

APRIL 2024

LIBRARY INSIDER



Official Newsletter of the Hall County Library System

USED BOOK SALE



FRIENDS
OF THE
HALL COUNTY LIBRARY
SYSTEM

APRIL 27TH AND 28TH

SATURDAY 10-5

SUNDAY 1-5: **HALF PRICE!**

GAINESVILLE LIBRARY

127 MAIN ST. NW

PAYMENTS OF CASH, CREDIT CARD AND CHECK
ARE WELCOME

DONATIONS NEEDED!



HALL COUNTY
Library System

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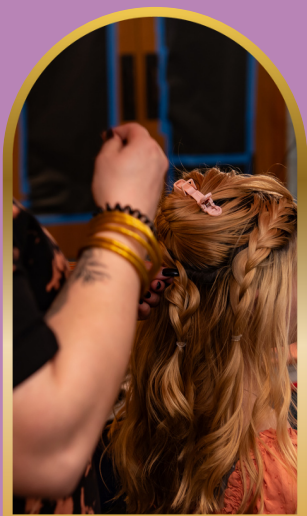
1936 Gainesville Tornado Traveling Display

In 2023 the Hall County Library received a \$500 grant from Iconic America, WETA, and PBS to fund a travelling gallery featuring the historical photos from the 1936 Gainesville tornado. The Friends of the Hall County Library matched the funds to expand the project. This gallery is on display at the Murrayville branch in March and will be at the Spout Springs branch in April. After that, the gallery is available for loan to community groups and organizations. To learn more about reserving the display, please contact Janine Cline at jcline@hallcountylibrary.org for more information.



Prom Pop-up

the Spout Springs Library hosted a Prom Pop-Up to bring prom dresses to the community, completely free of charge. We are so grateful to our community members who came together to donate over 100 dresses for our teens, Matthews & Co. Salon for providing hair and makeup services, and Lisa Michele Photography for documenting these memories for them to keep forever. Everyone had such a great time, and we can't wait to do it again next year!



THANK YOU TO OUR VENDORS WHO
MADE THIS EVENT POSSIBLE

Lisa Michele Photography:
Instagram: [lisa_michelephotography](#)
Facebook: Lisa Michele Photography, LLC.

Matthew's & Co. Salon
Instagram: [matthews_co_salon](#)
Facebook: Matthew's & Co. Salon





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PROGRAMS & EVENTS: ADULT SPOTLIGHTS

Click on words
underlined to
learn more
information!

Celestial Book Charms

Gainesville Library

Monday, April 1st 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

registration required

Author Talk- William Rawlings

Gainesville Library

Wednesday, April 3rd 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Bar Crawl

Spout Springs

Monday, April 8th 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Mosaic Trays

North Hall Tech Center

Tuesday, April 9th 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

registration required

1936 Tornado presented by the Northeast

Georgia History Center

Gainesville Library

Thursday, April 11th 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm

T65 Medicare Program

Gainesville Library

Monday, April 15th 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Nutrition 101 Class

Blackshear Place

Tuesday, April 16th 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Plant Swap

Spout Springs

Wednesday, April 17th 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Oil Painting Workshop

Gainesville Library

Saturday, April 20th 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

ADRC Legacy Link- Aging and Disabled

Resources

Gainesville Library

Wednesday, April 24th 10:00 am - 2:00 pm





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prevailing sa
\$5.00



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PROGRAMS & EVENTS: YOUTH SPOTLIGHTS

Puppetstock!

