



Inspiring lifelong learning for everyone in our community

Awards

Best of Stafford:
Porter Branch

Fredericksburg Parent's Family Favorites:
#1 for Family Fun: Best Indoor Activity

Grow a Reader Storytimes: Top Pick
for free things to do for family fun

Paws for Reading program: Top Pick
for online kids activity

**Virginia Library Association's Up and Comer
Award:** Babak Zarin, Access Services Librarian

Giant Food Community Bag Program:
Porter Branch

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Innovation

Audio-visual Booth
at IdeaSpace: Making + Media

Distributed 12,000 **Free Rapid
At-Home COVID-19 Test Kits**

Launched **Economic and Workforce
Development Newsletter**

MakerLab Badging at IdeaSpace: Making + Media

Tech on the Go equipment at IdeaSpace: Making + Media



Grants

**Institute of Museum and Library
Services (IMLS) American Rescue Plan**
for Westmoreland Library on the Go vehicle

**Library of Virginia American Rescue Plan Act
sub-grant** for electronic materials

Fred Ex Community Grant for expanding wifi into
neighborhoods surrounding Salem Church Branch

Fredericksburg Charitable Savings Foundation
for SMART Boards at several library branches

Partners

Library of Virginia: Virginia Deaf
Culture Digital Library

Virginia Department of Health:
COVID test kit distribution and
mobile testing events

Red Cross: Blood drives at library
branches

Services

**Fredericksburg Branch
improvements**

HelpNow Online Tutoring for all ages

In-person programs resumed:
**Art Shows, Music on the Steps
concerts, Notary Services,** and
Lobby Stops to assisted living facilities
and senior apartments

LinkedIn Learning

Summer Lunches for
residents 18 and under

Virtual programming:
**Grow a Reader Storytimes,
Lunch & Learn, Rappahannock
Writers' Conference**

Year-round **Reading Challenges**

