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Visit www.ccpl.org for program details and library services.

Fun for All Ages!

Global Day (or Weekend) of Unplugging
Friday and Saturday, March 1 and 2
Unplug and get connected! Whether it’s for an hour, a day, or the whole weekend, the Poe Library can give you ideas and space to celebrate the “Global Day of Unplugging.” Stop by for a cup of tea or coffee, enjoy the sunshine at our picnic tables, work on a puzzle or craft, play a game, or just have a conversation that doesn’t involve an electronic device!

To learn more about this initiative, visit www.globaldayofunplugging.org.

Island Poetry Swap
Month of March
Help us celebrate National Poetry Month with the CCPL Island Poetry Swap! Write a poem to send to our library neighbors on James Island, Johns Island, and Edisto Island!

Mystery Missions: Random Acts of Kindness
Throughout the month of March, pick up and complete a Mystery Mission to spread some kindness in your community!

Events for Adults

American Mah Jongg
Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21, and 28
12-2 p.m. - beginners
4-6 p.m. - experienced players
Learn to play the fun and fast-paced game of American Mah Jongg.

Memoir Writing Circle
Tuesdays, March 5, 12, and 19 at 1 p.m.
Everyone has a story, and we want to know yours! We write for 20 minutes from a prompt and share stories for fun and friendly feedback. [Writers Share Session on March 26.]

POE-etry critique group
Wednesdays, March 13 and 20 at 1 p.m.
Gather with fellow poets to share and improve your work. Bring six copies of one or two poems to share with fellow poets (limit 2-3 pages).

Beach Lovers Book Club
Saturday, March 16 at 10 a.m
Come for a lively discussion of “West with Giraffes” by Lynda Rutledge. Copies of “West with Giraffes” available in regular and large print and on CD.
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Events for Children

**Family Storytime**
Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19 and 26 at 10:30 a.m.
Family storytime is packed full of opportunities for kids to practice their early literacy skills. Join in a variety of interactive books, songs, and rhymes designed to strengthen your child's reading readiness. Caregivers learn about developmentally appropriate activities to use at home and on the go.
Designed for anyone from birth to age 5, and older siblings are welcome!

**So you want to be a...**
**Carpenter - Friday, March 8 from 4-5 p.m.**
**Civil Engineer - Friday, March 22 from 4-5 p.m.**
Join us twice a month as we explore future career pathways and what it takes to get there. Through books, activities, crafts, guest speakers, videos and more we’ll see where our current interests can take us and try out a new ones along the way.

**STEM Challenge**
Saturday, March 23 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Couldn’t make it to our Friday “So you want to be a Civil Engineer?” program? Drop in to participate in our associated STEM activity and ask Ms. Heidi what we learned the previous day! Ages 6-11.

**Bonus activities in the Children’s Room - Hello Dolly!**
**Month of March**
Do you know that celebrity singer/songwriter Dolly Parton is a champion for early literacy and has gifted more than 229 million books to children through her Imagination Library program? Help us celebrate Women’s History Month with Dolly-themed fun!

Events for Teens (grades 6-12)

**After School Art Club**
**Fridays, March 1 and 15 from 4-5 p.m.**
Come hang out after school to experiment with different arts and crafts! Ages 11-18.

**Beaded Suncatcher**
**Saturday, March 16 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.**
Drop in and create a unique window hanger with natural flair! All supplies will be provided.

**YA DIY: Bottlecap Scrapbook**
**Month of March**
Use the provided supplies to create your own mini scrapbook inside a bottlecap!