

Library Live

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Joey Herron to speak at Annual Friends of Library Meeting!

The Friends of the Marion County Public Library are pleased to announce their annual meeting, to be held on Saturday, Sept. 17, at 2 pm.



Local birder, author, and photographer Joey Herron will be speaking on birding in West Virginia.

Joey Herron has been birding for 45+ years and shares his experiences in the field banding birds and taking photographs. During October and November each fall since 2005 Herron has banded over 300 migrating Northern Saw-whet Owls at Valley Falls State Park, while hosting over 1200 visitors.

Currently he has had a wildlife observation platform constructed at Prickett's Fort and is working on refurbishing the old caretakers building at Morris Park for use as a Birding and Nature Center.

Herron has recorded almost 200 species of birds in Marion County.

Story Hour is Back!

It's our favorite time of the year! Check below to see what your branch is offering in terms of story hour! We can't wait to have your kids join us!

Fairmont:

Story Hour sign ups have begun, but you still have time to sign up! Story hour is open for preschool age children. Story Hour meets weekly on either Wednesdays or Thursdays at 10:30 am. Story hour begins September 14. Please contact Christian Cox with any questions.

Sign ups for Toddler Time and Baby Time are still going on this month. If you were signed up for the spring, you're already on the list. Babies 0-18 months will meet on Fridays at 9:30 am starting Sept. 16, and Toddlers 18-36 months will meet Tuesdays at 10 am and 11:30 am starting Sept 13. Please contact Julie Mike at 304-366-1210 with any questions.

Fairview:

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Mannington:

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Stories, crafts, games, and snacks 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.

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September New Releases

DVDs

Bigger Splash
Captain America: Civil War
Conjuring 2
God's Not Dead 2
The Huntsman:
 The Winter's War
Love & Friendship
Money Monster
Now You See Me 2
Ratchet & Clank
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles:
 Out of the Shadows

Large Print

Almost Like Being in Love
 by Beth K. Vogt
Apprentice in Death
 by J.D. Robb
Bullseye by James Patterson
The Comfort of Favorite
 Things by Alison Kent
Deadly Encounter
 by Diann Mills
Downfall by J.A. Jance
Falling by Jane Green
Family Tree by Susan Wiggs
Insidious
 by Catherine Coulter
Lone Rider by B.J. Daniels
Mystic Summer
 by Hannah McKennon
Night and Day
 by Iris Johansen
One Less Problem Without
 You by Beth Harbison
Smooth Operator
 by Stuart Woods
 and Parnell Hall
Sunday Kind of Love
 by Dorothy Garlock
Sting by Sandra Brown
Sweet Tomorrows
 by Debbie Macomber
Truly Madly Guilty
 by Liane Moriarty

Bestsellers

Apprentice in Death by J.D. Robb
Denim and Lace by Diana Palmer
Downfall by J.A. Jance
The Girl of His Dreams
 by Susan Mallery
The Hawaiian Quilt
 by Wanda E. Brunstetter
Home by Harlan Coben
Infamy by Robert K. Tanenbaum
The Japanese Lover
 by Isabel Allende
A Love Transformed
 by Tracie Peterson
My Sister's Prayer
 by Mindy Starns Clark
Nutshell by Ian McEwan

Audio Books

113 Minutes by James Patterson
Apprentice in Death by JD Robb
Broken Trust by W.E.B. Griffin
Darkest Journey by Heather Graham
Denim and Lace by Diana Palmer
Downfall by J.A. Jance
Firebrand by Diana Palmer
Girl of His Dreams by Susan Mallery
Home by Harlan Coben
Hunted by James Patterson
Infamy by Robert K. Tanenbaum
Insidious by Catherine Coulter
Pirate by Clive Cussler
Razor Girl by Carl Hiaasen
Woman of God by James Patterson

Nonfiction

The Addict's Loop by Rene Eram
The Big Leap by Gay Hendricks
Blind to Betrayal by Jennifer Freyd
The Day the President Was Shot
 by Bill O'Reilly
First Dads by Joshua Kendall
Data and Goliath by Bruce Shneier
Killing the Rising Sun by Bill O'Reilly
Liars by Glen Beck
Political Animals
 by Richard Shenkman
Uninvited by Lysa Terkeurst

Young Adult

100 Days of Cake by Shari Goldhagen
And The Trees Crept In
 by Dawn Kurtagich
The Forgetting by Sharon Cameron
Local Girl Swept Away
 by Ellen Wittlinger
Pretty Little Liars #14-16
 by Sara Shepard
Watched by Marina Budhos

