February is Black History Month

By Maribel De Jesús, Multicultural Outreach Librarian

Join the library as we celebrate Black History Month! We will be offering programs that honor the heritage, contributions and achievements of Palm Beach County’s African American communities.

Our celebration begins with a performance by award-winning jazz saxophonist, Randy Corinthian, at the Lantana Road Branch on Sat, Feb 07, 2:00 pm.

There will be something for all ages and interests. Join us for book discussions, films, African American genealogical research, poetry workshops and much more. Learn about Palm Beach County’s African American communities with award-winning historian, Everee Jimerson Clarke.

Enjoy a musical performance at the Wellington Branch with vocalist Perley Rousseau and pianist Sonny Daye in a concert filled with warmth and humor highlighting the life and music of the legendary Ella Fitzgerald. At the Belle Glade Branch, Dr. Naima Johnston-Bush will perform Negro Spirituals and discuss their significance as a historical American art.

In a special offering in all our branches, families will experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Want to test your knowledge of black history? Participate in trivia-style games at the Royal Palm Beach Branch and the Wellington Branch.

Black History Month has its national roots in a week-long observation initiated by Dr. Carter G. Woodson in 1926, it was expanded into Black History Month by President Ford in 1976, and became Public Law 99-244 in 1986. Bring your family and friends to honor and celebrate our African American communities.

All Palm Beach County Library System locations will close on Mon, Feb 16, for Presidents’ Day. No materials will be due on that day.
Adult

Thu, Feb 05, 10:00 am
Tue, Feb 10, 10:00 am
Thu, Feb 19, 7:00 pm
Tue, Feb 24, 3:30 pm

Basic Computer Assistance: One-on-One
Do you have questions about Windows, Internet searching, MS Word or Excel, email, mousing, or library technology? Call to make an appointment for a one-on-one session with a librarian. (30-60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 05, 7:00 pm
Be My Valentine Card-Making Craft
Warm a loved one’s heart by creating a homemade valentine. Paper-crafting techniques and materials provided. All ages. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 07, 2:00 pm
Acoustic Java Jam
Experience a caffeinated collection of local talent or bring your acoustic instruments and jam out. Coffee provided by the Friends of the Library. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Sun, Feb 08 & 22, 1:00 pm
Black History Month Matinee

Tue, Feb 10 & 17, 5:00 pm
Sit ‘n’ Stitch
Want to learn crochet fundamentals? Want to socialize while you work on your current project? Sit and stitch, meet new people, and share your ideas and knowledge with others who are just learning to crochet. Some materials provided. Ages 9 & up. (2 hr.)

Thu, Feb 10, 7:00 pm
Wonders of the Night Sky: Telescope Viewing Session
Experience a telescopic view of the night sky with the Astronomical Society of the Palm Beaches. (90 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 12, 6:00 pm
Won’t You Bookmark My Valentine?
Give that special someone a thoughtful Valentine’s gift this year by crafting a handmade corner bookmark. Materials provided. All ages. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 21, 2:00 pm
Board Game Day
Enjoy a relaxing afternoon playing a variety of classic and contemporary board games. All ages. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 24, 3:30 pm
Chess Club
Join us for the inaugural meeting of our all-level chess club for adults, teens and children interested in learning more about and practicing the game of kings. Ages 6 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 24, 6:30 pm
Card Gamers Club
Yu-Gi-Oh!, Pokémon, Magic and more. If you like collectible card games this is your place to be. Bring your deck, box or binder, and come with a friend or make a new one. All ages. (90 min.)

Wed, Feb 25, 7:00 pm
Beekeeping & Bee-Friendly Basics
Susan Lerner, Master Gardener and Palm Beach County Beekeeper Association member, will provide essential information for aspiring beekeepers. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 26, 6:00 pm
Herbs for Health and Wellness
Ada Medina-Solorzano, from the Palm Beach County Cooperative Extension Service, teaches you how to add herbs to enhance your meals. Get tips on planting herbs and discover their health benefits. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 28, 2:00 pm
Teatime Trivia
Form a team or compete alone in a stimulating game of trivia. Bragging rights and prizes will be awarded to the winners. (90 min.) Preregister.

Child

Wed, Feb 04, 4:00 pm
American Girl: Mia
Mia’s dream is to skate, just like the rest of her family, but she doesn’t want to be a hockey player, she dreams of being a figure skater. Learn about how hard it can be to pursue your dreams when all you want to do is fit in, and make a craft to celebrate your dream. Ages 6-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 05, 3:30 pm
It’s Game Time!
Enjoy a snack while you play some Wii games, board games or card games with your friends and maybe make some new ones. Ages 6-12. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 07, 2:30 pm
LEGO® Builders Club
Meet fellow builders and work together, or alone, on creative projects. Ages 6-12. (90 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 10, 4:00 pm
The Music & Magic of Mardi Gras!
Get the family ready for a brassy and bold musical extravaganza when the Seminole Ridge Jazz Band lights up the library with swing and style. Between sets, play our Fat Tuesday games and receive Mardi Gras masks, beads and chocolate coins. All ages. (90 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 10, 7:00 pm
Club Pokémon
Bring your DS or Pokémon cards to battle, trade and make new friends! Ages 6-12. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 14, 2:30 pm
Crafts for Kids
Bring your creativity! Make a new friend and a special Valentine’s Day craft. Ages 3-8. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 18, 4:00 pm
Acreage Explorers’ Club: Botswana
Pick up or bring your Explorers’ Club Passport because we have mysteries and wonders to discover across the globe! This month, join us for interactive activities that explore the people, places, history, music and more of Botswana. Ages 6-12. (60-90 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Feb 20, 4:00 pm
Say “Ni Hao” to Chinese New Year!
Celebrate the Year of the Goat with silly stories, board games or card games and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 25, 11:15 am
Positively African!
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, from Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 25, 3:30 pm
Musical Toddlers & Tykes
Do you love to sing along to our story time songs? Join a jam session of all your favorites and lots of musical instruments for you to play as we keep the music going. Ages 0-5. (30 min.) Preregister.

Teen

Tue, Feb 03, 6:30 pm
Pizza Chat
Bring a book, comic, short story, fanfic or manga. Chat with the group about it while enjoying pizza and drinks. Ages 12-17. (60-90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 04, 6:30 pm
Japanese Animation & Culture Club
Hang out, watch anime, and eat snacks while you talk with friends and fans about all the coolest stuff from Japan. Ages 12-17. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 11, 6:30 pm
Love Stinks: Anti-Valentine’s Day Party
Romance is just the worst. Celebrate the single life with chocolate, games, fun and friends, minus the relationship drama. Ages 12-17. (90 min.) Preregister.
Thru, Feb 19, 6:30 pm
Acting Up
Come hungry for drama, laughs and pizza as we play some cheesy theater games and work on basic acting skills. Ages 12-17. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 25, 6:00 pm
Gamerz Nite
Join a game of mafia or Uno, play Smash Bros. or Mario Kart, or try a new board game or card game. Ages 12-17. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 26, 6:30 pm
Jam Session
It’s Java Jam, but just for teens, and with soda and snacks instead of coffee. Bring your favorite acoustic instrument and jam out with a group of other teen musicians of various skill levels. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

BELLE GLADE BRANCH
725 NW 4th Street, Belle Glade 33430
Phone: 996-3453

Adult

Thursdays, 1:00 pm
English Exchange
Meet new friends and practice speaking English. Free informal conversation sessions. Participants should have basic English skills. Seating is limited. Call 561-996-3453 to preregister.

