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From the Reference Desk

NEW REFERENCE HOURS AT RIDGWAY

Sunday 1:00–5:00 PM
Monday thru Thursday 10:00 AM–7:00 PM
Friday & Saturday 9:00 AM–5:00 PM

NEW REFERENCE HOURS AT THE BRANCHES

Mt. Washington: Tuesdays 3:00–7:00 PM
Lebanon Jct.: Wednesdays 3:00–7:00 PM
Hillview: Thursdays 11:00 AM–8:00 PM

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L. Henry Dowell as Colonel Sanders visits Ridgway on March 16th, 1:00–2:30 PM.

Harland "Colonel" Sanders's life was about much more than fried chicken. The man whose face became synonymous with "finger-lickin' good" chicken used hard work — not to mention a little luck along the way — to become recognized as one of Kentucky's most famous citizens.

Spring Giveaway

It's raining books at BCPL's Book News and Reviews...

For giveaway details visit us at bcplreviews.blogspot.com.

Begins March 20th!



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Explore, Learn, and Enjoy... More!

The library is many things to many people. It's a welcoming community center where friends meet and families come together. For some, the library is a quiet refuge for reading and contemplation away from the world outside. For others, the library is an important free access point to the internet, providing opportunities to connect with far-off people, places, and ideas.

As spring draws near, we invite you to discover anew your own unique relationship with the library through a new book, program, or service. For kids, new programs include Mini Matisses, Crazy for Chocolate, Stuffed Animal Slumber Party, and Magnifying Glass Exploration. For teens and adults, we offer new writing groups, book clubs, Exploring the Caves of Kentucky, Find Your Roots: Genealogy for Beginners, Teen Art Experiment, Get Crafty, and a performance on the life of Colonel Sanders. New services include free access to Zinio, an online newsstand of over 200 e-magazines, and Ancestry Library Edition, the largest online family history resource available.

Beyond just a media powerhouse where beloved books and blu-rays live, the library is indeed a special space always inviting you to explore the world, learn something new, and enjoy more!



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Just Write: A Teen Writing Group

Do you enjoy writing song lyrics, poems, or short stories? Perhaps you keep a personal journal or write a blog? Maybe the idea of writing for pleasure is new to you? No matter what your writing background, consider joining our new writing group, *Just Write*, for ages 11–18. We will explore the craft of writing through imaginative prompts and activities. You may also bring your own writing projects and, if you wish, share your work with others.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group meets once a month at all four library branches. See inside for dates and times at each location. To register, visit the *Programs* page at www.bcplib.org or call 543-7675 ext. 5.

LIBRARY KIDS

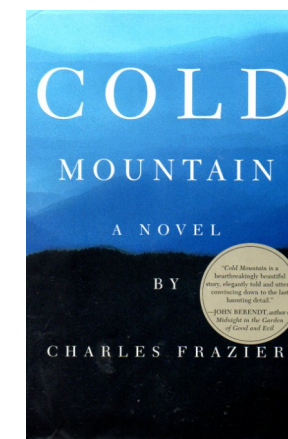


See inside for our free programs for kids.

COMMON GROUNDS BOOK CLUB at the Mt. Washington Library

Tuesday, March 12th 10:30–11:30 AM

Selection: *Cold Mountain* by Charles Frazier

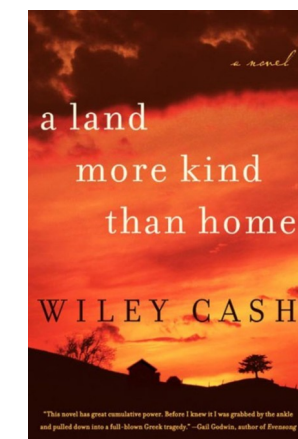


Sorely wounded and fatally disillusioned by the fighting at Petersburg, a Confederate soldier named Inman decides to walk back to his home in the Blue Ridge mountains to Ada, the woman he loves. His trek across the disintegrating South brings him into intimate and sometimes lethal contact with slaves and marauders, bounty hunters and witches, both helpful and malign. At the same time, the intrepid Ada is trying to revive her father's derelict farm and learning to survive in a world where the old certainties have been swept away.

BROWN BAG BOOK CLUB at the Lebanon Junction Library

Thursday, March 14th 12:30–2:00 PM

Selection: *A Land More Kind Than Home* by Wiley Cash



In a small North Carolina mountain town outside Asheville, evil has festered for years in the form of Pastor Carson Chambliss, an ex-con and born-again Christian who encourages his congregation to speak in tongues, handle deadly snakes and fire, and drink poison to prove their faith. But then a tragic series of events, beginning with the snooping of a young boy, brings the evil out into the open and shatters a family forever. A mesmerizing literary thriller.

