



Mobile Career Center

Charlotte Hall
Thursdays, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
September 5, October 3,
November 7

Leonardtwn
Tuesdays, 1 - 4 p.m.
September 10, October 8,
November 12

Lexington Park
Wednesdays, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
September 25, October 23, November 27

Dept. of Aging & Human Services

Leonardtwn
Thursday, September 26, 3 - 5 p.m.
Tuesday, November 19, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
The Department of Aging and Human Services will be in the foyer to talk about services and upcoming programs for seniors.

Walden Pop Up Recovery!

Leonardtwn Wednesdays 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
September 18, October 16, November 20
A representative from Walden will be in the foyer to talk about behavioral health and wellness.

Master Gardener Plant Clinics

April through October

Lexington Park
1st and 3rd Tuesdays
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Leonardtwn
2nd and 4th Tuesdays
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Charlotte Hall
1st and 3rd Saturdays 10 a.m. - 12 noon
Have questions about growing vegetables, soil conditions, mystery insects, invasive weeds, or heirloom plants? Ask a Master Gardener at these free plant clinics. Stop by the table in the foyer with your plant samples and questions.



Drop-in Tech Help

Leonardtwn Library Wednesdays 6 - 7 p.m.
Drop-In Tech Help is open for any and all basic technology questions! We'll do our best to assist you in a relaxed, low-stress environment. Learn how to download eBooks and eAudiobooks to your phone or tablet. Learn how to navigate the internet, email, and social networks. Learn how to connect devices to a network, Bluetooth, or the cloud. Using technology effectively is right at your fingertips!



Healthy Cooking with Chef Gayle

Leonardtwn Library
Tuesday, October 12 - 1 p.m.
Chef Gayle Owens of Catering 2 You will demonstrate healthy cooking with farmers' market produce. Cooking samples provided. Learn new techniques for healthy, inexpensive and easy meals. Registration required.

Protect Yourself: Online Security and Privacy

Leonardtwn Library
Thursday, October 24 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Learn how to protect your data with strong passwords and two-factor authentication, avoid internet scams, and use freely available tools to limit what personal information is collected and shared while you browse the web. Registration recommended; walk-ins welcome as space allows.

Introduction to Foundation Directory Online

Lexington Park Library
Monday, September 16 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Looking for grants for your nonprofit? Come learn how to use Foundation Directory Online (FDO), the most comprehensive prospect research tool for fundraisers. The last half of this class will include time to practice using FDO with the assistance of the instructor. Use the library's computers or bring your own laptop. Registration required.



R.A.D. Self Defense

Lexington Park Library
Saturday, October 5 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
AND Sunday, October 6 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Meets two consecutive days. Women ages 13 and up come learn some new skills and proactive strategies to help protect yourself and others! The class is fun, energetic, and interactive. 9 hours of instruction and practice, training manual, and snacks are provided. Parental consent required for participants ages 13-17. Please bring a bag lunch for Saturday. **Registration required.** Registrants' e-mail addresses will be shared with the course instructor, who will provide participants with the registration forms and details about the class.



Fantastic Fall Wreaths

Charlotte Hall Library
Saturday, October 19 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Freshen up your doorway this fall with a beautiful DIY deco mesh and ribbon wreath! All materials are included. Ages 18 and up. Registration required.

Knit One, Give Too

Lexington Park Library
Saturday, September 28 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Calling all knitters and crocheters! Create handmade scarves to give warmth and encouragement to former foster care students. The scarves will be included in college students' care packages. Use our yarn and patterns, or bring your own. Scarves must be, or include, at least one shade of red. Not able to attend, or need more information? Contact javanaugh@stmalib.org with any questions. Registration required.



Cricut for Beginners

Leonardtwn Library
Wednesday, October 16 6 - 7:30 p.m.
Learn how to use our new Cricut Maker. This home die-cutting machine can be used for cutting paper, felt, vinyl, fabric, craft foam, and other materials. Watch a demonstration of how a design is created on the computer and sent to the Cricut machine for cutting. Create a small project to take home. Registration required.

Cricut Drop In

Leonardtwn Library
Wednesdays, November 13 and 20 6 - 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, November 23 9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
The Library's Cricut Maker will be set up for one-on-one lessons or for your use! The Cricut Maker is a die-cutting machine (aka craft plotter or cutting machine) which can cut a variety of materials including paper, fabric, vinyl, and more!



Beaded Jewelry

Lexington Park Library
Thursday, November 14 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Learn the basic techniques of beaded jewelry creation. Design and create a pair of earrings and a bracelet to take home. All materials are provided and light refreshments will be served. Registration required.



Downton Abbey Tea Party and Trivia

Lexington Park Library
Wednesday, September 18 7 p.m.
Come celebrate the upcoming Downton Abbey Movie with tea and trivia!



The Art of Paper Crafting: Quilling

Leonardtwn Library
Tuesday, November 5 1 - 3 p.m.
Wednesday, November 6 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Quilling is a Renaissance art form that involves rolling, pinching and gluing together strips of paper to create decorative designs. By putting a modern spin on this simple Old World craft and using some fine motor skills, attendees will create a modern, lighter-than-air pair of earrings to wear or to give away for the holidays! Materials will be provided. Registration required.

Art On Your Own Terms

Lexington Park Library
1st Monday 6 - 7:30 p.m.
September 9, October 7, November 4
Come brighten your day with a little "art therapy," and use creativity as your outlet for stress! Experiment with a variety of art supplies, and make a project to take home. Materials provided. Ages 18 and up.

