



## Thornton, Nelson tapped to lead Board of Supervisors in 2018

The Henrico County Board of Supervisors turned to one of its most experienced members to lead the body in 2018 when it voted unanimously at its regular meeting Jan. 9 to elect Fairfield District Supervisor Frank J. Thornton as chairman.

The board also elected Varina District Supervisor Tyrone E. Nelson to a one-year term as vice chairman.

Thornton is wielding the gavel as board chairman for the fifth time. He most recently held the position in 2015. He succeeds Tuckahoe District Supervisor Patricia S. O'Bannon as chairman after serving as vice chairman in 2017.

Thornton and O'Bannon are the longest-serving current members of Henrico's board, with both marking their 23rd year in 2018. Thornton first was elected to represent Fairfield in 1995 and is serving his sixth term.

In remarks following his election, Thornton pointed to Henrico as one of the seminal leaders in the region due to the county's "visionary

approach" to the concerns and well-being of residents.

"We must be well aware and sensitive to the new citizen demands and demographic shifts that are occurring," he said. "I would challenge us as a board to exceed the stellar record of the past and work toward improving our service to our citizens."

The Fairfield supervisor described the approach as "possibility governance."

"Possibility governance seeks to give priority to the citizens' and local-ity's needs," Thornton said. "It also means that fiscal responsibility and visionary planning are critical. We must listen more critically and seek greater input from our citizens."

"Possibility governance seeks solutions to and attempts to eradicate and eliminate the dragons of economic, educational and social disparities which exist in our communities on the local level," he said. "We can do it. This is my optimism."

Thornton holds appointed positions with national, statewide and

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Frank J. Thornton, top, and Tyrone E. Nelson are serving as chairman and vice chairman, respectively, of Henrico's Board of Supervisors in 2018. Clerk to the Board Barry R. Lawrence administered their oaths of office at the board's meeting Jan. 9.

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## Greenwood preps for play

Park is Henrico's first with synthetic turf fields; tournaments to begin Feb. 24-25

Greenwood Park is providing more than a premier site for soccer tournaments and other events on Greenwood Road.

It also is delivering Henrico County's first synthetic turf fields.

The fields are designed to be durable and safe for year-round play, reducing weather-related cancellations and further enhancing Henrico as a destination for sports tourism.

In addition to the fields at Greenwood, Henrico is installing synthetic turf fields at each of its high schools.

Those improvements are occurring in phases with funding through the county's 2016 bond referendum.

"The synthetic fields are going to be received well," said Neil Luther, director of the Division of Recreation and Parks. "We've already been getting a lot of interest from residents to go out there today. There's a lot of anticipation for them."

Greenwood and its four lighted, multipurpose fields will get their first action Feb. 24-25 during the Richmond Ultimate Cup soccer tournament. The Richmond

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*Greenwood Park, which is opening on Greenwood Road in Glen Allen, features lighted fields for soccer, lacrosse and other sports, restroom facilities and sand volleyball courts. The fields are made of a synthetic turf that's weighted by a mixture of sand and organic fiber. The fiber material, bottom right, retains less heat than the crumb rubber material that's used on some synthetic fields, officials said.*

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Strikers Jefferson Cup soccer tournament will follow over four weekends, beginning March 10-11.

The complex's \$11 million initial phase of development began construction in September 2016 and encompasses 88 acres.

In addition to the playing fields, the park includes eight sand volleyball courts, which were developed in partnership with Richmond Vol-

leyball Club, restroom facilities and parking for more than 300 vehicles.

The rectangular fields will accommodate a variety of events, including soccer and lacrosse. Hermitage High School will play its home soccer and lacrosse games at Greenwood this year, while its field is being converted to synthetic turf. Similar accommodations have been offered to Douglas S. Freeman and Varina high schools while their fields are renovated this year.

#### **Fields use fiber, not rubber**

Luther emphasized that Henrico's synthetic fields use a mixture of sand and organic fiber, not crumb rubber from recycled tires, to weight them. Use of the rubber material on athletic fields and playgrounds has raised concerns about possible public health risks.

