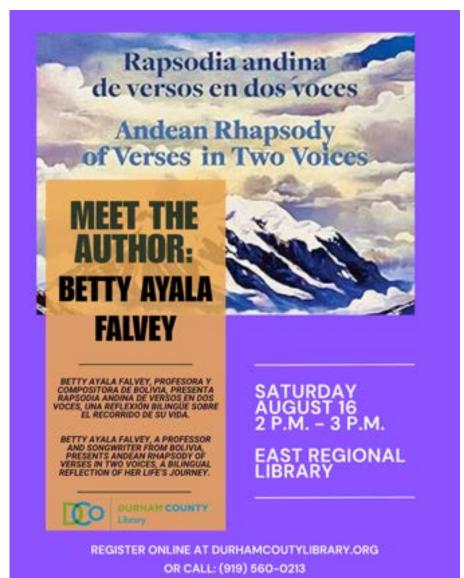
Below is just a selection of our adult programs. For our full listing of programs, please view our events calendar.

FEATURED PROGRAM

Andean Rhapsody in Two Voices



Andean Rhapsody in Two Verses Saturday, August 16, 2 - 3 p.m. **East Regional Library Registration Required**

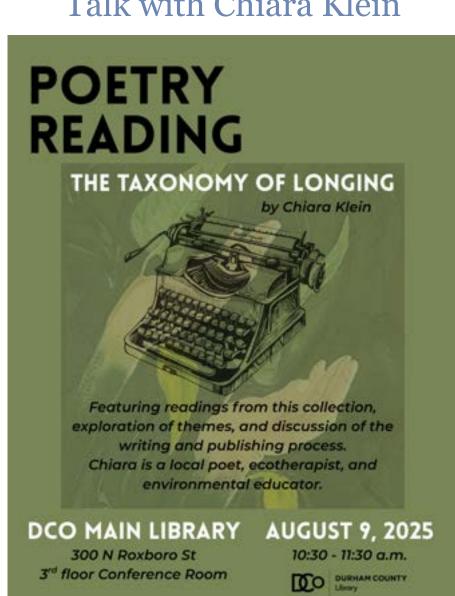
Betty Ayala Falvey, a professor and songwriter from Bolivia, presents Andean Rhapsody of Verses in Two Voices, a bilingual reflection of her life's journey. Her empathetic poems explore universal themes such as love, happiness, sorrow, and optimism. Written in both English and Spanish, the book highlights diversity and offers unique insights into the human experience. Betty's mission is to inspire readers to seek a world built on love, tolerance, and harmony. Through her poignant verses, she encourages readers to find a deep emotional connection, leaving a lasting impact on the heart, soul, and mind.

Contact: Phil Locey, plocey@dconc.gov

Register for Andean Rhapsody

FEATURED PROGRAM

The Taxonomy of Longing: Author Talk with Chiara Klein



Saturday, August 9, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. Main Library **Registration Required** Chiara Klein, local author and host of our Nature Writing Workshops, joins us to share

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share pieces from the book and facilitate discussion around the pieces and themes, as well as the publishing process and any other questions from audience members. Contact: Natalie Killion, nkillion@dconc.gov

her collection of poetry, "The Taxonomy of Longing," self-published in 2024. She will

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FEATURED PROGRAM



South Regional Library **Registration Required** Why would someone volunteer in a country at war like Ukraine? How would you get there? What would you do once you arrived? What if you found that the experience

Philip Semanchuk will talk about his months as a non-combat volunteer in Ukraine, and he'll answer all the above questions and more. The presentation includes many personal photographs and will last about one hour with an additional 30 minutes for Q&A afterward. Contact: Jessica Lundin, jlundin@dconc.gov

meant so much to you that you went back again and again? On Saturday, August 30,

Register for Volunteering in Ukraine

BHAM COUNTY LIBRARY PRESENTS

TURTLES! Who? What? Where? When? Why?

FEATURED PROGRAM

REGISTER ONLINE: DURHAMCOUNTYLIBRARY.ORG/EVENTS 🔯 TURTLES! Who? What? When? Where? Why? Tuesday, August 26, 6 - 7 p.m. Main Library **Registration Required**

What is a river cooter? Why do turtles cross roads? Where do most turtles live in the Piedmont? Where are the tiniest turtles located? Who is the largest freshwater turtle in the United States? Join Jeff Beane, Herpetology Collection Manager for the North Carolina State Museum of Natural Sciences, to learn more about these patient reptiles!

Contact: Megan Koslofsky, mkoslofsky@dconc.gov **Register for Turtles**

> Saturday, August 9, 10 a.m. - Noon South Regional Library

Check out these other events for adults! Click the links below to for more info.

Home Buyer 101

Computer Skills for Job Seekers

Saturday, August 9, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. East Regional Library From Orchard to Glass with Ment

Beverage Company Thursday, August 12, 6:30 - 8 p.m. Offsite at Ment Beverage Co.

Dying on Our Terms: Medical Aid, Palliative Care, and the Right to Choose Wednesday, August 13, 6 - 7:30 p.m. Main Library

Reel Fun! Exploring Our Local Underwater Critters Wednesday, August 20, 6 - 7 p.m.

Main Library Laser Cut Your Own Coasters Thursday, August 21, 4 - 5 p.m.

Main Library **Food Preservation**

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Wednesday, August 27, 6 - 7:30 p.m. Main Library





