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Boone County Public Library



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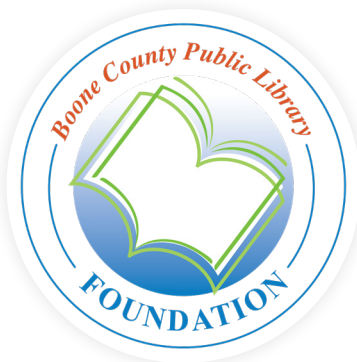
TRIVIA COMPETITION FUNDRAISER

Building on the success of our first-ever Trivia Competition, the Boone County Public Library Foundation is thrilled to host the second annual event. Thanks to the incredible generosity of our community partners, last year's competition raised over \$11,000 to support Boone County's Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. This year, we're aiming even higher, with a goal of raising \$15,000 to expand the Imagination Library's impact in our community.

Organizations, companies, individuals and schools are invited to form teams for an exciting evening of spirited competition. Teams of 4-8 participants will face off in multiple rounds of challenging trivia. Complimentary refreshments will be provided for all participants. Spectators are welcome to attend free of charge, although donations are greatly appreciated to help support our cause.

The Boone County Public Library Foundation is a non-profit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Contributions to The Foundation will enhance and support our mission statement beyond the means of public funding.

BCPL Mission Statement: Discover. Explore. Experience. A Lifetime of Learning.



Test your wits and Support Your Library!

Date and Location

Tuesday, March 25, 2025 at 6 p.m.

Boone County Public Library –
Main Library
1786 Burlington Pike in Burlington, KY

Prize

The winning team earns a prestigious trophy and the honor of their names engraved on a trophy displayed at the Main Library.

Entry Fees

Organizations/Companies:

\$250 per team

Individuals:

\$100 per team

Students (high school/college):

\$50 per team

Deadline

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

Registration

Visit bcpl.org/foundation to register your team.

Thank you to our sponsors:



Scan the QR code to make a donation!

explore events & workshops for ADULTS

REGISTER FOR LIBRARY EVENTS

Go to bcpl.org and locate your program in the Library's event calendar or call 859-342-BOOK (2665) and select the appropriate location. All registrations will close one hour prior to the event unless otherwise noted.

Weekly Programs

Yoga for Healthy Weight
Mondays
Main Library, 6 p.m.

Wednesdays
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Thursdays
Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.

Bring a yoga mat. \$30 monthly. Register at 859-334-2117 or boonecountyky.org/departments/parks.

Easy English Group
Wednesdays
Florence Branch, noon

Improve your English reading and speaking skills in a low-stress setting. All levels welcome.

Chair Yoga
Thursdays
Walton Branch, 1 p.m.

Relax and enhance your sense of well-being with gentle movements and meditation. No experience needed.

On Display March 1-31

Women of Wonder
Main Library
Celebrate the women of Boone County.

Brick Creations by OKILUG
Scheben Branch

View impressive LEGO creations by the Ohio Kentucky Indiana Lego User Group.

Wood Carvings
Walton Branch

View unique creations by River Valley Wood Carvers.

United Way Free Tax Prep: Drop-Off Service
Mondays

Florence Branch, 5-6 p.m.

Get help with your taxes from trained and certified volunteers. Visit uwgc.org/taxes or call 2-1-1 for more information. No appointments necessary.

SWET DanceFit

Saturday, March 1

Hebron Branch, 9:30 a.m.

Try a nonstop, medium to high energy cardio dance class that combines various dance styles. Please register.

Women in Horror: The Final Girl vs The Monstrous Feminine

Saturday, March 1, 2 p.m.

Florence Branch

In-person: Please register.

Zoom

Virtual: Please register. Zoom link will be provided prior to event.

Celebrate Women's History Month by exploring the evolving archetypes of women in horror and their impact on the genre.

BIL: Cricut Wooden Sign

Monday, March 3

Hebron Branch, 4-5 p.m. or 6-7 p.m.

Learn about our Cricut machine and create a wooden sign. Select a design and apply it to a piece of wood. Please register for one time.

Kawaii-brary!

Monday, March 3

Florence Branch, 6:30 p.m.

Make mush-room for creativity as you design your own fungi magnets.

Dance Fitness

Tuesday, March 4

Main Library, 6:30 p.m.

