CELEBRATE MEMORIAL DAY:
“MEMORIES FROM THE GREATEST GENERATION”

Our veterans have many compelling stories to tell. Professional videographer Fred Singer captures the stories of eight Florida veterans who served during World War II. Singer, who worked in the event and documentary field for over 20 years, interviewed these great heroes and their spouses, taking over 12 months to produce and complete the project. A question and answer session with the videographer follows this special hour-long documentary presentation. (90 min.)

See this month’s Calendar of Events for a complete listing of programs and registration information.

NATIONAL MENTAL HEALTH MONTH
PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS AND TEENS

By Donna Marie Smith, Community Relations

The Palm Beach County Library System recognizes the importance of providing information to the community regarding mental health issues. With that in mind, we offer these free programs for adults and teens in partnership with the Boynton Beach Mental Health Initiative during National Mental Health Month.

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**ADULT**

**Tue, May 01, 08, 15 & 22, 5:00 pm**

**Crochet Club**

Learn introductory stitches or bring current projects and socialize. Yarn available for new participants. Ages 9 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, May 09, 6:30 pm**

**Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder: An Inside Look at Symptoms, Treatment & Recovery**

Michele Rosenthal, author of “Before the World Intruded: Conquering the Past and Creating the Future,” shares her story about dealing with PTSD. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, May 14, 6:00 pm**

**Finding Your Florida Doctor**

What are my doctors’ credentials? Consumer Health Information Service librarians share their expertise so you can make the right choice. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, May 19, 1:30 pm**

**Academy Award Best Picture Nominees**

“Moneyball.” ©Columbia Pictures. (133 min.) Preregister. PG-13

**CHILD**

**Sat, May 05, 10:15 am**

**Celebrate Children’s Day**

Make a carp kite and listen to stories about a holiday in Japan that celebrates kids like you. Ages 3-5. (45 min.) Preregister.

**ATTENTION!!**

*We may take photos or video of programs. These images may be used on our website, in our publications, by local newspapers, or ultimately on the World Wide Web. If you do not wish your image to be published, please notify a Library staff member before the program.*

**BELLE GLADE BRANCH**

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**ADULT**

See Computer Classes.

**CHILD**

**Mon, May 07, 14 & 21, 10:30 am**

**Family Story Times**

Fun stories, puppets, and films for kids, moms, and dads. Ages 2-5. (30 min.)

05/07: The Farm.

05/14: Everyday Objects.

05/21: Noises & Sounds.

**Mon, May 07, 14, & 21, 6:30 pm**

**Family Story Times/Bilingual**

Fun stories, puppets, and films in Spanish for kids, moms, and dads. Ages 4-8. (45 min.)

**Sat, May 12 & 26, 2:00 pm**

**Choose-a-Craft**

Choose your own project to work on from a variety of fun crafts. Ages 5 & up. (45 min.)

**TEEN**

**Thu, May 03, 6:30 pm**

**Acreage Avengers Assemble**

Share your thoughts about upcoming teen programs with us. Then, celebrate the release of the new Avengers movie with trivia and games. Snacks provided. Ages 12-17. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Tue, May 22, 6:30 pm**

**Get Your Game On**

Hang out with friends and try some low-tech fun with card games, board games, and more. Ages 10 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

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Weekend Matinee
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   (110 min.) PG-13
05/19: “Tower Heist.” ©Universal Pictures.
   (104 min.) PG-13

Mon, May 07, 4:30 pm
Puzzlemania
Do Rebus, brain games, and traditional puzzles.

Sat, May 12, 10:30 am
Mother’s Day
Pop-up, moveable, or cutouts are just one of the cards you can make for your mother.

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Delight in the magic of Haitian stories that bring favorite imaginary characters to life in new stories, prizes, and surprises for parents and children! All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, May 16, 4:30 pm
National Flower Month
Celebrate by learning about different flowers and finish with a flower craft. Ages 5 & up. (45 min.)

CHILD
Wed, May 02, 5:00 pm
Wed, May 23, 4:30 pm
Board Games
Play classic games. Ages 5 & up. (60 min.)
05/02: Uno, Checkers, and Chess.
05/23: Uno, Connect Four, and Monopoly.

Sun, May 13, 2:00 pm
Sunday Cinema: Three Seasons
©USA Films. (124 min.) Preregister. PG-13

Tue, May 15, 2:30 pm
Learn to Let Go of Clutter
Are you living in CHAOS (Can’t Have Anyone Over Syndrome)? Kathy Andio will share the underlying reasons for your clutter and tips to motivate you to “let go” of all that “stuff.” Preregister.

Tue, May 15, 6:30 pm
Workshop with the Wine Guy — Bob Burchill
Learn how to pick perfect wines for different occasions. (90 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 10, 17, 24 & 31, 2:30 pm
Great Courses® Documentaries: Shostakovich—His Life & Music
Discover the life of the great musical master and flawed but faithful witness to the survival of the human spirit under totalitarianism. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. (90 min.) Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.
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05/17: Pt. 3 & 4: Lady Macbeth; Resurrection.
05/24: Pt. 5 & 6: The Great Patriotic War; Repression & Depression.
05/31: Pt. 7 & 8: The Thaw; Illness & Inspiration.

