

# Baxter-Patrick James Island Library September 2024

# Adult Events

## Joy of Meditation

Wednesdays, September 4, 11, 18 & 25 at 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays, September 4, 11, 18 & 25 at 6:30 p.m. Mondays, September 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 10:30 a.m. Learn how to establish a simple daily practice, then enjoy a guided group meditation followed by discussion.

## Well Written

Wednesday, September 11 at 6:30 p.m. Come bring your works in progress to our editing circle to get peer feedback.

#### **Murderous Yarns**

#### Saturday, September 14 from 11 a.m.-12 p.m.

We knit, crochet, sew, and listen to true crime podcasts...and there are cookies. Drop in with a project to work on or just come for the crime!

#### Charlie Cart - Eggplant Caponatina

**Thursday, September 19at 5:30 p.m.** Come learn about the "Charlie Cart" and prepare a healthy delicious side dish using this self-contained kitchen.

## Qigong

**Tuesday, September 24 at 1:30 p.m.** Enjoy guided group qigong practice (coordinated meditation, breathing and slow movements to optimize energy).

## Social Services Fair

#### Saturday, September 28

Come meet with representatives from different social service organizations in the Charleston area and get your questions about the help available answered.

## Hands-On Genealogy

**Tuesday, September 10 at 10 a.m.** Come to our drop-in genealogy workshop and get help working on your family tree!

#### **Charlie Cart - Rustic Tomato Sauce**

**Thursday, September 12at 5:30 p.m.** Come learn about the "Charlie Cart" and prepare a healthy delicious dish using this self-contained kitchen.

#### Let's Talk about Self-Care with Dr. Cerrissa Hugie

#### Saturday September 14 from 2-3:30 p.m.

Do you feel overwhelmed by all the things on your list, especially during the holidays? You're not alone! Let's talk about it with Dr. Cerrissa Hugie and learn how to

set realistic expectations and boundaries, create individual plans of self-care, and learn how to ask for help. This year, start with the most important person on your list - you!

#### **Dream Circle**

#### Friday, September 20 at 2 p.m.

Bring a dream (recent or from long ago) and explore a deep dive into the subconscious through the magic of collective dream analysis. Bring a notebook and something to write with. This is a workshop, and we will be "working a dream" together.

#### Free Verse Poetry Workshop(ages 13+)

#### Thursday, Sept 26 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Join us every other month for a series of poetry

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#### Whale of a Time (sewing program)(grades 4+) Thursday, September 5 from 1-2 p.m.

Come learn to make a whale shaped stuffed animal! Learn the basics of how to use a sewing machine while making simple stuffed animals. Registration is required!

## Crafternoon in the Kids' Room(ages 4 and up)

#### Wednesday, September 11 from 3:30-5 p.m.

Are we painting, or sewing, or creating bubble monsters? Come learn a new craft, make fabulous art, and let your creativity shine! Let us surprise you or ask at the Children's Desk for details!

## Arrrrrrt Activity for Talk Like a Pirate Day

#### (ages 3+)

#### Thursday, September 19 from 3-4:30 p.m.

Happy Talk Like a Pirate Day! Join us for a Pirate themed craft. This is a drop-in, self-directed activity. Prizes will be awarded for the best pirate themed costume. Nature Crafting(ages 3 - 11) Saturday, September 7 from 2-3 p.m. Stop by the Kid's Room and create a seashell trinket dish!

Brick Break(formerly LEGO Lounge) (all ages) Saturday, September 14 from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Get creative with buckets of bricks! Free build with friends and family or try one of our challenges.

## **Tuesday Tech Lab(grades 3-8)**

**Tuesday, September 24 from 3:30-4:30 p.m.** Drop in for a chance to explore coding, creative technology, robots, gaming, and more!



## Toddler Storytime(ages 2-3)

Tuesdays,September 3, 10, 17 & 24 at 10 a.m. Come share stories, songs, rhymes, and more with us and support your child's developing skills.