Get fit with upbeat dancing. Bring water, wear comfortable gym shoes and workout clothing.

Line Dancing

Wednesday, March 5

Scheben Branch, 6:30 p.m.

Get fit, have fun and learn several beginner-friendly line and circle dances. Bring a water bottle and comfortable shoes. Please register.

Der Ostereierbaum

Thursday, March 6

Walton Branch, 2:30 p.m.

Create traditional German eggs for an Easter Tree. Please register.



Take and Make: Facial Spray

Monday, March 10

Walton Branch

Pick up a kit to create a DIY face mist, while supplies last.

Hoxworth Blood Drive

Tuesday, March 11

Main Library, noon-6 p.m.

Visit hoxworth.org/groups/bcpl or call 513-451-0910 for an appointment.



Designing Women: Cincinnati Dressmakers

Tuesday, March 11

Hebron Branch, 6:30 p.m.

Encounter the best in women's fashion from the late 19th and early 20th century and learn about the Cincinnati women designers who made it happen. Presented by the Cincinnati Art Museum.

Writers Group

Tuesday, March 11

Main Library, 7 p.m.

Open to all genres of writing. Share your work with others for feedback, encouragement and inspiration. Email asnow@bcpl.org with guidelines.

Perennial Possibilities for Home Gardeners

Wednesday, March 12

Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.

From selection to planting to year-round care and problem solving, learn a little bit of everything about perennial flowers, ornamental grasses and foliage plants from Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Gardens horticulturist, Ed Atkinson. Please register.

Dungeons & Dragons

Thursday, March 13

Main Library, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Bring your dice and characters for a magic-filled journey or choose from a selection of premade adventurers waiting to explore. All levels welcome.

T'ai Chi

Fridays, March 14 and 28

Scheben Branch, 2:30 p.m.

Improve balance, strength and flexibility with this gentle form of T'ai Chi that is beneficial for arthritis and fall prevention. Appropriate for all experience levels.

Take and Make:

Random Acts of Kindness Kit

Monday, March 17

Florence Branch

Pick up a kit to be a positive spark in our neighborhood with prompts and activities to make kindness the norm, while supplies last.

Keep Calm and Carry Yarn

Monday, March 17

Walton Branch, 6 p.m.

Welcome yarn-minded folks for community and needle arts. Bring your yarn project to show off, get inspired or get advice. Teaching is available for knitting or crochet.

Spring Into Wellness Health Fair

Tuesday, March 18

Florence Branch, 4-7 p.m.

Local agencies will provide information, health screenings and tools to assist with leading a healthier lifestyle. Screenings on a first-come, first-served basis.

Managing Financial Stress

Tuesday, March 18

Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Regain control and reduce anxiety with practical strategies for budgeting, managing debt and planning for unexpected expenses in a judgment-free environment. Presented by the Kentucky Financial Empowerment Commission.

Moroccan Harira Soup

Wednesday, March 19

Walton Branch, 5-6:30 p.m.

Learn how to make this vegetarian and halal soup for Eid Al-Fitr, the end of Ramadan. Done in conjunction with Diane Mason of the Boone County Extension Office. Please register.

Take and Make: Bloom Capsules

Thursday, March 20

Scheben Branch

Pick up a kit and plant seed bundles to help promote wildlife and restore biodiversity to our environment, while supplies last.

Untangling the Census in Genealogy Research

Thursday, March 20

Main Library, 6 p.m.

Discover the history and applications of the U.S. Census to enhance your genealogy research and build out your family tree.

Friday Game Social

Friday, March 21

Walton Branch, 10 a.m.

Play various board, card and dice games with new friends!

Take and Make: Tissue Pack Holder

Monday, March 24

Walton Branch

Pick up a kit and sew a simple pattern to stylize on-the-go tissues. Sewing knowledge needed, while supplies last.

Comfort Quilts for the Community

Monday, March 24

Main Library, 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Sew quilts for community charities.



Origami Cherry Blossoms

Monday, March 24

Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Celebrate spring by creating your own beautiful cherry blossoms made out of recycled paper. Please register.

Trivia Competition Fundraiser

Tuesday, March 25

Main Library, 6 p.m.

See front cover.

Diamond Painting

Wednesday, March 26

Scheben Branch, 2 p.m.

