

# WINTER DECEMBER, JANUARY, FEBRUARY

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# **Babytime**

Ages 2 & Under Tuesdays at 10:30am



Learn literacy tips, lap bounces, & songs you can sing at home, while connecting with other caregivers of babies!

#### **Toddlertime**

Ages 5 & Under

Thursdays at 10:30am

December 12 - February 20 (Except 12/26)

Enjoy storytime with songs, books, fingerplays, & early literacy skills! Feel free to stay and play afterward.

# **Play-Doh Pals**

Ages 3 to 5

Fridays: 10:30am to 11:30am December 13 - February 21

Love playdoh but hate the mess it leaves? Worry not! Drop in for weekly themed playdoh play!

# Inclusive Storytime

**Preschool Aged Abilities** 

Wednesday, January 29 at 11am or 6pm

Children with special needs & their caregivers will enjoy a sensory storytime designed & targeted for preschool-aged abilities, in a safe and supportive environment. Registration opens 1/15.

# **Noon Years Eve Party**

Ages 5 & Under + Their Families Monday, December 30: 11am to 12pm



Enjoy a New-Years-Style party with your family as we count down to noon! We'll make a craft, set resolutions, listen to a story, & then the "ball will drop" at 12:00PM! Registration opens 12/16.

## Winter WANDERland

Ages 5 & Under

January 18 & 19: All Day Drop-In

Stroll the trail around the outside of the Ashley River library and enjoy a scavenger hunt through the woods! Drop in any time during the weekend to grab a scavenger hunt checklist!

# **Stone Soup Storytime**

Ages 5 & Under

Saturday, February 15: 2pm to 3pm

Show the love to others in our community by bringing cans of veggies or soup to donate. We'll read a story, talk & sing about kindness, & donate collected items to our local food pantry.

#### Green Thumbs

Ages 6 to 11

Thursdays: 3pm to 4pm

Learn about the outdoors with Master Gardeners!

1/23: Feeding the Winter Birds (Register 1/9).

2/27: Good Bugs/Bad Bugs (Register 2/13).

#### LEGO Club

Ages 6 to 11

Tuesdays: 4pm to 5pm

December 10 - February 18 (Except 12/24)

Build, create, and play with LEGO toys at a drop-in focused on literacy challenges & STEM.

## **Elf Interactive Movie**

Ages 6 to 11

Saturday, December 7: 2:30pm to 4pm

Join Buddy the Elf and watch a holiday classic with friends! We'll follow an interactive script throughout the movie & get into the Elf action. Registration opens 11/23.



# Recycled Gift Making

Ages 6 to 11

Wednesday, December 11: 5pm to 6:30pm

Use recycled materials to make gifts for family & friends! Participants will leave with 3 gifts to give. Registration opens 12/1.

#### Hour of Code

Ages 6 to 11

Wednesday, January 22: 5pm to 6:30pm

We will do some basic introduction to coding and programming! Attendees will leave with ideas to try at home. Registration opens 1/8.



#### Snow Much Fun

Ages 6 to 11

Saturday, February 1: 2pm to 3pm

It's still winter in South Carolina! Come make "snow" with us, have a snowball fight, build an igloo, attempt to "ice skate" inside the library, & make snowflakes from old books!

Registration opens 1/18.

# Playing & Puzzles

All Ages

Wednesdays: 10:30am to 12:30am

**December 11 - February 19 (Except 12/25 & 1/1)** 

Drop in to work with friends on puzzles or play games. Teens will meet in the teen zone, kids will meet in the program room. Perfect for our homeschool friends!





# **DIY Ugly Sweaters**

Ages 12 to 18

Thursday, December 12: 6:30pm to 7:30pm

Bring a sweater, we'll provide everything you need to make it tacky for the holidays! Registration opens 12/1.

#### Media Share for Teens

Ages 12 to 18

Sunday, January 5: 3pm to 4pm

Is there a show you love? A podcast you want everyone to hear? Join in for a "media share" where we'll leave with new ideas and suggestions.

# Willy Wonka Interactive Movie

Ages 12 to 18

Thursday, January 9: 5:30pm to 7:30pm

Don't just WATCH the movie, be a part of it! We'll be watching Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory, sampling chocolates, and following along with prompts as the movie plays. Registration opens 12/22.