Gainesville Library

Monday, April 1st 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Poetry Creation Station

North Hall Tech Center

Tuesdays in April 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Spring Break STEAM

Blackshear Place

Thursday, April 4th 12:00 - 1:00 pm

Affirmation Bracelet for Tweens and Teens

North Hall Tech Center

Wednesday, April 17th 4:00 - 5:30 pm

*Registration Required

Taylor Swift Trivia

Gainesville Library

Thursday, April 18 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Spring Fling at the Springs

Spout Springs Library

Monday, April 1st 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Baby Mozart

Spout Springs

Fridays in April, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Bob Ross Paint Party for Teens

Gainesville Library

Thursday, April 4th 6:00 - 7:00 pm

*Registration Required

April Showers STEAM

Blackshear Place

Thursday, April 18th 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Teeny Tiny Art Show

Spout Springs Library

Canvas Pickup April 22nd - April 30th





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STAFF BOOK PICKS

Tickle My Funny Bone

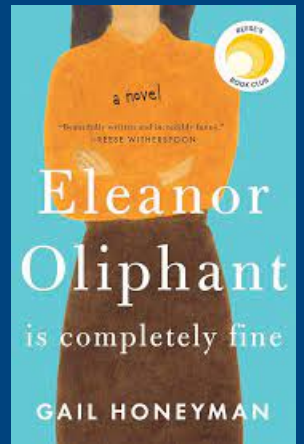
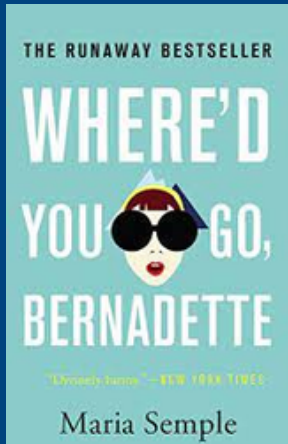


Deborah

Adrienne

Lisa M.

Kathy



Where'd You Go, Bernadette by Maria Semple

Twenties Girl by Sophie Kinsella

When Stars Collide by Susan E. Phillips

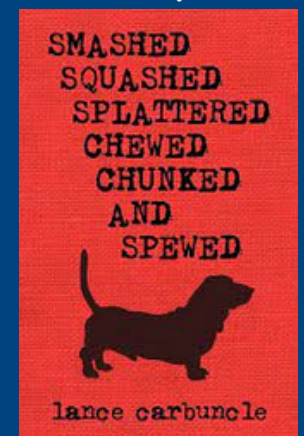
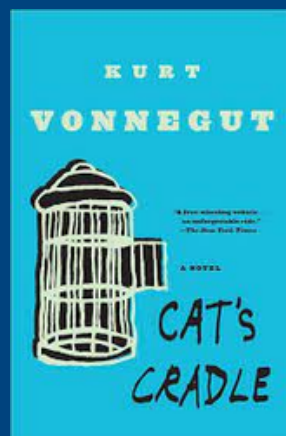
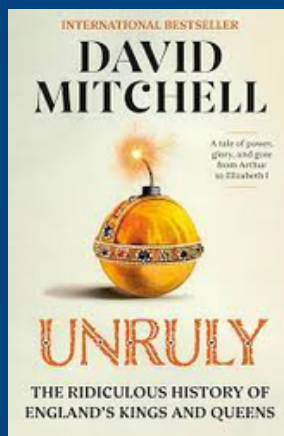
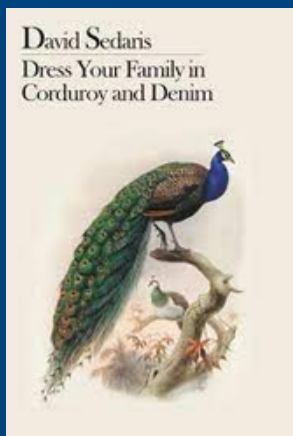
Eleanor Oliphant by Gail Honeyman

George

Zach

Michael

Cheryl



Dress Your Family in Corduroy and Denim by David Sedaris

Unruly by David Mitchell

Cat's Cradle by Kurt Vonnegut

Smashed Squashed.. by Lance Carbuncle



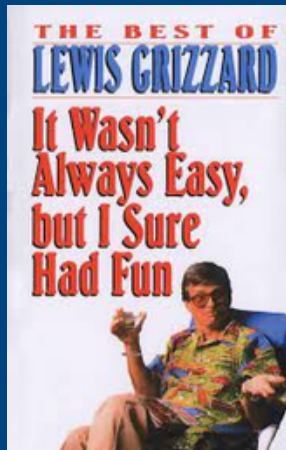
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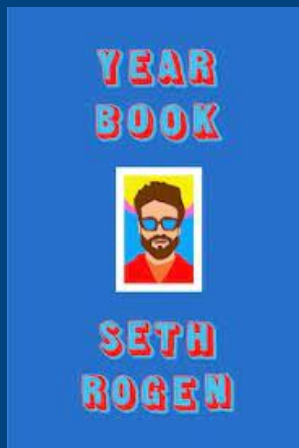
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Ronda



