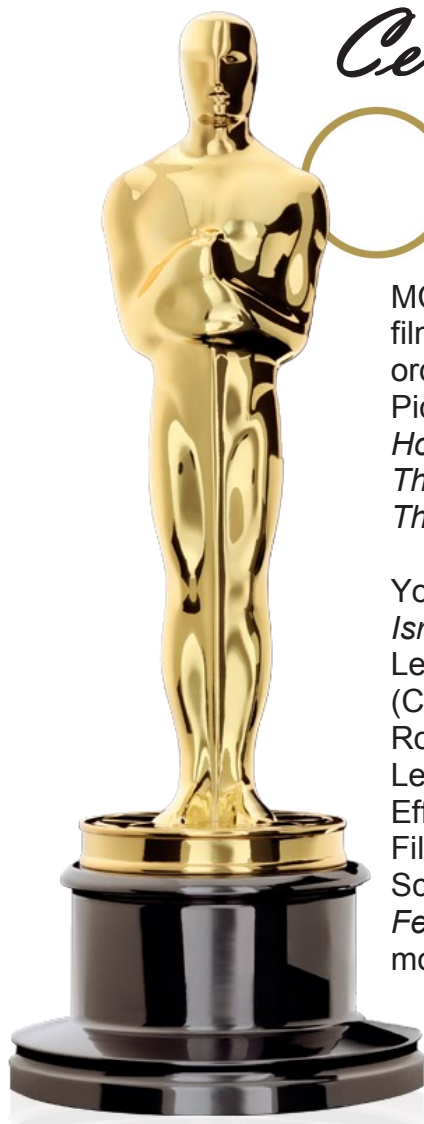


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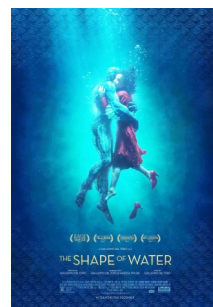
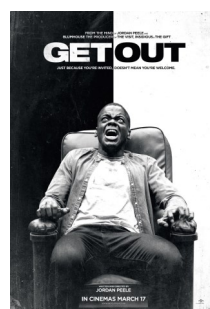
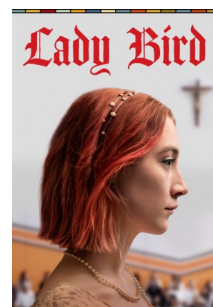


Celebrate THE OSCARS

MCPLS is your hotspot for Oscar nominated films and performers! We have (or have on order) all of this year's nominees for Best Picture: *Call Me By Your Name*, *Darkest Hour*, *Dunkirk*, *Get Out*, *Lady Bird*, *Phantom Thread*, *The Post*, *The Shape of Water*, and *Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri*.

You can also keep an eye out for *Roman J. Israel, Esq.* (Denzel Washington, Actor in a Lead Role), *All the Money in the World* (Christopher Plummer, Actor in a Supporting Role), *I, Tonya* (Margot Robbie, Actress in a Leading Role), *Blade Runner 2049* (Visual Effects), *The Boss Baby* (Animated Feature Film), *Star Wars: The Last Jedi* (Original Score), *Coco* (Animated Feature Film), *Ferdinand* (Animated Feature Film), and more.

The Academy Awards will air Sunday, March 4 at 8 pm. For more nominees, visit [Oscar.go.com/nominees!](https://www.oscar.go.com/nominees/)



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March New Releases

DVDs

The Assignment
Blood Father
DCU Batman: Gotham by Gaslight
Ferdinand
Funny Pets 2
Hedgehogs
Homeland: Season 6
I, Tonya
Justice League
Kung Fu Master: The Movie
The Man Who Invented Christmas
Mighty Joe Young
Monk: The Complete Series
Murder on the Orient Express
My Old Lady
Pitch Perfect 3
Real Ghost Stories
Skyline
Thor: Ragnarok
Universal Soldier: Day of Reckoning
Universal Soldier: Regeneration
Wonder Wheel

Large Print

Accidental Heroes
by Danielle Steel
Against the Law by Ray Hogan
City of Endless Night
by Douglas Preston
A Dangerous Game
by Heather Graham
Darling Dahlias and the Unlucky Clover by Susan Wittig Albert
Duel to the Death by J.A. Jance
The Girl in the Moon
by Terry Goodkind
I've Got My Eyes on You
by Mary Higgins Clark
The Midnight Line by Lee Child
The Rising Sea by Clive Cussler
The Sound of Rain
by Sarah Loudin Thomas
Sweet Vengeance
by Fern Michaels
Truth or Dare by Fern Michaels
The Woman Left Behind
by Linda Howard

