BLOUNT COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

NOVEMBER 2015 at the LIBRARY

Phone: 865-982-0981   Address: 508 N. Cusick St., Maryville, TN 37804   Website: www.blountlibrary.org

Blount County does not discriminate based on race, color or national origin in federal or state sponsored programs, pursuant to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d).

Library Hours:
Mon-Th: 9 am–9 pm
Fri-Sat: 9 am-5:30 pm
Sun: 1-5:30 pm

EVENTS

Dulcimer Concert–by Maryville Area Dulcimer Club - 7pm, Mon. Nov 2

BCPL at Mini Maker Faire at Barnes & Noble Knoxville 8029 Kingston Pike, Knoxville Do LEGO Robotics, MakeyMakey & more
11 am to 8 pm, Sun., Nov. 8

Artistic Connections Exhibit by Fine Arts Blount & coordinated by Cindy McDannel Nov. 9 - 20 on art screens in Main Gallery

Library Closed--Veterans' Day--Wed, Nov. 11

Affordable Care Act Insurance Plans & Choices By Laura Sell, THCC Coordinator 10 am, Sat, Nov. 14 Sharon Lawson Room

Affordable Care Act Insurance Enrollment (one-on-one assistance by certified counselors) 10 am to 4 pm, Sat, Nov. 14 Computer Lab

Board of Trustees Meeting Board Room
5:30 pm, Tues., Nov. 17

Medicare Plan Choices for 2016 By Jeremy Long, D.Ph. & Joani Shaver, Office on Aging
11 am, Wed, Nov. 18

It's Your Career: Working Smarter; Keys to Success Registration required: Call 983-2241.
7:30-10am, Fri., Nov. 20

Library Closes Early—5pm, Wed, Nov. 25

Library Closed for Thanksgiving Thurs. & Fri., Nov. 26 & 27

HOLIDAY EVENTS

All Events/Concerts are in the Reading Rotunda End of the Main Gallery

7 pm, Th., Dec 3 – TBA
6:30 pm, Mon, Dec 7–City of Maryville Tree Lighting & Music
7:20 pm, Mon, Dec 7–Santa in the Library
11:30 am, Wed, Dec 9 – WBHS Singers
1:30 pm, Th, Dec 10 – WBHS Concert Choir
10 am, Fri, Dec 11—Heritage MS Mustang Singers
1 pm, Fri, Dec 11—Eagleton Elem. Choir
2:30 pm, Fri, Dec 11–WBHS Beginning Choir
11 am, Tues, Dec 15—Eagleton MS Singers
2:30 pm, Th, Dec 17 – WBHS Cadence Choir

TEEN EVENTS

Play Chess @ Your Library: Middle & High School students, play chess each Sat. & Thurs. with **Tom Jobe, coach.** in Teen Central Area
1-4 pm Thursdays & 10 am-3 pm Saturdays

Sanctioned Chess Tournament: Monthly

Gaming @ Your Library: Games of all kinds: Board games, MarioKart, Smash Bros., Yu-Gi-Oh! or bring your own. Snacks. in Sharon Lawson Room
2-4 pm, Every 2nd Sat. of Month (Nov. 14)

BCPL at Mini Maker Faire at Barnes & Noble Knoxville 8029 Kingston Pike, Knoxville Do LEGO Robotics, MakeyMakey & more
11 am to 8 pm, Sun., Nov. 8

Teen LEGO Robotics: LEGO Mindstorm— Ages 12+. Teens learn STEM skills & robotics. **Must register at 982-0981, ext.114 or 273-1414.** Meet in Children's Library & move.
2-4 pm, Sat, Nov 7   6:30-8 pm, Thurs., Nov. 12
2-4 pm, Sat, Nov 21 6:30-8 pm, Thurs., Dec. 10

EXHIBITS

November 1-30:

"Wizard of Oz" Exhibits by Dr. Pete Mueller, on Magazine Counters in Main Gallery Area

"Artistic Connections Art" Exhibit by members of Fine Arts Blount,Cindy McDannel, Main Gallery Area at Reading Rotunda end of Gallery

"Native American Heritage Month" Exhibit by Kathy Thompson Magazine Counter

"Maryville Christian School Student Art" Exhibit by Jenny Goins. Art Panels & 1 vert case

Maryville High School Student Art" Exhibit by Dr. Parker & Raquel Roy. 2 sq cases

"Blount County Arts & Crafts Guild Member Art" Coordinated by Linda Waterhouse. On Art Wall at Bookmark Café, 2 gallery cases & 2 Easel Spaces in the Main Gallery Sitting Area.

