CRAVEN-PAMLICO REGIONAL LIBRARY NEWS

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Curl Up With a Good Book

Reading during the winter months is such a warm and delightful experience, ideal for snuggling up indoors and hiding away from the chill outside. Here are some winter reading tips:

- Dedicate a little time each day to immerse yourself in reading. Even if it's just 15 minutes, making it a daily habit can enhance your routine.
- Select a book that captures your interest. There's little joy in forcing yourself through a book that doesn't resonate with you. If you're struggling to choose, come to your local library for suggestions!
- Put away your devices. Silence your phone and eliminate distractions so you can fully engage with your book.

Above all, savor the experience! Reading is a wonderful way to unwind and escape the everyday hustle and bustle.

Staff Picks 2025

Looking for your next favorite book? Your CPRL library staff has curated an exciting selection of their top reads from 2025! Whether you're into fiction, non-fiction, romance, or horror, there's a thrilling adventure just waiting for you. Available on January 1 at MyCPRL.org/staffpicks



Celebrate Your Love of Libraries

February isn't just a month for chocolate hearts and valentines – it's National Library Lovers' Month! The library serves as more than a home for books, it's a place to develop professional skills, engage with the community in fun activities, and relax with a good story or movie.

Bibliophile (book lover) or not, we can all agree libraries are magic.



Visit a Library Near You

Cove City - Craven County Library
CoveCity.MyCPRL.org / (252) 638 -6363
Havelock - Craven County Library
Havelock.MyCPRL.org / (252) 447-7509
New Bern - Craven County Library
NewBern.MyCPRL.org / (252) 638-7800

Pamlico County Library

Pamlico.MyCPRL.org / (252) 745-3515 Vanceboro - Craven County Library Vanceboro.MyCPRL.org / (252) 244-0571

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MyCPRL.org/Hollowell / (252) 745-3515 **Book/Tech Mobile**

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All Craven-Pamlico Regional Libraries will be closed: Christmas

Wednesday, December 24 through Friday, December 26, 2025

New Year

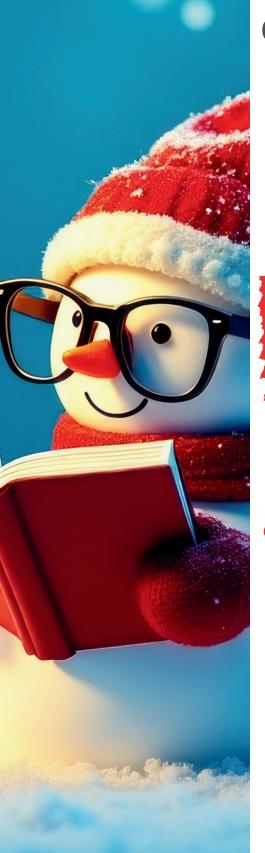
Thursday, January 1, 2026

MLK Day

Monday, January 19, 2026

President's Day

Monday, February 16, 2026



Your Book/Tech Mobile Come explore our selection Beep Beep!

Come explore our selection of books and enjoy complimentary Wi-Fi.
Plus, discover all the exciting programs available at your local public library.

Book/Tech Mobile Monthly Stops

Pamlico Senior Center - 800 Main St, Bayboro NC 1st Tuesday, 10:00am to 12:00pm

Harlowe - 125 Godette School Rd, Havelock NC 1st Wednesday, 2pm to 4pm

Oriental Piggly Wiggly - 1306 Broad Street Ext, Oriental NC 1st Friday, 10am to 12pm

Arapahoe Free Will Baptist Church - 7970 NC-306, Arapahoe, NC 28510 1st Friday, 2pm to 4pm

CarolinaEast Medical - 2000 Neuse Blvd, New Bern NC (Behind HR Building) 2nd Wednesday, 2 pm to 4pm

Craven Senior Center - 811 George St, New Bern NC 2nd Thursday, 10:00am-12:00pm

Havelock Senior Center - 103 Trader Ave, Havelock NC 2nd Tuesday, 2:00pm to 4:00pm

Craven Terrace - 601 Roundtree St, New Bern NC 3rd Tuesday, 2pm to 5pm Story Time 3:30pm to 3:45pm

Fairfield Harbour - 6125 Cassowary Ln, New Bern NC 3rd Wednesday, 10am to 12pm

Bridgeton Park - 200 W Academy St, Bridgeton NC 3rd Wednesday, 2pm to 4pm

River Bend Red Caboose - 115 Wildwood Dr, New Bern NC 3rd Friday, 2pm to 5pm; Tech Program 4pm to 5pm

Dover Town Hall - 100 N Main St, Dover NC 4th Tuesday, 1pm-4pm

Vanceboro Community Center - 8749 Main St, Vanceboro NC 4th Wednesday, 10am to 12pm

Our Children Childcare - 8415 Main St, Vanceboro, NC 28586, 4th Wednesday, 3-5 PM

The Oaks Apartments - 401 Buck Ln, Vanceboro, NC 28586, 4th Friday, 2:45-3:45 PM

Bailey Lane Apartments - 255 Bailey Ln #1, Vanceboro, NC 28586, 4th Friday 4:15-5:15 PM



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Technology
Training sessions
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MyCPRL.org/tech
to see when a
session is
scheduled near
you.

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