## Baby Storytime(ages 0-2)

Wednesdays,September 4, 11, 18 & 25 at 10 a.m. Bond with your baby and introduce them to the wonders of storytime when you join us for simple stories, songs, rhymes, and fun.

# Preschool StoryTime

## Preschool Storytime(ages 3-5)

**Thursdays,September 5, 12, 19 & 26 at 10 a.m.** Join us for a storytime designed to promote school readiness and success as we share stories, songs, rhymes, and more.

## **Teen Events**

## **Gaming Day**

Wednesdays, September 4, 11, 18 & 25 at 3p.m. Mondays, September 9, 16, 23 & 30 at 3 p.m. Teens/pre-teens can choose which gaming system to play.

## TeenWriters'Circle(grades 6-12)

**Friday, September 20 from 4:30-5:30 p.m.** Bring your laptop and your work in progress and join us for an hour of focused writing time in a supportive environment - with snacks! Optional writing prompts and inspiration provided.

# Learning Lab Events

## Vivid Voices

#### Tuesday, September 17 at 4:30 p.m.

Calling all teens to come and let your voices be heard. Join us for a creative journey. You will have the opportunity to share your work with the group at the end of the session.You must be 13+ to attend.



Please call (843) 795-6679 ext. 8105 or emailnowellj@ccpl.orgfor questions and registration. Must be at least 18years old to attend.

## 20 Tips for your iPad or iPhone

**Thursday, September 12 from 11 a.m.-12 p.m.** Join us for a demonstration on the 20 most essential tips for your iPhone or iPad. Please feel free to bring your device or use one of ours and follow along! Registration is required by emailingnowellj@ccpl.orgor contacting the library by phone.

## 20 Tips for your Windows 11 PC

**Thursday, September 19 from 11 a.m.-12 p.m.** Join us for a demonstration on the 20 most essential tips for your Windows 11 PC. Please feel free to bring your laptop or use one of ours and follow along! Registration is required by emailingnowellj@ccpl.orgor contacting the library by phone.



## **Digital Drop-In**

Monday, September 23 from 11-12 p.m. Hands on assistance with tablets, smartphones, and laptops accessing the library's digital collection and troubleshooting pesky issues. No registration is required for this event.

# **Upcoming Events**

Ready to show off your talent? BPJI is excited to host our 2nd Talent Show on Friday, October 4! All ages are welcome to participate. If you're interested, please let us know by emailingbaxterpatrickteens@ccpl.org.



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#### **Embroidery Machine Training**

Wednesday, September 11 at 11 a.m.

Learn how to set up and use our embroidery machine! This training is needed to utilize the embroidery machine in our Creative Studio. No registration is required for this event.

#### Sewing Machine Training

Tuesday, September 17 at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 18 at 11 a.m. Come learn the basics of how to use our sewing machines. This training is needed to utilize the sewing machines and serger in our Creative Studio. No registration is required for this event.

#### Linoleum Printmaking

**Saturday, September 21 at 3:30 p.m.** Join us in the Creative Studio to learn the process of printmaking with linoleum blocks.



Wednesday, September 25 at 11 a.m.

Let's learn how to use Cricut Design Space and set up the machine to cut, draw, or score! This training is needed to utilize the Cricut and Heat Press in our Creative Studio. No registration is required for this event.



## Library Lens: Exploring the World through Documentary Film

**Friday, September 13 from 2-4 p.m.** Join us as we screen the documentaryDinosaur 13(2014). A story about how a paleontologist's life changes dramatically after he discovers the most well-preserved

fossil of a T. rex in history.Rated PG; 100 minutes.

## **BPJI 4th Annual Juried Art Show**

Tuesday, September 24 at 6:30 p.m.

Come support your local artists and see what your neighbors have been making this year! No registration is required for this event.

## The Movie Zone: In the Heat of the Night

Tuesday, September 24 at 11:30 a.m.

Get in the Movie Zone! Join us each month for popcorn and a movie. This month's feature film isIn the Heat of the Night(1967); Rated PG; 109 minutes.

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 8p.m. Friday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sunday - Closed

CCPL Libraries are closed on Monday, September 2 for the LaborDay holiday.



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