

March 2025

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Mon & Wed 9am-6pm • Tues & Thurs 9am-7pm • Fri 9am-5pm • Sat 9am-3pm

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Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise stated. Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Career Assistance

Tuesdays in Mar. • 1:00-4:00pm

The Library is partnering with the Goodwill Career Opportunity Center to bring a Career Navigator to the library to assist you with updating your resume, refreshing your job search skills, or filling out an online job application. Please call 843-918-1295 to reserve your 30-minute appointment. Registration is required.

Jazz in the Stacks

Tuesday, Mar. 4 • 5:30-6:30pm Registration not required • Admission Free

Join us Tuesday evening for our 2025 final performance by: Coastal Carolina University Jazz Band Ensemble

Wellness with Wendy: Savory Squash Soup Wednesday, Mar. 5 • 11:00am • Age: 18+

NEW TIME! This squash soup is simple, nourishing, and the kind of cozy soup you want to eat on a chilly day. It's creamy without being too rich, with the perfect balance of sweet and savory flavor. Wendy Bass, PRST Fitness Instructor and One Day to Wellness Coach, will be sharing some tips you can try. **Free** admission. Limited to 25 participants and registration is required.

Board Game Fun Day!!!

Thursday, Mar. 6 • 11:00am • Registration required Pick a table, grab a game and get ready to play! Choose from Scrabble, Bunco, Domino Train, Wahoo, or bring your own game. Try putting a puzzle together and see how far you get piecing it together! Board Game Fun Day!!! will be held on the first Thursday of the month from 11am-1pm.

Chair One Fitness

Fridays in Mar. • 12:00pm • Age 18+ • 10 participants
Samantha Vititoe, PRST Recreation Leader, will lead this fun, and
interactive full body workout chair exercise program for those
who have difficulty standing during a fitness class including
seniors, people with balance deficits, injuries, disabilities, or
obesity. The program that uplifts people with music and dance.
Registration is required.

Friday Films • 1:30pm

Mar. 07: Wicked - PG

Mar. 14: Bell Book and Candle - PG - Classic Film Friday

Mar. 21: Nickel Boys - PG13

Mar. 28: Rear Window - PG - Classic Film Friday

FREE movie - Doors open at 1:15pm. Age: 18+. Popcorn will be available, and you may bring your own non-alcoholic beverage. Registration not required.

Knit & Crochet Group

Fridays • 2:00pm • 2nd flr Conference Room Registration not required. Bring your own supplies.

Shark Tooth Workshop

Tuesday, Mar. 11 • 11:00am • All Ages

Dive into the diverse world of shark teeth! Join Charles "Shark Tooth Charles" Shelton, Jr of Myrtle Beach Shark Teeth and hone your identification skills with hands-on practice using shark jaws and teeth. Learn how to tell the difference between a real tooth and a look-a-like. Learn tips on how to hunt for shark's teeth and other fossils the next time you're at the beach. You are invited to bring your own shark teeth for identification. Registration not required.

Line Dancing at the Library

Tuesday, Mar. 11 • 2:00pm • Age 18+

Ashley will teach you some basic, low-impact line dances, and then have a line dance party. Space is limited, waiver is required. **Registration required**.

The Seahawk Writers' and Poets' Group

Tuesday, Mar. 11 • 3:00-4:30pm • Age 18+
The group will be led by **Bo Bryan**, Myrtle Beach Poet Laureate and author. Expect discussions on the craft and practice of writing. Why do writers write? Why do poets feel a need to reach out? **Register at calendar.chapinlibrary.org**.

Law Talk: Elder Law & End of Life Planning

Tuesday, Mar. 11 • 5:30pm • Registration requiredThe Law Talk Series is an attorney-led discussion providing free legal education by a volunteer attorney with a Q & A session following the talk. The Law Talk Series is being co-hosted by the South Carolina Bar. **Register** for this **FREE** event.