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ADULT
Tue, May 08, 6:30 pm
Small Claim Lawsuits & Mediation
Learn how to file a small claims lawsuit and present your case to the judge, or how mediation can resolve your issue without an attorney or going to court. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Socrates Café
Marji Chapman, of the Society of Philosophical Inquiry, leads discussion groups for amateur philosophers on a variety of group-chosen topics. (90 min.) Preregister.

CHILD
Now – May 11
Spring Story Times
Stop by or call now to sign up your child for age-appropriate sessions on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays for ages 13 mos. through 7 years. Preregister.

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Fridays, 2:00 pm
The Great Courses® Documentaries:
The National Gallery, London
05/04: Pt. 1, 2 & 3: The story of the National Gallery of London; Late Medieval Painting; Early Renaissance Italian Painting.
05/18: Pt. 7, 8 & 9: The High Renaissance in Central Italy; Titian and His Venetian Contemporaries; Venetian Masters: Tintoretto and Veronese.

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Current Events Discussion Group
Led by facilitator Brenda Solomon, the group will discuss all of today’s hot topics. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder: An Inside Look at Symptoms, Treatment & Recovery
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Tue, May 08, 11:00 am
Mother’s Day!
Stories, games, a craft, and a film about our best friend—our mother. Ages 2-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 12, 11:00 am
Mother/Daughter Tea & Book Discussion

 Tue, May 08, 6:30 pm
Mother’s Day Craft
Make something special for the mom who is always doing special things for you. Ages 12-17. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 29, 6:30 pm
Totally Teen Tuesdays
Play your favorite Wii and PS3 games! Grades 6 & up. (90 min.)

Thu, May 24, 2:00 pm
Oceans Apart: A Guide to Maintaining Family Ties at a Distance
Local author Rochel Berman offers tips on how to maintain close, loving ties with family members who live far away. (60 min.) Preregister.

CHILD

Tue, May 01 & 08, 4:00 pm
Chess Club
Join other chess enthusiasts for a game or two and practice your skills. Ages 7-11. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, May 02 & 09, 4:00 pm
Stories, Games & Crafts of Cultures & Festivals
Ages 5-8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 05, 3:00 pm
May the Force Be With You: A Star Wars Celebration
Fun games, contests, a craft, and more to celebrate the anniversary of the first Star Wars movie. Ages 8-14. (45 min.) Preregister.

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Sat, May 19, 11:00 am
Story Time for Children with Special Needs
Enjoy stories, songs, crafts, and movement activities specially designed for children with developmental disabilities. All ages. (45 min.)

TEEN

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- Passenger lists
- Court, land, tax, and probate records
- Historical Florida maps
- Foreign language instruction

Check out these e-resources:
- Ancestry Library Edition
- HeritageQuest
- America’s Obituaries and Death Notices
- Transparent Language Online/BYKI
- Sanborn Maps
ADULT

Tue, May 01, 2:00 pm  
Way Off-Broadway Players: Laughter Is the Best Medicine  
This versatile, multi-talented group of performers will delight you as they prove that laughter is the best medicine. Preregister.

Thu, May 03, 2:00 pm  
Origami for Beginners  
Experienced crafter Lenora Sur will show you how to turn simple squares of flat paper into decorative boxes. Paper provided. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 08 & 15, 2:00 pm  
The Joys of Jewish Humor  
Harvey Widell and Doris Einbinder will entertain you with new stories of Jewish humor, as well as many “golden oldies.” Preregister.

Thu, May 10, 1:30 pm  
Book Discussion: Jane Eyre  
Revisit the literary classic by Charlotte Bronte about a young governess in early 19th century England who falls in love with the stern Mr. Rochester who holds a scandalous secret. See the film on 5/17, followed by a brief discussion. Preregister.

Sat, May 12, 2:00 pm  
Movie Matinee: Hugo  
©Paramount Pictures. (127 min.) Preregister. PG

Wed, May 16, 2:00 pm  
Fire Safety  
Join Greenacres Fire Marshall Su Malloy to learn about fire safety in the home. Preregister.

Thu, May 17, 1:30 pm  
Film Discussion: Jane Eyre  
You’ve read the book, now watch the film and join in a brief discussion. ©Focus Features. (121 min.) Preregister. PG-13

Sat, May 19, 2:00 pm  
Haitian Book Festival  
Join us for the first annual Haitian Book Festival! This special event features published authors, who will present their books and share their expertise on topics related to Haitian Heritage and the Haitian Creole language. (2½ hr.)

