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**The Greenville County Library System Presents  
Green Reads: Adult Summer Reading**

**Greenville, SC** – The Greenville County Library System is proud to launch our first adult summer reading program. This year's theme, **Green Reads**, will focus on the environment and encourage patrons to include library use as an important part of their earth-friendly lifestyles.

The Greenville County Library System and Upstate Forever have coordinated an exciting schedule of events to complement our reading list. A schedule of events and a list of books on the theme are available at [www.greenvillelibrary.org](http://www.greenvillelibrary.org).

Events are available for all budgets, including some at no cost! Individuals ages 18 and over are invited to read books and join in activities focused on recycling, nature and the environment. Participants are encouraged to read at least three books, record the titles in a reading log and to return the reading log for a free reusable tote bag! Pick up and return a reading log at any Greenville County Library System location.

The Green Reads program kicks off June 1, 2009 with our first event: **Seed Swap on Saturday, June 6** from **10:00a-12:00p** at the **Taylor's (Burdette) Branch**. Bring your surplus seeds or young plants and share with other gardeners! Call 268-5955 for more information.

For more information about Green Reads, **call 527-9293**.

**About the Greenville County Library System:**

*Founded in 1921, the Greenville County Library System operates 12 facilities, a bookmobile, and a website that provide information, materials, and engaging programs delivered with world-class technology and a customer-centric approach. The Library System offers free access to resources and experiences and continually strives to be the community's destination of choice for exploring the world. For more information, visit the Library's website at [www.greenvillelibrary.org](http://www.greenvillelibrary.org).*

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