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SUMMER 2016

SUMMER READING at Berkeley County Library System JUNE 6 - JULY 29

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The BCLS Summer Reading Program Returns
Early Online Registration Opens May 15th!

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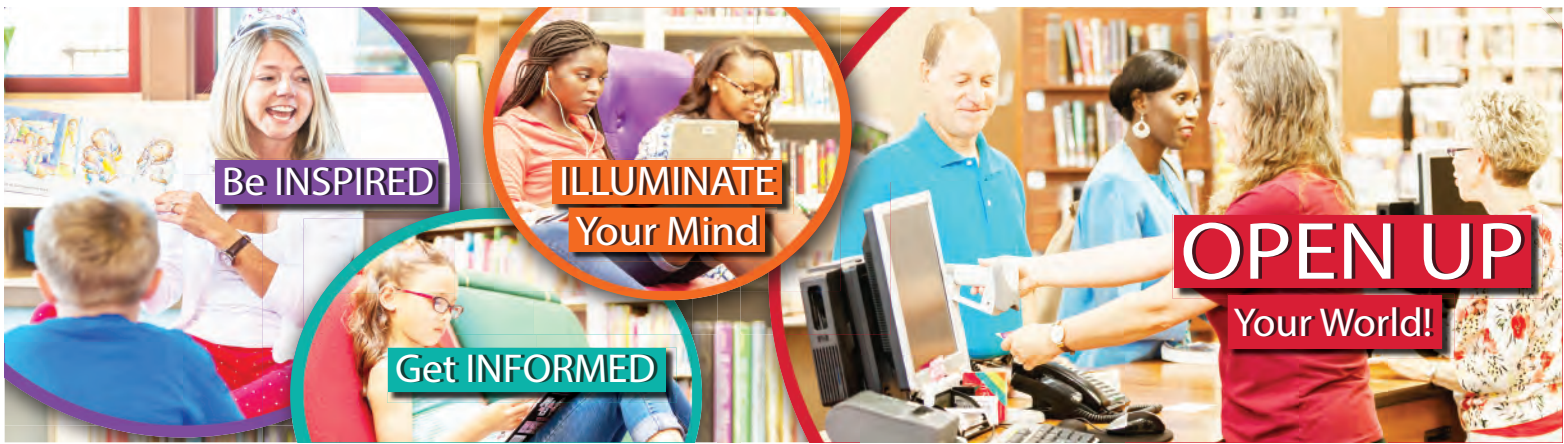
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A Note From The Director

Berkeley County Libraries across the county have conducted months of research and planning and are pleased to announce they have created a formula to cure the “Summer Slide:” a summer-long reading program and series of events guaranteed to help children of all ages avoid the dreaded “Summer Slide.” What is the “Summer Slide” you ask, and we’re glad you did. The slide happens when students do not read or continue to learn when out of school for the summer. When these students return to school in August, they find they have forgotten or “unlearned” almost two months of the previous school year, and have to jump in the “remedial pool” and re-learn what was forgotten over the break.

So, this summer, get to your local public library or bookmobile and participate in the Summer Reading Program. Read and continue to learn as much as you can, get your entire family involved (the reading program is open to all ages) and you will not come down with the fearful “Summer Slide.”

The library has compiled some preventive measures to ensure the spooky “Summer Slide” doesn’t sneak up on you. We urge you and your family to begin these preventive measures as soon as possible. We guarantee the preventive medicine and the Summer Reading Program cure will work. ~ Donna Worden



Donna Worden, Director

Employee Spotlight

Laura, Sangaree Library Team Leader

“Laura has really gone above and beyond since we lost our manager a few months ago. Not only does she help out with a lot of the previous managers duties, she makes sure that things run smoothly from day to day here. She manages to keep all of our customers happy and the employee's as well. She always goes above and beyond for us and keeps a smile on her face while she does it! I could not work for a better team than we have at Sangaree, and I could not ask for a better “leader” to show us the way!” ~ Brieanna

“Laura has gone over and beyond her normal duties here at the Sangaree Branch making sure that things have and continue to run as smoothly as possible. Without a Branch manager here, the staff has looked to her time and again for support and she has never once wavered in doing so. From the small to the big she has lifted the spirits of all that work with her and has upheld the kind and courteous atmosphere. Mrs. Baker is truly a shining example of an amazing BCLS employee.” ~ Jonathan

Virginia, Daniel Island Library Reference Assistant

“If you’re wondering where all the new adult programming at Daniel Island has come from, look no farther than the reference desk. Virginia, our reference assistant, came to us from the Bluffton library, brimming with ideas for events ranging from expert talks on Daniel Island flora and fauna, to a Downton Abbey themed tea party. Virginia doesn’t bat an eye at tough reference questions, either, and always knows where the answer is. We are thankful for her tireless efforts to make the Daniel Island Library the true community hub it is intended to be.” ~ Tim

Anthony King, Elizabeth Davis, and Barbara Ash, MORE staff

“The dedicated staff members of our bookmobile, MORE, are all wonderful assets to the Berkeley County Library System. They are always on the road, putting the community first (even when it is hot outside and the generator is not working). They are continuously evaluating their stops to make the most of their community reach and working with community stakeholders to best serve their residents. Great job on securing the Naval Weapon Station stop and I am so thrilled to see how the new Summer neighborhood sweep goes for you. I love your creativity and the amazing ways you find to serve our customers.” ~ Kristen

Important Dates to Remember

JUNE 6 | Summer Reading Program Opens

JULY 2 - 4 | Closed for Independence Day

JULY 29 | Summer Reading Program Ends

BCLS Welcomes Courtney Clark as New Branch Manager at Sangaree Library

Courtney Clark is a native of Charleston and attended the Charleston County School of the Arts as a vocal major. Then she graduated from the College of Charleston with degrees in psychology and sociology. After briefly moving to Virginia to attain a M.Ed. in school psychology from the College of William and Mary, Courtney returned to Charleston to attain her Masters in Library and Information Science at the University of South Carolina. Her favorite part of library

school was studying abroad in London, where she got to visit libraries across England and Scotland. While attending school, she worked at both the College of Charleston and the College of William and Mary in administrative roles.

