

Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 9am-7pm • Fri. 9am-6pm • Sat. 9am-5pm

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Let's Talk About It! 2020

Modern South Carolina Novelists

Mixed Media Book Discussion & Movie Program
Thursdays, Jan. 30 through Mar. 5

A mixed media series that is in turn heart-wrenching, heartwarming and terrifying. Featuring well-known titles by SC authors which highlight the humor and horror present in all Southerners.

Book Discussion Dates: Jan. 30 and Feb. 13 & 27

- 10:00am to 10:30am: Meet & Greet
- 10:30am to 11:30am: Book Discussions

Book to Movie Dates: Feb. 6 & 20 and Mar. 5

- Doors open at 1:30pm. Refreshments will be available.

Selection Titles

- Jan. 30 & Feb. 6: *Prince of Tides* by Pat Conroy
- Feb. 13 & Feb. 20: *Clover* by Dori Sanders
- Feb. 27 & Mar. 5: *Serena* by Ron Rash

For further information see <https://www.chapinlibrary.org> or contact either Deb or Lisa at 843-918-1275.

Jazz Café: Lectures & Live Music Mini-Series

Thursdays, Jan. 9 through Mar. 5

Jazz Lecture by Lloyd Kaplan, Jazz teacher and musician

- **An American Musical Pioneer: Gottschalk**
Monday, Feb. 10 • 5:30pm

Live Music Performances

Every Thursday • 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Located in our Pop-up Jazz Café • Free Admission • Light refreshments available

- Feb. 6: **Bruce Whitcomb Trio**
- Feb. 13: **Tim Fischer & Matt White Duo**
- Feb. 20: **Ben Gendle & Timothy Hardwick Duo**
- Feb. 27: **Conrad Kenner Quartet**

Special Performance

- Mar. 5: **Oracle Blue**

Chair Yoga Class

Monday, Feb. 3 & 24 • 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Dawn DiVita, founder and certified yoga teacher at **Yoga DiVita**, leads this extra gentle free Chair Yoga class. An hour introduction to Yoga postures, breathing techniques, meditation and/or contemplation. **Register online at <https://www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar>**. For more information email forte@chapinlibrary.org or call Wanda at 843-918-1275.

SC Codes Meet-Up

Thursday, Feb. 6 • 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Wednesday, Feb. 19 • 3:30pm to 4:30pm

Chapin Memorial Library is an official "Meet-Up" place where coders can gather **twice a month** to share ideas, programs, and utilize the equipment in our new computer lab! All ages and skill levels are welcome. For more information complete the **Contact Us** form on our website and select "SC Codes Mentor."



Friday Films • 1:30pm

- Feb. 7: *The Chaperone* (TV-14)
- Feb. 14: *Ed Astra* (PG13)
- Feb. 21: *Official Secrets* (R)
- Feb. 28: *Harriett* (PG13)

FREE movie - Doors open at 1:30pm. Age: 18+. Popcorn will be available and you may bring your own non-alcoholic beverage. For more information call 843-918-1275.



Free Eye Screenings

Friday, Feb. 7 • 9:30am to 2:30pm

Walmart Vision Center will be at Chapin Library to conduct free eye screenings for our patrons and guests. Anyone under 18 must have a parent or guardian present to obtain an eye exam. First come, first served.

Make 2020 Your Healthiest Year Ever

presentation by **Grand Strand Health & Wellness**
Monday, Feb. 10 • 2pm

Join us in welcoming Grand Strand Health & Wellness to Chapin Library and begin the transition to **MAKE 2020 YOUR HEALTHIEST YEAR EVER!** Topics of discussion may guide you toward a healthier lifestyle. Learn how to form new and exciting habits in order to achieve a better understanding of overall health. **Register online at <https://www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar>**.

Free Legal Clinic End of Life Issues

Tuesday, Feb. 11 • 6:00pm to 7:00pm

The free legal clinic will provide general information on the topic of End of Life Issues. The clinic will consist of a 30-45 minute presentation followed by an open question and answer session with a South Carolina attorney. **Register online: <https://www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar>**. This free legal clinic is provided by the South Carolina Bar. If you have any questions, please call Laura at 843-918-1295 or email reference@chapinlibrary.org.



Book Bingo: Romance and Murder

Thursday, Feb. 13 • 4:00pm to 6:00pm

This month's theme is Romance and Murder, inspired by book titles instead of numbers. Snacks and prizes will be provided. Doors will open at 4:00pm. **Register online at: <https://www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar>**. If you would like further information, please call Customer Services at 843-918-1275.

Chapin's Craft Corner: Heart-Shaped Basket

Tuesday, Feb. 18 • 2:00pm to 4:00pm • Registration required

Celebrate the month of love by creating a heart-shaped basket from yarn and toothpicks. Register via our website at <https://www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar>. **RSVP required by Wednesday, Feb. 12**. For further information, please email forte@chapinlibrary.org or call Wanda at 843-918-1275.

AARP Smart Driver Course

Saturday, Feb. 29 • 9:00am to 1:30pm • Registration required

Refresh your driving skills and learn the new rules of the road. Learn research-based driving strategies to help you stay safe behind the wheel during this four-hour course. For more information go to www.aarp.org/drive. **Cost is \$15 for AARP members or \$20 for non-members**. To reserve a seat today call **Judy Chamberlain** at 843-945-4455.

