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A monthly guide to events, services and resources



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# BUILD COMMUNITY AND GET CONNECTED AT YOUR LIBRARY

**Today, loneliness and social isolation are increasingly recognized as serious health concerns, but studies show that strong social connections can reduce anxiety and depression, boost immune health and even promote longevity. For people of all ages and interests, libraries provide a space to discover new activities, learn alongside others and develop meaningful connections. At Tulsa City-County Library, inclusive spaces and intentional programming help foster social bonds, supporting TCCL's goal of building stronger communities. So come and strengthen your social circle at the library!**

All ages are invited to exercise their mind and body at the beginner-friendly “Yoga for Every Body” class, which meets each Tuesday at Central Library from 6-7 p.m. Older adults can meet peers at Collinsville Library’s “Tai Chi for Better Balance” classes, sponsored by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative. This series focuses on easing pain, reducing stress, and increasing balance and flexibility. At both programs, participants have the opportunity to build more than physical strength – they can build social connections as well.



Another great way to expand your social circle is to attend events that meet your interests. Are you a fiber arts hobbyist? Adults and teens can get to know other crafters at Collinsville Library’s “All Thumbs Knitters” series or their monthly “Patchworkers” event. Plus, Owasso Library hosts a “Yarnspiration” program twice per month, and Maxwell Park Library’s “Yarn Therapy” event meets monthly.



While many events cater to more than one age group, it’s important for youth to feel welcome at programs just for them. Teens can make friends by geeking out at the anime clubs that meet at Martin Regional Library and Bixby Library or by expanding upon their creativity and strategy skills at a variety of Dungeons & Dragons clubs. This month, D&D campaigns and one-shots are offered at the Owasso, Brookside, Judy Z. Kishner, Zarrow Regional and Hardesty Regional libraries.

Of course, library programming would feel incomplete without a healthy array of book clubs. Reach your reading goals while making new friends at these monthly discussions. To explore the many book clubs offered for adults, browse the listings in the Adults & All Ages section of this guide.



**Some book clubs and event series take a break in December, so be sure to check back next month for even more offerings.**



If you have young children, explore your nearest library's storytime schedule. These events, often followed by Stay and Play activities, are a great opportunity for caregivers and kiddos to socialize. Add storytime into your child's weekly routine for educational fun that builds positive relationships with reading as well as with peers.

This month, teens and tweens can meet up to discuss whatever they're reading at Herman and Kate Kaiser Library's weekly "Open Book Club," or they can follow a more traditional book club format at South Broken Arrow Library's "In the Middle" book club for tweens and Nathan Hale Library's "Graphic Novel Club."

If this assortment of programs doesn't have what you're looking for, host your own! Nonprofit, educational and civic groups use our meeting rooms year-round to come together and build their community. Host your own book club at the library, or book a room for your nonprofit's next meeting. From grief support groups and churches, to Girl Scout Troops and clubs, in categories like music, fly fishing and quilting, your local library might be the perfect place to convene.

Learn more about our meeting room policies and reservation options at [www.tulsalibrary.org/meeting-rooms](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/meeting-rooms).



**The Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club is a great example of how community groups can use the library to connect. They've been meeting weekly at the Zarrow Regional Library for over five years, and their club is now open to anyone who would like to listen to or learn how to play the dulcimer. Learn more in the Adults & All Ages section of this guide.**

# KWANZAA CELEBRATION

Exploring Self Through History and Community

Friday, Dec. 27 • 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Rudisill Regional Library • Ancestral Hall

Join the African American Resource Center for a night of music, food, crafts and community building as we celebrate Kwanzaa! Enjoy a sit-down meal and activities to explore the principles of Kwanzaa.

Since the event will be catered, registration is encouraged so that we will know how many people to expect.  
Register at [www.tulsalibrary.org/events](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/events) or call 918-549-7323.

## THE SEVEN PRINCIPLES OF KWANZAA

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| <p><b>UMOJA</b><br/>(UNITY)</p> <p><b>KUJICHAGULIA</b><br/>(SELF-DETERMINATION)</p> | <p><b>UJIMA</b><br/>(COLLECTIVE WORK AND RESPONSIBILITY)</p> <p><b>UJAMAA</b><br/>(COOPERATIVE ECONOMICS)</p> | <p><b>NIA</b><br/>(PURPOSE)</p> <p><b>KUUMBA</b><br/>(CREATIVITY)</p> <p><b>IMANI</b><br/>(FAITH)</p> |
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# New and coming soon titles

Browse library materials at [www.tulsalibrary.org/books-music-movies](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/books-music-movies).



**FICTION**

*The Book of George* by Kate Greathead  
*A Sunny Place for Shady People* by Mariana Enriquez  
*Rental House* by Weike Wang  
*The City in Glass* by Nghi Vo  
*Time of the Child* by Niall Williams  
*Model Home* by Rivers Solomon  
*The Mistletoe Mystery* by Nita Prose  
*The Crescent Moon Tearoom* by Stacy Sivinski

**NONFICTION**

*Bird-Friendly Gardening* by Jen McGuinness  
*Book and Dagger* by Elyse Graham  
*Christmas With Southern Living 2024* by Editors of Southern Living  
*Meditations for Mortals* by Oliver Burkeman  
*Most Requested Copycat Dishes* by Favorite Family Recipes (Bloggers)  
*Revenge of the Tipping Point* by Malcolm Gladwell  
*What Goes With What* by Julia Turshen  
*What in the World?!* by Leanne Morgan

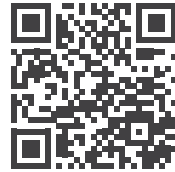
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# Events for Adults & All Ages

Visit [www.TulsaLibrary.org/events](http://www.TulsaLibrary.org/events) or scan the QR code to register, get more details and find the most up-to-date information about any event changes or cancellations. Search for events by title or date, and filter by location, age group and event type.



## DAILY

### Genealogy Detectives: Embroidery Craft Kit

Hardesty Regional Library

Need a gift idea? Pick up a craft kit and make an embroidered portrait from an old family photograph to give as a thoughtful holiday surprise for someone or to keep as a meaningful memento. Craft kits are released on the first day of the month and are available while supplies last. For adults and teens.

### Logic Puzzle in a Box

Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Discover the code to unlock the box by solving a series of small, interlinked puzzles. This is basically a small escape-room experience, designed to be completed in 20-40 minutes. Ask at the desk. For ages 12 to adult.

## MONDAYS

### Digital Literacy Lab Orientation

11 a.m.-noon

Central Library • Digital Literacy Lab

Want to learn more about the Digital Literacy Lab? Come and see what we're about! Orientation is required before independent use of the lab. For adults.

## TUESDAYS

### Job Lab: Résumé and Job Assistance

2-3 p.m.

Central Library • Computer Lab

(no program Dec. 24, 31)

Get job-hunting help. We will help you set up an email account, create or update a résumé, and search and apply for jobs. For adults.

### Tai Chi for Better Balance

3-4 p.m. • Collinsville Library

(no program Dec. 24, 31)

Ease pain, reduce stress, increase balance and flexibility with the slow continuous movements of tai chi. **Registration is required.** Sponsored by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative (OHA) Northeast Center of Healthy Aging. For adults.

### Yoga for Every Body

6-7 p.m.

Central Library • Aaronson Auditorium

(no program Dec. 24)

Join us for a beginner-friendly yoga class taught by certified yoga instructor Beth Richmond. For all ages.

### Osage Language Class

6-7 p.m. • Skiatook Library

(no program Dec. 24, 31)

Join Jacqueline Delong, Osage Nation Language Department teacher, to learn commonly used words and simple sentences. For all ages.

## WEDNESDAYS

### All Thumbs Knitters

12:30-2:30 p.m. • Collinsville Library

(no program Dec. 25)

Bring your latest project and join us for an afternoon of knitting and friendly conversation. For adults.

## THURSDAYS

### Tai Chi for Better Balance

3-4 p.m. • Collinsville Library

(no program Dec. 26)

Ease pain, reduce stress, increase balance and flexibility with the slow continuous movements of tai chi. **Registration is required.** Sponsored by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative (OHA) Northeast Center of Healthy Aging. For adults.

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## DEC. 2, MONDAY

### Books Sandwiched In:

#### H. W. Brands Sampler

12:10-12:50 p.m.

Central Library • Aaronson Auditorium

Discover your next read or dive deeper into a latest bestseller with this lunchtime book talk series. You may bring your lunch. Adrian Alexander, member of the Author Selection Committee for the Peggy V. Helmerich Distinguished Author Award, will present a retrospective on the works of H. W. Brands prior to his visit to Tulsa to receive the 2024 Helmerich Award on Dec. 5 and 6. Presented by the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries. For adults.

### Craft Club: Mini Winter Hats

6-7 p.m.

Central Library • Greadington Center

We will use yarn to make cute miniature winter hats that can be used as ornaments or decor during the chilly months. For adults.

## DEC. 3, TUESDAY

### Yarnspiration

6-7 p.m. • Owasso Library

Bring a crochet or knitting project or start a new one. Find your yarnspiration at this monthly gathering. For adults.

### Messy Art Club:

#### Holiday Ornament Workshop

6-7 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Create holiday ornaments while enjoying a cup of apple cider. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For all ages.

### Cover to Cover Book Club

6:30-7:15 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Join us for lively discussion and literary fun as we explore a range of genres. This month's selection is *Wintering* by Katherine May. For adults.

### Winter Concert:

#### Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Join us around the fireplace for spiced cider, music and holiday cheer. Don't miss this festive celebration for the whole family.

## DEC. 4, WEDNESDAY

### Learn About Citizenship

10:30-11:45 a.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Join us for a Q&A about becoming a U.S. citizen. For adults.

### Laser-Cut Ornament

3-4:30 p.m.

Central Library • Maker Space

Learn the basics of the Epilog laser and design your own ornament by choosing from a variety of premade shapes and designs to cut on wood. Upon completion of this program, you can use the laser engraver for your own projects. **Registration is required.** For adults.

DEC. 4 (continued)

**Parallel Play for Adults:  
Gaming Alone Together**

6-7:30 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Bring your console and favorite single-player game to play alongside other like-minded gamers. For adults.

**LitWits' Book Club**

6:30-7:30 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Ash Room

Join fellow book enthusiasts to discuss *Three Holidays and a Wedding* by Uzma Jalaluddin. Books are available for checkout at Hardesty Regional Library or for download at [www.tulsalibrary.org](http://www.tulsalibrary.org). For adults.