In 2016, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and other federal agencies initiated a comprehensive study of potential health risks related to exposure to the rubber material. EPA highlighted the need for a comprehensive review while noting that "limited studies have not shown an elevated health risk from playing on fields with tire crumb."

As a precaution, Henrico avoided fields that would use the rubber material, Luther said.

He compared the organic fiber material in Henrico's fields to finely ground mulch and said it retains far less heat than the rubber material does.

In addition, he said, Henrico's fields will have a layer of cushion, or a shock pad, that is guaranteed to meet safety standards across the entire surface. Fields that use crumb rubber can end up with hard spots as the material moves and compacts, Luther said.

#### **Tournaments scheduled into July**

In addition to the two soccer tournaments in February and March, Greenwood Park is scheduled to host a variety of events well into summer.

Confirmed events include two college Ultimate Frisbee championships in April, a youth football tournament in May and a US Lacrosse National Team camp in late July.

Henrico has courted these types of tournaments as part of its sports tourism initiative. Events hosted at county-owned facilities accounted for more than \$47 million in annual spending by visitors in 2017.

#### **Park development to continue**

Henrico plans to continue to develop Greenwood with playgrounds, shelters and additional restroom facilities.

Other planned amenities include a mile-long loop trail that could be used for school cross country meets, a stadium and additional fields. The nearly 200-acre property also includes extensive frontage along the Chickahominy River (see project locations graphic on page 6). The park's second phase of development will be supported with \$20 million in funding approved by voters as part of Henrico's 2016 bond referendum.

Luther noted that any improvements beyond those in the park's initial master plan will be subject to community review and input.

"This could go on for many, many years," he said. ■

*For more information on Greenwood Park and other parks and recreation sites, go to [henrico.us/parks](http://henrico.us/parks).*



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regional governmental organizations, including the National Association of Counties, Virginia Association of Counties and Virginia Transit Association board of directors. He serves on the Capital Region Airport Commission, Richmond Regional Planning District Commission, Richmond Regional Transportation Planning Organization Policy Board and the Maymont Foundation board of directors. He also is a long-standing supporter of the Police Athletic League program, which he was influential in bringing to the county.

A Richmond native, Thornton is a co-founder and past president of the Henrico County Civic League. He earned a bachelor's degree from Virginia Union University and a master's degree from American University. He worked for more than 40 years at Virginia Union, where he was an assistant professor of French and a recipient of the university's Teacher of the Year award. Thornton also is a recipient of the John Jasper Trailblazer Award from Richmond's Sixth Mount Zion Baptist Church.

Nelson, who first was elected Varina District supervisor in 2011, is in his second term on Henrico's board. He previously served as vice chairman in 2015.

Nelson serves on a number of governmental and community



Members of the Board of Supervisors are, from left, Tyrone E. Nelson, Varina; Thomas M. Branin, Three Chopt; Patricia S. O'Bannon, Tuckahoe; Frank J. Thornton, Fairfield; and Courtney D. Lynch, Brookland.

organizations, including the Richmond Regional Planning District Commission, Virginia Transit Association board of directors, Richmond Region Tourism board of directors, Richmond Metropolitan Transportation Authority board of directors, Richmond Performing Arts Alliance and the Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) board of visitors.

A native of the Varina District, Nelson earned an associate degree from J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College, a bachelor's degree from VCU and a master's degree from Virginia Union. He is the pastor of Sixth Mount Zion Baptist Church in Richmond. ■

Henrico's Board of Supervisors regularly meets at 7 p.m. on the second

and fourth Tuesday each month in the Government Center Board Room, 4301 E. Parham Road. Meetings typically are not scheduled for the fourth Tuesday in August and December.

Board meetings can be viewed live online by following the "Video of Meetings" link at [henrico.us/supervisors](http://henrico.us/supervisors). Archived video of meetings and additional information are available on the website.

