

# January 2025

## Kinston-Lenoir County Public Library

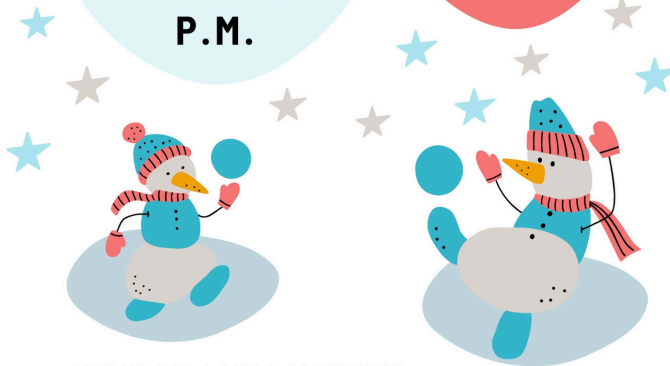
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### MINUTE-TO-WIN IT WINTER OLYMPICS

KINSTON-LENOIR COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY  
510 NORTH QUEEN STREET, KINSTON, N.C. 28501

**MONDAY,  
JANUARY 13  
AT 5:00  
P.M.**

**MEETS IN  
THE TEEN  
AREA**



JOIN US FOR A CHILL ADVENTURE.

SHOW OFF YOUR SKILLS IN 60 SECONDS WITH  
WINTRY MINUTE-TO-WIN-IT CHALLENGES  
AND A **FREE COOKIE BAR**.

**CALL 252.527.7066 EXT. 133 IF YOU WOULD  
LIKE TO RECEIVE MORE INFORMATION!**



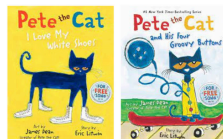
## Youth Programming

**Early Literacy programs will resume on January 6!  
Afterschool programs will resume on January 13!**

- **Storytime**  
Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28 at 10:00 a.m.
- **Countdown to Kindergarten**  
Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28 at 2:00 p.m.
- **SenseSational Storytime**  
Wednesdays, January 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 10:30 a.m.
- **Baby & Me**  
Fridays, January 10, 17, 24 and 31 at 9:30 a.m.
- **Minute-to-Win-It Winter Olympics**  
Monday, January 13 at 5:00 p.m.
- **Gamer's Guild**  
Mondays, January 13 and 27 at 5:00 p.m.
- **MasterChef Jr.**  
Tuesdays, January 14, 21 and 28 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Art Cart**  
Wednesdays, January 15, 22 and 29 at 4:00 p.m.
- **Teens on Demand**  
Wednesdays, January 15, 22 and 29 at 5:00 p.m.
- **Discovery Lab**  
Thursdays, January 16, 23 and 30 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Pete the Cat Pizza Party**  
Friday, January 24 at 4:00 p.m.



**Friday,  
January 24  
4:30 p.m.**  
Kinston-Lenoir County  
Public Library



**Calling all Pete the Cat fans!**  
Join us for an afternoon of fun celebrating our  
favorite groovy blue cat. Enjoy cool games and  
create your own mini pizzas.



For more information,  
call the Youth Services Department  
at 252.527.7066 ext. 133!

### MASTER CHEF JR.

**TUESDAYS  
AT 4:30 P.M.**



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510 NORTH QUEEN STREET, KINSTON, N.C. 28501

**January 14**

Vegetable Spring Rolls

**January 21**

Chinese Prosperity Cake

**January 28**

Mochi Brownies

Join us every Tuesday as we learn kitchen  
skills and food literacy through different  
fun and cultural recipes! For more  
information, call the Youth Services  
Department at 252.527.7066 ext. 133!