Tue, May 22, 2:00 pm  
Raw Foods Diet: Truth & Myth  
Palm Beach County Extension Service agent Ada Medina-Solorzano will discuss the facts and fallacies of this increasingly popular, new, lifestyle diet. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, May 23, 2:00 pm  
Finding Equilibrium in Stressful Times  
It’s National Mental Health Month! Maya Malay will demonstrate meditation techniques which can help us to decrease stress and achieve greater health and happiness. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 26, 2:00 pm  
Movie Matinee: J. Edgar  
©Warner Bros. (137 min.) Preregister. R

CHILD

Sat, May 05, 11:00 am  
Decorate Your Bike Day!  
Celebrate National Bike Month by decorating your bikes or tricycles using colorful crepe paper streamers, ribbons, or stickers, and learning important safety tips for when you ride. (45 min.) All ages. Preregister.

Thu, May 17, 1:30 pm  
Film Discussion: Jane Eyre  
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Sat, May 19, 11:00 am  
Wii Gaming  
Bring your friends and enjoy a rousing game of Nintendo Wii. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.
Tickets for adult programs (limit of one or two per person) available at the Information Desk starting on the dates listed in the program descriptions.

**ADULT**

**Tuesdays, 2:30 pm**  
**Poetry Workshop**  
Award-winning poet Stacie Kiner critiques and discusses some of the world's finest contemporary and classic poetry. (90 min.)

**Tuesdays, 3:00 pm**  
**Spanish in Practice: Intermediate**  
Practice speaking Spanish in conversations about food, travel, news, and more. An intermediate knowledge of the language required. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, May 01, 7:00 pm**  
**Sherlock Holmes Mystery Club**  
Join Holmes expert Howard Schen to watch video clips, listen to audiotapes, and discuss the renowned literary detective. (75 min.)

**Wed, May 02 & 16, 10:30 am**  
**Knit & Crochet with Project Linus**  
Expert blanketeers, from Project Linus, will help you make crafts that will go to children in need. Limited supplies; bring your own needles and yarn if you have them. (90 min.)

**Wed, May 02 & 16, 2:00 pm**  
**Current Events Discussion Group**  
Participate in a lively discussion of current issues and topics. (90 min.)

**Thu, May 03 & 17, 10:00 am**  
**Writers’ Workshop**  
Bring your fiction to share and offer and accept constructive criticism in a relaxed and supportive atmosphere with author Bob Davis. Limit of 12. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Mon, May 07, 2:00 pm**  
**Kultur International Films: Artists of the 20th Century — Henri Matisse**  
Watch the documentary then join a discussion of the artist's life and works. (3 hr.) Shown with permission. Not rated.

**Mon, May 07, 4:00 pm**  
**Storytelling: I'll Tell You Mine, If You'll Tell Me Yours ...**  
Get together with storyteller Glad McLeod and let’s have fun sharing our stories. (60 min.)

**Wed, May 09, 2:00 pm**  
**Celebrate Memorial Day: Memories from the Greatest Generation**  
Professional videographer Fred Singer captures the stories of eight Florida veterans who served during World War II in a special documentary presentation and answers questions. (90 min). Tickets available beginning Apr 30.

**Thu, May 10, 1:30 pm**  
**Genealogy Research: The Next Generation**  
Government Research librarians will demonstrate library databases and websites available to help with your family history projects. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, May 17, 2:00 pm**  
**The Muralist Movement of Mexico**  
Lynda Martinez del Campo will discuss the origin, intentions, styles, and themes of the movement, which emerged following Mexico’s violent revolution. (60 min.) Tickets available beginning May 7.

**Mon, May 21, 2:00 pm**  
**Medical Mondays: Prevention of Heart Disease**  
Dr. Robert Ullman will discuss how to prevent heart disease and answer questions. Sponsored by the Delray Medical Center. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, May 24, 2:00 pm**  
**Finding Your Florida Doctor**  
What are my doctors’ credentials? Consumer Health Information Service librarians share their expertise so you can make the right choice. (90 min.) Preregister.

**CHILD**

**Sat, May 05, 1:00 pm**  
**Cinco de Mayo Celebration**  
Hear stories and music, play a game, and make a craft celebrating this Mexican holiday. Ages 4 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, May 10, 4:00 pm**  
**Mother’s Day Appreciation**  
Let’s thank mom by making her a nice gift and hearing stories about these wonderful people in our lives. Ages 5 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, May 17, 10:00 am**  
**Fun for Little Ones**  
Listen to stories, make some noise with instruments, and be creative using sandpaper and yarn. Ages 2-4. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, May 22, 4:00 pm**  
**Frog & Toad Movie Matinee**  
Let’s celebrate author Arnold Lobel’s birthday by enjoying some Frog and Toad movie episodes. Ages 5 & up. (45 min.)

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Sat, May 05, 12 & 19, 2:00 pm
Triple P Parenting Seminar
The Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County will teach parents strategies for promoting relationships with their children, and managing and encouraging desirable behavior. (90 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 08 & 22, 2:00 pm
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Trivia Game Night
What’s the tallest? How many? Who said? Teams of 2-6 players will compete for fun and prizes. (90 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 15, 2:00 pm
Florida Friendly Landscaping
Dick and Mary Pase, Master Gardeners from Palm Beach County Extension Service, will discuss how to create beautiful yards and gardens and protect the environment at the same time. (45 min.) Preregister.

