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Online Summer Reading Clubs for Everyone *Track your reading progress through the library's website.* www.cumberland.lib.nc.us

Children: “Dig Into Reading” Summer Reading Club! Go online to track your time spent reading or having someone read to you; attending fun story programs counts toward your time reading. Earn a prize for every four hours that you read.

Teens 12 - 18 years old: Go “Beneath the Surface” with programs on writing, crafts, movies, anime, and gaming. Track your progress on your online Reader's Log. Read five books to earn a messenger bag and be automatically entered for a chance to win gift cards. Read five more books to receive a puzzle pen.

Adults: Read five books and complete an online Reader's Log to receive an insulated tumbler and be automatically entered for the gift card drawing.

Claim your prizes at any library location. All giveaways are limited to one per person while supplies last. Names of gift card winners will be posted on the library's website. Winners have two weeks to pick up their gift card.

June Events at Your Library

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-6 Years

Saturday, June 1

9:30 a.m. for ages 2-4

10:30 a.m. for ages 5-6

(Cape Fear Botanical Garden 486-0221 ext. 27)

Nature Tales at Cape Fear Botanical Garden

A FREE, preschool natural science-themed story and craft time presented at Cape Fear Botanical Garden, 536 N. Eastern Blvd., Fayetteville, and co-sponsored by the library. Ages 2-6 welcome! This month's theme is *Leaf Dance*. Registration is required by calling 486-0221 ext. 27.

www.capefearbg.org.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Saturday, June 1

10:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

It's Never Too Late to Get Into Shape

Join us as Robin Sledge from Better Health of Cumberland County demonstrates and talks about the top five exercises that work along with healthy eating habits. Dress informally so you are ready to move. Kids are welcome- the earlier in life the better to start those healthy lifelong musts.

Event Type: Movie; **Age Group:** Adult

Sunday, June 2

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Afternoon Movie

Enjoy a few hours of free entertainment by watching a crowd pleasing movie. Call 483-7727 for title and rating.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Monday, June 3

9:00 a.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Job Searching Skills

Instructors from Fayetteville Technical Community College Human Resource Development provide instruction on job searching, interviewing skills, resume building and developing career soft skills.

Event Type: Outside - Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Monday, June 3

10:00 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Linden Story Time

A story time in the town of Linden held at Parker's Grove Methodist Church at 4487 Linden Road. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Monday, June 3

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Tween Movie Afternoon

Young Stanley Yelnats finds himself at Camp Green Lake, where digging a hole a day keeps the warden at bay. PG. 9-12 years.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Monday, June 3

6:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Anime East Club

Teens, talk about your favorite series and characters, or share your artwork and fan fiction. Bring your friends and meet other teens who enjoy the stories, art, and style of Japanese animation and comics. Drawing supplies and refreshments are available.

Event Type: Family Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Monday, June 3

6:00 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Family Movie Night

Bring snacks and enjoy a family-oriented movie. Surrounded by an army of tireless, little yellow minions, we discover Gru planning the biggest heist in the history of the world. He is going to steal the moon. Armed with his arsenal of shrink rays, freeze rays and battle-ready vehicles for land and air, he vanquishes all who stand in his way— until the day he encounters the immense will of three orphaned girls who look at him and see something that no one else has ever seen: a potential Dad. PG.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Monday, June 3

6:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

¶ 3: Read It, Write It, Share It

Join us for ¶3, a writing workshop just for teens. Try one of the writing prompts or creative challenges; get information to improve your skills, enter contests, or bring a selection of something you're working on to share with the group. All types of teen writers and artists are welcome.

Event Type: Family Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Monday, June 3

6:30 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Finding Fun in Greater Fayetteville

Find entertaining ways to spend your free time this summer. Chloe Ice, Visitor Center Coordinator for the Fayetteville Area Convention and Visitors Bureau, helps you discover all the fun our community offers.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 4

9:00 a.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Job Searching Skills

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Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-6 Years

Tuesday, June 4

9:30 a.m. for ages 2-4

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(Cape Fear Botanical Garden 486-0221 ext. 27)

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Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 4

10:00 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Cork Jewelry

Adults are invited to learn how to make a beautiful cork necklace to take home. Keep it for yourself, or give it as a gift for your loved ones! Materials are provided. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Tuesday, June 4

10:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

It's a Bee Bonanza and Puppet Show!

Enjoy stories, songs and a puppet show. Registration is required. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Tuesday, June 4

1:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Not Just Story Time

Gaming, crafts, LEGOs and stories of all kinds. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 4

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Hope Mills Anime Club

Watch anime! Join other teens who enjoy anime and manga. Read new magazines and enjoy free refreshments brought to you by the Friends of the Library.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Tuesday, June 4

3:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

TerrificTuesday Theatre

A family-friendly movie for all ages.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 4

4:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Anime North

Bring your friends and meet other teens who enjoy the stories, art, and style of Japanese animation and comics. Drawing supplies and refreshments are available.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 4

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Teen Gaming

Get your game on! Teens, grades 6-12, join us for an afternoon of video games, board games, and other fun activities.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 4

7:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Author Book Talk– Adewunmi Lewis

Please join Adewunmi Lewis as she speaks about her recently released book *Nine Skills From the Book of Ruth*. Her book identifies and describes the value and steps for developing nine attributes demonstrated by Ruth, Naomi, and Boaz in the biblical book of Ruth, as they faced challenges and defining moments in their lives. The actions and attributes of these three major characters are classified into nine different non-technical "skills," which helped them face challenges such as loss and change. These attributes also led them to make God-inspired decisions at critical moments of their lives.

