# Alamance County Public Libraries News Release for November 2025 All library programs are free.

### November 1 - 29

Graham Public Library. Preschool & Toddler Scavenger Hunt. Explore the children's section to find the clues, then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Elementary Scavenger Hunt. Explore the children's section to find the clues, then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 5709-6730.

Graham Public Library. Dinosaur Scavenger Hunt. Explore the library all month to find the creatures from times long ago. Then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 5709-6730.

Graham Public Library. ACC Employability Coach. 3:00 p.m. Tuesdays. For adults. Join us at Graham for our visiting Employability Coach for job seekers. Assistance is provided with job applications, job searches, resumes, cover letters, and much more. Instruction is designed to be self-directed, self-paced, and structured on an open-entry, open-exit basis. These are drop-in sessions; register for a 20-minute time slot online or contact us at 336-570-6730. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Preschool Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2-5 and their caregivers. See the Children's Desk to get started and receive a small prize when you're done. Scavenger Hunts are changed monthly. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Elementary Scavenger Hunt. For rising K – 6th graders. Learn about dinosaurs in this interactive scavenger hunt! See the Children's Desk to get started and receive a small prize when you're done. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Match the Dino Tracks! For children of all ages. Follow the dinosaur footprints around the Children's Area and see if you can match the tracks to the correct dinosaur! All participants will earn an extra-special dino prize. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. What Are You Thankful For? For children of all ages. Take a feather and write down something you're thankful for. We'll add the feathers to our turkey's beautiful tail! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Community Puzzle. For adults. Stop by our Community Puzzle Table and help piece together something beautiful, one bit at a time! Located in a cozy corner of the library, this ongoing puzzle invites everyone to contribute—whether you've got five minutes or

an afternoon. It's a relaxing way to unwind, connect with others, and be part of a shared accomplishment. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. GED Class. 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. For adults. Need to complete your high school education in order to improve your academic skills or qualify for a better job? Please call or stop by the library to sign up for ACC's free GED classes. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Public Library. Computer Basics Level 1 with ACC. 10:00 a.m. Mondays and Fridays. For adults. This is a certificate course that includes Gmail email basics, browser basics, internet basics, internet safety, social media basics, web search basics, your digital footprint, smartphone basics (iPhone & Android), and touch-typing. A NorthStar Digital Literacy Certificate is awarded upon achieving a passing score at the end of class. Space is limited! Register online or call (336) 229-3588 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Digital Equity Classes. 5:30 p.m. Wednesdays. For adults. Local community organization Valores is offering free Digital Equity Classes to bridge the digital divide by providing accessible and practical digital literacy education. These classes cover essential digital topics in English and Spanish, as the teachers are bilingual. To register for the program, please call Valores at 336-380-3657 or 336-534-6942. You can also register online here: <a href="https://forms.gle/rV8SuNaUL6DJjDb99">https://forms.gle/rV8SuNaUL6DJjDb99</a>. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Spark! Places of Innovation. On Display until November 19, 2025. During library hours. *Spark! Places of Innovation* explores the unique combination of places, people, and circumstances that sparks innovation and invention in rural communities. Inspired by an exhibition by the Smithsonian's Lemelson Center for the Study of Invention and Innovation, the exhibition features stories gathered from diverse communities across the nation. Photographs, engaging interactives, objects, videos, and digital stories bring a multilayered experience to reveal the leaders, challenges, successes, and future of innovation in each town. Technical, social, cultural, or artistic—every sort of innovation story is as unique as each community and will be represented in *Spark! Places of Innovation*. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2-5 and their caregivers. Drop by during library hours for self-led scavenger hunts designed to promote learning through observation, exploration, and play. Participants will earn a small prize for each completed scavenger hunt, and the scavenger hunt challenges will change weekly. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. "Native American Leaders, Authors and Artists" Scavenger Hunt. For K – 6th graders. Celebrate Native American Heritage Month with this interactive scavenger hunt featuring Indigenous creatives and changemakers, from past to present! See the Children's Desk to get started and receive a small prize when you're done. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. 100 Years of Alamance Public Libraries – Mebane. For adults and general interest. Ready for a blast from the past? Join us for a fun, self-guided Historical Photo Walk on the second floor of the Mebane Library! Got your own library history? We'd love to see it! If you have personal photos of the Mebane Library over the years, please chat with a staff member about sharing your piece of history! For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

