



The J. Robert Jamerson Memorial Library is proud to announce that we are one of a few libraries nationwide that have been selected to receive the “FLIGHT PATH Grant” from StarNet.

What is the FLIGHT PATH Grant? It is a grant that includes materials and a monetary honorarium to help cover the cost of events, programs, and outreach for the purpose of native bird and bird migration education.

With more than one billion birds killed by window strikes each year in the United States alone, FLIGHT PATH taps into the popularity of bird watching and provides local communities with fun activities to get to know their local birds, promote bird health, and bird safety. We will feature book displays, several programs, and outreach campaigns starting in September through next spring that reflect bird and bird-related topics.

Be sure to follow us on our website, social media accounts, and the local online newspaper to keep up with the latest information on this and other upcoming events.

## In the News

Did you know that there is a local online newspaper, the Appomattox Times? You can find the Library’s weekly article, “As the Page Turns”, and other noteworthy news and information for Appomattox County and beyond. You can find the Appomattox Times at: <https://appomattoxtimes.com>

The Appomattox Times just launched a searchable records library with nearly 10,000 pages of text and PDFs, making it easier than ever to find past local government documents.

Their document library includes:

- Appomattox Town Council: 2007–2025 (Meeting Minutes)
- Appomattox County Board: 2018–2024 (Meeting Minutes & Agendas)

Search by keyword, browse by date, and read original PDFs all in one place.

You can find this searchable database at: <https://appomattoxtimes.com/records>

## Library Social Media

@J Robert Jamerson Memorial Library - Facebook

@Jamerson Memorial Library - Instagram

@jamersonlibrary.bsky.social - Bluesky

@jamersonlibrary3856 - YouTube

@JamersonLibrary - Pinterest



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J. Robert Jamerson Memorial Library

# Newsletter



News about  
your local  
Library

Appomattox  
Virginia

Welcome to the  
September 2025  
newsletter from the  
Jamerson Library

Our Social Media Venues  
Facebook  
Instagram  
Pinterest  
Blu Sky  
YouTube



Introducing the Jamerson Library’s Penny’s Penny Pincher Posse! Find a penny, pick it up, all day long, have good luck! Penelope (aka Penny) and her posse of kitties (cat-shaped rubber ducks) are cats about town! Penny, the Library’s orange kitty mascot, along with her clowder of cats, will be hiding around town starting in September.

If you find Penny or a member of her posse, return them to the Library and pick a Penny Pincher prize!

All ages are welcome to become a member of the Penny Pinchers! We have purchased only so many kittens (cat-shaped rubber ducks), and once they are gone and not returned to the Library the program will be over. If you find a kitty keep the game going by returning it to the Library for a prize! All returned kitties will be released back into the “wild” to be found and returned, so more prizes can be won.



Books  
Movies  
Magazines  
Programs for Everyone

Online Services  
Libby  
Kanopy  
24-Hour WiFi  
Universal Classes

[www.jrjml.org](http://www.jrjml.org)  
  
157 Main Street



# What's Happening at your local Library

# Jamerson Memorial Library

**PEATC to be at the  
Jamerson Memorial Library  
Tuesday, September 2nd  
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm**

Empowering Virginia Families Since 1978  
Free and Confidential

Contact PEATC

I need help with my child's IEP! I don't know what to do next.

I've got this! PEATC's support helped me feel more confident at the IEP meeting, and my concerns were heard.

Special Education & Disability Services  
Support and Information

www.peatc.org  
partners@peatc.org  
703-923-0010

**Jamerson Library  
Story & Craft Time  
11 am & 12 PM**

**Wednesday, September  
3rd, 10th,  
17th & 24th**

**Crafts & Snacks**

**Sun Bonnet Sue  
Stitchers Meeting  
at Jamerson Library  
Monday, Sept. 8th  
10:00 am - 12:00 pm**

**Crocheting, knitting,  
sewing, quilting and  
other related hobbies.**

**Jamerson Library's  
Retro Movie Night**

Thursday, September 18th  
Starting at 6:00 pm

A Flight Path Grant Event!  
Free Refreshments!

**September 19th is  
Talk Like A Pirate Day!**

Visit the  
**Jamerson Library**  
Photo Booth &  
Pirate Booty!

**Jamerson Library's  
Teen Art  
Tuesday, September 23rd  
Starting at 3:30 pm**

**Stained Glass Art  
Snacks!**

**Jamerson Memorial Library's  
Tween STEAM Program  
(Science, Technology, Engineering,  
Arts, & Mathematics)  
Tuesday, September 9th  
Starting at 4:00 PM**

SCIENCE IS LIFE!

**Jamerson Library's  
Teen Book Club  
Wednesday, September 10th  
Starting at 3:30 PM  
Serving free Pizza!**

**Jamerson Memorial Library  
Presents  
girls who  
code  
Thursday, September 11th  
4:00 pm in the Community Room**

**Parent Support Group  
at the  
Jamerson Library  
Tuesday, September 23rd  
Starting at 6:30 pm**

Parents of kids with special needs are encouraged to attend.

Emotional support, resources, and encouragement.

Location: 157 Main Street  
Contact: Alyssa Holland  
alyssa.holland1980@gmail.com

**Jamerson Library's  
Cookbook Book Club  
Wednesday, September 24th  
Starting at 6:00 pm**

**This month's theme is  
"Soup's On"**

Bring your favorite cookbook and a prepared dish from the book. Talk about the book and share your dish!

This program is intended for adults. Don't forget to bring copies of your recipe to share!

**157 Main Street**

**Jamerson Library's  
After School Crafts  
with MaKayla  
"Messy Art Day"  
Thursday, September 25th  
@ 4:00 PM  
All Ages Welcome!**

**Jamerson Library's  
Creative Class for Adults  
Saturday, September 13th  
11:00 am**

**Foil Faux Stained  
Glass Window Designs**

Register online  
<https://www.jrjml.org/adult>

**JAMERSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY  
BOARD MEETING IN THE  
COMMUNITY ROOM**

DATE  
16, SEPTEMBER

TIME  
AT 4.00 PM

157 MAIN STREET

**Jamerson Library's  
Beat Boredom with Board Games  
& Puzzles  
Wednesday,  
September 17th  
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm**

Snacks Served!

**Calling all Knights  
& Princesses!**

**Jamerson Library's  
Royal Party  
in Abbitt Park  
Saturday, September 27th  
10:30 am - 12:30 pm**

Snacks - Photo Booth - Games

**Jamerson Library  
to be at the  
Holliday Lake State Park's  
Fall Festival**

2759 State Park Road  
Saturday  
September 27th  
11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Bigfoot Photo Booth  
Bubbles - Crafts  
Library Information

**Library Hours**

**Mon & Tues  
9:30 am - 5:00 PM**

**Tue, Wed, & Thu  
9:30 am - 8:00 pm**

**Sat  
9:30 am - 1:00 pm**

