

The Putnam County Library strives to provide events that appeal to a broad audience of all ages. All events are free and open to the public.

Regularly Scheduled Events

Adult Coloring Night – A proven stress reliever and a great way to spend an hour and a half after work. Bring your own materials or use our colored pencils and designs. For ages 18 and up.

Adult Game Night—Join us for a monthly chance to get together, roll some dice, shuffle some cards, and meet others who enjoy doing the same. Wide array of games on-hand, but feel free to bring a favorite to share. Open to all, ages 18 & up.

Chess Club- Whether you want to learn the game or hone your skills come join us for the game of kings! Open to ages 5-105, All skill levels welcome.

Computer Classes—Free computer classes are offered each Thursday. Laptops provided to the first six students to arrive. You may bring your own.

Family Game Night—Join us for a monthly chance to get together, roll some dice, shuffle some cards, and meet others who enjoy doing the same. Wide array of games on-hand, but feel free to bring a favorite to share. Open to all families!

First Friday Book Club— Books are available for check-out at the Adult Services Circulation Desk. Monthly title to discuss is *Frozen in Time* by Michael Zuckoff.

Kids Draw—Free draw session open to all ages. Materials provided. Children under age 10 must be accompanied by an adult.

Lego Club—Ages 5 and Up (Strict, due to small parts) We provide the blocks, you provide the creativity. Children under age 10 must remain accompanied by an adult.

Minecraft Builders Guild—If you DIG Minecraft, come play with us in the Children's Library! This program is for ages 5-12, Children under 10 must remain accompanied by an adult.

Movies at the Library— The public is invited to our listed film showings. We play the movies on the big screen in the Upstairs Meeting Room. Attendees are welcome to bring their own snacks and beverages. The library will provide refreshments on occasion.

Page Turners Book Club— Open book club with titles selected for the 10-12 year old reader. Monthly title to discuss is *Hatchet* by Gary Paulsen.

PreSchool Crafts—Crafts are appropriate for ages 2 and up; younger children may need help from their adult friend. (Scissors, glue may be used)

Read!Play!Grow! - Ages birth-3 years. Part baby bounce, part literacy minded play, part early literacy education, and a whole lotta fun!

Read With a Therapy Dog—Families are invited to a very special story time, presented by our canine friends (and their humans)! Program presented by: Therapy Dog International Chapter 240 partnered with Cookeville Regional Medical Center's Therapy Dog Program.

RPG Club – Do you feel the need for adventure? Has it been a while since you raided a dungeon? Then we have the club for you. Join other adventurers as we delve through dungeons and slay villainous monsters for fun . For ages 16 and up.

Story Time with Mrs. Donovan— Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 10am.

Technology Help— One-on-one technology help is available by appointment for up to 30 minute sessions. Contact Brian Page at tech@pclibrary.org to schedule your appointment.

Teen Creator Space—We provide the tools, you provide the imagination. A place to make things and hang out with others who enjoy doing the same. Open to ages 12-17.

Teen Gaming Club— Play cards, conquer kingdoms, and outwit friends! Retro video games provided. Open to teens ages 12-17.

Teen Sketch Club— All teens and all abilities welcome! Enjoy sharing sketches and art games.

Twice Told Tales Book Sale— Used book sale hosted by the Putnam County Library Friends. Proceeds benefit the library.

Upper Cumberland Community Meditation Program—It's time to center yourself and bring mindfulness into your life. Join us for a guided meditation every second Wednesday of the month as we explore the inner recesses of our own minds and leave all our stress behind us. You will thank yourself afterwards.

V.I.P. Program— A program that offers art, games, movies, and yoga for all adult patrons with accommodations for those adults with special needs.

Special Events

Amnesty Week, April 10-15—In celebration of National Library Week, patrons are encouraged to bring back their overdue items and late fees will be waived. Fees for **lost or damaged** items **will not** be eligible for amnesty.

Author Talk— Join author Elizabeth Calhoun as she discusses her book *Wine Stories: A Little Sip of Italy*.

Health Talks with Dr. Grisham—Each week will focus on different health topics that will help you improve awareness of your overall health and help you reduce the risk of certain disease. Presented by Dr. Don Grisham of the TN Department of Health, Upper Cumberland Region.

Homeschool Roundtable—A meet up for homeschool families to discuss ideas, challenges, and how the library can support home learning!

