

Tulsa City-County LIBRARY

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 A FREE MONTHLY GUIDE TO YOUR COMMUNITY LIBRARY, ITS PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

adults & all ages

BIXBY LIBRARY

A-Book-A-Month Discussion Group
 Wednesday, March 25 • 2-3 p.m.
 Join us as we discuss the works of Richard Peck: "A Long Way From Chicago," "A Year Down Yonder" and "A Season of Gifts." You should read the book or books prior to the program. For adults.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY

Open Book Discussion
 Tuesday, March 3 • 6:30-7:45 p.m.
 Read "Nemesis" by Philip Roth and then join us for this lively discussion. Copies of the book are available at the Broken Arrow Library. For adults.

Broken Arrow Big Read Kickoff Event Featuring Author Jim Butcher
 Thursday, March 5 • 1-2 p.m. OR6-7 p.m.
 LOCATION: Northeastern State University, Broken Arrow Campus, 3100 E. New Orleans • Come and join the Broken Arrow community as Northeastern State University and the Big Read host renowned author and speaker Jim Butcher as he explores the themes of Ursula Le Guin's classic novel "A Wizard of Earthsea." For teens and adults.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY/ SOUTH

Novels @Night Book Club
 Tuesday, March 10 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.
 Join us as we discuss "A Wizard of Earthsea" by Ursula K. Le Guin and other science-fiction favorites. Participants should read the book prior to the program. For adults.

Great Decisions
 Wednesdays, March 11, 25
 12:30-2:30 p.m. • Join other adults in a lively discussion analyzing current issues and their historical precedents.

BROOKSIDE LIBRARY

Brookside Book Discussion
 Monday, March 9 • 1:30-2:30 p.m.
 Read "The Invention of Wings" by Sue Monk Kidd and then join us for this lively discussion. For adults.

COLLINSVILLE LIBRARY

All Thumbs Knitters
 Wednesdays, March 4, 18 • 1-3 p.m.
 All levels of knitting expertise are welcome to join us for this fun and instructional afternoon. For adults.

Job Lab
 Monday, March 9 • 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
 Library staff will help you update your résumé, create an email address, search for jobs online, complete online applications, or explore a new career. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7528 to register.

Collinsville Book Discussion
 Tuesday, March 10 • noon-1 p.m.
 Read "Bad Monkey" by Carl Hiaasen and then join this fun group of readers for a lively discussion. For adults.

Patchworkers
 Tuesday, March 10 • 6:30-8 p.m.
 If you want to learn to quilt or are already an experienced quilter, join us for a fun and informative evening. For adults.

COMMUNITY VENUES

Books Sandwiched In
 Monday, March 2 • 12:10-12:50 p.m.
 LOCATION: Oklahoma Methodist Manor, Fleming Center, 4134 E. 31st St. Susan Swatek, retired oil and gas attorney, will review "The Rosie Project" by Graeme Simsion. For adults.

Novel Talk Presents: The Magic of Neil Gaiman
 Wednesday, March 4 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.
 LOCATION: Buddy LaFortune Community Center, 5202 S. Hudson Ave. Dr. Joshua Grasso, English professor, public speaker extraordinaire and Neil Gaiman fan, will prepare

you for Gaiman's visit to Tulsa by delving into the themes of Gaiman's books and explaining the genius of this fantastical literary rock star. This event is in conjunction with "Tulsa Reads." For ages 16 and older.

Books Sandwiched In
 Monday, March 9 • 12:10-12:50 p.m.
 LOCATION: Oklahoma Methodist Manor, Fleming Center, 4134 E. 31st St. Eldon Esenach, retired chairman of the political science department at the University of Tulsa, will review "A Spy Among Friends: Kim Philby and the Great Betrayal" by Ben Macintyre. For adults.

Books Sandwiched In
 Monday, March 16 • 12:10-12:50 p.m.
 LOCATION: Oklahoma Methodist Manor, Fleming Center, 4134 E. 31st St. Gerry Hendon, past president of Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries, will review "The Elephant Company: The Story of an Unlikely Hero and the Animals Who Helped Him Save Lives in World War II" by Vicki Constantine Croke. For adults.