Chair Yoga with Wendy

Wednesdays, Mar. 12, 19, & 26 • 11:00am • Ages 18+ Chair yoga stretches the joints and muscles through gentle movement and deep breathing. Program is presented by Wendy Bass, a PRST instructor for the City. If you have any questions, please call 843-918-1275. Registration required.

Virtual Author Talks

View the complete list of events available for viewing here at this link libraryc.org/chapinlibrary. Registration is required.

- Wednesday, Mar. 12 2pm: Power of Reset and How to Change What's Not Working Dan Heath
- Thursday, Mar. 20 2pm: How Women's Liberation Transformed America - Clara Bingham
- Wednesday, Mar. 26 7pm: *Dreams We Chase: An Author Talk -* Jennifer Weiner

Basic Computer Class

Wednesdays, Mar. 12, 19, 26 & Apr. 2 • 3:00pm • Age 18+ Learn the basics of using a computer. This in-person, 4-part, introductory series will cover how a computer works, basic use of Microsoft Word, the internet, and email. No computer experience necessary. Please be present for each of the 4-part weekly series. Class computers provided. Registration is required, space limited.

Author Meet & Greet: Rhonda McKnight

Thursday, Mar. 13 • 1:30pm • Registration required
Best-selling author Rhonda McKnight will join us to discuss her
latest book, "Bitter and Sweet." Her novels include romance,
exciting bits of South Carolina's rich history, and the culturally
significant Gullah-Geechee people. A native of New Jersey, she
now calls South Carolina home. Books will be available for
purchase and signing from Bookends of North Myrtle Beach.

Through the Lens of Time: Myrtle Beach History

Wednesday, Mar. 19 • 2:00pm: Susan Grissom Means Wednesday, Apr. 02 • 2:00pm: Dick Hester

Join us for a local history series featuring first-hand recollections from long-time Myrtle Beach area residents. Seating is on a first come, first served basis. The series will be live-streamed via our Friends of Chapin Memorial Library Facebook page. Registration not required. **Admission Free**

Craft Corner: Refrigerator Magnets

Thursday, Mar. 20 • 10:00am or 2:00pm • Ages 18+ Looking for funky refrigerator magnets? These wooden clothespin magnets are easy and fun to make, and super useful too! Each session is limited to 15 participants. Choose only 1 session. Registration opens from Mar. 3 until Mar. 17 unless filled prior.

Creative Writing Club Wednesday, Mar. 26 • 1:00pm • Adult 18+

This month we are doing a Prompt Swap. We will spend a set amount of time writing a prompt for our fellow peers to use and create their own short story from the prompt. Registration required. Questions, email mktg@chapinlibrary.org or please call 843-918-1295.

Evening Book Club • Theo of Golden by Allen Levi Thursday, Mar. 27 • 5:30pm • Age 18+

An endearing story of a curious old man who quietly moves into a southern city and, for reasons unknown to anyone but himself, undertakes a campaign of anonymous generosity. Stories are shared, friendships are born, and lives are changed. Please pick up a copy of the book at the 2nd floor Information Services desk. Registration required.

Outside Interest Groups that meet on Saturdays at the library and welcome the public to join. Please check the website calendar to be certain of dates at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Grand Strand Genealogy Club



Grand Strand MS Support Group

Mar. 8, 2025 • 10:00am Mar. 15, 2025 • 11:00am

Mobile Library • • • Visit "Mobi" our Mobile Library while it's out in the community! For the full schedule of stops, go to our website at calendar.chapinlibrary.org and look under Program Type • Mobile Library.



Storytimes • Walk-ins Welcome!

