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Library Launches 'Cards for Veterans'

Campbell County Public Library patrons can celebrate Veterans Day early this year via their recently-launched Cards for Veterans program.

How does it work? Throughout the month of October, materials will be available at each branch to write letters or make cards for local veterans. Cards will be collected by library staff and delivered to the Fort Thomas VA Medical Center as well as local Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) organizations just in time for Veterans Day on Nov. 11. A handmade card is a simple yet heartfelt way to honor the service of local veterans to their country.

Materials are available in the children's area of the Carrico/Fort Thomas, Newport and Alexandria branches; in Cold Spring, the items are in the lounge area near the public computers.

Program details

When: Oct. 1-31

Where: Cold Spring, Carrico/Fort Thomas, Newport and Alexandria branches of Campbell

County Public Library

Related programs

In December, patrons can spread kindness with Cards for Seniors, which aims to get handmade greeting cards into the hands of local older adults who may be in need of some holiday cheer. Materials will be available at all branches starting Nov. 1 through Nov. 30.

Children can also write a letter to Santa Claus. Starting Dec.1, all branches will be stocked with templates kids may use to send their Christmas wishes to the North Pole. If preferred, they may

submit their letters online. Letters should be submitted by Dec. 17 with the full address and name to give Santa enough time to write back before the big day.

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The Campbell County Public Library operates four branches. The Cold Spring Branch is located at 3920 Alexandria Pike in Cold Spring, phone 859-781-6166. The Carrico/Fort Thomas Branch is located at 1000 Highland Ave. in Fort Thomas, phone 859-572-5033. The Newport Branch is located at 901 E. Sixth St. in Newport, phone 859-572-5035. The Alexandria Branch is located at 8333 Alexandria Pike in Alexandria, phone 859-572-7463. Express locations for pickups and returns are located in Silver Grove and Melbourne. The website address is www.cc-pl.org.