



"I hope that in this year to come, you make mistakes. Because if you are making mistakes, then you are making new things, trying new things, learning, living, pushing yourself, changing yourself, changing your world. You're doing things you've never done before, and more importantly, you're doing something." – Neil Gaiman

Prizes:

Completing **five** challenges on a postcard equals a "completed" postcard. Each "completed" postcard turned in by the end of the month, earns participants a chance entered into that month's prize drawing (up to three entries). Completing all **six** challenges on a card earns an extra chance in the drawing. As a result, participants can have up to **six** entries in each of the monthly prize drawings.

Connect with Us!

There are many ways you can connect with us here at the library. Don't hesitate to reach out using any of the ways below!

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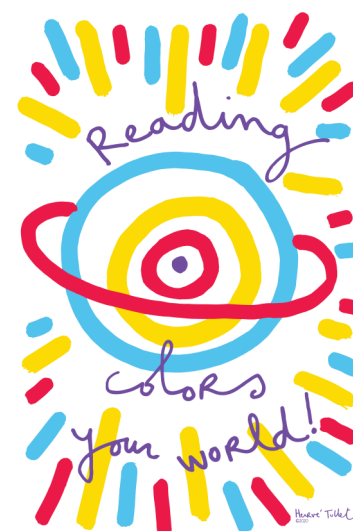
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Adult Summer Library Program

Welcome to the Harlan Community Library's 2021 Adult Summer Library Program! There are a number of different activities going on for adults to participate in. This summer we hope to bring the joy of learning, literacy and fun to the adults of our community. Check out the rest of the packet to see all that this summer has to offer for adults at the library.



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Registration:

The registration form can be found in the packet of materials. It is important that you register so that you can receive updates and reminders about what is going on during the summer program.

There are two ways for you to turn in your registration:

1. Place it in the box located near the library circulation desk
2. Place it in the book drop outside the main entrance of the library



Postcard Reading Challenges:

Postcard challenges provide participants with fun reading activities. Each postcard has six challenges and there are three postcards for each month. June’s postcard set, along with any challenge related materials, should be included in this packet. July’s postcard set, and challenge related materials, will be available for pick up at the library starting July 1st. Return “completed” postcards to the library to be entered into the prize drawing at the end of each month. See the ‘Prizes’ section for more information about entering the prize drawings.

*Please note: **One** book can be used a maximum of **two** times to fulfill challenges for each month’s postcard set.*

Book Reviews


Some of the postcard challenges involve writing book reviews. Please keep your reviews between 50-400 words.

There are two ways to submit book reviews:

Manual Reviews


Included in this packet are review sheets that can be used to hand write your book reviews. If you run out of review sheets, reviews can also be written on blank paper. Please write legibly. Attach your review to your completed postcard and write an “**M**” on the postcard challenge associated with it.

HCL Book Blab Review—Adults

Share your book reviews using our HCL Book Blab Facebook group! This is a private group, open to the public, that has been created for patrons to share what they have read with others. Indicate a  book review submission by writing ‘FB’ on the postcard challenge associated with the review you write.

To Join: Go to the *Harlan Community Library* Facebook page. Click on the link that says “Groups.” Under the “Groups by This Page” section find *HCL Book Blab Review-Adults* and click join. Follow the instructions for membership approval. **NOTE:** *Anyone who belongs to the HCL Book Blab Review – Adults group will be able to see your posts even if you are not Facebook friends with them. Submit reviews manually if you are uncomfortable with this.*

Schedule of Activities:

Below is the list of activities for June and July. Flyers with additional details are available at the library. We will be posting Tech Time Online and Reader’s Advisory videos on our Facebook page. These programs are indicated with a 

June 1—Tech Time Online: Excel—Formulas and Functions 

June 8—Library & Lunch Book Discussion “They Called Us Enemy” @ 12pm

June 8—Tech Time In Person --- Stop by With Questions @ 3pm

June 11—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion with Liz & Dena 

June 15—Tech Time Online: Excel—Modifying a Worksheet 

June 17—Family Painting Night---All Ages Welcome. Registration Required. @ 6:30pm

June 18—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz and Dena 

June 22—Tech Time In Person --- Stop by With Questions @ 3pm

June 24—Adult Creative Writing Group @ 5pm

June 25—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz & Dena 

June 29—Tech Time Online: Excel—Formatting Text, Numbers, Dates & Time, & Cells 

June 29—*History of Cultural Diversity in Shelby County --- Adult Speaker Program*
Co-Sponsored by Shelby County Historical Museum @ 4:00pm

July 2—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz and Dena 

July 6—Tech Time In Person --- Stop by With Questions @ 3pm

July 8—*Edible Flowers* with ISU Extension & Outreach --- Registration Required @ 6:00pm

July 9—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz & Dena 

July 13—Library & Lunch Book Discussion “Searching for Sylvie Lee” by Jean Kwok @ 12p

July 13—Tech Time Online: Clearing Clutter from Your Phone 

July 15—Adult Creative Writing Group @ 5pm

July 16—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz & Dena 

July 20—Tech Time In Person --- Stop by With Questions @ 3pm

July 22—*History of the Harlan Railroads --- Adult Speaker Program with*
speaker Larry McDermott @ 6:00pm

July 23—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz & Dena 

July 27—Tech Time Online: Printing from the Patron Computers 

July 30—Reader’s Advisory Book Discussion w/Liz & Dena 