Out of Nowhere by Susan Dunlap
Pirate by Clive Cussler
Puppet Master by Dale Brown
Pushing Up Daisies by M.C. Beaton
Razor Girl by Carl Hiaasen
Revenge in a Cold River
 by Anne Perry
Robert B. Parker's Debt to Pay
 by Reed Farrel Coleman
Shadow River by Christine Feehan
Texas Tall by Janet Dailey
Truly Madly Guilty by Liane Moriarty
The Wish by Beverly Lewis
Woman of God by James Patterson

Playaway

Broken Trust by W.E.B. Griffin
The Crown by Kiera Cass
Damaged by Lisa Scottoline
The Elite by Kiera Cass
Family Tree by Susan Wiggs
The Games by James Patterson
One Less Problem Without
 You by Beth Harbison
The Selection by Kiera Cass
Sweet Tomorrows
 by Debbie Macomber

Playaway Launchpad

Furry Tales (Ages 3-5)
Mind Launcher (Ages 8-10)
Smithsonian: All Things Animal
 (Ages 8-10)
Life Works (Ages 10+)
It's Elemental (Ages 10+)

Playaway View

Clifford the Big Red Dog Vol. 7
Goosebumps Vol. 5 (Ages 8-12)
Groark Learns About Bullying
 and Prejudice (Ages 4-8)
The Magic School Bus Vol. 8

Juvenile Fiction

Basketball Breakdown
 by Jake Maddox
Epic Adventures of Odysseus
 by B.A. Hoena
Gabi and the Great Big Bakeover
 by Laura Dower
Phantom's Favorite (Hauntiques)
 by Thomas Kingsley Troupe

Fairmont

A Life of Sorrow



Thursday, Sept. 15
at 6 pm.

Performed by award winning actor and musician Gary Reid, ***A Life of Sorrow: The Life and Times of Carter Stanley*** is a one-man play with music about a mountain music legend. Along with his brother, famed Appalachian mountain banjoist Ralph Stanley, Carter Stanley helped lay the foundations for what is today known as bluegrass music.

This mesmerizing performance affords today's audiences a chance to connect with a bluegrass treasure as "he" tells the story of his life in old-time mountain music.

Bonfire of Liberties

Did you know that Banned Books Week takes place every September? As part of our celebration of the freedom to read, we'll be hosting *The Bonfire of Liberties: Censorship of the Humanities*, an exhibit from Humanities Texas. Stop by September 1-30 to see how censorship has affected us through the ages!

Shel Silverstein Celebration

On Saturday, September 24, the library will be celebrating the birthday of one of children's literature's beloved poets—Shel Silverstein. Silverstein is the author of popular works such as *Where the Sidewalk Ends*, *Falling Up*, and *The Giving Tree*. Stop by from 2-3:30 pm for activities, treats, and a rhyming good time.

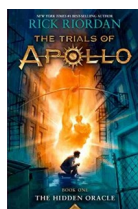
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Teen Crafternoon

Get crafty and make a tiny book necklace or keychain at this month's Teen Crafternoon! We'll be meeting Monday, September 12 at 5 pm to make this fun craft! Please come prepared with the name of the book that you want to make!



Awesome Readers Club



Our teen book club will be meeting in the upstairs conference room on Monday, September 19 at 5 pm to discuss ***The Hidden Oracle*** by Rick Riordan.

Pick up a copy of the book at the circulation desk and join us for a fun filled afternoon with fellow book lovers!

National Teddy Bear Day

Visit the library on Friday, September 9 from 3-4 pm to visit Marion LiBearian the Town Librarian as we celebrate everyone's favorite loveable toy, your Teddy Bear!

September 9 is National Teddy Bear Day! Bring your Teddy to the library for photo ops with Marion! Stop by and say hi to the library's mascot as she makes an appearance to celebrate bears of all shapes and sizes.

Books On Tap

Books on Tap will meet September 2 at 6 pm at Mi Pueblo to discuss ***Deep Down Dark*** by Héctor Tobar. Stop by the front desk to pick up a copy to check out!



Adult Craft Class



We're going to go tie-dye crazy for our adult craft class on Monday, Sept. 26! Bring a white shirt with you, or anything light colored. Perhaps you have a pastel shirt that has a few stains you would like to cover up?

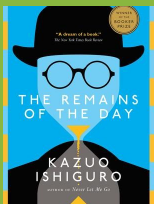
This is a great chance to turn a "rag into riches" during this fun class! Sign up is required and refreshments will be provided. Register today!

Color Me Crazy

Color Me Crazy will be held Friday, September 16 at 5 pm. This month's theme is month will be Owls. Join us for refreshments, soothing music, and friends.

