APRIL PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

Live well @ your library — Burke County Public Library (Morganton • Valdese • C.B. Hildebrand)

BURKE COUNTY

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY

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CBH = C.B. Hildebrand Public Library - 828-764-9283
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Libraries Closed April 3 and 4

Bibliomaniacs

13 A FREE Monthly Subscription box for Adult book lovers!

Boxes include a library book & fun items relating to the theme. Boxes available **Monday, April 13** (first-come, first-served basis while supplies last).

7 **Savory Spice Club Spice Pick Up****

Pre-registration required. Participants will receive a call when pick-up is available at preferred library.

8 PARTNERS Improving Lives. Strengthening Communities. Educational Lunch Series

Personality Disorders: The Impact of Aging

Wed., April 8 from 12-1pm at MPL

No registration. Bring your lunch. Snacks & bottled water provided. CEU's available.

Digital Literacy for Seniors

Intro to Chatting with AI

Wed., April 8 from 2-3pm at MPL
Presented by WPCOG

9 **Savory Spice Chop Shop**

5:30pm at VPL**

Pre-registration required, but you do not need to be registered for the Savory Spice Club to attend.

10 **Needlework in the Morning**

10am-Noon at MPL

11 GRAND OPENING

New Seed Library

1-4pm at MPL

Ask a Master Gardener, face painting, and more! Open to all ages

16 **Crochet Cafe**

6pm at VPL

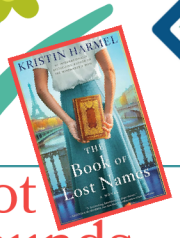
A needlework program for YA & adults.

17 **Needlework in the Morning**

10am-Noon at First United Methodist Church in Valdese

21 **Plot Hounds Book Discussion**

10am at VPL



22 **Oxymorons**

New Adult Book Discussion

6pm at MPL

Open to Adults and Teens



23 **Beginner Crochet**

VPL 5:30**

Class requires pre-registration and attendance at all three scheduled meetings: April 23, April 30, May 7. For Adults Only.

24 **Needlework in the Morning**

10am-Noon at MPL

25 **Neighborhood Forest Tree Pick Up Day**

9am-4pm at MPL

For those who pre-registered by March 14

27 **Mixed Media Monday**

6pm at MPL**

Pre-registration required.

28 **Digital Drop-In****

9:30am-Noon at MPL

Presented by WPCOG. Registration required. 30-minute one-on-one session with a Digital Navigator



30 Friends of the Library Author's Luncheon featuring NC Author

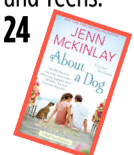
Donna Everhart

Thursday, April 30, at 12 Noon
at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall (Morganton)

Happily Ever Afters Anonymous Book Club

Open to Adults and Teens.

Friday, April 24
CBH 4pm



APRIL PROGRAMS FOR TEENS

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Free! A^YA BOOK SUBSCRIPTION. #YA2GO

Each themed box contains a library book, matching swag & bookish items! Boxes are available starting the first full week of the month on a first-come, first-served basis!

All library locations will be closed April 3rd & 4th in observance of the Easter holiday

6 Game Night
6pm (CBH)

7 Movie & Make It Night
6pm (VPL)



9 STEAM Craft Night: DIY Seed Bombs**
4pm (MPL)

10 Mario Kart Club
4pm (CBH)

11 D&D @ the Library**
2:30pm (CBH)

13 D&D One-Shot Afternoon**
4:30pm (CBH)

14 D&D @ the Library**
4:30pm
(online via Discord)

16 ++ Crochet Cafe
6pm (VPL)

Young Adult Services (YAS) programs are limited to middle and high school students only unless otherwise noted.



22 ++ Oxymorons New Adult Book Discussion Group
6pm (MPL)



24 ++ Happily Ever Afters Anonymous Book Club
4pm (CBH)



27 Salad Garden 101
6pm (CBH)

28 Throwback Craft Night: Painted Pots
6pm (VPL)



30 Game Night
4pm (MPL)



*Programs marked with a ** require pre-registration with the YAS Coordinator at 828-764-9273 or lizzie.whisnant@burkenc.org.*

**** = pre-registration required | ++= open to adults and teens**

APRIL PROGRAMS FOR KIDS

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No Storytimes the week of March 30 through April 4!

