BPJ Talent Show Event

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Friday, October 6 at 3 p.m.
Come to enjoy the talent of our patrons! All ages welcome.

October 2023

Teen Events

Movie Monday
Monday, October 2 at 3 p.m.
Movie Monday presents *Black Panther: Wakanda Forever* (2022), rated PG-13; 2hr 41 minutes.

Thursday Café
Thursday, October 5 from 3:30-5 p.m.
Drop in after school to check out games, crafts, snacks, and more.

Halloween Movie
Tuesday, October 31 from 6:15-6:30 p.m.
*Ghostbusters Afterlife* (2021), rated PG-13; 2hr 14 minutes. When a single mom and her two kids arrive in a small town, they begin to discover their connection to the original ghostbusters and the secret legacy their grandfather left behind.

Baxter-Patrick James Island Library Hours

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday - Closed

CCPL Libraries are closed on Monday, October 9 for Staff Training Day.
The Baxter-Patrick James Island Library is closed on the morning of Thursday, October 12 for staff training. It will open at 2 p.m.

Baxter-Patrick James Island Library
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Charleston, South Carolina 29412 | 843-795-6679
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Gaming Day Wednesday
Nintendo Switch/PlayStation
Wednesday, October 4 from 3:30 p.m.
Pre-teens/Teens can choose which gaming system to play.

Movie Wednesday
Wednesday, October 11 at 3 p.m.
Movie Wednesday presents *Black Adam* (2022), rated PG-13; 2hr 5 minutes.

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Adult Events

Joy of Meditation
Mondays, October 2, 16, & 30 at 10:30 a.m.
Wednesdays, October 4, 11 & 18 at 1:30 p.m.
Learn the basics of mindfulness and how to establish a simple daily practice, then enjoy a guided group meditation followed by discussion and integration.

Dreaming
Tuesday, October 3 from 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Learn how to work with your dreams (recall, interpretation, integration), then enjoy a group discussion about dreams and dreaming.

Building Healthy Relationships with My Sister’s House
Saturday, October 7 at 3:30 p.m.
Join representatives from local domestic violence non-profit My Sister’s House to learn more about how to build and support healthy relationships. This program will be suitable for all ages and will include an interactive activity with the chance to win prizes. Representatives from My Sister’s House will be available throughout the day in the lobby, and resources from My Sister’s House are available at the branch at any time.

Murderous Yarns
Saturday, October 14 from 1:30 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 Movie Zone: Hocus Pocus
Tuesday, October 17 at 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Get in the Movie Zone! Join us each month for popcorn and a movie. This month’s feature film is *Hocus Pocus* (1993), rated PG; 95 minutes.

The Rebel Readers Book Club
Tuesday, October 3 from 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Book: *Speak* by Laurie Halse Anderson

Bad Art Night
Thursday, October 12 at 5:30 p.m.
Everyone is an artist...some are just worse than others. Come make bad art with us! If your art is truly hideous you just might be crowned the best of the worst. To register please email Kate at taylork@ccpl.org to register.

Explore Your Roots: Filipino-American, Italian-American, and Polish-American Heritage Month
Tuesday, October 3 at 2 p.m.
Come learn tips and resources for doing genealogical research on your Filipino, Italian, or Polish ancestors.

Bill Noel Author Talk and Book Signing
Friday, October 13 from 11:30 a.m.
Come celebrate Halloween early by meeting Bill Noel, author of the popular Folly Beach Mystery series. Mr. Noel will sign books during the event.

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Escape to Siberia: A Holocaust Survivor’s Story
Monday, October 16 from 3:30 p.m.
Our very special speaker, Mr. Harry Schneider, speaks about his childhood experiences as his family fled Poland to Siberia during the Holocaust. The short film, *Escape to Siberia*, will be shown.

Qigong
Tuesday, October 17 at 1:30 p.m.
Enjoy guided group qigong practice (coordinated meditation, breathing and slow movements to optimize energy).

