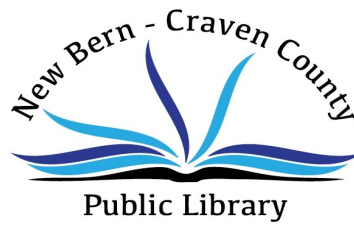


# What's Happening

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## Hours

**Sunday**  
2:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.  
**Monday—Thursday**  
9:00 a.m.—9:00 p.m.  
**Friday—Saturday**  
9:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.



# APRIL

\*Registration Required

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 <b>CLOSED</b> 	2	3 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps  6:30 50 Years Ago in Memphis	4 2:30 iPad Basics*  4:00 Code Club*	5 4:00 Children's Story Hour  4:00 StorySeekers*	6 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs	7 9:30 Tai Chi Easy with Jan
8 3:00 A Quick Tour of Ireland's Best Gardens	9 2:30 Android Tablet Basics*	10 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps  10:00 Beginning Internet*  6:30 Nite Owls Book Club*  6:30 World of eBooks*	11 4:00 InBeTWEEN Wednesdays*	12 10:00 Beginning Internet*  4:00 Children's Story Hour  4:00 StorySeekers*	13 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs	14 11:30 R.E.A.D.*

## ~ National Library Week April 8—14 ~

15	16	17 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps  1:00 River Readers Book Club*	18 2:30 Kindle Fire Basics*  4:00 Children's Movie Day*	19 4:00 Children's Story Hour  4:00 StorySeekers*	20 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs	21
22	23 2:30 Windows 10*  6:00 Teen Scene*	24 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps	25 7:00 Ready, Set, Write*	26 4:00 Poetry Pizza*	27 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs	28 9:30 Tai Chi Easy with Jan  3:00 Saturday @ the Movies

29 6:00 Open Mic Poetry Night	30					
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## Children's Programs

### Weekly Programs:

**Preschool Storysteps ~ Tuesday @ 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. ~ Ages 3 to 5** ~ Follow the footsteps under the rainbow for stories, music, puppetry, and much more! Children's Mini-Theater

**TOTs - Time Out for Toddlers ~ Friday @ 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. ~ Ages 18 months to 3** ~ Join Toady the Frog for books, rhymes, fingerplays, songs, and puppets! Children's Mini-Theater

**Children's Story Hour ~ Thursday, 4:00-5:00 p.m. ~ Grades K-2** ~ An after-school adventure of storytelling and creative activities. *Note: No program will be held April 26.* Children's Mini-Theater

**StorySeekers\*~ Thursday, 4:00-5:00 p.m. ~ Ages 10-12** ~ Children develop storytelling techniques including oral storytelling, puppetry, and creative dramatics. *Note: No program will be held April 26.* Auditorium

### General Interest Programs:

**April 4: Code Club: Course 1: Beginner\*~ 4:00-5:30 p.m. ~ Grades 3-5** ~ Gain useful technology skills with the basics of programming. Learn how to create your own simple video games and websites using Scratch! Auditorium

**April 11: InBeTWEEN Wednesdays\*~ 4:00-5:30 p.m. ~ Grades 3-5 ~ Jr. Iron Chef** ~ Do you have what it takes to earn the title of Jr. Library Iron Chef? Come show off your culinary skills, but beware... the Mystery Ingredient! Auditorium

**April 14: R.E.A.D.\*~ 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. ~ Grades K-5** ~ Come R.E.A.D. to Frankie and Pepper, our patient and attentive 4-footed friends. Children register for 15-minute sessions to cuddle and read in a relaxed atmosphere. It's a great way to gain confidence in reading skills. Children's Mini-Theater

**April 18: Children's Movie Day\*~ 4:00-5:30 p.m. ~ Grades K-5 ~ Lego Ninjago** ~ High-school students moonlighting as ninjas must learn to work together to unleash their inner power as they fight to defend their island home. This movie is rated PG. Auditorium

**April 26: Poetry Pizza\*~ 4:00-5:30 p.m. ~ Grades K-5** ~ Create an original poem to be published in our annual Poetry Pizza book. Each participant will receive a copy of the book and admission to our Poetry Pizza Party. All poems must be submitted to Youth Services by Thursday, April 19. No poem, no pizza! Auditorium

## Young Adult Programs

**April 23: Teen Scene\*~ 6:00-7:30 p.m. ~ Grades 6-12 ~ CFNC Night** ~ A representative from the College Foundation of North Carolina will be here to provide valuable information related to furthering your education. There will be time for questions and answers following her presentation. Parents are encouraged to attend. Auditorium

