

Jacksonville Public Library



“The library is the temple of learning, and learning has liberated more people than all the wars in history.” – Carl T. Rowan, American journalist

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Check out our [website](#) at for more information on these events.

September 2nd – September 4th Library closed for Labor Day Re-open at 8am on Tuesday, September 5th.

September 6th Jacksonville Photography Club at 1:30pm Open to people of all skill levels interested in photography. Questions should be directed to John at 256-365-1862 or AMSLTDJAGA@aol.com.

September 7th “Farm Animals” Preschoolers’ Storytime for ages 3-6 at 10am

September 7th Tiny Tots Storytime for ages 0-2 at 10am

September 9th Aspiring Writers Group at 10am Open to Adults & Teens who are interested in sharing their work and getting writing and publication tips from other local writers.

September 9th Cover 2 Cover Book Club at 1pm Open to Adults & older Teens who are interested in lively discussions about books chosen by the group at the previous month’s meeting. This month’s feature is *Sirius: A Novel About the Little Dog Who Almost Changed History* by Jonathan Crown.

September 14th “Jungle Animals” Preschoolers’ Storytime for ages 3-6 at 10am

September 14th Tiny Tots Storytime for ages 0-2 at 10am

September 16th Ladies Day Out at 10am – 1pm The final Ladies Day Out will be a cooking class with a professional chef! We will meet at the library and then carpool or caravan to a local restaurant to learn how to make several tempting meals from the same basic ingredients. Lunch will be provided at the restaurant. Registration, including the \$10 fee, is required by September 1st.

September 20th Library Board at 4:30pm in the library annex Changes will be posted on the library bulletin board in advance of a meeting.

September 21st “Forest Animals” Preschoolers’ Storytime for ages 3-6 at 10am

September 21st Tiny Tots Storytime for ages 0-2 at 10am

September 23rd Library Flix at 11:30am Bring your lunch and enjoy *A Passage to India* at the film club.

September 26th Teen Advisory Board Meeting at 4pm Teens ages 12 & up are welcome to join us at the planning meeting for upcoming teen events at the library.

September 30th Fall Book Sale at 9am – 3pm in the Library Annex Used and like new books, audiobooks and movies, books for all ages, most 50¢ to \$1. Bring your own bags, boxes or baskets.

The library will be closed this day so staff can be available for the book sale. Please enter the library at the north (handicapped) and south (ramp) entrances to get to the sale.

Library News












Coming in November: Early Bird Holiday Market

Registration is open for local vendors/crafters for our 2nd Annual Holiday Market at the library. There is no “booth rental” fee, but you will need to register at the library by October 20th to be eligible.

Due to space issues, we will be limiting the number of vendors who sell the same types of items, so be sure to turn in your application early to reserve your spot!




Banned Books Week

Banned Books Week highlights the value of our freedom to seek and to express ideas, even those some consider unorthodox or unpopular. While books have been and continue to be banned, part of the Banned Books Week celebration is the fact that, in a majority of cases, these books have remained available thanks to the efforts of librarians, teachers, students, and community members who stand up and speak out for the freedom to read.

-  *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* by Mark Twain
-  *Animal Farm* by George Orwell
-  *Beloved* by Toni Morrison
-  *Blubber* by Judy Blume
-  *Brideshead Revisited* by Evelyn Waugh
-  *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood
-  Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
-  *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hossini
-  *Looking for Alaska* by John Green
-  *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee
-  *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeline L'Engle





New DVD's

For the full list, check out the [New DVD list](#) on the [online catalog](#).

-  *La La Land*
-  *Underdog*
-  *Quantum of Solace*



New Books

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-  *The Silent Corner* by Dean Koontz
-  *The Almost Sisters* by Joshilyn Jackson
-  *The Good Daughter* by Karin Slaughter
-  *Al Franken: Giant of the Senate* by Al Franken




New Teen Books

For the full list, check out the [New Teen Books list](#) on the [online catalog](#).

-  *The Eye of Minds* by James Dashner
-  *When Dimple Met Rishi* by Sandhya Menon

New Kids books

For the full list, check out the [New Kid's Books list](#) on the [online catalog](#).

-  *The Spooky Cabin* by Scott Albert
-  *Charlotte and the Rock* by Stephen W. Martin
-  *Don't Call by Choochie Pooh!* by Sean Taylor & Katie Hindley

Circulation Statistics

In July, 6882 items (books, ebooks, DVDs and audiobooks) were checked out and there were 418 internet computer uses!

HAPPY READING!