

SUMMER TEEN PROGRAMS

Kent County Public Library

497 S. Red Haven Lane, Dover (302) 744-1919 www.tinyurl.com/KCPLcalendar

All programs are free and open to the public, however preregistration is required as noted. Please stop by the circulation desk or call 302-744-1919 to register. You can also register online at www.tinyurl.com/KCPLcalendar (Parent or other responsible adult must be present in the library, including during programs, for any child/youth under the age of 16.)

DELAWARE ANIME SOCIETY

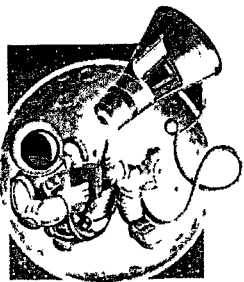
Saturdays, June 8, July 13, Aug 10 – 1:00 – 4:30 p.m.
Ages 13 and up. The Delaware Anime Society is a place for those with an interest in Japanese anime (animation), manga (graphic novels), music and pop culture to meet in a fun and relaxed atmosphere.

GEOCACHING

Thursday, June 13 – 6:30 p.m.
Ages 14 and up. Learn the basics of geocaching and discover what hidden treasures can be found around your state, the nation and even the world. Geocaching is a great activity that can be done with just a smartphone. The presentation will conclude with finding a geocache outside the library (weather permitting). Limited space; preregistration is required.

TEEN WRITING GROUP

Saturdays, May 18, June 29, August 24 – 3:00 p.m.
Join local author L.S. King for a writing session tailored to young aspiring writers. Talk to a published author, discover writing tips and develop your talent. Preregistration is encouraged.



A UNIVERSE OF STORIES 2019 Summer Reading Program June 1 – August 7

Earn free ice cream and other prizes/incentives simply by reading over the summer. You could also win a \$50 VISA gift

card! Stop by the circulation desk for more information and to sign up. You can also register and track your progress online at <https://kentcounty.beanstack.org> (Registration begins June 1.)

FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOPS

Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Ages 16 and up. Dover Federal Credit union will offer a series of personal finance workshops with tips and useful consumer information to help you protect your financial profile and get the most out of your money. Attend one or all. Limited space; preregistration is required.

May 28 – Credit Scores – Find out more about credit scores, how they are used and tips to improve yours.

June 11 – Identity Theft – Learn how to spot identity theft, how to reduce threats and what to do if you are a victim.

July 30 – Building a Budget - Tips and tricks on budgeting to increase savings and get the most from your money.

August 13 – Debt Management – Explore good debt vs bad debt, tackling current debt and more.

GALAXY SCALE MODEL BUILDERS CLUB

Saturdays, June 1, July 6, Aug 3 – 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.
Free and open to anyone with an interest in building scale models. All subjects welcome: aircraft, armor, ships, automobiles, sci-fi, etc. All ages welcome, however children 13 and under must be accompanied by a parent or other responsible adult. Bring your own kits/ supplies. For more information, contact Mr. Chris White at (302) 264-9853.

10TH ANNUAL AUTHORS & AUDIENCES WRITERS CONFERENCE

Saturday, July 20 – 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Nancy Springer, award-winning author of the *Enola Holmes* mystery series will be our keynote speaker for the event which will also include various workshops geared towards aspiring writers. The full schedule of events, including a book signing by Nancy Springer, will be available after June 1. Space is limited; preregistration is encouraged.

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DEstination: Space

Kent County Public Library is honored to be the August host for the *DEstination: Space* mobile exhibit sponsored by the **Delaware Humanities Foundation**. The free-standing exhibit will highlight the history of Delaware's contributions to space exploration, mainly focusing on the Apollo and shuttle programs, Delaware's first astronomers and current research being conducted in the state. The exhibit is free and open to the public during regular library hours all through the month of August.

MEET THE AUTHOR – NANCY SPRINGER

Nancy Springer, legendary fantasy writer and creator of the award-winning *Enola Holmes* mystery series, will be visiting Kent County Public Library on Saturday, July 20. Ms. Springer is a two-time recipient of the Edgar Award from the Mystery Writers of America, as well as a Nebula, a Hugo and a World Fantasy Award for short stories and has written more than 50 books in the past four decades. Her most recent novel, *The Oddling Prince*, was included in *Publisher's Weekly's* Top 10 list of Science Fiction/Fantasy/Horror books (Spring 2018).

Ms. Springer's *Enola Holmes* series was recently optioned for a film starring *Stranger Things* actress Millie Bobby Brown.