DEC. 5, THURSDAY

**3D-Printed Lithophanes:  
Make Any Image a Memorable One**

3-4 p.m.

Martin Regional Library • Computer Lab

Do you have a favorite picture or piece of art? Something meaningful to you? We'll use the 19th century art technique of lithophanes, combined with 3D printing, to turn those images into a night-light or a flat panel to be backlit by a window. In this class we will go over what 3D printing is, what lithophanes were historically and are now, and how we can combine these two things in wonderful ways to make something truly unique. All materials are provided. Seating is limited. **Registration is required.** For adults.**Meet American Historian H. W. Brands:  
FREE Public Presentation and  
Book Signing**

5:30-7 p.m.

Central Library • First Floor

Meet H. W. Brands, recipient of the 2024 Peggy V. Helmerich Distinguished Author Award. He will talk about his life and writings, answer questions from the audience and sign books. Supported by the Tulsa City-County Library and Tulsa Library Trust. For all ages.

**Book-Page Ornaments**

6-7:30 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Make unique ornaments out of recycled book pages. For adults.

DEC. 7, SATURDAY

**Puzzle Swap**

10 a.m.-noon • Jenks Library

Bring a puzzle; take a puzzle, or two or three! Swap the puzzles you've already finished for a new one to do with your family over the holidays. For all ages.

**Get in the Holiday Spirit Through Dance**

2-3:30 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Learn a line dance or two and get in the holiday spirit! Sherrie Wallace, Suburban Acres Library manager, will provide instruction on a few popular line dances that will have you dancing through the holidays. For adults.

DEC. 9, MONDAY

**Banned Book Club:  
Celebrate Your FREEDOM to READ!**

7-8 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Frossard Auditorium

Join us to discuss books that have been banned or challenged in schools and libraries. Our featured book is *White Noise* by Don DeLillo. Register to receive book club updates, meeting reminders and access to monthly titles for checkout. For adults.

DEC. 10, TUESDAY

**Collinsville Book Discussion**

12:30-2:30 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Read *First Lie Wins* by Ashley Elston and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.**Beginning Plains Indian Sign Language**

6-7 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Learn introductions, greetings and simple directions by fourth generation signer Mike Pahsetopah. Class will be video recorded. For all ages.

**Book Lovers Book Club**

6-7 p.m. • Helmerich Library

Join us for a discussion of this month's 'tis the season romance read, *A December to Remember* by Jenny Bayliss. For adults.**Fiction Addiction**

6-7 p.m. • Owasso Library

Join us for a lively discussion of a bestselling fiction novel. Copies of the featured book are available for checkout at Owasso Library or download at [www.tulsalibrary.org](http://www.tulsalibrary.org). For adults.**Patchworkers**

6-7:45 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Bring your latest project and join us for an evening of quilting and friendly conversation. For adults.

**Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club**

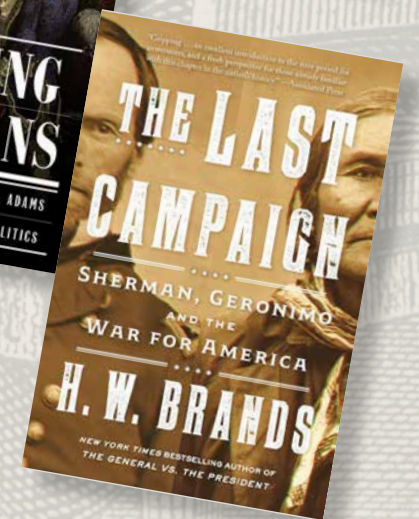
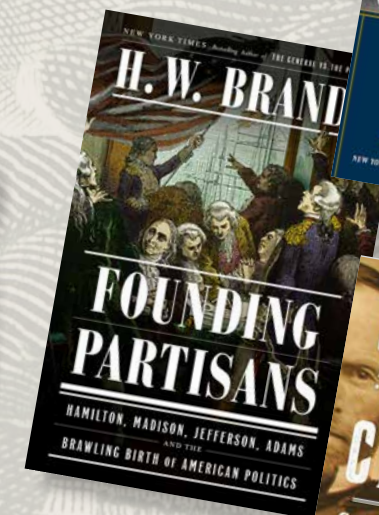
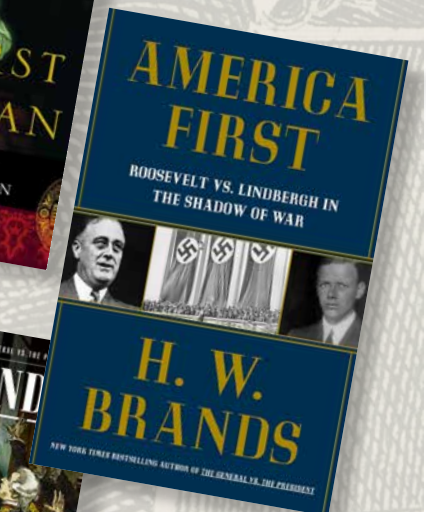
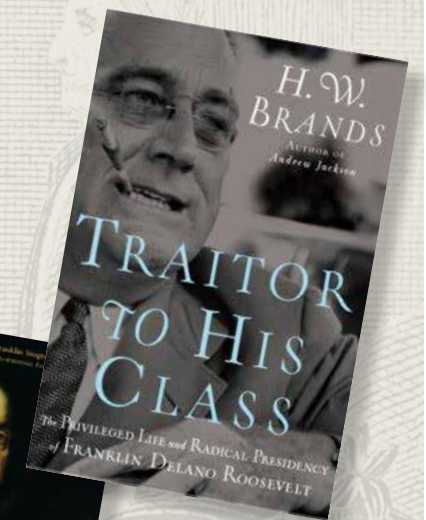
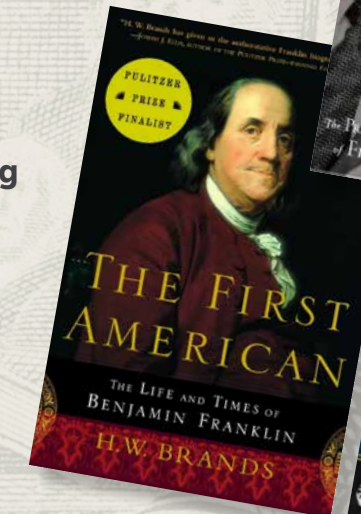
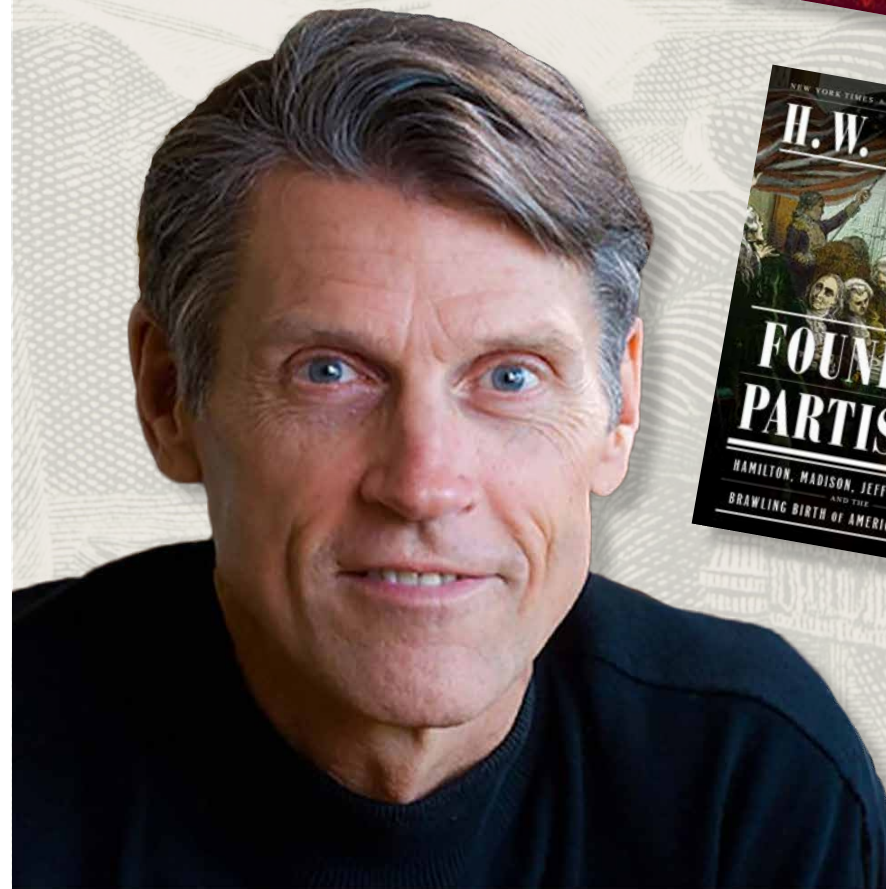
6-8 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Join the Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club as they share their love of music. Come to practice, learn or just listen to the sweet sounds of the dulcimer. For all ages.

**Ghost Hunting at the Library**

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Glenpool Library

Tulsa's favorite ghost hunter will be here to help us try to locate the ghosts of Glenpool's past! Jim Pace from S.P.O.O.K (Sooner Paranormal Of Oklahoma) will share ghost hunting tips and stories, and show us how to scientifically hunt for ghosts. He has had 25 years of experience and has LOTS of ghostly tales to tell. For tweens to adults.

**MEET AMERICAN HISTORIAN***H. W. Brands***Peggy V. Helmerich****Distinguished Author Award****FREE Public Presentation and Book Signing  
Thursday, Dec. 5 • 5:30 p.m.****Central Library • First Floor**[www.TulsaLibrary.org/HelmerichAward](http://www.TulsaLibrary.org/HelmerichAward)Supported by the Tulsa City-County  
Library and Tulsa Library Trust

**DEC. 11, WEDNESDAY****Full Cup Book Club: Holiday Edition**

10-11 a.m.

**Martin Regional Library • Conference Room**

Join fellow readers as we discuss some of our favorite reads of 2024 and our reading goals for 2025! Optionally, bring a treat to share and books to swap. For adults.

**Yarn Therapy**11 a.m.-noon • **Maxwell Park Library**

Do you enjoy meeting new people? Do you enjoy knitting and/or crochet? Bring your own project and supplies for an hour of knitting/crochet. All skill levels are welcome. For adults and teens.

