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Blind Date with a Book

Begins February 1 and ends March 1

How it works: Take a book home without knowing its title. Who knows...you just might fall in love!

1. Read the keyword hints on the front of the book wrappers and choose one to take home. No peeking yet!
2. Check out the book and don't forget to take a "Rate a Date" bookmark. We want to hear all the details!
3. After you've checked out the book, unwrap it to officially meet your date. Give the book a chance but if things don't work out, simply return it. No hard feelings!
4. Fill out your "Rate a Date" bookmark and return it by **March 4** for an entry into our prize drawing on March 6!

Programs with an asterisk * are registration required at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

Blank Slate *

Thursday, Feb. 1 • 3:00pm - NEW time
Registration required • Age: Adult 18+

Players try to match other players by filling in the blank. Prize will be awarded to player with most matches. *Game will be held in 1st floor Nonfiction Area.*

February Friday Films • 1:30pm

- Feb. 2: **A Haunting in Venice** - PG13
- Feb. 9: **The Mating Game** - PG - Classic Film Friday
- Feb. 16: **My Big Fat Greek Wedding 3** - PG13
- Feb. 23: **Past Lives** - PG13

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.

Wellness with Wendy: In the Kitchen * Heart Healthy Soup & Salad

Monday, Feb. 5 • 11:30am • Registration required

Celebrate Heart Healthy Awareness Month. Come join us for some heart healthy soup and salad. Program is led by Wendy Bass, Recreation Leader/Fitness Instructor and One Day to Wellness coach. Questions, please call Wanda at 843-918-1275 or email forte@chapinlibrary.org. Please register for this event at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

Veterans Awareness Series (VAS)

Monday, Feb. 5 • 1:00pm • Registration requested

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

Career Assistance *

Tuesdays in Feb. • 1:00-4:00pm • Registration required

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 phoning 843-918-1295.** Reservations required.

Chair Yoga with Wendy *

Wednesdays in Feb. • 11:00am • Registration required

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.

(More programs on reverse)



Jazz in the Stacks

Tuesdays, February to March • 5:30pm

Registration not required • Admission: Free

Join us on Tuesday evenings and enjoy performances by:

- Feb. 06: **Mike Duva Quartet**
- Feb. 13: **Randy Johnston and Friends**
- Feb. 20: **Groove Blue Organ Ensemble**
- Feb. 27: **Burnin Bridges**

Free Play Bunco *

Thursday, Feb. 8 • 11:00am • Registration required

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. Age: Adult 18+.

Digital Movie Club • Breakfast at Tiffany's *

Thursday, Feb. 8 • 5:00pm • Registration required

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

Virtual Author Talks & Watch Parties *

Join our Watch Parties or experience from the comfort of your own home. **Registration required.** A complete list of events is available here: library.org/chapinlibrary. This month's Watch Parties include:

- **Virtual View from Home - Tessa Bailey - Fangirl Down • Thursday, Feb. 8 • 8:00pm**
- **In-Library Watch Party - Jason Mott - Hell of a Book • Tuesday, Feb. 20 • 4:00pm**
- **In-Library Watch Party - Kim Scott - Be a Kick-Ass Boss Without Losing Your Humanity Wednesday, Feb. 28 • 2:00pm**

Craft Corner: Alcohol Ink Pour *

Thursday, Feb. 15 • 10:00am or 2:00pm • Choose only 1 time

Join us for a fun and interactive class using alcohol inks. **Registration** opens on **Thursday, Feb. 1** at **9:00am** through **Monday, Feb. 12**, unless filled prior to end date. Questions, or need further information, please email forte@chapinlibrary.org or call Wanda at 843-918-1275.

Law Talk: Wills, Estate & Probate *

Thursday, Feb. 15 • 5:30pm • Ages: 18+

The **Law Talk Series** is being co-hosted by S.C. Bar along with Chapin Memorial Library. **Registration required** for this **FREE** event at chapinlibrary.org/calendar, call **Laura** at 843-918-1295 or you can email reference@chapinlibrary.org.

Chair One Fitness *

Fridays, beginning Feb. 16 • 12:00pm • Ages: 18+

Samantha Vitioe, PRST Recreation Leader, will be here to lead this chair exercise program for individuals who have difficulty standing during a fitness class. This includes seniors, people with balance deficits, injuries, disabilities, or are obese. It's designed to keep people mobile to ensure that they maintain daily living functions. It's a fun, interactive full body workout that uplifts people with music and dance. *Class size is limited to 10 people.* Register at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

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Through the Lens of Time: Myrtle Beach History

Various Wednesdays • 2:00pm • Admission Free

Feb. 21: **Carolyn & Russ Mates**

Mar. 20: Cecil Patrick Family

Join us for a local history series featuring first-hand 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.