Courtney was the Circulation Librarian at the Charleston Library Society, and is happily joining the Berkeley County Library System to reach more people in South Carolina. After spending much of her youth in Summerville, she is excited to become a part of the community at the Sangaree branch.

Courtney is an avid reader who is currently enjoying historical fiction and young adult titles. She also likes to learn new crafts, and knits and does paper crafts in her free time. She also dabbles in crochet, but is still learning! Some of Courtney's favorite things to do at home include watching TV and movies, playing video games, and learning about events in the Charleston area via social media. She newly took up running, so you might find her around town participating in 5K and 10K races; she is already registered for next year's Cooper River Bridge Run!



The Lucy Boyle Memorial Fund Receives Tremendous Support from the Community Source, photos and stories: Elizabeth Bush, The Daniel Island News

Lucy Boyle would have celebrated her 15th birthday on April 11th of this year. The daughter of Daniel Island Library Branch Manager Tim Boyle, Lucy passed away unexpectedly in 2015 after surgical complications, but her life and legacy have inspired a lasting gift for the community.

The Lucy Boyle Memorial Fund, established earlier this year by Daniel Island resident John Gilsenan, with assistance from several other community members, has received more than \$15,000 in donations, including a \$10,000 grant from the Daniel Island Community Fund. The monies are being used to start a new collection of STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math) books, resources and programs, reflective of Lucy's interests. "I never saw her without a book in her hand," noted Tim. "She could read a trilogy in an afternoon! She also loved coding."



Pictured: Berkeley County Councilman Josh Whitley; Sharon Fashion, deputy director of the Berkeley County Library System (BCLS); Kristen Lanier, marketing and public relations coordinator for BCLS; Jane Baker, vice president of community services for the Daniel Island Property Owners Association; Daniel Island library branch manager, Tim Boyle, Dr. Patricia Richards, library board president, and Captain John Gilsenan, Daniel Island resident and founder of the Lucy Boyle Memorial Fund.

Already, the funds have helped the Daniel Island location purchase 32 titles that are now on the shelves and ready to check out. The Lucy Boyle Collection is geared towards children between the ages of 8 to 14, but it is open to all ages. "We didn't know what to expect," noted Gilsenan, when asked about the community's support of the fund. "And the response – the individual families responding, donations ranging from a dollar in an envelope, \$5 in an envelope, up to some very impressive figures...everybody has been so generous."

When Gilsenan originally launched the effort to create a meaningful tribute to Lucy, he admits he wasn't exactly sure how it would be structured at first. "My initial thought was we just can't let her disappear," he said. "So it was a memorial sort of thing...and then it became an interactive memorial...it's taken on a life of its own. That's totally unexpected! I didn't envision that. I was thinking one dimensional, and now it's three-dimensional!"

The LBMF Collection will also provide on-site programming on coding and other STEM-topics, said Gilsenan. Ultimately, based on the program's success on Daniel Island, the goal is to expand the collection to other BCLS locations. "It's an on-going thing and it's community-funded," added Gilsenan. "People have a stake in it. They contribute to it and they can see it. They can touch it, they can come in and they can listen to it."

Daniel Island resident, Captain Greg Peralta, lured in a group of fishing enthusiasts at the Daniel Island Library on March 12 for a class on how to make the most of your time on the water. Captain Greg shared with the group his tips on finding the best holding areas for fish, creating effective lures and knots, proper depth transitions, and more. But the day's program had a special, underlying purpose. Moved by a story in The Daniel Island News about a memorial fund set up at the library in honor of the late Lucy Boyle, daughter of Library Branch Manager Tim Boyle, Captain Greg asked participants to make donations of any size to the fund. A picture of a smiling Lucy sat on a table at the head of the class as a reminder of the day's efforts. This generous effort from Peralta raised over \$750 for the LBMF.



Read more about the LBMF at BerkeleyLibrarySC.Org/lb-memorial-fund



gofundme  @ Lucy Boyle Memorial Fund

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SUMMER READING

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ON YOUR MARK,
GET SET...
READ!



Early Literacy Program Birth to 35 months

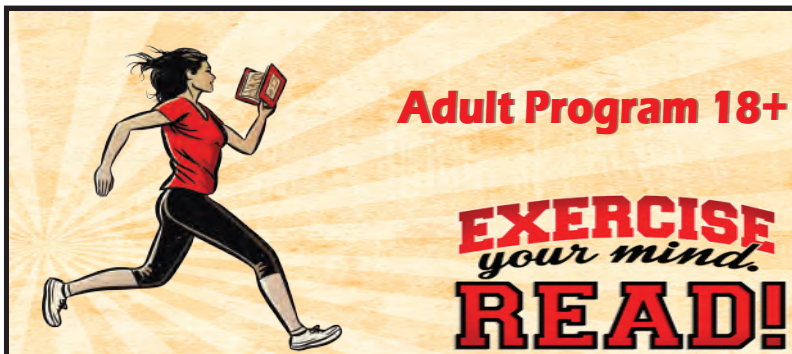
ON YOUR MARK, GET SET...

READ

Children's Program
3 yrs old - 5th Grade



Teen's Program
6th - 12th Grade



Welcome to Berkeley County Library System's Summer Reading Program! This year's program is **all new, interactive, and online**. Summer Reading is for all ages and we want to make it easy for the whole family to participate.

Follow the instructions below to set up a Family Account to help maintain each family members' account!

1. Head on over to our website

berkeleylibrarysc.org/summer-reading

There you will find a link to the online registration.

2. Once at our registration page, please click the tab, "Adults [Age 18+]" to set up an adult account (necessary to set up a Family Account). You will be directed to information about the adult program, and important dates to note.

