



# CHECK IT OUT!

## MARCH 2024

A PUBLICATION OF THE PICKENS COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM

### Hampton Memorial Library

304 Biltmore Road  
Easley, SC 29640  
(864) 850-7077

Mon. - Thu. 9AM - 9PM  
Fri. & Sat. 9AM - 6PM  
Sun. 2PM - 6PM

### Central-Clemson Library

105 Commons Way  
Central, SC 29630  
(864) 639-2711

Mon. - Thu. 9AM - 9PM  
Fri. & Sat. 9AM - 6PM  
Sun. 2PM - 6PM

### Sarlin Library

15 S. Palmetto Street  
Liberty, SC 29657  
(864) 843-5805

Mon. 10AM - 7PM  
Tues. - Fri. 10AM - 6PM  
Sat. 10AM - 2PM

### Village Library

124 N. Catherine Street  
Pickens, SC 29671  
(864) 898-5747

Mon., Tues.,  
& Thurs. 9AM - 7PM  
Wed., & Fri. 9AM - 6PM  
Sat. 10AM - 2PM

### Book Drops

All Library Locations  
Six Mile Town Hall  
Dacusville Community Library  
Pumpkintown Fire Department  
Hours: 24/7/365, all locations

### Remote Lockers

Six Mile Town Hall  
Hours: 24/7/365

Website - [www.pcls.fyi](http://www.pcls.fyi)

Facebook - [facebook.com/  
PickensCountyLibrarySystem](https://facebook.com/PickensCountyLibrarySystem)

### Instagram

@pickenscountylibrarysystem

Dial-a-Story 864-868-2727

Library Closed March 29-31

# 14TH ANNUAL Poetry CONTEST

## MARCH 1-31 OPEN TO POETS OF ALL AGES

Three Categories: Children, Teens, Adults

# \$100 CASH PRIZES!

Winners will have the opportunity to be featured  
in the Easley Library's Poetry Out Loud open mic  
event in April.

For more Info - [www.pcls.fyi](http://www.pcls.fyi) Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.



## NATIVE AMERICAN HISTORY & ARCHAEOLOGY

With Archaeologist, Lamar Nelson

## MARCH 2 · 2PM

Hampton Memorial Library - Easley







## HAMPTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY

### WEDNESDAY MATINEES 1:30pm

- Mar 6 Hunger Games: Ballad of Songbirds & Snakes (PG-13) 2h 37m  
Mar 13 Next Goal Wins (PG-13) 1h 45m  
Mar 20 The Color Purple (PG-13) 1h 45m  
Mar 27 Ferrari (R) 2h 10m



### SCHOOL'S OUT MOVIE DAY! MARCH 4 • 11AM

Come watch Wonka with us! Bring the whole family! Snacks will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. (PG) 1h 56m

*Chair Yoga* Mar 5 & 19  
1:30pm

*Gentle Yoga* Mar 12 & 26  
1:30pm

### Goodwill Mission Mobile

Get help with job applications, resumes, and computer skills. No registration required.

March 14 • 12pm - 3pm



### Carry-Out Craft

Daisy Dot Flower Pot



Virtual Program  
March 5 at 2pm

Call 864-850-7077 to reserve your carry-out craft! Registration begins February 27. Watch our tutorial on Facebook or YouTube.



### BLOOD DRIVE

March 18th • 4pm - 6pm



THE BLOOD<sup>®</sup>  
CONNECTION  
Your Community Blood Center



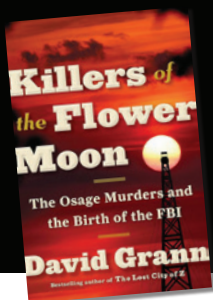
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### COFFEE & CRIME

#### True Crime Club

March 18 • 6:30pm

*Killers of the Flower Moon*  
by David Grann



### Easley Book Club

March 26 • 10am

*Hello Beautiful*  
by Ann Napolitano

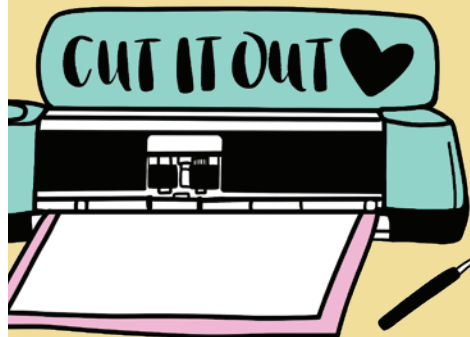




# CENTRAL-CLEMSON LIBRARY



## Book the Cricut!



Schedule an appt to work with a staff person to cut your own vinyl projects! Call to discuss your project and set up a time - 639-2711.