Mrs. Lewis is a professional leadership and management skills trainer who holds a Master's degree in Human Resource Management from the London School of Economics and Political Science (University of London), England. She is a certified adult learning facilitator with a variety of trainer's certifications. During her twenty-nine year experience as a human resource professional in banking, manufacturing, academic, and government agencies, she has presented leadership and management topics to thousands of professionals locally and internationally, including presentations as a subject matter expert to members of the American Society of Training and Development and other professional groups.

Mrs. Lewis lives in Fayetteville, N.C. with her husband of over 25 years, Toyin, and they are blessed with three sons aged 24, 22 and 13.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 4

7:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

The Americans Who Fought the Korean War

Join Melinda Pash, author of *In the Shadow of the Greatest Generation: The Americans Who Fought in the Korean War*. Pash's love of history started early. One of her first memories is of news footage of the fall of Saigon when her father said, "Watch this, this is history being made." When she entered graduate school, a chance encounter with a group of wonderful Korean War veterans made her take a closer look at "The Forgotten War" and the men and women who served in Korea.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 5

9:00 a.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Job Searching Skills

Instructors from Fayetteville Technical Community College Human Resource Development provide instruction on job searching, interviewing skills, resume building and developing career soft skills.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 5

1:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

So You Want to Be a Paleontologist

Dig into the career of a Paleontologist and practice finding treasures in our own dig site. Registration is required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 5

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Game Day

Video games and board games. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 5

3:30 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Get up and Move With ZUMBA!

Dance and get fit at the Bordeaux Branch library with Zumba Instructor Kari Neal. Zumba uses Latin dance rhythms and moves to make getting in shape fun. Please bring water, comfortable clothing and shoes.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 5

3:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Wacky Wednesday

Games, crafts and stories galore! Grades K-5.

Event Type: Computer Class; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 5

4:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Excel 101

Learn the basics of creating and using spreadsheets in Excel, and how to use common formulas. Knowledge of keyboard and mouse use is necessary. Registration is required.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 6

9:00 a.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Job Searching Skills

Instructors from Fayetteville Technical Community College Human Resource Development provide instruction on job searching, interviewing skills, resume building and developing career soft skills.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 6

10:00 a.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Intermediate Word

Explore more of the world of word processing in Microsoft Word, such as further formatting options and the use of tables. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Thursday, June 6

11:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Down the Bunny Hole

Songs, stories and a craft. Registration is required. All ages.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 6

6:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Write On, Right Now

Welcome all writers! At 6:30 there is a short timed writing prompt, or skip the timed writing and join us at 7:00 for critique and discussion of our literary projects. Sharing is encouraged (but not required!) in a helpful and supportive environment.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Friday, June 7

10:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Friday Morning at the Movies!

Bring snacks, blankets, pillows and watch family movies! G. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Friday, June 7

11:15 a.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

It Came From the Dirt!

A garden-themed story time and a craft. Registration recommended. Ages 3-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Friday, June 7

2:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Summer Teen Scene

Teens in grades 6-12, enjoy gaming, board games and a make & take craft.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Friday, June 7

5:30 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Teen After-Hours

Teens, enjoy the library even when it's closed. Play games, watch movies, and eat snacks!

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Saturday, June 8

10:30 a.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Father's Day Celebration

A morning of stories, puppets and crafts for the whole family.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Saturday, June 8

1:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

World Doll Day

View exhibits of dolls from around the world and make your own paper doll. You might win a door prize! Sponsored by the Lafayette Doll Club of North Carolina.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Saturday, June 8

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Life Coaching 101: Transforming Your Potential Into Action

You don't have to be bored or "stuck" in your life. Decide what you want the rest of your experience to look like. Learn to identify things that are preventing you from living the life you want to live, goals that you would like to accomplish, and challenges that you may face along the way. Discover the action steps necessary to start you in the right direction. The presenter, Life Coach Enausa Davis of Great Minds Think Alike, is a nationally certified Licensed Professional Counselor. Registration is required.

Event Type: Movie; **Age Group:** Adult

Sunday, June 9

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Afternoon Movie

Enjoy a few hours of free entertainment by watching a crowd pleasing movie. Call 483-7727 for title and rating.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Monday, June 10

10:00 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Pete the Cat

Stories and songs featuring everyone's favorite cat, and a meet and greet with Pete. Registration is required. 3-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades 1-3

Monday, June 10

2:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Cliffdale Dinosaur Club

Explore the world of dinosaurs! Grades 1-3.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Monday, June 10

2:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Pete the Cat

Stories and songs featuring everyone's favorite cat, and a meet and greet with Pete. Registration for groups of 6 or more required by calling 424-4008. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Monday, June 10

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Tween Gaming

Play your favorite Wii, Playstation 2 and board games. 9-12 years.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Monday, June 10

6:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Meow for Cat Toys!