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Mebane Public Library. Community Puzzle. For adults. Stop by our Community Puzzle Table and help piece together something beautiful, one bit at a time! Located near the reference desk on the 2nd floor, this ongoing puzzle invites everyone to contribute—whether you've got five minutes or an afternoon. It's a relaxing way to unwind, connect with others, and be part of a shared accomplishment. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Elementary Scavenger Hunt. Native American Inventions. Explore the children's section to find the clues, then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

North Park Library. Preschool & Toddler Scavenger Hunt. Native American Inventions. Explore the children's section to find facts about the top Halloween candy, then bring your completed scavenger hunt to the desk for a small prize. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

# November 1

May Memorial Library. LEGO® Fun. All day. For families. Drop in and use your imagination to build, challenge, create, and more, all with LEGO®! No registration is needed for this program, and all LEGO® will be provided. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Make and Take 10:00 a.m. -6:00 p.m. For families with children 5-12 years of age. Stop by the Children's Department to make something special to take home. Each month, we will have a different craft for families to make together. Limited supplies available. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Breakfast Book Club. 10:30 a.m. For adults. Join us for a lively discussion of our latest book club selection. This month's selection is *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah. Copies of the book are available at the desk for checkout. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Paws for Reading. 1:00-2:30 p.m. For K-8th Graders. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Winston! All of the dogs who participate in Paws for Reading have been certified as therapy dogs by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Cantina Conversations. 2:00 p.m. For adults. Welcome, Jedi and Sith, to the Cantina Conversations - Star Wars Club! Join fellow fans each month for a fun and informal Star Wars club! We'll chat about the books, movies, shows, characters, and big events that make up the galaxy from the Deep Core to the Unknown. Whether you're a casual fan or a lifelong Jedi, you'll find a welcoming space to share your favorite moments, swap theories, and enjoy light-hearted conversation. Bring your curiosity and love of Star Wars, and May the Force Be with You! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 2

Burlington City Park. Dia de los Muertos Festival. 12:00 - 6:00 p.m. For families. Celebrate Dia de los Muertos with Valores and other local organizations at Burlington City Park! ACPL will be there with information on library programs and a craft. Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

# November 3

May Memorial Library. Paws for Reading. 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. For K-8th Graders. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Binky! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Krafty Kids. 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. For Kindergarten to 2nd grade. In celebration of Native American Heritage Month, join us in making a Circle Weaving Tapestry. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Author Talk: Casey Stubbs. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Join us for an inspiring evening with Casey Stubbs, an exciting new local voice in the world of finance and investing! Casey will share insights from his debut book, *The Complete Trading System*, a practical guide for building confidence and success in today's fast-paced markets. Hear the story behind the book, learn key strategies to sharpen your financial savvy, and discover how to approach trading with clarity and discipline. Whether you're a curious beginner or a seasoned investor, this event will leave you motivated and ready to take charge of your financial future. A Q&A session will follow—don't miss this chance to connect with Casey Stubbs! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 4

May Memorial Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0-2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program with stories, songs, and activities encouraging early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Dinosaurs!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Yoga Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For ages 2-5 and their caregivers. Breathe and bend with stories, rhymes, and songs! Please wear comfortable clothing for the program. Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. ACC Employability Coach. 3:00-6:00 p.m. Tuesdays. For adults. Join us at Graham for our visiting Employability Coach for job seekers. Assistance is provided with job applications, job searches, resumes, cover letters, and much more. Instruction is designed to be self-directed, self-paced, and structured on an open-entry, open-exit basis. These are drop-in sessions; register for a 20-minute time slot online or contact us at 336-570-6730. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

