

Jacksonville Public Library



“My guess is (it will be) about 300 years until computers are as good as, say, your local reference library in doing research.”

-- Craig Silverstein, director of technology at Google

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Check out our [website](#) at for more information on these events.

Jacksonville Photography Club will not meet again until October. Questions should be directed to John at AMSLTDJAGA@aol.com

August 4th Aspiring Writers Group at 10am Open to Adults & Teens who are interested in sharing their work and getting writing and publication tips from other local writers.

August 15th Library Board at 4:30pm in the library annex Changes will be posted on the library bulletin board in advance of a meeting.

August 11th Cover 2 Cover Book Club at 1pm Open to Adults & older Teens who are interested in lively discussions about books chosen by the group at the previous month's meeting. This month's feature *A Child Called Noah* by Josh Greenfeld.

August 18th Library Flix at 12pm Bring your lunch and enjoy *A Man for All Seasons* at the film club.

August 25th Ladies Day Out: Health & Balance at 10am – 1pm Register by August 22nd for activities to relax the body and mind! Learn about the benefits of massage from Carol (Better Body Chiropractic), chair yoga with Julie & rock painting with Kathleen. A light lunch will be served; registration includes a \$10 on-refundable fee.

Preschoolers' & Tiny Tots Storytimes will return on September 6th at 10am.

Library News

2018 Summer Reading Programs

Congratulations to the 757 kids, teens and adults who participated in the 2018 Summer Reading Program; during the seven weeks of the program, the children alone read 13,309 books!

Children & teens may pick up their reading logs any time before school starts; they are a great way to show your new teacher how much you read over the summer.



Find more great photos from the Summer Reading Program on the library's Facebook page @ www.facebook.com/Jacksonville-AL-Public-Library-133571073320563/

Congratulations to the Adult & Teen SRP Prize Winners!

(See photos of other winners on page 3)



Kindle Grand Prize winner (teen): Abbi W.

Bluetooth speaker & Walmart Gift Card winners: Alexis J., Sarah M., Emily J., Makenzy M., & Kaylee S.

Other Teen winners: Michael C., Anaiah H., Macy H., & Laina W.

Kindle Grand Prize Winner (adult): Kimberly Darby

Other Adult winners: Sherri Cunningham, Annaleigh King, Cathy Klentz, Jennifer LaGessie, Crystal Osbourn, Jen Reynolds, Julia Robinson, Nancy Schewanick, Elizabeth Snapp, & Alicia Walker



Thank You to the SRP Sponsors & Volunteers!

Thank you to all the businesses for their generous donations of incentive coupons, gift certificates, door prizes and cash gifts for the Summer Reading Programs. And a big "Thank You!" to all of our amazing patrons who volunteered their time and talents to the Summer Reading Programs!

- 24 Hour Fitness
- Abundance Trendy Consignment
- Anniston Museum of Natural History
- Baja Grill
- Bev Williams
- Birmingham Zoo
- Bojangles' Famous Chicken 'n Biscuits
- Burger King
- Calhoun County Insurance Center
- Calhoun Farmer's Co-Op
- Cathy Causey

- Cecil's Place
- Coca-Cola Bottling Company
- Dairy Queen
- Dave Richmond
- David Morris
- Emma Britton
- Farmers & Merchants Bank
- Gamecock Auto Spa
- Get Personalized
- Jack's Restaurant
- Jacksonville Home Center
- Jacksonville Parks & Recreation Department
- James Woodward
- Java Jolt
- Judy Bell
- Mad Hatter Cupcakes
- Mandy Abernathy
- McDonald's
- McWane Science Center
- Momma Goldberg's Deli
- Nancy Lackey
- Natalie's Styling Studio
- Noccalula Falls Park
- Nu-Kleen Cleaners & Laundry
- Papa John's Pizza
- Pizza Hut
- The Rocket
- Small Cakes
- Sonic Drive-In
- Waffle House
- Walker Smith
- Wells Fargo Bank
- Wendy's
- Wiseguys Pizzeria
- World Yoshukai Karate

Circulation Statistics

In June 2018, 13281 items (books, ebooks, DVDs and audiobooks) were checked out and there were 450 internet computer uses!

HAPPY READING!

Photos & videos of patrons are taken at library programs; these images may be used on the library's website, Facebook page, and newsletter to advertise library events.