**Bixby Book Club**2-3 p.m. • **Bixby Library**

Read *Counting Miracles* by Nicholas Sparks and then join us for a lively discussion. Copies are available for checkout at the Bixby Library or download at [www.tulsalibrary.org](http://www.tulsalibrary.org) as an e-book. For adults.

**Around the World Book Club: Mystery Edition**3-4 p.m. • **Nathan Hale Library**

We're reading *The Murder of Mr. Wickham* by Claudia Gray, a charming country house mystery set in Jane Austen's world. For adults.

**DEC. 12, THURSDAY****Winter Scene Paint-Along**2-4 p.m. • **Schusterman-Benson Library**

In this beginner-friendly workshop, we'll paint a charming winter scene sure to put you in a festive mood. All materials are provided. Seating may be limited. **Registration is encouraged.** For adults.

**Really Basic Computer Class**

3-4 p.m.

**Martin Regional Library • Computer Lab**

This class is designed for new computer users who have little

or no previous experience using computers, Windows, a mouse or the internet, and little or no knowledge of basic computer terms. For adults.

**DEC. 13, FRIDAY****We Are Oklahoma Book Discussion**

7-8 p.m.

**LOCATION: Common Tart, 1717 E. 17th St.**

Join us to discuss *Trail Sisters: Freedwomen in Indian Territory, 1850-1890* by Linda Williams Reese and enjoy a slice of pie as we explore these remarkable Oklahoma women and their journeys. The book traces the journey of African American women enslaved by the Cherokee, Choctaw, Chickasaw, Seminole and Creek Nations from arrival in Indian Territory to free-citizen status in 1890. **Registration is required.** For adults and teens.

**DEC. 14, SATURDAY****Coding for Beginners:****Learn How To Code With Atlas School**

9 a.m.-3 p.m.

**Rudisill Regional Library • Computer Lab**

An instructor from Atlas School will teach you how to write computer code. Lunch is provided. **Registration is required.** For adults and teens.

**DIY Yarn Wrapped Ornament Garland**11 a.m.-noon • **Owasso Library**

Create a festive farmhouse garland for the holidays. Supplies are provided. For adults.

**Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club**1-3 p.m. • **Zarrow Regional Library**

Join the Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club as they share their love of music. Come to practice, learn or just listen to the sweet sounds of the dulcimer. For all ages.

**Painting With Bob Frost**2-4 p.m. • **South Broken Arrow Library**

Sit down and enjoy some hot cocoa and frosty landscapes as we paint a winter wonderland together, or ride on the North Wind and paint something completely unexpected! **Registration is required.** For tweens to adults.

**Learn About Citizenship**4-5 p.m. • **Kendall-Whittier Library**

Join us for a Q&A about becoming a U.S. citizen. For adults.

**DEC. 16, MONDAY****Adult Craft Night:****Embroidered Holiday Cards**6-7:30 p.m. • **Zarrow Regional Library**

We'll make beautiful embroidered cards. Whether you're a beginner or a seasoned stitcher, you'll learn simple techniques to personalize your cards for any occasion. For adults.

**DEC. 17, TUESDAY****Holiday Crafts**3:30-5 p.m. • **Maxwell Park Library**

Join us to make a variety of seasonal crafts, while supplies last. For elementary schoolers to adults.

**Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club**6-8 p.m. • **Zarrow Regional Library**

Join the Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club as they share their love of music. Come to practice, learn or just listen to the sweet sounds of the dulcimer. For all ages.

**Down the Rabbit Hole:****Weird Fiction Book Club**7-8 p.m. • **VIRTUAL: Zoom**

Join us on Zoom for a lively discussion of *The Space Between Worlds* by Micaiah Johnson. Email [Ben.Willcox@tulsalibrary.org](mailto:Ben.Willcox@tulsalibrary.org) for the Zoom link. For adults.

# Bookmobile Schedule

Call us at 918-549-7480 to request materials.

**MONDAY, DEC. 2**

Seminole Hills • 4-5 p.m.  
Whitlow Apartments • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 3**

Monterea • 10-11 a.m.  
Cedarhurst • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
TreeTops • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Indian Springs • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 4**

Villages at Southern Hills • 10-11 a.m.  
East Central • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Serenity Homes • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**THURSDAY, DEC. 5**

Burgundy Place • 10-11 a.m.  
University Village • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Savanna Landing • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Bandon Trails • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**MONDAY, DEC. 9**

Disciples Village • 10-11 a.m.  
Glenwood Apartments • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Prairie Village • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
New Leaf • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 10**

LaFortune Tower • 10-11 a.m.  
Pioneer Plaza • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Apache Manor • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 11**

Murdock Villa • 10-11 a.m.  
The Center • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Sandy Park • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**THURSDAY, DEC. 12**

Inhofe Plaza • 10-11 a.m.  
Zarrow Pointe • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Eugene Field • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Western Pines • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**MONDAY, DEC. 16**

Park View Village • 4-5 p.m.  
Bradford • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 17**

Covenant Living of Bixby • 10-11 a.m.  
Sand Plum • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Heatherstone • 2:30-3:30 p.m.  
Mingo Manor • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Maplewood • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18**

Plaza Hills • 2:30-3:30 p.m.  
Wood Creek • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Crossings at Oakbrook • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**THURSDAY, DEC. 19**

Roma Berry Center • 10-11 a.m.  
Whiteside Park • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
South Haven • 3:15-4 p.m.  
Tulsa Dream Center West • 4:15-4:45 p.m.  
Parkview Terrace • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**MONDAY, DEC. 30**

Gatesway • 10-11 a.m.  
Bellarose • 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
Seminole Hills • 4-5 p.m.  
Whitlow Apartments • 5:15-6:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 31**

Trinity Trails • 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Mohawk Manor • 5:15-6:15 p.m.



**Literacy, Outreach and  
Volunteer Services**



## Mr. Henry's Books EDUCATOR WORKSHOP

Saturday, Feb. 1 • 9-11 a.m.

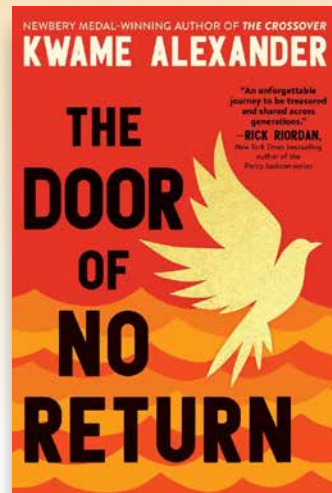
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Creativity Center • Fifth Street and Denver Avenue

### Attention, middle- and high-school teachers and librarians!

You are invited to this continuing-education workshop focusing on the works of author Kwame Alexander, winner of the 2025 Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature.

#### You will:

- Receive 50 copies of *The Door of No Return* by Kwame Alexander for your students to keep as their own.
- Learn how to incorporate various elements of *The Door of No Return* into your classroom and receive lesson plans on how to use Alexander's works in a variety of school subjects.
- Be introduced to Tulsa City-County Library's Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature.
- Gain an opportunity to win a classroom visit by Kwame Alexander on **Friday, May 2**.



Every participant will receive their copies of *The Door of No Return* after the workshop, as well as an official continuing-education certificate. Participants must be employed by a school district within Tulsa County.

### REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Deadline: Monday, Jan. 27  
Registration is limited.

[www.tulsalibrary.org/mr-henrys-books-registration](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/mr-henrys-books-registration)

*Mr. Henry's Books is a program of the Tulsa City-County Library, sponsored by the Tulsa Library Trust, made possible by a grant from The Anne & Henry Zarrow Foundation.*



DEC. 18, WEDNESDAY

#### Page Turner Book Club: Holiday Party 12:30-1:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Join us to celebrate all the awesome books we've read this year! We'll have some tasty refreshments and a good time chatting about our favorite reads. For adults.

#### Yarnspiration

6-7 p.m. • Owasso Library

Bring a crochet or knitting project or start a new one. Find your yarnspiration at this monthly gathering. For adults.

DEC. 19, THURSDAY

#### Beyond the Book

10:30-11:30 a.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Love talking about books? So do we! Join us to discuss *Shelterwood* by Lisa Wingate. Reserved copies are available at the library. For adults.

#### The Banned Books Club

3-4 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

This book discussion group focuses on banned or challenged books. Read *Monster* by Walter Dean Myers and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

#### Jenks Book Club

6-7 p.m. • Jenks Library

Join fellow book lovers for a special holiday book club. Enjoy a free beverage from local coffee shop Mojo's Mercantile & Coffee House while discussing *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson. Bring a wrapped book from home for a bookish dirty Santa game after the discussion. For adults.

## Winter Concert & Holiday Ornament Workshop



Tuesday, Dec. 3

Ornament Workshop • 6-7 p.m. • Winter Concert • 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Zarrow Regional Library

Join us around the fireplace for hot spiced cider, music and holiday cheer. Don't miss this festive family celebration featuring the Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club! Stop by the Storytime Room and create a holiday ornament while you are here. Materials are provided by the Friends of the Helmerich Library.

DEC. 21, SATURDAY

**Plant Swap**

10 a.m.-noon • Glenpool Library  
Did you just move all your plants in to realize you have too many? Bring any seeds, cuttings, nodes or full-sized plants and swap them out for something new. For adults.

**Mending Circle:  
Stitching Among Friends**

3-4 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library  
Bring your projects for help or to show off. This will be a great time to finish any gifts you're working on! For tweens to adults.

DEC. 23, MONDAY

**Cozy Fantasy Book Club**

4-5 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library  
Read *I'm Afraid You've Got Dragons* by Peter S. Beagle and then join us for a lively discussion. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the Schusterman-Benson Library. For teens and adults.

DEC. 27, FRIDAY

**Kwanzaa Celebration: Exploring Self  
Through History and Community**

6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Rudisill Regional Library • Ancestral Hall  
Join the African American Resource Center for a night of music, food, crafts and community building as we celebrate Kwanzaa! This year's program will feature a sit-down meal and activities to explore the principles of Kwanzaa. **Registration is not required but preferred since the event will be catered.** For all ages.

# Read your way anytime, anywhere

This holiday season, use the Libby app to cozy up with your favorite e-books and audiobooks or take them on the go. Libby is free with your library card, and it offers audiobooks, digital magazines and e-books you can access on any device with an internet connection.

