Baxter-Patrick James Island Library
March 2024

Adult Events

Murderous Yarns
Tuesday, March 5 at 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
We knit, crochet, sew, and listen to true crime podcasts...and there are cookies. Drop in with a project to work on or just come for the crime!

The Legacy of Margaret Garner: Inspiration for Toni Morrison’s Beloved
Tuesday, March 5 at 1 p.m.
In 1856, Margaret Garner, an enslaved woman, killed her baby daughter rather than see her returned to slavery after a brave escape attempt. Dr. Delores Walters, author of Gendered Resistance: Women, Slavery and the Legacy of Margaret Garner, will discuss Garner’s life. The story, though tragic, continues to inspire and empower and served as the basis for Toni Morrison’s novel Beloved.

Joy of Meditation
Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20 & 27 at 1:30 p.m. Mondays, March 11, 18 & 25 at 10:30 a.m.
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CPR Class
Saturday, March 16 from 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
A CPR full course that will include using techniques on adults, children and infants as well as AED use. This class is for anyone over 18 years of age who is seeking certification, recertification or self-improvement skills. Registration is required. Call 843 795-6679 or Email cromweld@ccpl.org

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Library Lens: Exploring the World through Documentary Film
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Come and join us as we screen the documentary He Named Me Malala about the inspiring and true story of teenager Malala Yousafzai, who survived a Taliban attack in Pakistan to emerge as a global voice for the education rights of children. He Named Me Malala (2015), rated PG-13, 88 minutes.

Qigong
Tuesday, March 26 at 1:30 p.m.
Enjoy guided group qigong practice (coordinated meditation, breathing and slow movements to optimize energy).

Amhrán: Traditional Irish Music Session
Saturday, March 30 from 2-3 p.m.
Amhrán (oh-rahn) is the Irish word for song. Come enjoy traditional Irish folk music performed by local musicians!

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Embroidery Machine Training
Tuesday, March 5 at 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, March 6 at 11 a.m.
Learn how to set up and use our embroidery machine! This training is needed to utilize the embroidery machine in our Creative Studio. No registration is required for this event.

Sewing Machine Training
Tuesday, March 12 at 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, March 13 at 11 a.m.
Come learn the basics of how to use our sewing machines. This training is needed to utilize the sewing machines and serger in our Creative Studio. No registration is required for this event.

Cricut Training
Tuesday, March 19 at 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, March 20 at 11 a.m.
Let’s learn how to use Cricut Design Space and set up the machine to cut, draw, or score! This training is needed to utilize the Cricut and Heat Press in our Creative Studio. No registration is required for this event.

From Tinkercad to Laser Cut
Saturday, March 23 at 3:30 p.m.
Learn how you can use Tinkercad to create simple designs for our laser cutter.

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Children’s Events

LEGO Lounge (grades K-5)
Saturday, March 2 from 10 a.m.-12 p.m.
Get creative with buckets of bricks! Free build with friends and family or try one of our challenges.

Bird Binoculars with Gaillard Center (ages 0-5)
Monday, March 4 at 10 a.m.
In this workshop, students will be introduced to the life cycle of a bird. Students will create toilet paper roll binoculars to observe birds around them and at the performance.

Tuesday Tech Lab (grades 3-8)
Tuesday, March 19 from 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Drop in for a chance to explore coding, creative technology, robots, gaming, and more!

Preschool Fairy Tale Fun (ages 3-5)
Tuesday, March 5 at 1 p.m.
Does your preschooler love Frozen? If so, join us for some “frozen” fun as we read the story and enjoy some fun-related activities. Space is limited. To register, please email Ms. Karine at knopfk@ccpl.org.

In-Betweeners (ages 9-12)
Thursday, March 28 from 3:30-5 p.m.
Enjoy a fun tween activity.

Dirt 101 (ages 4-12)
Saturday, March 30 from 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Come play in the mud and learn about all things dirt! What is dirt? Why is it important? What does it feel like? What does it look like up close? This hour-long program will involve hands on sensory activities with various types of dirt and leaf matter, and a MUD based craft.

Storytimes

Toddler Storytime (ages 2-3)
Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19 & 26 at 10 a.m.
Come share stories, songs, rhymes, and more with us and support your child’s developing skills.

Baby Storytime (ages 0-2)
Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20 & 27 at 10 a.m.
Bond with your baby and introduce them to the wonders of storytime when you join us for simple stories, songs, rhymes, and fun.

Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5)
Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21 & 28 at 10 a.m.
Join us for a storytime designed to promote school readiness and success as we share stories, songs, rhymes, and more.

Teen Events

Monday Gaming Day
Mondays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25 from 3-5 p.m.
Teens/pre-teens can choose which gaming system to play while enjoying snacks and drinks.

CCSD Early Release/Movie Day: Dungeons & Dragon: Honor Among Thieves
Friday, March 15 at 2:30 p.m.
Based on the popular roleplaying game, the film follows a band of thieves on the hunt for a valuable relic. Under the leadership of a talented thief named Edgin, the band goes on adventures to collect bounties across the land. Dungeons & Dragon: Honor Among Thieves (2003); rated PG-13; 134 minutes.

Friday Movie Day: The Super Mario Bros. Movie
Friday, March 8 at 3:30 p.m.
Join us as we celebrate Mario Day with a movie. The Super Mario Bros. Movie (2023); rated PG, 92 minutes.

Vivid Voices
Tuesday, March 19 at 4:30 p.m.
Calling all teens to come and let your voices be heard. Join us for a creative journey. You will have the opportunity to share your work with the group at the end of the session.

CCSD Half Day/Movie Day: Transformers: Rise of the Beasts (2023)
Friday, March 29 at 12:45 p.m.
In the inner city, a troubled young man named Noah finds himself down on his luck. Yet his seemingly wayward life takes an unexpected turn when he stumbles upon a race of giant robots with the ability to transform into robotic animals. When the earth comes under threat from a sinister force, it is up to Noah and his newfound allies to protect humanity from a seemingly unstoppable threat. Transformers: Rise of the Beasts (2023); rated PG-13; 127 minutes.

Learning Lab Events

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Digital Drop-In
Wednesday, March 13 at 6:30 p.m.
Hands on assistance with tablets, smartphones, and laptops accessing the library’s digital collection and troubleshooting pesky issues. No registration is required for this event.

Computer Basics
Tuesday, March 26 at 11 a.m.
Learn basics like how to start your computer, desktop navigation, save and re-open a file, and create a folder in this class. Registration is required.