



What’s Happening at GCPL



The Giles County Public Library Staff would like to wish you all a Happy New Year. We are hoping that 2018 will be as fantastic as 2017 was!

In April, we are planning our very first Escape Room on Friday, April 13th from 3:30pm to 5:30pm. An escape room is an adventure game primarily for teens and young adults in which players are placed in a sectioned off area to solve puzzles and riddles using clues, hints and strategies in a set time limit. Solve the plot within the time limit, and you have escaped! This will be a Stranger Things themed escape room, so come with your most nostalgic 80s look and be prepared to use your throwback knowledge! Make sure to register for this adventurous game! Teams will be randomly selected prior to the event.

If you need computer training, don’t forget that we have two computer classes (a beginner level and intermediate level) as well as individualized sessions during our Ask a Librarian events. Check the calendars for future dates, or stop by and ask our Circulation Desk for details.

We are now able to accept debit and credit card payments for fines, donations and copies at our Main Branch. We are very excited to have this new piece of equipment, and hope that it will become very useful in our day to day operations, not to mention make it easier on our community for payments/donations.

With the success of our Aging Gracefully series last year, we have taken the series idea and planned a Living Well series for the first part of 2018. The Living Well series is catered to adults of all ages. January 29 from 5:30pm to 6:30pm, Carol Lyons will be leading a Safety Seminar. In February, we have a CPR Training planned with the Giles County EMS on February 26 from 5:30pm to 6:30pm. We have a Fitness Training night planned on March 26 from 5:30pm to 6:30pm and a final event (topic TBA) planned for April 30 from 5:30pm to 6:30pm. Stay tuned for more details with this series, and look for the other series that we have planned for the later part of the year.

We have many fun things planned for the beginning part of the year. Stop by any time and ask for info on our events.

Cindy Nesbitt, Director

"A library could show you everything if you knew where to look." ~ Pat Conroy

Books Coming Soon

Ask to be put on reserve!

- *Death of an Honest Man*
—M.C. Beaton
- *The Wife*
—Alafair Burke
- *Folls and Mortals*
—Bernard Cornwell
- *The Shape of Water*
—Guillermo del Toro
- *The French Girl*
—Lexie Elliott
- *The Mitford Murders*
—Jessica Fellows
- *The Woman in the Water*
—Charles Finch
- *Green*
—Sam Graham-Felsen
- *Death by Chocolate Cherry Cheesecake*
—Sarah Graves
- *Agent in Place*
—Mark Greaney
- *The Hush*
—John Hart
- *The Largesse of the Sea Maiden*
—Denis Johnson
- *Sisters Like Us*
—Susan Mallery
- *Down the River Unto the Sea*
—Walter Mosley
- *Still Me*
—Jojo Moyes
- *Beautiful Days*
—Joyce Carol Oates
- *All That Glitters*
—Diana Palmer
- *Fifty Fifty*
—James Patterson
- *City of Endless Night*
—Douglas Preston
- *Dark in Death*
—J.D. Robb
- *The Gate Keeper*
—Charles Todd
- *The Chalk Man*
—C.J. Tudor
- *The English Wife*
—Lauren Willig
- *Unbound*
—Stuart Wood

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Gifts

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Crystal Medley


The March Quilt Show is back! We will be accepting quilts beginning February 12th. Your quilt will be on display through the month of March.

When bringing your quilt to us for display, remember a few things:

- Quilts will be hung on PVC quilt racks on top of bookshelves or hung on twine from the wall.
- For each quilt brought, we need the name of the quilt, name of the person who made it, and anything special that needs to be noted about the quilt. A name and phone number for whoever brought the quilts will be helpful to the GCPL staff.
- Quilts will be accepted until the end of February.
- Pick up will be the first week of April.





JANUARY 2018


Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 CLOSED New Year's Day	2 Tools for Schools Drive Begins (Month-Long) 2018 2nd Annual Arts & Crafts Exhibition Begins Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	3 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM	4	5 "New Friends" Story Time 10:15 AM	6
7	8 World of Books Club 10:15 AM "The Education of Little Tree" By: Forrest Carter Ramblin' Writers Writers' Workshop 1:00 PM	9 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	10 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Ask A Librarian Tech Help by Appointment	11	12 "MLK" Story Time 10:15 AM	13 Literary Club 1:00-3:30 PM
14	15 CLOSED Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	16 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	17 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Resume Assistance by Appointment	18	19 "Warm Clothing" Story Time 10:15 AM LEGO Club 3:30-4:30 PM	20
21	22	23 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	24 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	25	26 "National Braille Literacy Month" Story Time 10:15 AM	27
28 Historical Society Meeting 2:00 PM	29 Living Well: Safety Seminar with Carol Lyons 5:30-6:30 PM	30 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Evening Book Club "A Lesson Before Dying" By: Ernest Gaines 5:30-6:30 PM	31 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM	 2018 2nd Annual Arts & Crafts Exhibition Come by the Giles County Public Library through the month of January to check out a visual display of Giles County talent!		