Bestsellers

Accidental Heroes by Danielle Steel
Alternate Side by Anna Quindlen
The Bishop's Pawn by Steve Berry
Broken Dream by Amanda Cabot
Caribbean Rim by Randy Wayne White
A Chance at Forever by Melissa Jagears
Covert Game by Christine Feehan
To Die But Once
by Jacqueline Winspear
Duel to the Death by J.A. Jance
The Flight Attendant by Chris Bohjalian
Forever My Girl by Heidi McLaughlin
Hellraiser: The Toll by Clive Barker
If I Live by Terri Blackstock
In Places Hidden by Tracie Peterson
The Poet by Michael Connelly
The Punishment She Deserves
by Elizabeth George

Audio Books

Accidental Heroes
by Danielle Steel
Alternate Side by Anna Quindlen
The Brightest Embers (BOP)
by Jeaniene Frost
A Dangerous Game
by Heather Graham
The Disappeared by C.J. Box
Duel to the Death by J.A. Jance
The Flight Attendant
by Chris Bohjalian
Little Fires Everywhere (BOP)
by Celeste Ng
Mind Game (BOP) by Iris Johansen
Princess Elizabeth's Spy
by Susan Elia Macneal
The Prisoner in the Castle
by Susan Elia Macneal
The Queen's Accomplice
by Susan Elia Macneal
The Rising Sea by Clive Cussler
Sweet Vengeance
by Fern Michaels
The Villain's Collection
by Serena Valentino
The Woman Left Behind
by Linda Howard

CDs

2018 Grammy Nominees
Camila by Camila Cabello
The Good Parts by Andy Grammer
Here's to You by Montgomery Gentry
Man of the Woods
by Justin Timberlake
Play Your Instruments & Make a Pretty Sound by Ella Jenkins
Revival by Eninem
Waves by Rachel Platten
Wow Gospel 2018

Red Alert by James Patterson
The Rising Sea by Clive Cussler
Shadow Keeper by Christine Feehan
Sometimes I Lie by Alice Feeney
Surrender to the Highlander
by Lynsay Sands
Twice Bitten by Lynsay Sands
Two Girls Down by Louisa Luna
White Lace and Promises
by Debbie Macomber
The Wife Between Us
by Greer Hendricks
The Woman in the Window by A.J. Finn
The Woman Left Behind
by Linda Howard

Nonfiction

All American Murder
by James Patterson
Astrophysics for People in a Hurry
by Neil Degrasse Tyson
Home Sweet Murder
by James Patterson
The Last Black Unicorn
by Tiffany Haddish
Promise Me Dad by Joe Biden
The Road Not Taken by Max Boot
Single State of Mind
by Andi Dorfman
Tell Me More: Stories About the 12 Hardest Things I'm Learning to Say by Kelly Corrigan
When by Daniel Pink

Young Adult

American Panda by Gloria Chao
Batman: Nightwalker by Marie Lu
Gunslinger Girl by Lyndsay Ely
Heart of Iron by Ashley Poston
Reign of the Fallen
by Sarah Glen Marsh
Thunderhead by Neal Shusterman
Time Bomb by Joelle Charbonneau
Truly Devious by Maureen Johnson
When My Heart Joins the Thousand
by A.J. Steiger
Winterfolk by Janel Kolby
Zenith by Sasha Alsborg

Graphic Novels

All-Star Batman Vol 2
All-Star Batman Vol 3
Superman-The Ox Effect
Flashpoint: The World of Flashpoint
featuring Wonder Woman
Star Wars: Doctor Aphra
The Walking Dead, Vol 29 (MGN)

Fairmont

Egg'cellent Day



Join us March 31 for an egg'citing day of spring fun! Crafts, activities and a special bunny scavenger hunt! Get ready for that special bunny to hop your way the very next

day. Plenty of bunnies, eggs, and spring time fun for all! Activities will take place from 2-3:30 pm. Can you find all the hidden bunnies for a special surprise? Maybe you'll find a secret hidden egg! Lots of fun and surprises await you on this fun filled day. Hop on into the library for this egg'cellent day!

Adult Craft Class

Our adult craft class will meet Monday, March 19 at 5 pm to create one sew sock bunnies!



