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Mark Wood brings a Magical performance



As part of the 2017 Children's Summer Reading Program, the zany Mark Wood brought his entertaining show about the importance of reading to the Library on Thursday, June 29th at 10:30 a.m.

This fast paced show is designed for children of all ages. Wood uses comedy, magic, and audience participation to produce an exciting and educational program.

This event was held in the Community Room. Many families joined in the merriment, the children awestruck with the magic of the show.

Celebrating Jane in July

The Boyle County Public Library is celebrating the life and works of Jane Austen. There are films, lectures, book discussions and TEA with JANE!

Jane Austen (1775 - 1817) is one of the most influential English authors in the world.

Translated into multiple languages, her particular viewpoints on life, love, and relationships cross cultural boundaries and highlight the difficulties of women achieving independence in society.

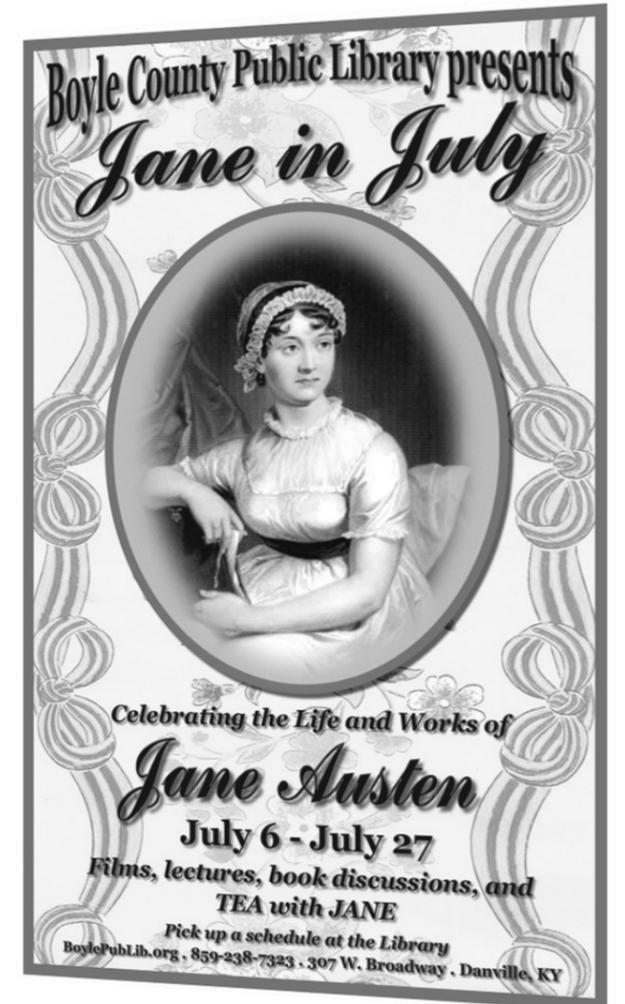
Tea with Jane was held in the reading room of the library. Friends of Jane were in costume while tea and light refreshments were served.

On Thursday, July 13 at 6:30 p.m. the film *Pride and Prejudice* will be shown in the BCPL Community Room.

On Sunday, July 16 at 3:00 p.m. is the book discussion of Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. Leaders of the discussion are Centre College English professors Helen Emmitt and John Kinkade.

On Thursday, July 20 at 6:30 p.m. the film *Emma* will be shown at the Community Room of the BCPL.

On Thursday, July 27, at 6:30 p.m. the film *Becoming Jane* will be show in the Community Room of the BCPL.



Fun in the Sun with Summer Programs



Summer programs are well underway at the Boyle County Public Library! Children and adults alike have been enjoying themselves and learning a thing or two over the season.

The Summer Reading Kick-Off party at the beginning of June, the Party on Air, was attended by hundreds. Refreshments were had and children had fun in the bouncy castles provided.

June 1, 2017 was the day of the Great American Swing Dance. Couples and families showed up to dance, listen to music, and have fun. The Chicago Footwarmers played from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Where? The parking lot of BCPL.



ABOVE: The Chicago Footwarmers giving the crowd something to *really* dance to.

On Monday, June 19th Animal Tales presented Animal Architects. This program featured exotic animals from across the globe, including birds and snakes.



ABOVE: Showing off a collared aracari, a species of toucan.

BELOW: A child having fun with Paula.



On Friday, June 23 the Newport Aquarium presented the African Penguin. The Aquarium brought Paula, a live African Penguin, and discussed everything penguin.

Children were able to get up close and even pet Paula at the event.

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- Family - \$25/year
- Mahan - \$100/year
- Tunis - \$500/year
- Young-Rodes - \$1,000/year

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Welcoming New Library Staff Members

Alesha Logan Anderson is the BCPL new **Programming Assistant** to Julia Basil, Adult Programming Director.



