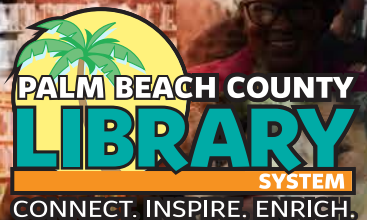


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Writers LIVE!

"Connecting readers and authors throughout Palm Beach County"

Writers LIVE!, the Library's flagship author event series, returns for another season of bringing the community together with authors and their books.

Visit www.pbclibrary.org/writers-live-2025 for the most up-to-date schedule and event registration.

The 2025 lineup of bestselling, critically acclaimed and award-winning authors will be discussing their works from Jan to Apr across branch locations.

Local and independent booksellers, Classic Bookshop and Murder on the Beach, will have featured titles available for purchase at the in-person events. Each sale benefits the authors, local booksellers and a percentage will be donated to the Friends of the Palm Beach County Library, directly benefiting Library services, activities and encouraging the love of reading.

Register online at pbclibrary.org to attend these events.

Check back for more authors being added to this year's lineup!

Dawn Tripp

Mon, Mar 03, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
West Boynton Branch

Acclaimed author, Dawn Tripp, discusses her latest novel, "Jackie," an intimate story of love and power, family and tragedy and loss and reinvention. Preregister.



Dr. Robert Watson

Wed, Mar 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Canyon Branch

Award-winning author, historian and professor, Dr. Robert Watson, discusses how one conducts historical and archival research to put compelling stories down on paper while using fun and intriguing examples from four of his recent award-winning books. Preregister.

Carrie Sheffield

Thu, Mar 06, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Royal Palm Beach Branch

American columnist, broadcaster, policy analyst and author, Carrie Sheffield, discusses her latest book, "Motorhome Prophecies: A Journey of Healing and Forgiveness." Introduction by Representative Meg Weinberger.



Mallory O'Meara

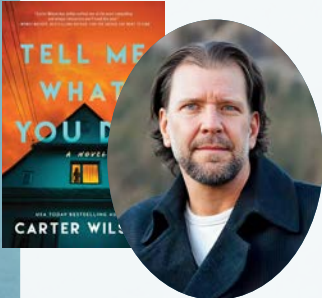
Tue, Mar 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Online

Mallory O'Meara discusses her latest book, "Daughter of Daring," the story of America's first professional stuntwoman, Helen Gibson, who rose to fame during a time when women ruled Hollywood. Preregister.

Carter Wilson

Fri, Mar 07, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Gardens Branch

USA Today bestselling author, Carter Wilson, discusses his latest novel, "Tell Me What You Did," a psychological thriller about a terrifying stranger who turns the tables on a true crime podcast host holding a dark secret of her own. Preregister.



Debbie Babitt

Fri, Mar 21, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Jupiter Branch

Debbie Babitt, former Copy Director for two Manhattan publishing companies and current writer, discusses her latest novel "The Man on the Train," a Hitchcockian thriller set in New York City and the Hamptons. Preregister.

Coming soon!

David Ellis

Wed, Apr 16, 5:30pm - 6:30pm
Lantana Road Branch

Alka Joshi

Mon, Apr 21, 3:00pm - 4:00pm
Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Susan Shapiro Barash

Wed, Apr 23, 1:30pm - 2:30pm
West Boynton Branch

For more information and to preregister scan the QR code.



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Library Hours

Address	Phone Number	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Main Library	3650 Summit Boulevard, WPB 33406	561-233-2600	12 - 5	9 - 9	9 - 9	9 - 9	9 - 6	9 - 5
Acreage Branch	15801 Orange Boulevard, Loxahatchee 33470	561-681-4100	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Belle Glade Branch	725 NW 4th Street, Belle Glade 33430	561-996-3453	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 5	9 - 5
Canyon Branch	8915 Senator Joe Abruzzo Ave, Boynton Beach, 33472	561-903-3700	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Clarence E. Anthony Branch	375 SW 2nd Avenue, South Bay 33493	561-992-8393	Closed	11 - 7	9 - 5	11 - 7	9 - 5	9 - 5
Gardens Branch	11303 Campus Drive, Palm Beach Gardens 33410	561-626-6133	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Glades Road Branch	20701 95th Avenue South, Boca Raton 33434	561-482-4554	12 - 5	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 6	10 - 5
Greenacres Branch	3750 Jog Road, Greenacres 33467	561-641-9100	12 - 5	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 6	10 - 5
Hagen Ranch Road Branch	14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446	561-894-7500	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 6	9 - 5
Jupiter Branch	705 Military Trail, Jupiter 33458	561-744-2301	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 6	9 - 5
Lantana Road Branch	4020 Lantana Road, Lake Worth 33462	561-304-4500	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Loula V. York Branch	525 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee 33476	561-924-5928	Closed	11 - 7	9 - 5	11 - 7	9 - 5	9 - 5
Okeechobee Boulevard Branch	5689 Okeechobee Boulevard, WPB 33417	561-233-1880	12 - 5	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 6	10 - 5
Royal Palm Beach Branch	500 Civic Center Way, RPB 33411	561-790-6030	12 - 5	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 8	9 - 6	9 - 5
Tequesta Branch	461 Old Dixie Highway North, Tequesta 33469	561-746-5970	Closed	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 8	10 - 5	10 - 5
Wellington Branch	1951 Royal Fern Drive, Wellington 33414	561-790-6070	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
West Boca Branch	18685 State Road 7, Boca Raton 33498	561-470-1600	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
West Boynton Branch	9451 Jog Road, Boynton Beach 33437	561-734-5556	12 - 5	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 9	10 - 6	10 - 5
Adult Literacy	14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446	561-894-7510	By Appointment Only					

WOMEN'S HISTORY: WOMEN AND LIBRARIES

Women's History Month started up as Women's History Week, first celebrated in Sonoma County in 1978. Through efforts led by the National Women's History Alliance, the call for national recognition was recognized by the late President Jimmy Carter: Mar 02-08, 1980 became National Women's History Week. Years later in 1987, Congress moved to designate March as Women's History Month, highlighting women's successes in the arts and sciences, military, business, public service and more.

Librarianship has historically been viewed as "women's work." Though men tend to have more prestigious jobs, such as academic librarianship or leadership positions, the majority of staff for libraries are women in operational and support roles. Even Library schools were primarily directed by men, but taught by women faculty members. As America expanded west, women trained as librarians were sent out to plant libraries in the new and growing communities, increasing interest in the profession. Through the 1960s and 1970s, women grew empowered to address the remaining gender barriers in librarianship and to celebrate the achievements of women in the field.

The Palm Beach County Library System (PBCLS) owes much of its existence and expansion to women: from the League of Women Voters appealing to the Board of County Commissioners for a county Library service in 1965, to Ingrid Eckler's (her story is featured on page 5) push for expansion in the decades that followed. To this day, Eckler is honored with a Library science scholarship made in her name, helping future librarians pursue their education.

Florence Biller (top image) was the first director of the Palm Beach County Library System serving from 1968-1979. She played a key role in organizing the system, which opened its first branch in Tequesta in 1969. Under her leadership, the County's first bookmobile service launched shortly after, expanding access to Library services. Biller's work laid a strong foundation for the Library System, emphasizing outreach and accessibility, ensuring Library resources reached as many residents as possible.

Want more legendary ladies in librarianship? Find out more about:

Jane W. Turner, the first female employee hired at the Smithsonian. She was appointed as a Library clerk in 1858 with the help of her brother, William, who was responsible for the Library at the time. When he passed away a year later, she assumed his role as head of the Library.

Pura Belpré, the first Puerto Rican librarian in New York City. Her work was in promoting literary access to speakers of both English and Spanish through her outreach efforts and bilingual storytelling. She also helped fill the shelves: Belpré collected, translated and published Puerto Rican folklore for children, inspiring the creation of the Pura Belpré Award in her legacy. Several juvenile works in the Library have her medal of honor on the cover!

Clara Stanton Jones, who broke barriers like no other: in 1970 she served as both the first woman and the first African American to act as a director for a major Library system in the US, in Detroit. Just a few years later she became the first African American president of the American Library Association.

Anne Jarvis, the first female University Librarian at Cambridge University. Before her, the Library had operated for 650 years with all male appointees.

For activities honoring Women's History Month, look for the ♀ icon.



Women Who Made a Difference: Ingrid Eckler's Library Legacy

Ingrid A. Eckler (1912–1998) was a pivotal figure in the establishment and development of the Palm Beach County Library System. Her dedication to expanding Library services significantly enriched the community's access to information and resources.

In the 1960s, as a member of the League of Women Voters in West Palm Beach, Eckler recognized the need for a countywide Library service to serve residents beyond the independent municipal libraries. In 1964, she and her fellow league members began advocating to the County Commission for the creation of such a system. Their persistent efforts culminated in the Florida Legislature's establishment of a special taxing district in April 1967, leading to the formation of the Palm Beach County Library System.

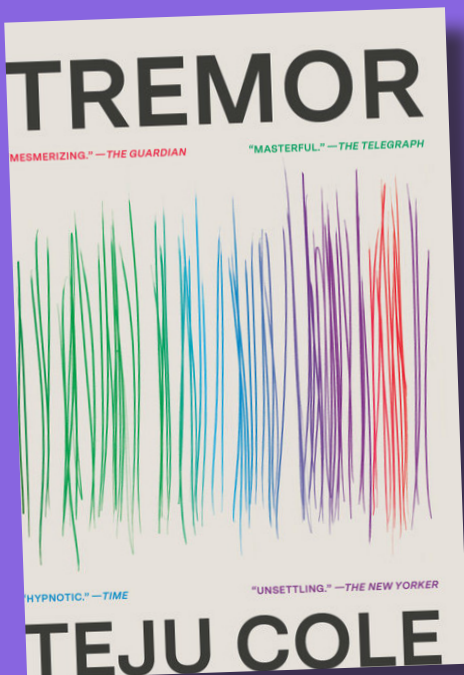
Eckler's leadership was instrumental from the outset. She was elected as the first chair of the Library Advisory Board, a position she held for 21 years. Under her guidance, the Library system expanded its services, including the introduction of the first Bookmobile in 1969, which brought Library resources to underserved areas.

In 1980, Eckler further contributed to the Library's growth by establishing the Friends of the Palm Beach County Library, serving as its first president. Her unwavering commitment to the Library system was honored in 1994 when the main Library was dedicated in her name.

Ingrid Eckler's vision and perseverance laid a strong foundation for the Palm Beach County Library System, ensuring that residents had access to comprehensive Library services. Her legacy continues to influence the Library's mission to connect communities, inspire thought and enrich lives.



Book + Art:



"Tremor" invites readers to experience events through the eyes and ears of Tunde, a West African man working as a teacher of photography on a renowned New England campus. He is a reader, a listener, a traveler, drawn to many different kinds of stories from history and epic; stories of friends, family and strangers; stories found in books and films. Read the book and join the discussion and a gallery tour led by Norton Museum staff. E-books and e-audiobooks available on the cloudLibrary app. This is a free event. Space is limited.

Register online starting on Feb 01 at www.norton.org.

"Tremor" by Teju Cole + Photography Collection

Sat, Mar 15,
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm



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Did You Know? The Legacy of J.R.R. Tolkien and Tolkien Reading Day (Mar 25)

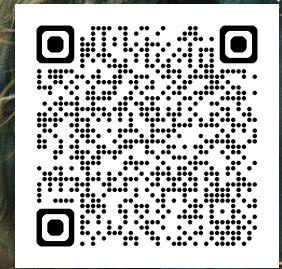
Did you know that every year on March 25, fans around the world celebrate Tolkien Reading Day? This special day was established by The Tolkien Society in 2003 to honor the life and works of J.R.R. Tolkien, the beloved author of "The Lord of the Rings" and "The Hobbit."

Why March 25? The date was chosen because, in Tolkien's epic saga, March 25 marks the downfall of Sauron and the destruction of the One Ring—a pivotal moment in Middle-earth's history.

Tolkien's works have captivated readers for generations, inspiring films, games, music and even academic studies. His deep love of language, mythology and world-building helped shape modern fantasy literature. He invented entire languages, such as Elvish (Quenya and Sindarin) and created an intricate history for his fictional world.

Tolkien Reading Day encourages readers to revisit Middle-earth, share favorite passages and explore Tolkien's lesser-known works, such as "The Silmarillion" and "Unfinished Tales."

So, whether you're embarking on your first journey to Rivendell or returning to the Shire, March 25 is the perfect day to get lost in Tolkien's world once again!



Discover more!



CELEBRATE READ ACROSS AMERICA WEEK 2025: A NATION OF READERS

Every year, Read Across America Week inspires a love of reading in children and adults alike. Taking place from March 03-07, 2025, this national celebration, led by the National Education Association (NEA), encourages communities to engage with books, storytelling and literacy-based activities.

This year's theme, "Explore New Worlds Through Reading," highlights the power of books to transport readers to different times, places and perspectives. Schools, libraries and organizations across the country will host read-alouds, book fairs and author visits, fostering excitement around literacy.

How can you take part? Pick up a new book, share a story with a child or participate in local reading events. Whether it's diving into a fantasy novel, exploring a historical biography or enjoying a picture book, Read Across America Week is a reminder that reading opens doors to endless possibilities.

For book recommendations and event ideas, visit www.nea.org/readacross.



Speaking Irish: Correct Pronunciations of Common Irish Terms

Irish American Heritage Month is a time to celebrate the deep cultural roots and linguistic traditions of Irish Americans. One of the most fascinating aspects of Irish heritage is the Irish language (Gaeilge), which influences many names, phrases and place names used in Irish communities across the US. However, Irish spelling can be tricky for English speakers, so here's a guide to pronouncing some common terms correctly.

Common Irish Words & Their Pronunciations

Sláinte (Slawn-cha) – A toast meaning “health,” often heard in Irish pubs.

Craic (Crack) – A term for fun, entertainment or good conversation, as in “The craic was mighty!”

Tá fáilte romhat (Taw fall-cha roh-ut) – “You’re welcome.”

Éire (Air-uh) – The Gaeilge word for Ireland.

Gaeltacht (Gale-tocht) – A region in Ireland where Gaeilge is the primary language.

Oíche Shamhna (Ee-ha how-na) – Halloween originating from the ancient festival of Samhain.

Tír na nÓg (Teer na nohg) – The mythical “Land of Eternal Youth” in Irish folklore.

Names with Irish Roots

Many Irish American families carry names rooted in the Irish language. Here's how to pronounce some of the most common ones:

Siobhán (Shiv-awn) – The Irish form of Joan or Jane.

Caoimhe (Kee-va) – Meaning “gentle” or “beautiful.”

Tadhg (Tige like “tiger” without the “r”) – A traditional Irish name meaning “poet.”

Eoghan (Owen) – The Irish equivalent of Eugene.

Róisín (Ro-sheen) – Meaning “little rose.”

Understanding the pronunciation of Irish words deepens our appreciation of the culture and heritage passed down through generations. So, this March, try greeting friends with a cheerful “Dia dhuit” and raise a glass with a heartfelt “Sláinte!”

Celtic Music Performance

Glades Road Branch

Mon, Mar 03, 02:00 pm - 03:00 pm

Canyon Branch

Mon, Mar 03, 06:00 pm - 07:00 pm

Jupiter Branch

Tue, Mar 04, 01:00 pm - 02:00 pm

Celebrate with a performance of traditional music from Ireland, Scotland, England and Canada. Enjoy traditional songs and ballads mixed in with jigs, reels and other traditional Celtic fiddle tunes. Presented by Emily Ann Thompson (fiddle, vocals, clogging) and her husband Kelly Thompson (guitar, vocals, percussion).



What's Next?

The titles on this list are on order for the Library and can be reserved, but will not be available until the release date.

Tuesday, March 4

Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie, "Dream Count" LP
Laura Childs, "High Tea and Misdemeanors"
Elle Cosimano, "Finlay Donovan Digs Her Own Grave"
Nicci French, "The Last Days of Kira Mullan" LP
Charlotte McConaghy, "Wild Dark Shore"
Freida McFadden, "Ward D"
Karen Rose, "Dead Man's List"
Danielle Steel, "Far From Home" LP
Lauren Willig, "The Girl From Greenwich Street" LP

Tuesday, March 11

Chris Bohjalian, "The Jackal's Mistress" LP
Rhys Bowen, "Silent as the Grave"
Terry Brooks, "Galaphile" LP
Christina Dodd, "Girl Anonymous"
Deanna Raybourn, "Kills Well With Others"
Lucy Score, "Story of My Life"

Monday, March 17

James Patterson, "The Writer"

Tuesday, March 18

Emma Donoghue, "The Paris Express"
Tess Gerritsen, "The Summer Guests"
Patti Callahan Henry, "The Story She Left Behind"
Susan Mallery, "Beach Vibes"
Jill Santopolo, "The Love We Found" LP

Tuesday, March 25

Harlan Coben, "Nobody's Fool"
Katy Hays, "Saltwater"
Gregory Maguire, "Elphie" LP
Colum McCann, "Twist"
Mary Monroe, "Bent but Not Broken"

LP = Large Print Available

DISABILITY/NEURODIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

Unless noted, activities are on a first-come, first-served basis.
For events requiring registration, please visit www.pbclibrary.org.

MARCH 2025

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Coloring Club Acreage Branch

Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Socialize, relax and make art in a sensory-friendly environment. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

Lucky Duck BINGO! 🍀

Lantana Road Branch

Mon, Mar 17, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Do you have the luck of the Irish? Wear your best greens and enjoy St. Patrick's Day themed BINGO. This is an all abilities activity. Preregister.

