



I am the **Library**.

I am neither walls nor shelves nor even the books that stand in rows.

I am **the wisdom of the universe**, captured and arranged **for YOU**.

I am an Open Door. Enter...

- Author Unknown

# GCRL News

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**Galax Public Library**, 276-236-2351  
610 West Stuart Drive, Galax, Virginia  
M-W-F-Sat 9am - 5pm, T-Th 9am - 7pm



**Carroll County Public Library**, 276-728-3334  
101 Beaver Dam Road, Hillsville, Virginia  
M 10am - 8pm, T thru F 10am-6pm, Sat 10am - 2pm

<http://galaxcarroll.lib.va.us>



## AUTUMN

"October gave a party; The leaves by hundreds came-  
The Chestnuts, Oaks, and Maples, And leaves of every name.  
The Sunshine spread a carpet, And everything was grand,  
Miss Weather led the dancing, Professor Wind the band."

- George Cooper, *October's Party*

"There is no season when such pleasant and sunny spots may be lighted on,  
and produce so pleasant an effect on the feelings, as now in October."

- Nathaniel Hawthorne

"Even if something is left undone, everyone must take time  
to sit still and watch the leaves turn."

- Elizabeth Lawrence

"Listen! The wind is rising, and the air is wild with leaves,  
We have had our summer evenings, now for October evens!"

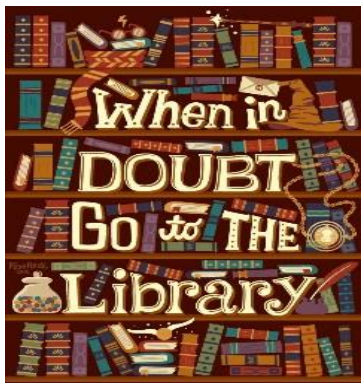
- Humbert Wolfe

## OCTOBER Recognizes...

- ✚ Children's Magazine Month - *Highlights, Ranger Rick, National Geographic for Kids...*
- ✚ National Cookbook Month – Borrow a library cookbook and try a new recipe.
- ✚ National Book It! Day: 1 - <http://bookitprogram.com/nyrw/default.asp>
- ✚ Great Books Week: 1-7 – Read a bestseller or a classic.
- ✚ Mystery Series Week: 1-7 – Watch or read a mystery story.
- ✚ American Libraries Day: 6 – Discover what your local library has for you.
- ✚ National Storytelling Weekend: 6-8, Jonesborough, TN – storytelling, music, fun!
- ✚ Teen Read Week: 8-14 – Read a Young Adult book.
- ✚ Read for The Record Day: 19 <https://www.jstart.org/read-for-the-record/>

## CARROLL COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

- **COLOR ANYTIME**
- **JIGSAW PUZZLE ANYTIME**
- **Carroll County Historical Society**
  - October **2<sup>nd</sup>**, 6 p.m.
- **BOOK BINGO**
  - October **3<sup>rd</sup>**
  - 6:30 p.m.
  - *Prizes are books & puzzles!*
- **PRESCHOOL STORY TIME**
  - **Thursdays**, 10:30 a.m.
  - **\*26<sup>th</sup>** - Costume Trick-or-Treat at library
    - 10:30 a.m., **ALL AGES-3:30 p.m.**
- **FNBS – Bible Study**
  - **Fridays**, 6 p.m.
- **LIBRARY CLOSED 10/9 for COLUMBUS DAY**
- **FALL BOOK SALE – 10/10 – 10/21**
- **MS Support Group**
  - October **10<sup>th</sup>**, 6 p.m.
- **CREATIVE WRITERS' CLASS**
  - October **17<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **CRAFTERNOON**
  - October **19<sup>th</sup>**, 1 p.m.
  - *Jack-O-Lantern Luminaries*
- **Tri-Area Health**
  - October **20<sup>th</sup>**, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- **Library Lego-ers** - October **30<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **FAMILY MOVIE: "Halloweentown"**
  - October **30<sup>th</sup>**, 4 p.m.



## GALAX PUBLIC LIBRARY

- **JIGSAW PUZZLE ANYTIME**
- **G.E.D. Classes-Mondays and Tuesdays**, 12 p.m.
- **EXERCISE**
  - **EZ Mondays**, 11 a.m.
  - **REVV Tuesdays**, 5 p.m.
  - **TAI CHENG Wednesdays**, 12:30 p.m. (10/18 – 9 a.m.)
  - **CARDIO Thursdays**, 1:30 p.m.
- **TAB: Teen Advisory Board – Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **COLORING, for Adults – Tuesdays**, 4:30 p.m.
- **PRESCHOOL STORY TIME**
  - **Wednesdays**, 10:30 a.m.
  - **\*25<sup>th</sup>** - Costume Trick-or-Treat at library
    - 10:30 a.m., **ALL AGES-3:30 p.m.**
- **CREATIVE WRITERS' CLASS**
  - **Thursdays**, 4:30 p.m.
- **Blue Ridge Buddies - Fridays**, 9 a.m.
  - *For children with disabilities*
- **TEENS: "Wand" Making – Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **American Legion – October 6<sup>th</sup>**, 5 p.m.
- **Project Linus - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays**
  - October **7<sup>th</sup>**, 1 p.m.
  - *Make blankets for children*
- **FAMILY MOVIE: October 10<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
  - *"Halloweentown"*
- **TEENS: "Potion" Making - Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **ART SHOW – STARTING October 12<sup>th</sup>**
- **HOBBY SHOW – October 14<sup>th</sup>** – all day
- **CRAFTERNOON - October 18<sup>th</sup>**, 1 p.m.
  - *Jack-O-Lantern Luminaries*
- **TEEN BOOK CLUB – Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
  - *Harry Potter & The Chamber of Secrets*
- **RUBIK'S CUBE CLUB – Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **Library Lego-ers - October 24<sup>th</sup>**, 3:30 p.m.
- **TEEN MOVIE: October 27<sup>th</sup>**, 2 p.m.
  - *"Harry Potter & The Chamber of Secrets"*

