Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month

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The Palm Beach County Library System proudly celebrates our community’s cultural diversity, the beautiful traditions of Latin American countries, and the important contributions Hispanics have made to American society.

The national commemoration of Hispanic Heritage Month began with a week-long observance, started in 1968 by President Lyndon B. Johnson. Twenty years later, President Ronald Reagan expanded the observation to September 15 - October 15, a month-long period which includes several Latin American countries’ anniversaries of independence. In 1988, Congress approved Law #100-402 to call on the people of the United States, especially the educational community, to observe National Hispanic Heritage Month with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

On Sat, Sep 09, at the Main Library, this month-long celebration will kick off with the children’s Mexican folkloric dance group, México Mágico and a repertoire of traditional and contemporary melodies from the highlands of Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia, presented by Wayna, Music of the Andes. Check the calendar for special activities at your local branch throughout the months of September and October.

Activities offered during Hispanic Heritage Month are made possible by the generosity of the Friends of the Palm Beach County Library.

For additional information about Hispanic Heritage Month visit:
www.hispanicheritagemonth.gov

Banned Books Week:
Celebrate the Freedom to Read
September 24 - 30

During the week of September 24, visit any of our library locations to learn more about banned and challenged books, attend a book or film discussion and borrow a book from one of our Banned Books Week displays. Browse for activities related to Banned Books Week at several library locations.

All Palm Beach County Library System locations will be closed on Mon, Sep 04, for Labor Day. No materials will be due on that day.
Adult
Sat, Sep 02, 2:00 pm
Acoustic Java Jam
Experience a caffeinated collection of local talent or bring your acoustic instruments and jam out. Coffee provided. (2 hr.)

Thursdays, 1:30 pm
English Exchange
Practice speaking English in a fun and informal atmosphere. Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Sun, Sep 10, 2:00 pm
Sahaja Meditation
Sahajameditationis simple, time-honored technique that reduces stress and increases wellness. It brings better focus and helps people become more centered and balanced. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 12, 6:00 pm
Martes, 12 de septiembre, 6:00 pm
Latin American Classical Music on Viola
Música clásica de latinoamérica en viola Mexican violinist David Pedraza performs classical music by Latin American composers. (60 min.) Preregister. El violista mexicano David Pedraza interpreta música clásica de compositores latinoamericanos. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

Sat, Sep 16, 2:00 pm
Minature Gardens in the Land of Books: Celebrating Library Card Sign-Up Month
Take a journey through the world of stories and celebrate the joy of books with your own miniature garden reading nook. Materials provided. Bring your own glue gun if you have one. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 27, 3:00 pm
Crafternoon: Painted Bottle Vases

Fri, Sep 08, 4:00 pm
Loxahatchee Rocks Out With Rock Art!
Show your neighborhood pride by creating colorful rocks that reflect your favorite hobbies, sports, animals and more! A perfect event for beginning rock artists. Ages 6 & up. (60 min.)

Wed, Sep 13, 3:30 pm
Exciting Electrons!
This electrifying demonstration from the South Florida Science Center and Aquarium includes many classic energy tricks sure to make your eyes light up! Ages 5 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 15, 3:00 pm
After-School Game Time
Have a blast indoors with board games, card games and video games! Ages 8-12. (90 min.)

Tue, Sep 19, 6:30 pm
Club Pokémon
Bring your DS or Pokémon cards to show off, battle, trade and make new friends or try your hand at Pokémon bingo or a Pokémon battle. Ages 6-12. (90 min.)

Wed, Sep 20, 3:30 pm
Musical Toddlers & Tykes
Do you love our story time songs? Join us for a jam session with our favorites and lots of instruments. Ages 0-4. (30 min.)

Thu, Sep 21, 4:00 pm
Cookie Book Club
What if you were bad, but someone else took the punishment? Step 1: Grab a copy of the book, “The Whipping Boy,” by Sid Fleischman. Step 2: Read it. Step 3: Eat cookies and share your thoughts about the book. Ages 8-12. (60 min.)

Fri, Sep 22, 3:00 pm
Awesome Autumn!
Welcome autumn and celebrate harvest time as we learn about the science behind the season and make a fantastic fall-themed craft. Ages 4-8. (60 min.)

Wed, Sep 27, 6:30 pm
Family Trivia Night!
Choose your team and get ready for a fun trivia battle for all ages with questions about movies, shows, music, animals, people, places, books and more! All ages. (2 hr.)

Thu, Sep 28, 4:00 pm
Drama Club
Want to be a star or just like being silly? Play theater games and learn basic acting skills at this fun, informal event. Ages 8-12. (60 min.)

Fri, Sep 29, 3:00 pm
After-School LEGO® Builders Club
Are you a Master Builder? Find out as you use our LEGO® bricks to work on creative projects alone or with friends. Ages 5-12. (90 min.)

Tue, Sep 05, 6:30 pm
Anime Otaku Club
Hang out, watch anime, eat snacks, and talk with friends and fellow fans about all the coolest shows from Japan. Ages 12-17. (2 hr.)

Wed, Sep 06, 6:30 pm
Let’s Play: Gaming
It’s time for friends, snacks, P4$ multiplayer games, and unusual new card and board games. Ages 12-17. (2 hr.)

Sat, Sep 09, 16, 23 & 30, 2:00 pm
Dungeons & Dragons
Adventure in the world of Dungeons & Dragons with fellow wizards, warriors and battle evil monsters to bring goodness back to the world. Ages 12 & up. Space is limited. (2½ hr.)

Tue, Sep 12, 6:30 pm
Pizza Chat
Chat with the group about a book, movie, game, anime or show that you loved or hated while enjoying pizza and drinks. Ages 12-17. (90 min.)

Wed, Sep 13, 6:30 pm
Teen Trivia
How well do you know pop culture, movies and more? Test your knowledge and your teamwork skills as you battle to be the best! Ages 12 & up. (2 hr.)

Belle Glade Branch
725 NW 4th Street, Belle Glade 33430
Phone: 996-3453

Adult
Tuesdays, 2:00 pm
Book-A-Librarian
Personal attention, hands-on session tailored for you. Tell us what you need: a personal computer trainer or guidance on researching a topic. (60 min.) Call to make an appointment.

Thursdays, 1:00 pm
English Exchange
Practice speaking English in a fun and informal atmosphere. Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. (2 hr.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 10:00 am
Glades Adult Literacy Project Open House
Celebrate the Glades Adult Literacy Project (ALP) Open House in conjunction with National Literacy Month. (2 hr.)

Sat, Sep 23, 10:30 am
Writing a Résumé
Need help writing a résumé? Learn how to choose the best template based on the type of job, and begin working on producing a résumé that will be sure to get you hired. Limit 10. (60 min.) Preregister.

Child
Sat, Sep 02 & 16, 11:00 am
Sábado, 02 y 16 de septiembre, 11:00 am
Bilingual Family Story Time
Hora de cuentos bilingüe
Fun stories, puppets and a film in Spanish for kids, moms and dads. All ages. (45 min.) Disfruta de cuentos divertidos, marionetas y una película en español para toda la familia. Todas las edades. (45 min.)

