



Talk of the Town

August - October 2025

Main Library • Point Branch

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FAMILY



**GCPL
COMIX
CON
2025**

Main Library
Saturday, August 9
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Free entry! Costumes, demos,
activities, prizes and more!
All ages.



**ROBLOX
PARTY**

Main Library
Saturday, September 13
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Registration begins August 30
Meet new friends and share your favorite Roblox
experiences. Bring your own devices to play.
Snacks provided. All ages.



OWLS, BIRDS OF THE NIGHT

Main Library
Saturday, October 18 at 2:00 p.m.

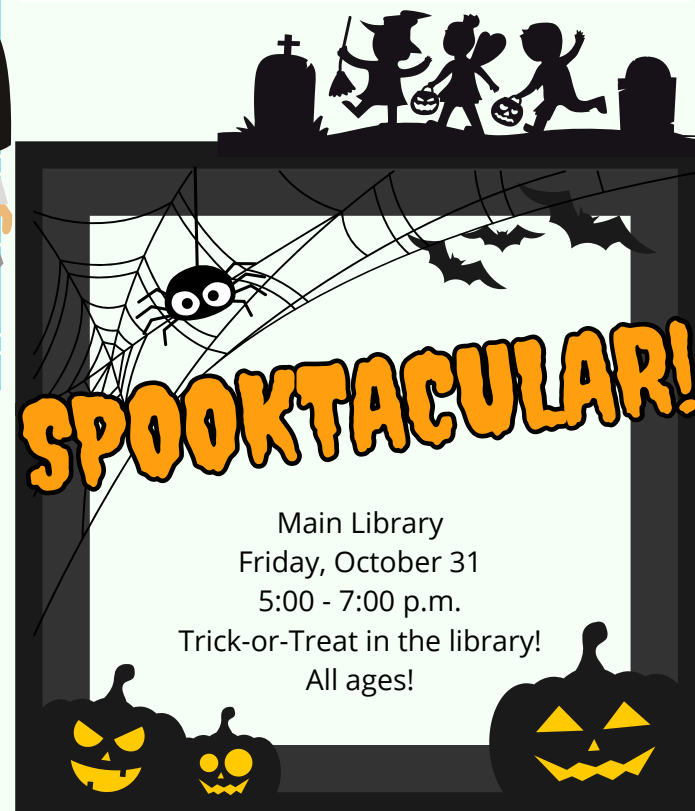
Meet the owl education ambassadors of Nature's
Nanny Wildlife Rehabilitation. Learn all about these
nocturnal hunters and how they help our ecosystem.
All ages.



Autumn Acappella!

Main Library
Saturday, September 20
Doors open at 2:30. Show at 3:00 p.m.

The Williamsburg A cappella Singers are known for
their entertaining repertoire and performances.
Enjoy a lively afternoon of popular musical genres
such as Broadway, pop, rock, country that'll get your
toes tapping and put a smile on your face.
All ages.



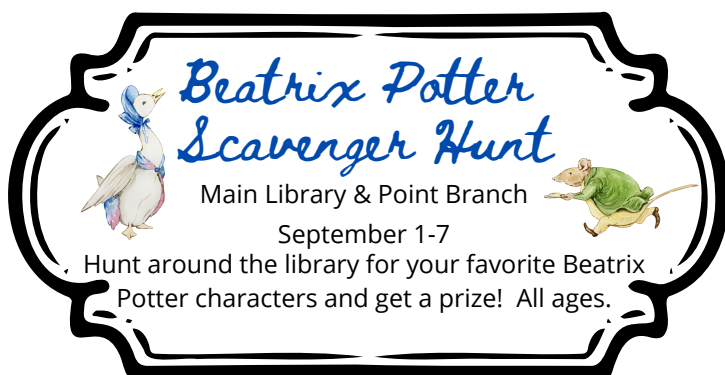
SPOOKTACULAR!

Main Library
Friday, October 31
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Trick-or-Treat in the library!
All ages!



FAMILY



Halloween Scavenger Hunt

Main Library
October 27 - November 1
Seek out spooky sights
and get a prize!
All ages.



CHILDREN

5 AND UNDER

Little Pillars

Main Library
Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30
October 7, 14, 21 & 28
Registration begins Aug 19
Rhyme, read, play, and learn
the Eric Carle way!
Birth-24 months.



