

WE ARE HIRING!

The Fairview Public Library and Mannington Public Library are each looking for a fun, energetic, responsible person for a part time Library Assistant position (19 hours a week).

MUST HAVE:

- Excellent typing & computer skills
- · Customer care experience
- Ability to bend and lift 25 lb.
 High School degree (or
- · High School degree (or equivalent)

Experience in libraries or with children a plus.

Apply at any MCPLS branch. Open until filled.

If you have any questions, please contact Kerry Trahan at ktrahan@mcpls.org!

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SUMMER FUN

Our summer reading program, "Imagine Your Story" continues this month with the online platform Bookpoints (mcpls.bookpoints.org) and virtual programming, but that's not all kids can do with a library card this summer!

Crafts with Creativebug:

Creativebug offers crafts for adults, teens, and kids alike. They have everything from textile crafts (sewing, knitting, crochet) to mixed media art, and candy making!

During the months of July and August they will offer special crafts for kids as part of "Camp Creativebug." To get started, visit www.mcpls.org/education and click on Creativebug!



Educational Activities:

Scholastic Teachables is your place for fun educational activities for kids! With content for Pre-K through 8th grade, you're sure to find something for your child.



While they have the classic subjects like language arts, math, and social studies, you can also access word searches, seek and find puzzles, cut and paste activities, connect the dots, and more! To get started, visit www.mcpls.org/education and click on Scholastic Teachables!

Movie Night:

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Stream movies to your TV or device with hoopla digital or Kanopy!

Kanopy Kids includes unlimited viewings of

animated books, PBS shows, and family friendly movies.

Hoopla offers something for all ages, including movies like *Daddy Day*Care, Ella Enchanted, and Max 2!

Download the apps, or visit www.mcpls.org/streaming



July Events

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

Weekly Kids Events

Join us for weekly scheduled videos for kids on Facebook, Instagram, and YouTube, Tuesdays at 10:30 am!

July 7, 10:30 am: "Dragon Age"

Fire breathing dragons are in the air! Join us for this adventure to discover dragon tales! Christian Cox will be traveling to Mannington to join Keith Hubbard for this fantastic fun time with one of the most popular mythological creatures, the majestic dragon. Following a dragon tale or two, Keith will lead a series of dragon related science experiments that you can do with items you can find around your house.

July 14, 10:30 am: "Tell Your Story"

Join us as we explore stories from around the world. Christian Cox will share a variety of stories from Irish tales to African folk stories.

After hearing these stories, you'll be able to pick up a cardboard pyramid at the library so that you can creatively 'tell your story'. A limited number of cardboard pyramids will be available as a Take & Make craft that can be picked up at any of the three Marion County branches- starting July 14.

July 21, 10:30 am: "Magic in the Making"

Come one, come all! Prepare to be amazed as we create some magic that you can do at home! Magic milk experiment and Growing green monster bomb! Don't do this inside unless you are ready for complete chaos!

July 28, 10:30 am: "Happily Ever After"

Join Mr. Christian and Miss Julie as they share some of their favorite stories and pictures from this year's "Imagine Your Story" Summer Reading Program.

And then...Imagine! (Kids)

We need your help to create some imaginative stories this summer and you can earn a Storyteller's badge in the process! Miss Julie will start a tale on July 13 at 10:30 am, and then you can imagine a wonderful ending.

You can use words, pictures or both to finish the tale. Watch the prompt on our Facebook page or YouTube Channel, then submit your stories to summer2020@mcpls.org.

Take & Makes

These are projects that you pick up at your branch to create. Available first come, first serve, while supplies last.

Adults: Lord of the Rings Door Hanger

Available starting July 6, while supplies last

Kids: Cardboard Pyramid Craft Available starting July 14, while supplies last.



Adult Painting Class

Join us on social media July 17 at 3 pm to learn how to create a whimsical painting of hope with Julie Mike.

Materials needed:

- Canvas, wood panel, wood slab. (Anything you can paint on.)
- Acrylic Paints: red, yellow, blue, green, white, black
- Brushes: 1" flat, Filbert, small round liner, small or medium angle brush
- Chalk

Beyond the Book Club



In July we will be stepping into the imagination of H.G. Wells as we discuss his novel, *The War of the Worlds*. The book is available on hoopla, WVDELI, and in our collection.

"The ultimate tale of Earth's invasion, written by one of the fathers of the science fiction genre. They came from a depleted, dying planet. Their target: the riches of a moist, green Earth. With horrifyingly advanced machines of destruction, they began their inexorable conquest. The war for Earth seemed

destined to be ... but was it?" - Novelist

For the "Beyond the Book" activity, join us for "Fake News & How to Spot It." See below for more information.