#### **Teen Taste Testers**

Ages 12 to 18

Thursday, February 6: 6pm to 7:30pm

Taste, rate, and explore new varieties & flavors of "Milk's Favorite Cookie!" Come hungry! Registration opens 1/23.

# **Teen Cooking Class**

Ages 12 to 18

Thursday, February 20: 6pm to 7:30pm

Learn to make your own Pasta, practice knife skills, & get cooking! Participants are invited to bring a canned good item to donate to our food drive.

Registration opens 2/6.

#### **Teens Talk**

Ages 12+

3rd Wednesday of each month: 6pm to 7pm

December 18 (Register 12/4) January 15 (Register 1/1)

February 19 (Register 2/5)

Our teen advisory board is planning out the next few months. Come with ideas, suggestions, or opinions! Tell us what slays and what is trash.

## Crafting Together

Ages 18+

Wednesdays: 2pm to 3pm

December 11: Knit/Crochet (Register 11/21) January 8: Bookmark Collage (Register 12/19)

February 5: Keychain Making (Register 1/16)

Come join other crafters! This ongoing crafting series is a great way to have some fun & meet others with similar crafting interests.

## Summerville Flute Choir

Ages 18+

Saturday, December 14: 2pm to 3pm

Experience the beautiful music of the Summerville Flute Choir as they perform holiday music.

# Silver Sneakers On the Ashley River

Ages 50+

Every Thursday: 10am to 10:30am

First meeting on Thur, January 2 (by the main entrance)

Start the new year with brisk walks on the nature path circling the Ashley River branch, weather permitting.

# The 3:30 Movie: Classic Movies at the Library

2nd Wednesday Every Month: 3:30pm to 6:30pm January 8 (Metropolis - Silent Movie) & February 12 (TBD) Take a break from it all & join us for a classic movie matinee.

# Meet the Neighbors

Ages 18+

3rd Wednesday every month beginning

January: 5pm to 6pm January 15 & February 19

Come meet your neighbor here! Drop in to an informal setting and meet your neighbor - and some of our staff.

## A Librarian Presents: **Library Services**

Ages 18+

Wednesday, January 29: 5pm to 6:30pm

Join us for a presentation on the services & resources available at the library. Registration is not required, but space is limited.

#### SC Bar Law Talks

Ages 18+

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 6:30pm to 7:30pm

February 11: Estate Planning

February 18: Elder Law, & End of Life Decisions

February 20: Family Law

Meet with local volunteer attorneys to discuss important legal topics, sponsored by the SC Bar. Each session will include an overview of the topic and Q&A with the attorney. Registration is not required, but space is limited.



# Spring Vegetable Gardening

Ages 18+

Saturday, February 22: 11am to 2pm

Join Master Gardener, Lisa Turocy as she shares her knowledge of gardening - specifically spring vegetable garden planning. Registration opens 2/2.

# North Charleston



# **Tiny Tots**

Ages 0 to 3

Tuesdays at 10:30am (Except 12/24 & 12/31)

Age-specific storytime with songs & rhymes for children & their caregivers.

## Tiny Tales

Ages 5 & Under

Thursdays at 10:30am (Except 12/26 & 1/2) Build early literary skills by listening to stories & singing interactive songs.



All Ages

**North Charleston Police Department** Tuesday, December 3 at 10:30am

Join the North Charleston Police Department with special Storytime fun! The Police vehicles will be set-up to explore after Storytime.



North Charleston Fire Department January 16 & February 11 at 10:30am

Join the North Charleston Fire Department with special Storytime fun! The Fire vehicles will be set-up to explore after Storytime.

# Sensory Playtime Ages 5 & under

Tuesdays & Thursdays at 11am (Except 12/3, 12/24 - 1/2, 1/16, & 2/11) Hands-on playtime for children to develop social, science, & motor skills.

# **Handprint Ornaments**

Ages 5 & Under (with a Grown-Ups Help)

Thursday, December 5 at 11:30am

Want to create a lasting memory? Join us to make handprint ornaments for your little ones with air-dry clay! Register beginning 11/15.

