



ADVENTURE — BEGINS AT — YOUR LIBRARY™

Adult Summer Reading 2024

Outdoor Adventurers of Color

June 2 from 3-4:30 pm

Kathleen Clay Edwards Family Branch

Come to a screening of an episode of *American Outdoors* with Baratunde Thurston, a PBS outdoor series that focuses on diversity and our connection to nature. To register, e-mail Melanie.Buckingham@greensboro-nc.gov.

Lunch and Listen: A Story Time for Adults

June 7 from 12-1 pm

McGirt-Horton Branch

Relax and hear a chapter or two of a novel, short stories, poems, and other works read to you! This month, hear selections from Naomi Novik's historical fiction series *Temeraire*. Light refreshments will be provided.

Parent Music Workshop

Fridays from 4-5 pm

Central Library

Learn simple chords that will allow you to play many of the songs we sing during children's story-time. A personal guitar or ukulele is required. This program is for parents and caregivers of younger children. Email Peter.Turner@greensboro-nc.gov to register.

Color Me Relaxed

June 8, July 2, July 20 & August 10 from 2-4 pm

Hemphill Branch

Has the stress of adulting gotten you down? Reconnect with your inner child and join us for calming coloring and relaxation one Saturday each month throughout the summer.

Star Wars Trivia

June 12 from 6-8 pm

Hemphill Branch

Compete in teams to win some stellar Star Wars themed prizes, and the title of Trivia Jedi Master.

Meet the Author: *Charlotte's Crossing*

June 12 from 7-8 pm

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Join us for a Zoom discussion with Marty Thompson Arnold, author of *Charlotte's Crossing*. The novel is a blend of captivating fiction and native plant connections. Arnold is a Master Naturalist and member of Wild Ones, a national organization dedicated to habitat restoration.

Greensboro Writes: Short Story Summer

June 15 & August 17 from 2-3:30 pm

McGirt-Horton Branch

This group is suited for new and seasoned writers interested in a variety of genres and formats. Connect with library resources and, importantly, other writers!

Conduit to Destiny®



Star Wars Festival

June 22 from 2-4 pm

Hemphill Branch

Join us for our celebration of a galaxy far, far away. Dress in your galactic best for our costume contest. We'll have free giveaways and photo ops. Visit our mini-museum of Star Wars collectibles. We'll have cosmic crafts and fun for everyone.

Learn to Draw • Starting with the Basics!

July 8, August 5 & August 12 from 1-2:30 pm

Glenwood Branch

Join us as we learn the basics of sketching, value, form, gesture drawing and more in this series of weekly classes!

Adventures in the Pantanal: Natural History Through the Years

July 8 from 6:30-7:30 pm

Kathleen Clay Edwards Family Branch

Join Dick Thomas, Park Supervisor for Piedmont Environmental Center, to discover the natural history of the Pantanal of Brazil. The Pantanal encompasses the world's largest tropical wetland area.

Meet an Author Day

July 27 from 1-4 pm

Central Library

Meet some of the talented North Carolina authors that live in our area and beyond. You can chat with published writers of several genres, buy their books, and have them signed. There will also be a workshop for aspiring and seasoned writers. Contact Ron Headen at 336-412-6199 for more information.

Golden Delicious Trivia

July 30 from 7-8:30 pm

Hemphill Branch

Celebrate National Cheesecake Day with Golden Girls Trivia. Test your knowledge of TV's favorite Golden Quartet. Dress as your favorite Golden Girl, eat cheesecake and win prizes!

Midday Meditation and Mindfulness

August 2 from 1-2 pm

Hemphill Branch

Learn about the benefits of meditation and mindfulness for the mind and body. We will be sharing tips and tools to enhance our personal practices. Feel free to bring props to support your body's comfort.

Homeschool 101 Informational Meeting

August 6 from 7-8:30 pm

Benjamin Branch

The Greensboro Home Educators will provide information on homeschooling in the Triad. Veteran homeschool parents will answer questions, and share information about co-ops, homeschooling teens, and homeschool sports.

Inside AI

August 14 from 6:30-8 pm

Kathleen Clay Edwards Family Branch

Jeff Cates, Digital Literacy Extension Agent with the Guilford County Cooperative Extension, will lead this workshop about Artificial Intelligence (AI). Discover ways to use AI for your personal and business needs. To register e-mail Melanie.Buckingham@greensboro-nc.gov.

Meet the Mushrooms of the Triad

August 16 from 2-3:30 pm

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This is a hands-on class taught by Ken Bridle from the Piedmont Land Conservancy. Join us for a mushroom hunt as he teaches habitats, biology, ecology, and anatomy. Dress for trail walking. E-mail Melanie.Buckingham@greensboro-nc.gov to register.

Medicare 101: Understanding Your Benefits

August 19 from 6:30-7:30 pm

Kathleen Clay Edwards Family Branch

The Senior Health Insurance Information Program (SHIIP) helps Medicare beneficiaries better understand their coverage options and benefits. Learn about the parts of Medicare, coverage, cost, and your choices of Medicare plans. To register e-mail Melanie.Buckingham@greensboro-nc.gov.

Great Southeast Pollinator Census

August 23 from 3-5 pm

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Dress for the weather and join us in a count of pollinators in our park. We'll provide the training and you provide the enthusiasm.

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