Sat, Sep 02, 16 & 30, 2:30 pm
Thu, Sep 07, 14 & 21, 3:30 pm
Pop Up! Arts & Crafts!
Features a fun new craft that everyone can enjoy! All ages. (60 min.)

Tue, Sep 05, 19 & 26, 3:00 pm
Live Homework Help: Tutor.com
Learn about free online tutoring available through the library, or get help logging into i-Ready®. Grades K-12. (60 min.) Call or drop by the children’s services desk to make an appointment.

Fri, Sep 08, 3:30 pm
After-School Gaming & More
Game on! Drop by for some of your favorite Wii U games as well as other fun board games. Ages 7 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.
Thu, Sep 28, 3:30 pm  
“Minecraft”  
Play “Minecraft Pocket Edition” on the library’s iPads. Participants can bring in their own device and join us for Minecraft fun. Ages 7 & up. Space is limited. (60 min.) Preregister.

Clarence E. Anthony Branch  
375 S.W. 2nd Avenue, South Bay 33493  
Phone: 992-8393

Adult  
Sat, Sep 06, 6:30 pm  
Chinese Medicine: Ancient Medicine for the Modern World  
Learn about traditional Chinese medical theories and the treatment of modern disease. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 07, 10:30 am or 11:00 am  
E-Book Assistance: One-On-One  
Call to book time with staff and learn how to borrow e-books free from the library. Bring your compatible e-reader, laptop, tablet or mobile device. (30 min.)

Sun, Sep 10, 2:00 pm  
Sunday Cinema  
“Café Society.” ©Lions Gate Films, Inc. (96 min.) Preregister. PG-13

Tue, Sep 12, 10:30 am  
Online Learning: Lynda.com  
Learn about the many self-paced video tutorials for Microsoft Office, videos and sound editing, business, computer programming, and more using Lynda.com. Bring your library card. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 14 & 28, 2:30 pm  
“Based on Actual Events” Films  
Watch two recent World War II movies based on actual events, covering both rescue and retribution. 09/14: “The Zookeeper’s Wife.” ©Focus Features. (124 min.) PG-13 09/28: “Land of Mine.” ©Sony Pictures Classics. (100 min.) In German with English subtitles. R

Tue, Sep 19, 10:30 am  
hoopla: Movies, TV Shows, Music & Audiobooks  
Discover hoopla, a digital media service that allows you to borrow movies, TV shows, music and audiobooks from anywhere you have an internet connection. Free with your library card. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 19, 2:30 pm  
Adult Coloring  
Rediscover the creative, meditative and relaxing attributes of coloring. Materials provided, or bring your own. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 6:30 pm  
Socrates Café  
Marji Chapman, from the Society of Philosophical Inquiry, leads a discussion group for amateur philosophers on a variety of group chosen topics. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sun, Sep 24, 2:30 pm  
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**Child**

**Tuesdays, 4:30 pm**

**Reading Buddies**

Children work once a week with a teen to read together and play literacy games. Classes are held on Tuesdays, Sep 05 - Oct 24. Grades K-5. (45 min.) Preregister, beginning Sat, Aug 26.

**Fri, Sep 08, 3:15 pm**

**Pirates!**

Welcome aboard, mates! Special guest, Ms. Dez, will show the importance of listening, communication and teamwork. Ages 3-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Sep 16, 10:30 am**

**LEGO® Bricks & More**

Build, imagine and play with our collection of LEGO® bricks. Jumbo blocks available. Ages 1-10. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 18, 3:15 pm**

**Dominoes**

Learn the game and play it! Ages 8 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 20, 3:15 pm**

**Fall Wreaths**

Get your front door ready for fall! We’ll make wreaths with fall-colored decorations! Ages 6 & up. Limit 20. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 25, 3:00 pm**

**Keep Calm & Color**

Enjoy a relaxing afternoon of coloring. Materials provided. All ages. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 27, 4:00 pm**

**Pokémon Club**

Calling all Pokémon enthusiasts! If you like collectible card games, this is your place to be! Bring your Gameboy, DS, deck, box or binder, and come with a friend or make a new one. Snacks provided. Ages 7 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Teen**

**Tuesdays, 4:30 pm**

**Be a Reading Buddy**

Assist children in grades K-5 with reading skills and earn community service hours for school. Pick up your application at the children’s services desk. Meet on Tuesdays, Sep 05 - Oct 24. Grades 6-12. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 11, 2:00 pm**

**Medicare 101**

Are you having difficulty understanding your Medicare options and benefits? SHINE will cover the five different parts of Medicare and how to decide between Original Medicare and a Medicare Advantage plan. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 12 & 19, 2:00 pm**

**PBS Documentary: “Latin Music USA”**

Celebrate the great American music created by Latinos. (60 min.) Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.

**Thu, Sep 14, 2:00 pm**

**Crafternoon: Rock Painting**

Have you seen the painted rocks hiding around town? Paint your own rocks to hide and spread joy to others. Materials provided. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Fri, Sep 15, 11:00 am**

**Book Discussion: “News of the World,” by Paullette Jiles**

Stop by the branch to pick up a copy of the book. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Fri, Sep 15, 2:00 pm**

**Veterans Services of PBC**

Meet with representative Andy Reese to answer brief questions and learn about services. First come, first served. (3 hr.)

**Mon, Sep 18, 2:00 pm**

**Movie Matinee**


**Sat, Sep 23, 10:30 am**

**Hooked on Crochet**

Bring a crochet hook and some yarn. All skill levels are welcome. (90 min.)

**Mon, Sep 25, 2:00 pm**

**Five Steps to a Stress-Free Life**

Joe Hamilton of TrustBridge Health teaches five energy tricks sure to make your eyes light up! Ages 5 & up. (45 min.)

**Wed, Sep 27, 4:00 pm**

**Bingo**

Talking Books provides 10 Braille and 50 large print copies at the children’s services desk. Ages 6 & up. (45 min.)

**Month**

**Teen Advisory Board (TAB)**

Share your ideas to help plan library teen activities while earning community service hours for school. Application required. Refreshments served. Ages 12 & up. (60 min.)

**Teen**

**Wed, Sep 06, 5:00 pm**

**Reading Buddies Training**

Assist children in grades K-5 with reading skills and earn community service hours for school. Pick up your application at the children’s services desk. Grades 6 & up. (45 min.)

**Tue, Sep 12, 6:00 pm**

**Teen Advisory Board (TAB)**

Share your ideas to help plan library teen activities while earning community service hours for school. Application required. Refreshments served. Ages 12 & up. (60 min.)

**Tue, Sep 19, 6:00 pm**

**Surefire S’mores**

No campfire, no problem. Make indoor s’mores different ways and judge for yourself which method makes tastier treats. Grades 6 & up. (60 min.)

**Tue, Sep 26, 6:00 pm**

**Pizza & Pages: “The Young Elites,” by Marie Lu**

Enjoy pizza and a discussion of the book. Pick up a copy at the children’s services desk. Grades 6 & up. (60 min.)

**Greenacres Branch**

3750 Jog Road, Greenacres 33467
Phone: 641-9100

**Adult**

**Sat, Sep 09, 2:00 pm**

**Movie Matinee: Celebrate Classical Music Month**

“The Red Violin.” ©Lions Gate Films, Inc. (131 min.)

