

Locations are:

- Carteret County Public Library, 1702 Live Oak Street, Beaufort, 252-728-2050
- Bogue Banks Public Library, 302 Salter path Road, Suite W, Pine Knoll Shores, 252-247-4660
- Down East Public Library, 702 Highway 70, Otway, 252-728-1333
- Newport Public Library, 210 Howard Blvd., Newport, 252-223-5108
- Western Carteret Public Library, 230 Taylor Notion Road, Cape Carteret, 252-393-6500

### Carteret County Public Library, Beaufort

**Events:** Come join us for an afternoon of knitting every Wednesday from 2:30-4:30!

**Children's Activities:** Pre-K Storytime (3-5 yrs.) is Wednesdays at 10 a.m. and Toddler Storytime (2-4 yrs.) is on Fridays at 10:00 a.m. Please note that Storytime will **NOT** be held on Aug. 28 & 30 and Sept. 4 & 6. Regular Storytime hours will resume Weds., Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>. **Starting in September**, Lego Club for ages 6-12 will be held on the second Wednesday of the month from 6-7 pm and Page Turners for ages 6-12 will be held on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Shelf Readers for ages 12-18 will meet every other Saturday. Please call the library for dates and times. Refreshments will be served!

**Art Exhibit:** The Art Gallery features the work of Calista Yearwood-Weygoldt. Her paintings reflect life in her native Trinidad. The display case features the work of Rachel Croom. She makes unique pieces of jewelry. The library is interested in displaying the work of local crafters. For more information, please call the library at 728-2050.

### Western Carteret Public Library, Cape Carteret

**Events:** The Friends of Western Carteret Public Library are pleased to offer *Second Saturday Author Series*. Tickets can be purchased at the library or by calling 393-6500.

**Children's Activities:** On Tuesday, Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> there will be a family movie shown at 10 a.m. with popcorn provided (No Bookends or Storytime). Little Learners will be held on Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> at 10 am. Please call the library to sign up for these programs! Please note that there will be **NO** youth programming the week before school and the first week of school. Regular programming will resume on **Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>**.

**Artwork:** Jiri Prazma is the featured artist. His beginning works were of realistic landscapes done by oils and later by acrylics which were more suitable for a representational and semiabstract style of his paintings. Most of the pictures are on canvas and some of them are on acid free primed watercolor paper.

### Down East Public Library, Otway

**Events:** Calling all gardeners! A meeting will be held on Aug. 21 from 6-8 p.m. with Shawn Banks on how to plant a garden in the late summer for fall and winter crops. Please call Tia at 728-1333 for more information!

**Children's Activities:** Please note that Storytime will not be held until September 9<sup>th</sup>.

### Newport Public Library, Newport

**Events:** Books, puzzles, and movies are on sale at Twice Told Tales at 203 Howard Blvd. from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the third Saturday of every month.

**Children's Activities:** Big Wheels Special Needs adult programming meets at 3:30 p.m. on Mondays. Storytime, Read-to-Me Preschool for ages 2-5 is held on Tuesdays at 10 a.m. Book Buddies Book Club for grades K-5<sup>th</sup> grades meets at 3:30 Wednesdays.

### Bogue Banks Public Library, Pine Knoll Shores

**Events:** Used books are on sale from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Saturdays in the Book Nook. There is also a monthly silent auction.

**Children's Activities:** Storytime with Ms. Brita meets at 10 a.m. on Thursdays. Children are invited for stories, activities, and craft making.

**Art Exhibit:** The Art Gallery will showcase the work of fine art by a very large group of Pine Knoll Shores artists. These local artists work in a diverse range of media and styles depicting beach and coastal scenes as well as florals, children, animals and abstracts. The display case will feature the 3 D creations of local artists featuring unique items made from beach treasures.