Supply List: glue gun, plastic grocery bags (for stuffing). Can bring two sizes of socks, or pick from a selection provided (1) woman's sock, (1) child's sock

Artible: Art & Dessert

Artible will meet March 9 at 5 pm. This month's creation is Rainbow Rain. We will be using acrylic paints in all the colors of the rainbow, and small round brushes. Canvases will be provided. Class is limited to 15, so register today!

Friends Book Sale

It's your lucky day! Join us Saturday, March 17 from 11 am—3 pm for our monthly Friends of the Library Book Sale! Deals so good you'll think you found the leprechaun's pot of gold!

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Fairmont, WV 26554
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Marvel Movie Matinee

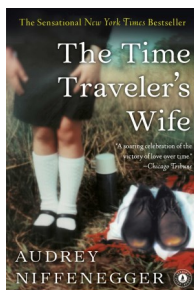


Avengers: Infinity War is coming out May 4, and we're getting ready! Join us for a monthly series of Marvel movies that lead up to the newest movie!

This month's movie is *Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 2* (PG-13)! Join us

Saturday, March 24 at 1 pm for snacks and a good time! (Drinks not provided)

Book It



Join us Tuesday, March 20 at 6 pm to discuss *The Time Traveler's Wife*! Refreshments will be provided, so if you would like to read outside your comfort zone, as well as have some great conversation and tasty treats, register today!

Yarn Guild

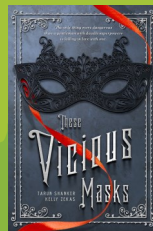
Love knitting or crochet? We're looking for a tangle of people who love working with yarn!

Join us on Wednesday, March 14 at 5 pm for the first meeting of the "Yarn Guild"! By popular demand, the Yarn Guild is a place for anyone who enjoys yarn work to gather with like minded individuals. Open to people of all skill levels!



Awesome Readers Club

We'll be meeting Monday, March 12 at 4:45 pm to discuss *These Vicious Masks* by Tarun Shanker. Stop by to pick up a copy today! Note: We will not meet if school has been canceled for inclement weather.

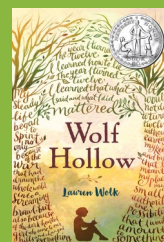


"Jane Austen meets X-Men in this thrilling Victorian adventure full of magic and mysticism, perfect for anyone who loves a confident, rebellious heroine, snappy dialogue, and a hint of romance.

England, 1882. Evelyn is bored with society and its expectations. So when her beloved sister, Rose, mysteriously vanishes, she ignores her parents and travels to London to find her, accompanied by the dashing Mr. Kent. But they're not the only ones looking for Rose. The reclusive, young gentleman Sebastian Braddock is also searching for her, claiming that both sisters have special healing powers. Evelyn is convinced that Sebastian must be mad, until she discovers that his strange tales of extraordinary people are true—and that her sister is in graver danger than she feared." -Amazon

'Tween the Pages

Students in grades 5-8: We'll be meeting Monday, March 12 at 3:30 pm to discuss *Wolf Hollow* by Lauren Wolk. Stop by the front desk to check out a copy today! Note: We will not meet if school has been canceled for inclement weather.



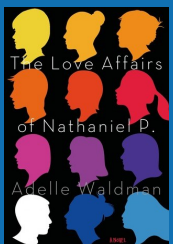
"Growing up in the shadows cast by two world wars, Annabelle has lived a mostly quiet, steady life in her small Pennsylvania town. Until the day new student Betty Glengarry walks into her class. Betty quickly reveals herself to be cruel and manipulative, and while her bullying seems isolated at first, things quickly escalate, and reclusive World War I veteran Toby becomes a target of her attacks. While others have always seen Toby's strangeness, Annabelle knows only kindness. She will soon need to find the courage to stand as a lone voice of justice as tensions mount." -Amazon

Marching into Reading

Let reading take you on a journey this month. Whether it's a personal journey as in James Salter's *All That Is*, an elderly woman's reflective trek to the ocean like Emma Hooper's *Etta and Otto and James and Russell*, a journey into past loves such as Adelle Waldman's



The Love Affairs of Nathaniel P., or a sister's search for answers to her brother's



disappearance as in Valerie Geary's *Everything We Lost*, "March into a Good Book" with these and other titles in our featured display.

Gardening Q&A

Looking for some informative gardening guidelines from a local expert?



Then why not join us on March 27th from 2:30 – 4 pm when Fairview local Dorothy Hood presents her annual Q&A session on cultivating plants and soil richness. No registration is required so be sure stop by for some free gardening tips.



