms. Janna and Ms. Linda will be leading with books, games, crafts, and snacks all spotlighting the theme of outer space. Our coloring workshop for the month of June will be "Wild about Reading."



Fairview

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Fairview, WV 26570
304-449-1021



Exercise Your Mind- Read

"Exercise Your Mind - Read," our Adults' Summer Reading Program, will be led by Ms. Darlene on Fridays, beginning June 3 at 2:30 pm. The group will focus on selections with "active" titles such as: *Mad Dash*, *A Step Toward Falling*, *Walking on Water*, and *Fast Track*.

Get in the Game- Read

Our Teens' Summer Reading Program, "Get in the Game - Read," will be led by Ms. Linda on Tuesdays, beginning June 14 at 1:30 pm. Reading selections and activities will all be centered on games, competition, and gaming.

On Your Mark, Get Set... READ

Once a week beginning June 21, Ms. Janna and Ms. Lee Ann will be leading our Children's Summer Reading Program, "On Your Mark, Get Set... Read." The two age groups of 3-6 years old and 7-10 years old will have reading selections, games, and crafts all featuring a variety of sports, exercises, and healthy food choice themes.

Speaking of Books Club

Speaking of Books will meet June 28 at 4 pm to discuss **Orange is the New Black** by Piper Kerman.

With a career, a boyfriend, and a loving family, Piper Kerman barely resembles the reckless young woman who delivered a suitcase of drug money ten years before. But that past has caught up with her.



Convicted and sentenced to fifteen months at the infamous federal correctional facility in Danbury, Connecticut, the well-heeled Smith College alumna is now inmate #11187-424—one of the millions of people who disappear "down the rabbit hole" of the American penal system.

From her first strip search to her final release, Kerman learns to navigate this strange world with its strictly enforced codes of behavior and arbitrary rules. She meets women from all walks of life, who surprise her with small tokens of generosity, hard words of wisdom, and simple acts of acceptance.

Heartbreaking, hilarious, and at times enraging, Kerman's story offers a rare look into the lives of women in prison.
-Amazon



LIBRARY

Mannington

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Get Set, READ!

Miss Janet will have a special story and activity time for preschoolers on Saturday, June 18 and June 25 at 11 am. Stories, games, and snacks!

Get on you Mark, Get set, READ! K-4

We will be kicking off the summer reading program on Monday, June 13 from 6-8 pm, with a special game based program. All children are encouraged to sign up now and formally register on June 13. The program will run until July 11. Think sports, think fitness, think reading! We have great activities planned and great prizes are just waiting to be won!

Get in the Game, READ!

Get your game on! Sign up now and formally register any time on Monday, June 13. Meet our challenges to earn chances to win CASH. Participate in weekly arcade basketball, silent library, mini library golf and more.

Exercise your Mind, READ! Adult Program

Whether you're trying to get your brain back into shape or you just want to keep it as strong as it is now, our summer reading challenges are just what you need. Sign up today! Space is limited. Backyard Scrabble, adult coloring time, wonderful books to read, and great prizes!

Cover2Cover

June 16 @ 1:30. This month's title:
One Summer: America, 1927
by Bill Bryson.



The summer of 1927 began with Charles Lindbergh crossing the Atlantic.

Meanwhile, Babe Ruth was closing in on the home run record. In Newark, New Jersey, Alvin "Shipwreck" Kelly sat atop a flagpole for twelve days, and in Chicago, the

gangster Al Capone was tightening his grip on bootlegging. The first true "talking picture," Al Jolson's *The Jazz Singer*, was filmed, forever changing the motion picture industry.

All this and much, much more transpired in the year Americans attempted and accomplished outsized things—and when the twentieth century truly became the American century. *One Summer* transforms it all into narrative nonfiction of the highest order. -Amazon

Friends Book Sale

Donations arrive weekly, always something new at the Friends Book Sale, Fridays 10-4:30 and Saturdays 9-1.

Fiction Addiction Book Club: Grades 5-8

June 21 @ 4:00. This month:
Shatter Me by Tahereh Mafi.

I have a curse.
I have a gift.

I'm a monster.
I'm more than human.

My touch is lethal.
My touch is power.



I am their weapon.
I will fight back.

No one knows why Juliette's touch is fatal, but The Reestablishment has plans for her. Plans to use her as a weapon. But Juliette has plans of her own. After a lifetime without freedom, she's finally discovering a strength to fight back for the very first time—and to find a future with the one boy she thought she'd lost forever.

In this electrifying debut, Tahereh Mafi presents a riveting dystopian world, a thrilling superhero story, and an unforgettable heroine.