# 4-H Crafting

Ages 5 to 13

Thursday, December 5 at 3:30pm

Create winter themed crafts with the help of Dorchester County 4-H! Register beginning 11/15.



# Kids' Gaming

Ages 6 to 12

Wednesdays from 3:30pm to 5pm December 4, January 29, & February 26

Bring your friends to play & explore different age appropriate board games, Nintendo Switch & PlayStation video games!



## LEGO Club

Ages 6 to 12

Thursdays: 3:30pm to 4:30pm January 23 & February 27

Learn, build, play with LEGO bricks! Use your imagination to design buildings, cars, & other structures. Materials are provided.

## 4-H Seed Starters

Ages 5 to 13

Wednesday, February 5 at 3:30pm

Start your garden for the spring with the help of Dorchester County 4-H! Paint your own pot & take a plant home. Materials are provided. Register beginning 1/15.



## Paws to Read

Ages 6 to 11

Mondays from 3:30pm to 4:30pm 12/2 & 12/16 (Register 11/15),

1/13 & 1/27 (Register 1/2), 2/3 & 2/24 (Register 1/15)

Dogs are great listeners! Practice your reading skills with a certified therapy dog from Alliance of Therapy Dogs. Bring your favorite book or pick one from our collection! Up to 2 family members can sign up per time slot.

# STEM Workshops

Ages 6 to 12

Wednesdays from 3:30pm to 4:30pm

December 11 (Register 12/1), January 8 (Register 12/15), & February 12 (Register 1/15)

Explore Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math through various themed activities!

# Wee Snack! Ages 6 to 10

Mondays at 3:30pm

December 9: Caramel Apple Slices (Register 12/1)

January 6: Pretzel Dip Stix (Register 1/1) February 10: Fruit Sushi (Register 2/1)

Learn how to make different themed tasty snacks!

## **Wee Bake!**

Ages 6-10

Saturdays at 11am

December 28: Brownies (Register 12/15) January 25: Blondies (Register 1/15)

February 22: Doughnuts (Register 2/15)

Simple baking for youngsters.

# **Holiday Crafturday**

All Ages

Saturday, December 7 from 10:30am to 11:30am Create a unique seasonally inspired craft. Options will be available for children, teens, & adults!

# North Charleston



# **Hot Chocolate Express**

All Ages

Thursday, December 19 at 6pm

Listen for the bell! Watch The Polar Express with us & enjoy a cup of hot chocolate! Pajamas encouraged.



# Family Fun Night

All Ages

Fridays: 6pm to 8pm

Enjoy a movie & play your heart out after hours with Nintendo Switch & PS5 games as well as different board games.

**December 13:** Moana

**January 10:** The Greatest Showman

February 14: Soul

Teen Jeopardy (Pop Culture)

Ages 12 to 18

Tuesday, January 28 at 4:30pm

Join us for a friendly competition of Jeopardy! Snacks provided.



Ages 13 to 18

Friday, February 21: 6pm to 8pm

Participate in different 60 second games to win prizes! Pizza & all other materials will be provided. Register beginning 2/1.



# Super Smash Bros Tournament

Ages 8-15

Saturday, January 18 at 3pm

Compete in a Super Smash Bros Tournament -- first place wins a prize! Register beginning 1/2.

#### Mario Kart Tournament

Ages 8-15

Saturday, February 8 at 3pm

Compete in a Mario Kart Tournament -- first place wins a prize! Register beginning 1/15.

#### **Teen Anime Club**

Ages 12 to 18

Wednesday from 4:30pm to 6:30pm December 18, January 15, & February 19

Connect with fellow enthusiasts while watching anime & creating take-home crafts.

# **Community Health Fair**

All Ages

Saturday, January 11: 11am to 3pm Meet with various representatives of the health community in our area & check out some healthy food choices!



# **Comfort Baking**

Ages 18+

Sundays at 1pm

December 15: Chicken Pot Pie (Register 12/1)

January 5: Cinnamon Rolls (Register 12/15)

February 2: Upside-Down Fruit Pastries (Register 1/15)

Time to relax with some down-home comfort food.

# Cookbook Adventure Club

Ages 18+

Saturdays at 1pm

December 21 (Register 12/1), January 18 (Register 1/1),

& February 15 (Register 2/1)

Set out on a Culinary Adventure! Each month, pick a recipe from the Displayed Recipe Book at our branch, cook it, & bring it to share at the monthly Potluck!