Cat toys don't have to be expensive or store bought; you can make them yourself. Learn about making cat toys at home and knot a catnip tie to take to your feline. Share any cat toy ideas you've tried, too! Space is limited and registration is required.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Monday, June 10

6:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Teen Movie Night

Teens, watch archeologist Dr. Indiana Jones battle snakes, Nazis, and supernatural forces to rescue the Ark of the Covenant, a sacred box that contains the original Ten Commandments. PG

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Monday, June 10

6:00 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

X Marks the Spot: Scavenger Hunt

Bring the whole family for stories and activities, and search the library for hidden treasure!

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Monday, June 10

6:30 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Pinterest for Hobbyists

If you've heard people talking about "pins" and "pinning" things and are confused, learn about Pinterest, a new social media site that lets you keep track of things you find online. Knowledge of how to use a keyboard and mouse is required. Registration is required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Tuesday, June 11

10:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Hawaiian Luau: Preschool Edition

Stories and activities about faraway lands. Registration is required. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 11

10:00 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Zinio Downloadable Magazines Basics

Adults, explore this free downloadable magazine tool. Knowledge of how to use a keyboard and mouse is required. Registration is required.

Event Type: Computer Class; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 11

10:30 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

ABCs of Computers

If you feel ill at ease with computers, but are curious about them, this beginners' class is for you. Learn the basics at a relaxed pace. Registration required. If you can't make it at this time and date, Book-a-Librarian for free at 822-1998.

Event Type: Computer Class; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 11

11:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

ABCs of Computers

Learn the very basics about computers and how they work. The class covers the hardware components and software. Learn how to open programs and work in a Windows environment. Familiarity with using a mouse is required. Need mouse skills? Ask us about easy tutorials! Registration is required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Tuesday, June 11

12:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Duplo Friends

Use your imagination to build creative block structures. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Tuesday, June 11

1:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Not Just Story Time

Gaming, crafts, LEGOs and stories of all kinds. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Tuesday, June 11

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Teen Tuesday: Hardware Jewelry

Teens and tweens ages 9-18, make a piece of hardware jewelry, use our laptop computers, and hang out with your friends every Tuesday! Bring a snack. Drinks provided by the Friends of the Library.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Tuesday, June 11

3:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Registration is required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 11

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Anime Bordeaux

Teens, grades 6-12, talk about your favorite series and characters, or share your artwork and fan fiction. Bring your friends and meet other teens who enjoy the stories, art, and style of Japanese animation and comics. Drawing supplies and refreshments are available.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 11

4:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Gaming West

Teens in grades 6-12, get your game on! Enjoy video games, board games along with team games to include Trivial Pursuit and a scavenger hunt for prizes.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Tuesday, June 11

4:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Puppet Show

Kick off the start of summer vacation and the library's Summer Reading Club. All ages.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Tuesday, June 11

4:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

School's Out Gaming

Get your game on! Teens and tweens, join us for an afternoon of video games, board games, and other fun activities.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 11

5:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Teen Advisory Board

Teens, your ideas matter! Please join us to discuss what you want from your library.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 11

7:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

East of the River: The Book Club

Please join us as we discuss *A Light Between Oceans* by H.L. Stedman. This unforgettable novel is filled with extraordinarily compelling characters seeking to find their North Star in a world where there is no right answer, where justice for one person is another's tragic loss.

Event Type: Book Club; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 11

7:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

McArthur Road Irregulars

David Loogan, a man with a mysterious past, is trying to live a quiet life under the radar in Ann Arbor, Michigan. After he befriends the publisher of a mystery magazine, then starts to have an affair with the publisher's wife, people around him begin to die, and all fingers are pointing at him! Read *Bad Things Happen* by Harry Dolan

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 11

7:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Summer Fun in Fayetteville

Plan to do lots of wonderful things locally with your family this summer! Join us as the Fayetteville Area Convention & Visitors Bureau takes you on a tour of both the well-known and somewhat hidden places and activities you can find right here in the Fayetteville/Cumberland County community.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 12

10:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Need a Microloan?

Hear about the Center for Economic Empowerment and Development's (CEED) microloan program that assists local entrepreneurs and current business owners with capital to support startup and growth of their business. Learn about requirements, including business plan and credit reports, what is available for startup businesses and expanding businesses and how to make it happen. Registration is required.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 12

10:30 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Wednesday Book Club

Growing up, the only place tomboy Thayer Wentworth felt at home was at summer camp Sherwood Forest in the N.C. mountains where she met Nick Abrams, her first love and heartbreak. Years later, Thayer marries Aengus, an Irish professor, and they move close to Camp. There, the couple leads a quiet and happy life until Aengus is invited up to the camp to tell old Irish tales to the campers. As he spends less time at home and becomes more distant, Thayer must confront dark secrets about her mother, her first love, and her husband in *Burnt Mountain* by Anne River Siddons.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Wednesday, June 12

11:00 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Pete the Cat

Stories and songs featuring everyone's favorite cat, and a meet and greet with Pete. Registration is required. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 12

11:30 a.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 12

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Dino-Mania!

