

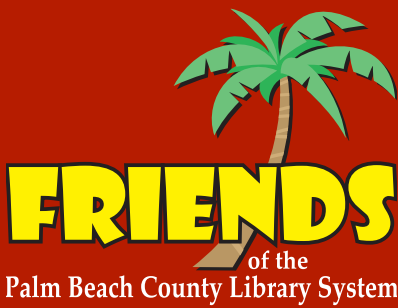


Palm Beach County Library System's Magazine ■ December 2023

Happenings

Friends Annual Meeting
Embrace the Winter
Sunshine at the Library





Friends Annual Meeting


Join us for a short business meeting and election of officers.

Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am

Everyone is welcome to the year-end Friends of the Library meeting!

Learn how the Friends help make a difference in our beloved Library branches and our fantastic community. Light refreshments will be served.

Consider joining our Friends Board!

They gather monthly to develop fantastic ideas to help our Library System thrive. Fun fact: Activities with the  symbol next to the title were made possible because of the Friends.

Be a part of a passionate group that supports reading, learning and positively impacts our community. We hope to see you at the meeting!

Guest Speaker: Kahtia Hall, WPTV First Alert Weather Team

Kahtia Hall, originally from California, spent her formative years in the Sonoran Desert of Tucson, Arizona. She completed her education in her hometown and proudly earned her degree in Broadcast Journalism from the University of Arizona (Bear Down!).

After graduating, Kahtia relocated to Bakersfield, California, where she dedicated four years to providing weather forecasts for the Kern County community. During her tenure in Bakersfield, she also furthered her education, obtaining a degree in meteorology from Mississippi State University.

In 2019, Kahtia joined the WPTV First Alert Weather Team. She has since covered a range of extreme weather events, including tornadoes and hurricanes such as Hurricane Dorian, Hurricane Eta, Hurricane Isaias, Hurricane Nicole and Hurricane Ian.

Living close to the beach with warm weather all year round has always been a cherished aspiration for Kahtia. She has an aversion to cold weather and loves soaking up the splendid Florida sunshine!

Stay updated by following her on Facebook and X, or feel free to connect via email at kahtia.hall@wptv.com.



Preregister: <https://ow.ly/5iZW50Q5VVz>

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**All Palm Beach County Library System locations
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All locations will also be closed Mon, Jan 01, 2024
for New Year's Day.
No materials will be due on these days.**

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Library Hours

	Address	Phone Number	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Main Library	3650 Summit Boulevard, WPB 33406	561-233-2600	12 - 5	9 - 9	9 - 9	9 - 9	9 - 9	9 - 6	9 - 5
Acreage Branch	15801 Orange Boulevard, Loxahatchee 33470	561-681-4100	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Belle Glade Branch	725 NW 4th Street, Belle Glade 33430	561-996-3453	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 5	9 - 5	9 - 5
Clarence E. Anthony Branch	375 SW 2nd Avenue, South Bay 33493	561-992-8393	Closed	11 - 7	9 - 5	11 - 7	9 - 5	9 - 5	9 - 5
Gardens Branch	11303 Campus Drive, Palm Beach Gardens 33410	561-626-6133	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Glades Road Branch	20701 95th Avenue South, Boca Raton 33434	561-482-4554	12 - 5	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 6	10 - 5
Greenacres Branch	3750 Jog Road, Greenacres 33467	561-641-9100	12 - 5	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 6	10 - 5
Hagen Ranch Road Branch	14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446	561-894-7500	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 6	9 - 5
Jupiter Branch	705 Military Trail, Jupiter 33458	561-744-2301	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 6	9 - 5
Lantana Road Branch	4020 Lantana Road, Lake Worth 33462	561-304-4500	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Loula V. York Branch	525 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee 33476	561-924-5928	Closed	11 - 7	9 - 5	11 - 7	9 - 5	9 - 5	9 - 5
Okeechobee Boulevard Branch	5689 Okeechobee Boulevard, WPB 33417	561-233-1880	12 - 5	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 6	10 - 5
Royal Palm Beach Branch	500 Civic Center Way, RPB 33411	561-790-6030	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 6	9 - 5
Tequesta Branch	461 Old Dixie Highway North, Tequesta 33469	561-746-5970	Closed	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 5	10 - 5	10 - 5
Wellington Branch	1951 Royal Fern Drive, Wellington 33414	561-790-6070	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
West Boca Branch	18685 State Road 7, Boca Raton 33498	561-470-1600	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
West Boynton Branch	9451 Jog Road, Boynton Beach 33437	561-734-5556	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Adult Literacy	14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446	561-894-7510	By Appointment Only						
Talking Books/Books-By-Mail/Bookmobile		561-649-5486							



EMBRACE THE WINTER SUNSHINE AT THE LIBRARY

While Florida may not be known for its snowy winters, the Sunshine State has its own unique charm during the cooler months. If you're looking for ways to make the most of the winter season in Florida, your local Palm Beach County Library System branch has plenty of activities to offer! You can beat the winter blues with wellness and yoga classes. They provide a great way to stay active, relieve stress and maintain a healthy lifestyle during the Florida winter. We also have many DIY arts-and-craft classes available perfect for people of all ages and abilities. With our crafts, you can capture the essence of Florida's winter season and celebrate the various holidays that are happening this month.

Our libraries have an array of activities to keep you engaged and make the most of Florida's wonderful winter weather. So grab your sunscreen, a beach towel and a great book, and enjoy the unique charm of a Florida winter at your local library.

For a full list of our Winter/Holiday offerings, look for the ❄️ icon throughout.

Presidents & Their First Ladies, Dramatically Speaking:

Jimmy & Rosalynn Carter

The ever-popular "Presidents & Their First Ladies, Dramatically Speaking" series returns January 2024!

"Presidents & Their First Ladies, Dramatically Speaking" is the creation of the veteran acting and writing team of husband and wife, William and Sue Wills. The couple is now in their 27th year of bringing to life the stories of 36 different Presidential couples. Amazingly, the Wills have appeared together on stage over 9,300 times.

They proudly present to us the story of our 39th President and First Lady: Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter.

From peanut farmer to Naval Officer, Governor of Georgia and the Presidency, Jimmy had beside him his loving wife Rosalynn, who truly was Jimmy's chief advisor and partner. His four years in office were filled with many controversial decisions, high points (peace between Israel and Egypt) and low points (Iran Hostages).

Their post-presidency saw them continue to do good work around the world well into their 90s. President Clinton said of the Carters, "No one has done more good things for more people than any other couple on the face of the earth."

Stay tuned to our Happenings in January for performance dates, times and locations and visit us online at www.pbclibrary.org to preregister.



OUR LIBRARIES ARE SO MUCH MORE THAN BOOKS

Libraries are a place to explore ideas, connect with a world of resources and enhance your life through workshops and events for adults, teens and children. Unlike the internet where you never know what you'll find, libraries are a trusted source of information.

The resources available at your local library have been continuously expanding to incorporate more technology and digital media. The best part is it's completely free!

LEARN ABOUT WHAT THE PALM BEACH COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM HAS TO OFFER:



Borrow Unique Materials

Reserve a birding backpack, a STEM backpack or a Civics and Citizenship Toolkit.

A cardholder may borrow up to 50 items including books, DVDs, audiobooks and more!

Get Research Assistance

Professional research librarians can help you find reliable information on any topic: in-person, over the phone or through our website. Most branches offer in-person Book-A-Librarian sessions for one-on-one assistance.



Student Success With Tutor.com

Certified tutors offer math, science, social studies and language arts assistance online through the Library's website. Live one-on-one assistance is offered in English and Spanish.



Computers & Hotspots

Desktop computers, lending laptops, printers and fax machines are tailored to meet your needs!

Free computer classes are offered virtually and in-person.

Going on a trip and want reliable internet? Hotspots are available for check out!



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Explore Digital Media & Online Resources

Library cardholders have instantaneous access to our digital media and online resources. Our wide range of online resources have accurate, trusted information that you can't find using your favorite search engine. Explore business, health, science, literature, education, law, current events, the arts, entertainment, regional information and much more.

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Learn About Your Ancestors

The Palm Beach County Genealogical Society Library is located in the Main Library and open to the public. Check their website for hours and more information: www.gensocofpbc.org

You can also access a plethora of genealogy resources at www.pbclibrary.org/genealogy/



Learn to Read

The Adult Literacy Project trains volunteer tutors to teach adult students to read, write or speak English. One-on-one instruction is free and confidential.

For more information, visit:
www.pbclibrary.org/adult-literacy



The Library Comes to You

The Bookmobile travels the County and stops at more than 40 locations. Talking Books is a free service that provides Braille and recorded materials to anyone legally blind, visually impaired or physically handicapped in such a way that they cannot hold a book. Books-By-Mail offers materials for those who are homebound.



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Across:

3. Popular holiday activity involving gift purchases.
5. The "Sunshine State."
7. You can use this free service to listen to holiday music.
8. Many people look forward to this during retirement.
10. Time off from school or work.
12. It's celebrated from Dec 7- 15 this year.
13. Something you can check out at the Library.

Down:

1. Abundant during Florida's winter.
2. Check out audiobooks from this Library service.
4. What you might find under a holiday tree.
6. December holiday celebrated with gift-giving.
9. A traditional Christmas decoration.
11. A Christmas tree topper.

Crossword solution on page 30.



WHAT'S NEXT?

The titles on this list are on order for the Library and can be reserved, but will not be available until the release date.



Tue, Dec 05

Bradford, Barbara Taylor: "The Wonder of It All"
 Cook, Robin: "Manner of Death"
 Faulkner, Katherine: "The Other Mothers"
 Thompson, Victoria: "City of Betrayal"
 Lindsay, Jeff: "The Fourth Rule"
 Lawhon, Ariel: "The Frozen River"
 Shelton, Paige: "Lost Hours"
 Kane, Darby: "The Engagement Party"
 Wilkes, Ally: "Where the Dead Wait"
 Armstrong, Jess: "The Curse of Penryth Hall"
 Rivero, Melissa: "Flores and Miss Paula"
 Korn, Gabrielle: "Yours for the Taking"
 Lemmie, Asha: "The Wildest Sun"
 Rozan, S. J.: "The Mayors of New York"
 Christensen, Kate: "Welcome Home, Stranger"
 Soloski, Alexis: "Here in the Dark"
 Harrod-Eagles, Cynthia: "The Mistress of Ashmore Castle"
 Spotswood, Stephen: "Murder Crossed Her Mind"
 Cooper, Helen: "The Couple in the Photo"
 Frear, Caz: "Five Bad Deeds"

Tue, Dec 12

Ryan, Annelise: "Death in the Dark Woods"
 Higashino, Keigo: "The Final Curtain"
 Poyer, David: "The Academy"

Tue, Dec 19

Marrs, John: "The Vacation"

Tue, Dec 26

Dailey, Janet: "Lone Oaks Crossing"
 Foster, Lori: "The Fearless One"
 Lackey, Mercedes: "Valdemar"
 Parks, Adele: "Two Dead Wives"
 Parlato, Terri: "What Waits in the Woods"

DISABILITY/NEURODIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

Unless noted, activities are on a first-come, first-served basis.
For events requiring registration, please visit www.pbclibrary.org.

ALL AGES

"Sense"-ational Storytime Royal Palm Beach Branch

Sat, Dec 09, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
An inclusive storytime experience with stories, songs and a sensory-focused activity. Preregister.

"Sense"-ational Gingerbread Sticker Art Gardens Branch

Sat, Dec 09, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Decorate gingerbread with stickers, markers and other craft supplies. No frosting required. Preregister.

Disability & Accessibility Resource Showcase Belle Glade Branch

Wed, Dec 13, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Explore various Library and community resources for members with disabilities or accessibility needs. Preregister.

ADULTS

Wrap It Up!: Gift Wrapping Workshop Glades Road Branch

Sun, Dec 03, 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Acreage Branch
Tue, Dec 12, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Learn tips for wrapping gifts and get your gift wrapping done in one go! Designed for adults with learning and intellectual disabilities. Preregister.

Unmasked
Lantana Road Branch
Mon, Dec 18, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Discuss issues important to you and other neurodivergent community members in a safe, nonjudgmental space. Refreshments provided.

ADULTS & TEENS

Library for Everyone
West Boynton Branch
Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
An adaptive programming experience with stories, songs, movement and a sensory-focused craft. Ages 12 & up.