3. Click on "register" to begin making a new user account. Please follow the prompts as they guide you through the registration process. You will be asked if you would like to set up a Family Account. Please click on "Yes"!

4. You will be asked to make a **unique username and password**. Please write these in a place easily remembered, so that you may access your account throughout the summer to log your reading.

5. Once an adult account is made, you will be asked to make accounts for each individual family member. Usernames must be unique but can be similar to help you remember (e.g., BookLover1; BookLover2). Passwords may be duplicated for each account.

Once set up, you are ready to read! Visit your account often to submit your titles so that you are eligible for our weekly prizes, and our end of Summer Reading Grand Prize!

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

To see all the resources available for children under 12 years, visit us online at berkeleylibrarysc.org/kids

Story Time

Come dance to your favorite music and listen to stories.

Mondays

Sangaree 11 - 11:30 am
Daniel Island 10:30 - 11 am
& 11 - 11:30 am

Tuesdays

Goose Creek 10:30 - 11 am
St. Stephen 10:30 - 11 am

Thursdays

Moncks Corner 10:30 - 11 am
Hanahan 10:30 - 11 am

Spanish Story Time

Your favorite stories told in Spanish and English.

3rd Thursday Every Month | 4-5 pm
Hanahan Library



Tim Sonfelt Magic Show*

This fun family show returns to BCLS this summer. Come see wonders unveiled in this year's show about "The Great Race."

Wednesday, June 15th | 10:30 am & 3:30 pm
Hanahan Library Daniel Island Library

Thursday, June 16th | 10:30 am & 3:30 pm
Moncks Corner (Berkeley County Administration Bldg) St. Stephen Library

Friday, June 17th | 10:30 am & 2:30 pm
Goose Creek Library Sangaree Library

Children's Craft Night

Come and color your own Foam Sports Visor at the library. For children in grades 2 - 5.

Thursday, June 23rd | 4 - 5 pm
Moncks Corner Library

Children's Game Night

Come and enjoy playing board games with your friends. For children in grades 2 - 5.

Thursday, June 30th | 3 - 4 pm
Moncks Corner Library

Monday, August 8th | 3 - 4 pm
Moncks Corner Library

* Seating is limited, tickets are required for all performances with the exception of the Moncks Corner shows located in the assembly room of the Berkeley County Administration Building next to the library. Please see your local library at least one week prior to the show for tickets. There will be a limit of 5 tickets per person.

Savannah Balloons Show*

Join us for an entertaining show of story-telling like you have never seen before.

Thursday, July 14th | 3 pm
St. Stephen Library

Friday, July 15th | 10:30 am & 2 pm
Hanahan Library Daniel Island Library

Bright Star Touring Theatre*

Why travel to the big city to see a show when we are bringing them to you this summer?

Thursday, July 21st
10:30 am "Greatest Sports Heroes A to Z"
Moncks Corner (Berkeley County Administration Bldg)

3:30 pm "Storybook Tales: Pinocchio & Robin Hood"
Goose Creek Library

5:00 pm "Professor Parsnip's Lab of Healthy Choices"
Sangaree Library

Children's Gardening Program

Come plant some seeds and learn how to take care of your plant when you get home.

Tuesday, July 26th | 2 - 3 pm
Moncks Corner Library

Storytime with Luna Balloona

Story-telling with balloons has never been so much fun.

Saturday, August 20th | 11 am - Noon
Moncks Corner Library



Are you a LEGO® fan? Come have fun with your friends while you imagine, create, and build with LEGO® blocks, provided by the library. This program is family friendly and designed for children ages 8 - 11.



Saturday, June 11th | 11 am - Noon
Moncks Corner Library

Monday, June 13th | 3 - 4 pm
Hanahan Library

Thur., June 23rd | 3:30 - 4:30 pm
St. Stephen Library

Saturday, July 9th | 11 am - Noon
Moncks Corner Library

Monday, July 11th | 3 - 4 pm
Hanahan Library

Thur., July 19th | 2 - 3 pm
Moncks Corner Library

Tues., July 21st | 3:30 - 4:30 pm
St. Stephen Library

Saturday, August 6th | 11 am - Noon
Moncks Corner Library

Monday, August 8th | 3 - 4 pm
Hanahan Library

Thur., August 11th | 3:30 - 4:30 pm
St. Stephen Library

Thur., August 11th | 11 am - Noon
Goose Creek Library

NEW Paws for Reading at Daniel Island Library

This program is designed to help children who are struggling with their reading skills by reading to a certified therapy dog. It encourages children to read by providing a non-judgmental listener and furry friend to read to.



The session is 20 minutes long and by appointment only.

Mondays 3 - 4 pm | June 13 - August 8
Daniel Island Library

Give Our Books New Looks Contest

Calling all 3rd - 5th grade artists!!!

Design a new cover or draw a scene from your favorite book during the months of July & August and be entered to win a prize!

Visit your local BCLS library or online for full details and an entry form.



TEEN'S ACTIVITIES

Get in the Game! Life Size Pac-Man



Who doesn't love the classic game of Pac-Man? But what happens when you're put in Pac-Man's place and you're

the one being chased by ghosts? Join us for a fun life-size version of the game we all know and love!

Monday, June 13th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Moncks Corner Library

Life Size Monopoly

Roll, move, and build to your life size empire. Join this 'bigger than life' game of Monopoly!



Thursday, June 23rd | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library

Life Size Memory

Love those games you played as a kid? Why not try them YA style! Join us for some giant sized fun.

Monday, July 25th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Hanahan Library

You've Got Game?

We've Got Skillz!

Getting into the game is easy but designing one? That could be a challenge. Come learn how to make your very own Kendama! This traditional Japanese toy is fun for all ages and a great way to strengthen hand-eye-coordination, balance, and reflex.

