# Clubs

#### **Adult Guitar Club**

**Columbia County Library** 

Tuesday, June 6 & 20 • 5:30 - 7:30 pm • Ages 13+ 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

#### Minecraft Club

**Grovetown Library** 

Saturday, June 10 • 11 am Play Minecraft with other gamers! Bring your own device or laptop with Minecraft already loaded.

#### **CCO Genealogy Club**

**Columbia County Library** Monday, June 12 • 10 am • Ages 16+ • Classroom B

Whether you're a genealogical expert or just learning about your roots, this is the group for you.

#### **Cosplay Club**

**Columbia County Library** 

Monday, June 26 • 6 - 7 pm • Ages 11+ • Classroom D Join us for an hour of cosplay! Bring a project you have been working on and sit with us to create and chat!

#### **Board Game Club**

**Grovetown Library** 

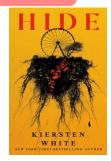
Tuesday, June 27 • 5:30 pm • Ages 11+ • Classroom D Game On! Come join us in learning and playing chess, Monopoly, and other board games. For all ages!



# **Book Discussion**

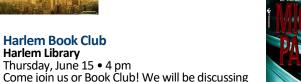
#### **Pub Fiction Book Club Columbia County Library**

Monday, June 12 • 7:00 pm • Pizza Central Join us at Pizza Central in Evans for this month's book selection, Hide by Kiersten White.



#### **Brown Bag Book Discussion Columbia County Library**

Thursday, June 15 • 11:30 am This lunchtime book club meets every third Thursday of the month June's selection is The Awakening by Nora Roberts.





# **Harlem Library**

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Come join us or Book Club! We will be discussing Silent Treatment by Michael Palmer.

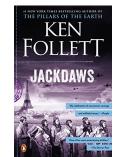


#### We Love 'YA Book Club **Columbia County Library**

Thursday, June 15 • 5 pm • Ages 13+ Join us at Goat Kick Coffee to talk about YA books. This month's YA book choice will be: The Weight of Blood by Tiffany D. Jackson.

#### **Monday Night Book Discussion** Columbia County Library

Monday, June 19 • 6:30 pm This evening book club meets every third Monday of the month. June's book selection is Jackdaws by Ken Follett.



#### On the Same Page Book Club **Grovetown Library**

Thursday, June 22 • 10:30 am For June we will be reading 2 books: Roxy by Jarrod Shusterman and Neal Shusterman and Counterfeit by Kristin Chen.

# **Columbia County Library**

7022 Evans Town Center Blvd, Evans, GA 30809

706-863-1946



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## **Grovetown Library**

105 Old Wrightsboro Rd, Grovetown, GA 30813

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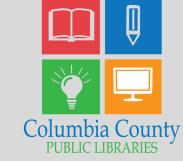
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# **Harlem Library**

145 N Louisville St, Harlem, GA 30814

706-650-5009





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**June 2023** 

# IN THE STACKS

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# **EVANS, GROVETOWN & HARLEM LIBRARIES WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7.5:30 - 7:30 PM**

Come support the Friends of the Library with our Second Annual Putt-Putt in the Stacks Fundraiser.

The Evans branch will have a 12-hole course, while the Grovetown and Harlem branches will have 6-hole courses.

The cost is \$5 per person for the Evans branch and \$3 per person for the Grovetown and Harlem branches with all money raised going to the Friends of the Columbia County Libraries.

No registration required.

Please bring your own putter & ball if you are able.

We'll see you on the course!









# Adult

#### Sip & Sketch

Columbia County Library

Monday, June 5 • 6:30 pm • Ages 18+ Sip mocktails and make art with us!

#### **Coloring for Adults**

**Grovetown Library** 

Monday, June 12 • 10 am

Join us for our new Coloring Club for Adults and discover the stressrelieving benefits of coloring! We provide soothing music, coloring books, markers, colored pencils, and crayons. Drop-in anytime between 10 am and 2 pm. No registration required.

#### **AARP Defensive Driving**

**Columbia County Library** 

Wednesday, June 14 • 9 am

Take the AARP Smart Driver™ classroom course and you could save on your car insurance! Refresh your driving skills and knowledge of the rules of the road. Call 706-447-7660 for more information & to register.

# Teen

#### **Teen Advisory Board Columbia County Library**

Thursday, June 1 • 4 - 5 pm • Ages 11-18 • Classroom D

Drop by Classroom D to help us make our YA programs better. On this month's agenda: Prep for Putt-Putt.

#### **Teen Drawing Club**

**Columbia County Library** 

Thursday, June 8 • 4 - 5 pm • Ages 11-18 • Meeting Room Grab your sketchbook or drawing gadgets 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.