# Adult Seasonal Crafting

Ages 18+

Saturdays at 10:30am

December 14: DIY Mug Cozy (Register 12/1)

January 4: Wine Cork Craft (Register 12/15)

February 1: Heart Art (Register 1/15)

Take some You Time & relax while making a seasonal craft!

# Versatile Holiday Fixin's

Ages 18+

Saturdays at 1:30pm

December 14 (Register 12/1), January 4 (Register 12/15),

& February 1 (Register 1/15)

Explore holiday snacks, appetizers, meal ideas & crafts!

# Crafting & Crime

Ages 18+

Wednesdays at 5:30pm

December 11, January 8, & February 12

Drop in with your own craft, or just come to discuss the true crime podcast. All levels are welcome!

#### Romance Reads

Ages 18+

Tuesdays: 6:30pm to 7:30pm

December 10, January 14, & February 11

Love to read romance novels? On the second Tuesday of every month, come read and discuss the books you love with fellow romance readers. Book selections will be voted on each month.

## Shelf Care Book Club

Ages 18+

Tuesdays at 6:30pm

December 17, January 21, & February 18

Ready to explore a variety of genres? Join us the third Tuesday of every month to discuss a new book!



# St. George



# Read! Build! Play!

Ages 5 & Under Wednesdays at 10:30am December 4, January 8, 22, February 5, 19, & March 5



LEGO Duplo and preschool storytime.

# **Scrapbook Storytime**

Ages 2 to 5 Wednesdays at 10:30am December 11, January 15, & February 12

Storytime & fine motor skill-building craft activities.

# **Squishy Storytime**

Ages 3 to 5
Wednesdays at 10:30am
December 18, January 29,
& February 26



Storytime and sensory playdough play.

# **LEGO Movie**

Ages 6 to 11 Wednesdays at 3pm

Play and build with LEGO toys while watching a favorite movie.

12/4: How to Train Your Dragon 3

12/18: The Grinch (2018 Cumberbatch)

1/8: Inside Out

1/22: Inside Out 2

2/5: Despicable Me

2/19: Despicable Me 2

3/5: Despicable Me 3

3/19: Despicable Me 4



Ages 6 to 13

Wednesdays at 3:30pm January 29 & February 26

Soothing sensory art fun!



# **Homeschool Hangout**

Ages 6-17

#### Fridays at 10am

Enjoy a variety of STEM activities, games, & networking with fellow homeschooling families. Registration required for breakout STEM sessions.

Board Games & Activities (Registration not required): 12/6, 1/10, 2/7, 3/7, 4/4, & 5/2

December 6: No-Bake Desserts: Oreo Parfaits (Registration opens 12/2)

January 10: Meet a Service Dog (Registration opens 12/30)

February 7: Love Your Library Book Thing Register for Book Bingo (Registration opens 1/27)

March 7: Fingerprint Forensics (Registration opens 3/24)

# **Holiday Card Painting**

Ages 6-17

Wednesday, December 11 at 3:30pm
Design and paint a holiday card. Led

by Sheila Preston-Ford from the Summerville Artists Guild. Materials provided. **Registration opens 12/2.** 



Ages 7-17

Wednesdays at 3pm
January 15 (Register 1/6)
February 12 (Register 2/3)

Enjoy games & tasty snacks.



# St. Geor



# St. George Elf Hunt

All Ages

December 2nd - December 24th

Find the hidden elves throughout town to receive a prize & a chance to win a grand prize. Stop by the

library to pick up your map with all the locations!

Last day to turn in cards is 12/31.



# **Holiday Family Night**

All Ages

Thursday, December 5: 6pm to 7:30pm

Enjoy pizza, games, and more!

Registration opens 11/25 for food.



# **Holiday Family Film**

**All Ages** 

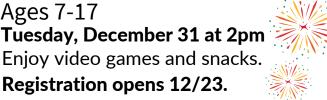
Fri, December 20 at 5pm

Stay after hours to watch a holiday family film, The Nightmare Before Christmas. Hot cocoa and popcorn will be served!