Mebane Public Library. Paws and Claws for Reading. 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. For ages 5-12. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with therapy dog, Finley Mae, or therapy Cockatoo, Charlie! All animals who participate in Paws and Claws for Reading have been certified as therapy animals by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Public Library. Digital Dash Challenge. 4:00 p.m. For children. Join us for our new Digital Dash event. Each month, we will have a new digital challenge. For the month of November, the challenge is Pixel Puzzle. In this challenge, you will create a quick pixel art design using Make 8-bit Art. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Graham Public Library. Extra Credit. 5:00-6:00 p.m. For grades 9-12. Do you need service hours to graduate, or need work experience, but you're too busy to commit to a set weekly volunteer schedule? This is the program for you! Earn the service hours you need by helping with library tasks like cutting, folding, and bagging take-and-make projects. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Empowered Caregiver Series: Responding to Dementia-Related Behaviors. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Caring for someone living with dementia brings a unique set of challenges and rewards. Learn to navigate the responsibilities of middle and late-stage caregiving in this 5-part Empowered Caregiver Series. This month, we will discuss common behavior changes and how they are a form of communication, teach you non-medical approaches to behaviors, and talk about how to recognize when help is needed. This educational series is presented by the Alzheimer's Association. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 5

May Memorial Library. Blind Crochet Challenge. 10:00 a.m. For Adults. Ready for a crochet adventure? Join us for a mystery crochet along! Every week, you will receive a small piece of a larger pattern that will be completed at the end of December. We offer check-in sessions twice a month, where you can get help and share your progress with others. Email <a href="mailto:khester@alamancelibraries.org">khester@alamancelibraries.org</a> or call 336-229-3588 for more information!

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Dinosaurs." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Public Library. Computer Workshop with ACPL. 11:00 a.m. For adults. Join us for a general session on how to use your computer. This program will feature an interactive computer skills session with access to a computer to follow along with the presenter. Space limited! Register online or call (336) 226-7185 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Knights of F3. 2:00 p.m. For adults. Play chess at the library! Whether you're a beginner or a pro, everyone is welcome to join the fun. We have the boards, so just bring your best moves! *Instruction will not be provided*. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

North Park Library. Board Game Night. 4:00-6:30 p.m. For families. Join us to play a fun selection of games! You can bring games of your own to share or try out some of ours. Beginner board gamers are welcome; we are happy to teach you how to play! Snacks will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Paint and Pour. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Get ready for a cozy night of creativity at our Paint & Pour event at 6pm! Sip on delicious tea while bringing vibrant artwork to life with paint—no artistic skills required. Enjoy a fun, stress-free hour to unwind, connect, and let your inner artist shine! Tea and materials are provided. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 6

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program with stories, songs, and activities encouraging early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Dinosaurs!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music,

movement, finger plays, and stories! Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 11:15 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. BrainSTEM. 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. For 3rd to 5th grade. Join us as we make a Rube Goldberg Machine to help a fleeing turkey! Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Jumping Genres Book Club. 4:30 p.m. For 3rd-5th graders. Meet old friends and new friends at Jumping Genres Book Club! This month, we will discuss *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis and then play book-themed games and activities. Registration required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

North Park Library. STEM in the Park. National STEM Day. 5:00 p.m. For ages 6-11. Explore concepts of STEM through hands-on experiments and games. This month's activities will celebrate STEM through activities from each concept. Registration is required. Limited to 10 participants. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Nutrition: No Fuss, No Fear. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Want to make better-informed decisions about your food without confusion or fear? Join us for this introductory nutrition session for adults who want to better understand what they eat. You will learn about the main macronutrients in food, what they do for your body, and explore simple swaps to common foods to help balance your meals! Registration required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Bright Penny Outpost, 4000 Arrowhead Blvd, #140, Mebane, NC. Dying to Read Book Club. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Join us as we discuss one of the must-read books of 2021, *Nurse: the true story behind Scandinavia's most notorious criminal trials* by Kristian Corfixen. Limited copies are available for check out or you may place a copy on hold at the Mebane Public Library. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

# November 7

Graham Public Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program enriches your child's life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week's theme is "Dinosaurs." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Library. Discovery Baby and Toddler Time. 10:30 a.m. A storytime for children ages 0-2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning with STEM. After the program, stay for self-led exploration in the Discovery Lab. This month's theme is "Food." All materials will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Cards & Coffee. 11:00 a.m. For adults. Play cards and make new friends at the library! We'll supply the cards; you bring the fun! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