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## Kinston-Lenoir County Public Library

510 North Queen Street, Kinston, N.C. 28501

### Adult Programming

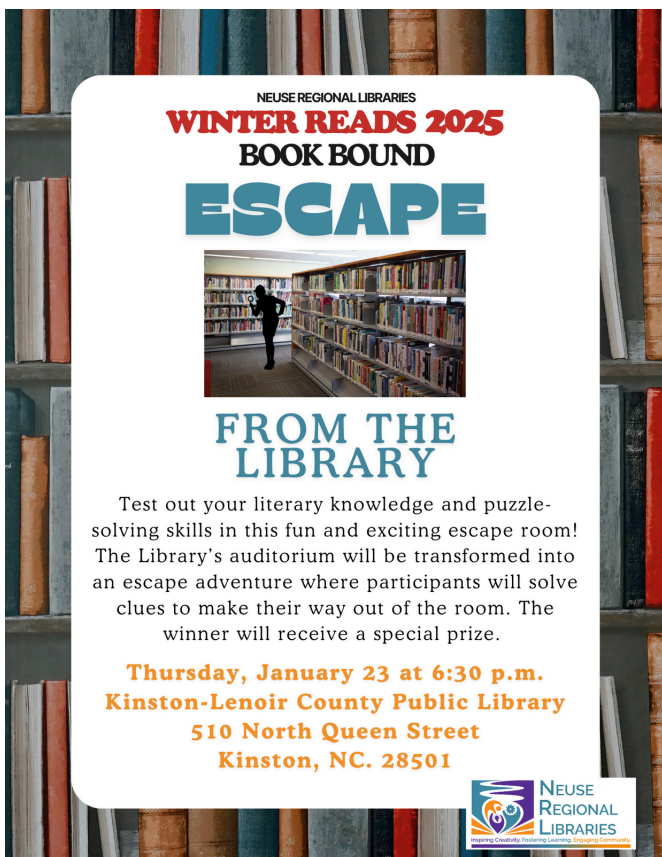
- **Chess Club**  
Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28 at 6:00 p.m.
- **Computer Basics**  
Thursday, January 9 at 10:00 a.m.
- **Book Talking**  
Thursday, January 16 at 6:30 p.m.
- **Christmas Card Books**  
Tuesday, January 21 at 6:00 p.m.
- **Escape from the Library**  
Thursday, January 23 at 6:30 p.m.
- **Internet Safety 101**  
Monday, January 27 at 6:30 p.m.

#### Contact:


**Email Address** [nrl@neuslibrary.org](mailto:nrl@neuslibrary.org) **Phone Number** 252.527.7066 ext.134

#### Hours:

Monday through Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Friday & Saturday  
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.




NEUSE REGIONAL LIBRARIES  
**WINTER READS 2025**  
BOOK BOUND  
**ESCAPE**



**FROM THE LIBRARY**

Test out your literary knowledge and puzzle-solving skills in this fun and exciting escape room! The Library's auditorium will be transformed into an escape adventure where participants will solve clues to make their way out of the room. The winner will receive a special prize.

**Thursday, January 23 at 6:30 p.m.**  
**Kinston-Lenoir County Public Library**  
510 North Queen Street  
Kinston, NC. 28501



NEUSE REGIONAL LIBRARIES  
**WINTER READS 2025**  
BOOK BOUND  
**Christmas Card Books**



**Tuesday, January 21 at 6:00 p.m.**  
**Kinston-Lenoir County Public Library**  
510 North Queen Street, Kinston, N.C. 28501

Looking for a fun way to turn all of your Christmas cards into a lasting keepsake? Learn how to use the spine of an old book to turn Christmas Cards into a new book of memories. Seating will be limited for this program. Call the Information Services Department at 252.527.7066 ext. 134 to reserve a spot.



### COMPUTER BASICS

**Thursday, January 9 at 10:00 a.m.**

**Kinston-Lenoir County Public Library**  
510 North Queen Street, Kinston, N.C. 28501  
Learn the basics of how to navigate the computer and perform essential computer, internet, and email tasks. Certificates are available for participants. Call the Information Services Department at 252.527.7066 ext. 134 for more information.



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## La Grange Public Library

119 East Washington Street, La Grange, N.C. 28551

### NEUSE REGIONAL LIBRARIES DISCOVERY LAB



**TUESDAYS AT 4:30 P.M.**  
**JANUARY 7, 14, 21 & 28**

**LA GRANGE PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
**119 E. WASHINGTON STREET, LA GRANGE, N.C. 28551**

Join us each week for a different STEM, cooking, gaming,  
or art adventure. Intended for ages 5 through 12.  
For more information, call us at 252.566.3722!



