



Family History Month! Above the Fold: Newsworthy Ancestors
Adult

Tuesday, October 8 6:30-8:00 pm – Virtual Event
 Newspapers are a fantastic source of research leads, information, and historical context for your family history. The stories of our ancestors' lives can be found in the pages of archived newspapers. This presentation will help teach you how to better search for your ancestors in the news and how they can help lead you toward answering your genealogy research questions. Presented by Jeanette Sheliga.

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CHILDREN & FAMILIES



Rosh Hashanah Craft

Family
Thursday, October 3 2:00-3:00 pm – Aberdeen Library
 Learn about the holiday of Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year, and create a honey jar craft. Supported by the Aberdeen Friends of HCPL.

[Rosh Hashanah Craft](#)

Art and Stories: Autumn

Preschool-Grade 2
Tuesday, October 8 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: Autumn](#)

Pumpkin Fest

Family
Wednesday, October 9 6:30-7:30 pm – Joppa Library
 Celebrate the amazing pumpkin! Build a catapult for pumpkin chunkin, explore the inside of a pumpkin, paint a pumpkin, and more! Supported by the Joppa Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.*

[Register for Pumpkin Fest](#)

TEENS



Taylor Swift Party

Grade 9-12
Tuesday, October 8 6:30-7:30 pm – Abingdon Library
 Are you ready for it? Come dressed as your favorite era and make friendship bracelets with other Swifties!

[Taylor Swift Party](#)

Teen Crafternoon - Bad Art

Grade 6-12
Friday, September 27 1:00-2:30 pm – Darlington Library
 Create a disaster-piece using an assortment of crafting materials and art supplies. No artistic abilities required. This is fun art, not fine art. Supported by the Darlington Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.*

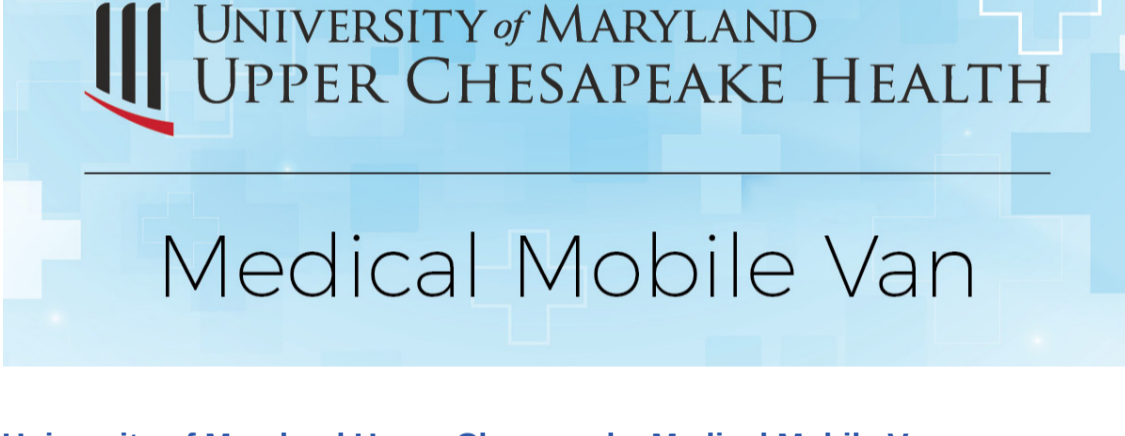
[Register for Teen Crafternoon - Bad Art](#)

Teen Writing Club

Grade 6-12
Tuesday, October 8 3:30-5:00 pm – Bel Air Library
 Whether you're already working on a writing project or want a space to explore new stories, join our group of budding writers to share your craft. Participants are encouraged to bring their own laptop or journal to write in. Each person attending must register prior to the program.*

[Register for Teen Writing Club](#)

ADULTS



University of Maryland Upper Chesapeake Medical Mobile Van

Adult
Thursday, October 3 noon-3:00 pm – Jarrettsville Library
 The staff of the University of Maryland Upper Chesapeake Medical Mobile Van work to promote wellness by sharing information on health topics, and provide a range preventative screenings accessible to the community.

Flu vaccines for ages 6-64 are \$20; if you are 65 and do not have Medicare Part B the cost is \$60; straight Medicare will be billed. Diabetes for blood pressure, sleep disorder, body composition analysis, diabetes, and stroke are available free of charge. There is a nominal fee of \$10 for Cholesterol and A1C checks. For more information, please contact Upper Chesapeake at 800-515-0044.

[University of Maryland Upper Chesapeake Medical Mobile Van](#)

Warped Weavers Demonstration

All Ages
Friday, October 4 3:00-5:00 pm – Abingdon Library
Friday, October 8 2:00-5:00 pm – Whiteford Library
 The Warped Weavers Guild shares the craft of weaving through demonstrations by its artisan members in celebration of National Weaving and Spinning Month.

[Warped Weavers Demonstration](#)

Family History Month! How To Read Old Handwriting

Adult
Tuesday, October 1 6:30-8:00 pm – Virtual Event
 Struggling to read those old historical documents? Gain invaluable insights and practical strategies for deciphering your ancestors' records, allowing you to uncover hidden stories and connect with your heritage in ways you never thought possible. From understanding the evolution of handwriting styles to employing innovative techniques for enhancing legibility, this talk promises to equip you with the skills and confidence needed to navigate your family's history. Don't miss this opportunity to sharpen your genealogical prowess and forge deeper connections with your roots! Presented by Lisa Lisson.

[Register for Family History Month! How To Read Old Handwriting](#)

MORE THAN BOOKS



Inclusive Trunk or Treat

All Ages
Saturday, October 5 4:00-7:00 pm – The EPICENTER at Edgewood
 Inclusive Trunk or Treat hosted by the Harford County Public Library Foundation at The EPICENTER at Edgewood on Saturday, October 5 from 4:00-7:00 pm. This fantastic and free event puts a fun twist on traditional trick-or-treating. Instead of going door-to-door, kids will stroll from car to car, gathering candy and treats from various themed trunks. This event promises a safe and exciting Halloween experience for everyone.

[Inclusive Trunk or Treat](#)

*All HCPL programs and events are subject to change. Where noted, each person attending must register prior to the event. Please check your branch Facebook page or call for the most up-to-date information.

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