Book It

Book It will meet Monday, September 19 at 6 pm at the library. The selection for this month is *Remains of the Day* by Kazuo Ishiguro. Copies are available for check out at the circulation desk. Refreshments are provided. Join the club for good talk, good eats, and GREAT company!



Movie in the Park



The last movie of the season is *Pride & Prejudice and Zombies* (PG 13)! Grab your kids and head to this FREE family event on Sept. 17!

The movie will play in Palatine Park once the sun goes down. Stop by the MCPLS booth for FREE popcorn!

Story Hour Sign-Ups

Sign ups are still open! See front page for more info!

Baby Time/ Toddler Time

Sign ups are still open! See front page for more info!

Buddies, Bread, and Bingo

When we think of September, apples, leaves, and Labor Day celebrations usually come to mind.

However, September is also "Women's Friendship Month." Be sure to stop by the library and check out our "Thank You for Being a Friend" entryway

display. We have Eileen Goudge's *Immediate Family*, Barbara Delinsky's *More Than Friends*, Emilie Richards' *Happiness Key*, and the complete series of TV's *The Golden Girls* and more available for checkout.

Take your best guess on how many Zours candies are in the jar, be the closest without going over, and win!

An Evening With the Authors

This month, we're featuring local bakers, business owners, and authors of *Salt Rising Bread: Recipes and Heartfelt Stories of a Nearly Lost Appalachian Tradition*, **Jenny Bardwell** and **Susan Brown**, on September 27 from 5 pm – 6 pm.

They operate Rising Creek Bakery in Mount Morris, PA, and will be here to discuss traditional salt-rising recipes as well as to sign copies of their book.



Fairview

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Fairview, WV 26570
304-449-1021

Make Friends With Books

The fall semester is upon us, and that means Fairview's Children's Programs are back in session. Classes kick off on September 19 with "Toddler Time," September 20 with Fairview Elementary's "Circle Time," and September 21 and 22 with "Story Hour."

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In keeping with our fall semester opening theme, **September's coloring page** is also "Make Friends with Books."

Library Book Bingo

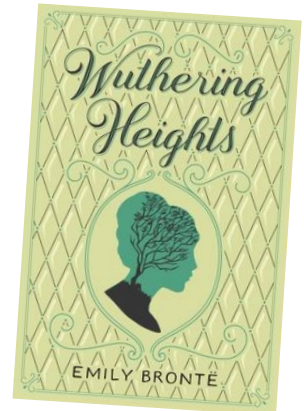
Ms. Linda is serving up Library Book Bingo on September 13 at 3:30 pm for teen patrons. Participants can win YA reading material and enjoy a few refreshments. Call or stop by the library to register.

What Do You Know About That? Trivia

Trivia's back on September 29 from 9 am – 4 pm with "What Do You Know about That?" Patrons 14 years old and up are eligible to participate, and the participant with the most correct answers wins!

Speaking of Books Club
Speaking of Books will meet September 27 at 4 pm to discuss *Wuthering Heights* by **Emily Brontë**.

Lockwood, the new tenant of Thrushcross Grange, situated on the bleak Yorkshire moors, is forced to seek shelter one night at Wuthering Heights, the home of his landlord.



There he discovers the history of the tempestuous events that took place years before; of the intense relationship between the gypsy foundling Heathcliff and Catherine Earnshaw; and how Catherine, forced to choose between passionate, tortured Heathcliff and gentle, well-bred Edgar Linton, surrendered to the expectations of her class.

As Heathcliff's bitterness and vengeance at his betrayal is visited upon the next generation, their innocent heirs must struggle to escape the legacy of the past.

The book's core theme is the destructive effect of jealousy and vengefulness both on the jealous or vengeful individuals and on their communities. -Amazon

A photograph of the Mannington Library building, a two-story brick structure with a prominent tower on the right side. The word "LIBRARY" is displayed in large, blue, serif capital letters above the entrance. A blue awning covers the entrance area.

LIBRARY

Mannington

Library Card Month

Mannington Library is Celebrating with \$25 Gas Card Giveaways! September is National Library Card Month. To enter the drawing, stop by and get your new card today! OR, simply update your existing card to enter our drawing.

Voter's Registration Day

YOUR VOTE IS YOUR VOICE! Be heard, ask us for a voter's registration form and enter our \$25 Gas Card drawing—we'll even deliver your registration form to the courthouse for you.

Friends Book Sale

Summer is not over yet! You can still pick up a great beach read or a stack of books to keep by your favorite easy chair. The Friends Book Sale is open every Friday 10:00-4:30 and Saturday 9:00-1:00.

