

Jacksonville Public Library



“January, the first month of the year, a perfect time to start all over again, changing energies and deserting old moods, new beginnings, new attitudes.” - Charmain J. Forde



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January 2025

Important Dates

January 1st
Closed for
New Year's Day

January 18th
Closed for
MLK Day

Library Board
Meeting
January 15th
@ 4:30 PM

Changes posted
on the library's
bulletin board

Club Meetings

Crochet Friends
Every Friday
@ 10:00 AM

Sunshinee Sewing
January 11th
@ 9:00 AM

Inter Se Study Club
January 21st
@ 1:30 PM

Beginning Calligraphy

January 25th @ 10:00 AM

Learn the basics of Calligraphy and beginner techniques for your invitations, announcements, and more!

\$10 fee covers markers and paper. Must register at the library by January 24th. Space is limited. Cash only.

Ages 13 & up!



Teen Anime Club

January 3rd
@ 4:00 PM

Join us the first Fridays of each month to watch Anime and enjoy Japanese snacks.
Ages 12-18.

Spice it Up

Starting January 7th



Pick up your Caraway seeds sample along with origin information and recipes from A to Z World Food.
One spice packet per person while supplies last.

Code Club

January 9th
@ 3:30 PM

Learn computer programming skills like building websites, video games, phone apps, video animations & more! Ages 10+

Preschoolers' Storytime Most Thursdays @ 10:00 AM

- January 2nd - NO STORYTIME!
- January 9th - Happy New Year!
- January 16th - Hyped for Hats!
- January 23rd - No Day Like a Snow Day!
- January 30th - Hibernation Station!



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.

Fifth Annual Harry Potter Camp March 11-15

Mark your calendars and get ready for some magical fun!

More info to follow.

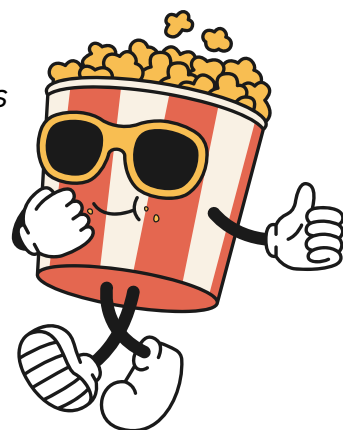
Registration will be limited.

Ages 13+



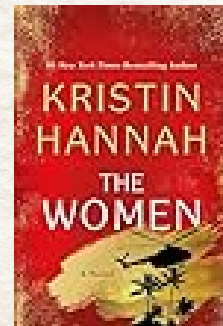
New DVDs:

- *Kingdom of the Planet of the Apes*
- *Challengers*
- *The Boy and the Heron*
- *Ghostbusters: Frozen Empire*
- *Monkey Man*
- *The Garfield Movie*
- *If*
- *The Tiger's Apprentice*



New Books

- *The Last Mrs. Parrish* by Liv Constantine
- *Remember When* by Mary Balogh
- *Undercover Amish* by Ashley Emma
- *Cher: The Memoir, Part One* by Cher
- *Five Years After* by William R. Forstchen
- *Blue Sisters* by Coco Mellors
- *The Women* by Kristin Hannah
- *Apprentice to the Villain* by Hannah Nicole Maehrer
- *The God of the Woods* by Liz Moore
- *Mudbound* by Hillary Jordan
- *The Lucky Ones* by Tiffany Reisz



Creature Crews Day

Jan 21st @ 4:30 PM

Learn about Cryptids and other supernatural creatures!

Trigger warnings will be provided for sensitive topics. Ages 16+.

New Teen Books



- *The Wild Huntress* by Emily Lloyd-Jones
- *The Sticky Note Manifesto of Aisha Agarwal* by Ambika Vohra
- *Us In Ruins* by Rachel Moore
- *The Key to Surviving Summer* by Sandi Van

New Kids' Books

- *I Survived the Black Death, 1348* by Lauren Tarshis
- *Sabrina Sue Loves the Mountains* by Priscilla Burriss
- *Rise of the Wrecking Crew* by Kalynn Bayron
- *Bog Myrtle* by Sid Sharp
- *Thor* by George O'Connor
- *Bunny Cakes* by Rosemary Wells
- *A Sweet Diwali* by Harshita Jerath
- *My Dog is Best* by David Catrow
- *You Are Not Sleepy!* by Mark Teague



Library Statistics November 2024

books, ebooks, audiobooks & movies

2,978 checked out

207 internet computer users

212 wi-fi users