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All HCPL locations are closed Friday, March 29 in observance of Good Friday.



**Eclipse Programs at HCPL!**  
Excitement is in the air as we prepare for the upcoming solar eclipse on Monday, April 8! Harford County Public Library is thrilled to offer a variety of programs and activities for all ages to celebrate this awe-inspiring celestial event.

Join us for a series of engaging events including scavenger hunts, crafts, and more, all designed to enhance your eclipse experience. Whether you're a family looking for educational fun, or just someone interested in exploring space, there's something for everyone at HCPL.

Be sure to check out our [Eclipse Day booklist](#), curated specially for the occasion. And don't forget to pick up your **FREE** eclipse glasses, while supplies last, at any [HCPL location!](#)

[Eclipse Programs](#)

**CHILDREN & FAMILIES**



**Art and Stories: Butterflies!**  
**Preschool-Grade 2**  
**Tuesday, April 2 10:15-11:00 am – Norrisville Library**  
Get creative and enjoy stories and art-themed, hands-on projects. Supported by the Norrisville Friends of HCPL. Each child attending must register prior to the program.\*

[Register for Art and Stories: Butterflies](#)

**Explore Space on the Green Screen**  
**All Ages**  
**Wednesday, April 3 2:00-7:00 pm – Havre de Grace Library**  
Strike a pose in front of the green screen and receive a pair of free eclipse sunglasses. The background will be space-themed. Photos will be emailed to you.

[Explore Space on the Green Screen](#)

**Art Lab**  
**Family**  
**Thursday, April 4 4:00-5:00 pm – Abingdon Library**  
Explore the works and styles of famous artists and create your own masterpiece at our family art lab event!

[Art Lab](#)

**TEENS**



**Mini Art Show**  
**Grade 9-12 & Adult**  
**April 1-30 Library hours – Joppa Library**  
Teens and Adults, pick up your Mini Art Kit starting April 1 (while supplies last). Return your masterpiece by April 30. Mini Art submissions will be on display during the month of May. Supported by the Joppa Friends of HCPL.

[Mini Art Show](#)

**Video Game Free Play**  
**Grade 6-12**  
**Wednesday, April 3 3:00-4:30 pm – Edgewood Library**  
Attention all gamers: Need a place to let loose and game your life away? Come to the library on Wednesdays and play!

[Video Game Free Play](#)

**Craft and Create: Spa Night**  
**Grade 6-12 & Adult**  
**Tuesday, April 9 6:00-7:00 pm – Whiteford Library**  
Make a craft with other craft lovers. All supplies provided. Each person attending must register prior to the program. Supported by the North Harford Friends of HCPL.

[Craft and Create: Spa Night](#)

**ADULTS**



**Amelia Earhart: Dreams Take Flight**  
**Adult**  
**Thursday, April 4 6:30-8:00 pm – Jarrettsville Library**  
Discover the dangers in the fledgling field of early twentieth-century flying and re-live the last days before her dramatic disappearance. This show features Mary Ann Jung, noted Smithsonian Scholar, as a soaring tribute to the spirited heroine of both aviation and women's rights. Supported by the Jarrettsville Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to event.\*

[Register for Amelia Earhart: Dreams Take Flight](#)

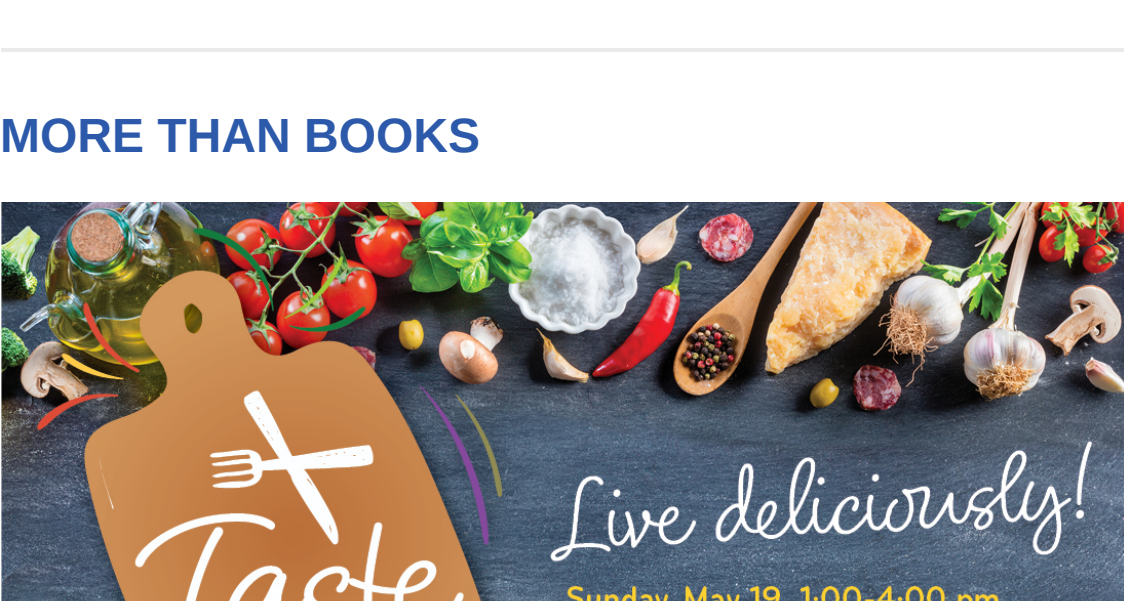
**Black Gospel Music Experience**  
**All Ages**  
**Tuesday, April 2 6:30-8:30 pm – Havre de Grace Cultural Center at the Opera House**  
In partnership with the Cultural Center at the Opera House in Havre de Grace, join us for the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Black Gospel Musical Experience. Local gospel choirs and soloists will bring the sounds and history of Black Gospel Music. Learn about its roots and its place in the African American community of today. Admission is free, but registration is required. [Free tickets](#) can be reserved through the [Havre de Grace Cultural Center](#). Supported by the Havre de Grace Friends of HCPL.

[Register for Black Gospel Music Experience](#)

**Book Discussions**  
**Adult**  
**Various time and locations**  
Check out our upcoming book discussions! Talk about great reads with fellow book lovers.

[Book Discussions](#)

**MORE THAN BOOKS**



**Taste of Harford**  
**Sunday, May 19 1:00-4:00 pm**  
**Vignon Manor Farm**  
1 Ticket for \$40 or 2 tickets for \$75  
Harford County Public Library  
**FOUNDATION**

**Taste of Harford**  
**Sunday, May 19 1:00-4:00 pm**  
**Vignon Manor Farm, 425 Darlington Road, Havre de Grace**  
The Taste of Harford promises a unique experience, bringing together the finest restaurants, wineries, breweries, and agricultural partners from across Harford County in the beautiful setting of Vignon Manor Farm. Anticipating an attendance of over 800 guests, this event will not only tantalize taste buds but also serve as a platform to support our community. Proceeds from the event will directly contribute to sustaining Library programs, resources, and services that benefit all residents of Harford County.

[Tickets for the Taste of Harford are on sale now!](#)

In addition, vendor and sponsorship opportunities are still available! To delve deeper into the flavors of Harford at the event, visit our [website](#) or reach out to Amber Shrodes at shrodes@hcplonline.org or by phone at 410.273.5600 X 6583.

Thank you to the Taste of Harford Event Partners:



[Taste of Harford](#)

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