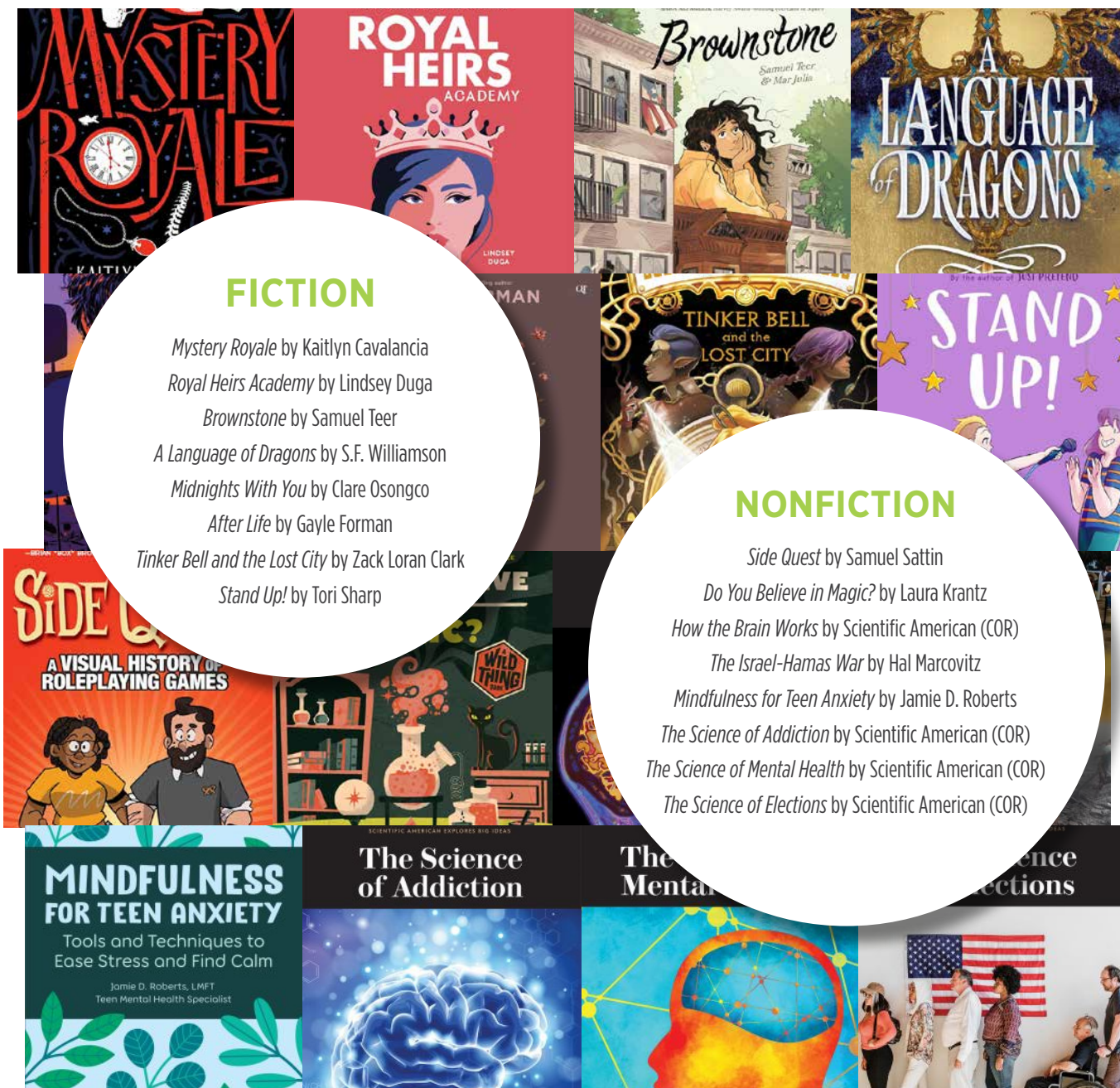
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**FICTION**

*Mystery Royale* by Kaitlyn Cavalancia  
*Royal Heirs Academy* by Lindsey Duga  
*Brownstone* by Samuel Teer  
*A Language of Dragons* by S.F. Williamson  
*Midnights With You* by Clare Osongco  
*After Life* by Gayle Forman  
*Tinker Bell and the Lost City* by Zack Loran Clark  
*Stand Up!* by Tori Sharp

**NONFICTION**

*Side Quest* by Samuel Sattin  
*Do You Believe in Magic?* by Laura Krantz  
*How the Brain Works* by Scientific American (COR)  
*The Israel-Hamas War* by Hal Marcovitz  
*Mindfulness for Teen Anxiety* by Jamie D. Roberts  
*The Science of Addiction* by Scientific American (COR)  
*The Science of Mental Health* by Scientific American (COR)  
*The Science of Elections* by Scientific American (COR)

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# Events for Teens & Tweens

Visit [www.TulsaLibrary.org/events](http://www.TulsaLibrary.org/events) or scan the QR code to register, get more details and find the most up-to-date information about any event changes or cancellations. Search for events by title or date, and filter by location, age group and event type.



## DAILY

### Genealogy Detectives: Embroidery Craft Kit Hardesty Regional Library

Need a gift idea? Pick up a craft kit and make an embroidered portrait from an old family photograph to give as a thoughtful holiday surprise for someone or to keep as a meaningful memento. Craft kits are released on the first day of the month and are available while supplies last. For adults and teens.

### Logic Puzzle in a Box Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Discover the code to unlock the box by solving a series of small, interlinked puzzles. This is basically a small escape-room experience, designed to be completed in 20-40 minutes. Ask at the desk. For ages 12 to adult.

### Indoor Scavenger Hunt: Winter Is Coming! Judy Z. Kushner Library

Join us throughout December for a fun winter-themed indoor scavenger hunt. Follow us on Facebook @ JudyZKushnerLibrary for event updates and sneak peeks. For all ages.

## MONDAYS (NO PROGRAMS DEC. 23, 30)

### Teen Lounge 4-5 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library

Kick back and chill with video and board games, and plenty of space to read or hang out with friends. For middle and high schoolers.

### Open Book Club: A Weekly Teen Hangout 4-5:30 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Gush about the book you're reading right now. Or do you want to complain about your latest English assignment? You're welcome to do that here too! No judgment. Mr. Paul will serve tea and cookies. For teens.

## TUESDAYS

### Osage Language Class 6-7 p.m. • Skiatook Library (no program Dec. 24, 31)

Join Jacqueline Delong, Osage Nation Language Department teacher, to learn commonly used words and simple sentences. For all ages.

## THURSDAYS

### Dungeons & Dragons: Zarrow Adventures 6-8 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library (no program Dec. 26)

Learn to play the world-renowned tabletop role-playing game. All experience levels are welcome. For teens and tweens.

## DEC. 2, MONDAY

### SWORD: Dungeons & Dragons 4-6 p.m. • Owasso Library

If you've been curious about Dungeons & Dragons but not sure where to start, join us and learn. For middle and high schoolers.

## DEC. 3, TUESDAY

### Tween Graphic Novel Discussion 3:30-4:30 p.m. Martin Regional Library • Storytime Castle

Check out this month's graphic novel, *Zeus: King of the Gods*, Volume 1 of the Olympians series by George O'Connor. Pick up a copy at the children's desk and get ready to discuss all things graphic novels. For ages 9-12.

### Dungeons & Dragons After School for Tweens 4-5:30 p.m. • Brookside Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign. For tweens.

### Messy Art Club: Holiday Ornament Workshop 6-7 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Create holiday ornaments while enjoying a cup of apple cider. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For all ages.

### Winter Concert: Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club 6:30-7:30 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Join us around the fireplace for spiced cider, music and holiday cheer. Don't miss this festive celebration for the whole family.

## DEC. 4, WEDNESDAY

### Dungeons & Dragons: "Strixhaven: A Curriculum of Chaos" 3-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our "Strixhaven" campaign. No experience required. If this is your first time attending, please call or talk to a staff member to be assigned to one of our D&D groups, as space is limited. For tweens and teens.

### Teen Lounge 4-6 p.m. Central Library • Chapman Room

Kick back and chill with art supplies, video games and plenty of space to study, read or hang out with friends. For teens and tweens.

## DEC. 5, THURSDAY

### Holiday Craft 3-3:45 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Make a Christmas decoration to take home. For all ages.

### Video Games After School 4-5 p.m. • Brookside Library

Join us for Wii, Switch or Xbox 360 games. For elementary schoolers to teens.

### In the Middle: Tween Book Club 4:30-5:30 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Let's warm up with a trip to the Caribbean in *Johnny, The Sea, and Me* by Melba Escobar. We will follow Pedro as he makes friends with Johnny, who might be a pirate, and starts his own adventure. For tweens.

### Anime Club 4:30-6 p.m. Martin Regional Library • Lecture Room

Join us as we discuss, watch and increase your overall knowledge of anime and manga. Light snacks are provided by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For ages 12-18.

### Teen Night 5-7 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Make crafts and play games at this casual monthly teen hangout. Bring your art project, your homework, your friends or just yourself! Snacks provided by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For ages 12-18.

### Meet American Historian H. W. Brands: FREE Public Presentation and Book Signing 5:30-7 p.m. Central Library • First Floor

Meet H. W. Brands, recipient of the 2024 Peggy V. Helmerich Distinguished Author Award. He will talk about his life and writings, answer questions from the audience and sign books. Supported by the Tulsa City-County Library and Tulsa Library Trust. For all ages.

## DEC. 6, FRIDAY

### Kaiser Kids Craft Club 3:45-4:45 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Time to get crafty! No expertise required. Supplies and snacks are provided. Call Herman and Kate Kaiser Library at 918-549-7323 and ask for Ms. Kristina for details on the monthly craft and/or questions about the club. For elementary and middle schoolers.

### Art Lab: Acrylic Pour Art 4-5 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Art is science and science is art! We will make acrylic pour art on canvas and discuss how pigment density helps us create cool effects. Class size is limited to 10 participants. **Registration is required.** For teens and tweens.

DEC. 7, SATURDAY

**Puzzle Swap**

10 a.m.-noon • Jenks Library

Bring a puzzle; take a puzzle, or two or three! Swap the puzzles you've already finished for a new one to do with your family over the holidays. For all ages.

