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17 Writing Workshop 2:00 p.m.	18	19	20	21 Paperback Pals 3:45 p.m.	22	23 Micah and Me 2:00 p.m.
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Legend: ■ Adults ■ Teens ■ Kids ■ All Ages

### Reading Suggestions



Scan this QR code for booklists for all age groups celebrating books from all over the world!

[sherwoodoregon.gov/library/reading](http://sherwoodoregon.gov/library/reading)

## STORYTIME

**[In-Person]** Interactive reading, rhymes, music and movement for developing early literacy skills and kindergarten readiness.

**Storytime break: September 5 - September 12**

#### Storytimes

- Fun for Ones:** Tuesdays @ 9:30 a.m. Ages 12-23 months.
- Toddler Storytime:** Tuesdays @ 10:15 a.m. Ages 2-3 years.
- All Ages Storytime:** Wednesdays @ 9:30 & 10:15 a.m.
- Baby Storytime:** Thursdays @ 10:15 a.m. Ages 0-12 months.



### Letter from the Manager



## Library Card Sign-Up Month -- With Prizes!

September is Library Card Sign-up Month, a time when we join the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries nationwide to remind everyone about the valuable resources available with your library card.

Use your card to access a world of resources thanks to Washington County Cooperative Library Services (WCCLS). Get an e-access card in an instant at [wccls.org/online-card](http://wccls.org/online-card), then head over to [wccls.org/research](http://wccls.org/research) to make the most of your school year. Read ebooks and listen to audiobooks on Libby, stream videos using Kanopy, and access live homework help in English, Spanish and French online through our Brainfuse HelpNow service. Take practice exams with Brainfuse JobNow and learn new software, creative, and business skills with videos on LinkedIn Learning.

Visit us in person to upgrade your e-access card for checking out any of the nearly 2 million items available to you through WCCLS, including our Library of Things laptops, hotspots, tools, gadgets, tabletop games, and more.

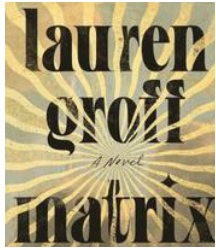
Join the celebration by getting a library card and be entered to win one of four \$25 gift cards. Returning patrons using their card for the first time since 2020 are also eligible. Card holders must have a Sherwood address to be eligible to win.



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# For Adults



## Adult Book Discussion

Wednesday, September 13, 6:00 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Read. Be inspired. Discuss. We are discussing *Matrix* by Lauren Groff -- about a 17-year old French aristocrat in the Middle Ages cast out of her royal court and forced to make her way at an English abbey. The first ten to register receive a free copy of the book.\*

## Repair Fair

Saturday, September 16,  
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Repair Fairs are events where volunteers with "fixing" skills help others fix broken items. Sign up online to see if volunteers can help fix your item, or volunteer to fix items for others. Registration required.

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## Library Services in Twenty Languages



We are proud to launch new free interpretation services, thanks to Washington County Cooperative Library Services, and just in time for Welcoming Week. We can now provide customer service help at Sherwood Public Library in 20 additional languages: Arabic, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Farsi/Persian, German, Hindi, Hmong, Japanese, Khmer/Cambodian, Korean, Laotian, Nepali, Romanian, Russian, Somali, Spanish, Tagalog/Filipino, Teluga, Ukrainian, and Vietnamese. Point to your language at our front desk, or call us on the phone, and we will call an interpreter for live assistance.

## Writing Workshop

Sunday, September 17, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Our Fall series is here! Author Marie Buckley leads a warm-up exercise and thematic writing session. No experience necessary. Bring writing tools and expect positive feedback. September 17 theme - "Fresh."

## Digital Literacy Workshops/ Talleres de alfabetización digital

Wednesdays, October 4 - November 8,  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m. (Free dinner at 5:30 p.m.)

**[In-Person]** NEW computer workshops in English and Spanish at the SHARE Center [21920 SW Sherwood Blvd.]. Learn about computer basics, email, cybersecurity, video conferencing, and more. Child care provided. Prizes for participants! Classes made possible by an incentive from the Public Library Association and AT&T. Registration is required.

Los miércoles, desde 4 de octubre hasta el 8  
de noviembre, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.  
(Cena gratis a las 5:30 p.m.)

**[En persona]** NUEVO talleres de computación en inglés y español en el Centro SHARE [21920 SW Sherwood Blvd.]. Aprenda sobre conceptos básicos de informática, correo electrónico, ciberseguridad, videoconferencias y más. Se proporciona cuidado de niños. ¡Premios para los participantes! Clases posibles gracias a un incentivo de la Asociación de Bibliotecas Públicas y AT&T. Es necesario registrarse.

## Sign up for our E-Newsletter!



Each month we email a digital newsletter to you, with all the latest library info and booklists for all ages.

[sherwoodoregon.gov/library/newsletters](http://sherwoodoregon.gov/library/newsletters)

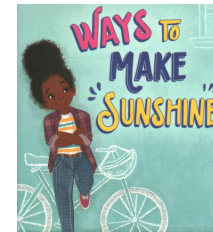
# For Youth & Family



## Read to Mia the Dog

Saturday, September 9,  
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Brush up on reading skills in a fun and non-judgmental environment while reading with a trained therapy dog for 20 minutes. Get a frequent reader card to earn a new book after 5 visits and a Friends of the Library coupon to spend after you read to Mia. Registration required.



## Paperback Pals

Thursday, September 21, 3:45 p.m.

**[In-Person / Zoom]** It's so much fun to talk about the books you love with pals who enjoy reading! A free copy\* of *Ways to Make Sunshine* by Renée Watson is available at registration while supplies last. Grades 3-5.

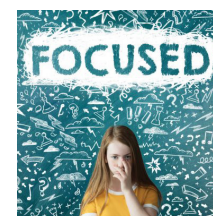
# For Tweens & Teens



## Teen Book Club

Wednesday, September 13, 3:30 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Are you a teen who loves reading? Join us to discuss books, have a snack, and do related activities. Register and get a free copy\* of *Scythe* by Neal Shusterman to read before our meeting, while supplies last. Books read in Teen Book Club may contain mature content. Grades 9-12.



## Fiction Friends

Thursday, September 14, 4:00 p.m.

**[In-Person / Zoom]** Each month we read a book in advance, then discuss it during the book club. Each session ends with an activity. Free copy\* of *Focused* by Alyson Gerber available at registration while supplies last. Grades 6-8.

## Book Buddies

Thursday, September 28, 3:45 p.m.

**[In-Person / Zoom]** Enjoy talking about *Didi Dodo Future Spy: Double O Dodo* by Tom Angleberger this month with kids your age and an activity to follow. A free copy\* of this month's book is available at registration while supplies last. Grades K-2.

## STEAM Saturday

Saturday, September 30,  
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Drop in for a dose of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) fun on the last Saturday of every month. Build with Snap Circuits, 3-D pens, Magnetic Tiles, and more. This month we have a pull back car station to practice your maker skills. All ages.

## Micah and Me

Saturday, September 23, 2:00 p.m.

**[In-Person]** Join us for a high energy ukulele party! Attendees receive an hour of professional ukulele instruction and walk away knowing how to play 5-10 beginner songs. Ages 10 and up.

All library events are free to attend and open to the public.

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