Tue, Feb 10, 2:00 pm
Book-a-Librarian
Personal attention in a 60-minute, hands-on session tailored for you. Tell us what you need: a personal computer trainer or guidance on researching a topic. Call 561-996-3453 to make an appointment.

Tue, Feb 10, 3:00 pm
Martes, 10 de febrero, 3:00 pm
Early Childhood Developmental Screenings
Evaluación del Desarrollo para Niños de Temprana Edad
Do you have developmental concerns for your child? Please join trained staff, from Florida Atlantic University’s Center for Autism and Related Disabilities, for a free screening of your child. Parents must be present at the time of screening to provide consent and receive screening results. Ages 18 mos.-8. Preregister.

¿Tiene preocupaciones por el desarrollo de su hijo o hija? No pierda esta oportunidad de recibir una evaluación preliminar gratis para su hijo o hija. Será ofrecida por profesionales de Florida Atlantic University, Centro de Autismo y Discapacidades Relacionadas. Los padres o madres deben estar presentes durante la evaluación preliminar para prover consentimiento y recibir los resultados. Edades 18 meses-8 años. Se requiere registrarse.

Sat, Feb 14, 11:00 am
Black History Month Book Discussion
Our reference librarian will be moderating a book discussion of “Muck City: Winning and Losing in Football’s Forgotten Town,” by Brian Mealer. This true story takes place in Belle Glade, surrounding cities and areas of interest.

Sat, Feb 28, 11:00 am
Black History Month: Songs of Triumph, a History of the Negro Spiritual
Using the art of storytelling and music, this program covers the development of the Negro Spiritual and its impact on all musical genres. Dr. Naima Johnston-Bush will perform and discuss the songs’ significance as a historical American art. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. (60 min.) Preregister.

Child

Mon, Feb 09, 02:10 pm
Family Story Times & Pajama Hour

Sat, Feb 07 & 21, 10:30 am
Sábado, 07 y 21 de febrero, 10:30 am
Bilingual Family Story Times
Hora de Cuentos Bilingües
Fun stories, puppets and a film in Spanish for kids, moms and dads. Ages 4-8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thurs, Feb 12, 10:00 am
Positively African!
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 17, 3:00 pm
Stained Glass Art
Create a very special piece of stained glass art. Dress to get messy. Ages 9-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 18, 3:00 pm
Hats, Hats, Hats!
Hear some great stories about hats and make a hat craft. Ages 4-8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 19, 10:00 am
A Perfect Balance
“A Perfect Balance,” is a one-man play that follows a young artist, Sandy, on his quest to capture his vision of life. The show’s spectacular conclusion is a 17-feet wide mobile that suspends into the audience. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 28, 2:30 pm
Tweens Book Discussion
We will be discussing “Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Third Wheel,” while snacking on pizza. Ages 9-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

CLARENCE E. ANTHONY BRANCH
375 SW 2nd Avenue, South Bay 33493
Phone: 992-8393

Adult

Mon, Feb 09, 02:10 pm
Book-a-Librarian
Do you need help with research? Do you need help with Windows, Internet or email? Call to schedule a personalized hands-on computer session. (45 min.)

Sat, Feb 07, 12:00 pm
Adult Book Discussion: “12 Years a Slave.”
Dr. Esther Berry will lead a book discussion of “12 Years a Slave,” by Solomon Northup.

Sat, Feb 07, 2:00 pm
Weekend Movie Matinees
2/07: “Diary of a Mad Black Woman.” © Lions Gate Films, Inc. (116 min.) PG-13
2/14: “Jumping the Broom.” © Columbia Pictures Industries Inc. (112 min.) PG-13

Mon, Feb 09, 12:00 pm
Book-a-Librarian: Clean Out Your Computer Day
Bring your laptops and tablets so a staff member can show you how to organize your pictures and personal files. (60 min.)

Child

Mon, Feb 09, 05:00 pm
The Epilepsy Foundation
Katie Boeck, of the Epilepsy Foundation will give a presentation on the challenges created by epilepsy and seizures. (60 min.)

Wed, Feb 11, 4:30 pm
Teenie Weenie Valentinee
Celebrate Valentine’s Day by making cards, crafts and playing fun Valentine’s games. Finish up by making candy sushi to give to a friend. (60 min.)

Wed, Feb 18, 4:30 pm
Ancient Hieroglyphics
Learn about ancient hieroglyphics and write your name using the symbols of the hieroglyphics language. (45 min.)

GARDENS BRANCH
11303 Campus Drive, Palm Beach Gardens 33410
Phone: 626-6133

Adult

Tuesdays, 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm
YouStories: Classics-Conversation-Connection
This staged reading will include scenes from Greek drama, including selections from Homer’s “Odyssey,” “Aeschylus’ ” “Agamemnon,” “Sophocles’” “Philoctetes” and Euripides’ “Heraclides.” Following the readings, Dr. Peter Meineck, of New York University, will lead a discussion encouraging audience members to share their impressions and experiences. YouStories is made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. (90 min.) Preregistration begins Fri, Jan 23, 10:00 am, by phone, in person, or online at www.pclibrary.org/youstories.

Mon, Feb 09, 06:30 pm
YouStories: Classics-Conversation-Connection
This staged reading will include scenes from Greek drama, including selections from Homer’s “Odyssey,” “Aeschylus’ ” “Agamemnon,” “Sophocles’” “Philoctetes” and Euripides’ “Heraclides.” Following the readings, Dr. Peter Meineck, of New York University, will lead a discussion encouraging audience members to share their impressions and experiences. YouStories is made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. (90 min.) Preregistration begins Fri, Jan 23, 10:00 am, by phone, in person, or online at www.pclibrary.org/youstories.

Mon, Feb 09, 06:30 pm
Writers LIVE! Presents: Tim Dorsey
This best-selling novelist will talk about his new book “Shark Skin Suite.” (90 min.) Preregistration begins Mon, Feb 02, 10:00 am, by phone, in person, or online at www.pclibrary.org/writers-live-2015.

Tue, Feb 10, 1:30 pm
Creative Writing for Beginners
Unleash your creativity as you write about your life or any other topic of interest. (75 min.) Preregister.

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Family Funcraftic: Pipe Cleaners Gone Wild!  
Ages 6 & up. Limit 15. (45 min.) Preregister.  

Sensory Snow Day  
Sat, Feb 07, 3:00 pm  

Make a special Valentine craft. Ages 3-7.  

Positively Africa!  
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.  

GLADES ROAD BRANCH  
20701 95th Avenue South, Boca Raton 33434  
Phone: 482-4554

Adult  
Mon, Feb 02 & 23, 10:00 am  
Chess Club  
Do you like to play chess? Join other chess enthusiasts for a game or two and practice your skills. Ages 6-12. (45 min.) Preregister.  

Wednesdays, 10:00 am  
Little Wonders  
Enjoy stories, songs, puppets and movement activities just for babies. Ages 9-23 mos. (30 min.) Preregister.  

Wednesdays, 4:00 pm  
Stories, Games & Crafts about the Arts  
Enjoy stories, crafts and activities about different types of art and the artists who created it. Ages 5-8. (45 min.) Preregister.  

Sat, Feb 07, 03:00 pm  
Sensory Snow Day  
Play with “snow” using different materials including cotton, marshmallows and shaving cream. Ages 4-7. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 10, 3:30 pm  
Turtle Talk!  

Thu, Feb 12 & 19, 10:00 am  
eBook Assistance: One-on-One  
Call to make an appointment and learn how to borrow the library's eBooks in an individualized session with a staff member. Bring your eReader, laptop, mobile device or tablet, logins and passwords, and your library card. (45 min.)

