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Library News and Events



St. Joseph Public Library





St. Joseph Public Library’s Mission Statement:

The St. Joseph Public Library preserves yesterday, informs today and inspires tomorrow.

Through a variety of materials, programs and services, we provide in a friendly atmosphere the means for our patrons of all ages to connect to the online world, to learn throughout their lives, to better understand their community and personal heritage, to meet their recreational needs and to obtain answers to their questions.

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Storytimes

Baby - Toddler - Preschool

Introduce your children to books and reading at our fun storytimes. Experience a lively mix of stories, songs, rhymes and crafts that make this a special time for you and your child.

Carnegie Library

Toddler Storytime

Wednesdays, March 6 - April 24 @ 10:30 a.m.

This storytime with Miss Jenny welcomes toddlers ages 18 months and up with an adult. The approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Downtown Library

Baby Storytime

Mondays, February 25 - April 22 @ 9:30 a.m.

Babies can enjoy storytime too! Babies up to 35 months with an adult are invited to enjoy stories and songs with Miss Misty. The approximate running time is 30 minutes.

Preschool Storytime

Thursdays, February 28 - April 25 @ 10:30 a.m.

Children ages 3 to 6 years old are welcome to hear stories with Miss Misty. The approximate running time is 45 minutes.

East Hills Library

Preschool Storytime

Tuesdays, March 5 - April 30 @ 10 a.m.

Children up to 6 years old with an adult are invited to enjoy a fun storytime with Miss Jess. The approximate running time is 35 minutes.

Washington Park Library

Preschool Storytime

Mondays, March 4 - April 29 @ 10 a.m.

Children up to 6 years old with an adult are invited to enjoy a fun storytime with Miss Sarah. The approximate running time is 45 minutes.





Pre-kindergarten

Downtown Library

1-2-3, Play with Me!



1-2-3, Play With Me - Parents of 12-month to 4-year-old children are invited to attend five sessions of 1-2-3, Play With Me. Children will be able to play with educational toys while parents speak one-on-one to someone who knows about: Social and Emotional Development; Nutrition; Early Literacy; Speech and Language; Music and Movement. This series of weekly sessions is free, but space is limited. Registration is required.

Parents of 12-month to 4-year-olds.

Tuesdays @ 5:30 p.m. on March 12, 19 & 26 and April 2 & 9.

East Hills Library

Pre-K Play - Children age 6 and under and their caregivers are invited to learn and play together with the early literacy toy collection. In addition, we will sing songs and fingerplays featuring rhythm instruments, ribbon wands, scarves and shakers. Each family in attendance receives a free book to add to their home library. This program is supported by the Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act as administered by the Missouri State Library, a division of the Office of the Secretary of State.

For children age 6 and under with a caregiver.

Fridays @ 10 a.m. on February 15 & March 15



Dr. Seuss Birthday Brunch at Keatley Center— Parents, caregivers, and children age 6 and under are invited to join us for a fun-filled morning in celebration of Dr. Seuss' whimsical characters! Enjoy free food, early literacy activities, storytime, crafts, and more. Each child will receive a free book to add to their home library. This program is supported by the Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act as administered by the Missouri State Library, a division of the Office of the Secretary of State. For more information, contact Jay Martin at the United Way at 364-2381.

Children birth - 6 years old with a caregiver. Keatley Center located at 1202 S. 28th St.

Saturday, March 9 @ 10 a.m. Approximate running time is 2 hours.



Children & Parents

Downtown Library

STEAMondays - Children can explore STEAM at the library. Sessions will be devoted to Science, Technology, Engineering, Art or Math.

2nd - 6th graders. Sign-up required. Please sign up by the Friday preceding the session you'd like to attend. Check the library website for a detailed list of session activities.

Mondays @ 4 p.m. March 4 - April 22



Valentine Box Workshop

East Hills Library  Downtown Library

Thursday, February 7 @ 4:30 p.m. Saturday, February 9 @ 10:30 a.m.

