

List of Events *Family Story Time not included*

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| May 1 | DIY Tweens/Teens Candy Sushi | Walhalla branch |
| May 3 | Painting For Fun | Salem branch |
| May 4 | Drop-In Mother's Day Craft: Sun Catcher Butterfly Wind Chimes | Salem branch |
| | Star Wars Day Celebration | Seneca branch |
| May 7 | Family Movie Night: <i>Paddington 2</i> | Westminster branch |
| | Let's Talk About It: <u>Dust Tracks on a Road</u> | Seneca branch |
| May 8 | Makerspace: Macramé | Westminster branch |
| May 9 | Knit & Crochet Circle | Salem branch |
| May 14 | Girls' Night Out Movie: <i>Forever My Girl</i> | Westminster branch |
| | Lego Extravaganza | Salem branch |
| May 14 – May 18 | Adult Coloring Time Drop-In | Salem branch |
| May 17 | Friends' Used Book Sale | Walhalla branch |
| | Painting For Fun | Salem branch |
| May 19 | Makerspace: Tween & Teen Drop-In Post-it Note Tangles | Westminster branch |
| May 21 | Happy Camper Party | Westminster branch |
| | OCPL Board Meeting | Seneca branch |
| | Summer Reading Sign-Up | all branches |
| May 21 – May 25 | Makerspace: Take It & Make It Edible Book Craft Kit | Westminster branch |
| May 22 | World Goth Day | Seneca branch |
| May 23 | Knit & Crochet Circle | Salem branch |
| May 24 | Painting For Fun | Salem branch |
| | Time to Read Book Club | Salem branch |
| May 29 | Books & Chocolate | Walhalla branch |
| | Teen Book Time | Salem branch |
| May 31 | Let's Get Crafty: Decorate It Yourself – Wine Glass or Vase | Seneca branch |
| | Painting For Fun | Salem branch |

All programs are open to the public.



May 2018

Programs & Events

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Salem
944-0912

Walhalla
638-4133

Seneca
882-4855

Westminster
364-5760

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Children

All branches of the OCPL will be closed Thursday, May 10 for Confederate Memorial Day and Saturday, May 26 through Monday, May 28 for Memorial Day.

Family Story Time

FST is for pre-school children ages birth to five years with a caregiver. FST will end at all branches except Salem on May 17 this year and will begin again after Labor Day. FST at Salem will continue as normal.

Tuesdays:

10:30 a.m. at the Salem branch
(cancelled on May 8 and 15)
11 a.m. at the Westminster branch

Wednesdays:

10 a.m. at the Walhalla branch

Thursdays:

11 a.m. at the Seneca branch

Drop-in Mother's Day Craft:

Sun Catcher Butterfly Wind Chimes

Friday, May 4 between 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Salem branch

Mom deserves something great for her special day. Join us as we celebrate Mother's Day by painting a sun catcher wind chime just for her. Drop in anytime between 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. to create your wind chime (*while supplies last*).

This program is designed for children in pre-K through fifth grade with a caregiver.

Star Wars Day Celebration

Friday, May 4 @ 4:30 p.m.

Seneca branch

Calling all Jedi to unite in the Light! It's time for the Sith to Rise again! Unleash your inner Padawan and build your lightsaber to complete your training. Show everyone how strong you are in the Force. May the 4th be with you! If you can't make it to the Seneca branch, Salem and Westminster branches will have Star Wars bookmarks to give out.

This program is designed for ages four through twelve.

Teens & Adults

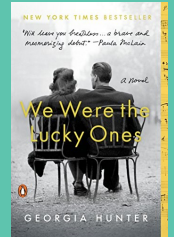
Books & Chocolate

Tuesday, May 29 @ 6:30 p.m.

Walhalla branch

We will be discussing the book We Were the Lucky Ones by Georgia Hunter. Light refreshments will be served.

This program is designed for adults only.



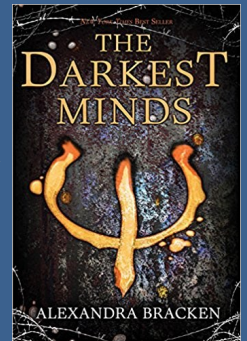
Teen Book Time

Tuesday, May 29 @ 4 p.m.

Salem Branch

Join us at Salem as we discuss an upcoming book-to-movie title, The Darkest Minds by Alexandra Bracken. In this tale, a group of teens with mysterious and powerful abilities must band together to fight a government that seeks to detain them and take away their futures. Light refreshments will be served.

This program is for teens ages thirteen to eighteen only, please.



Let's Get Crafty:

Decorate It Yourself – Wine Glass or Vase

Thursday, May 31 @ 5:30 p.m.

Seneca branch

Mod podge a grand design onto a wine glass or vase. Not your style? Paint is always a good option. All supplies will be provided.

This program is for ages sixteen and older only, please.

Don't forget to look at the back of the calendar, where you will find all of OCPL's May events listed in order of occurrence.

