



From the Stacks

A Shelby County Public Library Publication



April-May 2021

Volume 3 • N° 2



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

APRIL 4-10, 2021



W E L C O M E

TO

YOUR

LIBRARY



From the Director...

The 2021 Library Board of Trustees

Dr. Carlen Pippin and Mr. Jim Robertson have been appointed by the Shelby County Fiscal Court to serve four-year terms on the Shelby County Public Library Board of Trustees. Judge-Executive Dan Ison administered the oath of office to both Dr. Pippin and Mr. Robertson before the January meeting of the SCPL Board of Trustees.

Dr. Pippin, a retired veterinarian, has rejoined the Board after having served two four-year terms in the 1990s. Dr. Pippin, after retirement, has continued to serve the Shelby County community, most recently with his involvement in the construction of the Veteran's

Village project.

Mr. Robertson was reappointed to the SCPL Board of Trustees to serve a second consecutive four-year term and began his service on the Board in 2016. Mr. Robertson also served as President of the Board in 2018. Mr. Robertson brings to the Board his experience in the financial industry.

Members of the Board of Trustees are appointed by the Shelby County Judge-Executive and Fiscal Court in accordance with KRS 173.490.

At the January meeting, Matt Burgin was elected as President, Laura Loving Moorman was elected as Treasurer,

and Jim Robertson was elected as Secretary.

Members of the Board of Trustees are Matt Burgin, Laura Loving Moorman, Dr. Carlen Pippin, Rob Purnell, and James Robertson.

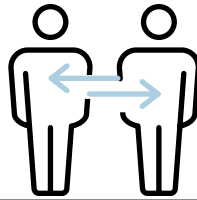
Left to right: Dr. Carlen Pippin, Rob Purnell, Jim Robertson, Shelby Co. Judge-Executive Dan Ison, Laura Loving Moorman, Library Director Pam Federspiel, and Matt Burgin.



Visiting the Library is a safe and healthy experience for everyone, which is why we want to take a moment to remind you of our COVID-19 safety guidelines.



Masks are required the entire time you are in the library, even for fully vaccinated individuals.



Practice social distancing. Only 25 patrons are allowed in the library at one time.



Avoid crowds. Indoor, in-person events will resume at a later date.

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

April 4 - 10, 2021

National Library Week is observed every April in celebration of libraries across the country, their patrons, and their staffs. This year, we have a selection of events planned to celebrate both the library and you, our patrons.

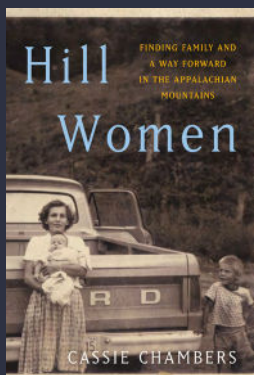
AUTHOR DISCUSSION WITH CASSIE CHAMBERS

Monday, April 5 at 6:30 PM

Via Zoom

Join Kentucky resident and author Cassie Chambers as she discusses her new memoir, **Hill Women: Finding Family and a Way Forward in the Appalachian Mountains**, on Monday, April 5 at 6:30 via Zoom.

Register online at scplibrary.net.



Cassie Chambers, above. Book cover, left. Images from cassiechambers.com.

TAI CHI ON THE LAWN

Tuesday, April 6 from 12-1 PM

Front lawn of the Library

Join us on the front lawn of the library for Easy Tai Chi. Instructor Bayley Croft Thompson will give a demonstration of the Easy Tai Chi Infinite Short Form and you will learn postures for balance in both mind and body.

Social distancing and masks are required for this outdoor event. Register online at scplibrary.net.

PATRON APPRECIATION DAY

Wednesday, April 7

Main Circulation Desk

Libraries thrive because of their patrons, which is why we want to celebrate you! Come by on April 7 for a special treat!