Babytime (4-18 months): Tuesdays in Mar. • 9:30am Toddler (Ages 2-3): Thursdays in Mar. • 9:30am Preschool (Ages 3-5): Thursdays in Mar. • 11:00am

> Storytime at Big Air (All Ages) Wednesdays, Mar. 12 & 26 • 9:30am



Storytime at the Park · All Ages

Wednesdays • 10:30am • Weather permitting Registration not required

> McLeod Park • Mar. 5 & 26 6000 Long Leaf Drive, MBSC 29577

Savannah's Playground • Mar. 12 3600-3640 Emmens Avenue, MBSC 29577

> Futrell Park • Mar. 19 1053 Futrell Drive, MBSC 29577



Family Events • 1st flr Meeting Room

Toddler Tunes (Ages 2-5 yrs)

Friday, Mar. 7 • 10:00am • Registration required This low energy music class featuring KinderMusik is perfect for little ones who love to explore new instruments.

Music and Movement (Ages 2-5 yrs)

Friday, Mar. 14 • 10:00am • Walk-ins Welcome Sing, dance, stretch, and jump along in this interactive storytime perfect for little ones who learn best when their bodies are in motion.

Family Events (Cont.) • 1st flr Meeting Room

Around the World Travel Club (Grades K-12th)

Thursday, Mar. 20 • 4:00pm • Registration required Pack your bags and get your passport ready! Each month we will immerse ourselves into a different country's culture with activities, books, and snacks.

Messy Minis (Ages 2-5 yrs)

Friday, Mar. 21 • 10:00am • Registration required In this hands-on program, we have themed sensory play stations for you and your child to explore. Be prepared to dress for a mess and learn together!

HappyFeet Grand Strand (Ages 3-5 yrs)

Friday, Mar. 28 • 10:00am • Registration required Chapin Memorial Library is hosting HappyFeet Grand Strand, an age-appropriate soccer program that uses songs, stories, nursery rhymes, and games to teach preschoolers basic soccer skills and to improve physical fitness.



Youth Events (Grades K-5) **Registration required**

Historic Games & Toys

Wednesday, Mar. 5 • 4:00pm • 1st flr Meeting Room Presented by Horry County Museum, students will learn about a few different toys and games that children played in the past.

Kids Cooking

Wednesday, Mar. 12 • 4:00pm • 1st flr Meeting Room Students will use the Charlie Cart classroom kitchen to better understand the importance of following recipes by making fresh Indian flatbread with butter and spice.

Paws for Reading

Thursday, Mar. 13 · 4:00pm · YS Program Room Practice your read-aloud skills by reading to a certified therapy dog. These 15-minute sessions are great for beginning readers and those who want to build confidence reading in a relaxed environment.

Once Upon a S.T.E.A.M.

Wednesday, Mar. 19 • 4:00pm • 1st flr Meeting Room Once upon a time there was a fairytale character who found themselves in a tricky situation. Can you use your S.T.E.A.M. skills to help them solve the problem?

Kids Art • Ages: 6-12

Wednesday, Mar. 26 • 4:00pm • 1st flr Meeting Room Join us for an art class led by Mr. Colin from the Myrtle Beach Art Museum. Participants will create a fabric batik, inspired by exhibiting artist Mary Edna Fraser.



Teen Events (Grades 6-12)

Drop-Off only • Registration required

Teen Game Night

Tuesday, Mar. 4 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room
Teens will have a blast at Game Night! Come hang out as we play
our favorite games and eat snacks!

Teens Create

Thursdays, Mar. 6 & 27 • 4:00pm • YS Program Room Get ready to create a masterpiece! Teens can craft and create whatever they can imagine at their own pace during these passive programs.

Teens Plant

Tuesday, Mar. 11 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room
Teens will be introduced to the basic concepts of planting and gardening. We will also learn more about the library's very own Seedbrary!

Teens Explore

Tuesday, Mar. 18 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room
In this program, tens will try various activities to broaden their skill set. This month, we are celebrating World Poetry Day early by reading and writing poetry.

Teen Guild of Fairy Tales

Tuesday, Mar. 25 • 4:30pm • YS Program Room
Each month, teens will meet to discuss myths, legends, fables, and fairytales. This month we will be discussing the fairy tale: Frankenstein.