Virtual Sensory Storytime Online

Tue, Mar 18 & 27, 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm

Inclusive storytime experience with stories, songs and sensory-focused activities. Kits available at all branches. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour: Crumpled Tissue Paper Art

West Boca Branch

Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Spend time relaxing with others while creating art with colorful tissue paper. This activity is designed with support for members with disabilities, however all are welcome.

Deaf Social

Jupiter Branch

Sun, Mar 30, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Deaf, hard-of-hearing and hearing members are encouraged to come enjoy fun and treats. ASL beginners are welcome. Preregister.

ADULTS

Reminisce: Celebrating Birthdays! 🎂

Online

Thu, Mar 20, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Books-by-Mail's monthly Reminisce program highlights different aspects of life for our members' benefit. This month's theme is "Birthdays," featuring songs and stories to celebrate and remember. Open to all Library members. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour:

Spring Flower Pots 🌸

Lantana Road Branch

Sun, Mar 16, 11:15 am - 12:00 pm

Get ready for spring by painting a small flower pot and garden marker. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

STEAM Builders Club: Hydroponics Lab 📖

Clarence E. Anthony Branch

Sat, Mar 15, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Celebrate Earth Hour by learning about environment sustainability and how to grow your own crops.

CHILDREN

All Things Green Sensory Storytime 🌿

Main Library

Sun, Mar 02, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Engage in interactive stories, songs and hands-on sensory activities all about the color green. For all abilities. Ages 2 & up. Preregister.

Sensory Playtime

Wellington Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 10:15 am - 11:00 am

Inclusive play experience with sensory-sensitivity focused activities, games and crafts. Dress for a mess. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

"Sense"-ational Storytime

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Sat, Mar 08, 10:15 am - 11:00 am

An inclusive storytime experience with stories, songs and a sensory-focused activity. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Spring Storytimes 🌸 🍀

Clarence E. Anthony Branch

Sat, Mar 08, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Read spring-themed stories and sing-alongs followed by a spring craft.

St. Patrick's Day Rain & Rainbow Cloud in a Jar 🌧️ 🍀

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Sat, Mar 15, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

We will use shaving cream, water and food coloring to actually see the water cycle in real time. A rainbow may even appear to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. Dress for a mess. Ages 5-8. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour:

Amelia Earhart Edition ♀

Lantana Road Branch

Sun, Mar 16, 11:15 am - 12:00 pm

Create mini planes in honor of Amelia Earhart for Women's History Month. Dress for a mess. Ages 4 & up. Preregister

🍀 - Irish American Heritage

📖 - Read A Recipe for Literacy

🌸 - Spring

♀ - Women's History



SENSORY FRIENDLY BROWSING HOUR

People with sensory sensitivities can enjoy the Library and its services in a safe and welcoming environment.

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Las personas con sensibilidad sensorial pueden disfrutar de la biblioteca y sus servicios en un ambiente seguro y acogedor. Apto para todas las edades.

Acreage Branch

Sat, Mar 01, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Sábado, 01 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Main Library

Sun, Mar 02, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Domingo, 02 de marzo, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Greenacres Branch

Sun, Mar 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Domingo, 02 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

West Boynton Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Jueves, 06 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Sat, Mar 08, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Sábado, 08 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Glades Road Branch

Royal Palm Branch

Sat, Mar 08, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Sábado, 08 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Wellington Branch

Sun, Mar 09, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Domingo, 09 de marzo, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Tequesta Branch

Thu, Mar 13, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Jueves, 13 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Sat, Mar 15, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Sábado, 15 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Lantana Road Branch

Sun, Mar 16, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Domingo, 16 de marzo, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

West Boca Branch

Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Miércoles, 19 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Belle Glade Branch

Clarence E. Anthony Branch

Jupiter Branch

Loula V. York Branch

Sat, Mar 22, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Sábado, 22 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Gardens Branch

Sat, Mar 22, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Sábado, 22 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Questions about disability/neurodiversity activities and services?
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HEALTH HUB

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ALL AGES

Happy and You Know It 🗣️

Jupiter Branch

Sun, Mar 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Celebrate the United Nations International Day of Happiness with a party for a purpose. Create crafts to spread cheer while enjoying snacks and good company. Preregister.

ADULTS

Stay Fit with Senior Exercise 🗣️

Jupiter Branch

Monday, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Enjoy easy aerobic movement, light weight training, balance and stretching. Bring water, a towel and wear loose clothing and sneakers. Extra hand weights encouraged. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance: Intermediate

Jupiter Branch

Wednesdays, 9:15 am - 10:15 am

For students who completed Basic Tai Chi for Balance. This class introduces advanced movements and forms. Wear comfortable clothes and closed-heeled shoes. Preregister.

Vinyasa Yoga and Meditation

Acreage Branch

Sat, Mar 01, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Vinyasa yoga is a beautiful form of yoga where poses are linked together with the breath in a flowing, calming sequence. Bring a mat and water. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance

Jupiter Branch

Tue, Mar 04 & 18, 9:15 am - 10:15 am & 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Learn to increase balance and decrease fall risk over this 11-week series of classes, each building on the work of the previous weeks. Wear comfortable clothes for moving in and closed heeled shoes. Preregister.

Belly Dancing for Beginners

Jupiter Branch

Tue, Mar 04 & 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Learn the basic movements, isolations and layers of belly dancing. Preregister.

Fitness with Frank 🗣️

Acreage Branch

Tue, Mar 04, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Frank Ceraso, a certified NASM Personal Trainer, leads a medium/high-intensity workout that delivers a full-body exercise session. Bring a mat and water. Preregister.

Meditation: Create a Habit of Thinking and Feeling Positive 🗣️

Wellington Branch

Wed, Mar 05 & 19, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Practice a guided meditation to relax and restore positive feelings. Meditation will take place in chairs, no mats will be necessary. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga for Adults 🗣️

Jupiter Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 13 & 20, 9:15 am - 10:30 am

Wear comfortable exercise attire. Bring your mat and additional props. Preregister.

Maintaining Brain Health in Later Life

Greenacres Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

A presenter from the Louis and Anne Green Memory Wellness Center at Florida Atlantic University will be informing the members about brain health in later life. Preregister.

Line Dancing

West Boca Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Beginners and experienced line dancers will learn new dances to keep you movin' and groovin'. Preregister.

Senior Living Options

West Boynton Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to differentiate between the various choices available for senior living. Presented by Acts Retirement-Life Communities. Preregister.

Experience Meditation

Gardens Branch

Thu, Mar 06 & 20, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Discover the fundamentals of meditation for inner peace and balance and tips for using it at home.

Tai Chi for Beginners 🗣️

Acreage Branch

Sat, Mar 08 & 22, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Experience the health benefits of this martial art practiced as a form of meditation and self-defense. Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes. Preregister.

Tai Chi 🗣️

Lantana Road Branch

Sun, Mar 09, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Led by certified instructor Dr. Richard Paul Tsang. Wear comfortable clothes and flat shoes. Preregister.

Qigong 🗣️

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Mon, Mar 10, 10:00 am - 11:15 am

Instructor Terri Pakula will share various Qigong meditation practices. The practice will be standing with modifications as needed. Preregister.

Women's Health 101 ♀

West Boynton Branch

Tue, Mar 11, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Get expert insights on preventing chronic disease, managing weight, hormone changes, skin care, aging, mental health and the importance of screenings and prevention. Preregister.

Mind Calm 2:

Making Peace Your Priority

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Tue, Mar 11, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Discover peace with a deeper dive into CALM Meditation, exploring the five hidden causes of a busy mind. Brief review of session one included. Preregister.

Restorative Candlelight Yoga

Acreage Branch

Tue, Mar 11 & 25, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Relax and slow down in this restorative, candlelit yoga class. Mat, water and yoga props encouraged. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga

Glades Road Branch

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Sessions five & six of an eight-session journey through the mindfulness practice of gentle yoga. This will include breathing and stretching exercises. Preregister.

Wellness Wednesdays:

Chair Yoga 🗣️

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn poses from a certified instructor to improve balance, boost flexibility and reduce stress. Wear comfortable clothing. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga and Meditation

Acreage Branch

Sat, Mar 15, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Relax and exercise with certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Bring water, a yoga mat and wear comfortable clothing. Preregister.

♀ - Women's History



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HEALTH HUB

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The Basics of Nutrition

Acreage Branch

Tue, Mar 18, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Frank Ceraso, a certified Nutrition Coach through NASM teaches proper nutrition for long term results. Preregister.

Wellness Wednesdays: Meditation, Create a Habit of Thinking & Feeling Positive

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Wed, Mar 19, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Practice a guided meditation to relax and restore positive feelings. Meditation will take place in chairs, no mats will be necessary. Preregister.

Mindful Meditation

Acreage Branch

Thu, Mar 20, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Practice the art of meditation. Bring inner peace and focus into your life. Preregister.

Partnered Chair Massage with Joe Hamilton

Jupiter Branch

Thu, Mar 20, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Practice simple techniques of gentle chair massage with your partner. Lead by Joe Hamilton, from Trustbridge. Preregister.

Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body

Acreage Branch

Thu, Mar 20, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

The Alzheimer's Association will be here to discuss the latest research in healthy living for your brain and body. Use the recommendations to implement a plan for healthy aging. Preregister.

Big Kid Field Day

West Boca Branch

Sat, Mar 22, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Relive your youth by playing fun, outdoor games that will test your strength, wit and teamwork. Bring a friend or make new ones. Preregister.

Know Your Numbers!

Acreage Branch

Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn risk factors and myths, get a free A1C & cholesterol screening and receive a goodie bag from the Diabetes Coalition of Palm Beach County. Refreshments will be served. Preregister.

 - Women's History

Belly Dancing 101

Lantana Road Branch

Tue, Mar 25, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Learn the art of belly dancing in this beginner class. No dance experience required. Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes. Preregister.

Vinyasa Yoga and Meditation

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wed, Mar 26, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm

Vinyasa yoga is where poses are linked together with breath in a flowing, calming sequence. Bring a mat, water and props if desired. Preregister.

Chair Yoga

West Boynton Branch

Fri, Mar 28, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Relax and exercise with certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Preregister.

Self-Care Saturday

Belle Glade Branch

Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn self-care tips while creating your own DIY care book.

Line Dance with Ruth Goodstein

West Boynton Branch

Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Have fun and dance as if no one is watching. Preregister.

Sound Bath and Guided Meditation

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Mon, Mar 31, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Reharmonize your mind, body and spirit. You will be bathed with the healing sounds of the gong, crystal, Himalayan singing bowls and chimes. Yoga mats are suggested. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Diabetes Wellness Series

Belle Glade Branch

Online

Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Nova Southeastern University's IDEA Initiative shares S.M.A.R.T. goal setting for managing diabetes, covering diet, exercise, medications and emotional factors for better prevention and control.

03/01: Diabetes Prevention & Management
03/15: Diabetes & Exercise

FemPower Expo:

Celebrating Women's Wellness

Lantana Road Branch

Sat, Mar 08, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Explore women's well-being at our expo. Enjoy a keynote speaker, connect with community partners on mental health, diabetes and more. Enjoy free screenings in a welcoming space just for you.

Beginner Belly Dancing

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Sun, Mar 09, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn basic movements and isolations as well as the posture and styling of belly dance. No experience needed. Preregister.

Your Mental Health Matters

Mental health is just as important as physical health.

Good mental health helps you cope with stress and can improve your quality of life.



NIMH National Institute of Mental Health

Get tips and resources from NIMH to help take care of your mental health.

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ALL AGES

Mousing Around Lantana Branch

Mon, Mar 03, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm
Okeechobee Boulevard
Branch

Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn and practice the basics of using a mouse. Preregister.

VR Showcase & Board Games Belle Glade Branch

Tue, Mar 04, 2:45 pm - 4:30 pm
Experience various VR apps on the Meta Quest headset or play board games.

Launchpad Makerspace: Data Gems

Tequesta Branch
Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
This month: monitor your water intake, books read, days you exercised or anything else you can think of with beaded data trackers. Preregister.

Launchpad Makerspace: Spatial Poetry

Jupiter Branch
Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Create, play and discover at the Launchpad Makerspace. This month: use maps of Jupiter to create beautiful works of poetry and art.

ADULTS

Book-A-Librarian Royal Palm Beach Branch

Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 10:45 am & 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm

West Boca Branch

Mon, Mar 10 & 26, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

West Boynton Branch

Wed, Mar 12 & 19, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Main Library

Wed, Mar 19, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Personalized attention in the areas of computers, mobile devices and online resources. Preregister.

Tech Talk Gardens Branch

Wednesdays, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Get personalized help with computers, mobile devices and online resources. Call to preregister for a 30-minute session.

Tech Talk One-on-One Glades Road Branch

Thursdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Library staff can help you improve your computer skills and assist you with your phone, laptop or tablet. Preregister.

Town of Jupiter Centennial Wikipedia Edit-a-Thon

Jupiter Branch
Sun, Mar 02, 16 & 30, 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Work with staff to create and enhance Wikipedia articles about the Town of Jupiter's people, places and culture. An in-person and Zoom presentation will be given before you begin editing documents. Bring topics to edit or let us guide you. Limited number of laptops available, please bring your own. Preregister.

Intro to hoopla Main Library

Sun, Mar 02, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Interested in learning about the hoopla app, but don't know where to start? Learn how to log in with your Library card, search, borrow/return items, place holds, access your borrows and navigate a check out. Preregister.

cloudLibrary and hoopla Royal Palm Beach Branch

Mon, Mar 03, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Learn how to access books and more using cloudLibrary and hoopla. Library card required. Preregister.

Computers - Basic Clarence E. Anthony Branch

Mon, Mar 03, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
Canyon Branch
Thu, Mar 06, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Learn computer basics such as how to turn a computer on, use keyboard/mouse and manage files (create, save and reopen).

3D Printing Main Library

Tue, Mar 04, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Sun, Mar 09, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Thu, Mar 13, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Learn about 3D modeling and printing, how to get started with Tinkercad™ and design your own bookmark. Intermediate computer skills required. Preregister.

iPhone Basics Royal Palm Beach Branch

Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn basic tips for getting the most from your iPhone. Preregister.

Newspapers Online Online

Wed, Mar 05, 10:15 am - 11:15 am
Learn how to access newspapers like The Palm Beach Post, The New York Times (in color) and The Wall Street Journal from home. Library card required. Preregister.

Intro to Microsoft Word Belle Glade Branch

Online
Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn how to use Microsoft Word to make professional letters, essays, resumes and more.

Cricut® 101: A Beginner's Guide to the Basics

Canyon Branch
Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn the basics about the Cricut Maker™ 3 and see a demonstration. Preregister.

Introduction to Image Editing Online

Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn how to edit and manage digital images using Microsoft Publisher and Canva. Preregister.

Tech Talk: iPhone Tips & Tricks Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Wed, Mar 05, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm
Go beyond the basics with your iPhone. Learn what's new in iOS 18, how to scan and sign documents, manage storage, avoid unwanted calls and more. Preregister.

Hands-on Computer and Cell Phone Basics

Belle Glade Branch
Thu, Mar 06 & 20, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
Learn to use your smartphone or laptop for web searches, emails, photos and more. Beginner-friendly for seniors. Bring your device or use ours. Drop-ins welcome.

Microsoft Excel: Basic Jupiter Branch

Thu, Mar 06, 11:15 am - 12:30 pm
Lantana Branch
Tue, Mar 11, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Canyon Branch
Sun, Mar 23, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn how to create spreadsheets and make simple charts. Preregister.

AI All Around Us Main Library

Thu, Mar 06 & 18, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
A brief, basic look at current and anticipated uses of AI technology. We'll look at examples of how it's being used today and discuss ethical implications, opportunities and challenges for the future. Preregister.

Microsoft Word Basics Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Fri, Mar 07, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
Lantana Road Branch
Sat, Mar 15, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Learn the basic features of Microsoft Word, including entering and editing text. Preregister.

Cloud Computing Main Library

Tue, Mar 11, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Thu, Mar 20, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Are you curious about the cloud and how it impacts our everyday digital lives? Hear an engaging and informative session on cloud computing. Preregister.

Keyboard/Typing Lantana Road Branch

Tue, Mar 11, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Thu, Mar 27, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Learn the basics of typing on a computer keyboard. For beginners with little to no computer experience or people who want to learn basic typing skills. Preregister.

Introduction to AI Tools by Global AI

Online
Tue, Mar 11, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm
Online presentation on Zoom giving an overview of the AI Tools created by Global AI. Preregister.



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AI Around Us: An Introduction to Artificial Intelligence Gardens Branch

Tue, Mar 11, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Gain a deeper understanding of AI technologies, their ethical implications and how they're shaping our future through an informed dialogue about the opportunities and challenges presented by AI.

Microsoft Excel: Intermediate Jupiter Branch

Thu, Mar 13, 11:15 am - 12:30 pm

Learn how to format and manipulate spreadsheet data. Preregister.

Tech Help 101

Main Library

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Need help navigating a website or using a computer? Library staff will provide one-on-one assistance to help you enhance your technology skills. Preregister.

Protecting Your Digital Self: A Guide to Avoiding Online Identity Theft

West Boca Branch

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Canyon Branch

Fri, Mar 21, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Jupiter Branch

Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Learn to safeguard your online identity. Minimize your digital footprint, spot scams and respond to breaches. Gain tools to stay safe online. Perfect for all skill levels. Preregister.