## Programs for Everyone

**April 3: 50 Years Ago in Memphis ~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.** ~ In remembrance of the 50th anniversary of Rev. Martin Luther King Jr.'s assassination, the library will host a viewing of PBS's *Roads to Memphis* to provide historical context of the event. Auditorium

**April 7 & 28: Tai Chi Easy with Jan ~ 9:30-10:30 a.m.** ~ Learn the benefits of better balance and circulation through this ancient practice for the mind, body, and spirit. The easy-to-duplicate steps allow participants of any ability or age to follow along. Please bring a mat or towel & water. *Note: No class will be held April 14 or 21.* Auditorium

**April 30: Open Mic Poetry Night ~ 6:00-7:30 p.m.** ~ Listen and share, there is poetry in the air. Come share your original poetry or a favorite poem by a famous or not-so-famous poet as we celebrate National Poetry Month. This event is open to students in Grades 9-12 and adults. Participants will need to sign a waiver indicating what they share is appropriate for the library setting before performing. Auditorium

## Adult Programs

### General Interest Programs:

**April 8: A Quick Tour of Ireland's Best Gardens ~ 3:00-4:30 p.m.** ~ The Friends of the Library will hold their annual business meeting prior to their spring program. Then local resident and retired travel agent Libbie Griffin will lead you on a photo tour of some of the best gardens in Ireland. Auditorium

**April 10: Nite Owls Book Club\*~ 6:30-7:30 p.m.** ~ The library's evening book club will discuss *The Zookeeper's Wife* by Diane Ackerman. *The reading group is closed to new participants at this time.* Conference Room

**April 17: River Readers Book Club\*~ 1:00-2:00 p.m.** ~ The group will discuss *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd. *The reading group is closed to new participants at this time.* Conference Room

**April 25: Ready, Set, Write: Writer's Workshop\*~ 7:00-8:30 p.m.** ~ In this active workshop, learn techniques for writing personal essays with instruction, advice, and professional feedback from writing instructor, Bob Golden. Auditorium

**April 28: Saturday @ the Movies ~ 3:00-4:45 p.m. ~ Dunkirk** ~ A WWII thriller depicting the evacuation of 400,000 Allied troops in France following a catastrophic defeat. This movie is rated PG-13. Auditorium

### Free Technology Classes:

(Meet in the Conference Room unless otherwise noted)

**Tech Tutor\*~** Sign-up for a one-on-one tech session with a staff member. Ask at the Reference Desk for available days and times.

**April 4: iPad Basics\*~ 2:30-4:00 p.m.** ~ Students will learn to use their iPad — basic functions, apps, and eBooks. No computer skills necessary, but an iPad or iPad Mini (any generation) is required.

**April 9: Android Tablet Basics\*~ 2:30-4:00 p.m.** ~ Learn how to use your Android Tablet — basic functions, apps, and eBooks. No computer skills necessary, but an Android Tablet (any except Kindle Fire) is required.

**April 10 & 12: Beginning Internet\*~ 10:00-11:30 a.m.** ~ This is a 2-day class designed for new computer users to introduce the mouse and keyboard, Internet searching, email, printing, and the library's online catalog. No computer skills necessary.

**April 10: World of eBooks\*~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.** ~ Learn how to download the library's eBooks from OverDrive to your smartphone, tablet, or eReader — even Kindles! No computer skills necessary. Students may bring their devices and library cards for specific questions and answers. *Tutoring Room*

**April 18: Kindle Fire Basics\*~ 2:30-4:00 p.m.** ~ This class covers the basics of the Kindle Fire tablet — basic functions, apps, and eBooks. No computer skills necessary, but a Kindle Fire (any version) is required.

**April 23: Windows 10\*~ 2:30-4:00 p.m.** ~ Learn the basics of navigating the Windows 10 operating system, such as changing PC settings, customizing tiles on the start menu, switching apps, and shutting down. Basic computer skills are required. You may bring your own Windows 10 device or use a library laptop.

For more information or to register for Adult or **Everyone** Programs, call 252-638-7807 or email [adultprograms@nbccpl.org](mailto:adultprograms@nbccpl.org).

For more information or to register for **Children's** or **Young Adult** Programs, call 252-638-7815 or email [youthprograms@nbccpl.org](mailto:youthprograms@nbccpl.org).

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