

# OCTOBER EVENTS

## Cecilton & Chesapeake City

Wednesday,  
10/5 at 3:30 PM  
Cecilton Park

### Fire Bucket Brigade

Experience the evolution of fire safety with exciting hands-on activities presented by the Fire Museum of Maryland. Ages 6-11.

Wednesdays,  
10/12 & 10/26 at 10:30 AM  
Cecilton Park

### Family StoryTime at Cecilton Park

Enjoy stories, rhymes, music, and movement activities. For families with children ages birth-5.

Wednesday,  
10/12 at 1 PM  
Cecilton

### Adult Book Discussion - One Maryland One Book

Join us to chat about this year's Maryland Humanities One Maryland One Book selection, *What's Mine and Yours* by Naima Coster.

Monday,  
10/17 at 3:30 PM  
Cecilton

### Game On!

Enjoy an afternoon of games with friends, including tabletop games, virtual reality, Nintendo Switch, and more! Ages 11-17.

Friday,  
10/21 at 3 PM  
Cecilton Park

### Scarecrow Science: Build a Scarecrow

Build your own scarecrow while learning math and science concepts! Take it home or proudly display it on the library's porch.

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Cecil County Public  
**LIBRARY**

# OCTOBER EVENTS

## at the Elkton Branch Library

Tuesdays, 10/4, 10/11,  
10/18, & 10/25 at 10:30 AM

### Hello Baby

A gentle introduction to language and literature using a blend of music, rhymes, lap bounces and stories for pre-walking babies with a caregiver.

Tuesday,  
10/4 at 6 PM

### Elkton: Marriage Capital of the East

Historian Mike Dixon explores the time when Cupid beckoned thousands of people each year to Cecil County for quick marriages.

Wednesday,  
10/5 at 3:30 PM

### Dinos, Dinos, Dinos

Explore real fossils, see different tools, and learn what makes a dinosaur. Presented by the Delaware Museum of Nature & Science. Ages 6-11.

Thursdays, 10/6, 10/13,  
10/20, & 10/27 at 10:30 AM

### Family StoryTime

Enjoy stories, rhymes, music, and movement activities. For families with children ages birth-5. Perfect for families with children of multiple ages!

Tuesdays, 10/11 & 10/25  
at 3:30 PM

### Teens Give Back

Use your skills to give back to the community and help people and animals in need. Community service hours provided. Ages 11-17.

Wednesday,  
10/12 at 1 PM

### Adult Book Discussion

"The Nature of Fragile Things" by Susan Meissner.

Wednesday,  
10/12 at 3:30 PM

### Afterschool Art: Draw in Your Style!

Practice drawing different characters and objects in the art styles of your favorite TV shows, graphic novels, and anime, and learn how to develop your own personal art style! Ages 9-13.

Wednesday,  
10/19 at 3:30 PM

### Manga Anime Club

A monthly meeting for fans of Anime and Manga. Ages 11-17.

Wednesday,  
10/26 at 3:30 PM

### Preschool Science: Pumpkins

Investigate pumpkins with simple science experiments and hands-on activities. Ages 3-5.

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# OCTOBER EVENTS FOR ADULTS

## at the North East Branch Library

Saturday,  
10/1 at 11 AM

### Taste of Mexico

Celebrate the food and culture of Mexico with dance performances by Danza Tenochtli, food samples from Riviera Maya, bilingual stories, family activities, and more! For all ages.

Tuesday,  
10/11 at 10 AM

### Marketing Your Business using Canva

Learn how to market your business using the graphic design site, Canva, to create business cards, logos, flyers, social media posts and more.

Tuesday,  
10/11 at 6 PM

### Financial Aid 101

Join us for a presentation from the Cecil College Financial Aid Office to learn more about completing the FAFSA and securing financial aid.

Thursday,  
10/13 at 10:30 AM

### Best Practices for Grant Searching in the Foundation Directory

Learn tips and tricks to use the Foundation Center Directory to complete your grant research. Presented by Nonprofit Consultant Debbie DiVirgilio.

Saturday,  
10/15 at 10 AM

### Intro to Adobe Illustrator

We've designed this course specifically for beginners. Learn about key Illustrator tools so you can start creating.

Monday,  
10/17 at 6 PM

### Mallows Bay: The Ghost Fleet & Beyond

Join Maryland State Underwater Archaeologist Susan B.M. Langley, Ph.D. to explore this unique maritime cultural landscape.

Monday,  
10/24 at 6 PM

### Adult Book Discussion

"The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hell" by Robert Dugoni.

Wednesday,  
10/26 at 6 PM

### Adobe Photoshop Workshop: Retouching Photos

Create professional looking photographs using Adobe Photoshop editing software! Join us to learn tips and tricks for retouching photos.

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# OCTOBER EVENTS FOR TEENS

at the North East Branch Library

Saturday,  
10/1 at 11 AM

## Taste of Mexico

Celebrate the food and culture of Mexico with dance performances by Danza Tenochtli, food samples from Riviera Maya, bilingual stories, family activities, and more! For all ages.

Tuesday,  
10/11 at 1 PM

## Teen Academy

A monthly STEAM-themed educational activity for students in homeschool and non-traditional school settings. Ages 11-17.

Wednesday,  
10/19 at 4 PM

## Teens Give Back

Earn service learning hours with the Teens Give Back series! Bring your creativity and work with other teens to develop a community project to help those in need. For students in grades 9-12.

Thursday,  
10/20 at 4 PM

## Manga Anime Club (Middle School)

A monthly meeting for fans of Anime and Manga. For students in grades 6-8.

