

CURIOUS GEORGE F. NEWS

Library Hours:

Monday – Thursday
9 am–8 pm

Friday & Saturday
9 am–5 pm

Next Board Meeting:

Wednesday, 4/19 @
6 pm in the library's Tech
Center

Reserve a Room:

Looking for a space for your
group's next meeting?
Check out our rooms!

- **Scott Room**
 - interactive display
 - up to 99 people
- **Casey 1**
 - interactive display
 - whiteboard
 - 8–10 people
- **Casey 2**
 - whiteboard
 - 4–6 people
- **Study Rooms**
 - up to 4 people

All meetings must be free
of charge and open to the
public. Visit
gfjlibrary.org/calendar &
click "Request a Room" for
more information.

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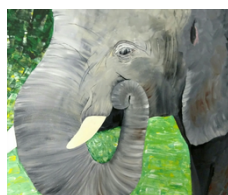
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APRIL HIGHLIGHTS

National Library Week: April 23–29 is National Library Week, but we'd like to celebrate libraries all month long! Visit our Information or Circulation Desks anytime this month to pick up a book cutout. Write something on it that you love about libraries, and we'll hang it up on the windows across from our Circulation Desk. We can't wait to fill the windows and see what everyone loves about libraries!



April Art Wall: We will be featuring acrylic paintings created by Rebecca Ollerenshaw on our art wall for the month of April. Stop by anytime to view her work! You can also check it out on her website at <https://rollere13.wixsite.com/rollere13>

Graphic Novels: Introducing our brand new graphic novel section in the Children's Department! We have amazing books for everyone, from beginning readers all the way up to tweens. Stop in to take a look at our new selections and some old favorites too!



Upcycled Fun: April is Earth Month and we're celebrating with a display of arts and crafts made from recycled materials. Stop by the front lobby to take a look! We also have books with instructions and ideas for things that you can create from household materials in both the adult and children's sections. Visit GFJ to find inspiration!

Community Office Hours: Senator Lea Webb's staff visited the library on Thursday, March 30 to hold Community Office Hours. This provided an opportunity for residents to get help with unemployment, housing, healthcare, and more. Thank you to everyone that attended!





KIDS

Spring Story Times: Registration for our spring story time session begins on **Tuesday, 4/11 @ 9am**. You can register online at gfjlibrary.org/kids or by calling or visiting the children's room!

- **Mother Goose Story Time** is for children birth to age 2 on Wednesdays @ 10am from 4/26 through 5/24.
- **Toddler Story Time** is for children ages 2 to 3 on Tuesdays @ 10am from 4/25 through 5/23.
- **Preschool Story Time** is for children ages 3 to 5 on Thursdays @ 10am from 4/27 through 5/25.

Therapy Dogs: Come to the library to read to the therapy dogs on **Saturdays, 4/8 & 4/22 from 10am to 12pm**! No registration is required.

Follow the Rainbow: Where will the colors of the rainbow lead? Stop into the children's room in April and see if you can follow all of the colors. Let's see what April showers will bring!



TEENS



I'd Rather Read YA Book Club: Join us via Zoom for a discussion of *The Black Flamingo* by Dean Atta on **April 26 @ 6pm**. All ages are welcome to join us! Follow the link to register:
<https://forms.gle/NsgnYfeZUf4wXi8Y7>

ADULTS



GFJ Adult Book Club: Our Book Club will be meeting on **April 26 @ 1pm** in person & via Zoom to discuss *If the Shoe Fits* by Julie Murphy. No registration is required to attend. Call the library for more information.

TECH CENTER

Throughout this month we will be offering our one-on-one tech help and great tech classes in our Tech Center. We're continuing to offer classes in person and virtually via Zoom, so there's something for everyone.

You can call (607) 757-5359 to make an appointment to meet with our staff or register for a class. Find out more about our Tech Center offerings for April by picking up a copy of the Tech Center Newsletter at the library or by visiting gfjlibrary.org/tc.

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- 3** - Jr. Readers Book Club @ 5pm*
- 4** - AARP Tax Prep, 10am-2pm*
 - Open Hours Tech Help, 2-3pm*
 - Intro to Estate Planning @ 6pm*
- 6** - AARP Tax Prep, 10am-2pm*
 - Clean Up & Declutter Your Computer virtual class @ 1pm
- 7** - Friends' Book Sale, 10am-4pm
- 8** - Reading with the Therapy Dogs, 10am-12pm
- 11** - Spring Story Time Registration Begins @ 9am
 - AARP Tax Prep, 10am-2pm*
 - Open Hours Tech Help, 2-3pm*
- 13** - What Can Apple Watch Do For You? virtual class @ 1pm
- 15** - Friends' Book Sale, 10am-2pm
- 18** - Open Hours Tech Help, 2-3pm*
- 19** - Library Board Meeting @ 6pm
- 20** - iPad/iPhone Tips & Tricks for Beginners, Part 2 virtual class @ 3pm
- 21** - Friends' Book Sale, 10am-4pm
- 22** - Reading with the Therapy Dogs, 10am-12pm
- 24** - Jr. Readers Book Club @ 5pm*
- 25** - Toddler Story Time @ 10am*
 - Open Hours Tech Help, 2-3pm*
- 26** - Mother Goose Story Time @ 10am*
 - GFJ Book Club @ 1pm
 - I'd Rather Read YA Book Club @ 6pm
- 27** - Preschool Story Time @ 10am*
 - Popular Mobile Payment Apps virtual class @ 3pm

* registration required