Need a Valentine Box? Come make it at the library! We'll have a selection of boxes and craft supplies available. You just bring your imagination and creativity! Approximate running time is 2 hours.

For children in K through 6th grade.

Sign-up by February 6 required.

East Hills Library

STEAM Society - Come explore our Makerspace activities. We will delve into our different Maker Kits or be artsy. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Valentine Chemistry: Explore chemistry with Valentine candy and colors. Make oobleck and cupid toothpaste and see which liquid best dissolves candy hearts.

K through 6th graders. Sign-up required.

Thursday, February 14 @ 4:30 p.m.

Pi Day!: Celebrate Pi Day with art, math, and cooking. We'll make a Pi High Skyline art project on canvas. Then we'll make our own mini pizza pies to eat!

K through 8th graders.

Thursday, March 14 @ 4:30 p.m.

Children & Parents

Have you heard about...

S.T.A.M.P.S?



S.T.A.M.P.S. is a monthly email that features a complete list of the upcoming month's programs and events at all four branches of the St. Joseph Public Library.

To sign up for this email and others:

1. Visit sjpl.lib.mo.us
2. Click on the "Newsletters" link on the top of the page.
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It is that simple!

East Hills Library (continued)

First Friday Fun!

First Friday Fun - Come to the library the first Friday of every month for fun activities. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Do We Know Dewey? Scavenger Hunt: Test your library skills or learn some new ones as we complete a scavenger hunt throughout the library. Do you know Dewey? You will after this!

K through 8th graders. Sign-up by January 31 required.

Friday, February 1 @ 2 p.m.

Candy Science: Mentos and Coke explosions, candy acid test, and other fun science using candy. Two sessions offered!

K through 8th graders. Sign-up by February 22 required.

Friday, March 1 @ 1 p.m.

Friday, March 1 @ 2 p.m.

Smash Bros. Tournament - Be the best and beat the rest in our Super Smash Bros. for Nintendo Switch tournament. Bring your own joycon if you can. Approximate running time is 2 hours.

4th through 12th graders. Sign-up by March 17 required.

Monday, March 18 @ 2 p.m.

Spring LEGO Challenge - Can you build it? Find out in our Spring LEGO Challenge. We'll have challenge cards to complete and lots of LEGO bricks with which to build.

K through 8th graders.

Thursday, March 21 @ 2 p.m.

Minecraft Show-and-Tell—Do you play Minecraft? Want to show off your favorite build, command, mod or world? Come to our Minecraft Show-and-Tell. Please limit your Show-and-Tell presentation to 5 minutes. If you just want to come watch, but not present, you are welcome to do so and do not need to register.

4th through 12 graders. Sign-up by March 29 required.

Saturday, March 30 @ 2 p.m.





Children & Parents

Washington Park Library

Tricky Tuesday: BINGO for Kids - Play BINGO to win cool prizes. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

K through 6th graders.

Tuesday, February 5 @ 4 p.m.



Tricky Tuesday: Valentine Cookie and Card Decorating– Decorate and eat sugar cookies with friends and create Valentine cards for your loved ones. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

K through 6th graders.

Tuesday, February 12 @ 4 p.m.

Tricky Tuesday: Straw Weaving - Learn how to weave your own beautiful bracelet or bookmark using yarn and straws. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

K through 6th graders.

Tuesday, February 26 @ 4 p.m.

Tricky Tuesday: BINGO for Kids - Play BINGO to win cool prizes. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

K through 6th graders.

Tuesday, March 5 @ 4 p.m.



Tricky Tuesday: Make Your Own Slime - Learn how to make your own ooey-gooley, colorful slime. Supplies provided. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

K through 6th graders. Sign-up by March 12 required.

Tuesday, March 19 @ 4 p.m.



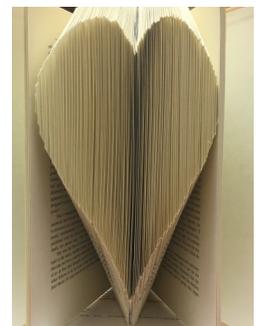
Teens

Carnegie Library

Folded Book Heart: Learn to create a folded heart from an old book. A great gift for your Valentine! All supplies provided, space is limited.