DEC. 9, MONDAY

**Dungeons & Dragons:**

**"The Wild Beyond the Witchlight"**

3-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kishner Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our "The Wild Beyond the Witchlight" campaign. No experience required. If this is your first time attending, please call or talk to a staff member to be assigned to one of our D&D groups, as space is limited. For tweens and teens.

**Teen Time: Mario Kart**

4-5 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Hang out in the library! Bring a friend or make some new ones. We will play Mario Kart on the Switch. For teens and tweens.

**Chill Out and Game On:**

**A Holiday Study Break!**

4-6 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Take a breather from the holiday hustle and finals stress with Mario Kart, tasty snacks and crafting. Don't let the stress win — come and chill with us! For teens and tweens.

DEC. 10, TUESDAY

**Dungeons & Dragons After School for Teens**

4-5:30 p.m. • Brookside Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign. For teens.

**SpongeBob Ornaments**

4:30-5:30 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Join us for a goofy goober evening making SpongeBob ornaments! Supplies are limited. For teens and tweens.

**Bixby Teen Anime Club**

6-7 p.m. • Bixby Library

We'll watch the first two episodes of an anime show and discuss what we thought about it and our favorite manga. For teens and tweens.

**Beginning Plains Indian Sign Language**

6-7 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Learn introductions, greetings and simple directions by fourth generation signer Mike Pahsetpah. Class will be video recorded. For all ages.

**Ghost Hunting at the Library**

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Glenpool Library

Tulsa's favorite ghost hunter will be here to help us try to locate the ghosts of Glenpool's past! Jim Pace from S.P.O.O.K (Sooner Paranormal Of Oklahoma) will share ghost hunting tips and stories, and show us how to scientifically hunt for ghosts. He has had 25 years of experience and has LOTS of ghostly tales to tell. For tweens to adults.

DEC. 11, WEDNESDAY

**Yarn Therapy**

11 a.m.-noon • Maxwell Park Library

Do you enjoy meeting new people? Do you enjoy knitting and/or crochet? Bring your own project and supplies for an hour of knitting/crochet. All skill levels are welcome. For adults and teens.

**Sci-Fi and Fantasy Book Club**

3-3:45 p.m. • Judy Z. Kishner Library

Join us in discussing *Renegades* by Marissa Meyer. Limited copies of the book are available at the Judy Z. Kishner Library. For teens.

**Teen Craft Club**

4-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kishner Library

Join us as we make a fun craft. For teens and tweens.

**Teen Lounge**

4-6 p.m.

Central Library • Chapman Room

Kick back and chill with art supplies, video games and plenty of space to study, read or hang out with friends. For teens and tweens.

**Winter Family Film and Craft**

6-7:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Enjoy a beloved holiday classic with a slimetastic craft to follow! For elementary and middle schoolers.

DEC. 12, THURSDAY

**Holiday Ornaments and Keepsakes**

4-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Make your own holiday ornaments and keepsakes using Shrinky Dinks! For ages 11-17.

**Dungeons & Dragons:**

**Roll for Winter's Wrath**

5:30-7 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Digital Lounge

Calling all heroes for an icy adventure! Join us for an evening of epic exploration and fearsome creatures in this winter-themed D&D one-shot campaign. This adventure is ideal for characters at levels 1-3. Feel free to bring your own or use a premade character provided at the program. All materials are provided; however, participants are welcome to bring their own D&D materials. For middle and high schoolers.

DEC. 13, FRIDAY

**Knights of the Square Table:**

**Youth Chess Club**

3:45-5:15 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Make your move! Are you a beginner or a chess master? All levels of ability are welcome. For elementary to high schoolers.



# Telehealth at TCCL

Unable to travel to a doctor? Don't have the ability to conduct virtual appointments at home? The telehealth booth at Central Library can help connect you with a physician remotely.

The ADA-compliant booth includes computer access with dual monitors and an adjustable table, soundproofing and frosted glass to ensure privacy, and a variety of basic medical equipment upon request, as well as HEPA filtration and advanced sanitization practices to ensure a safe environment.

**Telehealth at TCCL is available at:**

**Central Library**  
**Monday-Friday**  
**(excluding holidays)**  
**10-11 a.m. | noon-1 p.m.**  
**2-3 p.m. | 4-5 p.m.**

**To book time in the telehealth booth or for more information, visit [www.TulsaLibrary.org/telehealth](http://www.TulsaLibrary.org/telehealth) or call 918-549-7323.**

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## Make homemade gifts for friends and family!

Join us for a craft program or use the online Hobbies and Crafts Source to explore ideas and instructions in a range of categories, from holiday cards and festive decorations like garlands, to treats like chocolates and pies. Use your library card to access the Hobbies and Crafts Source at [www.tulsalibrary.org/databases](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/databases).

### Genealogy Detectives: Embroidery Craft Kit

Dec. 1-31

**Hardesty Regional Library**  
For teens and adults

### SpongeBob Ornaments

Tuesday, Dec. 10 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.

**South Broken Arrow Library**  
For teens and tweens

### Teen Craft Club

Wednesday, Dec. 11 • 4-5 p.m.

**Judy Z. Kishner Library**  
For teens and tweens

### Holiday Ornaments and Keepsakes

Thursday, Dec. 12 • 4-5 p.m.

**Broken Arrow Library**  
For ages 11-17

### Holiday Crafts

Tuesday, Dec. 17 • 3:30-5 p.m.

**Maxwell Park Library**  
For elementary schoolers to adults

### T(w)een Craft Night

Tuesday, Dec. 17 • 5-7 p.m.

**Central Library**  
For teens and tweens

See the event listings in this guide for more details about these programs or to find additional crafting events.



## DEC. 13 (continued)

### Teen Volunteer Drop-In Hour

4-5 p.m. • **Martin Regional Library**

Youth ages 12-16 are welcome to drop by the Martin Regional Library to volunteer for service hours. No registration is required.

### We Are Oklahoma Book Discussion

7-8 p.m.

**LOCATION: Common Tart, 1717 E. 17th St.**

Join us to discuss *Trail Sisters: Freedwomen in Indian Territory, 1850-1890* by Linda Williams Reese and enjoy a slice of pie as we explore these remarkable Oklahoma women and their journeys. The book traces the journey of African American women enslaved by the Cherokee, Choctaw, Chickasaw, Seminole and Creek Nations from arrival in Indian Territory to free-citizen status in 1890. **Registration is required.** For adults and teens.

## DEC. 14, SATURDAY

### Coding for Beginners:

#### Learn How To Code With Atlas School

9 a.m.-3 p.m.

**Rudisill Regional Library • Computer Lab**

An instructor from Atlas School will teach you how to write computer code. Lunch is provided. **Registration is required.** For adults and teens.

### Painting With Bob Frost

2-4 p.m. • **South Broken Arrow Library**

Sit down and enjoy some hot cocoa and frosty landscapes as we paint a winter wonderland together, or ride on the North Wind and paint something completely unexpected! **Registration is required.** For tweens to adults.

### Graphic Novel Book Club

3:30-4:30 p.m. • **Nathan Hale Library**

Join us for a literary celebration of Emma Krogell's *Lumine*. Enjoy great conversation, snacks and crafts. For teens and tweens.

## DEC. 16, MONDAY

### Potions & Quills: Fantasy Writing Group

4-5 p.m. • **Skiatook Library**

Join our fantasy writing group and concoct your own themed potions to drink while letting your fantastical, creative ideas flow! Share your writing, chat with your friends, draw, journal or just bounce ideas off other fantasy fanatics as we sip and scribble to bring our fantasy imaginings to life. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For teens and tweens.

### Candy Cane Slime

5-6 p.m. • **Owasso Library**

Create fun candy cane slime. You can add texture pieces and peppermint scents for an added sensory experience. For teens and tweens.

## DEC. 17, TUESDAY

### Holiday Crafts

3:30-5 p.m. • **Maxwell Park Library**

Join us to make a variety of seasonal crafts, while supplies last. For elementary schoolers to adults.

### Dungeons & Dragons After School for Tweens

4-5:30 p.m. • **Brookside Library**

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign. For tweens.

### T(w)een Craft Night

5-7 p.m.

**Central Library • Chapman Room**

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## DEC. 18, WEDNESDAY

### Dungeons & Dragons: "Strixhaven: A Curriculum of Chaos"

3-5 p.m. • **Judy Z. Kishner Library**

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### LEGO Fun

3:30-4:30 p.m. • **Charles Page Library**

Join us for a fun time building with bricks. Design your own amazing creations. We provide the LEGOs; you provide the imagination! For preschoolers to teens.

## DEC. 19, THURSDAY

### Christmas Crafting Fun

2-3 p.m. • **Kendall-Whittier Library**

Let's use our imagination and make some crafts for Christmas. For all ages.

### Third Thursday Arcade

3:30-5:30 p.m. • **Maxwell Park Library**

Join us for games on our Nintendo Switch and Xbox. Space is limited to four players per game on the Switch and two per game on the Xbox, so taking turns is a must. For teens and tweens.

### Diamond Painting

5-7 p.m. • **Schusterman-Benson Library**

Join us for diamond painting – a mix between cross-stitch, beading and color by number. It's fun, easy and meditative! Come and make a cool coaster, wall art or key chain. For teens and tweens.

# MEET AUTHOR KWAME ALEXANDER

2025 ANNE V. ZARROW AWARD FOR YOUNG READERS' LITERATURE

Friday, May 2 • 6 p.m.  
Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove

Kwame Alexander is a poet, educator, publisher, producer and *New York Times* bestselling author of more than 40 books for all ages, from picture books to nonfiction for adults. His children's book *The Crossover* received accolades including the Newbery Medal and the Coretta Scott King Honor Award, and is now an Emmy Award-winning Disney+ series created in partnership with Alexander's production company Big Sea Entertainment.

Visit [www.tulsalibrary.org/zarrowaward](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/zarrowaward) for more information.

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The Zarrow Award is a program of the Tulsa City-County Library, made possible through the Tulsa Library Trust by a grant from The Anne & Henry Zarrow Foundation.



## DEC. 20, FRIDAY

### Homeschool Fun Friday

11 a.m.-noon • Charles Page Library

Join us for a winter social and resource swap for homeschool families. Enjoy games, browse our free resource table and participate in laid-back activities to celebrate the end of the year! For all ages.

## DEC. 21, SATURDAY

### Wrap Battle:

Many Will Wrap, Some Will Win!