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 September 29 and 30 from 9-5. To sign up for training, call West Virginia's Choice at 304.291.3345 ext. 235 or ask for Cindy.

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VanGogh & Goodies: Adult Coloring Group

New Program! Carol will be hosting "VanGogh & Goodies-Adult Coloring" Coloring isn't just for children anymore. As we grow older, we put aside our crayons and colored pencils in favor of more respectable writing utensils like pens and highlighters.

But coloring can be beneficial for adults! The practice generates wellness, quietness and also stimulates brain areas related to motor skills, the senses and creativity. Please join the coloring crowd September 12 at 5 pm.

Blackshere "Pizza Parties"

Back by popular demand! We're celebrating Blackshere's Kindergarten class the month of September. 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.

Cover2Cover

September 15 @ 1:30. This month's title: *Gone Girl* by Gillian Flynn



On a warm summer morning in North Carthage, Missouri, it is Nick and Amy Dunne's fifth wedding anniversary. Presents are being wrapped and reservations are being made when Nick's clever and beautiful wife disappears from their rented McMansion on the Mississippi River.

Husband-of-the-Year Nick isn't doing himself any favors with cringe-worthy daydreams about the slope and shape of his wife's head, but passages from Amy's diary reveal the alpha-girl perfectionist could have put anyone dangerously on edge.

Under mounting pressure from the police and the media—as well as Amy's fiercely doting parents—the town golden boy parades an endless series of lies, deceits, and inappropriate behavior. Nick is oddly evasive, and he's definitely bitter—but is he really a killer?

As the cops close in, every couple in town is soon wondering how well they know the one that they love. With his twin sister, Margo, at his side, Nick stands by his innocence. Trouble is, if Nick didn't do it, where is that beautiful wife? And what was in that silvery gift box hidden in the back of her bedroom closet?

Marion Libearian, the town librarian

Hello All!

The hum of the school bus passing by, the fresh smell of new crayons and glue, and the sights of children scurrying off to classes are all signs a new school year has started.

Most consider the spring a time of renewal and fresh start, but the fall is also a time for fresh beginnings. School has started and the libraries are preparing for all their fall and winter programming,

As the first hints of fall flutter in, remember the library will be here for all your school needs as well as fun upcoming family programs. We look forward to all the fun coming to the library this fall.

Have a wonderful new school year!



MCPLS Bookmobile

Monday

Heart Junction Child Care: 9:00-10:00. Rivesville [2nd & 4th Week]
Monongah Park Trailhead: 11:00-12:00. Monongah
Hutchinson: 1:30-2:00. Woodlands Assisted Living
Stepping Stone, Inc: 2:45-3:45. East Grafton Road

