

Hello one and all!

We love April! It is National Poetry Month and Earth Day is on April 22. April allows for May flowers to come into full spring colors. The library has a spice club starting, a Spring egg hunt, and a poetry night where you can bring a favorite poem to share. April vacation will bring the "Big Games" back. We regularly have new books coming in. Join us whenever you can, request a new book you would like to see, or just browse our shelves.

We look forward to seeing you at the library!

Clai, Claudette, Alexandra, Lydia, and Maddie

April Events

Children/Youth

Spring Egg Hunt, Saturday, April 8 at 10:30 am

We are very excited to host a Spring Egg Hunt at the Library! Children can celebrate the Spring season by searching for prize-filled eggs around the Library grounds. Bring your own basket or bag!

Preschool Storytime, Mondays at 11 am

Join us for stories, songs, movement, and crafts. Designed to boost early literacy and social skills in young children ages 1-5.

Big Games Week, April 24 - 27

Stop by the Library during school vacation week to play oversized games including Jenga and Connect 4!

Middle Grade Book Club, Wednesday, May 3 at 3 pm

This event is open to Middle Grade readers. This month we are reading *A Rover's Story* by Jasmine Warga. Snacks will be provided! If you would like to join, pick up a copy at the front desk!

Adults

Spring Scrapbooking Crop, Saturday, April 1 at 10 am

The Library is hosting its first ever scrapbooking crop. Starting April 1 (no foolin') at 10 am, bring your stuff to create memories or just gather ideas from others. All levels are welcome!

Makers Meeting, Tuesday, April 4, 11 am - 2 pm

The Chesterfield Library will host a monthly Makers Meeting on the first Tuesday of every month. All types of work and experience levels are welcome! Bring your lunch, art, experiences, and ideas!

Spice Club, Monday, April 10 at 6 pm

Join the Friends of the Library for an informal and fun hour presenting spices and recipes. This month we will feature anise and there will be something for you to taste. Join our group to discover a new spice and receive a free spice kit featuring a recipe and spices, herbs, or blends. Check out new cookbooks and recipes or bring a favorite recipe of yours to share!

Poetry Night, Tuesday, April 11 at 5 pm

Join us as we gather at the Library to read aloud some of our favorite poems. Bring your favorite passages or original passages if you would like to participate in a reading! Light refreshments will be provided.

The Knit Chicks, Tuesdays, April 4 and 18 at 1 pm

The Knit Chicks meet on the first and third Tuesday of each month to craft gear for people in the Monadnock region. Crocheters welcome!

Chesterfield Quilting Guild, Monday, April 17 at 1 pm

Our quilting group meets once a month to work on projects and discuss their work. All levels are welcome to join!

Tech Drop-In, Wednesdays at 4 pm

Do you have technology questions or need help with using the internet and online resources such as Libby? Stop by the library during our drop-in hour and let us assist you.

Inquire at the Front Desk for more information on any event. Reach us by phone at (603) 363-4621 or email FrontDesk@ChesterfieldLibrary.org

New This Month!

Here are some new arrivals this month in adult fiction:



We also have lots of new materials for young adults. A small sampling:



Picture books galore! Here are some new ones coming in:

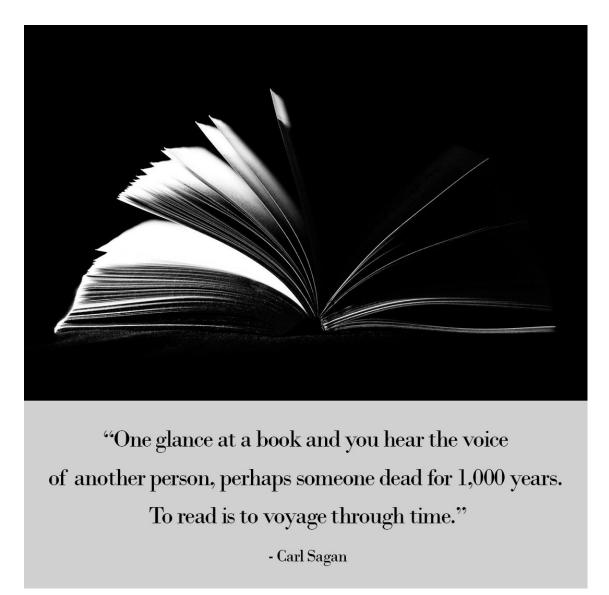


And finally, some new books for middle grades arriving this month:



Friends of the Library

Have you considered volunteering to support the Chesterfield Public Library? Joining the Friends group is a great way to do that. Please visit our <u>website</u> for more information: Want to stay informed of programming and other Friends news? Go to the Friends page on the library's website and <u>sign up for their</u> <u>announcements</u>!



If you are on Facebook, please follow us as the latest info will always be posted <u>here</u>.

Please contact the library if you have questions about any of our programs or if there is something in particular that you would like to borrow from us. Our WiFi password is readingrocks.



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