Pre-K Storytime

Main Library
Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 3, 10, 17 & 24
October 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29
Registration begins Aug 19
Longer stories, rhymes, songs, and a craft help
children prepare for kindergarten. 3-5 years.

Toddlers on the Loose

Main Library
Thursdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 4, 11, 18 & 25
October 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30
Registration begins Aug 19
Shorter stories, songs, rhymes, and fun
motor skill development activities!
2 years.

Point Storytime

Point Branch
Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m.
September 3, 10, 17 & 24
October 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29
Registration begins Aug 19
Stories, rhymes, songs, and a craft help children
prepare for kindergarten. 2-5 years.



Little Crafters

Main Library
Fridays
September 19 & October 17 at 10:30 a.m.
Registration begins Sept 5 & Oct 3
Fall craft activities for little ones! Ages 3-5

SCHOOL AGE

Paws to Read

Main Library
Saturday, August 16 at 10:30 a.m.
Registration begins Aug 2
Sign up to read to a certified therapy dog. Improve
reading skills and make a furry friend!
Grades 1-5.



Let's Draw Halloween!

Main Library
Wednesday, October 8 at 6:00 p.m.
Registration begins Sept 24
Draw a mummy, witch,
jack-o-lantern and more!
Grades K-5.





CHILDREN

SCHOOL AGE

No-Carve Pumpkin Decorating

Main Library
Thursday, October 9 at 6:00 p.m.
Registration begins Sept 25
Create a spook-tacular pumpkin
without the mess!
Grades 1-5.

Hands-on Archeology

Main Library
Saturday, October 11 at 10:30 a.m.
Registration begins Sept 27
October is Archeology month in Virginia.
The Fairfield Foundation presents a
hands-on program processing artifacts
from local digs!
Grades 1-5.



TEEN

Hedgehog Pumpkin

Main Library
Saturday, October 4 at 11:00 a.m.
Registration begins Sept 20
Make an adorable hedgehog
pumpkin for Halloween.
Grades 6-12.



Let's Draw Manga!

Main Library
Saturday, October 25 at 2:00 p.m.
Registration begins Oct 11
Learn to create your own manga character with
features like exaggerated eyes, small mouths, and
stylized hair characteristic of the style.
Grades 6-12.



NEW VIDEO
GAMES FOR
CHECKOUT!



Thank You
GLOUCESTER COUNTY
FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY
for your support and dedication
to our community!

On July 4, 2026, our nation will celebrate the 250th
anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of
Independence. Join the Library as we journey through the
year with events and activities and fun facts to
commemorate this historic milestone!



ADULT



CRAFT CORNER

Clothes Pin Decor

Main Library

Thursday, September 18 at 2:00 p.m.

Registration begins Sept 4

What a great way to recycle a tin can and some clothes pins. Create your own design using paper, mod podge, paint or buttons. Adults 18+.

Mason Jar Lid

Pumpkin Magnet

Main Library

Thursday, October 16 at 2:00 p.m.

Registration begins Oct 2

Create a pumpkin magnet craft using mason jar lids. Adults 18+.

Wee 'Oui' Halloween Craft

Point Branch

Wednesday, October 22 at 2:00 p.m.

Registration begins Oct 8

Create a Halloween craft using a Oui yogurt jar. Adults 18+.



Nutrition & Healthy Living Series

Main Library

2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

September 4 - *Reading the Nutrition Labels &*

Osteoporosis Prevention

October 2 - *Small Steps to Health and Wealth, Part 1*

November 6 - *Small Steps to Health and Wealth, Part 2*

Registration begins Aug 21

Glenn Sturm from the Gloucester Extension Office will be presenting a three-part series on Nutrition and Healthy Living.

Adults 18+.



Byte Size Basics

Main Library

Aug. 5 & 19, Sept. 9 & 23, Oct. 7 & 21

Appointments available from 1-2:30 p.m.

Have questions about Microsoft Word, email, or your smartphone?

Register for 30 minutes of individual tech help!



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<div>Monday - Thursday Friday & Saturday Sunday</div>	<div>10:00 am - 8:00 pm 10:00 am - 5:00 pm 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm</div>	Spring/Summer Hours	
		<div>Monday - Thursday Friday Saturday</div>	<div>10:00 am - 6:00 pm 10:00 am - 5:00 pm 10:00 am - 2:00 pm</div>
Holidays & Closings			
<div>Labor Day - Monday, September 1, 2025</div>		<div>Columbus Day - Monday, October 13, 2025</div>	