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1 Two Sentence Terror Tales Begins	2	3 TeenLAB 4:00 p.m.	4 Computer Basics // Conceptos básicos de las computadoras 6:00 p.m.	5 Citizenship Class/Clase de ciudadanía 5:30 p.m.	6	7
BANNED BOOKS WEEK						
8	9 LIBRARY CLOSED FOR IN-SERVICE TRAINING	10	11 Teen Book Club 3:30 p.m. Adult Book Discussion 6:00 p.m. Cybersecurity 6:00 p.m.	12 Fiction Friends 4:00 p.m. Citizenship Class/Clase de ciudadanía 5:30 p.m.	13	14 Read to Mia the Dog 11:00 a.m.
15 Writing Workshop 2:00 p.m.	16	17 TeenLAB 4:00 p.m.	18 Internet Basics// Conceptos básicos de Internet 6:00 p.m.	19 Paperback Pals 3:45 p.m. Citizenship Class/Clase de ciudadanía 5:30 p.m.	20	21
22	23	24	25 Video Conferencing Basics // Conceptos básicos de las video conferencias 6:00 p.m.	26 Book Buddies 3:45 p.m. Citizenship Class/Clase de ciudadanía 5:30 p.m.	27	28 STEAM Saturday / Sábado de STEAM 11:00 a.m.
29	30	31 Two Sentence Terror Tales Ends Old Town Trick-or-Treating Truco o trato en Old Town 3:00-6:00 p.m.	1	2	3	4

Legend: ■ Adults ■ Teens ■ Kids ■ All Ages

Reading Suggestions



Scan this QR code for booklists for all age groups celebrating spooky books for Halloween!

sherwoodoregon.gov/library/reading

STORYTIME

Interactive reading, rhymes, music and movement for developing early literacy skills and kindergarten readiness.

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



Sherwood Public Library Celebrates the Freedom to Read

Banned Books Week (October 1-7, 2023) is an annual event of the American Library Association celebrating the freedom to read and highlighting the value of free and open access to information. Public libraries affirm the right and responsibility of parents to guide their children's library use, and the right of Americans to choose their own reading material. Visit us in person for more information and giveaways, including a free vinyl sticker from Washington County Cooperative Library Services.

Visit sherwoodoregon.gov/library/BBW2023 and uniteagainstbookbans.org for more info.



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For All Ages



Two Sentence Terror Tales

October 1 - 31

Can you write a scary story using just two sentences? Everyone may submit two stories in person, through a Facebook message, or via email to askusSPL@sherwoodoregon.gov. The top three winners will win prizes. Winners announced shortly after Halloween 2023! See rules in the library and at sherwoodoregon.gov/library

For Adults



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.)

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.)

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.



<https://bit.ly/DLWSPL>

Old Town Trick-or-Treating / Truco o trato en Old Town

Tuesday, October 31, 3:00-6:00 p.m.

The library is a stop at Sherwood Main Street's beloved annual event. Join us for family-friendly fun and allergy-friendly treats, rain or shine.

Martes, el 31 de octubre, 3:00-6:00 p.m.

La biblioteca es una parada en el querido evento anual de Sherwood Main Street. Únase a nosotros para disfrutar de diversión familiar y delicias para personas alérgicas, lluvia o sol.

Citizenship Classes/ Clases de ciudadanía

Thursdays, Oct. 5 - Dec. 14, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Volunteers from Mission: Citizen will offer a free citizenship course that will cover U.S. history, governmental structure, civil rights, and basic civic concepts. No class November 23.

Los jueves desde el 5 de octubre hasta el 14 de diciembre, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Voluntarios de Mission: Citizen ofrecerán un curso gratis que cubrirá la historia de los Estados Unidos, la estructura del gobierno, derechos civiles y conceptos cívicos básicos. No hay clase de 23 de noviembre.

Adult Book Discussion

Wednesday, October 11, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Read. Be inspired. Discuss. We are discussing *Nightcrawling* by Leila Mottley -- about Kiara, who drops out of high school to help take care of her brother and a young boy in their apartment complex. The first ten to register receive a free copy of the book.*

Writing Workshop

Sunday, October 15, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

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. October 15 theme - "Super."

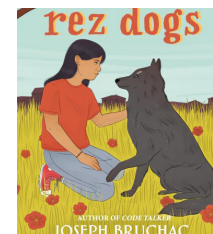
For Youth & Family



Read to Mia the Dog

Saturday, October 14, 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

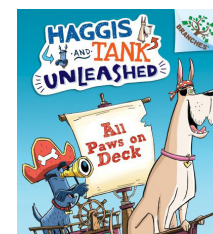
Brush up on reading skills in a fun and non-judgmental environment while reading with a trained therapy dog for 20 minutes. Get a frequent reader card to earn a new book after five visits and a Friends of the Library coupon to spend after you read to Mia. Registration required.



Paperback Pals

Thursday, October 19, 3:45-4:45 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 *Rez Dogs* by Joseph Bruchac is available at registration while supplies last. Grades 3-5.



Book Buddies

Thursday, October 26, 3:45-4:45 p.m.

[In-Person / Zoom] Enjoy talking about *Haggis and Tank Unleashed: All Paws On Deck* by Jessica Young 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.

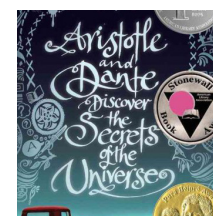
For Tweens & Teens



TeenLAB

Tuesdays, October 3 & 17, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Join a solid group of teens who want to make the library a great place! Email askusSPL@sherwoodoregon.gov for info on volunteering.



Teen Book Club

Wednesday, October 11, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

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 *Aristotle and Dante Discover the Secrets of the Universe* by Benjamin Alire Sáenz to read before our meeting, while supplies last. Books read in Teen Book Club may contain mature content. Grades 9-12.

STEAM Saturday / Sábado de STEAM

Saturday, October 28, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

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 special station to practice your maker skills. All ages.

Sábado, el 28 de octubre, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Visítenos para disfrutar de una dosis de diversión STEAM el último sábado de cada mes. Construir con Snap Circuits, lápices 3D, Magna-Tiles y más. Cada mes habrá una estación "sorpresa" en la que podrá poner en práctica sus habilidades creativas. Todas las edades.

Fiction Friends

Thursday, October 12, 4:00-5:00 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 *Stowaway* by John David Anderson available at registration while supplies last. Grades 6-8.

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.

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