A Universe of Stories

Cecil County Public Library’s

Summer Reading & Learning Program

June 1st - August 10th

Programs • Prizes • Family Fun Activities
Ages birth-entering grade 5
- Track the number of days spent reading on the Kids Reading Calendar.
- Visit the library or Bookmobile for a prize and a chance to win:
  - Orioles tickets
  - MD Science Center tickets
  - Sphero Mini Robot
  - Code & Go Robot Mouse

Students entering grades 6-12
- Track the number of days spent reading on the Teens Reading Calendar.
- Visit the library or Bookmobile for a prize and a chance to win:
  - Orioles tickets
  - $50 Visa gift card
  - Kindle Fire

Adults
- Read books, newspapers and magazine articles, or listen to audiobooks and podcasts.
- For every 10 hours logged, earn a chance to win Milburn Stone Theatre tickets!

ONLINE TRACKING OPTION:
Use Beanstack to log your reading and earn badges; then, visit the library for your prize.
Available at https://cecil.beanstack.org or on the Beanstack app.
Thank you, Summer Reading sponsors!

Friends of the Rising Sun Library
Mount Harmon Historic Plantation
mountharmon.org

Registration required unless otherwise noted.
Adults

Recreational Fishing 101
Monday, June 3 at 6:30 PM
Brett Coakley of the DNR will identify types of local fish and best practices for catching them.

Healthy Cooking for One or Two
Tuesday, July 30 at 6:30 PM
Learn to cook nutritious meals on a budget for one to two people. In partnership with the University of Maryland Extension.

Fake News: How to Spot It
Tuesday, June 11 at 6:30 PM
Librarian Ryan O’Grady will help you determine the kinds of fake news that exist and provides tools and resources for how to evaluate news for its reliability and truth to help you become a savvy judge of news and a more informed digital citizen.

Designing to Support Wildlife
Wednesday, June 12 at 6 PM
Learn about the role of native plants in our ecosystem to naturally attract and support wildlife. Presented by Christy Michaud, Certified Professional Horticulturist and Master Gardener.

Composting and Rainwater Collection
Monday, June 17 at 7 PM
Learn about the importance of composting, and the impact of rainwater management on our environment.

NMTC Science Café: Scuba Diving
Tuesday, July 16 at 6:30 PM
Retired Aberdeen Proving Ground scuba diver Matt Ramon will talk about his experiences diving and provide an up-close, hands-on look at scuba gear!

Exploring Cecil County Parks
Thursday, August 1 at 6 PM
Learn about our parks and the best spots for getting outdoors in Cecil County.

Deconstructing Art: Michael Bignell
Monday, June 10 at 6:30 PM
Learn about this artist’s influences and techniques and see how he takes a painting from concept to finished masterpiece.

Rockin’ Around with The Cruisers
Thursday, June 27 at 6:30 PM
Come out and bop to your favorite '50s and '60s tunes with the Big Bopper and Miss Teen Angel!

Historical Cecil County Vacation Resorts
Monday, July 15 at 6:30 PM
Local Historian Mike Dixon will explore past vacation destinations Crystal Beach, Hacks Point, Hollywood and more.

American Pottery with Ted Paugh
Tuesday, June 11 at 6:30 PM
Ted Paugh shares stories about historically significant pottery, featuring hundreds of pieces from 1915-1931.

Film Series
Tuesday, June 18 at 5:30 PM
Film screening of "Fantastic Beasts: Crimes of Grindelwald." (PG-13, 2hrs. 10min.)
Tuesday, July 30 at 5:30 PM
Film screening of "Tea with the Dames" starring Judi Dench. (documentary: not rated, 84 min.)
Tuesday, August 13 at 5:30 PM
Film screening of "Aquaman." (PG-13, 2hr. 20min)

Elkton Central Library

Chesapeake City Branch

Cecilton Branch

North East Branch


**Ancient Origins: Sumerians**  
*Tuesday, July 16 at 6:30 PM*  
Professor Jason Troy explores the life, struggles, faith, art and writing of the Sumerians of Mesopotamia.

**Maryland’s Hubble Space Telescope**  
*Tuesday, August 6 at 7 PM*  
Explore Hubble’s findings from nearby planets to distant galaxies with Jim O’Leary, Senior Scientist, and what the future holds for Hubble’s successor launching in 2021.

**Magic, Space & Swords**  
*Monday, August 12 at 6 PM*  

**The Complete Bob Dylan**  
*Tuesday, June 11 at 6:30 PM*  
Hop on Highway 61 for a lively discussion about one of the most influential singer-songwriters of all time. How did Bob Dylan win the Nobel Prize? Why is he relevant? Together, we’ll explore his impact.

**Songs and Stories with Saul Broudy**  
*Friday, June 21 at 6 PM*  
Enjoy music and stories when Folk Musician Saul Broudy takes the stage. Don’t miss a chance to see this master of the guitar and harmonica play for you!

**We Came In Peace: 50 Years on the Moon**  
*Wednesday, July 24 at 6:30 PM*  
On July 20, 1969 Neil Armstrong, along with his crewmates made history by leaving a footprint on our moon. Presenter Eric Mease will examine the history, people, air and space craft, completion, politics, and tragedies surrounding this historic event.

**Social Security 101**  
*Monday, August 12 at 3:30 PM*  
Matthew Baxter, from the Social Security Administration, will discuss eligibility criteria for all benefit programs to include retirement, disability, and survivor benefits.
## Locations and Hours

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**HOLIDAY CLOSINGS:**

Thursday, July 4: Independence Day

[Visit www.cecil.ebranch.info for locations and hours.]