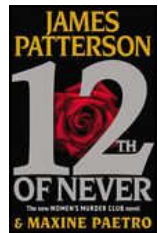


This just in... Check out these recent additions to our collection!



12th of Never

By James Patterson

It's finally time—Detective Lindsay Boxer is in labor while two killers are on the loose. Lindsay's beautiful baby is born, but after only a week at home with her new bundle of joy, she is forced to return to work to face two of the biggest cases of her career.

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The Apple Orchard

By Susan Wiggs

Tess Delaney inherits Bella Vista, a hundred-acre apple orchard, from a grandfather she never knew. She begins to discover a world where family comes first, and history's roots run deep. *The Apple Orchard* is a story of family ties—old and new.

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Earth's Final Hours (Fiction)

Will Earth survive after the super-dense fragment of interstellar mass crashes through the planet to its core? Is doomsday nearing as Earth's rotation slows from the impact?

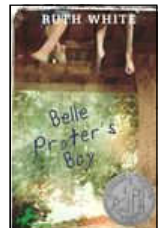
DVD/BLU-RAY



Hyde Park on Hudson (Fiction)

As Great Britain faces an imminent war with Germany, the British monarchs arrive at FDR's Hyde Park home amidst a conspiracy of his wife, mother, and mistresses to make their trip unforgettable.

DVD/BLU-RAY

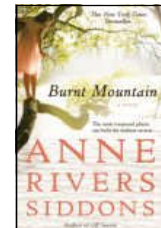


Belle Prater's Boy

By Ruth White

When Woodrow's mother disappears suddenly, he moves to his grandparents' house in a small Virginia town. He befriends his cousin, and together they try to find the strength to face all their fears and losses.

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Burnt Mountain

By Anne Rivers Siddons

When Thayer Wentworth and her Irish professor husband are invited to Camp Greylodge to tell old Irish tales to the campers, Thayer must confront dark secrets about her mother, her first love, and her husband.

CD BOOK SIDD

Bloody Monday, Volumes 1–10

By Ryou Ryumon & Kouji Megumi

High school student Takagi Fujimaru is also a genius hacker called Falcon. When his father is framed for murder, Falcon uses his skills to protect his sister and clear his father's name but soon realizes his father has secrets that will make it very difficult to defend the family name.

Graphic Novel: J 741.5 RYUM



Gantz, Selected Volumes

By Hiroya Oku

This dark and action-packed manga deals with the moral conflicts of violence, coupled with teenage angst, and with our fascination with death. Hang onto your gear and keep playing the game, whatever you do; Gantz doesn't stop!

Graphic Novel: J 741.5 OKU

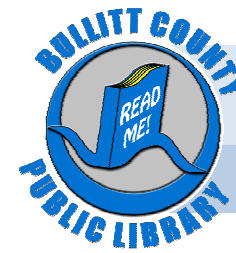


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The Very Best of Dave Brubeck: The Fantasy Era 1949–1953 MUSIC CD BRUB

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STOP THE SUMMER SLIDE Summer Reading Kicks Off June 3rd!



If it's June, it's summer reading time at Bullitt County Public Library. Make plans to join us June 3rd for the **Summer Reading Kickoff Party** at Ridgway Memorial Library in Shepherds-ville.

Summer reading programs are a popular, important strategy used by libraries across the country to help combat the "summer slide"—a well-documented phenomenon when students typically read less and tend to lose some of the reading skills acquired during the school year. Engaged reading during the summer months can help stop the summer slide. Students who read more, read better; they also tend to write better, spell better, have larger vocabularies, and have more confidence navigating the rules of grammar.

For children, preschool to 5th grade, we offer **Dig Into Reading: A Children's Summer Reading Program**. Bring the kids to the BCPL location nearest you each week for programs meant to encourage a love of reading through fun activities, puppetry, artwork, special guests, and prizes. Pick up a Dig Into Reading flier to get started.

While you're at the library, pick up a **Read to Win** reading log. This part of Dig Into Reading challenges you and your child to devote at least 60 minutes a week to reading. If you return the log at the end of summer reading, your child wins prizes.