2 **Don't Worry Bee Happy Baths Program**
10:30am at MPL**
Pre-registration is required.

Libraries Closed April 3 and 4

Monthly Scavenger Hunts at MPL & CBH and I Spy Tank at VPL

Have you joined the fun yet? Visit each of our libraries for a fun, self-guided experience. For kids; one prize per child (per site, per month). This month's themes:
MPL: Pokemon | CBH: Bumble Bees | VPL: Look for the Book "I Spy" Tank

10 **Lego Free Build**
MPL 2-5pm
A drop-in program for all ages!

13 **Countdown to Cluck**
Monday, April 13, 5:30-7:00pm at CBH
A chicken storytime like no other, featuring a live chicken guest. Fun for all ages!

15 **Cooking Club Online**
Melt Away Rolls
3:30pm on Zoom** (Register at CBH)
Program is for children in 3rd-5th grade.

17 **Battle Bot Bugs**
4pm at MPL**
Program is for children ages 5-12.
Pre-registration required.

18 **Paintbox**
Elephant in the Rain
3:00pm at MPL**
Pre-registration required.
Program for children K-5th grade.

21 **Bug Bonanza**
Tuesday, April 21, 5:30pm at VPL
Stories, craft, games and a sweet buggy snack!
Program is for children 3 years old through 2nd grade

22 **Weaving Wonders**
Spring Butterflies
3:30pm at CBH**
Program is for children ages 5-12.
Pre-registration required.

29 **Egg Rolls with Elizabeth**
3:30pm at CBH**
Program is for children in K-5th grade.

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25 **"What's Cookin'?" With Ms. Amber**
Butter Chicken
2:00pm at VPL**
Pre-registration required.
Program for children K-5th grade.

Neighborhood Forest Tree Pick Up Day
Saturday, April 25, from 9am-4pm at MPL
For those who pre-registered by March 14

WEEKLY STORYTIMES

Pre-registration is required for all weekly storytimes. Call the library or stop by to sign up.

Morganton Public Library - 828-764-9274

Baby Bookworms (birth-24 months) - Mondays at 10:30am
Terrific Tots (2-3 year olds) - Tuesdays at 10:30am
Preschool Pals (4-5 year olds) - Thursdays at 10:30am
Library Explorers (K-2nd graders) - Tuesdays at 4:00pm
Cool Kids Club (3rd-5th graders) - Mondays at 3:30pm

Valdese Public Library - 828-874-2421

Baby Bookworms (birth-24 months) - Thursdays at 10:00am
Terrific Tots (2-3 year olds) - Mondays at 10:00am
Preschool Pals (4-5 year olds) - Wednesdays at 10:00am
Library Explorers (K-2nd graders) - Mondays at 3:30pm
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C.B. Hildebrand Public Library - 828-764-9283

Baby Bookworms & Terrific Tots (birth-2 year olds) - Thursdays at 10:45am
Preschool Pals (3-5 year olds) - Tuesdays at 10:45am
Family Storytime (all ages) - Wednesdays at 10:45am
Library Explorers (K-2nd graders) - Thursdays at 3:30pm
Cool Kids Club (3rd-5th graders) - Tuesdays at 3:30pm

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ONLINE RESOURCES

NC Cardinal LIBRARY CATALOG

We are a member of the NC Cardinal Consortium, which gives you an additional 7 milllion items to borrow and share. Our catalog is available online at burke.nccardinal.org

NC LIVE

NC LIVE is North Carolina's statewide library cooperative. Testing help, research for school, language learning, and more available at nclive.org.

OverDrive eBooks, eAudiobooks, eMagazines, & eNewspapers

We have three eMedia collections. NC Kids Digital (preK-4th), NC Kids Level Up (4th-8th), and e-iNC (for all ages and includes the newest releases). Information at bcpls.org/ebooks.

Wowbrary The Newest Stuff at Your Library

Sign up for a weekly email newsletter highlighting all our newest stuff at the library. Visit bcpls.org/newbooks for the link and more information.

ONLINE RESOURCES

All these and so much more are available to you online. Grab your library card and password/PIN and visit bcpls.org/onlineresources for links and more information.

Do you have your password?

Stop by or give us a call to check it, set it up, or change it. This password (& your library card) helps you log in to our online catalog, NC LIVE, and our eMedia collections!

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