Test your knowledge about these prehistoric giants and assemble a pile of dinosaur bones! Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens, Grades 3-5

Wednesday, June 12

3:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Tween Craft Time

Make terrific and creative craft designs. Grades 3-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 12

3:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

K-9 Crime Fighters

Learn how the K-9 unit of the Cumberland County Sheriff's office helps fight crime. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Wednesday, June 12

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Lego Free Play!

Let your imagination run wild with LEGO free play! All ages.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 12

4:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Intermediate Microsoft Word

Check out some of Word's special features such as bullets, adding graphics, and much more by attending this advanced class. Registration is required.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 13

9:30 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Career Readiness Certificate Training

If you are preparing to go for the Career Readiness Certificate or just need to brush up on some basic job skills, then learn about KeyTrain, the software that can help you prepare for the test and train you on some basic job and job seeking skills. Get a free KeyTrain account and learn about the features of the program.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Thursday, June 13

10:00 a.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Pete the Cat

Stories and songs featuring everyone's favorite cat, and a meet and greet with Pete. Registration is required. All ages.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Thursday, June 13

2:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Gaming Spring Lake

Get your game on! Tweens and teens ages 9 and up are invited to an afternoon of video games, board games, and more.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Thursday, June 13

2:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Pete the Cat

Stories and songs featuring everyone's favorite cat, and a meet and greet with Pete. Registration is required. All ages.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 13

2:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

PowerPoint 101

Learn how to create a PowerPoint digital slide show and the basics of using it. Basic computer, mouse, and keyboard skills are required. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades 1-5

Thursday, June 13

2:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Clark Park's Snakes Alive

Learn about snake anatomy, adaptations, and characteristics from Clark Park rangers. Registration is required. Grades 1-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Thursday, June 13

3:30 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Registration is required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Thursday, June 13

4:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Thursday Afternoon at the Movies

Tweens and teens, join us on Thursday afternoons for a great PG rated movie.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Thursday, June 13

6:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Pete the Cat

Stories and songs featuring everyone's favorite cat, and a meet and greet with Pete. Registration is required. All ages.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Tweens, Teen

Thursday, June 13

6:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

DIY Craft Club: Zipper Pulls

If you love crafts, join other tweens who do, too! Make a do-it-yourself zipper pulls from stones. All supplies are provided. Registration required. Tweens and teens ages 9-17.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 13

6:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Jewelry Making

Learn to make a wonderful piece of jewelry to match your favorite outfit, or surprise friends and family with your handmade gifts! Whether you are experienced with jewelry making and want to bring your own project or are just interested in learning what materials and skills are needed for string-bead jewelry, join us for an evening of creativity. This program is for adults only. Registration is recommended.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Friday, June 14

10:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Friday Morning at the Movies!

Bring snacks, blankets, pillows and watch family movies! G. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Friday, June 14

11:15 a.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Pete the Cat and 45 RPM

Put on your new shoes and get ready to jam with the world's coolest feline! Local band 45 RPM plays some groovy music, too. Registration recommended. All ages.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Friday, June 14

1:30 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Zumba for Kids!

Learn Latin dance rhythms. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Friday, June 14

2:15 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Fiesta Friday Movie Special!

Come early for Zumba, and cool down with your drinks, snacks and a family friendly movie! All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Friday, June 14

3:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Tween Movie

Young Stanley Yelnats finds himself at Camp Green Lake, where digging a hole every day keeps the warden at bay and "builds character." Registration required for daycares and summer camps. PG. 9-12 year.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Friday, June 14

5:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

School's Out After-Hours Pizza Party

Celebrate the end of the school year with an after-hours party. Bring a friend and enjoy pizza, games and other fun activities. Don't forget to be here before the doors are locked at 6:00 p.m.! The party ends at 9 p.m. For teens in grades 6-12.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Saturday, June 15

10:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Gnome, Sweet Gnome!

Celebrate all things Gnome with songs, stories and more! Children of all ages!

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Saturday, June 15

10:30 a.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Get Up and Move!

“Get Up and Move” towards better health! Experience a gentle form of exercise to include stretching and breathing techniques with Instructor Robin Sledge of Better Health. Relieve stress and stay fit with this kind-to-the-body exercise. Please wear comfortable clothing, flat shoes and be prepared to MOVE!

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Saturday, June 15

10:30 a.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Rhythm & Rhyme: A Sensory Story Time

All children are welcome to attend this story time designed for children with autism, Down syndrome, sensory-processing disorder/language-delays and for children with disabilities. For more information contact Vicki at 425-8455.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Saturday, June 15

10:30 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Rock Identification Science Lab

This is a hands-on rock identification lab that examines the different properties of rocks. Learn about color, streak, cleavage and crystal shape with science teacher Kathy Thayer! Registration is required. For tweens ages 9-12 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Saturday, June 15

11:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Gnome Sweet Gnome Movie Time

Join us after the gnome program for a movie starring love-struck Gnomes and their friends. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Saturday, June 15

3:15 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Tween Spy Camp

Learn secrets of the real spies and test your own ability to survive our obstacle challenge! 9-12 years.

