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#### Who to talk to

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#### Board of Trustees Meeting

The Campbell County Public Library's Board of Trustees meets at 5:30 pm on the third Wednesday each month. All board meetings are open to the public. Next meeting dates and locations are:

November 16 at Cold Spring

December 21 at Newport

- January 18 at Fort Thomas
- February 15 at Alexandria

## We suggest

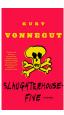
#### STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: BOOKS WE'RE THANKFUL FOR



### *Illusions: The Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah* by Richard Bach

Fans of *Jonathan Livingston Seagull* might recognize this title. It's the wonderful story of a messiah turned barnstorming airplane pilot who takes on a protégé. So many quotes from this book have guided my life.

— JC Morgan, library director



#### Slaughterhouse-Five by Kurt Vonnegut

Vonnegut's classic book was there for me at the most difficult time in my life. I picked it up the day after my beloved grandfather passed. Vonnegut's words helped me grapple with the loss through the perspective of aliens. I have revisited the book several more times since and I've gained more wisdom with each reading. So it goes.

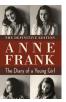
— Madeleine Kissling, patron services supervisor, Carrico/Fort Thomas Branch



#### The Importance of Being Earnest by Oscar Wilde

Before I read this book as a teenager, I held the absurd notion that "old" books couldn't be anything other than boring. Imagine my surprise when I laughed out loud reading about the antics of these characters! This book broadened my literary horizons beyond young adult fiction.

- Natalie Shadrick, adult/teen services programmer, Carrico/Fort Thomas Branch



#### The Diary of Anne Frank by Anne Frank

I have read and re-read this book. Although our situations are vastly different I have always felt a deep connection to her. I have always felt we could be friends. She was a little wicked, funny and so talented. Had she lived, one can only wonder what she could have accomplished.

— Toni Reinke, library page, Newport Branch

## Professional Book Nerds

Calling all podcast listeners: Add *Professional Book Nerds* to your lineup! The three hosts—Joe Skelley, Emma Dwyer and Jill Grunenwald—work at OverDrive, the industry-leading app for ebooks and audiobooks through local libraries and schools. The company is also the mind behind Libby, a refreshed take on the classic OverDrive app. Tune in to PBN for weekly expert book recommendations, author interviews and to listen to fellow book nerds geek about the latest hot reads. Past interviews have included Kwame Alexander, Alan Cumming, James Dashner, Lee Child and Jodi Picoult. You can listen on Libby (or OverDrive), iTunes, Google Play, Stitcher, iHeartRadio, Tuneln, Radio FM, Spotify and more.





### **Drop Your Drawers,** continued from the cover

After a record-breaking year in 2021, Drop Your Drawers returns to all of our branches this November and December.

The initiative aims to meet a crucial need for public schools, and the families they serve, in Campbell County: keeping Family Resource Centers' emergency supplies of clean socks and underwear stocked. Schools hand out 100 or more pairs monthly to children of all ages who need them due to accidents at school or circumstances at home.

This year, the goal is to raise 7,000 new pairs of socks and underwear. Donations of any size may be dropped off at all library branches and must be in their original packaging. Bras and t-shirts are also accepted. Last year, our community smashed the initial goal of 7,000 to raise 15,169 pairs of new socks and underwear. Due to the large volume of donations, we sent a little over 2,000 items to those affected by the devastating tornadoes in western Kentucky in December 2021. Library staff were blown away by Campbell County's outpouring of support. Here's to another successful Drop Your Drawers campaign in 2022!

#### "Since its launch in 2015, Drop Your Drawers has become a mainstay in our community."

JC Morgan, library director, said, "It addresses an important, but often overlooked, need:

all children should have access to clean underwear and socks that fit."

Keeping such supplies stocked allows centers to redirect funding to provide other valuable resources. Guardians are also often unable to bring fresh underwear and socks to their children during school hours, which means they can miss valuable classroom time.

Year after year, our community has gone above and beyond for Drop Your Drawers. Having launched at CCPL, the campaign has now been held at library systems across the country.

