Alamance County Public Library News Releases for March 2022. All library programs are free and open to the public.

February 28 – March 12

May Memorial Library. Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2-12. Drop by during library hours for a self-led scavenger hunt! Participants will earn a small prize for each completed scavenger hunt, and the challenges will change every other week. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

March 1 – 31

North Park Library. Take and Makes. Come pick up a packet of activities to take home and enjoy. This month's activities will be based on all our programs. It will be full of at-home games, activities, crafts, and more. To get your packet, come into the library starting on the 7th. Available only while supplies last. For more information call (336) 226-7185.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2-5 and their caregivers. Drop by during library hours for self-led scavenger hunts designed to promote learning through observation, exploration, and play. Participants will earn a small prize for each completed scavenger hunt, and the scavenger hunt challenges will change weekly. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. Women in STEM Scavenger Hunt. For $K-6^{th}$ graders. Celebrate Women's History Month with this interactive scavenger hunt featuring trailblazing women in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics! See the children's desk to get started and receive a small prize when you're done. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. Youth Art Month Exhibit. For $K-12^{th}$ graders. Calling all young artists—Mebane Public Library wants to exhibit your original art for Youth Art Month! All submitted art will be displayed in the library through the end of April, and each participant will be entered into a gift card drawing. For details about how to submit your art, email $\frac{1}{1000} \frac{1}{1000} \frac{1}{10$

Graham Public Library. Winter Clothes Scavenger Hunt. For children pre-school -5^{th} grade. Visit the front desk to participate in this scavenger hunt that takes one last look at our warm winter clothes! Any child who completes the hunt will receive a small prize. For more information, call (336) 570-6730.

March 2

North Park Library – Zoom. Loving Me Tree. 6:00 p.m. For teens. Join us for this *special* event celebrating Teen Mental Health Day with stories, activities, and a craft all about self-care. Enjoy a 30-minute interactive program then craft a self-esteem tree especially for you that will build you up with words of affirmation. Registration required. For more information call (336) 226-7185.

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Week of March 7

May Memorial Library. Teen Take and Make Craft Kits. For 6th - 12th graders. Looking for a fun project to do at home? Check out our new monthly Take and Make Craft Kits for teens and tweens! This month we're making popsicle stick frames. Kits are limited, so call (336) 229-3588 for pickup dates and times.

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Take and Makes. For ages 2-5 and their caregivers. Pick up these preschool craft kits designed to encourage self-expression, build fine motor skills, and promote active play! Kits are available on a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

March 7

Graham Public Library. Tissue Paper Turtle – Elementary Take and Make. For grades K-5. Turtles in the wild have unique shells with colorful patterns. With this great kit, you can design a beautiful, colorful shell for your turtle using tissue paper! To register or for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

March 8

May Memorial Library. Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m. For children ages 0-5 years old and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Green." For more information, call (336) 229-3588. Registration is required!

Alamance County Public Libraries - Zoom. LEGO® Buddies. 4:00-6:00 pm. For K – 5th graders. Love LEGO®? Love stories? Become a LEGO® Buddy by joining this interactive book & building club for elementary school kids! Ms. Samantha will share a surprise story and a building challenge over Zoom, then participants will have time to build their LEGO® creations off-screen. In a second Zoom meeting, participants can share their creations with the group! To register for the program or for more information, email shunter@alamancelibraries.org.

North Park Library – Zoom. International Women's Day. 6:00 p.m. For everyone. North Park Library will offer empowering stories, activities connected with women's history, and games to inspire conversation about women's rights and gender equality. Registration required. For more information please call (336) 226-7185.

March 9

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom. Library Genealogy Club. 2:30 p.m. For adults. All are welcome! The local history librarian will present "Introduction to HeritageQuest" for genealogists. This presentation will be via Zoom, join at https://tinyurl.com/genealogyclub. For more information, call (336) 229-3588 ext. 16130.

March 12

May Memorial Library. Family Take & Makes. All Day. Ages 5 - 12. Looking for a fun activity? Check out our Take and Makes! Drop by during library hours and pick up a craft. Then take it home, make it, and show it off! We'll be making paper crafts! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

March 14 - 26

May Memorial Library. Scavenger Hunt. For ages 2 - 12. Drop by during library hours for a self-led scavenger hunt! Participants will earn a small prize for each completed scavenger hunt, and the scavenger hunt challenges will change every other week. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Week of March 14

May Memorial Library. Adult Take & Make Kit – Paper Quilling. For adults. Discover a new craft, the art of paper quilling. This papercraft allows you to created intricate designs from simple rolled paper shapes. The kit will contain the instructions and basic supplies you will need for you to get started on your newest crafting adventure. The kits are limited in number and will be available while supplies last. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Mebane Public Library. Elementary Take and Makes! For K – 5th graders. Celebrate women in the world of art with this month's hands-on take and make! Packets are available on a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

Mebane Public Library. Teen Take and Make Kits. For 6th – 12th graders. Check out our monthly Take and Make Kits for teens and tweens for a fun project you can do at home! For March, we're celebrating Youth Art Month with art kits full of supplies, tips, and art project ideas to get your creativity flowing! Art kits are available on a first-come, first-serve basis while supplies last. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

