



Friends of the Northeast/Spruill Oaks Library

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Summer Book Sale

June 11 - 14

Members Only Preview Sale:

Thursday, June 11 – 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Members receive TWO FREE BOOKS
with a purchase!

Memberships available at the door.

Patrons may also purchase or renew memberships online
with a credit card at:

<http://www.friendsofspruilloaks.org>

Public Book Sale

Friday 6/12	1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday 6/13	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 6/14	2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Proceeds benefit the Northeast/Spruill Oaks Library

Cash, Check or Credit Cards accepted

Shop the Friends' Book Nook, too. Find books for sale in the library on marked carts and on shelving units, located directly to the left of the returns desk as you enter the library. Browse our selections for yourself or as a gift.

2014 – 2016

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The New Hours for the Northeast/Spruill Oaks Library are:

Monday	10 am – 8 pm	Friday	10 am – 6 pm
Tuesday	10 am – 8 pm	Saturday	10 am – 6 pm
Wednesday	10 am – 6 pm	Sunday	2 pm – 6 pm
Thursday	10 am – 6 pm		

The Friends of the Library

A good way to connect to your community.

By joining the Friends of the NE/Spruill Oaks Library:

- Your membership helps support this library
- You will receive free books at our book sale
- You can be part of helping to fund library programs
- Your membership helps buy new books for the library
- You can sign up for email bulletins about library news

It is easy to join!

Join online at www.friendsofspruilloaks.org, or

Pick up a membership form at the library and
(1) mail it in or (2) turn it in at the library

Teens can join for free!
Seniors get a discounted rate!

We need your book donations!

Clean out your book collection now.

Put books into one of the big green plastic containers by the door to the Community Room.

Tax receipts are available at the Circulation Desk. All donations to the Friends of NE/Spruill Oaks Library are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

Please do not bring textbooks older than five years.

Summer Programs for Teens

Free programs for ages 12-18. For information call Kay Clark at 770-360-8820 (Ext. 13), kay.clark@fultoncountyga.gov.

- Please be aware of the age range for each program. • Only sign up for programs that you know you can attend. • *If your plans change and you are unable to attend, please email Kay Clark as soon as possible and let her know you won't be here. We don't want any wasted seats.*

Sundays for Teens Series: Anime and Manga Club for Teens

June 7, July 5, August 2. 2 p.m.

On most first Sundays of the month teens meet to discuss anime and manga, share fan art and fan fiction. Occasionally, there may be snacks and videos! This program is by teens for teens.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

Sundays for Teens Series: Gavel Club Public Speaking for Teens

July 19, August 16. 2 p.m.

On most third Sundays of the month this program will teach teens the basics of public speaking and help them become comfortable doing it. An advanced member of Toastmaster will discuss topics including creating goals, developing a personal mission and thinking on one's feet when in a public speaking situation. Teens will practice public speaking as part of the program. There is no meeting in June.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

Sundays for Teens Series: Art Club!

July 12. 2 p.m.

On most second Sundays of the month teens will meet with an art instructor to learn new techniques, utilize various media and make unique pieces of art. There is no meeting in August.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

Tutoring for Teens

Mondays May 11 – August 3. 4 p.m.

Experienced tutor, Christina Perry will provide personalized instruction on all areas of SAT, ACT, or CRCT and middle and high school math and language arts. She will evaluate the students' proficiency in the first session and work with students through standardized test preparation books. At the conclusion of the session she will provide feedback on student performance to parents. For more information and **to Register Contact Christina Perry** directly at: 404-953-0284.

In the Teen Center. Ages 12-18.

Hip-Hop Dance Workshop for Teens

Tuesday, June 2. 2 p.m.

Teens will learn introductory Hip Hop dance movements in a fun-filled and vibrant class environment presented by Forefront Arts. Dance is a great way of exercising and also involves science and math.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18.

Limit first 20. Registration required.

New SAT Changes Workshop

Tuesday, June 9. 2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Teens are invited to join us for this informative 90 minute work shop on the recent changes to the SAT presented by Kaplan.

In the Teen Center. Ages 14-18. **Registration required.**

SAT 101 Class

Monday, June 15. 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

In this two hour program presented by Applerouth Tutoring, teens will learn the major SAT concepts and strategies needed to master the exam. Teens will receive test guides and session notes that help simplify the studying process.

In the Teen Center. Ages 15-18. **Limit 20. Registration required.**

Wells Fargo Presents: Finance 101 for Teens

Tuesday, June 16. 2 - 4 p.m.

Teens will learn the ins and outs of banking in this presentation by a Wells Fargo Personal Banker. Topics to be discussed include: where money comes from, how banking works, how to use your money smartly and how to plan for the future.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

Unmask The Artist In You With Mr. Funn:

Teen Comic Book Program

Wednesday, June 17. 2 p.m.

Teens are invited to design and create their own original comic book poster. In the Community Room. Ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

Old is New - Again! Reusable Art Craft Program

Thursday, June 18. 2 p.m.

Take everyday items and turn them into a reflection of the REAL you. Bring something you want to repurpose or use our selection items. In the Community Room. Ages 12-18. **Limit 20. Registration required.**

Series: ACT 101 Class

Monday, June 22. 6 p.m. – 4 p.m.