Microsoft Word Intermediate Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Fri, Mar 14, 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Lantana Road Branch

Sat, Mar 22, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Learn advanced features of Word, including finding and replacing, spell check and more. Preregister.

Transparent Language Online Royal Palm Beach Branch

Mon, Mar 17, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn about this online system for studying languages in a fun and engaging way. Use tools and activities to learn from over 80 languages, from Afrikaans to Zulu.

Roshi Basics: AI-Powered Lesson Creator for Educators Online

Tue, Mar 18, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Online instructional presentation on Roshi, an AI tool for creating educational lessons. Preregister.

Introduction to Pinterest Greenacres Branch

Wed, Mar 19, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Get your creative juices flowing by learning how to use this website. It will let you discover new ideas, save what inspires you and share what you love. Preregister.

Free Online Resources Greenacres Branch

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn about some of the online resources your Palm Beach County Library Card can unlock for you. From learning, investing, business research, consumer education and more. Preregister.

Tech Talk: Demystifying Artificial Intelligence

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm

Learn how artificial intelligence works and how you can use free AI tools like ChatGPT, Claude, Gemini and Copilot for productivity, creativity and fun. Preregister.

Organize Your Scanned Photo Collection

Royal Palm Beach Branch

Thu, Mar 20, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn how to organize your photos by creating folders or albums. Share your scanned photos via email or on social media. You are welcome to bring in your laptop and USB drive with your digital photos. Preregister.

Better Smartphone Photos Gardens Branch

Fri, Mar 21, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Smartphone cameras are getting better with every generation. You have the power of a full photography studio in your pocket right now. Learn how to get the best photos and edit them.

Asistencia individualizada: destrezas de tecnología básica

Okeechobee Boulevard Branch

Martes, 25 de marzo,

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

¿Te gustaría aprender a crear un correo electrónico, descargar aplicaciones o navegar por sitios web? Estamos aquí para ayudarte. Llámanos y agenda una cita. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Android Basics

Greenacres Branch

Tue, Mar 25, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn how to navigate your Android phone or tablet. Topics include changing settings, calling, texting and using apps.

Internet Basics

Greenacres Branch

Wed, Mar 26, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn how to navigate the internet efficiently by discovering the fundamentals of how browsers work and function. Preregister.

Introduction to iMac Pages Wellington Branch

Wed, Mar 26, 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Learn the basics of using iMac Pages to create and improve documents. Preregister.

Staying Safe Online Online

Thu, Mar 27, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Chat about online safety to answer your questions, share some tips and best practices and explore further resources where you can learn more. Preregister.

iPad Basics

Belle Glade Branch

Sat, Mar 29, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn the fundamentals of operating an iPad.

Tech Basics: Beginner's Guide to Video Resolution Online

Sun, Mar 30, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Presentation on video resolution for tech novices. We'll explain functions, related terms and its importance in technology. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Transparent Language Online

Fri, Mar 14, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn the ins and outs of Transparent Language, a language learning platform provided by the Library. Preregister.

cloudLibrary 101

Main Library

Sat, Mar 29, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Learn about the basics of cloudLibrary and the world of eBooks. Preregister.

TEENS

Teen Tech Week: iMovie Intro Gardens Branch

Tue, Mar 04, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Learn how to use iMovie, Apple's simple video editing software, to mix film, music and graphics into your own creations.

Teen Tech Week: Oculus VR Gardens Branch

Wed, Mar 05, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Visit other worlds without leaving the Library with our Oculus Quest headset or watch from the sidelines if you're not comfortable using VR. Ages 13 & up.

CHILDREN

Kids Learn Tech:

Presented by Tech 4 Now West Boca Branch

Sat, Mar 15, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Be prepared for success in today's digital world. Learn essential skills in coding, computer navigation, internet safety and conducting research. Bring your own laptop or tablet or use one of ours. Ages 8-12. Preregister.



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Plaza Comunitaria

Actividades y eventos para ti

ADULTOS

**Martes de juegos de mesa
Lantana Branch**

Los martes, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Únete a otros entusiastas de juegos de mesa, "Scrabble®," "Rummikub," ajedrez, backgammon y dominó entre otros.

**Tertulia literaria
Greenacres Branch**

Miércoles, 19 de marzo, 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Discutiremos "Las viudas de los jueves," por Claudia Piñeiro. Las copias del libro están disponibles en el mostrador de investigación. Se requiere inscripción previa.

**Creación de un currículum
Main Library**

Jueves, 20 de marzo, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Revisa todos los recursos de la Biblioteca para ayudarte con tu currículum y postúlate para el trabajo adecuado. Se requiere inscripción previa.

**Tertulia literaria
West Boca Branch**

Jueves, 20 de marzo, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
"La isla de los amores infinitos," de Daína Chaviano. Las copias del libro están disponibles en el mostrador de investigación y las copias electrónicas están en cloudLibrary. Se requiere inscripción previa.

**Asistencia individualizada:
destrezas de tecnología básica
Okeechobee Boulevard Branch**

Martes, 25 de marzo, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
¿Te gustaría aprender a crear un correo electrónico, descargar aplicaciones o navegar por sitios web? Estamos aquí para ayudarte. Llámanos y agenda una cita. Se requiere inscripción previa.

NIÑOS Y NIÑAS

**Hora de cuentos bilingüe
Greenacres Branch**

Miércoles, 12 y 19 de marzo, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
Ven a cantar, bailar y disfrutar de cuentos en español e inglés. También haremos una manualidad sencilla. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

**Hola amigos!
West Boca Branch**

Jueves, 13 de marzo, 11:30 am - 12:00 pm
Aprende español con cuentos, canciones y juegos rítmicos. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

**Club de exploradores del idioma inglés
Lantana Road Branch**

Martes, 18 y 25 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
¿Quieres aprender la mecánica del idioma inglés? Todos los niveles son bienvenidos. Grados K-2. Se requiere inscripción previa.

**Cuentas cuentos bilingüe
Lantana Road Branch**

Miércoles, 19 y 26 de marzo, 10:30 am - 11:15 am
Disfruta cuentos divertidos y canciones en inglés y en español. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

LANGUAGE LEARNING

ADULTS

**English Exchange
Gardens Branch**

Tuesdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

West Boca Branch

Tuesdays, 10:30 am - 11:45 am

Canyon Branch

Tuesdays, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Belle Glade Branch

Tuesdays, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

West Boynton Branch

Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Jupiter Branch

Wednesdays, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Acreage Branch

Wednesdays, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Main Library

Wednesdays, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Loula V. York Branch

Thursdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Hagen Ranch Road Branch

Thursdays, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Okeechobee Branch

Thursdays, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Royal Palm Beach Branch


Tue, Mar 04 & 18, 9:30 am - 11:30 am


Greenacres Branch

Tue, Mar 11 & 25, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Wellington Branch

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Spanish for Kids 
West Boca Branch
Sun, Mar 02, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn basic Spanish in a fun way and be able to communicate in a second language with friends, family and community. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

Spanish Exchange for Beginners 
West Boca Branch
Mon, Mar 03, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Canyon Branch
Mon, Mar 10, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn the basics of Spanish pronunciation, day-to-day Spanish phrases and vocabulary in a fun, relaxed environment. Preregister.

CHILDREN
Histoires pour les petits
Greenacres Branch
Sun, Mar 02, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
Dimanche, 02 mars, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
Enjoy our bilingual (French/English) storytime. Ages 2-6. Profitez de notre heure du conte bilingue (français/anglais). 2-6 ans.

English Explorers Club
Club de exploradores del idioma inglés
Lantana Road Branch
Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Martes, 18 y 25 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Want to learn the mechanics of the English language? Beginning English speakers welcome. Grades K-2. Preregister.

¿Quieres aprender la mecánica del idioma inglés? Todos los niveles son bienvenidos. Grados K-2. Se requiere inscripción previa.

CHILDREN & TEENS

**Teach Me to Sign
Belle Glade Branch**

Sat, Mar 01 & 08, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Practice your ASL and teach hearing staff along the way. Deaf and hard-of-hearing members are also welcome to attend and show off your expertise.

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120+ languages

 Transparent Language® Online



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ONLINE ACTIVITIES

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ALL AGES

Books-by-Mail Meet & Greet

Thu, Mar 06, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Curious about our Books-by-Mail program? Meet the staff, chat with other members and learn all about Books-by-Mail. Preregister.

Virtual Sensory Storytime

Tue, Mar 18 & 27, 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm

Inclusive storytime experience with stories, songs and sensory-focused activities. Kits available at all branches. Preregister.

ADULTS

Literal Literature ♀

Sun, Mar 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Celebrate the macabre side of Women's History Month with this nonfiction title, "Lady Killers," by Tori Telfer. Available on hoopla. Preregister.

English Exchange

Tue, Mar 04, 11 & 25, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Newspapers Online

Wed, Mar 05, 10:15 am - 11:15 am

Learn how to access newspapers like The Palm Beach Post, The New York Times (in color) and The Wall Street Journal from home. Library card required. Preregister.

Intro to Microsoft Word

Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to use Microsoft Word to make professional letters, essays and résumés. Preregister.

Introduction to Image Editing

Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn how to edit and manage digital images using Microsoft Publisher and Canva. Preregister.

Writers Live! Highlights 🗣️

Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Hear about the authors who are a part of the Library's Writers Live! activities. Preregister.

My Zoom Book Club ♀

Thu, Mar 06, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy great reads, lively discussions and meet fellow book lovers from anywhere. Discuss "Eddie Winston Is Looking for Love," by Marianne Cronin. Preregister.

Introduction to AI Tools by Global AI

Tue, Mar 11, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Online presentation on Zoom giving an overview of the AI Tools created by Global AI. Preregister.

211 Sunshine Calls Presentation 🗣️

Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn about the 211 Sunshine Calls. Preregister.

Access Services Book Discussion 🗣️

Thu, Mar 13, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Read and discuss the book, "James," by Percival Everett. Preregister.

Lend Them Your Ears:

Historic and Inspirational Speeches

Thu, Mar 13, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

Listen to recordings and recreations of historic and inspirational speeches by Abraham Lincoln, Patrick Henry, Theodore Roosevelt, Sojourner Truth and others. Preregister.

Read! Write! Critique!

Fri, Mar 14 & 28, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Aspiring writers, use this informal, virtual round-table discussion to share and improve your craft. Preregister.

Roshi Basics: AI-Powered Lesson Creator for Educators

Tue, Mar 18, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Online instructional presentation on Roshi, an AI tool for creating educational lessons. Preregister.

Social Services Presentation 🗣️

Tue, Mar 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn about the Social Services available to Palm Beach County residents. Preregister.

Writers LIVE! Presents:

Mallory O'Meara 🗣️ ♀

Tue, Mar 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

An in-conversation event with award-winning and bestselling author, Mallory O'Meara, as she discusses her latest book, "Daughter of Daring." This is the story of America's first professional stuntwoman, Helen Gibson, who rose to fame during a time when women ruled Hollywood. Preregister.

Pride & Prose LGBTQ+ Book Discussion

Tue, Mar 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Discuss "Gideon the Ninth," by Tamsin Muir. Preregister.

Tax Resources for the

Blind Community 🗣️ 🗣️

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn about accessible tax preparation resources. Preregister.

Reminisce: Celebrating Birthdays! 🗣️

Thu, Mar 20, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Books-by-Mail's monthly Reminisce program highlights different aspects of life for our members' benefit. This month's theme is "Birthdays," featuring songs and stories to celebrate and remember. Open to all Library members. Preregister.

汉语读书讨论会

(Mandarin Book Discussion)

Thu, Mar 20, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

"On the Golden Lotus," by Fred Liu. Book Discussion is conducted in Mandarin.

Book Chat

Fri, Mar 21, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Discuss "The Light Pirate," by Lily Brooks-Dalton. Preregister.

Staying Safe Online

Thu, Mar 27, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Chat about online safety and get answer your questions. Here some tips and best practices and explore further resources where you can learn more. Preregister.

Tech Basics: Beginner's Guide to Video Resolution

Sun, Mar 30, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Presentation on video resolution for tech novices. We'll explain functions, related terms and its importance in technology. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Diabetes Wellness Series

Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Nova Southeastern University's IDEA Initiative shares S.M.A.R.T. goal setting for managing diabetes, covering diet, exercise, medications and emotional factors for better prevention and control.

03/01: Diabetes Prevention & Management

03/15: Diabetes & Exercise

Transparent Language

Fri, Mar 14, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn the ins and outs of Transparent Language, a language learning platform provided by the Library. Preregister.

TEENS

Hagen Ranch Road Branch Teen

Advisory Board (TAB) 🗣️

Mon, Mar 10, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Connect with your Library. Plan and develop future events, brainstorm new ideas, meet friends and earn community service hours. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

🗣️ - Tax Help

🗣️ - Volunteer

♀ - Women's History



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Gardens Branch: 11303 Campus Drive, Palm Beach Gardens 33410 | Phone: 561-626-6133

ALL AGES

The Guardians Chess Club

Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Come play chess! Chess instruction for beginners is provided by appointment only. Chess sets provided.

Chess Notation

Sat, Mar 08, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn how to record your casual and tournament chess games using chess notation to help you study your moves and become a better player. Required for in-person chess tournaments.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Sat, Mar 22, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Sábado, 22 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Sunday Cinema

Sun, Mar 30, 2:15 pm - 4:00 pm
Bring your friends to watch "The Wild Robot." ©Universal Pictures. Rated PG.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Tuesdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Tech Talk

Wednesdays, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Get personalized help with computers, mobile devices and online resources. Call to preregister for a 30-minute session.

AARP Income Tax Assistance

Thursdays, 9:00 am - 12:30 pm
Fridays, 9:00 am - 12:30 pm
AARP volunteers will be providing in-person tax assistance to anyone, with a focus on taxpayers who are over 50 and have low to moderate income. Bring your current tax documents and your 2023 completed tax return.

"Roadrunner: A Film About Anthony Bourdain."

Mon, Mar 03, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
This documentary explores Anthony Bourdain's impact, voice and struggles, offering a behind-the-scenes look at his life. ©Focus Features. Rated R.

Fraud, Scams & Identity Theft

Wed, Mar 05, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Learn how to protect yourself from the dangers of fraud, scams and identity theft. Scammers are getting better at getting your information and the Area Agency on Aging has tips to ensure you do not get scammed.

Experience Meditation

Thu, Mar 06 & 20, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Discover the fundamentals of meditation for inner peace and balance and tips for using it at home.

Writers LIVE! Presents:

Carter Wilson 🗣️
Fri, Mar 07, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
USA Today bestselling author, Carter Wilson, discusses his latest novel, "Tell Me What You Did," a psychological thriller about a terrifying stranger who turns the tables on a true crime podcast host holding a dark secret of her own. Books available for purchase. A book signing will follow. Preregister.

AI Around Us: An Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Tue, Mar 11, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Gain a deeper understanding of AI technologies, their ethical implications and how they're shaping our future through an informed dialogue about the opportunities and challenges presented by AI.

Coloring, Coffee and Chai Tea

Thu, Mar 13, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Enjoy a relaxing afternoon, mingle and make friends. Coloring books and pencils will be provided as well as coffee and tea. Preregister.

Book Discussion: "State of Wonder," by Ann Patchett

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
"State of Wonder," by Ann Patchett. Led by Donna Gruber Adair. Pick up a copy of the book at the Research Desk.

Socrates Cafe

Wed, Mar 19, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Marji Chapman, using the Socrates Café format, leads a discussion group for amateur philosophers on a variety of group-chosen topics.

Spring Bookmarks

Thu, Mar 20, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Welcome spring with a creative bookmark that you personalize. Preregister.

Better Smartphone Photos

Fri, Mar 21, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Smartphone cameras are getting better with every generation. You have the power of a full photography studio in your pocket right now. Learn how to get the best photos and edit them.

Android Basics

Tue, Mar 25, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Learn how to navigate your Android phone or tablet. Topics include changing settings, calling, texting and using apps.

Palm Beach Opera Lecture Series: Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro"

Mon, Mar 31, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Presented by Jessica Waldoff, Professor of Music at the College of the Holy Cross and internationally recognized scholar of late 18th century music. Get an in-depth look into the opera's history and its meaning to its first audiences.

TEENS

Teen Tech Week: iMovie Intro

Tue, Mar 04, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Learn how to use iMovie, Apple's simple video editing software, to mix film, music and graphics into your own creations.

Teen Tech Week: Oculus VR

Wed, Mar 05, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Visit other worlds without leaving the Library with our Oculus Quest headset or watch from the sidelines if you're not comfortable using VR. Ages 13 & up.

CHILDREN

Creativebug®: Field of Flowers

Tue, Mar 04, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm
Learn how to draw fields of flowers through Creativebug®, an online resource offering many on-demand arts and crafts videos for all skill levels. Ages 4-7.

Speed Cubing Club

Thu, Mar 06, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Test your skills in a non-competitive, casual environment and learn tips from fellow cubers. Beginners welcome. Bring your own cube. Ages 8 & up.

Palm Beach Opera Presents: Gilbert & Sullivan's "The Pirates of Penzance"

Fri, Mar 07, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Meet Frederic, Ruth, Mabel and the Pirate King in this beloved story about love, honor and duty. Children will enjoy and learn some of the best-known operetta songs. Ages 5-11.

Little Artists

Sat, Mar 08, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Spend a quiet morning creating a special craft of the month. Ages 3-5.

LEGO® Bricks & More

Sun, Mar 09, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Build, imagine and play with our collection of LEGO® bricks. Jumbo blocks available. Ages 1-10.

Beautiful Butterflies

Thu, Mar 13, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm
Paint vibrant butterflies while learning about their fascinating symmetry. Ages 5 & up.

