CCPL Newsletter
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Kentucky Picture Show
Fab Films & Free Refreshments, Too
For Titles Call the Library and Choose Phone Option 4

Wednesday, December 5, 2PM
(2018) A security expert must infiltrate a burning skyscraper, 225 stories above ground, when his family are trapped inside by criminals. Rated – PG -13

Wednesday, December 12, 2PM
(2018) A father and his thirteen year-old daughter are living an ideal existence in a vast urban park in Portland, Oregon, when a small mistake derails their lives forever. Rated - PG

Wednesday, December 19, 2PM
(1945) A food writer who has lied about being the perfect housewife must try to cover her deception when her boss and a returning war hero invite themselves to her home for a traditional family Christmas.

Holiday Classes & Events at CCPL

Miniature Yarn Shop on Holiday Display at the Library
December 2018

Through the month of December, Director Julie Maruskin’s three-story miniature yarn shop will be on display at the Library for the holidays. The display features handcrafted toys and dolls as well as vintage items. Best of all? Guess the number of yarn skeins in the display, and you can enter your name in a drawing for a gift card to ReBelle Yarn Shop in Lexington.

Merry Craftmas: A Drop-In Craft Program for Adults
Saturday, December 8, 2018
10:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Drop in any time between 10:00 AM to 2:30 PM
Recommended for ages 15 and up.
Come out and craft with us at the library on Saturday, December 8 – it’s all about clothespins this year! Our five clothespin ornament projects are truly festive and fun to make, especially for ornament swaps or teacher gifts. Come for half an hour and make one ornament - or bring your lunch and craft all day!

20th Anniversary Holiday Open House 2018

Join us on Saturday, December 8, to celebrate our 20th anniversary at 370 South Burns, to check out our new holiday books, music, and DVDs – and be sure to have a holiday treat while you’re perusing the holiday fare! We’ll also be drawing for several gift certificates at the end of the celebration – Winchester’s Daily Grind Coffee, Frank’s Doughnuts, and Creative Coffees.
December Evening Reading Group
A Visit from Saint Nicholas, or Twas the Night Before Christmas, by Clement Clarke Moore
Led by John Maruskin
Tuesday, December 11, 6 PM

The 28 rhymed couplets that make up Clement Clarke Moore’s A Visit from Saint Nicholas are some of the most unforgettable and influential lines of verse ever written. Today, we take the poem for granted as a source for parodies done in every dialect from Beatnik to Pirate. The original has a rich history and signaled a cultural shift in early 19th century American Christmas celebrations. This evening reading group will start with a 20 minute presentation about the poem’s background and then we’ll get into our own impressions of the Jolly Old Elf’s visit. Copies available at the circulation desk, or bring your favorite edition, not only the original, but of parodies you enjoy. Please register to attend. Christmas cookies? Oui.

Winchester Writers Group
Tuesday, December 11, 6:30 PM

Winchester/Clark County Writers meet the second Tuesday of each month to read the short stories they have written. Topics for next month’s meeting are suggested at the end of each meeting. Or, writers may write about a topic of their own choice. After the story is read, it is then discussed by the group. We welcome beginning writers or published authors. For information, contact the President, Betty Pace: bettypace3@aol.com.

Leaving Your Mark
Led by Lisa Johns
Wednesday, December 12, 5:30-8 PM

In a technology driven world, we often move from one thing to the next, one place to the next, and never really slow down to find that one place where quiet and creativity meet. This class is an exercise in writing, painting, collage, in creativity, in finding the quiet in our busy worlds. Please leave your cell phone in the car. The world will go on - with or without us.

Meeting of Minds: Tuesday, December 18, 6:30 PM

At Meeting of Minds we talk about set topics, or freestyle and see where the conversation goes. We discuss ideas. We don’t argue. Every viewpoint is welcome. For information contact Adult Services Librarian, John Maruskin, john.clarkbooks@gmail.com, 859-744-5661, ext. 110

Book Lunch
The Thin Man, by Dashiel Hammett
Thursday, December 20, 12 PM

I was leaning against the bar in a speakeasy on Fifty-second Street, waiting for Nora to finish her Christmas shopping...

Christmas, 1932, the final days of Prohibition. Retired Pinkerton detective Nick Charles plans to stay pleasantly inebriated and enjoy the Holidays with his charming wife Nora, but up steps Dorothy Wynant, who asks him to locate her feckless family. For information or to sign up for classes contact Yoga Focus with Kathy: call 859-745-4699 or email kkh1231@roadrunner.com

Gentle Flow Yoga
Thursdays, 9:15-10:15 AM
December 6, 13, 20
Chair Yoga, Mondays, 2-3 PM,
December 3, 10, 17

Welcome to Yoga! These beginning level classes are a path toward developing healthy breath work, improving balance, strengthening muscles and bones, and increasing stamina. Students move at their own pace. Proper alignment is emphasized for safety. The class is taught by Kathy Howard, a certified yoga instructor with Yoga Alliance. For information or to sign up for classes contact Yoga Focus with Kathy: call 859-745-4699 or email kkh1231@roadrunner.com

Internet Search Classes
Internet 1, Tuesday, December 4, 10 AM Basic Internet searching.
Internet 2, December 11, 10 AM Learn more efficient ways to search, how to print, copy info from the web and paste in a Word document.
Easy Email, December 18, 10 AM Essential for on-line employment applications.

Trivia Night at the Engine House Pizza Pub
Wednesdays, December 5, 12, 19, 7 PM
Reference Librarian, Jeff Gurnee, is at the Engine House Pizza Pub every Wednesday night with Trivia challenges.

Write Local
Fridays, December 7, 14, 21, 10 AM
“Later that day I went back to the old turf-house door and drew back the ivy. There between the stones was the dried-out bird's nest that was no longer in use because its owner was on her foreign holidays. I eased my letter to Santa out longer in use because its owner was on her

Outside the Lines: Adult Coloring Club
Saturdays, December 1, 15, 29, 10AM - 4PM

Think you're too old to color? Think again! It's fun and a great way to combat stress. Adult coloring is all the rage! Come ex-stress yourself to imagine, create, relax and color with other enthusiasts. No rules here - you may color outside the lines! We'll provide the pictures, crayons, markers and colored pencils or bring your own if you prefer. You provide the time and creativity. Attendees must be 18 years or older.

Pageturner’s Book Group
Dear Mrs. Bird, by A. J. Pearce
Monday, December 10, 11 AM

A charming, irresistible debut novel set in London during World War II about an adventuruous young woman who becomes a secret advice columnist—a warm, funny, and enormously moving story for fans of The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society and Lilac Girls.

Books are available at the Circulation Desk