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Scrabble Game Night
Bring your friends for a fun night of Scrabble for all levels. (90 min.)

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Getting Started with Family History Research
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Improv for Beginners
Actor Todd Vittum will lead you through the basics of the art of improvisation. (90 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 22, 6:30 pm
Knit 1 — Purl 1
Experienced knitter Shirley Kent will help beginners with simple projects, and those with projects in progress can share or get help. Pick up a materials list. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, May 23, 3:30 pm
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Mommy & Me
It’s almost Mother’s Day, so let’s celebrate your special mom with heartwarming stories, songs, and a special present you make for her. Ages 4-7. (45 min.) Preregister.

Mon, May 14, 10:00 am
Favorite Stories
Join us for a few special story times while you wait for summer to come. Call for times and dates. Ages vary. (30 min.) Preregister.

Mon, May 14, 3:30 pm
Thumbs Up!
You can make a picture of animals with your thumb? Hear animal stories and poems, then use your thumbs to make each animal. Dress to get messy. Ages 4-7. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 17, 3:30 pm
Butterfly Flutterby
Celebrate this magical creature with stories, music, and a special project as we create an “imaginary” butterfly garden. Ages 4-7. (45 min.) Preregister.

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Haitian Heritage Month Kick-off Event
We kick off our Haitian Heritage Month celebration throughout Palm Beach County at this special event, featuring musicians Jean Michel Daudier. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Mon, May 07, 6:30 pm
Kick It Up a Notch Writers’ Workshop: Lean, Clean, Writing Machine (That Would Be You)
A workshop for novice and experienced writers interested in skills improvement, constructive critiques, and fun. Bring a pen and pad, something you’ve written, and an open mind. Led by Buck Buchanan. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Wed, May 09, 3:30 pm
Based on the Book: Book Discussion — Girl with a Pearl Earring
Join us for a discussion of the book by Tracy Chevalier. See the film on May 16, followed by a brief discussion. (60 min.) Sign up and check out the book.

Wed, May 16, 2:00 pm
Based on the Book: Film Discussion — Girl with a Pearl Earring
You’ve read the book, now watch the film and join in a brief discussion. ©LionsGate. (90 min.) Preregister. PG-13

Thu, May 17, 1:00 pm
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren, Part 2
The second in a series of workshops presented by Sue Bartolomeo, from Palm Beach County Extension Service, to help grandparents with legal issues, discipline and behavioral guidelines, stress management, and more. (2 hr.) Preregister.

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Wed, May 23, 2:00 pm
How Do I Save My Home?
Joseph Moyel, from the non-profit group CredAbility, will explain steps you can take to protect your home and avoid foreclosure. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 24, 2:00 pm
TRIO Educational Opportunity Centers: The Road to Opportunity Starts Here!
Tanya Bostic, from Palm Beach State College, will explain how TRIO’s free services can assist you with all aspects of college selection, admissions, financial aid, GED preparation, and help with student loan defaults. High school seniors and adults. (2 hr.) Preregister.

CHILD

Fri, May 04, 3:30 pm
Star Wars Party: May the Fourth Be with You
Make crafts, color Star Wars characters, or read a Star Wars book. Dress as your favorite character or get a mask here. Ages 4-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 05, 10:30 am
Saturday Morning Movies: Aladdin
All ages; adults must bring a child. ©Walt Disney Pictures. (90 min.) Preregister.

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Crick? Crack! Haitian Stories with Maude Heurtelou
Delight in the magic of Haitian stories that bring favorite imaginary characters to life in new stories, prizes, and surprises for parents and children! All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

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Saturday Morning Movies: The Return of Jafar
All ages; adults must bring a child. ©Walt Disney Pictures. (60 min.) Preregister. G

Sun, May 13, 3:30 pm
Flower Power
Enjoy a garden of stories and make your very own flower to take home. Ages 4-7. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 15, 3:30 pm
The Library Mouse Writers’ Workshop
Try your hand at writing after listening to entertaining scripts. Ages 8-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 17, 3:30 pm
I Love Llamas!

Fri, May 25, 3:30 pm
Mad Libs in May
What’s a “mad lib”? It’s a silly story we’re going to create together! Ages 8-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 26, 10:30 am
Craft Recycling Party
Get another chance to make favorite crafts from the past with our “leftovers.” All ages. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 29, 3:30 pm
Readers’ Theater
Practice your reading skills as we read entertaining scripts. Ages 8-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

TEEN

Tue, May 08, 3:45 pm
Teen Wii Carnival Games
Preregister at the Children’s Desk and meet in the Story Time Room. Ages 13-17. (60 min.)

Fri, May 18, 4:00 pm
Manga Club
Talk about all things Manga, show off your fan fiction, help plan this club, and more! Ages 13-17. (45-60 min.) Preregister.
ADULT
Thu, May 03, 2:00 pm
Subcontracting for Success
Discover business opportunities available through subcontracting and its advantages and disadvantages. Sponsored by Palm Beach State College’s Small Business Development Center. Call 561-862-4726 to preregister.

