



PUBLIC LIBRARY
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Newsletter

March/April/May 2022

Volume 12, Issue 1

WHAT'S NEW AT THE LIBRARY?

2021 has come and gone... it was a good year for the Shelbyville—Bedford County Public Library. Thankfully, amid several changes due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the library was able to remain open for the majority of the year. As with most other businesses we did have a few periods that it was necessary to close for a few days at a time, but thankfully those days were kept at a minimum.



As we make our way into 2022, we plan to continue to bring back in-library opportunities for programs as well as continue to offer online programs and events to those who like the flexibility of watching from home.

The Library is currently making plans to replace all of the computers in the Computer Lab as well as staff computer work stations and card catalogs with new devices courtesy of the ARPA (American Rescue Plan Act) Grant from the Tennessee State Library and Archives.

This is a matching grant where the library will match 20% of the funds granted by TSLA. The Grant Award amount is \$25,130 for a total of \$31,412 to be spent on Technology upgrades and Website redesign. We are excited for this step in upgrading our equipment and offering the best services possible for our patrons!

In addition to the ARPA Grant, The Wine Walk was held on December 10 at the 11th annual “Sip, Shop, and Stroll” on the Square. The

Library is thankful to the Merchants on the Square for continuing to donate the proceeds of this event to help further the love of reading in our community! What could be better than a glass of wine and a good book? The \$2,000 raised during the 2021 event will be used in the updating of our

Computer Lab. We plan on purchasing computer desks that will have dividers between each station to help offer more privacy and social distancing to our patrons.

Several more grants are in the works and are being applied for to help with safety concerns, technology updates, and other needs of the library. Our goal in 2022 is to make the library the true “hub of the community” and “To serve the community as a center for information”, as our Mission states. We hope each of you will join us as we march boldly into 2022!

2021-2022 Library Board Members

Brent Canady, *Chair*
Henry Feldhaus
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Yesenia Lira-Garcia
Ralph McBride
Dr. Carol Magnuson
Vicki McCord, *Vice-Chair*
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BEGINNER'S TECHNOLOGY CLASSES ARE BACK!

The Library has been fortunate enough to receive the TOP Grant, provided through the Tennessee State Library & Archives, again this year! This grant allows us to offer Beginner's Tech Classes and Computer Assistance in many areas. One-on-One Computer Assistance will be available Tuesday & Thursday mornings. To sign up for this or any of our other classes call or stop by the library. For more information on classes see below or visit our library's website @ sbcplibrary.org.



Handheld Device Classes

- **Saturday, March 19th (for iPhone) @ 10 AM**
- **Saturday, April 2nd (for Android) @ 10 AM**

If you are new to using smartphones or tablets, this is the class for you! The 2-hour class will be separated by iPhone/iPad devices and Android devices. There is NO CHARGE for these classes, but sign-up is required.

Beginner's Computer Class

- **Saturday, April 16th (Microsoft Word) @ 10 AM**
- **Saturday, April 30th (Excel) @ 10 AM**
- **Saturday, May 14th (PowerPoint) @ 10 AM**
- **Saturday, May 28th (Internet) @ 10 AM**
- **Saturday, May 28th (Email Setup & Use) @ 1 PM**

Here are all the ins & outs of how to use a computer, including Microsoft Office and the Internet! Each of these 90-minute to 2-hour classes will cover a different topic, and all classes are FREE.



Introductory Photography & Photo Editing Class



- **Tuesday, March 15th @ 4 PM**
- **Thursday, March 24th @ 2 PM**
- **Saturday, April 9th @ 10 AM**
- **Tuesday, April 12th @ 4 PM**
- **Thursday, June 2nd @ 2 PM**

This class is an introduction to learning photography and how to edit your photos like a professional! This single 90-120 minute class will be available at 5 different times to help meet people's schedules.

ALL CLASSES ARE AVAILABLE FOR AGES 13 & UP; DUE TO LIMITED SPACE FOR EACH CLASS, ALL CLASSES MUST BE SIGNED UP FOR IN ADVANCE!



SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2022

The Shelbyville - Bedford County Public Library is proud to announce our upcoming Summer Reading Program! This year's theme is "Oceans of Possibilities," which will feature all kinds of different programs and activities relating to the ocean!

Registration will be open online and at the Library beginning Thursday, May 26th!

***JUNE 6TH-
JULY 22ND***



Upcoming Events Calendar

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
GREEN = Virtual (Online Only) RED = Library Closures/Delays BLUE = Technology Classes		1 <u>BOOK SALE STARTS @ 9AM</u>	2 Read Across America Mini-Storytime (All Ages) @ 3:30 PM	3	4	5 <u>LAST DAY OF BOOK SALE</u>
6	7	8 Teen Advisory Board @ 4:30 PM	9 Morning Storytime (0-6) @ 10:30 AM	10	11	12 LEGO Club (All Ages) @ 10 AM D&D/RPG Club (6th-12th) @ 1 PM
13	14	15 <u>Photography & Photo Editing Class @ 4 PM</u>	16	17	18	19 <u>Handheld Devices: iPhone @ 10 AM</u>
20	21	22 Origami Lesson (6th-12th) @ 4:30 PM	23 Morning Storytime (0-6) @ 10:30 AM	24 <u>Photography & Photo Editing Class @ 2 PM</u>	25	26 D&D/RPG Club (6th-12th) @ 1 PM
27	28	29 STEM Club (K-5th) @ 4 PM	30	31		

MARCH



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5 Teen Advisory Board @ 4:30 PM	6 Morning Storytime (0-6) @ 10:30 AM	7	8 <u>THE LIBRARY IS CLOSED FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY</u>	9 LEGO Club (All Ages) @ 10 AM D&D Club (6th-12th) @ 1 PM <u>Photo. Class @ 10 AM</u>
10	11	12 <u>Photography & Photo Editing Class @ 4 PM</u>	13	14	15	16 Computer Class (Word) @ 10 AM
17	18	19	20 Morning Storytime (0-6) @ 10:30 AM	21	22	23 Local Author Book Signing @ 10 AM D&D/RPG Club (6th-12th) @ 1 PM
24	25	26 Teen Craft (6th-12th) @ 4:30 PM	27	28	29	30 Computer Class (Excel) @ 10 AM

APRIL

MAY

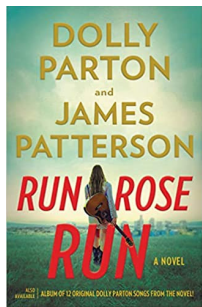
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29	30 <u>THE LIBRARY IS CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY</u>	31				



MARCH 2022

New Release Books

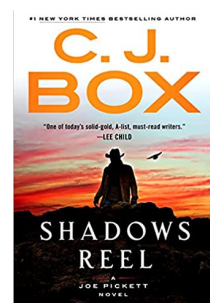
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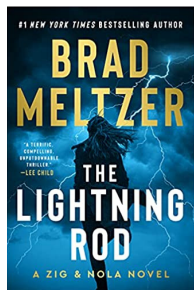
Run Rose Run
By: Dolly Parton & James Patterson
March 7, 2022
Fiction



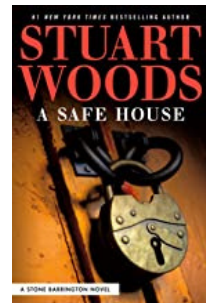
High Stakes
By: Danielle Steel
March 8, 2022
Fiction



Shadows Reel
By: C. J. Box
March 8, 2022
Fiction



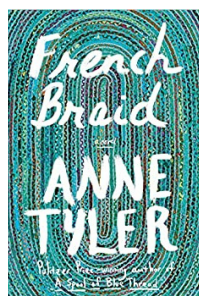
The Lightning Rod
By: Brad Meltzer
March 8, 2022
Fiction



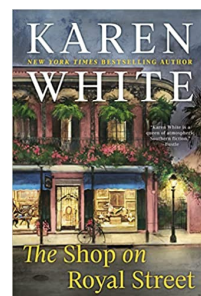
A Safe House
By: Stuart Woods
March 22, 2022
Fiction



