

January 2021

# Chapters

Library News & Events



## Holiday Closures

**December 31**—closing early at 1 pm  
**January 1**—closed

## Last Call for Cookbook Submissions!



Share a couple of your family's favorite recipes for our community cookbook. Submit online at [surveymonkey.com/r/MX3FK75](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MX3FK75) or pick up a paper form at the library. Deadline is January 11!

## ancestryLibrary™

Now, for a limited time, Chillicothe Public Library cardholders can access Ancestry Library Edition from the comfort of their homes! While this genealogy research tool was previously available in-library only, we've negotiated to grant our patrons remote use, at least through March. Just visit our catalog page and log in to your account, then look for the Ancestry logo below the carousel of new books.

New to Ancestry or genealogy? Attend our virtual "Intro to Ancestry" program on January 13, or give us a call and we'll help you get started.

## Notary Services Available at the Library Again

We are pleased to announce that there are now three notaries public on staff at the library. At least one notary is usually on hand at any given time, but appointments are recommended to make sure someone's available when you plan to come in.



## Winter Reading continues through January 31



It's not too late to sign up! Visit [chillicothepubliclibrary.beanstack.org](http://chillicothepubliclibrary.beanstack.org), or stop by the library for a paper log. \* Complete five challenges to earn a book and enter to win the "Community Cornucopia" with goodies from our local sponsors.

\*If you're using a paper log, make sure to turn it in by Feb. 5.



Thanks to our Winter Reading sponsors!





# How can we serve you?

Please take this quick survey about library programs and services. Scan the QR code or go to [bit.ly/2VSBQLd](https://bit.ly/2VSBQLd). Thanks!



*Catch the videos for recorded virtual programs on the library's Facebook page and YouTube channel.*

## Youth Programs

### **Among Us on Zoom**

Tue., Jan 5 @ 5 pm

Ages 13-17. Who is a Crewmate...and who is an Imposter?! Join a group of fellow Among Us fans for a virtual meetup and play through on Zoom. Register to join our crew at <https://bit.ly/3n7VVcm>. Participants will need to download the free app prior to the start of the program. The Zoom account is an extension of the library space. Therefore, we ask that you please be respectful of all players and adhere to the rules of library conduct.

### **Virtual Spanish Story Time**

Wed., Jan 6 & 20 @ 10 am

Join Everley Davis of Spanish Circle and learn Spanish vocabulary while reading stories that focus on diversity and inclusion! Ages 0-5.

### **Virtual Crafternoon & Take-and-Make Crafts**

Mon., Jan 11 & 25 @ 3 pm

Pick up a Take & Make Craft every second and fourth week and follow along with the video for tips and tricks on how to complete your creation! Videos will be posted to the library's Facebook page and YouTube channel and can be accessed at any time after their initial posting dates.

### **Virtual Sign & Sing Story Time**

Wed., Jan 13 & 27 @ 10 am

Join Abbey Cook of Communication Junction for a video story time, filled with stories, songs, movement, and bubbles. Ages 0-5.

### **Virtual Afternoon Snack @ the Library**

Tue., Jan 19 @ 3:30 pm

Learn to measure, mix, and munch on snacks you make yourself! Instructional videos will be posted to the library's Facebook page and YouTube channel.

## Check out a LEGO Kit!

Check out one of our LEGO Kits, complete with LEGO building pieces and accessories to promote creativity and STEM concepts. Available at the Children's Desk, or inquire at the drive-up window.



## Adult & Family Programs

### Intro to Ancestry Library Edition

Wed., Jan 13 @ 10 - 11 am

Ancestry Library Edition is now temporarily available from the comfort of your home! Are you new to this resource or wanting to learn more about the tools available for researching your ancestors? Join genealogist Elaine Snyder on a virtual guided walk-through, including how to search the census, military records, immigration, and more. There will be time to ask questions, and you'll get a downloadable packet of additional resources to help you navigate and record your genealogy research. Register for this virtual event at [bit.ly/3gTCzWb](https://bit.ly/3gTCzWb).

