

May @ Your Library eNewsletter



Sevier County Public Library System

Honoring All Who Served

MEMORIAL DAY

MAY 26, 2025

SCPLS LIBRARIES

King Family,
Williams Family Seymour Branch,
& Kodak Branch

CLOSED

HONOR THE AMERICAN FLAG!

Family LEGO Time

THUR., MAY 1
4:00-5:30 PM

SCPLS Williams Family Seymour Branch Library
137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour • FMI, call 865.573.0728

It's not always about winning...make your move.

CHESS CLUB

Currently meeting monthly
on the 1st Thursday

MAY 1
3:30-5:30 PM

SCPLS Williams Family Seymour Branch Library
137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour
FMI, call 865.573.0728
No library card required to participate.

BOOK SIGNING & Q&A AUTHOR EVENT

REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW

TOMMY TOMLINSON

DOGLAND
Twins Hardcover

Tommy Tomlinson is the author of Dogland (2024), which explores the Westerosi dog show and the special bond between dogs and their owners, as well as the doghouse in the home itself, a novel reflecting on life as an overgrown toddler in America. He hosts the Southland podcast and writes a newsletter about the writing life. His work has appeared in various publications, including Esquire, NPR's Magazine, Garden & Sun, and many more. Tommy dedicated several years to Dogland as a reporter and local columnist for the Charlotte Observer. He resides in Charlotte with his wife, two dogs, and three cats, also known as the Dog House.

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MAY

7:00-8:00 PM

Williams Family Seymour Branch Library, 137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour FREE TO ATTEND

Join us for

FIREFLIES PJ Storytime

Eric Carle The Very Lonely Firefly

MON., MAY 5
KING FAMILY LIBRARY, 408 HIGH ST., SEVIERVILLE
6:00-7:00 PM

NOW SHOWING

MOVIE MONDAYS

• MAY 5 - TEEN MOVIE - 'THE SUPER MARIO BROS MOVIE'

• MAY 5 - FAMILY MOVIE - 'ROBOTS'

• MAY 12 - KID'S CHOICE MOVIE - 'BRAVE'

4:00-5:45 PM

May 5 May 5 May 12

SCPLS Williams Family Seymour Branch Library, 137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour
Movies are free of charge and open to the public. For more information, call 865.573.0728

COOKBOOK READING CLUB

LET'S TRY SOME DELICIOUS FOOD TOGETHER!

WED MAY 6 2025

Easy-Does-It Dishes

King Family Library, 408 High Street, Sevierville
For more information, call 865.453.3532

Board Meeting

AT WILLIAMS FAMILY SEYMOUR BRANCH LIBRARY

Tuesday, May 6, 2025
5:30pm

SCPLS Williams Family Seymour Branch Library,
137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour

Open to the Public

JOIN US FOR A SUPER FUN TIME!

FAMILY CRAFT & MOVIE TIME

NO-SEW FABRIC CARROTS

Disney ZOOPIA

TUESDAY, MAY 6
• 3:30-5:30 PM

Pre-registration required, limited to ten young crafters

SCPLS KODAK BRANCH LIBRARY
319 W. DUMPLIN VALLEY ROAD, KODAK
865.933.0078

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DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

TEEN GAME TIME

WEDNESDAY
MAY 7, 14, 21
3:30-5:30 PM

Open to teens age 8-18; Limited to 8 players.
Dedicated, serious mature players only.

SCPLS King Family Library, 408 High Street, Sevierville

Usually meets weekly on Wednesday in the Makerspace

FMI, call 865.453.3532

FRIENDS OF KING FAMILY LIBRARY

LIFELONG LEARNING

CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY WITH JOJO LIU

THURSDAY
MAY 8
6:00-7:30 PM

FMI, PLEASE VISIT THE KING FAMILY LIBRARY CIRCULATION DESK OR CALL 865.453.3532. ADULTS-ONLY PROGRAM. REGISTRATION REQUIRED: LIMITED TO 24 ADULTS. FREE OF CHARGE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

KING FAMILY LIBRARY
408 HIGH STREET
SEVIERVILLE

TWEEN/TEEN VIDEO GAME CHALLENGE

Thur., May 8
4:00-5:30pm

Monthly on the 2nd Thursday (September - May)
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FMI, call 865.573.0728

LEGO CHALLENGE

MAKE-AND-TAKE TAKE HOME LEGO PROJECTS!

