

Spring 2023



# BOOK ENDS

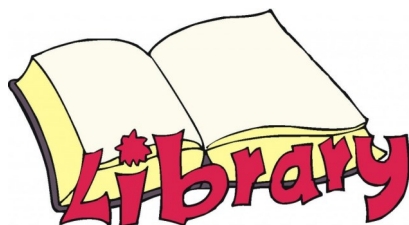
Quarterly Newsletter

Amherst County Public Library

## All Together Now

**The 2023 Summer Reading Program  
"All Together Now" begins with the  
kickoff on Saturday, June 3 from  
10:00am to 12pm.**

**More details to follow! Check our  
Facebook page for detailed  
information in April and May.**



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### Featured Library Resource



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2nd and 4th Mondays of each month (Virtual)

2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month

At the Amherst Library  
(In Person)

2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month

At the Madison Heights Library  
(In Person)

**10:30AM to 12:30PM**

To Request an Appointment:

Contact the library at 434-946-9488, Ext.1 or

go to [www.acpl.us](http://www.acpl.us) and select [Tech Appointment](#) under [Request](#)

## Library Display Case

Have a personal, organizational or other collection to display? Our case is the place. To reserve your space in person, call (434) 946-9488, ext. 1. or online at <https://acpl.us/display>,



To Listen:

<https://acpl.us/podcast>

## Between the Pages by Laura and Haley

Introducing a podcast about book recommendations and reviews with two of your local library pages with author interviews sprinkled in.

A place where they talk about books ranging from mystery to historical poetry to young adult graphic novels to children's picture books and everything in between.

Join us in discovering new-to-you books that you may not have known about to expand your reading possibilities!

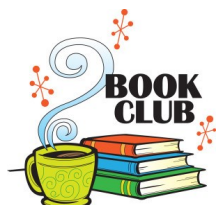


# Attention! We are Now Fine Free!



## New Checkout Times

<i>Check out periods:</i>	All items check out for 3 weeks
<i>Renewals:</i>	3 renewals for 3 weeks each time unless item is on hold <i>New books cannot be renewed</i> All items will be marked lost 7 days after final due date  <i>Accounts will be blocked one day after the final due date</i>



Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at the Amherst Library

*Join Us In Reading The Latest Award Winning*

Mar. 8 -- Hamnet by Maggie O'Farrell

April 12 – The Lathe of Heaven by Ursula K. LeGuin

May 10 – Anxious People by Fredrik Backman

Future book club books are listed on our website.

**CONTACT 434-946-9488, EXT. 1**

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## Yarn Crafters

Calling all yarn crafters!

Join us on the third Thursday of each month from 3 to 5 pm for our new crafting group.

The Yarn Crafters group meets at the Amherst Library. Bring your knitting and crocheting projects. Work and learn with us. All skill levels welcome.

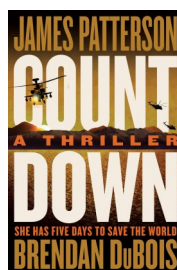
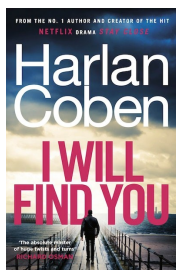
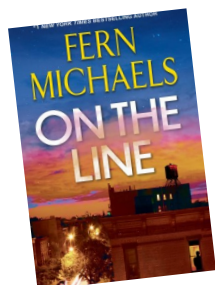
Sign up at the library circulation desk.

Phone: 434-946-9488, ext. 1 Website: [www.acpl.us](http://www.acpl.us)

382 South Main Street, Amherst, VA



## Best Sellers



### Amherst Library Hours

Mon., Wed.-Fri. 10am—6:00 pm

Tues. 10 am — 8:00 pm

Sat. 10 am — 2:00 pm

### Madison Heights Library Hours

Mon. 10 am — 8:00 pm

Tues.-Fri. 10 am — 6:00 pm

Sat. 10 am — 2:00 pm

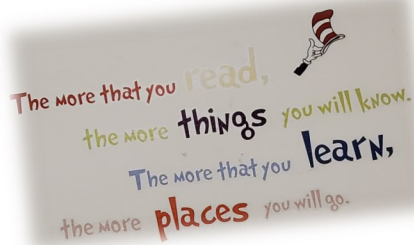


## *Holiday Closings*

The Library will be closed Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day and will reopen Tuesday, May 30th.



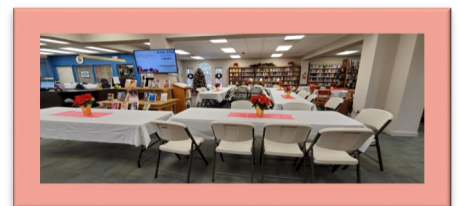
## Children's Area



We have new decorations in our children's area.  
Please stop by and take a look!

## Staff Christmas Party

The library staff had a wonderful time at their annual Christmas party.



## **Friends of the Madison Heights Library**

The MH Friends of the Library are very busy categorizing, organizing, and preparing for our Annual June Book Sale. This year it will be on Saturday, June 3rd from 8:00 am-1:00 pm. We would like to thank everyone for all your many book donations that make this event possible. We accept book donations every day of the year when the library is open. One of the library staff members will take your donations at the front desk. We welcome all subject areas. At the present time we could use large print books and Western books.

We have a new book sale area dedicated to local authors and authors from Virginia. Please come by and check it out! I think you will be pleasantly surprised at how well our state is represented.

We are having a Cookbook Sale the whole month of March. All cookbooks will go for 50 cents each!

Our FOL organization meets twice a year: March and September. We would love to have you join us. Applications may be picked up at the circulation desk.

**HAPPY READING!**







## Friends of the Amherst Library



Everything in the Friends Book Stop (book sale area) is half off for the whole month of March. Come by and check out the book sale area today!



**Don't miss it!**



## Friends Annual Meeting

The Friends of the Amherst County Public Library Annual meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm, at the Amherst Library.

Come hear all about the Summer Reading Program from Youth Services Librarian Anna Heilman and catch up on all the latest news from our Director, Jacob Etter.

This is the perfect time to renew your Friends membership or join this group of dedicated library supporters for the first time. Refreshments will be served. Come and bring the entire family!