#### September

# MCIVER'S GRANT PUBLIC LIBRARY

### Dates

- All month—Inventory
- 8/30-9/4: LifeLine Bloodbank Week
- 9/2 Democratic Party
- 9/6 Closed for Labor Day
- 9/7 Handiwork Guild, 10a
- 9/7-11 TWRA website down, no boat test
- 9/18 Does the Moon Rotate?, 9a
- 9/21 Southern Festival of Books, 6p
- 9/23 ESOL Class launch day, 5p
- 9/25: Director's Cut, 10a
- 1st Fri: Teen Art & Writing, 4p
- 2nd Wed: Chess Club, 4p
- 2nd & 4th Tues: Widow Support Group, 5p
- Mondays 10a, Thursdays 4p: The Scrabble Hour
- Tuesdays 9a & 5p, Thursdays 9a: HiSet/GED
- Tuesdays 2p, Thursdays 5p: ESOL

We will be closed for Labor Day on Monday, September 6th

## **New ESOL Classes**

We are so excited to announce a new class, free for adults, launching on September 23th from 5p-7p in the Community Room. ESOL (English for Speakers of Other classes are free, open access classes for adults who want to develop their English language skills. After September 23rd, classes will be held Tuesdays 2p-4p and Thursdays 5p-7p.

These classes will be taught by the same instructors who currently offer free HiSet courses for adults seeking to complete their high school equivalency tests. The ESOL class capacity will be 15 people and students can't begin classes until they register and take an initial assessment test, so be sure to register today: (731) 259-0080 or crockettdyerae@gmail.com.

Fhese classes are a precious resource, one of the only resources for adults learning the English language in West Tennessee, even including Memphis!

### SOUTHERN FEST. OF BOOKS

The Southern Festival of Books is returning to McIver's! Once again, we've been asked to host a very special live stream conversation with authors Shanna Miles (*For All Time: A Novel*), Raquel Vasquez Gilliland (*How Moon Fuentes Fell in Love with the Universe*), Rachael Lippincott (Lucky *List: A Novel*) as part of the 2021 Southern Festival of Books, hosted by Humanities Tennessee. Join us on our Facebook page to listen in and post your own questions to the authors: Tuesday, September 21, 6pm.



**Genstitution** Day Challenge



Our very own Youth Services Librarian Vanessa Cain won 1st Place for the Daughters of the American Revolution TN Outstanding Virtual Event for her ReadsSquared Constitution Day Challenge! To celebrate, Constitution Day Challenge is open again through our ReadsSquared page. Check it out: http://migpl.readsquared.com/



# Join us for FREE classes on video production, editing & advertising

Are you a business owner?Interested in a new creative outlet?

• Want to build your advertising/YouTube/TikTok skills?

Director's Cut classes cover the basics of sound and lighting for the amateur videographer. No need to bring equipment. McIver's Grant Public Library will provide what's needed. Classes build on each other, so participants will want to attend each class.



Class capacity is 8 people. SIGN UP NOW! A waitlist is available.

## WHALE OF A TALE TEEN ART&WRITING CLUB

DIVE IN and get creative in the library's Teen Area. Writing prompts and art supplies provided, but artists are free to explore without

tructure.

FRIDAY, SEPT 3 @ 3 PM & EVERY FRIDAY IN OCTOBER @ 3PM Have you ever wondered... Does the Moon Rotate?



Join us for an Adult interactive exercise to find out!

Mclver's Grant Public Library Parking Lot Saturday, September 18th 9:00am

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