

# Children's & Family Programs

## Columbia County/Evans Library

### Library Card Guessing Game

Anytime in August • 10:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Drop by the the children's desk to participate. Winner takes home a prize! Grade Pre-K - 5th.

### Cover the Library with Kindness

Anytime in August • 10:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Drop by the children's desk to pick up a kindness card! Write a sweet message or encouraging note and hide it inside of a book for someone else to find!

### Arts & Crafts Buffet

Wednesday, August 7 • 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
Drop in to create artwork! Dress for a mess. Ages 3+ recommended.

### Morris Museum of Art

Monday, August 19 • 11:00 am  
Our special guest from the Morris Museum will join us for a book reading and art session for preschoolers!

### Baby Explorers

Tuesday, August 20 • 10:15 - 11:45 am  
Drop in with your little explorers for this sensory playtime for babies and toddlers!

### Jr. Bugstopper School

Thursday, August 22 • 4:30 pm  
Join an entomologist from Advanced Services to learn about bugs! This program is brought to you in partnership with Advanced Services and CSRAkids.com.

### Child Enrichment resumes August 27:

- **Baby & Me: Crawlers & Pre-walkers (0-12 months)**
  - Tuesdays • 10:15 am\*
- **Baby & Me: Walkers (0-23 months)**
  - Tuesdays • 11:00 am\*
  - Wednesdays • 10:15 am & 11:00 am\*
- **Two-dlers (2 year olds)**
  - Monday, Thursday, & Friday • 10:15 am
- **Child Enrichment: Tues • 4:15 pm & Weds • 10:30 am**
  - Monday, Thursday, & Friday • 11:00 am
- **All Ages Play**
  - Thursday • 4:30 pm

All classes will be held in the Children's Classroom  
\*Baby & Me class registration will now be held each week for the class the following week. You will no longer be able to register for multiple classes at once.  
Registration is required for Baby & Me and Crawlers only.

## Euchee Creek Library

### Child Enrichment resumes August 6:

- **Baby & Me: Tues • 10:30 am**  
Children ages 2 years old and younger are invited to bring their adult to this program filled with singing, stories, fingerplays, and lots of interaction!
- **Child Enrichment: Tues • 4:15 pm & Weds • 10:30 am**  
Stories, songs, dancing, and the coolest crafts around.

### Super Novas Science Club

Monday, August 5 • 4:30 pm  
We are making homemade ice cream! Everyone can make their individual serving of ice cream. Bring toppings of your choice! Registration is required.

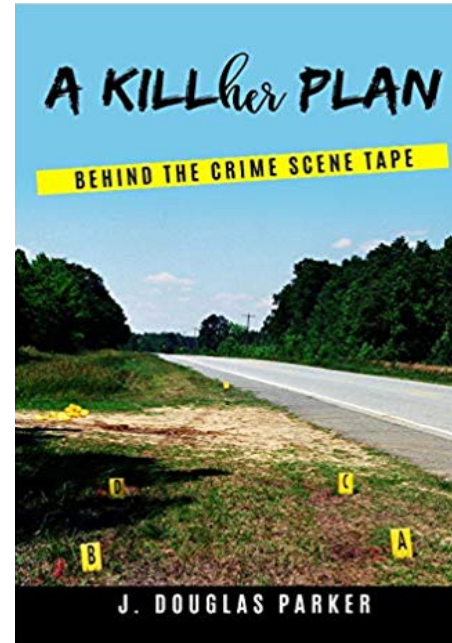
### Family Movie Night

Monday, August 12 • 5:30 pm  
This month's movie is "Dumbo" (2019). Light snacks and no registration required.

## Harlem Library

### Child Enrichment

Tuesdays at 10:30 am  
Join us for a fun hour of stories, songs, and, crafts!