Books Sandwiched In
 Monday, March 23 • 12:10-12:50 p.m.
 LOCATION: Oklahoma Methodist Manor, Fleming Center, 4134 E. 31st St. Carolyn McClure, retired Tulsa Public Schools librarian, will review "All the Light We Cannot See" by Anthony Doerr. For adults.

GLENPOOL LIBRARY

Fiber Arts
 Saturday, March 14 • 1-3 p.m.
 Join us for tea, conversation and friendship. Bring your latest project or start a new one. For adults.


Easy Container Gardening
 Saturday, March 28 • 1-2 p.m.
 Learn how to plant vegetables in a portable 5-gallon bucket. All materials are provided. Class size is limited. Call 918-549-7535 to sign up. For adults.

HARDESTY REGIONAL LIBRARY

Simple Steps for Starting Your Business: Start-Up Basics
 Thursday, March 5 • 6:30-8:30 p.m.
 Location: Pecan Room • Get the help you need with SCORE experts in this overview designed to give you insight about the tools, advice and information you need to succeed. You will learn the essentials of business start-ups, get action steps for your business and receive one-to-one mentoring. Registration is required. Go to www.tulsa.score.org to register. For adults.


2015 American Indian Festival of Words Writers Award Presentation
 Saturday, March 7 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
 Location: Connor's Cove • Joseph Bruchac, traditional storyteller and author, will receive the 2015 American Indian Festival of Words Writers Award. Bruchac will talk about his life and works and sign books. Books will be available for purchasing. For all ages.

2015 American Indian Festival of Words
 Saturday, March 7 • 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
 The free festival celebrates the contributions of American Indians through enlightening family programs. For all ages.

New American Indian Databases on Ancestry.com
 Saturday, March 28 • 2-3 p.m.
 Location: Frossard Auditorium
 Learn what's available in this new goldmine of information. For adults.

HELMERICH LIBRARY

Books People Are Talking About
 Wednesday, March 18 • 12:15-1:15 p.m.
 Famous and fascinating marriages will be our topic as we discuss "Zelda Fitzgerald" by Therese Fowler, "The Paris Wife" by Paula McLain, "Traitor's Wife" by Allison Pataki, "Aviator's Wife" by Melanie Benjamin and "Above All Things" by Tanis Rideout. Light refreshments are served. For adults.

 Hearing loop available. Switch hearing aid to T-coil.



KENDALL-WHITTIER LIBRARY

Reel Fun for Grownups

Thursday, March 5 • 1-3 p.m.
Enjoy a movie and some popcorn. For adults.

LIBRARIUM

3-D Printer Orientation

Tuesdays, March 10, 31 • 3:30-4 p.m.
See a demonstration of the use and techniques for using the Ultimaker 2 and Makerbot 3-D printers. Once you attend this orientation, feel free to make an appointment to use the printers yourself! For all ages.

3-D Carver Demonstration

Tuesday, March 24 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Join us for a hands-on demonstration of the Shapeoko 3-D Carving machine. We will create bottle openers with initials. For adults and teens. Class size is limited.

Book Discussion: "Unfamiliar Fishes"

Wednesday, March 25 • 2-3 p.m.
Read "Unfamiliar Fishes" by Sarah Vowell and then come and discuss your thoughts with us! For adults.

NATHAN HALE LIBRARY

Seed Saving 101

Saturday, March 14 • 2-3:30 p.m.
Seed saving is not difficult, but there are a few tips and tricks for success. Learn them at this event inaugurating Nathan Hale Library's brand-new Seed Library. For all ages. Class size is limited.

OWASSO LIBRARY

Mother-Daughter Book Club

Wednesday, March 11 • 5-6 p.m.
Read a book together and then join us for this fun discussion. For mothers and daughters ages 8-12. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7624 to register and for book title.

RUDISILL REGIONAL LIBRARY

Simple Steps for Starting Your Business: Start-up Basics

Saturday, March 21 • 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Location: Greenwood Room
Get the help you need with SCORE experts. Learn the essentials of business start-ups, get action steps for your business and receive one-to-one mentoring. Registration is required. Go to www.tulsa.score.org to register. For adults.

