

# WHAT'S UP AT WANDO

WMTP Adult Services

May 2024

*All branches will be closed May 27 for Memorial Day*

May the 'Fourth' Be With You!



## \*Star Wars Trivia

Thursday, May 2  
5:30 p.m.

May the "fourth" be with you! Join your fellow Star Wars fans for a trivia night in a galaxy far far away. To register as an individual or team please call 843-805-6888 or stop by the Adult Services desk.

## \*Star Wars T-shirt Design

Saturday, May 4  
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
Creative Studio 2

Learn how to design your own T-shirt with a Star Wars theme for May the Fourth. Learn the basics of preparing the design, cutting it out and laminating it. Please bring your own T-shirt. Adults only. Registration required. Please email [WandoMakerManager@ccpl.org](mailto:WandoMakerManager@ccpl.org)

## \*School for Documentary Filmmaking

**Saturdays in May**  
11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Documentary filmmaking is one of the most important art forms for preserving heritage, history and truth. In today's digital age, anyone can produce high quality productions. In this month-long series, you will learn storytelling, composition, lighting, audio, editing and media tools used today. **Class size is limited. To register, email [wandostudiomanager@ccpl.org](mailto:wandostudiomanager@ccpl.org)**



## Medicare Made Easy



## Financial Services Workshop

Saturday, May 11  
10 a.m.

Join Financial Services Professional Robert Hubsmith for an informational workshop on Medicare Made Easy.

## Meet the Author

### Author Talk: Bea Lavelle

Saturday, May 18  
1 p.m.

Join us for a book discussion lead by College of Charleston professor Bea Lavelle, author of "Eating Plants - What's in it for ME?". The presentation will go beyond the plate and into the evidence-based science that affirms phytochemicals, only found in plants, protect the human body from illness and helps it to heal.



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# Now Showing

## Wando METinee: *La Rondine*

Saturday, May 4  
1 p.m.

Join us for the Metropolitan Opera's production of Puccini's *La Rondine*. This bittersweet love story features soprano Angel Blue as the French courtesan Magda, opposite tenor Jonathan Tetelman in his company debut as Ruggero, an idealistic young man who offers her an alternative to her life of excess.

## Wando Cinema: *Secretariat (2010)*

Friday, May 31  
3 p.m.

PG, 123 min.

Behind every legend lies an impossible dream. Witness the spectacular journey of an incredible horse named Secretariat and the moving story of his unlikely owner, a housewife who risked everything to make him a champion.

## Pretty as a Picture



### Step-By-Step Paint Class

Saturday, May 11  
1 p.m.

Come and enjoy a step-by-step acrylic painting class. Learn basic techniques to create a landscape painting. Registration required. Sign up at the Adult Services desk or call 843-805-6888.

## Makerspace Spotlight

### \*Intro to Cricut

Monday, May 6  
4-5:30 p.m.  
Creative Studio 2

Learn how to make cutouts, stickers and more with this versatile electronic cutting machine. Materials provided. Adults only. Registration required.

### \*Painted Rocks

Thursday, May 16  
10-11:30 a.m.  
Creative Studio 1

You will never look at a rock the same way after this exciting workshop. All materials are supplied. Adults only. Registration required.

### \*Traditional Japanese Braiding

Wednesday, May 30  
2-3:30 p.m.  
Creative Studio 2

Learn how to make kumihimo, traditional Japanese braiding. These beautiful braids can be made into bracelets, key chains and more. Adults only; all materials supplied.

### \*Intro to Machine Sewing

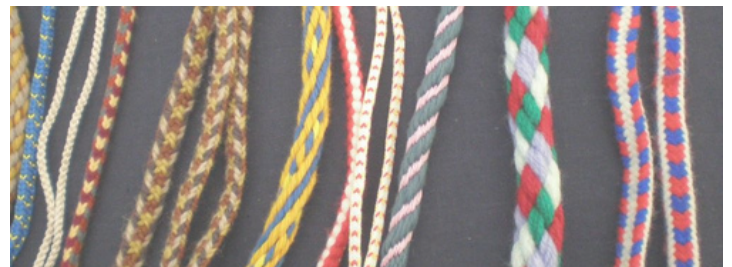
Tuesday, May 14  
6-7:30 p.m.  
Creative Studio 2

Learn the basics of how to sew on a machine. An intro to different functions of the sewing machine will include terminology, techniques and threading. Materials are provided. Registration required; space is limited. Adults only.