Teens and Adults. Sign-up by February 4 required.

Tuesday, February 5 @ 6 p.m.





Downtown Library

Make Your Valentine's Day Lit!: Make your own light up Valentines. Using easily accessible materials, you can make Valentines that will receive glowing reviews from your friends, family, or significant others. All supplies provided.

7th through 12th graders. Sign-up by February 8 required.

Wednesday, February 13 @ 4 p.m.

Cartoons & Cereal Party: Relive your childhood. Celebrate National Cereal Day with cartoons and a buffet of cereal. Coloring and LEGO bricks will also be available. Feel free to wear your PJs! Approximate running time is 2 hours.

7th through 12th graders.

Saturday, March 9 @ 10 a.m.



East Hills Library

Teens After Hours: Looking for something to do on a Friday night? Hang out at the library AFTER HOURS! Meet up with other teens, play games, watch movies, or play hide and go seek. Light refreshments provided, but you can bring your own snacks, too. Approximate running time is 3 hours.

7th through 12 graders. Sign-up and permission form required.

Fridays @ 6 p.m. on February 8 & March 1

Smash Bros. Tournament - Be the best and beat the rest in our Super Smash Bros. for Nintendo Switch tournament. Bring your own joycon if you can. Approximate running time is 2 hours.

4th through 12th graders. Sign-up by March 17 required.

Monday, March 18 @ 2 p.m.





Teens

East Hills Library (continued)

DIY Steampunk Costume Accessories: Using duct tape, hot glue, acrylic paint and embellishments, teens can let their creativity fly as they transform plastic party hats and random craft supplies into fantastic works of wearable steampunk art. Limited to 10 participants. Approximate running time is 90 minutes.

7th through 12 graders. *Sign-up by March 24 required.*

Thursday, March 28 @ 6 p.m.

Minecraft Show-and-Tell—Do you play Minecraft? Want to show off your favorite build, command, mod or world? Come to our Minecraft Show-and-Tell. Please limit your Show-and-Tell presentation to 5 minutes. If you just want to come watch, but not present, you are welcome to do so and do not need to register.

4th through 12 graders. *Sign-up by March 29 required.*

Saturday, March 30 @ 2 p.m.



All Ages/Family

Carnegie Library

Wacky Wednesday Crafts - Create wacky craft projects. Fun for all ages and supplies provided.

Wednesdays @ 4 p.m. on February 6 & March 6.

Downtown Library

Monthly LEGO Club - LEGO enthusiasts from kindergarten and up are welcome to join us each month. Approximate running time is 90 minutes.

Tuesday, February 5 @ 6:30 p.m. - Theme: Dinosaurs



East Hills Library

Book Buddies - The Book Buddies Pony Express Therapy Dogs is continuing their partnership with the East Hills Library to offer children a way to improve their reading skills in a unique and fun environment. This program utilizes therapy dogs as the listeners for children of all ages and reading levels. Drop in anytime between 10 a.m. - Noon.

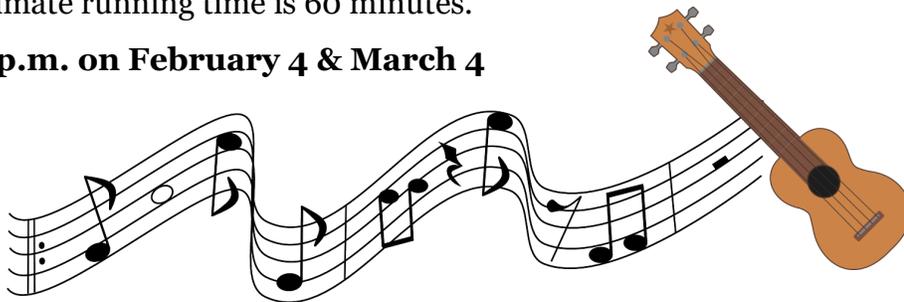
Saturdays @ 10 a.m. on March 2 (No Book Buddies on February 2)