**Thu, Sep 14 & 21, 1:30 pm**

**Book & Film Discussion**


**Greenacres Branch**

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

**Child**

**Mon, Sep 11 & 18, 10:00 am**

**Current Events Discussion Group**

Facilitator Brenda Solomon discusses today’s hot topics. (60 min.) Preregister.

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**Mon, Sep 18, 2:00 pm**

**Movie Matinee**

“La La Land.” ©Summit Entertainment. (128 min.)

**Sat, Sep 23, 10:30 am**

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**Mon, Sep 25, 2:00 pm**

**Five Steps to a Stress-Free Life**

Joe Hamilton of TrustBridge Health teaches five steps to leading a stress-free life. These practical, easy techniques lower stress levels for a healthier life. (90 min.)

**Wed, Sep 26, 2:00 pm**

**Bingo**

Talking Books provides 10 Braille and 50 large print bingo cards designed for the visually impaired. Supplies provided. (90 min.)

**Thu, Sep 14, 4:00 pm**

**Crazy 8s Math Club: Planet Math**

Practice math while exploring outer space using glow sticks. Grades K-3. (45 min.)

**Fri, Sep 15, 4:00 pm**

**September Crafternoon**

Create lots of beautiful crafts to welcome the season. Ages 4-9. (45 min.)

**Sat, Sep 16, 10:00 am**

**Sewing for Tweens**

Sew a simple hands-on project with members of the American Sewing Guild. Supplies provided. Ages 9-12. (2½ hr.)

**Sat, Sep 16, 3:00 pm**

**Monster Tours**

We’ll tour the library in search of the Book Monster after we listen to monstrous stories and create monster-themed bookmarks. Ages 5-11. (45 min.)
Fri, Sep 15, 2:30 pm
Readjustment Counselling Service for Military Veterans
The Palm Beach Vet Center (U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs) will talk about VA services related to PTSD and other assistance available to veterans and their families. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 19, 6:30 pm
Small Claims: PBC Bar Association
Learn how to file a class of $5,000 or less and present it to a judge. Avoid court and lawyer fees by choosing mediation. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 23, 2:00 pm
Sábado, 23 de septiembre, 2:00 pm
Musical Voyage Through Latin America
Viaje musical a través de América latina
Celebrate the beauty of Colombia with music and dance. Enjoy a musical presentation by the talented students from the N School of Music. Folkloric dance group Semilla Boliviana will offer traditional dances from Bolivia. (90 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Sep 25, 2:30 pm
Faces of India Documentary Series
“The Rabari of the Thar Desert: Wanderers in the Borderlands.” ©Film Ideas. (50 min.) The harsh conditions of these desert nomads threaten their way of life. Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.

Thu, Sep 28, 2:30 pm
Creating Memory Pages
Bring in your pictures and create memory pages. Library staff will guide you as you create and decorate your scrapbook. Supplies provided. Limit 15. (90 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 29, 2:30 pm
Sat, Sep 30, 11:00 am
Banned Books Week: Book & Film Discussion
Join in a discussion of Jhumpa Lahiri’s novel, “The Namesake,” about a family struggling to balance two distinct cultures and learn why the novel was challenged in 2015.
09/29: Book discussion. Return on 9/30 to see the film adaptation followed by a brief discussion. Limit 15. (90 min.) Preregister.
09/30: “The Namesake.” ©Fox Searchlight Pictures. (122 min.) Film viewing and discussion. (2½ hr.) PG-13

Fri, Sep 29, 11:00 am
Tater Tot Art: Art for Toddlers
Get up and move! Listen to music as we wiggle, jump, energy tricks sure to make your eyes light up! Ages 5 & up. Space is limited. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 30, 11:00 am
Playground Play
Celebrate National Play—Doh Day and have fun making your own playdough creations using stamps, molds and a rainbow of playdough colors. Ages 4–8. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 16, 11:00 am
“Minecraft” Mania
Play “Minecraft Pocket Edition” on the library’s iPads. Group can bring in their own device and join us for “Minecraft” fun. Ages 7 & up. Space is limited. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 4:00 pm
Exciting Electrons!
This electrifying demonstration from the South Florida Science Center and Aquarium includes many classic energy tricks sure to make your eyes light up! Ages 5 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 22, 11:00 am
Tater Tot Art: Art for Toddlers
Join us for a special art class designed specifically for little hands. Dress to get messy! Ages 18–36 mos. (30 min.)

Fri, Sep 22, 4:00 pm
Rock On!
Create your own unique painted rocks to keep or hide anywhere in the community. All supplies provided or you are welcome to bring your own rock! Ages 7–15. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 23, 11:00 am
LEGO® Block Party
Get creative and have fun building with our LEGO® collection. Jumbo blocks are available for smaller hands. Ages 3–10. (45 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 26, 6:30 pm
It’s Apple Season!

Sat, Sep 30, 2:30 pm

Thu, Sep 14, 3:00 pm
Music by Laible Blu
Laible Blu is a folk troubadour who performs American ballads, blues, work songs, country music, plus a little Jewish music to sweeten the pot. His music is a delight to listen to. (90 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Sep 18, 10:00 am
Dystopian Film Festival Part I
“Soylent Green.” ©Warner Bros. (97 min.) Film and optional discussion. (2 hr.) PG

Mon, Sep 18, 2:00 pm
Medical Mondays: Treatment Options for Neck Pain
Ronald Young from Delray Medical Center will discuss the topic and answer questions. (60 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Sep 18, 2:00 pm
Beaded Safety Pins
Add some flair to your shirt or sweater by making beaded safety pins to wear. Choose from colorful designs such as rainbows, hearts, butterflies, boats and smiley faces. Instructions and supplies provided. Limit 15. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 10:00 am
Meet the Author: Dr. Robert Watson
Acclaimed historian and Lynn University Professor discusses his new book, “The Ghost Ship of Brooklyn: An Untold Story From the American Revolution,” the astonishing account of a cursed ship. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Wed, Sep 06.

Mon, Sep 25, 10:00 am
Adult Coloring Club
Relax and enjoy a coloring session with fellow enthusiasts. A variety of coloring sheets, as well as colored pencils, will be provided. Space is limited. (90 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Sep 25, 2:00 pm
Modern Mystery Book Club: “The Blind Assassin,” by Margaret Atwood
Pick up a copy at the member services desk. Limit 25. (90 min.) Preregister.

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Thu, Sep 07, 2:00 pm
Ukulele Fever
New to the ukulele? Learn to tune your ukulele, practice basic chords and beginning strumming. Bring your ukulele. No uke - no problem! We will have a limited number of ukuleles available for use. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 13 & 20, 10:00 am
Crepe Paper Flowers: Morning Glory
Study the Victorian art of making paper flowers. Materials provided, however, a small, sharp pair of scissors may be helpful. Space is limited. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 16, 2:00 pm
Keepers of the Wild: Falconry
Master Falconer Tim O’Neill of the Busch Wildlife Sanctuary will bring some raptors and discuss training and caring for the birds. Mr. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 21, 2:00 pm
Coding for Grown-Ups
It’s not just for kids! Here’s your chance to learn about programming in a relaxed and non-intimidating setting. See what all the buzz is about; find out how much fun hands-on coding can be. (90 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 26, 2:00 pm
Book Discussion: “H Is for Hawk,” by Helen Macdonald
The story of a trained falconer who struggles with the grief of her father’s death by training an unfamiliar and unpredictable bird. (60 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 29, 2:00 pm
Chasing Coral
Coral reefs around the world are vanishing at an unprecedented rate. Divers, photographers and scientists set out to discover why the reefs are disappearing. A film by Jeff Orlowski. (90 min.) Preregister. Shown with permission.

