



WHAT'S GOING ON @ YOUR LIBRARY



Summer Reading 2010

It's not just for kids.

Take a break from the heat and enjoy a good book, magazine, or even newspaper. Reading any of the aforementioned could earn adults prizes like Memphis Symphony Orchestra tickets or National Civil Rights Museum passes.

Junior's not left out!

Kids who read throughout the summer do better in school. Period! So, encourage your children to read and sign them up for the Summer Reading Club at the Library. Weekly incentives are awarded and once they listen to, or read 10 books, they get a prize

book and an entry for the grand prize drawing. Plus, there are fun activities planned at most branches—keeping them busy and their minds sharp.

What about young adults?

Your teenagers think they are too old? Think again. There's a program just for them. Teens also earn weekly prizes and after three hours get a free book to keep. Self-defense classes, talent shows, and other age-appropriate activities will keep them from saying, "I'm bored."

JobLINC turns 20; Sponsors Career Fair

Economists say we are in a "recovery." However, unemployment is still a big issue in the Memphis Metro-area. To celebrate JobLINC's (the Library's mobile career center) 20th anniversary, the Library is sponsoring a Job and Career Fair on Wednesday, June 30, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the Benjamin L. Hooks Central Library, 3030 Poplar. Nearly 50 companies will be on-site to recruit.

For more information, call 415-2700.

Changing the Face of Medicine Exhibit



Library of Congress, Prints and Photographs Division, LC-USZ62-068326, ca. 1920

The Memphis Public Library & Information Center is one of 61 libraries from across the U.S. selected to host the "Changing the Face of Medicine: Celebrating America's Women Physicians," an interactive, multimedia traveling exhibition that honors the lives and achievements of American women in medicine – past and present. The exhibit will be at the Benjamin L. Hooks Central Library, 3030 Poplar, thru July 9. To learn more, visit memphislibrary.org

HIGHLIGHTS

JUNE

TUESDAY

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All Locations
Make a Splash: Start of 2010 Summer Reading Club

THURSDAY

24

Cordova
Citizen Initiative Workshop
 6 pm

SATURDAY

26

Whitehaven
Whitehaven Community Reads
 12:30 pm

WEDNESDAY

30

Central
JobLINC Career Fair
 10 am – 3 pm

WEDNESDAY

30

Poplar-White Station
Teen Genealogy
 3 pm

Theatre Memphis Showagon performs

The Ugly Duckling.



Central Library	7/6	1:30 pm
Bartlett	7/7	2:30 pm & 4 pm
Cordova	7/20	3 pm
Cossitt	7/15	12:30 pm
East Shelby	7/21	2 pm
Frayser	6/30	1 pm
Hollywood	6/29	2 pm
North	7/8	1 pm
Parkway Village	6/24	2 pm
South	7/1	2 pm

Registration required.

Call your presenting branch to make reservations.



SUNDAY
4

MONDAY
5

All Locations
 Closed for the Independence Day Holiday

SATURDAY

10

Cordova
International Storytime: Venezuela
 11 am

TUESDAY

13

Frayser
Identity Theft & Fraud Prevention Workshop
 Time: TBA

WEDNESDAY

14

Central
Wider Angle Film Series "Storm"
 7 pm

THURSDAY

22

Cornelia Crenshaw
Crenshaw's Got Talent (Teen)
 1 pm

HIGHLIGHTS

JULY

HIGHLIGHTS

AUGUST

MONDAY

2

North
Pyramid Book Club for Teens
 4 pm

TUESDAY

3

Central
Experience... Film
 7 pm

THURSDAY FRIDAY

5 & 6

Whitehaven
Friends of the Whitehaven Library Book Sale
 10 am – 6 pm

FRIDAY

13

Central
College Fair for Non-traditional Students
 12 pm – 5 pm

TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

24 & 25

Cordova
AARP Senior Driver Safety
 12 pm – 4 pm



WYPL NEWS

Find out what's happening on WYPL at the WYPL Books and More Blog. From memphislibrary.org, select [Online Resources](#). Click on [Blogs](#) to find the link.

ON THE AIR

Inside WYPL FM 89.3

Listen to books on FM 89.3 this Spring.

Mystery and True Crime

Monday - Friday, 12 am and 2 pm

The Monster of Florence by Douglas Preston
 June 21 – July 8

Stone's Fall by Iain Pears
 July 12 – Sept 1

Biography

Monday - Friday, 1 am and 3 pm

Ladies of Liberty by Cokie Roberts
 June 21 – July 15

Delta Blues by Ted Gioia
 July 19 – August 16

A Lucky Child by Thomas Buergenthal
 Aug 17 – Aug 27

Marcel Proust, A Life by Edmund White
 Aug 30 – Sept 3

Best Sellers

Monday - Friday, 2 am and 4 pm

Unaccustomed Earth by Jhumpa Lahiri
 June 9 – June 30

Off Season by Anne Rivers Siddons
 July 12 – July 27

The Widows Of Eastwick by John Updike
 July 28 – Aug 11

A Lion Among Us by Gregory Maguire
 Aug 16 – Aug 27

The Household Guide To Dying
 by Deborah Adelaide
 Aug 30 – Sept 13

Classics

Saturdays, 2 pm and 4 pm

Pilgrim at Tinker Creek by Annie Dillard
 June 5 – July 17

Harriett The Spy by Louise Fitzhugh
 July 24 – Aug 27

Southern Authors

Saturdays, 4 pm

The Help by Kathryn Stockett
 June 12 – Aug 14

City of Refuge by Tom Piazza
 Aug 21 – Oct 2

African American Lives and Literature

Sundays, 2 pm

The Black Girl Next Door by Jennifer Baszile
 June 6 – July 11

Black Water Rising by Attica Locke
 July 18 – Sept 5

Self-Help

Sundays, 4 pm

Predictably Irrational by Dan Ariely
 June 27 – July 25

The Power of Four by Joseph M. Marshall, III
 Aug 1 – Aug 8

How Successful People Think by John C. Maxwell
 Aug 15 – Aug 29