Learn how to diamond paint, a cross between paint-by-numbers and cross stitch! It's an easy-to-learn art form.

Speed Friending

Wednesday, March 26

Main Library, 6:30 p.m.

Meet new friends while chatting through a rotating set of fun conversation starters. Please register.

Big Bone Mastodons

Thursday, March 27

Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.

Discover how finding fossilized remains of elephant-like animals in the 1700s at the lick led to an understanding of extinction and climate change with Dave Hauber and the Friends of Big Bone.

Amateur Chess Meetup

Friday, March 28

Walton Branch, 2-3:30 p.m.


Enjoy a quiet game of chess with other beginners. Cheat sheets provided.

Tolkien Trivia

Friday, March 28

Main Library, 6:30 p.m.

Gather your fellowship and put your high fantasy knowledge to the test! Bring light to the night with food, cheer and prizes. Costumes encouraged.

 Call the Community Events Liaison at 859-292-3393 at least one week in advance if special accommodations are needed.

Be the One Team to Rule Them All

Tolkien Trivia

Friday, March 28
Main Library, 6:30 p.m.



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Traditional Hoop Dancing Performance

Starr Chief Eagle

Monday, March 24
Main Library, 6 p.m.



ABC Play With Me (birth-5 years)

Saturday, March 1
Main Library, 10-11:30 a.m.

Tuesdays, March 11 and 25
Florence Branch, 10-11:30 a.m.

Learn and explore through play by participating in activities that promote healthy development and learning.

Paws to Read (grades K-5)

Monday, March 3
Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.

Practice reading with a certified therapy dog! Please register.



Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park: Alice and the Hundred Acre Wood (family)

Thursday, March 6
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

There's been a crime in the Hundred Acre Wood! Alice, the best Wonderland detective, hunts for clues in a mystery featuring Winnie the Pooh, Piglet and Tigger, too. Follow the clues and help Alice crack the case!

ArtSmart (grades K-5)

Thursday, March 6
Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.

Monday, March 10
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Unleash creativity while learning about an artist. Explore techniques and materials to create your masterpiece.

Early Childhood Fair (family)

Saturday, March 8
Main Library, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
See page 5 for details.

Take and Make: A Pencil Worm (3-5 years)

Monday, March 10
Main Library

Pick up a kit to make your very own pet worm on a pencil, while supplies last.

Homeschool Sampler (grades 1-5)

Wednesday, March 12
Main Library, 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 26
Walton Branch, 2:30 p.m.

Mingle with other homeschool families through crafts, experiences and community presentations. Please register.

Pages and Paws (grades K-5)

Thursday, March 13
Florence Branch, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, March 18
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Sunday, March 30
Main Library, 2 p.m.

Practice reading with a certified therapy dog. Please register.

Brick by Brick (grades 1-5)

Friday, March 14
Main Library, 4 p.m.

Create a brick masterpiece! Supplies are provided and creations will be displayed at the library.

Itty Bitty Playdate (birth-2 years)

Saturday, March 15
Scheben Branch, 10 a.m.

Enjoy playtime with developmentally appropriate play stations and activities.

Cincinnati Zoo: Birds of a Feather (family)

Sunday, March 16
Scheben Branch, 2 p.m.

From parrots to raptors, birds big and small will fly, climb and mesmerize you. Learn what unique stories and facts make these birds the stars of the Wings of Wonder. Please register.



Full STEAM Ahead (2-5 years)

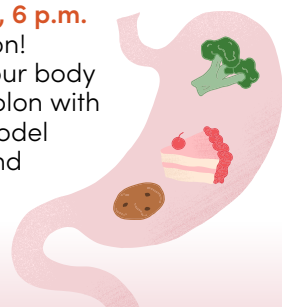
Monday, March 17
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Put your leprechaun catching skills to the test by designing your own trap! Discover the colors of the rainbow and see the magic of fizzing shamrocks.

Mad Scientists (grades 3-5)

Wednesday, March 19
Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.

Dive into digestion! Follow food in your body from mouth to colon with spit science, a model digestive tract and simulation poop.



Mini Golf (grades K-5)

Thursday, March 20
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Time to par-tee! Play a round of book-themed mini golf.