Evening Book Club *

Thursday, Feb. 22 • 5:30pm • Age 18+

Selection: ***The Bandit Queens*** by Parini Shroff

Longlisted for the Women's Prize for Fiction, *The Bandit Queens* is a novel filled with clever criminals, second chances, and wry and witty women. Join us for a discussion of this razor-sharp story filled with humor and heart. Pick up a copy of the book at the 2nd floor Information Services desk. **Registration required.** Email savage@chapinlibrary.org or call Carolyn at 843-918-1294 with questions.

Topics Trivia • Day of week changed for this program

* Thursday, Feb. 29 • 4:00pm • Reservations requested

Show what you know! A team consists of 1 to 6 players and teams are asked questions from different topic categories. The teams then choose and submit an answer before the allotted time ends, the correct answer scores points. The team with the most points at the end of the game is the winner and prize(s) will be awarded. Join us and have some fun! Registration for the game can be made here at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

Knit & Crochet Group

Fridays • 2:00pm • 2nd floor Conference Room

Registration not required. Bring your own supplies.



February Storytime Schedule

Registration not required • Walk-ins Welcome!

Babytime (Ages 4-18 months)
Tuesdays in Feb. • 9:30am

Toddler Storytime (Ages 2-3)
Thursdays in Feb. • 9:30am

Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5)
Thursdays in Feb. • 11:00am

Storytime at Big Air (All Ages)
Wednesday, Feb. 14 & 28 • 9:30am



Family Event Schedule

*Registration required at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

Music & Movement

Friday, Feb. 2 & 16 • 10:00am • Ages 2-5

1st floor Meeting Room • Walk-ins Welcome

Sing, dance, stretch and jump along in this interactive storytime perfect for little ones who learn best when their bodies are in motion.

Messy Minis *

Friday, Feb. 9 • 10:00am • Ages 2-5

1st floor Meeting Room • Registration required

In this hands-on program, we have theme sensory play stations for you and your child to explore. Be prepared to dress for a mess and learn together!

HappyFeet Grand Strand *

Friday, Feb. 23 • 10:00am • Ages 3-5

1st floor 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)

*Registration required at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

Paws for Reading *

Thursday, Feb. 1 & 29 • 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 Yoga *

Wednesday, Feb. 7 • 4:30pm • 1st floor 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.

Kids Act Up! Theatre Workshops *

Tuesday, Feb. 13 • 4:30pm • 1st floor 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 2: Relationships

Kids Cooking *

Wednesday, Feb. 14 • 4:00pm • 1st floor Meeting Room

Students will use the Charlie Cart classroom kitchen to create a seeds and sprouts salad. They will focus on the variety of flavors that completes a dish! This program is sponsored by Publix.

Kids S.T.E.A.M. *

Wednesday, Feb. 21 • 4:00pm • 1st floor Meeting Room

In this program, we will read *From Milk to Ice Cream* by Bridgit Heos. Students will learn how cold temperatures can turn liquids into solids.

Junior Bookworms *

Thursday, Feb. 22 • 4:00pm • 1st floor Meeting Room

The perfect program for young readers! This month students will sample books of varying length, genre, and style until they find their perfect match!

Kids Art * Ages: 6-12

Wednesday, Feb. 28 • 4:00pm • 1st floor Meeting Room

Join us for an art class led by Mr. Colin from the Myrtle Beach Art Museum. Children will have the opportunity to create their own cardboard puppet, inspired by puppeteer Frank Ballard.

Teen Event Schedule (Grades 6-12)

*Registration required at chapinlibrary.org/calendar.

Teen Adulting 101 *

Tuesday, Feb. 6 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room

This month, we will focus on postage! Teens will learn the proper way to write a letter and what happens after you take it to the post office.

Teens Crack the Case *

Thursday, Feb. 8 • 4:00pm • YS Program Room

Calling all True Crime fans! Teens will use their critical thinking skills in order to solve popular unsolved cases! Discussions may be PG-13.

Teen Blind Book Match *

Tuesday, Feb. 13 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room

We're celebrating our love of books! Teens will help their friends find a random book match and then create their own personalized bookmarks.

Teen Act Up! Theatre Workshops *

Thursday, Feb. 15 • 4:30pm • 1st floor Meeting Room

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Teen S.T.E.A.M. *

Tuesday, Feb. 20 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room

Get ready to explore! Teens will learn about the history of herbariums and create their own!

Teens Create *

Tuesday, Feb. 27 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room

Let's create! Teens will have a blast creating their own zine out of recycled materials!