May 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	1	2	3	FREE COMIC BOOK DAY Mobile Device Basics 8:30 a.m.
5	6	7	Teen Book Club 3:30 p.m. Adult Book Discussion 6:00 p.m.	Fiction Friends 4:00 p.m.	10	Dispositivos móviles 8:30 a.m. Read to the Dog 11:00 a.m.
12	13	14	15	Paperback Pals 3:45 p.m.	17	Celebrating Our Heritage: Hula Halau 'Ohana Holo'oko'a 11:00 a.m.
Writing Workshop 2:00 p.m.	20	21	22	Book Buddies 3:45 p.m.	24	25
26	LIBRARY CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY	28	29	30	31	1

Reading Suggestions



Scan this QR code for booklists for all age groups to celebrate Asian-American and Pacific Islander authors and cultures.

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Legend: Adults Teens Kids

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

All Ages

STORYTIME BREAK: MAY 28 - 30.

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.

LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

May 2024





Summer Reading Is Coming Soon

Join us for events throughout the summer and enjoy free books and reading challenges for children, teens, and adults. Pick out your free book to keep starting June 1.

- Kick-off the fun with **Oregon Reptile Man** on Saturday, June 1, 11:00 a.m. or 12:15 p.m.
- Get ready for fun on Tuesdays, July 2-23,
 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in Cannery Square. Live events from Louis Foxx, Magician; Rhys Thomas, Jugglemania; Habiba's Village, and a Goat Party.
- Meet a famous character in the library at our Fly Guy Party on Saturday, July 6, 11:00 a.m.
- Bilingual Storytime in the Park is a camp-like experience for children and families, in English and Spanish, held Thursdays, July 11-25, 10:30-11:30 a.m., at Stella Olsen Park.



Sherwood Library Foundation [SHELF] is a newly formed fundraising non-profit working to enhance the facilities and services provided by the Sherwood Public Library. Want to learn more? Follow them on Facebook at facebook.com/sherwoodlibraryfoundation or check out their website at sherwoodlibraryfoundation.com.

Donations are accepted via mail or Paypal.



-- Adrienne Doman Calkins, Library Manager





Proud Member Since 1976

For Adults



Mobile Device Basics

Saturday, May 4, 8:30-10:00 a.m.

This workshop is for those who have a new mobile device, or are considering purchasing one, and want to learn more about the basic features. It will help students connect, identify common apps, and build confidence to use their device safely. Class size is limited. Registration required.*



Adult Book Discussion

Wednesday, May 8, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Read. Be inspired. Discuss. We are discussing The Night Watchman by Louise Erdrich -about Thomas, a night watchman at a rural North Dakota factory and also a prominent Chippewa Council member, who discovers and fights against a new bill going before Congress that could strip his tribe of their land. The first ten to register receive a free copy of the book.*

Conceptos básicos de los dispositivos móviles

Sábado, el 11 de mayo, 8:30-10:00 a.m. Este taller está dirigido a quienes tienen un nuevo dispositivo móvil, o están considerando adquirir uno, y quieren aprender más sobre las funciones básicas. Ayudará a los alumnos a conectarse, a identificar las aplicaciones comunes y a aumentar la confianza para utilizar su dispositivo de forma segura. Se requiere reaistro.*

Writing Workshop

Sunday, May 19, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Our Spring 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. May's theme - "Hustle."*

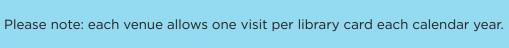
Library Mail Service

Library Mail Service lets you receive books, movies, and audiobooks mailed to your home at no cost if you can't physically make it to the library, thanks to Washington County Cooperative Library Services. Please share with friends or family if you know anyone who can benefit from this program. Learn more at wccls.org/librarymailservice or call 503-648-9785.



Adventure Pass

Washington County Cooperative Library Services provides passes for small groups to visit local attractions for free! Use your library card to reserve and use passes to venues such as the Lan Su Chinese Garden, the Pittock Mansion, Oregon State Parks, and even the Portland Art Museum! More information is available at wccls.org/adventurepass.





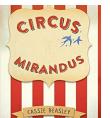
For Youth & Family



Read to the Dog

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

Brush up on reading skills in a fun and nonjudgmental 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 Missy. Registration required.



Paperback Pals

Thursday, May 16, 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 Circus Mirandus by Cassie Beasley is available at registration while supplies last. Grades 3-5.

Celebrating Our Heritage: Hula Halau 'Ohana Holo'oko'a

Saturday, May 18, 11:00 a.m.

We are celebrating Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage month with a hula demonstration and storytelling from Hawai'i. All families welcome. A Take & Make craft project will be available after the event. Funding provided by generous support of Cultural Coalition of Washington County and Oregon Cultural Trust. Ages 3 and up.

Book Buddies

Thursday, May 23, 3:45-4:45 p.m.

[In-Person / Zoom] Enjoy talking about Truth or Lie: Dogs! by Erica S Perl 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



Teen Book Club

Wednesday, May 8, 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 One for All by Lillie Lainoff to read before our meeting, while supplies last. Books read in Teen Book Club may contain mature content. Grades 9-12.

Fiction Friends

Thursday, May 9, 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 *The Last Cuentista* by Donna Barba Higuera 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.

May 4 -- Free **Comic Book Day**

We're celebrating Free Comic Book Day on Saturday, May 4. Stop by and pick up a free comic while supplies last.

We'll also have a Make Your Own Comic

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Book station.