❄️ Winter/Holidays

Dreidel, Dreidel ❄️ Acreage Branch

Thu, Dec 07, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
I have a little dreidel, I made it out of ... sweets! Make a dreidel you can eat and then learn how to play the classic game. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Coloring Club Acreage Branch

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Socialize, relax and make art in a sensory-friendly environment. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

TEENS

Unmasked for Teens
Acreage Branch
Wed, Dec 13, 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm
Discuss issues important to you and other neurodivergent teens in a safe, nonjudgmental space. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Sensory Playtime
Wellington Branch
Thu, Dec 07, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
Inclusive play experience with sensory-sensitivity focused activities, games and crafts. Dress for a mess. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour: Snow Day! ❄️
Lantana Road Branch
Sun, Dec 17, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Write in the snow, play with some ice and watch the snowflakes come to life. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.



SENSORY FRIENDLY BROWSING HOUR

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

People with sensory sensitivities can enjoy the use of the Library and its services in a safe and welcoming environment. All ages. Las personas con sensibilidad sensorial pueden disfrutar de la biblioteca y sus servicios en un ambiente seguro y acogedor. Todos los edades.

Glades Road Branch

Fri, Dec 01, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
viernes, 01 de diciembre,
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Acreage Branch

Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 02 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

West Boynton Branch

Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 02 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

Main Library

Sun, Dec 03, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
domingo, 03 de diciembre,
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Greenacres Branch

Sun, Dec 03, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
domingo, 03 de diciembre,
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Sat, Dec 09, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
sábado, 09 de diciembre,
9:00 am - 10:00 am

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Sat, Dec 09, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 09 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

Wellington Branch

Sun, Dec 10, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
domingo, 10 de diciembre,
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

West Boca Branch

Sun, Dec 10, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
domingo, 10 de diciembre,
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Tequesta Branch

Thu, Dec 14, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
jueves, 14 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Sat, Dec 16, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 16 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

Lantana Road Branch

Sun, Dec 17, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
domingo, 17 de diciembre,
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Belle Glade Branch

Sat, Dec 23, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
sábado, 23 de diciembre,
9:00 am - 10:00 am

Clarence E. Anthony Branch

Sat, Dec 23, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
sábado, 23 de diciembre,
9:00 am - 10:00 am

Loula V. York Branch

Sat, Dec 23, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
sábado, 23 de diciembre,
9:00 am - 10:00 am

Gardens Branch

Sat, Dec 23, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 23 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am

HEALTH HUB

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ALL AGES

Family Yoga Acreage Branch

Sat, Dec 02, 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm
Wear comfortable clothes, bring a mat or towel and water. Relaxing and fun for the whole family! Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

ADULTS

Gentle Yoga for Adults ☯ Jupiter Branch

Thursdays, 9:15 am - 10:30 am
Increase flexibility and strength in pursuit of a quiet mind through this ancient practice of well-being. Preregister.

Balance Through Qigong & Tai Chi ☯

Hagen Ranch Road Branch
Fri, Dec 01, 08, 15 & 22,
10:30 am - 11:30 am

In this four-week series, you will learn what works together in your body in order to achieve balance and compensate for weaknesses. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga & Meditation Acreage Branch

Sat, Dec 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
With certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Bring water, a yoga mat and wear comfortable clothing. Preregister.

Stretch & Relax ☯ Jupiter Branch

Sun, Dec 03 & 17, 12:15 pm - 1:00 pm
A gentle approach through yoga to release stress and increase flexibility. Preregister.

Stay Fit With Senior Exercise ☯ Jupiter Branch

Mon, Dec 04, 11 & 18,
9:30 am - 10:30 am
Enjoy easy aerobic movement, light weight training, balance and stretching. Preregister.

Zumba Wellington Branch

Mon, Dec 04, 11 & 18,
10:30 am - 11:30 am
Exercise and have fun dancing with a Baptist Health instructor. Appropriate for all levels.

Tai Chi for Balance: Intermediate Jupiter Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19,
9:15 am - 10:15 am
For students who have completed the Basic Tai Chi for Balance class. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance Jupiter Branch

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20,
9:15 am - 10:15 am
Learn to increase balance and decrease fall risk. A series of weekly classes, each building on the work of the previous weeks. Preregister.

Medicare Basics West Boca Branch Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Fri, Dec 08, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
SHINE (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders) will discuss each part of Medicare and outline the two path options available to each Medicare beneficiary.

Chair Yoga West Boynton Branch

Thu, Dec 07, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Relax and exercise with certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Beginners ☯ Acreage Branch

Sat, Dec 09, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes. Preregister.

Tai Chi ☯ Lantana Road Branch

Sun, Dec 10, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
Led by certified instructor Dr. Richard Paul Tsang. Wear comfortable clothes and flat shoes.

Self-Care Sunday ☯ Acreage Branch

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Create a few simple gift tag sets while you relax. Preregister.

The Value of Organ Donation Lantana Road Branch

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
The Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency will talk about the value of organ donation. Meet a live donor, a recipient and a donor family.

Cancer 101 Lecture & Free Cancer Screenings Main Library

Wed, Dec 13, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm
The University of Miami Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center's Game Changer vehicle is coming! First, there will be a lecture, then go for free cancer screenings on the Game Changer. Appointments and insurance are not necessary.

Sound Bath & Guided Meditation ☯ Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Thu, Dec 14, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Reharmonize your mind, body and spirit. You will be bathed with the healing sounds of the gong, crystal and Himalayan singing bowls and chimes. Preregister.

Vinyasa Yoga & Meditation Acreage Branch

Sat, Dec 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Vinyasa yoga is a beautiful form of yoga where poses are linked together with the breath in a flowing, calming sequence. Bring a mat and water. Preregister.

Sahaja Meditation Acreage Branch

Sun, Dec 17, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
This time-honored technique reduces stress, brings better focus and helps you become more balanced. Preregister.

Adult Coloring Club Royal Palm Beach Branch

Mon, Dec 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Color for fun and relaxation with other enthusiasts. Coloring materials provided or bring your own.

Memory Cafe ☯ Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wed, Dec 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
A dementia-friendly social hour for you and your loved one, featuring engaging crafts, music and games, in a safe, comfortable environment. Refreshments provided. Preregister.

**Line Dance With
Ruth Goodstein
West Boynton Branch**
Sat, Dec 30, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Have fun and dance as if no one is watching! Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Greenacres Ninja Warriors Greenacres Branch

Sat, Dec 02, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
It's National Ninja Day! Test your mettle against a family-friendly ninja course of challenges! Ages 5-8. Preregister.



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Technology Training

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ALL AGES

Digital Holiday Cards ❄️ Acreage Branch

Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Bring family and friends to take a green screen photo for a digital holiday card. Preregister.

Green Screen Winter Wonderland Photos ❄️ Estudio de Pantalla Verde: Fotos En las Maravillas del Invierno

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wed, Dec 13, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
miércoles, 13 de diciembre,
2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Take your winter wonderland photo as you learn about green screens. We will email you your pictures. Please do not wear green. Preregister.

Tómese su foto en las maravillas del invierno mientras aprende del Estudio de Pantalla Verde. Le mandaremos su foto por correo electrónico. Por favor no se vista de verde. Se requiere inscripción previa.

ADULTS

Holiday Shopping With Consumer Reports Jupiter Branch

Sun, Dec 03, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Preregister.

Wellington Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Glades Road Branch

Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Discover how to find ratings, reviews, recommendations and buying advice for your product purchases. A Library card will be needed to access the online database at home.

Computers: Basic Clarence E. Anthony Branch

Mon, Dec 04, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Wed, Dec 13, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Greenacres Branch

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Preregister.

Learn 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.

Starting a YouTube Channel

Main Library

Tue, Dec 05, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Share your passions with the world using this free platform to create a channel of your own. Preregister.

Wonderful World of Wikipedia

Gardens Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

How well do you know Wikipedia? Can you trust it? Learn about the online encyclopedia, how to use it and how you can get involved.

Book-A-Librarian

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 10:45 am

& 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm

& 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

West Boynton Branch

Wed, Dec 06 & 20, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Personalized attention in the areas of computer and mobile devices and online resources just to name a few. Preregister.

Microsoft Excel: Basics

Lantana Road Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Preregister.

Main Library

Wed, Dec 13, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn how to navigate Excel and create spreadsheets.

Introduction to Image Editing

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wed, Dec 06, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Learn how to edit and manage digital photos. Preregister.

Tech Talk: One-On-One

Glades Road Branch

Thu, Dec 07, 21 & 28,

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Library staff can help you improve your computer skills and assist you with your phone, laptop or tablet. Preregister.

Digital Preservation:

Scanning Photos &

Documents

Jupiter Branch

Thu, Dec 07, 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Bring up to 50 photos in good condition.

Acreage Branch

Tue, Dec 19, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Bring up to 100 photos in good condition.

Okeechobee Boulevard

Branch

Wed, Dec 20, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Bring up to 100 photos in good condition.

Bring a USB flash drive to save the digital images. Reserve a 20-minute appointment.

Preregister.

Peterson's Career Prep

Main Library

Thu, Dec 07, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Create visually-interesting resumes, cover letters and personal websites that can be shared with prospective employers.

iPhone Tips & Tricks

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Mon, Dec 11, 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

Go beyond the basics with your iPhone (or iPad). Organize photos, scan documents, use Visual Look Up to identify objects and more. Bring your questions and we will find the answers! Preregister.

How to Avoid Online Identity Theft

Main Library

Mon, Dec 11, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Discover how to keep your online footprint to a minimum, how to spot a scam and what to do if your identity has been stolen.

Coding: Python

Main Library

Tue, Dec 12, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Preregister.

Belle Glade Branch

Thu, Dec 14, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn the basics of coding and start writing code.

Microsoft Word: Basics

Okeechobee Boulevard

Branch

Tue, Dec 12, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Lantana Road Branch

Tue, Dec 12, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Preregister.

iPad Basics

Tequesta Branch

Thu, Dec 14 & 21, 2:30 pm - 3:45 pm

Learn how to navigate your iPad. This is one class over two dates. Preregister.

Computadoras: Básico

Loula V. York Branch

sábado, 16 de diciembre,

9:30 am - 10:30 am

Aprenda los conceptos básicos de los componentes de una computadora y sus funciones elementales.

Passwords & Password

Managers

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Mon, Dec 18, 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

Experts say everyone should use a password manager. We will show you how to use one to keep your passwords secure and accessible. Preregister.

Microsoft Word:

Intermediate

Lantana Road Branch

Mon, Dec 18, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Learn how to customize Word documents with text, paragraph and page formatting features. Preregister.

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Technology Training

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Free Marketing Tools

Greenacres Branch

Tue, Dec 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Discover the helpful and free marketing resources for your business that your Library card offers.

Keyboard & Typing

Main Library

Wed, Dec 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn basic typing skills. Little to no computer experience required.

Digital Preservation:

Scanning Photos & Documents

Preservación Digital:

Escaneo de fotos y documentos

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wed, Dec 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

miércoles, 20 de diciembre,

10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn how to convert printed photos to digital files. Bring up to 50 photos in good condition and a USB flash drive. Preregister.

Aprenda a convertir sus fotos imprimidas en digital. Traiga hasta 50 fotos de buena condición y una unidad de memoria USB. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Mousing Around

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Wed, Dec 20, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn and practice the basics of using a mouse. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Introduction to Canva

Greenacres Branch

Wed, Dec 06, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn how to create beautiful flyers using Canva, a free online design program. Intermediate computer skills required. Preregister.

Image Editing With Pixlr

Jupiter Branch

Thu, Dec 07, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to edit and manage digital photos using this free browser application. Preregister.

Demystifying Artificial Intelligence (AI): ChatGPT

Jupiter Branch

Sun, Dec 10, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn how you can use free AI tools like ChatGPT to answer questions, create art and perform other tasks. Preregister.

Navigating the New Library Website

Jupiter Branch

Tue, Dec 12, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn about what the new Palm Beach County Library website can do for you, including how to create an account, find book recommendations, register for activities, create booklists and more! Preregister.

Oculus Quest Virtual Reality Experience & Green Screen Studio ❄️

Jupiter Branch

Sun, Dec 17, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Explore, learn, create and play! Immerse yourself in a 3D environment showcasing the wonder of winter! Learn how to use a green screen background to create special effects in photos and videos. Don't wear green. Preregister.

Holiday Cards With Canva ❄️

Jupiter Branch

Thu, Dec 21, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Forget to send out those holiday cards? Learn how to use Canva to make festive digital greeting cards the easy way. Preregister.

Oculus Quest Virtual Reality Experience

West Boynton Branch

Thu, Dec 21, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Come experience virtual reality with the Oculus Quest! Preregister.