The Recovery Agent
By: Janet Evanovich
March 22, 2022
Fiction

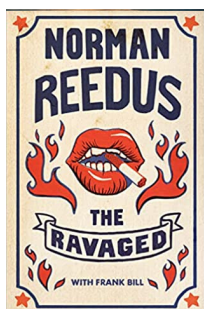


French Braid
By: Anne Tyler
March 22, 2022
Fiction



The Shop on Royal Street
By: Karen White
March 29, 2022
Fiction

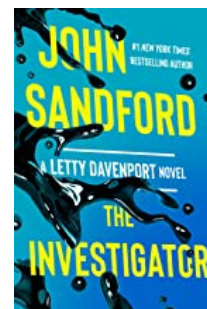
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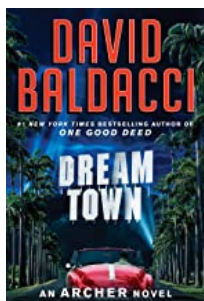
The Ravaged
By: Norman Reedus
April 5, 2022
Fiction



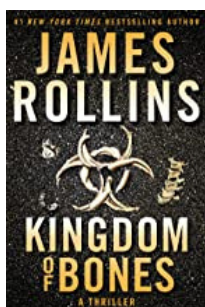
Shadow Fallen
By: Sherrilyn Kenyon
April 12, 2022
Fiction



The Investigator
By: John Sandford
April 12, 2022
Fiction



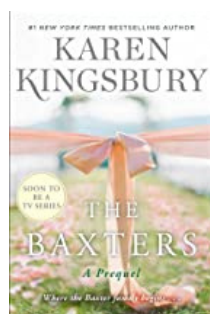
Dream Town
By: David Baldacci
April 19, 2022
Fiction



Kingdom of Bones
By: James Rollins
April 19, 2022
Fiction



Beautiful
By: Danielle Steel
April 19, 2022
Fiction

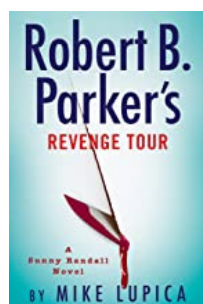


The Baxters: a Prequel
By: Karen Kingsbury
April 26, 2022
Fiction

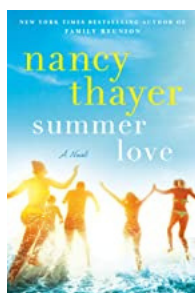


The Good Left Undone
By: Adriana Trigiani
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Fiction

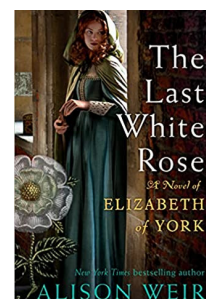
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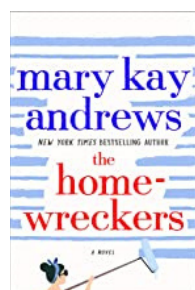
Robert B. Parker's Revenge Tour
By: Mike Lupica
May 3, 2022
Fiction



Summer Love
By: Nancy Thayer
May 3, 2022
Fiction



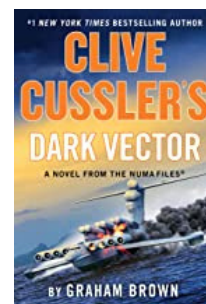
The Last White Rose
By: Alison Weir
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Fiction



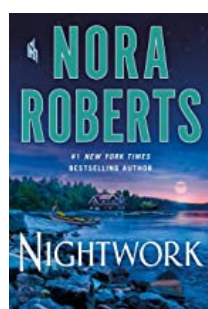
The Homewreckers
By: Mary Kay Andrews
May 3, 2022
Fiction



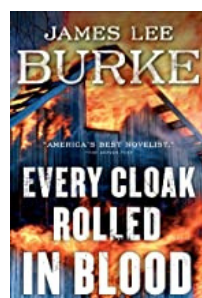
Thrill of the Hunt
By: Rita Mae Brown
May 17, 2022
Fiction