"National Adoption Month" Exhibit By Youth Villages & Mariah Parton in 1 vertical display case, Entry

"Records Found in BC Archives" Exhibit by Jackie Glenn, BC Records Manger on Easel in Sitting area, Gallery

"A WWII Sailor's Journal & Map" by Elaine Russell display case, Temporary Books Shelf

"Flu Vaccinations" Exhibit by BCHealth Dept, DeAnna Fields, on 1 easel,,Sitting Area

"Crafts" Exhibit between Circ Desks

CHILDREN'S LIBRARY

Programs are in Children's Library unless noted.

Elementary Age Activities:

BCPL at Mini Maker Faire at Barnes & Noble Knoxville 8029 Kingston Pike, Knoxville Do LEGO Robotics, MakeyMakey & more
11 am to 8 pm, Sun., Nov. 8

S.T.E.A.M. Kids--Grades K-5. A different adventure every week from science experiments to art projects. Materials available on first-come, first-served basis. **Nov. Theme: Engineering!**
4-5:00 pm, Fridays

LEGO Club--Grades K-5. Children complete themed & timed LEGO Challenges & have time for free building. LEGOs provided.
4-5:00 pm, every Tuesday

LEGO Robotics: WeDo--Ages 7-11. Children learn STEM skills & robotics. **Must register at 982-0981, ext.114 or 273-1414.** Meet in Children's Library & move.
6:30-8 pm, Thursday, Nov. 5
6:30-8 pm, Thursday, Nov. 19
6:30-8 pm, Thursday, Dec. 3
6:30-8 pm, Thursday, Dec. 17

Growing Ready Readers-Early Literacy:

Little Learners-Ages 3-5 yrs Interactive sessions focus on language acquisition & pre-literacy skills incorporating stories, music, motion, play, crafts & more.
10:30 am, Tuesdays & Thursdays

Baby & Me—Ages 2 & under Lapsit sessions feature short stories, action rhymes, music & pre-literacy tips & tricks for caregivers. Social time for caregivers & babies.
10:30 am, Wednesdays

Sensory Story Time (NEW!)—Open to all but especially special needs with developmental ages of 3-5 yrs. Interactive story time with stories, songs, movement & activities designed to increase early literacy skills & provide safe, open space for children & families to learn & interact.
6 pm, Tues., Nov. 24

Library Tours and Outreach

Group tours of the library may be scheduled by contacting Joan VanSickle Sloan (for adults at 865-273-1408) or Becca Baker (for children and teens at 865-273-1414).

COMPUTER COURSES

Free computer courses to promote job skills are taught by Adult Ed.& library instructors, funded by ALCOA Foundation. **Pre-Registration required.** Call 273-1428 or 982-0981 x4 or go to Reference Desk. (If no computer experience, the Basic Computer Class, Intro to PC-Meet the Mouse, is a pre-requisite of any of these classes.)

Microsoft Excel 2010 Essentials 2-session class. Bring a flash drive.
9-11:30am, Wed, Nov. 4 & Tues., Nov. 10

Microsoft PowerPoint 2010 Essentials Bring a flash drive.
9-11:30am, Wed, Nov. 18

Résumé Help Essentials (Choose one date) Bring a flash drive.
9am-12noon, Mon, Nov. 30 or Tues, Dec 1 or Wed, Dec 2 or Thur, Dec. 3

BASIC COMPUTER CLASSES

FREE 1-hour basic computer classes:
1.Rookies Classes on Wednesdays &
2.Beyond the Basics Classes on Thursdays
Registration required. Call 273-1428 or 982-0981 x4 or go to Reference Desk to sign up for classes. Class limit:14 in Computer Lab.

Rookies Classes are on Wednesdays:
Intro to PC-Meet the Mouse:
   2-3:30 pm, Wed., Dec. 2
Intro to Internet Searching:
   2-3:30 pm, Wed., Nov. 4
   2-3:30 pm, Wed., Dec. 9
Intro to Email:
   2-3:30 pm, Wed., Jan. 6
Intro to Facebook:
   2-3:30 pm, Wed., Nov. 18

Beyond the Basics Classes on Thursdays:
Search Better: Google Beyond the Basics
   2-3:30 pm, Thurs., Nov. 5
   2-3:30 pm, Thurs., Dec. 10
Special Topic: Shop Safe
   2-3:30 pm, Thurs., Dec. 3
Email Beyond the Basics:
   2-3:30 pm, Thurs., Nov. 12
Facebook Beyond the Basics:
   2-3:30 pm, Thurs., Nov. 19

E-READER HELP!

How to Access/Download E-Materials from the Library Website: Call the Reference Desk at 273-1428 or 982-0981, ext. 4, & set an appointment for assistance in setting up READS.