East Hills Library (continued)

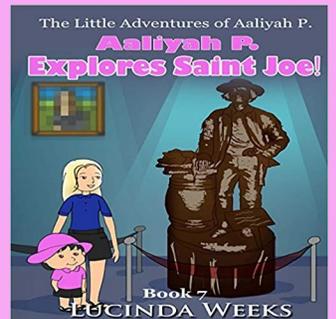
Ukulele Strum & Sing Along: Sing and strum along to music with chords and lyrics displayed on the movie screen in the theater. Feel free to bring any sheet or self-written music to share with the group. While beginners are welcome, this class is intended for uke players with a basic understanding of chords and strumming. It's a fun opportunity to meet new ukulele friends, practice the art of strumming and singing songs, and celebrate music at the library! Participants must bring their own ukulele. Approximate running time is 60 minutes.

Mondays @ 6 p.m. on February 4 & March 4



Aaliyah P. Explores Saint Joe!: Author Lucinda Weeks will read Aaliyah P. Explores Saint Joe!, an adventure story for all ages. Join Aaliyah P. and her family, as they explore the beautiful city of Saint Joseph, Missouri in this locally-based picture book. Lucinda will discuss the rich history of St. Joseph, and talk about her writing and publishing experiences as an author. A book related activity will follow.

Saturday, February 9 @ 2 p.m.



Family Movie Nights - Snacks and drinks with lids are welcome at this monthly film program.

Monday, February 11 @ 6:30 p.m. - *Smallfoot* - PG - 96 min, 2018.

Monday, March 11 @ 6:30 p.m. - *Christopher Robin* - PG - 120 min, 2018.



Pokémon Club - Come enjoy Pokémon-themed crafts and activities. Bring your handheld games, cards, and art to share, battle and trade with other Pokémon fans. All supplies and snacks will be provided. All ages welcome. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Approximate running time is 1 1/2 hours.

Third Wednesday of the month @ 5 p.m.

February 20

March 20





East Hills Library (continued)

Mad Science Show: Join us for a Spring Break Science Show! Mad Science of Kansas City will be joining us for a spectacular science-themed show designed to amaze and entertain kids of all ages.

Tuesday, March 19 @ 11 a.m.



Washington Park Library

Book Buddies - The Book Buddies Pony Express Therapy Dogs, in partnership with the Washington Park Library, are offering children a way to improve their reading skills in a unique and fun environment. This program utilizes therapy dogs as the listeners for children of all ages and reading levels. Drop in anytime during this 90 minute session.

Thursdays @ 4 p.m. on February 21 & March 21.

Tricky Tuesday: Movie & Popcorn - All ages are invited to watch a movie at the Washington Park Library. Popcorn and drinks will be provided.

Tuesday, February 19 @ 4 p.m. - *Smallfoot* - PG - 96 min, 2018

Tuesday, March 12 @ 4 p.m. - *The House with a Clock in Its Walls* - PG - 104 min, 2018

Tuesday, March 26 @ 4 p.m. - *How to Train Your Dragon* - PG - 98 min, 2010



Carnegie Library

Folded Book Heart: Learn to create a folded heart from an old book. A great gift for your Valentine! All supplies provided, space is limited.

Teens and Adults. Sign-up by February 4 required.

Tuesday, February 5 @ 6 p.m.



Adults

Downtown Library

HISTORY SPEAKS

History Speaks is a monthly history program dedicated to showcasing local and regional historical topics and their lasting impact on our community. Join us at the Downtown Library every First Saturday for a fresh look at interesting historical topics regarding St. Joseph and surrounding areas.

For more information about the History Speaks program, or if you are interested in being a speaker, contact Jennifer Sanders-Tutt at the Downtown Library at 232-8151.

