

@ the Library | Hunter Mill District

Patrick Henry Library • Reston Regional Library

Event listings for the Hunter Mill District library branches in the month of November.

Patrick Henry Library

101 Maple Ave. East
Vienna, VA 22180
703-938-0405 | TTY: 711
Mon.–Tues.: 10 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Wed. & Fri.: 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Thurs.: 1 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Sat.: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Book a Librarian

Book a librarian for 30 minutes to address research, readers advisory or other library questions. Call for appointment. Adults.

Drop-in Computer Tutoring

A volunteer tutor is available during certain hours to assist you in using the internet, setting up an email account and using basic software. Drop-in help only. Call for schedule. Adults.

Library eBook Training

Call to schedule an appointment with staff on using library eBooks. Adults.

One-to-One English Conversation

Practice English conversation skills with a library volunteer. Call to register. Adults

Tuesdays in November, 3:00

Mondays, Nov. 7, 21, 28, 3:00

Wednesdays, Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30, 3:00

Thursdays, Nov. 3, 10, 3:00

Saturdays, Nov. 5, 12, 19, 2:00

NaNoWriMo: Space for Would-Be Novelists

Join fellow authors inspired by National Novel Writing Month to use our quiet writing space. Be prepared for drop-in visits by writing instructors and critics. Adults and teens.*

Fridays, Nov. 4, 18, 10:00

English Conversation Group

Practice your English conversation skills in a group. Adults.*

Friday, Nov. 4, 18, 3:30

Pokémon League

Learn and play. Age 5-18.*

Saturday, Nov. 5, 10:30

Meet Author Brian R. McEnany

Local author Brian R. McEnany discusses his award-winning book, *For Brotherhood & Duty*. Hear stories of 16 West Point cadets who ended up fighting on opposite sides in the Civil War. Book available for signing and purchase. Adults.

Tuesday, Nov. 8, 11:30

Rock-a-Bye Baby

Join us for an early literacy-enhanced storytime, featuring rhymes, stories and songs. Spots available on a first come, first serve basis. Birth-12 months with adult.*

Thursday, Nov. 10, 1:00

Classic Books Discussion Group

Join writer/scholar Amanda Holmes Duffy for a discussion of *It Can't Happen Here* by Sinclair Lewis. Adults and teens.*

Thursday, Nov. 10, 7:00

Goodnight, Sleep Tight

Come in your pajamas and join us for stories and songs. All ages.*

Saturday, Nov. 12, 10:30

Make Your Own Greeting Cards

Learn from local artist Pat Britz how to design greeting cards using different methods: embossing, die-cut and making rosettes. Materials provided for two cards each. Adults, teens.

Monday, Nov. 14, 4:00-5:00

Thursday, Nov. 17, 4:00-5:00

Woof and Paws-Read to a Dog

Need a little reading help? Sign up to read with a reading therapy dog. Age 6-12.

Tuesday, Nov. 15, 10:30

Small Wonders

Join us for an early literacy-enhanced storytime, featuring stories, rhymes, songs and activities for you and your child. Age 12-23 months with caregiver.

Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1:00

Zen Coloring for Adults

De-stress and meet new friends while working on detailed coloring pages for adults. Materials provided or bring your own. Adults.

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Events subject to change. Check the library's website for up-to-date listings.

* = No registration necessary

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Wednesday, Nov. 16, 10:30
Treasured Threes-Fives

Join us for stories and songs. Spots available on a first come, first serve basis. Age 3-5 with adult.*

Thursday, Nov. 17, 1:00
Patrick Henry Book Club

Circling the Sun by Paula McLain.
Adults.

Saturday, Nov. 19, 10:30
Babies and Books

Join us for stories, songs and rhymes. Spots available on a first come, first serve basis. Birth-23 months with adult.*

Monday, Nov. 21, 10:00
Vienna VIP

Support for individuals with vision impairments. Adults.*

Monday, Nov. 21, 7:00
“Not Just for Teens” Adult Book Club

Are you an adult who loves YA lit? If so, join us for discussion and fun. Adults.

Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1:30
Picture Book Time

Join us for stories, songs and rhymes. Spots available on a first come, first serve basis. Ages 2-5 with adult.*

Monday, Nov. 28, 10:30
Toddlin’ Twos

Join us for stories and songs. Spots available on a first come, first serve basis. Age 2 with adult.*

Reston Regional Library

11925 Bowman Towne Dr.
Reston, VA 20190

703-689-2700 | TTY: 711

Sun.: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Mon. - Thurs.: 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Fri.: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Sat.: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 1, 10:30
Fire Safety for Kids

Enjoy a puppet show presented by the Fairfax County Fire and Rescue Department. Participants will receive a helmet, activity book and parental brochure. Age 3-5 with adult.

Tuesdays, Nov. 1, 8, 15, 7:00
Spanchats

Join our ongoing Spanish conversation group. All levels from beginner to fluent welcome. Adults.*

Wednesday, Nov. 2, 4:00-6:00
First Wednesdays with Supervisor Hudgins

Stop by and share any concern you may have on any issue with Supervisor Cathy Hudgins. Adults.*

Wednesday, Nov. 2, 7:00
Relaxation through Meditation

Join Gerry Gorman to learn how meditation can evoke relaxation and peace within including a simple meditation technique that can help you in all aspects of your life. Adults.

Thursday, Nov. 3, 10:30
Gymboree Music II

Dance and sing to a new musical style each month including Latin, Rock ‘n’ Roll, Classical and more. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Reston Regional Library. Age 16-18 months with adult.

Thursday, Nov. 3, 7:00
Millennials Book Club

Connect with other Millennials to discuss great books. November’s title is *Bristol House* by Beverly Swerling. Adults, early 20s-early 30s.

Friday, Nov. 4, 2:00
VIP Reston

Monthly meeting offering support for individuals with vision impairments. Adults.

Saturday, Nov. 5, 11:00
Wildlife in Winter

Learn about migration, adaptation and hibernation of creatures such as opossums, snakes, turtles, bunnies and ferrets. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Reston Regional Library. Age 6-12.

Sundays, Nov. 6, 13, 2:00
Give Me Liberty: The American Revolution 1763-1787

Dr. Harry Butowsky continues his popular history lectures with a six-part series covering the American Revolution from the Seven Year War through the Constitutional Convention. Adults, teens.*

Mondays, Nov. 7, 21, 28, 10:30
Tuesdays, Nov. 15, 22, 29, 10:30
Little Twisters Storytime Yoga

Join us as we read a classic children’s book, then act it out using fun yoga poses and creative movement with a certified children’s yoga teacher. No prior yoga experience or props needed. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Reston Regional Library. Age 3-5 with adult.

Monday, Nov. 7, 4:30
Color Me Reading

Learn to decorate your room and to make gifts, but above all to relax as you color the hour away. Age 8-12.

Tuesday, Nov. 8, 10:30
Toddler Storytime

Join us for fun stories, songs and fingerplay. Age 2 with adult.

Tuesday, Nov. 8, 7:00-8:00
Read to the Dog

Read aloud to a trained therapy dog. Bring your own book or choose a book from the Library. Call or sign up online for a 15-minute session. Age 5-11.

Wednesday, Nov. 9, 10:30

Wednesday Morning Book Club

This month's title is *And the Mountains Echoed* by Khaled Hosseini. Adults.

Thursday, Nov. 10, 10:30

Musical Fall Fun with Miss Susan

Gobble Gobble. Enjoy the colors and sounds of the fall season through music and movement activities. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Reston Regional Library. Age 9-24 months with adult.

Thursday, Nov. 10, 7:00

Color Me Happy

Relax, unwind, and turn loose your inner artist in our adult coloring session. Choose from our collection of intricate designs and bring them to life with color. Materials provided, or bring your own. Adults.

Thursday, Nov. 10, 7:00

It's a Fall Hoedown!

Busia Bear presents Slim Harrison, internationally known multi-instrumentalist, storyteller and "Master Artist" with the Wolf Trap Institute for Early Learning as he introduces us to American folk instruments such as fiddle, banjo, guitar, dulcimer, jaws harp and mouthbow. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Reston Regional Library. Age 2 and up with adult.