Tuesday

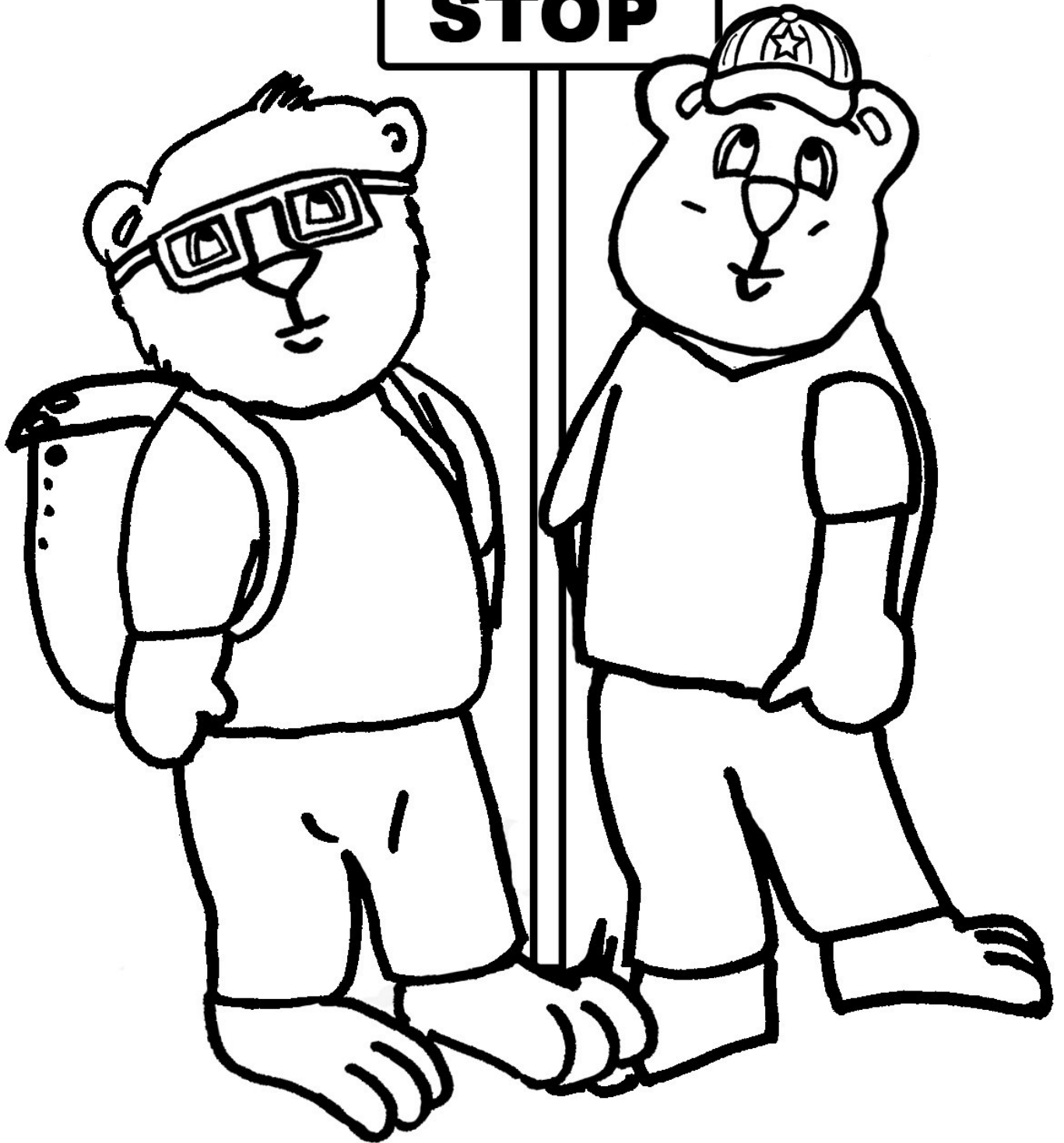
MCPARC Summer Reading Programs
Kidz Connection: 9:30-10:30. Bellview Blvd.
Energy Express: 11:00-12:15. West Fairmont Middle School
Disability Action Center: 2:30-3:30. 102 Benoni Ave. [2nd Week]

Wednesday

White Hall: 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]
Just Like Home: 1:00-2:00. 50 Greenbrier Plaza [2nd & 4th Week]
Bunner Ridge: 2:30-3:30. Sagebrush Roundup lot [1st & 3rd 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
Colfax: 3:30-4:30. Community Center



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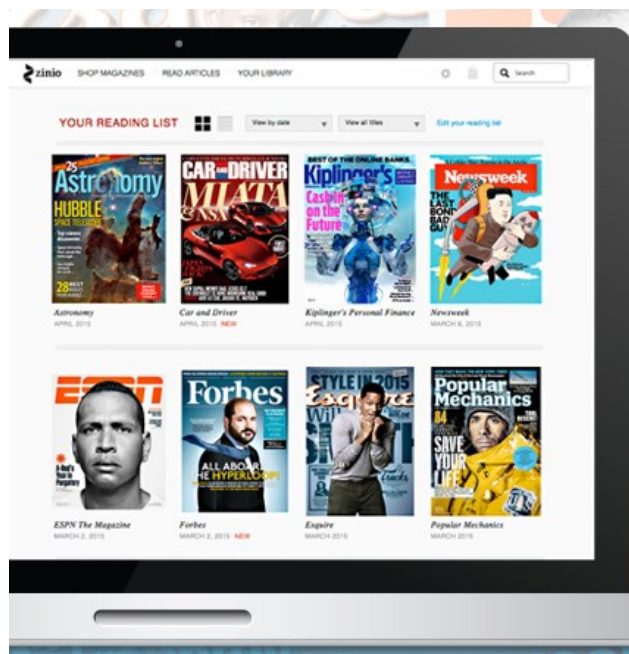
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Mannington

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- September 14: Story Time Begins (10:30 am)
- September 15: Cover2Cover (1:30 pm)
Gone Girl by Gillian Flynn
- September 29, 30: WV Choice Training

Fairview

- September 5: CLOSED for Labor Day
- September 6, 13, 20, 27: Tuesday Nite Knitters
- September 12: Fall Story Time Registration Ends
- September 13: Teen Library Book Bingo
- September 19, 26: Toddler Time
- September 20: Circle Time 1
- September 21, 28: Wednesday Story Hour
- September 22, 29: Thursday Story Hour
- September 27: Circle Time 2
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