Fri, Feb 13, 3:30 pm  
Crochet Club for Children  
Ongoing crochet club for all skill levels. Bring your hook and favorite yarn and socialize while learning basic stitches or working on current projects. Ages 9 & up. Limit 10. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 21, 10:30 am  
LEGO® Bricks and More  

Fri, Feb 20, 11:00 am  
Book Discussion  
We will be discussing “Still Alice,” by Lisa Genova. Pick up a copy of the book at the information desk. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 19, 2:00 pm  
Adult Book Discussion Series  
Donna Gruber Adair will lead a discussion of “Crooked Letter, Crooked Letter,” by Tom Franklin. The best-selling literary thriller explores themes of racism, friendship and family secrets in the Deep South. Sign up and check out the book. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 26, 3:30 pm  
Royal Recipes  

Wed, Feb 26, 10:00 am  
Genealogy Research: The Next Generation  
Marjorie Gottlieb Wolfe will talk about one of TV’s most famous judges. Tickets available, beginning Feb 09. (60 min.) Preregister.
**GREENACRES BRANCH**

3750 Jog Road, Greenacres 33467
Phone: 641-9100

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**Preregister.**

**Turtle Talk!**

Tue, Feb 10, 3:30 pm

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Wednesdays, 4:00 pm

**Little Wonders**

Wednesdays, 10:00 am

**Chess Club**

Mon, Feb 02, 3:30 pm

**hoopla Demo**

Wed, Feb 25, 2:00 pm

**Book Discussion**

Fri, Feb 20, 11:00 am

**Income Taxes**

Mon, Feb 09, 6:00 pm

**Poetry Workshop in Honor of Black History Month**

Thu, Feb 12, 4:00 pm

**Income Taxes**

Mon, Feb 09, 6:00 pm

**Book Discussion**

Thu, Feb 05, 2:30 pm

**The Humor of Doris Roberts**

“Everybody Loves Raymond,” one of the funniest TV sitcoms of its day, starred the talented Doris Roberts as the “mother of all mothers.” Join Marjorie Wolfe for an entertaining talk about the actress. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Feb 09, 2:30 pm**

**The Great Courses*: Practicing Mindfulness - An Introduction to Meditation**


**Mon, Feb 09, 6:00 pm**

**Income Taxes**

Join Palm Beach State College Professor Gracelyn Stuart-Tuggle, CPA, for tips on these topics: Schedule A - Itemized Deductions; Schedule D - Capital Gains and Losses; Schedule C - Self Employed Income. Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 12 & 19, 1:30 pm**

**Book & Film Discussion**

“Invictus.” In recognition of Black History Month, we will be discussing “Still Alice,” by Lisa Genova. We will be discussing “Still Alice,” by Lisa Genova. (60 min.) Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.

**Thu, Feb 26, 10:30 am**

**Poetry Workshop in Honor of Black History Month**

Award-winning poet Stacie Kiner critiques and helps craft students’ poetry by analyzing the poetry of greats like Langston Hughes, Maya Angelou, and others. (45 min.) Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.

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Teen

Sat, Feb 21, 11:00 am
Club Anime
Interested in anime? Already a fan or curious to know what it’s all about? Join us for old and new favorites plus snacks and socializing. We’ll view some anime episodes and make a manga craft. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 28, 11:00 am
PowerPoint & Popcorn
Bring your friends, have some popcorn and get some great tips on using PowerPoint for your school projects. The program will focus on how to edit and format pictures. Snacks provided. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

HAGEN RANCH ROAD BRANCH
14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446
Phone: 894-7500

Adult

Mon, Feb 02, 2:00 pm
Book/Film Discussion
©Warner Bros. (132 min.) Join Stacie Kiner for a book/film discussion based on the graphic novel “V For Vendetta,” by Alan Moore. (3 hr.) R

Mon, Feb 02, 4:00 pm
Storytelling: I’ll Tell You Mine,
If You’ll Tell Me Yours ...
Get together with storytellers Glad McLeod and/or Vera Fried and let’s have fun sharing our stories. (60 min.)

Tue, Feb 03, 2:00 pm
Poetry Workshop: African American History Month
Join us for a special poetry workshop as award-winning poet Stacie Kiner critiques and discusses some of the finest contemporary and classic poetry by African American poets. (75 min.)

Tue, Feb 03, 2:00 pm
Writers LIVE! Presents: Anita Diamant
This best-selling novelist will talk about her new book “The Boston Girl.” (90 min.) Pre-registration begins Mon, Jan 26, 10:00 am, by phone, in person, or online at www.pbclibrary.org/writers-live-2015.

Tuesdays, 3:30 pm
Spanish in Practice: Intermediate
Practice speaking Spanish in conversations about food, travel, news and more. An intermediate knowledge of the language is required. (90 min.)

Wednesdays, 10:30 am
Knit & Crochet with Project Linus
Knit and crochet with expert “blanketeers.” Crafts you make go to children in need. Bring your favorite pattern, needles, bright yarn and a giving spirit. (90 min.)

Wed, Feb 04 & 18, 4:00 pm
Writers’ Workshop
Sign up for this six session course facilitated by award-winning poet, Stacie Kiner. Limit 10. (90 min.) Preregister beginning Mon, Jan 26.

Thu, Feb 05, 9:30 am
Game On
Play board games, including chess, checkers, Chinese checkers and backgammon. Game knowledge required. (90 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 05, 2:00 pm
The Art of Scrapbooking
Come and make personalized scrapbook albums out of binders. Bring your own scrapbook or three-ring binder, photographs, mementos, and creativity to decorate pages to fill your album. Some embellishments and supplies provided. Limit 15. (2 hr.) Preregister beginning Mon, Jan 26.

Sat, Feb 07, 1:00 pm
YouStories: Classics-Conversation-Connection
This staged reading will include scenes from Greek drama, including selections from Homer’s “Odyssey,” “Aeschylius’ “Agamemnon,” Sophocles’ “Philoctetes” and Euripides’ “Herakles.” Following the readings, Dr. Peter Meineck, of New York University, will lead a discussion encouraging audience members to share their impressions and experiences. YouStories is made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. (90 min.) Preregistration begins Fri, Jan 23, 10:00 am, by phone, in person, or online at www.pbclibrary.org/youstories.

Mon, Feb 09, 2:00 pm
Long Term Care: Options and Resources
Ms. Petrassi, supervisor for the helpline at Your Aging & Disability Resource Center, will present on the topic and answer questions. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 10, 2:00 pm
Book Discussion: Childhood Favorites Revisited
Reread “The Secret Garden,” by Frances Hodgson Burnett and participate in a lively discussion led by Deborah Witham, Ph.D. Pick up a copy of the book from the check out desk beginning Fri, Jan 21. (75 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 10, 17 & 24, 2:00 pm
Poetry Workshop
Award-winning poet Stacie Kiner critiques and discusses some of the world’s finest contemporary and classic poetry. (60 min.)

Thu, Feb 11, 2:00 pm
Valentine’s Day Musical Celebration with Meritt & Moreau
Don Meritt and Annette Moreau combine sensational singing and comedy in a captivating performance of romantic music ranging from Broadway show tunes to opera. Tickets, two per person, beginning Mon, Feb 02. (60 min.)

Thu, Feb 12, 11:00 am
The Great Courses” Documentaries: The Everyday Gourmet - Rediscovering the Lost Art of Cooking

Thu, Feb 12, 2:00 pm
Contemporary Classics Book Club

Thu, Feb 12, 3:00 pm
Practical Mindfulness
Learn how to become mindful through the practice of meditation. Classes consist of lecture, question and answer period, and a period of meditation. (60 min.)