TEENS

Creative Coding Club: Snowflakes ❄️

Acreage Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Celebrate Computer Science Education Week by creating unique, interactive snowflakes with code! Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Homeschool Hub: Hour of Code

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Thu, Dec 14, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

We will be celebrating Hour of Code with a coding event — without computers! We will also get to test out some fun applications. Come challenge yourself! Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Coding With Tech Toys: Bee-Bot®

West Boca Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Learn the basics of coding including control, sequencing and logic by playing with programmable bee-shaped floor robots. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

ONLINE

ADULTS

Udemy

Wed, Dec 06, 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Explore free self-paced classes from Udemy in personal development, Microsoft Office, business as well as web and computer programming. Requires a Library card. Preregister.

Secure Web Browser & Email Basics

Tue, Dec 12, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Learn about secure web browsers and emails and how they can be used to keep your information safe. Preregister.

Introduction to Image Editing

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to edit and manage digital photos. Preregister.

iPhone Basics

Tue, Dec 19, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Learn the basics of using the Apple iPhone. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Free Multimedia Resources for Digital Creative Projects

Tue, Dec 05, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Learn about free online image, sound and video resources to use for digital creative projects. Preregister.

Using Submittable to Submit Your Writing

Fri, Dec 08, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Now that NaNoWriMo is over, what are you planning on doing with your draft? Learn how to use Submittable, a free online resource that allows you to submit your writing and art to magazines, contests and more. Ages 12 & up. Preregister.

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TODOS LAS EDADES

Estudio de Pantalla Verde: Fotos En las Maravillas del Invierno
Royal Palm Beach Branch

miércoles, 13 de diciembre, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Tómese su foto en las maravillas del invierno mientras aprende del Estudio de Pantalla Verde. Le mandaremos su foto por correo electrónico. Por favor no se vista de verde. Se requiere inscripción previa.

ADULTOS

Tertulia Literaria
Wellington Branch

martes, 05 de diciembre, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

"Demasiados héroes," de Laura Restrepo. Copias disponibles en el Mostrador de Consulta.

Juegos de mesa

Lantana Road Branch

martes, 05, 12 y 19 de diciembre, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

¡Únete a otros entusiastas de juegos de mesa, "Scrabble®," "Rummikub," ajedrez, backgammon, dominó entre otros!

Computadoras: Básico
Loula V. York Branch

sábado, 16 de diciembre, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Aprenda los conceptos básicos de los componentes de una computadora y sus funciones elementales.

Preservación Digital:

Escaneo de fotos y documentos
Royal Palm Beach Branch

miércoles, 20 de diciembre, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Aprenda a convertir sus fotos imprimidas en digital. Traiga hasta 50 fotos de buena condición y una unidad de memoria USB. Se requiere inscripción previa.

NIÑOS Y NIÑAS

Bilingual Storytime
Greenacres Branch

miércoles, 20 de diciembre, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Cantaremos y bailaremos con canciones divertidas, escucharemos cuentos en español e inglés y haremos una manualidad sencilla. Se requiere inscripción previa.



ENGLISH EXCHANGE

Practice speaking English in a fun and informal atmosphere. Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Jupiter Branch

Wednesdays, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Preregister.

Main Library

Wednesdays, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Wellington Branch

Wednesdays, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Preregister.

Acreage Branch

Thursdays, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Preregister.

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Thursdays, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Preregister.

Glades Road Branch

Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Tue, Dec 05 & 19, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Preregister.

Gardens Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

West Boca Branch

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 10:30 am - 11:45 am

Preregister.

Belle Glade Branch

Tue, Dec 05 & 12, 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Online via Zoom

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Preregister.

West Boynton Branch

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

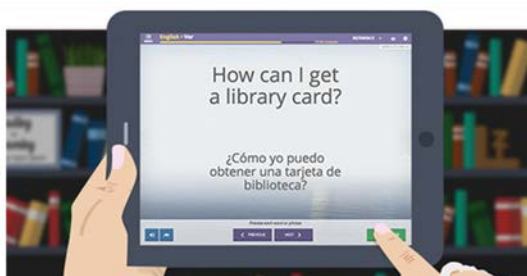
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ALL AGES

Virtual Sensory Storytime

Thu, Dec 07, 9:00 am - 9:30 am

Inclusive storytime experience with stories, songs and sensory-focused activities. Kits available at all branches. Preregister.

ADULTS

Read! Write! Critique!

Fri, Dec 01 & 15, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Aspiring writers, use this informal, virtual roundtable discussion to share and improve your craft. Preregister.

English Exchange

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

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Udemy

Wed, Dec 06, 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Explore free self-paced classes from Udemy in personal development, Microsoft Office, business as well as web and computer programming. Requires a Library card. Preregister.

Game Day

Wed, Dec 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Test your knowledge of advertisement jingles and slogans from the '60s, '70s and '80s. Preregister.

My Zoom Book Club

Thu, Dec 07, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

We will be discussing "The Heaven & Earth Grocery Store," by James McBride as well as discussing our favorite books of the year. Preregister.

Secure Web Browser & Email Basics

Tue, Dec 12, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

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Introduction to Image Editing

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to edit and manage digital photos. Preregister.

Holiday Cooking Demo:

Corn Soufflé & Waldorf Salad ❄️

Tue, Dec 19, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Savor tasty flavors for the holidays or for any occasion. Recipes will be available upon request. Preregister.

Art for Adults: Online

Tue, Dec 19, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Discuss and explore your artistic interests using different techniques and mediums and improve your skills. Preregister.

iPhone Basics

Tue, Dec 19, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Learn the basics of using the Apple iPhone. Preregister.

Crash Courses

Wed, Dec 20, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Listen to the following videos and discuss each one: "Slavery" and "Age of Jackson." Preregister.

Year in Review

Wed, Dec 27, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Enjoy a recap of the 2023 Talking Book Topics In Brief Section. Talking Books provides useful resources available to the visually-impaired community. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Free Multimedia Resources for Digital Creative Projects

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Using Submittable to Submit Your Writing

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Diverse Reads: World AIDS Day

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

What young adult books have you recently read that deal with diversity? This month's theme revolves around World AIDS Day. Find a Young Adult book that discusses the AIDS pandemic or has something to do with this subject. Teens who contribute to the chat will receive community service hours. Preregister.

Comfy, Cozy, Let's Create! ❄️

Tue, Dec 12 & 19, 3:30 pm - 4:45 pm

Grab a treat, a cup of hot cocoa, get comfy and let's create some winter scenery art together while enjoying some seasonal ambiance! Preregister.

12/12: The Northern Lights (Aurora Borealis) Sky.

12/19: Winter Forest Wonderland.

TEENS

Belle Glade Branch

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Sat, Dec 02, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Earn volunteer service hours by sharing your ideas on teen programming for the Library. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Teen Advisory Board (TAB):

Special Project Edition

Wed, Dec 06, 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Help with a special project for the Red Cross. Pick up the required activity kit at the Hagen Ranch Road Branch. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Gardens Branch

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Thu, Dec 28, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Plan and develop future events, brainstorm new ideas and discuss areas of interest. Earn community service hours. Ages 12-17. Preregister.



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Acreage Branch: 15801 Orange Boulevard, Loxahatchee 33470 Phone: 561-681-4100

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

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amigable para personas
con discapacidad**

*Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 02 de diciembre,
10:00 am - 11:00 am*

Family Yoga

Sat, Dec 02, 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm
Wear comfortable clothes,
bring a mat or towel and water.
Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Digital Holiday Cards

Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Bring family and friends to take
a green screen photo for a
digital holiday card. Preregister.

Interactive Movie

Thu, Dec 21, 6:00 pm - 7:45 pm
Be part of the fun for this
interactive screening of the
holiday classic, "The Muppet
Christmas Carol." (85 min.)
Refreshments provided.
Preregistration required in
order to receive a prop kit.
Rated G. Preregister.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Thursdays, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the
language is recommended.
Preregister.

Gentle Yoga & Meditation

Sat, Dec 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
With certified yoga instructor
Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli.
Bring water, a yoga mat and
wear comfortable clothing.
Preregister.

Faux Gingerbread Cookie Garland

Wed, Dec 06, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
'Tis the season to make your
own gingerbread garland!
Materials provided. Preregister.

Crafty Thursday

Thu, Dec 07, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Make flowerpot snowmen to
celebrate the season. Materials
provided. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Beginners

Sat, Dec 09, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wear comfortable clothing and
flat shoes. Preregister.

Self-Care Sunday

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Create a few simple gift tag sets
while you relax. Preregister.

Wrap It Up!

Gift Wrapping Workshop

Tue, Dec 12, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Designed for adults with
learning and intellectual
disabilities. Preregister.

Holiday Bingo

Thu, Dec 14, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Prizes will be given to the
winners. Preregister.

Vinyasa Yoga & Meditation

Sat, Dec 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Bring a mat and water.
Preregister.

Sahaja Meditation

Sun, Dec 17, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
This time-honored technique
reduces stress, brings better
focus and helps you become
more balanced. Preregister.

Puzzle Together

Sun, Dec 17, 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Spend your Sunday afternoon
with a puzzle and like-
minded friends, new and old.
Preregister.

Digital Preservation: Scanning Photos & Documents

Tue, Dec 19, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Bring up to 100 photos in good
condition and a USB flash
drive. Reserve a 20-minute
time slot. Preregister.

Art in the Afternoon

Wed, Dec 20, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Roll up your sleeves and get
crafty! We will provide the
materials and you bring your
imagination to this open-
ended arts-and-crafts social.
Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Dungeons & Dragons for New Adults

Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Play the original fantasy role-
playing game. Ages 17 & up.
Preregister.

Dreidel, Dreidel

Thu, Dec 07, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Make a dreidel you can eat
and then learn how to play the
classic game. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Coloring Club

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Materials provided or bring
your own. Preregister.

Wonders of the Night Sky

Tue, Dec 19, 7:00 pm - 8:45 pm
Encounter numerous celestial
wonders with a presentation
and telescope viewing
provided by the Astronomical
Society of the Palm Beaches, if
the skies are clear. Preregister.

Cozy Winter Tabletop Gaming

Sat, Dec 30, 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Enjoy an introductory game of
Wanderhome, a cozy animal
fantasy adventure game.
Snacks provided. Ages 17 & up.
Preregister.

TEENS

Dungeons & Dragons for New Players!

*Sun, Dec 03, 17 & 31,
2:00 pm - 4:30 pm*
Play the original fantasy role-
playing game. Ages 12-17.
Preregister.

Creative Coding Club: Snowflakes

Tue, Dec 05, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Celebrate Computer Science
Education Week by creating
unique, interactive snowflakes
with code! Ages 12-17.
Preregister.

Holiday Teen

Anime Club

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Dress up as a holiday version
of your favorite character
and join us for holiday
games, snacks and anime.
Snacks provided. Ages 12-17.
Preregister.

Unmasked for Teens

Wed, Dec 13, 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm
Discuss issues important to
you and other neurodivergent
teens in a safe, nonjudgmental
space. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Play Wanderhome: A Role-Playing Game

Sat, Dec 09 & 23, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Create the story with friends
as we play the tabletop role-
playing game Wanderhome.
Ages 10-15. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Catch That Gingerbread!

Thu, Dec 07, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
Get cozy and listen closely as
we retell this delicious winter
classic, then work with a
grownup to decorate your own
tasty gingerbread kids. End
with a winter bubble dance
party. Preregister.

Holiday Creative Crafts

Fri, Dec 08, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Make some new friends as you
use our art supplies to make
your own creative project for
the holiday season. Ages 6-12.
Preregister.

LEGO® Club

Tue, Dec 12, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Build your way to a better day
with LEGO® bricks and other
building supplies. Ages 5-12.
Preregister.

Explore Your World

Fri, Dec 15, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Discover something new using
creativity, experimentation
and play, as we explore topics
from art, science, music, math,
culture, technology, history,
mythology and more.
Ages 7-12. Preregister.

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Belle Glade Branch: 725 NW 4th Street, Belle Glade 33430 Phone: 561-996-3453

ALL AGES

Merry Movie Matinee

Tue, Dec 05, 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

"The Nightmare Before Christmas."
(76 min.) Rated PG. Snacks provided.

Disability & Accessibility Resource Showcase

Wed, Dec 13, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Explore various Library and community resources for members with disabilities or accessibility needs. Preregister.

Movie Matinee

Sat, Dec 16, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

"Jingle All the Way." (94 min.) Rated PG.
Snacks provided.