Limited to 10 Children; Registration Required

KITS MAY DIFFER FROM ONES PICTURED

MAY 13
4:00-6:00 PM

SCPLS Kodak Branch Library, 319 W. Dumplin Valley Road, Kodak
FMI, call 865.933.0078

BINGO TO BUILD

\$1 per BINGO card - Proceeds benefit the Gilreath Family Kodak Branch Library Building Fund

Get ready to shout "BINGO!" and win some handy prizes at this fun event. Our Bingo caller will guide you through multiple rounds of the classic game, and there will be plenty of opportunities to win!

2ND FRIDAY KING FAMILY LIBRARY 10:00-11:30 AM
4TH FRIDAY KODAK BRANCH LIBRARY 10:00-11:00 AM

Call us at 865.453.3532 or 865.933.0078 for more information or to donate prizes. Visit Our Website www.sevierlibrary.org

CRAFTY TUESDAY TEEN CRAFT

PAPER BAG KITES

TUE, MAY 13 | 4:00-5:30PM

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FMI, 865.573.0728

ALL TOGETHER NOW

An Exploration of Kindness, Friendship, and Unity

Preschool Story Time @ 11:00 AM—May 6 & 13—Williams Family Seymour Branch Library—865.573.0728

Toddler Story Time @ 11:00 AM—May 7 & 14—King Family Library—865.4532

Preschool Story Time @ 11:00 AM—May 1, 8, & 15—King Family Library—865.4532

Preschool Story Time @ 11:00 AM—May 12, 19, & 26—Kodak Branch Library—865.933.0078, 13, 20, 17

PJ Story Time @ 6:00PM—May 5—King Family Library—865.453.3532

HOMESCHOOL JUNIOR BOOK CLUB

Historical Fiction

Wednesday May 14 11:00 AM-12:00 PM Trouble River by Betsy Byars

For grades 3-6. Come prepared to discuss what you thought about the book. What did you like? What didn't you like? Tell us about your favorite character and what were the best events in the book.

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Seymour YA Book Club

4:00-5:00PM

Read & discuss any book by this month's featured author

Thur. May 15 Suzanne Collins

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137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour 865.573.0728

STRANGE FAMILY

MARK & KELLIE
JORDAN & CASSIDY KATLYN & LARI
AARON ANTHONY MARCEL

KODAK

EST. 1892

IN MEMORY

IN HONOR

FLOWER POT BEEHIVE

THUR., MAY 15
4:00-6:00PM

FREE OF CHARGE. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
LIMITED TO 12 ADULTS; REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Beyond the Cover Book Club

Read and discuss any book by a specific author each month.

