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What's Happening in Suffolk This Week ...

Monday, July 21 – Wednesday, July 23

Itsy Bitsy Babies and Tiny Tots



Itsy Bitsy Babies, designed for children 12 months and younger, features songs, rhymes and hands-on activities for baby and care-giver. Tiny Tots, designed for children ages 12 months to 24 months, includes books, songs, rhymes and more. Registration is required for both programs. The North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, will host *Itsy Bitsy Babies* on Monday, July 21st at 9:30 a.m., and *Tiny Tots* will be presented at 10:15 a.m. On Tuesday, July 22nd, the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, will host *Itsy Bitsy Babies* at 9:15 a.m.; and on Wednesday, July 23rd, the Morgan Memorial Library will host *Tiny Tots* at 9:15 a.m. For more information, call 757-514-7150 or 757-514-7323.

Monday, July 21 and Friday, July 25

Family Movie Day



Enjoy a family movie with your friends at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, on Monday, July 21st at 10:30 a.m. On Friday, July 25th at 2 p.m., join us for another family movie at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. For more information, call 757-514-7323 or 757-514-7150.

Monday, July 21

Pop-Up Library



The library is coming to you! Sign up for a library card, check out a book, try our digital resources and more at our off-site library! Join us on Monday, July 21st from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Suffolk Family YMCA, located at 2769 Godwin Boulevard. For more information, call 757-514-7150.

Monday, July 21 - Thursday, July 24

Creation Exploration



Creation Exploration, a program for children ages 6 to 9, will explore an exciting topic through hands-on activities, crafts, and more! Join us at the Chuckatuck Library, 5881 Godwin Boulevard, at 3 p.m. on Monday, July 21st for *Creation Exploration: Candy Investigation*. On Tuesday, July 22nd at 3 p.m., *Creation Exploration: Medieval Games* will be the topic at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, and on Thursday, July 24th join us for *Creation Exploration: Superhero Science* at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street. Registration is required. Call 757-514-7310, 757-514-7323, or 757-514-7150 for more information.

Monday, July 21 and Wednesday, July 23

Teen Advisory Group (TAG) Meeting



Are you a teen that would like to become a regular library volunteer, plan fun programs, serve the community, and more? If so, Suffolk Public Libraries will hold two Teen Advisory Group meetings this week. Join us on Monday, July 21st from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, or on Wednesday, July 23rd from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. Bring your friends, enjoy some snacks! For additional information, please call 757-514-7323 or 757-514-7150.

Monday, July 21 and Tuesday, July 22

Beat the Heat: Keeping Your Garden Hydrated



The Suffolk Master Gardeners will discuss and demonstrate ways to help your garden beat the heat! Join us on Monday, July 21st at 6:30 p.m. at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. On Tuesday, July 22nd at 6:30 p.m., join us at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street. For more information, call 757-514-7150 or 757-514-7323.

Tuesday, July 22 – Thursday, July 24

Introduction to Word II



Do you need to compose a letter or write a paper? Microsoft Word 2010 is a powerful tool that allows you to do all of this and more. The Chuckatuck Library, located at 5881 Godwin Boulevard, will host an *Introduction to Word II* class on Tuesday, July 22nd at 10 a.m.; Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, will be your host on Wednesday, July 23rd at 9:15 a.m., and on Thursday, July 24th at 9 a.m., join us at the North Suffolk Library, located at 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. Basic computer skills are required for this class. To register or obtain more information, call 757-514-7150.

Tuesday, July 22 and Wednesday, July 23

Toddler Time and Preschool Time



Suffolk Public Libraries are offering Toddler Time and Preschool Time programs Tuesday, July 22nd and Wednesday, July 23rd. Toddler Time, a 30 minute program designed for children ages 18 months to 3 years, includes stories, songs and activities designed for toddlers. The Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, will host Toddler Time at 10 a.m. The North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, will host two Toddler Time sessions at 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.

Children ages 3 to 5 will enjoy Preschool Time, a program featuring stories, educational activities, rhymes and more! Preschool Time will be held at both the North Suffolk and Morgan Memorial Libraries at 10:30 a.m. For more information, call 757-514-7323 or 757-514-7150.

Tuesday, July 22 and Thursday, July 24

Folk Musician Bob Zentz



Come to the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, on Tuesday, July 22nd at 2:30 p.m. and the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, on Thursday, July 24th at 10:30 a.m. to listen to *Folk Musician Bob Zentz*. For more information, call 757-514-7323 or 757-514-7150.

