

Caruthersville Public Library

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March is “Lucky Month” at Caruthersville Public Library. Everything is bedecked in green for St. Patrick’s Day. We are featuring Irish books and books about the beautiful country of Ireland. There is even a DVD, in case you would like to “visit”.

Also, we are ready to get outside after all of the cold and snowy weather, so we are featuring our flower and gardening books on the center point.

Even a few “hidden gems” – books that you may not have found at CVPL before are displayed for your reading pleasure.

Drivers’ Education Practice Tests Now Available

You can now take driver’s license practice tests at the Caruthersville Public Library. This is a free service offered to our patrons to help them prepare to take their permit test.

What’s included?

Your Driver Education program contains the following state-specific information:

- 10 car practice tests
- 6 motorcycle practice tests
- 3 CDL (Commercial Driver’s License) practice tests
- 3 online driver’s manuals (car, motorcycle, CDL)
- An FAQ section with detailed answers to 100+ DMV-related questions

This service is available for our patrons at:

<http://caruthersville.driving-tests.org>



Upcoming Events

March 17

St. Patrick’s Day

March 26

Caruthersville Arts Council
Bookgroup – 11 a.m.

“Natchez Burning” by Greg Iles

March is “Lucky Month”

Come in and enter to win a gift certificate.

Important Announcement

We have many new and popular children’s books – Peppa Pig, Caillou, Batman, Superman, and lots of other favorite cartoon friends – as well as a good stock of Large-Print books available for checkout.

New movies this month are “The Theory of Everything”, “The Judge”, “The Book Thief”, “How to Train Your Dragon2”, “Maleficent”, “Guardians of the Galaxy” and “Birdman”. Check them out!

For Your Information

The rear conference room at Caruthersville Public Library is home to many Mississippi River-related items. A wooden riverboat is on display from Mr. Dan Kindred; there are a number of pictures of the river and the boats that traversed it, including a picture of the ferry. Most interesting, however, are a large number of scrapbooks provided to the library from Mr. Mike Shaw in his time with the Corps of Engineers. These scrapbooks display the river at many various points and are definitely worth your time. The care and effort that Mr. Shaw put into these scrapbooks definitely illustrates his great love for the Mississippi River.

Make Time to Read

“The Martian” by Andy Weir

Six days ago, astronaut Mark Watney became one of the first people to walk on Mars.

Now, he's sure he'll be the first person to die there.

After a dust storm nearly kills him and forces his crew to evacuate while thinking him dead, Mark finds himself stranded and completely alone with no way to even signal Earth that he's alive—and even if he could get word out, his supplies would be gone long before a rescue could arrive.

Chances are, though, he won't have time to starve to death. The damaged machinery, unforgiving environment, or plain-old "human error" are much more likely to kill him first.

But Mark isn't ready to give up yet. Drawing on his ingenuity, his engineering skills—and a relentless, dogged refusal to quit—he steadfastly confronts one seemingly insurmountable obstacle after the next. Will his resourcefulness be enough to overcome the impossible odds against him?



In the Community

“Brushes with Bebe: Children’s Painting Workshop”

March 28th Children’s Painting Workshop: Brushes with Bebe (Limited Tickets \$25) 11:30 am-1:30 pm
Tickets and information available at the Caruthersville Public School Administration building or call (573)333-6110

“Coming Home: Two Artists, Two Perspectives, One Hometown”

April 11th “Coming Home: Two Artists... Two Perspectives... One Hometown” The Art Work of Pennie Brantley and Gary R. Lucy Opening Night Gala & Reception With The Artists Caruthersville Armory 7:00 pm

This art show continues from April 12th until May 10th at the Caruthersville Armory

Check it out today at Caruthersville Public Library