Event Type: Movie; **Age Group:** Adult

Monday, June 17

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Afternoon Movie

Enjoy a few hours of free entertainment by watching a crowd pleasing movie. Call 483-7727 for title and rating.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades 1-3

Monday, June 17

2:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Cliffdale Dinosaur Club

Explore the world of dinosaurs! Grades 1-3.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Monday, June 17

2:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Monday Movie Matinée

Escape the summer heat with an afternoon of movie fun. Please call the library for movie titles. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Monday, June 17

2:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Registration is required for groups of 6 or more. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Monday, June 17

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Tween Make It & Take It: Zipper Pulls

Make do-it-yourself zipper pulls from beads. All supplies provided. Registration required. 9-12 years.

Event Type: Family Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Monday, June 17

6:00 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Family Movie Night

Bring snacks and enjoy a family-oriented movie. Based on the hugely popular Thomas Rockwell book, this movie tells the story of what happens when 11-year-old Billy accidentally challenges the school bully on the first day of school. In order to earn the respect of his new classmates, Billy accepts the cuisine-challenged dare of eating ten worms in one day. PG.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Monday, June 17

6:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Teen Movie Night

Teens, watch archeologist Indiana Jones, singer Willie Scott and Short Round retrieve an Indian village's sacred glowing stones, hidden inside a stone skull deep within an underground mine. PG.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Tuesday, June 18

10:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

We Dig Dinosaurs! Story Time and Puppet Show

Listen to stories and watch a puppet show about these prehistoric wonders. Registration is required by calling 483-7727 ext. 1351. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

10:30 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Excel 101

Learn the basics of creating and using spreadsheets in Excel. The class includes creating a simple spreadsheet and understanding the basic concepts of formulas as they pertain to Excel. Knowledge of how to use a keyboard and mouse is required. Experience with Microsoft Word is helpful. Registration is required. If you can't make it at this time and date, Book-a-Librarian for free at 822-1998.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

11:00 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Backyard Worms and Composting

This free program presented by Master Gardener Cheryl Garrett gives basic instruction about backyard composting and how worms help this process. She will bring some of her 'wiggly friends' to aid in her presentation. Registration is required by calling 485-2955.

Event Type: Computer Class; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

11:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

PowerPoint 101

Learn the basics of creating a presentation with PowerPoint. Basic computer, mouse, and keyboard skills are required. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Tuesday, June 18

11:00 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Rhythm & Rhyme: A Sensory Story Time

All children are welcome to attend this story time designed for children with autism, Down syndrome, sensory-processing disorder/language-delays and for children with disabilities. For more information call 822-1998 ext.4.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Tuesday, June 18

12:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Registration required for groups of 6 or more. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

3:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Girl Talk Book Club

Join us as we discuss *The Year We Left Home* by Jean Thompson. A mesmerizing, decades-spanning saga of one ordinary American family—proud, flawed, hopeful— whose story simultaneously captures the turbulent history of the country at large.

Event Type: Book Club; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

3:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Spring Lake Book Club - *Nightwoods* by Charles Frazier

In late 1950s North Carolina, Luce is living in a dilapidated mountain lodge as its caretaker. When her sister, Lily, is murdered by her abusive husband, Bud, Luce becomes the guardian of Delores and Frank, Lily's seriously disturbed twins. At the same time, Stubblefield, who carries a torch for Luce, arrives to check out his inheritance— the lodge. While Luce tries to tame and draw out the twins, Stubblefield tries to tame Luce, and the four come dangerously close to being a family. Bud shows up, convinced that the children know where his hidden money is. When he discovers that the children are learning to speak, he becomes worried that they will tell what he did to their mother and to them. See what he does, in this gritty background of bootlegging and violence— *Nightwoods* by Charles Frazier.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Tuesday, June 18

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Teen Tuesday: Duct Tape

Teens and tweens ages 9-18, make a duct tape rose or wallet, use our laptop computers, and hang out with your friends every Tuesday! Bring a snack. Drinks provided by the Friends of the Library.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 18

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Make It & Take It: Bendable Mummies

Teens, design your own magnificent manipulative mummy! All supplies are provided.

Event Type: Teen SRC; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 18

4:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Teen Writers Club

Teens in grades 7-12, hang out with other teens who like to read, write and create! Try one of the writing prompts or creative challenges, get information to improve your skills, and enter contests. If you want, bring something you're working on to share with the group. All types of teen writers and artists are welcome! Refreshments will be available.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

6:30 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Knit Night

If you always wanted to learn how to knit but need some help getting started, or are a seasoned knitter looking for some new tips and techniques, grab your knitting needles and join the ladies from A Row of Purls knit shop!

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 18

6:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Veterans Benefits Town Hall

Staff from Cumberland County Veteran's Services discuss veteran's benefits and updates on changes to them. A question and answer session follows the presentation.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Tuesday, June 18

7:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

A Little Night Music!

Hear a lively, classical music duo play the violin and viola. Registration required. All ages.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 19

9:30 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Word 101

Learn the basics of word processing in Microsoft Word. Knowledge of how to use a keyboard and mouse is required. Registration is required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grade 2, Grades 3-5

Wednesday, June 19

1:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Where Did All the Dinosaurs Go?

Give us YOUR idea of where the dinosaurs went by using your imagination and a little creativity to create a short film. Registration is required. Grades 3-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 19

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Rocks ROCK!