Topics Trivia • Tuesday, Feb. 25 • 4:00pm to 6:00pm

Knit & Crochet Group • Fridays • 2:00pm to 4:00pm



Homebound Delivery

Chapin Library is offering a pilot delivery service to our homebound patrons within a limited delivery area. If you or someone you care about has limited mobility due to a physical condition and cannot make trips to the library to obtain reading or viewing materials, our staff can deliver them to you! Call 843-918-1275 for an application and to learn more about the Homebound Delivery service.

Would you like a digital newsletter vs. print? Call 843-918-1295 or email reference@chapinlibrary.org. We'll ♥ to add you! :O)

Winter Storytimes



Talking

Singing

Reading

Writing

Playing

Chapin Memorial Library offers free storytimes for ages four months and up. These storytimes are designed to develop early literacy skills for school readiness, as defined by *Every Child Ready to Read @ your library*®. For more information phone 843-918-1275 or visit www.chapinlibrary.org.

- **BABY (4-18 months)** • **Tuesdays, Feb. 4, 11, & 18 • 10:00am.** Rhymes, songs, fingerplays and music for babies and their caregiver. Meet other parents after storytime and help your child explore age appropriate toys.
- **TODDLER (2 years old)** • **Wednesdays, Feb. 5, 12, & 19 • 9:30am & 11:00am.** Stories, flannelboards, fingerplays, songs, literacy toys and a craft.
- **PRESCHOOL (3-5 years old)** • **Thursdays, Feb. 6, 13, & 20 • 9:30am** Stories, songs, fingerplays, flannelboards and a craft.

Family & Youth Events

Pre-Register online at www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar

If you are trying to register more than 1 child, please call Youth Services at 843-918-1293.

Youth Chess Club - Ages 4-17

Saturdays, Feb. 1 & 29 • 3:00pm-4:00pm

Open to youth of all ages and skill levels. Play chess and learn new tactics and strategies. If you've never played before, come learn the game! This is organized program run by volunteers and promoted by the library. For more information, please email kshartford@gmail.com.

Playtime Yoga - Ages 2+

Fridays, Feb. 7 & 21 • 9:30am • Pre-registration required

For children and their parents. The class is taught by Danielle Duvall, RYT-200 and Certified Children's Yoga Instructor. Bring your own yoga mat or beach towel. For more information, please call Youth Services at 843-918-1293.

Family Dance Party - All Ages

Friday, Feb. 14 • 11:00am-noon

Family Dance Party consists of a story, movement and music. The party is especially for babies through preschool-age children, but all families are welcome. Come and dance with us and have some fun.

LEGO Build - Ages 4-14

Saturday, Feb. 15 • 11:00am to noon

Keep your engineering and problem-solving skills sharp, strengthen your STEAM muscles, and spark your imagination with an abundance of LEGO bricks. An inspirational topic will be given and then it's time to build! Anyone under 8 must bring an adult.

NEW Messy Munchkins - Ages 18-36 months

Friday, Feb. 28 • 11:00am

In this hands-on program we'll read a book out loud and afterwards extend the book theme into sensory play stations for you and your child to explore. Be prepared to dress for a mess and learn together!



Black History Month Special Event



African Folktales - K-5th Grades

Thursday, Feb. 27 • 5:30pm

From the desert lands of the Sahara to the plains of the Serengeti to Mount Kilimanjaro and beyond: join a variety of characters from a range of cultures with stories that celebrate the various folk tale traditions in the continent of Africa. African music helps to set the stage for these energetic stories. Our stories include Anansi, porquoi tales, and many facts and figures about this incredible continent.

African Folktales is a 45-minute production that brings to life the vastness of the African landscape and a variety of clever animals. Join Akili as she shares exciting tales that were traditionally passed down by word of mouth. With imaginative costumes and lots of audience participation, this production also includes valuable character-education themes. African Folktales is being presented by **Bright Star Touring Theatre**.



Happy Valentine's Day!



Middle Grades: 4th-9th Grades

Pre-Register online at www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar

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Kids S.T.E.A.M.: K-5th Grades

• **Wednesday, Feb. 5 • 4:30pm to 5:30pm**

Math - Activity: Explore a story in a new way by creating animals out of tangrams.

• **Wednesday, Feb. 19 • 4:30pm to 5:30pm**

Art - Activity: **Camouflage Collage** by using various printmaking techniques, students will create layered patterned collages with Tracey Roode from the Art Museum.

Harry Potter Book Club: 4th-9th Grades

Tuesday, Feb. 25 • 4:30pm • Pre-registration required

Embark on a magical year-long journey as we read and discuss all eight Harry Potter books! The last Tuesday of each month there will be a book discussion and an accompanying craft, activity, or game.

Discussion: **Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets.**

Activity: Harry Potter Escape Room.



Teen: 6th-12th Grades

Pre-Register online at www.chapinlibrary.org/calendar

If you are trying to register more than 1 person, please call Youth Services at 843-918-1293.

Dungeons & Dragons Club

Tuesday, Feb. 4 • 4:30pm • Limited to 8 players

Play Dungeons and Dragons with a Dungeon Master from Myrtle Beach Games. All skill levels invited.

Percy Jackson Book Club

Tuesday, Feb. 11 • 4:30pm

The Percy Jackson Book Club will meet on the second Tuesday of every month in the Youth Program Room. We will have a discussion and activities based on the chosen book.

Discussion: **The Lost Hero.**

Activity: Greek and Roman god trivia.

Teen Food Book Club

Tuesday, Feb. 18 • 4:30pm

We will discuss books that have a central theme of food and then cook an item from the book!

Discussion: **Slider** by Pete Hautman

Food: Sliders