

Genealogy Resources at Bullitt County Public Library

Bullitt County Public Library is poised to help you with all your genealogy needs. Located within the Susan S. Craik Genealogy Room at Ridgway Memorial Library in Shepherdsville is a wealth of information. We have various materials in print as well as microfilm, microfiche and video.

Resources include birth, marriage, and death records; census and cemetery records; and newspapers and periodicals. In addition, family history seekers can find family files consisting of information contributed by patrons and other genealogy researchers on many Bullitt County families.

Our Information and Local History files contain newspaper clippings, pamphlets, maps, and other materials that provide information on Bullitt County's history. Transcribed death records, funeral home records, and abstracts of wills and deeds are available. Information about surrounding Kentucky counties is also included.

The genealogy page of our website provides links to numerous digital resources including Heritage Quest, NewsBank, and Find A Grave, to name a few. Ancestry.com access is available at no charge to patrons visiting the library. Selected presentations of our 2011 *Finding Your Roots* workshop series can be viewed from our website as well.

Our Reference Department is available to help patrons find resources to guide their search for family history information. If you are unable to visit our genealogy room, our reference staff can check library materials such as microfilm of *The Pioneer News* or our family files to assist your genealogical research*. Genealogy requests may be submitted online by those patrons who are unable to visit the Susan S. Craik Genealogy Room in person.

**We cannot take on large projects or research your family tree for you.*

The Ridgway Memorial Library in Shepherdsville is located in what has been called the "Genealogist's Golden Triangle" in Bullitt County. Located just to the north of the library is the Bullitt County Clerk's Office—home to birth, marriage, and death records as well as deeds, wills, and probates. Just to the northwest of the library is the Bullitt County Courthouse, which houses both the Bullitt County History Museum and the Bullitt County Genealogical Society.



Susan S. Craik Genealogy Room located at Ridgway Memorial Library in Shepherdsville.



THE LIBRARY BULLETIN

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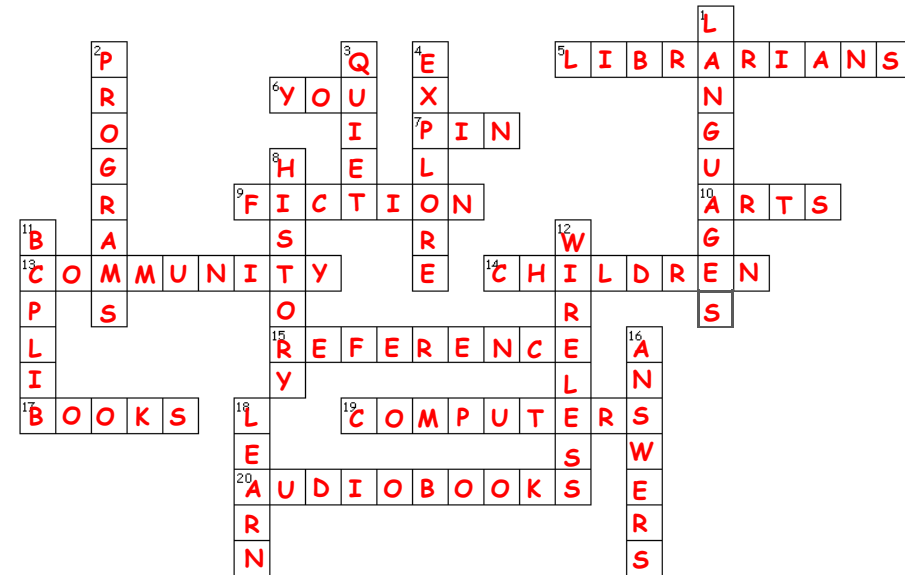
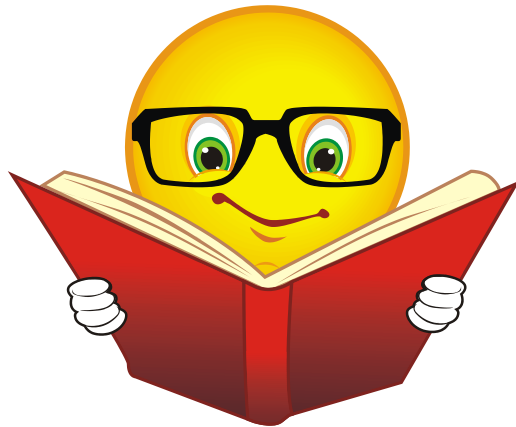
ENJOY ARTS, CRAFTS, FILM... AND MUSIC!