## SCHOOL'S OUT WONKA DAY!

**MARCH 5**  
**9AM - 5PM**

**12PM - OOMPA LOOMPA**

**DANCE PARTY**

**1PM - WONKA MOVIE**

**FIND THE GOLDEN TICKET!**

# LEGO

## Storybuilders

**Wednesdays**

**at 3:30pm**

**All ages are invited!**



## Central-Clemson Book Discussion

**March 6 at 7pm**

*The Last Days of Night*  
by Graham Moore



**Starting a Business**  
**March 25 • 5:30pm**

## Get the Bear Facts!

**March 27 • 6pm**



Join Tammy Waldrop from SC DNR to discuss the rising bear census in our area. Learn the do's and don'ts and ask your questions.

## BROWN BAG CINEMAS



**March 14 • 1:00pm**  
Wonka (PG) 1h 56m

**March 28 • 1:00pm**  
The Color Purple (PG-13) 1h 45m

Bring a snack and join us for a movie.



## VILLAGE LIBRARY

### VILLAGE SCRAPBOOKING

MAR 2 • 10:30AM



### Homeschool Hangout

## SPELLING BEE



March 11 • 1pm

Call 864-898-5747 to register.

### The Village Puzzle Race

March 23 • 10:30am - 12:30pm

Call 864-898-5747 to register. For ages 14+.



## Disney WISH

Enjoy the movie as well as  
crafts, snacks, and games!

March 5 • 11:30am

## Pickens Projects

### Flower Pounding

March 12 • 4:00pm

Call 898-5747 to register.



## K-POP CLUB

Join us to get to know your fellow  
K-Pop lovers in the area!

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 • 11AM

Please call 898-5747 to register.

## ADULT SPELLING BEE

5PM  
TO  
7PM

MARCH  
26

CALL  
898-5747  
TO  
REGISTER

VILLAGE  
LIBRARY  
PICKENS

### FITNESS

Gentle Yoga

March 1 & 15 • 11am

Fit Over 40

Tuesdays at 10:30am

BUNNY YOGA STORYTIME

March 19 • 3:30pm

### BOOK CLUBS

ANY BOOK CLUB March 7 • 10am

Pickens Book Club March 19 • 10:15am

None of This is True, by Lisa Jewell  
Meet at the City of Pickens Police Department

### LIFE HACKS

LIFE SKILLS

Learn to Change a Tire  
with Advance Auto Parts

March 14 • 5pm

Please call 898-5747 to register.

Financial Literacy

March 21 • 5pm



# SARLIN LIBRARY



## WELLNESS WORKSHOP

Happy Nutrition Month!  
Personalize a weekly meal plan  
full of nutrient-dense goodies!

*with Katie*

MARCH 4 • 5:30PM



## Hi Barbie!

Celebrate national Barbie day!  
Dress up, bring your favorite  
doll, & watch the movie.

March 8 • 3:30pm  
(PG-13) 1h 54m

## Trailblazing Women and NASA



Celebrating Women's  
History Month

March 9 • 10:30am



## WEEABOO WEDNESDAY

ANIME, LORE, AND MORE

March 13 • 4:30pm




## Cozy Crafts



### Painted Pots

March 16 • 11am




## HISTORY BOOK CLUB

March 18 • 5:30pm

## Homeschool Hangout

Learn about the history of mathematics  
and how to solve math problems the  
way ancient Babylonians did!  
Call 843-5805 to register.

March 20  
11:30am



## March STREET FIGHTER Madness



Street Fighter 6 video game  
tournament. Call 864-843-5805  
to sign-up.

March 20 • 4:30pm



## Growing Health with Clemson Extension

Learn how to grow your own vegetables and  
how to incorporate them into a healthy diet.

March 27 • 4:30pm





# children's Programs

IDEAL FOR AGES 6-11

 **American Girl®**



**Meet Isabel  
and Nicki**

**Mondays in March  
3:30pm**

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**HOMESCHOOL  
CINEMA**



ages  
5+

Read the book by L. Frank Baum,  
and then come watch the movie!

**MARCH 15 - 10AM**

Hampton Memorial Library  
Easley

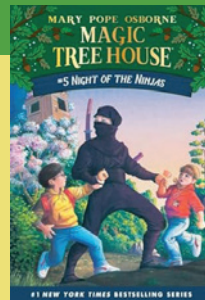
**Pokémon  
League**

Thursdays at 5:30pm  
Hampton Memorial Library in  
Easley (Expansion Space)

Free and open to all ages.  
Kids under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.



**March 5 • 3:30pm**



Read the fifth Magic Tree House  
book, *Night of the Ninjas*, and  
join us for discussions, crafts,  
and other activities.

Hampton Memorial Library - Easley

IDEAL FOR AGES 3-5

**Preschool Storytime**

Books, crafts and activities for ages 2-5 (with a caregiver)

Liberty Mondays 10:30am	Easley Tuesdays 10:30am	Pickens Wednesdays 10:30am	Central-Clemson Wednesdays 10:30am
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**MESSYmunchkins** ages  
0-5



Easley • Friday • Mar 1 • 10:30am

Central-Clemson • Friday • Mar 8 • 10:30am

Pickens • Thursday • Mar 21 • 10:30am

Liberty • Friday • Mar 22 • 10:30am

Ages 0-5, with a grown-up, are invited to dress for a mess and  
join us for sensory play.