SCHUSTERMAN-BENSON LIBRARY

Mystery Readers Roundtable

Thursday, March 5 • 2-3 p.m.
Stuck in a mystery rut? Come for coffee and see what other mystery lovers are reading. For adults.

SKIATOOK LIBRARY

Osage Language Class

Thursdays, March 5, 12, 26 • 6-7 p.m.
The Osage Nation Language Department will present this class. For all ages.

SUBURBAN ACRES LIBRARY

A Woman: Her Body, Her Life, Her Faith

Saturday, March 14 • 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Women today lead hectic lives to the point that their bodies, their lives and their faith can be impacted. This workshop looks at the uniqueness of being a woman and the importance of women taking responsibility for bringing balance back into their lives. For adults and teens. Seating is limited.

ZARROW REGIONAL LIBRARY


Osage Language Class

Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 25 • 6-7 p.m.
Location: North Room • The class is presented by the Osage Nation Language Program. For all ages.



BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY

Libraries Are for Coding

Thursday, March 19 • 2-3 p.m.
 Learn how to code, create a project in Scratch and share it with the group. For ages 10-18.

Read or Die Anime Club


Saturday, March 21 • noon-2 p.m.
Geek out with us over manga and anime. Snacks included! For ages 12-18.

Elementary, My Dear Book Club/ In the Middle Book Group


Tuesday, March 24 • 4-4:50 p.m.
Read any book from the "Hank the Cowdog" mystery series by John R. Erickson and then join us for games, activities and a great discussion! For ages 7-12.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY/ SOUTH

Create Pixel Art With TAB


Thursday, March 12 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.
 Join the South Broken Arrow Teen Advisory Board as we create pixel art with Post-its, Perler beads and paint. We'll have snacks.

Tech-Tastic: Teens and Tech

Wednesday, March 18 • 3-4 p.m.
 From dissecting computer parts to learning how to write your own secret notes from binary code, unmask the secrets behind how tech works and functions.

BROOKSIDE LIBRARY

Low-Tech Shrinky Dinks!

Friday, March 6 • 2-3:30 p.m.
 Materials are provided. For ages 10-18. Seating is limited. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7507.

CHARLES PAGE LIBRARY

Teensday

Thursdays, March 5, 12, 19, 26
3:30-6 p.m. • Hang out with other teens, play games or do crafts.

Spring-Break Ductivities


Wednesday, March 18 • 1:30-3 p.m.
Patch up your spring break with duct tape! Bring your own design or get ideas from the craft books we will provide. For ages 5-18.

COLLINSVILLE LIBRARY

Sukikyo! Anime Club


Wednesday, March 11 • 3-4:30 p.m.
Meet up with other manga/ anime fans to discuss your favorite books, movies, characters and plot twists. For ages 12-18.

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Monday, March 23 • 2:30-4:30 p.m.
 Activities include making a DoodleBot360 and turning photos into works of art, gaming and snacks. For ages 10-18.

GLENPOOL LIBRARY

Mini Code Academy: Computers Inside and Out

Tuesday, March 17 • 3-4:30 p.m.
 Join us for a look at the components of a PC, and then stick around as we explore some resources you can use to learn how to code and program games and applications for the digital age. For teens.

Teen Lounge

Wednesday, March 18 • 4-5:30 p.m.
Enjoy Wii gaming and fun duct-tape activities.


HARDESTY REGIONAL LIBRARY

Minecraft Gaming

Thursday, March 5 • 6-8 p.m.
Location: Computer Lab
Put your imagination to the test building your own world in the popular game Minecraft. For ages 12-18.


Hardesty Teen Manga/ Anime Club Movie Event

Saturday, March 14 • 1-3:30 p.m.
Location: Connor's Cove

 Join us for the showing of the anime movie "Origin: Spirits of the Past," followed with snacks and discussion of the movie. For ages 12-18.

"Insurgent" Movie Release Program

Monday, March 16 • 2-3:30 p.m.
Location: Frossard Auditorium


 Test your skills with games, crafts and trivia in preparation of the release of "Insurgent" in theaters March 20. For ages 12-18.