Happy Birthday, Fred Rogers! (2-5 years)

Saturday, March 22
Florence Branch, 10 a.m.

Celebrate our red sweater friend with yarn art, make-believe puppets and trolley fun!

Starr Chief Eagle (family)

Monday, March 24
Main Library, 6 p.m.

Experience Lakota Culture. Watch a performance of the rare tradition of Hoop Dancing, which uses 22 hoops to create designs, shapes and creatures to tell a story.

Game On! (family)

Wednesday, March 26
Scheben Branch, 6 p.m.
Enjoy a game night and play some of the awesome games in Scheben's Family Board Game Collection.

STEAMpunks (grades K-5)

Thursday, March 27
Florence Branch, 4:30 p.m.

It's spring! Build a Bee Hotel to help the bees make this season bee-utiful!

Cincinnati Museum Center: The Reasons for the Seasons (grades K-5)

Monday, March 31
Walton Branch, 6 p.m.

Using globes, rotate and revolve your way to learn about the seasons. Create the sounds of spring and explore seasonal camouflage with mounted animal specimens. Please register.



Weekly Through April 25

Build language and literacy skills through interactive stories, rhymes and music.

Baby Time (birth-18 months)

Main Library
• Wed: 9:30 a.m.
Scheben Branch
• Fri: 9:30 a.m.

Sleepy Tales (birth-5+ years)

Florence Branch
• Mon: 5 p.m.

Tiny Tots (18 months- 2½ years)

Scheben Branch
• Mon: 10 a.m.
• Wed: 10 a.m.
Hebron Branch
• Tues: 10 a.m.
Main Library
• Thurs: 9:30 a.m.
• Thurs: 11 a.m.

Bookworms (3½-5+ years)

Walton Branch
• Mon: 11 a.m.
Main Library
• Tues: 11 a.m.
Scheben Branch
• Thurs: 10 a.m.

Family Time (birth-5+ years)

Main Library
• Mon: 11 a.m.
• Fri: 9:30 a.m.
Scheben Branch
• Tues: 9:30 a.m.
Walton Branch
• Tues: 9:30 a.m.
• Thurs: 9:30 a.m.
Hebron Branch
• Wed: 10 a.m.
• Thurs: 9:30 a.m.

Toddler Tales (2½-3½ years)

Main Library
• Mon: 9:30 a.m.
• Wed: 11 a.m.
Scheben Branch
• Tues: 11 a.m.
Walton Branch
• Wed: 9:30 a.m.

Stories with Art (3-6 years)

Scheben Branch
• Tues: 6:30 p.m.

Chapin Memorial Library
• Thurs: 6 p.m.
Florence Branch
• Fri: 10:30 a.m.

Early Childhood Fair 2025

Saturday, March 8 Main Library, 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

The 19th Annual Early Childhood Fair will include community organizations that offer children's activities and provide information about services for little ones (ages 0-5) and their families. Organizations include preschools, music classes, sports programs and more!

Activities for the whole family include:

- Live animals from Cool Critters
- Activities from community organizations
- Hearing tests offered by Children's Hospital
- Vision screenings offered by the Lions Club
- Developmental screenings (ages 2 months-36 months)
- Door prizes, generously donated by local groups

For more information, call 859-342-BOOK (2665) ext. 8138.



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Discover the Historical Movement!

Suffragette Rosettes

Tuesday, March 4
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Dungeons and Dragons (grades 6-12) Fridays

Scheben Branch, 4-5:30 p.m.
Play D&D 5th Edition! All levels welcome. Characters are ready or bring your own. To be a dungeon or game master, email dpina@bcpl.org.

Suffragette Rosettes (grades 6-12)

Tuesday, March 4
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Learn about the international, national and local women's suffrage movements. Join a suffragist parade with a green screen backdrop, and make a suffragette rosette.

Global Goodies (grades 6-12)

Wednesday, March 5
Main Library, 6 p.m.

Experience Indian culture by celebrating Holi. Try Chai tea and wear clothes that can get messy for a colorful extravaganza.

Teen Time (grades 6-12)

Monday, March 10
Walton Branch, 4 p.m.

Gather with other teens as you create timeless crafts like friendship bracelets and pinch pots.

Video Game Club (grades 6-12)

Thursday, March 13
Scheben Branch, 6:30 p.m.