-Saturday, February 2 @ 2 p.m. - African-American Community in St. Joseph, 1920 - For the entirety of its history, St. Joseph has had a relatively small African-American community. Using publicly available sources, Dr. Kim Schutte is building a picture of this important—but little understood—segment of St. Joseph’s history.

-Saturday, March 2 @ 2 p.m. - St. Joseph Women in the Field of Historic Preservation - In honor of Women’s History Month, History Speaks takes a look at St. Joseph women who were outspoken in the field of preservation. Join Historic Preservationist, Lauren Manning, as she shares the history of the amazing women who fought to save and preserve St. Joseph’s history.

Genealogy Drop-in - Get help starting on your genealogy or get a fresh perspective on your existing research. Local History Librarian, Jennifer Sanders-Tutt, will help you navigate all the avenues to take in your genealogy quest or help you through roadblocks you may have encountered. Assistance with learning how to preserve and digitize your records also available.

Wednesdays, 2 - 4 p.m. on February 6, 13, 20 & 27 and March 6, 13, 20 & 27.

Movie Night for Adults - This event is intended for anyone 17 and over. It is free and no registration is needed. Free popcorn provided and drinks with lids are welcome.

One Monday per month @ 5:30 p.m.

February 11 - **Overboard** - PG - 112 min, 1987

March 18 - **The Parent Trap** - G - 124 min, 1961



Adult Coloring - Take a break from the hustle and bustle of the world, and color! Supplies and light refreshments provided. Approximate running time is 90 minutes.

Tuesdays @ 2 p.m. on February 12 & March 12



East Hills Library



Adult Coloring & More - Take a break from the hustle and bustle of the world, and color! Come to our Adult Coloring and More night to relax and unwind. If coloring isn't your thing, dot-to-dot pages, or Play-Doh will be provided to create something fun. Supplies and light refreshments provided.

Mondays @ 5:30 p.m. on February 11 & March 11.



MOVIES!

East Hills Library

Friends Front Row Tuesday Night Film Series with movie critic, Bob Shultz. Free popcorn provided and drinks with lids are welcome.

Every Tuesday @ 6:30 p.m.

February 5 - *Tombstone* - R - 132 min, 1993

February 12 - *It Happened One Night* - PG - 104 min, 1934

February 19 - *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory* - G - 98 min, 1971

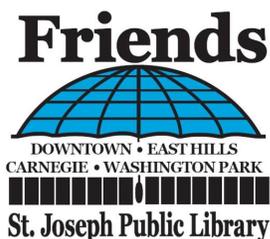
February 26 - *Glory* - R - 122 min, 1989

March 5 - *Paddington* - PG - 105 min, 2017

March 12 - *In Bruges* - R - 103 min, 2007

March 19 - *Airplane!* - PG - 86 min, 1980

March 26 - *BlacKkKlansman* - R - 135 min, 2018



Make sure to check the Family section of this booklet for even more movies!



Adults

Washington Park Library

Crafty Sew & Sews: Attend this first meeting to become a founding member and to plan upcoming club dates and times. Calling all crafters! Do you love to sew/embroider, knit/crochet, draw/paint, scrapbook? No time or space to work on your special projects at home? Would you enjoy learning or teaching a craft? Join the Crafty Sew & Sews! Friends, fun, crafts & snacks. There are two meeting times to choose from.



Thursday, February 7 @ 1 p.m. OR 6 p.m.



FRIENDS OF THE ST. JOSEPH PUBLIC LIBRARY **BOOK CLUBS** Monthly Book Discussions

Tiger's Den

Book Lovers Anonymous - Meets one Saturday per month at 4 p.m. at The Tiger's Den located at 519 Felix St. Contact Jenny (238-0526) for more info.

February 16: *Snow in Love* by various authors.

March 16: *The Taster* by V.S. Alexander

Downtown Library

Fourth Monday of the Month @ 7 p.m.
Contact Mary Beth (232-7729) for more info.