Fri, Sep 01, 10:15 am
Child Book-A-Librarian
Do you need assistance with your e-reader or downloading an e-book? Need assistance with your tablet or smartphone? (30 min.) Call and schedule a hands-on session with one of our librarians.

Fri, Sep 01, 10:30 am
Adult Book Talk
Bring a book you have read from our collection and share your experience with the group. (60 min.) Preregister.
Mon, Sep 25, 2:00 pm
Dealing With Dementia
TrustBridge Health presents information about the medical, behavioral, practical and social issues surrounding dementia, and how you can support those dealing with this disease. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 26, 2:00 pm
Book Discussion: “The Japanese Lover,” by Isabel Allende
Copies are available at the research services desk. (60 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 29, 2:00 pm
Aromatherapy & the Benefits of Using Essential Oils
Aromatherapist and author Margaret Ann Lembo discusses aromatherapy safety, grades and shelf life of essential oils and makes recommendations for beginners. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 30, 2:30 pm
Mexican Folklórico Dance & Music by Ameyal Bailes y música folklórica mexicana presentado por Ameyal Mexican Cultural Organization presents “The Eagle and the Serpent” through music and folkloric dance. Discover the beauty of Mexico’s traditions. (60 min.) Preregister.

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Sat, Sep 16, 23 & 30, 11:00 am  
**Super Saturday Story Times**  
Children and their parents are invited to share stories, music and creative activities. Ages 2-5. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 16, 23 & 30, 2:00 pm  
**Reading Buddies!**  
Children are invited to practice their reading skills with teen reading mentors in a comfortable, supervised setting on a weekly basis. Applications are available at the children’s services desk. Grades K-5. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 5:30 pm  
**Play Me a Story/Play Me a Party!**  
Families are invited for stories, songs and refreshments as we celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month! All ages. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 21, 11:00 am**  
**BLOCK Party!**  
Celebrate International Peace Day, and practice peaceful negotiation and compromise, as you build LEGO® projects. All ages. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Teen**

**Fri, Sep 15, 4:00 pm**  
**Reading Buddies Workshop**  
Become a Reading Buddy! Teens are invited to this workshop, which is a prerequisite for becoming a “Reading Buddy” to children in grades K-5, Grades 7-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 21, 2:30 pm**  
**Peace Rocks!**  
Spread peace throughout your community by painting positive messages and amazing designs on river rocks. Ages 8 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 27, 5:30 pm**  
**Book Group: “Wonder,” by R.J. Palacio**  
Enjoy this funny and inspiring book, before the movie comes out this fall! Ages 10 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Main Library**  
3650 Summit Boulevard, West Palm Beach 33406  
Phone: 233-2600

**Adult**

**Speak With a Specialist**  
Do you need help with research or technology? We have specialists in the areas of Business Information, Consumer Health Information and Government Research, plus staff that can answer computer and mobile device questions. Make an appointment so we can match you with the appropriate specialist. (30 min.)

**Tuesdays, 2:00 pm**  
**Martes, 2:00 pm**  
**Tabletop Tuesdays**  
**Juegos de mesa**  
Lovers of Scrabble, Rummikub, dominoes, and other tabletop classics, unite! Gather with fellow enthusiasts for a friendly afternoon of fun and games. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Únete a otros entusiastas de juegos de mesa, Scrabble, Rummikub, domino, entre otros, y disfrute de una tarde de entretenimiento para toda la familia. Se requiere conocimiento básico de los juegos. (2 hr.) Se requiere registrarse.**

**Thu, Sep 07 & 21, 2:00 pm**  
**Paper Flower Series**  
Learn the basics of crepe paper flower construction. Materials provided. (90 min.) Preregister.

**09/07:** Wildflower Bouquet.  
09/21: Air Plant Cork Magnets or Mini Terrariums.

**Sat, Sep 09, 2:00 pm**  
**Sábado, 09 de septiembre, 2:00 pm**  
**Hispanic Heritage Month Kickoff Celebration**  
Celebración del inicio del mes de la herencia hispana  
Celebrate with lively musical presentations by Wayna: Music of the Andes and the children’s Mexican folkloric dance group México Mágico. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Afro-Puerto Rican Dance With AfroQueña**  
Disfrute del baile afropuertorriqueño - la Bomba - a través de historias y demostración de baile. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

**Mon, Sep 11, 10:00 am**  
**Bids & Business**  
A step-by-step explanation of the government contracting certification program for small business owners. Speaker: Carole Hart, Regional Program Manager, Palm Beach State College’s Small Business Development Center (SBDC). (2 hr.) Call the SBDC at 561-862-4726 to preregister.

**Tue, Sep 12, 2:00 pm**  
**Responding to Government Solicitations**  
Develop marketing techniques, search for proposal opportunities, and construct a winning bid. Speaker: Jackie Rule, Regional Program Manager, Palm Beach State College’s Small Business Development Center (SBDC). (90 min.) Call the SBDC at 561-862-4726 to preregister.

**Wed, Sep 13, 10:00 am**  
**Introduction to Corporate Giving**  
Is your nonprofit organization ready to seek corporate support? This workshop provides an overview of the different types of giving, motivations and how to find potential partners. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 13, 2:30 pm**  
**Looking for a New Job? Learn How to Land That Job With Career Transitions**  
Enhance your job search with Career Transitions that will help you write an effective résumé and cover letter, prepare for an interview, or explore a new career path. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 14 & 28, 2:00 pm**  
**Jueves, 14 y 28 de septiembre, 2:00 pm**  
**Adult Coloring Club**  
**Club de colorear para adultos**  
Enjoy a coloring session with fellow enthusiasts. Coloring sheets and colored pencils will be provided. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Disfruta de esta sesión de colorear entre entusiastas de esta actividad. Hojas y lapices de colorear serán proveidos. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.**

**Thu, Sep 14, 6:30 pm**  
**National Welcoming Week: The Florida Experience**  
**Wonders of the World: “Nujeen: One Girl’s Incredible Journey from War-Torn Syria in a Wheelchair,”**  
by Nujeen Mustafa and Christina Lamb. Panelists include immigrants and refugees who will share their experiences. Co-sponsored by the Florida Department of Children, Families, Refugee Services and the School District of Palm Beach County’s Project Transition. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sun, Sep 17, 2:30 pm**  
**Domino, 17 de septiembre, 2:30 pm**  
**With You Venezuela: Musical Presentation by Papagayo Vocal Ensemble**  
Que bonita eres venezuela:  
Presentación de Papagayo Ensamble Vocal  
Enjoy Venezueulan music. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 19, 6:30 pm**  
**Martes, 19 de septiembre, 6:30 pm**  
**Latin American Artists at the Norton Museum of Art**  
**Artistas latinoamericanos en la colección del Museo de Arte Norton**  
Mariela Acuna, the Norton Museum of Art, After Dark Coordinator, discusses Latin American works in the Museum’s collection, and gives a preview of the New Norton! (60 min.) Preregister.

