

Savery Library Newsletter

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Talladega College
Talladega, Alabama

FREE Library Programs

- November 5 at 3pm
Community Service Fair
- November 8 at 7pm
Muscogee Creek Nation
Speaker
- November 15 at 7pm
Bingo Night
- November 29 at 7pm
Trivia Night



Letter from the Director

Savery Library is constantly in a state of change: we have now installed beautiful new carpet and window shades in our Main Reference Room and the Administrative offices, our older copies of Journals and Magazines are now nicely and neatly organized on our third floor, we are in the process of shifting all of the books in the stacks for easier retrieval and we have added more books to our Children's, Youth, and New-to-us Adult fiction and non-fiction section. Please come by and check out all of our exciting changes.

Savery Library is committed to the needs of the students. We are here for research help, to locate an interesting new book to read, and to help anyone who comes through our doors, be they students, faculty, staff, or visitors.

Statistics:

During the month of October 199 items were checked out and 45 renewed and 89 books and 2 magazines were added to our system. We had over 14,500 visitors, 3 research requests, and the computer lab was used by over 332 students.



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Exciting Upcoming Events:

Founder's Day Luncheon will once again be held in Savery Library. Please purchase tickets and join us in the celebration of this wonderful weekend.

Please also join us for the many activities the Mr. Allen McQueen has planned for the month (please see the FREE Library Programs).

In collaboration with Dr. McKay and the education department, Savery Library will be hosting a Rising Up and Writing Retreat on November 16-17. Please speak with Dr. McKay in signing up for this amazing and insightful event (ext. 6292).

Have a Great Month!

Written By:
Caitlin Cox, Library Director

From the Archives

The oldest catalog in the Talladega College archive is for the 1870-1871 academic year. That year, only two programs were offered: the agricultural department to which ALL male students belonged, and the primary

department "for the instruction of the younger and less advanced pupils." Tuition for either department was \$1.00 per month; board, which included a furnished room, electric,

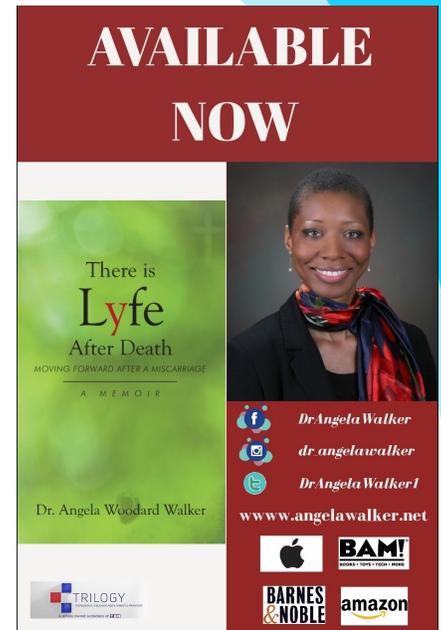
and laundry service, was \$10.00 per month per student.

Written by:
Cassandra Burford
Special Collections
Librarian

Savery Library Program Recap

Savery Library had a very busy month of programs in October. The Library held its first Author Talk: Dr. Angela Walker discussed her recently published book "There is Lyfe After Death: Moving Forward After a Miscarriage". It was an insightful talk with an inspirational message. We also held our annual Ronald McNair Birthday Celebration, honoring the Civil Rights pioneer. The Boyd E. Christenberry Planetarium brought an inflatable planetarium to show the planets and stars. The Library hosted its monthly Community Service Fair. The organizations in attendance were the Southern Poverty Law Center and the Danon Project. In addition to educational programs, Savery Library also has recreational activities: our weekly Game Nights had over twenty students attending each one with students coming in to play Chess, Clue, Life, Mancala, Monopoly, Risk, Scrabble, UNO, and other card games. The Library also held its monthly Bingo Night, giving students the chance to win gift cards to local restaurants. Trivia Night for the month was cancelled.

November will be another busy month of programs at Savery Library. A special guest from the Muscogee Creek Nation, Mrs. Melissa Harjo-Moffer, will be speaking at our Native American Heritage Month program. This month's Community Service Fair will feature 2nd Chance Inc., and the ARC of North Talladega County. The Library will be holding its weekly Game Nights. Bingo Night is Nov. 15 and Trivia Night will be Nov. 29.



Check out our new website!

<https://talladega.libguides.com/saverylibraryhome/home>

Student Spotlight: Ms. Alyanna Turner



Alyanna Turner
Class of 2019

Name: Alyanna Turner

Hometown: Memphis, TN

Program: Social Work

Anticipated Graduation Date:
May 2019

Book I would recommend:
Thought We Had Forever by
LaQuita Cameron-Langhorn (My
Aunt)

Favorite Quote: "If there is no
struggle there is no progress" –
Frederick Douglass

**Involved in any Clubs on Cam-
pus:** Social Work, Band

Favorite Spot on Camps: My Resi-
dence Hall

**Favorite Professor or Staff Mem-
ber and why:** Mrs. Trice because
she has a bubbly personality and
she pushes her students to the lim-
it to be the best in not just your
field of study but as a human.

Plan for After Graduation: Be-
come a Social Worker at the Juve-
nile Detention Center


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Remember! The library has textbooks available to use!