

Edgar Allan Poe/Sullivan's Island Library

April 2023

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Featured Programs



Plants for Attracting Hummingbirds

Saturday, April 1 at 11:30 a.m.

Clemson Extension Horticulture Agent Chris Burt returns to the Poe branch to teach you how to attract these beautiful birds to your yard. **Registration requested.** Email poe@ccpl.org or call 843-883-3914.



Block Printing Class

Monday, April 3 from 1:00-2:30 p.m. (after hours event)

Learn the art of block printing from Creative Studio Librarian Adam Rollins. Participants will use provided tools to design and carve Soft-Kut blocks and make prints with a Speedball block press. **Space is limited and registration is required.** Teens and adults only. Email poe@ccpl.org or call 843-883-3914.



Low-Ku and Haikus for Earth Day

Saturday, April 22 - Author presentation at 10 a.m. with craft and haiku activity to follow

Join author Pamela Brownstein as she shares her book of haikus inspired by life in the Lowcountry, then create your own nature-inspired haiku and illustrate it with thumbprint art! "Low-Ku: Haikus of the Lowcountry" will be available for purchase. A portion of the proceeds will go to the Friends of the Library.

Events for Adults

Memoir Writing Circle

Tuesdays, April 4, 11, and 18 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 April 25.]

Gentle Yoga

Wednesdays, April 5, 12, 19, and 26 at 2 p.m.

Gentle yoga session for improved flexibility, balance, and strength.

Space is limited; registration is required. Call 843-883-3914.

American Mah Jongg

Thursdays, April 6, 13, 20, and 27
12-2 p.m. - all levels

(beginners welcome)

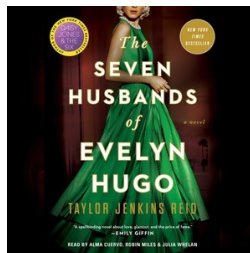
4-6 p.m. - experienced players

Learn to play the fun and fast-paced game of American Mah Jongg.

POE-etry critique group

Wednesdays, April 12 and 26 at 1 p.m.

Gather with fellow poets to share and improve your work. Bring five copies of one or two poems to share with fellow poets (limit 2-3 pages).



Beach Lovers Book Club

Saturday, April 15 at 10 a.m.

Come for a lively discussion of "The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo" by Taylor Jenkins Reid.



Be sure to check out our new Seed Library and Exchange display! If you are a gardener or want to be one, grab some seeds and start planting! Bring us some of your extras at the end of the growing season to share with your fellow islanders!



Over for events for children and teens ▶▶▶▶

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Events for Children

Family Storytime

Tuesdays, April 4, 18 and 27 at 10:30 a.m. (no meeting 4/11/23)

Packed full of opportunities for kids to practice their early literacy skills, you will enjoy interactive books, songs, and rhymes designed to strengthen your child's reading readiness. Learn developmentally-appropriate activities to use at home and on the go. Designed for anyone from birth to age 5 and their caregivers, and older siblings are welcome!

Art Journaling

Thursday, April 20 from 3 - 5 p.m.

Learn how to create art journal pages for your own personal journal. Meet monthly to explore new ways to express yourself that combine collage, watercolor, acrylics, and more! Ages 8-11, registration required. Call 843-883-3914.



Earth Day Fingerprint Art and Haiku

Saturday, April 22 - drop in from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m

Be inspired by the nature around us on Earth Day! Learn how to write a haiku poem, then create fingerprint art inspired by your haiku! Ages 5 and older.



Events for Teens

Felt Garden in a Tin

Saturday, April 15 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Welcome spring by making mini faux gardens in recycled metal tins!

After School Art Club for Tweens and Teens

Fridays, April 14 (Spring Break) and 28 from 4-5 p.m.

Looking for something to do to end your spring break? Bored after school? Come hang out and try out different arts and crafts!

Summer Reading POE-ster Design Contest

April 14-May 14, 2023

Paint, draw, collage, or digitally design a "Reading is Rad" POEster and turn it in at the circulation desk or email it to poe@ccpl.org with the subject "POEster Design Contest" for a chance to have your art turned into a poster! For grades 6-12. Limited to two submissions per person.



YA DIY: Poetry Rocks!

Month of April

Join us in celebrating Poetry Month! Use the provided supplies to create your own poetry-themed paperweight. Ages 12 and up.

Blackout Poetry

Month of April

Create your own poem using pages of prose by other writers. Then bring your completed blackout poem back to be displayed on the YA board!

YA Scavenger Hunt:

Famous Poets

Month of April

Celebrate National Poetry Month with our Famous Poets Scavenger Hunt! Turn in your completed scavenger hunt for a chance to win a poetry-inspiring prize!