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Wednesday, August 5th

Adult Craft Night: Faux Stained Glass at 6 pm -

Join us on Wednesday, August 5th at 6 pm for our August Adult Craft Night, this month we are making faux stained glass! Registration is limited - please email Ali at ajones@jaxpl.org or call 217-243-5435 ext. 235 to reserve your spot today!

Saturday, August 8th

Encore Family Craft Class: Faux Stained Glass at 2 pm -

Couldn't make the Wednesday craft night? No problem! Join us on Saturday, August 8th at 2 pm for our Encore Family Craft Class. This month, we are making faux stained glass! Registration is limited - email ajones@jaxpl.org or call 217-243-5435 ext. 235 to reserve your spot today! Adults & Children 6th grade and up may register.

Tuesday, August 11th

WITS Fitness at 2 pm -

Join University of Illinois Educator, Karina Moore, each month for engaging, hands-on activities that help boost cognitive function and memory. This fun, informative class is perfect for keeping everyone's mind sharp. For more info, email Karina Moore at kmoor02s@illinois.edu or call 217-243-7424.

Wednesday, August 12th

Adult Book Club: Anxious People by Fredrik Backman at 6 pm -

Join us on August 12th at 6 pm for our August Page Turners Book Club meeting. This month we are reading "Anxious People" by Fredrik Backman. All are welcome! Books are available for check out at the Circulation desk!

Friday, August 14th

Lego Club from 2:30 - 5 pm -

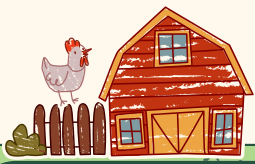
Calling all builders! This month's Lego Club meeting is coming up! Join us at the library on August 14th to show off your Lego skills. Stop in anytime between 2:30 and 5:00 pm.

Wednesday, August 26th

Andrew Carnegie's Gospel of Wealth With HFK Presents Actor Terry Lynch as Andrew Carnegie at 6 pm -

Come and hear how Carnegie's philanthropic interests centering around education and world peace led to the establishment of public libraries, including our very own Jacksonvill Public Library! August 26th @ 6:00pm. Admission is Free!





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Bookmobile

Just a reminder that the final Bookmobile of the summer will be on August 7th!

Please make sure to stop by one of our 3 locations:

Pavilion @ Centenary United Methodist Church – 321 East Morgan St. from 1:00pm – 1:30pm

Dunlap Court – 612 North West St. from 2:15pm – 3:15pm

Greenbriar Apartments – 12 Greenbriar Dr. from 3:30pm – 4:30pm

D&D Club from 4 – 6 pm

Well met, traveler! The Jacksonville Public Library is looking for brave adventurers to join our party!

Our current session of D&D Club is full! Check our social media for updates or email Blaine at blainecoultas@gmail.com with questions regarding future sessions.

Youth Garden Club – The final garden club meeting of the summer will be on August 6th! For ages 5-10.

Mindful Movement – Grab a towel and join Jeannie Hemphill for a mindful movement class. Learn the basics of mindful movement with an introduction to balance, finger/wrist exercises, shoulder rolls and more. As long as there's enough interest, this class will continue so don't hesitate to stop by! This month classes will be held on August 3rd & 17th from 4:30 – 5:30 pm in the meeting room.

Teen Advisory Board – What do you want to see at your library? Join TAB to help us make the library a better place for teens! In August, we'll be meeting on the 13th and 27th at 5 pm! Please email Courtney at clangdon@jaxpl.org or Brittany at boverby@jaxpl.org with questions!

Storytime and Baby Storytime will be on hiatus until the week of September 2nd.