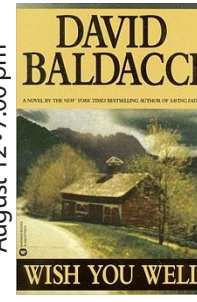


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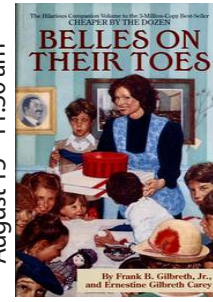
## BOOK DISCUSSIONS



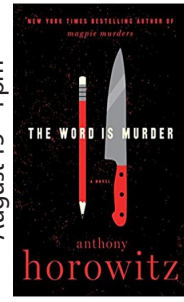
Pub Fiction @ Pizza Central  
August 12 • 7:00 pm



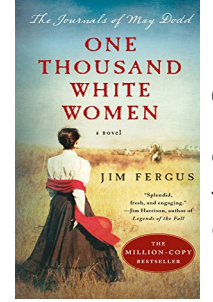
Brown Bag Book Discussion  
August 15 • 11:30 am



Harlem Book Club  
August 15 • 4 pm



Monday Night  
Book Discussion  
August 19 • 6:30 pm



On the Same Page  
Book Club @ Euchee Creek  
August 22 • 10:30 am

# Page Turner

GREATER CLARKS HILL REGIONAL LIBRARIES • BOOKS ARE JUST THE BEGINNING  
Columbia County Library 706-863-1946 • Euchee Creek Library 706-556-0594 • Harlem Library 706-650-5009  
Lincoln County Library 706-359-4014 • Warren County Library 706-465-2656 • Burke County Library 706-554-3277  
Sardis Library 478-569-4866 • Midville Library 478-589-7825

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We now have iPads available for check out at all three libraries! See your library circulation desk for iPads and more information.

## MEET THE LIBRARY!



**Meet Mary Lin Maner**  
Mary Lin is the Columbia County Library Manager and the GCHRL Director. She has worked in the library for 9 years. Her favorite things about working here are the patrons and the staff. Her favorite book is *The Little Engine That Could*; it has always been her favorite since childhood. Mary Lin says "I think I can, I think I can, keeps me going even during tough times".

ESL Registration is Tuesday, August 27, from 10:15 am to 12 pm



The Libraries will be closed August 31 - September 2 for Labor Day. Bookdrops will be locked to prevent overflowing.

Find more programs, resources, and information online at [GCHRL.org](http://GCHRL.org). All programs are subject to change. Please contact your local branch for details.



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Check out what's going on in August at your Libraries!

All programs are drop-in except where noted as "Registration Required." For drop-in programs, space is limited to a first-come, first-served basis.

## Adult Programs

### Columbia County/Evans Library

#### Adult Walk-In Guitar Lessons

Thursday, August 1 & 15 • 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Always wanted to play guitar? Come for free basic lessons for adults. No registration necessary. Call 706-447-7667 for more info.

#### Fiber Arts Craft & Chat

Thursday, August 1 & 15 • 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
This group meets in the café area and is open to all crafters: crochet, knit, loom, cross stitch, etc. This low-key crafting meet-up is open to people who want to learn as well as those already crafty.



#### Adult Guitar Club

Thursday, August 1 & 15 • 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Experienced adult players, this is a chance to get together with other adult guitar players to swap tips and songs. Call 706-447-7667 for more info.

#### Pinochle

Mondays, August 5 & 19 • 2:00 - 5:00 pm  
Come join this card playing group in Classroom A upstairs.

#### Doodle Hour-Adult Coloring

Mon, August 5 • 6:30 pm & Wed, August 7 • 12:00 pm  
Coloring books are perfect for stressed out adults. You've seen the trend, now try it!

#### Pod Squad Discussion

Thursday, August 8 • 12:00 pm  
This month's podcast is "Dr. Death". Come chat with us about it.

#### Canasta

Thursdays, August 8 & 22 • 1:30 - 3:30 pm  
Come join this card playing group in Classroom A upstairs.