Thursday,  
10/27 at 4 PM

## Manga Anime Club (High School)

A monthly meeting for fans of Anime and Manga. For students in grades 9-12.

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# OCTOBER EVENTS FOR KIDS

## at the North East Branch Library

Tuesdays, 10/4, 10/11,  
10/18, & 10/25 at 10:30 AM

### Hello Baby

A gentle introduction to language & literature using a blend of music, rhymes, lap bounces & stories for pre-walking babies with a caregiver.

Tuesdays, 10/4, 10/11,  
10/18, & 10/25 at 4 PM

### Exploration Station at the Idea Lab

Stop by the Idea Lab in the Children's Room to expand your imagination and discover a new activity each week. Activities designed for ages 6-11.

Wednesdays, 10/5, 10/12,  
10/19, & 10/26 at 10 PM

### On My Own

A theme-based class where children ages 3 - 5 explore their world through stories, songs, and learning activities.

Wednesdays,  
10/5, 10/19 at 3:30 PM

### Stories and More: Exploring Feelings & Emotions

Stories, movement and art will encourage us to become aware of our feelings and how to manage them. Ages 4-7.

Thursdays, 10/6, 10/13,  
10/20, & 10/27 at 10 AM

### Movers & Groovers

A dynamic program featuring music, rhymes, stories, and movement activities. For children ages 1-3 with a caregiver.

Wednesday,  
10/12 at 6:30 PM

### PAWS for Reading

Practice your reading skills by reading one-on-one with a specially-trained therapy dog. Ages 4-11.

Saturday,  
10/15 at 11 AM

### ABC...Come Play with Me

A themed playtime emphasizing pre-literacy games, activities and toys. For families with children ages birth-5.

Wednesday,  
10/19 at 3:30 & 6:30 PM

### STEAM Lab

A monthly STEAM-themed educational activity. Ages 6-11.

Wednesday,  
10/26 at 3:30 & 6 PM

### Spooky Houses

Use your imagination and the materials provided to decorate a fun and festive spooky house during this special event. For families with children ages 5-11.

Thursday,  
10/27 at 11 AM

### Kids' Academy: Spiders

Educational activities for homeschoolers and other children in non-traditional school settings. Ages 6-11.

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# OCTOBER EVENTS

at the Perryville Branch Library

Wednesdays, 10/5, 10/12,  
10/19, & 10/26 at 10:30 AM

## Family StoryTime

Enjoy stories, rhymes, music, and movement activities. For families with children ages birth-5. Perfect for families with children of multiple ages!

Thursday,  
10/6 at 1 PM

## Teen Academy: Helpful Hydrogels

A monthly STEAM-themed educational activity for students in homeschool and non-traditional school settings. Ages 11-17.

Wednesday,  
10/12 at 3:30 PM

## Creepy, Crawly Bugs

Insects don't get a whole lot of love. Take a closer look and see what makes them so special. Presented by the Delaware Museum of Nature & Science. Ages 6-11.

Thursday,  
10/13 at 3 PM

## After School Art Lab: Pixel Art

Show your creativity, no matter what your skill level or preferred style of art. Bring an art project to work on, or try something new with us! Ages 11-17.

Tuesday,  
10/18 at 1 PM

## Adult Book Discussion - One Maryland One Book

Join us to discuss this year's One Maryland One Book selection, *What's Mine and Yours* by Naima Coster.

Thursday,  
10/20 at 11 AM

## Kids' Academy: Copper Science

Educational activities for homeschoolers and children in non-traditional school settings. Ages 6-11.

Thursday,  
10/20 at 3 PM

## After School Art Lab: Video Game Design

Show your creativity, no matter what your skill level or preferred style of art. Bring an art project to work on, or try something new with us! Ages 11-17.

Tuesday,  
10/25 at 4 PM

## Wildlife Adventures

Learn about often misunderstood animals with Wildlife Adventures. Featuring LIVE animals! Ages 11-17.

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# OCTOBER EVENTS

at the Rising Sun Branch Library

Wednesdays, 10/5, 10/12,  
& 10/19, at 10:30 AM

## Family StoryTime

Enjoy stories, rhymes, music, and movement activities. For families with children ages birth-5. Perfect for families with children of multiple ages!

Wednesday,  
10/5 at 6 PM

## Author Visit: Bruce Mowday

Author Bruce Mowday will discuss his latest book, "Lafayette at Brandywine: The Making of an American Hero."

Thursdays, 10/6, 10/13,  
& 10/20 at 10:30 AM

## Family StoryTime

Enjoy stories, rhymes, music, and movement activities. For families with children ages birth-5. Perfect for families with children of multiple ages!

Monday,  
10/17 at 1 PM

## Adult Book Discussion - One Maryland One Book

Join us to discuss this year's One Maryland One Book selection, *What's Mine and Yours* by Naima Coster.

Tuesday,  
10/18 at 4 PM

## Teens Give Back

Bring your creativity and work with other teens to develop a community project to help those in need. Ages 11-17. In partnership with Stone Run Family Medicine and the Open Table

Wednesday,  
10/19 at 3:30 PM

## Kaleidoscope Wonders

Explore kaleidoscopes to see how they reflect a geometric design into infinity! Presented by the Delaware AeroSpace Education Foundation. Ages 6-11.

Tuesday,  
10/25 at 3:30 PM

## Tinkering Lab

Use your tinkering skills to engineer projects using motors, circuits and more. Ages 11-17.

Wednesday,  
10/26 at 10:30 AM

## ABC...Come Play with Me: Fall

A themed playtime emphasizing pre-literacy games, activities, toys, and crafts. For families with children ages birth-5.

Thursday,  
10/27 at 10:30 AM

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