North Park Library. Growing Up Wild Storytime. Terrific Turkeys. 11:15 a.m. For families with children ages 3-5. Get ready to unleash your wild side with our 45-minute program, where children will explore our diverse planet through stories and hands-on science-based activities. Our activities are designed to inspire curiosity and foster a deeper connection to nature. All materials provided. Limit 12 explorers. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Graham Public Library. Silent Writing Month of November. 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. For ages 16 and up. How many pages can you write during the month of November? Need a quiet space to do your writing and accountability to keep you focused? This month only, join us each week when we open our meeting room and provide a quiet space for aspiring writers to gather and work. The first fifteen minutes will be a time to socialize if you wish, and coffee will be provided. Please register for email reminders. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

# November 8

May Memorial Library. Family Make & Takes. All Day. For families. Looking for a fun activity? Check out our Make and Takes! Drop by during library hours and make a craft, then take it home and show it off! This month, we'll be making Clothespin Dinosaurs for Dinovember! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Innovation Build. 10:00 a.m. -6:00 p.m. For families with children 2-12 years of age. Bring the whole family and see what you can build using a variety of building blocks that will be provided. How tall can you make it? How big? Work together or create on your own. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Public Library. Community Closet. 10:00 a.m. For adults. Community members are invited to come shop for gently used business clothing in a variety of sizes and styles at no cost. We will also have the following vendors throughout the day. Elon University's 'Fitting Futures' will provide on-site alterations, our local alterations vendor will provide tips and tricks to wearing your clothes best, A Cleaner World will share tips and tricks for how to best care for your clothes, and Alamance Community College's Employability coach and Alamance Community Colleges Employability coach will provide interview and resume tips. Call (336) 229-3588 for more information.

Mebane Community Park. Library in the Park. 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. For families. Join the Mobile Library at the park for fun before it gets too cold outside! We'll have outdoor games, a craft, and plenty of books to check out. Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

Mebane Public Library. Bilingual Family Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For families with children of all ages. Join us for stories, songs, and activities in English and Spanish. This program is suitable for both native speakers and beginners. Registration is required, and space is limited. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Glen Hope Baptist Church, 911 North Ave, Burlington. Hope Festival. 1:00-6:00 p.m. For families. ACPL will be a part of this fall's Hope Festival, featuring free games, music, a bounce house, and more. The library will have information on our programs and a craft. Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

Mebane Public Library. Puzzle Swap. 2:00-4:00 p.m. For all ages. Join the Alamance Jigsaw Puzzle Exchange and ACPL in a puzzle swap. Bring up to ten gently used puzzles to the library and take home new-to-you puzzles. Children's puzzles are welcome at the event but can only be swapped for other children's puzzles. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. 90s/Y2K Crafts – a 100 Years Program. 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. For ages 16+. Join us at the library for a nostalgic craft night involving some iconic crafting materials from the 90s and early 2000s, including Perler beads, lanyards, and friendship bracelets! Materials will be provided. Registration required, and space is limited. To register or find more information, please call (336) 570-6730

# November 10

May Memorial Library. Lunch Bunch Book Club. 12:00 p.m. For adults. All are welcome! Every month we discuss a different book. Copies of our current book are available at May Memorial Library. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Dragon Readers. For K-2nd graders. 4:00 p.m. Meet new friends and enjoy an early elementary storytime. It's that time of year when we say Thank You to friends and families gather. This month, we will be exploring the importance of saying thank you and making items to share our love for friends and family. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Teen Advisory Group (T.A.G.) Meeting. 5:00 p.m. For 6th-12th graders. Make something cool for yourself and work on a service project for your community! This month, we're preparing for the library's 20th Birthday Party and having a mini cupcake challenge! Participants who help with this month's service project will earn volunteer time. To register or for more information, email <a href="mailto:Tampa.Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org">Tampa.Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org</a> or call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Anime Discovery Club. 5:00 p.m. For ages 14-18. Watch anime together, meet other fans, rate episodes, doodle, or all the above! Each month will have a different genre with episodes curated for teens. Discover new shows and get hyped together! This month's genre is Drama / Slice of Life. Register a week before to have snacks provided. To registration or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Graham Public Library. Music Bingo. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Get ready for an evening of fun that combines music and bingo! This evening's musical theme will be "90s Throwbacks." Registration is required. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Maker Meet-Up. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Do you crochet, knit, cross-stitch, embroider, loom knit, weave, draw, scrapbook, watercolor, macramé, or any other portable craft? Bring your on-the-go project and join other makers for a time to hang out and chat while you work on your work-in-progress. This is not an instructional program but a time to meet other artists and crafters. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 11

Veteran's Day Holiday. All Alamance County Public Libraries will be closed.