Thu, May 03, 6:00 pm
Haiti Film Screening & Panel Discussion
A special screening of the film “Haiti, Terre de Feu,” will be followed by a panel discussion with local Haitian community leaders. (2½ hr.)

Thu, May 10, 4:00 pm
Rubber Band Cars
You can make easy to build, wind-up racers that really go, designs and ideas based on a book written by Mike Rigsby. Ages 9-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 12, 2:00 pm
Drawing: Comic Strips
Learn how to draw a basic three or four panel comic strip. Ages 9-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 26, 2:00 pm
Child Movie Matinee: Dolphin Tale
©Warner Bros. (119 min.) PG

TEEN
Tue, May 01, 6:30 pm
Finger Paint
Make your own masterpiece with your fingers and paint. Ages 11-17. Limit of 12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 05, 2:00 pm
May the Force Be With You
It’s our annual Star Wars extravaganza with Wii Star Wars, Star Wars Jeopardy, crafts from a galaxy far, far away, and light saber battles! Come in costume. Ages 8-16. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Tue, May 08, 6:30 pm
Totally Teen Tuesday: T.A.B.
Join our monthly Teen Advisory Board, and help us plan programs you want to see at your library. Snacks provided. Bring a friend and get a special treat! Ages 11-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 22, 6:30 pm
Orchards: A Novel in Verse — A Community Discussion on Teen Bullying & Suicide with Author Holly Thompson
The author talks about her award-winning, young adult novel via Skype from her home in Japan. Afterwards, engage in a discussion about teen bullying and suicide. For teens and adults. (90 min.) Preregister.

CHILD
Wednesdays, 1:00 pm
Alphabet Adventures
We’ll highlight a new letter each week in a story time featuring the letter with books, music, and a craft. Ages 1-5. (30 min.) Preregister.
05/02: Q 05/23: T
05/09: R 05/30: U
05/16: S
ADULT

Tue, May 01, 08, 15 & 22, 3:00 pm
The Great Courses® Documentaries: Great American Best-sellers — Books that Shaped America
Explore the main works that have captured readers' attention throughout our history. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. (60 min.) Shown with permission. Not rated.
05/01: Pts. 17 & 18: “The Grapes of Wrath” and “Native Son.”
05/08: Pts. 19 & 20: “The Catcher in the Rye” and “To Kill a Mockingbird.”

Mon, May 07, 14 & 21, 6:00 pm
English Exchange
Free informal conversation sessions. Basic English skills required. Seating is limited. Call 561-649-5473 to preregister. (2 hr.)

Wed, May 16, 2:00 pm
Identity Theft: the Fastest Growing Crime in America
CredAbility will talk about how it occurs, how to minimize risk, resolve subsequent credit problems, and identify federal, state, and local government resources if you are a victim. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, May 23, 6:00 pm
Haitian Heritage Month Essay Contest Winners Reception
Celebrate the ideas and energy of the high school students winning the county-wide essay contest focusing on Haiti. Refreshments by the Friends of the Library. (1½ hr.)

Wed, May 30, 2:00 pm
Open Mic Program
Play an instrument, perform poetry, sing a song, or dance for an audience of all ages. Pick up the rules when you preregister. (90 min.)

Child

Mon, May 07, 6:30 pm
Sleepy Time Story Time
Night owls should bring a cozy blanket to make your “nest” and a cuddly friend to our hooting good story time. Ages 3 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 10, 3:30 pm
Mother’s Day
Join us for stories, songs, and activities celebrating our moms and make a craft any mother would love. Ages 5 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, May 15, 11:30 am
All Things Green
What do spring, frogs, and limes have in common? They’re green! Wear green and enjoy stories, activities, and a craft. Ages 4 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 15, 6:30 pm
Crick? Crack! Haitian Stories with Maude Heurtelou
Delight in the magic of Haitian stories that bring favorite imaginary characters to life in new stories, prizes and surprises for parents and children! All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Royal Palm Beach Branch

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Adult

Tue, May 15, 2:30 pm
Buy the House I Love or Love the House I Can Afford
CredAbility will help you learn how to determine your price range before shopping for a home and understand the additional costs to include when purchasing a home. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 19, 9:00 am
Writing Series: Self-Editing & the Final Polish
We’ll talk about polishing your writing in preparation for submission or publication. (75 min.) Preregister.

Sat, May 26, 2:00 pm
Art of the Ancients
Ceramic artist Ursula Vicari will demonstrate how to make an Anasazi seed jar using primitive traditional skills and discuss ancient Indian pottery. (60 min.) Preregister.