For more information on the campaign, visit www.cc-pl.org/drop-your-drawers.

## Get Our Newsletter at Your Doorstep!

Stay in the know about the library when you sign up for our Connections newsletter to be delivered to your home or office every month.

The newsletter features library programs at each branch, services, announcements, patron stories and more. Don't miss out! Map out your month with the library by flipping through Connections. All you have to do is sign up at www.cc-pl.org/connections.

You can also pick up a newsletter at any of our branches. Want to go digital? Sign up online or in-person for our enewsletter, which users can customize to fit their interests, favorite branch and frequency preferences.





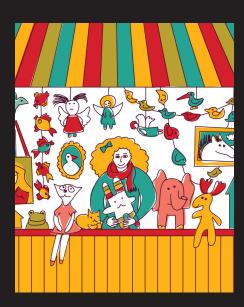
## YART: The Yard Art Sale

Peruse works from dozens of local artists at this year's YART, the Newport Branch's annual Yard Art Sale. Everything for sale is \$30 or less, making YART the perfect place to get a head start on holiday shopping.

Held 11 am - 4 pm Saturday, Nov. 12, art and craft vendors will be spread out on both floors of the Newport Branch. There's sure to be something for everyone on your list (including yourself!). Items range from ceramics to illustrations, photography, metalwork, paintings, jewelry, textiles and more.

The event takes place on the same Saturday as the Friends of the Library Book Sale, where you can stock up on gently used books for \$3 or less. Some books are free.

Registration is not required. For more information, visit cc-pl.org/YART.



## Signature Series: Sarah Kurchak

Hear from Sarah Kurchak, author of *I* Overcame my Autism and All I Got Was This Lousy Anxiety Disorder, at November's installment of Signature Series at the Carrico/Fort Thomas Branch. Held at 7 pm Friday, Nov. 4, Kurchak's memoir examines the steps she took to become "an autistic success story," how the process almost ruined her life and how she is now trying to recover. Stick around for a short reception and an opportunity to get autographs. The Carrico/Fort Thomas Branch will close early at 5 pm to prepare for the event. Free tickets are required.



## Alexandria

**November Calendar** 

Autumn Nature Crafting 3 pm Thursday, Nov. 17

#### **Programs**

Registration is required for all programs, unless noted.

#### **Book Discussions**

#### **After Hours Book Club**

7:30 pm Thursday, Nov. 17 *Americanah* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie.

#### **Cam's Kids Book Club**

4:30 pm Tuesday, Nov. 22 *The Bluest of Blues: Anna Atkins and the First Book of Photographs* by Fiona Robinson. Register to get a free copy of the book.

#### **Adults**

#### **Computer Basics**

1-2:30 pm Thursday, Nov. 3 In this workshop, learn how to navigate the Windows 10 operating system; manage applications using the task manager; find and manage files and folders; save/delete files and folders; and more. You may bring a personal laptop but they will also be provided for attendees to use during class.

#### **iPhone and iPad Basics**

1-2:30 pm Saturday, Nov. 12 Are you considering getting an iPhone or iPad or already have one? Learn more about its basic functions, how to get connected, identify common apps and more. Attendees are welcome to bring their own iPhone or iPad, but iPads will also be provided for all attendees to use during the class.

#### **DIY Plushies**

5 pm Friday, Nov. 18 Starting with a simple sock, make a cute plushie using your imagination (and instructions) to keep or give as a gift.

#### **Families**

Kids of all ages and their families.

#### **Puppy Tales**

4-6 pm Friday, Nov. 4 Come read a story or two to a specially trained therapy dog! Sessions will be 15 minutes. Library staff will contact you to schedule a specific time.

#### Children

Grades K-5.

#### Homeschool Hangout: Harvest Celebration

1 pm Wednesday, Nov. 9 Harvest season is here! Celebrate with crafts, games and snacks. Get excited for a fun-filled afternoon of autumnal activities related to fall leaves, turkeys and cornucopias.

#### **Wood Painting Party**

3 pm Saturday, Nov. 12 Let imagination be your guide as you paint wooden crafts. Whether you create a space to store knick-knacks or decorate a picture frame is up to you.