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Sat, Dec 23, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

sábado, 23 de diciembre, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

ADULTS

English Exchange

Tue, Dec 05 & 12, 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Practice speaking English in a fun and informal environment. Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Coding in Python

Thu, Dec 14, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn the basics of Python, a coding language used for website development and machine learning.

ADULTS & TEENS

Merry Movie Matinee

Sat, Dec 23, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

"Friday After Next." (85 min.) Rated R.
Snacks provided.

TEENS

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Wednesdays, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Earn volunteer service hours by sharing your ideas on teen programming for the Library and beyond.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Anime Club

Thu, Dec 07, 14 & 21, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

If you like anime, manga, J-Pop or Japanese pop culture, come watch a variety of anime! Snacks provided.

Teach Me to Sign

Fri, Dec 08 & 22, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Practice your ASL and teach hearing Library staff. Deaf and hard-of-hearing members are also welcome to attend and show off their expertise.

Read A Recipe: Button Making

Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Design and create your own buttons using a button press machine.

Holiday Cookie Decorating

Fri, Dec 15, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm

Celebrate the holidays at this pretty sweet cookie decorating party.

Video Game Day

Tue, Dec 19, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Enjoy video game activities on the Switch, PS4 and the Wii. Participants may also bring their own additional controllers.

CHILDREN

Read A Recipe: Cozy Baking

Tue, Dec 05, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy chill winter vibes while we make some sweet chocolate-dipped treats.
Fun for the entire family!

Giant Jenga®

Wed, Dec 06, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Have a ton of fun playing with oversized Jenga® pieces!

Storytime Circle

Thu, Dec 07, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Enjoy a fun interactive storytime and craft!

Make a Snowman

Mon, Dec 11, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Listen to a winter-themed story and create your own snowman.

Make Popcorn Garland

Mon, Dec 18, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Create decorations that look good enough to eat!

Little Library Lab: Galaxy in a Bottle

Wed, Dec 20, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm

Experiment and explore while we make your own anti-gravity galaxy in a bottle!

Winter Festival

Sat, Dec 23, 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy fun games and snacks to celebrate the winter season. Preregister.

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Ask a staff member
how you can borrow
a birding backpack
for your next
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Clarence E. Anthony Branch: 375 SW 2nd Avenue, South Bay 33493 Phone: 561-992-8393

ALL AGES

DIY Holiday Tree ❄️

Mon, Dec 04, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Paint and decorate your own holiday tree. Materials provided.

DIY Holiday Ornament ❄️

Wed, Dec 06, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Design your own ornament. Materials provided. Snacks provided.

Holiday Movie Matinee ❄️

Mon, Dec 11, 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

"Home Alone." (102 min.) Rated PG.

Holiday Cookies ❄️

Wed, Dec 13, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Have some fun decorating your own cookie. Materials and refreshments provided.

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Sat, Dec 23, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

sábado, 23 de diciembre, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

ADULTS

Computers: Basic

Mon, Dec 04, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Learn the components of the computer, including how to turn a computer on, use a keyboard and mouse, and create, save, close and reopen a file.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Holiday Movie Matinee ❄️

Sat, Dec 16, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm

"Tyler Perry's A Madea Christmas." (110 min.) Rated PG-13.

Holiday Movie Matinee ❄️

Sat, Dec 30, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm

"National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation." (97 min.) Rated PG-13.

CHILDREN

Holiday Movie Matinee ❄️

Sat, Dec 02, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm

"The Polar Express." (100 min.) Rated G.

Storytime & More ❄️

Tue, Dec 05 & 19, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Enjoy a preschool storytime with the book, "The Gingerbread Pirates," by Kristin Kladstrup.

Holiday Movie Matinee ❄️

Sat, Dec 09, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm

"Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas." (105 min.) Rated G.

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Loula V. York Branch: 525 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee 33476 Phone: 561-924-5928

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Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Dec 23, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

sábado, 23 de diciembre, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

ADULTS

Computadoras: Básico

sábado, 16 de diciembre, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Aprenda los conceptos básicos de los componentes de una computadora y sus funciones elementales.

ADULTS & TEENS

Sip & Paint ❄️

Mon, Dec 11, 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Decorating a holiday tree can be fun. Painting a holiday tree while sipping sparkling grape juice can be even better.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Cozy Movie Night ❄️

Wed, Dec 06 & 13, 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

We will be watching "Home Alone." (102 min.) Rated PG. Snacks provided.

CHILDREN

Cozy Preschool Storytime ❄️

Fri, Dec 01, 08 & 15, 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Enjoy cozy stories, music and simple crafts.

Fun Craft Friday ❄️

Fri, Dec 01, 08 & 15, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Let's make whimsically-fun crafts after school!

Reading Buddies

Sat, Dec 02, 09, 16 & 30, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Get a little extra help with your reading skills by practicing with a teen buddy. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Super Saturday Storytime ❄️

Sat, Dec 02, 09 & 16, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Fun, interactive storytimes and creative activities for children and their parents.

Winter Wonderland Mini Party ❄️

Sat, Dec 09, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Start your December with an ugly sweater contest, crafts and snacks!

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Gardens Branch: 11303 Campus Drive, Palm Beach Gardens 33410 Phone: 561-626-6133

ALL AGES

"Sense"-ational Gingerbread Sticker Art ❄️

Sat, Dec 09, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Decorate gingerbread with stickers, markers and other craft supplies. No frosting required. Preregister.

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Sat, Dec 23, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

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ADULTS

The Guardians Chess Club

Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Chess instruction is available for beginners by appointment. Chess sets provided for players or bring your own sets. Preregister.

English Exchange

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Bits & Pieces of Your Life:

Memoir Writing Class

Tue, Dec 05, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Facilitator Marjorie Most shows you how to make writing your memoir a fun experience. Preregister.

Wonderful World of Wikipedia

Tue, Dec 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

How well do you know Wikipedia? Can you trust it? Learn about the online encyclopedia, how to use it and how you can get involved.

Author Talk: Amy Woods

Wed, Dec 06, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Meet local author and journalist Amy Woods and discover what you've been missing about the neighborhood you call home. Enjoy a facilitated conversation with this Sunshine State native as she presents her new book "100 Things to Do in Jupiter Before You Die."

Sunday Cinema

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 4:15 pm

We will be watching "Little Women (2019)." (135 min.) Rated PG. Preregister.

Rom-Com Cinema

Wed, Dec 13, 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

"You've Got Mail." (166 min.) Rated PG. Preregister.

Crafternoon: Winter Lights ❄️

Wed, Dec 20, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Capture the holiday spirit by creating mason jars with battery-operated votive candles. Supplies provided. Preregister.

Socrates Cafe

Wed, Dec 20, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Marji Chapman from the Society of Philosophical Inquiry leads a discussion group for amateur philosophers on a variety of group-chosen topics. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

How to Escape a Sinking Vehicle

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

A lifesaving presentation from the Drowning Prevention Coalition of PBC. You may qualify for free or reduced cost swim lessons. Preregister.

TEENS

Crochet & Chill

Sat, Dec 16, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn the basic stitches of crochet and work on your project. Ages 10-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

The ABCDs of Water Safety

Fri, Dec 01, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn the ABCDs of drowning prevention to be water safe and year-round. You may qualify for free or reduced cost swim lessons. Presented by the Drowning Prevention Coalition of PBC. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Mingle & Jingle

Tue, Dec 05, 10:15 am - 10:45 am

Play with our toys and meet new friends! Ages 1-2. Preregister.

Poké Pals

Tue, Dec 12, 3:15 pm - 4:15 pm

Bring your DS or Pokémon™ cards and get ready to battle, trade and make new friends. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Crafternoon

Wed, Dec 13, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm

Spend a quiet afternoon creating a featured craft of the month. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

LEGO® Bricks & More

Thu, Dec 28, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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



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STEM kits encourage children to develop an interest and skills in the areas of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. These kits offer families the chance to continue hands-on exploration of STEM topics at home. They include books, DVDs, games and other interactive materials to explore basic concepts in STEM and they are free to check out with your Palm Beach County Library card!

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Glades Road Branch: 20701 95th Avenue South, Boca Raton 33434 Phone: 561-482-4554

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Fri, Dec 01, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
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ADULTS

English Exchange

Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am - 11:30 am
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Wrap It Up!: Gift Wrapping Workshop ❄️

Sun, Dec 03, 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Learn tips for wrapping gifts and get your gift wrapping done in one go! Designed for adults with learning and intellectual disabilities. Preregister.

Folk Troubadour: Laible Blu 🎵

Tue, Dec 05, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Enjoy the music of this folk artist as he performs American ballads, blues, work songs and country music.

Crafternoon: 3D Paper Snowflakes ❄️

Wed, Dec 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Have fun with other craft enthusiasts! Supplies provided. Preregister.

Tech Talk: One-On-One

Thu, Dec 07, 21 & 28, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Library staff can help you improve your computer skills and assist you with your phone, laptop or tablet. Preregister.

Consumer Reports

Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Discover how to find ratings, reviews, recommendations and buying advice for your product purchases. A Library card is required to access the online database at home.

Movie Matinee

Mon, Dec 18, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Watch "Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret" with us! (111 min.) Rated PG-13.

TEENS

Teen Crochet 🧶

Sun, Dec 03, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Want to crochet but not sure how? Participate in our crochet class for all skill levels. Supplies provided. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

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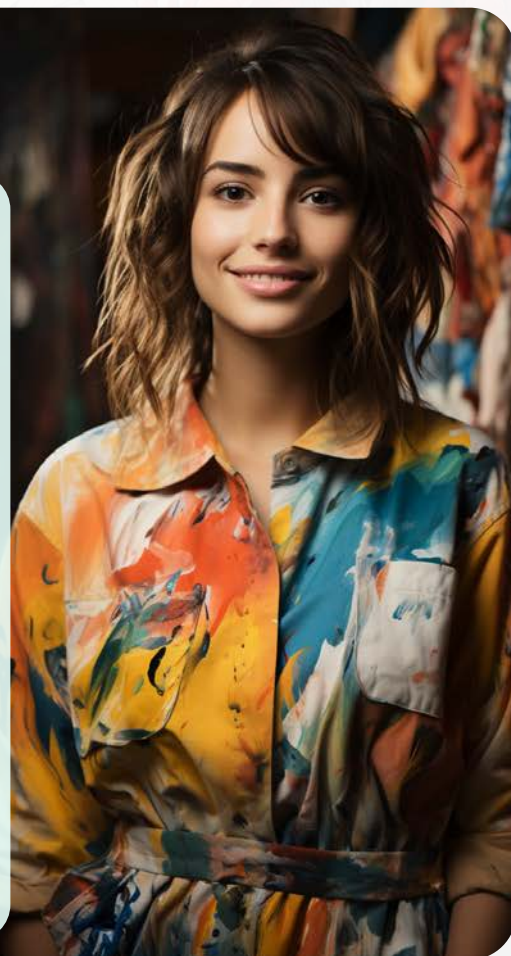
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Greenacres Branch: 3750 Jog Road, Greenacres 33467 Phone: 561-641-9100

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Sun, Dec 03, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
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ADULTS

Teatime at the Mystery Theatre

Tue, Dec 05, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Watch the Hollywood classic, "The Thin Man" with us! (93 min.) Tea and refreshments provided. Rated TV-G.

The Great Courses® DVD Lecture Series — "Cooking Across the Ages"

Tue, Dec 05, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Shown with permission. Not rated. Preregister. Lectures: Post-Puritan England: Hippocras and Cookies. China's Last Dynasty: Elegant Simplicity. Sponsored by the Friends with donations made in memory of librarian Ann Kasper.

Tabletop Games: Backgammon, Chess & Cards

Wed, Dec 06, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Unwind and relax with board games such as backgammon, chess and some of your favorite card games.

Gift Wrapping Party

Thu, Dec 07, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Bring up to five holiday gifts that need wrapping and prepare for some festive fun! Materials provided. Preregister.

How to Escape a Sinking Vehicle

Thu, Dec 07, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn how to survive if your car goes into a body of water. Presented by the Drowning Prevention Coalition of PBC.

English Exchange

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Cooking the Books: Charcuterie Boards

Tue, Dec 12, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Watch a live demonstration on how to prepare the perfect charcuterie board and sample the tasty results. First 10 registrants will receive a free copy of "The Art of the Board," by Olivia Carney. Sponsored by the Friends with donations made in memory of librarian Ann Kasper. Preregister.

Computer Basics

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Preregister.

Crafty Conversations

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
All crafts and skill levels are welcome to join.