## Youth Programming

- **Storytime**  
Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28  
at 11:00 a.m.
- **Discovery Lab**  
Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28  
at 4:30 p.m.
- **Countdown to Kindergarten**  
Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23 and 30  
at 11:00 a.m.



**LA GRANGE  
PUBLIC LIBRARY**



## Countdown to Kindergarten

Fun-Filled Learning for Young Minds



Join us for stories, activities and  
crafts specially designed to help  
preschool children (ages 3-5) get  
ready for kindergarten.

For more information,  
please call 252.566.3722!

**THURSDAYS,  
JANUARY 9, 16, 23, & 30  
11:00 A.M.**



**La Grange Public Library**

## Storytime

**Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21, & 28  
11:00 AM**

Weekly program featuring multicultural  
stories, songs, and activities intended  
for young children and their families.  
Ages 5 and under.

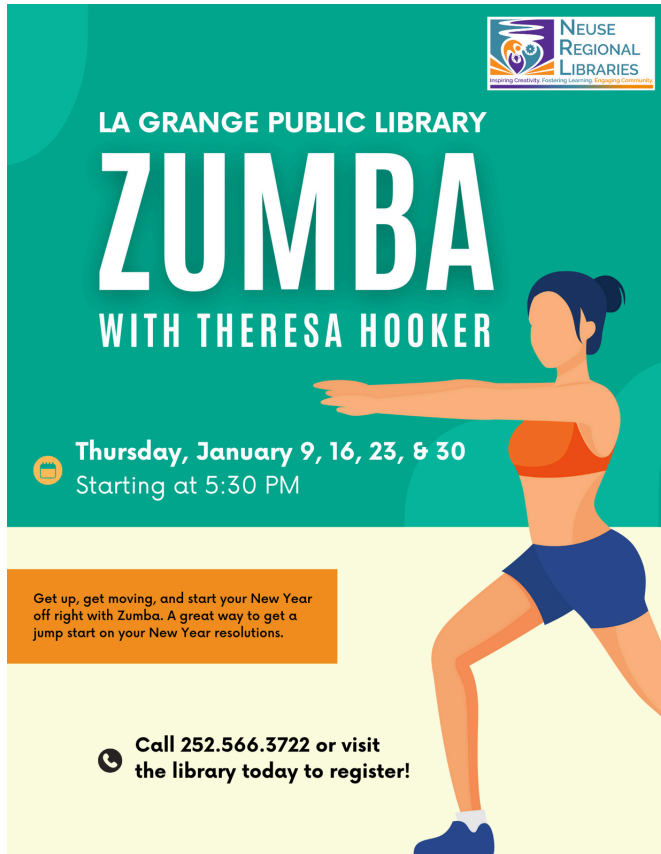
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**ZUMBA**  
WITH THERESA HOOKER

Thursday, January 9, 16, 23, & 30  
Starting at 5:30 PM

Get up, get moving, and start your New Year off right with Zumba. A great way to get a jump start on your New Year resolutions.

Call 252.566.3722 or visit the library today to register!

## Adult Programming

- **Tech 101: Technology Assistance**  
By appointment only
- **Zumba with Theresa Hooker**  
Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 5:30 p.m.
- **Tech Tutor**  
Tuesday, January 14 at 12:00 p.m.
- **Silent Sip and Read**  
Wednesday, January 15 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Blood Pressure Screening**  
Tuesday, January 28 at 10:30 a.m.

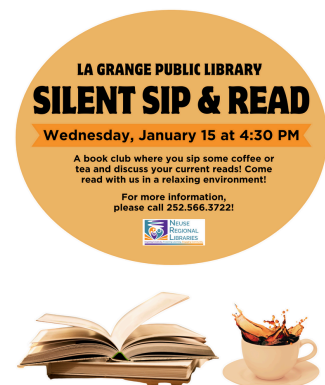
### Contact:

Phone Number  
252.566.3722

Email Address  
lagrange@neuselibrary.org

### Hours:

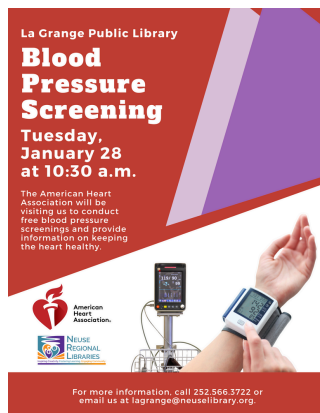

Monday, Wednesday and Friday  
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday & Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.



