

# November 2026 Community Resource Guide

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- **Sundays 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22, 11am-2pm - Waterway Market at Great Bridge Village**
  - Battlefield Park South, 120 Reservation Rd
  - The market features a variety of local vendors offering fresh produce, artisan goods, food trucks, and prepared foods in a scenic waterfront setting.

- **Sun 11/1, 2pm-4pm - Collage Workshop**
  - Greenbrier Library, 1214 Volvo Pkwy
  - Turn old magazines and paper scraps into new masterpieces using collage. Design alongside fellow art enthusiasts as you explore color, texture, and creative storytelling using the provided supplies.

- **Mon 11/2, 2:30pm-4:30pm - Legal Aid Drop-Ins**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Get free legal guidance from a Legal Aid of Eastern Virginia attorney. Low-income residents can drop in for help with eviction, debt, domestic violence, and more—no appointment needed.

- **Wed 11/4, 10:30am-3pm - Lunchtime Theater**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Lunch tastes better with a movie—or two! Pack your meal and join in at the library for a weekly double feature full of big moments, memorable scenes, and cinematic fun.

- **Thur 11/5, 10am-12pm - Fall Row Covers for the Garden**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Extend your growing season into December by learning about row covers. This is a hands-on event where you will be installing row covers on raised garden beds.

- **Thur 11/5, 10:30am-11:30am - Medicare 101**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St, Ste 115
  - Get quick, practical tips for navigating the Medicare insurance process. Learn about coverage changes that will affect users.





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- **Thur 11/5, 12pm-1pm - Tech for Beginners**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Learn and practice tech basics in a judgment-free zone. Bring your questions. No prior knowledge necessary.

- **Thur 11/6, 2pm-3:30pm - Red Herring Readers**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Mystery book club with wild theories, dramatic gasps, and zero actual detective skills!
  - *Book:* ***Dead & Breakfast*** *by Kat Hillis and Rosiee Thor*

- **Sun 11/8, 2pm-4pm - Movie Afternoon: Some Like It Hot**
  - Greenbrier Library, 1214 Volvo Pkwy
  - Step back into Hollywood's Golden Age! Enjoy a hilarious comedy of mistaken identities, memorable music, and unforgettable performances. This is rated PG and has a runtime of 120 minutes.

- **Sun 11/8, 2pm-4pm - Super Mario Bros Movie**
  - Central Library, 298 Cedar Rd
  - Join in bringing the world of Mario to life in celebration of International Game Month!!! This film is rated PG and has a runtime of 92 minutes.

- **Sun 11/8, 2pm-4pm - Bunco**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Meet your neighbors, make some friends (or bring them with you), while you learn to play Bunco with library staff. Light refreshments will be provided.





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  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Master Gardener volunteers will teach a monthly class on growing a featured vegetable, herb, or shrub. During the class, they will talk about how to care for the plant. There will also be a fun activity and a giveaway!

- **Tue 11/10, 10am-4pm - Red Cross Blood Drive**
  - Central Library, 298 Cedar Rd
  - Support a community Blood Drive. Please join this lifesaving mission and schedule an appointment today!
  - *Call 1-800-RED CROSS or schedule online.*

- **Tuesdays (11/10, 11/17, 11/24), 10am-12pm - Weekly Craft & Game Time**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Adults with diverse abilities and their caregivers are invited to relax and enjoy games, puzzles, coloring, and seasonal crafts while supplies last. No registration is required.

- **Tuesdays (11/10, 11/17, 11/24), 11am-2pm - Friends Tuesday Social**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Drop in to this meet-up for differently abled adults to enjoy games, art, activities, and friendship. Socialize and have fun in a relaxed and supportive space. Bring your lunch!

- **Tue 11/10, 2pm-4pm - Smile and Scrub**
  - Dr. Clarence V. Cuffee Outreach and Innovation Library, 2726 Border Rd
  - Create a personalized lip sugar scrub using simple ingredients in this relaxing self-care craft program.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Tue 11/10, 2pm-3pm - Activity Afternoon-Diwali Celebration**
  - Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd
  - Create a colorful Diwali lantern using recycled water bottles and LED tea lights. Celebrate the festival of lights with a fun, eco-friendly craft for all ages.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*





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- **Tue 11/10, 3pm-4pm - Chattering Book Club**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Explore a wide variety of books that inspire thought and discussion. Make new friends as you chat, connect, and share a love of reading.
  - *Book: T**he Berry Pickers** by Amanda Peters*

- **Tue 11/10, 4pm-6pm - Machine Sewing 101-Orientation**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Register for this hands-on introductory session designed for beginners and anyone seeking certification to independently use the makerspace sewing machines.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Tue 11/10, 5:30pm-6:45pm - How to Make a Death Binder**
  - Chesapeake Central Library, 298 Cedar Rd
  - Learn to create a practical, peace-of-mind binder to organize vital info, documents, and wishes so loved ones can navigate with ease. Free and open to all.

- **Tue 11/10, 11am-12:30pm - Autumn Wreath**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Create an autumn wreath from felt. You bring your wisdom, and they'll bring the whimsy.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Tue 11/10, 4pm-6:30pm - LitFlix Book Club: Twilight**
  - Greenbrier Library, 1214 Volvo Pkwy
  - Explore how stories transform from the page to film!

- **Thur 11/12, 5:30pm-6:30pm - Acrylic Paint Pouring**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Get messy with Vanessa Golson as she presents Acrylic Paint Pouring, an interactive painting experience without a brush.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*





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- **Sat 11/14, 10am-11am - All About Owls**
  - Greenbrier Library, 1214 Volvo Pkwy
  - Whooo's ready to meet some owls? Join Nature's Nanny, with live owls and discover the amazing abilities and adaptations of these fascinating feathered ambassadors.