Hear stories about stones and rocks. Discover the most unusual ones, start your own rock collection and paint a rock to take home. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 19

3:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Wiggly Worms

Take home a free red wiggly worm as Sue Barrick with Cumberland County's Master Gardener program shares interesting facts about worms in your garden. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 19

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Registration is required for groups of 7 or more. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Computer Class; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 19

4:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Job Searching 101

If you are looking for work and don't know where to start, this class shows you resources and tips for tracking down your new job! Registration is required.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Wednesday, June 19

4:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Project Runway West

Teens, re-design dated fashions. Check out the newest design books and create your own fashion vision. Materials and refreshments will be available. Registration is required.

Event Type: Job & Career Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 19

6:00 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Word 101

If you need to learn Microsoft Word for your job or want to add some computer skills to your resume, we'll teach you the basics of word processing in Microsoft Word. Knowledge of how to use a keyboard and mouse is necessary. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Thursday, June 20

10:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Dig Into Drama: Preschool Edition

Experience creative drama games and improvisations presented by Jennifer Ratcliffe from Kids' Dramatix, Inc. Registration required.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 20

10:00 a.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Intermediate Excel

You know the basics - you can create a spreadsheet and it works just fine. It's time for that next step. Learn how to make an Excel spreadsheet sparkle with charts and other features that enhance usability and creativity. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Thursday, June 20

11:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

The Dinosaurs Are Coming!

Watch out for T-Rex and friends as they come to town! All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Thursday, June 20

1:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Dig Into Drama: School-Age Edition

Experience creative drama games and improvisations presented by Jennifer Ratcliffe from Kids' Dramatix, Inc. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Thursday, June 20

3:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Dinosaur Dig

Have a dinosaur adventure and discover the excitement of a dinosaur dig by searching for buried fossils. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Thursday, June 20

3:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Dear Dumb Diary Party

Read *Dear Dumb Diary*, then play games, do crafts and create comics of your own. 9-12 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Thursday, June 20

3:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

We All Dig Soil!

Dig in and take a closer look at soil with Kay Bullard from Cumberland Soil and Water Conservation District. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Thursday, June 20

4:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Thursday Afternoon at the Movies

Tweens and teens join us on Thursday Afternoons for a great PG rated movie.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Thursday, June 20

6:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Make It & Take IT: Teen Beading

Learn to bead and create your own bracelet. All supplies are provided. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5, Tweens, Teen

Thursday, June 20

6:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Father and Daughter Celebration

Fathers with their daughters ages 5-18, participate in games and activities and enjoy stories about dads in celebration of Father's Day! Registration required.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Thursday, June 20

6:30 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Super Family Movie Night!

Watch a movie about a man who uses balloons to fly his house on an adventure and receive a balloon animal to take home! Bring your own snacks and drinks. PG. All ages.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 20

6:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Write On, Right Now

Welcome all writers! At 6:30 there is a short timed writing prompt, or skip the timed writing and join us at 7:00 for critique and discussion of our literary projects. Sharing is encouraged (but not required!) in a helpful and supportive environment.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Friday, June 21

10:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Friday Morning at the Movies!

Bring snacks, blankets, pillows and watch family movies! G. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Friday, June 21

11:15 a.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

If You Take an Ant to a Picnic

Bring a picnic lunch and a blanket to sit on and enjoy this ant-themed story time! Registration recommended. 3-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Friday, June 21

3:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Movies!

When the evil wizard Gargamel chases the little blue Smurfs out of their village, they tumble from their magical world and land smack dab in the middle of Central Park. Can the Smurfs find a way to get back to their village before Gargamel tracks them down? PG.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Friday, June 21

6:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Final Cut: A Murder Mystery

B-movie director Cecil B. DeNile is here in Fayetteville looking for financial backers for his new film *The Zombie Librarians*. All of Fayetteville is invited to this gala shindig, where they can schmooze with the cast and maybe even land a role in the movie. As in many Hollywood deals, there are a lot of hard feelings and a lot of back-stabbing (both figurative and literal), so be prepared to get caught up in the drama. Come in costume, as either a Hollywood star or a zombie (or maybe both) and plan to have a killer time! Registration is required.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Saturday, June 22

10:30 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Make It & Take It: Sand Art

Explore Native American culture by making your own work of art. Materials are provided. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Monday, June 24

10:00 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Monday Movie Matinee

Ralph, an arcade-game villain, travels between games in an arcade, and ultimately must eliminate a dire threat. Registration is required for groups of 6 or more. PG. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades 1-3

Monday, June 24

2:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Cliffdale Dinosaur Club

Explore the world of dinosaurs! Grades 1-3.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Monday, June 24

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Mario Kart Tournament— Tween Edition

Test your driving! Registration required. Ages 8–12.

Event Type: Teen Program; Age Group: Teen

Monday, June 24

4:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Teen Gaming

Get your game on this afternoon with video and traditional gaming.

Event Type: Teen Program; Age Group: Teen

Monday, June 24

6:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Art of Henna Tattoos

Discover the art of temporary Henna tattoos. Henna ink and supplies provided. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; Age Group: All ages

Monday, June 24

6:00 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Wiggly, Squiggly, Worms!