# New Year's Eve **Arcade Party**

Ages 7-17 Tuesday, December 31 at 2pm Enjoy video games and snacks.



# Jigsaw Drop-In

All Ages



Drop in & help complete a new puzzle each week!



Ages 18+

Tues, January 28 at 5pm OR Sat, February 22 at 2pm

Start exploring your family tree with this introduction to the library's genealogy resources.

Registration opens 12/2.



# Adult Art

Ages 18+

Tuesdays at 6pm (Register beginning 12/2)

**December 17:** Embroidery Thread

**Bookmarks** 

**January 21:** Vision Boards

**February 11:** Valentine Stenciled Signs

# The Ark of St. George

Ages 18+

Mondays at 6pm

December 16, January 27,

& February 24

Support Group for Caregivers.



# Walking Club

Ages 18+

Tuesdays & Fridays at 8:30am

Join us for a few laps around the library!

# Silver Sneakers

Ages 50+

Mondays & Thursdays at 10am

Fitness for senior adults.



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# Baby & Me

Ages 2 & Under Wednesdays at 10:30am 12/11, 12/18, & January 8 - February 19

A language enrichment program for caregivers & their babies. Learn bounces & rhymes you can do at home.

**Storytots** 

Ages 5 & Under Wednesdays at 11:00am 12/11, 12/18, & January 8 - February 19

A special storytime with books, fingerplays, & rhymes chosen to engage little minds & foster early literacy skills.

#### Little LEGO Club

Ages 5 & Under

Tuesdays: 3:30pm to 4:30pm

12/10, 12/17, & January 7 - February 18

Preschool drop-in playtime with various types of blocks designed to encourage the development of early literacy skills & lifelong learning!

# Free Play Saturday

Ages 5 & Under

Saturdays: 10:30am to 11:30am

12/14, 12/21. & January 4 - February 22 Preschool drop-in hour of socialization & free play! Various toys & activities will be provided for little ones to explore, build, & play as they meet new friends!

# Storytime with Pudding the Therapy Dog Ages 3 - 6

Saturdays at 1pm & 1:30pm

January 18 (Register 1/4) & February 15 (Register 2/1)

Join Ms. Beth and Pudding, a certified therapy dog from the Alliance of Therapy Dogs, for a special preschool age storytime! Limited to 6 participants per session.

## **Barks & Books**

Ages 6 - 12

Fridays from 3pm to 4pm

January 24 (Register 1/10) & February 21 (Register 2/7) Read to a therapy dog! Build confidence and reading skills by reading to Pudding, a certified therapy dog from the Alliance of Therapy Dogs. Bring your favorite book or pick out a new one to read.

# **Kids' Bingo for Books**

Ages 7 - 14

January 29 & February 10:4pm to 5:30pm Play BINGO & win books!

# **SC Aeronautical Training Center STEM Workshops**

Ages 7 - 12

Wednesdays from 3:30pm to 4:30pm TRIDENT TECHNICAL COLLEGE January 15 (Register 1/2) & February 12 (Register 1/29)

Join the Trident Technical College's South Carolina Aeronautical Training Center for a series of workshops that will include science & engineering based activities, in addition to exciting discussions about careers in STEM.

#### **LEGO Club**

Ages 6 - 12

Thursdays: 3:30pm to 4:30pm

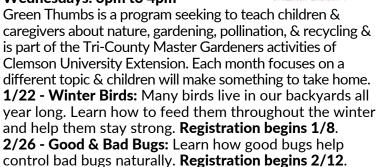
12/12, 12/19, & January 9 - February 20

Play, build, and get creative with LEGO toys and your fellow LEGO enthusiasts at this hour long drop-in.

## **Green Thumbs**

Grades K through 5th

Wednesdays: 3pm to 4pm



# Kids' Crafternoon: **DIY Picture Frames**

Ages 8 - 12

Wednesday, February 19: 4pm to 5pm Learn how to make your own picture frame from foam! Registration opens 2/5.

# Winter Holiday Craft

All Ages

Wednesday, December 11: 3pm to 5pm

Drop in to participate in an assortment of winter holiday crafts for the family! While supplies last.

#### Teen Gamers

Ages 12 - 18

Sundays from 2:30pm to 4pm

December 22, January 5 & 19, February 2 & 16

Join other gamers for a chance to chat, hang out, and (of course) play video & board games!