Monday, June 20th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Daniel Island Library

Tuesday, July 14th | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library



Take Me Out to the Yardgame

Tired of that old bat and ball? These games are sure to be a 'homerun' in the books. Worried about a rain delay? Don't fret! Indoor activities are planned in case we have to wait out the storm.

Tuesday, June 14th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Sangaree Library

Shadowy Stories

Love a good story? What about a good scare? Come join us for a night of shadowy stories that will make your skin crawl!

Thursday, June 16th | 6 - 7 pm

St. Stephen Library

Food for Life

Put on your chef's apron and join us for an afternoon of yummy treats. From smoothies to snacks we are whipping up a "healthy" love of food!

Monday, June 27th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Hanahan Library

Popcorn Olympics

Pop, throw, and eat your way to the finish line. Join us for the Popcorn Olympics where everyone goes home a winner...especially our bellies!

Monday, July 11th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Moncks Corner Library

3rd Annual Marshmallow Battle

It's that time of year again! It's time to watch the marshmallows fly! Join us for a build-your-own marshmallow gun program followed by a marshmallow battle to end all battles as you test out your new creation. Still have yours from last year? Bring it along to make it bigger and better! Worried it may rain? Don't fret! Indoor activities are planned just in case.

Tuesday, July 12th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Sangaree Library

Yard Game Olympics

Tie up your sneakers, put on your game face, and come join us for the Yard Game Olympics! Worried it may rain? Don't fret! Indoor activities are planned just in case.

Monday, July 18th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Daniel Island Library

The Summer Games

We've seen the Hunger Games. We know about the Olympics. But have you ever seen The Summer Games? Join us for an afternoon of games that you are sure to love! Worried it may rain? Don't fret! Indoor activities are planned just in case.

Monday, July 28th | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

St. Stephen Library

2016 Freeze Frame Berkeley Teen Photography Contest

Enter into the 2nd Annual Freeze Frame Berkeley Teen Photography Contest and compete for amazing prizes. See the website or your local library for contest details.*

All Berkeley County Library System Teens Welcome

June 20, 2016 Freeze Frame Registration Begins

June 29, 2016 | 3 pm - 5 pm

Teen Photography Editing Class: Drop-in Session,
Moncks Corner Library

July 27, 2016 | 3 pm - 5 pm

Teen Photography Editing Class: Drop-in Session,
Goose Creek Library

August 1, 2016 Freeze Frame Submissions Due

August 8 - August 12, 2016 Teen Art on Display

Moncks Corner Library

*Professional camera not necessary, participants are encouraged to use personal devices such as cell phones or tablets.



To see all the resources for teens in grades 6 - 12,
visit us online at berkeleylibrarysc.org/teens

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WHAT EVER CON

Whatever Con 2016

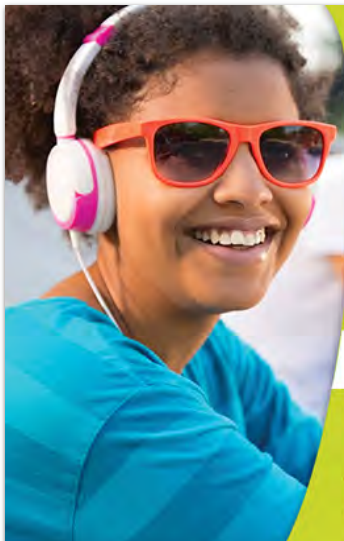
The Berkeley County Library System and Dorchester County Library once again join forces to bring you Whatever Con 2016. Teens, come and geek out with your friends for a night of fun including: an assortment of video games, a cosplay contest, an artist alley, Anime screening, Manga swap, karaoke, green screen photography, and more. Food will be provided. Plus, enter for a chance to win some awesome swag with door prizes and raffles drawn through out the night.

No worries parents, we will have a safe haven for you to relax while your teens hang. Registration is required.

Visit berkeleylibrarysc.org/teens for full details.

Sunday, August 21st | 2 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library



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SYNC is a free summer audiobook program for teens. Starting May 5th 2016 to August 17th, SYNC will give away two complete audiobook downloads a week – pairs of high interest titles, based on weekly themes. Sign up for email or text alerts and be first to know when new titles are available to download at www.audiobooksync.com.

Text **syncya** to 25827

Got required school reading and don't know where to begin?
We can help! Stop by your local BCLS library or visit us online
at berkeleylibrarysc.org/teens

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Kraft Kamp @ St. Stephen Library

Join us for a fun family afternoon as we make and take various items that are sure to please all ages.

Thursday, June 23
Friendship Bracelets

Thursday, July 21
Paper Crafts

Thursday, Aug 4
"Back-to-School" Fun

All from 4:30-5:30
St. Stephen Library



Through the Decades @Your Library

After hours events celebrating the 50's and 60's. Come dressed for the era to re-live these magical decades with games and music.

Tuesday, June 21th & July 19th
6 - 8 pm
Hanahan Library

Altered Materials Crafting Workshop

Crafting workshop using discarded library materials.

Wendnedays, June 22nd & July 27th
3 - 5 pm
Hanahan Library

Beginner Family Fishing Tips

Capt. Greg Peralta invites you to come with the kids and learn the basics of fishing. From poles and reels to hooks and lures to use in our local waters. This program will be hands on at the lagoon behind the library.

Saturday, June 25th | 9 - 10:30 am
Daniel Island Library



Cast Net Fishing Demonstration

The Inshore Fishing Club will be at the library demonstrating and teaching cast net throwing techniques. It is a great way to catch shrimp and bait. If you already have a net, bring it along.

Saturday, July 9th | 9:30 - 10:30 am
Daniel Island Library

The Town of Moncks Corner & The Berkeley County Library System Present. Movies Under the Stars



Friday, June 17th

PAN



Sponsored by: Carolina Avenue Dental Care

Free outdoor movie shown on the large screen at the new Regional Recreation Complex. Bring a lawn chair or blanket and family and friends. Gate opens at 7 pm. Movie begins at dusk. Food trucks will be present for concessions. (no outside food or drink please)

418 E Main Street Moncks Corner, SC

SHARK WEEK

June 26th - July 2nd

Shark Craft for the Kids

Wednesday, June 29th
Drop-in anytime | 10 am - 2 pm
Goose Creek Library



Come Celebrate Shark Week @ BCLS!



