

Library Fundraiser Will Be Tuesday

Scenic Regional Library's new Union branch is hosting an inaugural naming rights auction.

The event will be Tuesday, Nov. 12, at 6 p.m. The branch, located at 251 Union Plaza Drive, opened in August.

The auction is a fundraising effort by the Union Friends of the Library group. Individuals, businesses, and organizations will be able to bid on the naming rights for 13 areas in the new library for one year.

Funds from the event will go toward additional programming, equipment and other items at the Union branch.

Attendees will be able to explore the different areas of the new library and socialize. Snacks will be available.

Wine and spirits will be provided by Pinckney Bend Distillery and Blumenhof Winery. Music will be provided by local musician Mike Rufkahr. David Sutton will serve as the auctioneer.

The 13 areas available for naming are the three outdoor patios; three meeting rooms; three study rooms; adult, teen and children's reading areas; and the service

desk.

The winning bidder for each area will have a 22- by 28-inch full-color, framed sign to be placed in the area with the name of the individual, business, or organization, along with a photograph or logo.

Bidding for each area begins at \$150. Bidders may purchase the rights to name an area in honor of a loved one, in memory of someone, or to publicize a local business or organization.

More than 70,000 people visit the Union branch each year. The Union Friends of the Library is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization; auction sponsorships may be tax-deductible.

Attendees are encouraged to reserve a spot by contacting Scenic Regional Library Director Steve Campbell at swcampbell@scenicregional.org or 636-583-0652, ext. 101.

November Events

The Union branch has a full slate of activities planned for November.

Most events require preregistration. To register for any pro-

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Supplements - 8 a.m. Wednesday; Legals - 4 p.m. Thursday.

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stop by the branch, or
visit scenicregional.org.

Preschool story time
will continue throughout
the month of November.
The sessions will be held
on Wednesdays at 10
a.m. The story time will
repeat on Saturdays, also
at 10 a.m. The event fea-
tures stories, songs and
crafts for the youngest
library patrons.

On Saturday, Nov. 9,
there will be a celebration
of international games
day. Guests can stop by
at any time from 9 a.m.
and 5 p.m. to play games.

A class on using the
cloud library will be of-
fered Tuesday, Nov. 19,
from 10 to 11 a.m. Guests
are encouraged to bring a
tablet or smartphone and
learn how to use Cloud

Library with a library
card.

The Hooked on Books
club will meet Thursday,
Nov. 21, at 6 p.m. The
group will discuss "Red
Mountain" by Boo Walk-
er.

Babaloo, a one-man
musical comedy act for
kids, will be at the li-
brary Monday, Nov. 25,
at 4 p.m.

Read, Build and Play
will be held Tuesday, Nov.
26, from 4 to 5 p.m. at the
library. Children can ex-
plore the world of build-
ing during this construc-
tion playtime. Children
of all ages are welcome.

Book Bingo and Read-
ing to Rover, normally
held the fourth Thurs-
day of the month, will
not take place in Novem-
ber because of Thanks-
giving.