March 14

Graham Public Library. Paracord Buddy or Dragonfly Keychain – Teen Take and Make. For grades 6 – 12. Make a cool addition for your backpack or keyring with this great paracord macramé kit! To register or for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom. Lunch Bunch Book Club. 12:00 p.m. For adults. All are welcome! This month, our book club will be discussing *The Girl Who Chased the Moon* by Sarah Addison Allen. Copies are available for pick up at May Memorial Library. This event will be hosted over Zoom. Join on Zoom at https://tinyurl.com/lunchbunchclub. For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

Alamance County Public Libraries - Zoom. Teen Advisory Group (T.A.G.) Meeting. 5:00 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. Earn volunteer hours and help shape the future of teen and tween programs at your library! During this Zoom meeting, we're also celebrating youth art month with a resist painting workshop! Space is limited and participants must register by March 11th to receive the resist art kit needed for the meeting. To register or for more information, email treese@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

North Park Library. Write Your Own Story Journal. 6:00 p.m. Participants will be provided with all the supplies needed to make a recyclable journal in which to write your own story. Register by March 10th to receive a program packet. To register or for more information please call (336) 226-7185.

March 15

The Mini Dingo, 111 E Front Street, Burlington. PRISM Book Club. 6:30 p.m. For adults. Everyone is welcome to join PRISM (People Reading Inclusive Stories Meeting) Book Club! This month's selection is *Lum* by Libby Ware. Copies of the book are available for pickup at May Memorial Library. For more information, email agramley@alamancelibraries.org or call (336) 229-3588.

March 16

Alamance County Public Libraries – Zoom: Awesome Readers. 4:30 p.m. For 3rd – 5th graders. Calling all 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders! This is a virtual book club just for you. Each month we will meet over Zoom to talk about a selected book and do activities based on that book. This month's selection is *The Lemonade War* by Jacqueline Davies. To register for the program or for more information, email ELai@alamancelibraries.org or call (336) 229-3588.

March 17

May Memorial Library. The Page Turners' Book Club. 4:30 p.m. An online storytime for K – 2nd graders. Calling all Kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd graders! This is a virtual book club just for you. Each month we will read a book together and then do activities based on that book. Activity packets will be available starting March 17th. This month's selection is *Rosie Revere*, *Engineer* by Andrea Beaty. To register for the program or for more information, call (336) 229-3588, or email ashoop@alamancelibraries.org.

Week of March 21

Mebane Public Library. Preschool Take and Makes. For ages 2-5 and their caregivers. Pick up these preschool craft kits designed to encourage self-expression, build fine motor skills, and promote active play! Kits are available on a first-come, first-served basis while supplies last. For more information, call (919) 563-6431.

March 21

Graham Public Library. Paper Spinners – Elementary Take and Make. For grades K-5. Design and decorate a paper spinner toy that's easy and fun! This kit will have everything you need to make a toy that will keep you spinning for hours. To register or for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

Graham Public Library. Wooden Clothespin Trivet – Adult Take and Make. For adults 16 and up. Make a fun, retro-inspired trivet from wooden clothespins that you can use to keep hot items from scorching your tabletops or just for decoration. To register or for more information, call (336) 570-6730.

March 22

May Memorial Library – Zoom. Preschool Storytime. 2:00 p.m. For children ages 0-5 and their caregivers. Join us for a 30-minute interactive program filled with stories, songs, and activities that encourage early learning and literacy. This week's theme is "Spring." Registration is required! For more information, and to register, call (336) 229-3588.

March 24

North Park Library. Empowering Queen's Trivia. 6:00 p.m. On Zoom. Do you know your women's history? From monarchs to everyday queens, get ready for this 1-hour trivia game for the whole family. Registration is required. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

March 26

May Memorial Library. Family Take & Makes. All Day. Ages 5-12. Looking for a fun activity? Check out our Take and Makes! Drop by during library hours and pick up a craft. Then take it home, make it, and show it off! We'll be making glue suncatchers! For more information, call (336) 229-3588.

March 28

North Park Library. Student Activity Day. 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. Since the children are out of school we will have activities to keep them busy. Come in and enjoy the free game room and popcorn. We will also have activities, games, and crafts based on International Bagpipes Day, Holi Festival, and Spring. For more information call (336) 226-7185.

North Park Library. Senior Craft Day. 1:00 p.m. Burlington City Parks will offer Bingo for Seniors at the Mayco Bigelow Community Center. After Bingo, pick up a DIY craft from the library. This month's craft is fairy gardens! Registration for the craft is requested. To register or for more information, call (336) 226-7185.

Alamance County Public Libraries - Zoom. AniMebane Anime and Gaming Meetup. 5:00 p.m. For 6th – 12th graders. Watch anime episodes, and try snacks that are popular in Japan—all over Zoom! This month we'll also learn to draw anime-style features! To receive a snack pack, participants must register by March 25th. To register for the program or for more information, email treese@alamancelibraries.org or call (919) 563-6431.

March 28 - April 9

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