Jaws
[PG] 1975 2h 10m

Thursday, June 30th
2 pm
Goose Creek Library

Need Help?

Need help with required school reading this Summer? Stop by any BCLS, we can help you find your school list and the perfect book, E-book, or E-audiobook.



Find your school's summer reading list online:
berkeleylibrarysc.org/summer-reading

Family Movies

@ Your Library



Alvin and the Chipmunks: Road Trip

[PG] 2015 1h 32m

Saturday, June 18th
2:30 pm

Hanahan Library



Kung Fu Panda 3

[PG] 2016 1h 35m

Saturday, July 16th
2:30 pm

Hanahan Library



Zootopia

[PG] 2016 1h 48m

Saturday, August 20th
2:30 pm

Hanahan Library



Max: Best Friend. Hero. Marine

[PG] 2015 1h 51m

Saturday, June 4th
1:30 pm

St. Stephen Library



Paddington

[PG] 2014 1h 35m

Saturday, July 9th
1:30 pm

St. Stephen Library



Earth to Echo

[PG] 2014 1h 40m

Saturday, August 6th
1:30 pm

St. Stephen Library

The Berkeley County Library System Presents:



Moncks Corner Library
1003 Highway 52

berkeleylibrarysc.org/young-learners-toolbox

With aid from the South Carolina State Library, The Young Learner's Toolbox (YLT) program will provide resources and encourage out-of-school learning for families and young children ages 3 - 8 who face learning, language, or communication barriers.

The YLT will provide a higher understanding of the resources available within the community and will encourage families and children with learning or communication barriers to engage in play and learning opportunities in a fun environment without the structure of a classroom or at home without the constraint of limited financial resources.



**Guided Play Sessions in
The Learning Lab**



**Resources for Parents
and Care Givers**



**Lecture Series for Parents
and Care Givers** See pg.11



**Learning Tools and Kits
to Check Out**



**Learning Lab for
Hands-on Discovery**



ADULT ACTIVITIES

Adult Coloring

Color away your problems and feel the positive energy flow as you create your own masterpiece. All supplies provided.

Every 1st & 3rd Thursday

10:30 - 11:30 am

St. Stephen Library

NEW Zentangle

The Zentangle Method is an easy to learn, relaxing, and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing structured patterns. Almost anyone can use it to create beautiful images. It increases focus and creativity, provides artistic satisfaction along with an increased sense of personal well-being. Space is limited; preregistration is required.

Part 1 Thursday

July 14th | 11 am - 1:30 pm

Daniel Island Library

Part 2 (optional) Thursday

July 21 | 11am - 1:30 pm

Daniel Island Library

DI Needle Workers

From experts to beginners, join in the fun Tuesday mornings. Bring your quilt, applique, embroidery, or any portable needle project.

Alternate Tuesdays

10 am - 2 pm

Daniel Island Library

Crochet: Hook or Needle Me This! Club

Crocheting, embroidery, needlepoint, and some basic knitting. All levels of expertise are welcome. Don't know how? That's ok, there is always someone there to teach.

Every Tuesday | 10 - 11 am

St. Stephen Library

Knittin' in the Corner

If you knit and/or crochet or you would like to learn how, come join us. All are welcome.

Every Tuesday | 5 - 7 pm

Moncks Corner Library

SS Writers' Group

Join local authors Olivia Washington and Michael Case to connect and share with other local authors and aspiring writers. All are welcome.

Every 1st Monday | 5 - 6 pm

St. Stephen Library

DI Writers' Group

Join local author, Crystal Klimavicz, at the Daniel Island Library to connect and share with other local authors and aspiring writers. All are welcome.

Every 1st Tuesday | 6:30 - 8 pm

Daniel Island Library

DI Library Book Club*

Be part of a lively discussion about some popular and chatworthy books. Was it a thumbs up or thumbs down? Come share your thoughts.

Tuesdays | 10:30 - 11:30 am

Daniel Island Library

June 21st - *Storied Life of AJ Fikry*, by Gabrielle Zevin

July 19th - *Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society*,

by Mary Ann Shaffer

August 16th - *Hunt Club*, by Bret Lott

September 20th - *Nightingale*, by Kristin Hannah

Mystery Book Club Meeting*

Do you love mysteries? Do you want to share that love with others? Then this book club series is just for you.

Tuesdays | 3:30 pm

Hanahan Library

July 12th - *Call library or check web for title*

Aug 9th - *Lowcountry Bribe*, by C. Hope Clark

Special visit with the author C. Hope Clark at the meeting on Aug 9th!

*Limited copies of each book will be available at the circulation desk monthly. Please preregister at the desk.

NEW Recorder Class

Exercise your brain! For beginning or "rusty" adults and teens who want to learn to play in a group setting. Prior recorder or other musical experience not required. Reading music is also not a prerequisite. You should be able to play several pieces within a few weeks.

Tuesdays, June 14th thru August 9th

3 - 4 pm

Daniel Island Library

Hurricane Preparedness Workshop

Hurricane season is upon us. Tom Smith, Director of Berkeley County Emergency Preparedness, will discuss effective planning for natural disasters, preparation and evacuation procedures for Daniel Island residents.

Saturday, Date TBD

Daniel Island Library



Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body

Join us to learn about research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help you incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging.

Thursday, June 16th | 10:30 - 11:30 am

Daniel Island Library

Fitness for Lifelong Health

A fitness professional will discuss and demonstrate how to forge a foundation for lifelong health. Through proper warm ups, stretching and correct technique we can enjoy a lifetime of injury free fitness!