Crafternoon: Yayoi Kusama for Women's History Month

Fri, Mar 14, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm
Spend a quiet afternoon creating a featured craft of the month. Ages 5 & up.

Spring Stomp

Tue, Mar 18, 10:15 am - 10:45 am
Sing songs, dance and stomp into spring. Ages 3-12 months.

Bu Bu Bubbles!

Wed, Mar 19, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Get ready to pop bubbles, dance and sing in celebration of National Bubbles Week. Ages 1-2.

Play with Clay:

Blooming Creations 🗣️ 🌱
Wed, Mar 26, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm
Hop into spring by molding cute flowers and animals. Ages 4-10.

Poke Pals

Wed, Mar 26, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Bring your DS™ or Pokémon™ cards and get ready to battle, trade and make new friends. Ages 6 & up.

👤 - Tax Help

🌱 - Spring

♀️ - Women's History

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ALL AGES

Minecrafter's Guild

Sun, Mar 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Play Minecraft™ with us. Bring your own device or borrow one of ours. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

Pokémon™ Trading Night

Mon, Mar 03, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Bring your Switch™, DS™ or cards and get ready to trade and make new friends. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Celtic Music Performance 🍀

Tue, Mar 04, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Celebrate with traditional music from Ireland, Scotland, England and Canada. Enjoy songs, ballads, jigs, reels and Celtic fiddle tunes performed by Emily Ann Thompson (fiddle, vocals, clogging) and Kelly Thompson (guitar, vocals, percussion). Preregister.

Master Gardener Series: Year-Round Harvest - Mastering Edible Perennials in South Florida 🍀

Sun, Mar 09, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Discover the joys of edible perennial gardening in South Florida. Learn to grow year-round produce like ginger, turmeric and tropical fruits. Explore the best plants for our climate and practice sustainable gardening for a bountiful harvest year-round. Preregister.

"The Super Mario Bros. Movie" 🎬

Mon, Mar 10, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Watch "The Super Mario Bros. Movie." ©Universal Pictures. Rated PG. Refreshments provided. Preregister.

Happy and You Know It 🎶

Sun, Mar 16, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Celebrate the United Nations International Day of Happiness with a party for a purpose. Create crafts to spread cheer while enjoying snacks and good company. Preregister.

Launchpad Makerspace: Spatial Poetry

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Create, play and discover at the Launchpad Makerspace. This month, use maps of Jupiter to create beautiful works of poetry and art.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 22, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Sábado, 22 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Deaf Social

Sun, Mar 30, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Deaf, hard-of-hearing and hearing members are encouraged to come enjoy fun and treats. ASL beginners are welcome. Preregister.

ADULTS

Stay Fit with Senior Exercise 🎶

Mondays, 9:30 am - 10:30 am
Enjoy easy aerobic movement, light weight training, balance and stretching. Bring water, a towel and wear loose clothing and sneakers. Extra hand weights encouraged. Preregister.

Jupiter Old Time Music Jam

Mondays, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm
Grab your instrument and join the circle of local musicians. Pick, pluck, fiddle and strum through a variety of old time songs. Basic playing ability required.

English Exchange

Wednesdays, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance: Intermediate

Wednesdays, 9:15 am - 10:15 am
For students who completed Basic Tai Chi for Balance. This class introduces advanced movements and forms. Wear comfortable clothes and closed-heeled shoes. Preregister.

Acoustic Slow Jam

Thursdays, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Grab your instrument and join the circle of local musicians as they pick, pluck, fiddle and strum their way through a variety of songs. Basic playing ability required.

Town of Jupiter Centennial Wikipedia Edit-a-Thon

Sun, Mar 02, 16 & 30, 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Collaborate with staff to create and improve Wikipedia articles about Jupiter's people, places and culture. Begin with an in-person or Zoom presentation before editing. Bring your own topics or get guidance. Limited laptops available; please bring your own. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Balance

Tue, Mar 04 & 18, 9:15 am - 10:15 am & 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Learn to increase balance and decrease fall risk over this 11-week series of classes, each building on the work of the previous weeks. Wear comfortable clothes for moving in and closed heeled shoes. Preregister.

Belly Dancing for Beginners

Tue, Mar 04 & 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Learn the basic movements, isolations and layers of belly dancing. Preregister.

Citizenship Study Group

Wed, Mar 05, 12 & 19, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
For English language learners preparing for the Citizenship test. Attend our study group for interactive classes with an experienced tutor. Preregister.

Wednesday Plink 🎲

Wed, Mar 05 & 19, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Bring your own or try one of ours. Basic familiarity with the ukulele and knowledge of basic chords is recommended. Repeat attendance is encouraged. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga for Adults 🧘

Thu, Mar 06, 13 & 20, 9:15 am - 10:30 am
Wear comfortable exercise attire. Bring your mat and additional props. Preregister.

Microsoft Excel: Basic

Thu, Mar 06, 11:15 am - 12:30 pm
Learn how to create spreadsheets and make simple charts. Preregister.

Microsoft Excel: Intermediate

Thu, Mar 13, 11:15 am - 12:30 pm
Learn how to format and manipulate spreadsheet data. Preregister.

Partnered Chair Massage with Joe Hamilton

Thu, Mar 20, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Bring family or friends with you as you practice simple techniques of gentle chair massage with your partner. Lead by Joe Hamilton, Self-Care Manager with Trustbridge. Preregister.

Writers LIVE! Presents: Debbie Babitt 🎤

Fri, Mar 21, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Debbie Babitt, former Copy Director for two Manhattan publishing companies and current writer, discusses her latest novel "The Man on the Train," a Hitchcockian thriller set in New York City and the Hamptons. Books available for purchase. A book signing will follow. Preregister.

Protecting Your Digital Self: A Guide to Avoiding Online Identity Theft

Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn to protect your online identity by minimizing your digital footprint, spotting scams and responding to breaches. Preregister.

Pennock Plantation

Fri, Mar 28, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Pennock Plantation, founded by Philadelphia Quakers, was Jupiter's largest employer with a multiracial workforce. Historian Josh Liller, from the Jupiter Inlet Lighthouse Museum, will explore its history and community impact. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Intro to Guitar: One-on-One 🎸

Mondays, 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm
Thursdays, 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm
Bring your own guitar or borrow one of ours. Library resources to learn and practice will be presented. Preregister.

🍀 - Irish American Heritage

🌱 - Spring

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Tour the Winter Heavens with the Astronomical Society of the Palm Beaches

Thu, Mar 06, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
The Astronomical Society of the Palm Beaches will provide a tour of the heavens with a presentation and a viewing of the planets through a 12-inch telescope, weather permitting. Preregister.

Dungeons & Dragons

Sat, Mar 08, 10:00 am - 11:30 am
Adventure with us through the Forgotten Realms. Bring your own level two character or use one of our premade ones. Ages 14 & up. Preregister.

Beginner's Plink: Intro to Ukulele

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Learn simple chords and songs to entertain and sing along with on the ukulele. Bring your own or try one of ours. Preregister.

TEENS

Teen Thursdays

Thu, Mar 06, 13 & 20, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm
Relax and unwind with us after school. Grades 6-12. Preregister.
03/06: TAB. Share your Library-related suggestions with us. Community service hours provided.
03/13: St. Patrick's Day Crafts. You might not find a pot of gold, but you can make one.
03/20: Magic the Gathering™. Learn the game with others or bring your own deck to play.

Teens Unplugged

Fri, Mar 07, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm
Unplug and unwind with board or card games. Grades 6-12. Preregister.

Pi Day

Fri, Mar 14, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm
Play with the mathematical constant of pi by writing pi-kus and creating art with numbers. Pizza pi(e) will be served.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Ready for the Faire!

Tue, Mar 04, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Get ready for the Faire with some fun custom costume accessories. Make mushroom hats, perfect for a pixie or a citizen of Mushroom Kingdom. Ages 8-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Homeschool Adventures: Town of Jupiter

Fri, Mar 07, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Learn about the history of our town. Play some of the games children played 100 years ago to celebrate Jupiter's 100th birthday. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Question Block Piñata Craft

Sun, Mar 09, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Craft your own question block piñata from Super Mario™ in celebration of Mario Day. Ages 6-10. Preregister.

Bouncing Babies Lapsit Storytime

Tue, Mar 11, 18 & 25, 9:15 am - 9:45 am
Ages 0-12 mos. Preregister.

Crafty Toddlers Storytime

Tue, Mar 11, 18 & 25, 11:15 am - 11:45 am
Let your toddler explore art, play and socialize. Ages 2-3. Preregister.

Toddler Stay & Play Storytime

Wed, Mar 12, 19 & 26, 9:15 am - 9:45 am
Ages 12-24 mos. Preregister.

Animal Adventures Storytime

Wed, Mar 12, 19 & 26, 11:15 am - 11:45 am
Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Totally Twos Storytime

Thu, Mar 13, 20 & 27, 9:15 am - 9:45 am
Age 2. Preregister.

Precious Preschoolers Storytime

Thu, Mar 13, 20 & 27, 11:15 am - 11:45 am
Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Recycle Right

Tue, Mar 18, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Do you have what it takes to be the Global Recycling Day champion? Learn about recycling in Palm Beach County through fun and games. Ages 5-17. Preregister.

St. Patrick's Day Celebration

Sat, Mar 22, 10:00 am - 10:30 am
Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with stories, crafts and music. Ages 0-5. Preregister.

 - Irish American Heritage
 - Read A Recipe for Literacy

Tequesta Branch: 461 Old Dixie Highway North, Tequesta 33469 | Phone: 561-746-5970

ALL AGES

South Florida Wildlife: Meet Native Animals from Riverbend Park!

Thu, Mar 06, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Celebrate World Wildlife Day with Riverbend Park and their native animal ambassadors. Get up close with fascinating native species and discover amazing facts about them while exploring the diverse and incredible wildlife that South Florida has to offer. Preregister.

STEAM: Fantastic Frogs

Wed, Mar 12, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Celebrate World Frog Day with an engaging, hands-on program that dives into the fascinating world of frogs. Discover their life cycle, unique adaptations and vital role in ecosystems while meeting Riverbend Park's amphibian ambassadors. Preregister.

 - Irish American Heritage
 - Women's History

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Thu, Mar 13, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Jueves, 13 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Launchpad Makerspace: Data Gems

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
This month, monitor your water intake, books read, days you exercised or anything else you can think of with beaded data trackers. Preregister.

ADULTS

Book Discussion: "Drowning," by T.J. Newman

Fri, Mar 14, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
"Drowning," by T.J. Newman. Led by Donna Gruber Adair. Pick up a copy at the Member Services Desk. Preregister.

Creative Women: Art & History

Thu, Mar 20, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Celebrate Women's History Month with a hands-on craft session. Learn about pioneering female artists and create your own masterpiece inspired by their unique styles. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Family Storytime

Mon, Mar 03, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
Stories, fingerplays and songs for kids and their families. Ages 2-6. Preregister.

Baby Books and Bounce

Wed, Mar 05 & 19, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Stories, music and movement. Ages 6-18 mos. Preregister.

Family Storytime: Leprechauns are Loose

Mon, Mar 17, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
Stories, fingerplays and songs for kids and their families. Ages 2-6. Preregister.

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ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour
Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad
Sun, Mar 02, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Domingo, 02 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Okeehetee Nature Center Visits the Library: Raptors and Owl Pellets
Tue, Mar 04, 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm
 ONC naturalists and an ambassador raptor are coming to the Library. Meet a raptor up-close, learn about their roles in the ecosystem and what they eat by dissecting a pellet. Preregister.

Backgammon Club
Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 Connect with local backgammon enthusiasts, one of the oldest and most cherished board games.

Worth The Hype ♀
Sun, Mar 09, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Discuss "Confident Women: Swindlers, Grifters and Shapeshifters," by Tori Telfer. Create your own collage featuring dynamic women from history during the discussion. Preregister.

Chess Club
Tue, Mar 18, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
 Learn how to play or brush up on your skills and then square off with an opponent.

ADULTS

Maintaining Brain Health in Later Life
Thu, Mar 06, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
 A presenter from the Louis and the Anne Green Memory Wellness Center at Florida Atlantic University will be informing the members about brain health in later life. Preregister.

Caring for Your Orchid 🌸
Sat, Mar 08, 10:30 am - 11:15 am
 Discover expert tips from a Master Gardener volunteer to nurture your orchids and help them thrive. Preregister.

- 🌿 - Irish American Heritage
- 🌸 - Spring
- 👤 - Volunteer
- ♀ - Women's History

English Exchange
Tue, Mar 11 & 25, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Crafty Conversations
Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Converse with fellow crafters while working on your own arts and crafts. All crafts and skill levels are welcome.

Brain Games
Sat, Mar 15, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 Explore the popular online games Wordle (a 5-letter word puzzle) and Connections (where you group items by common themes). Preregister.

Introduction to Pinterest
Wed, Mar 19, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 Get your creative juices flowing by learning how to use this website. Discover new ideas, save what inspires you and share what you love. Preregister.

Free Online Resources
Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Learn about some of the online resources your Palm Beach County Library card can unlock for you. Preregister.

Tertulia literaria
Miércoles, 19 de marzo, 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
 Discutiremos "Las viudas de los jueves," por Claudia Piñeiro. Las copias del libro están disponibles en el mostrador de investigación. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Internet Basics
Wed, Mar 26, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 Learn how to navigate the internet efficiently by discovering the fundamentals of how browsers work and function. Preregister.

Teatime at the Theatre: "A League of Their Own" ♀
Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
 Watch "A League of Their Own." ©Columbia Pictures. Rated PG. Tea and snacks provided.

TEENS

Teen Advisory Board: Design a Display 🎨 👤
Sat, Mar 08, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Help create a teen display. Earn volunteer hours and enjoy refreshments. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Celebrate Pi Day with Pie 🥧
Thu, Mar 13, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
 Discover the origins of pi and explore fractions while enjoying some pizza pie. Ages 9-14. Preregister.

Dungeons & Dragons for Beginners 🐉
Sun, Mar 30, 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm
 Enter a world of fantasy and fun with Dungeons & Dragons. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

St. Patrick's Day Scavenger Hunt 🍀
Sat, Mar 15, 12:00 am - 12:00 am
 Discover hidden treasures of Ireland's rich culture. Wear your green and enjoy a day filled with laughter, learning and a touch of luck.

CHILDREN

Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss! 🎂
Sat, Mar 01, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm
 Celebrate this beloved author with fun, games and of course, cake. Ages 4-8. Preregister.

Histoires pour les petits
Sun, Mar 02, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
Dimanche, 02 mars, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
 Enjoy our bilingual (French/English) storytime. Ages 2-6. Profitez de notre heure du conte bilingue (français/anglais). 2-6 ans.

Travel Pals: Ireland 🍀
Thu, Mar 06, 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm
 Learn about Irish culture with fun activities and a craft. Ages 5-10. Preregister.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)
Sat, Mar 08 & 22, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
 Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Sign in upon arrival for a 10-15 minute time slot. Ages 5-10.

Carnival Day 🎪
Sat, Mar 08, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 Celebrate carnivals around the world with fun, games, music and crafts. Ages 4-10. Preregister.

Tiny Tot Art
Tue, Mar 11, 11:00 am - 11:30 am
 It's March Madness. Let's hoop it up and create sports themed crafts for tiny hands. Preregister.

Bilingual Storytime
Hora de cuentos bilingüe
Wed, Mar 12 & 19, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
Miércoles, 12 y 19 de marzo, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
 We'll sing and dance to silly songs, listen to stories and make a simple craft. Ages 3-5. Preregister. Ven a cantar, bailar y disfrutar de cuentos en español e inglés. También haremos una manualidad sencilla. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Kids Can Garden 🌱
Sat, Mar 15, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Learn how to start your own garden. Ages 7-12. Preregister.

Toddler Tales
Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 11:00 am - 11:30 am
 Stories, songs and a craft highlighting a new letter sound each week. Ages 1-2. Preregister.

Preschool Stories & More
Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
 Stories, songs and a craft along with a short film highlighting a new theme each week with an emphasis on early literacy. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Art & Karaoke
Sat, Mar 22, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 Show your art and sing solo, duo or with the crowd. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

Color Like Mad
Tue, Mar 25, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Keep calm during March Madness by coloring some cheery coloring pages. Ages 4-8. Preregister.

Bike Helmet Give-away and Fitting
Wed, Mar 26, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Receive a free helmet and proper fitting from Safe Kids of Palm Beach County. Learn some great safety tips for bicycles, scooters and more. Preregister.

March Madness Fun & Games
Thu, Mar 27, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Test your skills with MinutetoWinIt® games, then create a craft that's a slam dunk to take home. Ages 6-10. Preregister.

Pollenpalooza 🐝
Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Learn about the pollination process and the creatures that help life grow. Ages 6-11. Preregister.

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ALL AGES

Mousing Around

Mon, Mar 03, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm
Learn and practice the basics of using a mouse. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sun, Mar 16, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Domingo, 16 de marzo, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Lucky Duck BINGO!

Mon, Mar 17, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Do you have the luck of the Irish? Wear your best greens and enjoy St. Patrick's Day themed BINGO. This is an all abilities activity. Preregister.

ADULTS

Sustainable Gardening Group

Sat, Mar 01, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Educator Elizabeth Sansom teaches you to become more sustainable by growing your own food. Preregister.

Tabletop Tuesday

Martes de juegos de mesa
Tuesdays, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Los martes, 04 de marzo, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Lovers of Scrabble®, Rummikub, chess, backgammon, dominoes and other tabletop classics, unite! Unete a otros entusiastas de juegos de mesa, "Scrabble®," "Rummikub," ajedrez, backgammon y dominó entre otros.