Clive Cussler's Dark Vector
By: Graham Brown
May 24, 2022
Fiction



Nightwork
By: Nora Roberts
May 24, 2022
Fiction



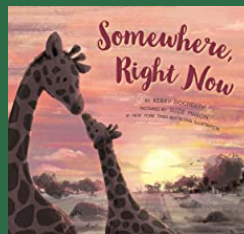
Every Cloak Rolled in Blood
By: James Lee Burke
May 24, 2022
Fiction

CHILDREN'S NEW RELEASES

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What Will I Do with my Love Today?
By: Kristin Chenoweth
March 8, 2022
Easy Reader



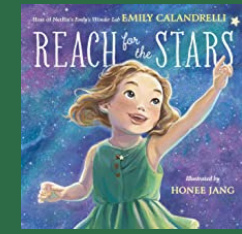
Somewhere, Right Now
By: Kerry Docherty
March 22, 2022
Easy Reader



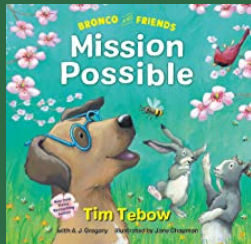
Thank You, Mama
By: Linda Meeker & Sandra Eide
April 5, 2022
Easy Reader



Can Sophie Change the World?
By: Nancy Elizabeth Wallace
March 8, 2022
Easy Reader



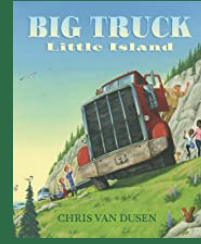
Reach for the Stars
By: Emily Calandrelli
April 5, 2022
Easy Reader



Bronco and Friends: Mission Possible
By: Tim Tebow
April 12, 2022
Easy Reader



I am God's Dream
By: Matthew Paul Turner
April 26, 2022
Easy Reader



Big Truck Little Island
By: Chris Van Dusen
May 3, 2022
Easy Reader



You're Always Enough and More Than I Hoped For
By: Emily Ley
May 10, 2022
Easy Reader



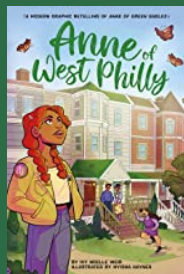
I Want to Be a Nurse When I Grow Up
By: Nurse Blake & Timmy Bauer
May 24, 2022
Easy Reader



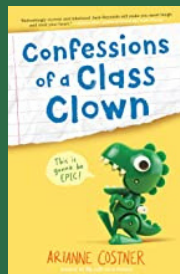
The Queen of Kindergarten
By: Derrick Barnes & Vanessa Brantley-Newton
May 24, 2022
Easy Reader

JUVENILE NEW RELEASES

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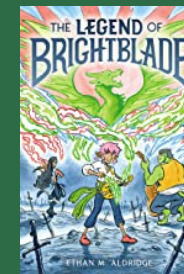
Anne of West Philly
By: Ivy Noelle Weir
March 1, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



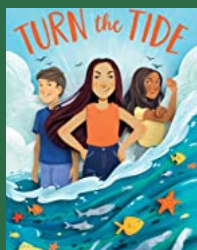
Confessions of a Class Clown
By: Arianne Costner
March 1, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



The Game Master: Mansion Mystery
By: Rebecca Zamolo
March 1, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



The Legend of Brightblade
By: Ethan M. Aldridge
March 1, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



Turn the Tide
By: Elaine Dimopoulos
March 8, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



Cat Kid Comic Club: On Purpose
By: Dav Pilkey
April 5, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



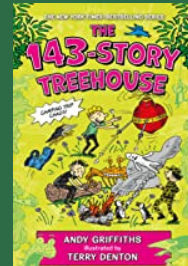
Wings of Fire: The Flames of Hope
By: Tui T. Sutherland
April 5, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



Warriors: a Starless Clan #1: River
By: Erin Hunter
April 5, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



FGTeeV: The Switcheroo Rescue!
By: FGTeEV
April 5, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



The 143-Story Treehouse: Camping Trip Chaos!
By: Andy Griffiths
April 5, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



