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**For upcoming changes in library hours,  
please check our website [espl.org](http://espl.org).**

## Summer Reading Program Goes Virtual



This summer, join the fun at Eastern Shore Public Library as we explore the worlds of fantasy, fairy tales, and folklore, as well as other literary dream worlds, in a virtual way.

Together, all four Eastern Shore of Virginia public libraries are offering online reading challenges **to readers of all ages** through ***Beanstack***, our new interactive online platform. You can register with *Beanstack* as an individual or as a family. Readers record time spent reading, participate in challenges, and share book reviews. Earn digital badges redeemable for cool incentives. There's even a mobile app!

**Learn more and get started here!**

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**Walk the StoryTrail at**

## Northampton Free Library

Eastern Shore Public Library recently installed our first **StoryTrail** at our branch library site in Nassawadox, the Northampton Free Library. Part of our Steps to Well-Being initiative, the StoryTrail provides a healthy family, social-distancing outdoor activity during the COVID-19 pandemic. Families are welcome during daylight hours to take a walk along the shady trail on the library's property while having the pleasure of reading a picture book together.

**[Follow the Story Trail here!](#)**



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## Looking for eBooks or eAudio? You've got options!

ESPL offers a variety of eBook and eAudio collections for readers and listeners of all ages and interests with RB Digital and Freading.

What's the difference? Which should you choose? Collections Manager Charle Ricci breaks it down for you **[here](#)**.

Go straight to eAudio and eBooks **[now!](#)**

Questions? Need to set up or reset your PIN? Reach out to us at 757-787-3400 or **[espl@espl.org](mailto:espl@espl.org)**.



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## Be a Friend to ESPL and NFL!

The Friends of Eastern Shore Public Library and the Friends of Northampton Free Library in Nassawadox need you!

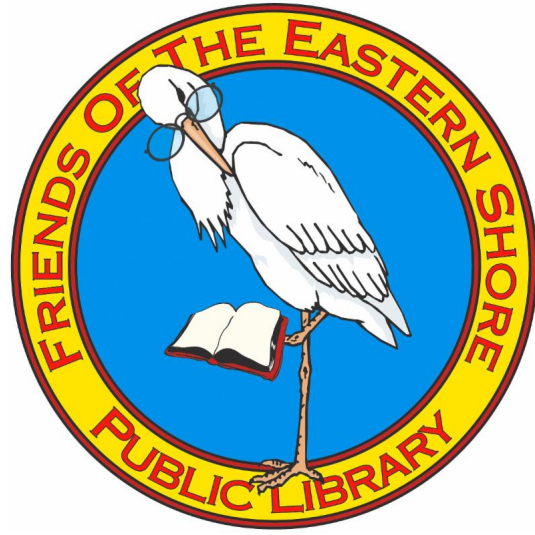
Book sales -- both the legendary Firecracker book sale in July, and also the ongoing sales in both

libraries -- provide crucial funds that the Friends use to support special projects at your local libraries. But with library visitation limited, so are their funds.

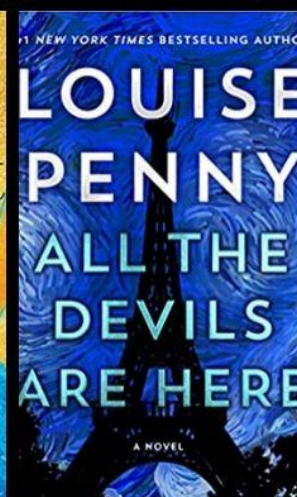
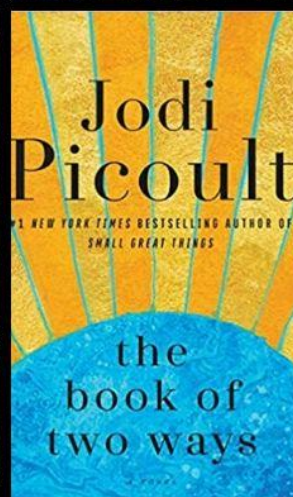
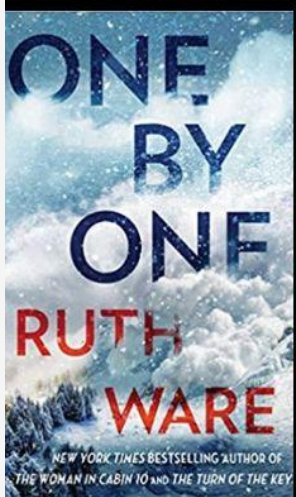
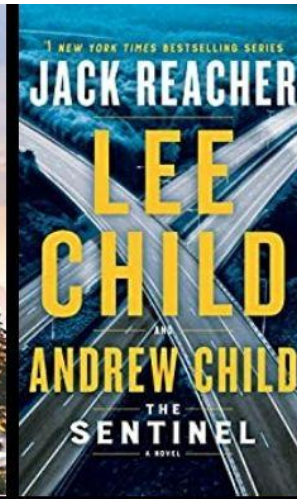
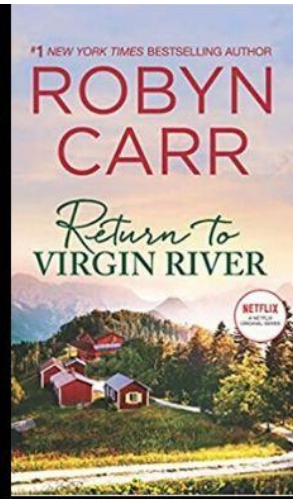
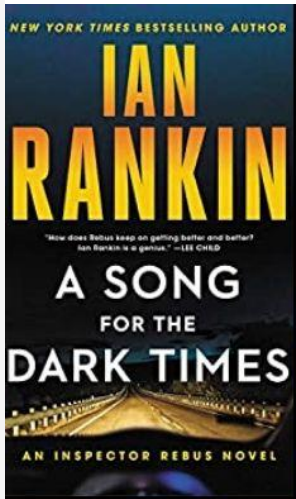
Won't you consider becoming a Friends member?

Learn more about Friends of ESPL [here](#).

Learn more about Friends of NFL [here](#).



## You're going to want to read these!



Call any of our four libraries or visit us online at [ShoreCat](#) to put your name on the list to read these hot titles as soon as they're released! You can place holds from home with your library card and a PIN number.

Don't have a PIN? No problem! Give us a call and we can set one up for you.

Show me the list!

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## The Eastern Shore Public Library System



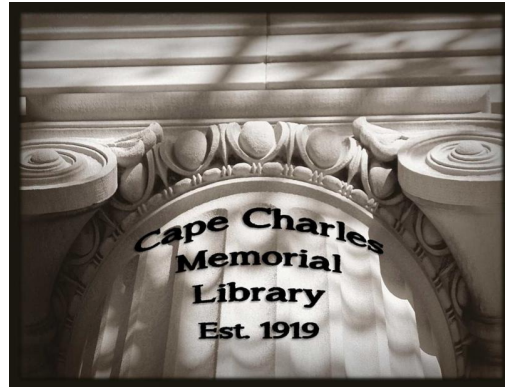
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