Nancy Springer Book Discussions –

Limited space; preregistration is required.

Enola Holmes mysteries – Discuss the exploits of Sherlock Holmes' fictional (much) younger sister.

Monday, June 24 – 6:00 p.m. or

Tuesday, July 9 – 2:00 p.m.

General Discussion – Share and discuss any Nancy Springer book/series/short story collection

Friday, July 12 – 10:00 a.m.

SUMMER ARTS IN THE PARKS

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

May 22 – August 7

Pack a picnic basket, bring a blanket or lawn chair, and join us for free, family-entertainment at Brecknock County Park in Camden (80 Old Camden Road.)

- May 22 **Di Tierra Caliente**
(Latin party music)
- May 29 **Best Kept Soul**
(classic soul/R&B)
- June 5 **The Funsters**
(classic rock & soul)
- June 12 **Wall of Cain**
(classic rock & originals)
- June 19 **Cocktails at 3**
(classic rock/pop hits/Island music)
- June 26 **Mike Hines & The Look**
(dance/hip-hop/party music)
- July 3 **Free Range Blue**
(Contemporary bluegrass)
- July 10 **Deb & Mike**
(classic rock/pop hits)
- July 17 **Reunion**
(classic rock & soul)
- July 24 **Cascading Carlos**
(World-record juggler)
- July 31 **Bad Juju**
(rock & blues)
- Aug 7 **Rehoboth Summer Children's Theatre: Alice in Wonderland**
(theater troupe)

(In case of inclement weather, or if the temperature and/or heat index exceeds 95 degrees, the performances will be moved inside to the Kent County Public Library, 497 S. Red Haven Lane. The status of our events will be available on our Facebook page (search "KCPLibrary") or by calling the library after 4:00 p.m.)

Friends of Kent County Public Library

BOOK SALE

July 1 – 6 (closed July 4)

It's a super blowout sale with 1000s of books, magazines, DVDs and more! There is something for everyone with most items priced at \$1.00. The sale will be open during normal library business hours each day.

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SATURDAYS – 3:00 P.M.

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AUDIOBOOKS FOR TEENS



April 25th - August 1st!
2 Free Downloads a Week
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April 25 - May 1

BLINK & CAUTION

by Tim Wynne-Jones, read by MacLeod Andrews (Candlewick on Brilliance Audio)

SWING

by Kwame Alexander, Mary Rand Hess (Blink)

May 2 - May 8

OTHELLO

by William Shakespeare, read by Chiwetel Ejiofor, et al. (Naxos AudioBooks)

YOU

by Charles Benoit, read by David Baker (Full Cast Audio)

May 9 - May 15

THE EPIC CRUSH OF GENIE LO

by F.C. Yee, read by Nancy Wu (Recorded Books)

SHADOW OF THE FOX

by Julie Kagawa, read by Joy Osmanski, Brian Nishli, Emily Woo Zeller (HarperAudio)

May 16 - May 22

SPILL

by Leigh Fondakowski, read by Elisa Bocanegra, et al. (L.A. Theatre Works)

MEET THE SKY

by McCall Hoyle, read by Margan Fairbanks (Blink)

May 23 - May 29

A NIGHT DIVIDED

by Jennifer A. Nielsen, read by Kate Simses (Scholastic Audio)

TEAR DOWN THIS WALL

by Romesh Ratnesar, read by Wes Bleed (Oasis Audio)

May 30 - June 5

THE FIRST TIME SHE DROWNED

by Kerry Kletter, read by Jorjeana Marie (Listening Library)

WILD BIRD

by Wendelin Van Draanen, read by Alex McKenna (Listening Library)

June 6 - June 12

AN ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE

by Henrik Ibsen, read by Richard Kind, et al. (L.A. Theatre Works)

A GIRL LIKE THAT

by Tanaz Bhathena, read by Firdous Bamji, et al. (Recorded Books)

June 13 - 19

THE GOLDEN DAY

by Ursula Dubosarsky, read by Kate Rudd (Candlewick on Brilliance Audio)

GULP

by Mary Roach, read by Emily Woo Zeller (Tantor Audio)

June 20 - June 26

OLIVIA TWIST

by Lorie Langdon, read by Pearl Hewitt (Dreamscape Media)

ASTRAY

by Emma Donoghue, read by Kristine Hvam, et al. (Hachette Audio)

