

Here's what's happening at our library this month:

Upcoming Events at Chevy Chase Library

8005 Connecticut Ave, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

Monday 5/1 4:30 `Read to a Dog`. Chevy Chase Library is partnering with P.A.L. for a read to a dog program the first Monday of every month! Young readers will be able to share stories with a furry friend. Dogs will never judge or correct them, which allows them to really improve their reading skills. Drop in.

Tuesdays 5/2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 and Saturdays 5/6, 13, 20 and 27 at 10:30 `English Conversation Group`. Every Tuesday and Saturday from 10:30 am to 12 Noon. Open to all non-native English speakers interested in practicing English in a friendly, informal and fun setting. Join us! For more information, please call 240-773-9590. Free. No reservations needed.

Tuesdays 5/2, 9 and 16 at 10:30 `Toddler Time`. Please join us for fun learning activities. We'll read, sing, dance, explore and learn finger plays just right for two and three year olds.

Thursday 5/4 at 10:30 `Toddler Arts and Crafts`. Drop by between 10:30 and 11:30 for simple toddler crafts. No registration needed.

Friday 5/5 at Noon `Elibrary Help`. Confused about accessing the library's eBooks, eAudiobooks and eMagazines? Want to know more about the apps we offer? Sign up for a 30 minute one-on-one session with a staff member. Call the branch at 240-773-9590 to register. Please bring your device, library card and Amazon account information if you have a Kindle.

Fridays 5/5, 12, 19 and 26 at 3:30 `Lego Play`: Drop in for an open session of Lego play on Fridays between 3:30 and 5. Elementary age with an adult. We will provide the Legos and space, you provide the imagination. No registration needed.

Saturday 5/6 at 2 `Foreign Film Series`: `Volver`. (2007) Directed and written by Spain's Pedro Almodóvar and starring Penelope Cruz. Raimunda lives in Madrid with her daughter Paula and her drunk husband Paco. Her sister, Sole, is separated and works clandestinely as a hairstylist for women. Years ago, in the sisters birth village, they lost their parents in a fire in La Mancha. Their aunt, Paula, still lives in the village and continues to speak about her sister Irene, mother of the two sisters, as if she were still alive. When the old aunt dies the situation changes and the past returns. Join us for screenings of a variety of films from around the world. Screening will begin at 2.

Wednesday 5/10 at 2 `Non-Fiction Book Group`: Join the group to discuss `The Hunt for the Golden Mole` by Richard Girling. Copies of the book available one month before the session at the Information Desk. Registration is not required.

Wednesday 5/10 at 7:30 `Great Books Group`: This month's reading is Augustine's `Confessions`. Join us for an intellectually stimulating exploration of some of the greatest fiction and non-fiction works published through the ages. Registration is not required. Attendees are responsible for obtaining the material to read in advance of the discussion.

Thursdays 5/11, 18 and 25 at 10:30 `Play Date at the Library`: Come to the Chevy Chase Library on Thursday mornings from 10:30 -11:30 to meet new friends and have fun with Duplos, blocks, matching and sorting games and other STEM/STEAM activities. Preschool age. No registration needed.

Thursday 5/11 at 7 `Pajama Story Time`: Please join us from 7:00-7:30 for fun learning activities. We'll read, sing, dance, explore and learn finger plays for the whole family. No registration needed.

Saturdays 5/13 at 10:30 `Saturday Family Storytime`: Please join us from for fun learning activities. We'll read, sing, dance, explore and learn finger plays for the whole family. No registration needed. This is a repeat of the Thursday evening program.

Friday 5/19 at 10:30 `Jefferson Café`: This month's article is `Rewriting The Code of Life` by Michael Specter; The New Yorker, January 2, 2017. We hope everyone will feel comfortable participating. The group is fairly small so that everyone can see and hear everyone else while

seated around a table. Copies of the articles to be discussed will be available without charge on the holds shelf at the library.

Tuesday 5/23 at 10:30 `Bilingual Storytime with Senora Lupe Marks`: Please join us for a bilingual (Spanish/English) story time just right for toddlers and preschoolers. No registration needed.

Wednesday 5/24 at 2 `Fiction Memoir and Biography Book Group`: Join the group to discuss `The Bartender's Tale` by Ivan Doig. Copies of the book are made available one month before the session, at the Information Desk. Registration is not required

Tuesday 5/30 at 10:30. `Toddler Sports` Join us for some fun movement activities and games great for toddlers! This will be self-directed but staff will be present.

Please consider joining the Friends of the Library - Chevy Chase to enhance and expand programming at our terrific local library. It's a valuable community resource for everyone! You can join at <https://donatenow.networkforgood.org/folmc> (don't forget to check off Chevy Chase under "Designate Your Gift") or pick up an application in the back lobby of the library and turn it in to the front desk. THANKS!