National Library Week- Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the country each April. It is a time to celebrate the contributions of our nation's libraries and librarians and to promote library use and support. All types of libraries - school, public, academic and special - participate. April 9-15.

Peace Tree Crafts—The 2017 Mattie's Peace Tree theme is "I am peace... Together, we are peace!" We will be tracing our hands, and decorating them with what peace means to each of us. Photos of the hands and the completed tree will be submitted to the Mattie J. Stepanek foundation. The last time we did a submission, we had the largest group piece in their history! Submission deadline is April 30th, so any hands completed at home must be turned in by April 29th, 2017. For more information, including who Mattie Stepanek was, please check out <http://www.mattieonline.com/>
A bulletin board composed of all the hands created will be on display through May.

Poetry Jam- Come join us for an evening of impromptu poetry and fun. Share the spoken word or sit back and enjoy! Light refreshments will be served.

Story Time with Sassafra— This is your chance to get an up close look at our nocturnal library pet. Learn hedgehog facts, ask questions, and enjoy a hedgehog story! All ages welcome.

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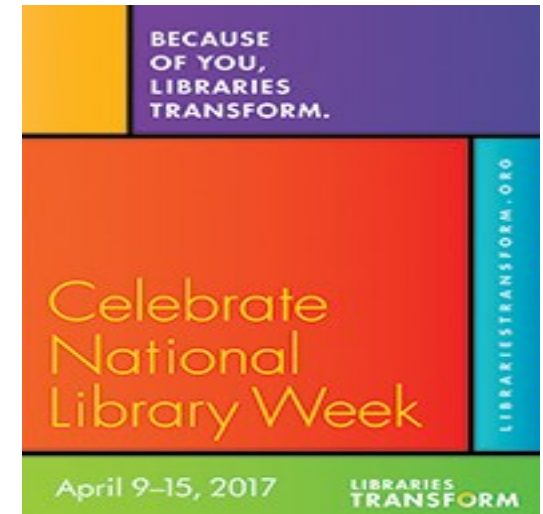
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Putnam County
Library System

the Upper Cumberland Knowledge Network

April 2017 Programs and Events



Putnam County Library Hours

Monday and Tuesday 9am-8pm
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 9am-7pm
Saturday 10am-5pm
Sunday Closed

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	<p>5:30-6:30 Page Turners Book Club</p> <p>5:30-7:30 Family Game Night</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>3:30-5:30pm Teen Gaming Club</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>3:30-4:30pm Kids Draw</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10am V.I.P: Art</p> <p>10am Intro to Computers</p>	<p>10am Read!Play!Grow!</p> <p>3pm First Friday Book Club</p>	<p>10:30am Read w/ a Therapy Dog</p>
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
<p>National Library Week April 9-15 * Amnesty for overdue fines April 10-15</p>	<p>3:30-5pm Lego Club</p> <p>3:30-5pm Chess Club</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10:30 am Preschool Crafts</p> <p>3:30-5:30pm Teen Sketch Club</p> <p>4:30pm PCL Board of Trustees Meeting</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10:30 am Preschool Crafts</p> <p>10am Upper Cumberland Community Meditation</p> <p>3:30-4:30pm Kids Draw</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10:30 am Preschool Crafts</p> <p>10am V.I.P: Movie</p> <p>10am Internet and Email</p> <p>3-5pm Minecraft Builders Guild</p> <p>5-7pm Poetry Jam</p>	<p>Closed in Observation of Good Friday</p>	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	<p>5:30-7:30pm Adult Game Night</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>3:30-5:30pm Teen Gaming Club</p> <p>4-5pm Peace Hands Crafts</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>3:30-4:30pm Kids Draw</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10am V.I.P: Yoga</p> <p>4:30pm Story Time w/ Sassafras</p>	<p>10am Read!Play!Grow!</p> <p>5pm Family Movie Night: Moana (PG)</p>	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	<p>3:30-5pm Lego Club</p> <p>3:30-5pm Chess Club</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10am Homeschool Roundtable</p> <p>3:30-5:30pm Teen Creator Space</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>3:30-4:30pm Kids Draw</p>	<p>10am Story Time</p> <p>10am V.I.P: Games</p> <p>3-5pm Minecraft Builders Guild</p>	<p>10am Health Talk w/ Dr. Grisham</p>	<p>1-3pm Author Talk: Elizabeth Calhoun</p>
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