**Acompañámos a una charla amena acerca de piezas de arte creadas por artistas latinoamericanos que se encuentran en la colección del Museo ofrecida por Mariela Acuna, Coordinadora de Art After Dark. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.**

**Wed, Sep 20 & 27, 2:00 pm**  
**Miércoles, 20 y 27 de septiembre, 2:00 pm**  
**Stitchin’ in the Stacks: Hispanic Heritage Month**  
**Taller de manualidades: Bordados**  
Create Latin American embroidery patterns. Cross stitch supplies provided. Basic knowledge of needlecraft required. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Crea bordados hechos con patrones típicos de Latinoamerica. Se proveerán materiales. Se requiere tener destrezas básicas. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.**

**Sat, Sep 23, 1:00 pm**  
**Film & Discussion**  
“13th.” ©Kandoo Films. (100 min.) Join us for a screening and discussion of this thought-provoking documentary on mass incarceration and the U.S. prison boom. (2½ hr.) Preregister. R

**Tue, Sep 26, 10:00 am**  
**Budgeting & Personal Finance Apps for Your Mobile Device**  
Learn and download the best personal money management apps for your mobile phone and tablet. Bring your mobile device to this workshop. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Introduction to African American Genealogy**  
Culture, ethnicity and history of African American families. Speaker: Mariela Acuna, Coordinator of Genealogy and Local History. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 27, 2:00 pm**  
**Afro-Puerto Rican Dance With AfroQueña**  
Enjoy Venezuelan music. (60 min.) Preregister.

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**Yoga Power Hour**
Namaste everyone! Join us for a yoga/story time class where we will read a great book, power through some yoga poses, and finish with a relaxing craft. Bring a mat or towel and wear comfortable clothing. Ages 3-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

Wednesdays, 3:00 pm or 4:00 pm
**Crazy 8s Math Club**
Crazy 8s is an after-school math club designed to get kids fired up about math. Each week features math games, music and fun activities. Limit 12. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 08, 11:00 am
**Teddy Bear Celebration**
Bring a blanket, your favorite teddy bear, and share some fond memories of your favorite teddy adventures. Ages 3-5. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 08, 15, 22 & 29, 3:30 pm
**Art Lab**
Calling all artists! Stimulate your creative juices as we explore all sorts of textures and mediums. Warning: we may get messy. Ages 6-12. Space is limited. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 14, 3:30 pm
**Where in Time Is Ms. Amber?**
Our newest adventure will take us back in time to the first Olympic Games. Ages 8-12. Limit 25. (45 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 15, 11:00 am
**Hats Galore**
Unleash your creativity through the art of hat making! Ages 3-5. (60 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 16, 11:00 am
**Book Club Play Dates:** *“LMNO Peas”*
Help foster your child's love of literacy with book club playdates. We will read books, play games, make crafts, and have lots of fun! Ages 2-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Sep 18, 5:00 pm
**Pokémon Club**
Meet other fans to play games, make crafts, and talk about your favorite Pokémon. Ages 7 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 21, 4:00 pm
**Baby Play Date!**
Bring your baby, chat with other parents, and share a snack together at your very own baby play date! Ages 3-6 mos. (45 min.)

Fri, Sep 22, 11:00 am
**Playdough Playtime**
Let your imagination run wild with the possibilities! Ages 3-5. (60 min.) Preregister.

Mon, Sep 25, 5:00 pm
**Toddler Travels: India**
Learn different songs, stories, and crafts from around the world! Ages 2-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Teen**

Tue, Sep 12, 5:00 pm
**AniMAIna Club**
If you like manga, anime, K-Drama, K-Pop, J-Pop, or cosplaying, then this is your chance to meet others just like you. This is a cosplay and game event, so dress up. Ages 11 & up. (60 min.)

Sat, Sep 16, 2:00 pm
**Teen Yoga Scene**
Enjoy yoga with friends and learn to build the groundwork to live a healthy lifestyle. Bring a mat and wear comfortable clothing. Ages 12 & up. (60 min.)

Wed, Sep 26, 6:30 pm
**Bringing Faiths Teen Book Discussion: “Does My Head Look Big in This?”**
by Randa Abdel-Fattah
Pick up a copy and join the conversation! (60 min.) Preregister.

Thurs, Sep 28, 3:30 pm
**STEAM Travels: Ancient Greece**
In conjunction with this month’s “Where in Time Is Ms. Amber?” we will be using some tasty treats to build one of Ancient Greece’s most famous landmarks, the Parthenon. Ages 8-12. Limit 25. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Adult**

**Book-A-Librarian**
Do you need help downloading an e-book to your mobile device? Do you need help accessing Palm Beach County Library online databases? Book a librarian for personal attention. (30 min.) Call for an appointment.

**Wed, Sep 06, 2:00 pm**
**Women of Note Chorus**
Blending the rich tradition of barbershop harmony with a mix of music including country, fifties, gospel and patriotic selections. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 07, 2:00 pm**
**Adult Coloring**
Rediscover the creative, meditative and relaxing attributes of coloring. Materials provided. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 13, 2:00 pm**
**PBS Documentary Series:** *Hispanic Heritage Month*
“The Life and Times of Frida Kahlo.” (90 min.) This Emmy nominated documentary presents a reflection of Kahlo’s cultural history, and her art. Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.

**Thu, Sep 14, 2:00 pm**
**PBS Documentary Series:** *Hispanic Heritage Month*
“Mariachi High.” (60 min.) A year in the life of the champion mariachi ensemble at Zapata High School in South Texas. Preregister. Shown with permission. TV-G

**Thu, Sep 21, 2:00 pm**
**Movie Matinee**

**Royal Palm Beach Branch**

5689 Okeechobee Boulevard, West Palm Beach 33417
Phone: 233-1880

**Child**

Wed, Sep 27, 2:00 pm
**Computer Q&A**
Confused about aspects of computer and internet use? Ask away! Library staff will show you how to find answers in this open format lecture. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 28, 2:00 pm**
**Movie Matinee**
“True Grit.” © Paramount Pictures. (110 min.) PG-13

**Sat, Sep 09, 11:00 am**
**Teddy Bear & Friends**
Books and songs and bear crafts, oh my! Bring your favorite stuffed bear for fun-filled activities. Sign up at the children’s services desk 30 minutes beforehand. First come, first served. Class begins promptly at the start time. Ages 3-5. Limit 20. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 19, 10:30 am**
**Salty Sue, The Pirate Lady: The Treasure Is in the Books**
Arr matey! Salty Sue is a seriously silly pirate who brings music, magic, original tales of the sea, and rich pirate lore from Florida history. Ages 3-11. (60 min.)

**Thu, Sep 21, 3:00 pm**
**Make & Take Craft**
Go crazy with an assortment of crafts from throughout the year. Ages 3-10. (45 min.)