Common Thread

Lexington Park Library
2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 6 - 7:30 p.m.
Open to knitters, crocheters, quilters, embroiderers, cross-stitchers, and any other kind of needleworkers. Bring your current project, mingle with like-minded makers, and swap patterns, ideas, and tips. Basic supplies available, if needed. All skill levels welcome.



LexiCon
Lexington Park Library

Saturday, September 21 12 - 4 p.m.

Join us for trivia, a cosplay contest, workshops, and prizes! Open to all ages. Get the schedule and all the details at www.stmalib.org/events/adult-events/lexicon-2019

Expungement Day

with Williams, McClernan, & Stack, LLC

Lexington Park Library

Friday, October 4 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Williams, McClernan, & Stack LLC will be offering free legal help to those seeking expungement of criminal records. Call the Lexington Park Library (301-863-8188) to register for a time slot. Registration opens September 20. Walk-ins are welcome. This is a Choose Civility Southern Maryland event.



Lawyer in the Library

Lexington Park Library

Wednesday, September 18 12 - 2 p.m.

The Lawyer in the Library project provides FREE civil legal services in your community! No appointments necessary. Attendees will be helped on a first-come, first-served basis. Please bring all relevant documents with you.

Adult Financial Classes

Registration required. Ages 16 and up.

Brian E. Koenig will present classes from Consumer Education Services, Inc. (CESI), a non-profit service provider of comprehensive personal financial education and solutions for all life stages.



Budgeting Basics

Charlotte Hall Library

Tuesday, September 24 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Learn to build and adjust a personalized budget by tracking expenses, gathering records, organizing the plan and entering data. Learn to distinguish between needs and wants, and how to create and maintain a successful budget. Questions are welcome!



Basics of Saving Money

Charlotte Hall Library

Tuesday, October 8 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Looking for ways to save money? This workshop will show you how to get started with 5 simple steps and share tips for saving money. Questions welcome!

Understanding Credit and Debt

Charlotte Hall Library

Tuesday, October 22 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Credit cards, auto loans, store cards, personal loans and mortgages are all common forms of consumer credit. This workshop will address the different types of credit and debt, identify ways to use credit more wisely, and provide some tips for managing debt.

Charlotte Hall Book Discussion



Charlotte Hall Library Mondays 6:45 p.m.

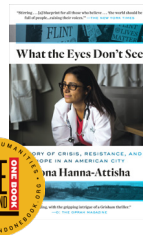
September 9: *The Tattooist of Auschwitz*
by Heather Morris

October 7: *What the Eyes Don't See: A Story of Crisis, Resistance and Hope in an American City*
by Mona Hanna-Attisha
(One Maryland One Book)

November 4: *I'll Be Gone in the Dark*
by Michelle McNamara

One Maryland One Book

What if everyone in Maryland read the same book together?



USGS Water Science Center Lecture

Leonardtown Library

Wednesday, September 18 6 - 7 p.m.

Join us as Todd Lester, Hydrologic Technician with the United States Geological Survey, presents an overview of the MD-DE-DC USGS Water Science Center and its role in providing reliable scientific information to describe and understand one of our region's most cherished resources, our watershed.



Director's Book Club

Leonardtown Library

Wednesday, October 16 12:15 - 1:45 p.m.

Bring your bag lunch to the library and join St. Mary's County Library Director Michael Blackwell discussing the 2019 One Maryland One Book, *What the Eyes Don't See* by Mona Hanna-Attisha. Registration required.

Book Bites



Taphouse 1637 Monday, October 28 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Grab a bite and gab about books! Join us at Taphouse 1637 in California for a discussion of this year's One Maryland One Book, *What the Eyes Don't See*, as well as a relaxed conversation about other books you've been reading. Visit taphouse1637.com for directions & menu options for purchase. Adults only.

A House Divided: What Would We Have to Give Up to Get the Political System We Want?

Leonardtown Library

Thursday, September 19 6 - 7:30 p.m.

The 2019 National Issues Forum focuses on the topic "A House Divided: What Would We Have to Give Up to Get the Political System We Want?" Join us in deliberating how every American is affected by the divisions and outrage that prevent us from making progress on urgent problems.



NaNoWriMo 2019

Lexington Park Library

November is National Novel Writers' Month, otherwise known as NaNoWriMo (Check out nanowrimo.org).



NaNoWriMo Kickoff Party

Saturday, November 2 9:30 am - 1 pm

NaNoWriMo is a nationwide challenge for writers to write 50,000 words in the month of November. That's 1,667 words per day, so let's get started! Kick off National Novel Writing Month - bring your laptop, notebook or flash drive. Light refreshments provided.

NaNoWriMo Come Write In (CWI's)

Wednesdays in November: Meeting Room B at 4 p.m.

*except November 27 (Thanksgiving)

Sundays in November: Longfellow Room at 1 p.m.

In the NaNo Lounge you'll find dedicated space to write and workshop your stories with friends. Bring dinner, snacks and your notebook or laptop and join us for some write-ins. Free Wi-Fi and a collaborative atmosphere.



Charlotte Hall Library
37600 New Market Road
301-884-2211

Leonardtown Library
23250 Hollywood Road
301-475-2846

Lexington Park Library

21677 FDR Blvd.
301-863-8188

Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-8 p.m.

Friday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sunday (Lexington Park Library only) 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

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September - November 2019 Events Adults