Child

Mon, May 07, 3:30 pm
Teacher Appreciation Day
Listen to funny stories about teachers and make an Origami apple to give to your favorite teacher. Ages 6-9. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 10, 3:30 pm
End of the Alphabet Story Time
Enjoy stories about things beginning with V, W, X, Y and Z, sing songs, and make a simple craft. For those who cannot attend morning sessions. Ages 4-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, May 17, 4:30 pm
LEGOs & Laughs
Enjoy building with LEGO’s and reading some of our funniest joke books. Ages 8-12. (45 min.) Preregister.
Thu, May 31, 3:30 pm
Jueves, 31 de Mayo, 3:30 pm
My Beautiful Pet (Mi Linda Mascota)
We’ll sing, dance, and read books about pets and make a craft. Ages 3-6. (45 min.) Pre-
register. Comparte en familia una divertida hora de cuentos sobre los animalitos que tenemos como mascotas. Podrás crear una preciosa manualidad. Edades 3-6. (45 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

TEEN
Tue, May 01, 10:00 am
VolunTeen Applications Available
Want to earn summer volunteer hours? Pick up a VolunTeen application. Space is lim-

TEEN
Thu, May 24, 5:00 pm
Teen Flick Fix: The Sixth Sense
©Walt Disney Co. (106 min.) Preregister. PG-13

TEEN
Tue, May 29, 5:00 pm
Teen Game Night
Play Nintendo Wii and board games. Ages 12-17. (2 hr.) Preregister.

All Palm Beach County Library System locations will be closed on Mon, May 28, for Memorial Day. No materials will be due on that day.
**ADULT**

Mon, May 07, 14 & 21, 1:00 pm
**English Exchange**
Free informal conversation sessions. Basic English skills required. Call 561-649-5473 to preregister. (2 hr.)

Tue, May 08, 2:00 pm
**Scrapbooking Slam**

Wed, May 16, 2:00 pm
**Films from the Columbia University Film Festival: Part 4**
View a selection of rarely seen, cutting-edge, and award-winning short films created by emerging filmmakers from around the world that portraying contemporary life with unflinching honesty. Shown with permission. (2 hr.) Not rated.

Thu, May 17, 6:00 pm
**Writers’ Monthly Critique Workshop**
Share, offer, and accept constructive comments to improve your writing in a supportive atmosphere led by Florida Writers Association member Caryn DeVincenti. Bring a short writing sample to read aloud. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Tue, May 22, 2:00 pm
**No Flipping: Fall Prevention**
Joan DeVaughn, from Your Aging Resource Center, discusses how to prevent falls, promote home safety, and recognize hazards that can cause a fall. (60 min.)

Thu, May 24, 10:30 am
**Gentlemen’s Reading Group**
A monthly discussion of books of interest to male readers. This month we read “The Race,” by Clive Cussler and Justin Scott. Sign up and check out the book. (90 min.)

Thu, May 24, 6:30 pm
**Express Your Talent at Open Mic Night**
Hosted by the musician Sensei, perform your acoustic music, songs, or freeform poetry for an audience of all ages. Pick up the performance guidelines. (90 min.)

**Tue, May 29, 2:00 pm**
**Wine Workshop**
Learn how to choose and serve wines from expert Bob Burchill, known as “The Wine Guy.” (90 min.)

**Sat, May 26, 2:00 pm**
**Family Movie Matinee: Dolphin Tale** ©Warner Bros. All ages. (119 min.) Preregister. PG

**TEEN**

Mon, May 07, 6:30 pm
**Teen Gaming Night: Wii Love to Have Fun**
Bring your favorite Wii controller, or use one of ours, and play Mario Kart, Super Smash Bros., and Just Dance. Grades 6 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

Mon, May 21, 6:30 pm
**Button Making & Teen Advisory Board**
Make your own professional-looking buttons using images or artwork you bring or something you create here. After the craft, enjoy a snack and a Teen Advisory Board meeting to help plan future teen activities. Grades 6 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

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- Computer skills tutorials
- Résumé, interview, and workplace skills assistance
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The branch is closed for renovations. Please visit the Hagen Ranch Road Branch, Greenacres Branch, or Lantana Road Branch while West Boynton Branch is closed.

While the West Boynton Branch is closed for renovation, please join Nora Natke’s discussion group at the Lantana Road Branch or West Boca Branch, or try another group at any location of your choice.

**Free Computer & Internet Classes**

Classes are either lecture (informational only) or hands-on (using a computer). Some hands-on classes are also available in Basic, Intermediate, or Advanced levels. Call the location of your choice early to preregister – classes fill up fast!

**Access — Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to use Microsoft Access to create a database for compiling and sorting data. Some computer experience is necessary. (60 min.) Preregister.
- **Main Library**
  - Thu, May 10, 1:00 pm

**Acquire Your Summer Reads & Travel Needs (Hands-on)**
Discover the library’s electronic resources that will help you learn a new language for your summer vacation, find your next good book, and see what eBooks are available for download. Byki, Novelist Plus, and Overdrive will be covered in this class. (45 min.)
- **Acreage Branch**
  - Thu, May 31, 10:30 am

**Browser — Basics (Hands-on)**
Learn the basics of using the Microsoft Internet Explorer browser. Some computer experience is necessary. (60 min.-2 hr.)
- **Jupiter Branch**
  - Wed, May 02, 10:00 am
- **Greenacres Branch**
  - Wed, May 02, 2:30 pm
- **Gardens Branch**
  - Tue, May 15, 10:30 am
  - **Royal Palm Beach Branch**
    - Tue, May 22, 2:30 pm
- **Okeechobee Blvd. Branch**
  - Wed, May 23, 8:30 am
- **Lantana Road Branch**
  - Tue, May 29, 10:30 am