#### Estate Planning & Elder Care

Friday, August 9 • 11:00 am  
Hear legal strategies to protect your family and estate including: wills & trusts, estate planning, probate avoidance, powers of attorney, Medicaid and VA planning, special needs planning and business law. Call 706-863-1946, ext. 4 to register.

#### CCO Genealogy Club

Monday, August 12 • 3:00 pm  
Whether you're a genealogical expert or just learning about your roots, this is the group for you.

#### Pub Fiction Book Club

Monday, August 12 • 7:00 pm • Pizza Central, Evans  
Join us at Pizza Central in Evans for this month's book selection, *The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy* by Douglas Adams.

#### Computer Boot Camp Part 1

Wednesday, August 14 • 10:00 am - 3:30 pm  
Windows - Learn the basics of Windows including parts of the computer, using the mouse, saving to a USB Flash drive, and basic computer maintenance. Call 706-863-1946, ext. 4 to register.

#### Brown Bag Book Discussion

Thursday, August 15 • 11:30 am  
This lunchtime book club meets in Classroom A upstairs. This month's book selection is *Wish You Well* by David Baldacci.

#### Score Workshop Series

Thursday, August 15 • 1:00 - 3:00 pm  
Score Workshop Series - Forming a Non-Profit Organization. These workshops will introduce a variety of topics pertinent to the small business owner. Don't miss them! Register at [greateraiken.score.org](http://greateraiken.score.org).

#### FirstOneStep07

Thursday, August 15 • 6:00 pm  
Support group for new amputees and their family members to connect with others who have overcome similar challenges.

#### AARP Driver Safety Class I

Monday, August 19 • 1:00 - 4:30 pm

#### AARP Driver Safety Class II

Thursday, August 22 • 1:00 - 4:30 pm  
Open to those over 25. You may receive a possible discount on your car insurance. Please check with your agent for discount qualifications. Must register with AARP by calling 706-228-4467 after 7:00 pm. There is a fee for the required workbook.

#### Monday Night Book Discussion

Monday, August 19 • 6:30 pm  
This month's book selection is *The Word is Murder* by Anthony Horowitz.

#### Computer Book Camp Part II

Wednesday, August 21 • 10:00 am - 3:30 pm  
Internet - Learn the basics of using the internet including web sites and browsers, instruction on what they are and how to use search engines and keeping yourself safe on the internet. Call 706-863-1946, ext 4 to register.



## English As a Second Language

#### ESL Registration

Tuesday, August 27 • 10:15 am - 12:00 pm  
Register for our free ESL classes, which are open to adults whose first language is not English. Email [7022esl@gmail.com](mailto:7022esl@gmail.com) for more info.

#### Author Visit: J. Douglas Parker

Thursday, August 29 • 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm  
Retired GBI Agent J. Douglas Parker will be here to talk about his book *A Killher Plan: Behind The Crime Scene Tape*. This is a local true crime story from Jenkins County about the death of Kristia Kehr Anderson who was ambushed and murdered late one night while driving home from work.

### Euchee Creek Library

#### Beginner Crochet

Wednesday, August 7 & 21 • 1:30 pm  
Fun and informal. Supplies provided. No registration required.

#### Sewing for Beginners

Thursday, August 8 • 10:30 am - 12:30 pm  
This free, one-on-one class is perfect for learning basic sewing skills. Bring 1 yard of solid-colored fabric. Registration is required - space is limited.

#### Columbia County Genealogical Society

Thursday, August 8 • 1:00 pm  
Genealogy club for all ages. No registration required.

#### TiLT Together Parenting Group

Saturday, August 10 • 11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
A group for parents raising children with ADHD, dyslexia, Asperger's, giftedness, etc. based on Deborah Reber's book, *Differently Wired*. Having read this book is not required, and all interested are welcome to attend.