### Red Cross Blood Drive

Thur., Jan 14 @ 12 - 5 pm

You are eligible to donate at this drive if your last whole blood donation was prior to November 19, 2020. For appointments, call the Red Cross at 1-800-733-2767 or visit [www.redcrossblood.org/give](https://www.redcrossblood.org/give). Face masks required.

### Books+Tea @ the Library

Mon., Jan 25 @ 6:30 pm

Join our book club for adults on Zoom to discuss *Blue Horses: Poems*, by Mary Oliver. Copies of the book are available to check out at the library. Check out the club's Facebook group to connect with other readers and join our virtual discussion at [bit.ly/38Jt6i7](https://bit.ly/38Jt6i7).

## Coming soon: *The Long Shadow* Movie Screening and Live Director Q&A

### ► VIRTUAL SCREENING

**February 19-26**—Stream at [thelongshadowfilm.com/libraries](https://thelongshadowfilm.com/libraries)

**Anytime**—Watch on Kanopy with a Chillicothe Public Library card

In this documentary, director Frances Causey traces her family's legacy of white privilege, placing it in the context of the history of anti-Black racism in the United States that began with slavery and continues to impact our society today.

### ► CONVERSATION AND Q&A WITH FRANCES CAUSEY, DIRECTOR OF *THE LONG SHADOW*

**Wed., Feb 24, 7 - 8 pm**

Join us for a live online conversation and Q&A with director Frances Causey, who will discuss her film, *The Long Shadow*. Registration required: a registration link will open on January 2 at [thelongshadowfilm.com/libraries](https://thelongshadowfilm.com/libraries).

*This event is co-sponsored by 29 Illinois libraries and held in partnership with Racial Awareness in the North Shore (RAIN) and Together is Better Alliance (TiBA).*

## Visiting the Library: Safety Guidelines

You can help us stay open safely!

- **Visitors must wear face masks at all times while in the library. Masks should cover your nose and mouth, and fit snugly around your face.** A mask will be provided to anyone visiting without a proper face covering. We are happy to serve those unable to comply with face mask requirements at our drive-up window.
- Browsing, business services, and public computers are limited to one hour per day.
- Please maintain a distance of at least 6 feet from others, and limit browsing to one person per aisle.
- Hand sanitizing stations are located throughout the library. Visitors are encouraged to clean their hands before and after handling materials or equipment.
- Public computers are available either by reservation (call the library) or on a first-come-first-served basis. Sessions are limited to one hour.
- Study rooms are available with one person per room for up to three hours. For reservations, call the library.
- Public bathrooms are limited to the single-use facilities near the children's area.
- Library programming continues virtually, with indoor programming postponed indefinitely.
- Curbside service available during open hours.

Please reach out to us with any questions or concerns. We're all in this together!

### Public hours:

**M, W, F, Sat 9 am-4 pm**

**Tue, Thu 9 am-10 am**—Reserved for seniors and high-risk individuals

**Tue, Thu 10 am-6 pm**—Open to general public

**Sun Closed**

# Introducing **kanopy**

1000s OF MOVIES TO STREAM FREE WITH YOUR LIBRARY CARD

Kanopy is a video streaming service that provides instant access to thousands of critically acclaimed movies, documentaries and kids favorites. You can stream Kanopy on any of your favorite devices, on your desktop, or through SmartTV apps.

1. Visit [kanopy.com](http://kanopy.com) and select the “Get Started” button
2. Enter your library card credentials
3. Create an account using your preferred email
4. Begin streaming!

- ☆ 4 borrows/month, available for 72 hours after play is activated
- ☆ Unlimited access to Kanopy Kids



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## Chilli Bear's Corner

I don't know about you, but I'm ready for a new year—even if our lives aren't back to normal yet. Let's help each other start out 2021 with hope, and take time to be kind to the varied beings who share our planet.

*Chilli Bear*



Did you know we have an e-newsletter?  
Sign up by calling 274-2719 or visit [chillipld.org](http://chillipld.org).

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