### Seed Swap and Garden Expo  
**Adults**  
The Library’s annual Seed Swap and Garden Expo will feature local farms and garden experts. Bring some seeds to swap and have experts answer your questions!  
**Saturday**  
April 7  
11 am  
Fishersville

### S.T.E.A.M. Garden  
**Grades K-5**  
Join us for a S.T.E.A.M. program on gardening and growing plants!  
**Thursday**  
April 12  
4 pm  
Fishersville

### Earth Day Fun!  
**Grades K-5**  
Turn plastic bottles into planters for you to take home. Enjoy watching them grow! Grades K-5. Advance registration required.  
**Saturday**  
April 21  
1 pm  
Craigsville

### Community Rocks Painting Party  
**All Ages**  
Help spread some happiness and inspiration by painting some community rocks. Supplies will be provided.  
**Saturday**  
April 21  
2 pm  
Churchville

### Painted Garden Stones  
**Adults**  
Adults, come paint your very own garden stones! Advance registration required.  
**Tuesday**  
April 24  
5 pm  
Craigsville

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### Arts & Crafts  
**All Ages & Skill Levels**

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<td><strong>Material Girls</strong></td>
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<td>Quilting and other handcrafts, including needlepoint, appliqué, crochet and knitting.</td>
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**Book Discussions**

**Churchville Reads**
2nd Mondays  2 pm  Churchville

**Tuesday Book Club**
2nd Tuesdays  4 pm  Fishersville

**Thursday Book Club**
2nd Thursdays  10 am  Fishersville

**Deer Readers Book Club**
3rd Thursdays  7 pm  Deerfield

**Middle-of-the-Book Club**
2nd Thursdays  5:30 pm  Middlebrook

**The Bookends of Middlebrook**
Middlebrook’s own Carol T and Gary R will share their thoughts on the myriad of books they have read. Will follow the Middle-of-the-Book Club discussion, which starts at 5:30 pm.

**Library Trivia Night**
Come to Basic City Brewery for an evening of craft beer and trivia fun hosted by one of your favorite Valley librarians! Teams can consist of up to 6 adults. Prizes will be awarded to 1st and 2nd place winners. Ages 21 and up.

**Tech Classes**

**One-On-One Computer Basics**
Computer assistance offered by Deb Bixler. Set up your one-on-one by appointment at Middlebrook Library Station, by calling 540-885-1008.

**Introduction to Microsoft Word**
Introduction to basic functions of Microsoft Word, including word processing and formatting letters. Advance registration required.

**Intro to Apple Devices**
Learn basic navigation, settings and downloading apps. Advance registration required.

**Intro to Google Photos**
Learn to search, share, edit, and backup your Google photos. Advance registration required.

**Games**

**East Wind Mah Jongg**
Learn to play, discover strategies and challenge others.
1st Fridays  12:30-3pm  Fishersville

**Strатегерie**
Enjoy Warhammer 40K and other tabletop strategy games.
3rd Saturdays  2pm  Fishersville
# Children’s Programs

## Super Saturdays
**Grades K-8**
Fun with STEAM activities!
- 2nd and 4th Saturdays
  - 11am
  - Deerfield

## Saturday Dance Party
**All ages**
Come get your wiggles out with a fun family dance party!
- Saturday
  - Mar 3
  - 2pm
  - Fishersville

## Glow in the Dark Science!
**Grades K-5**
Create glow in the dark slime, read a glow in the dark story, and make a glow in the dark craft!
- Thursday
  - Mar 8
  - 4pm
  - Fishersville

## St. Patrick’s Day
**Grades K-5**
Wear your green and join us for games and crafts.
Advance registration required.
- Saturday
  - Mar 10
  - 1pm
  - Craigsville

## Pokémon Club
**Ages 5+**
Trade cards, talk strategy, practice battling, create trainer gear, and more at Pokémon Club!
- 2nd Tuesdays
  - Mar 13-May 8
  - 4pm
  - Churchville

## Mother’s Day Candles
**Grades K-5**
Personalize a candle to take home for Mother’s Day.
Advance registration required.
- Saturday
  - May 12
  - 1pm
  - Craigsville

## Monday Makerspace
**Ages 4+**
Join us for an opportunity to get creative! We’ll have materials and supplies, so you can make something new on the spot! Families welcome!
- Mondays
  - Mar 5-May 21
  - 4pm
  - Churchville

## Cardboard Challenge Makerspace!
**Ages 0-18**
Create and build with cardboard! We will provide the supplies, you bring the ideas!
- Thursday
  - Mar 22
  - 4pm
  - Fishersville