Introduction to the Steel Tongue Drum

Tue, Mar 04, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Learn how to play a percussion instrument in the idiophone family. Preregister.

Sit 'n' Stitch

Sat, Mar 08, 14 & 25, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Socialize while you crochet, knit, cross-stitch or sew. Work on your current project and share ideas with new friends.

Tai Chi

Sun, Mar 09, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
Led by certified instructor Dr. Richard Paul Tsang. Wear comfortable clothes and flat shoes. Preregister.

Introduction to Mahjong

Mon, Mar 10, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn how to play and then practice your skills. Preregister.

Tabletop Games: Evening Edition

Mon, Mar 10, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Lovers of Scrabble®, Rummikub, chess, backgammon, dominoes and other tabletop classics, unite!

Keyboard/Typing

Tue, Mar 11, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Thu, Mar 27, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Learn the basics of typing on a computer keyboard. For beginners with little to no computer experience or people who want to learn basic typing skills. Preregister.

Excel Basics

Tue, Mar 11, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
Learn how to navigate Excel and create simple spreadsheets. Preregister.

Coloring & Collage

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Relax and color with other enthusiasts or create an eclectic collage to add to your home gallery.

Let's Play Mahjong!

Fri, Mar 14, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm
Play for fun or practice with others. For experienced players who already know how to play. Preregister.

Microsoft Word: Basics

Sat, Mar 15, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Learn the basic concepts of Microsoft Word. Preregister.

Pride & Prose LGBTQ+ Book Discussion

Tue, Mar 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Discuss "Gideon the Ninth," by Tamsin Muir. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
"The Other Einstein," by Marie Benedict. Copies available at the Lantana Road Branch.

Any Book Book Club

Thu, Mar 20, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Discuss whichever book you last loved and hear suggestions for what to try next. Preregister.

Microsoft Word: Intermediate

Sat, Mar 22, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Learn how to customize Word documents with text, paragraph and page formatting features. Preregister.

Down the Rabbit Hole: For Alices Who Are Quite Grown Up Indeed

Mon, Mar 24, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Fall down the rabbit hole and follow the White Rabbit as he keeps you on time for the Red Queen's busy schedule of events. Don't be late for our very important date. Preregister.

Belly Dancing 101

Tue, Mar 25, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Learn the art of belly dancing in this beginner class. No dance experience required. Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

FemPower Expo: Celebrating Women's Wellness

Sat, Mar 08, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Explore women's well-being at our expo. Enjoy a keynote speaker, connect with community partners on mental health, diabetes and more. Enjoy free screenings in a welcoming space just for you.

Beginner Guitar Lessons with Ken Arfa

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Learn the basics in this beginner workshop. Guitars are available to borrow during class. Ages 16 & up. Preregister.

Name Change Workshop

Thu, Mar 13, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Kimberly Rommel-Enright from the Legal Aid Society of Palm Beach County presents a workshop on how to change names on identification documents for adults and minors. Preregister.

Lucky Crepe Paper Clovers

Fri, Mar 14, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Create your own Irish luck with realistic potted crepe paper clovers in celebration of St. Patrick's Day. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour: Spring Flower Pots

Sun, Mar 16, 11:15 am - 12:00 pm
Get ready for spring by painting a small flower pot and garden marker. Preregister.

Springtime Nesting Birds

Fri, Mar 21, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Craft a springtime bird of yarn and build a nest for her newly laid eggs. Preregister.

Watercolor Flowers

Fri, Mar 28, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Relax and paint beautiful, beginner-friendly watercolor flowers. Preregister.

TEENS

D&D for New Players

Sat, Mar 01, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
We're running a campaign geared to players who are completely new to D&D or who have played before, but aren't super confident about their tabletop skills. Ages 12-18. Preregister.

Teen Counted Cross Stitch Corner

Tue, Mar 11, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Ever wanted to learn cross-stitch? No experience necessary; materials will be provided. Ages 14-19. Preregister.

Lantana Road Branch Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

Sat, Mar 15, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Level up your leadership skills through collaborative volunteer projects designed alongside you. We'll create activities for our community while eating snacks. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Anime Club

Sun, Mar 23, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Enjoy the first episodes of new anime with some snacks. Bring friends and make new ones. Ages 12 & up. Preregister.

Volunteers Organizers for TAB Presents: Sip, Snack and Paint

Sat, Mar 29, 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Volunteers needed to prepare and facilitate the teen-led activity: Sip, Snack and Paint. You will setup all parts of the activity, help the members with their materials during the activity and clean-up at the end. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

☘ - Irish American Heritage

🌱 - Spring

👤 - Volunteer

♀ - Women's History

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TAB Presents: Sip, Snack, & Paint! ♀

Sat, Mar 29, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Celebrate Women's History Month with an event for teens, made by teens. Make a painting inspired by influential women, while snacking, sipping and watching "Barbie." ©Warner Bros. Rated PG-13. Ages 14-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Summer Camp Scholarship

Registration Assistance

Asistencia para la Solicitud del Campamento de Verano

Asistans pou Ranpli Aplikasyon pou Kan Dete

Thu, Mar 06, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Jueves, 06 de marzo, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Jedi, 06 mas, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Register eligible children, ages 5-17, for a full scholarship to day camp for the entire summer. Scholarship includes full tuition and field trip fees. Inscríbete para una beca completa de campamento de verano durante toda la temporada para niños elegibles de 5 a 17 años. La beca incluye la matrícula completa y todos los gastos de las excursiones.

Anrejistre timoun ki elijib yo, ki gen laj 5 lane rive 17 lane, yon bousdetid konplè pou ale nan kan lajounen pandan tout ete a. Bousdetid gen ladan tout frè ekolaj ak tout frè vwayaj.

Women's History Month:

Cooking Like Janaina Torres ♀

Mon, Mar 31, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Celebrate Women's History Month. Learn about Janaina Torres, The World's Best Restaurants Female Chef of 2024 and make Brazilian recipes together. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Wed, Mar 05 & 26, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Practice your reading skills with a licensed therapy dog who can't wait for you to read her a story. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Pokémon™ Club

Thu, Mar 13, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Hang out, battle, trade cards and have fun. Welcome to the Pokémon™ Club. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour:

Amelia Earhart Edition ♀

Sun, Mar 16, 11:15 am - 12:00 pm

Create mini planes, in honor of Amelia Earhart for Women's History Month. Dress for a mess. Ages 4 & up. Preregister.

Story Sprouts

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Grow with us each week as we read stories, sing songs and make crafts. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

English Explorers Club

Club de exploradores del idioma inglés

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Martes, 18 y 25 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Want to learn the mechanics of the English language? Beginning English speakers welcome. Grades K-2. Preregister.

¿Quieres aprender la mecánica del idioma inglés? Todos Los niveles son bienvenidos. Grados K-2. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Bilingual Storytime

Cuenta cuentos bilingüe

Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Miércoles, 19 y 26 de marzo, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Enjoy fun stories and songs in English & Spanish. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Disfruta cuentos divertidos y canciones en inglés y en español. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Story Seedlings: Toddlers

Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Read books, sing songs and bounce your little ones in a storytime for your growing sprout. Ages 1-2. Preregister.

The Melty Bead League Celebrates

Women's History Month ♀

Thu, Mar 20, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

The Melty Bead League is celebrating the talents of women in the arts. Learn, about artists like Raina Telgemeier, illustrator for the "Baby Sitter's Club" graphic novel series and Cree Summer, voice actress of some of your favorite cartoons. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Story Seedlings: Babies

Fri, Mar 21 & 28, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Read books, create rhymes and bounce your little ones in a storytime for your smallest sprouts. Ages 0-12 mos. Preregister.

Reading Buddies

Sat, Mar 22 & 29, 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Children are partnered with teen mentors to practice their reading skills. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Down the Rabbit Hole:

For Alices Who Haven't Had

Many Merry Unbirthdays Yet! ♀

Mon, Mar 24, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Fall down the rabbit hole and follow the White Rabbit as he keeps you on time for the Red Queen's busy schedule of events. Don't be late for our very important date. Ages 10 & up. Preregister.

Game On! ♀

Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Cooperatively figure out the instructions to a new game and play. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Taste that Movie: "Matilda." ♀

Fri, Mar 28, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Watch "Matilda," and enjoy many of the tasty treats she's inspired at the Library. ©Sony Pictures Releasing. Rated PG. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

📖 - Read A Recipe for Literacy

🌱 - Spring

♀ - Women's History

Need help with your taxes?

United Way of Palm Beach County's VITA Program partners with the Palm Beach County Library System to offer free and confidential tax preparation and e-filing for eligible taxpayers. If your income was \$76,000 or less in 2024, you may qualify for this service and could be eligible for up to \$7,830 in Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC). To participate, bring your 2023 tax return, Social Security card, W-2 wage and tax statements for 2024, Form 1098 if applicable, Form 1099 if appropriate and Bank account and routing numbers. If you are filing jointly, both filers must be present.



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Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour
Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sun, Mar 02, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
Domingo, 02 de marzo, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

The Super Mario Bros™ Speedrun Challenge

Mon, Mar 10, 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Celebrate Mario Day with a high-stakes, fast-paced speedrun contest. Can you beat the original Super Mario Bros™ in the fastest time? Preregister.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Wednesdays, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Citizenship Study Group

Sat, Mar 01, 08 & 15, 9:30 am - 11:30 am
For English Language Learners preparing for the Citizenship test. Attend our study group for interactive classes with an experienced tutor. Preregister.

Intro to hoopla

Sun, Mar 02, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Interested in learning about the hoopla app, but don't know where to start? Learn how to log in with your Library card, search, borrow/return items, place holds, access your borrows and navigate a check out. Preregister.

3D Printing

Tue, Mar 04, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Sun, Mar 09, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Thu, Mar 13, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Learn about 3D modeling and printing, how to get started with Tinkercad™ and design your own bookmark. Intermediate computer skills required. Preregister.

Introduction to Ancestry.com Library Edition

Thu, Mar 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn the basics of the Ancestry.com, a free service available with your Library card. An exploration of the types of records you can find and how to use them to build your family tree awaits. Preregister.

AI All Around Us

Thu, Mar 06 & 18, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
A brief, basic look at current and anticipated uses of AI technology. We'll look at examples of how it's being used today and discuss ethical implications, opportunities and challenges for the future. Preregister.

Cloud Computing

Tue, Mar 11, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Thu, Mar 20, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Are you curious about the cloud and how it impacts our everyday digital lives? Hear an engaging and informative session on cloud computing. Preregister.

Tech Help 101

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Need help navigating a website or using a computer? Library staff will provide one-on-one assistance to help you enhance your technology skills. Preregister.

Short Story Sessions

Sun, Mar 16, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm
A group for reading short stories and poems aloud. Practice public speaking in a supportive setting and learn where to find short stories online. Preregister.

Book-A-Librarian

Wed, Mar 19, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Book a one-on-one session with Library staff for computer, technology or research assistance. Preregister for a 15-minute session.

Build your Financial Literacy with Morningstar

Thu, Mar 20, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Explore the Morningstar database to search and read news, analysis and information about financial markets, stocks and mutual funds. Preregister.

Creating a Résumé
Creación de un currículum

Thu, Mar 20, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Jueves, 20 de marzo, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Review all the Library's résumé helping resources to apply for the right job. Preregister.
Revisa todos los recursos de la Biblioteca para ayudarte con tu currículum y postúlate para el trabajo adecuado. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Feminist Essays, 11 Years Later: Selections from Roxane Gay and Rebecca Solnit ♀

Tue, Mar 25, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
In 2014, "Bad Feminist," by Roxane Gay and "Men Explain Things to Me," by Rebecca Solnit were published. We'll discuss essays from each work and consider what these essays can teach us 11 years later. Preregister.

♀ - Women's History

Quick Reads from Other Worlds Book Discussion

Sun, Mar 30, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Read and discuss novellas and short novels in the sci-fi, fantasy and horror genres. March's book: "Thornhedge," by T. Kingfisher.

Authoritarians in the Eye of the Beholder

Mon, Mar 31, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Dr. Mark I. Scheinbaum of Florida International University, author of "Battle for Freedom: Authoritarians and Democrats Meeting and Competing," discusses authoritarianism and its impact on global politics. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Crafternoon

Fri, Mar 14, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Create a craft and make new friends as we guide you through a new monthly project. This month we are working with real flowers. Materials provided. Preregister.

Book Club

Fri, Mar 28, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Discuss "Fuzz," by Mary Roach. Preregister.

cloudLibrary 101

Sat, Mar 29, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Learn about the basics of cloudLibrary and the world of eBooks. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Reading Buddies

Mondays, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Children are partnered with teen mentors to practice their reading skills. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Free Family Weekend Meal Kits

Fridays, All Day
Send your child to school Monday ready to learn with a Free Weekend Meal Kit. Each kit includes kid-friendly, nutritionally sound and culturally appropriate food sponsored by the Palm Beach County Food Bank. Each child ages 18 and younger is eligible for one Free Weekend Meal Kit every Friday while supplies last.

Creative Corner

Thu, Mar 06, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Express your creativity exploring various art techniques. Experiment with colors and materials to craft your unique masterpiece. Dress for a mess. Ages 6 & up. Materials provided. Preregister.

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Coloring Club

Sun, Mar 09, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Relax and chat with others while making art. Coloring pages, colored pencils and markers provided. Preregister.

Sandscape Studio

Tue, Mar 11, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Create vibrant sand art masterpieces using colorful sand. Express your creativity while crafting a fun keepsake. Materials provided. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

The Chess Mates

Sat, Mar 22, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn the basics of chess, from piece names to movements. Then, put your new skills into practice with a match. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Crochet for Kids and Teens

Sun, Mar 23, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Practice double crochet stitches and learn how to create a classic granny square. Perfect for beginners or those looking to refresh their skills. Materials provided. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

All Things Green Sensory Storytime

Sun, Mar 02, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Engage in interactive stories, songs and hands-on sensory activities all about the color green. For all abilities. Ages 2 & up. Preregister.

Happy Mardi Gras

Tue, Mar 04, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Be an artist and create the perfect mask for our Mardi Gras Parade. Preregister.

Building Better Readers

Tue, Mar 04, 11 & 18, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm & 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Students can improve their reading proficiency through individual one-on-one tutoring. Co-sponsored by the Literacy Coalition of Palm Beach County. Grades 1-4. Preregister.

National Plant a Flower Day

Wed, Mar 12, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Plant a flower, take it home and watch it grow. Preregister.

🌱 - Spring

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Thu, Mar 13 & 27, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Grades K-5. Preregister to reserve a 15-minute time slot.

Little Learners: A STEM Storytime

Sun, Mar 16, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Read, play and build early STEM skills with Coding Critters. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Story Sprouts

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 9:30 am - 10:00 am

Delight in songs and nursery rhymes at baby storytime. Ages 0-12 mos.

Toddler Time

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Learn through play and grow stronger every day. Preregister.

Pretend and Play Storytime

Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Explore the world of imagination. From firefighters to superheroes, let's create and play with stories, activities and crafts. Ages 3-5.



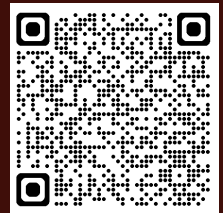
Celebrate American Chocolate Week

A Sweet Excuse to Indulge!

Chocolate lovers, rejoice! The third week of March is American Chocolate Week, a perfect time to savor your favorite treats, explore new flavors and even learn about the fascinating history of chocolate. Whether you prefer dark, milk or white chocolate, this week is all about celebrating the world's favorite sweet indulgence.

Want to learn more? Check out books and resources on the history, science and art of chocolate at the Palm Beach County Library System. Browse cookbooks with delicious chocolate recipes, discover the cultural significance of cacao or even try your hand at making homemade truffles!

Explore these resources and more at www.pbclibrary.org or scan the QR code and make your American Chocolate Week extra sweet!



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Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 15, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Sábado, 15 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

The ABCDs of Water Safety

Sat, Mar 22, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm

A fun, interactive and educational presentation where you will learn water safety tips and basic rescue techniques. By attending, your children ages 2-12 that do not already know how to swim may qualify for free/reduced cost swim lessons. Preregister.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Thursdays, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Adult Crafting

Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Chat with others, be creative and go home with something unique. This month we'll make decorated notebooks. Preregister.

Art for Adults

Sat, Mar 08, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm
Follow along to learn how to create a mandala art piece. Materials provided. Preregister.

Sunday Stitches

Sun, Mar 09, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Socialize with other needlework enthusiasts as you work on your current projects. Preregister.

Wellness Wednesdays:

Chair Yoga

Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn poses from a certified instructor to improve balance, boost flexibility and reduce stress. Wear comfortable clothing. Preregister.

Strum Along

Wed, Mar 12, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Talk music, bring your favorite instrument and play along with others. Preregister.

Crochet for Adults - Beginner

Sun, Mar 16, 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
New to crochet? Practice the basic stitches with others. Preregister.

Mini Macramé

Tue, Mar 18, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
This month's craft will be macramé shamrocks. Materials provided. Preregister.

Popcorn Matinee

Wed, Mar 19, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
"The Adventures of Priscilla, Queen of the Desert." ©Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Rated R. Popcorn provided. Preregister.