# November 12

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Moon and Stars." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

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North Park Library. Book A Librarian. 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related reference questions and support. Staff cannot repair devices, but can teach basic computer skills, assist with job/resume building, and more. Registration requested. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

North Park Library: Make or Take. Beaded Corn. 5:00 p.m. For 5 and up. Create a hands-on art piece and take a fact sheet to learn about the Indian festival of Diwali. Make it here or take it home! For more information, call (336) 226-7185.-

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### November 13

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program with stories, songs, and activities encouraging early learning and literacy. This week's theme is Food! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

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Graham Public Library. Creativity Lab. 12:00 p.m. For adults. Join us to create a fun fall craft! Registration is required as space is limited. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

Graham Public Library. The Book Begins. 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. For 3rd-5th graders. Join us for this exciting book group that will be an adventure every time! We'll discuss the current book and participate in related activities. Then we'll start the first chapter of a new book that can be checked out to continue at home. Copies of the book are available at the desk for checkout. This month's book is *I Can Make This Promise* by Christine Day. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. From Iceboxes to Air Fryers: 100 Years in the American Kitchen. 6:00 p.m. For adults. A fun, interactive look at 1920s food culture—featuring vintage vs. modern tools, classic recipe demos, tastings, and hands-on activities. Guests explore how American

cooking has evolved and leave with modernized recipes and historical insights. For more information, call (336) 790-0465.

May Memorial Library. Loteria. 6:00 p.m. For families. Join us to discover and play the Mexican game of Loteria. We'll be playing bilingually, so Spanish speakers and English speakers are both welcome to learn and enjoy this fun game of chance! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Vinyl Society. 6:00 p.m. Adults. A program for record collectors and music lovers to gather over the music they love, bring in records to share, and socialize with likeminded people. Attendees are encouraged to bring as many records as they would like to share (the more the merrier), but we welcome anyone to join us with or without vinyl. Vinyl Society Social Club is about records, but it is mostly about people who love music connecting with each other. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

#### November 14

Graham Public Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program enriches your child's life through music, movement, fingerplays, and stories! This week's theme is "Moon and Stars." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Co-Work and Coffee. 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. For adults. Bring your laptop and settle into our meeting room for an hour or two of focused productivity with complimentary coffee and light snacks. Enjoy quick tips on time management, work/life balance, or productivity in a quiet, welcoming space where remote workers, entrepreneurs, and small business owners can work, recharge, and make meaningful connections with others. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Discovery Baby and Toddler Time. 10:30 a.m. A storytime for children ages 0-2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning with STEM. After the program, stay for self-led exploration in the Discovery Lab. This month's theme is "Food." All materials will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

North Park Public Library. Computer Workshop with ACPL. 12:00 p.m. For adults. Join us for a general session on how to use your computer. This program will feature an interactive computer skills session with access to a computer to follow along with the presenter. Space limited! Register online or call (336) 226-7185 for more information.

North Park Library. Growing Up Wild Storytime. Terrific Turkeys. 11:15 a.m. For children ages 3-5 and their families. Get ready to unleash your wild side with our 45-minute program, where children will explore our diverse planet through stories and hands-on science-based activities.

Our activities are designed to inspire curiosity and foster a deeper connection to nature. All materials provided. Limit 12 explorers. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

May Memorial Library. Mom Needs a Minute. 11:30 a.m. For adults. You need a moment, put yourself in TIME OUT- you've earned it. No guilt, no chores, no kids, just fun! Come for the break, stay for the laughs. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 15

Graham Public Library. Make and Take 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. For families with children 5-12 years of age. Stop by the Children's Department to make something special to take home. Each month, we will have a different craft for families to make together. Limited supplies available. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Bilingual Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For families with children of all ages. Join us for stories, songs, and activities in English and Spanish. This program is suitable for both native speakers and beginners. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Blind Crochet Challenge. 2:00 p.m. For adults. Ready for a crochet adventure? Join us for a mystery crochet along! Every week, you will receive a small piece of a larger pattern that will be completed at the end of December. We offer check-in sessions twice a month where you can get help and share your progress with others. Email <a href="mailto:khester@alamancelibraries.org">khester@alamancelibraries.org</a> or call 336-229-3588 for more information!