LA GRANGE PUBLIC LIBRARY  
**SILENT SIP & READ**  
Wednesday, January 15 at 4:30 PM


A book club where you sip some coffee or tea and discuss your current reads! Come read with us in a relaxing environment!

For more information, please call 252.566.3722!



La Grange Public Library  
**Blood Pressure Screening**  
Tuesday, January 28 at 10:30 a.m.

The American Heart Association will be visiting us to conduct free blood pressure screenings and provide information on keeping the heart healthy.



For more information, call 252.566.3722 or email us at lagrange@neuselibrary.org.



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## Pink Hill Public Library

114 West Broadway Street, Pink Hill, N.C. 28572



## Dog Man Celebration!

Thursday, January 23  
at 4:30 p.m.



Etta Jones Turner Public Library  
114 W Broadway St. Pink Hill, NC 28572

**Owoooooo!**

Calling all Dog Man fans - it is time to celebrate the upcoming movie release!

Join us for a woofing good time with activities and craft stations. We'll finish the party with a few rounds of Bingo for a grand prize of movie tickets to the feature film.



For more information,  
call 252.568.3631!

## Youth Programming

- **Viralized**  
Thursday, January 9 at 5:00 p.m.
- **Discovery Lab**  
Tuesdays, January 14, 21 and 28 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Storytime**  
Thursdays, January 16, 23 and 30 at 10:00 a.m.
- **Bookworms Book Club**  
Thursday, January 16 at 1:00 p.m.
- **Dog Man Celebration**  
Thursday, January 23 at 4:30 p.m.

## VIRALIZED

Thursday, January 9  
5:00 p.m.

Etta Jones Turner Public Library  
114 W Broadway St., Pink Hill, NC 28572

EXPERIMENT WITH FOOD HACKS AND TRY  
CURRENT OR PAST VIRAL FOOD TRENDS!

To celebrate the New Year, we will be challenging ourselves to learn something new! Join us to make vegetarian sushi, play games, and socialize!  
Reserved for ages 12-17.



For more information,  
please call 252-568-3631.



Etta Jones Turner Public Library  
114 W Broadway St. Pink Hill, NC 28572

## BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB

Thursday, January 16  
at 1:00 p.m.

Join our club meeting to discuss *Dog Man* by Dav Pilkey and make character keychains. Copies are available for checkout at the library.  
(Intended ages 8-12, grades 4-6.)



For more information,  
call 252.568.3631!



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114 W Broadway St., Pink Hill, NC 28572

### Self-Defense for Beginners

Fridays, January 10, 17, 24, 31  
at 2:00 p.m.

Join fitness instructor LaVerne Robinson for a 4-part series on essential self-defense techniques.

Due to limited space, registration is required for this free adult program. For more information or to register, call 252-568-3631.



Etta Jones Turner Public Library  
**Morning Knits  
with Jeraldine**  
EVERY MONDAY AT 9 A.M.



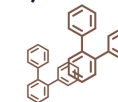
Enjoy Monday morning knitting or crocheting with guided help from Ms. Jeraldine Hill.



### TECH 101

Etta Jones Turner Public Library  
114 W Broadway St., Pink Hill NC 28572

Receive one-on-one technology assistance by scheduling an appointment with your library!



## Adult Programming

- **Tech 101**  
By appointment only
- **Morning Knitting with Jeraldine**  
Mondays, January 6, 13 and 27  
from 9 to 11:00 a.m.
- **Self-Defense for Beginners**  
Fridays, January 10, 17, 24 and 31  
at 2:00 p.m.

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252.568.3631

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pinkhill@neuselibrary.org

### Hours:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday  
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday & Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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# January 2025

## Greene County Public Library

229G Kingold Boulevard, Snow Hill, N.C. 28580

## Youth Programming

- **MasterChef Jr.**  
Mondays, January 6, 13 and 27 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Storytime**  
Wednesdays, January 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 10:00 a.m.
- **Teen Chef**  
Wednesday, January 8 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Discovery Lab**  
Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Astronomy Adventures**  
Friday, January 17 at 4:30 p.m.



