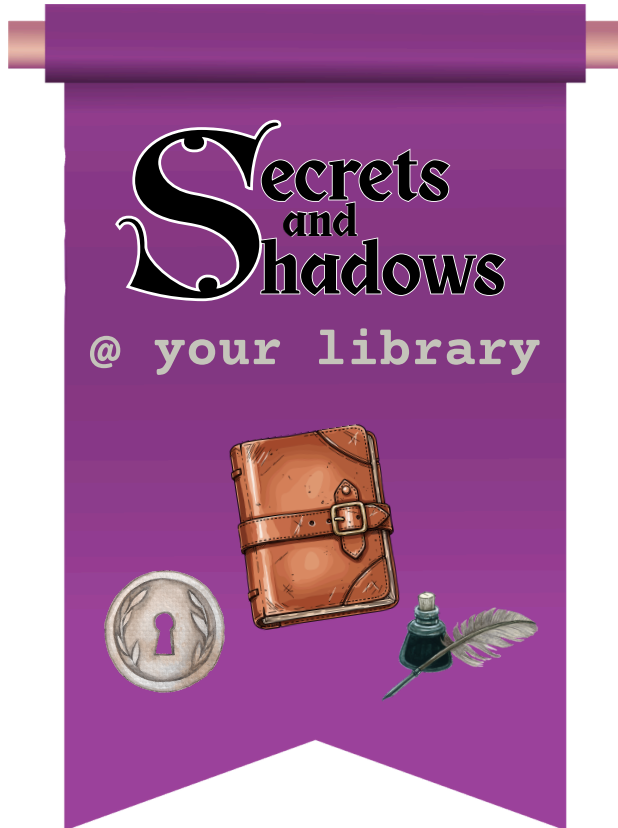


Adult Summer Reading

Program 2026

June 4-July 31



a dark academia mood that evokes images of crumbling universities, secret societies, and ancient knowledge



***July 31 is the last day to log books!**

Read & participate in activities for a chance to win prizes!

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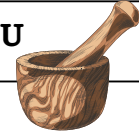
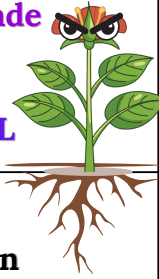



Prize for top program attendance, prize for top 5 readers, door prizes, and prizes awarded by random draw!

Make plans to attend the Kickoff to Summer Party on Thursday, June 4th from 5-8pm on the Burke County Courthouse Square!

For more information contact Danielle at 828-764-9269, or email danielle.townsend@burkenc.org

JUNE











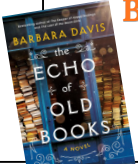



Also on Wed.,
June 10

MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>8 **Trip to The Blowing Rock</p>  <p>Leave from MPL @ 9am</p>	<p>Partners Educational Lunch 12pm MPL</p> <p>Tech Class for Seniors 2pm MPL</p> 	<p>10 Keep NC Weird-Oddities Presentation w/Liz Pardue 6pm MPL</p> 	<p>11 **Apothecary Class Blend your own tea 5:30pm VPL</p> 	<p>12 Needlework in the Morning 10am MPL</p> 	<p>13 **Botany Class Faux Shade Garden Plant 2pm MPL</p> 
<p>15 **DIY Clay Gargoyle 5:30pm CBH</p> 	<p>16 Plot Hounds Book Discussion Weyward 10am VPL</p> 	<p>17 Walking Tour & History of Obeth Cemetery Meet at Lake James Visitor's Center @ 9:45am</p> 	<p>18 **Dragonfly in a Bottle 5:30pm VPL Crochet Cafe 6pm VPL (Teens/Adults)</p> 	<p>**Pre-registration Required Participants may win only one prize.</p>	<p>-Morganton Public Library (MPL)</p>
<p>22 **Mixed-Media Monday 6pm MPL</p> 	<p>23 **Labyrinth Walk & History 6pm Grace Episcopal Church</p> 	<p>24 Oxymorons Book Discussion A Witch's Guide to Magical Innkeeping 6pm MPL</p> 	<p>26 Needlework in the Morning 10am MPL</p> 	<p>-Valdese Public Library (VPL)</p> <p>-C.B. Hildebrand Public Library (CBH)</p>	

JULY



NO PROGRAMS JUNE 29-JULY 4

<p>6 **Modern Pop Art Experience & Hands-On Workshop by Michael Albert 6pm MPL</p>	<p>7 Dragonboat Rowing Demo 6pm @ Lake James State Park Paddy's Creek Beach Area</p> 	<p>8 Partners Educational Lunch 12pm MPL Tech Class for Seniors 2pm MPL</p>  	<p>9 **Beginner Stained Glass Workshop 3:30pm VPL</p> 	<p>10 Needlework in the Morning 10am MPL</p> 	
<p>13 Wildlife Geeks Presentation/Program 5pm R.O. Huffman Center, Drexel</p>	<p>14 **Mixed-Media Specimen Cards 1pm CBH</p> 	<p>15 **Create a Mini Cabinet of Curiosities 2pm MPL</p> 	<p>16 **Herbology/Cooking Tomato (Nightshade) 5:30pm VPL</p> 	<p>Read & participate in activities for a chance to win prizes! Track everything on the FREE Readsquared app, or at bcpls.readsquared.com</p>	
<p>20 **DIY Mini Wooden Gothic Window 6pm MPL</p> 	<p>21 Plot Hounds Book Discussion The Echo of Old Books 10am VPL</p> 	<p>22 Oxymorons Book Discussion The Frozen River 6pm MPL</p> 	<p>23 **DIY Badge of Courage 5:30pm VPL Crochet Cafe 6pm VPL (Teens/Adults)</p> 	<p>24 Needlework in the Morning 10am MPL</p> 	<p>25 **Trip to Redbone Willy's Leave from MPL @ 10am</p> 