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 once a month for the rest of the year. Training for this month is scheduled for June 23 & 24 from 9-5 and again June 29 & 30. To sign up for training, call West Virginia's Choice at 304.291.3345 ext. 235 or ask for Cindy.



Marion Libearian, the town librarian

Hello All!

Get out your athletic shoes because Summer Reading is taking off running! Every year I look forward to seeing all the wonderful children who attend the summer reading program. It's such a fabulous way to keep kids reading for the summer. So much fun is lined up that I can hardly wait!

June is also the month for Father's Day! After the success of Mother's Day in Grafton, WV, Father's day soon followed. Father's Day was officially started right here in Fairmont, WV! So WV holds the distinction for creating these special days to honor our mothers and fathers.

Summer has begun! So be sure to check out all our summer items. Whether you need a good summer read or something to keep the kids occupied, the library is here for all your summer fun needs!



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

Grant Town: 9:30-10:00. Community Center Lot
Head Start: 10:30-11:30. Locust Avenue (Adult Learning Center) [1st & 3rd Week]
Heart Junction Child Care: 10:30-11:30. Rivesville [2nd & 4th Week]
Fairmont Area Homeschoolers Together: 12:30-1:30.
3221 Fairmont Avenue [1st & 3rd week]
Disability Action Center: 2:30-3:30. 102 Benoni Ave. [2nd Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45. East Park Elementary [1st & 3rd Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45. Watson Elementary [2nd & 4th Week]

Wednesday

Whitehall: 9:00-10:00. Middletown Mall
Pleasant Valley: 10:30-11:30. Valley Chapel United Methodist Lot
NASA IV & V: 12:00-1:00. Back Parking Lot [1st & 3rd Week]
Wonderland Learning: 12:00-1:00. Mannington [2nd & 4th Week]
Bunner Ridge: 2:30-3:30. Sagebrush Roundup lot [1st & 3rd Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45. 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
Learning Options, Inc.: 1:00-2:00. Songbird Lane [2nd Week]
Rock Lake: 2:00-3:00. Community Center
Colfax: 3:30-4:30. Community Center
Kidz Connection: 3:30-4:30. Bellview Blvd. [2nd & 4th Week]



Fairmont

- **June 1: Summer Reading Sign Ups Begin**
- **June 2: Books on Tap**
The Big Stone Gap by Adrianna Trigiani
- **June 3: First Friday (Veteran's Square)**
Visit our booth and listen to the sounds of the Haley Slagle Band and Funkify!
- **June 4: Friends Book Sale: 9 am—1 pm**
- **June 6: Adult Summer Reading Begins**
- **June 6, 13, 27: MVA Clinic**
They will be helping people sign up for insurance through the Affordable Care Act every Monday from 9 am—12 pm
- **June 10: Color Me Crazy**
- **June 11: Movie in the Park (Palatine)**
- **June 13: Book It:**
Seabiscuit by Laura Hillenbrand
- **June 20: CLOSED for Staff Training**
- **June 21: Adult Craft Class**
- **June 30: Taste and Talk**

Mannington

- **June 3, 10, 17, 24: Friends Book Sale**
- **June 4, 11, 18, 25: Friends Book Sale**
- **June 13: Get on your Mark, Get Set, READ!**
Kick off Party- 6:00-8:00 pm
- **June 16: Cover2Cover— 1:30 pm**
One Summer: America, 1927 by Bill Bryson
- **June 18: Get Set, READ! Preschool Program**
- **June 20: CLOSED for Staff Training**
- **June 21: Fiction Addiction— 4 pm**
Shatter Me by Tahereh Mafi
- **June 21: Get on Your Mark... Story Walk— 6 pm**
- **June 23, 24, 29, 30: WV Choice Training**
- **June 25: Get Set, READ! Preschool Program**
- **June 27: Get on your Mark:**
Coloring Contest Pennant Due

Fairview

- **June 1-30: "Gumball Rally" Guessing Game**
"Wild about Reading" Coloring Workshop
- **June 3, 10, 17: Adults' Summer Reading Hour**
- **June 7, 14, 21, 28: Tuesday Nite Knitters**
- **June 14, 21, 28: Teens' Summer Reading Hour**
- **June 20: CLOSED for Staff Training**
- **June 21, 28: Kids' Summer Reading Hour**
 - 3-6 Year Olds, Group 1
 - 7-10 Year Olds, Group 1
- **June 22, 29: Kids' Summer Reading Hour**
 - 3-6 Year Olds, Group 2
 - 7-10 Year Olds, Group 2
- **June 23: Cook-a-Book, "The Solar System"**
- **June 24: Speaking of Books:**
Orange is the New Black by Piper Kerman
- **June 30: What Do You Know About That? Trivia Contest**
- **June 30: Cook-A-Book, "The Constellations"**