Thu, Feb 19, 2:00 pm
Eating Disorders Through the Life Span
Sharon Glynn, LPN and the Director of Programming for The Alliance For Eating Disorders Awareness, will discuss eating disorders in women, men and children. Anorexia nervosa, bulimia nervosa, binge eating disorder and OSFED will be explained and addressed. Ms. Glynn will probe the realities of eating disorders in life span stages as children, adolescents, college students, midlife, older adults and specific issues for the elderly. (60 min.) Preregister.

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- Test preparation assistance and eBooks: FCAT, SAT, GED, Citizenship and more
- College financial aid information
- Overviews of over 4,000 colleges and technical schools
- Computer skills tutorials
- Résumé, interview, and workplace skills assistance
- Proofreading for essays, reports and papers

www.pbclibrary.org/online-research
Sun, Feb 22, 2:00 pm
Black History Month: Jazz Saxophone Performance by Randy Corinthian
Honor one of South Florida’s “40 under 40 Black Leaders of Today and Tomorrow,” by Legacy Magazine in 2012 and by ICABA HONORS as a Finalist for Entertainer of The Year in 2013, Randy Corinthian will share soulful and scintillating sounds of the jazz saxophone in his solo performance to celebrate Black History Month. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. (60 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Feb 23, 2:00 pm
Crafty Custom Containers
Cover simple containers in different ways to hold your tchotchkes and other treasures in a rolled-paper holder. Use magazines, catalogs, plastic or cardboard containers, ribbon and other trims. Bring your own container; other supplies provided. Limit 15. (90 min.) Preregister beginning Mon, Jan 26.

Tue, Feb 17, 4:00 pm
Fun With Tweens: Spaghetti and Marshmallow Tower
Test your engineering skills and see if you can build the strongest and tallest tower using just spaghetti and marshmallows. Ages 8-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 19, 4:00 pm
Chinese New Year, 2015: Year of the Goat
Come hear some tales, do a cutout craft, find out your fortune, watch a video, and play a game with chopsticks. Ages 4-8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 26, 4:00 pm
Positively Africa!
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Teen
Tue, Feb 10, 6:00 pm
Teen Chocolate Party
We’ll be getting a sugar rush as we celebrate our favorite food, chocolate! Participate in a chocolate tasting and a variety of games centered around that fabulous concoction. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

JUPITER BRANCH
705 Military Trail, Jupiter 33458
Phone: 744-2101

Fri, Feb 13, 3:30 pm
Mardi Gras Mask Making
Rosemary Caspary, an edible gardener and registered dietician will show you how to grow and use herbs. She will focus on plants best suited to grow in South Florida. You will go home with a new found knowledge to inspire you to grow and use a greater variety of herbs and spices. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 19, 6:00 pm
Reader In-Transit Book Discussion Group
Do you love books that allow you to explore different parts of the world? Then this discussion group is for you. Join Danielle to discuss the selected books and find yourself transported! This month the group will be discussing “Ghost Bride,” by Yangsze Choo. Limit 15. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 28, 2:00 pm
Florida Trail Association
Mr. Paul Cummings, Treasurer of the Loxahatchee Chapter of the Florida Trail Association, will describe the activities and accomplishments of the chapter and invite those who are interested to participate in a hike and discover the gifts being outside can bring. (60 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Feb 6, 3:30 pm
All You Need is Love
Get ready to celebrate Valentine’s Day with stories and songs and make lovely cards for your family and friends. Ages 3-5. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 11, 3:30 pm
Extraterrestrial Visitors Day
Ever wish you could meet a space alien? Listen to stories about visitors from outer space, and maybe even see a real spaceship out of air-dry putty and found objects to bring back to your home or theirs! Ages 5-8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 11, 6:00 pm
Library Scavenger Hunt
How well do you know the library? Come try our scavenger hunt to find out. Refreshments provided. Ages 10 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Feb 13, 3:30 pm
Mardi Gras Mask Making
Come create your own Mardi Gras mask and learn about this festive occasion. Ages 4-7. (45 min.) Preregister.

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**Thu, Feb 19, 4:00 pm**

**Crochet Club**

Make new friends while you learn basic stitches and work on cool projects. Previous participants will be able to practice what they’ve learned and hone their skills. Bring a size J crochet hook and a skein of medium weight acrylic yarn. Ages 8 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Sun, Feb 22, 1:00 pm**

**Block Party: LEGO® Bricks in the Library**

Get creative and have fun building with our LEGO® collection. Ages 5-10. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 26, 3:00 pm**

**American Girl: Meet Kirsten**

If you loved reading about the American Girls, our American Girl Club is for you! Join us for crafts, games or other activities inspired by the American Girls and the times in which they lived. Grades 1-5. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Fri, Feb 27, 10:30 am**

**Positively Africa!**

Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Feb 28, 11:00 am**

**Bake for Family Fun Month**

No oven? No problem! Bring the family to the library to learn how to make some delicious no-bake sweets! Supplies generously provided by the Friends of the Library. Space is limited. Ages 5 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

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**LANTANA ROAD BRANCH**

4020 Lantana Road, Lake Worth 33462
Phone: 304-4500

**Adult**

**Tue, Feb 03, 10 & 24, 10:00 am**

**Job Help Center**

Our librarians can help you with all of your job search needs from creating a résumé to applying for a job online. (2 hr.)

**Tue, Feb 03, 10 & 17, 2:00 pm**

**Black History Month Movie**

Preregister.

- 2/03: “Lincoln.” ©Dreamworks Pictures. (149 min.) PG-13

**Wednesdays, 6:30 pm**

**English Exchange**

Practice speaking English in an informal atmosphere. Intermediate knowledge of the language is necessary. (2 hr.) Call 561-804-7529 to preregister.

**Sat, Feb 07, 2:00 pm**

**Black History Month Kickoff Event: Jazz Saxophone Performance by Randy Corinthian**

Honored as one of South Florida’s “40 under 40 Black Leaders of Today and Tomorrow,” by Legacy Magazine in 2012 and by ICABA HONORS as a Finalist for Entertainer of The Year in 2013, Randy Corinthian will share the soulful and scintillating sounds of the jazz saxophone in his solo performance to celebrate the beginning of Black History Month events throughout the County. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. (60 min.) Preregister.

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**Thur, Feb 11, 2:00 pm**

**Negro Settlers of Delray Beach**

Learn about the black community that migrated to Delray Beach from the Bahamas, Carolinas and North Florida in this presentation by the Spady Cultural Heritage Museum. (30 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 12, 2:00 pm**

**Mon, Feb 23, 2:00 pm**

**eBook Assistance**

Call for an appointment and learn how to borrow the library’s eBooks. Bring your compatible eReader, tablet, mobile device or laptop. (30 min.)

**Wed, Feb 18, 2:00 pm**

**Chess Club**

Do you play chess? Would you like to learn or challenge your skills and practice new tactics and strategies? Players of all levels welcome to this open house chess club. Sets and boards provided. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 19, 2:00 pm**

**Living Healthy for Seniors**

Learn about healthy living tips, including fall prevention, from the Area Agency on Aging. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Feb 21, 11:00 am**

**Who Am I? A Lesson for Black History Month**

Young adults will portray famous African Americans in a performance called “Who Am I?“ (60 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Feb 25, 2:00 pm**

**Nutrition Through the Golden Years**

Senior Public Health Nutritionist Shana Bayder, from the Delray Beach Health Department, will discuss the rise in obesity, fat in your diet, vitamins, antioxidants, the risk and side effects of nutrition supplements, and more. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 26, 2:00 pm**

**Martin Luther King Jr.**

Steve White, from the Martin Luther King Committee, will discuss the life of Martin Luther King Jr. Preregister.

