




MAY 2026

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| | YOUTH PROGRAM BREAK IN MAY See BoylePubLib.org for upcoming Summer Reading activities. | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 10 AM-12 PM Revolutionary Ancestors (with DAR) 12 PM All-Abilities Club: Self-Portraits 1:30-3:15 PM All Abilities Resource Fair & Info Session | 5 | 6 10:30 AM-5:30 PM KBC Blood Drive <i>kybloodcenter.org</i> 800-775-2522 11 AM Iron Baby Angel Walking Tour 3-5:30 PM YA FAFSA Assistance | 7 6:30 PM ASD Friends & Allies: Game Night 6:30 PM "Spring Into Art History" Student Art Exhibit Opening Reception | 8 | 9 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 5:30-8 PM Boyle Co. Writers | 13 11 AM Danville Neighborhoods Walking Tour 2:30-4:30 PM KY Career Center Job Assistance 6:30 PM BCPL After Dark: Retro Crafts (Morley's Backyard) | 14 3 PM Homeschool Summer Reading Preview Party | 15 | 16 1-4 PM Memories Worth Remembering VII Public Reading |
| 17 | 18 3-5 PM Revolutionary Ancestors (with DAR) 6 PM BCPL on the Road: DIY Flower Tote Bag (Junction City Hall) | 19 | 20 11 AM Iron Baby Angel Walking Tour 2-4 PM Connect with KYNECT | 21 10:30 AM 3rd Thursday Book Club: The Thursday Murder Club 6 & 7 PM Third Thursday Tippy Town Tour (Downtown Danville) | 22 | 23 |
| 24 | 25 LIBRARY CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY  | 26 5 PM Just Try It: Floral Arrangements 6 PM Old House Club | 27 11 AM Danville Neighborhoods Walking Tour 5:30-8 PM SUMMER READING KICKOFF PARTY  | 28 5:30-7:30 PM Old-Time Folk Music Jam (Grayson's Tavern) 5:30-7:30 PM "It Happened Here: The Political Club of Danville" Exhibit Opening Reception (Grayson's Tavern) | 29 | 30 9 AM-12 PM Summer Reading Kickoff at the Farmers Market (Grayson's Tavern) |
| 31 |  READING CHALLENGE BEGINS! | | | | | |

EVENT AGE RANGE COLOR KEY

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| KIDS & FAMILIES | ADULTS | SPECIAL EVENTS & ACTIVITIES | OUTREACH  |
| YOUNG ADULTS | ALL AGES | STORY CENTER | |

* Register for starred events. Go to BoylePubLib.org for details.



BoylePubLib.org

Adult Education GED Classes
 Tuesdays from 5-7 PM
 in the BCPL Computer Lab

Want to earn your GED? Text or call 606-922-6819 for more information and to sign up. More info on the event listing on the library's website.

Programs & More

For any event, we ask that you make any accommodation requests by contacting the library three business days prior to the event.



All Ages

BCPL on the Road: Junction City DIY Flower Tote Bag

This month we'll be making flower tote bags using a technique known as flower pounding to create unique botanical prints. Each bag will be a unique piece of wearable nature art. All materials provided on a first-come basis while supplies last. (726 W. Shelby St., Junction City)



Special Events

All Abilities Resource Fair & Information Session

Learn about area resources available to people with physical, intellectual, and developmental disabilities.

The resource fair will be followed by an information session from library staff for the public regarding available resources through the library for individuals with disabilities and their caregivers.

1:30-2:30 PM **Resource Fair**
(Library Lobby)

2:45-3:15 PM **BCPL Info Session**
(Community Room)

"Spring Into Art History" Student Art Exhibit (All Ages)

Featuring artwork by local students from Boyle County Schools. Discover the themes & artworks from ancient times to modern art. On exhibit in the Gallery at BCPL May 6-17.

Homeschool Summer Reading Preview Party (6-17)

Homeschool students, parents, & co-ops are invited to learn about our Summer Reading Challenge, how to track your reading, and all of the free programs we'll be offering for kids, teens, and families. Crafts & snacks provided!

Summer Reading Kickoff Party (All Ages)

Summer Reading kicks off with inflatable obstacle courses and giant slides, a live wrestling demonstration, outdoor arcade-style games, toddler Splash Zone, and more! Learn about Beanstack and pick up a summer event calendar. A sensory-friendly room will be open in the Community Room.



