



GREAT DISCOVERIES SEPTEMBER 2017

South Charleston Public Library | 312 4th Avenue, South Charleston, WV 25303

THANK YOU!

SCPL thanks the following individuals and organizations whose generosity helped promote reading and provide literacy-based programming for 563 young people and 258 adults.

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River Expeditions
Stonewall Resort
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Teen Volunteers

FINE FREE WEEK

In celebration of National Library Card Sign-up Month, we are offering a fine free week to our patrons! Return overdue items during the week of **September 24 -30**. No matter how overdue, materials returned will not be charged fines. Unfortunately, we cannot clear existing fines during this special week.

CLOSED

Closed Monday, September 4 for Labor Day and Tuesday, September 5 for Staff Training.

CORNER BOOKSTORE

In September, the Corner Bookstore is featuring a collection of books on architecture and vintage and exotic automobiles. Of course, we always offer our usual great deals on fiction, non-fiction, children's books, movies, music, home schooling, and more. Our inventory changes weekly, so come in and check us out! In addition, if you have not already seen our beautiful Lenox garden birds for sale, there are still a few left. You can see them at the checkout desk. The two beautiful wood and glass cases in which the birds are displayed are also for sale!

ADULT PROGRAMS

Little Treasure Boxes with Ellie

Saturday, September 9 @ 2:00 p.m.

*Registration Required

Relax and Color

Tuesday, September 19 @ 6:30 p.m.

Yoga and a Chair with Barb

Saturday, September 23 @ 2:00 p.m.

*Registration Required

WV History Alive: Harriet Tubman

Monday, September 25 @ 6:30 p.m.

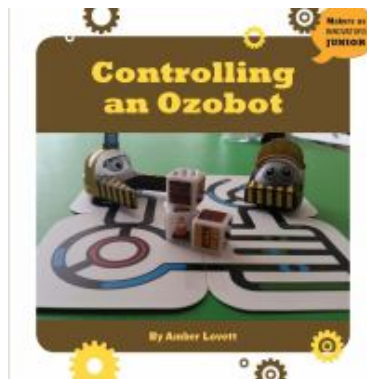
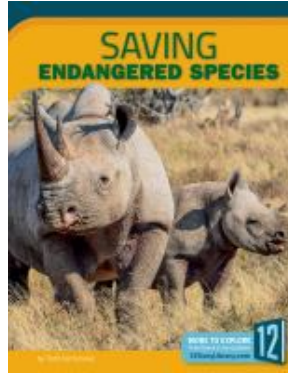
YOUTH SERVICES SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM

A total of 563 READERS (ages birth to 18 years) officially registered for our Youth Services Summer Library Program. Of those young readers, 297 (53%) completed the program, meaning each read AT LEAST 5 books this summer. Congratulations to our readers and their families!

SCPL leads the summer library program for our community to prevent “summer slide” and further the library’s goal of promoting literacy while simultaneously developing a lifetime love of reading. Our Youth Services team of experienced professionals is dedicated to supporting the information needs of young people and families. We truly want to make a difference, one young person at a time.



NEW NON-FICTION FOR YOUNG READERS



The library has added a substantial number of new non-fiction books just in time for the start of school and a fresh season for learning new things. Topics include robotics, biology, zoology, etiquette, American and World history, engineering, writing, health and lifestyle management, computer science, food, mental health, chemistry, math skills, and more.

SHARKS - TAKE 2


EVERYONE was disappointed when the WAVE truck bringing the sharks had mechanical problems and missed the Youth Services Finale. While we were able to watch a video made by the aquarium team just for SCPL, we now have a new date for the shark visit

-- Saturday, December 2. Mark your calendars now! The new registration process, designed to ensure readers who participated in the Summer Library Program have priority access for registration, will be announced in late October.

Youth Services Calendar

SEPTEMBER 2017


Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Monthly Theme: Free to Read!					1	2
3 Theme of the Week: Library Card Sign Up	4 Labor Day Library Closed	5 Staff Training Day Library Closed	6	7	8 Teen Early Out 2:30-3:30	9
10 Theme of the Week: The United States Constitution	11 Lego Learning Lab 6:30-7:30	12 Words & Wiggles 10:30-11:00 Family Fun Fest 6:30-7:15	13 Literacy & Learning 3:30-4:00 Chess Club 4:30-5:30	14 Literacy & Learning 10:30-11:00 Teen Time 4:30-5:30	15	16
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WHAT'S COOLER THAN BEING COOL?

HAVING A LIBRARY CARD. GET YOURS TODAY!

#scplwv



South Charleston Public Library



Youth Services Programs

September 2017

Free to Read!

Welcome!

South Charleston Public Library (SCPL) offers resources and programming for young people (birth to 18 years) with the goal of promoting literacy while simultaneously developing a lifelong love of reading and learning. Our Youth Services team of experienced professionals – led by a librarian with a Master of Science in Library and Information Studies – is dedicated to supporting the information needs of young people and families.

We truly want to make a difference, one young person at a time.

September Theme / Events

SCPL offers free community access to information and resources, featuring a variety of materials and content made available in accordance with the American Library Association's Library Bill of Rights and the Freedom to Read Statement. September is also National Library Card Sign Up Month, so spread the word about your library and encourage family and friends to join our community of readers and learners!

Lego Learning Lab (All Ages)

An open session where we build and create using Legos and Duplos. All you have to bring is your imagination!

Words & Wiggles (Birth to 5 Years)

Join us as we share a story and explore learning with music to shake those wiggles out!

Family Fun Fest (All Ages)

With an emphasis on literacy skills, these programs are for hands-on explorers of all ages to make personal connections with materials (books and story concepts) by providing opportunities to play with story themes. Activities in these sessions include listening to and discussing stories, watching and helping with storyboards, playing games, making crafts, and designing projects.

FYI

If you have questions, suggestions, or require special assistance, please let us know.

The Youth Services team is here for you!

Literacy & Learning (Birth to 5 Years)

These sessions are designed to focus on six early literacy skills children must develop in order to increase the likelihood of reading success. Activities are modified to meet the interactive needs of attendees and include reading, talking, playing, writing, singing, cooperative play, and social engagement.

Chess Club (Ages 4 and Up)

Geared toward youth, this group is for all skill levels to learn and play the game of chess.

Teen Time (Grades 6 - 12)

Our teen programs offer learning experiences in a supervised yet independent environment. While exploring new ideas and building positive relationships with others, teens participate in less structured - yet more advanced - activities, and participants contribute significantly to the success of the program.

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Facebook

Be sure to follow us on Facebook! <http://fb.me/scplwy>

Notice about Photographs and Social Media

SCPL staff members take photos during events to share via social media, publications, and webpages. We use the social media hashtag [#scplwy](https://www.instagram.com/scplwy) and invite you to tag and share your library photos as well.

Library Board Meetings

The South Charleston Library Board meets the Fourth Monday of every month at 5:30 pm in the West Virginia Room. Meetings are open to the public.

The South Charleston Public Library is a non-profit organization. All donations received are tax-deductible.

LIBRARY HOURS

<i>Monday-Tuesday</i>	<i>9-9</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>9-6</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>9-9</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>9-6</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>9-5</i>

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