



Events/Programs

*Registration for February programs begins Friday, January 1 at 10am (please call 704-416-3000, or register in person).

Teen Programs are in blue.
Adult programs are in green.

		Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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						Family Tales (Families) 3:00pm
4	5	6	7	8	9	
	Sensory Storytime (all ages) 10:30am Film: Sparkle (Teens & Adults) 11:30am Cultural Exploration: Black History Month (Teens 12-18) 3:30pm Homework Tutoring 6:00-7:30pm (Grades K-12)	Computer Basics* (Adults) 2:00pm Afterschool Adventures (Early Elementary, Pre-Teen) 5:00pm	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Baby Storytime (ages 3-17 months) 10:45am Urban Fiction Book Club (Adults) 6:30pm	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Toddler Storytime (ages 18-35 months) 10:45am Tech Tutoring* (Adults/Seniors) 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30pm Film: The Help (Teens & Adults) 3:30pm Inspirational Fiction Book Club (Adults) 6:30pm		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Sensory Storytime (all ages) 10:30am Film: In the Heat of the Night (Teens & Adults) 11:30am Learn, Quest, Play: Video Gaming (Teens 12-18) 3:30pm Homework Tutoring 6:00-7:30pm (Grades K-12)	Internet Basics* (Families) 2:00pm Rookie Science: African American Inventors (Early Elementary, Pre-Teen) 5:00pm	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Baby Storytime (ages 3-17 months) 10:45am Art Club (Teens 12-18) 11:30am	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Toddler Storytime (ages 18-35 months) 10:45am Film: Freedom Writers (Teens & Adults) 3:30pm Tech Tutoring* (Adults/Seniors) 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30pm		Family Tales (Families) 3:00pm
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	Homework Study Zone (Teens 12-18) 11:30pm Film: Pride (Teens & Adults) 11:30am Homework Tutoring 6:00-7:30pm (Grades K-12) Historical Fantasy Fiction Book Club (Adults) 6:30pm	Excel Basics I* (Adults) 2:00pm Story Explorers, (Early Elementary, Pre-Teen) 5:00pm	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Baby Storytime (ages 3-17 months) 10:45am	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Toddler Storytime (ages 18-35 months) 10:45am Film: Stomp the Yard (Teens & Adults) 3:30pm Tech Tutoring* (Adults/Seniors) 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30pm		Black History Month Career Day (Adults) 1:00pm
24	25	26	27	28		
	Sensory Storytime (all ages) 10:30am Film: Ali (Teens & Adults) 11:30am Learn, Quest, Play: Strategy Gaming (Teens 12-18) 3:30pm Homework Tutoring 6:00-7:30pm (Grades K-12)	Excel Basics II* (Adults) 2:00pm Creating with Books (Early Elementary, Pre-Teen) 5:00pm	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Baby Storytime (ages 3-17 months) 10:45am Operation College Launch: FAFSA Completing Workshop (Teens 12-18) 5:00pm	Preschool Storytime (ages 3-5) 10:15am Toddler Storytime (ages 18-35 months) 10:45am Film: The Express (Teens & Adults) 3:30pm Tech Tutoring* (Adults/Seniors) 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30pm		

January 2013 Events Information

Beatties Ford Road Library
Programs

DESCRIPTIONS

Children's Programs

Baby Storytime*

(birth to 17 months)

Babies experience brain stimulation through language and socialization. New sights and sounds are shared with a parent/caregiver through books, songs, and rhymes.

Toddler Storytime*

(ages 18-35 months)

Toddlers build language skills, participate in music and movement activities, and discover the fun of books. Explore letters, sounds, and new words through stories and activities.

Preschool Storytime*

(ages 3 to 5 years)

Preschoolers engage with books and activities that encourage language and pre-reading skills. Hear stories, sing songs, and develop the skills needed to become a successful reader.

Sensory Storytime

(Family/Youth & Caregivers)

Children practice their communication, social, and participation skills through books and activities. For all children with disabilities or special needs and their families.

Family Storytime

Saturday, January 5, 19, 26 @ 3:00pm

Age Group(s): Family/Youth & Caregivers

Children enjoy favorite stories, songs, and movement activities that support early literacy skills. Help foster a love of books and reading in your child!