Teens & Adults

Makerspace: Tween & Teen Drop-in Post-it Note Tangles

Saturday, May 19 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Westminster branch

If end-of-year testing and final exams have you stressed out, then stop by to create some releasing artwork. All supplies will be provided.

This program is designed for ages ten to eighteen.



Makerspace: Take It & Make It Edible Book Craft Kit

Monday, May 21 – Friday, May 25

Westminster branch

Tweens and teens can stop by any time during the week and pick up a kit that contains everything you need to make an edible book.

This program is as supplies last and is designed for ages ten to eighteen.



World Goth Day

Tuesday, May 22 @ 5:30 p.m.

Seneca Library

So what if it's May? Every day is Halloween when you're goth! Don some black and celebrate World Goth Day with us! We'll drink black coffee, nibble a snack, read some gothic poetry, and listen to The Cure. Every participant will leave with a small treat. Robert Smith hairstyles encouraged (though not required). See you there, baby bats!

This program is designed for teens and young adults aged thirteen to twenty-three.

Time to Read Book Club

Thursday, May 24 @ 10:30 a.m.

Salem branch

The May book will be Winter's Bone by Daniel Woodrell, in which Ree Dolly has to fend for herself after her father is charged with a crime and the Sheriff threatens to take their house. Light refreshments will be served.

Program is for ages eighteen and older.



Children

Lego Extravaganza

Monday, May 14 @ 4 p.m.

Salem Library

Come hear a story about construction, and then let your imagination take over and use your skills to create LEGO masterpieces.

This program is designed for children in pre-K through fifth grade with a caregiver.



Happy Camper Party

Monday, May 21 @ 6 p.m.

Westminster branch

Roll on down to the library for our Happy Camper Party. We will have all things RV with stories, a craft, snacks, and more!

This program is designed for ages three to ten with a caregiver.



Summer Reading 2018

May 21 – August 1

Join us this summer and experience for yourself why libraries rock!

Beginning May 21, sign up for one of our Summer Reading Programs. We have programs for babies, elementary school-aged children, teenagers, and adults. Events at the OCPL begin June 4 and run until July 30. Check out the OCPL website, your home library branch, or call the Youth Services Department at 864-638-4133 for more details.

Family

Family Movie Night: Paddington 2

Monday, May 7 @ 6 p.m.

Westminster Branch

Join us for this latest movie about Paddington the bear, in which Paddington must go on a crazy adventure to find the thief who stole the present he got for his Aunt Lucy's 100th birthday. Refreshments will be served.

This movie is rated PG.



Girls' Night Out Movie: Forever My Girl

Monday, May 14 @ 6 p.m.

Westminster branch

Join us for a fun night of mocktails and a romance flick. Refreshments will be served.

This movie is rated PG.



Friends' Used Book Sale

Thursday, May 17 @ 9 a.m.

Walhalla branch

The Friends of the Library hold a used book sale in the lower level of the Walhalla branch on the second Thursday of every month from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. They offer hard cover books, paperbacks, CDs, DVDs, games, puzzles, and more! The prices are reasonable, and the proceeds benefit the libraries in Oconee County.



OCPL Board Meeting

Monday, May 21 @ 5:30 p.m.

Seneca branch

The Board of Trustees meets every two months. Meetings are open to the public, and comment is welcome at the beginning of each meeting.

Teens & Adults

DIY Tweens/Teens: Candy Sushi

Tuesday, May 1 @ 4:30 p.m.

Walhalla branch

Join the Walhalla branch as we learn to roll our own sushi using a variety of delicious treats. All candy sushi supplies will be provided, just bring your taste buds and creative minds.

This program is for tweens and teens ages ten to eighteen only, please.

Painting for Fun

Thursday, May 3, 17, 24, and 31 @ 2:30 p.m.

Salem branch

Make new friends while you also have fun painting. Basic instruction will be provided. There is no need to sign up and no cost to attend, but we do ask that you bring your own paint and supplies.

This program is for ages eighteen and older.

Let's Talk About It: Dust Tracks on a Road

Monday, May 7 @ 6:30 p.m.

Seneca branch

In this meeting we will discuss Zora Neale Hurston's Dust Tracks on a Road, a candid autobiography chronicling the fascinating life of a black female author and anthropologist who grew up in the rural South. April Pelt, M.A. in English, will facilitate the discussion.

Makerspace: Macramé

Tuesday, May 8 @ 5 p.m.

Westminster branch

Learn how to do basic macramé to make a hanging flower holder. All supplies will be provided.

This program is for teens and adults.

Knit & Crochet Circle

Wednesday, May 9 and 23 @ 2 p.m.

Salem branch

Enjoy conversation and camaraderie as we stitch! Bring your work in progress, if you'd like. Beginners will be provided with hands on help to get unstuck.

Adult Coloring Time Drop-In

Monday, May 14 through Friday, May 18

Salem branch

Coloring isn't just for kids anymore. Practice this alternative to meditation on us! Drop in any time during the week and pick up your coloring pages, designed just for adults.