RIDGWAY MEMORIAL
MAIN LIBRARY IN SHEPHERDSVILLE

CHILDREN

Toddler Storytime (Ages Birth–2)
Every Thursday 9:30–10:15 AM
Early literacy through singing, stories, and play with Ms. Lucinda.

Storyhour (Ages 3–5)
Every Thursday 10:30–11:30 AM
Early literacy through stories, singing, and a simple craft.

Mini Matisses (Ages 3–5)
Thursday, March 7th 2:30–3:15 PM
Dress for a messy time as we make art with a variety of materials.

Silly Science for Preschoolers (Ages 3–5)
Saturday, March 9th 11:00 AM–12:00 PM
Join Ms. Lucinda for fizzy fun with baking soda, vinegar, and food coloring. Plus, we'll make a colored milk explosion!

American Girl Tea Party (Ages 3 and Up)
Saturday, March 23rd 11:00 AM–12:00 PM
Bring your American Girl doll or any other favorite doll to celebrate the American Girl books with activities, crafts, and a tea party.

TEENS & ADULTS

Exploring the Caves of Kentucky
Tuesday, March 5th 6:00–7:30 PM
Cartographer, geographer, and spelunker Ken Bailey shares his fascinating adventures exploring and mapping local caves.

Chiisaicon Planning Committee (High School Ages & Up)
Wednesday, March 6th and 20th 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, March 7th and 21st 5:00–8:00 PM
Join other anime enthusiasts as we watch favorites and discover new Asian pop culture offerings with library director Randy Matlow.

Teen Art Experiment: *PHOTO CHALLENGE!* (Ages 11–18)
Wednesday, March 13th 6:00–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Bring your own camera or use a camera provided by the library to take on a series of fun photo challenges around the library. Next month? **MAKE SOMETHING UGLY!**

Teen Acting Space (Ages 11–18)
Thursday, March 14th 6:00–7:30 PM
Calling all aspiring actors! Join us to perform favorite monologues and musical theater numbers in a safe, friendly atmosphere.

Colonel Harland Sanders: "More Than Fried Chicken"
Saturday, March 16th 1:00–2:30 PM
See Colonel Sanders, the founder of Kentucky Fried Chicken, brought to life by actor L. Henry Dowell. This Kentucky Chautauqua was funded in part by the Kentucky Humanities Council, Inc. and the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group (Ages 11–18)
Saturday, March 23rd 3:00–4:30 PM
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Family Movie Night "Harry and the Hendersons" (Rated PG)
Thursday, March 28th 6:00–8:00 PM
A chance car accident introduces the Henderson family to the real-life Bigfoot, who is anything but a ferocious monster.

HILLVIEW
BRANCH LIBRARY

CHILDREN

Toddler Storytime (Ages Birth–2)
Every Wednesday 9:30–10:15 AM
Early literacy through singing, stories, and play with Ms. Lucinda.

Storyhour (Ages 3–5)
Every Wednesday 10:30–11:30 AM
Early literacy through stories, singing, and a simple craft.

Silly Science for Preschoolers (Ages 3–5)
Tuesday, March 12th 6:00–7:00 PM
Join Ms. Lucinda for fizzy fun with baking soda, vinegar, and food coloring. Plus, we'll make a colored milk explosion!

Crazy for Chocolate (Ages 6–10)
Thursday, March 21st 6:00–7:00 PM *Registration Required*
Do you love chocolate? Come celebrate American Chocolate Week at the library with fun chocolate activities such as games, races, and, of course, eating chocolate! Limit 20.

TEENS & ADULTS

Adult Computer Lab
Every Tuesday 12:00–3:00 PM
No reservation required. No time limits. Just drop in to work independently or get basic computer help. Space is limited.

Teen Computer Lab (Ages 13–18)
Every Tuesday 3:00–5:00 PM
No reservation required. No time limits. Just drop in to work independently or get basic homework help. Space is limited.

Get Connected! Basic Computer Skills Class #1
Thursday, March 7th 6:00–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Call the Reference Desk at 543-7675 ext. 4 for more information and to sign up.

Next Up! Basic Computer Skills Class #2
Thursday, March 14th 6:00–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Call the Reference Desk at 543-7675 ext. 4 for more information and to sign up.

Family Movie Night "Hotel Transylvania" (Rated PG)
Monday, March 11th 6:00–8:00 PM
Overprotective father Dracula operates a high-end, monsters-only resort in order to hide his daughter Mavis from dangerous humans.

Anime Manga JK-Drama Group (Middle School Ages & Up)
Tuesday, March 19th 5:00–8:00 PM
Join other anime enthusiasts as we watch favorites and discover new Asian pop culture offerings with library director Randy Matlow.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group (Ages 11–18)
Tuesday, March 26th 6:00–7:30 PM
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Teen Art Experiment: *PHOTO CHALLENGE!* (Ages 11–18)
Wednesday, March 27th 6:00–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Bring your own camera or use a camera provided by the library to take on a series of fun photo challenges around the library. Next month? **MAKE SOMETHING UGLY!**

Teen Acting Space (Ages 11–18)
Saturday, March 30th 3:00–4:30 PM
Calling all aspiring actors! Join us to perform favorite monologues and musical theater numbers in a safe, friendly atmosphere.

