

Jacksonville Public Library



“I think the public library system is one of the most amazing American institutions. Free for everybody. If you ever get the blues about the status of American culture there are still more public libraries than there are McDonald’s.” – David McCullough, American author

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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

November 1st Jacksonville Photography Club at 1:30pm Open to people of all skill levels interested in photography. Questions should be directed to John at 256-365-1862 or AMSLTDJAGA@aol.com.

November 5th “Happy Birthday, Cookie Monster!” Preschoolers’ Storytime for ages 3-6 at 10am

November 5th Tiny Tots Storytime for ages 0-2 at 10am

November 4th Early Bird Holiday Market at 9am – 3pm (see article at right)

November 9th “Who’s in My Family?” Preschoolers’ Storytime for ages 3-6 at 10am

November 9th Tiny Tots Storytime for ages 0-2 at 10am

November 10th – 11th Library closed for Veterans Day The Library will re-open at 8am on Tuesday, November 14th.

Cover 2 Cover will meet at Java Jolt at noon on November 11th because of library closure for the holiday. 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 is *Girl in Hyacinth Blue* by Susan Vreeland.

November 14th NEW!! YA Book Club at 6pm Open to teens and adults who are interested in reading young adult books. The first book is *One of Us Is Lying* by Karen M. McManus

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

November 16th “The Thanksgiving Story” Preschoolers’ Storytime for ages 3-6 at 10am

November 16th Tiny Tots Storytime for ages 0-2 at 10am

November 18th Library Flix at noon Bring your lunch and enjoy *Sabrina* (Humphrey Bogart version) at the film club.

November 23rd – 25th Library closed for Thanksgiving The Library will re-open at 8am on Tuesday, November 28th.

November 28th Teen Advisory Board Meeting at 4pm Teens ages 12 & up are welcome to join us at the planning meeting for upcoming teen events at the library.

November 30th No Preschoolers’ or Tiny Tots Storytime - Look for the Library’s float in the Jacksonville Christmas Parade at 6:30pm!

Library News

Early Bird Holiday Market

Support local businesses and get an early start on your holiday shopping at Jacksonville Public

Library on Saturday, November 4th from 9am – 3pm. There will be a variety of gift items available from clothing & jewelry to wood crafts and wreaths.

New Books

For the full list, check out the [New Books list](#) on the [online catalog](#).

- ✚ *Mind Game* by Iris Johansen
- ✚ *Fairy Tale* by Danielle Steel
- ✚ *Haunted* by James Patterson
- ✚ *Sleeping Beauties* by Stephen & Owen King
- ✚ *The Captured* by Scott Zesch
- ✚ *Fan Fare: Game-Day Recipes for Delicious Finger Foods, Drinks and More* by Kate McMillan

New Teen Books

For the full list, check out the [New Teen Books list](#) on the [online catalog](#).

- ✚ *Three Dark Crowns* by Kendare Blake
- ✚ *The Hanging Girl* by Eileen Cook
- ✚ *Satellite* by Nick Lake
- ✚ *A Semi Definitive List of Worst Nightmares* by Krystal Sutherland

New Kids books

For the full list, check out the [New Kid's Books list](#) on the [online catalog](#).

- ✚ *Monkey Not Ready for Bedtime* by Marc Brown
- ✚ *Cuddle Bear* by Claire Freedman
- ✚ *When Rosa Parks Went Fishing* by Rachel Ruiz
- ✚ *Monster Hunters Track the Turtle Lake Monster* by Jon Fields
- ✚ *The Land of Flowers* by Thea Stilton

National Non-Fiction Day

Celebrate National Non-Fiction Day on November 2nd by reading about the world around us! This day was started as a way to encourage children to indulge in their fascination for facts and information and has now become a celebration of the richness of non-fiction. You can find some great non-fiction for the whole family at the library!

- 📖 *Killing England: The Brutal Struggle for American Independence* by Bill O'Reilly
- 📖 *Liar, Temptress, Soldier, Spy: Four Women Undercover in the Civil War* by Karen Abbott
- 📖 *Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis* by J.D. Vance
- 📖 *The Glass Castle* by Jeanette Walls
- 📖 *Dead Wake: The Last Crossing of the Lusitania* by Eril Larson
- 📖 *Choose Your Own Adulthood: A Small Book About the Small Choices That Make a Big Difference* by Hal Runkel
- 📖 *Superstars of History: The Good, the Bad and the Brainy* by R.G. Grant
- 📖 *The Elements Book: A Visual Encyclopedia of the Periodic Table* by Tom Jackson
- 📖 *First Big Book of Why* by Amy Shields

Circulation Statistics

In September, 3649 items (books, ebooks, DVDs and audiobooks) were checked out and there were 492 internet computer uses!

HAPPY
READING!