**Adult**

**Sat, Sep 10, 9:00 am**
**Beginner’s Tai Chi Practice**
Often referred to as “meditation in motion,” this centuries-old art form is recognized to reduce stress, improve balance and stability, and promote quality of life. Wear comfortable clothes and flat shoes. Ages 16 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 05, 2:00 pm**
**Art for Adults: Watercolor Techniques III**
The final class of our Watercolor Series, learn the finishing touches you can use to make your vision come to life on paper. Materials provided. Ages 16 & up. (90 min.) Preregister, beginning Mon, Aug 21.

**Thu, Sep 07, 2:00 pm**
**Create a Memory Page**
Find answers in this open format lecture. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Mon, Aug 21.

**Fri, Sep 08, 10:30 am**
**Tai Chi Workshop**
Whether improving performance in tai chi form or just wanting to improve quality in everyday life activities, join Master Ken, he’ll help you achieve these goals. Ages 16 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 11 & 25, 9:30 am**
**Write! Read! Critique!**
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. (2½ hr.) Preregister.

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Tue, Sep 12, 2:00 pm

**Coding for Adults: Origami Part I**

Add a new dimension to the relaxing art of adult coloring and fold your way to inner peace. Ages 16 & up. (90 min.) Preregister, beginning Mon, Aug 21.

Tue, Sep 12 & 26, 6:00 pm

**Are You Board? Game On!**

Join your friends, or come and make new ones, as we discover new games and reacquaint ourselves with old favorites. Ages 12 & up. Preregister.

09/12: Celebrate National Video Game Day as we try our hand at Wii Gaming with Super Smash Bros., Mario Kart and more. (90 min.)

09/26: Tzol’kin: The Mayan Calendar - Advance your Mayan tribe in this ingeniously designed worker placement game based on the Mayan calendar. (90 min.)

09/30: Table Top Saturday! Select from a variety of games, from starter to strategy. (2 hr.)

Thu, Sep 14, 2:00 pm

**Coloring for Adults: Origami Part II**

Bring back your colorful works and meditate on one of the ancient arts of Japan, as we fold them into new shapes for further contemplation. Ages 16 & up. (90 min.) Preregister, beginning Mon, Aug 21.

Thu, Sep 14, 4:30 pm

**We Can Do Anything! Meet Ms. Wheelchair Florida 2017!**

Katherine Magnoli, Ms. Wheelchair Florida 2017 and children’s author, will be here to inspire us with her positive message of “Youbilities,” focusing on the strengths and abilities that each person possesses. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 16, 2:00 pm

**Acoustic Java Jam**

Experience a caffeinated collection of local talent or bring your acoustic instruments and jam out. Coffee provided. (2½ hr.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 19, 2:00 pm

**Art for Adults: Watercolor Open Studio**

Dive in and create your own original watercolor masterpiece. No lessons here, just time and space to shape your vision into a finished work of art. Materials provided. Ages 16 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 2:00 pm

**Storytelling: I’ll Tell You Mine, If You’ll Tell Me Yours**

Join us as we explore the art of storytelling. Beware! Spontaneous group participation may occur. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 20, 6:30 pm

**Writing Readers Open Mic**

Writers are invited to share their work in this open mic event or come just to listen. Preferred reading length of no more than five minutes/750 words and of a family-friendly subject matter. In collaboration with The Writer’s Group of Royal Palm Beach. Ages 18 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

Thu, Sep 21, 2:00 pm

**Scherenschnitte**

Grab scissors and explore the Pennsylvania Dutch folk art of “scherenschnitte.” This art tradition involves hand cutting silhouettes and symmetrical, lacy designs to create images and scenes. Ages 16 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 22, 10:30 am

**Self-Defense Workshop**

Join Master Ken as he shares five steps of personal safety, and guides attendees to a greater understanding of self-defense. Ages 18 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

Tue, Sep 26, 2:00 pm

**Art for Adults: Chalk Pastel Techniques**

Learn a traditional approach to working with chalk pastels. Explore blending techniques, application methods, and the difference undertones in color. Pastels, paper and other materials provided. Ages 16 & up. (90 min.) Preregister, beginning Mon, Aug 21.

Wed, Sep 27, 2:00 pm

**Book Discussion: “The Book of Unknown Americans,” by Cristina Henríquez**

A beautifully written novel giving voice to a new vision of being American. Pick up a copy of at the research services desk. Ages 16 & up. (60 min.) Preregister.

Wed, Sep 27, 6:00 pm

**Miércoles, 27 de septiembre, 6:00 pm**

**A Night in Havana: Musical Presentation by Ángel Roque**

Una noche en la habana: Presentación musical ofrecida por Ángel Roque

Pianist Ángel Roque and Vocalist Marta Ivelisse perform music from Cuba. (60 min.) Preregister.

Disfrute de la música cubana ofrecida por el Maestro Ángel Roque, acompañado por la vocalista Marta Ivelisse. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

**Child**

Fri, Sep 08, 3:30 pm

**Family Movie Magic**

“Moana.” ©Walt Disney Pictures. (113 min.) Relax while watching this family-friendly movie. Ages 8 & up. Preregister. PG

Sat, Sep 09, 10:30 am

**Calling All Grandparents & Grandkids!**

Listen to stories and work together on special crafts and activities that show how much you appreciate your grandparents. Ages 3-6. (45 min.) Preregister.

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**Teen**

Sat, Sep 09, 3:00 pm

**Teen 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, Sep 23, 3:00 pm

**Teen Wii U Gaming & Crafts**

Meet your friends for some Wii gaming, classic board games and crafts. Ages 12-17. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Tequesta Branch**

461 Old Dixie Highway North, Tequesta 33469

Phone: 746-5970

**Adult**

Thu, Sep 14, 2:30 pm

**PBS Documentary: “First Person Singular: I.M. Pei”**

Architect I.M. Pei leads viewers through his famous creations like the Louvre, National Gallery of Art and other examples of his extraordinary life’s work. (90 min.) Preregister. Shown with permission. Not rated.

Thu, Sep 21, 2:30 pm

**How to Create an Abstract Painting**

Eran Far, a New York internationally known artist, will show you how to make an abstract painting. Beginner to advanced, no experience necessary. (90 min.) Preregister.

Sat, Sep 23, 2:00 pm

**Mariachi de Mi Tierra**

Enjoy traditional Mexican songs by this talented and delightful group! (60 min.) Preregister.