#### We've Got Game

**Columbia County Library** 

Monday, June 12 • 12 - 1:30 pm • Ages 13+

Bored with nothing to do? Stop by and play a game with other teens at the library! This month's game will be: Cards Against Humanity: Family

#### **Cosplay Corner**

**Grovetown Library** 

Saturday, June 24 • 3 pm • Ages 13-18

Cosplay craft meetup. Work on your costume/prop. Bring your own materials. No heat or resin.

#### **Teen Movie Night**

**Grovetown Library** 

Monday, June 26 • 5:30 pm • Ages 11-18

Join us for a Teen Movie Night! We are watching Yu-Gi-Oh! Popcorn and lemonade will be provided.

# Children's

**Columbia County Library** 

Friday, June 2 • 11 am • Rising Kindergarteners • Classrooms B & C Kinderplay is a casual program intended to facilitate and foster the development of early literacy skills through play. Families with children ages 3-6 are welcome. The theme of this play session is dramatic play. Baby corner available for families with younger siblings. Tickets available at the ticket window 30 minutes prior to program. .

#### **Grab & Go Crafts**

**Harlem Library** 

Saturday, June 3, 10, 17 & 24 • 10 am • Ages 2-8 Stop by the library to pick up a craft to go! While supplies last.

#### Storytime Ages 0-2 **Columbia County Library**

June 6 - July 14

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursdays • 10:15 am

Learn some rhymes and discover the best board books to read to your baby! First come, first serve tickets available at the ticket window when we open. Patrons must be present to receive tickets.

#### **Wigglers and Jigglers Baby Storytime**

**Grovetown Library** 

Tuesdays • 10:30 am • Ages 0-2

All babies can bring their adult to a special story time with stories, singing, and lots of interaction!

#### **Storytime Ages 3-5**

#### **Columbia County Library**

June 6 - July 14

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursdays • 11 am

Learn new and exciting ways to engage in early literacy activities with your preschooler! First come, first serve tickets available at the Children's Desk 30 minutes before program begins. Patrons must be present to receive tickets.

#### Magician Ventriloquist Mr. Keith Karnok

Harlem Library

Tuesday, June 6 • 10:30 am

**Grovetown Library** 

Tuesday, June 6 • 2:30 pm

**Columbia County Library** 

Tuesday, June 6 • 6 pm • Hardin Auditorium

Mr. Keith the Magic Man, along with his trusty sidekick Vern, will be performing a magic and ventriloquism reading show, "Magical Acts of Kindness."

#### **Book Buddies Storytime**

**Grovetown Library** 

Wednesdays • 10:30 am • Ages 3-6

Join us for a time of stories, songs, finger plays, crafts and lots of interaction!

#### **Therapy Dogs**

**Columbia County Library** 

Wednesday, June 7 • 2 pm

Come pet a therapy dog and learn how to care properly for our furry

#### **Bird Rescue with Honey**

**Grovetown Library** 

Tuesday, June 13 • 2:30 pm

Join us for some close up learning about parrots with the Feathered Friends Forever Rescue.

#### **Kids Self Defense**

Harlem Library

Wednesday, June 14 • 10:30 am

Come learn kids self defense with the Columbia County Sheriffs office!

#### Jeffini the Magician

Harlem Library

Tuesday, June 20 • 10:30 am

Grovetown Library
Tuesday, June 20 • 2:30 pm

**Columbia County Library** 

Tuesday, June 20 • 6 pm • Hardin Auditorium

Jeffini uses magic & puppets to encourage kids to read & ride the **TEAM** train, because Together Everyone Achieves Magic!

#### Savannah River Ecology Lab (SREL)

Harlem Library
Tuesday, June 27 • 10:30 am

**Grovetown Library** 

Tuesday, June 27 • 2:30 pm

SREL will be visiting with their animal ambassadors. We will learn about these regional animals, their habitats and conservation.

#### **Storytime with the Bundt Fairy**

Columbia County Library

Wednesday, June 28 • 2 pm

Join the Bundt Fairy from Nothing Bundt Cakes for a fun story time!

# All Ages

#### **Summer Movie Series**

Columbia County Library • Hardin Auditorium

Mamma Mia! - Wednesday, June 7 • 2 pm

*Toy Story* - Wednesday, June 14 • 2 pm

Puss in Boots: The Last Wish - Wednesday, June 21 • 2 pm Spiderman: Into the Spiderverse - Wednesday, June 28 • 2 pm

We'll be showing a different movie every Wednesday during Summer Learning. Get a break from the afternoon heat with a free movie. Only bottled water is permitted in the theater.

#### **Lego Club with Alex**

Harlem Library

Thursday, June 15 • 5:30 pm

Let's build! Join us for activities with everyone's favorite building block!