**Child**

**Thu, Feb 05, 6:30 pm**

**Harry Potter Book Night**

Wizards, muggles and magical creatures - join us to celebrate the world’s first Harry Potter Book Night! We will have quizzes, games and activities. Feel free to wear your best wizarding robes or Quidditch uniform. Ages 8 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Feb 07, 2:30 pm**

**Valentine, Won’t You be Mine?**

Listen to sugary sweet stories and then make a Valentine’s Day card. Ages 5 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sun, Feb 08, 2:00 pm**

**Move It!**

Come back for another hour of fun games and activities! Hula hoops, jump ropes, tag and more! Ages 4 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Feb 09, 3:30 pm**

**Kisses & Hugs, Eww ... Yuck!**

If Valentine’s Day is not your thing, come chill out, listen to gross stories, and make a card for a loved one. Ages 7-11. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Feb 10, 3:30 pm**

**Treats for Your Sweets**

Make sweethearts candy magnets for Valentine’s Day! Ages 5 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 12, 3:30 pm**

**I Love Cards!**

Don’t know what to get your love? Make them a Valentine’s Day card. Ages 5 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Fri, Feb 13, 3:30 pm**

**Chess Club**

Come learn how to play this fascinating game. If you already know how to play, join us for a few games to sharpen your skills! Ages 8-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Feb 14, 2:30 pm**

**Drive-in Movie “Monsters Inc.*** ©Walt Disney Pictures. (92 min.)
Make cardboard cars to sit in for our movie! We will enjoy popcorn and watch the movie in front of the big screen, just as if we were at the drive-in. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

**Tue, Feb 17, 10:00 am**

**Positively Africa!**

Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Sun, Feb 22, 2:30 pm**

**LEGO® Club**

Bring your imagination and build something! Ages 6-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Feb 26, 1:00 pm**

**Coloring Club**

It’s an Early Release Day from school, so come join us for an hour of coloring and relaxing! Ages 4 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.
Afraid of a little mouse?
www.pbclibrary.org/online-research
Don’t be!

Get practice using a keyboard? ¿Aprender a utilizar el internet? ¿Crear multi-media projects? You’ll also find out how one way that CreationStation can be used to create a memorable Valentine’s Day card.

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Sun, Feb 28, 2:30 pm
Celebrate African American Inventors
We’ll learn about some really cool African American inventors and their inventions, and use LEGO® bricks to invent something awesome. Ages 7 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

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Fri, Feb 06, 4:00 pm
Teen Art Club
We will continue to work on our mural! Ages 11 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Sat, Feb 21, 2:30 pm
Gamers and Cosplayers Unite!
Join us for Wii games and anime crafting and art. Ages 12-17. (90 min.) Preregister.

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Sat, Feb 07, 2:00 pm
Share Your Heart Valentine Extravaganza
Children and families are invited to create valentines for those they love! All ages. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Tue, Feb 10, 10:00 am
Pre-K Story Times
Themed stories and creative activities for children. Ages 3-5. (45 min.) Preregister.
2/10: For the Love of Books!
Wed, Feb 11, 5:30 pm
Play Me a Story
Children and families are invited to join us for stories and skits! There is a part for everyone: behind the scenes, center stage, or as a part of the cheering audience! All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

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Tue, Feb 24, 11:00 am
Positively African!
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Sun, Feb 08, 2:00 pm
Eating Disorders Through the Life Span
Join us in an informative lecture about “Eating Disorders Through the Life Span.” Presented by the Alliance for Eating Disorders Awareness, this engaging session will explain how eating disorders affect us at any age. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Thu, Feb 12, 10:00 am
Introduction to Finding Funders for Nonprofit Organizations
Learn how to find funders for your nonprofit organization with the Foundation Center’s comprehensive research tool, Foundation Directory Online. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Wed, Feb 11, 2:30 pm
Learn How to Job Campaign
Our Business Librarian will show you how to create a high-impact, customized job campaign on the Internet. Learn how to find websites and use databases and social media to help you in your job search. (90 min.) Preregister.

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Thu, Feb 05, 7:00 pm
Black History Month: How to Conduct African American Genealogy Research
Larry Vick, Librarian for the Genealogical Society of Palm Beach County, explains how to conduct African American genealogy research. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Wed, Feb 18, 1:00 pm
Proposal Writing Basics
Learn about the key components of a nonprofit grant proposal to a foundation or corporation and get answers to your questions about the process of applying for a grant. (60-90 min.) Preregister.

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Thu, Feb 19, 2:00 pm
Natural Medicine: Finding Trusted Resources
Learn how to assess health claims and become an educated consumer by learning to ask the right questions. Computer experience not necessary. (90 min.) Preregister.
Crafts in just one afternoon! Get ready to be crafty!

Craft-Mania
Thu, Feb 19, 3:30 pm

Calling all Dork Diaries fans! Don’t miss this afternoon of Dork Diaries fun, games and “not-so-dorky” crafts. Ages 8-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Teen
Tue, Feb 24, 5:00 pm
Shrinky Dinks Crafts

Draw beautiful pictures on special Shrinky Dink paper, and then watch it shrink and become a special piece of art in the toaster! We will make lovely jewelry, key chains and more! Ages 9-16. (45 min.) Preregister.

Vintage Valentine Craft Series
Wed, Feb 11, 2:15 pm
Adult
Mon, Feb 09 & 23, 2:30 pm
Black History Month Movie Mania

Join Sharon Glynn, LPN and Director of Programming for the Alliance for Eating Disorders Awareness as she discusses the issues of eating disorders in women, men and children throughout the lifespan stages. Anorexia nervosa, bulimia nervosa, binge eating disorder and OSFED will be explained and addressed. (60 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Feb 09, 10:00 am
Writer’s Therapy

Are you an aspiring writer looking for constructive feedback? Join us in this informal round table discussion where participants improve their craft by reading and discussing their works in progress. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 26, 4:00 pm
Fantastic Fairy Tales

Celebrate “National Fairy Tale Day” with some amazing fairy tales, fun games and special crafts. You can even come dressed up as your favorite fairy tale character – or just be yourself! Ages 4-9. (45 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Feb 02, 09 & 23, 6:00 pm
English Exchange

Practice speaking English in an informal atmosphere. Intermediate knowledge of the language is necessary. (2 hr.) Call 561-894-7529 to preregister.

Tue, Feb 03, 5:30 pm
Writer’s Critique Workshop

Offer and accept constructive criticism and comments to improve your fiction, nonfiction and poetry in a supportive atmosphere led by library staff. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Child
Tue, Feb 03, 10:00 am
Positively Africa!

Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 11, 3:30 pm
Be Mine, Valentine!

Sweet stories, songs and a giftable craft are planned to help you celebrate this lovely holiday. Ages 4-8. (30 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 24, 3:30 pm
Club LEGO®

Imagine, build and play with our LEGO® bricks. Ages 6-12. (45 min.) Preregister.
Mon, Feb 23, 2:15 pm
Computer Assistance: One-on-One
Do you need one-on-one computer assistance, guidance with research, or help with your eReader? Call to reserve time with library staff for a hands-on session tailored just for you. Various appointment dates and times available. (30 min.)

Wed, Feb 25, 6:00 pm
Black History Trivia Game
Form a team or compete alone in a stimulating game of trivia. Popcorn will be served. Prizes will be awarded to the top three highest scores. (90 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 26, 2:00 pm
Royal Palm Feature Movie
“Get On Up.” ©Universal Pictures. (138 min.) PG-13

**Child**

Fri, Feb 06, 3:30 pm
It's a Craft Bonanza!
Drop in and make as many crafts as you want with the supplies from our Craft Closet. Materials provided. Ages 2 & up. (60 min.)