### Intro to Weaving

Tuesday, May 21  
4-5:30 p.m.  
Creative Studio 2

Learn how to make a simple weaving using a cardboard loom. Basic techniques and terminology will be shared. All materials are supplied. Adults only. No registration required.



**\*Registration is required. To sign up, email [wandomakermanager@ccpl.org](mailto:wandomakermanager@ccpl.org)**

# Library Clubs

## American Mah Jongg

Wednesdays

1-3 p.m.

Community Room B

Join us for an afternoon of American mah jongg. All skill levels welcome.

**No meeting on May 8.**

## Wando Knitting Club

Thursday, May 9 and 23

2:30-4 p.m.

Creative Studio 2

Now bimonthly! Join other knitters and fiber artists on the second and fourth Thursday of each month for an afternoon of knitting and crochet. All skill levels welcome! Please bring your own materials. Adults only.

## Wando Writers

Monday, May 20

3 p.m.

Writers of all experience levels are welcome to bring in stories, read a section, and receive feedback. Please keep excerpts to around 750 words (or three pages).

## Language and Culture Club

Wednesday, May 29

10-11:30 a.m.

Come enjoy coffee, practice conversational English, Spanish and Serbo-Croatian, and expand your knowledge of world cultures. All languages welcome. **No meeting May 14**



## \*BYO Book Club

Thursday, May 9

1:30-2:30 p.m.

Join us the second Thursday of each month for an exchange of varied book titles and discussion topics to share. All are welcome, young adults and adults! Please register at the Adult Services desk or call 843-805-6888.

## Monday Murder Mysteries

Monday, May 20

11 a.m.

Join us for our discussion of *Red Queen* by Juan Gómez-Jurado. Jon Gutierrez, a police officer in Bilbao, Spain, is offered a chance to salvage his career by a secretive organization that directs highly sensitive criminal investigations. All he has to do is convince brilliant investigator Antonia Scott to come out of her self-imposed retirement and help investigate a new, terrifying case.

## \*Dungeons and Dragons Club

Saturday, May 25

1-4:30 p.m.

Make your world, make your character, then make your name as an adventurer in the popular table-top role-play game, Dungeons and Dragons. Books and dice provided. Adults only. Registration required; please email [ljuc@ccpl.org](mailto:ljuc@ccpl.org) or sign up at the Adults Services desk.



# Tech Classes

## Digital Drop-in

Wednesday, May 8

10-11:30 a.m.

Learning Lab

Do you need a little help with your new laptop, phone, or tablet? Drop in and play with our "tech toy box," or see a Tech Team member for assistance with your own device. First come, first served.

## CCPL's eLibrary

Wednesday, May 1

10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Learning Lab

Get an overview of CCPL's downloadable eBook, audiobook, and magazine collection. Practice using [ccpl.org](http://ccpl.org) and related apps to check out and download materials from OverDrive's Libby app and Hoopla. We will also review the lending restrictions and added features.