#### **Autumn Nature Crafting**

3 pm Thursday, Nov. 17 Experiment with pinecones, acorns and fall leaves to make seasonal creations.

#### **DIY Bird Cabins**

3 pm Saturday, Nov. 26 Create a cozy cabin for birds or other critters for when they tuck in for the winter.

#### **Young Ones**

Registration is not required for story times.

#### **Preschool Story Time**

11:15 am Tuesdays This story time includes fun activities, crafts and themed books that aim to develop your child's pre-literacy skills. Ages 3-5.

#### **Baby Story Time**

11:15 am Fridays Socialize your little ones while making connections with other parents during this story time. Newborn-2.

## **Cold Spring**

#### **November Calendar**

Get Started Writing Your Book 6:30 pm Tuesday, Nov. 1

#### **Programs**

Registration is required for all programs, unless noted.

#### **Book Discussions**

#### You've Been Booked

7-8:45 pm Monday, Nov. 7 **To Kill a Mockingbird** by Harper Lee. Ages 13 and over. Open to both adults and teens.

#### **Cup of Crime Book Club**

7 pm Wednesday, Nov. 9 *A is for Arsenic* by Katheryn Harkup.

#### **Tuesday Book Club**

10:30 am Tuesday, Nov. 15 *Mozart's Starling* by Lyanda Lynn Haupt. No registration is required.

#### **Homeschool Book to Movie Club**

11:30 am Thursday, Nov. 17 Read the book then watch the movie. *WeirDo* by Anh Do. Register to get a free copy of the book per family. Ages 8-14.

#### **Real Men Read**

7-9 pm Thursday, Nov. 17 *The Wind in the Willows* by Kenneth Grahame. No registration is required.

#### **Adults**

#### **Get Started Writing Your Book**

6:30-8:30 pm Tuesday, Nov. 1 If you have considered writing a book for NaNoWriMo (National Novel Writing Month), join local author Cherie Dawn Haas for guidance on the next steps.

#### Stargazers Club: The Hunt for Planet B

6-8:45 pm Thursday, Nov. 3 At this month's Stargazers Club, watch the documentary The Hunt for Planet B, which captures the human drama behind NASA's high-stakes James Webb Telescope launch in 2021. Afterwards, if the sky is clear, view the night sky through the Orion SkyQuest XT6 Dobsonian Telescope.

#### **Dungeons and Dragons**

6-10 pm Friday, Nov. 4 Experienced and new players alike are welcome at the library to play Dungeons and Dragons 5e. There will be pre-generated characters but players may also make their own from 6-7 pm.

#### After Hours Game Night: Adults Only

7-10 pm Friday, Nov. 11 Play your favorite board, card and video games with friends. Choose from our collection of over 250 games or bring a favorite from home. Light snacks will be provided.

#### **Teens & Tweens**

Ages 11-19, unless noted.

#### **CCPL Roblox Club**

11 am Saturday, Nov. 12 Play different Roblox games with friends and other local kids using the library's server. Ages 8-14.

#### **Minecraft Club**

5-7 pm Monday, Nov. 14 Return to the world of Minecraft using the library's server. Ages 8-14.

#### Thanksgiving Leftovers Craft Night

5-7 pm Monday, Nov. 28 Did you miss a craft program you were interested in? This is your second chance! Enjoy our leftover materials from previous programs, which include various crafts. We have materials all ages can create with so bring the whole family.

#### **Families**

Kids of all ages and their families.

#### Fall Crafts

11 am Saturday, Nov. 5 Take in the magic of fall as we celebrate with fresh leaf pressing, warm apple cider and other crafts.

### Sensory Night with Science in Play2Go

5-6:00 pm Saturday, Nov. 12 Have you checked out our Science in Play2Go exhibit yet? The exhibit features giant blue building blocks, a make-your-own ball roller coaster, a giant light bright and more! We want all our patrons to enjoy the exhibit, including those who may have sensory regulation differences.

