



JUNE 2025 EVENTS

CHAPIN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

400 14th Avenue North
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577
843-918-1275
chapinlibrary.org

WHERE BOOKS ARE JUST THE BEGINNING... eAudio & eBooks • DVDs
Magazines • Live Programs • Universal Class – Online General Interest
Courses • Board Games • Seed Library • Virtual Author Talks



FOLLOW US ON:



/chapinlibrarymb

Chapin Library will be **CLOSED** on **Thursday, June 19** in observance of **Juneteenth**.

2025 Summer Reading Challenge

Color Your World at the Library's Summer Reading Challenge!
This summer, bring your imagination to life and **Color Your World** through books, creativity, and community! Set your reading goals, explore new stories, and earn **awesome prizes** along the way.

Join us for **weekly events** bursting with fun—art projects, games, special guests, and more for all ages. Every page you turn adds a splash of color to your summer!

Wrap it all up at our vibrant **End-of-Summer Celebration**—a festive finale you won't want to miss! Register at the library or at chapinlibrary.beanstack.org

Virtual Author Talks

View the complete list of talks, including past talks at libraryc.org/chapinlibrary. Registration required.

Wed. June 04: Gina Della Tonga and Brian Gratwicke
Smithsonian scientists highlight information found in the Smithsonian's book, *Extinctopedia*.

Tues. June 10: Lisa Jewell
Lisa Jewell introduces readers to her forthcoming title *Don't Let Him In* (Out June 24, 2025!).

Free Play Bunco

Thursday, June 5 • 11:00am • Age: Adult 18+
This is a player-led Bunco game. Players should have some knowledge of how to play the game and rules. An instructor will not be present. Registration required.

Somethings Cooking with Wanda Ginger Kale Smoothie

Tuesday, June 10 • 1:00pm • Class size is limited
Learn from Wanda how to make these delicious and healthy smoothies. Registration required.

Chair One Fitness

Select Fridays in June • 12:00pm • Adults 18+
This fun, interactive full-body workout uplifts with music and dance done exclusively from a chair. This program is designed for individuals who have difficulty standing during a fitness class. Led by Samantha Vittoe, PRST Leader/Fitness Instructor. Registration required.

June Friday Films • 1:30pm

June 06: **Unbreakable Boy** - PG
June 13: **Singin' in the Rain** - G
June 20: **The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel** - PG
June 27: **Dirty Dancing** - PG-13

FREE movie - Doors open at 1:15pm. Age: 18+. Popcorn will be available and you may bring your own non-alcoholic beverage. Questions, call 843- 918-1275. Registration not required.

Book Bingo

Thursday, June 12 • 3:00pm • Ages 18+
Book Bingo!!! We use book titles instead of numbers—prizes for winners. Registration required.

Death Cafés

Saturday, June 14 • 12:00pm - 2:00pm
Tuesday, June 24 • 4:00pm - 6:00pm
Join us for a relaxed, open space to sip coffee, enjoy cake, and talk honestly about death. It's not grief counseling, but a chance to share, question, and connect. No agendas, just meaningful conversation with the intent to make the most of our finite lives. Facilitated by Brian Long, experienced Death Café host. You are welcome to select the date that works for you or come to both. Due to the room size, registration required.

Adult Coloring Hour

Monday, June 16 • 11:00am - Come enjoy the moment, relax, and let your creativity soar. We will provide the supplies and the coloring sheets. No registration necessary.

Friendly Feud

Monday, June 16 • 2:00pm
Teams of four will compete to guess the results of survey questions. The team with the highest score wins. Each team must have 4 players. Players under 10 yrs are welcome with an adult. Register as a team or we will form a team for you. Registration to play required. Walk-in audience members welcome.

Know Your Library Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, June 18 • 2:00pm
How well do you know Chapin Library? Join us for a fun Color Our World-themed scavenger hunt to find out! Participate on your own or in teams of up to four people (kids age 12+ welcome with adult). You will follow question clues to locate answers all around the library. Don't worry, each question will tell you what area in the library to search. The first one to complete the hunt with all correct answers wins a prize! Runners up will get to choose a prize from our treasure basket. Registration required.

Escape Room

Monday, June 23 • 3:00pm • Registration required
Register as a team of 2 to 5 players or individually and we'll form your team. Groups have 20 minutes to work together to complete challenges and use clues to make their escape.

For ages 10 and up. Players under 17 must register with an adult participant. Sign up, and we'll call you to schedule your time slot.

Topics Trivia

Tuesday, June 24 • 4:00pm • Registration requested
Teams of 1-6 players are asked questions from different topic categories. Teams then submit an answer before the allotted time ends, and the correct answer scores points. Team with most points is the winner and prize(s) will be awarded. Register for game at calendar.chapinlibrary.org.

Creative Writing Club

Wednesday, June 25 • 1:00pm • Age 18+
Join us monthly to share our love of creative writing. This month we are going to write our own unique stories using the same Character Prompt. What adventure will you take our character on? Participants will have a chance to create imaginative narratives. Contact Sarah with any further questions at 843-918-1295. Registration required.

Evening Book Club

Thursday, June 26 • 5:30pm • Age 18+
Selection: None of This is True by Lisa Jewell
Join us in reading this psychological thriller that follows a woman who finds herself the subject of her own true crime podcast.