Thursdays, Nov. 10, 17, 7:00

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) Meeting

Be part of this leadership experience; share your ideas about how to make the library a wonderful place for teens. Age 13-18.

Saturday, Nov. 12, 11:00

Kids Flicks: "Shaun the Sheep"

Movie

Join us for this delightful family film about the colorful antics of Shaun the Sheep. All ages.

Monday, Nov. 14, 10:30

Gymboree Music I

Discover melody pitch and rhythm while building a repertoire of joyful songs. Cosponsored by the Friends of the Reston Regional Library. Age 6-16 months with adult.

Monday, Nov. 14, 4:30

Spaghetti Tower Marshmallow Challenge

Calling all engineers and architects. Use your design skills to build the tallest tower that will support the marshmallow. Age 7-12.

Tuesday, Nov. 15, 7:00

Sam's Book Club

Join former library director Sam Clay for a lively book discussion. November's title is *A Man Called Ove* by Fredrik Backman. Adults.*

Thursday, Nov. 17, 10:30

Sensory Friendly Storytime

This multi-sensory storytime is geared towards children on the autism spectrum and children who are sensitive to sensory overload. Birth-5 with adult.

Thursday, Nov. 17, 4:30

Geronimo Stilton Book Discussion Group

Join Geronimo Stilton in Cat and Mouse in a Haunted House. After getting stranded by a haunted castle, will Geronimo be able to escape? Books available for check out at the youth services desk. Age 8-10.

Thursday, Nov. 17, 7:00

Classic Cinema: Fritz Lang's "M"

Peter Lorre stars in this 1931 thriller about a tortured child murderer. When police are unable to capture him, underworld leaders decide to take the heat off their activities by catching him themselves. German with English subtitles. Adults.*

Friday, Nov. 18, 2:00

Great Decisions Series

Watch the film and participate in the roundtable discussion on current events and U.S. foreign policy options. The topic for November is "Migration." Discussion materials will be available at the info desk two weeks before the event. Light refreshments will be served.*

Saturday, Nov. 19, 2:00

Meet The Author

Meet Aaron Even, award-winning author of *Bloodroot*. Adults.

Tuesday, Nov. 22, 7:00

Dollars and Sense

Monthly group discussion focuses on business leaders and markets. We will be discussing *The Bond Book* by Annette Thau. The event is free and open to the public. Adults.

Tuesdays, Nov. 22, 29, 7:00

Spanchats

Join our ongoing Spanish conversation group. All levels from beginner to fluent are welcome. Adults.*

Wednesday, Nov. 30, 7:00

Meet Mark Twain!

Popular historical re-enactor Mike Hall incorporates Twain's own words and acerbic wit to opine on the state of the world during his time and today. Join us for this unique celebration of Samuel Clemens' birthday. Adults and older children.

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English as a Second Language Program at Reston Regional Library

ONE-TO-ONE ENGLISH CONVERSATION

Multiple one-on-one practice sessions with a volunteer are available each week. Sign up begins every Monday at 1 p.m. at the information desk or by phone.

PRE-BEGINNERS

With Maureen, Wednesdays, 10-11 a.m.

WRITING THE ENGLISH ALPHABET

With Martha, Thursdays, 11 a.m.- 12 p.m.

BEGINNERS

With Sandra, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10-11 a.m.

With Ivan, Fridays, 10-11 a.m.

INTERMEDIATE

With Richard C., Mondays, 10-11 a.m.

With Juanita, Mondays, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

With Richard C., Wednesdays, 10-11:30 a.m.

With Susan, Wednesdays, 1-2 p.m.

With Sharoni, Wednesdays, 2-3 p.m.

ADVANCED

With Richard C., Thursdays, 10-11:30 a.m.

With Martha, Fridays, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

CONVERSATION & PRONUNCIATION

With Richard C., Mondays, 11:15 a.m-12:15 p.m.

VOCABULARY BUILDING

With Sharoni, Mondays, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

SPEAK & WRITE

With Sandy, Mondays, 1:30-3 p.m.

DIALOGS & GRAMMAR

With Judy, Tuesdays, 11:15-12:30 p.m.

PRONUNCIATION & SPEAKING

With Sandy, Thursdays, 1-2:30 p.m.