Afterschool Adventures

Age Group: Early Elementary, Pre-Teen

Tuesday, January 8 @ 5:00pm

Children develop literacy and critical thinking skills through books and hands-on activities.

Rookies Science: TK the Chemist

Age Group: Early Elementary, Pre-Teen

Tuesday, January 15 @ 5:00pm

Discover the world of science through books, hands-on educational activities, and experiments. This week, Dr. T.K. Shipp from MyGems Science will be here to present African American inventors.

Story Explorers

Age Group: Early Elementary, Pre-Teen

Tuesday, January 22 @ 5:00pm

Explore books and stories in creative ways through interactive activities including math, science, games, and more! This series is just for school-age kids.

Tuesday, January 29 @ 5:00pm

Creating with Books

Age Group(s): Early Elementary, Pre-Teen

Children will listen to stories and extend their learning through a variety of hands-on activities.



Hands On Charlotte Homework Tutoring for Grades K-12
Every Monday @ 6:00-7:30pm except for Teacher Work Days

Teen Programs

Monday, February 4 @ 3:30pm

Cultural Exploration: Black History Month

Age Group(s): Teens (12-18)

Join us for a lively discussion as we celebrate Black History Month in February.

Monday, February 11 @ 3:30pm

Learn, Quest, Play: Video Gaming

Age Group(s): Teens (12-18)

Develop literacy, critical thinking and teamwork skills with video games.

Wednesday, February 13 @ 3:30pm

Art Club

Age Group(s): Teens (12-18)

Exercise your creativity and learn new skills in a group setting. Join our young artist's club as we use different media to make art to enhance the library.

Monday, February 18 @ 11:30pm

Homework Study Zone

Age Group(s): Teens (12-18)

Drop by today for Homework Study Zone. The goal is to provide teens with a place to spread out and get some school work done, study for tests, work on group projects, get homework help or free online tutoring.

Monday, February 25 @ 3:30pm

Learn, Quest, Play: Strategy Gaming

Age Group(s): Teens (12-18)

Develop critical and strategic thinking skills with Strategy Games such as chess, Monopoly and Scrabble.

Wednesday, February 27 @ 5:00pm

Operation College Launch: FAFSA Completing Workshop

Age Group(s): Teens (12-18)

Completing the FAFSA can be intimidating, but it doesn't have to be. Join us to complete the FAFSA form online with technical assistance from an expert. Bring your student and parent tax forms and W2 forms.

We're Open on Sunday!
Sunday Hours: 1:00-5:00pm



One-on-one tech tutoring is available every Thursdays by appointment a week in advance. No walk-ins accepted. Registration is available online or at the reference desk or call 704-416-3000 for appointment.

Adult Computer Classes

Registration begins one week before class.

Call 704-416-3000 to register.

Tuesday, February 5 @ 2:00 pm

Computer Basics*

Learn computer parts, terms and concepts, plus how to hold, move, click and double-click a mouse. Get hands-on experience with a mouse and keyboard. If you are uncomfortable using a computer and mouse, this is the class for you.

Tuesday, February 12 @ 2:00 pm

Internet Basics*

New to the Internet? Need some guidance on getting started with this new world of information? Come get the basics from our helpful staff on what the Internet is and how everyone can use it.

Tuesday, February 19 @ 2:00 pm

Excel Basics I*

Learn how to create, edit, and save a basic spreadsheet in Microsoft Excel. This class is designed for adults who have mastered basic computer skills.

Tuesday, February 26 @ 2:00 pm

Excel Basics II*

This class is a follow up to the Excel Basics Part I class. After a review, we'll discuss formulas, functions, modifying a spreadsheet, and charts and graphs.

Black History Month Film Series

Mondays @ 11:30 am

February 4 *Sparkle*
February 11 *In the Heat of the Night*
February 18 *Pride*
February 25 *Ali*

Thursday @ 3:30 pm

February 7 *The Help*
February 14 *Freedom Writers*
February 21 *Stomp the Yard*
February 28 *The Express*

Beatties Ford Road Library
Book Club



Urban Fiction Book Club
Book discussion of
Another One Night Stand by
Kendall Banks
January 10 @ 6:30pm



Historical Fantasy Fiction
Book Club
Book discussion of
Night Circus by Erin Morgenstern
February 25 @ 6:30pm
Light refreshments provided.