**Computer Keyboarding & Typing — Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn all about the keys on the computer keyboard and practice typing using online tutorials. (60 min.)
- **Gardens Branch**
  - Thu, May 03, 10:30 am
- **Lantana Road Branch**
  - Mon, May 07 or Tue, May 08, 10:30 am

**Computer Keyboarding & Typing — Basic, in Spanish (Hands-on)**
(Clase Básica de Como Utilizar el Teclado)
Aprenda a utilizar el teclado de la computadora con un programa que te permite practicar paso a paso. Para principiantes. (60-90 min.) Se requiere registrarse.
- **Main Library**
  - Jueves, 17 de Mayo, 10:00 am

**Computers — Beginning (Hands-on)**
Prerequisite: Mousing
Learn the basics about computers including hardware, software, files, and networks. (60 min.)
- **Gardens Branch**
  - Tue, May 08, 10:30 am

**Cyber Security (Lecture)**
Learn more about securing your computer, protecting your identity, and other cyber threats. (2 hr.)
- **Jupiter Branch**
  - Mon, May 21, 6:00 pm

**eBook Assistance (Hands-on Class)**
Learn about the library’s eBook service as we demonstrate how to borrow eBooks. Bring your compatible eReader, mobile device or tablet, and library card. No other computer programs will be addressed. (60-90 min.)
- **Lantana Road Branch**
  - Tue, May 08 or 15, 2:30 pm
- **Glades Road Branch**
  - Wed, May 16, 2:00 pm

**eBook Assistance: Book-a-Librarian (Hands-on)**
Learn how to borrow the library’s eBooks in a 30-minute, personalized session with a librarian. Bring your Kindle, iPad, or tablet. If you have a Nook, Sony, Kobo, or Pandigital, you must also bring your laptop computer. (2 hr.)
- **West Boca Branch**
  - Tue, May 01 or 15 or Wed, May 30, 2:00 pm

**Email — Advanced (Hands-on)**
Current email users will learn advanced functions like creating an address or contact list, moving messages to a folder, copying and pasting, using the Spelling and Grammar Checker, changing paragraph formatting, and sending attachments. Email experience necessary. (60 min.)
- **Wellington Branch**
  - Tue, May 15, 10:30 am or Thu, May 17, 3:00 pm

**Email — Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to use Yahoo (a free, web-based, email program), how to send and receive mail, and how to create folders and an address book. Some computer experience is necessary. (75 min.-2 hr.)
- **Greenacres Branch**
  - Wed, May 09, 2:30 pm
- **Wellington Branch**
  - Thu, May 10, 3:00 pm
- **Royal Palm Beach Branch**
  - Mon, May 21, 6:30 pm
- **Glades Road Branch**
  - Tue, May 22, 2:00 pm
Jupiter Branch  
Wed, May 23, 10:00 am

Gardens Branch  
Wed, May 23, 10:30 am

West Boca Branch  
Thu, May 24, 3:00 pm

Belle Glade Branch  
Sat, May 26, 9:00 am

Email, in Creole (Hands-on)  
(Elektronik Mesaj)  
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Main Library  
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Email — Basic, in Spanish (Hands-on)  
(Correo Electrónico Básico)  
Aprenda lo básico para crear y usar una cuenta de correo electrónico en esta conferencia que se dictará en español. (90 min.-2 hr.) Se requiere registrarse.

Belle Glade Branch  
Sábado, 19 de Mayo, 10:00 am

Excel — Basic (Hands-on)  
Microsoft Excel is a spreadsheet program that can be used to input and sort data. Learn how to create a basic spreadsheet and make simple charts and graphs. Some computer experience is necessary. (60 min.-2 hr.)

Wellington Branch  
Wed, May 16, 10:30 am

Main Library  
Wed, May 23, 1:00 pm

Excel — Intermediate (Hands-on)  
Prerequisite: Excel — Basic  
This class reviews the skills learned in Excel — Basic and adds formatting, advanced formulas, and more. (60 min.)

Wellington Branch  
Wed, May 30, 3:00 pm

File Basics (Hands-on)  
Learn how create, name, move, and organize files and folders on your computer. (60 min.-2 hr.)

Jupiter Branch  
Thu, May 03, 10:00 am

Gardens Branch  
Thu, May 17, 10:30 am

Files and Folders, in Creole (Hands-on)  
(Fichye ak Katab)  
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Okeechobee Blvd. Branch  
Lendi, Me 21, 6:00 pm

Internet — Basic (Hands-on)  
Prerequisite: Internet — Beginning  
Learn the basics for searching on the World Wide Web. Experience using a mouse is required. (60 min.)