# Summerville



#### **Resolution Rocks**

Ages 7 - 18

Wednesday, January 8: 3:30pm to 4:30pm Drop in to paint rocks with your New Year resolutions, or words of kindness & encouragement! Leave them around your neighborhood or town to inspire others! While supplies last.



Ages 13 - 17

Saturday, February 22: 6:30pm to 9pm

Join us after hours for a Stranger Things themed mystery party! Pizza, snacks & all materials will be provided. **Registration opens 2/8.** 



Ages 13 - 18

Saturday, February 1: 2pm to 4pm

Join Ms. Adrienne and learn how to select, prepare and enjoy recipes that are both delicious and nutritious! Participants will be guided through the process of preparing a tasty recipe that they will get to eat at the end! All materials will be provided. **Registration opens 1/17.** 

# **Teen Night: DIY Pastry Stuffies**

Ages 13 - 18

Thursday, January 30: 5:30pm to 6:30pm Learn how to make your own donut or Pop Tart stuffie! Registration opens 1/16.



#### **Chess Club**

Ages 9+

Tuesdays: 5:30pm to 6:30pm

November 19 - December 17 & January 7 - March 4 Learn to be a chess master and have fun playing a friendly, competitive game with fellow chess enthusiasts. All skill levels welcome!

#### What is Al?

Ages 16+

Monday, December 9 at 5pm

Learn what AI is and ask questions about the benefits and risks using AI in your daily life.

# **Sunday Crafternoons**

Ages 14+

Sundays: 2pm to 4pm December 15 & February 9

Spend an afternoon with fellow craft enthusiasts! Bring a current project or use the materials provided to start something new. All skill levels welcome.

#### **SC Bar Law Talks**

Ages 18+

Meet with local volunteer attorneys to discuss legal topics, sponsored by the SC Bar. Sessions will include an overview of the topic and Q&A with the attorney.

Thursdays at 6pm

**December 12: Estate Planning** 

February 13: Elder Law

#### **Movie Book Club**

Ages 18+

Read the books that inspired some of your favorite movies from 6pm to 7pm!

Mon, December 9: Nothing Lasts Forever

by Roderick Thorp (Die Hard)

Thur, January 16: The Girl on the Train by Paul Hawkins

Thur, February 20: The Girl with a Pearl Earring by Tracy Chevalier

# **Bingo for Books**

Ages 15+

Wed, February 5: 2:30pm to 3:30pm Play BINGO & win books!

# Music Chats with Wojciech

Adults

Wednesdays: 5:30pm to 6:30pm December 18 & January 15

Join the Music Director of the Summerville Orchestra, Wojciech Milewski, for this musical education series.

# **Bookbinding**

Ages 18+

Sunday, January 12 at 2pm

Kick the New Year off with a journal bound by your own hands. **Registration opens 12/15**.

# **Genealogy Club**

Ages 18+

Thursdays & Saturdays from 1pm to 3pm December 14, January 11 & 23, February 8 & 27 Join others who are searching for and finding their families all around the world.

## **New Year, New Device?**

**Seniors** 

January 6 at 10:30am: Android January 7 at 10:30am: Kindle January 9 at 10:30am: iPad/Apple

Learn to use your Android tablet, iPad, or Kindle at one of three informational sessions.



# STEM: System-Wide

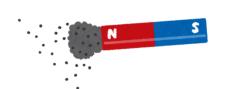


# **Little Scientists: Magnets**

Ages 3 to 5

Come join us for a hands-on exploration of magnets where little scientists can learn all about the fascinating world of magnetic forces! Register beginning 11/18.

NCH: Mon, December 2nd 10:30-11:30AM ASH: Mon, December 2nd 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri, December 6th 3:30-4:30PM





# **Little Scientists: Blocks**

Ages 3 to 5

This hands-on experience will engage their creativity and problem-solving skills. Let them unleash their inner scientist as they build, stack, and play with different types of blocks. Register beginning 12/16.