February 25: *Touch* by Courtney Maum

March 25: *I Am the Messenger* by Markus Zusak

East Hills Library

Fourth Wednesday of the Month @ 10 a.m.
Contact Shirley (236-2136) for more info.

February 27: *The Stars Are Fire* by Anita Shreve

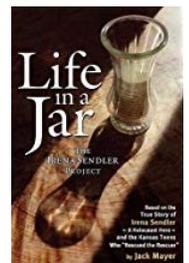
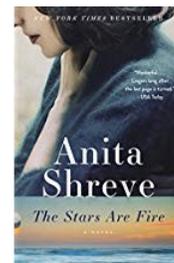
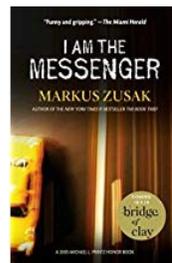
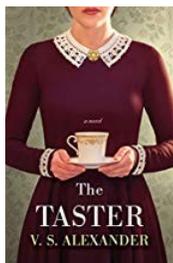
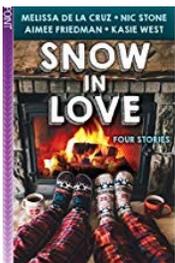
March 27: *Life in a Jar: The Irena Sendler*

Washington Park Library

Eat, Drink and Be Literary Book Club -
Contact Karen (232-2052) for more info.

The Eat, Drink and Be Literary Book Club will hold an initial meet-and-greet to schedule upcoming book club titles, dates and times for future book club meetings. Come help plan this exciting new book club.

Thursday, February 14 @ 1 p.m. OR 6 p.m.





Left: National Cat Day was celebrated at the East Hills Library.



Right: Staff member, Olivia, cuddles with a bearded dragon at the Downtown Library.



From the **STACKS**

“From the Stacks” is a feature that will appear occasionally in issues of the ShelfLife Newsletter. Its purpose is to highlight unique items from the library collection.

Marshall and Melanie White donated several local cookbooks to the Downtown Library Reference Department. While the cookbooks cannot be checked out, patrons are welcome to visit the Downtown Library to use the collection of cookbooks.

Here is a recipe from one of the cookbooks. The cookbook is titled *“Our Family Favorites: The Brookdale Church, St. Joseph, MO,”* copyrighted 1987 by Cookbook Publishers, Inc.

Upside-Down Lemon Muffins

By: Judy Hines

Topping:

1/2 c. coconut

1/2 c. brown sugar

3 Tbsp. melted margarine

Combine all ingredients for topping. Divide evenly among 12 well greased 2 1/2 inch muffin cups, pressing against bottom and sides.

2 c. flour

1/4 c. sugar

3 tsp. baking powder

1/2 tsp. salt

1/4 tsp. nutmeg

2 Tbsp. flour

1/8 tsp. nutmeg

2 eggs

3/4 c. milk

3 Tbsp. oil

1 Tbsp. grated lemon rind

1 Tbsp. lemon juice



For muffins, stir together flour, sugar, baking powder, salt and nutmeg. Beat together remaining ingredients. Add to flour mixture and stir just until blended. Spoon into prepared muffin cups. Bake at 400 degrees for about 15 minutes.

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These Friends of the St. Joseph Public Library members and volunteers sorted books for future book sales:

Linda Berger
Diane Delaney
Marcia Johnson
Ralph Ronnenbaum
Pat Sander
Annie Updegraff
Mary Kay Wright



Left: Over 200 children and caregivers attended the Noon Year's Eve Party at the East Hills Library on December 31.

Thank You!