The Last Kids on Earth: Quint and Dirk's Hero Quest
By: Max Brallier
April 12, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



Fantastic Beasts: The Secrets of Dumbledore: Movie Magic
By: Jody Revenson
April 15, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



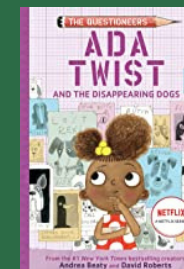
Dragon Masters: Bloom of the Flower Dragon
By: Tracey West
May 3, 2022
Juvenile Fiction



I Survived the Attack of the Grizzlies, 1967
By: Lauren Tarshis
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Juvenile Fiction



The Juneteenth Story: Celebrating the End of Slavery in the United State
By: Alliah L. Agostini
May 3, 2022
Juvenile Non-Fiction



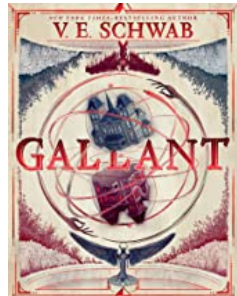
Ada Twist and the Disappearing Dogs
By: Andrea Beaty
May 17, 2022
Juvenile Fiction

YOUNG ADULT NEW RELEASES

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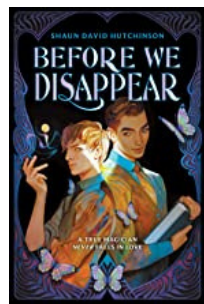
This Golden State
By: Marit Weisenberg
March 1, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



Gallant
By: V. E. Schwab
March 1, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



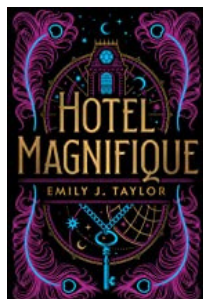
The Book of Living Secrets
By: Madeleine Roux
March 8, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



A Far Wilder Magic
By: Allison Saft
March 8, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



Why Would I Lie?
By: Adi Rule
April 5, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



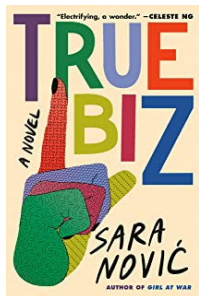
Hotel Magnifique
By: Emily J. Taylor
April 5, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



She Gets the Girl
By: Rachael Lippincott & Alyson Derrick
April 5, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



Omens Bite: Sisters of Salem
By: P. C. Cast & Kristin Cast
April 5, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



True Biz
By: Sara Novic
April 5, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



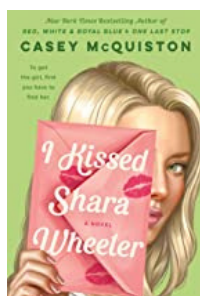
Every Word You Never Said
By: Jordon Greene
April 26, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



The Noh Family
By: Grace K. Shim
May 3, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



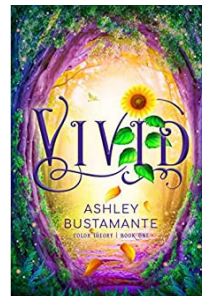
Bravely
By: Maggie Stiefvater
May 3, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



I Kissed Shara Wheeler
By: Casey McQuiston
May 3, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



Forging Silver Into Stars
By: Brigid Kemmerer
May 3, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



Vivid
By: Ashley Bustamante
May 17, 2022
Young Adult Fiction



Twin Crowns
By: Catherine Doyle & Katherine Weir
May 17, 2022
Young Adult Fiction

SIGN UP FOR THE LIBRARY'S DIGITAL NEWSLETTER!

THE LIBRARY NEWSLETTER IS A JOINT EFFORT BETWEEN THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY AND THE SHELBYVILLE - BEDFORD COUNTY LIBRARY STAFF THAT IS PUBLISHED QUARTERLY TO KEEP OUR PATRONS INFORMED AS TO WHAT IS HAPPENING AT THE LIBRARY.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BEGIN RECEIVING THE LIBRARY'S DIGITAL NEWSLETTER PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW WITH YOUR SMARTPHONE OR DIGITAL DEVICE, FILL OUT THE SHORT FORM, AND YOU WILL BE ADDED TO OUR LIST OF DIGITAL SUBSCRIBERS!