**Child**

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Wednesdays, 3:30 pm

**STEAM Club**

A new project or guest speaker each week based in science, technology, engineering, art or math. Ages 6-11. (60 min.) Preregister.
**Wellington Branch**

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

**Adult**

**Thu, Sep 07, 6:30 pm**  
**Writer’s Critique Workshop**  
Share, offer and accept constructive criticism to improve your fiction, nonfiction and poetry in a supportive atmosphere. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 11, 6:30 pm**  
**Chess Club for Adults**  
Chess fans unite to practice strategy skills with other players. Basic game knowledge required. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 12, 6:30 pm**  
**Yoga**  
Learn poses standing or seated in a chair, taught by Dr. Debra Weiss, a certified yoga instructor. Please wear comfortable clothes and bring/ wear socks. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Wed, Sep 13, 6:30 pm**  
**Chinese Medicine: Ancient Medicine for the Modern World**  
Learn about traditional Chinese medical theories and the treatment of modern disease. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 14, 6:30 pm**  
**Scrabble for Adults**  
Join other Scrabble fans and enjoy a fun evening of wordplay. Basic game knowledge required. Bring your own boards if you have them. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 18, 6:30 pm**  
**Determining Authority Workshop**  
A Palm Beach State College librarian will teach students how to identify characteristics of quality information and practice evaluating sources based on these characteristics. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 19, 1:30 pm**  
**Genealogy Help: One-On-One Sign-Up**  
Want to learn about your family tree? Schedule your own 30-minute session with a librarian who will guide you through online genealogy research. (30 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 19, 6:30 pm**  
**Kusudama Flower**  
Make a kusudama flower out of easy origami petals. All supplies provided. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, Sep 25, 6:30 pm**  
**Yarn Wrapped Bottles**  
Upcycle empty glass bottles and turn them into beautiful decorations by wrapping them in different colors of yarn. Materials provided. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, Sep 26, 6:30 pm**  
**Latin American Artists Showcased at the Norton Museum of Art**  

**Teen**

**Tue, Sep 12, 6:00 pm**  
**Chocolate Olympics**  
Celebrate National Chocolate Day with a chocolate relay, chocolate puzzle, chocolate stacking races and more. Find out which teen titles have chocolate on the pages. Edible prizes. Ages 12 & up. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Sep 16, 2:00 pm**  
**Block Party: LEGO® Bricks**  
Create and build with our LEGO® collection. Ages 5-10. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Sep 16, 11:00 am**  
**Coloring: Dragons & Dinosaurs**  
Bring these monsters back to life with our super cool coloring pages. Ages 5-10. Limit 24. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 28, 6:30 pm**  
**Book Discussion: “The Grapes of Wrath,” by John Steinbeck**  
Pick up a copy at the research services desk. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Sep 30, 2:30 pm**  
**Music by Walter Voigt**  
One man band Walter Voigt performs a wide variety of American and international music including Polish, German, Italian and more. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 05, 2:00 pm**  
**Going ... Going ... Gone! Paper Airplane Contest!**  
Create your own paper airplane and compete against your peers to see how far your airplane can go! Winner gets a prize! Ages 5-12. Limit 25. (45 min.)

**Wed, Sep 05, 2:00 pm**  
**I Love Art!**  
If you love art, join us to show your creative side! Ages 6-12. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Thu, Sep 07, 3:00 pm**  
**Exciting Electrons!**  
This electrifying demonstration from the South Florida Science Center and Aquarium includes many classic energy tricks sure to make your eyes light up! Ages 5 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, Sep 09, 2:30 pm**  
**Watercolor Painting**  
Create colorful and unique paintings with our watercolors. Ages 5-10. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Tue, Sep 12, 2:30 pm**  
**Scrabble for Adults**  
Join other Scrabble fans and enjoy a fun evening of wordplay. Basic game knowledge required. Bring your own boards if you have them. (2 hr.) Preregister.

**Thu, Sep 14, 3:00 pm**  
**Magnet Design!**  
Create and design your own magnet to put on your refrigerator! Ages 6-12. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Sat, Sep 16, 11:00 am**  
**Apple-Mania!**  
Celebrate Johnny Appleseed Day with scrumptious apple stories, songs and a craft. Ages 2-6. Limit 40. (45 min.)

**Tue, Sep 19, 2:30 pm**  
**LEGO® Bricks**  
Play, imagine and create with our LEGO® bricks. Ages 5-10. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Fri, Sep 22, 2:30 pm**  
**Movie Matinee**  
“Minions.” ©Universal Pictures. (91 min.) PG

**Sun, Sep 24, 2:00 pm**  
**Adult Book Discussion: “The Art of Racing in the Rain,” by Garth Stein**  
Pick up a copy at the research services desk. (60 min.)

**Wed, Sep 27, 10:15 am**  
**The Great Courses® DVD Lecture Series**  
World of Biblical Israel. (90 min.) Shown with permission. Not rated.

**Lecture 1:** Biblical Israel - The Story of a People.  
**Lecture 2:** By the Rivers of Babylon - Exile.  
**Lecture 3:** Ancestor Narratives in Genesis.

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**Child**

**Sep, 09, 10:30 am**  
**Saturday Morning Crafts**  
Stop in the story time room for a casual craft time. A variety of simple crafts will be available. Ages 3-9. (60 min.)

**Mon, 11, 3:30 pm**  
**Little Artists: Watercolor Art**  
Explore your creativity in this art class where we will create a colorful masterpiece using watercolor markers. First come, first served. Ages 4 & up. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Tue, 12, 3:30 pm**  
**Are You Afraid of Snakes? Don't Be.**  
The Daggerrng Nature Center will teach you about the benefits of snakes and why they aren't as scary as you think. Do you like snakes already? This is an opportunity for you to see some in person. All ages. (45 min.) Preregister.

**Thu, 14, 3:30 pm**  
**“Have You Filled a Bucket Today?: A Guide to Daily Happiness for Kids,” by Carol McCloud**  
Learn how to become a bucket filler by showing kindness, appreciation and love. Decorate your own miniature bucket. First come, first served. Grade K-3. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Sat, 16, 10:30 am**  
**Tech Time: Ozobots**  
Ozobots are miniature robots that are programmed by drawing colorful lines. Use your creativity, develop logical reasoning and learn coding concepts. First come, first served. Ages 8 & up. Limit 18. (60 min.)

**Thu, 21, 3:00 pm**  
**Hispanic Heritage: Making Tortillas & Arepas**  
Hands-on demonstration of the foods used in Latin American recipes. Children will have the opportunity to make tortillas and arepas with masa dough (no cooking or eating). First come, first served. Ages 4 & up. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Sat, 23, 10:30 am**  
**Elephant Appreciation Day**  
They say an elephant never forgets, so let’s not forget this special animal on their special day! Celebrate these beloved pachyderms with stories, songs and crafts. First come, first served. Ages 8 & up. Limit 24. (45 min.)

**Mon, 25, 10:30 am**  
**Bouncing Babies**  
Baby and parents or caregivers are invited to share in a time of stories, songs and fingerplays. Ages 3-12 mos. (30 min.) Preregister.

**Tue, 26, 3:30 pm**  
**Young Artists: Sky Is the Limit Watercolor**  
Paint out-of-this-world scenes with unique metallic and glitter liquid watercolor paints. First come, first served. Ages 3-7. Limit 24. (45 min.)

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**Sat, 30, 10:30 am**  
**Saturday Toddler Time**  
Listen to a story or two. We’ll also dance and sing to fun songs and fingerplays. First come, first served. Ages 1-2. Limit 20. (30 min.)

**Teen**

**Sep, 02, 2:30 pm**  
**National Wildlife Day**  
In honor of National Wildlife Day build a small birdhouse and decorate it to give our backyard friends a home. Grades 6-12. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, 23, 2:30 pm**  
**Neon Glow Paint Class**  
Create a unique and vibrant work of art using special acrylic paints on canvas boards. Grades 6-12. (90 min.) Preregister.

