



Chapin Memorial Library
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Myrtle Beach, South Carolina
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May 2024

2024 Monthly Reading Challenge

May Challenge: *Read a standalone manga or the first volume of a manga series.* Be sure to return your bookmarks by **June 5** for monthly drawing.

Chair Yoga with Wendy
Wednesdays in May • 11:00am

Chair yoga stretches the joints and muscles through deep breathing and gentle movement. Ages: Adult 18+. If you have any questions, please call 843-918-1275.



2-Part Simple Will & Advanced Directives

Pt. 1: Simple Will Free Informational Clinic
Thursday, May 2 • 2:00pm • **Registration requested**
S.C. Legal Services will be at the library to explain what you need to consider when preparing a Last Will. Learn about: Choosing a Personal Representative; Execution of the Will; Planning for Incapacity; Powers of Attorney; Living Wills vs. Health Care Powers of Attorney. Blank fill-in **questionnaire forms will be available Apr. 1 at the Information Services Desk, 2nd floor.**

Spaces are limited, registration is requested. Please email reference@chapinlibrary.org or call 843-918-1295 to register.

Pt. 2: Free Simple Will Preparation Clinic
Thursday, May 30 • 1:00pm • **Registration required**
S.C. Legal Services will assist in preparing **YOUR Simple Will and Advance Directives** legal forms, which may include: Healthcare Power of Attorney; Durable Power of Attorney; and DNR (Do Not Resuscitate) forms for residents of S.C. **To qualify for this FREE legal assistance, you must be at least 60 years of age and certain income and asset restrictions apply.**

Please call S.C. Legal Services at **1-888-346-5592** to expedite the qualification process and determine if you are eligible to receive the **FREE Simple Will and Advanced Directives** forms.

FREE Full Access library cards are offered to the following: US Military Veterans, City of Myrtle Beach & Horry County residents, and Palmetto Library Consortium county residents.

We're not just books... Audio & E-Books • DVDs • Magazines • Live Programs
Universal Class – Online General Interest Courses

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Virtual Author Talks & Watch Parties

Join our Watch Parties or experience them from the comfort of your own home. **Registration required.** View the complete list of events available for viewing here libraryc.org/chapinlibrary.

- **In-Library Watch Party: Wednesday, May 1 • 3pm**
Mysterious Case of Rudolf Diesel - Douglas Brunt
- **Virtual View from Home: Wednesday, May 8 • 7pm**
Mother-Daughter Murder Night - Nina Simon
- **Virtual View from Home: Tuesday, May 21 • 7pm**
Yellowface - Rebecca F Kuang

Flashback to the MB Pavilion
Featuring **Egerton Burroughs**
Wednesday, May 1 • 6:00pm

Egerton Burroughs chronicles the Myrtle Beach Pavilion from 1948 to the closing of the iconic landmark. This event is presented by the Friends of Chapin Memorial Library and will be held at the First Presbyterian Church. Doors open at 6:00pm and the presentation begins at 6:30pm. This event is FREE, however, registration is required. Questions, call Jen Nassar at 843-918-1276 or email friendsofcmll@chapinlibrary.org.



Lunch N' Learn: Estate Planning Action Steps
Presented by **Paradise Financial Strategies**
& **The Law Office of Apryl Haden**

Thursday, May 2 • Noon • 1st floor Meeting Room
Registration required • Limited to 20 participants
Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Wellness with Wendy: Mindful Meditation
Monday, May 6 • 11:30am

Program led by Wendy Bass, PRST Leader/Fitness Instructor and One Day to Wellness Coach. Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org. Questions, call Wanda at 843-918-1275 or email forte@chapinlibrary.org.

May Friday Films • 1:30pm

- May 03: **Next Goal Wins** - PG13
- May 10: **The Philadelphia Story** - NR - Classic
- May 17: **Ferrari** - R
- May 24: **No Movie**
- May 31: **No Movie**

FREE movie - Doors open at 1:15pm. Age: 18+. Popcorn will be available and you may bring your own non-alcoholic beverage. Questions, call 843- 918-1275. Registration not required.

Dementia Book Talk & Signing

Tuesday, May 7 • 11:00am • Admission Free
Join Peggy Masterson for a book signing event and discussion about navigating the dementia journey with both her parents. In her newly released book, **Through All of It: A Daughter's Story**, she shares this experience openly in an attempt to encourage others that might be traveling down a similar path. Peggy is a licensed Senior Living Administrator, a nationally certified dementia trainer (NCCDP) and CEO of her own dementia training LLC, Dealing with Dementia. Registration is required.