## Short Pump Firehouse 19 set to open

*Station will house engine, truck and medic unit*

The bright red doors of Short Pump Firehouse 19 are scheduled to open in early March, providing a second fire station to serve Henrico County's northwestern area.

The 11,000-square-foot building sits on a 4-acre site northwest of Kain and North Gayton roads. The property is about 2 miles southwest of Shady Grove Firehouse 16.

Firehouse 19 will have a staff of 33 firefighters assigned to three shifts of 11, plus a captain. The station will be home to an engine, a truck and a fire medic unit — an allocation of resources that matches the area's needs for fire and emergency medical

services coverage, said Capt. Robert Rowley, public information officer for the Division of Fire.

"That corridor is getting a lot of high-density residential, including townhouses and apartments, and very dense commercial development as well," he said.

Firehouse 19's fire medic unit is already responding to calls for service from Firehouse 21, on Virginia Center Parkway.

Firehouse 19 also will house the division's Robotics Response Team, which operates and manages drones and related equipment and responds countywide as needed. Other Hen-

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Short Pump Firehouse 19 will open in early March at Kain and North Gayton roads. The station will house an engine, a truck and a fire medic unit as well as the Division of Fire's Robotics Response Team. A grand opening event will be held Saturday, April 28 at the firehouse, 12324 Kain Road.





*Short Pump Firehouse 19 has several unique design features. The doors to its apparatus bays open from the side, like an accordion. The station also offers individual sleeping quarters for its firefighters.*

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 rico firehouses have similar specializations. For example, the division's Hazardous Incident Team is based at Firehouse 21.

Firehouse 19 has three apparatus bays, with doors that fold open from the side accordion-style. Officials selected the doors because they operate with less stress on their motors than the roll-up doors at Henrico's other firehouses.

"They actually last a lot longer," Rowley said. In another first for Henrico, the station offers individual sleeping quarters for its firefighters, providing greater privacy and helping to reduce the likelihood of unnecessary interruptions during sleeping hours. "It increases the odds they'll wake up only for the calls they're running," Rowley said. "It's better for their health, and it's better for their performance. That's a big one for us."

Firehouse 19 has been designed to meet Silver standards for energy efficiency as part of the U.S. Green Building Council's program for LEED, or Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design. Once its certification is confirmed, the station will be Henrico's 15th county government or school building endorsed through the LEED program.

The \$9 million firehouse is the final project to be completed from Henrico's 2005 bond referendum. ■

*A grand opening event will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, April 28 at Firehouse 19, 12324 Kain Road (see project locations graphic on page 6). For more information, go to [henrico.us/fire/firehouses](http://henrico.us/fire/firehouses).*

# Free tax help available for residents through April 12

## Libbie Mill, Fairfield libraries hosting MetroCASH sites

Eligible Henrico taxpayers — households with incomes of \$54,000 or less in 2017 — can receive free assistance with their income tax returns at locations in the county and throughout the metropolitan area.

Henrico County again is teaming with United Way of Greater Richmond & Petersburg to offer help through United Way's MetroCASH Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program. IRS-certified tax preparers will work with qualifying families and individuals to complete, file and get the most out of their tax returns.

Residents using the service potentially could enhance their refunds by taking advantage of the Earned Income Credit (EIC), a tax benefit for people who earn low to moderate incomes.

Designed to reduce the tax burden and supplement wages, the credit could increase a federal refund by as much as \$6,318 for families with three or more children and \$510 for individuals.

"These credits can help Henrico families make ends meet, but they must file a tax return to claim them," said Kim Edmonds, acting unit coordinator for Henrico Extension, which coordinates the county's participation in the program.

"We want more qualifying families to learn about and receive these tax credits," she said. "We also encourage families to take advantage of this free service and avoid paying tax-preparation fees."

To qualify for the EIC, residents must meet the following income requirements for 2017 (the incomes listed are for married couples filing a joint return; in each category, the income limit is \$5,550 less for single-parent families):

- Earned less than \$53,930, with three or more qualifying children;
- Earned less than \$50,597, with two children;
- Earned less than \$45,207, with one child; and
- Earned less than \$20,600, with no children.