Registration required for each event. Visit www.mcpls.org/events to sign up.

You can also join the "Beyond the Book" Facebook group for more conversation and fun!

July 22: War of the Worlds Book Discussion

July 29: Fake News & How to Spot It

Fake News & How to Spot It

Beyond the Book presents: Fake News & How to Spot It! Join us Wednesday, July 29 at 7pm! Fake news is information, stories, hoaxes and



propaganda used to deliberately mislead or deceive readers.

Join us as Pamela Pittman, Assistant Professor of Education at Fairmont State University, presents valuable insight and tools for telling fact from fiction.

Visit www.mcpls.org/events to sign up.

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Graphic Novel Book Club

NEW!! Whether you are an avid reader or this is your first graphic novel, come join us virtually to discuss graphic novels from all genres.

This month we will discuss
The Witcher Vol. 1: House of Glass.

The Witcher universe spans across a series of novels, video games, comic books, a movie, and a recent Netflix adaptation. We will read a self-contained story so no previous knowledge of the series is required. This volume does contain adult material so reader's discretion is advised. This comic can be accessed through Hoopla or our collection. Visit www.mcpls.org/events to sign up!

Friday Night Flicks

Join us for a virtual movie "get-together" from the comfort of your own home; accompanied by a live Facebook chat on the Marion County Public Library Facebook page.

July 10: Whale Rider (PG, 8 pm)

A contemporary story of love, rejection and triumph as a young Maori girl fights to fulfill a destiny her grandfather refuses to recognize.

July 24: *Kate & Leopold* (PG-13, 8 pm) An English Duke from 1876 is inadvertedly dragged to modern day New York where he falls for a plucky advertising executive.

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. WNG meets every Wednesday at 5 pm to play games like Dominant Species, Sagrada, and Terraforming Mars.

MCPL's Wednesday Night Game Group is also part of the WV Nerd Herd, North Central WV's Boardgaming Community.

July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29: 5 pm

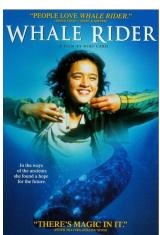
Note: you will need a mic or headset in order to play

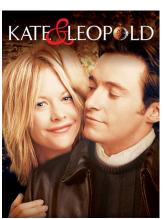
Speaking of Books

The Fairview Public Library's Speaking of Books Club returns virtually on Tuesday, August 4 at 4 pm!

Our first book will be *The Alice Network* by Kate Quinn! The Alice Network is available in eBook and audiobook on hoopla digital, Axis 360, or through our collection.









July New Releases

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

DVDs

Bad Therapy Brooklyn's Finest Capone Crossing Over Deadwater: Season 1 **Dolemite** Downhill Exorcism at 60,000 Feet **Guns Akimbo** Heartland Docs, Dvm Season 1 Home by Spring Hope Gap Impractical Jokers the Movie Justice League Dark LEGO DC Shazam **Ordinary Love Promare** Pup School Up in the Clouds Return of the Native Star Trek Short Treks Teen Musical the Movie Trolls World Tour Dance Edition Wolf Lake, Season 1 WWE Backlash 2020 Zombies 2

BOCD

1st Case by James Patterson American Dirt

by Jeanine Cummins **The Book of Longings**

by Sue Monk Kidd

Cajun Justice by James Patterson

Camino Winds by John Grisham

Dead Land by Sara Paretsky

Devoted by Dean Koontz

Half Moon Bay

by Jonathon Kellerman

Have You Seen Me? By Kate White

If It Bleeds by Stephen King

Masked Prey by John Sandford

The Order by Daniel Silva

Revenge by James Patterson

Someone Like You

by Karen Kingsbury

Walk the Wire by David Baldacci

The Warsaw Protocol

by Steve Berry

The Wedding Dress

by Danielle Steel

July New Releases Cont.

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Fiction

1st Case by James Patterson **28 Summers** by Elin Hilderbrand American Demon by Kim Harrison The Amish School Teacher

Beach Read by Emily Henry Cajun Justice by James Patterson Camino Winds by John Grisham Deadlock by Catherine Coulter **Deadly Touch** by Heather Graham The Devil's Bones

by Carolyn Haines

The Geometry of Holding Hands by Alexander McCall Smith Half Moon Bay

by Jonathon Kellerman

Heiroglyphics by Jill McCorkle

House of Blood and Earth

It's Not All Downhill From Here

The Lost and Found Bookshop by Susan Wiggs

Memoirs and Misinformation by Jim Carrey

Mum & Dad by Joanna Trollope The Nightmare Feast

The Order by Daniel Silva Peace Talks by Jim Butcher The Plague Dogs

by Richard Adams Rachel's Rescue by Serena Miller The Revisioners by Margaret

Sex and Vanity by Kevin Swain Ship of Fates by Caitlin Chung Summer at Lake Haven