#### Family Board and Card Game Day

1-5 pm Sunday, Nov. 13

Choose any item from our collection of over 250 board, video and card games or bring a favorite from home. Either way, go head-tohead with family to see which member reigns victorious.

#### **Thanksgiving Crafts**

11 am Saturday, Nov. 19 Enjoy Thanksgiving-themed craft stations, games and a photo booth.

#### **Fairy Golf**

11 am Saturday, Nov. 26 Using provided materials, build tiny putt-putt golf obstacle courses fit for fairies to play.

#### Children

Grades K-5.

#### **Depot Days**

3-6 pm Tuesdays

See what's new at the Play2Go depot and engage with one of the exhibit's education specialists. No registration is required.

#### The Children's Theatre Presents: Jacqueline and the Beanstalk

4 pm Thursday, Nov. 3

Girls are so often stereotyped, but Jacqueline will climb to great lengths to prove them all wrong. Enjoy this fun and creative adaptation to a classic story as The Children's Theatre put on an interactive show.

#### Homeschool Hangout: Recycled Crafts

11 am Tuesday, Nov. 8

America Recycles Day is November 15. Prepare by learning about what recycling is, what you can recycle and how to reduce or reuse.

#### Spa Day

4 pm Thursday, Nov. 10 Unwind at the library with facemasks, manicures and snacks.

#### Friendsgiving

4 pm Thursday, Nov. 17

Friendsgiving is a special holiday in which we celebrate how thankful we are for our friends. At this program, discuss what you're thankful for, play Thanksgiving-themed games, make crafts and eat fall snacks.

#### **Young Ones**

Registration is not required for story times.

#### **Tot Time**

9:30 & 11:30 am Mondays Build your child's development skills through engaging and interactive stories, songs, motor skills and open play. Ages 1-3.

#### **Toddler** Time

10 & 11 am Wednesdays Exercise your little ones' busy bodies and minds with stories, songs, bouncy rhymes and a craft that matches the day's story time theme. Ages 2-3.

#### **Baby Time**

9:30 am Thursdays

Strengthen your baby's language, motor and social skills through engaging songs, rhymes, simple movement games, books and open play. Newborn-2.

#### **Preschool Time**

10:30 am Thursdays Help your child develop their pre-literacy and motor skills with themed stories, gross motor play and crafts. Ages 3-5.



## **Carrico/Fort Thomas**

**November Calendar** 



#### **Programs**

Registration is required for all programs, unless noted.

#### **Book Discussions**

#### **Coffee & Conversation**

2 pm Wednesday, Nov. 9 *The Lincoln Highway* by Amor Towles.

#### If You Give a Kid a Book Club

4:30 pm Thursday, Nov. 10 *Jingle Dancer* by Cynthia Leitich Smith. Register to get a free copy of the book. Grades K-5.

#### Adults

#### **Stamped Tea Towels**

2 & 6:30 pm Thursday, Nov. 3 Use sliced fruits and vegetables as stamps to create a uniquely-patterned tea towel. Register for only one program.

#### Signature Series: Author Sarah Kurchak

7 pm Friday, Nov. 4 See details on page 4.

#### Game Night: Coyote & Crow

6-8 pm Monday, Nov. 7 Try out Coyote & Crow, a new tabletop role-playing game that is set in an alternate future of the Americas where colonization never occurred. During the first session, we will create characters and go over game mechanics.

#### Game Night: Coyote & Crow

6-8 pm Monday, Nov. 14 Using the characters made during the first session, play a one-shot of Coyote & Crow, a new tabletop role-playing game that is set in an alternate future of the Americas where colonization never occurred. Pre-generated characters will be available for those who missed the previous game night.

#### **Talking Tech Troubles**

2 pm Tuesday, Nov. 15 Learn about new technolo

Learn about new technology in this judgment-free group. This month's topic: Cybersecurity Basics. This meeting will cover of the basics of identifying safe websites, creating strong passwords for online accounts, and tips for avoiding online scams and fraud.

#### Craftapalooza

4-6 pm Tuesday, Nov. 15

Feeling crafty? Come by any time between 4 and 6 pm to make something using provided supplies. No registration is required.