Enjoy stories, activities, and make a spaghetti worm painting. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; Age Group: Children of all ages!

Monday, June 24

6:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Ants' Picnic

Bring a picnic lunch, a blanket to sit on, your stuffed animal or doll and enjoy this ant-themed story time! All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; Age Group: Children of all ages!

Monday, June 24

7:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Campfire Tales

Gather 'round our campfire for an evening of stories, crafts and more! All ages.

Event Type: Adult Program; Age Group: Adult

Monday, June 24

7:30 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Great Books Discussion Group

Please join us to discuss "To Room Nineteen," a short story by Nobel laureate Doris Lessing. Copies of the text and discussion questions are available at the Information Desk, Headquarters library. For more information, call Nora Armstrong, 483-7727 ext. 1340.

Event Type: Adult Program; Age Group: Adult

Tuesday, June 25

9:30 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Social Media Users Group Meeting

Harness the power of social media to build or grow your business! Network with new and experienced users of Twitter, Facebook, Pinterest and other services which increasingly drive our economy. Share and learn in a relaxed environment. Registration required.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 25

10:00 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Come on Down for Senior Bingo!

Those 55 and over, enjoy time with your friends and make new friends. Prizes are given to the winners. Registration required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Tuesday, June 25

10:00 a.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Ready, Set, Grow!

Enjoy activities about how a garden grows! Registration required. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 25

10:30 a.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Pinterest 101

If you've heard people talking about "pins" and "pinning" things and are confused, learn about Pinterest, a new social media site that lets you keep track of things you find online. If you can't make it at this time and date, Book-a-Librarian for free at 822-1998.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years

Tuesday, June 25

12:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Duplo Friends

Use your imagination to build creative block structures. 2-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Tuesday, June 25

1:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Not Just Story Time

Gaming, crafts, LEGOs and stories of all kinds. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Movie; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 25

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Afternoon Movie

Enjoy a few hours of entertainment by watching a crowd pleasing movie. Call 483-7727 for title and rating.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years, 1-2 Years

Tuesday, June 25

2:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

DUPLO Friends

Make marvelous DUPLO creations. 1-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Tuesday, June 25

3:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

LEGO Free Play

Make marvelous LEGO creations. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Tuesday, June 25

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Teen Tuesday: Movie Making

Teens and tweens ages 9-18, make a live action or stop-motion animation movie, use our laptop computers, and hang out with your friends every Tuesday! Bring a snack. Drinks provided by the Friends of the Library.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Tuesday, June 25

4:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

Teen Movie Afternoon

Teens, join the adventure that follows the journey of title character Bilbo Baggins, who is swept into an epic quest to reclaim the lost Dwarf Kingdom of Erebor from the fearsome dragon Smaug. Approached out of the blue by the wizard Gandalf the Grey, Bilbo finds himself joining a company of thirteen dwarves led by the legendary warrior, Thorin Oakenshield. Their journey takes them into the Wild; through treacherous lands swarming with Goblins and Orcs, deadly Wargs and Sorcerers. PG-13.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Tuesday, June 25

6:30 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Intermediate Excel

You know the basics— you can create a spreadsheet and it works just fine. Learn how to make an Excel spreadsheet sparkle with charts and other features that enhance usability and creativity. Prerequisite: Excel 101. Registration is required.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 24-36 Months

Wednesday, June 26

10:00 a.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

We "Dig" Dinosaurs!

Stories, rhymes, songs, a craft and a dinosaur dig! 24-36 months.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 26

2:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Dig Into the Past: Mummies

Learn about this ancient burial ritual while practicing mummy-wrapping on your friends. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Wednesday, June 26

2:30 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Get Creative With LEGOs

Build your favorite LEGO creations! All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens, Grades 3-5

Wednesday, June 26

3:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Tween Craft Time

Make terrific and creative craft designs. Grades 3-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 26

3:30 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Egypt: Mummies, Pyramids, and Hieroglyphics, Oh My!

Explore the ancient Egyptian process of mummification and learn to write your name in hieroglyphics. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Wednesday, June 26

3:30 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Tra-La-Laaaa!: Captain Underpants Party

Play games! Be silly! Have fun! Registration is recommended. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Wednesday, June 26

6:00 p.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

PowerPoint 101

Learn how to create and use a PowerPoint digital slide show. Basic computer, mouse, and keyboard skills are necessary. Registration required.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Wednesday, June 26

6:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

West Regional Anime Club

Join other teens who enjoy anime and manga. Read new magazines, see a movie, talk about your favorite series and characters, or share your artwork. Drawing supplies and refreshments provided.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Thursday, June 27

11:00 a.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Be a Pest Detective!

Enjoy stories, music and bug specimens, including live Madagascar hissing cockroaches, with a real pest detective, Mike Watson from State Pest Control. Registration required. 3-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Thursday, June 27

1:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Grow Me A Story

Listen to stories and music about things that grow. Make a craft that will grow with a little bit of love. Registration required. 3-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Thursday, June 27

1:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Movie Treasures

Four huge but huggable dinos visit New York City to make millions of children's dreams come true. Daycares and summer camps must register. All ages.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Thursday, June 27

2:00 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Be a Pest Detective!