2-3:30 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

So, you think you can wrap? Come and show off your skills! Compete against your friends by wrapping a holiday package with available supplies. For teens and tweens.

### Mending Circle:

Stitching Among Friends

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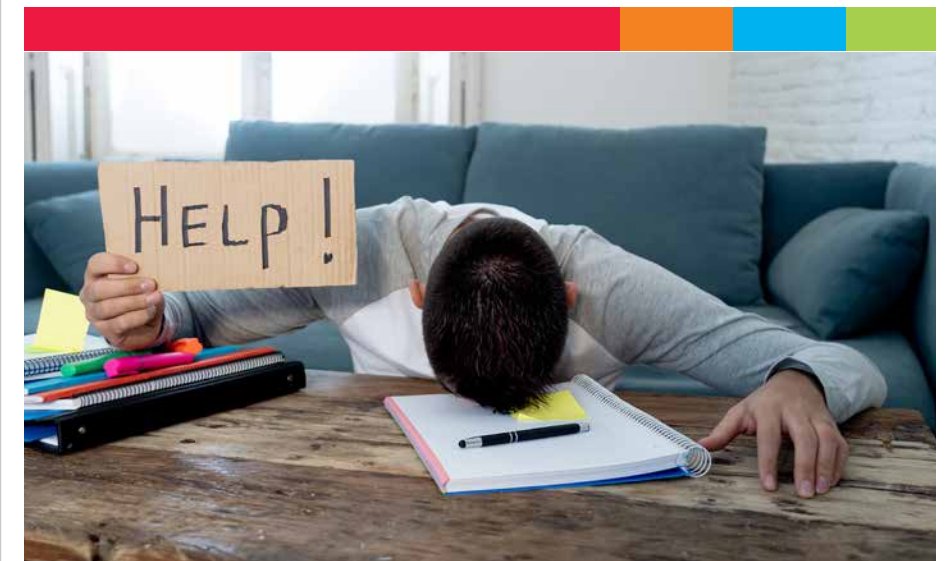
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## FICTION

*Escaping Peril* by Tui T. Sutherland  
*Emilio Sloth's Modern Manners* by Renee Ahdieh  
*The Adventures of Penguin and Panda* by Brenda Maier  
*Space for Everyone* by Seina Wedlick  
*Saturday Morning at the 'shop* by Keenan Jones  
*The Interpreter* by Olivia Abtahi  
*Bunny Hop* by Sarah Hwang  
*We Share This School* by Dan Saks

## NONFICTION

*Work* by Shaina Feinberg  
*Who Was Shirley Chisholm?* by Crystal Hubbard  
*Knight* by Dorling Kindersley Ltd. (COR)  
*Kid Musicians* by Robin Stevenson  
*Introducing Sandwina* by Vicki Conrad  
*The Kelce Brothers* by Apple Jordan  
*Eyewitness Animal* by Dorling Kindersley Ltd. (COR)  
*Rube Goldberg's Big Book of Building* by Tori Cameron

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# Events for Children

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## DAILY

### Indoor Scavenger Hunt: Winter Is Coming!

Judy Z. Kishner Library  
 Join us throughout December for a fun winter-themed indoor scavenger hunt. For all ages.

**TUESDAYS** (NO PROGRAMS DEC. 24, 31)

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool**  
 10:30-11 a.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual/Stay and Play**  
 10:30-11:30 a.m. • Maxwell Park Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
 4-4:30 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library

**WEDNESDAYS** (NO PROGRAMS DEC. 25)

**Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual/Stay and Play**  
 10-11 a.m. • Martin Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
 10:30-11:30 a.m. • Rudisill Regional Library

**THURSDAYS**

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
 10-11 a.m. • Martin Regional Library  
 (no program Dec. 26)

## DEC. 2, MONDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies**  
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool/Stay and Play**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Broken Arrow Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
11 a.m.-noon • Bixby Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
6-7 p.m. • Central Library

## DEC. 3, TUESDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies**  
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers/Stay and Play**  
STORYTIME: 10-10:25 a.m. • 10:30-10:55 a.m.  
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.  
Broken Arrow Library  
STORYTIME: 10-10:30 a.m. • 10:30-11 a.m.  
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.  
Owasso Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
10:15-11:15 a.m. • Brookside Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Charles Page Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
10:30-11 a.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers**  
11-11:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**PAWS for Reading**  
3:30-4:30 p.m. • Jenks Library  
Registration is required.

**Messy Art Club: Holiday Ornament Workshop**  
6-7 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Create holiday ornaments while enjoying a cup of apple cider. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For all ages.

## DEC. 4, WEDNESDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers**  
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool/Stay and Play**  
STORYTIME: 10-10:25 a.m. • 10:30-10:55 a.m.  
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.  
Owasso Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers**  
10-10:25 a.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
10-11 a.m. • Jenks Library  
10-11 a.m. • Skiatook Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Helmerich Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool**  
11-11:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual**  
3-3:45 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

**PAWS for Reading**  
3:30-4:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library  
Registration is required.

## DEC. 5, THURSDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
11 a.m.-noon • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

**Holiday Craft**  
3-3:45 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library  
Make a Christmas decoration to take home. For all ages.

**Artsy Craftsy Kids' Club: Make and Play – Create Your Own Marble Maze!**  
3-4:30 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Drop in and have fun using cardboard box tops, loose parts and lots of imagination to create unique marble mazes in this flexible child-led, process-oriented workshop. Each child will receive one marble to use for their tray that they get to keep. For ages 5-12.

**Video Games After School**  
4-5 p.m. • Brookside Library  
Join us for Wii, Switch or Xbox 360 games. For elementary schoolers to teens.

**Kids Create: Star Ornaments**  
5:30-6:30 p.m. • Owasso Library  
Create a star ornament. For elementary schoolers.

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
6-6:20 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

## DEC. 6, FRIDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play – Winter Is Coming!**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

**PAWS for Reading**  
11:30-11:45 a.m. • 11:45 a.m.-noon  
noon-12:15 p.m. • 12:15-12:30 p.m.  
12:30-12:45 p.m. • 12:45-1 p.m.  
Judy Z. Kushner Library  
Registration is required.

**BA Virtual Day: Reindeer Games**  
2-3 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library  
Join in reindeer games on this last virtual school day of the year. We will have a variety of indoor games and activities that are perfect for pre-K through fifth grade.

**Kaiser Kids Craft Club**  
3:45-4:45 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library  
Time to get crafty! No expertise required. Supplies and snacks are provided. Call Herman and Kate Kaiser Library at 918-549-7323 and ask for Ms. Kristina for details on the monthly craft and/or questions about the club. For elementary and middle schoolers.

## DEC. 7, SATURDAY

**Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family Pajama Storytime!**  
10-10:20 a.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove  
Wear your comfy pj's and join us for a family-friendly storytime in Connor's Cove. There will be a special reading of *The Polar Express* by Chris Van Allsburg, followed by a holiday movie (rated G) at 10:30 a.m. No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For all ages.

**PAWS for Reading**  
10-11 a.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library  
Registration is required.

**Movies in the Cove**  
10:30 a.m.-noon  
Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove  
Wear your comfy pj's and join us for a family-friendly holiday movie (rated G). No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For all ages.

**Grinchmas Party With Special Guest Santa!**  
11 a.m.-noon • Schusterman-Benson Library  
Celebrate the Grinch with us. We'll have Grinchy games, crafts and goodies. Special guest Santa will be on hand for chats and photos. Whoville costumes, pj's or other festive dress encouraged! For preschoolers and elementary schoolers.

**Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
3-3:30 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

## DEC. 9, MONDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies**  
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Broken Arrow Library

**LEGO Build**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Join us as we put engineering principles into action and build with LEGOs. DUPLOs will be available for smaller hands. For ages 5-12.

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
11 a.m.-noon • Bixby Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family – Pajama Storytime!**  
6-7 p.m. • Central Library  
Wear your pj's!

## DEC. 10, TUESDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies**  
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers/Stay and Play**  
STORYTIME: 10-10:25 a.m. • 10:30-10:55 a.m.  
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.  
Broken Arrow Library  
STORYTIME: 10-10:30 a.m. • 10:30-11 a.m.  
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.  
Owasso Library



**PAWS for Reading**  
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Elementary schoolers are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust and the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries.  
Registration is required.

# Build A Reader Storytimes

Help your baby and young child get ready to read! Pick the storytime that's right for you! Seating may be limited.



**Babies** • Learn and enjoy songs, stories and activities that are just right for your little one at this lapsit storytime for newborns to 2-year-olds and their caregivers.

**Babies and Toddlers** • Ready, set, READ! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

**Bilingual** • Enjoy stories, songs and activities in English and Spanish.

**Family** • Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

**Preschool** • The best in children's literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

**Toddlers** • Join us for songs, stories and movements geared to your toddler.

**Stay and Play** • For babies and young children, playing is learning! Join us after storytime for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.



**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
10:15-11:15 a.m. • Brookside Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Charles Page Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
10:30-11 a.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play – Pajama Storytime!**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers**  
11-11:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

DEC. 11, WEDNESDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers**  
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool/Stay and Play**  
STORYTIME: 10-10:25 a.m. • 10:30-10:55 a.m.  
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.  
Owasso Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers**  
10-10:25 a.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual**  
10-10:45 a.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
10-11 a.m. • Jenks Library  
10-11 a.m. • Skiatook Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Helmerich Library  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play – Pajama Storytime!**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library

**Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool**  
11-11:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

**PAWS for Reading**  
4-5 p.m. • Collinsville Library  
Registration is required.

**Winter Family Film and Craft**  
6-7:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library  
Enjoy a beloved holiday classic with a slimetastic craft to follow! For elementary and middle schoolers.

DEC. 12, THURSDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
11 a.m.-noon • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

**Artsy Craftsy Kids' Club: Clay Gift Tags**  
3-4:30 p.m. • Judy Z. Kishner Library  
Drop in and have fun creating unique gift tags and ornaments out of air-dry clay in this relaxed and flexible child-led, process-oriented workshop. For ages 5-12.

**LEGOs After School**  
4-5 p.m. • Brookside Library  
Come together to build and create with LEGOs. We have a new challenge every month. For elementary schoolers.