## Spring Break the Library!
**Grades K-12**
What better way to learn how things work than taking a look inside of them? Come to this special “Breakerspace” program and take apart everything from old computers to DVD players and more!
- Thursday
  - Mar 29
  - 3pm
  - Fishersville

## Egg-cellent Engineering Makerspace
**Ages 4+**
“Eggsplore” different ways to keep an egg from breaking on impact.
- Monday
  - Apr 9
  - 4pm
  - Churchville

## Wreck the Library
**Ages 4+**
Ever wondered what is inside a computer? A remote? A fan? Find out at this very special Makerspace.
Snacks provided.
- Monday
  - Apr 23
  - 4pm
  - Churchville

## Kindness Rocks Makerspace
**Grades K-5**
Bring your best ideas to the library to make kindness rocks and get creative in the Makerspace!
- Thursday
  - Apr 26
  - 4pm
  - Fishersville

## Mother’s Day Makerspace
**Ages 4+**
Make something special for or with mom! Various materials and supplies will be provided for you to create something completely unique!
- Wednesday
  - May 9
  - 4pm
  - Churchville
- Saturday
  - May 12
  - 2pm
  - Fishersville

## Take It Outdoors Garden Makerspace
**Ages 5+**
Help us set up and transplant our Community Garden Box!
- Monday
  - May 21
  - 4pm
  - Churchville
## Fishersville Library

### Puppet Pandemonium
All ages  
Join us for a fun family-friendly puppet show and snacks!  
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### Read, Play, Grow
Ages 0-2  
Join us for a play-based storytime with songs, rhymes, stories and play activities that promote early literacy skills and are easy to replicate at home!  
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### Tales for Tots
Ages 2-3  
Join us for literacy based fun this session as we explore fairy tales and nursery rhymes. Toddlers will enjoy sensory tables, music, puppets and more!  
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### Precious Preschoolers
Ages 4-5  
Children will have fun learning about traditional and modern fairy tales, rhymes and poetry. Sensory experiences will include: water beads, activity mats, story stones and crafts!  
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### Wacky Wednesday
Ages 3-5  
Join us for a pre-school storytime full of wacky fun!  
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### Sensory Storytime
Ages 0-5  
Come enjoy stories that engage your imagination and have fun with a sensory table, sensory mat, water beads and other exciting supplies! Ages 0-5.  
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### Spring Storytime
Ages 0-5  
Join us for a special Easter-themed storytime!  
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## Middlebrook Library

### Irish Folk Tales
Storyteller Kathy Lineberger will entertain our audience with Irish Folk tales.  
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### Inside the Life of Toni Diterlizzi
Deena Warner will give participants an inside look at the life of Toni Diterlizzi, author of *The Spiderwick Chronicles*.  
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### Yahoo, Buckaroo!
Calling all cowboys and cowgirls for stories, activities and refreshments! Fun for pre-school to elementary.  
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## Churchville Branch Library

### Storytime Bounce
Ages 0-3  
Bounce, shake, and sing into early literacy with stories, songs, rhymes, sensory play, and more! Siblings welcome!  
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### Storytime Rumpus
Ages 2-5  
Movement, play, and exploration! Become part of the story with rhymes, games, challenges, and more. Siblings welcome!  
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### REVENGE OF THE 5TH
Come celebrate all things Star Wars at the Fishersville and Churchville libraries! Dress up like your favorite character and come prepared for fun and food in a galaxy far, far away! Family friendly.  
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Fridays with Friends  **Ages 18 and up**
Stories, songs, crafts and more for adults with special needs.
**Fridays  10:30am**  **Fishersville**

Intro to Genealogy Research
Join the Augusta County Genealogical Society for this three-part series on genealogy basics. Learn about best practices and resources for finding out more about your family's history.
**Saturdays  Mar 3-17  10am**  **Fishersville**

Energy Efficiency with Responsible House
Join energy efficiency experts Responsible House for a seminar and Q&A session on how to save energy and money during the winter months!
**Tuesday  Mar 6  6:30pm**  **Fishersville**

Ladies’ Night at the Library
Adult ladies only! Come in and enjoy fun games, great conversation, and prizes.
**Tuesday  Mar 6  5pm**  **Craigsville**

West African Kora Presented by Sean Gaskell
Sean Gaskell has studied with master Kora players from Gambia and will share his knowledge of music and African history with the Fishersville Library.
**Saturday  Mar 10  2pm**  **Fishersville**

Cookbook Challenge: Spring Edition
Celebrate the best of the spring harvest with a Spring Cookbook Challenge. Join us to sample everyone’s dishes and discuss tips to make the most of the spring season. Advance registration required.
**Monday  Mar 12  6pm**  **Churchville**