Career Assistance

Tuesdays in May • 1:00-4:00pm
Would you like assistance with refreshing your job search skills, updating your resume, or filling out an online job application? The Library is partnering with the Goodwill Career Opportunity Center to bring Career Navigator, **Chad Sample**, to the library to assist you. **Reserve your 30-minute appointment with Chad by calling 843-918-1295.** Registration is required.

Hours: **Mon & Wed 9am-6pm**
Tues & Thurs 9am-7pm
Fri 9am-5pm • Sat 9am-3pm

Like us on our **Facebook** page at <https://www.facebook.com/chapinlibrarymb>
Follow us on **Instagram** at **Chapinlibrarymb**

Free Play Bunco

Thursday, May 9 • 11:00am

This is a player-led Bunco game. Players should have some knowledge of how to play the game and rules. An instructor will not be present. Adult 18+.



Digital Movie Club: Florence Foster Jenkins
Thursday, May 9 • 5:00pm

Before the meeting, watch the selected movie through **Hoopla** for **free** with your library card. Then join us for the movie discussion. Questions, email mccants@chapinlibrary.org or call Ashley at 843-918-1275. Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Virtual Financial Education Workshop: Protecting Yourself from Fraud

Thursday, May 9 • 10:00am • **Admission Free**

Learn about different types of fraud and scams and how to protect against them; defend against exploitation and affinity fraud; look for red flags that might be a scam. Presented by financial advisor Mark Verity as a representative of the Association of Financial Educators. To receive a ZOOM link to join from home or watch with us, register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Veterans Awareness Series (VAS)

Monday, May 13 • 1:00pm • **Registration requested**

Peer Support Specialist with Myrtle Beach Veterans Affairs Medical Clinic, **Bernard McLeroy**, will be here to assist veterans, their family members and friends. For questions or to register, please call Kim at 843-918-1295 or email felton@chapinlibrary.org.



(More Adult Programs on reverse)

Cooking Demo: Purple Pea Tabbouleh
Tuesday, May 14 • 11:00am • 25 participants

Come taste the flavors of the Carolinas in this hardy version of tabbouleh that is chock-full of tomatoes, cucumbers, parsley and mint. Adults 18+. Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org, beginning May 1. Call 843-918-1275 if you have questions.

Through the Lens of Time: MB History, Bo Bryan
Wednesday, May 15 • 2:00pm • Admission Free

Join us for a local history series featuring firsthand recollections from long-time Myrtle Beach area residents. Seating is on a first come, first served basis. The series will be live-streamed via our Friends of Chapin Memorial Library Facebook page. Registration not required.

Meet & Greet Author: James Robert Fuller
Thursday, May 16 • 1:30pm • Admission Free

Meet author James Robert Fuller (aka Ron Wing, a Myrtle Beach resident) at the library. He will discuss the first book, *Paradise: Disturbed*, of the 11-book crime thriller series that takes place along the Grand Strand. This was his initial foray into the adult fiction genre after having penned a young adult series *The Bay Hollow Thrillers*. Light refreshments will begin at 1:30pm while supplies last and the speaker will follow at 2:00pm. Books will be available for purchase and signing. Please register for the event at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Blank Slate - New day & time

Tuesday, May 21 • 3:00pm • Age: Adult 18+

Players try to match other players by filling in the blank. Prize will be awarded to player with most matches. Registration requested.

Creative Writing Club - Short Story

Wednesday, May 22 • 1:30pm • Walk-ins Welcome
Join us monthly to share our love of creative writing! This month's theme is in honor of short story month. Contact Sarah or Nicole if you have questions at 843-918-1295. Walk-ins are welcome, but registration is requested at calendar.chapinlibrary.org. Ages 18+.

Knit & Crochet Group

Fridays • 2:00pm • 2nd floor Conference Room
Registration not required. Bring your own supplies.

Evening Book Club

Thursday, May 23 • 5:30pm • Age 18+

Selection: *The Big Door Prize* by M.O. Walsh
What would you do if you knew your life's potential? That's the question facing the residents of Deerfield, Louisiana in this gripping and heartfelt novel about a mysterious machine that upends the residents of a small town, asking us all to wonder if who we truly are is who we truly could be. Pick up a copy of the book at the 2nd floor Information Services desk. Registration is required.