Trained volunteers are available to answer questions and help eligible taxpayers prepare and file electronic returns at 15 MetroCASH sites, including Libbie Mill Library and Fairfield Area Library in Henrico.

To receive assistance at a MetroCASH site, families and individuals should bring photo identification for each adult in the household; Social Security or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) cards for each person on the tax return, including dependents; forms for all income received in 2017, such as the W-2 and 1099-R; form 1095 demonstrating proof of health insurance; a voided check for direct deposit of refunds; copies of the previous year's state and federal returns, if available; and any other tax-related documents.

Edmonds noted that MetroCASH participants also can benefit from the Save Your Refund program. Filers choosing to save a portion of their refund will be eligible to win cash prizes through the program, she said. Information is available at [saveyourrefund.com](http://saveyourrefund.com).

For the 2016 tax year, MetroCASH volunteers helped more than 3,000 area households file returns, generating nearly \$795,000 in EIC funds and \$3 million in federal refunds. The free service saved its clients an estimated \$800,000 in preparation fees.

The additional funds benefit the local economy as well, as more than 80 percent of EIC refund dollars remain in the community where they are received, according to the organization.

Many area residents miss this opportunity, however. Up to 25 percent of eligible taxpayers fail to claim the EIC. ■

*Additional information is available at [yourunited-way.org/MetroCASH](http://yourunited-way.org/MetroCASH) or by calling 211.*

### MetroCASH sites in Henrico

**LIBBIE MILL LIBRARY**  
 2100 Libbie Lake East St.  
 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays  
 and Thursdays through April 12

**FAIRFIELD AREA LIBRARY**  
 1001 N. Laburnum Ave.  
 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays  
 through March 10

**Free tax help for households earning \$54,000 or less in 2017**

Comcast  
channel 17

# HCTV SCHEDULE

Verizon  
channel 39

Watch HCTV programs streamed live at [henrico.us](http://henrico.us). For program descriptions or more information, go to [henrico.us/pr](http://henrico.us/pr).



## Even Hours

Midnight, 2 a.m., 4 a.m., 6 a.m.,  
8 a.m., 10 a.m., Noon, 2 p.m.,  
4 p.m., 6 p.m., 8 p.m., 10 p.m.

## Odd Hours

1 a.m., 3 a.m., 5 a.m., 7 a.m.,  
9 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.,  
5 p.m., 7 p.m., 9 p.m., 11 p.m.

FEB 26 THROUGH MAR 4	Mon Wed Fri Sun	For Family and Community: The Life of William Leroy Vandervall — 20 mins	The Story of Mercer Hugh Cosby Farm — 20 mins
	Tue Thu Sat	The History of Gravel Hill — 16 mins	Forging Freedom: The Story of Gabriel's Rebellion — 29 mins
MAR 5 THROUGH MAR 11	Mon Wed Fri Sun	Crystal Clear: Henrico County Water Reclamation Facility — 21 mins	Without Warning: How Henrico Responds to Water Main Breaks — 13 mins
	Tue Thu Sat	Active Shooter: What Would You Do? — 21 mins	Cashell Donahoe: A Gentleman and a Scholar — 18 mins
MAR 12 THROUGH MAR 18	Mon Wed Fri Sun	Never Forget: Hubbard/Cotner Cold Case — 20 mins	The History of New Market Road: Connecting the Past to the Future — 17 mins
	Tue Thu Sat	Fighting the Stigma of Opioid Addiction: Voices of Recovery — 26 mins	Faith, Smiles and Public Service: The Story of Dr. Jacob L. Adams — 16 mins
MAR 19 THROUGH MAR 25	Mon Wed Fri Sun	Taking Out the Trash: Henrico County's Solid Waste Division — 17 mins	A Safe Place to Learn: Henrico's School Resource Officers — 14 mins
	Tue Thu Sat	Ask the Question: Suicide Prevention — 19 mins	Water, Clean and Clear: Henrico's Water Treatment Facility — 17 mins
MAR 26 THROUGH APR 1	Mon Wed Fri Sun	Frozen in Time: The Ruins of the James River Steam Brewery — 23 mins	When Food Can Kill You: Living with Food Allergies — 18 mins
	Tue Thu Sat	The Story of Mercer Hugh Cosby Farm — 20 mins	MONEY: The Evolution of Currency in America — 31 mins
APR 2 THROUGH APR 8	Mon Wed Fri Sun	Total Water Cycle: From the James to the James — mins TBD	The Henrico Victim/Witness Assistance Program — 15 mins
	Tue Thu Sat	Henrico Statesman: Charles M. Johnson (1919-1981) — 20 mins	Never Forget: Janice Johnson Missing Person Cold Case — 15 mins





