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Hours:

Monday - Friday: 10:00 am to 6:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday Closed



Upcoming events...

April 5th - Friends' McDonald's Night
with Easter Bunny & Ducky Photos

April 23rd - 29th - National Library Week

View and Chew

This month for View & Chew we are celebrating The Academy Awards by watching Brenden Fraser's Oscar-nominated performance in "The Whale". In this movie, Fraser portrays "A reclusive, morbidly obese English teacher who attempts to reconnect with his estranged teenage daughter." This free showing will be on Thursday, March 16th at the Virginia Theater (119 N. Main St) with doors opening at 5:30 pm and the movie starting at 6 pm. Concessions will be available to purchase. We hope to see you there!



Book Chatters

Book Chatters will be discussing "Take Your Breath Away" by Linwood Barclay on March 28th in the Wolfe Community Room at 6:30 pm. Join us by first reading – "a gripping psychological thriller about a formerly missing woman who has suddenly returned under mysterious circumstances."

The complete list of this year's titles will be available with the Book Chatters' display near the Main Desk and on our website.

McDonald's Night and the Easter Bunny

Join us on Wednesday, April 5th from 5 pm - 8 pm for a Friends of the North Baltimore Library McDonald's Night Fundraiser. A portion of the sales during this time will be donated to the Friends of the North Baltimore Library. Also during this time the Easter Bunny and Ducky will be available for pictures in the McDonald's meeting room. A \$5 donation is suggested for pictures. So take your family out to dinner and get a festive picture all while helping the library.



Winter Reading Wrap-up

As always, we're happy to share that another Winter Reading program has come to an end! A huge Thank You to our sponsors – The Friends of the Library and Amplex Internet for providing all of our prizes and incentives! The six adult winners of our Amplex Internet Swag Bags were: Lily Mier, Alta Gerig, Pat Little, Diane Blake, Amanda Jacobs, and Lori Ruffell. We posted thoughtful ESCAPE questions on Facebook and 3 commentors – Brittany Finsel, Joan Seiler Miller and Gloria West – received gift cards to McDonald's. Of all of the adult recommendations we received, 3 winners – Ken Gerig, Rani Clark & Allyson Smith - won a Marathon or Subway gift card. The Adult Grand Prize of a \$50 Visa gift card went to Christine David. The Teen Grand Prize of a \$50 Amazon gift card went to Jerimiyah Horner. 3 teen winners were selected for sharing recommendations – Sidney Engard, Lilyana Clark & Wiatt Reinhart. They each earned \$10 worth of 3D printed items. For the Children's Program – "Get Your Mitts on a Good Book", 6 children won a new Squishmallow friend – Addilynn McEwen, Olivia Fricker, Addison Mason, Griffin Dennison, Ava Finsel & Wendell Troutner. Elza Smith won the Valentine Candy Heart guessing jar contest. And lastly, was our Children's Grand Prize winner of a \$50 Walmart gift card—Silas Starr!



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March 2023



Children's Events

Preschool Story Times on Tuesdays at 11 am

for children age 1-5 with an adult companion! Join us for books, songs, puppets and more! Celebrate St. Patrick's Day and the start of Spring with us this month plus some other fun themes!

School Age Events for grades K-4 on Wednesdays from 3-3:45 pm

- March 1 - Bingo
- March 8 – Fuse Beads/Craftivity
- March 15 – Legos
- March 22 – Mad Science w/Morgan
- March 29—Air Dry Clay (2 week project)

After School Snacks – Monday through Friday from 2:30-5 pm for all ages!

Bimonthly Children's Craft Kits

- March 6 - 10: Shamrock Bracelet or Necklace
 - March 20 - 24: Spring Craft
- Pick up a kit to create at home, while supplies last!

Special Events

J4T – Just for Teens (grades 5-12)

Thursday, March 23rd from 3:30 pm - 5 pm
 Wacky Science Experiments Game
 A fun filled event with a chance to win prizes and of course yummy snacks to eat.

Mini-Escapes continue

Monday Mornings at 11 am in the Wolfe Community Room




March 6th - "Cooking in a Mug"- simple & tasty treats with Sue Miklovic from WC Extension Office.

March 13th - Becky share St. Patrick's Day craft projects sponsored by Briar Hill Health Campus.

March 20th - Mike McMasters with the Wood County Museum presents "The Irish Invasion of Canada: 1866."

March 27th with the Wood County Park District.

We will have coffee, tea, and snacks available, too! Pick up a friend and escape the house each week!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Bingo 3 pm	2	3	4
5	6 Cooking in a Mug 11 am	7 Preschool Story Time 11 am	8 Fuse Beads / Craftivity 3 pm	9	10	11
12	13 St. Patrick's Day Craft 11 am Board Meeting 5:45 pm	14 Preschool Story Time 11 am	15 Legos 3 pm	16 View & Chew Open at 5:30 pm Movie at 6 pm	17 	18
19 	20 Wood Co. Museum 11 am	21 Preschool Story Time 11 am	22 Mad Science w/ Morgan 3 pm	23 Just4Teens 3:30 - 5 pm	24	25
26 	27 Wood Co. Parks 11 am	28 Preschool ST 11 am Book Chatters 6:30 pm	29 Air Dry Clay 3 pm (2 week project)	30	31	