In this two hour program presented by Applerouth Tutoring, teens will learn the major ACT concepts and strategies needed to master the exam. Teens will receive test guides and session notes that help simplify the studying process.

In the Teen Center. Ages 15-18. **Limit 20. Registration required.**

Improv Workshop for Teens

Wednesday, June 23. 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Teens will develop public speaking skills, acting skills, boost confidence and learn to think on their feet while having a ton of fun in this great two hour workshop presented by Forefront Arts. Improvisation is a great tool to encourage collaboration, communication, and creativity among teens. They will learn techniques through theater games and Improv. In the Community Room. Ages 12-18.

Limit first 20. Registration required.

PSAT 101 Class

Monday, June 29. 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

In this two hour program presented by Applerouth Tutoring, teens will learn the major PSAT concepts and strategies needed to master the exam. Teens will receive test guides and session notes that help simplify the studying process.

In the Teen Center. Ages 12-16. **Limit 20. Registration required.**

College Prep Series: Paying for College

Monday, July 6. 6 p.m.

Parents and high school students are invited to this program presented by Applerouth Tutoring about translating the language of financial aid into understandable concepts.

In the Teen Center. Ages 14-18. **Registration required.**

PSAT Practice Exam

Saturday, July 11. 2 p.m.

Kaplan presents this practice PSAT exam for current ninth and tenth graders who are preparing for to take the PSAT.

In the Community Room. Ages 14-18.

Limit 20. Registration required.

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Summer Programs for Adults & Family

All programs are free. For information/registration contact Karen Swenson at (770) 360-8820 or karen.swenson@fultoncountyga.gov

Line Dancing

Tuesdays (except first Tuesday of the month), starting June 16.
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Enjoy improved physical and mental health with this fun, relaxing activity. Taught by Jean Chen, longtime Line Dancing instructor. New participants always welcome. **No registration required.**

Dahn Yoga Class

Tuesdays, June 9 – July 14. 6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.

Dahn Yoga is a combination of stretching, breathing and meditation. Please bring a yoga mat or towel and wear loose comfortable clothes. All Programs are free and open to everyone.

No registration, but each class limited to first 25 participants.

Adult Volunteer Orientation

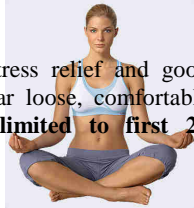
Most Wednesdays. 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ages 15 and older.

Reservation required. For court-referred volunteers contact Marcy Meyers at 404-730-1965.

Yoga and Meditation Class

Most Fridays. 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Learn the Korean “one” yoga method for stress relief and good health. Bring a Yoga mat or towel and wear loose, comfortable clothes. **No registration, but each class limited to first 25 participants.**



Laughter for Wellness

First Saturday of the Month, June 7 & Aug 1. **No Program in July.**
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Let laughter lighten your mood. Instructor is a certified Laughter Yoga leader trained by Dr. Madan Kataria. **Registration required.**

Young Volunteer Orientation

Thursdays, June 4, June 25, July 9, July 30, Aug. 6 and Aug. 27.

4:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Ages 12 – 14. Parent must attend first 10 minutes. 12-year-olds must be accompanied by adult when volunteering.

Reservation required. Limited to 4 students.

Northeast/Spruill Oaks Library Book Club

First Tuesday of the Month, June 2, July 7 & August 4.

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Members will be reading a variety of books for leisure reading during the summer.

Johns Creek Art Center “Try It” Watercolor and Pastel Workshops

Saturday, June 20. 2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. – 5:30 p.m..

For trying out “Introduction to Watercolor” and “Introduction to Pastels,” respectively. Free and open to the public.

Participants must be 16 years old or older.

Registration required. Limit of 15 for each class.

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Johns Creek Poetry Group

Saturdays, June 20 and July 18. 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

If you want to learn to express yourself through poetry, improve your writing skills or just appreciate the craft, join us! Please bring 7 copies of your work to share.

Children 8 and older, teens and adults welcome!

Free ESL Classes

Tuesdays, resuming on Aug. 18, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Thursdays, resuming on Aug. 20, 11 a.m. for Beginner & Intermediate, and 12:15 p.m. for Advanced. **No classes in October.** Adults welcome. All classes follow the Fulton County School Calendar. **No registration necessary.** Just come to class.

AARP Smart Driver Course

Saturday, Sept. 26. 10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

AARP Smart Driver course, previously Defensive Driving, for adults and teens 15 and older. AARP guidebook is not required unless you want a certificate. **Registration is required and is \$15 for AARP members with a card and \$20 for non-members.**



Summer Programs for Teens

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College Prep Series: Everything College Admissions Seminar

Monday, July 13. 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

In this two hour program, Appelrouth Tutoring Services will explain all the steps necessary to teen achieve great scores on college admissions exams (SAT or ACT) and submit more competitive college applications. Don't miss this FREE opportunity to help your child get ahead. Parents encouraged to attend.

In the Teen Center. Ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

What's Your Future? Vision Board Craft Program

Thursday, July 16. 2 p.m.