HELMERICH LIBRARY

Reading Resolution Winter Book Club


Tuesday, March 17 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.
We will discuss Joseph Bruchac's books in celebration of the American Indian Festival of Words. This is an intergenerational event. For ages 10-12. You should read some of Bruchac's books prior to the program.

Teen Tech Mini Maker Faire

Tuesday, March 24
4-6 p.m.
 Enjoy hands-on activities with duct tape and more.

Teen H-tag# Tuesday:

Coding Step-by-Step
Tuesday, March 31 • 4:15-5:45 p.m.

 Join our Helmerich Teen Advisory Group meeting as we share coding books and games.

HERMAN AND KATE KAISER LIBRARY

Family Fun Friday!

Friday, March 13 • 2-3:30 p.m.
Enjoy stories, crafts, games, a science activity and fun for all ages.




JENKS LIBRARY


(The Jenks Library will be closed March 16-21 for renovations.)

Make and Take Crafts

Mondays, March 2, 9, 23

 Pick up your DIY Tech craft kit. There will be a different craft each week. Supplies are limited.


J-TAG

 Tuesday, March 3 • 4-5 p.m.
Join us for a Teen Tech Month discussion.

JUDY Z. KISHNER LIBRARY

Living the Cave Man Lifestyle

Wednesday, March 25 • 3-4:30 p.m.

 Join us for the latest in technological advancements... from 1,000,000 B.C.! You'll get to check and update your Cavebook wall and build the latest craze ... the wheel! You'll also see what the latest buzz is about fire! For ages 10-18.

KENDALL-WHITTIER LIBRARY

Teen Watch the Book


Thursday, March 5 • 3:45-5:45 p.m.

You know the story, now see it happen. Grab a bag of popcorn, take a seat and watch one of your favorite YA books on film.

Fab Lab Tour for Teens

Monday, March 9 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Hardesty Center for Fab Lab Tulsa, 710 S. Lewis • Take a tour of

 the Fab Lab and check out some of the newest ways that technology can help you create. Afterward, make your own bookmark on the 3-D printer. Space is limited on a first-come, first-served basis.

Teen Game Night


Wednesday, March 11 • 4-5:30 p.m.

Join us for some friendly gaming on the Xbox and Wii. For ages 11-17.

Teen Tech Tuesday:

S. Patty's Day Edition

Tuesday, March 17 • 4-5:30 p.m.


 Take an afternoon to explore technology in a space just for teens.

LIBRARIUM

Free 3-D Printing for Teens!


March 2-31 • Teens will enjoy free

3-D printing all month long!

 Attend one of our 3-D printing orientations and learn all about designing and printing. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7349 to make an appointment.


Unmaking

Tuesday, March 3 • 3:30-5 p.m.

 Tear apart household electronics to find out how they work! Check out the Maker Space and other library services while you're here. For ages 10-18.

What the GIF?

Wednesday, March 18 • 2-4 p.m.

 Learn about GIFs, why they're important and how to make your own! For ages 10 and older.

MARTIN REGIONAL LIBRARY

Teen Time

Wednesdays, March 4, 18 • 4-5 p.m.

Location: Auditorium
Join us for fun activities, Wii gaming and board games. For ages 10-18.

Minecraft Night

Thursday, March 12 • 6-8 p.m.

Location: Computer Lab • Put your imagination to the test building your own world in the popular game Minecraft. For ages 10-18. Class is limited to 12 on a first-come, first-served basis.

Mentos-Powered Car Races

Monday, March 16 • 2-3 p.m.

Location: Storytime Castle
Learn how to power a race car using only Mentos and Diet Coke and then give it a try! Registration is required and class size is limited. Call 918-549-7590 to register. For ages 10-14.

Book Character Day: Drawing Class

Thursday, March 19 • 1-2 p.m.

Location: Conference Room
Learn how to draw your favorite Harry Potter characters with Mr. Will. For ages 10-14. Registration is required and class size is limited. Call 918-549-7590 to register.

Book Character Day: "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" Live Board Game

Thursday, March 19 • 2-3 p.m.