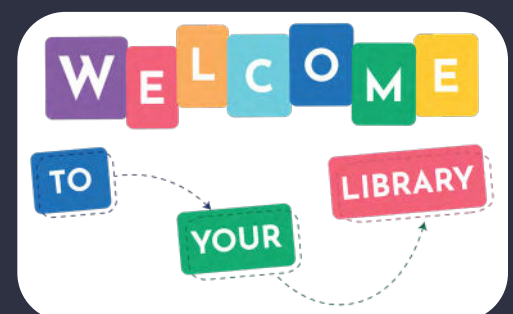
LAVENDER PROGRAM

Saturday, April 10 at 12 PM

Via Zoom

Jason Woodlief, of Little Mount Lavender Company will present a follow-up class, focusing on caring for mature lavender plants. He will also discuss the benefits lavender brings to your landscape, the environment, and its everyday uses.

Please register at scplibrary.net.



Events

Please make note of the age, time, day, location, and registration information for each event!

E-BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, April 13 at 12 PM

Tuesday, May 11 at 12 PM

Via conference call • For ages 18+

Join the E-Book Club for a discussion of two novels, ***Unsheltered*** by Barbara Kingsolver and ***The Stationery Shop*** by Marjan Kamali. Both discussions will occur via conference call. The E-Book Club will discuss ***Unsheltered*** on April 13 at 12 PM and ***The Stationery Shop*** on May 11 at 12 PM. Copies of the books are available on Hoopla (hoopladigital.com) and at the Library.

Register for the calls online at scplibrary.net.

CHILDREN'S STORY WALK

Throughout the month of April

Front lawn of the Library

Need to get out of the house with the family and get some fresh air and exercise? Visit the front lawn of the library and walk around as you read a story together to celebrate spring time!

To make it a bit more fun, kids can earn a prize just for reading and exercising. Stop by the Children's Circulation desk for more information and to pick up an activity sheet.

SHRED IT DAY

Saturday, April 24 from 9-11 AM

CLC Parking Lot

If you've been doing spring cleaning and have old documents to dispose of, bring them to the Library on April 24! APlus Shredding will be available to shred your old and unwanted documents. All documents/papers are shredded on-site and the paper will be recycled. More details at scplibrary.net about what can be shredded.

BIRDING 101

Monday, May 17 from 6:30-7:30 PM

Via Zoom • For teens and adults

Join Carey Ruff, Aquatics and Special Event Coordinator with the Kentucky Department of Parks for all things Birding 101! She will share tips for beginner backyard birdwatching. She will cover basic bird identification, feeder and seed types as well as ways to "birdscape" your yard. Register for this virtual event online at scplibrary.net.

GRAB-AND-GO KIT: EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

Pick up on April 22

Registration opens April 15

Take-home activity • For children

Earth Day is just around the corner and we are marking the occasion with a fun way to make the world a brighter place! Kids will get to plant their own flower seeds in a biodegradable pot to take home and grow! This is a perfect way to raise awareness about protecting our planet! Register online at scplibrary.net.

WHAT'S IT WORTH? APPRAISAL PROGRAM

Thursday, May 6 from 6-8 PM

Via Zoom • For adults

In this virtual program, author, auctioneer, appraiser, and radio show host Mike Ivankovich will introduce you to what determines value and reveal what your antiques, collectibles, and personal treasures are really worth today. Each attendee is invited to bring one or two items for appraisal. The bigger the item the better, as smaller items are difficult to see over Zoom. Participants should have one back-up item in case the primary item cannot be appraised. Register for this virtual event online at scplibrary.net. Space is limited, so register soon!

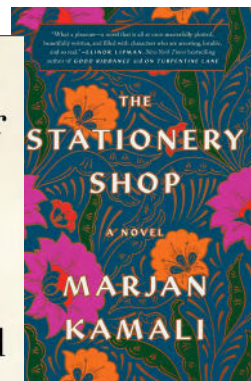
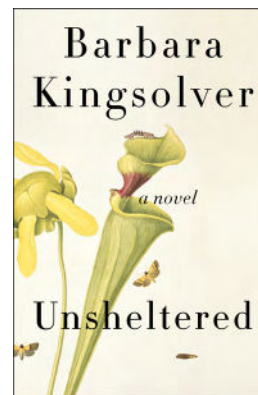
GRAB-AND-GO KIT: BIRD FEEDER

Registration opens May 13

Pick up on May 20

Take-home activity • For children

With the flowers blooming and the trees turning green, it is the perfect time to craft and make a milk jug bird feeder! Children will get to use their imagination to decorate this fun art project, all while learning about birds as they flock to your yard for a tasty snack! Register online at scplibrary.net.