We love playing video games! Battle for Ultimate Glory or exchange friend codes with new friends. Snacks provided.



Kawaii Monsters (grades 6-12)

Saturday, March 15
Main Library, 2 p.m.

Crochet a pocket-sized Kawaii monster. All level crocheters welcome!

Anime Afternoon (grades 6-12)

Wednesday, March 19
Florence Branch, 5 p.m.

Watch anime, share what manga you're reading and have some snacks.

Teen Yoga (grades 6-12)

Friday, March 21
Florence Branch, 4 p.m.

Practice self-care and uncover your inner zen through yoga! All skill levels are welcome. Yoga mat and water provided. Please register.

Maker Monday (grades 6-12)

Monday, March 31
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

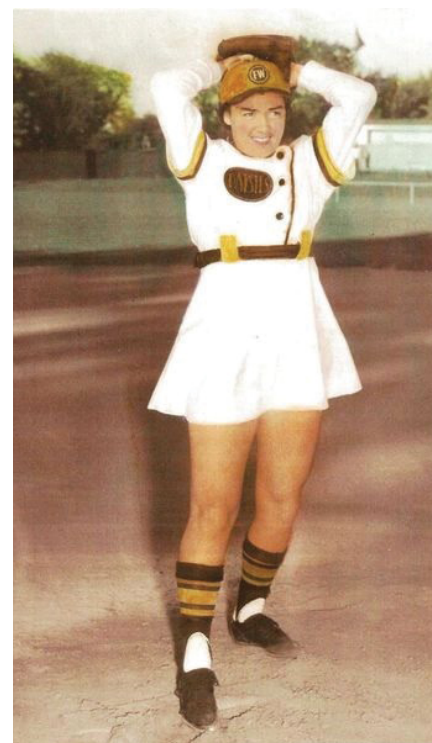
Celebrate spring by creating a beautiful bouquet of origami flowers!



Call the YS Community Events Liaison at 859-342-2665 Ext. 8142 at least one week in advance if special accommodations are needed.

Hometown Hero, Pat Scott

By Hillary Delaney, Local History Associate



In 1929, Wilfred and Irene Scott of Boone County welcomed their first child, a baby girl named Patricia, whose image would one day be on display at the Baseball Hall of Fame. Pat Scott's athleticism was obvious from an early age and throughout her life. She excelled at softball, baseball, bowling, horsemanship, even competitive shooting. Her abilities and gifts didn't end there; Pat was also an expert wood carver and painter, dabbled (successfully) in leatherwork, won prizes for gardening projects, trained horses and dogs, and played the dulcimer. Ultimately, it was her talent on the baseball field that made her a hometown hero when she became a pitcher in the All-American Girls Professional Baseball League (AAGPBL).

When Pat was about eight years old, Wilfred noticed that she loved tossing a ball against the family barn. Within two years, he built his daughter her very own "Field of Dreams", complete with bleachers. Parental support didn't end there; Irene served as her daughter's catcher, in full gear as she helped Pat fine-tune her natural ability.

In 1948, as Pat was nearing the end of her senior year in high school, her father took her to tryouts for the AAGPBL at Wrigley Field, and she made the cut. The seventeen year old spent part of spring training finishing her studies so she could graduate on time with her classmates. After Pat was added to the Springfield Sallies' roster, she played only 19 games before her mother became seriously ill, and she returned home.

As her mother recovered, Pat stayed close working at the UK Extension office. In the fall of 1950, a reporter delivered news to Pat's father that Max Carey, president of the AAGPBL, was leaving his position to manage the Fort Wayne Daisies and wanted Pat to pitch for the team.

Pat's strengths were speed and precision, which helped lead the Daisies to a first-place finish in 1951, followed by an even better season in 1952, when Pat pitched the pennant clinching game. After another successful season in 1953, Pat left her baseball career behind for an opportunity to study in Austria. After returning a year later, she enrolled in UK's zoology program and played on the UK basketball team.

Pat continued to excel at athletic, intellectual and artistic pursuits. When the 1992 film, *A League of Their Own*, was in production, Pat Scott was one of the on-set consultants brought in to ensure accuracy. In 2006, the City of Walton dedicated the Pat Scott Field at the Walton Community Park. She passed away in 2016 at age 87.