IDEAL FOR AGES 0-3

**Wiggles & Giggles**

Stories, songs, flannel boards and free play time.  
Birth-3 years old with a caregiver.

Wednesdays at 10:30am Hampton Memorial Library, Easley	Thursdays at 10:30am Central-Clemson, Central
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**Mother Goose on the Loose**

Nursery Rhymes, Motion & Music

**Tuesdays at 10:30am**

**Sarlin Library, Liberty**

We do not meet on 5th Tuesdays



# TEEN PROGRAMS



## Gather Your Party

What game would you and your friends have the most fun playing? Learn about different types of TTRPGs and what to do to make your own.

March 7 & 21 • 5pm

## BOKU NO GAIJIN ANIME CLUB

JOIN US TO TRY SOME  
SNACKS FROM A  
JAPAN CRATE AND  
WATCH SOME AMINE.



MARCH 28 - 5PM

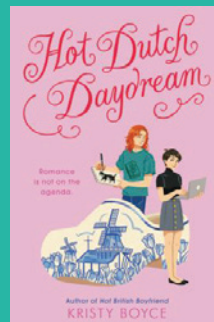
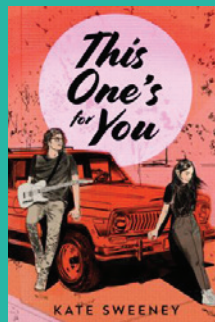
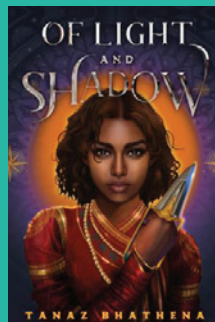
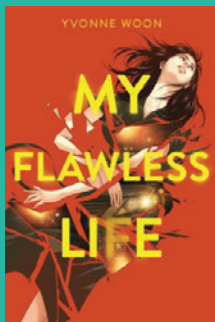
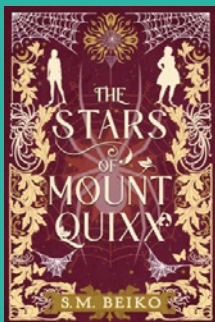
## TEEN CRAFT NIGHT

### Lucky Star Jars

March 12 • 5pm



## Just a Few of Our New YA Books



Hampton Memorial Library in Easley • Call 850-7077 for details



# The PCLS Outreach Team Near You!

## Tech Talk

**March 13**  
**10am - 12pm**  
Pickens Senior Center

**March 14**  
**10am - 12pm**  
OLLI - Clemson  
Please call  
(864) 633-5242  
to register.



Got questions about your phone, tablet, laptop, or other electronic devices? Join Ethan, our Outreach Librarian, to get basic troubleshooting assistance.



**we care**  
**wellness**  
PICKENS COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM

Check out wellness kits!

**March 25**  
**9am - 11am**

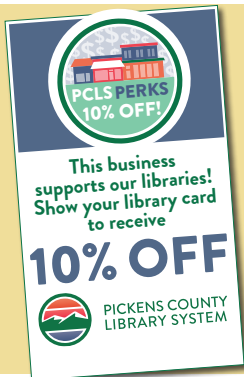
Samaritan Health Clinic

**1pm - 3pm**  
Foothills Community  
Health Care

## Busy Bee Crafting Hour



**March 28 · 4pm**  
Crafting at  
Bee Well Honey Supply



## Get your window decal!

**Encourage literacy  
and promote your business!**

Contact our Outreach Coordinator to join  
the 20+ local businesses that are already a  
part of our PCLS Perks program.

ethanc@pcls.fyi  
864-850-7077 Ext 143



**March 16**  
**10:00am - 2:00pm**

## Kidfest



**THE  
DREAM  
CENTER**

**March 20**  
**10:30am - 11:30am**

## Library Basics Course

Dream Center - Easley

## Young Professionals Social

**March 8 • 8:30am - 9:30am**

Hampton Memorial Library, Easley

Free and open to anyone 40 and  
under looking to get involved in  
the Easley-Powdersville area. Scan  
the QR code to RSVP. Sponsored  
by Fort Hill Natural Gas.



## First Sunday Book Sale

**March 3rd**  
**2:30pm - 4:30pm**

**Hampton Memorial Library - Easley**  
**Sponsored by the Friends of the Library**

## PINTS & PAGES



**A 21+ BOOK CLUB**

**MEET US AT THE SILOS IN EASLEY  
TO DISCUSS THIS MONTH'S BOOK.**

**MARCH 12**  
**6:30PM**



## Taste of the World Spice Kits

Taste the world by picking up a spice kit at the library.  
Call 864-898-5747 to reserve yours!  
Each kit includes the spice of the month, info about the  
spice, and two recipe cards.

**March Spice: Chili Powder**