

Giles County Public Library Newsletter Pulaski • Elkton • Lynnville

September— December 2023



Library Update

August is here!
Please stay cool as the
temperatures are rising.
School has started and we
are looking forward to
cooler fall weather.

We finished a fantastic six weeks of Summer Reading with the theme of Camp Kindness. I want to thank First National Bank for being our long time summer reading sponsor. We were able to use the Heritage Theater each week for special programs for the community to enjoy.

Thank you to Dr. Stanton Belford from UTS for providing a Bird Watching program that was fun and educational. Thank you to Sam T. Collins and John Lancaster for providing our camp storytelling evening. A big thank you also goes to David Robertson and Ryan Goats with TWRA for providing the annual creek walk and for David Crane being a volunteer to help this year. Julie Phillips from the Solid Waste and Recycling department of Giles County also provided a program at the creek walk about recycling, gave out some goodies to the participants and also went along to help pick up trash on the walk. We appreciated her participating this year. Thank you to Tamara Moody and Marina Harris for the poetry and illustration program held at Giles Heritage Theater. Thank you to Pulaski Parks and Recreation and Darlene Slinger for our end of summer reading partnership finale.

Appreciation also goes to our community supporters Colonel Littleton, Gek's Chicken, Home Depot, McDonald's, Reeves Drug Store, and Sun Drop for providing prizes and materials for our summer reading participants. Also appreciation goes to local businesses The Outlook, PES Energize, Pierchoski Estate Law, Reeves Drug Store, and STAAR Theatre for allowing scavenger hunt pictures to be in the windows of their businesses. We appreciate Stephanie Morgan helping with our Camp Kindness T-shirts.

With all the community support, we were able to provide five special programs and fifty different programs throughout the six-week period with a total of 1,722 kids, teens and adults who participated in one or more of the programs offered. We had 272 registered readers who logged 5,820 books or 58,206 minutes of reading during our sixweek program. It was a busy summer, but a great one! A special thanks to Program Coordinator, T'Kayah Mitchell and Children's Librarian, Elizabeth Roller for their awesome planning and execution of all the great programs provided and all the rest of the staff for taking up the slack when they were providing programs outside the library. And special thanks to our faithful volunteers Teresa Burns and Elizabeth May who helped out with some of the programming.

Our regular programming started back in August: **Story Time, Lego Club, Art Club, STEAM Teens, D&D, and Ask a Librarian. Art in Action** free art classes with Patricia Hickman starts September 7 and **Water Color Art** sessions with Caroline Bonner starts back on September 12. All the details of all of our programs are more detailed in this newsletter.

We are starting a **Chess Club** in September in the afternoons. It will be on the first Wednesday of each month from 3:30 – 4:30 for ages ten and up. Mason Wells has volunteered to teach, so bring your own chess set and start learning.

We have two local **Author Events** coming this fall. **Debbie Wilburn** has a new children's book out and she will be here at the library on September 18th at 5:30 to talk about her new book, *My Lucy*. Debbie will also be selling and signing books while she is here. In October, **A.B. Medley** will be here to talk about her fourth book in the Finding the Truth Series that has just been released titled *Fighting for the Truth*. Mrs. Medley will also have books for sale and will be signing her books. Look for both flyers in this newsletter and mark your calendars for these events. They would make great Christmas presents for people in your life who like to read!

Family Keepsake Christmas Plates are scheduled again this year on December 2. The reservations will begin on November 1 and the sessions start at 9:00. Mark your calendar to sign up for one of the sessions for something fun and memorable for your kids for Christmas.

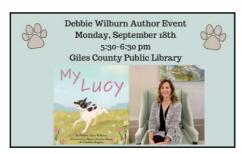
Don't forget about having access to the **Tennessee Electronic Library (TEL)** and **Kanopy.** TEL has genealogy, career tools, homework help, test prep and more. TEL is a free resource to Tennesseans. Kanopy free streaming service is also available with just your library card. The selections are ever changing.

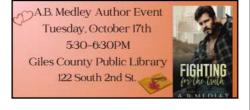
The library has so many great resources. We hope you will take advantage of all the free resources and information that the library has to offer.

Cindy Nesbitt, Library Director

"Knowledge is love and light and vision."

~ Helen Keller





NEW BOOKS COMING SOON



Use our app (Librista) to place yourself on reserve, or give us a call at 363-2720

Bright Lights, Big Christmas

- Mary Kay Andrews

Wreck the Halls - Tessa Bailey Dead on Target - M.C. Beaton Tom Clancy's Weapon Grade

- Graham Brown

Clive Cussler's Condor Fury - Don Bentley Nineteen Steps - Millie Bobby Brown The Twelve Books of Christmas

- Kate Carlisle

The Secret - Lee Child

Midnight at the Christmas Bookshop

- Jenny Colgan

The Land of Lost Things - John Connolly

Dirty Thirty - Janet Evanovich

Dark Memory - Christine Feehan

The Exchange - John Grisham

Hercule Poirot's Silent Night

- Sophie Hannah

Starling House - Alix E. Harrow
The Secret Hours - Mick Herron
Blessing of the Lost Girls - Judith A. Jance
The Longmire Defense - Craig Johnson

Holly - Stephen King

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The Burnout - Sophie Kinsella

The River We Remember

- William Kent Krueger
Flipping Boxcars - Cedric Kyles
The Neighbors We Want - Tim Lane
From a Far and Lovely Country

- Alexander McCall Smith

Throne of the Fallen - Kerri Maniscalco

The Night House - Jo Nesbo

The Last Devil to Die - Richard Osman

12 Months to Live - James Patterson

Payback in Death - J.D. Robb

Judgement Prey - John Sandford

The Fraud - Zadie Smith

Second Act - Danielle Steel

Second Act - RaeAnne Thayne

Darius - J.R. Ward







Our Staff

Library Director—Cindy Nesbitt Acquisitions Librarian—Brianna Stephens Lynnville Branch Librarian—Lori Edwards Elkton Branch Manager—Kasidy Pike Teen Services Librarian—Elizabeth Roller Acquisitions and Library Assistant—Kayla Reichardt Program Coordinator—T'Kayah Mitchell Library Assistant—Denice Gaddie Library Assistant—Connie Parrish Library Assistant—Joan Surles Library Assistant—Olivia Word Library Assistant—Elizabeth May

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Closed for inventory— October 9th, 2023

Thanksgiving closings— November 22nd @ 2:00 pm, closed November 23rd and 24th

Christmas closings-December 24th, 25th, and 26th

New Year's closings-December 31st and January 1st

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Chess Club with



Wednesday, September 6th 3:30-4:30 pm

Hutton Brown Room

Meets every 1st Wednesday, Ages 10+ Giles County Public Library *Please bring your own board and get ready to learn great chess skills! No registration required!

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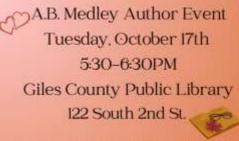




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Reservations will begin on November 1, 2023! To make your reservation call 931-363-2720. This event will be held at the Extension Service Conference Room

Saturday, December 2

Session 1: 9:00-10:00 Session 2: 10:00-11:00 Session 3: 11:00-12:00





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Sunday: 1:00 - 5:00 Elkton Branch: 168 Main Street

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