Archive and History Center Information

about

With 7000+ physical items, 4000+ digital items and 5 experts, the Archive and History Center at Boone County Public Library is the foremost authority in Boone County local history and genealogy.

desk hours

Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

contact us

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A Snapshot in History



Florence School, 1925 - England Collection -BCPL Digital Archive

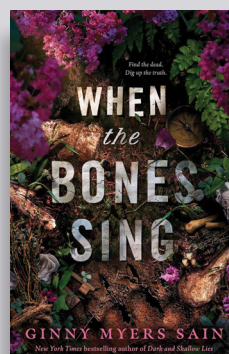
TEEN new releases



They Bloom at Night
by Trang Thanh Tran



Fable for the End of the World
by Ava Reid



When the Bones Sing
by Ginny Myers Sain



Hangry Hearts
by Jennifer Chen

Concerts

BCPL brings you a calendar of live music from a variety of musical artists!

Bands are subject to change without notice.

 Call the Community Events Liaison at 859-292-3393 at least one week in advance if special accommodations are needed.

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Hills of Kentucky Dulcimers

Sunday, March 16

Walton Branch, 2:30 p.m.

Traditional Appalachian Dulcimers

Matt Tolentino Band

Friday, March 21

Main Library, 7 p.m.

Jazz, swing and pop from the 20s and 30s

april

The Pac

Saturday, April 5

Scheben Branch, 2 p.m.

Rock and country favorites from the 50s and 60s

Squeeze Play Music

Friday, April 25

Main Library, 7 p.m.

Popular tunes played by an accordion ensemble



Hills of Kentucky Dulcimers - March 16



Matt Tolentino Band - March 21

Boone Innovation Lab Spotlight

Create Custom Wearable Art with the Button Maker!

Express your creativity with custom buttons that are perfect for showcasing your personality, promoting your small business or crafting unique keepsakes for special events. The button maker at the Boone Innovation Lab (BIL) makes it easy to transform your ideas into fun, wearable art.

Start by preparing your design. Bring your pre-printed images or a flash drive with your creations to the library where you can print them for \$0.25 per black-and-white page or \$0.50 per color page. Choose from two button sizes: 1-inch for \$0.10 each or 2.25-inch for \$0.25 each. Once you have your supplies, the process is simple. Trim your image to the perfect size with our circular cutter, then use the button maker to press your design securely into place. In just seconds, you'll have a custom button ready to wear or share!

Book an appointment with the Boone Innovation Lab to get started. All you need is a BCPL library card in good standing. If you don't have one, visit any of our locations to sign up.

 Book your appointment at bcpl.org/bil



BIL Information

about

Located at the Main Library, Hebron Branch and Walton Branch, the BIL is a place to create, learn and preserve memories. For more information, visit bcpl.org/bil.

hours

Hours vary according to staff availability. Appointments are required.

equipment

Equipment varies across locations. Visit bcpl.org/bil to reserve the following for use in the BIL.

Audio/Visual

- green screen
- microphones with POP filter
- photo cube light set-up
- media conversion station

Crafting/Sewing

- sewing machine
- quilting machine
- embroidery machine
- serger
- button maker

Creator Group

- 3D printers
- xTool
- Cricut
- laser cutter
- poster printer
- sublimation printer
- heat press

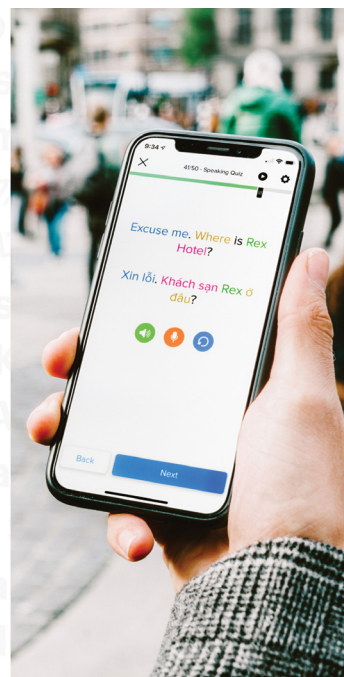
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- Wacom Tablet

Digital Resource



Adventure in the palm of your hand



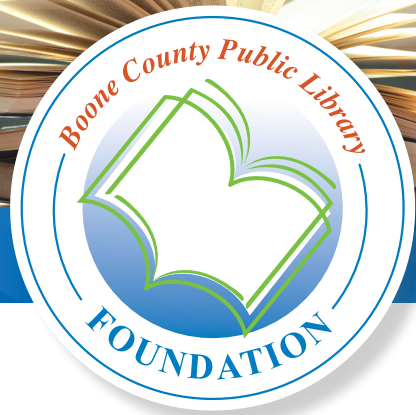
Let Your Language Skills Bloom with Mango!