Logan, as she likes to be known, started her job on January 31, 2017. Logan is from Monticello, KY, and graduated from Western Kentucky University in 2016 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in English. Reading is Logan's favorite thing to do and she also enjoys working with the youth group at the Steubenville Baptist Church in Monticello.

Marti Malsom of Burgin, KY began her job as the **Assistant Bookmobile Outreach worker** in January 2017.



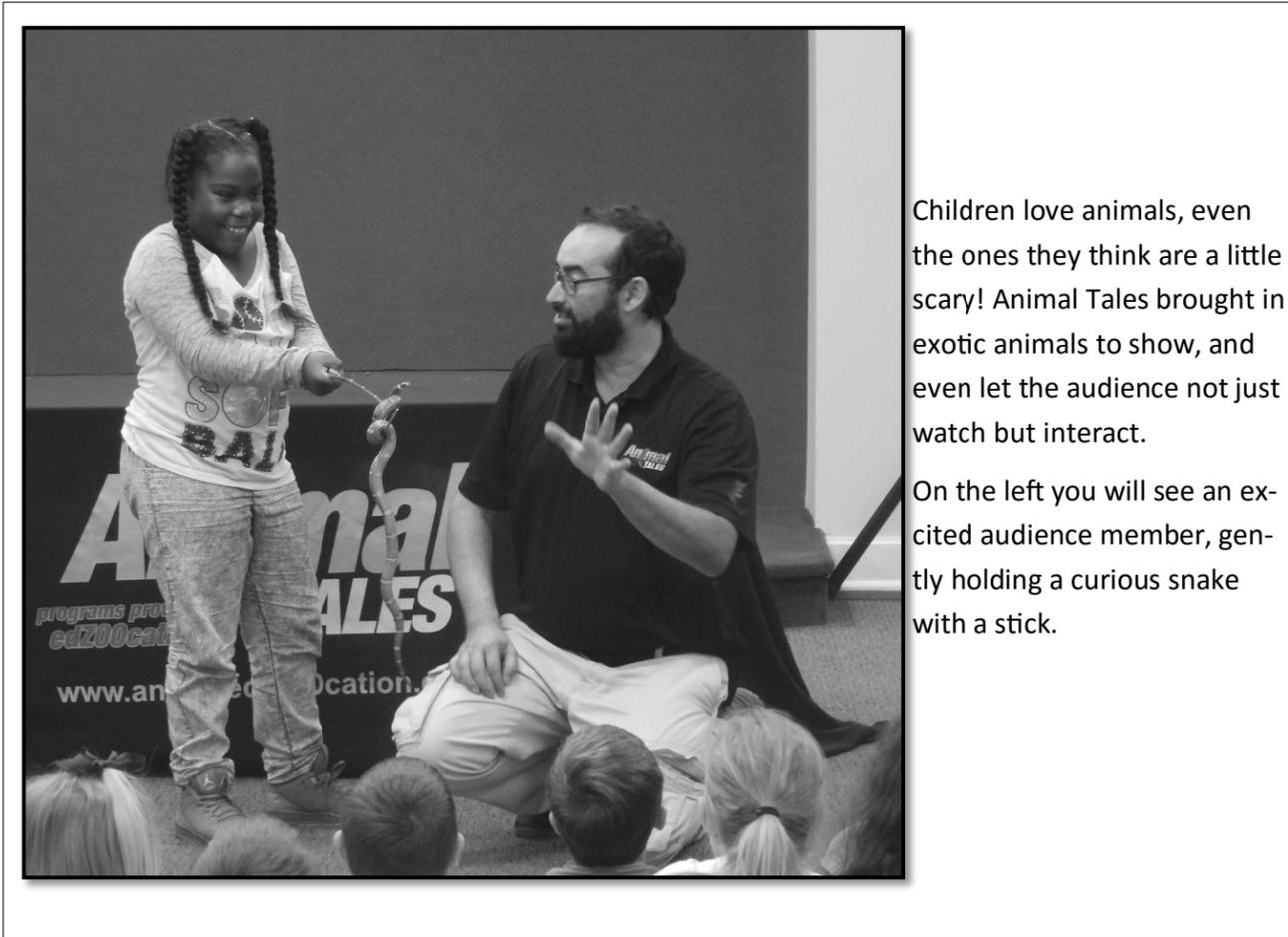
She assists Brittny Smith with the Community Outreach Program. Marti attended Utah State university. She served in the United States Air Force from 1969 - 1977. She was a sergeant and worked in administrative work.

Marti loves to relax with nature, and enjoys reading and gardening. She is married to her husband, Rod.

May book sale brings in people of all ages

The semi-annual book sale for the Boyle County Public Library was on May 11 through the 13. Approximately 35 members of Friends of the Library helped during the sale. Volunteers from Isaiah House and a young man from Danville High School helped set the books up on display and then repacked what remained at the end of the sale.