Book & Film Discussion

Thu, Dec 14, 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm
In honor of Human Rights Month.
12/14: Discuss the acclaimed book, "Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption," by Bryan Stevenson.
12/28: Watch the film adaptation, "Just Mercy." (136 min.) PG-13

Free Marketing Tools

Tue, Dec 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Discover the helpful and free marketing resources for your business that your Library card offers.

Getting Started With Ancestry Library Edition

Thu, Dec 28, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Learn how to navigate this powerful genealogy research tool.

Worth the Hype Book Discussion

Sun, Dec 31, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
We will be discussing "Three Holidays and a Wedding," by Uzma Jalaluddin and Marissa Stapley. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Introduction to Canva

Wed, Dec 06, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Learn how to create beautiful flyers using Canva. Intermediate computer skills required. Preregister.

Second Sunday Cinema

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Watch "Percy Jackson: Sea of Monsters" with us! (106 min.) Refreshments provided. Rated PG.

Snow Garden

Wed, Dec 20, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Create fun and colorful floral arrangements that complement our Florida-style "snow!" Preregister.

TEENS

Teen Advisory Board: Sweet Edition

Sat, Dec 09, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Team up with your Library to brainstorm ideas, create awesome events and make some sweet treats. Earn volunteer hours, enjoy refreshments and make new friends. Preregister.

Monster of the Week

Sun, Dec 31, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Solve eerie mysteries and fight monsters in a modern-day setting. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Greenacres Ninja Warriors

Sat, Dec 02, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
It's National Ninja Day! Test your mettle against a family-friendly ninja course of challenges! Ages 5-8. Preregister.

Holiday Cards & Crafts

Sun, Dec 17, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Make holiday cards for those you love and take home a special craft for holiday decorating. Ages 4 & up. Preregister.

Virtual Reality Gaming: Oculus Quest

Fri, Dec 29, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Explore, create, play and immerse yourself in a 3D environment with Oculus Quest. Ages 9-12. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Calling All Pokémon™ Trainers

Sun, Dec 03, 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm
Trade and battle with other Pokémon™ fans. Bring games, cards and pokéballs. Ages 7 & up. Preregister.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Sat, Dec 09, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs. Ages 5-10. Preregister.

Tiny Tot Art

Wed, Dec 13, 11:00 am - 11:30 am
A special holiday art class for little hands. We will make reindeer hats with a shiny red nose that glows! Ages 2-4. Preregister.

Cookie-oke

Sat, Dec 16, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Sing your favorite winter and holiday songs while decorating delicious cookies! Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

First Flight Anniversary

Sun, Dec 17, 1:00 pm - 1:45 pm
Learn about the science and history of this remarkable achievement! Ages 7-12. Preregister.

Bilingual Storytime

Wed, Dec 20, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
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We will sing and dance to silly songs, listen to stories in Spanish and English, and make a simple craft. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Cantaremos y bailaremos con canciones divertidas, escucharemos cuentos en español e inglés y haremos una manualidad sencilla. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Florida Snowglobes

Thu, Dec 21, 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm
Beat the winter heat and make your own beach-scene snowglobe! Ages 7-11. Preregister.

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Hagen Ranch Road Branch: 14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446 Phone: 561-894-7500

ALL AGES

Family Wrapping Party 🎄📺

Sun, Dec 03, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Have fun as a family and wrap your fantastic gifts with our supplies! Snacks and drinks provided. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

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Sat, Dec 09, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

sábado, 09 de diciembre, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Family Storytime

Sat, Dec 16, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Stories, music and activities for the whole family to enjoy together.

ADULTS

Knit & Crochet With Project Linus

Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Bring your favorite pattern, needles, bright yarn and a giving spirit. The crafts you make go to children in need.

Balance Through Qigong & Tai Chi 🧘

Fri, Dec 01, 08, 15 & 22, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Do you have difficulties with balance? In this four-week series, you will learn what works together in your body in order to achieve balance and compensate for weaknesses. Preregister.

Coloring Club 🎨

Wed, Dec 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Relax, socialize and make art with other coloring enthusiasts. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

Medicare Basics

Fri, Dec 08, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

SHINE (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders) will discuss each part of Medicare and outline the two path options available to each Medicare beneficiary.

iPhone Tips & Tricks

Mon, Dec 11, 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

Go beyond the basics with your iPhone (or iPad). Organize photos, scan documents, use Visual Look Up to identify objects and more. Bring your questions and we will find the answers! Preregister.

Any Book Book Club

Tue, Dec 12, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

A book club for busy people! Discuss whichever book you last loved and hear suggestions for what to try next. No reading required.

The Spirit of Giving Presented by the South Florida Chamber Ensemble 🎵📺

Wed, Dec 13, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Participants will learn about ways to make a difference during the holiday season. The performance includes traditional holiday music. Preregister.

Sound Bath & Guided Meditation 🧘

Thu, Dec 14, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Reharmonize your mind, body and spirit. You will be bathed with the healing sounds of the gong, crystal and Himalayan singing bowls and chimes. Preregister.

Passwords & Password Managers

Mon, Dec 18, 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

Experts say everyone should use a password manager. We will show you how to use one to keep your passwords secure and accessible. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Otaku Library Hangout 📺

Sun, Dec 17, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Hang out and watch various anime and check out some exciting manga! Snacks provided. Ages 16 & up. Preregister.

Give The Gift Of Soap

Tue, Dec 19, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Learn how to make your own handmade, colored and scented soap with a few simple steps. Ages 13 & up. Preregister.

TEENS

Dungeons & Dragons for Teens

Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Solve puzzles and fight to protect the realm in this D&D campaign. Snacks provided. Grades 9-12. Preregister.

Hagen Ranch Road Branch Teen Advisory Board (TAB): Special Project Edition

Wed, Dec 06, 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Help with a special project for the Red Cross. Pick up the required activity kit at the Hagen Ranch Road Branch. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Run, Run, Gingerbread Person: Design Contest 🎨

Mon, Dec 04 - Fri, Dec 22 (All day)

Instead of baking, we're creating disguises for gingerbread people! Pick up a paper template and decorate your gingerbread person using whatever materials you have available. Return your gingerbread person to the Hagen Ranch Road Branch to be displayed and get a small prize.

Homeschool Hub: Hour of Code

Thu, Dec 14, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

We will be celebrating Hour of Code with a coding event — without computers! We will also get to test out some fun applications. Come challenge yourself! Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

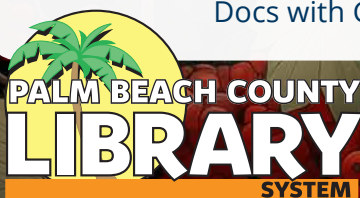


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Paper Treasure Box Craft ❄️

Fri, Dec 29, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Decorate your own small paper chest to hold your treasures! Upcycle or bring wrapping paper and other items from home to decorate your paper treasure box. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Tickle Me Tunes

Tue, Dec 05, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Enjoy songs, activities and stories for your active little ones, followed by playtime. Aimed for those more steady on their feet. Ages 1-2.

Brrr! It's A Pajama Family Storytime ❄️

Tue, Dec 05, 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm

Cozy up with winter stories, music and activities for the whole family to enjoy together. Ages 3-72 mos.

Drop-in & Play

Thu, Dec 07, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Play and learn with our wide variety of toys in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. Ages 2-5.

Snowflake Crafts ❄️

Sat, Dec 09, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Celebrate the season with a variety of fun and creative snowflake crafts. Dress for a mess. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

It's Game Time

Sat, Dec 09, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Play a variety of tabletop games, board games and party games of your choosing. Ages 6-11.

Hansel & Gretel Presented by the South Florida Chamber Ensemble ❄️🎻

Wed, Dec 13, 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Enjoy a live and interactive retelling of the classic story with live accompanying music. Make a gingerbread house ornament and a jingle stick to play with during the event. Ages 3-13.

Baby Sing & Play

Fri, Dec 15, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm

A casual hour of playtime and songs designed for pre-walking babies and caregivers to meet and socialize. Ages 0-12 mos.

Gingerbread Storytime ❄️

Thu, Dec 21, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Enjoy the classic story of "The Gingerbread Man" as well as decorate your own gingerbread person! Ages 2-4. Preregister. Preregister.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Wed, Dec 27, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Practice reading skills with a licensed therapy dog who can't wait to hear a story. Grades K-5. Reserve a 15-minute time slot. Preregister.

Music & Movement: Holiday Edition ❄️

Thu, Dec 28, 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Sing songs, dance and move in this highly-interactive activity with a holiday beat. Children will learn the rhythms and sounds of language and develop their motor skills while having fun. Ages 3-5.

LEGO® Bricks & More

Thu, Dec 28, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Build, imagine and play with our collection of LEGO® bricks, jumbo blocks, foam blocks and more! Ages 3-11.

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Jupiter Branch: 705 Military Trail, Jupiter 33458 Phone: 561-744-2301

ALL AGES

Pokémon™ Trading Night 📺

Mon, Dec 04, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Bring your Switch, DS or Poké cards and get ready to trade and make new friends. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

"Sea"-sonal

Seashell Crafts ❄️ 📺

Tue, Dec 05, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Make some sensational seashell crafts to decorate for the season! Supplies provided. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Cozy Classic ❄️ 📺

Sun, Dec 10, 12:15 pm - 2:00 pm
Enjoy a special treat while watching "The Polar Express." (100 min.) Rated G. Preregister.

Minecrafters' Guild

Mon, Dec 11, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Explore the realm of the Library and construct buildings with your friends. Bring your own device or borrow one of ours. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

LEGO® Bricks

Sat, Dec 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Build, imagine and play! Preregister.

Read a Recipe: Craft an Ugly Sweater Party ❄️ 📺

Sun, Dec 17, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
You provide the sweater, we will provide the ugly! Stick around for a short story, festive treats and to vote for the ugliest creation! Preregister.

Pokémon™ Trading Card Game Battle Night 📺

Mon, Dec 18, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Compete in a mini-tournament for prizes! Must know how to play to enter. Ages 9 & up. Preregister.

Winter Sing-Along ❄️

Fri, Dec 29, 10:00 am - 11:45 am
Sing your hearts out to "Frozen" during this not-so-snowy Florida winter! (108 min.) Costumes encouraged. Rated PG.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Wednesdays, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Sew A Cloth Doll

Fri, Dec 01 & 15, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm
Sew a cloth doll to give as a gift or treasure forever. Materials provided. Basic sewing machine skills recommended. Preregister.

Holiday Shopping With Consumer Reports

Sun, Dec 03, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Discover how to find ratings, reviews, recommendations and buying advice for your product purchases. A Library card will be needed to access the online database at home. Preregister.

Intro to Guitar:

One-on-One 📺

Thursdays, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Sun, Dec 03, 10, 17 & 31, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Mon, Dec 04, 11 & 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Sat, Dec 09 & 16, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn tuning, simple chords and songs with one-on-one guidance. Bring your own guitar or borrow one of ours. Library resources to learn and practice will be presented. Preregister.

Stretch & Relax 📺

Sun, Dec 03 & 17, 12:15 pm - 1:00 pm
A gentle approach through yoga to release stress and increase flexibility. Preregister.

Stay Fit With Senior Exercise 📺

Mon, Dec 04, 11 & 18, 9:30 am - 10:30 am
Enjoy easy aerobic movement, light weight training, balance and stretching. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance:

Intermediate

Tue, Dec 05, 12, 19, 9:15 am - 10:15 am
For students who have completed the Basic Tai Chi for Balance class, we will introduce additional forms and advanced movements. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20, 9:15 am - 10:15 am
Learn to increase balance and decrease fall risk. A series of weekly classes, each building on the work of the previous weeks. Preregister.

Wednesday Plink 📺

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Gather with like-minded pickers learning chords and songs to entertain and sing along with on the ukulele. Bring your own or try one of ours. Repeat attendance is encouraged. Preregister.

Digital Preservation: Scanning Photos & Documents

Thu, Dec 07, 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm
Bring up to 50 photos in good condition and a USB flash drive to save the digital images. Reserve a 20-minute appointment. Preregister.

Mellow Rock With Jason Colannino

Mon, Dec 11, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Sway the afternoon away with songs you can sing along to that are played by a local guitarist. Preregister.

Crafternoon ❄️ 📺

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Make new friends as we make seasonal greeting cards together. Supplies provided. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga for Adults 📺

Thu, Dec 14, 21 & 28, 9:15 am - 10:30 am
Increase flexibility and strength in pursuit of a quiet mind through this ancient practice of well-being. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Collage Club 📺

Sat, Dec 02, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
Meet some friends, cut some paper and reconstruct old materials to make a new, unique composition. All skill levels and kinds of art-makers are welcomed. Preregister.

