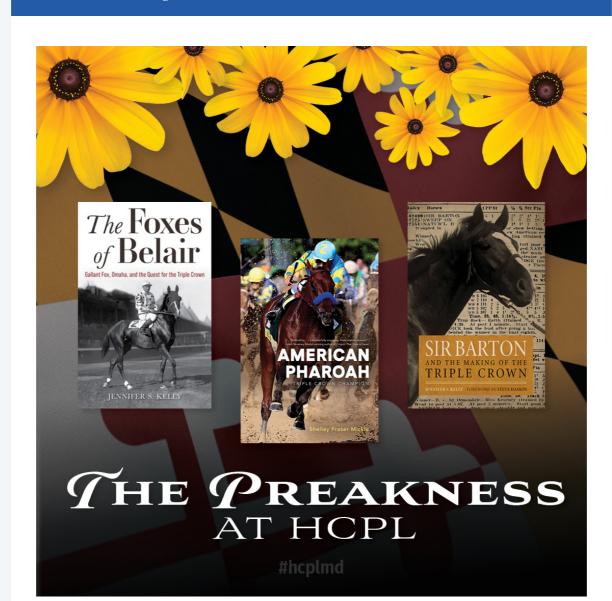
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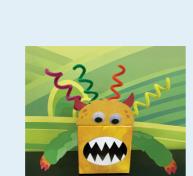
The Preakness 150

Are you ready for the 150th running of the Preakness Stakes? Head to your favorite HCPL location to check out our Preakness-related titles!

Preakness Stake Book List

Programs for Children & Families

Worry Monsters



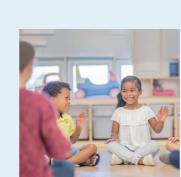
Saturday, May 17 1:00-3:00 pm Bel Air Library | Family In recognition of Mental Health Awareness Month, drop into the library to make a Worry Monster who will eat your stressful feelings at bedtime. Also, psychologist and author Dr. Melissa Munro Boyd will share excerpts from her newest book, What About Worry - Skills for Calming Anxious Thoughts and Feelings from her Skills for Kids series.

Worry Monsters

LEGO® Club

Monday, May 19 6:00-7:00 pm Norrisville Library | Family We supply the LEGO® bricks. You supply the imagination! Supported by the Norrisville Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.*

Register for LEGO® Club



Once Upon a Sign Tuesday, May 20 10:15-11:00 am

Abingdon Library | Family Join us for a story time featuring early literacy activities and stories signed in American Sign Language (ASL). All children and their family are invited to join in the fun! Each child attending must register prior to the program.*

Register for Once Upon a Sign

All Programs for Children & Families

Programs for Teens



Nintendo Switch™ Free Play

Friday, May 16 3:30-5:00 pm

Whiteford Library | Grade 6-12 Come to the library and unwind from school with some quality Nintendo Switch™ time!

Nintendo Switch™ Free Play



Green Screen Content Creation

Tuesday, May 20 3:00-4:00 pm

Edgewood Library | Grade 6-12 If you are looking to create content that goes viral, come check out our green screen! Take photos, make shorts, and be the influencer you always wanted to be.

Green Screen Content Creation



Ping Pong Tournament Friday, May 23 11:30 am-1:00 pm & 1:00-3:00 pm

Joppa Library | Grade 6-12 Battle of the paddles! Prizes will be awarded. Join us for one or both of the sessions. Supported by the Joppa Friends of HCPL.

Ping Pong Tournament

All Programs for Teens

Programs for Adults

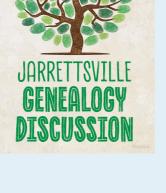


Aberdeen Saturday Film Discussion Saturday, May 17 2:30-4:45 pm

Aberdeen Library | Adult

Join us to watch a short film and engage in a lively discussion. Films are curated and moderated by film buffs Jan and Jack Hirschfeld. Aberdeen Saturday Film Discussion

Jarrettsville Genealogy Discussion:



Thursday, May 22 6:15-7:45 pm Jarrettsville Library | Adult Join fellow researchers and share techniques, tips,

America, 1824-1825

Wednesday, May 28 6:30-7:30 pm

The Advantages of FamilySearch

and resources. Jarrettsville Genealogy Discussion

Guest of the Nation: Lafayette Returns to

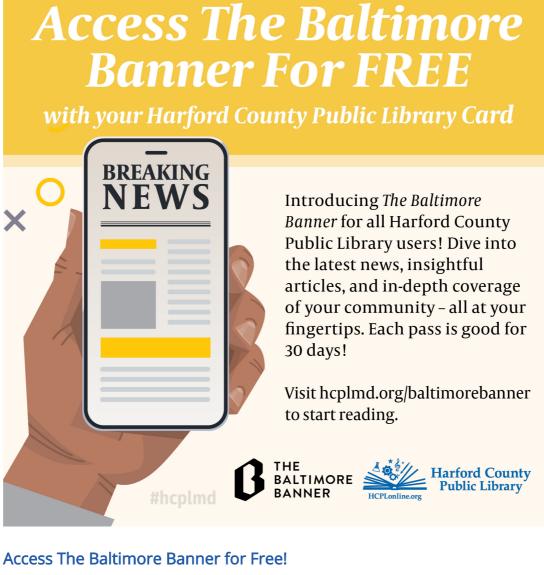
Havre de Grace Library | Grade 9-12 & Adult



The Marquis de Lafayette played a pivotal role in the American War for Independence. Join Dr. Amy Rosenkrans to learn about the history of Lafayette in Cecil and Harford Counties and how to participate in the celebration of the commemorative events. Guest of the Nation: Lafayette Returns to America, 1824-1825

More than Books

All Programs for Adults



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