This spring, nurture your love of learning with Mango Languages! Choose from over 70 languages, including Spanish, French, German, Chinese and English. With engaging, bite-sized lessons and memory-boosting activities, Mango makes it easy and enjoyable to grow your skills and build confidence.

Access Mango Languages anytime on your computer or mobile device, and even download lessons for offline learning. With your library card, the possibilities are in full bloom.

Start growing your knowledge today!





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Ways to make a donation:

- PayPal
- Check
- Horizon Community Fund
- Kroger Community Rewards

For more information or to make a donation, visit bcpl.org/foundation. All donations are tax-deductible; an acknowledgment letter will be sent to the donor.

Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees meets on the third Monday of each month at 4 p.m.

March Board Meeting
Monday, March 17
Main Library

April Board Meeting
Monday, April 21
Walton Branch

May Board Meeting
Monday, May 19
Main Library

June Board Meeting
Monday, June 16
Main Library

Curt Bessette Art Gallery

The Curt Bessette Art Gallery is located on the first floor of the Main Library. It features work by regional and national artists, as well as special exhibits. The gallery gives local artists a chance to display their work for sale.

The namesake of the gallery, Curt Bessette, was a quiet child who spent many hours drawing and creating art of the people and scenes around him. As time passed, his interest in art and talent for various artistic styles only grew until he became known by his peers as the Artist. Mr. Bessette also served on the Boone County Public Library Board of Trustees from July 2016 to February 2017.

On Exhibit

Deana Swetlik

March 6-April 8

Main Library, Curt Bessette Art Gallery

Deana is a multi-talented artist whose fine art encompasses acrylics, photography and pastels. Her artistic style spans expressionism, realism and impressionism, incorporating mixed media to capture her subjects. She uses a process called 'extractionism' which begins with selecting a photograph from her 25-plus-year collection. The image is printed on archival paper, gesso-painted onto canvas or another base material and enhanced with detailed painting.

Deana is influenced by her training in architecture and planning and passion for cities and places. The serenity, beauty and wonder found in the natural environment also inspires her. She uses 3-dimensions, brilliant color and vibrant light to lift viewers from their struggles toward hope and love. She strongly believes in lifelong learning and the importance of engaging both the right and left brain to achieve the best results in any situation. See more of her artwork at artbydeana.art



Book Discussion Groups

To request a book, call 859-342-BOOK (2665) or email the group leader.

Best of the Best

Thursday, March 6
Florence Branch, 3 p.m.

Breakfast at Tiffany's by Truman Capote
Read and discuss bestselling novels.
Leader Michael: mstulz@bcpl.org

Classics Unfolded

Monday, March 10
Walton Branch, 6 p.m.

Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain
Encounter timeless tales in new ways.
Titles change quarterly.
Leader Jessica: jmarkink@bcpl.org

Chapter and Verse

Tuesday, March 11
Scheben Branch, 6:30 p.m.

The Midnight Library by Matt Haig
Read everything fiction to biographies.
Leader Shaun: spowell@bcpl.org

Thrillers and Chillers

Thursday, March 13
Main Library, 10 a.m.

Death Comes to Pemberley by P.D. James
Read suspense, mystery and true crime.
Leader Alisa: asnow@bcpl.org

Silent Book Club

Monday, March 17
Hebron Branch, 6 p.m.

Bring your own book and read with no pressure for discussion.
Leader Gelene: gmorales@bcpl.org

Afternoon Delight

Tuesday, March 18
Walton Branch, 3 p.m.

Theme of the month: Fake Dating
Read and discuss a romance trope.
Leader Marissa: mwinfield@bcpl.org

Chick Picks

Thursday, March 20
Main Library, 10 a.m.