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# Astronomy Adventures

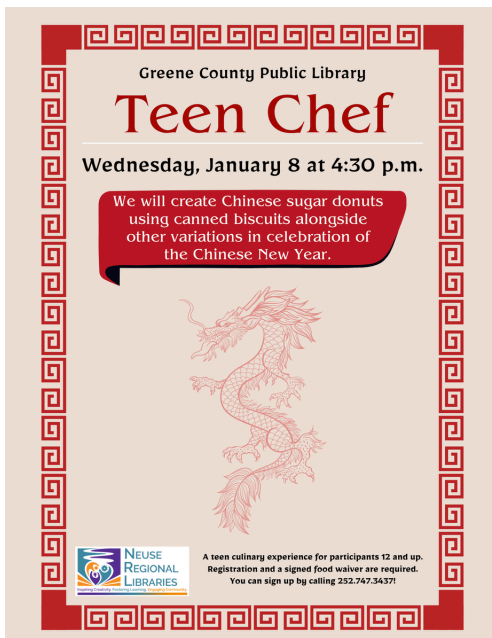
Friday, January 17 at 4:30 p.m.

Explore the science and wonders of our universe on an astronomy adventure with astronomers from the North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences. We will build then personalize telescopes and enjoy astronomy related snacks!

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NORTH CAROLINA Museum of Natural Sciences

For more information, please call Rose Hernandez at 252.747.3437 or email at [rhernandez@neuselibrary.org](mailto:rhernandez@neuselibrary.org)



Greene County Public Library

# Teen Chef

Wednesday, January 8 at 4:30 p.m.

We will create Chinese sugar donuts using canned biscuits alongside other variations in celebration of the Chinese New Year.

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A teen culinary experience for participants 12 and up. Registration and a signed food waiver are required. You can sign up by calling 252.747.3437!



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# STORYTIME

WEDNESDAYS AT 10:00 A.M.

JANUARY 8 - SNOW  
JANUARY 15 - BATH TIME!  
JANUARY 22 - MONSTERS  
JANUARY 29 - BEARS

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For more information, contact Amber Hargett at [ahargett@neuselibrary.org](mailto:ahargett@neuselibrary.org) or call 252.747.3437!

# January 2025

## Greene County Public Library

229G Kingold Boulevard, Snow Hill, N.C. 28580

## Adult Programming

### GREENE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY Teas Around the World GRATITUDE TEA TASTING



**Tuesday, January 14  
6:00 p.m.**

Bring your favorite tea cup and let's explore tasting some of the world's most iconic teas while expressing gratitude for the blessings of health and diversity.



RESERVATION IS REQUIRED.  
PLEASE CALL 252.747.3437  
TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT.

- **Computer Tutoring by Appointment**  
By appointment only
- **Using HealthCare Online**  
Tuesday, January 7 from 11 to 1:00 p.m.
- **Jig-Saw Lunch Club**  
Wednesdays, January 8, 15, 22 and 29  
from 12 to 2:00 p.m.
- **Teas Around the World: Gratitude Tea Tasting**  
Tuesday, January 14 at 6:00 p.m.
- **Libby Demo**  
Tuesday, January 21 at 12:00 p.m.
- **Koi Fish Watercolor**  
Tuesday, January 28 at 6:00 p.m.

### Contact:

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252.747.3437

**Email Address:**  
[greeneco@neuselibrary.org](mailto:greeneco@neuselibrary.org)

### Hours:

Monday through Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
Friday  
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
Saturday  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

### Greene County Public Library Koi Fish Watercolor



**Tuesday, January 28  
6:00 p.m.**

Celebrate Chinese New Year by joining us for a fun evening of Koi Fish watercolor painting.



Reservation is required; please call 252.747.3437 to reserve your seat.

### Libby Demo

Thousands of ebooks, audiobooks, magazines & more, waiting for you in the Libby app.

**Libby.**

The library reading app



**Tuesday, January 21 at 12:00 p.m.**  
Greene County Public Library



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## Jones County Public Libraries

### Youth Programming

#### Comfort Public Library

- **Discovery Lab**  
Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Storytime**  
Thursday, January 23 at 3:30 p.m.

