



LAKE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY EASTER EGG HUNT

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024

3:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

**221 EAST MAIN STREET IN LAKE CITY
PARENTS, PLEASE BRING A BASKET FOR
YOUR CHILD TO USE.**

**THIS EVENT IS FREE AND OPEN TO
PRESCHOOL AGED CHILDREN.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION,
CALL 843-394-8071**



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

These programs are for adults 18+ unless otherwise noted.

January 25 - May 15 - Alvin Glen Art Exhibit

The library's Morris Gallery will host an exhibit featuring artwork by South Carolina artist Alvin Glen. Some of his works illustrate low country Gullah life while other works bring attention to social or political issues.



Friday, February 2, 10:00am – Movie Matinee: Drama Film, PG-13, 2h 5m (2019)

The extraordinary tale of Harriet Tubman's escape from slavery and transformation into one of America's greatest heroes, whose courage, ingenuity, and tenacity freed hundreds of slaves and changed the course of history.

Friday, February 9, 10:00am - Movie Matinee: Action Film, PG-13, 2h 41m (2022)

The people of Wakanda fight to protect their home from intervening world powers as they mourn the death of their King.



Tuesday, February 20, 5:30pm – Emanuel Survivor: Polly Sheppard (Ages 10+ allowed with parent or guardian)

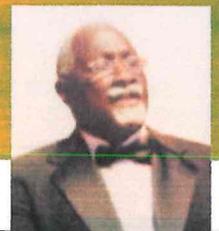
Polly Sheppard, a survivor of the Emanuel Church shooting, will tell her story.

Friday, February 23, 10:00am – Movie Matinee: Documentary Film, NR, 1h 30m (2019)

An inside look at the tragic event that took place in Charleston, South Carolina at the Emanuel AME Church, where 9 innocent churchgoers were gunned down.

Tuesday, February 27, 5:30pm – Donald Sweeper's "A visit from Dr. Ernest Everett Just" (Ages 10+ allowed with parent or guardian)

Learn about the hidden racism Dr. Just encountered as a black researcher whose work was many years before its time. Sponsored by SC Humanities (schumanities.org)



These programs are free and open to the public. For information, call (843) 413-7074. The Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library is located at 509 South Dargan Street in Florence. These programs are made possible by Friends of Florence County Library.

Florence County Public Library Black History Month PSA's

:30 SCRIPT

In honor of Black History Month, the Florence County Public Library is hosting events free and open to the public.

On February 20th at 5:30, Mrs. Polly Sheppard will be at the library to tell her story of surviving the shooting where nine people were tragically killed at Emanuel church in Charleston.

And on Tuesday February 27 at 530, Donald Sweeper presents "A Visit from Dr. Ernest Everett Just" where you can learn about the hidden racism Dr. Just encountered as a black researcher.

For more information on Black History Month events, please visit Florence Library dot org.

:60 SCRIPT

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On February 20th at 5:30, Mrs. Polly Sheppard will be at the library to tell her story of surviving the Charleston Massacre where nine people were tragically killed at Mother Emanuel AME church in Charleston. Mrs. Sheppard is a nurse who grew up in Florence, and her foundation supports students pursuing careers in prison health and forensic nursing programs.

On Friday, February 23rd at 10am, the library will show *Emanuel*, a documentary film giving an inside look at the tragic events surrounding the church shooting

And on Tuesday February 27 at 530, Donald Sweeper presents "A Visit from Dr. Ernest Everett Just" where you can learn about the hidden racism Dr. Just encountered as a black researcher.

For more information on Black History Month events and on the library's daily programming, please visit Florence Library dot org. That's Florence Library dot org

TEEN CRAFT

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FLORENCE COUNTY LIBRARY



Open to all 6th through

12th graders

Registration is Required

Meets on the First Tuesday of
Each month

January 9*

February 6

March 5

April 2

4:30-
5:30

*due to holiday closings, will
meet on 2nd Tuesday

For more information, or to
register, contact Julie @
843-413-7073 or
teens@florenceclibrary.org

TEEN LEGO CLUB

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Florence County Library

OPEN TO 6TH THROUGH
12TH GRADERS

MEETS THE THIRD
TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

JANUARY 16

FEBRUARY 20 4:30-

MARCH 19 5:30

APRIL 16

Join us as we create using Legos.
There will be a different theme each
month.

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TEEN GAMING

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FOURTH MONDAY OF EACH
MONTH

January 22

February 26 4:30-

March 25 5:30

April 22

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30 Seconds:

What does foster parenting look like to you? To many, they see mentor figures providing loving homes to children.

Lutheran Services Carolinas paints this picture by partnering with SC DSS to license foster parents of single or two-parent households. Regardless if you're retired, working, with, or without children; you can become a foster parent through LSC for free. Call 1-800-435-7464 or 1-800-HELPING if you or someone you know can foster a child.

[EXT]Darlington County School District to have eLearning Day on Tues., Jan. 9

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Due to the potential for severe inclement weather, Tuesday, January 9, will be an eLearning Day for all Darlington County School District (DCSD) students. All schools and district offices will be closed as students and employees work from home. All afterschool activities, including sports and practices, are canceled for Tuesday.

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FLORENCE-DARLINGTON
TECHNICAL COLLEGE

MEDIA RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

January 8, 2023

Florence-Darlington Technical College to close except for essential personnel on Tuesday

Florence, S.C. – With an abundance of caution in mind, Florence-Darlington Technical College will be closed except for essential personnel on Tuesday, January 9, because of the forecasted severe weather conditions tomorrow.

We will return to normal operations on Wednesday, January 10 unless notified otherwise.

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For more information contact:

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PSA Script

Winter 2024 Emergency Blood Shortage



Media contact: Saskia Lindsay, (843) 295-2658, saskia.lindsaysmith@redcross.org
RedCrossBlood.org

For use: Jan. 1-31, 2024

:30 PSA SCRIPT

The American Red Cross is experiencing an emergency blood shortage as the nation faces the lowest number of donors giving blood in 20 years. More donors are needed now and all winter long for patients counting on lifesaving care. Don't wait – You can help now by making an appointment to give blood with the Red Cross of South Carolina. Use the Blood Donor App, visit red-cross-blood-dot-org or call 1-800-RED CROSS to schedule your donation.

:15 PSA SCRIPT

The American Red Cross is experiencing an emergency blood shortage. More donors are urgently needed now. You can help – Make an appointment to give blood with the Red Cross of South Carolina. Use the Blood Donor App, visit red-cross-blood-dot-org or call 1-800-RED CROSS to schedule your donation.

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