Sat, Feb 07, 10:30 am
Bookercise: Move, Dance, Wiggle & Shake
Enjoy wiggling and shaking to music while using scarves, egg shakers and other instruments all in the name of reading readiness. Ages 2-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Feb 13, 3:30 pm
Heart 2 Heart: Valentine’s Day Crafting for Kids
Make a special Valentine’s Day craft for that special someone. Materials provided. Ages 7-11. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 17, 6:30 pm
Books into Art
Learn how to make amazing pieces of art with recycled books. Materials provided. Ages 11-17. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 19, 3:30 pm
Happy Chinese New Year!

Fri, Feb 20, 10:30 am
Positively African
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 21, 3:00 pm
Squiggly Your Way to Art
Make your scriptures and doodles into amazing artwork you can use to decorate your house. Materials provided. Ages 11-17. (45 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Feb 23, 6:30 pm
Pajamarama Story Time: Giddy Up
Howdy, partner! Mosey on down for some cowboy/cowgirl stories, silly songs, and a western-style hoedown. Make a fun craft to bring home. Don’t forget to wear your favorite PJ’s! Stuffed animals are welcome! Ages 3-6 plus siblings. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Feb 26, 2:30 pm
Movie Magic
“The Boxtrolls.” ©Focus Features. (100 min.) Relax while watching this family-friendly movie. Ages 8 & up. Preregister. PG

Fri, Feb 27, 3:30 pm
Kids Wii U Gaming
Game on! Challenge yourself and your friends by playing some of your favorite Wii games on our new Wii U! Ages 7-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Teen**

Sat, Feb 14, 2:00 pm
Teen Movie Magic
“If I Stay.” ©Warner Bros. (106 min.) Spend Valentine’s Day and enjoy another favorite teen read that was made into a blockbuster movie. Ages 13-17. Preregister. PG-13

Sat, Feb 28, 2:00 pm
Anime Club
Meet other teens who enjoy watching and talking about anime, eat Pocky and share your knowledge about manga. Snacks provided. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 28, 3:00 pm
RPB Teen Xpressions
Are you a writer? A poet? An artist? A musician? Here is your chance to share your original poems, writings, art work, etc. with a group of your peers. Ages 12-17. (45 min.) Preregister.

**TEQUESTA BRANCH**

461 Old Dixie Highway North, Tequesta 33469
Phone: 746-5970

**Child**

Wed, Feb 04, 11:00 am
Positively African
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

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**Teen**

Tue, Feb 10, 6:00 pm
Fabric Painting Fun
Bring your old T-shirts, pillow cases and canvas sneakers to create a new look. Stamping, glue resist and other fabric painting techniques will be used to renew your favorite piece. Snacks provided. Ages 12-17. (90 min.) Preregister.

**WELLINGTON BRANCH**

1951 Royal Fern Drive, Wellington 33414
Phone: 790-6070

**Adult**

Thu, Feb 05, 6:30 pm
Writer’s Critique
Share, offer and accept constructive criticism to improve your fiction, nonfiction and poetry in a supportive atmosphere led by Caryn DeVincenti, Regional Director of the Florida Writers’ Association, Palm Beach County. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Fri, Feb 06, 2:00 pm
Writers LIVE! Presents: Michael Wiley
This award-winning novelist will talk about his new book “Blue Avenue.” (90 min.) Preregistration begins Mon, Jan 26, 10:00 am, by phone, in person, or online at www.pbclibrary.org/writers-live-2015.

Sat, Feb 07, 3:00 pm
Black History Family Fun
Families come together to play a fun game celebrating the early contributions of African Americans to science and everyday life in America. Preregister.

Mon, Feb 09, 6:30 pm
Chess Club for Adults
Chess fans unite to practice strategy skills with other players. Basic game knowledge required. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 10, 6:30 pm
Valentine Altoid Tin Makeover
Craft an Altoid tin into a sweet valentine. Washi tape, collectible memorabilia, printables and candy will be provided. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 11, 6:30 pm
Hooked on Crochet
Learn beginning techniques or bring current projects to share and work on. Beginners, pick up a materials list when you preregister. (90 min.)

Thu, Feb 12, 6:30 pm
Small Claims & Mediation
Learn how to file a claim of $5,000 or less and present it to a judge. Avoid court and lawyer fees by choosing mediation. Presented by the Palm Beach County Bar Association. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 21, 2:30 pm
A Tribute to “Ella” - Music of the Ella Fitzgerald Songbook
In commemoration of Black History Month, the Friends of the Palm Beach County Library System proudly present vocalist Perley Rousseau and pianist Sonny Daye. They will perform a concert filled with warmth and humor highlighting the life and music of the legendary Ella Fitzgerald. (75 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 24, 10:00 am
Tax Time
Find out about free resources, like www.irs.gov and 2-1-1, available during the tax season. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Feb 24, 7:00 pm
Wonders of the Night Sky
Join the Astronomical Society of the Palm Beaches and learn about constellations as you stargaze from sunset to 8:30 pm outside, if the skies are clear. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 25, 2:00 pm
Meet the Author: Everee Jimerson Clarke
Award-winning historian Everee Jimerson Clarke has made significant contributions to preserving and sharing the history of Pleasant City, the oldest African American community in Palm Beach County. She will discuss the contributions of the African American pioneers of Palm Beach County. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Feb 25, 6:30 pm
Jeopardy: Black History Edition
Showcase your Black History expertise in this educational and fun trivia-style game show. Preregister.

Sat, Feb 28, 1:30 pm
Black History Month Movie Matinee
“Their Eyes Were Watching God.” ©Walt Disney Pictures. (113 min.) Not rated.

**Child**

Children’s and Teens' programs are offered on a first-come, first-served basis, unless otherwise stated.

Tue, Feb 03, 3:00 pm
Game Day
Bring a friend for Wii gaming and board game fun! Ages 8-12. Limit 24. (90 min.)

Sat, Feb 07, 2:00 pm
Great Black Authors
Celebrate Black History Month with a story time followed by a fun craft. Afterwards, join your family in the Meeting Room for Black History Bingo. Ages 6-10. Limit 30. (45 min.)

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Mon, Feb 09, 3:00 pm
Art Club
Live through your art by exploring different mediums. Dress to get messy. Ages 6-12. Limit 20. (45 min.)

Thu, Feb 12, 3:00 pm
I Love a Mystery
Enjoy mystery stories, learn about new authors, share your favorite titles, and create a mystery themed craft. Ages 8-12. Limit 25. (60 min.)

Fri, Feb 13, 10:30 am
Positively African!
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Feb 13, 2:30 pm
Movie Matinee
“Maleficent.” ©Walt Disney Pictures. (97 min.) PG

Tue, Feb 17, 3:00 pm
Presidents’ Day Birthday Bash
Celebrate our presidents with exciting stories and a fun craft. Ages 4-8. Limit 25. (45 min.)

Mon, Feb 23, 3:00 pm
LEGO® Club
Create vehicles or buildings out of LEGO® bricks. Ages 6 & up. Limit 25. (45 min.)

Sat, Feb 28, 11:00 am
Zoo Stories
Lions, monkeys, giraffes, oh my! Join us for a frenzy of stories, songs and a craft featuring our favorite zoo friends. Ages 2-6. Limit 40. (45 min.)

Wed, Feb 04, 2:00 pm
Tech Talk: One-on-One
Need help with your computer or other device? Speak with our techie/librarian in your own individualized 30-minute session. Walk-in registration begins 30 minutes prior to the first session. First-come, first-served. You may also arrange an appointment at a different date and time. (30 min.)