SVL: Mon. December 30th 11:00-12:00PM NCH: Thur, January 2nd 10:30-11:30AM STG: Fri, January 3rd 10:30-11:30AM



# **Little Scientists:** Flying Cupids



Ages 3 to 5

Join us at Little Scientists: Flying Cupids for a hands-on experiment exploring the science of love and flight! Register beginning 1/20.

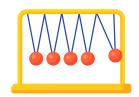
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# **Explorers: Motion & Force**

Ages 6 to 11

Come join us for an exciting event all about motion and force! Get ready to learn through hands-on activities and experiments that will make science come alive. Register beginning 11/25.

ASH: Mon. December 9th 3:30-4:30PM NCH: Thur, December 12th 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri. December 13th 3:30-4:30PM





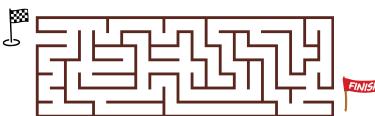
# **Explorers: Marble Maze**

Ages 6 to 11

Come join us for a fun-filled event where you can challenge your friends to navigate through an exciting Marble Maze! Test your skills and see who can complete the maze in record time. Don't miss out on this awesome opportunity to show off your maze-solving abilities! Register beginning 12/30.

**ASH: Mon, January 13th 3:30-4:30PM** NCH: Thur, January 16th 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri, January 17th 3:30-4:30PM







ASH = Ashley River Branch (2824 Bacons Bridge Rd, Summerville, SC) NCH = North Charleston Branch (8620 Patriot Blvd, North Charleston, SC) STG = St. George Branch (506 N Parler Ave, St. George, SC) SVL = Summerville Branch (76 Old Trolley Rd, Summerville, SC)

# STEM: System-Wide



# Explorers: Valentine STEM



Ages 6 to 11 Come join us at Explorer's: Valentine STEM for hands-on science, technology, engineering, and math activities! **Register beginning 1/27**.

ASH: Mon, February 10th 3:30-4:30PM NCH: Thur, February 13th 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri, February 14th 3:30-4:30PM

# STEM: Family Challenge

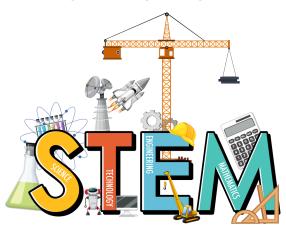
All Ages

Come join us for a morning of STEM engineering activities! This event is perfect for families looking to bond over exciting science, technology, engineering, and math challenges. Get ready to unleash your creativity and problem-solving skills with hands-on experiments and projects.

ASH: Sat, December 28th 11:00-12:00PM (Register beginning 12/14)

NCH: Sat, January 11th 10:30-11:30AM (Register beginning 12/28)

STG: Sat, February 8th 11:00-12:00PM (Register beginning 1/25)



# Adventurers: Motion & Force

Ages 12 to 18

Come join us for an exciting event full of hands-on activities and experiments. Test your knowledge of motion and force in a fun and interactive way! This event is perfect for anyone who loves science and enjoys a good challenge. **Register beginning 12/2.** 

NCH: Mon, December 16th 3:30-4:30PM ASH: Thur, December 19th 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri, December 20th 2:00-3:00PM

# **Adventurers: Catapults**

Ages 12 to 18

Learn all about the fascinating world of catapults and put your engineering skills to the test. Build your very own catapult and see how far you can launch different objects. It's a fun and interactive way to explore the principles of physics while having a blast. **Register beginning 1/8.** 

NCH: Wed, January 22nd 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri, January 24th 3:30-4:30PM





# Adventurers: Valentine Hearts

Ages 12 to 18



Join us to learn about the heart and create one in this hands-on Valentine STEM program. **Register beginning 2/5.** 

ASH: Wed, February 19th 3:30-4:30PM NCH: Thur, February 20th 3:30-4:30PM STG: Fri, February 21st 3:30-4:30PM





Monday: 10:00 am to 7:00 pm

**Tuesday:** 10:00 am to 8:00 pm

Wednesday: 10:00 am to 7:00 pm

Thursday: 10:00 am to 8:00 pm

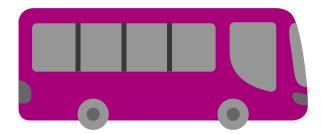
Friday: 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

**Saturday:** 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

**Sunday:** 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

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