Enjoy stories, music and bug specimens, including live Madagascar hissing cockroaches, with a real pest detective, Mike Watson from State Pest Control. Make a pest detective scrapbook to take home. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen, Tweens

Thursday, June 27

2:00 p.m. (Spring Lake Branch 497-3650)

Gaming Spring Lake

Get your game on! Tweens and teens ages 9 and up are invited to an afternoon of video games, board games, and more.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Tweens

Thursday, June 27

2:00 p.m. (North Regional Branch 822-1998)

Magic Secrets Revealed

John McCauley reveals the secrets of a few magic tricks and teaches you to perform them. Registration required. Ages 9-12.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Thursday, June 27

4:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Thursday Afternoon at the Movies

Tweens and Teens join us on Thursday Afternoons for a great PG rated movie.

Event Type: Adult Program; **Age Group:** Adult

Thursday, June 27

6:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

Resumes and Interviewing 101

Get the good, the bad and the ugly of resumes, applications and interviewing.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 2-5 Years, 1-2 Years

Friday, June 28

10:00 a.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

DUPLO Friends

Make marvelous DUPLO creations. 1-5 years.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Friday, June 28

10:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Friday Morning at the Movies!

Bring snacks, blankets, pillows and watch family movies! G. All ages.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** 3-5 Years

Friday, June 28

11:15 a.m. (Hope Mills Branch 425-8455)

Digging Up Dinosaurs!

Dig in prehistoric fossil mix and maybe find a fossil! Registration required. 3-5 years.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Friday, June 28

1:30 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Zumba for Kids!

Learn Latin dance rhythms. Registration required. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's Program; **Age Group:** Grades K-5

Friday, June 28

2:00 p.m. (Bordeaux Branch 424-4008)

LEGO Free Play

Make marvelous LEGO creations. Grades K-5.

Event Type: Children's SRC; **Age Group:** Children of all ages!

Friday, June 28

2:15 p.m. (East Regional Branch 485-2955)

Fiesta Friday Movie Special!

Come early for Zumba, and cool down with your drinks, snacks and a family friendly movie! All ages.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Friday, June 28

5:00 p.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

Teen After-Hours

Join us for fun and games during our after-hours program. You must be there by 6 pm and picked up by 10 p.m. Grades 6-12.

Event Type: Teen Program; **Age Group:** Teen

Friday, June 28

5:00 p.m. (West Regional Branch 487-0440)

Teen After-Hours

Teens in grades 6-12, enjoy the library after hours when everyone else has gone home. Games, crafts, movies and snacks provided! Bring your friends or make some new ones! No admittance after 7:00pm. Teens must be picked up by 10:00 p.m.

Event Type: 4th Friday; **Age Group:** Adult

Friday, June 28

7:00 p.m. (Headquarters Library 483-7727)

4th Friday Presents: Local Authors Showcase

Writers from the Sandhills region are participating in a Local Authors Showcase sponsored by the Friends of the Library, giving the community a chance to meet area writers and learn more about their books.

Event Type: Family Program; **Age Group:** All ages

Saturday, June 29

11:00 a.m. (Cliffdale Regional Branch 864-3800)

We're Diggin' It

Enjoy stories, singing, dancing, and digging in our pit to see what's under the dirt. All ages.

Regularly Scheduled Children's Story Times

These programs take place at the listed times and locations in June & July.

NOTE: Libraries are closed on Thursday, July 4.

Mother Goose: 0–11 months **Tots & Tales:** 12–23 months **Toddler:** 24–36 months
Preschool: 3–5 years **School-age:** K–5th grade

Headquarters Library

Mother Goose
 Mondays 11:00 a.m.
Tots & Toddler
 Tuesdays 11:00 a.m.
Preschool
 Wednesdays 11:00 a.m.

Bordeaux Branch

Tots & Toddlers
 Mondays 10:00 a.m.

Preschool
 Tuesdays 10:00 a.m.

Cliffdale Regional Branch

Tots & Tales
 Mondays 10:30 a.m.
Toddler
 Tuesdays 11:00 a.m.
Preschool
 Wednesdays 10:00 a.m.

East Regional Branch

Tots & Toddler
 Tuesdays 10:30 a.m.
Preschool
 Thursdays 11:00 a.m.
School-Age
 Tuesdays 3:30 p.m.

Hope Mills Branch

Mother Goose
 Tuesdays 11:15 a.m.
Tots & Tales
 Tuesdays 10:00 a.m.
Toddler
 Thursdays 10:00 a.m.
Tots & Toddler
 Wednesdays 11:15 a.m.
Preschool
 Mondays & Thursdays 11:15 a.m.

North Regional Branch

Mother Goose & Tots and Tales
 Thursdays 10:00 a.m.
Toddler
 Wednesdays 10:00 a.m.
Preschool
 Wednesdays 11:00 a.m.
Toddler & Preschool
 Thursdays 11:00 a.m.

Spring Lake Branch

Toddler
 Tuesdays 11:00 a.m.
Preschool
 Tuesdays 10:00 a.m.

West Regional Branch

Tots & Tales
 Mondays 10:00 a.m.
Toddler
 Wednesdays 10:00 a.m.
Preschool
 Wednesdays 11:00 a.m.