Image Editing With Pixlr

Thu, Dec 07, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn how to edit and manage digital photos using this free browser application. Preregister.

Demystifying Artificial Intelligence (AI): ChatGPT

Sun, Dec 10, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Learn how you can use free AI tools like ChatGPT to answer questions, create art and perform other tasks. Preregister.

Navigating the New Library Website

Tue, Dec 12, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Learn about what the new Palm Beach County Library website can do for you, including how to create an account, find book recommendations, register for activities, create booklists and more! Preregister.

Oculus Quest Virtual Reality Experience & Green Screen Studio ❄️

Sun, Dec 17, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Explore, learn, create and play! Immerse yourself in a 3D environment showcasing the wonder of winter! Learn how to use a green screen background to create special effects in photos and videos. Don't wear green. Preregister.

Holiday Cards With Canva ❄️

Thu, Dec 21, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm
Forget to send out those holiday cards? Learn how to use Canva to make festive digital greeting cards the easy way. Preregister.

❄️ Winter/Holidays

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Jupiter Branch: 705 Military Trail, Jupiter 33458 Phone: 561-744-2301

TEENS

Teen Thursdays

Thu, Dec 07, 14 & 21, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm

Relax and unwind with us after school. Earn community service hours.

Grades 6-12. Preregister.

12/07: Operation Santa Paws. Make gifts for the animals spending the season at PBC Animal Care & Control waiting for their fur-ever home. ❄️

12/14: Winter Coloring. Help us decorate a poster set to be featured on our walls. ❄️

12/21: Tech Advisory Board. Share your Library-related suggestions with us, then play a game.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Sew With Me: Stockings ❄️

Sat, Dec 09, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Use sewing machines to create a seasonal stocking. Bring an adult. Ages 6-12.

Preregister.

Everything Explorers

Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Want to make an impact in your community and your world? This service-learning club works on projects for causes you care about! Volunteer hours are provided for ages 12-17. Ages 7-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Handprint Keepsakes ❄️

Sat, Dec 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Make art using those tiny fingers and toes. Give this keepsake as a gift or treasure forever. Two canvases will be provided per child. Dress for a mess. Ages 0-5. Preregister.

Homeschool Adventures:

Gingerbread Cookies ❄️

Fri, Dec 08, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Enrich your curriculum and learn about a new topic — kitchen science you can eat! Grades K-5. Preregister.

Gingerbread Stories ❄️

Wed, Dec 13, 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Run, run, run as fast as you can to enjoy the classic gingerbread man story with music, movement, crafts and seasonal cheer! Ages 1-5. Preregister.

Read a Recipe: Grinchmas ❄️

Tue, Dec 19, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Celebrate the season's favorite green guy with crafts, snacks and a movie! We will be watching "The Grinch." (90 min.) Rated PG. Ages 5-10. Preregister.

Read a Recipe: PJ Storytime ❄️

Thu, Dec 21, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Journey along with the conductor of The Polar Express to the North Pole. Passengers will enjoy the classic tale "The Polar Express," by Chris Van Allsburg, hot cocoa and a craft. Pajamas are encouraged. Ages 2-10. Preregister.

❄️ Winter/Holidays



Tequesta Branch: 461 Old Dixie Highway North, Tequesta 33469 Phone: 561-746-5970

ALL AGES

Seasonal Crafts: Paper Snowman Luminaries & Winter Ornaments ❄️

Fri, Dec 08, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Get in the holiday spirit and catch some frosty winter wonderland vibes with some winter-themed crafts. Create fun snowman luminaries for tea lights and decorate foam penguins and sparkly snowflake ornaments. LED tea light not provided. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Thu, Dec 14, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

jueves, 14 de diciembre, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

ADULTS

Pop-up Seasons Greetings Cards ❄️

Fri, Dec 01, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

A fun greeting card craft where you will create and decorate your own 3D greeting card with a winter or holiday theme. Preregister.

iPad Basics

Thu, Dec 14 & 21, 2:30 pm - 3:45 pm

Learn how to navigate your iPad. This is one class over two dates. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Gingerbread Friends ❄️

Mon, Dec 04, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Enjoy ornaments, music and stories to share in the holiday spirit. No food is involved. Ages 2 & up. Preregister.

Hanukkah Menorahs & More Jewish American Heritage ❄️

Wed, Dec 06, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Enjoy crafts and stories to start Hanukkah off with some festive fun. Preregister.

LEGO® Bricks

Sat, Dec 09, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Build, imagine and play with our LEGO® bricks. Preregister.

Christmas Under the Sea ❄️

Wed, Dec 13, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Make crabby Santa Claws ornaments and listen to stories of Christmas under the sea. Ages 2 & up. Preregister.

❄️ Winter/Holidays



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Lantana Road Branch: 4020 Lantana Road, Lake Worth 33462 Phone: 561-304-4500

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sun, Dec 17, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
domingo, 17 de diciembre, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn About Kwanzaa ❄️

Sat, Dec 30, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Educator Brian Knowles M. Ed, from Power Builders will explain Kwanzaa, along with the seven principles essential to the cultural celebration. Refreshments provided. Preregister.

ADULTS

Internet Safety

Fri, Dec 01 & 21, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Staying safe online is essential in today's world. Use these internet safety tips to keep yourself and your loved ones protected. Preregister.

Sustainable Gardening Group

Sat, Dec 02, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Educator Elizabeth Sansom teaches you to become more sustainable by growing your own food. Preregister.

World AIDS Day: Pin Your Hopes on a Cure 📌

Sat, Dec 02, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Attendees will learn a little bit of the history behind World AIDS Day, then will make a beaded pin in commemoration of the event. Preregister.

Sit 'n' Stitch

Sun, Dec 03, 10 & 17 & Fri, Dec 22, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Socialize while you crochet, knit, cross-stitch or sew. Work on your current project and share ideas with new friends.

Introduction to Mahjong

Tue, Dec 05, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Enjoy a fun introduction to this ancient tile game. Learn how to play and then practice your skills. Preregister.

Microsoft Excel: Basics

Tue, Dec 05, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Learn how to navigate Excel and create spreadsheets. Preregister.

❄️ Winter/Holidays

Tabletop Tuesday

Juegos de mesa
Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
martes, 05, 12 y 19 de diciembre, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Lovers of Scrabble®, Rummikub, chess, backgammon, dominoes and other tabletop classics, unite!
¡Únete a otros entusiastas de juegos de mesa, "Scrabble®," "Rummikub," ajedrez, backgammon, dominó entre otros!

Coloring & Collage

Wed, Dec 06, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Relax and color with other enthusiasts or create an eclectic collage to add to your home gallery.

Let's Play Mahjong!

Wed, Dec 06, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Play for fun or practice with others. For experienced players who already know how to play. Preregister.

Holiday Party Escape Room ❄️📌

Thu, Dec 07, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Can you "escape" the holiday party? Preregister.

Learn a New Skill With Udemy

Fri, Dec 08, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn how to sign up and master a new skill on Udemy, an online learning tool with courses available in a wide range of categories such as finance, coding and personal development. Preregister.

Tai Chi 🧘

Sun, Dec 10, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
Led by certified instructor Dr. Richard Paul Tsang. Wear comfortable clothes and flat shoes.

Introduction to Chinese Checkers

Tue, Dec 12, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Learn how to play chinese checkers. Learn the strategy and skill to get across the board with others. Preregister.

The Value of Organ Donation

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
The Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency will talk about the value of organ donation. Meet a live donor, a recipient and a donor family.

Microsoft Word: Basics

Tue, Dec 12, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Preregister.

Book Discussion

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
We will be discussing "The Crane Husband," by Kelly Barnhill.

Google Sheets

Thu, Dec 14, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Learn how to use this cloud-based program to create and share spreadsheets. Preregister.

New Americans' Corner

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<https://www.pbclibrary.org/new-americans>



In our branches, we welcome new residents from all over the world working to make a home right here in Palm Beach County. Navigating their way in a new country, county or city can be daunting. Libraries play an essential role as a source of reliable information in the community.

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Lantana Road Branch: 4020 Lantana Road, Lake Worth 33462 Phone: 561-304-4500

Adult LEGO® Club

Sat, Dec 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Are you an AFOL (Adult Fan of LEGO®)? Build something awesome with our LEGO® bricks or bring your own set to work on. Preregister.

Microsoft Word: Intermediate

Mon, Dec 18, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Learn how to customize Word documents with text, paragraph and page formatting features. Preregister.

Unmasked

Mon, Dec 18, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Discuss issues important to you and other neurodivergent community members in a safe, nonjudgmental space. Refreshments provided.

ADULTS & TEENS

Personal Planners 101

Thu, Dec 14, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Enter 2024 like a boss! Start and stay organized with personal planner inserts of your own design including calendars, schedules, lists and more. Materials provided. Preregister.

Ice & Snow Beaded Bracelet

Fri, Dec 15, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Learn jewelry crafting techniques and create your own ice and snow glass-beaded bracelet in tones of wintery white, blue and silver. Preregister.

Wintertime Pompom Craft

Wed, Dec 20, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Relax and reduce holiday stress while creating adorable yarn pompom snowmen and Christmas trees. Preregister.

TEENS

Homework & Study Space

Mon, Dec 04, 11 & 18, 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Working on a school project or homework and need resources? Pop in for access to supplies, databases and Tutor.com to get that work done!

Counted Cross Stitch Corner

Tue, Dec 05 & 19, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Ever wanted to learn cross stitch? Like to sew but want to make pretty pictures, not gorgeous garments? Already know how to do the thing, but want to work on your own project with other people around to talk with? No experience necessary. Materials provided. Preregister.

Anime Club

Sun, Dec 31, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy the first episodes of new anime, discussion and games! Bring friends and make new ones. Ages 12 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Open Play: Walkers & Runners

Fri, Dec 01, 08, 15 & 22, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Stop by for unstructured free play and socialization time geared for littles who are walking or running! There are plenty of toys and friends to go around. Ages 2-5.

Beginner Ukulele Lessons

Sat, Dec 02, 09 & 16, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm & 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn how to play the ukulele with instructor Kenneth Arfa from the Milagro Center. Ages 8-12. Preregister.

Open Play: Scooters & Crawlers

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Stop by for unstructured free play and socialization time geared for littles who are scooting or crawling! There are plenty of toys and friends to go around. Ages 0-18 mos.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Wed, Dec 06 & 20, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Practice your reading skills with a licensed therapy dog who can't wait for you to read her a story. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Craft-a-Palooza

Thu, Dec 07, 14 & 21, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Drop in and make some crafts with us!

Pokémon™ Club

Wed, Dec 13, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Hang out, battle, trade cards and have fun! Ages 6-12. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour:

Snow Day!

Sun, Dec 17, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Write in the snow, play with some ice and watch the snowflakes come to life. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

❄️ Winter/Holidays

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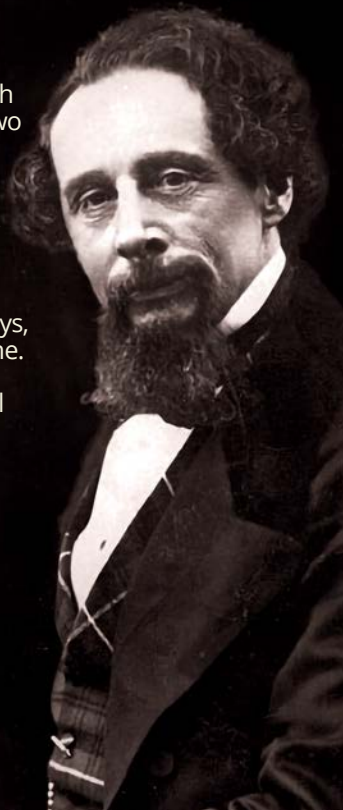
Much is known of the life of Charles Dickens, the author of such classics as "Oliver Twist," "Great Expectations" and "A Tale of Two Cities." Here are a few lesser-known facts about the life of the famous Victorian author:

Pseudonyms: Dickens adopted various pen names, including "Boz," derived from his brother's mispronunciation of "Moses." He also used "Charles Westmacott" and "Timothy Sparks" for different publications.

Mysterious Disappearance: In 1857, Dickens vanished for days, later found in a northern English town under an assumed name. The reasons behind this enigmatic incident continue to puzzle scholars, with theories ranging from a midlife crisis to personal or marital issues.