Register online and pick up a copy of the book at the 2nd floor Information Services desk. Registration required.

Trivet Weaving Class

Monday, June 30 • 3:00pm • Meeting Room • Adults 18+
In-Person registration required along with program fee: \$11.00
Create a leaf pine needle trivet under the instruction of Zada Mae. Due to the popularity of this program, participants may select one session, June or July, not both. **Program fee is \$11.00 per participant and MUST be paid at the time of in-person registration (cash or check only) prior to the event.** The program fee includes all materials and instruction. **NO REFUNDS** will be issued if you are unable to attend the program.

Storytimes

Registration not required • Walk-ins Welcome!

At the library:

Babytime (Ages 4-18 months)
Tuesdays, June 10, 17, & 24 • 9:30am

Toddler (Ages 2-3)
Thursdays, June 12 & 26 9:30am

Preschool (Ages 3-5)
Thursdays, June 12 & 26 11:00am

Offsite: *Weather Permitting*

McLeod Park (All Ages)
Wednesday, June 11 • 9:00am

Savannah's Playground (All Ages)
Wednesday, June 18 • 9:00am

Pigeon Storytime at Big Air (All Ages)
Wednesday, June 25 9:00am

Family Events • 1st Floor Meeting Room

Music and Movement (Ages 2-5 yrs)
Friday, June 13 & 27 • 10:00am

Sing, dance, stretch, and jump along in this interactive storytime perfect for little ones who learn best when their bodies are in motion.

Zumbini (Ages 0-4 yrs)
Friday, June 20 • 9:30am & 11:00am

Get your little ones movin' and grooving' this summer during Zumbini. These music and movement programs include songs, dance, and kid-friendly instruments. Hosted by Samantha Vititoe, PRST Recreation Leader.

Youth Events (Grades K-5)

Flight Risk: Charleston Jugglers
Grades K-12th • 1st flr Mtg Room • Space is limited
Walk-Ins Welcome!

Wednesday, June 11 • 4:00pm
Flight Risk combines Cirque du Soleil-style juggling with the humor of stand-up comedy in an interactive performance and workshop that is fun for the whole family!

Dana Hill Magic

Grades K-5th • 1st flr Meeting Room
Walk-ins Welcome!

Wednesday, June 18 • 4:00pm

Magic awaits you! Step into a world of wonder and color with Magician, Dana Hill.

Porkchop Productions: Tortoise & the Hare

Grades K-12th • 1st flr Meeting Room
Space is limited • Walk-ins Welcome!

Tuesday, June 24 • 4:00pm

Start your engines! The race is on in a reimagined take of this fable favorite! Will a boastful Hare be content with anything but blue ribbons and shiny gold medals, or will a wise Tortoise leave him seeing red and turning green with envy?

Black Creek Wildlife Center

Grades K-5th • 1st flr Meeting Room
Space is limited • Walk-ins Welcome!

Wednesday, June 25 • 1:00pm

Black Creek Wildlife Center is committed to rescuing and rehabilitating injured and orphaned wildlife. Kids will have the opportunity to get up close with these amazing creatures, learning about their stories and how we can help protect them!



Teen Events (Grades 6-12)

Teen Tie-Dye

Grades 6th-12th • 1st flr Meeting Room
Registration required

Tuesday, June 10 • 4:00pm

Teens can have a colorful summer exploring the art of tie-dye. Some supplies will be provided by the library, but we encourage teens to bring their own items to dye. * * Maximum of 3 items

Teens Level UP!

Grades 6th-12th • 1st flr Meeting Room
Registration required

Tuesday, June 17 • 4:00pm

Get ready to level up your summer fun! This action-packed event features giant versions of your favorite games. Grab a snack, hangout with friends, and go for gold as we push our skills to the next level!



Teen Writing Workshop

Grades 6th-12 • 2nd flr YS Program Room
Registration required

Thursdays at 2:00pm

- June 26: **Plot & Conflict**
- July 03: **Characters & Narrative Voice**
- July 10: **Setting & Themes**

Join local author, Lisa Borne Graves for an interactive creative writing adventure! Dive into exciting writing exercises, get personalized mentoring, and explore the building blocks of great storytelling.



Color Our World Summer Reading Challenge

Log into chapinlibrary.beanstack.org to sign into your existing account or create one. Scan the QR above to go directly to the Chapin Memorial Library 2025 Challenge.

Goals: It doesn't matter how many pages you turn or the total books you complete. Read short-stories or read epic novels. Read fast or read slow. What and how you read is up to you, just read and keep track of the time you spend doing it. Complete your Summer Reading Challenge by **July 21** to be eligible for the Grand Prize drawing.

Rewards: Log reading on Beanstack and spin our prize wheel once for every 100 minutes! Complete **900 minutes** for a medal, prize pack, and an entry into our grand prize drawing! ** Limit 5 spins per day **

beanstack



MOBI News...

The mobile library will host a modified summer reading challenge, separate from the main library. You are welcome to complete both! Stop by a mobile library stop and pick up a form to participate. Find a public mobile library stop on the library event calendar—calendar.chapinlibrary.org

For the month of June, Mobi staff will offer FREE take-and-make kits for all ages. Grab yours while supplies last!

Adult - Message in a Bottle
Teen - Mandala Sand Art
Children - Dinosaur Sand Art