June 27 - July 3

YAQUI DELGADO WANTS TO KICK YOUR ASS

by Meg Medina, read by Roxanne Hernandez (Candlewick on Brilliance Audio)

HERETICS ANONYMOUS

by Katie Henry, read by Michael Crouch (HarperAudio)

July 4 - July 10

THE CANTERVILLE GHOST

by Oscar Wilde, read by Rupert Degas (Naxos AudioBooks)

THE NAME OF THE STAR

by Maureen Johnson, read by Nicola Barber (Brilliance Audio)

July 11 - July 17

VINCENT AND THEO

by Deborah Heiligman, read by Phil Fox (Dreamscape Media)

BECOMING KAREEM

by Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, et al, read by Kareem Abdul-Jabbar (Hachette Audio)

July 18 - July 24

THE GO-BETWEEN

by Veronica Chambers, read by Karla Souza (Listening Library)

KIDS OF APPETITE

by David Arnold, read by Phoebe Strole, et al. (Listening Library)

July 25 - July 31

ALL THE CROOKED SAINTS

by Maggie Stiefvater, read by Thom Rivera (Scholastic Audio)

AKATA WITCH

by Nnedi Okorafor, read by Yetide Badaki (Tantor Audio)

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YOUR KEY TO LEARNING NEW LANGUAGES!

While your Kent County Public Library card is accepted at public libraries, several colleges and universities and special collections libraries statewide, it also offers you a special benefit you can only get here – MANGO LANGUAGES!.

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Mango is a resource available to anyone with a Kent County library card. From Spanish and French to Azerbaijani, English as a second language, and even Pirate or American Sign Language, the library has you covered with Mango, which provides online tutoring in over seventy languages. Mango programs make language and culture learning deliciously simple.

Mango Languages is completely self-paced. It employs a unique methodology, an engaging interface, and easy intuitive interactive tools to deliver practical conversational skills and valuable cultural insight for languages. Lessons help build language memory and critical thinking skills. Most learners take about 20-40 minutes to complete one lesson and about three months of daily study to complete a Unit.

To get started, users must have a library card issued by Kent County Public Library (KCPL) that identifies the user's home library as KCPL and/or the Kent County Bookmobile. The library card barcode, plus the user's PIN, permits access to the Mango program via the Kent County website (www.co.kent.de.us, select "Services," then "Library," and click on the Mango icon). Once the user sets up a profile, they can begin learning the language(s) of their choice! (You can bookmark the site once you set up your account, making Mango only a click away.)

Language courses offered through Mango include: American Sign Language; Arabic (Egyptian); Arabic (Iraqi); Arabic (Levantine); Arabic (MSA); Armenian; Azerbaijani; Bengali; Cherokee; Chinese (Cantonese); Chinese (Mandarin); Croatian; Czech; Danish; Dari; Dutch; Dzongkha; Farsi (Persian); Finnish; French; French (Canadian); German; Greek; Greek (Ancient); Greek (Koine); Haitian Creole; Hawaiian; Hebrew; Hebrew (Biblical); Hindi; Hungarian; Icelandic; Igbo; Indonesian; Irish; Italian; Japanese; Javanese; Kazakh; Korean; Latin; Malay; Malayalam; Norwegian; Pashto; Pirate; Polish; Portuguese (Brazil); Punjabi; Romanian; Russian; Scottish (Gaelic); Serbian; Shanghainese; Slovak; Spanish (Latin American); Spanish (Spain); Swahili; Swedish; Tagalog; Tamil; Telugu; Thai; Turkish; Ukrainian; Urdu; Uzbek; Vietnamese; and Yiddish.

English as a Second Language Courses (Learn English in your native language) include: English for Arabic (Egyptian) speakers; English for Arabic (MSA) speakers; English for Armenian speakers; English for Bengali speakers; English for Chinese (Cantonese) speakers; English for Chinese (Mandarin) speakers; English for French speakers; English for German speakers; English for Greek speakers; English for Haitian Creole speakers; English for Italian speakers; English for Japanese speakers; English for Korean speakers; English for Polish speakers; English for Portuguese (Brazil) speakers; English for Russian speakers; English for Spanish (Latin America) speakers; English for Turkish Speakers; English for Vietnamese speakers.

Have a card from another Delaware public library? No problem! We can switch your current card to one of ours. Just stop at the circulation desk, it will only take a few moments to update your information and get a new KCPL card.

If you have a smart phone or tablet, you can also download the free Mango app and continue your lessons while on the go. (Search your device's app store for "Mango".)