FEBRUARY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 Excepting Entries for the Annual Quilt Show The Giles County Public Library is accepting quilts for the Annual Quilt Show beginning Monday, February 12 through Wednesday, February 28.			Valentine's Day		1 Tools for Schools Drive Ends "Valentine's Teddy Bear Picnic" Story Time 10:15 AM Groundhog Day	2 "What's In Your Attic" 10:00 AM-2:00 PM
4	5 Ramblin' Writers Writers' Workshop 10:15 AM	6 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	7 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	8	9 "Presidents" Story Time 10:15 AM Vampire and Werewolf Trivia Night 3:30-5:30 PM	10 Literary Club 1:00-3:30 PM
11	12 World of Books Club 10:15 AM "The Book of Salt" By: Monique Truong Accepting Quilts Entries for Annual Quilt Show (Feb. 12-28)	13 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	14 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Ask A Librarian Tech Help by Appointment Valentine's Day	15	16 "Chinese New Year Party" Story Time 10:15 AM LEGO Club 3:30-4:30 PM	17
18	19 CLOSED President's Day	20 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	21 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Resume Assistance by Appointment	22	23 "Black History" Story Time 10:15 AM	24
25	26 Living Well: CPR Training with Giles County EMS 5:30-6:30 PM	27 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Evening Book Club "The Underground Railroad" By: Colson Whitehead 5:30-6:30 PM	28 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM End of Entries for Annual Quilt Show	 Celebrating Black History Month The Giles County Public Library is celebrating Black History Month! Come by and see our displays. Also, stayed tuned for upcoming programs!		

MARCH 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 Annual Quilt Show Come by the Giles County Public Library through the month of March to see the Annual Quilt Show display!				1 (Month-Long) Annual Quilt Show Begins	2 "Let's Go to the Grocery Store" Story Time 10:15 AM	3
4	5 Ramblin' Writers Writers' Workshop 10:15 AM	6 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	7 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	8	9 "Important Women" Story Time 10:15 AM	10 Literary Club 1:00-3:30 PM
11 Daylight Saving Time Begins	12 World of Books Club 10:15 AM "Dorie - Woman of the Mountain" By: Florence Cope Bush	13 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	14 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Ask A Librarian Tech Help by Appointment	15	16 "St. Patrick's" Story Time 10:15 AM LEGO Club 3:30-4:30 PM	17 St. Patrick's Day
18	19	20 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM First Day of Spring	21 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Resume Assistance by Appointment	22	23 "Easter/Spring Time" Story Time 10:15 AM Library Tea 2:00-4:00 PM	24
25	26 Living Well: Fitness Training 5:30-6:30 PM	27 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Evening Book Club "The Poisonwood Bible" By: Barbara Kingsolver 5:30-6:30 PM	28 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	29	30 CLOSED Good Friday	31



APRIL 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 CLOSED Easter April Fool's Day	2 Ramblin' Writers Writers' Workshop 10:15 AM	3 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	4 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	5	6 "Who is at the Library?" Story Time 10:15 AM	7
8	9 World of Books Club "Strength in Whatever Remains" By: Tracy Kidder 10:15 AM	10 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	11 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Ask A Librarian Tech Help by Appointment	12	13 "Our Garden Can Grow" Story Time 10:15 AM ESCAPE ROOM 3:30-5:30 PM	14 Literary Club 1:00-3:30 PM
15	16	17 Beginner's Computer Course 8:45-10:00 AM Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM	18 Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Resume Assistance by Appointment	19	20 "Earth Day" Story Time 10:15 AM LEGO Club 3:30-4:30 PM	21
22 Historical Society Meeting 2:00 PM Earth Day	23	24 Bridge Club 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Evening Book Club "Glitter and Glue" By: Kelly Corrigan 5:30-6:30 PM	25 Int. Computer Course with Bo Harvey 8:45-10:00 AM Breast Feeding Support Group 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Administrative Professionals Day	26	27 "Let's Tell A Story" Story Time 10:15 AM Arbor Day	28
29	30 Living Well: Seminar 5:30-6:30 PM					
				 Happy Easter From the Giles County Public Library!		

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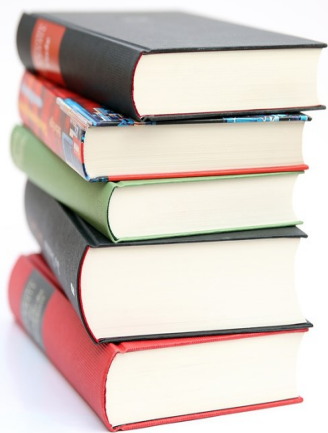
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will be holding a**

BOOK SALE

this coming Spring.

**Check our Facebook page, the local news,
or stop by the library closer to time
to find out more details!**



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We all have lots of stuff that has been passed down or found and they all usually have a story. What is it worth? Is it a sentimental keepsake or truly a treasure? Should we paint or refinish it? Sell or donate?

Meet with our panel of local experts to learn more about the treasures you own!*

**Saturday, February 3
10:00 until 2:00**

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