**West Boynton Branch**

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Phone: 734-5556

**Adult**

**Wed, 06, 1:00 pm**  
**Line Dancing**  
Have you danced the Electric Slide and Cupid Shuffle or wanted to learn them? Then this is for you! Learn a few line dances to keep you moving. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Thu, 07, 2:00 pm**  
**Tea & Chinese Calligraphy**  
Discover a new art form of calligraphy with Chinese brush accompanied by the aroma and taste of Chinese tea. Materials provided. Space is limited. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Fri, 08, 2:30 pm**  
**Veterans Services of PBC**  
Meet with representative Andy Reese to answer brief questions and learn about services. (2½ hr.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Mon, 11, 2:00 pm**  
**Adult Coloring**  
Color for fun and relaxation with other coloring enthusiasts. Coloring pages and materials provided or bring your own coloring book. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Tue, 12, 7:00 pm**  
**Sherlock Holmes Mystery Club**  
The game’s afoot with facilitator Dick Smolen and other Sherlock fans for films and discussions of the renowned literary detective. (90 min.)

**Wed, 13, 1:00 pm**  
**Frank Cerabino: News of the Week**  
Palm Beach Post columnist Frank Cerabino guides you through the weekly news roundup with important, interesting and off-beat stories of the week. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

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Staff-led discussion. (60 min.)

**Fri, 16, 2:00 pm**  
**Popcorn & a Movie**  
“The Zookeeper’s Wife.” ©Focus Features. (124 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Sat, 16, 4:00 pm**  
**A Happier, Healthier Life**  
Board Certified Dr. John L. Wang, orthopedic surgeon, discusses the topic. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Sun, 24, 2:30 pm**  
**A Glimpse of Chinese Culture**  
Explore your creativity in this art class where we will create a colorful masterpiece using special acrylic paints on canvas boards. Grades 6-12. (90 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, 25, 2:00 pm**  
**Hip Replacement**  
Board Certified Dr. John L. Wang, orthopedic surgeon, discusses the topic. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Thu, 28, 2:00 pm**  
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**Fri, 01, 10:15 am**  
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**Bilingual Story Time**

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A Viet Cong agent spies on a South Vietnamese army general and his compatriots as they start a new life in 1975 Los Angeles. Staff-led discussion. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Sat, 16, 2:00 pm**  
**Wayna: Music of the Andes**  
Wayna: Música de los Andes  
Andean music group recreates traditional and contemporary melodies from the highlands of Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia. (60 min.) Preregister.

**Mon, 18, 2:00 pm**  
**Crafternoon: Wood Frames**  
Paint and decorate a wood frame to take home and fill with a special picture. Materials provided. Space is limited. (60 min.) Preregister, beginning Tue, Aug 22.

**Wed, 20, 1:00 pm**  
**Bridging Faiths Book Discussion**  
““The Pilgrimage” & “A Sense of Direction: Pilgrimage for the Restless and the Hopeful””  
Paulo Coelho and Gideon Lewis-Kraus wrote masterful memoirs about their paths to self-discovery. Read one or both titles and join a lively discussion led by staff. Pick up a copy at the research services desk. (60 min.) Preregister.
Wed, Sep 20, 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.)
Main Library
Wed, Sep 07, 3:00 pm
Greenacres Branch
Thu, Sep 07, 2:30 pm
Royal Palm Beach Branch
Wed, Sep 20, 10:00 am

Mon, Sep 25, 3:30 pm
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Fri, Sep 29, 10:15 am
Toddler Coloring
Tiny hands have fun with a relaxing morning of coloring. Great for fine motor skills and socialization! Ages 2 & up. (30 min.) Preregister.

Fri, Sep 29, 1:00 pm or 4:00 pm
STEM-tastic Readers
Starting with the first book in the “Little Legends” series by Tom Percival, “The Spell Thief,” we’ll have games, STEM experiments, discussions, and lots of fun. Copies of the book are available. Ages 7 & up. (45 min.) Preregister.

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.
E-book classes vary from branch to branch and from device to device — call for more information.
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.)
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Computer Keyboard & Typing - Basic (Hands-on)
Learn the basics about the keys on the computer keyboard and practice typing using online tutorials. (60 min.)
Main Library
Tue, Sep 05, 10:00 am
Lantana Road Branch
Tue, Sep 05, 10:00 am
Hagen Ranch Road Branch
Mon, Sep 11, 10:00 am

Computer Lab (Hands-on)
Fine tune your computer skills or further develop those acquired in one of our classes. Schedule time with professional staff who will assist you and direct you to the best library resources. (15 min.-2 hr.)
Main Library
Thu, Sep 28, 10:00 am

Computers - Basic (Hands-on)
Learn the basics of using computers. Students will be introduced to the components of the computer, including how to turn a computer on; how to use a keyboard and mouse; and how to create, save, close and reopen a file. (60 min.-2 hr.)
Hagen Ranch Road Branch
Mon, Sep 11, 10:00 am

CreationStation Demonstration (Lecture)
Learn about the CreationStation digital media lab. Library staff will demonstrate one way that CreationStation can be used to create multimedia projects. (30 min.)
Main Library
Thu, Sep 07, 3:00 pm (Converting VHS to Digital Format)
Thu, Sep 14, 3:00 pm (iMovie)
Thu, Sep 21, 3:00 pm (Drawing Tablet)
Thu, Sep 28, 3:00 pm (MIDI Keyboard)
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**Ejercitando el ratón (Incluye ejercicios de práctica)**
(Mousing, in Spanish)
Aprenda a utilizar el ratón mediante un programa que se permita hacerlo a su paso. Para principiantes. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

**Greenacres Branch**
Miércoles, 06 de septiembre, 2:30 pm

**Excel - básico (Incluye ejercicios de práctica)**
(Excel, Basic, in Spanish)
Aprenda a crear una hoja de cálculo ("spreadsheet") y hacer tablas y gráficos básicos. Es necesario traer algún nivel de experiencia en usar las computadoras. (60 min.) Se requiere registrarse.

**Main Library**
Martes, 19 de septiembre, 11:00 am

**Internet - básico (Incluye ejercicios de práctica)**
(Internet - Basic, in Spanish)
Aprenda lo básico en esta clase de internet para principiantes. (90 min.-2 hr.) Se requiere registrarse.

**Greenacres Branch**
Miércoles, 20 de septiembre, 2:30 pm

**Windows 10 - Introduction (Hands-on)**
(Prerequisite: Proficiency in using a computer mouse.)
Learn about the Windows 10 start menu, task bar, file explore, action center and notification area. (60 min.)

**Wellington Branch**
Wed, Sep 19, 10:00 am

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

**Belle Glade Branch**
Fri, Sep 15, 10:30 am

**Tech-Talk: One-On-One (Hands-on)**
Need help using the Library from your laptop, smartphone, or tablet? If a group class isn’t offered, maybe we can still help. Call or stop at the research services desk to schedule your own half-hour session. One session per person, per month. (30 min.)

**Wellington Branch**
Wed, Sep 27, 2:30 pm
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