

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

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Spring 2019

LEE & HARNETT EVENTS

New Film Viewing Series

The Lee and Harnett Libraries will introduce a new film viewing series beginning in January 2019. These monthly film viewings will be held in the library and will alternate between documentaries and popular films. All viewing times will be from 3pm - 5pm and may include a discussion afterward. The tentative schedule for the Spring 2019 semester is below.

LEE LIBRARY

January 29: *At the Fork*
February 22: *The Shape of Water*
March 27: *Murder on the Orient Express*
April 22: *Before the Flood*

HARNETT LIBRARY

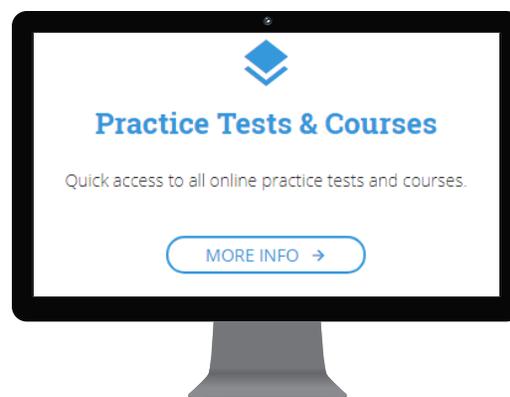
January 24: *At the Fork*
February 28: *The Shape of Water*
March 19: *Logan*
April 24: *Step*



DATABASE SPOTLIGHT

Testing & Education Reference Center (TERC)

Need help finding practice tests for TEAS, SAT, GRE, Praxis, TOEFL, ASVAB, and other standardized or professional tests? Look no further than TERC! The Testing & Education Reference Center database provides practice tests for these and other entrance exams, certifications, and licensing exams. TERC also includes information on college, graduate, and professional programs, as well as career exploration, planning for college, and financial aid. Look for TERC in our online research databases, or ask a librarian how to get started today!



ALL CAMPUSES & ONLINE

Ask a Librarian

Use the Ask a Librarian chat box on the library homepage to get help from a librarian any time of the day or night. Chat is staffed almost 24/7 (not available on federal holidays). Our average response time is less than a minute, so you'll never have to wait long for a response. During the library's open hours, a CCCC librarian will respond to incoming chats. When the library is closed, chats will be answered by a professional librarian from elsewhere in the state. They can usually help you find an answer, and if not, they will contact a CCCC librarian for follow up on your behalf. It's never been easier to get help from a librarian whenever you need it! Look for the chat box on the library home page, in your Summon search results, or in any LibGuide.



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 26

Chatham Foreign Language
Book Sale

February 11 - 15

Blind Date With a Book (Lee)

February 23

Chatham - "Discovering Elvis:
Tracing Traditions to the Soul of
the King"

April 8 - 12

National Library Week

Watch for Announcements

Spring Maker Fair

Paws to Read

Library Club Is Now Online

We have had a lot of student interest in the new Library Club at all campuses. However, due to so many different schedules, it has been difficult to identify a time for us all to meet face to face and have enough students in attendance to elect officers. So we have moved the Library Club to being online in a Facebook Group called "CCCC Library Club." The Library Club will still be able to accomplish our goals online and plan occasional in-person activities.



If you are interested in joining the Library Club, please visit <https://bit.ly/2RWb2pS> to submit a request to join the group. We hope to see you online!

Foreign Language Book Sale

January 26th from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Holmes Meeting Room at Chatham Community Library

The Friends of the Chatham Community Library will hold a special sale featuring a collection of foreign language books donated from the personal library of a retired university librarian who specialized in Latin American, Iberian, and Classic Romance Languages. More than 1000 books, mostly in Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, French, Latin and Greek will be offered. Some other languages are included in smaller quantities, as well as some books in English related to the languages and countries represented. Included are classics, novels, histories, dictionaries, parallel language books, textbooks, phrasebooks, travel guides and teaching materials for all levels. Hard cover books will be \$3 or less; soft cover \$2 or less.



“This is a great collection for anyone interested in foreign languages,” said Reece Jones, a member of the Friends of the Library book sale team. “The librarian who donated these books devoted many years and much expertise to collecting them. We decided to highlight these books in a special one-day sale to give those interested in foreign languages greatest access to them.”

Discovering Elvis: Tracing Traditions to the Soul of the King

Join us for an afternoon discussion on the King of Rock & Roll!

"Discovering Elvis: Tracing Traditions to the Soul of the King" is the story of the discovery and rise to fame of this teenager from Tupelo that parallels the musical interaction between black and white communities defining American popular music from the early 1800s to the present day. Through background information on his youth, along with the important contributions of renegade Memphians such as Dewey and Sam Phillips, North Carolina Humanities Council Road Scholar Billy Stevens puts the social and historic context of Elvis' remarkable success into perspective. Examples of his earliest recordings, contrasted with the versions sung by the original artists, makes clear the way in which Elvis transformed earlier genres, both African and Anglo American, into a new style acceptable to young white audiences of the 1950s. As a symbol of the ultimate failure of a social system designed to prevent close interracial contact, Elvis' music is a potent example of the deep debt America owes to black/white dialogue and cultural exchange. The result is a new understanding of Elvis' fabled success, illustrating perfectly the pattern of cultural confluence upon which our popular music is based.



This event is free and open to the public and is made possible with funding from the North Carolina Humanities Council.

Chatham Drop-In Sessions

Do you have a specific computer or technology question? Need to know how to insert page numbers in your Word document, get your Excel columns to add up, or download library eBooks? Drop in to Chatham Community Library's computer lab for one-on-one assistance on the second Wednesday of each month, any time between 4:00 and 5:00 pm. (If you have a question about something on your personal laptop or device, please bring it with you.) First come, first served. No registration required! We can typically spend 20 to 30 minutes with each patron. Please come prepared with your specific questions. If you need extensive help with basic computer skills, we recommend that you take advantage of our Computer Basics classes. Please call 919-545-8086 with any questions.

ARCHIVES SPOTLIGHT



A snowy day on the Lee Main Campus in 1998.

Find this and other photos of CCCC in days past at the NC Digital Heritage Center. They are continuing to digitize the library's archival photos, and currently provide access to over 3000 images and 30 yearbooks from our collection! You can browse these at the Digital Heritage Center's website: <http://www.digitalnc.org/institutions/central-carolina-community-college/>

Library Hours & Contact Information

Lee Campus

Phone: (919) 718-7244

Fax: (919) 718-7378

Mon-Thu 7:30 am - 8:00 pm

Fri 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

Harnett Campus

Phone: (910) 814-8843

Fax: (910) 814-8894

Mon-Thu 7:30 am - 7:00 pm

Fri 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

Chatham Campus

Phone: (919) 545-8084

Mon-Thu 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

Friday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Closed Sunday

Online

Access library resources 24 hours a day via the Library's website.



<http://www.cccc.edu/library/>