Adult Education Info Session with Blue Ridge Community College
Join Adult Admissions Adviser Travis Messick for a drop-in information session at the Fishersville Library where they can learn about adult education opportunities from Blue Ridge Community College. Advance registration required.
**Wednesdays  Mar 14 & Apr 4  11:30am**  **Fishersville**

Natural Spring Cleaning Workshop
The Tiny House Foodie will lead a workshop about the benefits of making and using natural cleaning products in your home. Participants will take home some samples! Register for the workshop at the Fishersville Front Desk.
**Thursday  Mar 15  4:30pm**  **Fishersville**

Urban Legends **Teens & Adults**
Kathy Lineberger is a topnotch story teller. Come hear her spin on Urban Legends. Fun for teens and adults!
**Thursday  Mar 15  5:30pm**  **Middlebrook**

Real Food, Real Local
Recipes and tastes of the Valley, bring a dish and recipe to share!
**Thursday  Mar 22 & Apr 26  6pm**  **Deerfield**

Financial Fitness with DuPont Community Credit Union
Boost your Financial Fitness with DuPont Community Credit Union! Four consecutive classes will show you how to calculate your net worth, create a spending plan, review credit and more. Register at the Front Desk.
**Tuesday  Apr 24-May 22  6pm**  **Fishersville**

Bike Box Family Pop Up Day!
Join local non-profit Bike Box for a pop up clinic in the Fishersville Library parking lot! Adults can learn basic bicycle care and maintenance while kids master cycling skills and safety.
**Saturday  Apr 28  1pm**  **Fishersville**

Local Author Expo
Join local authors Brad Parks, William C. Markham, Connie Kuykendall, Cliff Garstang, and Billy Coffey for an informal meet and greet. Writing groups, hopeful authors, and fans all welcome!
**Thursday  May 17  6:30pm**  **Fishersville**

Annual Book & Plant Sale
The Book & Plant Sale will run Saturday, May 19 from 9am-1pm as well as during regular Deerfield hours through May 26.
**Saturday  May 19-26  9am**  **Deerfield**

The History of Middlebrook Village
This program will kick off Middlebrook Village Days to benefit the Middlebrook Volunteer Fire Dept. Join us at the Middlebrook Firehouse at 54 Cherry Grove Rds (up the hill behind the library).
**Thursday  May 31  6:30pm**  **Middlebrook**

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**Yes, I want to be a Friend of the Augusta County Library!**
Please enroll me as a _______ new member _______ renewal
Name ________________________________________________________________________________
Address _____________________________________________________________________________
Email ________________________________________________________________________________
Phone _______________________________________________________________________________

Make checks payable to “Friends of Augusta County Library” and return this form with payment to any ACL location or mail to: 1759 Jefferson Hwy, Fishersville, VA or join online with PayPal. Visit www.friendofACL.org for more information.
Youth Art Month: Fishersville  
Wilson students (grades 1-12) will have their art work on display for the public to enjoy. Come by and support our local students.

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Make a work of art to be displayed in the Library for Youth Art Month! | Mar 1-31 | Fishersville |
| Bad Art Night!  
Free your imagination and forget the rules as we compete to make the worst art possible! Prizes awarded for the most awful creations. All supplies provided! Advance registration required. | Mar 15 | 4pm | Fishersville |
| Art Reception  
All month, children across Augusta County have been creating art! Come see their work come to life and meet some of the wonderful artists! Refreshments provided. Families welcome. | Mar 26 | 4pm | Churchville |

Stop-Motion Part II  
Ages 11-18

Come create a stop-motion video! Work with puppets, clay, or Legos, or bring your own props. You'll learn about the history of stop motion before you make your masterpiece! Advance registration required.

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| Nothing Party!  
Ages 10+  
Treat yourself to a day of relaxation at the library! Experience our sensory deprivation box, water beads, color changing sequins, calming stations, giant bean bags and more! Snacks provided, families welcome. | Mar 10 | 2pm | Churchville |
| Escap Room at the Library  
Think you can escape the library? Test your skills with our Harry Potter themed escape room! This program will be open to the public all week, but is expected to be popular, so call or come to the library to make your reservation! Open to groups of 2-6 at a time. | May 14-19 | 2pm | Churchville |
| Afternoon of “BORED” Games  
Ages 11-18 | May 21-26 | 10am | Fishersville |
| Afternoon of “BORED” Games  
Bored? Come to the library to play video games, board games, and table top games! | Jun 2 & 9 | 10am | Craigsville |
| Afternoon of “BORED” Games  
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All Augusta County Library locations will be closed on Monday, May 28, 2018 for Memorial Day.