Wellness Wednesdays: Meditation, Create a Habit of Thinking & Feeling Positive

Wed, Mar 19, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Practice a guided meditation to relax and restore positive feelings. Meditation will take place in chairs; no mats will be necessary. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Thu, Mar 20, 1:30 pm - 2:15 pm
Discuss "In the Time of the Butterflies," by Julia Alvarez, a historical novel set during the Trujillo regime. Copies available the Research Desk or on cloudLibrary. Preregister.

Asistencia individualizada: destrezas de tecnología básica

Martes, 25 de marzo, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
¿Te gustaría aprender a crear un correo electrónico, descargar aplicaciones o navegar por sitios web? Estamos aquí para ayudarte. Llámanos y agenda una cita. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Adult Coloring Club

Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Coloring pages, color pencils and markers provided. Preregister.

Mousing Around

Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn & practice the basics of using a mouse. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

How to Escape a Sinking Vehicle

Wed, Mar 26, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm
Learn the SURE method and key strategies to escape a sinking vehicle—crucial for preventing drownings in Palm Beach County. Preregister.

TEENS

Anime Club

Sun, Mar 02, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Watch anime with friends, enjoy snacks and explore the latest manga in our collection. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Crochet for Tweens- Beginners

Sat, Mar 01, 15 & 29, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Learn the beginning stitches of crochet. Materials provided. Ages 10 & up. Preregister.

Crochet for Tweens: Next Step...

Sat, Mar 01, 15 & 29 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Once you've mastered the basics, come learn more advanced stitches. Materials provided or bring a project from home. Ages 10 & up. Preregister.

Football Throwers!

Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
Learn to throw tight spirals in this outdoor activity. Preregister.

Art Inspo: Amelia Peláez

Wed, Mar 05, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm
Celebrate Women's History Month by exploring Amelia Peláez's art and creating your own inspired piece. Dress for a mess. Preregister.

Summer Camp Scholarship Registration Assistance

Asistencia para la Solicitud del Campamento de Verano
Asistans pou Ranpli Aplikasyon pou Kan Dete

Sat, Mar 15, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
Sábado, 15 de marzo, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
Samdi, 15 mas, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
Register eligible children, ages 5-17, for a full scholarship to day camp for the entire summer. Scholarship includes full tuition and field trip fees. Inscribete para una beca completa de campamento de verano durante toda la temporada para niños elegibles de 5 a 17 años. La beca incluye la matrícula completa y todos los gastos de las excursiones. Anrejistre timoun ki elijib yo, ki gen laj 5 lane rive 17 lane, yon bousdetid konplè pou ale nan kan lajounen pandan tout ete a. Bousdetid gen ladan tout frè ekolaj ak tout frè vwayaj.

History Makers:

The First Botanist of Denali

Sun, Mar 23, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Discover Ynes Mexia, a trailblazing botanist and conservationist. Learn about her impact and how to identify and preserve local plants. Ages 7 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Chess Club

Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Learn how to play chess or brush up on your skills and then square off with an opponent. Preregister.

Toddler Storytime for Twos

Mon, Mar 17, 24 & 31, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Children will grow in literacy through books, music, action-rhymes and more. Ages 2-3. Preregister.

Little Builders for Twos

Mon, Mar 17, 24 & 31, 11:15 am - 11:45 am
Make fun creations using DUPLO® LEGO® bricks. Ages 2-3. Preregister.

Onesies Storytime

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 10:15 am - 10:45 am
An interactive experience with books, songs, fingerplays and body movement. Ages 1-2. Preregister.

Baby Storytime

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 11:00 am - 11:45 am
Share songs, fingerplays, bubbles and playtime with your little ones. Ages 6-12 mos. Preregister.

Storytime and More




Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
We'll read books, sing songs and finish with a craft. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Little Builders

Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 11:15 am - 11:45 am
Make a cool creation using DUPLO® LEGO® bricks. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Wooden Motor Machines

Sat, Mar 29, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
The first event in a six-month series of building a different motor machine each month. This month we start with 3D holographic projection. Preregister.

-  - Irish American Heritage
-  - Read A Recipe for Literacy
-  - Women's History

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Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour
 Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 01, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 Sábado, 01 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

DIY Tote Bag

Thu, Mar 06, 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
 Sun, Mar 09, 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Learn to create your very own tote. From market hauls to beach days, this bag carries it all. Materials provided. Preregister.

Movie Matinee

Sat, Mar 08, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday with us by watching "Horton Hears a Who." ©20th Century Fox. Rated G. Snacks provided. Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Coloring Club

Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Socialize, relax and make art in a sensory-friendly environment. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

Tabletop Game Day

Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Drop in for some tabletop fun. Tables with cards and games will be available in the Storytime Room.

Family Movie: Finding Nemo

Fri, Mar 28, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Relax and watch "Finding Nemo" with friends and family. ©Walt Disney Pictures. Rated G.

ADULTS

English Exchange

Wednesdays, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Vinyasa Yoga and Meditation

Sat, Mar 01, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Vinyasa yoga is a beautiful form of yoga where poses are linked together with the breath in a flowing, calming sequence. Bring a mat and water. Preregister.

Coffee Filter Hydrangeas

Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Get into the spring season by creating beautiful hydrangeas using coffee filters and watercolors. Preregister.

Fitness with Frank

Tue, Mar 04, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Frank Ceraso, a certified NASM Personal Trainer, leads a medium/high-intensity workout that delivers a full-body exercise session. Bring a mat and water. Preregister.

☘ - Irish American Heritage
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Iris Fold Hearts

Wed, Mar 05, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Iris flowers carry meanings of faith, courage, hope and wisdom. Create your very own using paper in a variety of colors. Preregister.

Tai Chi for Beginners

Sat, Mar 08 & 22, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Experience the health benefits of this martial art practiced as a form of meditation and self-defense. Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes. Preregister.

Upcycled Mini Planter

Mon, Mar 10, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Reuse a small can to make an eco-friendly mini planter for spring. Preregister.

Restorative Candlelight Yoga

Tue, Mar 11 & 25, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Relax and slow down in this restorative candlelit yoga class. Mat, water and yoga props encouraged. Preregister.

Sham-rockin' and Rollin': Paper Roll Shamrocks

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Feeling lucky? Create your own shamrock to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and spread the luck around. Preregister.

Garden Talks

Sat, Mar 15, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

The Acreege in Palm Beach County is known for its natural beauty and privacy, but many plants in the area are invasive. Learn about native species and how to help stop the spread of invasive plants. Preregister.

Gentle Yoga and Meditation

Sat, Mar 15, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Relax and exercise with certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Bring water, a yoga mat and wear comfortable clothing. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Tue, Mar 18, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Discuss "The Book That Wouldn't Burn," by Mark Lawrence. Preregister.

The Basics of Nutrition

Tue, Mar 18, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Frank Ceraso, a certified Nutrition Coach through NASM teaches proper nutrition for long term results. Preregister.

Art in The Afternoon

Wed, Mar 19, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Roll up your sleeves and get crafty. We'll provide the materials, you bring your imagination to this open-ended arts and crafts social. Preregister.

Mindful Meditation

Thu, Mar 20, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Practice the art of meditation. Bring inner peace and focus into your life. Preregister.

Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body

Thu, Mar 20, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

The Alzheimer's Association will be here to discuss the latest research in healthy living for your brain and body. Use the recommendations to implement a plan for healthy aging. Preregister.

Self-Care Sunday

Sun, Mar 23, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Sundays are for self-care. Participate in a self-care soirée where you can create a vision board, create reflection cards and more. Preregister.

Know Your Numbers!

Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn risk factors and myths, get a free A1C & cholesterol screening and receive a goodie bag from the Diabetes Coalition of Palm Beach County. Refreshments will be served. Preregister.

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DIY Beaded Hanging Rain Cloud ☑

Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Let the rain fall down and wake your dreams as you create your own beaded hanging rain cloud. Preregister.

TEENS

Manga for Your Mental Health 📖

Sun, Mar 02, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

In honor of World Teen Mental Wellness Day, bring your favorite comfort manga or enjoy one selected by our staff. Relax with some calming music and tea while you read. Ages 13-17. Preregister.

Dungeons and Dragons for New Players! 🎲

Sun, Mar 09 & 23, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Enter the world of D&D with fellow wizards, barbarians and rogues to battle monsters and bring goodness back to the land. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Anime Club

Sat, Mar 22, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Play a game or make a craft and watch the first two episodes of an anime. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Babysitter Safety with PBC Fire Rescue

Mon, Mar 24, 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Palm Beach County Fire Rescue will cover important babysitting topics such as fire safety and home safety, CPR and AED training and basic first aid practices. Teens will receive a certificate of completion. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

International Women's Day Card Craft ♀

Sat, Mar 08, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

In honor of International Women's Day, make a card for the awesome women in your life. Ages 5-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Preschool Saturday Storytime

Sat, Mar 01, 10:15 am - 11:00 am

Listen to fun stories, dance to silly songs and make creative crafts with friends on the weekend. Ages 3-6. Preregister.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Wed, Mar 05 & 19, 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Call/visit to reserve your 15-minute time slot. Grades K-6.

Make a Leprechaun Trap! 🍀

Thu, Mar 13, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Use your smarts and creativity to design a leprechaun trap just in time for St. Patrick's Day. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

Imagination Play Pals

Thu, Mar 20, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Stay and play with toys that stimulate the imagination while making new friends. Ages 2-4. Preregister.

LEGO® Club

Mon, Mar 24, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Build your way to a better day with LEGO® bricks and other building supplies. Ages 5-12. Preregister.

Pokémon™ Club

Tue, Mar 25, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Bring your Switch™ or Pokémon™ cards and get ready to battle, trade and make new friends. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

Spring Creative Crafting ☑

Wed, Mar 26, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Decorate for spring by making crafts using our art supplies. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

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March is National Craft Month, the perfect time to explore your creative side. Whether you're a seasoned crafter or just starting out, the Palm Beach County Library System has everything you need to spark inspiration—including free access.

Creativebug® is an online platform offering thousands of video tutorials on crafting, including sewing, knitting, painting, paper crafts and more. All you need is your Library card to access expert-led classes and learn new skills at your own pace.

Looking for hands-on experiences? Visit your local Library branch for crafting workshops, DIY events and maker programs throughout the month. From jewelry-making to upcycling projects, there's something for every age and skill level.

Celebrate National Craft Month by diving into a new project, sharing your creations and discovering the joy of handmade artistry—all with the support of the Palm Beach County Library System and Creativebug®.

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ALL AGES

Knotty by Nature:

A Sit and Stitch Situation

Wed, Mar 05, 5:30 pm - 7:45 pm

Work on your stitch, knit, crochet, embroider or cross-stitch project with us.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 08, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Sábado, 08 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Spring Break Movie Matinee

Mon, Mar 31, 2:30 pm - 4:15 pm

"Harold and the Purple Crayon."

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Rated PG. Popcorn provided.

ADULTS

Book-A-Librarian

Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 10:45 am & 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm

Personalized attention in the areas of computers, mobile devices and online resources. Preregister.

Outsmarting Weeds:

A Homeowner's Guide to a Beautiful Landscape

Sat, Mar 01, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

With IFAS Master Gardener Carl Lacny.

Movie Club

Sun, Mar 02, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm

"Superman: The Movie (1978)."

©Warner Bros. Rated PG. Popcorn provided. Preregister.

cloudLibrary and hoopla

Mon, Mar 03, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn to use cloudLibrary and hoopla. Library card required. Preregister.

English Exchange

Tue, Mar 04 & 18, 9:30 am - 11:30 am

Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

iPhone Basics

Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Learn basic tips for your iPhone. Preregister.

Writers LIVE! Presents: Carrie Sheffield

Thu, Mar 06, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Carrie Sheffield, discusses her latest book, "Motorhome Prophecies: A Journey of Healing and Forgiveness." Introduction by Representative Meg Weinberger. Books available for purchase. A book signing will follow. Preregister.

Decorate a Pot with Decoupage

Fri, Mar 07, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Decorate terra cotta pots using simple decoupage. Materials provided. Preregister.

Scrapbooking at Royal Palm Beach

Wed, Mar 12, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Bring some printed pictures and design your own scrapbook pages. Materials provided. Preregister.

Good Conversations Book Club

Thu, Mar 13, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Discuss "The Apartment," by Ana Menendez.

Art for Adults:

Printmaking - Pattern Blocks

Fri, Mar 14, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Explore the world of printmaking using linoleum and ink. Previous experience with linoleum carving is required to attend. Preregister.

Transparent Language Online

Mon, Mar 17, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Learn about this online system for studying languages in a fun and engaging way.

Non-Fiction Book Club

Mon, Mar 17, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

"Lovely One: A Memoir," by Ketanji Brown Jackson. Preregister.

Author Talk with:

Susannah Winters Simpson

Wed, Mar 19, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Poet Susannah Winters Simpson, MFA, PhD, discusses her acclaimed poetry collections "Dharma of Death" and "Desire and Mother Wind." A book signing follows. Preregister.

Organize Your Scanned Photo Collection

Thu, Mar 20, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn how to organize your photos by creating folders or albums. Share your scanned photos via email or on social media. Bring in your laptop and USB drive with your digital photos. Preregister.

Sound Bath and Guided Meditation

Mon, Mar 31, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Bathe in the healing sounds of the gong, crystal, Himalayan singing bowls and chimes. Yoga mats are suggested. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

Are You Board? Game On!

Sat, Mar 01 & 19, 2:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Learn and play games at our tabletop game night.

Acoustic Java Jam

Sat, Mar 08 & 22, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Enjoy local talent or bring your acoustic instrument for a jam session. Coffee provided.

Beginner Belly Dancing

Sun, Mar 09, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Learn basic movements and isolations as well as the posture and styling of belly dance. No experience needed. Preregister.

Vinyasa Yoga and Meditation

Wed, Mar 26, 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm

Poses are linked together with breath in a flowing, calming sequence. Bring a mat, water and props if desired. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

She Came, She Saw, She Painted- Women in Art

Thu, Mar 13, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Explore female artists throughout history and then create a masterpiece of your own. Dress for a mess. Ages 8-14. Preregister.

Your Own Pot O' Gold:

DIY Piggy Bank

Sat, Mar 15, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Make an origami piggy bank. Materials provided. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

St. Patrick's Day Crafternoon

Mon, Mar 17, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Materials provided. Ages 5-14.

Hanami-Cherry Blossom Crafting Party

Tue, Mar 18, 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Learn about the flower and make adorable accessories. Dress for a mess. Materials provided. Ages 7-14. Preregister.

CHILDREN

"Sense"-ational Storytime

Sat, Mar 08, 10:15 am - 11:00 am

Inclusive stories, songs and a sensory-focused activity. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Animal Reading Friends (A.R.F.)

Tue, Mar 11, 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm

Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs. Grades 1-6. Call to reserve your 10-minute time slot.

Panda-palooza Kahoot! Trivia & Craft

Fri, Mar 14, 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

Let's celebrate the new Giant Pandas at the Smithsonian's National Zoo with trivia and a craft. Bring a phone or tablet to access Kahoot! online. Library laptops are also available for use. Ages 7-11. Preregister.

St. Patrick's Day Rain & Rainbow Cloud in a Jar

Sat, Mar 15, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Use shaving cream, water and food coloring to actually see the water cycle in real time. Dress for a mess. Ages 5-8. Preregister.

Hooray for Toddlers Storytime

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Read, sing, move and learn with us during storytime. Ages 1-2.

Twee Storytime

Tue, Mar 18 & 15, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

A shared experience for caregivers and their children with stories, fingerplays, silly songs and movement. Ages 2-3.

Story Babies Storytime

Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

Share songs, fingerplays, bubbles and playtime with your little ones. Ages 3-11 mos.

Getting Ready to Read Storytime

Fri, Mar 21 & 28, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

A shared experience for caregivers and their children with stories, fingerplays, silly songs and movement. Ages 3-5.

Diamond Art Stickers! Paint with Gemstones

Sun, Mar 23, 2:00 pm - 2:45 pm

Make sparkly stickers with resin gemstones. Materials provided. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

LEGO® Bricks & More

Tue, Mar 25, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Build, imagine and play with our collection of LEGO® bricks. Ages 6-11. Preregister.

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ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour
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Sun, Mar 09, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Domingo, 09 de marzo, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Author Talk with Ram Prasad Koirala

Sun, Mar 16, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Ram Prasad Koirala traces his childhood in his gripping memoir, "A Colossal Love," detailing his love towards his grandmother and mother. The book depicts his fascinating journey from Nepal to Australia.

ADULTS

DIY Felt Shamrock Fun

Tue, Mar 04, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm
A fun session where you'll hand-sew a felt shamrock, perfect for St. Patrick's Day. Preregister.

Meditation: Create a Habit of Thinking and Feeling Positive

Wed, Mar 05 & 19, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Practice a guided meditation to relax and restore positive feelings. Meditation will take place in chairs; no mats will be necessary. Preregister.

Dungeons & Dragons

Mon, Mar 10 & 24, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Enter an adventurous world filled with dungeon-delving and monster-slaying with warriors and wizards. Preregister.

English Exchange

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Sit & Stitch Book Club

Thu, Mar 13, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Bring any project you're working on (crochet, sketching or even coloring) as we chat about the book of the month, "Witch King," by Martha Wells. Preregister.

Crafty Bookworms: Bookmarks

Tue, Mar 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
A book discussion where you share your favorite reads and create custom bookmarks. Meet fellow book lovers, get inspired and enjoy a creative, relaxing time. Preregister.

House Plant Exchange

Sat, Mar 22, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
Bring your healthy, pest-free cuttings or potted plants (12 in. pots or smaller) to swap. Whether you're a seasoned plant parent or first-time grower, it's a fantastic way to discover unique plants and socialize with fellow plant lovers.