#### **Internet Basics**

11 am Saturday, Nov. 19

This workshop will cover basic technology, functionality and navigation of internet browsers, search engines and websites. Attendees may bring their own laptops, if preferred, but laptops will be provided to all attendees during the class.

#### **Families**

Kids of all ages and their families.

#### Homeschool Hive: Tech Playground

11 am Friday, Nov. 4 Get hands-on with STEAM activities featuring educational technologies like Orboot Earth, Tacto, Plugo and more. Ages 8-14. No registration is required.

#### Little Hands Art: Sticker Mania

10:30 am Saturday, Nov. 5 Bring kids of all ages, yes, even toddlers, to create sticker art. No registration is required.

#### **Puppy Tales**

2-4 pm Saturday, Nov. 12 Come read a story or two to a specially trained therapy dog! Sessions will be 15 minutes. Library staff will contact you to schedule a specific time.

#### **Book BINGO**

4 pm Monday, Nov. 14 Make new friends while playing BINGO. Winners receive a free book. No registration is required.

#### **Teens & Tweens**

Ages 11-19, unless noted.

#### **Tween Minecraft Party**

4 pm Thursday, Nov. 3 Calling all Minecraft players! Play games, watch Minecraft-related videos and create a craft with fellow fans. Ages 8-14. No registration is required.

#### **Teen Star Party**

7 pm Monday, Nov. 7

Gaze up at the night sky with the Cincinnati Observatory. Attendees will be entered into a raffle to win a beginner's telescope. Backup weather date: Nov. 25.

#### **Tween Thanksgiving Aprons**

4 pm Thursday, Nov. 17 Decorate an apron ahead of the holiday season. Ages 8-14.

#### **Dungeons & Dragons**

4:30-7 pm Saturday, Nov. 19 Play Dungeons & Dragons at a staff-run table or your own with friends. Pre-generated characters as well as other basic supplies will be available.

#### Leafy Luminaries

4 pm Tuesday, Nov. 22 Light up any room with this fall-inspired luminary made with tissue paper, mod podge, leaf cut-outs and fairy lights. No registration is required.

#### Children

Grades K-5.

#### **Pond Magic**

4 pm Monday, Nov. 7

Explore pond ecosystems with special guests from The Foundation for Ohio River Education. No registration is required.

#### **Magical Kitties Save the Day!**

2 pm Saturday, Nov. 19

You are cute. You are cunning. You are fierce. You are Magical Kitties—and it's time to Save the Day! Magical Kitties Save the Day is a beginner-friendly roleplaying game for all ages. Take on the role of a magical cat as you solve large problems and save humans from terrible troubles!

#### **STEAM Lab: Electricity**

4 pm Monday, Nov. 21

Explore hands-on educational activities in our STEAM Lab. Electrify your learning with Snap Circuits, paper circuits, Makey Makey, Tacto games and more. No registration is required.

#### **Weaving Wonders**

4 pm Monday, Nov. 28 Weaving holds a place of honor in many indigenous cultures. Create your own woven project while learning the role weaving plays in historical and modern Native American societies. No registration is required.

#### **Young Ones**

Registration is not required for story times, unless noted.

#### **Movers & Shakers**

10 am Mondays Shake, move and sing in this active and musical story time. Time is allowed at the end of the program for open play and interaction. Ages 2-3.

#### **Together Time Tales**

10 am Tuesdays Spend quality time together while reading, playing and learning followed by open play. Ages 3-5.

#### **Cozy Time for Babies**

10 am Wednesdays

Designed for the youngest babies, this story time is filled with songs, rhymes and gentle movement games to encourage your baby's language, motor and social development. Open play and socializing at the end. Ages newborn-2, especially for pre-walkers. Register.