A new Fairfield Area Library is planned southeast of North Laburnum Avenue and Watts Lane, near the Eastern Henrico Recreation Center. Construction is expected to begin in June. An opening is anticipated in October 2019. The new library will be about a half-mile north of the existing Fairfield Area Library. (Images by BCWH)

# New Fairfield Area Library nearing construction

\$29 million facility will further enhance Laburnum corridor

Henrico County’s plan to build a new Fairfield Area Library on North Laburnum Avenue is advancing toward an expected start of construction in June.

The Board of Supervisors on Jan. 23 unanimously approved a plan of development for the \$29 million project. The county expects to seek construction bids in April and award a contract in May. An opening is anticipated in October 2019.

“It’s going to be a delightful place,” said Gerald M. McKenna, director of the Henrico County Public Library.

The two-story, 44,803-square-foot library will

rise on a 10-acre site southeast of North Laburnum and Watts Lane, near the Eastern Henrico Recreation Center and the Henrico Health Department’s East Clinic. Sidewalks and a traffic signal will accommodate pedestrian access between the facilities.

“It’s putting together complementary services,” McKenna said, also noting the nearby Harvie Elementary School.

Henrico’s push to cluster public facilities and services along the Laburnum corridor began with the opening of Harvie Elementary in 2008, said R. Joseph Emerson Jr., director of the Department of Planning.

“You can produce very positive effects with the correct placement of public facilities,” he said. “The grouping of facilities along Laburnum will create efficiencies for residents as well as the county. It also will spur quality private investment in the area.”

The library will replace the existing Fairfield Area Library, at 1001 N. Laburnum Ave., and complete an effort to build a modern library for each of the county’s five magisterial districts. The existing Fairfield Area Library opened in 1976 and occupies 16,000 square feet.

McKenna said the new facility will benefit from lessons gleaned from the previous four area library projects: Tuckahoe Area Library, which opened in 2006; Twin Hickory Area Library, 2007; Libbie Mill Library, 2015; and Varina Area Library, 2016.

The Fairfield Area Library will feature a modern design with an open lobby, classroom and meeting space, group study areas, a digital media lab and a drive-up window, where patrons can pick up and drop off materials.

“This one will be the first with a classroom to teach lifelong learning skills,” McKenna said. “It also will have a designated collaborative space between the teens’ and children’s areas.”

In addition, the library will feature a “family computing area” on its second level, providing public access to computers adjacent to the children’s collection.