Be part of a live board game by answering trivia questions, participating in activities and avoiding the dreaded cheese touch! For ages 10-14.

Manga-Ai Anime Club

Saturday, March 28 • 2-3:30 p.m.

Location: Conference Room
Join other manga/anime fans to preview Japanese animation and discuss your favorite book and film series. For ages 12-18.

MAXWELL PARK LIBRARY

The UnBored Games

Tuesday, March 17 • 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Join us for fun board and card games. Snacks and drinks will be provided. For ages 5-18.

NATHAN HALE LIBRARY

Shrinky Dinks

Monday, March 16 • 2-3:30 p.m.

Come and join the fun as we shrink our own creations! For ages 9-18.

Duct-Tape Creations

Tuesday, March 17 • 2-3:30 p.m.

Come and create your own duct-tape creations. For ages 11-18.

Kite Day

Wednesday, March 18

10:30-11:30 a.m. • We'll listen to a kite-flying story and then go outside to fly our kites. Bring your own kite to fly. For ages 5-18.

Get Your Game On

Wednesday, March 18 • 2-3:45 p.m.

Join the party for Wii and Xbox games. For ages 9-18.

OWASSO LIBRARY


Mother-Daughter Book Club

Wednesday, March 11 • 5-6 p.m.

Read a book together and then join us for this fun discussion. For mothers and daughters ages 8-12. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7624 to register and for book title.

Computer Programming for Beginners

Thursday, March 19 • 4-5:15 p.m.

 We will host an hour of guided programming with time at the end for Q&A with a professional computer programmer! For ages 11-18. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7624 to register.

PRAIT LIBRARY

Marshmallows, With a Side of Cardboard Squares: A STEM Program

Tuesday, March 10 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Is it possible to turn some simple marshmallows or ordinary squares of cardboard into a wondrously beautiful piece of art or a brilliantly poised piece of engineering? Come and attempt this challenge! For ages 12-18. Registration is required and class size is limited. Call 918-549-7638 to register.

RUDISILL REGIONAL LIBRARY

Woman UP! HIV/AIDS

Awareness Workshop


Thursday, March 12

Location: Ancestral Hall
Girls ages 12 and older, plus adult women, may attend this interactive daylong workshop. Participants will receive life-changing information about HIV/AIDS, teen pregnancy and prevention, human trafficking, self-esteem, abstinence and healthy lifestyles. Free HIV/AIDS testing also

will be available. Parental permission is required. Free breakfast and lunch are included. Preregistration is required. Seating is limited. Visit www.tulsa.library.org/aarc for registration form and more details, or call 918-549-7650 for more information.

Wii Gaming

Saturday, March 14 • 2-4 p.m.

 Location: Ancestral Hall
Challenge your friends playing Wii games. For teens.

STEM Summer Camp Fair

Saturday, March 28 • noon-2:30 p.m.

Location: Ancestral Hall
Come and check out all of the amazing STEM camps going on this summer. For elementary-school children to adults. Sponsored by Tulsa Regional STEM Alliance.

SC HUSTERMAN-BENSON LIBRARY


The Craft Connection

Monday, March 2 • 6-7 p.m.

This is your chance to show off your latest masterpiece! Bring a work in progress or a finished handmade item to show. We'll work together, talk about techniques, browse craft books and inspire each other to try new crafts while we listen to music and sip tea. For ages 10-16.

SUBURBAN ACRES LIBRARY

Libraries Are for Making: Bookmark Contest

 March 2-March 31 • Teens and tweens are invited to create a one-of-a-kind bookmark using their own creative talents. Bookmarks will be on display throughout the month for customers to view and vote for their favorite.

Spring Break Memory T-shirt


Saturday, March 21 • noon-3 p.m.

 Libraries r 4 Making ... creative T-shirts! Limited supplies are provided. Registration is required and class size is limited. Call 918-549-7655 to register. For ages 10-18.

ZARROW REGIONAL LIBRARY

Teens Can Code

Thursday, March 12 • 6-7:30 p.m.

 Location: Computer Lab • Join us to learn basic computer programming skills, complete an Hour of Code and have fun! For ages 10-18.