For middle and high school age youth, grades 6 through 12, we offer **Beneath The Surface: A Tween and Teen Summer Reading Program**. Students are invited to participate in our weekly programs featuring arts, crafts, games, and special guests. Prizes offered this year include \$50 gift cards to Barnes & Noble, free passes to regional attractions, and Friends of the Library memberships. Pick up a Beneath The Surface flier—the flier includes the registration, prize entry details, bingo game, and reading log—to get started.

You may also register online for Dig Into Reading or Beneath The Surface Summer Reading by visiting www.bcplib.org. And save the date! The **Summer Reading Finale**, which includes the big prize drawings, is June 29th.

See inside for locations and times. See below for special guests:

Dig Into READING

Preschool–5th Grade



June 4th–7th
June 11th–14th
June 18th–21st
June 25th–28th

Whitney from Bernheim
Squallis Puppeteers
Joe the Naturalist
Jay the Archaeologist

BENEATH THE SURFACE

6th–12th Grade

June 4th–7th
June 11th–14th
June 18th–21st
June 25th–28th

Whitney from Bernheim
To Be Announced
Ken the Cave Explorer
Jay the Archaeologist



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See our videos on library programs, people, and topics.



Chiisai Mini-Con

This one day only mini-convention will give you a preview of what's to come later this year when Chiisaicon—Kentuckiana's friendliest anime convention—returns. For more information, visit chiisaicon.com. Space is limited!

Saturday, June 22nd at Ridgway Memorial Library

10:00 AM–9:00 PM

Anime, Games, Panels, Vendors, and Fun

9:00 PM–11:00 PM

The Rave

Admission: \$5 (\$3 for Rave Only) — High School Ages and Up

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Dig Into Reading: Summer Reading Kickoff

(Ages Preschool–5th Grade)

Monday, June 3rd 1:00–3:00 PM

Join us to kick off our Summer Reading program with a bang! There will be crafts, games, and refreshments.

Dig Into Reading: Summer Reading Weekly Programs

(Ages Preschool–5th Grade)

Thursdays, June 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th 10:00–11:30 AM

A special program for children including prizes, puppet shows, artwork, and an archaeologist—there is something for everyone.

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June 3rd–July 5th

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Dig Into Reading: Summer Reading Finale

(Ages Preschool–5th Grade)

Saturday, June 29th 1:00–3:00 PM

Close out the Summer Reading fun at our finale. Enjoy prizes, games, and more!

TEENS & ADULTS

Beneath The Surface: Summer Reading Kickoff Party

Monday, June 3rd 1:00–3:00 PM

Join other tweens and teens for crafts, games, and refreshments as we begin our month-long celebration of reading!

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Beneath The Surface: Summer Reading Finale

Saturday, June 29th 1:00–3:00 PM

Join us for crafts, games, and refreshments as we celebrate the end of summer reading at BCPL. We will be holding drawings for gift cards, free passes to regional attractions, and other prizes.

Chiisaicon Planning Committee (High School Ages & Up)

Wednesday, June 5th and 19th 5:00–7:00 PM

Help us plan our popular anime and gaming convention. This looks great on a college application. For more info, visit chiisaicon.com.

Anime Manga JK-Drama Group (Middle School Ages & Up)

Thursday, June 6th and 20th 5:00–8:00 PM

Join other anime enthusiasts as we watch favorites and discover new Asian pop culture offerings with BCPL Director Randy Matlow.

Chiisai Mini-Con (High School Ages & Up)

Saturday, June 22nd 10:00 AM–11:00 PM

Turn back to the front page for details!

Gardening in Shade

Wednesday, June 26th 6:00–7:00 PM

Join us for gardening tips from master gardener Lorilee R. George.

Family Movie Night: *Disney's Wings of Life* (Rated G)

Thursday, June 27th 6:00–7:20 PM

Narrated by Meryl Streep, this intimate and unprecedented look at butterflies, hummingbirds, bees, bats, and flowers is a celebration of life using high-speed, closer-than-close filmmaking techniques.