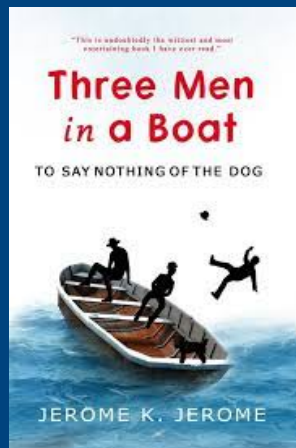
It Wasn't Always Easy,
but I Sure Had Fun
by Lewis Grizzard

Allyn



Year Book
by Seth Rogen

Gabrielle



Thee Men in a Boat
by Jerome K. Jerome

Marissa



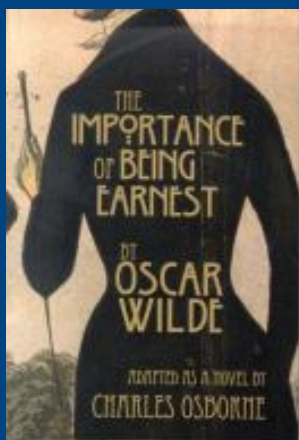
Maskerade
by Terry Pratchett

Patton



Justice League
International Vol. 1
by Keith Giffen

Hannah



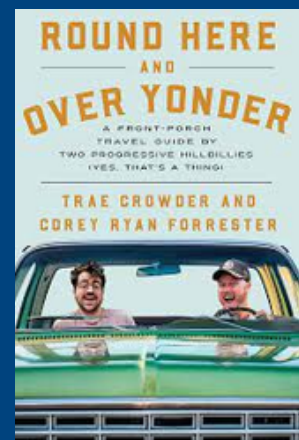
The Importance of
Being Earnest
by Oscar Wilde

Sandra



Starter Villain
by John Scalzi

Linda



Round Here and
Over Yonder
by Trae Crowder

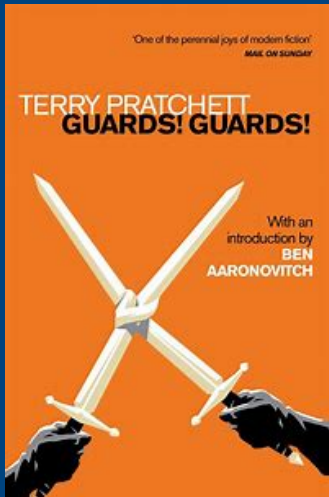


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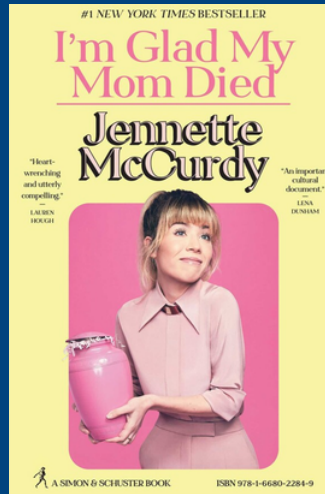
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Holden