Thursdays, 1:00 pm
Robin Williams Film Festival
Celebrate the life and legacy of the beloved actor, comedian and humanitarian.
2/05: “The Fisher King.” ©Columbia Pictures Industries Inc. (140 min.) R
2/12: “Good Will Hunting.” ©Miramax. (127 min.) R
2/26: “August Rush.” ©Warner Bros. (114 min.) PG

Tue, Feb 10, 2:00 pm
Cooking the Books
Read “Saveur: The New Classics Cookbook,” by the editors of “Saveur” magazine. Discuss and share recipes and techniques with foodie/librarian Stacy Alesi. Books available at the information desk. (60 min.)

Tue, Feb 17, 1:30 pm
Tech Talk eBooks: One-on-One
Ask questions about downloading library eBooks in your own individual session with a librarian. Bring your eReader or tablet, app store login, and your library card. Walk-in registration begins 30 minutes prior to first session. First-come, first-served. (30 min.)

Fri, Feb 20, 2:00 pm
When Jews Were Funny
Enjoy this documentary featuring Shecky Greene, Howie Mandel, David Steinberg, Gilbert Gottfried and many others. Filmmaker Alan Zweig covers to suit your personality and begin filling the pages. Ages 12-17. Limit 25. (60 min.)

Sat, Feb 07, 10:30 am
Child
Baby Story Time
“Maleficent.” ©Walt Disney Pictures. (97 min.) PG

Wed, Feb 04, 10:30 am
Get Help With Your IRS Tax Return
Free tax preparation assistance provided by AARP volunteers. Bring your ID, current tax papers and last year’s return. Returns will be e-File only. Make an appointment with AARP volunteers when the site is open. No age limit.

Wed, Feb 04 & 18, 2:00 pm
It’s Scrabble Time!
Join with your neighbors to play this classic word game following the official Scrabble rules. (90 min.)

Sat, Feb 17, 2:00 pm
Superhero Story Time
Superhero stories, songs and a fun craft. Ages 5 & up. Limit 25. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Feb 21, 10:30 am
Teen
Zentangle
Explore this stress-relieving doodle based art and create a special card or work of art to display. Grades 6 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.
Tue, Feb 10, 7:00 pm
Sherlock Holmes Mystery Club
The game’s afoot with facilitator Howard Schoen and other Sherlock fans for films and discussions of the renowned literary detective. (75 min.)
Thu, Feb 12, 2:00 pm
Celebrate Black History Month: Book Discussion:
“Life Is So Good,” by George Dawson
Share the inspiring saga of how the grandson of a slave managed to navigate a brutally segregated small Texas town, without losing his integrity or enjoyment of life. Led by library staff. (60 min.) Preregister.
Tue, Feb 17, 2:00 pm
Treating Leg Pain:
Restoring Circulation and Comfort
Dr. Jodi R. Schoenhans, D.P.M., Podiatrist at Bethesda Hospital East, lectures on the newest advances in treatments of poor circulation to the legs. (60 min.) Preregister.
Mar. 17, 1 de febrero, 6:30 pm
Tertulia Literaria: “The Nobleman of Alcantara.”
(Book Discussion in Spanish)
Únase a nosotros para una discusión sobre “El caballero de Alcántara” de Jesús Sánchez-Adalid. Las copias están disponibles en el mostrador de Información. (90 min.) Preregister.
Thu, Feb 19, 2:00 pm
Introduction to Chinese Language
Surprise yourself and discover new words of this fascinating ancient language. Presented by staff. (60 min.) Preregister.
Tue, Feb 24, 2:00 pm
Barbra Streisand:
The Ugly Ducking/Cinderella Myth
Barbra Streisand, that bumpy-nosed Brooklyn beauty, proves that “a nose with deviation is no crime to the nation.” Marjorie Gottlieb Wolfe talks about Streisand, the Cinderella Myth: ugly duckling turned swan. (60 min.) Preregister.
Tue, Feb 24, 6:30 pm
Celebrate Black History Month:
Poetry Reading & Appreciation
Rose Bromberg, widely-published poet and teacher, reviews and interprets beloved poems by African American poets. A reading and brief reflective writing exercise will follow. (90 min.) Preregister.
Thu, Feb 26, 2:30 pm
Get Crafty with Thrilling Quilling: Paper Filigree
Roll, loop and curl strips of colored paper to make decorative designs. Create fancy scrolled patterns to adorn gift bags or greeting cards. Staff demonstrates beginner techniques. (60 min.) Preregister.
Thu, Feb 26, 8:30 pm
Old Fashioned Valentines: A Speed Date for Writers
Discover the basics of writing with an award-winning instructor. Age 18 and over. (60 min.) Preregister.
Sat, Feb 14, 11:00 am
Valentine Critters
Create heart-shaped animals to share for Valentine’s Day with your friends and family. Ages 5-8. (60 min.) Preregister.
Mon, Feb 23, 11:00 am
Positively African!
Experience the music and culture of Africa with Julius and Julia Sanna, of Positively Africa! Children will enjoy playing African instruments and learning simple Swahili songs. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.
Sat, Feb 28, 11:00 am
Make & Take Crafts
Try your hand at a variety of projects for crafty kids to create and enjoy. Ages 3-8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Free Computer & Internet Classes

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.)
Main Library
Wed, Feb 11, 1:00 pm
Browsers - Basic (Hands-on)
A browser is the name for the software used to access the Internet. Learn the basics of using the Microsoft Internet Explorer browser. Some computer experience is necessary. (60 min. -2 hr.)
Gardens Branch
Tue, Feb 03, 10:30 am
Royal Palm Beach Branch
Wed, Feb 04, 10:15 am
Greenacres Branch
Thu, Feb 05, 10:00 am
Lantana Road Branch
Thu, Feb 12, 10:00 am
Clarence E. Anthony Branch
Wed, Feb 18, 12:00 pm
Okeechobee Boulevard Branch
Tue, Feb 24, 8:30 am
Computer Keyboard & Typing - Basic (Hands-on)
Learn the basics about the keys on the computer keyboard and practice typing using online tutorials. (60 min.)
Lantana Road Branch
Mon, Feb 02, 2:00 pm
Main Library
Tue, Feb 03, 10:00 am
Computers - Beginning (Hands-on)
Prerequisite: Mousing
Learn the basics about computers including hardware, software, files and networks. (60 min. - 2 hr.)
Belle Glade Branch
Fri, Feb 13, 10:00 am
Computers - Beginning (Lecture)
Beginners will learn the basics about computers, including hardware, software, files, networks, and associated devices. (90 min.)
Jupiter Branch
Mon, Feb 02, 5:00 pm
Correo Electrónico Avanzado (Hands-on)
Aprenda cómo crear carpetas, adjuntar archivos, y usar la libreta de contactos en su cuenta de correo electrónico en el Internet. (90 min. - 2 hr.) Se requiere registrarse.
Greenacres Branch
Miércoles, 18 de febrero, 2:30 pm
Main Library
Miércoles, 25 de febrero, 11:00 am
Correo Electrónico Básico (Hands-on)
Aprenda lo básico para crear y usar una cuenta de correo electrónico en esta conferencia que se dictará en español. (90 min.) Se requiere registrarse.
Greenacres Branch
Miércoles, 04 de febrero, 2:30 pm
Main Library
Miércoles, 11 de febrero, 11:00 am
Belle Glade Branch
Sábado, 21 de febrero, 10:00 am
Correo Electrónico Básico (Email - Basic, in Spanish)
Correo Electrónico Avanzado (Email - Advanced, in Spanish)
**eBooks (Hands-on)**
Learn about the Library’s eBook service, how to get eBooks, and what is needed to transfer an eBook to a reader. Bring your device (see what the various branches are offering below) and your account information for assistance. (30 min.-2 hr.)