Wellington Branch  
Tue, May 08, 8:30 am

Hagen Ranch Road Branch  
Mon, May 14, 10:00 am

Gardens Branch  
Wed, May 16, 10:30 am

Glades Road Branch  
Thu, May 17, 2:00 pm

Main Library  
Wed, May 30, 2:00 pm

Internet — Basic, in Spanish  
(Hands-on)  
(INTERNET BÁSICO)  
Learn the basics of the Internet in a Spanish-only lecture for beginners. (90 min.-2 hr.) Aprenda lo basico en esta clase de Internet para principiantes.

Jupiter Branch  
Miércoles, 09 de Mayo, 6:00 pm

Belle Glade Branch  
Lunes, 14 de Mayo, 1:00 pm

Internet — Beginning (Lecture)  
Learn the basics of using the Internet in this helpful beginners-only class. (90 min.)

Okeechobee Blvd. Branch  
Tue, May 08, 6:00 pm

Internet Tips & Tricks (Hands-on)  
Learn how to use different Web search tools and helpful tips and tricks for using your browser. Some computer knowledge is necessary. (60 min.-2 hr.)

Belle Glade Branch  
Sat, May 12, 9:00 am

Hagen Ranch Road Branch  
Mon, May 14, 2:00 pm

Clarence E. Anthony Branch  
Mon, May 14, 5:30 pm

Lantana Road Branch  
Mon, May 14 or Tue, May 15, 10:30 am

Royal Palm Beach Branch  
Wed, May 16, 10:30 am

Mousing II (Hands-on)  
Prerequisite: Mousing  
Practice using a mouse with Mousercise exercises. For beginners. (60 min.)

Glades Road Branch  
Wed, May 09, 8:30 am

Loula V. York Branch  
Mon, May 21, 5:30 pm

Look It Up! (Hands-on)  
Use the library catalog to find books, CDs, and DVDs, place holds, and renew items. (60 min.)

Acreage Branch  
Sat, May 19, 11:00 am

Hagen Ranch Road Branch  
Wed, May 23, 10:00 am

Mousing (Hands-on)  
Practice using a mouse in a self-paced setting. For beginners. (60 min.)

Gardens Branch  
Wed, May 02, 10:30 am

Wellington Branch  
Thu, May 03, 3:00 pm

Glades Road Branch  
Tue, May 08, 8:30 am

Okeechobee Blvd. Branch  
Wed, May 09, 8:30 am

Royal Palm Beach Branch  
Thu, May 10, 10:00 am

Main Library  
Thu, May 10, 2:30 pm

Wellington Branch  
Sat, May 05, 8:30 am

Glades Road Branch  
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Glades Road Branch  
Wed, May 09, 8:30 am

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- LearningExpress
- ReferenceUSA
- Live Homework Help
Mousing, in Spanish (Hands-on)  
(Ejercitando el Ratón)  
Aprende a utilizar el ratón mediante un programa que te permite hacerlo a tu paso. Para principiantes. (90 min.) Se requiere registrarse.  
Main Library  
Miércoles, 09 de Mayo, 1:00 pm

PowerPoint — Basic (Hands-on)  
Learn to compose slides and to add eye-catching effects to your presentations. (60 min.-2 hr.) Preregister.  
Greenacres Branch  
Wed, May 16, 2:00 pm  
Main Library  
Wed, May 23, 2:30 pm  
Wellington Branch  
Tue, May 29, 10:30 am  
Jupiter Branch  
Wed, May 30, 10:00 am

Publisher — Basic (Hands-on)  
Prerequisite: Word Processing — Basic  
Discover how easy it is to use Microsoft Publisher to create birthday cards, business cards, calendars, and more! (2 hr.)

Search Tools (Hands-on)  
Prerequisite: Internet - Beginning  
Learn how to use the Google search engine, web directories, and meta-search engines to find information on the Internet. (60 min.)

Windows — Basic (Hands-on)  
Learn about text formatting and how to open, save, and print documents. Some computer experience necessary. (60 min.)

Word Processing — Basic (Hands-on)  
Learn the basics of using Microsoft Word to create school reports or résumés. Some computer experience necessary. (60 min.-2 hr.)

Word Processing, in Creole  
(Procesamiento de Textos)  
Aprenda cómo utilizar el procesador de textos para redactar documentos. (90 min.-2 hr.) Se requiere registrarse.

Word Processing, in Spanish  
(Hands-on)  
(Herramientas de Búsqueda en el Internet)  
Aprenda a utilizar un directorio web, herramientas de búsqueda, un meta buscador y otras herramientas especializadas para navegar por el Internet. (90 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

Word Processing, in Spanish  
(Hands-on)  
(Procesamiento de Textos)  
Aprende cómo utilizar Microsoft Word, powereki, ouvri, femen, dokiman, let, resúme, epi komankou fe chanjman nan yon dokiman epi konsevation etc. (60 min.) Anregistre alavans.

Word Processing — Intermediate (Hands-on)  
Prerequisite: Word Processing – Basic  
Students will learn line spacing, tabs, bullets and numbering lists, headers and footers, how to click, double-click, drag and scroll with the mouse using self-paced, online tutorials, and more. (2 hr.)

In accordance with the provisions of the ADA, this document may be requested in an alternate format.