Love for the Supernatural: Dickens held a keen interest in the supernatural and was a member of a ghost club dedicated to paranormal investigation. This fascination manifested in his works, as elements of ghosts and mystery are evident in tales like "A Christmas Carol" and "The Signal-Man."

Social Reform Advocate: Beyond his fiction, Dickens passionately championed social reform. His writing spotlighted the harsh realities of the Victorian era, focusing on issues like child labor, debtor's prisons and working-class struggles, aiming to ignite change and raise awareness.



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Main Library: 3650 Summit Boulevard, West Palm Beach 33406 Phone: 561-233-2600

ALL AGES

English Exchange

Wednesdays, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sun, Dec 03, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

domingo, 03 de diciembre, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Starting a YouTube Channel

Tue, Dec 05, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Share your passions with the world using this free platform to create a channel of your own. Preregister.

Peterson's Career Prep

Thu, Dec 07, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Create visually-interesting resumes, cover letters and personal websites that can be shared with prospective employers.

How to Avoid Online Identity Theft

Mon, Dec 11, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Discover how to keep your online footprint to a minimum, how to spot a scam and what to do if your identity has been stolen.

Coding: Python

Tue, Dec 12, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn the basics of coding and start writing code. Preregister.

Coffee & Commerce

Tue, Dec 12, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Network over morning coffee with local small businesses and learn from the Office of Equal Business Opportunity how to become a vendor for PBC.

Getting Started With Ancestry Library Edition

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to navigate this powerful genealogy research tool.

Pompom Snowman ❄️

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Make a snowman (Florida-style) using handmade pompoms and other materials. Supplies provided. Preregister.

Microsoft Excel: Basics

Wed, Dec 13, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn how to navigate Excel and create spreadsheets.

Cancer 101 Lecture & Free Cancer Screenings

Wed, Dec 13, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

The University of Miami Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center's Game Changer vehicle is coming! First, there will be a lecture, then go for free cancer screenings on the Game Changer. Appointments and insurance are not necessary.

Keyboard & Typing

Wed, Dec 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn basic typing skills, little to no computer experience required.

ADULTS & TEENS

Book Club Thursdays

Thu, Dec 07, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

We will be discussing "Like A Love Story," by Abdi Nazemian. Preregister.

Udemy

Thu, Dec 14, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Explore self-paced courses available in a wide-range of categories like leadership, software and personal development.

TEENS

Anime Club

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

A gathering place for teens to explore their love of anime, manga and Japanese culture. Snacks provided. Preregister.

Teen Dungeons & Dragons 🐉

Thu, Dec 28, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Adventure in the world of D&D with fellow wizards, barbarians and rogues to battle monsters and bring goodness back to the world! Ages 12 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Winter Wonderland Crafts ❄️

Tue, Dec 12, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Celebrate the winter holidays with coloring and crafts! Preregister.

Winter Movie Matinee ❄️🎬

Thu, Dec 21, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

We will be watching "The Grinch" (90 min.) while enjoying snacks. Rated PG.

❄️ Winter/Holidays

CHILDREN

Countdown to Kindergarten

Fri, Dec 01 & 15, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Enjoy a storytime that is designed to help your preschooler get ready for kindergarten through stories, songs and stations. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

LEGO® Land Builders

Sat, Dec 02, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Let's have fun creating a city with LEGO® bricks! Preregister.

Beginner's Chess Club

Sun, Dec 03 & 17, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Want to learn how to play chess? Challenge yourself and play a fun strategy game. Ages 8-12.

Winter Crafternoon: Sandyman ❄️

Mon, Dec 04, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

The winter season is fast upon us, let's celebrate the cooler temperatures with special Florida winter crafts, including our own Sandyman! Ages 3-6. Preregister.

Squishy Squashy Fun

Sat, Dec 09, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Mold and make colorful creations with Play Doh®! Preregister.

Tween D&D

Sat, Dec 16, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Journey through the Soddeneald as you investigate extreme wild magic surges with a party of fledgling adventurers. Ages 8-11. Preregister.

You Are Invited to Sasha's Birthday Party!

Tue, Dec 19, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Come decorate a cupcake with Deborah Burggraaf, the author of "Sasha's Birthday Party!" Preregister.

Winter Wonderland ❄️

Wed, Dec 27, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Winter has finally begun! Let's celebrate this festive time of year with songs, stories, crafts and even a snowball fight. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

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Okeechobee Boulevard Branch: 5689 Okeechobee Boulevard, West Palm Beach 33417 Phone: 561-233-1880

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Dec 16, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 16 de diciembre, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

ADULTS

English Exchange

Thursdays, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Sat, Dec 02, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

We will be discussing "East of Eden," by John Steinbeck. Preregister.

Adult Crafting: Starburst Wreath

Tue, Dec 05, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Chat with others, be creative and go home with something unique. Preregister.

Putting Practice

Wed, Dec 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Join other "golfers" and practice your putting skills at the Library. Bring your own putter or use one of ours. Preregister.

Microsoft Word Basics

Tue, Dec 12, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Preregister.

Computer Basics: Windows

Wed, Dec 13, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Learn the basics of a computer's components, how to use a keyboard and mouse, and how to create, save, close and reopen files. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Sat, Dec 16, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

We will be discussing "Secondhand Time: The Last of the Soviets," by Svetlana Alexievich. Preregister.

Strum Along

Sun, Dec 17, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Bring your favorite instrument and play along with others. Preregister.

Adult Origami: Fun & Easy

Tue, Dec 19, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Origami is the art of paper folding which allows us to relax mentally and physically as our hands become active and tactile. Preregister.

Mousing Around

Wed, Dec 20, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn and practice the basics of using a mouse. Preregister.

Digital Preservation:

Scanning Photos & Documents

Wed, Dec 20, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Learn how to convert printed photos to digital files. Bring up to 100 photos in good condition and a USB flash drive. Reserve a 20-minute time slot. Preregister.

Movie Matinee

Thu, Dec 28, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

We will be watching "Marry Me." (112 min.) Rated PG-13.

ADULTS & TEENS

Paper Gingerbread Folks: A Small Community Art Project

Sun, Dec 03, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm

Create small paper gingerbread folks with notes of encouragement, then leave them around town for strangers needing some cheer to discover. Supplies provided or bring your own. Preregister.

A Letter to Your Future Self

Sun, Dec 10, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm

As 2023 winds down, let's reflect on the year that was by writing letters to our future selves. Light snacks and chill holiday music provided. Preregister.

Art for Adults

Sat, Dec 16, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Follow along to learn how to create a snowy cityscape design that's perfect for the winter season. The piece will be made using acrylics on canvas. Materials provided. Preregister.

2023 Young Adult Wrap Up!

Wed, Dec 27, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Bring your friends and celebrate the end of the year by playing "Minute to Win It"-type games and enjoy some snacks. Preregister.

TEENS

Anime Club

Sun, Dec 03, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Enjoy watching anime with your friends while munching on snacks. Learn about the latest manga titles we have in our collection. Ages 13-18. Preregister.

CHILDREN

C is for ... Cookie!

Tue, Dec 05, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Enjoy sweet stories and gingerbread dreams, followed by a faux cookiemaking treat! Ages 2-5. Preregister.

Beginner's Guitar Lab

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Learn tuning, simple chords and songs. A limited number of instruments are available or bring your own. Ages 7 & up. Preregister.

Let's Build a Snowman!

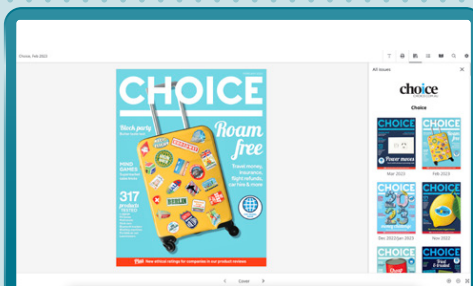
Thu, Dec 21, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Build your own snowman and see how they melt! Dress to get messy. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

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Royal Palm Beach Branch: 500 Civic Center Way, Royal Palm Beach 33411 Phone: 561-790-6030

ALL AGES

Stick To It: Collaborative Art

Fri, Dec 08, 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm

Work together as a group to complete a sticker art masterpiece. Supplies provided. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly

Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Dec 09, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
sábado, 09 de diciembre, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

"Sense"-ational Storytime

Sat, Dec 09, 10:15 am - 11:00 am

An inclusive storytime experience. Preregister.

Green Screen Winter

Wonderland Photos ❄️

Estudio de Pantalla Verde: Fotos En las Maravillas del Invierno

Wed, Dec 13, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
miércoles, 13 de diciembre, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Please do not wear green. Preregister.

Por favor no se vista de verde. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Winter Break Movie Matinee

Thu, Dec 28, 2:30 pm - 5:00 pm

"The Little Mermaid (2023)." (135 min.) Rated PG. Popcorn provided. Preregister.

ADULTS

Book-A-Librarian

Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 10:45 am

& 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm
& 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Personalized attention in the areas of computer and mobile devices and online resources just to name a few. Preregister.

Holiday Wreath With

Diamond Dotz® ❄️

Mon, Dec 04, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to create a Christmas wreath with faceted diamonds. Preregister.

English Exchange

Tue, Dec 05 & 19, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Introduction to Image Editing

Wed, Dec 06, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Learn how to edit and manage digital photos. Preregister.

Sunday Cinema

Sun, Dec 10, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

"Book Club." (104 min.)

Popcorn provided.

Rated PG-13. Preregister.

Night at the Movies 🎬

Wed, Dec 13, 6:00 pm - 7:45 pm

"Book Club, The Next Chapter." (108 min.) Popcorn provided. Rated PG-13. Preregister.

Adult Coloring Club

Mon, Dec 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Coloring materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

Digital Preservation:

Scanning Photos & Documents

Preservación Digital: Escaneo de fotos y documentos

Wed, Dec 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

miércoles, 20 de diciembre, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Bring up to 50 photos in good condition and a USB flash drive. Preregister.

Traiga hasta 50 fotos de buena condición y unidad de memoria USB. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Memory Cafe ☺️

Wed, Dec 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

A dementia-friendly social hour for you and your loved one, featuring engaging crafts, music and games. Refreshments provided. Preregister.

Good Conversation

Book Club

Wed, Dec 20, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

We will be discussing "Dial A for Aunties," by Jesse Q. Sutanto. Preregister.

Holiday Candleholder

Craft ❄️ 🎨

Thu, Dec 21, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Create a holiday-themed, frosted glass jar candleholder. Materials provided or bring your favorite mason jar to decorate. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Author Talk: The Many Lives (& Wives) of Ernest Hemingway ☺️

Sat, Dec 02, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Professor Matthew Klauza will explore Hemingway's life and the women who supported, encouraged and even challenged this famous American author. Preregister.

Acoustic Java Jam ☺️

Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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

Art for Adults:

Watercolor Gift Tags

Tue, Dec 12, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Learn how to make elegant gift tags. Explore your artistic interests by using different techniques and mediums to improve your skills. Preregister.

Are You Board? Game On! ☺️

Wed, Dec 20, 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Get board with us, learning and playing games at our tabletop game night! Snacks provided.

TEENS

Anime-nia ☺️

Sun, Dec 17, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Dive into the world of anime, manga and Japanese pop-culture while hanging out with fellow fans. Snacks provided. Ages 13-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

How To Art: Arctic Animals

Sun, Dec 03, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Use our art supplies and follow along as you learn how to draw adorable arctic animal friends. Ages 8-14. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Tue, Dec 05 & 19, 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs. Grades 1-6. Reserve your 10-minute time slot. Preregister.

Playdough Party

Wed, Dec 06, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Build fine motor skills and grip strength while squashing, squeezing, rolling and shaping playdough. Ages 2-5. Preregister.

Decor to Adore:

Holiday Pillow Covers ❄️

Wed, Dec 06, 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

Make a festive pillow cover to celebrate the winter season! Supplies provided. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

Gingerbread Storytime & Craft ❄️

Tue, Dec 12, 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

Read about the adventures of our gingerbread friends, then craft an ornament of your own! Ages 5-10. Preregister.

Light-up Holiday Card Crafting ❄️ ☺️

Thu, Dec 14, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Shine a bit of holiday cheer on friends and family by making them an electrifying DIY card! Ages 7-11. Preregister.