Thursday, June 23rd | 4 - 5 pm

Daniel Island Library

Introduction to Meditation

Join Rebecca Ivester from the Charleston Tibetan Society to learn how to get started with meditation. Registration is suggested at the main desk at the Goose Creek Library or by phoning 843-572-1376.

Wednesday, July 13th | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library

Eating for Your Health

Holly Artigues, local resident and regular contributor to the Daniel Island Life Magazine, will show us how to be more mindful about our food choices in order to feel our best by gaining awareness of where your food comes from and what it does to your body.

Tuesday, July 14th | 2 - 3 pm

Daniel Island Library



Adult Anime Club

Enjoy your favorite episodes from a variety of anime shows and movies and test your knowledge with trivia games.

Every 4th Tuesday | 5 - 7 pm
Sangaree Library

NEW Lecture Series for Parents and Care Givers at Moncks Corner Library

Monday, June 6th | 6:30 pm

Jennifer Gossett

Owner of Noteworthy Music Therapy

Jennifer Gossett offers Music Therapy services for children with special needs and their families targeted to client-specific goals in a variety of domains: language development, social skills, fine and gross motor skills, development of coping skills and relaxation strategies, and many others.

Saturday, June 11th | 2:00 pm

Adrienne Troy-Frazier

Executive Director of Berkeley County First Steps

Adrienne Troy-Frazier is the executive director of Berkeley County First Steps, a non-profit organization that prepares young children for learning. She has served the field of early childhood for more than 20 years in various positions, including preschool teacher, education coordinator, director, mentor, and trainer as well as a non-federal reviewer for various federal agencies, including the Office of Head Start.

See *Young Learner's Toolbox* on pg. 9 for full details!

FREE Dance Lessons This Summer

The Berkeley County Library System, along with help from community partners, will be bringing you free dance lessons this summer. This fun program will encourage adults of all ages to "Exercise Your Mind" through dance and fellowship with others. Come learn some classic 50s and 60s dances!

Check our website or social media for more details. berkeleylibrarysc.org/dance-lessons



This program is brought to you with aid from the South Carolina State Library.



Free Movies @Your Library



Creed
[PG-13] 2015 2h 13m

Saturday, June 4th | 2 pm
Wednesday, June 8th | 2 pm
Moncks Corner Library



45 Years
[R] 2015 1h 35m

Saturday, June 18th | 2 pm
Wednesday, June 22nd | 2 pm
Moncks Corner Library



The Lady In The Van
[PG-13] 2015 1h 44m

Wednesday, July 6th | 2 pm
Moncks Corner Library

All movies are free and complimentary refreshments are provided courtesy of The Friends of the Berkeley County Library System.



Carol
[R] 2015 1h 58m

Saturday, July 16th | 2 pm
Wednesday, July 20th | 2 pm
Moncks Corner Library



Mothers and Daughters
[PG-13] 2016 1h 58m

Saturday, July 30th | 2 pm
Wednesday, Aug. 3rd | 2 pm
Moncks Corner Library



The Jungle Book
[PG] 2016 1h 51m

Saturday, Aug. 20th | 2 pm
Wednesday, Aug. 24th | 2 pm
Moncks Corner Library



First-Time Homebuyers Workshops

Join local real estate agent, Charon Gadsden from Carolina One Real Estate, for a first-time homebuyers workshop and learn more about the process of buying a home including working with a realtor and applying for a mortgage.

Saturday, June 18th & July 16th
10 am - 12 noon St. Stephen Library

FREE Jazz Concert with the Daniel Bennett Group

The Daniel Bennett Group was recently voted "Best New Jazz Group" in the New York City Hot House Jazz Awards. The band has released six critically-acclaimed albums: *A Nation of Bears*, *The Legend of Bear Thompson*, *Peace and Stability Among Bears*, *Live at the Theatre*, *Clockhead Goes to Camp*, and *The Mystery At Clown Castle*. Daniel Bennett has been featured in Boston Globe Magazine, NPR, First Coast Living (NBC), Indianapolis Public Radio, St. Louis Public Radio, and the Village Voice.

Saturday, August 20th
6:00 pm

Berkeley County Administration Bldg
(next to Moncks Corner Library)

DANIEL BENNETT GROUP
The Mystery at Clown Castle

Check them out @ danielbennettgroup.com

This program is brought to you by The Friends of the Berkeley County Library System

The New Frontier: Digital Collections & Mobile Access

Learn more about using our library resources and collections with your personal mobile devices.

Monday, June 27th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Moncks Corner Library

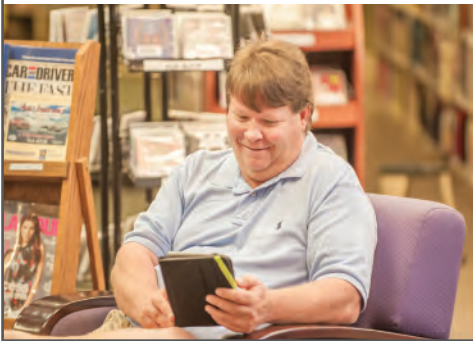
Wednesday, July 20th | 12 - 1:30 pm

Goose Creek Library

Tuesday, August 9th | 12 - 1:30 pm

St. Stephen Library

(Feel free to bring your own mobile devices)



NEW! Picture Perfect: Photo Editing App Basics

Find out more about free photoediting resources Pixlr and PicMonkey, as well as some fun Office 2013 tricks!

Tuesday, June 7th | 12 - 1:30 pm

St. Stephen Library

Thursday, July 7th | 12 - 1:30 pm

Daniel Island Library

Thursday, July 14th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Sangaree Library



NEW! #FriendFollowLike: Facebook & Twitter Basics

Learn social media basics with Facebook and Twitter, including creating an account, privacy settings, and creating posts/tweets.

Tuesday, June 7th | 3 - 4:30 pm

St. Stephen Library

Wednesday, July 20th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Goose Creek Library

Tuesday, August 16th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Hanahan Library



NEW! Information Upgrade: Free Online Databases

Learning a new language? Writing a research paper? Changing careers? Join us for an introduction to our free collection of research, entertainment, and lifestyle resources!