LEBANON JUNCTION
BRANCH LIBRARY

CHILDREN

Toddler Storytime (Ages Birth–2)
Every Tuesday 9:30–10:15 AM
Early literacy through singing, stories, and play with Ms. Cheryl.

Storyhour (Ages 3–5)
Every Tuesday 10:30–11:30 AM
Early literacy through stories, singing, and a simple craft.

Stuffed Animal Slumber Party (Ages 2–10)
Friday, March 8th 12:00–5:00 PM
Drop off your stuffed animal friend at the library.
Saturday, March 9th 9:30–10:30 AM
Pick up your stuffed animal friend and join us for breakfast as we have a "Furry Friends" picture review of all the activities your stuffed animal did during their overnight slumber party.
Parents, please make sure your little one can do without their stuffed friend overnight. One stuffed animal per child, please.

Uno Game Challenge (Ages 4–12)
Monday, March 11th 6:00–7:00 PM
Try to beat our Uno card game champion with Ms. Cheryl. Cookies and juice will be provided.

TEENS & ADULTS

Wii Bowling for Seniors (Ages 50 and Up)
Every Thursday 10:00–11:30 AM
Join the fun as we bowl, chat, and laugh!

Get Crafty: Easter String Eggs (Ages 14 and Up)
Thursday, March 7th 5:30–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Create a unique decoration for Easter. All materials provided.

Brown Bag Book Club
Thursday, March 14th 12:30–2:00 PM
Bring your lunch and discuss *A Land More Kind Than Home* by Wiley Cash. This book is a mesmerizing literary thriller about the bond between two brothers and the evil they face in a small western North Carolina town.

Family Movie Night "Wreck-It Ralph" (Rated PG)
Thursday, March 14th 6:00–8:00 PM
A video game villain wants to be a hero and sets out to fulfill his dream, but his quest brings havoc to the arcade where he lives.

Get Crafty: Easter Trees and Washcloth Rabbits (11 and Up)
Thursday, March 21st 5:30–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Make adorable Easter crafts. All materials will be provided.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group (Ages 11–18)
Thursday, March 28th 4:00–5:30 PM
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ALL PROGRAMS ARE FREE!
Please register as space is limited for some programs. A parent or guardian must remain 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.

MT. WASHINGTON
BRANCH LIBRARY

CHILDREN

Toddler Storytime (Ages Birth–2)
Every Friday 9:30–10:15 AM
Early literacy through singing, stories, and play with Ms. Cheryl.

Storyhour (Ages 3–5)
Every Friday 10:30–11:30 AM
Early literacy through stories, singing, and a simple craft.

Stuffed Animal Slumber Party (Ages 2–10)
Friday, March 15th 12:00–5:00 PM
Drop off your stuffed animal friend at the library.
Saturday, March 16th 9:30–10:30 AM
Pick up your stuffed animal friend and join us for breakfast as we have a "Furry Friends" picture review of all the activities your stuffed animal did during their overnight slumber party.
Parents, please make sure your little one can do without their stuffed friend overnight. One stuffed animal per child, please.

Magnifying Glass Exploration (Ages 4–10)
Saturday, March 23rd 11:00 AM–12:00 PM *Registration Required*
Come explore outside with your own magnifying glass. We'll provide the magnifying glass; you bring the curiosity. If the weather doesn't cooperate, we will search inside the library for cool specimens. Cookies and juice will be provided. Limit 20.

TEENS & ADULTS

Get Crafty: Easter String Eggs (Ages 14 and Up)
Tuesday, March 5th 5:30–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Create a unique decoration for Easter. All materials provided.

Common Grounds Book Club (Ages 18 and Up)
Tuesday, March 12th 10:30–11:30 AM
Coffee will be served as we discuss Charles Frazier's *Cold Mountain*, winner of the National Book Award. This American epic tells the moving story of a Confederate soldier as he travels home through the devastated South to his beloved Ada.

Just Write: A Teen Writing Group (Ages 11-18)
Tuesday, March 12th 4:00–5:30 PM
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Get Crafty: Easter Trees and Washcloth Rabbits (11 and Up)
Tuesday, March 19th 5:30–7:30 PM *Registration Required*
Make adorable Easter crafts. All materials will be provided.

Find Your Roots: Genealogy for Beginners (Ages 16 and Up)
Tuesday, March 26th 5:30–7:30 PM
Discover how to find your ancestors. We'll begin by showing you library resources like Heritage Quest and Ancestry, as well as other helpful sources for the beginner. Participants should bring a notebook, writing utensil, and a laptop if you have one.