- **Sat 11/14, 9am-11am - Fall Colors Walk**
  - Oak Grove Park, 409 Byron St
  - Park naturalists lead you through many of Chesapeake's unique and diverse parks. All programs and walks are free and open to the public for all ages to enjoy. Please dress for the weather.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/14, 10am-5pm - Merry Market**
  - Central Library, 298 Cedar Rd
  - Celebrate the season! Shop local art, support community causes, and pick up skills to boost your small business.

- **Sat 11/14, 11am-12pm - Paint Party**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Artist David Duck will provide step-by-step instructions to help you create your masterpiece.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/14, 1pm-2pm - Pollinator Plant Series**
  - Greenbrier Library, 1214 Volvo Pkwy
  - Learn about a new plant each month, including how to grow it, how it helps wildlife, and which pollinator or insect relies on that plant for food, too.

- **Sat 11/14, 10:30am - Sensory Friendly Movie - The Cat in the Hat - $**
  - Cinema Cafe, 1401 Greenbrier Pkwy
  - The volume will be lowered, and the lights will be on dim-not-dark setting. This becomes a safe space to feel free to express yourself by singing, crying, dancing, walking around, talking, or shouting – whatever you need to do to feel comfortable and enjoy the movie-going experience.
  - *$6.75/Tickets*





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- **Sun 11/15, 1:30pm-3:30pm - Photography Basics**
  - Greenbrier Library, 1214 Volvo Pkwy
  - Stop guessing what all of those buttons do. Get to know your camera, dial in the right exposure, and fine-tune your focus so that your shots come out perfectly.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Tue 11/17, 2pm-4pm - Plant Clinic**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Need advice for garden dilemmas? Bring your plant questions to agriculture experts dedicated to community beautification, public education, and environmental preservation for the future.

- **Tue 11/17, 11am-12pm - Garden Time**
  - Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd
  - Want to grow your green thumb? Then join in for some time in the garden. Pull weeds, water, harvest, learn something new, and meet new people. An outdoor, weather-dependent program.

- **Tue 11/17, 1pm-2pm - River Readers Book Club**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Explore a wide variety of books and share enthusiastic discussion. Come together to chat, connect, and enjoy great reads.

- **Wed 11/18, 5pm-6:30pm - Novel Ladies Book Club**
  - Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd
  - Book lovers, do you want to discover friends you haven't met yet? Gather to talk about the books and plots, characters, and themes that make each novel a unique work of art!





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  - Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd
  - Master Gardener volunteers will teach a monthly class on growing a featured vegetable, herb, or shrub. During the class, they will talk about how to care for the plant. There will also be a fun activity and a giveaway!

- **Fri 11/20, 11am-12pm - Cake Decorating**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Join instructor Brittney Patterson of “Oh Taste and See Cakes” to learn the basics of decorating a cake!
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/21, 10am-2pm - Craft Supply Swap**
  - Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd
  - Rules on the day of the Swap: Limited to 2 bags of supplies per person to take home. Note that the limit may need to drop down to 1 bag if supplies run low.

- **Sat 11/21, 9am-11am - Community Tree Planting**
  - Sawyer’s Mill Park, 2810 Sawyer Arch
  - One tree at a time, Let’s grow a healthier Chesapeake—come plant with PRT!
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/21, 10am-12pm - Fall Hiking 101 - $**
  - Northwest River Park & Campground, 1733 Indian Creek Rd
  - Learn the basics of hiking, including essential gear and supplies, trip planning, safety, hiking etiquette, and how to read trail blazes and markers.
  - *$5 / Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/21, 10am-1pm - Friends of the Library Book Sale**
  - Central Library, 298 Cedar Rd
  - Stop by to browse a great selection of books for all ages at this monthly sale. Proceeds benefit library special events and early childhood initiatives.







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- **Sat 11/21, 10am-5pm - Tidewater Area Gaming Society**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Join the fun! Play games all day without electronics.

- **Sat 11/21, 10am-1:30pm - Newborns in Need**
  - Major Hillard Library, 824 Old George Washington Hwy
  - Turn your creativity into comfort by knitting, crocheting, or sewing baby items for donation. Discover new techniques, share ideas, and make new friends. All abilities are welcome.

- **Sat 11/21, 2pm-4pm - The SEWcial Club**
  - Indian River Library, 2320 Old Greenbrier Rd
  - Bring your sewing projects, quilting, upcycling, costumes, etc. All skill levels welcome! Sewing machines and basic tools are provided.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/21, 2pm-3:30pm - Collage with Mod Podge**
  - South Norfolk Memorial Library, 801 Poindexter St
  - Collage any small household item in this hands-on class. Use the Mod Podge to give your collage a shiny seal. All materials provided.
  - *Registration required. (use link above)*

- **Sat 11/21 & Sun 11/22, 10am-5pm - Holiday Craft Show**
  - Chesapeake Conference Center, 700 Conference Center Dr
  - Talented artisans display and sell their crafts at Chesapeake's traditional opening of the holiday shopping season. Over 90 crafters to shop from for handmade gifts and decorations!

- **Sun 11/22, 2pm-4pm - Russell Reels -*Sheep Detectives***
  - Russell Memorial Library, 2808 Taylor Rd
  - A fun and entertaining movie screenings at the library—complete with snacks and surprises.

- **Thursdays (11/26, 11/27, 11/28, 11/29, 11/30), 5pm-9pm - Deck The Hall**
  - Chesapeake City Hall, 306 Cedar Rd
  - Experience this drive-through light display of holiday themes from the comfort of your car. It's sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

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