Fairview

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

Springing into Story Time

March is here! That means the Fairview Public Library begins another semester of "Toddler Time," "Story Hour," and "Circle Time." Beginning on March 6, Fairview Elementary and Middle school students in grades PreK - 4 will once again return to the reading room for checkout time and entertaining picture and chapter book storytelling.

Beginning the week of March 12th, Ms. Megan and Ms. Ashley will be heading up our "Toddler Time" and "Story Hour" sessions featuring the themes of "St. Patrick's Day", "Dr. Seuss", and "Easter"

Our coloring workshop for this month is "We Really 'Dig' Reading!"

What Do You Know About That? Trivia Contest

Our monthly trivia contest, "What Do You Know about That?" continues on March 29th from 9 am – 4 pm with the "Green Thumb Edition." Patrons ages 14-up are eligible to participate, and the contestant with the most correct answers wins a prize.

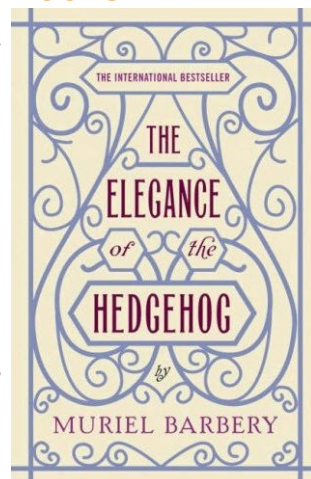
Happy St 'Patties' Day

And, of course, you can get in on our Circulation Desk guessing game, "Happy St 'Patties' Day," each visit by estimating how many Peppermint Patties are in the jar. But, you have to be the closest without going over to win!

Speaking of Books

Our monthly book club, "Speaking of Books," meets on March 27 to discuss Muriel Barbery's *The Elegance of the Hedgehog*.

"We are in the center of Paris, in an elegant apartment building inhabited by bourgeois families. Renée, the concierge, is witness to the lavish but vacuous lives of her numerous employers. Outwardly she conforms to every stereotype of the concierge: fat, cantankerous, addicted to television. Yet, unbeknownst to her employers, Renée is a cultured autodidact who adores art, philosophy, music, and Japanese culture. With humor and intelligence she scrutinizes the lives of the building's tenants, who for their part are barely aware of her existence.



Then there's Paloma, a twelve-year-old genius. She is the daughter of a tedious parliamentarian, a talented and startlingly lucid child who has decided to end her life on the sixteenth of June, her thirteenth birthday. Until then she will continue behaving as everyone expects her to behave: a mediocre pre-teen high on adolescent subculture, a good but not an outstanding student, an obedient if obstinate daughter.

Paloma and Renée hide both their true talents and their finest qualities from a world they suspect cannot or will not appreciate them. They discover their kindred souls when a wealthy Japanese man named Ozu arrives in the building. Only he is able to gain Paloma's trust and to see through Renée's timeworn disguise to the secret that haunts her. This is a moving, funny, triumphant novel that exalts the quiet victories of the inconspicuous among us." -Amazon

LIBRARY

Mannington

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

Saturday Morning Movie @ the Library



Rated PG

Show Time: Sat.
March 3 at 11 am
Popcorn and drinks
provided.

Aspiring musician Miguel, confronted with his family's ancestral ban on music, enters the Land of the Dead to find his great-great-grandfather, a legendary singer.

Friends Book Sale

Friends of the Mannington Library Quarterly Meeting: Monday, March 12 at 6:00 pm.

Friends of the Mannington Library is a group of volunteers and donors dedicated to supporting and strengthening the Mannington Public Library. The Friends support the library in many ways including volunteering, sponsoring special events and programs, and operating the used bookstore. This meeting is open to all.

Spring time is refreshing! If you are refreshing your book cases, we are accepting donations and we have a great selection to restock with. The Friends Book Sale is open every Friday 10:00-4:30 and Saturday 9:00-1:00.

Toddler Time & Story Time

Raising butterflies and growing bean stalks; *Spring Story Time Sessions Have Begun!* Story time plays an important role in introducing children to the magic of books. Miss Janet and Miss Carol have welcomed back their story time friends and have room for more. 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.

Read Across America Day: March 2nd



Hats off to Dr. Seuss! March 2nd is Dr. Seuss's birthday—what better way to celebrate than to read? We're celebrating Dr. Seuss' Birthday at the library and we're serving CAKE!

