



# C.C. MELLOR MEMORIAL LIBRARY



## Check it Out!



### Library Giving Day begins April 3, 2024!



**Library Giving Day** is a national fundraising event with the goal of encouraging people who depend on and enjoy public libraries to donate to their individual library system. This year we are going bigger than ever, and **extending LGD through National Library Week**, April 7 - 13. Please consider donating to CCM this year, everyone who donates will be **honored in our Library Giving Day Hall of Fame in the Children's Room and will receive a limited edition CCM button**, while supplies last. **Scan the QR code to donate online.**



### Thank you for making the Book Sale a HUGE success!



This year, the book sale was our most successful ever, raising **\$21,255** for the Library. We want to express our deepest gratitude to everyone who donated, volunteered, and came out to support us. We will begin taking donations for next year's book sale on **April 1, 2024.**



#### AARP Smart Driver Classes



Take this course to save money on insurance and refresh your driving skills.

April 16 from 1 - 5 p.m.  
April 22 from 1 - 5 p.m.

#### Calypso Rythms *with Gemma Stemley*



Enjoy the sounds of Trinidad and Tobago. Gemma Stemley will share music from the song book of Harry Belafonte and more.

April 25 from 6 - 7:15 p.m.

#### Unleash Your Creativity: Finding Joy in Writing



This conversation among four authors will open a door for you into your creative work.

April 13 from 2 - 3:30 p.m.

Find us online at [ccmellorlibrary.org](http://ccmellorlibrary.org) and follow us on Facebook and Instagram for all the latest news @ccmellorlibrary.



## REGULAR PROGRAMMING AT C.C. MELLOR

FIND MORE INFORMATION AT [CCMELLORLIBRARY.ORG](http://CCMELLORLIBRARY.ORG)

### KIDS

**Baby Talk** — Join us for this program for babies ages 0-24 months and their caregivers. Meet other caregivers and learn and grow with your baby with a new experience each week! Wednesdays from 10:30 a.m. to noon at CCM Edgewood.

**Family Storytime** — Our weekly all-ages storytimes happen every Monday at CCM Edgewood and every Thursday at CCM Forest Hills at 10:30 a.m.. Storytime is a great chance for children and caregivers to build early literacy skills and connect with other families in the library's friendly, welcoming environment.

**Pajama Storytime** — Snuggle in for the evening at Pajama Storytime! Each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at CCM Edgewood. Pajamas not required!

**Music and Movement Storytime** — Sing, dance, and play with the library at this special storytime! We'll share interactive stories, experiment with instruments and sounds, and move our bodies with props. Best for children ages 18 mo. to 5 years and their caregivers. Come ready to rock and roll at the Churchill Borough building's Yagle Community Room on Fridays at 10:30 a.m.!

**Makerspace Mondays** — Design, build, create, and tinker at the library every Monday after school! January's theme is Dough, Clay, and Sculptures. Drop in 4-6 p.m. for a new project every week. For kids ages 5-10 at CCM Edgewood.

**Tech Time Tuesdays** — Join us as we turn reading into an adventure! Each week we'll read a picture book as a group and extend the fun with related activities or games. For ages 5-8 at 5 p.m. every Tuesday at CCM Forest Hills.

**Homeschool Book Club** — Our Chapter Chat readers (geared toward ages 5-8) will try a new first chapter book series every month, while Novel Ideas (geared toward ages 9-12) will tackle middle grade reads. At each meeting, we'll chat about the book, play games, and make projects. Our next meeting is on February 9!

**Tween Club** — Jealous of the cool Teen Group activities? Jump into similar programs at our weekly Tween Club. With a new activity every week, you'll never be bored. For kids 8 to 12, every Tuesday at 5 p.m. at CCM Edgewood.

### TEENS

**Teen Group** — Teen group is the time to play games, make projects, and just chill out. Every Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. at CCM Edgewood.

**Dungeons and Dragons Club** — Adventurers: answer the call to action and join "The Wanderers," CC Mellor's Dungeons and Dragons Club! Every 1st, 3rd, and 5th Saturday from 1-3 p.m. at CCM Edgewood.

### ADULTS

**CCM Forest Hills Social Hour** — Come join us at CCM Forest Hills for a social hour for older adults! We'll meet weekly on Thursdays from 2-3 p.m. and enjoy coffee and tea while chatting with neighbors and friends.

**Knitting Group** — Love yarn? Want to knit with others? Join Knitting Group for stitching & conversation! Second and fourth Wednesdays at 6 p.m. at CCM Edgewood.

**Conversation Salon** — Join us to discuss interesting topics and share thoughts, information and opinions about our experiences, community and the world. Second Tuesday of each month at 10 a.m. on Zoom or in the Community Room beside CCM Forest Hills.

**Fourth Tuesday Book Club** — Read books on a wide variety of subjects and genres on the Fourth Tuesday of the month at 1 p.m. at CCM Forest Hills. February's book is *Horse* by Geraldine Brooks.

**Century Book Club** — The Century Book club reads books from each decade of the 20th & 21st centuries. Third Wednesdays at 7 p.m. on Zoom. February's book is *The Round House* by Louise Erdrich (2012).

**Drop Dead Book Club** — The Drop Dead Book Club reads a mystery every month. February's book is *Find Her* by Lisa Gardner. This club will meet on February 7 at 7 p.m. at CCM Edgewood.

**Great Outdoors Book Club** — Each month, we will set off a literary journey to discover uncharted lands and thrilling adventures. We will meet the last Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m.

**Clutterers Anonymous** — A 12-step fellowship of individuals who share their experience, strength, and hope with each other. Mondays 6:30-7:45 p.m. on Zoom. Go to: <https://ccmellorlibrary.org/clutterers-anonymous>.

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