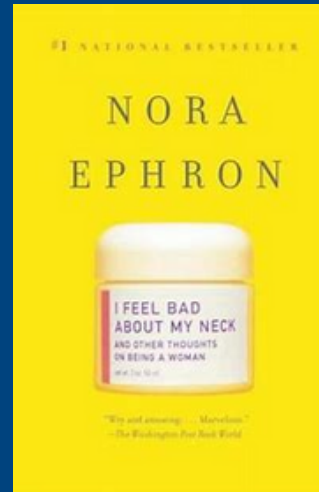
Guards! Guards!
by Terry Pratchett

Mckenzie



I'm Glad my Mom Died
by Jennette McCurdy

Elizabeth



I Feel Bad About My Neck
by Nora Ephron



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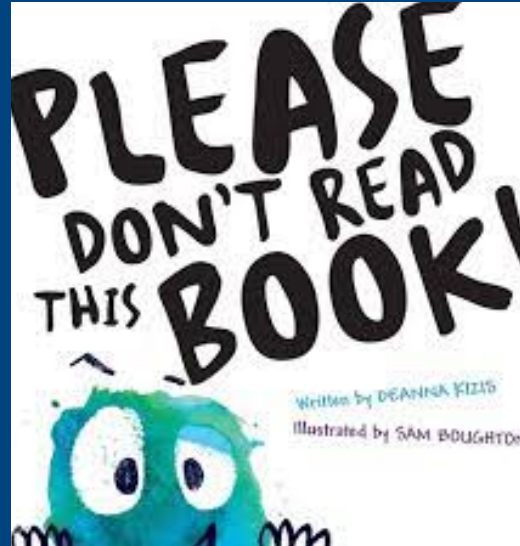
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Lisa C. JUV



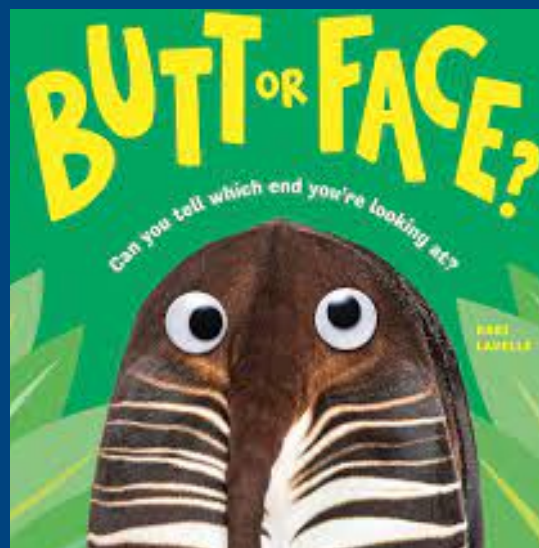
Magyk
by Angie Sage

Amy EASY



Please Don't Read This Book!
by Deanna Kizzis

Lisa E EASY



Butt or Face?
by Kari Lavelle








Bibliophile Bulletin

Navigating the Stacks and Unveiling Library Wonders



National Library Week

Celebrate National Library Week with the Hall County Library System from April 7th to 13th! Each day brings a unique focus:

-  Monday: HCLS Day - Discover the diverse resources, programs, and services offered by HCLS, tailored to meet the needs and interests of our community.
-  Tuesday: National Library Workers Day - Recognize the dedicated staff who make HCLS a welcoming and vibrant space for everyone, providing assistance and support with a smile.
-  Wednesday: National Outreach Day - Learn about HCLS's outreach initiatives, bringing library services beyond our walls to serve diverse populations and promote literacy throughout Hall County.
-  Thursday: Community Day - Explore the strong bonds between HCLS and the local community, showcasing partnerships, collaborations, and events that enrich the lives of residents.
-  Friday: Furry Friends Day - Shining a special spotlight on our furry friends that help us with our programming and events!

Join us in celebrating the power of libraries to transform lives, uplift communities, and foster lifelong learning during National Library Week at HCLS!

In The Gallery

Nancy Harris Rhodes, an award-winning artist, hails from Bentonville, Arkansas, with a deep-rooted connection to North Georgia. Despite challenges, including battling cancer, Nancy's artistry flourishes through textured mediums like collage and abstracts, inspired by her travels and experiences. Engaged in local art communities, she shares her resilient spirit and creative vision with others.

As the days grow longer and the weather warms, we welcome the vibrant spirit of spring! With Hoopla, you have access to your digital library 24/7 to brighten your days. Whether you're looking for a gripping audiobook, a heartwarming movie, or an immersive comic book adventure, we've got you covered. With your Hall County library card anyone with an account in good standing can access Hoopla from their tablet or device.



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