Introduction to iMac Pages

Wed, Mar 26, 10:00 am - 10:45 am
Learn the basics of using iMac Pages to create and improve documents. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Speed Cubing

Sat, Mar 15, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Test your skills in a non-competitive, casual environment and learn tips from fellow cubers. Beginners welcome. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Sat, Mar 01, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm
Wed, Mar 12, 2:15 pm - 4:15 pm
Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Grades K-5. Preregister for your 15-minute time slot.

LEGO® Club

Tue, Mar 04, 11 & 18, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Explore, build and create with our LEGO® bricks. Ages 5-12.

Chessmates' Chess Club

Wed, Mar 05, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Discover the magic of chess. Play with others and become a chess master in a friendly and supportive environment. Ages 8-12. Preregister.

Sensory Playtime

Wed, Mar 05, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
Inclusive play experience with sensory-sensitivity focused activities, games and crafts. Dress for a mess. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Preschool Playdate

Fri, Mar 07 & 21, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Play, explore and make friends with our hands on activities. Ages 3-5.

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Queens of the Court:

Women in Tennis

Fri, Mar 07, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Learn about women from the past and present who have made history in professional women's tennis. Make DIY rackets, then play some tennis inspired games. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

ABCs of Water Safety

Sat, Mar 08, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Learn the ABCs of drowning prevention to be water safe and water smart year-round. You may qualify for free or reduced cost swim lessons. Presented by the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County. Preregister.

Pjs and Pages Storytime

Mon, Mar 10, 6:15 pm - 7:00 pm
Put on your coziest pajamas and enjoy enchanting tales, joyful songs and a fun craft to make bedtime extra special. Ages 3-5.

Friday Morning Tech Time

Fri, Mar 14 & 28, 10:15 am - 11:30 am
Spend the morning playing with several of our tech toys. Ages 5-12. Preregister.

Spinning Ballerina: On Pointe with Misty Copeland

Fri, Mar 14, 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Learn about the first African American woman principal dancer in the American Ballet Theatre. Enjoy a "Firebird" storytime and make a spinning ballerina craft. Ages 7 & up. Preregister.

Leprechaun's Lucky Day

Mon, Mar 17, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
What do Leprechauns' hide at the end of a rainbow? In our case, it's a slimy pot of gold. We'll set the St. Patrick's Day mood with a story and work to concoct a jackpot of treasure made almost entirely of slime. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Terrific Toddlers

Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 11:00 am - 11:30 am
Enjoy a fun time of stories, singing and dancing. Ages 1-2.

Little Learners: Preschool Story Time

Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
We'll read books, explore songs, dance and finish with a craft. Ages 3-5.

Pokémon™ Crew

Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Hang out, battle, trade cards, do a craft and have fun. Welcome to Pokémon™ Crew. Ages 6-12.

Movie: "The Wild Robot"

Thu, Mar 20, 2:15 pm - 4:15 pm
What happens when a robot meets the wild? Find out during "The Wild Robot." ©Universal Pictures. Rated PG.

Movie Matinee

Fri, Mar 28, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm
Learn how six-year-old Ruby became one of the first African American children to attend an integrated public school in the 1960s in "The Story of Ruby Bridges (A Picture Book on DVD)." ©Dreamscape. Not rated. Snacks available.

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Belle Glade Branch: 725 NW Fourth Street, Belle Glade 33430 | Phone: 561-996-3453

ALL AGES

Worm Paper Craft
Mon, Mar 03, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Roll up colored papers to make cute worms that wiggle and bring them to life.

VR Showcase & Board Games
Tue, Mar 04, 2:45 pm - 4:30 pm
 Experience various VR apps on the Meta Quest headset or play board games.

Mario Day Casual Mario Kart™ Tournament
Mon, Mar 10, 2:45 pm - 4:30 pm
 Casual Mario Kart™ tournament to celebrate Mario Day 2025.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour
Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad
Sat, Mar 22, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Sábado, 22 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Movie Matinee 📺
Sat, Mar 22, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
 "Holes." ©Walt Disney Pictures. Rated PG. Snacks provided.

Movie Matinee: "Explorers" (1985) 📺
Fri, Mar 28, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 A group of friends use a groundbreaking discovery to build a spaceship and launch themselves into space. ©Paramount Pictures. Rated G. Snacks provided.

ADULTS

English Exchange
Tuesdays, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.

Intro to Microsoft Word
Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Learn how to use Microsoft Word to make professional letters, essays, résumés and more.

Hands-on Computer and Cell Phone Basics
Thu, Mar 06 & 20, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
 Learn to use your smartphone or laptop for web searches, emails, photos and more. Beginner-friendly for seniors. Bring your device or use ours. Drop-ins welcome.

iPad Basics
Sat, Mar 29, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Learn the fundamentals of operating an iPad.

Once Upon a Novella Book Club: "The Count of Monte Cristo," by Alexandre Dumas 📖
Mon, Mar 31, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 It is a timeless adventure novel of suffering and revenge. This book club is an extension of English Exchange.

ADULTS & TEENS

Diabetes Wellness Series
Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
 Nova Southeastern University's IDEA Initiative shares S.M.A.R.T. goal setting for managing diabetes, covering diet, exercise, medications and emotional factors for better prevention and control.
 03/01: Diabetes Prevention & Management
 03/15: Diabetes & Exercise

Tiny Gardens: Make Your Own Open Terrarium 🌿
Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Make your own open terrarium in a fishbowl with succulents, soil and decorative accents. All materials provided, just bring your creativity. Preregister.

TEENS

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) 🙋
Wed, Mar 05, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Earn volunteer service hours by sharing your ideas on teen programming for the Library and beyond.

Painter's Circle
Fri, Mar 07, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Practice your painting skills and create your own masterpiece.

Digital DIY: Postcards
Sat, Mar 15, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Explore different creative websites the Library offers and create your own digital postcard. Preregister.

Springtime Bookmarks 📖
Thu, Mar 20, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Create a DIY resin bookmark to spruce up your book-holding space. Add fabric flowers and embellishments for a lovely spring theme.

Self-Care Saturday
Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Learn self-care tips while creating your own DIY care book.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Anime Club
Thursdays, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
 Watch anime shows and discuss different topics while enjoying tasty snacks.

Teach Me to Sign
Sat, Mar 01 & 08, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Practice your ASL and teach hearing staff along the way. Deaf and hard-of-hearing members are also welcome to attend and show off your expertise.

Chill Lounge
Wed, Mar 05, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Unwind from the day and chill out in a calm and peaceful environment. Enjoy a simple craft and refreshments.

History-Making Ladies Trivia ♀
Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 In honor of International Women's Day, we will be testing your wit to see if you know any history-making girls or women in a fun trivia game.

CHILDREN

Ruff Ruff Storytime
Mon, Mar 03, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 A storytime that is all about beloved pups. Ages 5 & up.

Shamrock Scavenger Hunt 🍀
Tue, Mar 04, 2:45 pm - 3:45 pm
 Find all of the green shamrocks by reading the clues. You may get lucky and find some gold along the way.

Bee Attitude
Mon, Mar 10, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 We'll create a hive of friendly, sting-free bees with a buzz of positive attitude and fun.

Pom-Pom Owl
Tue, Mar 11, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 This fun craft is easy to make with wise googly eyes. You'll have a hoot creating these owls.

Paper Bag Leprechaun 🍀
Mon, Mar 17, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Celebrate St. Patrick's Day by making a paper bag leprechaun with gold, rainbows and fun.

Spring Baby Spring ♀
Tue, Mar 18, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 This is a storytime reading of various spring-themed books for babies. Ages 0-3.

Rainbow Bead
Tue, Mar 18, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Craft radiant rainbow beaded decorations. Easy, fun and dazzling with no pot of gold needed.

Paper Flower Necklace
Mon, Mar 24, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Create a fun DIY paper flower necklace with colorful paper, string and creativity.

Awesome Spacecraft
Mon, Mar 31, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Build a spacecraft and color it any way you want.

- 🍀 - Irish American Heritage
- 🌿 - Spring
- 🙋 - Volunteer
- ♀ - Women's History

Public Computers

All branch locations offer free internet-access computers, subject to availability.

Access: Your activity is not private; be considerate. Use at your own risk.

Filtering: Illegal and explicit sexual content is blocked. Adults (18+) can request temporary filter removal with proof of age. Parents/guardians are responsible for their child's internet use.

Note: Computers will shut down 15 minutes before closing.



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Clarence E. Anthony Branch: 375 SW 2nd Avenue, South Bay 33493 | Phone: 561-992-8393

ALL AGES

DIY Four Leaf Clover

Wed, Mar 12, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Color and decorate a four leaf clover.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 22, 09:00 am - 10:00 am

Sábado, 22 de marzo, 09:00 am - 10:00 am

Movie Matinee

Mon, Mar 24, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Watch "Godzilla x Kong: The New Empire."

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ADULTS & TEENS

Computers - Basic

Mon, Mar 03, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Learn computer basics such as how to turn a computer on, use a keyboard/mouse and manage files.

DIY Trinket Box

Mon, Mar 10, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Paint and decorate your very own trinket box.

-  - Irish American Heritage
-  - Read A Recipe for Literacy
-  - Spring

TEENS

Teen Movie Day!

Wed, Mar 05, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

"Venom: The Last Dance." ©Sony Pictures Releasing. Rated PG-13. Snacks provided.

CHILDREN & TEENS

STEAM Builders Club:

Hydroponics Lab

Sat, Mar 15, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Celebrate Earth Hour by learning about environmental sustainability and how to grow your own crops.

CHILDREN

Video Games Galore!

Sat, Mar 01, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Challenge Library staff to a Super Smash Bros.™ tournament while making friends and playing games.

Spring Storytimes

Sat, Mar 08, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Read spring-themed stories and sing-alongs followed by a spring craft.

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Loula V. York Branch: 525 Bacom Point Road, Pahokee 33476 | Phone: 561-924-5928

ALL AGES

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour

Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 22, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

Sábado, 22 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am

ADULTS

English Exchange

Thursdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Intermediate knowledge of the English language is recommended.

ADULTS & TEENS

DIY Wooden Trays

Wed, Mar 19, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Create a mini wooden tray for storing desk items or as a fun DIY mini chalkboard project.

-  - Read A Recipe for Literacy

TEENS

Anime Club

Tuesdays, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm

Watch anime shows and discuss different topics while enjoying tasty snacks. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

STEAM Club: Fossil Digging

Sat, Mar 22, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Learn about fossils and excavate your own. Materials provided.

CHILDREN

Super Saturday Storytime

Saturdays, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Fun, interactive storytimes and creative activities for children and their parents.

Magical Storytime

Fri, Mar 07 & 21, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm

Make friends and read about great adventures.

The Learning Nook

Fri, Mar 14 & 28, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm

Make friends and learn about the world around you.

NEED HELP?

The Palm Beach County Library System is more than just books—we're here to support YOU!

We can help connect you with community resources, including:



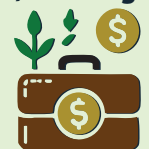
Food Assistance



Housing Support



Mental Health Resources



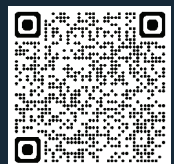
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Chandra Thornton is available to help connect you with community resources:

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Call 561-233-2759

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Canyon Branch: 8915 Senator Joe Abruzzo Avenue, Boynton Beach, 33472 | Phone: 561-903-3700

ALL AGES

Celtic Music Performance 🍀
Mon, Mar 03, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Celebrate with a performance of traditional music from Ireland, Scotland, England and Canada. Enjoy traditional songs and ballads mixed in with jigs, reels and other traditional Celtic fiddle tunes. Presented by Emily Ann Thompson (fiddle, vocals, clogging) and her husband Kelly Thompson (guitar, vocals, percussion). Preregister.

ADULTS

English Exchange
Tuesdays, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Cricut® 101: A Beginner's Guide to the Basics
Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Learn the basics about the Cricut Maker™ 3 and see a demonstration. Preregister.

Computer Basics
Thu, Mar 06, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
 A basic overview of computer components and systems. Preregister.

Spanish Exchange for Beginners
Mon, Mar 10, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Learn the basics of Spanish pronunciation, day-to-day Spanish phrases and vocabulary in a fun, relaxed environment. Preregister.

Coloring for Relaxation
Tue, Mar 11, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
 Relax and socialize with other coloring enthusiasts. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

Writers LIVE! Presents: Dr. Robert Watson 🗣️
Wed, Mar 12, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Award-winning author, historian and professor, Dr. Robert Watson, discusses how one conducts historical and archival research to put compelling stories down on paper while using fun and intriguing examples from four of his recent award-winning books. Books available for purchase. A book signing will follow. Preregister.

Groove & Brush: Art on Vinyl 🎨
Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Turn upcycled vinyl records into blooming works of art by painting your own springtime creations. Preregister.

Trivia Challenge
Tue, Mar 18, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Your knowledge and quick thinking will be put to the test in a fun and friendly competition. Preregister.

Whimsical Birdhouses 🐦
Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Decorate a whimsical wooden birdhouse to take home. Preregister.

Protecting Your Digital Self: A Guide to Avoiding Online Identity Theft
Fri, Mar 21, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 Learn to safeguard your online identity. Minimize your digital footprint, spot scams and respond to breaches. Gain tools to stay safe online. Perfect for all skill levels. Preregister.

Microsoft Excel: Basics
Sun, Mar 23, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Basic overview of creating spreadsheets for work and personal use. Preregister.

Jackbox Games™ Party
Mon, Mar 24, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Explore engaging and interactive Jackbox Games™ multiplayer gaming. Preregister.

Literary Lounge
Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 Share up to five pages of your work, get feedback and learn tips to enhance your storytelling skills. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

The Joy of Stamp Collecting
Mon, Mar 03, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Presentation on the educational aspects of stamp collecting as a family activity and the enjoyment it delivers. Preregister.

Living the Dream: Volunteering in our National Parks
Thu, Mar 06, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Denise Sears shares her experience about what it is like to live and volunteer in our incredible National Parks. Preregister.

Crafting Circle
Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Bring your own project and enjoy meeting other crafters. Preregister.

TEENS

Escape the Dragon's Dungeon
Sun, Mar 02 & 16, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Work as a team to solve a series of challenging puzzles, uncover hidden clues and unravel a thrilling storyline. Ages 12-18. Preregister.

Canyon Branch TAB: Teen Advisory Board 🗣️
Thu, Mar 20, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
 Share ideas, shape programs and support our community. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

Teen Dungeons & Dragons
Sat, Mar 22, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Welcome to Strixhaven. A brand new adventure is awaiting level 1 characters. Ages 12 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Would You Rather?
Mon, Mar 10, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
 A game that encourages conversation and laughter and helps youth learn about their peers by asking each other to choose between two scenarios. Preregister.

World Puppetry Day Celebration
Fri, Mar 21, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Learn how to bring stories to life with puppets and create one of your own. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Math Madness
Tuesdays, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
 Practice your math operations with fun games and activities. Ages 6-10.

Dog Man Day
Wed, Mar 05, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Dive into the world of crime-fighting and creativity with crafts, games and activities that bring the series to life. Ages 6-13. Preregister.

Sensory Playtime
Sat, Mar 15, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
 Inclusive play experience with sensory-sensitivity-focused activities, games and crafts. Dress for a mess. Ages 3-5. Preregister.

Take and Make: St. Patrick's Day Craft 🍀
Mon, Mar 17, All Day
 Pick up a free craft kit that you can take home and create at your own pace. Ages 5-11.

Countdown to Kindergarten
Fri, Mar 21 & 28, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
 Enjoy a storytime that is designed to help your preschooler get ready for kindergarten through stories, songs and stations. Ages 3-5.

Baby & Me Storytime
Mon, Mar 24, 10:30 am - 11:15 am
 Gentle stories, playful songs and bonding time. Ages 0-1.

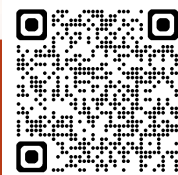
HerStory: Let's Celebrate Women's History Month! ♀
Wed, Mar 26, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
 A fun biographical slideshow introducing five notable women who left their mark on the world. Ages 8-12.

Snow White Mirror Craft
Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 A "Magic Mirror" craft with positive affirmations inspired by the fairytale. Ages 5-11. Preregister.

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Glades Road Branch: 20701 95th Avenue South, Boca Raton 33434 | Phone: 561-482-4554

ALL AGES

Celtic Music Performance 🌿

Mon, Mar 03, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Enjoy traditional music from Ireland, Scotland, England and Canada with Emily Ann Thompson (fiddle, vocals, clogging) and Kelly Thompson (guitar, vocals, percussion). Preregister.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour
Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Sat, Mar 08, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Sábado, 08 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

A Visit from Daggerwing Nature Center: Frogs & Toads

Tue, Mar 11, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
A naturalist from the Daggerwing Nature Center will teach us all about frogs & toads. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

Jigsaw Puzzle Swap

Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Spread the fun and extend the life of the puzzles you've already completed. Bring in your gently used jigsaw puzzle in its box and exchange it for another puzzle at this puzzle swap. Please be sure all the pieces are in the box.

ADULTS

Intermediate Guitar Lessons with Robert Ross 🎸

Mondays, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Guitars will be provided for use on site during the class sessions or bring your own. Registration is for the last four events of this eight event series.

Tech Talk One-on-One

Thursdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Library staff can help you improve your computer skills and assist you with your phone, laptop or tablet. Preregister.

English Exchange

Sat, Mar 01 & 15, 10:00 am - 11:30 am
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Genealogy One-On-One

Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Need help researching your family history? Book a one-on-one session with a Librarian to help you find your roots. Preregister.