#### Fiber Arts Craft & Chat

Wednesday, August 14 & 28 • 2:00 pm  
Bring your own projects- crochet, knit, loom, cross stitch, etc. and socialize with others.

#### Adult Time Out

Thursday, August 15 • 11:00 am  
Take a much-needed "time out" and make a craft! This month's craft project is TBA. \* Registration is required.

#### Library iPad App Class

Friday, August 16 • 10:00 am  
Learn how to use the many digital resources our library system offers with our new iPads!

## Teen Programs

### Columbia County/Evans Library

#### Just Dance Party

Thursday, August 1 • 3:00 - 5:00 pm  
Get your groove on and join us for a Just Dance party! Pick your favorite songs and learn how to dance along! Complimentary refreshments will be provided. Ages 11-18.

#### Young Makers Program

Monday, August 5 • 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Geared especially for children ages 8-12, kids will learn about science, engineering, and design with hands-on experiences. Meets in Classroom D upstairs.

#### Tabletop Gaming Night

Tuesday, August 6 • 5:00 - 8:00 pm  
Looking for a group to play with, or just need a place for your group to meet? Join us for some casual fun. Ages 13+.

#### Teen Advisory Board

Wednesday August 7 • 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Help us decide what programs to offer this year while getting volunteer credit. Ages 11-18. Meets in Classroom D upstairs.

#### Teen Drawing Club

Thursday, August 8 • 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Bring your sketchbook or drawing gadgets in for an afternoon of creativity. Feel free to work on your own projects or participate in group activities while meeting other artists in the area. Ages 13-18.

### On The Same Page Book Club

Thursday, August 22 • 10:30 am  
This month's novel is *One Thousand White Women* by Jim Fergus. You'll love this book if you're a history buff like some of our members. This historical fiction is sure to inspire a lively discussion.

### Gadget Help with Alex

Friday, August 23 • 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Get one-on-one help with your electronic gadgets. First come, first serve; no appointment necessary.

### Harlem Library

#### Doodle Hour

Monday, August 5 • 2:00 pm  
Join us for an enjoyable hour of coloring and relaxing!

#### Crochet Class

Thursday, August 8 & 22 • 2:00 pm  
Join us for a fun hour of crocheting! This class is in 2 sessions, and you must register for both.

#### Open Sewing

Tuesday, August 13 & 27 • 3:00 pm  
Bring your projects and use our machines to finish them! Registration required.

#### Harlem Book Club

Thursday, August 15 • 4:00 pm  
Join us for Book Club. We will be discussing *Belles on Their Toes* by Frank B. Gilbreth.

#### Bingo for Books

Friday, August 16 • 10:00 am  
Join us for Bingo, prizes, and refreshments! Registration required.

#### Crafternoon

Wednesday, August 21 • 1:00 pm  
Join us for a fun hour of crafting! - Registration required.

### Beginner's Guitar Class

Tuesday, August 13 • 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
This guitar class is for ages 11-18. If you do not have your own guitar, we have up to 6 guitars for class use. Call 706-863-1946 ext 4 to register.

### Makerspace- Cosplay Edition

Thursday, August 15 • 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Drop by the library and create something with our maker technology collection. We have a 3D printer, graphics tablets, recording equipment, sewing machines, laptops, and more! In this special cosplay makerspace, we'll also have some cosplay-inspired projects available. Ages 13+.

### Teen Guitar Club

Tuesday, August 27 • 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Meet to discuss and share guitar tips, techniques, advice, etc. Ages 11 to 18.

### Euchee Creek Library

#### YA Fandom Club

Monday, August 5 • 3:30 pm  
Buttons - Use our button makers to make something customized to you. We'll use printed images or your tiny pieces of art.

#### Teen Graphic Novel Club

Tuesday, August 6 • 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm  
Bring your favorite graphic novel or manga to discuss with other sequential art fans AND create your own comic page!

#### Minecraft Club

Saturday, August 10 • 11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Bring your own device or laptop with Minecraft already loaded.