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In the Community *At-A-Glance*

PROGRAM DAY DATE(S) TIME PAGE

Adults				
Book Club - Tiger's Den	Sat	Feb 16, Mar 16	4 p.m.	14
Dr. Seuss Birthday Brunch-Keatley Center; 1202 S. 28th St.	Sat	Mar 9	10 a.m.	4

Carnegie Library *At-A-Glance*

PROGRAM DAY DATE(S) TIME PAGE

Children				
Toddler Storytime	Wed	Mar 6, 13, 20, & 27	10:30 a.m.	3
Teens				
Folded Book Heart	Tue	Feb 5	6 p.m.	7
All Ages				
Wacky Wednesday Crafts	Wed	Feb 6 & Mar 6	4 p.m.	9
Adult				
Folded Book Heart	Tue	Feb 5	6 p.m.	11

Downtown Library *At-A-Glance*

PROGRAM DAY DATE(S) TIME PAGE

Children				
Baby Storytime	Mon	Feb 25, Mar 4, 11, 18 & 25	9:30 a.m.	3
Preschool Storytime	Thu	Feb 28, Mar 7, 14, 21 & 28	10:30 a.m.	3
1-2-3, Play With Me	Tue	Mar 12, 19, 26, Apr 2 & 9	5:30 p.m.	4
Valentine Box Workshop	Sat	Feb 9	10:30 a.m.	5
STEAMondays	Mon	Mar 4, 11, 18 & 25	4 p.m.	5
Teens				
Make Your Own Valentine's Day Lit!	Wed	Feb 13	4 p.m.	8
Anime Club	Thu	Feb 21 & Mar 21	4 p.m.	8
Cartoons & Cereal Party	Sat	Mar 9	10 a.m.	8
All Ages/Family				
LEGO Club	Tue	Feb 5 & Mar 5	6:30 p.m.	9
Adults				
History Speaks	Sat	Feb 2 & Mar 2	2 p.m.	12
Genealogy Drop-in	Wed	Feb 6, 13, 20, 27, Mar 6, 13, 20 & 27	2 p.m.	12
Movie Night for Adults	Mon	Feb 11 & Mar 18	5:30 p.m.	12
Adult Coloring	Tue	Feb 12 & Mar 12	2 p.m.	12
Book Club	Mon	Feb 25 & Mar 25	7 p.m.	14

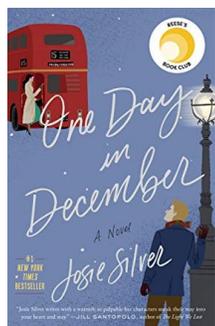
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PROGRAM	DAY	DATE(S)	TIME	PAGE
Children				
Preschool Storytime	Tue	Mar 5, 12, 19 & 26	10 a.m.	3
Pre-K Play	Fri	Feb 15 & Mar 15	10 a.m.	4
Valentine Box Workshop	Thu	Feb 7	4:30 p.m.	5
STEAM Society: Valentine Chemistry	Thu	Feb 14	4:30 p.m.	5
STEAM Society: Pi Day	Thu	Mar 14	4:30 p.m.	5
First Friday Fun: Do We Know Dewey? Scavenger Hunt	Fri	Feb 1	2 p.m.	6
First Friday Fun: Candy Science	Fri	Mar 1	1 p.m. & 2 p.m.	6
Smash Bros. Tournament	Mon	Mar 18	2 p.m.	6
Spring LEGO Challenge	Thu	Mar 21	2 p.m.	6
Minecraft Show-and-Tell	Sat	Mar 30	2 p.m.	6
Teens				
Teens After Hours	Fri	Feb 8 & Mar 1	6 p.m.	8
Smash Bros. Tournament	Mon	Mar 18	2 p.m.	8
DIY Steampunk Costume Accessories	Thu	Mar 28	6 p.m.	9
All Ages/Family				
Book Buddies	Sat	Mar 2	10 a.m.	9
Ukulele Strum & Sing Along	Mon	Feb 4 & Mar 4	6 p.m.	10
Aaliyah P. Explores Saint Joe!	Sat	Feb 9	2 p.m.	10
Family Movie Nights	Mon	Feb 11 & Mar 11	6:30 p.m.	10
Pokémon Club	Wed	Feb 20 & Mar 20	5 p.m.	10
Mad Science Show	Tue	Mar 19	11 a.m.	11
Adults				
Adult Coloring and More	Mon	Feb 11 & Mar 11	5:30 p.m.	13
Front Row Tuesday Night Films	Tue	Feb 5, 12, 19, 26, Mar 5, 12, 19 & 26	6:30 p.m.	13
Book Club	Wed	Feb 27 & Mar 27	10 a.m.	14

**Staff Review by
Downtown Children's
Librarian, Misty
Snider.**

One Day in December

By: Josie Silver



Recommended to me by my best friend, who always has a knack for knowing just what I need to read in that instant, *One Day in December* was everything she promised it would be and more. And I'm not just saying that because it was the first thing I've read for fun since spending a semester studying European History.