Each month the library offers a variety of free art, craft, and film events for the enjoyment of patrons. This month we are thrilled to announce the addition of music to our roster of ongoing programs, beginning with free beginning Piano Lessons. See inside.

Piano Lessons

SCHEDULING NOW!

LAST MONTH'S PUZZLE SOLUTION



Connect with BCPL Online



VISIT Our Main Website
www.bcplib.org
Start here for information about all library services and updates.



PIN With Us on Pinterest
pinterest.com/bcplib
Browse and share collections on a wide variety of interests.



JOIN Us on Blogger
bcplreviews.blogspot.com
Read and discuss book reviews with Tracy and guests.



LIKE Us on Facebook
facebook.com/bcplib
Get more interactive with featured updates and services.



FOLLOW Us on Twitter
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WATCH Us on YouTube
youtube.com/bcplib
See our videos on library programs, people, and topics.

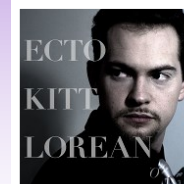


CHISAICON—Kentuckiana's friendliest three-day anime, manga, cosplay, and gaming convention—returns Labor Day weekend at the Paroquet Springs Conference Centre in Shepherdsville. Be sure to invite your friends!

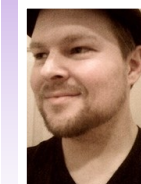
This year's featured guests include:



Jaimie Marchi



Uncle Yo



Chris Cason

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS

- HATOKYATCHI MAID CAFE
- COSPLAY WRESTLING
- COSPLAY MASQUERADE
- GAMING TOURNAMENTS
- FATE OF THE WORLD RPG
- POKEMON VGC
- ANIME PANELS
- RAVE
- AND MORE!

DID YOU KNOW?

Chiisaicon was created in 2010 by the library's Anime Group and is now run by the library's Chiisaicon Planning Committee. *Chiisai* is Japanese for small, but no matter how large our convention becomes, we'll never out-grow our name...

CHISAICON!

TO PURCHASE PASSES AND FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT CHISAICON.COM.

RIDGWAY MEMORIAL

MAIN LIBRARY IN SHEPHERDSVILLE
PHONE: (502) 543-7675

CHILDREN

Toddler Storytime (Ages Birth–2)

Every Thursday 9:30–10:15 AM (**Begins August 29th**)

Toddler Storytime is a FREE program in which we sing, read stories, and play games while teaching children early literacy and social skills. Register now to join the fun!

Storyhour (Ages 3–5)

Every Thursday 10:30–11:30 AM (**Begins August 29th**)

Storyhour is a FREE program for children not yet in kindergarten. We use books, songs, and simple crafts to reinforce the importance of early literacy skill development and socialization. Registration now available.

Chalk the Walk (Ages 3–12)

Thursday, August 8th 6:00–7:00 PM

Express your artistic side as we use colorful chalks to decorate the sidewalk in front of the library! **An alternate indoor craft will be available in the event of rain.*

Ice Cream Social (Ages Birth–12)

Tuesday, August 20th 6:00–7:00 PM

You scream, I scream, we all scream for ice cream! Listen to ice-cream related stories and enjoy a tasty treat.

TEENS & ADULTS

Piano Lessons (Ages 10 and Up)

Scheduling Now for Future Classes

The library is excited to offer free beginning piano lessons to tween, teen, and adult patrons. This is an introductory course comprised of eight 45-minute weekly lessons at various branches. To sign up, please contact librarian and musician Patrick Yaeger by phone at (502) 543-7675 ext. 2554 or e-mail teen.adult1@bcplib.org. Visit www.bcplib.org/pianolessons for more info.

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

Thursday, August 1st and 15th 5:00–8:00 PM

Join us to discover new Asian pop culture offerings. We watch anime favorites, explore Japanese and South Korean drama, and discuss manga. Plus, enjoy Asian treats and a fun anime quiz and giveaways!

Crochet for Beginners (Ages 13 and Up)

Monday, August 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th 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.

