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Flagler County Library celebrates National Library Week with staff-created videos on social media

April 20, 2020 – Flagler County Library will celebrate National Library Week by launching a series of videos that provide light-hearted entertainment as part of the services offered during the COVID-19 outbreak.

“Our Youth Services Department has been working on outreach to the community through various types of programming on video,” said Library Director Holly Albanese. “We are using a combination of original programming, and author-approved books for story time.”

The weekly video series to promote fun and safety with stay-at-home activities for all ages. Videos will be posted to the following Flagler County social media platforms:
Facebook.com/FlaglerCountyPublicLibrary
Facebook.com/FlaglerCountyGovernment
YouTube
Nextdoor (which posts automatically to those who belong to a neighborhood – nextdoor.com)

The schedule is as follows:

- 4/20 Happy National Library Week!
  - Description: The Flagler County Public Library is celebrating National Library Week with the introduction of our new online series of videos that promote the fun and safety of stay-at-home activities for all-ages. Even though we may be apart doesn’t mean we still can’t get together! Please enjoy this video of FCPL staff and how they try to maintain a routine of kindness during this tough time.

- 4/22 Storytime with Ms. Heather
  - Description: Join Ms. Heather for songs, stories, and fun! We’ll be reading Libby The Lobster by Heather Chalmers and Marybeth Jeitner. Libby the Lobster is read with permission from Paper Sailor Inc.

- 4/24 Crafty Fridays: Origami Bookmarks
Description: Welcome to our first Crafty Friday! Watch the video to learn how to make your own unique origami corner bookmark. All you need is some paper and your own imagination! This craft is inspired by https://www.redtedart.com/origami-bookmark/.

All residents and businesses must abide by Executive and Emergency Orders, and follow Florida Department of Health and CDC guidance, to include:

- Staying home except when engaged in essential services or activities
- Wearing cloth face coverings when out in public
- Practicing aggressive social distancing at all times – people should keep a minimum of 6 feet of space between one another, and keep groups to less than 10, which includes while shopping and waiting in the check-out line
- Frequent hand washing for at least 20 seconds, or use an alcohol-based (at least 60% alcohol) hand sanitizer when soap and water are not available
- Avoiding close contact with people who are, or may be, sick

Additionally, those who are sick and/or told to self-isolate are to: remain at home unless seeking medical care, cover coughs and sneezes, wear a facemask around others, and disinfect touched surfaces daily.

COVID-19 health related questions or concerns should be directed to your regular healthcare provider or the Florida Health hotline at 866-779-6121.

COVID-19 business concerns should be directed to the Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation at 866-532-1440.

All other COVID-19 government services questions or concerns may be directed to a specific municipality or the Emergency Operations Center at 386-313-4200.

Check for current information on Flagler County’s website www.flaglercounty.org, and follow “Flagler County Government” or “Flagler County Emergency Management” on Social Media. The county’s social media team will provide updates through these official accounts:

Flagler County Government
- Facebook.com/FlaglerCountyGovernment

Flagler County Emergency Management
- Facebook.com/FlaglerEOC
- Twitter.com/FlaglerEOC
- Instagram.com/FlaglerEOC

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