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| <p><b>*Registration Required</b><br/>Sign up at the Adult Services desk or call 843-805-6888</p>  |  | <p><b>1</b></p> <p>CCPL's eLibrary<br/>10 a.m.-12 p.m.</p> <hr/> <p>American Mah Jongg<br/>1-3 p.m.</p>          | <p><b>2</b></p> <p>*Star Wars Trivia<br/>5:30 p.m.</p>   | <p><b>3</b></p>   | <p><b>4</b></p> <p>*Documentary Filmmaking School<br/>11 a.m.-1 p.m.</p> <hr/> <p>*Star Wars T-Shirt Design<br/>11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.</p> <hr/> <p>Wando METinee:<br/><i>La Rondine</i><br/>1 p.m.</p> |
| <p><b>6</b></p> <p>*Intro to Cricut<br/>4-5:30 p.m.</p>   | <p><b>7</b></p>  | <p><b>8</b></p> <p>Digital Drop-In<br/>10-11:30 a.m.</p>   | <p><b>9</b></p> <p>BYO Book Club<br/>1:30-2:30 p.m.</p> <hr/> <p>Knitting Club<br/>2:30-4 p.m.</p> | <p><b>10</b></p>  | <p><b>11</b></p> <p>Medicare Made Easy<br/>10 a.m.</p> <hr/> <p>*Documentary Filmmaking School<br/>11 a.m.-1 p.m.</p> <hr/> <p>*Step-By-Step Paint Class<br/>1 p.m.</p>                             |
| <p><b>13</b></p>  | <p><b>14</b></p> <p>*Intro to Machine Sewing<br/>6-7:30 p.m.</p> | <p><b>15</b> <i>Summer Reading Begins!</i></p> <p>American Mah Jongg<br/>1-3 p.m.</p>                            | <p><b>16</b></p> <p>*Painted Rocks<br/>10-11:30 a.m.</p>   | <p><b>17</b></p>  | <p><b>18</b></p> <p>*Documentary Filmmaking School<br/>11 a.m.-1 p.m.</p> <hr/> <p>Author Talk:<br/>Bea Lavelle<br/>1 p.m.</p>  |
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**GRADES 6-12**

**Hands-only CPR Training**  
**Wednesday, May 15th, 5-6pm**  
Learn more about this simple process of hands-only CPR that could potentially save a life. For grades 6-12. Registration required. Spaces are limited. Email [wmtpteenservices@ccpl.org](mailto:wmtpteenservices@ccpl.org) or call (843) 805-6888.



**Opioid Prevention with WakeUp Carolina and the Charleston Center**

**Thursday, May 9th, 4pm**  
Learn more about recovery resources, new risks, and harm reduction, from WakeUp Carolina, the Charleston Center and other community partners. Free books will be given out at the program. This program is made possible by the Charleston Center.



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# Wando YA

GRADES 6-12

CHECK OUT THESE NEW YA BOOKS!



**Just Shy of Ordinary**  
by A.J. Sass



**Wander in the Dark**  
by Jumata Emill



**Maybe it's a sign**  
by E.L. Shen

## SUMMER READING!

Don't forget to register for our summer reading program! Registration opens **May 15th!** For more info go to [www.ccpl/summeronline](http://www.ccpl/summeronline) and click on the summer reading banner. Lots of fun prizes to be won!

# Wando Children's Calendar

## May 2024

| Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday    | Saturday  |
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|   |   | <b>1</b><br><b>Toddler Storytime</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.<br><br><b>What is Lei Day?</b><br>3:30 p.m.               | <b>2</b><br><b>Preschool Storytime</b><br>10:00 a.m.<br><br><b>STEAM Team</b><br>3:30 p.m.  | <b>3</b>  | <b>4</b><br><b>Thinkers &amp; Tinkers</b><br>11:00 a.m.<br><br><b>May the 4th be with You! Star Wars Celebration</b><br>2:00 p.m. |
| <b>6</b><br><b>Baby Storytime</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.   | <b>7</b><br><b>Start with Art</b><br>10:00 a.m.<br><br><b>Step by Step Painting</b><br>3:30 p.m.<br><i>*Registration Required*</i><br><b>Evening Family Storytime</b><br>6:00 p.m.                              | <b>8</b><br><b>Toddler Storytime</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.<br><br><b>Mother's Day Sound Bath</b><br>3:30 p.m.        | <b>9</b><br><b>Preschool Storytime</b><br>10:00 a.m.<br><br><b>Clemson Green Thumb Gardeners</b><br>3:30 p.m.<br><i>*Registration Required*</i> | <b>10</b> | <b>11</b><br><b>Car Seat Check</b><br>10:00 a.m.<br><br><b>Sensory Storytime</b><br>11:00 a.m.                                    |
| <b>13</b><br><b>Baby Storytime</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.  | <b>14</b><br><b>Music &amp; Movement</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.<br><br><b>Homeschool Hangout Field Day</b><br>11:00 a.m.   | <b>15</b><br><b>Toddler Storytime</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.<br><br><b>Animal Adventures: Alligators</b><br>3:30 p.m. | <b>16</b><br><b>Preschool Storytime</b><br>10:00 a.m.   | <b>17</b> | <b>18</b><br><b>STAR Therapy Dogs</b><br>11:00 a.m.<br><br><b>Comics Workshop</b><br>2:00 p.m.                                    |
| <b>20</b><br><b>Family Storytime</b><br>10:00 and 10:30 a.m.  | <b>We will be taking a short program break so we can prepare fun, new Summer Reading events for you! You can register for Summer Reading starting May 1st and start picking up prizes as early as June 1st!</b> |  |   |           |   |
| <b>27</b><br><div style="background-color: #d4edda; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>Library Closed - Memorial Day Holiday</b> </div> | <b>28</b>   | <b>29</b>  | <b>30</b>   | <b>31</b> |    |