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family**  
6-6:20 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

DEC. 13, FRIDAY

**Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play – Winter Is Coming!**  
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Judy Z. Kishner Library

**PAWS for Reading**  
11:30-11:45 a.m. • 11:45 a.m.-noon  
noon-12:15 p.m. • 12:15-12:30 p.m.  
12:30-12:45 p.m. • 12:45-1 p.m.  
Judy Z. Kishner Library  
Registration is required.

**Knights of the Square Table: Youth Chess Club**  
3:45-5:15 p.m. • Collinsville Library  
Make your move! Are you a beginner or a chess master? All levels of ability are welcome. For elementary to high schoolers.

**PAWS for Reading**  
4-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library  
4-5 p.m. • Brookside Library  
Registration is required.

DEC. 14, SATURDAY

**PAWS for Reading**  
11 a.m.-noon • Kendall-Whittier Library  
Registration is required.

**Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play**  
11 a.m.-noon • Nathan Hale Library

**PAWS for Reading**  
2-3 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library  
Registration is required.

DEC. 16, MONDAY

**Music Monday**  
10:30-11 a.m. • Central Library  
Join us for a fun morning of singing and dancing to help foster early literacy skills. For toddlers and preschoolers.

DEC. 17, TUESDAY

**Holiday Crafts**  
3:30-5 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library  
Join us to make a variety of seasonal crafts, while supplies last. For elementary schoolers to adults.

# THE GIFT THAT KEEPS ON GIVING: FREE BOOKS DELIVERED TO YOUR DOOR!



**Inspire your child's LOVE of reading!**  
Dolly Parton's Imagination Library is a book-gifting program that delivers a free, age-appropriate book each month until your child's fifth birthday. Every book is a new treasure waiting to be unwrapped, so register your child today!

## Enroll NOW!



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### How It Works:

- If you live in Tulsa County, enroll your child online today by scanning the QR code below or by visiting [www.TulsaLibrary.org/imagination-library](http://www.TulsaLibrary.org/imagination-library). Online enrollment is the fastest way to get your child signed up. Paper registration forms are available to pick up at and return to any Tulsa City-County Library location. For TCCL locations, see Page 39 or visit [www.TulsaLibrary.org/locations](http://www.TulsaLibrary.org/locations).
- In six to 12 weeks, your child will receive their first book in the mail. Age-appropriate books will arrive in the mail monthly until your child's fifth birthday.
- Moving? Parents and caregivers must update their address each time they move to continue receiving books. Visit the online Parent Information Center to update your profile.
- Need help? If you believe you should be eligible based on your address but are having trouble registering, please contact Rebecca Harrison to confirm eligibility.

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# after-school homework CLUB @ your library

**Get free one-to-one homework assistance for students in grades 3-8 through April 24.**

## Mondays - Thursdays

3:30-7 p.m. • Brookside Library  
4:30-7 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library  
5-7:30 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

## Mondays & Wednesdays

3:30-6 p.m. • Jenks Library • Maxwell Park Library

## Tuesdays & Thursdays

3:30-6 p.m. • Glenpool Library • Kendall-Whittier Library

Parents and guardians must register their child at [www.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkclub](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkclub). Email [ahhc@tulsalibrary.org](mailto:ahhc@tulsalibrary.org) or call 918-549-7323 for more information.



## Become a volunteer homework coach!

We are seeking volunteers, especially at the Martin Regional Library, who can provide support and assistance to children who need a little extra help with their homework assignment. Find volunteer requirements and apply at [www.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkclub](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkclub).

### DEC. 18, WEDNESDAY

#### "Grinched" Dough Ornaments

10:30-11:15 a.m. • Helmerich Library

Oh no! The Grinch traded our sugar for salt, now our cookie dough is ruined! Oh well, when life gives you salty dough, make ornaments! Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For children of all ages.

#### Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual

3-3:45 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

#### LEGO Fun

3:30-4:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Join us for a fun time building with bricks. Design your own amazing creations. We provide the LEGOs; you provide the imagination! For preschoolers to teens.

### DEC. 19, THURSDAY

#### Build A Reader Storytime:

#### Storytime at the Airport

10-10:30 a.m.

Location: Tulsa International Airport, 7777 Airport Drive

Join the Maxwell Park Library at the airport for this fun destination storytime for ages 0-5. Attendees can park in the airport's parking garage, take the elevator or stairs to the second level, and walk across the street to Schwab Hall. Attendees will receive a ticket when leaving for free parking.

#### Holiday Movies

1-5 p.m. • Brookside Library

Don't stay home alone this season. Come and watch a holiday movie (or two) with us! Bring your cozy crafts. We'll provide the popcorn. For elementary schoolers.

#### Christmas Crafting Fun

2-3 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Let's use our imagination and make some crafts for Christmas. For all ages.

### Craft Castle: Winter Workshop

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Join us at the Craft Castle to make a fun and festive winter-themed craft. Sponsored by the Hispanic Resource Center. For preschoolers and elementary schoolers.

#### PAWS for Reading

4-5 p.m. • Glenpool Library

Registration is required.

#### Winter Family Movie

4-6 p.m.

Central Library • Tandy Garden

Join us for a fun winter movie in our garden. We will provide free popcorn, hot cocoa and activities for kids ages 12 and under. Bring your favorite blanket and get cozy! In case of inclement weather, we'll bring the fun indoors to Aaronson Auditorium.

### DEC. 20, FRIDAY

#### Homeschool Fun Friday

11 a.m.-noon • Charles Page Library

Join us for a winter social and resource swap for homeschool families. Enjoy games, browse our free resource table and participate in laid-back activities to celebrate the end of the year! For all ages.

### DEC. 21, SATURDAY

#### Movies in the Cove

10 a.m.-noon

Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove

Join us for a family-friendly movie (rated PG). No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For families of all ages.

#### Holiday Cookie Decorations

1:30-2:30 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library

Enjoy a yummy start to the holiday season by decorating treats. For elementary schoolers.

### DEC. 23, MONDAY

#### Holiday Ornaments

2-3 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Decorate an ornament to take home. For elementary schoolers.

#### An Afternoon With the Grinch

3-5 p.m. • Helmerich Library

Join us for an afternoon movie to get you in the seasonal spirit. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For all ages.

### DEC. 28, SATURDAY

#### Tinker Saturday

10 a.m.-noon

Central Library • Maker Space

Experience the joy of tinkering in the Maker Space as a family. Explore cutting-edge tech, experiment with materials and create something unique you can take home. For preschoolers and elementary schoolers and their families.

### DEC. 31, TUESDAY

#### Noon Year's Eve!

11 a.m.-noon • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

For the young and young at heart, we will celebrate the new year at a reasonable hour: noon! We'll have activities, games, songs and a new year countdown. Sponsored by Friends of the Helmerich Library. For all ages.

#### Noon Year's Eve Party

11 a.m.-12:15 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

For the young and young at heart, celebrate the new year at a reasonable hour: noon! Expect activities, songs and a new year countdown. For all ages.

# mi biblioteca

Una guía mensual de eventos, servicios y recursos de la Biblioteca de la Ciudad y Condado de Tulsa



## La biblioteca como centro de la comunidad

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En un mundo cada vez más digital, no se puede exagerar la importancia de los espacios físicos para la conexión social. Las bibliotecas de la ciudad y condado de Tulsa se esfuerzan por crear entornos en los que todo el mundo se sienta bienvenido, independientemente de la edad, procedencia o intereses, esta inclusividad es vital para fomentar comunidades diversas, estimular la participación de distintos grupos demográficos y mejorar la cohesión social.

Mientras navegamos por las complejidades de la vida moderna, las bibliotecas desempeñan un papel crucial en el desarrollo de la comunidad. No son sólo lugares donde podemos tomar prestados libros; son lugares de conexión social, crecimiento personal e intercambio cultural. Al ofrecer una variedad de programas y espacios de reunión, las bibliotecas pueden ayudar a combatir el aislamiento y promover un sentido de pertenencia.

TCCL se ha considerado durante mucho tiempo un santuario del conocimiento, pero también es un vibrante centro comunitario, con 24 bibliotecas alrededor del condado de Tulsa, TCCL ayuda a fomentar la interacción social y la conexión entre grupos diversos. Con una variedad de programas mensuales, desde la hora de los cuentos para los más pequeños hasta los clubes de anime para adolescentes, estos programas unen a la gente y ayudan a forjar amistades y redes. Las bibliotecas

han pasado de ser meros depósitos de libros a convertirse en dinámicos centros comunitarios, que ofrecen programas que responden a una amplia gama de interés y brindan a los residentes la oportunidad de participar, aprender y relacionarse.

Mensualmente TCCL ofrece su guía de eventos, ahí podrás encontrar muchos programas que ofrecen en sus 24 bibliotecas, como clubes de libros, programas infantiles y para adolescentes. Además de los programas organizados, las bibliotecas ofrecen salas de reuniones para que los miembros de la comunidad organicen sus propios clubes y eventos. Uno de ellos es el grupo de **Girl Scouts** que se reúnen en diferentes bibliotecas, otro de ellos es el grupo **Brain Injury Support Group** (Grupo de apoyo al traumatismo cerebral) que se reúne en la biblioteca **Regional Hardesty**, así como el grupo **Supporters of Families with Sickle Cell** (Apoyo a las familias con anemia falciforme) que se reúne en la biblioteca **Regional Rudisill**, o el grupo **Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance Oklahoma Chapter** (Alianza de Apoyo a la Depresión y el Trastorno Bipolar, delegación de Oklahoma); que tienen sus reuniones en la biblioteca **Brookside**.

TCCL se enorgullece de colaborar con varias organizaciones sin fines de lucro que se dedican a servir a la comunidad. Al asociarnos con grupos como Tulsa Responds, YWCA y CAP,

podemos proporcionar valiosos recursos y apoyo a las personas y familias necesitadas. Nuestra meta es, tener un impacto positivo en las vidas de aquellos en nuestra comunidad y trabajar hacia la creación de un futuro más brillante para todos. Esta flexibilidad permite a los residentes tomar la iniciativa, ya sea un club de lectura, un grupo de apoyo o una reunión de pasatiempos. Al proporcionar estos espacios, las bibliotecas fomentan la participación comunitaria y permiten que las personas se conecten en torno a intereses comunes. y la disponibilidad de salas de reuniones, las bibliotecas desempeñan un papel crucial en el fortalecimiento de los vínculos comunitarios.