Want to know where your life will be in a month, a year or a decade? You can make a plan and draw a map to it by creating vision boards. Vision boards help set goals and determine paths to obtain them.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18.

Limit 20. Registration required.

Digital Photography Workshop for Teens

Tuesday, July 21. 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.

In this two hour in-depth look at the history and technique of photography teens will learn the origins of photography through to today's modern 3-D applications. They will learn the basics of using a

DSLR (Digital Single Lens Reflex) camera while applying advanced lighting techniques to make their photos shine! Cameras and access to specialized photo-editing software will be provided.

In the Community Room. Ages 12-18.

Limit 12. Registration required.

ACT and SAT Practice Exams presented by Kaplan

Saturday, July 25. 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

Teens are invited to take the practice exam of their choice. This program will last four hours. In the Community Room. Ages 14-18.

Limit 20. Registration Required.

College Prep Series: College Essay Writing Workshop

Monday August 17. 6 p.m.

Teens are invited to this workshop presented by Appelrouth Tutoring to learn to write powerful college essays and personal statements that will help get them into the college of their choice.

In the Teen Center. Ages 14-18. **Registration required.**



Summer Programs For Children

All programs are free and are on a first-come, first-served basis. • Target Family Nights – 1st 40 families receive a free book

For information or to RSVP, call Terra Cribbs @ (770) 360-8820, or email at terra.cribbs@fultoncountvga.gov

If emailing, please include your name, phone, & children's ages (max. of 2 children per registration)

JUNE

Lee Bryan, Puppet Show

Monday, June 1. 2 p.m. All ages.

Chess Club – Monday, June 1. 6:15 p.m.

Picadilly, Puppet Show

Tuesday, June 2. 10:30 a.m. All ages.

Children's Art Class

Saturday, June 6. 4 p.m. Ages 5-9 **Must RSVP**

Chess Club

Monday, June 8. 6:15 p.m.

Ken Scott, Magic Show

Tuesday, June 9. 3 p.m. Ages 5-12.



Target Family Night with Brien Engel, Glass Harpist

Monday, June 15. 6:30 p.m. All ages.



Chess Club

Monday, June 15. 6:15 p.m.

ATS Magic with Arthur Atsma

Tuesday, June 16. 10:30 a.m. Ages 5-12.

Keith Karnock, Puppet Show

Monday, June 22. 1:30 p.m. Ages 3-5.



Chess Club

Monday, June 22. 6:15 p.m.

Children's Art Class

Saturday, June 27. 4:30 p.m. Ages 5-9 **Must RSVP**

Storyteller

Monday, June 29. 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-6.

Chess Club

Monday, June 29. 6:15 p.m.



Dr. Tom, Mime and Comedy

Tuesday, June 30. 6:15 p.m. All ages.

JULY

Adam and the Inflatable Zoo

Tuesday, July 7. 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5.

Ron Anglin, Juggling Show

Monday, July 13. 10:30 a.m.

Target Family Night with Dr. Tom, Mime and Comedy

Monday, July 13. 6:30 p.m. All ages.



Storyteller with Tyriq

Wednesday, July 15. 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-6.

Children's Art Class

Saturday, July 18. 4:30 p.m. Ages 5-9. **Must RSVP.**

Target Family Night with Arthur Atsma, Magician

Monday, July 20. 6:30 p.m. All ages are welcome.



Food Science Cooking Program

Wednesday, July 22. 4 p.m. Ages 7-9.

Must RSVP.



Alina Celeste, Music and Stories

Wednesday, July 29. 10:30 a.m.

Ages 3-7.



Friends of Northeast/Spruill Oaks Library Treasurer's Report

As of May 19, 2015 our assets are \$37,020 against liabilities of \$37,020. For the current fiscal year our expenses are \$10,408 and our revenues are \$15,200. We anticipate closing the year within budget as of June 30. On an annual basis, 85% of our expense budget has been designated for library programs and improvements: programs & library events, new books & CDs/DVDs, and volunteer & staff appreciation.

Announcing



A New Media App For AFPLS Card Holders!

The Atlanta-Fulton Public Library System is excited to announce the public availability of thousands of movies, television shows, music albums and audiobooks, all available for mobile and online access through a new partnership with **hoopla digital** – all you need is a valid library card!

Our library card holders can download the free **hoopla digital** mobile app on their Android or IOS device or visit www.afpls.org. Click on the **hoopla** button to begin enjoying thousands of titles from major Hollywood studios, record companies and publishers available to borrow for instant streaming or temporary downloading to their smartphones, tablets and computers.

hoopla digital has a simple sign-up and attractive, easy-to-use interface, so it's easy to get to your listening and viewing experience. There's also **no waiting to borrow** popular movies, TV shows, albums or audiobooks. And **hoopla's automatic return feature eliminates late fees.**

To access the system on your mobile device, you will need to visit www.afpls.org and see **hoopla** on the front page or under the link, "eResources" and **download the FREE hoopla digital app** on your Android or IOS device. Simply 'Sign Up' to get started. There is no need to download an app or extension for your internet browser.

**We hope you will enjoy this new perk
as a library card holder!**