Book Bingo: Murder, Mystery & Mayhem

Tuesday, May 28 • 4:00pm • Age: Adult 18+

This game is inspired by book titles instead of numbers. Doors open at 4:00pm. Please register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org or call Customer Service at 843-918-1275.

Word Off

Thursday, May 30 • 4:00pm

Join us for a new game! Ages: 18+. Compete against others to make the most words during the allotted time. Each round will vary by how many letters to use to form words. If contestants tie, we have a **Word Off!** Questions, please call 843-918-1275.

Chair One Fitness

Fridays in May • 12:00pm • Ages: 18+

Samantha Vititoe, PRST Recreation Leader, will lead this fun, interactive full body workout chair exercise program for those who have difficulty standing during a fitness class including seniors, people with balance deficits, injuries, disabilities, or are obese. It's a program that uplifts people with music and dance. *Class limited to 10 people.*

May Storytimes

Registration not required • Walk-ins Welcome!

Babytime

(Ages 4-18 months)

Tuesday, May 7
9:30am

Toddler Storytime

(Ages 2-3)

Thursdays, May 2 & 9
9:30am

Storytime at Big Air

(All Ages)

Wednesday, May 8
9:30am

Preschool Storytime

(Ages 3-5)

Thursdays, May 2 & 9
11:00am

Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise stated. Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Storytime in the Park • All Ages

McLeod Park • Weather Permitting

Wednesday, May 1 • 10:30am

Family Events

Kids Yoga

Wednesday, May 1 • 4:30pm • 1st flr Meeting Room

Join us for a yoga class taught by Ms. Danielle & Mr. Ged, RYT-200 & Certified Children's Yoga instructors. Be sure to bring a towel or yoga mat.

Music & Movement (Ages 2-5)

Fridays, May 3 • 10:00am • 1st flr Meeting Room

Sing, dance, stretch and jump along in this interactive storytime perfect for little ones who learn best when their bodies are in motion. Registration not required.

HappyFeet Grand Strand

Friday, May 10 • 10:00am • Ages 3-5

1st flr Meeting Room • Registration required

Chapin Library is hosting HappyFeet Grand Strand, an age-appropriate soccer program that uses songs, stories, nursery rhymes, and games to teach preschoolers basic soccer skills and to improve physical fitness.



Youth Events (Grades K-5)

Paws for Reading

Thursday, May 2 & 9 • 4:00pm • YS Program Room

Practice your read-aloud skills by reading to a certified therapy dog. These 15-minute sessions are great for beginning readers and those who want to build confidence reading in a relaxed environment.

Kids Cooking

Wednesday, May 8 • 4:00pm • 1st flr Meeting Room

Students will use the Charlie Cart classroom kitchen to explore sweet and tangy flavors while making a yogurt parfait with cooked fruit. Program is sponsored by Publix.

Kids Act Up! Theatre Workshops

Tuesday, May 14 • 4:30pm • 1st flr Meeting Room

Act Up! is like a gymnasium for your imagination! Through theatre and storytelling, we'll learn to create original works, overcome challenges, and build stronger communities. **Week 5: Last Act**

Teen Events (Grades 6-12)

Teen Game Night

Tuesday, May 7 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room

Game night has never been better! Come have a blast playing games and eating snacks!

Teen Act Up! Theatre Workshops

Thursday, May 16 • 4:30pm • 1st flr Meeting Room

Act Up! is like a gymnasium for your imagination! Through theatre and storytelling, we'll learn to create original works, overcome challenges, and build stronger communities. **Week 5: Last Act**

Announcements . . .

NEW



Seeds at Chapin Memorial Library

Gardening has shown to be beneficial to your health — increase in functional movement exercise; helps to reduce stress and may improve your mood; enjoy time in nature; improve your diet by growing your own food; and possibly, make new friends who enjoy similar hobbies. You also learn patience, but it is so worth it when you get to enjoy your harvest, see the beautiful flowers you grow, or drink a cup of herbal tea!

Come and check out Chapin's very own seed library. Become a member and get up to 6 packets of a variety of different seeds per day. You can choose from different categories of flowers, herbs, fruits and veggies. There's sure to be something for everyone! We ask that you donate an unopened, non-expired seed pack (or more) of your choosing to add to our collection. Share your favorites with everyone and see if you find something new for you! Starting May 1.

Our **2024 Summer Reading Challenge** will return soon with a full list of events, as well as, reading and activity goals during the program. Read, participate in programs, and be entered into drawings for prizes. More information will be coming soon! **Registration begins May 27 with Adult programs beginning May 28.**