On a bus ride home, one day in December, Laurie locks eyes with a man waiting on the street. There's an instant connection, but before either of them can take action, the bus pulls away. Laurie and her best friend, Sarah spend the next year searching for Laurie's bus boy with no luck. Until the day she meets him, as Sarah's new boyfriend... I'll stop there, so you can enjoy how the rest of the story unfolds for yourself.

This book had just the right amount of romance for me without being overly sweet or raunchy. It was also the December pick for the Reese Witherspoon, Hello Sunshine Book Club. It's a classic romcom, best enjoyed on a winter weekend with a mug of something warm.

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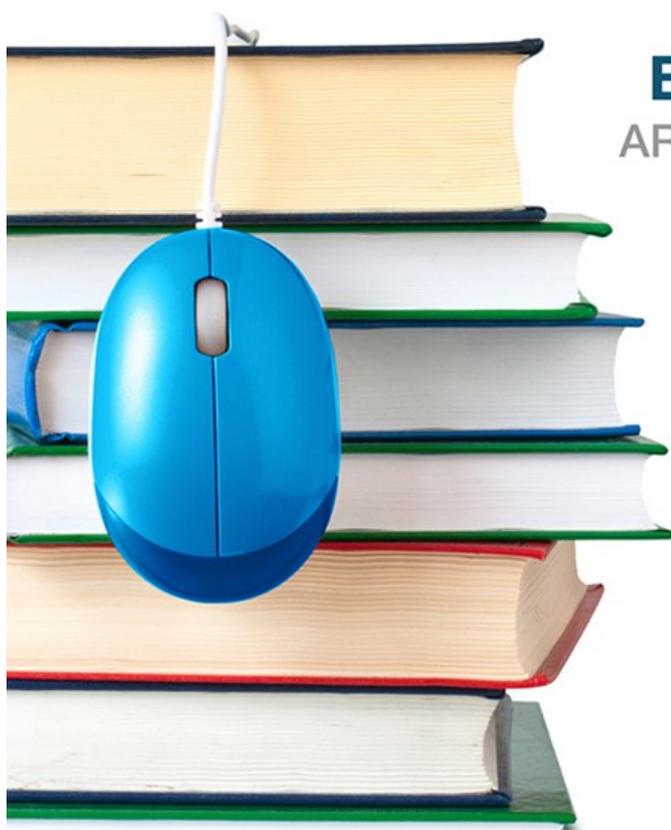
Preschool Storytime	Mon	Mar 4, 11, 18 & 25	10 a.m.	3
Tricky Tuesday: BINGO for Kids	Tue	Feb 5 & Mar 5	4 p.m.	7
Tricky Tuesday: Valentine Cookie and Card Decorating	Tue	Feb 12	4 p.m.	7
Tricky Tuesday: Straw Weaving	Tue	Feb 26	4 p.m.	7
Tricky Tuesday: Make Your Own Slime	Tue	Mar 19	4 p.m.	7

All Ages/Family

Book Buddies	Thu	Feb 21 & Mar 21	4 p.m.	11
Tricky Tuesday: Movie & Popcorn	Tue	Feb 19, Mar 12 & 26	4 p.m.	11

Adult

Crafty Sew & Sews	Thu	Feb 7	1 p.m. & 6 p.m.	14
Eat, Drink & Be Literary Book Club	Thu	Feb 14	1 p.m. & 6 p.m.	14



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