Busy Builders

Fri, Dec 29, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Explore our collection of blocks while building new friendships. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

LEGO® & More

Fri, Dec 29, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Build, imagine and play with our collection of LEGO® bricks! Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

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Wellington Branch: 1951 Royal Fern Drive, Wellington 33414 Phone: 561-790-6070

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sun, Dec 10, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
domingo, 10 de diciembre, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Holiday Cards for Compass

Mon, Dec 11, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Have fun creating and designing cheerful holiday greeting cards for the Compass LGBTQ+ Community Center. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Wednesdays, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Zumba

Mon, Dec 04, 11 & 18, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Exercise and have fun dancing with a Baptist Health instructor. Appropriate for all levels.

Tertulia Literaria

martes, 05 de diciembre, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
"Demasiados héroes," de Laura Restrepo. Copias disponibles en el Mostrador de Consulta.

Consumer Reports

Tue, Dec 05, 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm
Discover how to find ratings, reviews, recommendations and buying advice for your product purchases. A Library card is required to access the online database at home.

Meditation: Create a Habit of Thinking & Feeling Positive

Wed, Dec 06 & 13, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Practice a guided meditation and deep breathing techniques to relax and restore positive feelings. Preregister.

DIY Decor With Water Beads & Accessories

Wed, Dec 06, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Transform simple glass jars into stunning centerpieces. We will provide water beads and an array of decorative accessories; you'll personalize your masterpiece to reflect your style and personality. Preregister.

Dungeons & Dragons

Mon, Dec 11 & 18, 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Enter an adventurous world filled with dungeon delving and monster slaying with warriors and wizards! Ages 17 & up.

Calm Coloring:

Cider & Coloring
Tue, Dec 12, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Relax and listening to calming music while coloring and enjoying some apple cider! Coloring materials and supplies are provided, but you are welcome to bring your own coloring materials. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Tue, Dec 19, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Enjoy a lively discussion of "Remarkably Bright Creatures," by Shelby Van Pelt. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Sat, Dec 02, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm
Wed, Dec 13, 2:15 pm - 4:15 pm
Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Grades K-5. Reserve your 15-minute time slot. Preregister.

Holiday Cards

Sat, Dec 02, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
A fun time to make holiday cards for those you love! Ages 4-12.

Snowflakes

Mon, Dec 04, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Create paper snowflakes and help us decorate for winter! Ages 5-12.

LEGO® Club

Tue, Dec 05, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
Explore, build and create with our LEGO® bricks. Ages 5-12.

Chessmates' Chess Club

Wed, Dec 06, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Discover the magic of chess, play with others and become a chess master in a friendly and supportive environment. Ages 8-12. Preregister.

Sensory Playtime

Thu, Dec 07, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
Inclusive play experience with sensory-sensitivity focused activities, games and crafts. Dress for a mess. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Movie Matinee & Craft

Fri, Dec 08, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
"Balto." (78 min.) Make a puppy craft while you watch! Rated G.

Terrific Toddlers:

Winter Wonderland
Tue, Dec 12, 11:00 am - 11:30 am
Enjoy a fun time of stories, singing and dancing! Ages 1-2. Preregister.

Talon Tuesday:

Birds of Prey
Tue, Dec 12, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Meet an owl and a hawk from Okeetee Nature Center and learn about their unique superpowers that make them soar to the top of the food chain! Preregister.

Movie Matinee & Craft

Thu, Dec 14, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Let's watch "Frozen." (108 min.) Craft your own snowman!

Sidewalk Chalk

Fri, Dec 15, 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm
Fri, Dec 29, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Enjoy the cooler weather and create sidewalk art. Ages 5-12.

Pokémon™ Club

Mon, Dec 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Bring your Pokémon™ cards to play, trade and make new friends. Ages 5-12.

Percy Jackson Trivia Quest

Wed, Dec 20, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Test your knowledge of "Percy Jackson and the Olympians": The Lightning Thief," by Rick Riordan in this ultimate trivia quest! Preregister.

Homeschool Explorers:

Falling Leaves!
Thu, Dec 21, 11:15 am - 12:00 pm
Expand your knowledge and meet new friends. Grades K-5. Preregister.

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West Boca Branch: 18685 State Road 7, Boca Raton 33498 Phone: 561-470-1600

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sun, Dec 10, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
domingo, 10 de diciembre, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

A Visit From Daggerwing Nature Center: Insects & Spiders

Tue, Dec 12, 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm

Meet a live animal and learn cool facts from a naturalist. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Family Matinee

Fri, Dec 29, 2:30 pm - 4:45 pm

We will watch "The Little Mermaid (2023)." (135 min.) Rated PG.

ADULTS

Spanish Exchange for Beginners

Mon, Dec 04, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn the basics of Spanish pronunciation, day-to-day Spanish phrases and vocabulary in a fun, relaxed environment. Preregister.

English Exchange

Tue, Dec 05, 12 & 19, 10:30 am - 11:45 am

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Color Your Gift: Tote Bag! ❄️

Wed, Dec 06, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy a relaxing afternoon coloring something special for that special someone. Preregister.

Medicare Basics

Thu, Dec 07, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

SHINE (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders) will discuss each part of Medicare and outline the two path options available to each Medicare beneficiary.

Karaoke Night

Thu, Dec 07, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Hone your performance chops and belt out a tune or two! Preregister.

West Boca Bingo

Wed, Dec 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Have a go at bingo! Try your luck to win a prize. Preregister.

Film Festival: 50 Years Later

Thu, Dec 14 & 28, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy a film and meet other cinema enthusiasts.

12/14: "The Princess Bride." (98 min.)

Rated PG.

12/28: "Enter the Dragon." (102 min.)

Rated R.

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TEENS

Teen Zine Workshop

Thu, Dec 14, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Learn how to create a DIY mini zine. Self-publish your own visual art, poetry or creative writing. Grades 6-12. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Quilling for Kids:

Snowman Gift Tag ❄️

Sat, Dec 02, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Learn the basics of quilling then apply your skills to make a snowman to add to a gift tag. Ages 8-12. Preregister.

Family Storytime

Sun, Dec 03, 12:30 pm - 1:00 pm

Sat, Dec 16, 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Enjoy stories, fingerplays and songs for kids and their families. Ages 2-6.

Coding With Tech Toys: Bee-Bot®

Tue, Dec 05, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Learn the basics of coding including control, sequencing and logic by playing with programmable bee-shaped floor robots. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Preschool Crew Playtime

Wed, Dec 06, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

A casual time to socialize, play and color with other preschoolers. Ages 3-6.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Sat, Dec 09, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Wed, Dec 20, 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Grades K-5. Reserve your 15-minute time slot. Preregister.

Jingle, Jingle:

Family Pajama Storytime ❄️

Mon, Dec 18, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Wear your favorite PJs and enjoy a seasonal story, music and dancing. Ages 1-5. Preregister.

Gingerbread Houses ❄️

Tue, Dec 19, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Get ready to welcome winter by creating a festive graham cracker "gingerbread" house. Listen to fun music and meet new friends. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Winter Crafts ❄️

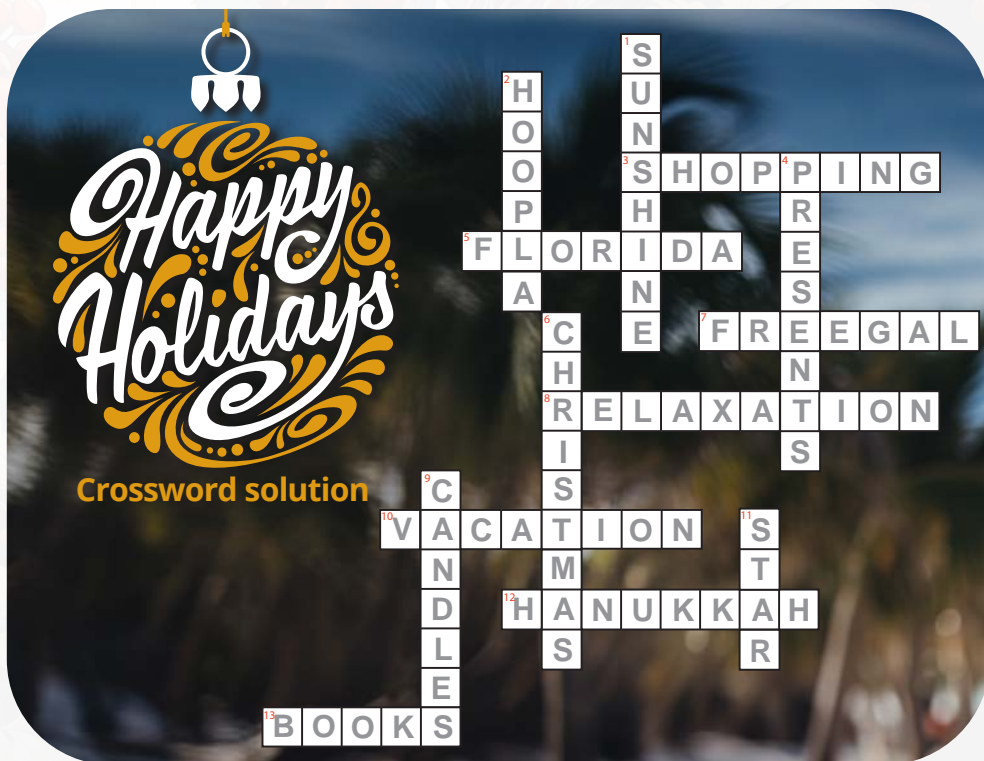
Wed, Dec 27, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Drop in and make a few winter-themed crafts. Ages 3-9.

Noon Year's Eve ❄️

Thu, Dec 28, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Celebrate the upcoming new year with songs, dancing, a craft and a countdown to the ball drop. Ages 3 & up. Preregister.



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West Boynton Branch: 9451 Jog Road, Boynton Beach 33437 Phone: 561-734-5556

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Sat, Dec 02, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

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ADULTS

Ins & Outs of Cacti

Tue, Dec 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Unearth the captivating world of cacti in our lecture from a Master Gardener volunteer. Preregister.

English Exchange

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Book-A-Librarian

Wed, Dec 06 & 20, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

One-on-one tech help with Library staff for computer skills, mobile devices and online resources. Preregister.

Chair Yoga

Thu, Dec 07, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Relax and exercise with certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Preregister.

Getting Started With Ancestry Library Edition

Thu, Dec 07, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to navigate this powerful genealogy research tool.

Hot Chocolate & Gift Wrapping

Tue, Dec 12, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy a heartwarming evening of cocoa and camaraderie! Bring your presents, sip on velvety hot chocolate and wrap gifts together. Preregister.

Literary Minds Book Club

Thu, Dec 14, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

We will be discussing "Horse," by Geraldine Brooks. Preregister.

Movie Matinee

Tue, Dec 19, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

"Everything Everywhere All at Once."
(140 min.) Rated R.

PBC Veteran Services

Thu, Dec 28, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Accredited Service Officer Jason St. John answers your questions and discusses services. Bring your DD214.

Line Dance With Ruth Goodstein

Sat, Dec 30, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Have fun and dance as if no one is watching! Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Library for Everyone

Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

An adaptive programming experience with stories, songs, movement and a sensory-focused craft. Ages 12 & up.

Oculus Quest Virtual Reality Experience

Thu, Dec 21, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Come experience virtual reality with the Oculus Quest! Preregister.

TEENS

Teen Dungeons & Dragons

Sat, Dec 02 & 16, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Adventure in the world of Dungeons and Dragons with fellow wizards, barbarians and rogues to battle monsters and save the world! Ages 14 & up. Preregister.

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Fri, Dec 22, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Earn volunteer service hours by sharing your ideas on teen programming for the Library. Ages 12-17.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Movie Matinee

Fri, Dec 15, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm

We will be watching "The Polar Express."
(100 min.) Rated G.

CHILDREN

Bilingual Storytime

Mon, Dec 04 & 18, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Jump into a story from different cultures and languages. Ages 2-6.

STEAM

Tue, Dec 05 & Thu, Dec 14, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Enjoy weekly STEAM activities for little ones. Each week requires a separate registration. Ages 2-3. Preregister.

Chess Club

Wed, Dec 06, 13 & 20, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Get tips to master chess moves. Challenge yourself and other players. Materials provided. Ages 8-12.

Baby Bells

Tue, Dec 12 & 19, 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Jingle along with rhymes, songs and movement activities. Ages 0-12 mos.

Crafts for Kids

Mon, Dec 18, 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm

Spark your creativity! Assemble fun seasonal crafts and meet new friends. Ages 5-8.

Jingle Jam

Wed, Dec 20, 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Twirl, slide, freeze dance and jingle bell rock to holiday tunes. Ages 2-4.



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