Dear Edward by Ann Napolitano
Women of all ages read a mix of genres.
Leader Karen: khelmle@bcpl.org

Books to Savor

Sunday, March 23
Walton Branch, 2 p.m.

Dear Mrs. Bird by AJ Pearce
Read culinary-inspired novels and share recipes.
Leader Gabi: grichardson@bcpl.org

Monday 4 Mystery

Monday, March 24
Florence Branch, 6:30 p.m.

Hour of the Witch by Chris Bohjalian
Explore mystery and suspense novels.
Leader Kevin: kwadlow@bcpl.org



Mobile Apps

BCPL App

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Libby

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Genre Author List

Romantasy is a subgenre of the fantasy genre that typically includes tales of love, destiny, social systems, relationships and more!

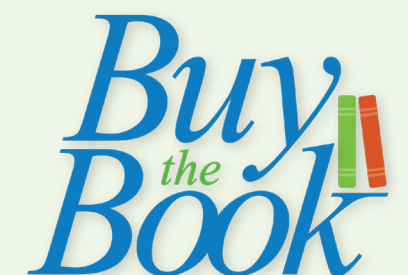
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| <i>Rebecca Yarros</i> | <i>Grace Draven</i> | <i>K. A. Tucker</i> |
| <i>Jennifer L. Armentrout</i> | <i>Scarlett St. Clair</i> | <i>Ilona Andrews</i> |
| <i>Carissa Broadbent</i> | <i>Charlie N. Holmberg</i> | <i>Patricia Briggs</i> |
| <i>Amanda Bouchet</i> | <i>Samantha Shannon</i> | <i>Hannah Whitten</i> |
| <i>Sarah J. Maas</i> | | <i>Seanan McGuire</i> |

ROMANTASY

For more recommendations, visit bcpl.org/books.

Buy the Book

Buy the Book sells used books, movies, music and more at bargain prices! It is located on the first floor at the Main Library in Burlington and is open during library hours.



SIX locations to serve you – one phone number: 859-342-BOOK (2665) www.bcpl.org #CheckOutBCPL

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1786 Burlington Pike, Burlington, KY 41005
Monday-Thursday 9am-9pm
Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday 9am-5pm
Sunday 1-5pm

HEBRON BRANCH

1863 North Bend Rd, Hebron, KY 41048
Monday-Thursday 9am-8pm
Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday 9am-5pm
Sunday 1-5pm

FLORENCE BRANCH

7425 US 42, Florence, KY 41042
Monday-Thursday 9am-8pm
Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday 9am-5pm

SCHEBEN BRANCH

8899 US 42, Union, KY 41091
Monday-Thursday 9am-8pm
Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday 9am-5pm
Sunday 1-5pm

WALTON BRANCH

13000 Towne Center Dr, Walton, KY 41094
Monday-Thursday 9am-8pm
Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday 9am-5pm
Sunday 1-5pm

CHAPIN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

6517 Market Street, Petersburg, KY 41080
Monday-Thursday 11am-7pm
Friday 10am-6pm
Saturday 10am-5pm
STAFF AVAILABLE:
Tuesday & Wednesday 2-7pm
Thursday 1-7pm

Meet the Board of Trustees

Deborah Dutton-Lambert, Secretary

Debbie Dutton-Lambert joined the Boone County Public Library Board of Trustees in 2024 and serves as the Secretary. She is committed to advocating for library services in Boone County that meet the needs of all taxpayers. An avid reader, Debbie believes that libraries are a critical resource for every community. When she learned that the Chapin Memorial Library in Petersburg had temporarily closed, she worked with community members to campaign for its re-opening.

Debbie has over 45 years of experience in executive leadership and consulting, specializing in workforce development for individuals facing employment challenges. She has developed and administered evidence-based vocational programs and led strategic partnerships with employers, community organizations and government entities. As a CARF International Surveyor, she has provided expertise in quality assurance, risk

management and strategic planning. Debbie is published in psychiatric rehabilitation and workforce development. Currently, she is a forensic rehabilitation expert witness and runs an independent career counseling practice.

Debbie and her husband, Phil, moved to Boone County from Ohio in 2021, where they purchased the historic Loder home on the Ohio River in Petersburg, Kentucky. Their favorite hobby is collecting and displaying antiques in their home.