Van Gogh & Goodies

Join Karen and the "Van Gogh & Goodies" crowd for an evening of origami, Monday, March 12 at 5 pm.

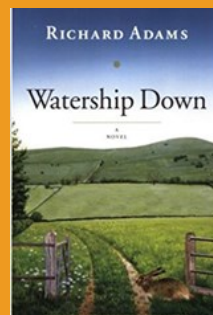


Blackshere Pizza Parties

They've been waiting for their chance to win! We're celebrating Blackshere's first grade class the month of March. Every time a first grade 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.

Fiction Addiction

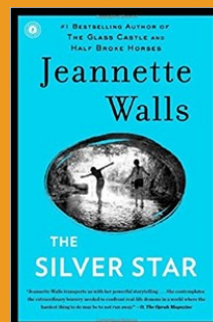
Fiction Addiction is more than book talk, it's crafting, food and FUN! Pick up your copy of *Watership Down* by Richard Adams at Mannington Library and join "Fiction Addiction" a book club for teens on Monday, March 26 at 3:30 p.m.



"Set in England's Downs, a once idyllic rural landscape, this stirring tale of adventure, courage and survival follows a band of very special creatures on their flight from the intrusion of man and the certain destruction of their home. Led by a stouthearted pair of brothers, they journey forth from their native Sandleford Warren through the harrowing trials posed by predators and adversaries, to a mysterious promised land and a more perfect society. ."

Cover2Cover

Pick up your copy of *The Silver Star* by Jeannette Walls at Mannington Library and join the "Cover 2 Cover" book club on Thursday, March 15 at 1:30 p.m.



"Abandoned by their artist mother at the age of 12, Bean and her older sister, Liz, are sent to live in the decaying antebellum mansion of their widowed uncle, where they learn the truth about their parents and take odd jobs to earn extra money before an increasingly withdrawn Liz has a life-shattering experience." —NoveList

Hello All!



March is here, winds and all! Signs of spring will soon be seen as March 20 is the first day of spring. As we march into March, be sure to check out all the newest offerings the library has.

The month for wearing of the green! Whether you're Irish or not you can have luck finding what you're looking for at the library. Weekly additions to the collections are available to you, newest movies, books and more.

Be sure to check out Oscar nominated films the library has with DVDS, music, and more available both at the library and our vast online collections. What are your predictions for Academy Awards?

MCPLS Bookmobile

Note: Bookmobile does not run when school is closed for inclement weather.

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

Fritz Rug Ratz: 9:30- 10:30. Whitehall
Baptist Temple: 10:30-11:00. Morgantown Avenue [2nd & 4th Week]
PACE: 11:30-12:30 Country Club Road [2nd & 4th Week]
Bunner Ridge: 1:30-2:30. Sagebrush Roundup [1st & 3rd Week]
Disability Action Center: 2:30-3:30. 102 Benoni Ave. [2nd & 4th Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 3:45-4:45. East Park Elementary [1st & 3rd Week]

Wednesday

White Hall: 9:00-10:00. Middletown Mall
Barrackville Preschool: 10:30-11:30. [1st & 3rd Week]
NASA IV & V: 12:00-1:00. Back Parking Lot [1st & 3rd Week]
Wonderland Learning: 12:00-1:00. Mannington [2nd & 4th Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 3:30-4:30. Watson Elementary [1st & 3rd Week]
Boys & Girls Club: 3:30-4:30. Blackshere Elementary [2nd & 4th Week]

Thursday

Bright Beginnings Day Care: 9:30-10:15. 22 Moran Circle, Rt 73
Sunbeam Child Care Center: 10:30-11:30. Mary Lou Retton Drive
Learning Options, Inc: 1:00-2:00. Songbird Lane [2nd Week]
Rock Lake: 2:00-3:00. Community Center [1st & 3rd Week]
Colfax: 3:30-4:30. Community Center [1st & 3rd Week]
Kidz Connection: 3:30-4:30. Bellview Blvd [2nd & 4th Week]



Fairmont

- March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Thurs. Story Hour
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- March 5: Winter Hours END
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Watership Down by Richard Adams

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- March 6, 20: Circle Time 1
- March 9: Toddler Time/Story Hour Registration Ends
- March 12, 19, 26: Toddler Time
- March 13, 27: Circle Time 2
- March 14, 21, 28: Wednesday Story Hour
- March 15, 22, 29: Thursday Story Hour
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