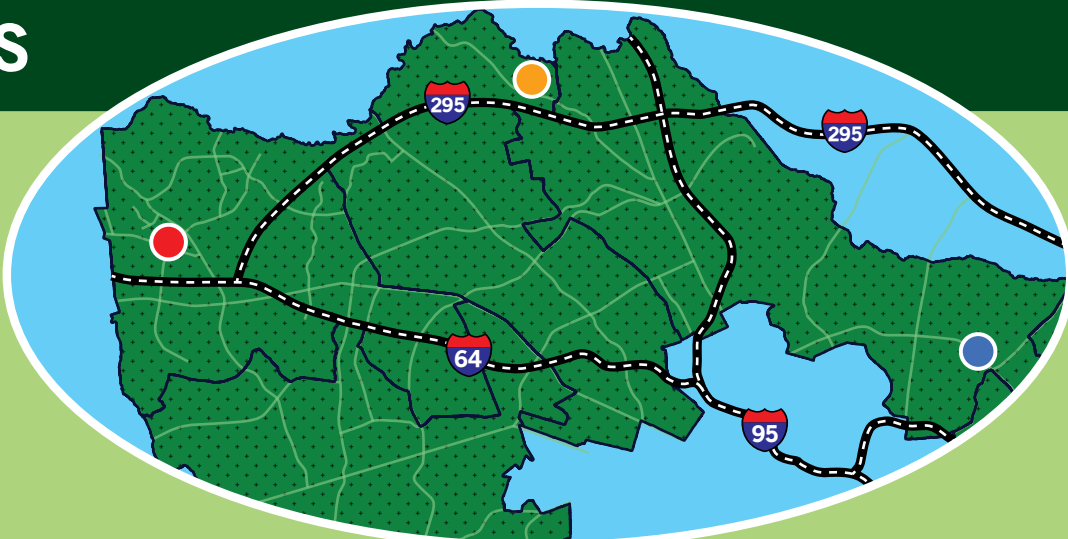
The site also will feature an entry plaza, an area for outdoor activities, parking for 220 vehicles and room for a 16,000-square-foot addition in the future.

The project is being funded largely through Henrico’s 2016 bond referendum. County voters overwhelmingly approved using bonds to finance the library project, with 75 percent voting “yes.” ■

For more information, go to [henricolibrary.org/fairfield](http://henricolibrary.org/fairfield).

## PROJECT LOCATIONS

- Short Pump Firehouse 19
- Greenwood Park
- New Fairfield Area Library Site



# RECREATION ROUNDUP

**Sat, Feb 24:**

## **African-Americans in Eastern Henrico**

Learn about the impact of enslaved and free people who lived and worked at High Meadow/Dabbs House. Meet U.S. Colored Troops reenactors and hear about their role in the Battle of New Market Heights. Also learn about restoration efforts at Evergreen and East End cemeteries. *Dabbs House Museum.* 1-4 p.m. Info: 652-1426.

**Tue & Wed, March 6 & 7:**

## **On-the-Air Radio Players**

Join the studio audience for a live production of "Hollywood." *The Cultural Arts Center at Glen Allen.* 7:30 p.m. Info: 501-5138.

**Sat, Mar 10:**

## **Boating Safety Course**

Offered by the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries; participants will take the boating safety exam. Ages 12 and older. Registration required at [dgif.virginia.gov](http://dgif.virginia.gov) or (800) 830-2268. *Deep Run Recreation Center.* 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Info: 652-1436.



*Sheep to Shawl, April 21.*

**Tue, Mar 20:**

## **Growing Your Own Food**

Learn to plan, plant and harvest a garden of any size. Ages 18 and older. Registration required. *Deep Run Recreation Center.* 7-8 p.m. Info: 652-1437.

## **Sat, Mar 31: Basic Hunter Education Course**

Offered by the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries. Ages 12 and older. Registration required at [dgif.virginia.gov](http://dgif.virginia.gov) or (800) 830-2268. *Dorey Recreation Center.* 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Info: [hac003@henrico.us](mailto:hac003@henrico.us).

**Wed, Apr 4 & 18: W.O.W.**

Kick start your Weekend on Wednesday with music, food trucks and family fun. Concessions available for purchase. *Eastern Henrico Recreation Center.* 5-7 p.m. Info: 652-1441.

**Sat, Apr 7:**

## **Bagpipes and Kilts**

Celebrate Scottish Heritage Month with highland sports and dancing, popular foods from the old country, Gaelic music, kilts, crafts and more. *Walkerton Tavern.* Noon-3 p.m. Info: 652-3409.

## **Sun, Apr 15: Sunday Afternoon with the Classics**

Join the Richmond Region AACA, Model T and Model A clubs for a closer look at Henry Ford's influential automobiles. *Deep Run Park.* 2-3:30 p.m. Info: 652-3407.

