HEADQUARTERS LIBRARY

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MON-THURS: 9AM-8PM

SAT: 10AM-5PM

SUN: 1:00PM-5PM

STORYTIME

TODDLER STORYTIME

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11am

BABY STORYTIME

Wednesdays at 10am





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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HEADQUARTERS LIBRARY IN JANUARY 2025

Libraries Closed

All branches of the Spartanburg County Public Libraries will be closed Wednesday, January 1 for New Year's Day. All branches of the Spartanburg County Public Libraries will also be closed Monday, January 20 for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Adult Winter Reading 2025

Curl up with a good book this winter with Adult Winter Reading at SCPL! Stop by any library location from December 1 to January 31 to pick up your Adult Winter Reading card or download it online to get started. Drop off your completed card at your local library and you'll be rewarded with a cozy blanket to keep you warm this winter. Not only that, but you will be entered into a grand prize drawing for high powered telescope to get a closer look at this winter's night sky. Visit our website for more information.

Chautauqua: Banastre Tarleton

A young adult with a penchant for theater, gambling, horse races and tavern life, Banastre Tarleton exhausts his inheritance and purchases an officer's commission into the British Army. While in America, he distinguishes himself among his superiors, quickly rising to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. After being given command of the British Legion, he becomes a major player in both the northern and southern campaigns of the American Revolution. A capable calvary commander and strategic leader, Tarleton was involved in several battles throughout the backcountry of South Carolina, becoming infamous for his reported cruelty at the Waxhaws. "Tarleton's quarter" becomes the battle cry of the patriot forces at the Battle of Cowpens.

Join us on January 16, the eve of the anniversary of the Battle of Cowpens, at 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. as we hear about history from Tarleton's point of view. ASL interpretation will be provided at the 3:00 p.m. show. Registration is required for this program.

North of Main: Selections from Spartanburg's Black Northside Neighborhoods

In coordination with the newly released book from Hub City Press, the North of Main: Selections from Spartanburg's Black Northside Neighborhoods exhibit chronicles the historic Spartanburg neighborhoods of North Dean Street, Gas Bottom, and Back of the College, highlighting seldom-heard stories from emancipation to the modern era. This exhibit is on display December 10 - March 13 in the AT&T Exhibition Lobby. Join us for an author talk in connection with the exhibit on January 23 at 6:00 p.m. in the Barrett Room in the Headquarters Library with authors Brenda Lee Pryce, Jim Neighbors, and Betsy Teter, moderated by Brad Steinecke.

JANUARY 2025 EVENTS AT HEADQUARTERS LIBRARY

Adults	Kids	Teens	All Ages
Thursday, January 2 9:00am New Year New Plans: Planner Pick-Me-Up	Thursday, January 2 4:00pm The LEGO Challenge	Friday, January 3 3:00pm Teens Play: Super Smash Bros. Tournament	Thursdays in January 9:15am AM Yoga
9:15am 6-Week Cooking Matters Course	Wednesday, January 8 4:00pm Mini Makers: Bubble Scienc Spectacular	Thursday, January 9 e5:30pm Teens Make: Bound Books	Tuesday, January 7 3:00pm Book Swap
Wednesday, January 8 1:00pm Open Tech Lab	Friday, January 10 11:00am Homeschool HQ: Possum Pals	Wednesday, January 15 11:00am Teen Homeschooled: Cooking with Clay	Wednesdays in January 6:00pm PM Yoga Saturday, January 11
	Monday, January 27 10:00am Tinker Tots	Wednesday, January 22 5:30pm Teens Play: Bingo: K-Pop Edition	12:00pm Black in Space: Breaking the Coor Barrier (In Space) Thursday, January 16
	4:00pm STEAM Club Wednesday, January 29	Thursday, Janaury 23 5:30pm Teen Silent Book Club &	3:00pm & 7:00pm Chautauqua: Banastre Tarleton
	4:00pm Early Chapter Book Club: Good Dog, Home Is Where	Book Box Tuesday, January 28	Thursday, January 23 6:00pm North of Main: Selections
	the Heart Is	6:00pm Teen Art Show Reception	from Spartanburg's Black Northside Neighborhoods
		Wednesday, January 29 5:30pm Teens To-Go: Pen Pals	Monday, January 27 4:30pm College Advisement with SCC