

Library Corner

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Collinsville Branch Manager

Collinsville Library helping with education-based activities

Volunteer Opportunity

Sept. 14 through May 2016, Collinsville Library will offer free after-school education-based activities focusing on STE(A)M – Science, Technology, Engineering, (Arts) and Mathematics for children in grades 3–8.

If you would like to volunteer to help, please apply online at guides.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkclub (under Volunteer Opportunities).

Programs at the Collinsville Library

Do you love to knit or, maybe you just want to learn? All levels of knitting expertise are welcome to attend the All Thumbs Knitters.

This fun group meets at the Collinsville Library each Wednesday from noon to 2 p.m. The next meetings are Sept. 9 and 16.

Come and enjoy an instructional afternoon in a relaxed and encouraging environment.

Stories from the Rocking Chair is back. Join Miss Barbara for stories, songs and a craft on Tuesday September 15th from 10:30 to 11:00 a.m. This program is for newborns to 4-year-olds and their caregivers.

The Collinsville Book Discussion meets the second Tuesday of each month from noon to 1 p.m.

Our next meeting will be Oct. 13. Read *Final Cut* by Catherine Coulter and J.T. Ellison and join us for a lively discussion. Copies of the book are available at the Collinsville Library. Please join us.

Available now — LIFE'S Vintage Guide to Housing & Services



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The 2015-16 edition of LIFE's Vintage Guide to Housing & Services is Northeast Oklahoma's most comprehensive guide to senior living options and services, home and community-based services, and programs and resources for older adults and family caregivers.

This 252-page guide also features articles and checklists on aging issues, including:

- Driving and Older Adults
 - 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's Disease
 - Helping Seniors Remain at Home with the Advantage Program
 - Legal Matters and Older Adults
 - Understanding Hospice Care
- Pick up your free copy today at any Tulsa City-County Library.

What We're Reading

Etta and Otto and Russell and James, by Emma Hooper

Embarking on a more than 3,000-kilometer walking journey from rural Canada to the East coast so that she can see the ocean for the first time in her life, an octogenarian woman has experiences that blur her perspectives between illusion, memory and reality.

The Haunting of Sunshine Girl, by Paige McKenzie

Shortly after her sixteenth birthday, Sunshine Griffith and her mother Kat move from sunny Austin, Texas, to the rain-drenched town of Ridgmont, Washington. From the moment they arrive, Sunshine feels her world darken with an eeriness she cannot place.

COLLINSVILLE EDUCATION IN BRIEF

Northwestern welcomes students with freshman, transfer orientation

The 2015-16 school year is underway, beginning with a successful freshman and transfer student orientation at Northwestern Oklahoma State University in Alva, Saturday, Aug. 15, with more than 420 students attending orientation.

Attending from Collinsville were Ryan Haymaker and Shawn Koscheski.

Gathered in Herod Hall Auditorium, incoming freshmen experienced a tradition of Northwestern as the Ride, Rangers, Ride fight song rang out. The fight song was played by Northwestern's Band and the Ranger Cheerleaders and Dance Team welcomed the new Rangers.

Calieb Mosburg, dean of student affairs and enrollment management, said about 340 students attended Freshman Orientation, and 80 students attended Transfer Orientation.

Orientation opened in Herod Hall Auditorium where members of the Northwestern staff, Ranger Connectors and Northwestern Student Ambassadors were introduced. After introductions Dr. Janet Cunningham, university president; Mosburg; and Kelly Parker, Alva mayor, spoke to students.

Students were able to visit with staff members about the differences between high school and college along with what to expect from



Freshmen, from left, Ryan Haymaker and Shawn Koscheski, Collinsville High School graduates, are now students at Northwestern Oklahoma State University and attended Freshman Orientation. SUBMITTED PHOTO

their college professors and classes. Freshmen visited with current Northwestern students to ask questions about college life.

Financial aid, registry and the business office were open to assist students with final payments and questions. Freshmen students also visited the Academic Success Center and the J.R. Holder Wellness Center.

Transfer students attended their orientation session in the afternoon and were given information about receiving their Northwestern e-mail accounts, the Student Information System, transcripts, IDs and parking decals, and a short wellness center orientation, among other topics.



Collinsville

Church Directory

This directory is made possible by these churches and businesses who encourage you to attend the church of your choice.

<p style="text-align: center;">COLLINSVILLE FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD 1001 W. Center St. • 918-371-3007</p> <p>Sunday School.....9:45am Sunday Morning.....10:45am Sunday Evening.....6:00pm Wednesday.....7:00pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Come be a part of a growing church where hymns are still sung, the Bible is still preached and Jesus is still changing lives</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">COLLINSVILLE BAPTIST TABERNACLE 13300 E. 136th Street N., Collinsville 918-371-9655</p> <p>Sunday Services Classes for all ages.....10:00 am Morning Worship Service...10:55 am Evening Family Service.....6:00 pm Wednesday Services AWANA Clubs.....6:45 pm Adult Bible Study & Prayer.....7:00 pm Rev. Charles A. Modrell, Pastor</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 2th & Broadway • 918-371-2236 Pastor: Tim Odom</p> <p style="text-align: center;">COLLINSVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH 1825 W. Union (19th & Union) Collinsville • 918-371-2569</p> <p>Sunday School.....9:30 am Worship Service.....10:30 am Wednesday Evening.....6:30 pm Pastor Bob Haywood</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SHELTER FREE WILL BAPTIST 320 N. 12th St. • 671-8058 Pastor: David Bilby</p> <p style="text-align: center;">THREE ANGELS SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH 11808 E. 121ST St. N. • 918-371-5815 www.t3asda.org Pastor: David Qualls</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Saturday (Sabbath) Services: 9:30 am & 10:45 am Wednesday: 7:00 pm</p>



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