A Walk Along the Beach by Debbie Macomber

Video Games

Nintendo Switch: Stranded Sails

XBOX One: My Hero One's Justice 2 The Walking Dead

PS4: Final Fantasy VII Plants VS. Zombies Resident Evil 3 Shadow of the Tomb Raider

Large Print

1st Case by James Patterson

An Easy Death by Charlaine Harris Cajun Justice by James Patterson Chasing the White Lion by James R. Hannibal The Crow's Call by Wanda E. Brunstetter **Deadlock** by Catherine Coulter Deadly Touch by Heather Graham Death by Chocolate Frosted Doughnut by Sarah Graves Half Moon Bay by Jonathon Kellerman The Jerusalem Assasin by Joel C. Rosenberg The Lost and Found Bookshop by Susan Wiggs Matchmaking Can Be Murder by Amanda Flower A Murderous Relation by Deanna Raybourn No Name: The Story of a Ghost Town by Richard Wheeler The Order by Daniel Silva Rope Burn by William H. Johnstone

Non-Fiction

A Walk Along the Beach

Selah by Lisa Tawn Bergren

Starfish Pier by Irene Hannon

by Debbie Macomber

American Crusade by Pete Hegseth Amity and Prosperity by Eliza Graworld The Chiffon Trenches by Andre Leon Talley Help Yourself Now by Jan Yager Let's Never Talk About This Again By Sara Faith Alterman Murphy's Law by Jack Murphy Plague of Corruption by Kenth Heckenlively The Room Where it Happened by John Bolton

The Sirens of Mars

by Sarah Stewart Johnson

Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You by Jason Reynolds and Ibram X. Kendi

Stolen Justice: The Struggle for African-American Voting Rights by Lawrence Goldstone

Supreme Inequality by Adam Cohen Wolf Girl: Finding Myself in the Wild

by Doniga Markegard The World by Richard Haass

Children

The Bad Guys in the Dawn of the **Underlord** by Aaron Blabey I Love My Teacher by Giles Andreae Late Lunch with Llamas by Mary Pope Osborne Mulan's Happy Panda Pete the Kitty and the Unicorn's Missing Colors by James Dean Rapunzel's Perfect Pony Sidney, Stella, and the Moon by Emma Yarlett

Graphic Novels

Amazing Spider-man: The Daily Bugle by Mat Johnson Dancing at the Pity Party: A Dead Mom Graphic Memoir The Dark Matter of Mona Starr

by Laura Lee Gulledge **Dragon Hoops** by Gene Luen Yang Drawing the Vote by Tommy Jenkins

Fights: One Boy's Triumph over Violence I Am Not Okay With This

by Charles Forsman (MGN)

I Survived the Shark Attack's of 1916 Killer Groove 1 by Ollie Masters The Moment of the Storm (AG Vol 3)

by Neil Gaiman (MGN)

My Ainsel (AG Vol 2) by Neil Gaiman (MGN)

One-Punch Man. 19 Vampire Game Vol 1-10 by Judal When Stars are Scattered

by Victoria Jamieson

Juvenile Fiction

Big Nate Stays Classy by Lincoln Peirce

Call of the Sound Dragon (Dragon Masters #16) by Tracey West

Curse of the Night Witch by Alex Aster

Day of Joy: A Feast of Hopeful Eidful stories by 15 Muslim Voices

Don't Call the Wolf by Aleksandra Ross

Don't Check Out This Book! by Kate Klise

Earthquake Shock by Marlane Kennedy Efrén Divided by Ernesto Cisneros The Great Pet Heist by Emily Ecton The Madre de Aguas of Cuba by Adam Gidwitz

Sal & Gabi Fix the Universe

by Carlos Alberto Hernandez

Young Adult

Again Again by E. Lockhart All the Stars and Teeth by Adalyn Grace

Anna K: A Love Story by Jenny Lee **Berlin** by Jason Lutes

A Castle in the Clouds by Kerstin Gier Chain of Gold by Cassandra Clare Cinderella is Dead by Kaynn Bayron

Clap When You Land by Elizabeth Acevedo

Foul is Fair by Hannah Capin

Geese are Never Swans

by Kobe Bryant Hawk by James Patterson

The Light in Hidden Places

by Sharon Cameron

Mermaid Moon by Susann Cokal Of Neptune by Anna Banks Shielded by Kaylyn Flanders

The Sisters Grimm

by Menna Van Praag

The Upside of Falling by Alex Light When You Were Everything

by Ashley Woodfolk