**Wed, Apr 18:**

## **Gardening for Butterflies**

Learn which plants attract them and how to nourish their larval form. Ages 18 and older. Registration required. *Deep Run Recreation Center.* 7-8 p.m. Info: 652-1437.

**Sat, Apr 21:**

## **Sheep to Shawl**

See sheep-shearing demonstrations, learn to process wool and watch dogs herd the sheep. Food and textile vendors will be on hand. *Meadow Farm Museum.* Noon-4 p.m. Info: 652-1416.

**Mon, Apr 23:**

## **Henrico Concert Band in Concert**

Reservations required. *Henrico Theatre.* 7:30 p.m. Info: 652-1460.

**Sat, Apr 28:**

## **World Tai Chi & Qigong Day**

Learn basic techniques, watch demonstrations and take part in this international event. *Eastern Henrico Recreation Center.* 9:30 a.m.-noon. Info: 652-1408.

*Programs are free and open to everyone except where noted. For additional activities, events and classes, please see "Program Guide," available at [henrico.us/rec](http://henrico.us/rec), Henrico libraries and by calling (804) 501-PARK.*

# LIBRARY LINEUP

## **East End Poetry Slam**

This two-part event will include a discussion of the history and writing techniques of slam poetry and will feature the East End Teen Poetry Slam competition. **Thu, Feb 15:** Discussion; **Tue, Feb 27:** Competition. *Varina Area Library.* 7 p.m.

## **Mended Hearts**

Learn about this peer-to-peer support group for heart-disease patients and their family members. **Thu, Mar 1:** *Gayton Branch Library.* 4 p.m. **Thu, Apr 5:** *Varina Area Library.* 4 p.m. **Thu, May 3:** *Sandston Branch Library.* 4 p.m.

## **Women & Girls in STEM Week**

Enjoy a screening and book

discussion of "Hidden Figures" to kick off this celebration of women and girls in science, technology, engineering and math. Activities include accessible technology workshops for teens and a panel discussion with local women leaders in STEM fields. Programs are part of the NASA @ My Library project. **Sat, Mar 3:** Book discussion, 11 a.m., film screening, 12:30 p.m.; **Sat, Mar 10:** Panel discussion, 1 p.m. (technology workshops throughout the week). *Varina Area Library.*

## **Night Sky Astronomy**

Join the Richmond Astronomical Society and use high-powered telescopes to view celestial objects with great clarity and detail. Programs are part of the NASA @ My Library project. **Tue, Mar 6:**

*Tuckahoe Area Library.* 6:15 p.m.

**Tue, Mar 20:** *Glen Allen Branch Library.* 7 p.m. **Mon, Mar 26:** *Twin Hickory Area Library.* 7 p.m.

## **East End Poetry Slam**

This two-part event will include a discussion of the history and writing techniques of slam poetry and also will feature the East End Teen Poetry Slam competition. **Tue, Apr 10:** Discussion; **Tue, Apr 17:** Competition. *Sandston Branch Library.* 6 p.m.

**Wed, Apr 11: ALL HENRICO**

## **READS with Reyna Grande**

Celebrate the 10th annual edition of Henrico's community literacy event by joining the author for a discussion of her immigration memoir, "The Distance Between

Us." A book signing will follow. Learn more about the event and reserve a copy of the book at [henricolibrary.org/ahr](http://henricolibrary.org/ahr) or by calling your local library. *Glen Allen High School.* 7 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

## **Teen Volunteer Fair**

Meet representatives from local organizations, learn about fun programs and volunteer opportunities and sign up on the spot! **Sat, Apr 14:** *Tuckahoe Area Library.* 2-3 p.m. **Sat, May 5:** *Varina Area Library.* 1-3 p.m.

*Events are free and open to everyone. For more information, go to [henricolibrary.org](http://henricolibrary.org); email [pconway@henricolibrary.org](mailto:pconway@henricolibrary.org); or call (804) 501-1900.*



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