Graham Public Library. Knots and Needles. 2:30 p.m. For adults. Bring your knitting, crochet, sewing, quilting, spinning, weaving, embroidery, or other fiber arts projects to work on while we hang out. This is not an instructional program, but simply a way to meet and chat with others interested in fiber arts. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. AniMebane Senpai: an In-Person Anime and Maker Club. 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. For 13-19-year-olds. This month, make onigiri (also known as rice balls), create fuse bead art, and watch anime episodes! Snacks will be served. For more information, email Tampa. Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

# November 17

Mebane Public Library. Native American Heritage Elementary Take and Makes! For K-5th graders. Looking for something fun to do at home? Check out our Take and Make Packets! Each packet contains supplies for a craft or activity designed to promote creativity and hands-on learning. Packets are available on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Adventures in STEM. 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. For K to 2nd grade. Join us as we make a paper cup helicopter! Call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

Mebane Public Library: Book Buddies. 4:30 p.m. For grades K – 2nd. This program explores a variety of themes and authors through great books and fun activities! This month's theme is "Native American Heritage Month."" To register or for more information, call 919-563-6431 or email Amy.Segposyan@alamancelibraries.org.

May Memorial Library. Dinosaur Sensory Exploration. 4:30 p.m. For children ages 5 and up. Join us to celebrate Dinovember! This hands-on, station-based program is all about dinosaurs and sensory play. Dig for fossils, build your own take-home dinosaur skeleton, rescue dinos from slime, and more! No registration required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Tech Time with Tyler. 5:00 p.m. For adults. Drop by for assistance with devices, apps, technology, and library-related inquiries. While staff can't help with device repairs, they can offer support with eBooks, basic apps, and general device troubleshooting. No registration is needed. Spend 5 to 15 minutes with a librarian to get your tech questions answered. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. The Urban Girl's Book Club. 5:30 p.m. For Adults. All are welcome! This month, the book club will be discussing *Between Friends and Lovers* by Shirlene Obuobi. Copies are limited. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

### November 18

Graham Public Library. Silent Writing Month of November. 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. For ages 16 and up. How many pages can you write during the month of November? Need a quiet space to do your writing and accountability to keep you focused? This month only, join us each week when we open our meeting room and provide a quiet space for aspiring writers to gather and work. The first fifteen minutes will be a time to socialize if you wish, and coffee will be provided. Please register for email reminders, and for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0- years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program with stories, songs, and activities encouraging early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Family!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Gather with us for stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy! This week's theme is "Celebrate Native American Authors!" Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Experiment with Art. 2:30 p.m. For adults. Join us for a casual, no-pressure, no-judgment, experimental art lab – no previous artistic experience is needed! Each

month, we will try a different technique or artistic style, and maybe you'll find something that inspires you to pursue it as a hobby! Registration is required as space is limited. Register online or call (336) 570-6730 for more information.

May Memorial Library. Paws for Reading. 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. For K-8th Graders. Children are invited to read for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Beckett! All of the dogs who participate in Paws for Reading have been certified as therapy dogs by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Music Makers! 4:30 p.m. For K-2nd Graders. Join us for music-making, movement, and learning fun! Children will have an opportunity to sing, move creatively, and play instruments. No previous music instruction is required. For more information, call (336)229-3588.

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom. LEGO® Buddies Book Club. 4:30 p.m. For K-5th graders. Love LEGO®? Love stories? Become a LEGO® Buddy by joining this interactive book and building club for elementary school kids! Ms. Tampa will share LEGO® creations from around the world, read a story, and share a surprise building challenge over Zoom. Participants will then have time to build their own LEGO® creations off-screen and share them with the group at the end of the Zoom meeting! To register or for more information, email <a href="mailto:Tampa.Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org">Tampa.Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org</a>.

