

# OCTOBER EVENTS FOR TEENS & ADULTS AT PERRYVILLE



## Manga and Anime Club

**Thursday, October 2 at 3pm**

Chat about your favorite fandoms, learn about new manga series and make anime-themed art projects! Grades 6-12.

## Plant Exchange

**Saturday, October 4 at 11am**

Could your home garden use a boost? Bring in a plant to exchange with fellow gardening enthusiasts and take home something new for your own backyard.

## Teen Lounge

**Tuesdays, October 7, 14, & 28 at 3pm**

Stop in to play games, do art projects and try out new tech! Walk-ins welcome. Grades 6-12.

## How the Space Shuttle Won the Cold War

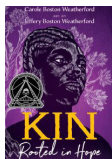
**Tuesday, October 7 at 6:30pm**

It's common knowledge how the 'space race' of the Apollo missions to the Moon played an important role in the Cold War between the US and the Soviet Union. Less well-known (and sometimes kept closely secret) was the role the early space shuttle played in geopolitics- from nuclear treaties to secret satellites to anti-spaceship lasers to a Soviet copycat and beyond. Program will be presented virtually by David Hitt from NASA Engages.

## Tween Academy: Things That Glow

**Thursday, October 9 at 1pm**

Learn about the science behind things that glow, like fireflies and glow sticks, through a series of light-producing demonstrations. Presented by Casey Weininger of Aberdeen Proving Ground. Ages 9-14.



## Book Discussion

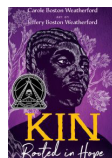
**Tuesday, October 14 at 6pm**

One Maryland One Book - *Kin: Rooted in Hope* by Carole Boston Weatherford.

## 3D Artwork

**Thursday, October 16 at 3pm**

Enjoy all things 3D! Try out our new 3D pens to make unique sculptures and play with the Meta Quest 3 to get the 360 art experience. Grades 6-12.



## Book Discussion

**Tuesday, October 21 at 1pm**

One Maryland One Book - *Kin: Rooted in Hope* by Carole Boston Weatherford.

## Teen Lounge with Puppies!

**Tuesday, October 21 at 3pm**

Stop by this special Teen Lounge to hang out with therapy dogs from PAWS for People. Make calming crafts and destress with friends! Grades 6-12.

## Fall Fest

**Saturday, October 25 at 10am**

It's fall in Perryville! Join us for Touch-A-Truck with large vehicles, Halloween Hijinks puppet shows, live music, raffle prizes, decorate your own bookend, and other fun activities with community partners and library staff. Community friendly event for all ages. Outside and indoor event, with light snacks available while supplies last. Halloween Hijinks show at 10:30 a.m., 11:15 a.m., & 12:00 p.m.

## Family Book Club

**Saturday, October 25 at 2pm**

Read and discuss the 2025 Black Eyed Susan Winner 'You are Here: Connecting Flights' by Ellen Oh, together as a family! Teens and their adults should register separately. Pick up your free copy of the book from the Perryville Library while supplies last. For families with teens in grades 6-12.

## Monsters of Maryland

**Tuesday, October 28 at 6pm**

Join "Weird Maryland" author Matt Lake for a thrilling dive into the Old Line State's strangest legends. From Bigfoot and flying beasts to bizarre human-animal hybrids, Matt will share stories of over 50 cryptids that have haunted local lore for centuries. Hear the tales and meet the monsters! Books will be available for purchase and signing.

Register at any branch or online:  
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