Tuesday, June 14th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Hanahan Library

Thursday, July 7th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Daniel Island Library

Tuesday, August 9th | 3 - 4:30 pm

St. Stephen Library

Microsoft Word 2013 Basics: Make Word Work for you!

Come learn how to create a document/presentation/spreadsheet, edit text, insert images, and more!

Thursday, July 14th | 12 - 1:30 pm

Sangaree Library

Monday, August 29th | 3 - 4:30 pm

Moncks Corner Library

Appy Hour

Are you an avid mobile device user? Do you need help getting started with mobile apps? Join our monthly Appy Hour to discuss mobile apps with your peers!

SECURITY: DEVICE FINDER, PASSWORDS, PAYPAL, AND MORE!

Thursday, June 16th | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library

PHOTOS: STORAGE, EDITING, AND SHARING

Thursday, July 21st | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library

BACK TO SCHOOL: BRAIN GAMES, TIME MANAGEMENT, MEAL PLANNING, AND MORE!

Thursday, August 18th | 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Goose Creek Library



Did You Know You Can Check Out The Internet @ BCLS?

The MiFi30 kit is equipped with a wifi jetpack, Chromebook®, and a mouse. This kit is available to checkout for 30 days! Visit us online or stop by your local BCLS for more details.

The Berkeley County Library System's Technical Systems Staff Present "With a Library Card, You Can Connect to the World" at the USC Upstate Transforming Librarians through Technology Conference

The Berkeley County Library System, with financial aid from Google SC, launched the MiFi30 program in July of 2015; the first library system in the state to offer a mobile wifi kit for customers to check out and the first in the nation to offer the unit paired with a mobile device. Since its launch, over 135 customers have been able to use this valuable service. The BCLS Technical Systems staff members shared tips and advice on this service to other library systems at a recent conference held at the University of South Carolina Upstate.

2016 Summer Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6/6, 6/20, 7/18 8/1, 8/15	6/7, 6/21, 7/5, 7/19 8/2, 8/16	6/8, 6/22, 7/6, 7/20 8/3, 8/17	6/9, 6/23, 7/7, 7/21 8/4, 8/18	6/10, 6/24, 7/8, 7/22 8/5, 8/19
Abiding Word Ministries Moncks Corner 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm	Alvin Community Center Alvin 11:00 am - 12:30 pm	Pineville Community Center Pineville 11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Del Webb Summerville 11:00 am - 12:30 pm	<p>MORE's choice</p> <p>M.O.R.E. will be doing special community visits all over the County this summer.</p> <p>Be on the look-out for M.O.R.E. in your neighborhood!</p>
Whitesville Elementary Moncks Corner 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Jamestown 17A & Hwy 41 1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Fox Creek Apartments St. Stephen 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lindera Preserve Cane Bay 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm	
Brighton Park Village Nexton in Summerville 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Providence Baptist Church Macedonia 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Cross Community Center Cross 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Jedburg Area 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	
	Bonneau Civic Center Bonneau 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm			

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6/13, 6/27, 7/11, 7/25 8/8, 8/22	6/14, 6/28, 7/12, 7/26 8/9, 8/23	6/15, 6/29, 7/13, 7/27 8/10, 8/24	6/16, 6/30, 7/14, 7/28 8/11, 8/25	6/17, 7/1, 7/15, 7/29 8/12, 8/26
Tri-Community Center Cross 11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Yeaman Hall Plaza Hanahan 11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Berkeley Citizens Moncks Corner 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Summit Place Daniel Island 11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>MORE's choice</p> <p>M.O.R.E. will be doing special community visits all over the County this summer.</p> <p>Be on the look-out for M.O.R.E. in your neighborhood!</p>
Henry's Bait and Tackle Cross 12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	Tanner Plantation Hanahan 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm	College Park Elementary Ladson 12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	St. Paul Baptist Church Wando 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	
Eadytown Fire Dept. Eadytown 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Naval Weapons Station Library in Goose Creek 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Wind Gate Community Summerville 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Charity AME Church Huger 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	

Tech Help On-The-Go

A member of the technology department will be available on the bookmobile to assist you with general technology questions, like using email, navigating the library catalog, and using our digital collections.

Please feel free to bring your personal devices.

Brighton Park Village in Nexton, Summerville

Monday | 2 - 4 pm

June 6 | June 20 | July 18 | August 1 | August 15

Fox Creek Apartments in St. Stephen

Wednesdays | 12:30 - 1:30 pm

June 8 | July 6 | August 13 | August 17

Del Webb Community in Cane Bay Plantation, Summerville

Thursdays | 11 am - 12:30 pm

June 9 | June 23 | July 21 | August 4 | August 18

Come Meet

MORE

The New Mascot for BCLS!



It's been said that a good story has friends, adventures, and always starts with "Once Upon a Time." My story has all of that and **MORE**. (ha ha, because that's my name!)

Come see me and my friends on the bookmobile to learn more about how my story begins and what adventures I have planned.

BCLS Mobile Library
843-719-4247 or 843-934-9976
MORE@berkeleycountysc.gov

Friends of the Berkeley County Library System



Who are the Friends?

The Friends of BCLS is an incorporated non-profit organization of volunteers. We promote, enhance, and support the Berkeley County Library System to bring all the exciting, involving, inspiring programs our county's residents both need... and deserve.

Money is raised through membership fees, corporate incentives, Friends' book sale shelves at each library and special fundraising events. Funds from the Friends help support programs and initiatives for children, teens, and adults including the Summer Reading Program.

Every year, the Friends provide t-shirts, medals, and prizes to children who complete the Summer Reading Program.

Want to join, volunteer, or donate to the Friends of the Library? Visit us at berkeleylibrarysc.org/friends-of-the-library

What's New with the Friends?