Así que si te interesa reservar una sala de reuniones visita la página web [www.tulsalibrary.org/using-the-library/meeting-rooms](http://www.tulsalibrary.org/using-the-library/meeting-rooms) para más información. Recuerda que el uso de las salas de reuniones de las bibliotecas es para grupos sin fines de lucro, instituciones educativas, organizaciones cívicas y empresas que necesitan espacio para la formación de sus empleados, con un mínimo de 5 o más asistentes, podrás reservar una de las salas de reuniones en cualquiera de las 24 bibliotecas de Tulsa. En conclusión, el uso de las salas de reuniones de las bibliotecas ha tenido un impacto significativo en el desarrollo de la comunidad al proporcionar espacios accesibles para estos grupos.

# Eventos

## Build A Reader Storytime:

### Cuentos Bilingües/Juegan Juntos

Martes, 3, 10, 17 de diciembre • 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Biblioteca Maxwell Park

Cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español. ¡Jugar es aprender! Vengan para jugar con juguetes y hacer actividades después de los cuentos.

## Novela Gráfica Discusión

Martes, 3 de diciembre • 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

Echale un vistazo a la novela gráfica de este mes, "Olympians. Vol. 1, Zeus, King of the Gods" escrito por George O'Connor. Recoge una copia en el escritorio del área de niños y prepárate para hablar sobre todo lo relacionado a las novelas gráficas. Para edades de 9 a 12 años. Este programa es bilingüe.

## Build A Reader Storytime:

### Cuentos Bilingües/Juegan Juntos

Miércoles, 4, 11, 18 de diciembre • 10-11 a.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

Cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español. ¡Jugar es aprender! Vengan para jugar con juguetes y hacer actividades después de los cuentos.

## Build A Reader Storytime:

### Cuentos Bilingües

Miércoles, 4, 18 de diciembre • 3-3:45 p.m.

Miércoles, 11 de diciembre • 10-10:45 a.m.

Biblioteca Kendall-Whittier

Cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español.

## Build A Reader Storytime:

### Familia/Juegan Juntos

Jueves, 5, 12, 19 de diciembre • 10-11 a.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Toda la familia está invitada! Vamos a leer y cantar mientras hablamos sobre actividades divertidas para

practicar en casa. ¡Jugar es aprender! Vengan para jugar con juguetes y hacer actividades después de los cuentos.

## Club de Anime

Jueves, 5 de diciembre • 4:30-6 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

Únase a nosotros mientras discutimos, miramos y aumentamos nuestro conocimiento general del anime y manga. Legero bocadillos proporcionado por los Amigos de la Biblioteca Helmerich. Para edades de 12 a 18 años.

## Build A Reader Storytime: Familia

Sábado, 7 de diciembre • 3-3:30 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Toda la familia está invitada! Vamos a leer y cantar mientras hablamos sobre actividades divertidas para practicar en casa.

## Viaja x el mundo desde tu biblioteca

Miércoles, 11 de diciembre • 6-7 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

Ven al programa "Viaja x el mundo desde la biblioteca" y disfruta con nosotros mientras recorremos la increíble ciudad de Seúl en Corea del Sur. ¿A quién no le gustaría viajar y conocer nuevos lugares? Hay muchas maneras de viajar x el mundo y una de ellas es viniendo a la biblioteca. En este programa conoceremos los lugares más visitados de Seúl en Corea del Sur y recorreremos sus calles sin necesidad de gastar un centavo. ¡Ven y diviértete con nosotros! Tendremos actividades. Para todas las edades.

## Horario de Voluntario

### para Adolescentes

Viernes, 13 de diciembre • 4-5 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

Pase por la Biblioteca Regional Martin el segundo y cuarto viernes de cada mes para ser voluntarios de la biblioteca. No es necesario registrarse. Para edades de 12 a 16 años.

## Craft Castle: Taller de invierno

Jueves, 19 de diciembre • 3-4 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

Acompáñenos en "Craft Castle" para hacer una divertida manualidad festiva con

temática de invierno! Patrocinado por El Centro Hispano de Recursos Bibliotecarios. Para niños de preescolar y primaria.

## Fiesta del Año Nuevo

Martes, 31 de diciembre • 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

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## PARA ADULTOS

*Demon Copperhead* por Barbara Kingsolver

*La ciudad y sus muros inciertos*  
por Haruki Murakami

*Maneras de amar* por Amir Levine

## PARA ADOLESCENTES

*Incendiary* por Zoraida Córdova

*Ansia* por Tracy Wolff

*Zhara* por S. Jae-Jones

## PARA NIÑOS

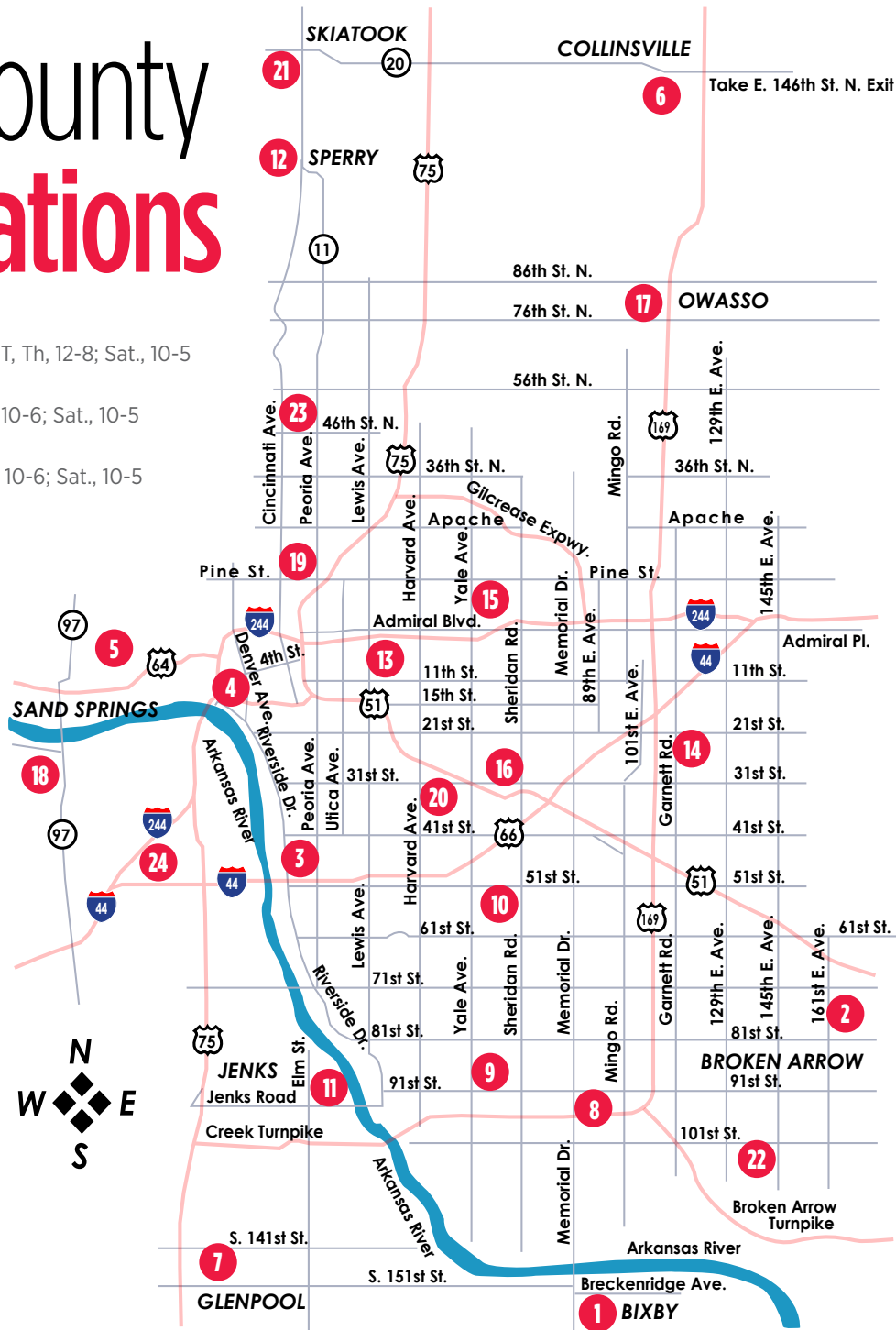
*Gimnasia* por Mari Bolte

*Mi primer jardín* por Livi Gosling

*No es un monstruo*  
por Claudia Guadalupe Martínez

# Tulsa City-County Library Locations

- 1 Bixby Library**  
20 E. Breckenridge, 74008 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 2 Broken Arrow Library**  
300 W. Broadway, 74012 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 3 Brookside Library**  
1207 E. 45th Place, 74105 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 4 Central Library**  
400 Civic Center, 74103  
M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 5 Charles Page Library**  
551 E. Fourth St., Sand Springs, 74063  
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 6 Collinsville Library**  
1223 Main, 74021  
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 7 Glenpool Library**  
730 E. 141st St., 74033  
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 8 Hardesty Regional Library and Genealogy Center**  
8316 E. 93rd St., 74133  
M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 9 Helmerich Library**  
5131 E. 91st St., 74137  
M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 10 Herman and Kate Kaiser Library**  
5202 S. Hudson Ave., Suite B, 74135  
M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 11 Jenks Library**  
523 W. B St., 74037  
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 12 Judy Z. Kishner Library**  
10150 N. Cincinnati Ave. E., Sperry, 74073  
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 13 Kendall-Whittier Library**  
21 S. Lewis, 74104 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 14 Martin Regional Library and Hispanic Resource Center**  
2601 S. Garnett Road, 74129 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 15 Maxwell Park Library**  
1313 N. Canton, 74115 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 16 Nathan Hale Library**  
6038 E. 23rd St., 74114 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 17 Owasso Library**  
103 W. Broadway, 74055 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 18 Pratt Library**  
3219 S. 113th W. Ave., Sand Springs, 74063  
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- 19 Rudisill Regional Library and African American Resource Center**  
1520 N. Hartford, 74106 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 20 Schusterman-Benson Library**  
3333 E. 32nd Place, 74135 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 21 Skiatook Library**  
316 E. Rogers, 74070 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 22 South Broken Arrow Library**  
3600 S. Chestnut, 74011 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 23 Suburban Acres Library**  
4606 N. Garrison, 74126 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 24 Zarrow Regional Library and American Indian Resource Center**  
2224 W. 51st St., 74107 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5