Friends of the Library Council Report

Hello Friends,

Hopefully you enjoyed winter in a warm place while reading a book! The Friends of the Library Council would like to thank all who made the Annual Author's Luncheon successful in October 2021. We hope those who attended enjoyed the event and we want to thank you for supporting the Shelbyville—Bedford County Public Library through the Friends of the Library. The money raised from the luncheon will continue to support the library as they work toward updating and revitalizing the different areas both inside and outside the library. The Friends of the Library Council is ready to begin a new season! We will begin planning the Annual Author's Luncheon for October 2022.

It has been nice to support the Shelbyville—Bedford County Public Library over the past year as they have been able to return to offering programs and community services for our local citizens. The Friends of the Library Council looks forward to participating and working with the library as they continue to serve our community!

The support and reinforcement the Friends Council provides is a vital part of the Shelbyville—Bedford County Library. As it takes a village to raise a child, it takes Friends of the Library to implement a successful library program. The village which contributes to the library is the dedicated staff, dependable volunteers, loyal patrons, and Friends of the Library. Being part of this endeavor is richly rewarding! The Friends of the Library Council helps with fundraisers such as the book sale, activities the library conducts for the community as well as help meet some of the needs of the library to conduct daily business. As members who have served on the Council for several years roll off, the Council welcomes new members. Feel free to let any member of the Council or library staff know if you are interested in participating as a member of the Friends of the Library Council. We would love to have you join us!

Monica Lewis

Friends of the Library Chair



Friends of the Library

FRIENDS' COUNCIL

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Photos courtesy of Mary Cathryn Perry from the Annual Author's Luncheon, held on Oct. 12, 2021.

Students from SCHS, Cascade High School, & Community High School enjoyed complimentary tickets to the luncheon, donated by several of the Luncheon Sponsors.

Friends of the Library

invite you to become a member

Please help us grow by joining or renewing your membership today!

Your contribution helps support the

Shelbyville-Bedford County Public Library



220 S. Jefferson Street

Shelbyville, TN 37160

Name: _____ Date: _____

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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE FRIENDS COUNCIL? _____ YES _____ NO

Please check one:

Personal Memberships

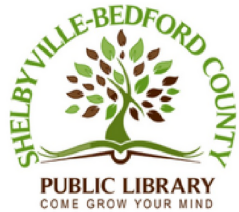
- Student \$ 2.00
- Individual \$ 10.00
- Family \$ 25.00
- Supporting \$ 50.00
- Benefactor \$100.00

Organizational Memberships

- Bronze \$ 50.00
- Silver \$100.00
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- Other \$ _____

A generous donation of your choice: \$ _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY



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Shelbyville, TN 37160

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Public Library



ABOUT US

The Shelbyville-Bedford County Public Library serves residents in Bedford County, Tennessee. Established in 1948 by the Veteran of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary, what was known as the Bedford County Memorial Library was once housed in the unused passenger waiting room of the SC&StL Railway depot. Although The American Legion Auxiliary worked to initiate a library in the 1930s, records indicate it was burned in the courthouse fire of 1934. In 1964, when the General Services Administration provided use of the former post office as a public library, the remodeled building was named in honor of dedicated supporter of The American Legion Auxiliary's original efforts to form a library, Argie Cooper. In 2014, what is now the Shelbyville-Bedford County Public Library broke ground for it's own home where it currently stands.

Today, the Shelbyville-Bedford County Public Library has become a valuable resource for residents offering a vast digital collection including audio books, e-books, DVDs, magazines, movies, and TV shows in a variety of formats. The library circulates thousands of items a year and has librarians skilled in local resources and all aspects of reading for pleasure and research. Free to the public are multiple computers and Wi-Fi available. The Children's and Teen departments feature weekly activities for all ages. The library offers local history archives, an extensive historical newspaper collection, and information helpful in researching genealogy.

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