Tuesday, July 22

Squeaky Clean Soaps



Discover simple solutions for making a variety of soaps at home to help you save money! Join us at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, on Tuesday, July 22nd at 3 p.m. for *Squeaky Clean Soaps*! For more information, call 757-514-7150.

Tuesday, July 22

Lego Club



Morgan Memorial Library, located at 443 West Washington Street, will host a Lego Club for children ages 6 to 12 on Tuesday, July 22nd at 4:30 p.m. Participants can drop in to design and build awesome Lego creations! It's a great way to meet other kids who love Legos too! For additional information, call 757-514-7323.

Wednesday, July 23

Musician Skye Zentz



Musician Skye Zentz will entertain us at the Chuckatuck Library, 5881 Godwin Boulevard, on Wednesday, July 23rd at 10:30 a.m. Come join us! For more information, call 757-514-7310.

Wednesday, July 23

Mini Comic Book Day



It's Mini Comic Book Day at your library! Join us on Wednesday, July 23rd at 2 p.m. at the Morgan Memorial Library, located at 443 West Washington Street. For more information, call 757-514-7323.

Wednesday, July 23

Scrapbooking Workshop: Summer Vacation Edition



We will take you through the steps to create one page to get you started scrapbooking and give you tips on how to complete your book along the way. Bring 3 to 4 photos and your creativity to our *Scrapbooking Workshop: Summer Vacation Edition*, at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, on Wednesday, July 23rd at 6:30 p.m. For additional information, call 757-514-7150.

Wednesday, July 23 and Saturday, July 26

Suffolk Farmers' Market Now Open



The 2014 Suffolk Farmers' Market, your outlet for fresh, locally grown fruits and vegetables, baked goods, meats and eggs, jellies, jams, honey, pickles and relish, fresh cut flowers, handmade jewelry and more is now open! The Market is conveniently situated at the corner of Constance Road and North Main Street directly behind the Suffolk Visitor Center located at 524 North Main Street. As with all market activities, admission is free and open to the public. Market hours for the season are Wednesdays, 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. through Labor Day and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. through November 22, 2014. The first Saturday market of each month will feature live music, kids' crafts and petting zoos. Other themed days are scheduled throughout the season and will include entertainment and exhibits. This Saturday, July 26th, the Suffolk Humane Society will have volunteers at an information booth along with therapy dogs that would love to meet you! For questions, please contact the Suffolk Visitor Center at 757-514-4130 or log onto www.Suffolk-Fun.com/farmers-market.html for details. The Suffolk Farmers' Market is produced by the City of Suffolk Division of Tourism.

VENDORS INCLUDE: Acorn Hill Farms Produce, LLC; Gibbs Produce; Golden Eagle Alpaca Farm; Green Pastures Farm; Growing Green Suffolk; JC3 Family Farm; Noriega Farms; Rosa's Garden; Stew's Garden; Thomas E. Boothe; Two Pugs Gardens; The Polish Bread Lady; Zinnia Girls; Amelia's Heirlooms; B & C Wooden Toys; Handmade Items by Bonnie Lee Munden; The Candle Forge; Norman Beckett Wood Crafts; The Painted Thimble; Perry's Totes; Hippy Chic Products and Pibble Nibbles.

Vendor inquiries should be directed to Kevin Sary, Suffolk Division of Tourism, 757.514.4130, or email VisitSuffolk@suffolkva.us. Suffolk-Fun.com

Thursday, July 24

Storytime – Chuckatuck Library



Suffolk Public Libraries is offering Storytime at the Chuckatuck Library at 11 a.m. on Thursday, July 24th. This will be a fun program with books, songs, rhymes, and more for children of all ages. The Chuckatuck Library is located at 5881 Godwin Boulevard. For more information, call 757-514-7310.

Friday, July 25

Music n' Movement



It's time for indoor recess! Children ages 3 to 6 will move to the music while playing indoor versions of playground games and parachute activities. This program will be held from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Friday, July 25th at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. For more information, call 757-514-7150.

Saturday, July 26

All Day Drop-in Craft Event



Drop by and get crafty at your library! Join us on Saturday, July 26th from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street or the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. For additional information, call 757-514-7323 or 757-514-7150.

Saturday, July 26

Hot Dogs and Cool Cats Adopt-A-Thon



Suffolk Animal Care and Suffolk Humane Society will host an Adopt-A-Thon on Saturday, July 26th from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Suffolk Animal Care Center, located at 124 Forest Glen Drive. Come by and see if any of these beauties could brighten your summer just a little more. If you are unable to adopt, try fostering. For additional information, please call Suffolk Animal Care Center at 757-514-7855 or the Suffolk Humane Society at 757-538-3030.

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