Items sold included music cds, movies, and of course books. Not only were new books sold, but classic books, older books still in their original bindings, and children's books. This variety brought in quite the crowd, even bringing people in from out of town. The sale took in a total of \$1503.40.



Children love animals, even the ones they think are a little scary! Animal Tales brought in exotic animals to show, and even let the audience not just watch but interact.

On the left you will see an excited audience member, gently holding a curious snake with a stick.

BCPL to help sponsor Soul of 2nd Street once more

Coming up soon is Soul of 2nd Street, happening on August 11 and 12. There will be historical displays, food, and even live music! The BCPL will sponsor a History Conference on Friday, August 11 about the Soul of 2nd Street at the library.



ABOVE: Live music that will had the souls of the audience soaring at last year's event.

LEFT: The packed crowd that was drawn the year before.

Chief of Danville Police, Tony Gray, to speak at BCPL

On September 5th at 7 p.m. the Friends of the Library will present Danville Chief of Police, Tony Gray. Chief Gray's talk will touch on such topics as an officer's responsibility, the drug problem in Danville, and traffic issues around town.

Also, Chief Gray will present thoughts and advice on an individual's personal protection. Other topics will include the Danville Police's coordination with the Danville Fire Department, EMS and the Boyle County Sheriffs' Department. Chief Gray will address the public in the library's Community Room. The public is welcome to join.



ABOVE: Chief of police, Tony Gray

Bookmobile Travels to bring Summer Reading

Through July 28th, the library will bring the Bookmobile to each of the following sites where children can check out books, play a fun game and win prizes!

Summer Reading program Outreach Locations

Mondays:

Ephraim McDowell Wellness Center - at 9:00 a.m.

Bunny Davis Recreation Center - at 10:30 a.m.

Salvation Army Day Camp - at 2:00 p.m.

Tuesdays:

Long Run Apartments - at 12:30 p.m.

Wednesdays:

Hogsett Elementary School - at 11:30 a.m.

Forkland Community Center - at 2:00 p.m.

Thursdays:

Perryville (Buell Street) - at 10:30 a.m.

Junction City Elementary School - at 12:30 p.m.



To win, you must **READ** each week, **SIGN-IN** with a library staff member, and **PARTICIPATE** in the weekly challenge. We will have a drawing each week for a special prize! (Weekly prizes include fidget spinners, robots, craft kits, and building blocks.) **SUMMER READING FINISHERS** will be entered to win the grand prizes of a bicycle and helmet!

FINISHERS are those who attend at least four weeks over the course of the summer

There are **24** weekly prizes. Bookmobile librarians are starting to pool names for the Grand Prize which is a bicycle and helmet. The drawing will be July 31, 2017.



Director's Choice Movie Series

The Fall film series will be a little different this Fall. The series is usually organized around a film genre (comedy or mystery), a period (1930's), or a topic (race relations, politics). This fall there will be a variety of films including a musical, a western, a comedy, a romance and various dramas.

The unifying factor is that each of the films is directed by a director whose works have been the highest rated according to Andrew Sarris and other critics and film historians. Hence, we find Hawks, Ford, Hitchcock, Welles, et al in our upcoming series. Also it is interesting to note that two of the films in the series have Kentucky connections.

Sept 21, 2017 - *She Wore a Yellow Ribbon* (1949) - Captain Nathan Brittles, on the eve of retirement, takes out one last patrol to stop an impending Indian attack. Encumbered by women who must be evacuated, Brittles finds his mission imperiled..

Sept. 28, 2017 - *All About Eve* (1950) - An ingénue insinuates herself into the company of an established but aging actress and her friends.

October 5, 2017 - *Ace in the Hole* (1951) - A frustrated former big city journalist now still working for an Albuquerque newspaper exploits a story about a man trapped in a cave to re-jump start his career, but the situation quickly accelerates into an out-of-control circus.

October 12, 2017 - *Gentlemen Prefer Blondes* (1953) - Showgirls travel to Paris pursued by a private detective hired by the father of one of the showgirl's fiancé.

Oct. 19, 2017 - *The Trouble With Harry* (1955) - A macabre comedy about the manic efforts of a group of Vermont residents to dispatch a dead body that refuses to stay buried.

Oct. 26, 2017 - *Touch of Evil* (1958) - A sleazy corrupt police official in a squalid town on the Mexican border matches wits with a visitor.

Nov. 2, 2017 - *Cookie's Fortune* (1999) - Conflict arises in a small town when an old woman's death causes a variety of reactions among family and friends.

Nov. 9, 2017 - *Midnight in Paris* (2011) - While on a trip to Paris with his fiancé's family, a screenwriter finds himself mysteriously going back to the 1920's every day at midnight.

The films will be shown in the Community room at the Boyle County Public Library on Thursday nights at 7:00, with brief remarks by Charles Vahlkamp, professor emeritus of Centre College.