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Open Computer Lab

Every Tuesday 12:00–5:00 PM (Teens Only from 3:00–5:00 PM)*

Every Thursday 11:00 AM–8:00 PM**

No reservation required. Just drop in to the lab to work independently or get basic computer help. Space is limited.

**No lab on June 4th. **Closes at 6:00 PM on June 6th and 13th.*

Crochet for Beginners (Ages 13 and Up)

Monday, June 3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th 6:00–7:45 PM

Registration Required

Learn the basics of crochet, from buying materials to pattern reading. All materials provided. This is a four-part class.

Get Connected! and Next Up! Basic Computer Skills Classes

Thursday, June 6th and June 13th 6:00–7:30 PM

Call the Reference Desk at 543-7675 ext. 4 for more information and to sign up for these monthly computer classes for beginners.

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Blogging Basics: Tips for Sharing Your Passion Online

(Ages 13 & Up)

Tuesday, June 25th 12:00–1:00 PM *Registration Required*

Learn about free online tools to help you get started blogging. Basic computer skills and an e-mail address are required for this class. Space is limited.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group (Ages 11–18)

Tuesday, June 25th 6:00–7:00 PM

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Wii Bowling for Seniors (Ages 50 & Up)

Every Thursday 10:00–11:30 AM

We'll be taking a break from Bowling during the month of June, but the program will resume on Thursday, July 11th.

Firecracker Rag Wreath (Ages 11 & Up)

Thursday, June 6th 5:30–7:30 PM

Add a little "POP" to your Fourth of July décor with this simple rag wreath. All materials will be provided. *Registration Required.*

Brown Bag Book Club (Ages 18 & Up)

Thursday, June 13th 12:30–2:00 PM

A monthly book group for adults. Bring your lunch and discuss *Clay's Quilt* by Kentucky author Silas House. Contact Allison to reserve your copy at 543-7675 ext. 2552.

Family Movie Night: *National Treasure: Book of Secrets*

(Rated PG)

Thursday, June 13th 6:00–8:00 PM

Treasure hunter Benjamin Franklin Gates looks to discover the truth behind the assassination of Abraham Lincoln by uncovering the mystery within the 18 pages missing from assassin John Wilkes Booth's diary.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group (Ages 11–18)

Thursday, June 20th 4:30–5:30 PM

Come explore the art of writing while building vocabulary.

Soda Bottle Flowers (Ages 11 & Up)

Thursday, June 27th 6:00–7:30 PM

Want to make a unique flower display for your home? Join us to create a one-of-a-kind decoration. All materials will be provided.



Did you know?

The BCPL Reference Department can help you find books to suit your reading tastes. Gain access to Pathfinders and recommended reading lists by visiting your local branch or by clicking on the "Books, Movies & Music" tab on our website.

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Dig Into Reading: Summer Reading Weekly Programs

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Fridays, June 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th 10:00–11:30 AM

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Firecracker Rag Wreath (Ages 11 & up)

Tuesday, June 4th 5:30–7:30 PM

Add a little "POP" to your Fourth of July décor with this simple rag wreath. All materials will be provided. *Registration Required.*

Common Grounds Book Club (Ages 18 and up)

Tuesday, June 11th 10:30–11:30 AM

A monthly book group for adults. Coffee will be served as we discuss *Blackberry Winter* by Sarah Jio. Contact Allison to reserve your copy at 543-7675 ext. 2552.

The Basics of Memory Loss (Ages 18 & up)

Tuesday, June 11th 6:00–8:00 PM

Join us in welcoming Sheroll Carby, Community Outreach Coordinator with the Alzheimer's Association, as she discusses memory loss in senior adults. Discover the difference between normal memory loss, dementia, and Alzheimer's and come away with resources designed to help you care for your family member struggling with these diseases.

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***UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.**

Please register as space is limited for some programs. A parent or guardian must remain on library premises with children ages 15 and under.

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