Chiisaicon Planning Committee (High School Ages and Up)

Wednesday, August 7th, 14th, and 21st 5:00–7:00 PM

Help us plan Chiisaicon—the annual anime, cosplay, and gaming convention created by members of the library's Anime Group. This looks great on a college application. For more info, visit chiisaicon.com.

Origami Flowers: Camellia and Lotus (Ages 11 and Up)

Thursday, August 8th 6:00–7:30 PM *Registration Required*

Learn to fold the beautiful camellia paper flower and a variation on the lotus paper flower taught in July. Limit: 8 students.

Family Movie Night "Planet Ocean" (Not Rated)

Thursday, August 22nd 6:00–7:40 PM

Dive into our planet's greatest mysteries with a team of international underwater cinematographers as they explore the breathtaking bond between humanity and the ocean. Shown in high definition!

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Open Computer Help Lab

Every Tuesday 12:00–5:00 PM with Patrick

Every Thursday 11:00 AM–8:00 PM with Marianne*

Drop in to the lab to work independently or get help using a computer, navigating the internet, creating documents, printing, setting up your e-reader, using a tablet or smartphone, resizing and saving photos, accessing your library account, and more. Space is limited.

**The lab closes early for Basic Computer Skills Classes.*

Basic Computer Skills Classes *Sign Up with the Reference Desk*

Thursday, August 1st 4:00–5:30 PM Get Started! Typing & Mousing

Thursday, August 8th 6:00–7:30 PM Get Connected! Basics & More

Thursday, August 15th 6:00–7:30 PM Next Up! Word Processing

Call Reference at 543-7675 ext. 4 for more info and to sign up.

Basic Computer Software Classes (Ages 18 and Up)

Tuesday, August 6th 5:00–5:50 PM Mavis Beacon Typing

Tuesday, August 6th 6:00–6:50 PM Microsoft Word

Tuesday, August 6th 7:00–7:50 PM Google Chrome

Registration Required and Basic Computer Skills Required

Get hands-on experience with popular software in this new series offered the first Tuesday of each month.

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Uno Attack Challenge (Ages 4–12)

Monday, August 12th 6:00–7:00 PM

Monday, August 26th 6:00–7:00 PM

The challenge is on! Let's take on Uno Attack together. For more information, please contact Ms. Cheryl at 543-7675, ext. 2553.

Dinosaurs Loose in the Library (Ages 3–10)

Thursday, August 29th 6:00–7:00 PM

Come in for a roaring good time playing games and learning about our dinosaur friends.

TEENS & ADULTS

Wii Bowling (Ages 18 and Up)

Every Thursday 10:00–11:30 AM

Join the fun as we bowl, chat, and laugh!

Brown Bag Book Club (Ages 18 and Up)

Thursday, August 8th 12:30–2:00 PM

A monthly book group for adults. Bring your lunch and discuss *Alice in Wonderland* by Lewis Carroll. Contact Gayle to reserve your copy at 543-7675 ext. 2551.

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Kayla's Ribbon Tutus (Ages 13 and Up)

Thursday, August 15th 6:00–7:30 PM

Using only a pair of scissors and our own color sense, we will be snipping ribbon and tulle to create a tutu sized for a small child. Please bring waist measurement!

Jewelry Wire Necklace (Ages 13 and Up)

Thursday, August 22nd 6:00–7:30 PM

Want to create jewelry? Learn simple techniques for creating a necklace, using common household items as tools!

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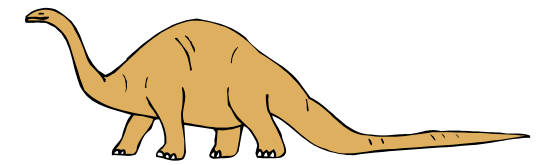
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Parent/Teen Book Club (Ages 13 & Up)

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A new monthly book discussion group for tweens/teens and their favorite adult. Join us to discuss *The Hunger Games* by Suzanne Collins. Free refreshments will be served. Contact Gayle at 543-7675 ext. 2551 to reserve your copy.

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ALL PROGRAMS ARE FREE!

Please register as space is limited for some programs. A parent or guardian must remain on library premises with children ages 15 and under. For more information or to register, visit the Programs page at www.bcplib.org, call 543-7675 ext. 5, or speak with a library staff member.