Summer Reading Kickoff at Farmers Market (All Ages)

Summer Reading is coming to the Farmers Market! Join us for a party on the front lawn of the Story Center in Constitution Square. Pick up a summer calendar, join our reading challenge, and play fun lawn games! (Grayson's Tavern)

Adults

All Abilities Club

An activity appropriate for adults with physical, developmental, or intellectual disabilities. Explore, create & have fun in an inclusive environment! This month we're making **Self Portraits**, celebrating all the things that make us special & unique through artistic expression.

ASD Friends and Allies

A social group for adults with autism spectrum disorder. Have fun, grow friendships, & develop new social connections. This month we're having a **Game Night!** We'll have our collection of board games to play and snacks to munch on.

Boyle County Writers

Practice your skills, share your work, and receive feedback from peers. Facilitated by author Paul Stansbury. Remote participation available.

Kentucky Career Center Job Assistance

Get help with resumes, job applications, and interview preparation.

BCPL After Dark: Retro Crafts

Join us at Morley's! This month we'll be making retro crafts: beaded bracelets, perler beads, keychains, and more! (234 E. Walnut St., Danville)

Memories Worth Remembering VII Public Reading

Writers from the recent workshop will read from their recently published book.

Connect with KYNECT

Local kynector Julia Turpin will be available to help you apply for, update, or answer questions about Medicaid and other benefits.

Third Thursday Book Club

This month we'll discuss *The Thursday Murder Club* by Richard Osman.

Just Try It: Floral Arrangements

The Garden Club will share tips & tricks on how to make beautiful floral arrangements. All materials provided.

BCPL Business Center

- ▶ Copy/Print
- ▶ Scan
- ▶ Fax
- ▶ Free Wi-Fi
- ▶ Public Computers
- ▶ Meeting Rooms

Learn more about library technology at BoylePubLib.org/how-do-i



Most services located on Level 5

DID YOU KNOW?

YOU CAN GET DOCUMENTS NOTARIZED AT THE LIBRARY FOR FREE



*For more information about these and all upcoming events, visit BoylePubLib.org.

STORY CENTER

Revolutionary Ancestors

with the DAR (All Ages)

Join members of the St. Asaph Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution to start on your genealogy search in this drop-in program. (Kentucky Room)

Iron Baby Angel Walking Tour

(All Ages)

Walk with us to explore some of the sites featured in the book, *Iron Baby Angel*, and discuss how their portrayal in the book might differ from reality.

Tours will begin & end in the library lobby.

Danville Neighborhoods

Walking Tour (All Ages)

Join Story Center staff during Historic Preservation Month as they lead you through some of Danville's most historic neighborhoods. Tours will begin & end in the library lobby.

Downtown Third Thursday:

Tipsy Town Tour (All Ages)

Take a whirlwind tour of downtown Danville. Meet at the Story Center table in front of The Hub and take a stroll with us as we chat about historic Danville. Tours start at 6 & 7 PM. (Third & Main St., Danville)

Old House Club (Adults)

Do you live in an old house? Learn about the benefits and challenges of owning an old home, and how to care for yours. (Reading Room)

Old-Time Folk Music Jam (All Ages)

A gathering of acoustic musicians focusing on old-time music. (Grayson's Tavern)

"It Happened Here: The Political Club of Danville" Exhibit

Opening Reception (All Ages)

Join us to celebrate the work of the Political Club and its impact on Danville and Kentucky. Listen to folk music as you explore the exhibit. (Grayson's Tavern)

ABOUT THE STORY CENTER:

The Story Center brings the community together to preserve & share stories of local life in Boyle County. Preserve your records in the memory lab, record your story in the oral history studio, and explore the library's special collections and archives.

BoylePubLib.org/StoryCenter

THE STORY CENTER IS LOCATED AT
105 E. WALNUT ST., DANVILLE

Young Adults

YA FAFSA Assistance (Ages 16+)

Brittany Foley of KHEAA will be available to help you with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and answer your questions about college admissions.

Outreach



Visit the Bookmobile to check out materials and more at



any of our public stops. Visit the website to download the complete schedule.



STOP BY AND SAY HELLO IF YOU SEE THE BOOKMOBILE IN THE COMMUNITY!

BCPL

Hometown Hub

Perryville & Junction City

The library offers a Hometown Hub pick up location at Farmers National Bank in Perryville and Junction City.

Junction City deliveries will be made on Tuesdays. Perryville deliveries will be made on Thursdays.

Log into your library account to place materials on hold.

For complete details, visit BoylePubLib.org/hometownhub.