VIRTUAL STORYTIME

Every Tuesday in April and May

Online • For children

Join Youth Services Librarian Megan Langlois every Tuesday in April and May for virtual storytime! Watch the story times online on Facebook, Vimeo, or the SCPL blog (scplibrary.net/blog).

PLANT SWAP

Saturday, May 22 from 11 AM-2:30 PM

CLC Parking Lot • For all ages

Join us in the parking lot of the Carnegie Library Center for our first annual Plant Swap. You are welcome to bring any plant to swap including house plants, bulbs, herbs, vegetables, etc. Please label the plants you bring. We will provide blank plant labels for those that need them. Knowledgeable plant enthusiasts will be on hand to answer any questions you may have. No registration is necessary.



Shelby County Public Library

309 Eighth Street
Shelbyville, Kentucky 40065
Phone: (502) 633-3803
Fax: (502) 633-4025
[Scplibrary.net](http://scplibrary.net)

Hours

Monday
.....Curbside Service Only 10 AM–4 PM
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday
.....10 AM–4 PM
Thursday 10 AM–5:30 PM
Saturday10 AM–1 PM
SundayClosed

The Library is closed on:

Good FridayHalf-day April 2
Staff In-service DayApril 19
Memorial DayMay 31

Library Director

Pamela W. Federspiel

Board of Trustees

Matt Burgin.....President
Laura Loving Moorman .. Treasurer
Jim RobertsonSecretary
Dr. Carlen Pippen Trustee
Rob Purnell Trustee

Editor, Layout, and Design

Mason Warren

Stay Connected!

We're @scplibraryky on:



Library Services

- Fax and Copier*
- Public Access Printer*
- Mobile Printing*
- SCPL App
- Wifi & Computer Access
- Scanning Station
- Online Catalog
- Interlibrary Loans
- 15+ Online Databases
- Magazine and Newspaper Subscriptions
- Digital Microfilm
- 70,000+ item book collection
- Audio-books on CD and digital access

*Limit 12 free pages.

2021 Adult Winter Read

Thank you to everyone who participated in this year's Adult Winter Read program! We know that it was different than in years past, but we are glad that many of you still participated in the program, despite the many changes brought about by COVID-19. You read and logged X books between January 19 and March 13!

Furthermore, congratulations to the prize winners!

- | | |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| • Ernestine Hirschman | • Sheila Fawbush |
| • Linda Hunt | • Jessica Loving |
| • Marty Lanus | • Isadora May |
| • Lindsay Corgan | • Beverly Caple |
| • Amanda Edge | • Angela Sanford |

Lastly, thank you to Hardee's for sponsoring the Adult Winter Read again this year. We couldn't do it without you!



At this time, we are not able to offer physical copies of newspapers or periodicals at the Library. We encourage you to use Newsbank and the New York Times digital access service, which is coming soon.

Featured Digital Resource: Newsbank

Find information on topics related to business, education, the environment, health, jobs and careers, politics and government, sports, STEM more including newspapers, videos and web-only content featuring **The Sentinel-News**, **Lexington Herald-Leader**, **USA Today**, and more.

Get started at scplibrary.net » [Digital Resources](#).

The New York Times

The New York Times – available for free with your library card.

New York Times Digital Edition is now available to all SCPL patrons. This service includes article access on library computers, as well as remote access on your home computer or mobile device with promotional codes.

More information is coming soon! Keep an eye on SCPL social media profiles and the Digital Resources page of the Library website.

Legal Information Reference Center

Navigate legal matters of all kinds with reliable how-to information and thousands of federal, multi-state, and state-specific legal forms using the Legal Information Reference Center.

Information is available on business and corporations; patents, copyrights and trademarks; family affairs and divorce; property and real estate; immigration and travel; rights and disputes; money and financial planning; and wills and estate planning.

Get started at scplibrary.net » [Digital Resources](#).