#### November 19

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Food." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Library. Book A Librarian. 11:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related reference questions and support. Staff cannot repair devices, but can teach basic computer skills, assist with job/resume building, and more. Registration requested. For more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Mebane Historical Museum, 209 West Jackson Street, Mebane, NC. Noonday Book Club. 12:00 p.m. All are welcome. This month our book club will discuss Hello Beautiful by Ann Napolitano. Copies are available for pickup at the Mebane Public Library. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

May Memorial Library. Knights of F3. 2:00pm. For adults. Play chess at the library! Whether you're a beginner or a pro, everyone is welcome to join the fun. We have the boards, so just bring your best moves! Instruction is not provided. For more information, please call 336-229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 2:30 p.m. For children 0-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Food." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Awesome Readers. 4:30 p.m. For 3rd-5th graders. Calling all 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders for a book club just for you! Each month, we talk about a selected title and engage in activities based on the book's themes. This month's selection is *Because of Winn-Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo. To register or for more information, email <a href="mailto:Amy.Segposyan@alamancelibraries.org">Amy.Segposyan@alamancelibraries.org</a> or call (919) 563-6431.

May Memorial Library. Sparkle & Steep. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Unwind and sparkle at our paint and sip night! Create your very own dazzling diamond art piece while enjoying a "cuppa" from a selection of teas with great company. No experience needed. It's the perfect combination of crafting, relaxation, and fun. Come ready to have a great time, and we will provide the rest! Registration is required. For more information, please call 336-229-3588

# November 20

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program with stories, songs, and activities encouraging early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Family!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library: Baby and Toddler Storytime. 11:15 a.m. For children from birth to 2 and their caregivers. This lively program is designed to enrich your child's life through music, movement, finger plays, and stories! Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Graham Public Library. Books Over Coffee. 12:00 p.m. For adults. Take a break from your busy day and enjoy a leisurely chat with fellow book lovers. It's a great way to learn about new authors and hear what's new, what's good, and what's not. Bring a book you have recently read and join us on the third Thursday of each month at noon. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Eclectic Coloring. 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. For adults. Bring your friends for an afternoon of coloring and listening to music. Coloring sheets pulled from a variety of sources are

provided, or you are welcome to bring your own project. Colored pencils, markers, and crayons will be provided. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Treasure Hunters. 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. For grades 3-5. Stop by the front desk for the first clue, use the clue to find another and another until you get to the last spot with a special prize. This is a passive, self-led program. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. Battle of the Brains. 6:00 p.m. For adults. Join us for Battle of the Brains Trivia Night - Music Edition! Put your knowledge to the test in this month's trivia challenge. Each round brings fun questions, friendly competition, and plenty of laughs as contestants battle it out for the top spot. The winner takes home a prize - will it be you? For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

### November 21

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# November 22

May Memorial Library. Puzzle Swap. 12:00 – 2:00 p.m. For adults. Join our Puzzle Swap at May Memorial Library and share the joy of solving while meeting fellow puzzle lovers! From November 12th - November 20th, bring in your gently used puzzles and exchange each puzzle for a ticket. Limit of 15 tickets per person. \*Puzzles must be 500 pieces or more, must be in original box and Puzzle bug puzzles are not accepted at this time. Bring your tickets November 22nd from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. to trade for a new-to-you puzzle. It's a great way to refresh your puzzle collection, share the joy of puzzling, and meet others who also love a good challenge. Come swap, connect, and get inspired! For more information call 336-229-3588.

May Memorial Library. Pretend Play Day! All Day. For families. Did you know that pretend play develops a child's language, thinking, social, and emotional skills? By nurturing the imagination, your child is learning! So, bring your child to learn through play on our Pretend Play Days! All supplies are included. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Graham Public Library. Innovation Build. 10:00 a.m. -6:00 p.m. For families with children 2-12 years of age. Bring the whole family and see what you can build using a variety of building blocks that will be provided. How tall can you make it? How big? Work together or create on your own. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Mebane Public Library. Saturday Playdate. 10:30 a.m. For children from birth to 5 and their caregivers. Engage in imaginative play with your child and build friendships with other parents and caregivers. A variety of age-appropriate toys and manipulatives will be available during this one-hour playdate. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. Financial Literacy with Dr. Mwalali. 2:00-4:00 p.m. For adults. Master Your Money! Join Dr. Philip Mwalali for a focused talk on Community Financial Literacy. Learn how finances connect the individual, the family, and the community. For more information, call (919) 563-6431

Downtown Burlington. Burlington Christmas Parade. 10:00 a.m. For families. See Santa Claus's exciting arrival in Burlington at the annual Christmas Parade! Wave at the BookMARK as it drives by and enjoy the bands, floats, and holiday fun. Call (336) 570-6981 for more information.