Inspirational Fiction Books by LIN STEPP

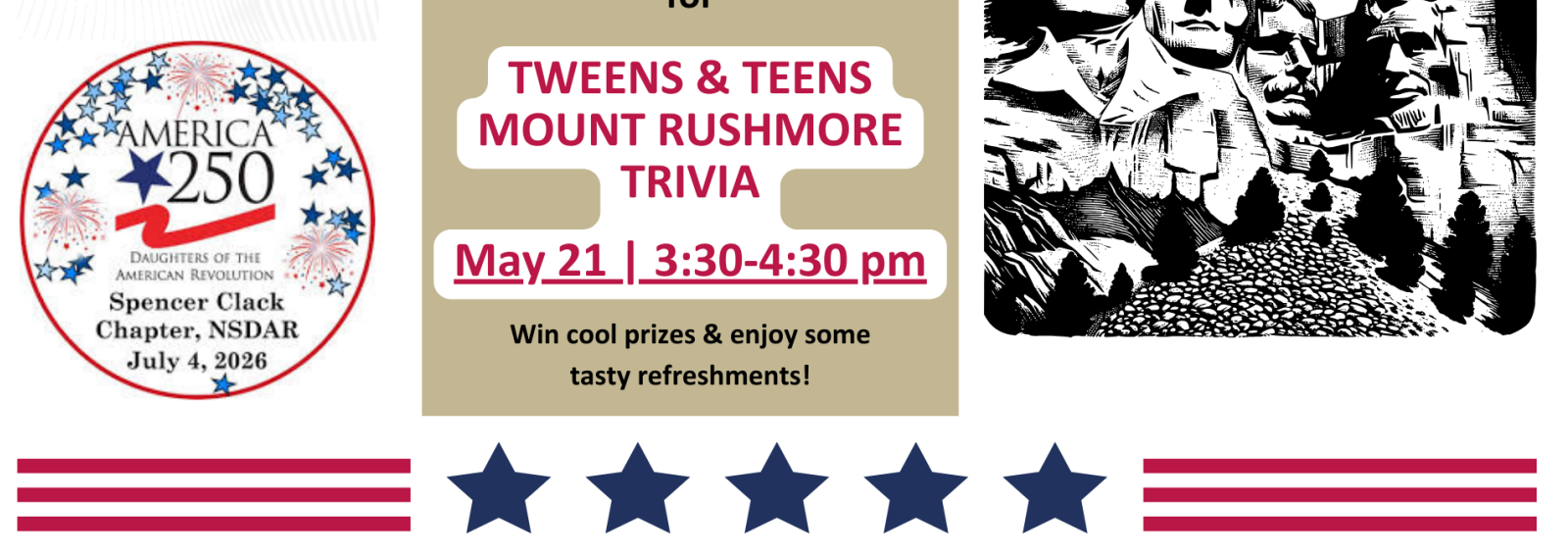
MAY 29 | 4-5PM

SCPLS KODAK BRANCH LIBRARY
319 W. Dumplin Valley Road, Kodak

S.A.A.M. CLUB (SEVIER ADULT ANIME MANGA)

MAY 19 | 5:30-7:30 PM
CHILL ART NIGHT

SCPLS King Family Library, 408 High Street, Sevierville
FMI, 865.453.3532



AMERICA 250

DAUGHTERS OF THE REVOLUTION
Spencer Clack Chapter
July 4, 2026

Spencer Clack Chapter, NSDAR hosts
America's 250th Celebration for

TWEENS & TEENS MOUNT RUSHMORE TRIVIA

May 21 | 3:30-4:30 pm

Win cool prizes & enjoy some tasty refreshments!

COLOR OUR WORLD

SRP KICK-OFF EVENT!

FRIDAY, MAY 30 STARTING AT 9:30AM

Disney Pixar INSIDE OUT

THE LIBRARY SYSTEM'S SUMMER READING PROGRAMS BEGIN WITH THE COLOR YOUR WORLD KICK-OFF ON MAY 30! REGISTERED PARTICIPANTS WILL ENJOY A FREE SCREENING OF "INSIDE OUT" AT GOVERNOR'S CROSSING STADIUM 14 IN SEVIERVILLE AT 9:30 AM. REGISTRATION IS LIMITED TO 150 PEOPLE. REGISTER BY CALLING 865.453.3532

EARLY SUMMER READING DAYS ARE ON FRIDAYS, MAY 2, 9, 16, & 23 AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:
- KING FAMILY LIBRARY, 408 HIGH STREET, SEVIERVILLE - (865) 453.3532
- WILLIAMS FAMILY SEYMOUR BRANCH LIBRARY, 137 W. MACON LANE, SEYMOUR - (865) 573.0728
- KODAK BRANCH LIBRARY, 319 W. DUMPLIN VALLEY ROAD, KODAK - (865) 933.0078

Reserve A Storybook Birthday Party for Your Child Today!

Children's Storybook Party Includes:

- Reserved meeting space for 3 hours at King Family Library (downtown only)
- \$100.00 fee for up to 15 children paid in advance
- Call today for more information or to schedule a Storybook Party for your child

Children's Librarian will provide 1-hour storytime including an interactive playtime activity & craft

Proceeds benefit Friends of King Family Library

SCPLS Branch Locations & Hours

www.sevierlibrary.org

King Family Library
408 High Street, Sevierville
Ph: 865.453.3532 Fax: 865.365.1667

Mon: 9AM-8PM
Tues: 9AM-8PM
Wed: 9AM-8PM
Thurs: 10AM-8PM
Fri: 10AM-6PM
Sat: 10AM-5PM
Sun: CLOSED

Williams Family Seymour Branch Library
137 W. Macon Lane, Seymour
Ph: 865.573.0728 Fax: 865.579.5288

Mon: 10AM-6PM
Tues: 10AM-6PM
Wed: 10AM-5PM
Thurs: 10AM-7PM
Fri: 10AM-6PM
Sat & Sun: CLOSED

SCPLS Rel & Wilma Maples History Center
408 High Street, Sevierville
Ph: 865.453.3532 Fax: 865.365.1667

Mon: 9AM-5PM
Tues: 9AM-5PM
Wed: 9AM-5PM
Thurs: 10AM-5PM
Fri: 9AM-5PM
Sat & Sun: CLOSED

Kodak Branch Library
319 West Dumplin Valley Road, Kodak
Ph: 865.933.0078 Fax: 865.933.5888

Mon: 10AM-6PM
Tues: 10AM-7PM
Wed: 10AM-5PM
Thurs: 10AM-6PM
Fri: 10AM-6PM
Sat & Sun: CLOSED