#### Maysville Public Library

- **Storytime**  
Wednesdays, January 8, 15, 22 and 29 at 1:00 p.m.
- **Discovery Lab**  
Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 4:30 p.m.

#### Pollocksville Public Library

- **Discovery Lab**  
Tuesdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28 at 4:00 p.m.
- **Bilingual Hour**  
Friday, January 10 at 4:00 p.m.
- **Creative Corner**  
Friday, January 17 at 5:00 p.m.

#### Trenton Public Library

- **Discovery Lab**  
Thursdays, January 9, 16, 23 and 30 at 4:00 p.m.
- **Family Game Night**  
Friday, January 10 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Swift Nation**  
Friday, January 17 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Hogwarts at the Library**  
Friday, January 24 at 4:30 p.m.

#### MAYSVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISCOVERY LAB



THURSDAYS AT 4:30 P.M.

January 9 - **STEM** - Save the Lighthouse & Paper Mountains  
January 16 - **Cooking** - Blueberry YumYum!  
January 23 - **Gaming** - Monopoly!  
January 30 - **Art** - Lighthouse & Mountain Landscapes

For more information, call 910.743.3796.



Tuesday, January 14  
6:00 p.m.

**Pollocksville Public Library**

Join us for a fun evening where we will be playing classic bingo. Winners will receive a ticket for an accurate bingo sheet and then will be able to accumulate or use the tickets immediately to redeem set prizes set aside for bingo nights. Call 252.224.5011 if you would like to receive more information!



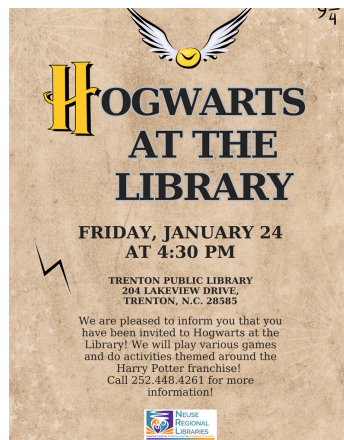
#### COMFORT PUBLIC LIBRARY STORYTIME



Thursday, January 23 at 3:30 p.m.

Join us as we read multicultural stories, sing songs, and complete activities intended for young children and their families. Intended for ages 5 and under.

For more information, call 910.324.5061 or email [comfort@neuselibrary.org](mailto:comfort@neuselibrary.org).

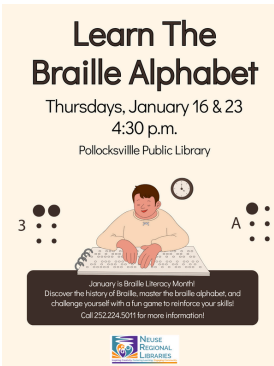
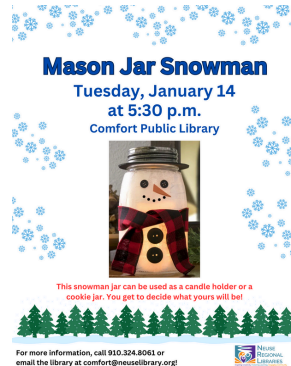


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## Jones County Public Libraries Adult Programming



### Comfort Public Library

- **Mason Jar Snowman**  
Tuesday, January 14 at 5:30 p.m.

### Pollocksville Public Library

- **Bingo Night**  
Tuesday, January 14 at 6:00 p.m.
- **Learn the Braille Alphabet**  
Thursday, January 16 and 23 at 4:30 p.m.
- **Essential Computer Skills (Habilidades Esenciales de Computación)**  
Tuesday, January 21 at 6:00 p.m.

### Maysville Public Library

- **Craft and Connect**  
Tuesday, January 14 at 5:00 p.m.

### Trenton Public Library

- **Family Game Night**  
Friday, January 10 at 4:30 p.m.

#### Comfort

Phone Number:  
910.324.5061  
Hours:  
Tuesday & Thursday  
1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

#### Maysville

Phone Number:  
910.743.3796  
Hours:  
Tuesday  
1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday through Friday  
12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

#### Pollocksville

Phone Number:  
252.224.5011  
Hours:  
Tuesday  
1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday through Friday  
12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

#### Trenton

Phone Number:  
252.448.4261  
Hours:  
Tuesday  
1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday through Friday  
12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.



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