#### **Family Movie Night**

**Grovetown Library** 

Monday, June 19 • 5:30 pm

Enjoy a free movie screening of the film Minions: The Rise of Gru with your family at the library! Popcorn and lemonade will be provided. Feel free to bring your blanket to hang out on the floor.

# **Crafts & Hobbies**

#### Sassy Stitchers

Columbia County Library

Thursdays • 10 am - 12 pm • Ages 13+ • Meeting Room A knit and crochet group who share patterns and advice with each other. All skill levels are welcome!

#### Hook, Yarn, & Crochet

**Grovetown Library** 

Thursday, June 1 • 10:30 am & Thursday, June 15 • 1 pm Learn to crochet or bring your own project in for an afternoon of yarn-tastic fun!

#### **Sewing for Beginners**

**Grovetown Library** 

Thursday, June 1, 8 & 15 • Ages 8+ • 11 am

Learn basic sewing skills to make your own projects! Limited number of sewing machines are provided.

#### **Craft Club with Jillian & Elizabeth**

**Columbia County Library** 

Thursday, June 1 • 5:30 - 6:30 pm • Ages 13+ • Meeting Room Join us for an hour of craftiness! Bring a project you have been working on and sit with us to craft and chat!

#### **Guitar Lessons**

**Columbia County Library** 

Tuesday, June 6 & 20 • 3 pm • Ages 16+ • Classroom A Guitar lessons are back! Sharpen your skills or get started from scratch.

These are group lessons, but our instructor can work with all skill levels.

#### **Crochet Class**

**Harlem Library** 

Thursday, June 8 & 22 • 2 pm • Ages 13+ Join us for a fun afternoon of crocheting! Registration required.

#### Crafternoon

**Grovetown Library** 

Thursday, June 8 • 12 pm • Ages 18+

Please join us for a fun craft! We are making a Patriotic Tic-Tac-Toe game. Supplies are provided.

### **Genealogy 101**

**Columbia County Library** 

Friday, June 9 • 10 am • Ages 16+

Beginning genealogists, learn the basics and discover what genealogical resources are available at the Evans Library. Registration Required

#### **Open Sewing** Harlem Library

Friday, June 13 • 2:30 pm • Ages 13+

Bring your projects and use our machines to finish them! Registration

# **Technology**

#### **Young Makers**

Columbia County Library

Monday, June 5 & 19 • 4 - 5:30 pm • Ages 8-12 • Classrooms B&C This Makerspace program is geared especially for children ages 8-12. Kids will learn about science, engineering, and design with hands-on experi-

#### Minecraft Coding Camp with Alex

Columbia County Library

Tuesdays • 10:30 am • Áges 8+ • Classroom B Thursdays • 1:30 pm • Ages 8+ • Classroom B

For our Minecraft courses Alex will use block code and Python to teach a fun lesson. This course will have a new lesson each week, but the same class will be taught on both Tuesday and Thursday.

#### Raspberry Pi Coding with Alex

**Columbia County Library** 

Tuesdays • 1:30 pm • Ages 8+ • Classroom B

Learn the basics of buttons and wiring physical computing projects with the Raspberry Pi!

#### **Scratch & Python Coding Camp**

Grovetown Library

Friday, June 16 & 23 • 10 am & 1:30 pm • Ages 8+ Harlem Library

Monday, June 19 & 26 • 10 am & 1:30 pm • Ages 8+ Come have fun learning basic coding and animation. Alex will be teaching Scratch coding in the morning and Python in the afternoon.

#### Makerspace

**Columbia County Library** 

Saturday, June 10 • 11 am – 12:30 pm • Ages 13+ • Classrooms B&C Thursday, June 22 • 4 - 5:30 pm • Ages 13+ • Classrooms B&C 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!

# **Games**

Canasta

**Columbia County Library** 

Thursdays • 1 - 3 pm • Classroom A Come learn to play this classic game or participate in the fun.

#### **Mexican Train Dominoes**

**Columbia County Library** 

Friday, June 2 & 16 • 1 - 4 pm • Classroom A Mexican Train is a modern version of Dominoes, playable by nearly

#### anyone, anywhere. Come join in on the Friday fun. **Canasta - Hand & Foot**

**Columbia County Library** Monday, June 5 & 19 • 1 - 4 pm • Classroom A

#### Let's Play Mah-jongg **Columbia County Library**

Friday, June 9 & 23 • 12 - 3 pm • Classroom A Mah-jongg is an exciting ancient tile-based game. Beginner and experi-

#### enced players come join us in this game of skill, strategy, and luck. **Library Chess Tournament With Alex**

**Columbia County Library** Monday, June 12 • 4:30 pm • Classroom A

Let's see what you've got! Come participate in a fun chess tournament. Prizes will be awarded to our winners.

Canasta has expanded! Come learn to play or join in on the fun.