#### **Baby Wigglers**

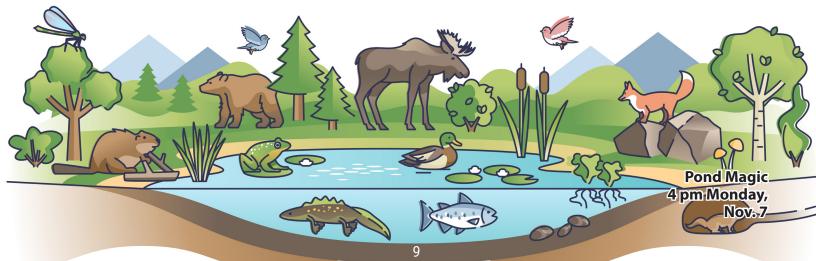
10 am Thursday, Nov. 3, 10 & 17 Designed for babies who walk and are on the move, this story time is filled with fun, engaging songs, rhymes and energetic movement games to encourage your baby's language, motor and social development. Open play and socializing at the end. Ages Newborn - 2, especially for walkers. Register.

#### Mommy & Baby Yoga

10:30 am Saturday, Nov. 12 Mommies and babies will enjoy stretching and strengthening and interacting with others. Please bring a mat if you have one and wear comfortable clothing. Ages newborn-2.

#### **Open Play for Littles**

10 am Saturday, Nov. 26 We're going to get out our favorite toys for babies and play. Donuts and coffee will be served. Register.



## Newport

#### **November Calendar**

Family Fun: Cincinnati Observatory 6 pm Thursday, Nov. 17

#### **Programs**

Registration is NOT required, unless noted.

#### **Book Discussions**

#### **Newport Book Club**

6 pm Tuesday, Nov. 1 *The Third Pole* by Mark Synnott. Register.

#### **Tween Book Club**

4 pm Friday, Nov. 11 *Before the Ever After* by Jacqueline Woodson. Register to get a free copy of the book. Ages 8-14.

#### **Young Adult for Grown Adults**

7 pm Tuesday, Nov. 15 *The Song of Achilles* by Madeline Miller. Register.

#### **Adults**

#### **Turkey Pot Decorations**

6-7:30 pm Monday, Nov. 7 Add a touch of whimsy to your holiday decorations by making a cute turkey pot centerpiece. Register.

#### Friends of the Library Book Sale

9-5 pm Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 10-12 Stock up on reads to get you through autumn. The book sale is held in the Friends Room on the lower level of the Newport Branch. Come browse a great selection of books and take advantage of incredible prices.

#### **YART: The Yard Art Sale**

11 am – 4 pm Saturday, Nov. 12 See details on pg. 4.

#### **Reading Lovers Club**

6-7:30 pm Monday, Nov. 14 In the first half of this meeting, talk about what you've read, some of your favorite books and eat snacks. Afterward, bring your own book to silently read. Notepads will be out if you want to chat with someone by passing notes. Register.

#### **Clothespin Trivet**

6-7:30 pm Monday, Nov. 21 Prep for holiday baking or cooking by making a trivet for hot dishes. Register.

**Families** *Kids of all ages and their families.* 

#### Wooden Peg People

11 am Saturday, Nov. 5 Use peg bases and art supplies to make anything from a fairy to a doctor to yourself or anyone your mind dreams up.

#### Family Fun: Cincinnati Observatory

6 pm Thursday, Nov. 17 With the days getting shorter, it's a great time to learn about the night sky above us. Spend a family evening out to learn about comets with the Cincinnati Observatory.

#### **Popsicle Stick Lanterns**

11 am Saturday, Nov. 19 As the nights grow chillier, bring in warm and cozy light with this lantern craft.

#### **Tissue Paper Art**

11 am Saturday, Nov. 26 Using crayons, tissue paper, and water, create beautiful art pieces to decorate your home.

#### **Teens & Tweens**

Ages 11-19, unless noted.

#### **Tween Scene**

4 pm Tuesdays At this month's Tween Scene, enjoy crafts like puzzle piece art, canvas painting, making a home for a gnome, artist trading cards and DIY buttons. Ages 8-14.



#### Impromptu

3-4:45 pm Thursdays The time is planned but the fun is not at this weekly after-school hangout. Play board games, hang out, eat snacks, draw or whatever else you want to do!