# **November 24**

Graham Public Library. Silent Writing Month of November. 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. For ages 16 and up. How many pages can you write during the month of November, need a quiet space to do your writing and accountability to keep you focused? This month only, join us each week when we open our meeting room and provide a quiet space for aspiring writers to gather and work. The first fifteen minutes will be a time to socialize if you wish, and coffee will be provided. Please register for email reminders and for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

North Park Library. Crafty Club. 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. For adults. Join us on the last Monday of the month to create craft from one of the social media platforms. This month's craft is Upcycled Wax Melts! Most materials are provided. Bring a sweater or choose from one that was donated. Sizes will not be promised. Registration is required. Ages 18 and up. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Graham Public Library. Paws for Reading. 4:00 p.m. For ages 5-12. Children are invited to read aloud independently for 15 minutes in a relaxed, one-on-one session with certified therapy dog, Shelby! All dogs participating in Paws for Reading have been certified as therapy dogs by an accredited organization. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Family Game Night. 4:30-6:00p.m. For ages 5-12 and their families. Are you tired of staring at a tablet or TV already? Is it too hot to play outside? Put down the technology and join us for some good old game fun. Each month, we will have a few different games to entertain the whole family. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom. AniMeetup: ACPL's Online Anime Club. 5:00 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. We're rebranding AniMebane Online-- different name, same fun! Watch anime episodes, hang out with friends, and try popular Asian market snacks— all over Zoom! To receive a snack pack, participants must register by November 20th. To register for the program or for more information, email <a href="mailto:Tampa.Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org">Tampa.Enoch-Reese@alamancelibraries.org</a> or call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Discovery University: Sewing. 5:30 p.m. For adults. Learn the basics of hand and machine sewing. Limited seating. Registration is required! To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Graham Public Library. Novels @ Nite Book Group. 6:30 p.m. For adults. Join us on the fourth Monday of each month as we read and discuss books from various genres. This month's selection is *Lady Clementine* by Marie Benedict. Copies of the book are available for checkout. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

# November 25

May Memorial Library. Baby and Toddler Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0-2 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program with stories, songs, and activities encouraging early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Food!" For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Move to the Music. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 2-5 and their caregivers. Join us for a morning of dancing and music-making! Children will have an opportunity to move creatively, play instruments, and explore music through active play. Registration is required due to space limitations. To register or for more information, call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Book A Librarian. 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. For adults. Drop in for help with devices, apps, technology, and library-related reference questions and support. Staff cannot repair devices, but can teach basic computer skills, assist with job/resume building, and more. Registration requested. For more information, call (336) 226-7185. November 26

Graham Public Library. Bread In A Bag. 4:30 p.m. For K-5<sup>th</sup> graders and their families. Stop by the library to make a treat to wow your Thanksgiving guests. We will be preparing bread that

you can take home to bake. All instructions and ingredients are provided. Registration is required. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. More Than Books. 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. For grades 5-8. Join us for a hangout session where we share and discuss favorite pieces of media with each other while making a small craft to take home. Everyone is welcome to talk about their favorite books, shows, movies, games, and anything else they are passionate about! Snacks will be provided. Registration is required. Register online or for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

## November 26

Thanksgiving Holiday. All Alamance County Libraries will close at 6:00 p.m.

Graham Public Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children 3-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Thankful." For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

May Memorial Library. One-on-One Benefits Application Assistance. 1:00 p.m. For adults. This service is available for those seeking help with applications for benefits such as Medical Assistance (Medicaid), Food and Nutrition Services (EBT), Energy Assistance (LIEAP/CIP), and TANF-Work First. Representatives from the Alamance County Department of Social Services will be on hand at the library to assist you with your applications. For more information, please call (336) 229-3588.

North Park Library. Gaming Club. 5:00 p.m. For ages 9-14. Join us to play a fun selection of video games on our Nintendo Switch or PS5! Beginner gamers are welcome; we are happy to teach you how to play! Snacks will be provided. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

### November 27 - 29

Thanksgiving Holiday. All Alamance County Libraries will be closed.