Friends of the Library Celebrate National Library Week By Providing Free Lunch to All BCLS Libraries

As a special thank you to all the Berkeley County Library Staff and in honor of National Library Week this past April, members of the Friends treated each library branch to a free lunch. We love this celebration and the chance to give back to the wonderful employees of the Berkeley County Library System. Thank you for all you do.

Membership On the Rise and Membership Drives Continue

Members of the Friends have been joining the Bookmobile and going to special events to help spread the word and recruit new members. This past Spring, membership drives were held at Del Webb Community and the Berkeley County Vendor Fair. Membership is on the rise and we are excited to meet all the new members. As we grow, we will continue to give back to the library and the community we love so much.

Dedicated Friend of the Library Member Retires After 30 Years of Service

The Berkeley County Library would like to express appreciation to Verla Wilson for over 30 years of volunteer service at the Hanahan Library. Even before the formation of the Friends of the Berkeley County Library, Inc., Verla gave freely of her time and talents by sorting and selling donated books. Though retired from the library, she will always be remembered for her dedication.

Not only did Verla give so many hours to the Hanahan Library but she served in many capacities as a member of the Friends, including as a Board Member and Treasurer. She helped with many book sales and whatever events that the Friends sponsored. **Thank you Mrs. Verla for your dedication and support to the Berkeley County Library System and the Friends of the Library!**



Please join us at our next board meeting:

Want to get involved, have a fundraiser idea, or just want to hear more about the Friends? Please join us at one of our board meetings this Summer. We rotate our meetings to various branches to make it easier for our members and the community to get involved.

June 28th - Daniel Island Library
July 26th - Sangaree Library
August 23rd - St. Stephen Library

Are You Ready to Dance?!

This year's Summer Reading Program for adult's theme is "Exercise Your Mind: Read." The library will be hosting a series of free dance lessons (see pg. 11), but the friends want to end the Summer with a bang! We are looking into hosting a Sock Hop in the next few months. If you are interested in planning, volunteering, or helping in any way with this fund raiser, please email us at FOBCLS@gmail.com

Spring Book Sales a Huge Success

The Friends held two Spring Book Sales. The first was at the Goose Creek Library to assist with reducing the inventory of donations and withdrawn library books. Books were sold for a quarter. In just a few hours, the sale generated \$171 with more than 600 books sold. Thank you Lynda Aston for your dedicated support and true passion you have for the Friends.

The HUGE Book Sale was held in April and once again drew in a large crowd. This time, as a two day event, the book and bake sale were both wonderful fund raisers. We are already gearing up for the next one which will be held on **September 16th and 17th.**

As the book sales continue to grow, we could use more volunteers. Please email us at FOBCLS@gmail.com if you would like to help.



Movies Under the Stars Program Hits It Out of the Ball Park

Over 700 people packed field 4 of the new Moncks Corner Regional Recreation Complex April 29th for the first ever Movies Under the Stars event showing Disney Pixar's "The Good Dinosaur." The program, a joint effort with the Berkeley County Library System and the Town of Moncks Corner, is an initiative to bring new resources to the community.

The Friends of the Library were able to get in on the fun and provide concessions at the event. Although several food trucks were present, many people still came to the Friend's stand to get their traditional movie needs including: fresh popcorn, ice-cold sodas, and tons of movie-size candy. We could not keep the popcorn machine popping fast enough! It was so much fun, not to mention an amazing fund raiser. We are so pleased to be a part of this program and looking forward to more Movies Under the Stars in the Town of Moncks Corner and other communities in the county.

See page 8 for more Movies Under the Stars.





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Daniel Island, SC 29492
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M-Th 10am-6 pm, F&S 9am-5pm

MONCKS CORNER
1003 Highway 52
Moncks Corner, SC 29461
(843) 719-4223
M-Th 9am-7pm, F&S 9am-5pm

GOOSE CREEK
325 Old Moncks Corner Road
Goose Creek, SC 29445
(843) 572-1376
M-Th 9am-7pm, F&S 9am-5pm

M.O.R.E. BOOKMOBILE
100 Library Street
Moncks Corner, SC 29461
(843) 719-4247
Schedule posted online at
berkeleylibrarysc.org/bookmobile

HANAHAN
1216 Old Murray Court
Hanahan, SC 29410
(843) 553-0047
M-Th 10am-6pm, F&S 9am-5pm

SANGAREE
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service catalog app.
Available on Apple
and Andriod.



New BCLS Book Bundles Are Here!

Belong to a book club and want a ready-to-read-and-discuss kit made available for your group? Check out these new kits:

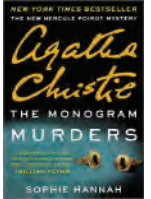


A Man Called Ove by Fredrik Backman

Meet Ove. He's a curmudgeon—the kind of man who points at people he dislikes as if they were burglars caught outside his bedroom window. He has staunch principles, strict routines, and a short fuse. People call him “the bitter neighbor from hell.” But must Ove be bitter just because he doesn't walk around with a smile plastered to his face all the time? ...

The Monogram Murders by Sophie Hannah

Hercule Poirot's quiet supper in a London coffeehouse is interrupted when a young woman confides to him that she is about to be murdered. Though terrified, she begs Poirot not to find and punish her killer. Once she is dead, she insists, justice will have been done. Later that night, Poirot learns that three guests at a London Hotel have been murdered....



Charleston by Margaret Bradham Thornton

A gifted writer makes her fiction debut with this lyrical and haunting story of missed chances and enduring love, set against the backdrop of high society Charleston, which probes the eternal question: can we ever truly go home again? When Eliza Poinsett left the elegant world of Charleston for college, she never expected....

The Boys in the Boat by Daniel James Brown

An irresistible story about beating the odds and finding hope in the most desperate of times—the improbable, intimate account of how nine working-class boys from the American West showed the world at the 1936 Olympics in Berlin what true grit really meant.