COMICS PLUS



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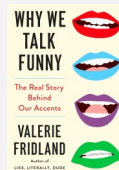
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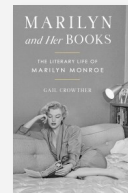
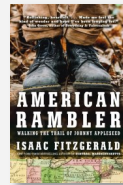


NEW Adult Nonfiction



Why We Talk Funny: The Real Story Behind Our Accents
by Valerie Fridland

American Rambler: Walking the Trail of Johnny Appleseed
by Isaac Fitzgerald



Marilyn and Her Books: The Literary Life of Marilyn Monroe
by Gail Crowther

Beyond Life and Death
by Jet Li

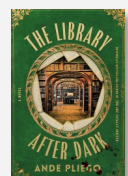


In Season: 125+ Sweet and Savory Recipes Celebrating Simple, Fresh Ingredients
by Lisa Steele

NEW Adult Fiction



The Calamity Club
by Kathryn Stockett

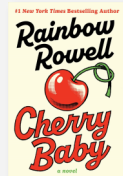


The Midnight Train
by Matt Haig



The Library After Dark
by Ande Pliego

Cherry Baby
by Rainbow Rowell



Summer Reading Preview

UNEARTH A STORY™



Unearth a Story this summer as you take part in **Summer Reading 2026 at the Boyle County Public Library!**

The library offers an nine-week literacy program for all ages that will have something for everyone. The fun begins with an all-ages kickoff party on May 27 at the library featuring outdoor games, inflatables, a toddler splash zone, and a live wrestling demonstration!

The theme this year is "Unearth a Story." Be ready for a roaring good time with dinosaurs, hands-on history, and adventures for readers of all sizes! Learn more at BoylePubLib.org/Summer Reading.

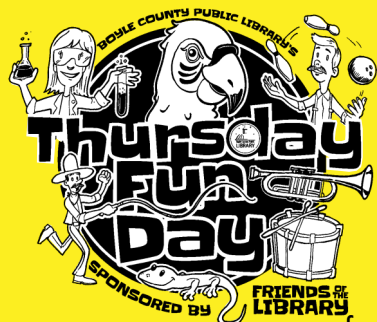


Join our reading challenge on Beanstack to earn free books and virtual raffle tickets to enter grand prize drawings.

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You can register or update your Beanstack account before Summer Reading begins! Get ready for a summer of fun! Go to BoylePubLib.beanstack.org



Join us on Thursday mornings at **10:30 AM** in June & July for Thursday FunDay!

Enjoy fun special performances at select locations, all FREE!

Come early for some outdoor fun and to visit the Bookmobile!

JUNE events will be held at the Boyle Co. Performing Arts Center (Boyle County Middle School)

JULY events will be held at Gravelly Hall (Danville High School) & Woodlawn Elementary School

THURSDAY FUNDAY PERFORMANCES WILL FEATURE ASL INTERPRETATION.

June 4 - *Whiz Bang Science*

@ BCPAC June 11 - *Cool Critters*

June 18 - *Freddy Fossil*

June 25 - *Digeridoo Down Under*

@ WOODLAWN July 9 - *Cincinnati Circus Magic Show*

July 16 - *PJ's Dino-Mite Magic & Mayhem*

@ GRAVELLY HALL July 23 - *The Bug Chicks*

July 30 - *Madcap Puppets*



Watch a movie outside under the stars at the Library on select Fridays this summer!

Set out your lawn chair and watch a movie perfect for the whole family! Themed crafts & games typically start at 8 pm. **Movie starts at dusk.** All movies are Rated PG or G. Event will be moved indoors in the case of inclement weather. (Library Park)

June 5 - *The Land Before Time*

June 19 - *Zootopia 2*

July 10 - *K-POP Demon Hunters*

July 24 - *The NeverEnding Story*



Visit BoylePubLib.org for information about resources, services, and upcoming events.

BCPL Social Media

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@boylecopubliclibrary

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BCPL Digital Library

BoylePubLib.org/emedialib



Libby is the app from OverDrive, provided by Kentucky Libraries Unbound, with access to borrow eBooks and audiobooks. Titles are automatically returned with no fines.

STORY CENTER

MAY HOURS TUE-FRI: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
SAT: 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

(Grayson's Tavern, 105 E. Walnut St., Danville)
859-757-0191 | StoryCenter@BoylePubLib.org

Library Hours

THU: 9:30 AM-8:00 PM
FRI: 9:30 AM-5:30 PM
MON: 9:30 AM-5:30 PM
TUE: 9:30 AM-8:00 PM
SAT: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM
WED: 9:30 AM-5:30 PM
SUN: Closed