**Okeechobee Boulevard Branch**
Tue, Feb 17, 12:30 pm (Kindle, iPad)
Belle Glade Branch
Tue, Feb 24, 2:00 pm

**eBooks - Basic (Lecture)**
Learn about the Library’s eBook service, how to borrow eBooks, and what’s needed to transfer an eBook to a portable device. (60 min.)

**Greencroes Branch**
Mon, Feb 23, 2:30 pm (Kindle)
Thu, Feb 26, 2:30 pm (Nook, iPad, Sony)

**Royal Palm Beach Branch**
Tue, Feb 24, 2:15 pm

**Ejercitando el Ratón (Hands-on)**
(Mousing, in Spanish)
Aprenda a utilizar el ratón mediante un programa que se permite hacerlo a su paso. Para principiantes. Se requiere registrarse. (60 min.)

**Main Library**
Jueves, 05 de febrero, 11:00 am
Belle Glade Branch
Viernes, 06 de febrero, 10:00 am

**Email - Advanced (Hands-on)**
Current email users will learn advanced functions like creating an address or contact list, moving messages to a folder, and sending attachments. Contact your Branch for class specifics. Email experience is necessary. (60 min.-2 hr.)

**Greencroes Branch**
Fri, Feb 13, 2:30 pm
Royal Palm Beach Branch
Wed, Feb 18, 10:15 am

**Jupiter Branch**
Wed, Feb 18, 2:00 pm

**Email - Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to use free, web-based, email programs, such as Yahoo!, Gmail or Hotmail. Contact your Branch for class specifics. Some computer experience is necessary. (60 min.-2 hr.)

**Main Library**
Wed, Feb 04, 2:30 pm
Gardens Branch
Thu, Feb 05, 10:30 am
Greencroes Branch
Wed, Feb 11, 10:00 am
Royal Palm Beach Branch
Wed, Feb 11, 10:15 am
Jupiter Branch
Tue, Feb 17, 2:00 pm

**Wellington Branch**
Wed, Feb 18, 8:30 am
Hagen Ranch Road Branch
Thu, Feb 26, 2:00 pm

**Entwodiksyon a Microsoft Word (Hands-on)**
(Word Processing, in Creole)
Apran kouman pou wìtizize Microsoft Word, pou ekri, ouvri, femen, dokiman, let, resume, epi kouman pou fe chanjman nan yon dokiman epi konsevate nan. (60 min.) Anregistrè alavans.

**Lantana Road Branch**
Samdi, 14 Fevrye, 10:00 am

**Excel - Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to create a basic spreadsheet and make simple charts and graphs. Some computer experience is necessary. (60 min.)

**Main Library**
Wed, Feb 04, 1:00 pm
Gardens Branch
Wed, Feb 11, 10:30 am
Jupiter Branch
Tue, Feb 24, 10:00 am

**Greencroes Branch**
Wed, Feb 25, 2:30 pm
Lantana Road Branch
Thu, Feb 26, 10:00 pm

**Wellington Branch**
Thu, Feb 26, 2:00 pm

**Files - Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to create, name, move and organize files and folders on your computer. (60 min.-2 hr.)

**Jupiter Branch**
Fri, Feb 13, 10:00 am

**Royal Palm Beach Branch**
Tue, Feb 17, 2:15 pm

**Gardens Branch**
Wed, Feb 25, 10:30 am

**Image Editing Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to edit and manage photographs. Upload and edit images, add elements and text, and then save the modified images. This workshop requires some experience with computers. (90 min.)

**Main Library**
Tue, Feb 10, 9:30 am

**Internet - Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn how to use a Web Directory, search engines and other specialized search tools. (60-90 min.)

**West Boca Branch**
Thu, Feb 12, 9:00 am

**Hagen Ranch Road Branch**
Thu, Feb 26, 10:00 am

**Internet Básico (Hands-on)**
(Internet - Beginning, in Spanish)
Aprenda lo básico en esta clase de Internet para principiantes. (90 min.-2 hr.) Se requiere registrarse.

**Main Library**
Martes, 10 de febrero, 7:00 pm

**West Boca Branch**
Sábado, 14 de febrero, 10:30 am

**iPad - Basic (Hands On)**
Learn the basic features of your iPad like how to use the onscreen keyboard, browse the Internet for information, go directly to websites, close apps, and connect to Wi-Fi. Bring your own fully charged iPad. You will also need to know your Apple ID and password. For beginners. (60-90 min.)

**Jupiter Branch**
Mon, Feb 09, 5:00 pm

**Wellington Branch**
Tue, Feb 12, 10:30 am

**Look It Up! (Hands-on)**
Learn how to access your Library account from home, renew your materials, locate items, place books on hold, find book reviews, and discover what else the Library has to offer on its website, free, with your library card. Contact your Branch for class specifics. (60-90 min.)

**Hagen Ranch Road Branch**
Thu, Feb 19, 2:00 pm (Databases)

**Mouse Practice an Kreyol (Hands-on)**
(Mousing, in Creole)
Apran-n kòman pou ou itilize yon odinatè epi kòman pou manivèt yon komputè souri. (60 min.) Anregistrè alavans.

**Lantana Road Branch**
Jedi, 26 Fevrye, 2:00 pm

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

**Lantana Road Branch**
Mon, Feb 02, 10:00 am

**Greencroes Branch**
Mon, Feb 02, 2:30 pm

**Jupiter Branch**
Tue, Feb 03, 1:00 pm

**Royal Palm Beach Branch**
Tue, Feb 03, 2:15 pm

**Okeechobee Boulevard Branch**
Tue, Feb 03, 8:30 am

**Hagen Ranch Road Branch**
Mon, Feb 03, 9:30 am & 11:00 am

**Photoshop - Basic (Lecture)**
Discover how to use Adobe Photoshop Elements to edit images. You’ll learn about Photoshop layers, how to resize and retouch photos, and how to add special effects to your images. (60 min.)

**Main Library**
Tue, Feb 17 & 24, 10:00 am

**PowerPoint - Basic (Hands-on)**
Learn to compose slides and to add eye-catching effects to your presentations. (60 min.)

**Main Library**
Thu, Feb 12, 11:30 am

**West Boynton Branch**
Thu, Feb 26, 9:00 am

**Gardens Branch**
Thu, Feb 26, 10:30 am

**PowerPoint - Intermediate (Hands-on)**
Prerequisite: PowerPoint - Basic
Expand on the basics to learn design themes, changing color themes, custom animation, automatic advancement, and adding sound. (2 hr.)

**Wellington Branch**
Mon, Feb 23, 2:00 pm

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

**Main Library**
Miércoles, 18 de febrero, 11:00 am

**Publisher - Basic (Hands-on)**
Prerequisite: Word Processing - Basic
Learn how to create and personalize a wide range of professional-quality publications using Microsoft Publisher. (60 min.-2 hr.)

**Main Library**
Wed, Feb 25, 2:30 pm

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

**Gardens Branch**
Wed, Feb 04, 10:30 am

**Greencroes Branch**
Tue, Feb 10, 6:00 pm

**Social Networking (Hands-on)**
Prerequisite: An email account and basic typing skills are required for this class.
Learn how to get started with social networking, from posting to locating people with similar interests. (60 min.)

**Gardens Branch**
Tue, Feb 24, 10:30 am (Facebook)
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