Makers and Bakers Online Media and Marketing for Small Business
Saturday, October 28 from 10:00-11:30 a.m.
Jewelry, bakers, caterers and clothing creatives are you ready to sell for the holidays? Learn to utilize our libraries for product photography, video, website and e-commerce optimization for increased visibility and sales.
Register is required. To October 5 provides court at 6:30 p.m. you're years old to attend. for a discussion of the books they reading for questions and registration. Registration provide sample Estate Planning documents such and community resources for this vital topic.

**Children’s Events**

**Eric Carle Book Club** (ages 3-5)
Monday, October 2 at 1 p.m.
Join our first ever book club for preschoolers! We will explore an Eric Carle picture book and have fun with some related activities. Registration is required. To register, please email Miss Karine at knopfk@ccpl.org

**In-Betweeners** (ages 9-12)
Thursday, October 11, 18 & 25 at 3:30-5 p.m.
Enjoy a fun tween activity.

**Pokémon Battle Academy** (Grades 4-8)
Saturday, October 14 & 28 from 2-3:30 p.m.
Do you have a stockpile of Pokémon cards? Looking to do more than just collect and trade? Come learn the art of Pokémon battling with an experienced trainer! You’ll have a chance to go head-to-head with friends and learn strategies for future battles. Bring your own decks or borrow one of ours. Trainers of all experience levels welcome! No registration required.

**Family Movie Night** (all ages)
Wednesday, October 18 & 25 at 5:30 p.m.
Hocus Pocus (1993); rated PG; 95 minutes. (Grades 4-8)
The House With a Clock in Its Walls (2018); rated PG-13; 104 minutes. (ages 3-5)
Simple Stories, songs, rhymes, and fun.

**Toddler Storytime** (ages 2-3)
Tuesday, October 3, 10, 17 & 24 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)
Wednesday, October 4, 11, 18 & 25 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)
Thursday, October 5, 12, 19 & 26 at 10 a.m.
Join us for a storytime designed to promote school readiness and success as we share stories, songs, rhymes, and more.

**Y-Girls Code** (Grades 3-5)
Wednesday, October 4, 11, 18 & 25 from 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Y Girls Code is a free, weekly after-school program that teaches programming concepts to girls in a supportive environment of peers and role models. This program is for 10 weeks. Registration is required. To register email cromwelld@ccpl.org.

**Book Club** (Grades 2-5)
Thursday, October 5 at 3:30 p.m.
Join fellow readers for a discussion of the books they love (and don’t love). Come share what you’re reading or get book recommendations from others!

**LEGO Lounge** (Grades K-3)
Saturday, October 14 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.

**4th Annual All Day Trick or Treat at the Library** (ages 0-11)
Tuesday, October 31 all day
Trick or treat your way through the library and enjoy some Halloween fun. Participants are asked to wear a costume and start their adventure in the Children’s Room.

**Storytimes**

**Embroidery Machine Training**
Tuesday, October 10 at 6:30 p.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 and Serger Training**
Wednesday, October 11 at 6:30 p.m.
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 and Heat Press Training**
Tuesday, October 17 at 6:30 p.m.
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.

**Spooky Dolls**
Saturday, October 7 at 3:30 p.m.
Stitch, stuff, and decorate a spooky fabric doll! Registration is required for this event.

**Paint a Pumpkin**
Saturday, October 21 at 3:30 p.m.
Paint some foam pumpkins and get into the fall spirit!

**Probate Program: Elder Law**
Wednesday, October 4 at 6:30 p.m.
Judge Irv Condon discusses Elder Law, the area of legal practice that addresses issues which affect our aging population. Judge Condon will provide a Senior Citizens’ Handbook and will discuss probate court and community resources for this vital topic.

**Probate Program: Estate Planning**
Wednesday, October 11 at 6:30 p.m.
Judge Irv Condon will discuss Estate Planning, which is the process of arranging during one’s life the management of the individual’s estate and health care in the event the person becomes incapacitated, and, after the person has passed away, the distribution of one’s assets. Judge Condon provides sample Estate Planning documents such as a Will, a Trust, Powers of Attorneys, and Advance Directives.

**Creative Studio Events**

Please call (843) 795-6679 ext. 8104 or email bpcreative@ccpl.org for questions and registration. Registration is required unless otherwise stated. Must be at least 18 years old to attend.

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