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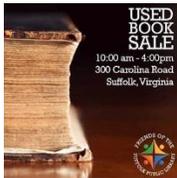
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What's Happening in Suffolk This Weekend

Friday, May 5 and Saturday, May 6

Friends of the Library Book Sale



The Friends of the Library, located at 300 Carolina Road, will hold a monthly book sale on Friday, May 5th and Saturday, May 6th from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Peruse thousands of used books, magazines, movies and more! Free and open to the public. For more information, call 757.514.1024.

Friday, May 5

Music & Movement



Children ages 3 to 5 are invited to jump, move, jiggle and groove at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street, on Friday, May 5th from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For more information, call 757.514.7323.

Friday, May 5

Pint-Sized Picassos



Join us at the North Suffolk Library, 2000 Bennetts Creek Park Road, on Friday, May 5th from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Children ages 3 to 5 will enjoy a variety of fun art activities and create amazing masterpieces to take home! Registration is not required. For more information, call 757.514.7323.

Friday, May 5

Cinco de Fiesta!



Join us on Cinco de Mayo to celebrate the vibrant Mexican culture with food and fun with your library amigos on Friday, May 5, 2017 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street. For more information, call 757.514.7323.

Saturday, May 6

When I Grow Up – Chef/Baker



Want to be a chef or baker? Learn and play with a story time, exploration stations, and more on Saturday, May 6th from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington Street. This program is for children ages 3 to 5. For more information, call 757.514.7323.

Saturday, May 6

Suffolk Farmers' Market Season Opening Celebration



The Suffolk Farmers' Market kicks off the 2017 season on Saturday, May 6th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Suffolk Visitor Center Pavilion, conveniently located behind the Suffolk Visitor Center at the corner of Main Street and Constance Road. Enjoy the best in locally-grown fresh fruits and vegetables, along with eggs, honey, homemade jams and jellies, baked goods, fresh cut flowers, plants and handmade jewelry and crafts. Opening day will include live music, entertainment and kiddie fun!

The Suffolk Farmers' Market will run through November 18, 2017 and is free and open to the public. For more information or to become a vendor, contact the Suffolk Visitor Center at 757.514.4130 or email VisitSuffolk@suffolkva.us.

Saturday, May 6

Universal Class: DIY Sampler



Discover a fantastic resource and learn something new with this exploration of Universal Class offerings. Whether your DIY dream is cooking, crafting, gardening, pet grooming, or anything in between, make your Big Idea a reality this year with help from the Suffolk Public Library and Universal Class. Join us on Saturday, May 6th from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Morgan Memorial Library, 443 West Washington. Registration is required; visit www.SuffolkPublicLibrary.com or call 757.514.7323 for more information.

Sunday, May 7

Mutt Strut Dog Walk & Festival



The Suffolk Humane Society will hold its 9th Annual Mutt Strut Dog Walk & Festival on Sunday, May 7th from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Bennett's Creek Park, 3000 Bennetts Creek Park Road. The centerpiece of the event is the Mutt Strut Walkathon where individuals and teams register to walk – with or without dogs – to raise funds to support Suffolk Humane Society programs for companion animals and raise awareness about animal welfare. This family-oriented festival offers demonstrations, canine games and contests, a silent auction, prizes, food, exhibitors, a vet corner, and adoptable pets from area rescue groups and shelters. For more information about this event, call 757.538.3030. For information about the adoptable pets at Suffolk Animal Care, call 757.514.7855.

May 1 – May 31

Small Business Scavenger Hunt



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In recognition of Small Business Week, the Suffolk Public Library will host a month-long scavenger hunt to celebrate Suffolk's small businesses. Participants can pick up a list of North Suffolk or Downtown businesses participating in the scavenger hunt at any library location and then visit these businesses to receive a stamp on their entry cards. Once the cards are completed and returned to the library, participants will be entered to win a gift basket of goodies courtesy of Suffolk's small businesses. The last day to return completed entries to the library is May 31st. A winner will be selected from both the North Suffolk and Downtown businesses list. No purchase is required.

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