#### **Painting Ceramics**

3 pm Wednesday, Nov. 2 The library will provide several ceramics. Choose your favorite to decorate.

#### **Anime Club**

3-5 pm Wednesday, Nov. 9 Watch anime and eat Pocky, a popular Japanese sweet snack.

#### Kawaii Keychains

3-4:30 pm Wednesday, Nov. 16 Make cute, or "kawaii," keychains sure to bring a smile to your face.

Children Grades K-5.

#### Alphabet Kids Homeschool: Phases of the Moon

1 pm Thursday, Nov. 3 Learn about the moon and its phases.

#### Afternoon Art: Northern Lights Chalk Art

4 pm Thursday, Nov. 10 Afternoon Art aims to allow kids the chance to explore various materials and mediums without the worry of cost and grading. This session we will use construction paper and chalk pastels to create Northern Lights Chalk Art.

#### Alphabet Kids Homeschool: LEGO Challenge

1 pm Thursday, Nov. 17 Put your LEGO skills to the test by building imaginative creations.

#### **Young Ones**

Registration is not required for story times.

#### **Ready for K Through Play**

10 am Mondays Enjoy books, music and play to get your child ready for kindergarten. Ages 3-5.

#### **Movers & Shakers**

10 am Tuesdays Promoting physical activity can help develop language, attention and decision-making skills. This story time focuses on movement with lots of fun and silly activities, including books and songs. Ages 2-3.

#### **Baby Bounce & Rhyme**

10 am Wednesdays

Reading with your little one is a great way to develop literary skills. Bounce around in this story time that includes literacy activities for babies. Newborn-2.

#### **Little Bookworms**

10 am Thursday, Nov. 3, 10 & 17 The songs we sing, books we read and games we play at story time can have a positive influence on young minds. Ages 3-5.

#### **Story Time**

12 pm Saturday, Nov. 12 Visit the library for a traditional story time in the children's area. Take and go crafts will be handed out at the end.





#### **Cold Spring Branch**

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#### **Newport Branch**

901 East Sixth Street Newport, KY 41071 859-572-5035 — email: nwinfo@cc-pl.org

#### **Alexandria Branch**

8333 Alexandria Pike Alexandria, KY 41001 859-572-7463 — email: alinfo@cc-pl.org

#### **Library Express**

Pick up holds and return items Silver Grove — Firehouse Melbourne — St. Philip Parish Center

#### Hours

#### Cold Spring, Carrico/Fort Thomas and Newport Branches

Monday-Thursday	9 am – 9 pm
Friday	9 am – 7 pm
Saturday	9 am – 5 pm
Sunday	1 pm – 5 pm

#### Alexandria Branch

Tuesday-Friday	11 am – 7 pm
Saturday	11 am – 5 pm
Sunday & Monday	Closed

All Branches close early at 5 pm Wednesday, Nov. 23, and all day Thursday, Nov. 24 for Thanksgiving Holiday.

#### **Services**

Patron Services: 859-572-5041 Storytelling: 859-572-5039 **Download books & music:** https://kyunbound.overdrive.com **Download the library app:** www.cc-pl.org/app

Visit us online @ www.cc-pl.org



### LOOKING AHEAD

#### HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSES

'Tis the season! Head to your favorite branch this December to celebrate the most wonderful time of year via holiday open houses. Enjoy fun activities, crafts, live music and more. You may even see a few special guests! Registration is not required. Visit our website at www.cc-pl. org for more information. The dates are as follows:

- 9 am 4 pm Saturday, Dec. 3 at Cold Spring
- 10:30 am 2:30 pm Saturday, Dec. 3 at Carrico/Fort Thomas
- Noon-3 pm Saturday, Dec. 10 at Newport
- 2-4 pm Saturday, Dec. 10 at Alexandria

#### **ADA Compliance Statement**

The library makes every reasonable effort to provide equal access to all patrons. Please contact access@cc-pl.org or call ext. 8 at your local branch at least 72 hours prior to an event to arrange for accommodation. All facilities and meeting rooms are ADA compliant.

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