# Wando Children's Calendar

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Storytime at Wando is an engaging and immersive early literacy experience including stories, songs, movement, rhymes, and more! Research-based practices guide intentional and consistent Storytime curriculum to best support little ones as they learn to talk, sing, read, write, and play - and support caregivers as they foster that learning at the library and at home. An inclusive Sensory Storytime is offered once a month - more information below.

## Event Details

### What is Lei Day?

**Wednesday, May 1st at 3:30 p.m.**

Join us in celebrating Asian Pacific American Heritage Month. We will learn about Hawaii and the tradition of Leis. All ages with adult.

### STEAM Team: Flight Camp

**Thursday, May 2nd at 3:30 p.m.**

Come have fun learning about airplanes with a story and an experiment! Ages 6+

### Thinkers & Tinkers

**Saturday, May 4th at 11:00 a.m.**

Drop in to play with a variety of toys that exercise motor skills and get brain wheels turning! All ages with adult.

### May the 4th be with You! Star Wars Celebration

**Saturday, May 4th at 2:00 p.m.**

Come celebrate all things Star Wars with some arts and crafts. All ages with adult.

### Start with Art

**Tuesday, May 7th at 10:00 a.m.**

Drop in for a morning of creative learning - be prepared to get messy! Ages 2-5 with adult.

### Step by Step Painting

**Tuesday, May 7th at 10:00 and 3:30 p.m.**

Learn to paint step by step. Ages 8+

**\*Registration Required\* Email**

**WMTP-ChildrensServices@ccpl.org or call 843-805-6888.**

### Mother's Day Sound Bath

**Wednesday, May 8th at 3:30 p.m.**

Relax with a soothing sound bath. All ages with adult.

### Clemson Green Thumb Gardeners

**Thursday, May 9th at 3:30 p.m.**

Learn about planting spring vegetables. Ages 5+

**\*Registration required\* Email**

**WMTP-ChildrensServices@ccpl.org or call 843-805-6888.**

### Car Seat Check

**Saturday, May 11th at 10:00 a.m.**

Do you know if your car seats are installed correctly? Drop in anytime between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. for a free car seat check performed by a certified Child Passenger Safety Technician.

### Sensory Storytime

**Saturday, May 11th at 11:00 a.m.**

Sensory storytime is geared toward, but not restricted to children ages 3-7 who are neurodivergent. To request a storytime plan or a personal tour up to one week before the event, email [WMTP-ChildrensServices@ccpl.org](mailto:WMTP-ChildrensServices@ccpl.org). All ages with adult.

### Animal Adventures: Alligators

**Monday, May 13th at 3:30 p.m.**

Come have fun learning about alligators with a story and a craft! All ages with adult.

### Music & Movement

**Tuesday, May 14th at 10:00 and 10:30 a.m.**

Shake the sillies out with singing and dancing. All ages with adult.

### Homeschool Hangout Field Day

**Tuesday, May 14th at 11:00 a.m.**

Come join us for a variety of games and team bonding activities to celebrate spring! All ages with adult.

### STAR Therapy Dogs

**Saturday, May 18th at 11:00 a.m.**

Drop in to read to or just hang out with a certified therapy dog. All ages with adult.

### Comics Workshop

**Saturday, May 18th at 2:00 p.m.**

Come learn fundamental skills for creating our own original comics and get inspired by our favorite comics and graphic novels! Ages 7+