Coloring Café

Thu, Mar 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Relax, socialize and make art with other coloring enthusiasts. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.

Business Workshop Part 3: How to Get Certified with Palm Beach County

Thu, Mar 06, 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Palm Beach County Office of Equal Business Opportunity and Prospera USA teaches a three-part business workshop to empower entrepreneurs. Preregister.

Movie Matinee

Mon, Mar 10, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
"Belle." ©Searchlight Pictures. Rated PG.

Gentle Yoga

Wed, Mar 12 & 26, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Sessions five & six of an eight-session journey through the mindfulness practice of gentle yoga. This will include breathing and stretching exercises. Preregister.

Writer's Roundtable

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Writers of all backgrounds are welcome to share their work and receive personalized feedback in this Writer's Roundtable event. Preregister.

"Exuberant Alma"

Mosaic Art Workshop 🎨 ♀
Mon, Mar 17, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
In celebration of Women's History Month, learn about artist Alma Thomas and try painting in her signature style: abstract expressionist with bright colors and bold brush strokes. Preregister.

Book Discussion

Tue, Mar 18, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
"The Friday Afternoon Club," by Griffin Dunne.

The History of Ireland in Song 🎵 🌿

Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
This multi-media presentation by Kevin Westley features songs and stories about the Battle of Glenmalure (1580), The Wearing of the Green, penal laws, the Great Hunger, Irish and American Wakes, American Civil War, sea shanties and many more historic events. Preregister.

Thrilling Trivia Thursday 🗣️

Thu, Mar 20, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Show off your knowledge of history, pop culture and more. Play with a team of up to four friends. Preregister.

Paint Your Own Treasure Chest 🗳️

Wed, Mar 26, 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm
Individuals of all artistic levels and backgrounds are welcome in this beginner level painting workshop. Materials provided. Preregister.

TEENS

Glades Road Branch Teen Advisory Board (TAB) 🗣️

Thu, Mar 27, 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Plan exciting events, share fresh ideas, make new friends and earn community service hours. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

ColorSpace: Tie-Dye Bandanas

Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Relax and refocus after a long week of school with a creative art project. Ages 12-17. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Play Pals

Tuesdays, 11:15 am - 12:00 pm
Enjoy social time while playing with literacy and sensory toys, books and other items. Ages 2-6.

Preschool Power!

Wednesdays, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
Find out how super reading is with songs, stories and rhymes. Ages 3-5.

Baby Loves Books

Thursdays, 10:15 am - 10:45 am
Open your baby's eyes to the wonders of reading while learning fun and educational tips about child development. Ages 3-18 mos.

Story Tots

Fridays, 10:15 am - 10:45 am
Listen to tales and tunes perfect for toddlers. Ages 1-2.

Creature Feature: Elephants

Tue, Mar 04, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Are you looking for a trunkload of information? Come on a jumbo-sized learning adventure and brush up on all your elephant knowledge. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

The Life of a Butterfly

Wed, Mar 05, 3:15 pm - 4:00 pm
Flutter to the Library to learn about the lifecycle of the butterfly. Ages 4-12. Preregister.

Glow Jars

Fri, Mar 07, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Light up the night with a luminous tissue paper lantern craft. Ages 6-12. Preregister.

Spring-Along Movie Matinee 🗣️ 🌿

Thu, Mar 13, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Spring into the season by singing your heart out to a Disney Classic: "Beauty and the Beast (1991)." ©Walt Disney Pictures. Rated G. Ages 2-14. Preregister.

T-Rex Tea Party

Fri, Mar 14, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
You are cordially invited to a roaring fun party filled with snacks, games and more. Please dress to impress in T-Rex or tea party attire. Ages 5-10. Preregister.

Rainbow Treasure Slime Time 🗣️

Sat, Mar 15, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Mix vibrant colors and sparkly "treasures" to create your own unique slime masterpiece. Get ready to stretch, squish and shine. Preregister.

Little Inventor's Lab

Fri, Mar 21, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Ignite your curiosity to create S.T.R.E.A.M.-inspired crafts. In this session, learn how to create a kaleidoscope and understand how it works. Ages 5-10. Preregister.

Good to Grow 🌿

Thu, Mar 27, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
Spread your roots for an afternoon of garden themed stories. Learn how flowers grow and take home your own seed to grow. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.

- 🌿 - Irish American Heritage
- 🌱 - Spring
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Hagen Ranch Road Branch: 14350 Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach 33446 | Phone: 561-894-7500

- ALL AGES**
- Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour**
Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad
Sat, Mar 08, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Sábado, 08 de marzo, 9:00 am - 10:00 am
- How to Escape a Sinking Vehicle** 🙋
Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Bambi Fanto from the Drowning Prevention Coalition of PBC shares tips on escaping a submerged vehicle. Learn survival strategies and your non-swimming kids (ages 2-12) might qualify for free or discounted swim lessons. Volunteer hours provided for Ages 12-17. Preregister.
- ADULTS**
- Knit & Crochet With Project Linus**
Wednesdays, 9:30 am - 11:30 am
Bring your favorite pattern, needles, bright yarn and a giving spirit. The blankets you make go to children in need.
- English Exchange**
Thursdays, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended.
- Coloring Club** 🎨
Wed, Mar 05, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Relax, socialize and make art with other coloring enthusiasts. Materials provided or bring your own. Preregister.
- Tech Talk: iPhone Tips & Tricks**
Wed, Mar 05, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm
Go beyond the basics with your iPhone. Learn what's new in iOS 18, how to scan and sign documents, manage storage, avoid unwanted calls and more. Preregister.
- Microsoft Word Basics**
Fri, Mar 07, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
Learn the basic features of Microsoft Word, including entering and editing text. Preregister.
- Qigong** 🧘
Mon, Mar 10, 10:00 am - 11:15 am
Instructor Terri Pakula will share various Qigong practices which explore spring and its associated meridians and organs. The practice will be standing with modifications as needed. Preregister.
- Mind Calm 2: Making Peace Your Priority**
Tue, Mar 11, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Discover peace with a deeper dive into CALM Meditation, exploring the five hidden causes of a busy mind. Brief review of session one included. Preregister.
- Jigsaw Puzzle Exchange**
Wed, Mar 12, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Refresh your jigsaw puzzle collection by bringing a few of your gently used jigsaw puzzles to swap for new-to-you puzzles.
- Microsoft Word Intermediate**
Fri, Mar 14, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
Learn advanced features of Word, including finding and replacing, spell check and more. Preregister.
- Tech Talk: Demystifying Artificial Intelligence**
Wed, Mar 19, 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm
Learn about AI for productivity, creativity and fun. Preregister.
- Joseph Moroz, the Brooklyn Crooner** 🎵
Thu, Mar 20, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Enjoy love songs by Elvis, Tom Jones, Dean Martin and more, performed in Joseph's smooth, intimate style. Preregister.
- Non-fiction Book Club**
Fri, Mar 28, 9:30 am - 11:00 am
March's book is "The Lost City of the Monkey God," by Douglas Preston. Preregister.
- TEENS**
- Hagensmeade: The Magic Continues**
Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Dive into "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets," by J.K. Rowling. Discuss favorite moments, characters and create a magical craft. Ages 12 & up.
- CHILDREN & TEENS**
- Be a Kid Librarian** 📖
Sat, Mar 01 - 08, All Day
Love books? Win the chance to design a book display in the Hagen Ranch Road Branch children's section. The winner will pick a theme and work with a librarian for one hour to create the display. Enter the first week of each month. Your display will be on view for two weeks. Ages 8 & up.
- Anime Hangout: Pokémon™ Edition**
Tue, Mar 11, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Watch your favorite episodes of Pokémon™ on the big screen. Refreshments provided.
- Homeschool Hub: Blast Off on a Galactic Quest** ♀
Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Explore women in space and learn stargazing tips from an Astronomical Society of the Palm Beaches member. Discover how telescopes aid space exploration with a Stellar Optics Telescope Kit from UF/IFAS Extension Palm Beach County 4-H. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.
- ABCDs of Water Safety Class**
Tue, Mar 25, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Learn water safety, best practices and basic rescue techniques with the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County. Non-swimming kids ages 2-12 may qualify for free or discounted swim lessons. Preregister.
- Mario Kart™ Tournament**
Wed, Mar 26, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Challenge your friends to a Mario Kart™ tournament. Grand prizes will be given to the winners. Ages 5 & up.
- CHILDREN**
- Tiana's Royal Mardi Gras Party**
Tue, Mar 04, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Celebrate the rich culture and history of New Orleans during Mardi Gras with Tiana. Enjoy a fun storytime, decorate your own Mardi Gras masks and finish with a parade around the Library. Ages 2-6. Preregister.
- Outdoor Sensory Scavenger Hunt**
Wed, Mar 05, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Meet in the storytime room before heading to the outdoor space. Ages 2 & up.
- Drop-In & Play**
Thu, Mar 13, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Play and learn with our wide variety of toys in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. Ages 2-5.
- Baby Rhyme Time**
Mon, Mar 17, 24 & 31, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Enjoy songs, books, rhymes and tummy time together. Ages 0-12 mos.
- Onesies Storytime**
Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Bond with your child through books, songs, fingerplays and movement. Designed for little ones steady on their feet. Ages 1-2.
- Tiny Toddler Tales**
Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Cozy up for a fun-filled storytime session that will make you get up and move with interactive stories, activities and more for your little ones. Ages 2-3.
- Animal Reading Friends (ARF)**
Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Practice reading skills with a licensed therapy dog. Grades K-5. Register online, then call to reserve your 15-minute time slot.
- Ready, Set, Kindergarten!**
Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Have fun at the Library and help get your child ready for school. Ages 4-5. Preregister.
- Craft-A-Palooza: Spring Edition** 🌸
Mon, Mar 24, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
A wide variety of crafts to create including a Paper Bag Kite Craft. Pick and choose as many as you would like. Ages 5 & up. Preregister.
- Coding with Tech Toys: Bee-Bots® - Space Edition** ♀
Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn programming, control and logic with this space-themed challenge celebrating Women's History Month, highlighting women in space. Grades 1-5. Preregister.
- Money Sense with Kiddynomics**
Sun, Mar 30, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Explore economic thinking with a focus on decision-making and balancing wants with smart choices. Enjoy a story and practice making choices in a pretend play store. Ages 4-7. Preregister.

🌸 - Spring

🙋 - Volunteer

♀ - Women's History

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Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour: Crumpled Tissue Paper Art

Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Relax and create art with colorful tissue paper in a supportive space. Designed for members with disabilities, but all are welcome.

Sensory Friendly Browsing Hour Hora sensorialmente amigable para personas con discapacidad

Wed, Mar 19, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Miércoles, 19 de marzo, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Movie Matinee:

"The Wild Robot."

Fri, Mar 28, 2:30 pm - 4:15 pm
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ADULTS

English Exchange

Tuesdays, 10:30 am - 11:45 am
Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Spanish Exchange for Beginners

Mon, Mar 03, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Learn the basics of Spanish pronunciation, day-to-day Spanish phrases and vocabulary in a fun, relaxed environment. Preregister.

Monthly Movie: "Wicked."

Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
"Wicked." ©Universal Pictures. Rated PG. Popcorn provided.

Art Workshop:

Painted Birdhouses

Wed, Mar 05, 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Build a cozy home for your feathered friends in this hands-on activity. Preregister.

Line Dancing

Thu, Mar 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Beginners and experienced line dancers will learn new dances to keep you movin' and groovin'. Preregister.

Book-a-Librarian

Mon, Mar 10 & 26, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
One-on-one technology assistance with Library staff for computer skills, mobile devices and online resources. Preregister.

Shelf Indulgence Book Society

Tue, Mar 11, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
"The Hazelbourne Ladies Motorcycle and Flying Club," by Helen Simonson. Preregister.

Coloring Club

Wed, Mar 12, 3:00 pm - 4:15 pm
Materials will be provided or you can bring your own.

Protecting Your Digital Self: A Guide to Avoiding Online Identity Theft

Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Protect your online identity by minimizing your digital footprint, spotting scams and responding to breaches. Ideal for all skill levels. Preregister.

Beginner Ukulele

Fri, Mar 14, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn to play the ukulele. Please bring your own ukulele. Preregister.

Tertulia literaria

Jueves, 20 de marzo, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
"La isla de los amores infinitos," de Daína Chaviano. Las copias del libro están disponibles en el mostrador de investigación y las copias electrónicas están en cloudLibrary. Se requiere inscripción previa.

Big Kid Field Day

Sat, Mar 22, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Relive your youth with fun outdoor games that challenge strength, wit and teamwork. Preregister.

Karaoke Night: March Music Madness!

Thu, Mar 27, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Pick your favorite songs that make everyone want to participate in and dance like mad.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Spanish for Kids

Sun, Mar 02, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Learn basic Spanish in a fun way and be able to communicate in a second language with friends, family and community. Ages 8 & up. Preregister.

Eclectic Art

Thu, Mar 20, 3:30 pm - 5:15 pm
Unleash your creativity by blending materials and colors to craft a unique, eclectic artwork. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Family BINGO Time

Tue, Mar 25, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Have a good time playing BINGO with your family and friends. Grades K-8. Preregister.

Nature Journals: Insects

Tue, Mar 25, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Get inspired and create your own nature journal. Record your observations, thoughts and feelings about the natural world. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

CHILDREN

Taste & See:

Grapes! Grapes! Grapes!

Tue, Mar 04, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Taste different varieties of grapes to see if they are similar or not. Learn to use a Venn diagram to share your results. Grades 2-5. Preregister.

Animal Reading Friends (ARF)

Sat, Mar 08, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Practice reading skills with licensed therapy dogs who can't wait for you to read them a story. Grades K-5. Preregister.

Family Storytime

Sun, Mar 09, 12:30 pm - 1:00 pm
Sat, Mar 29, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Stories, fingerplays and songs for kids and their families. Ages 2-6.

Preschool Crew Playtime

Wed, Mar 12, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
A casual time to socialize, play and color with other preschoolers. Ages 3-5.

Hola amigos!

Thu, Mar 13, 11:30 am - 12:00 pm
Jueves, 13 de marzo, 11:30 am - 12:00 pm
Learn some basic Spanish through stories, songs & fingerplays. Ages 3-5. Preregister. Aprende español con cuentos, canciones y juegos rítmicos. Edades 3-5. Se requiere inscripción previa.

LEGO® Builders Club: Dragons

Sat, Mar 15, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm
LEGO® building inspires creativity, encourages problem-solving and facilitates team building while having fun. Participants will go home with their own mini LEGO® set. Ages 8-12. Preregister.

Kids Learn Tech:

Presented by Tech 4 Now

Sat, Mar 15, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Learn essential skills in coding, computer navigation, internet safety and conducting research. Bring your own laptop or tablet or use one of ours. Ages 8-12. Preregister.

Tod Squad

Tue, Mar 18, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
A fun time of stories, fingerplays and songs just for toddlers. Ages 1-2. Preregister.

Kids Chess Hangout

Sat, Mar 22, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
A casual time to play and talk chess with other young enthusiasts. Bring your board or use one of ours. Grades 2-6.

Wednesday Morning Crafts

Wed, Mar 26, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Stop in for a casual craft time. A variety of simple crafts are available. Ages 3-9.

Bedroom Door Sign

Wed, Mar 26, 3:00 pm - 4:45 pm
Create a customized door sign for your bedroom, using a variety of colors and fun materials. Ages 6 & up. Preregister.

Diary Writing, Session 2

Thu, Mar 27, 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm
Share how you have used your tools from January for diary writing. Then you will draw, color, use stickers and write about your thoughts and plans in your own special diary. Grades 2-6. Refreshments supplied. Preregister.

Coloring Fun

Fri, Mar 28, 10:30 am - 11:30 am
Drop in for a casual time experimenting with crayons, pencils and a variety of rubbing plates and stencils. Ages 3 & up.

Baby Bunch

Mon, Mar 31, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Baby and parents or caregivers are invited to share in a time of stories, songs and fingerplays. Ages 3-12 mos. Preregister.

 - Read A Recipe for Literacy
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Thu, Mar 06, 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Jueves, 06 de marzo, 10:00 am - 11:00 am

March Madness Movie Matinee
Mon, Mar 24, 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm
 Celebrate March Madness with a special movie matinee viewing of "Space Jam: A New Legacy."
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ADULTS

English Exchange
Wednesdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Intermediate knowledge of the language is recommended. Preregister.

Writers LIVE! Presents: Dawn Tripp 
Mon, Mar 03, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 Acclaimed author, Dawn Tripp, discusses her latest novel, "Jackie," an intimate story of love and power, family and tragedy and loss and reinvention. Books available for purchase. A book signing will follow. Preregister.

Old Fashion Irish Sing Along 
Tue, Mar 04, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Experience an Old Fashion Irish Sing Along with radio host Kevin Westley. Enjoy popular Irish tunes, videos and performances by many artists. Sing along to classics like Spencil Hill and Galway Bay. Preregister.

Senior Living Options
Thu, Mar 06, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Learn how to differentiate between the various choices available for senior living. Presented by Acts Retirement-Life Communities. Preregister.

Women's Health 101 
Tue, Mar 11, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Get expert insights on preventing chronic disease, managing weight, hormone changes, skin care, aging, mental health and the importance of screenings and prevention. Preregister.

Book-a-Librarian
Wed, Mar 12 & 19, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 30-minute one-on-one tech help with Library staff for computer skills, mobile devices and online resources. Preregister.

Literary Minds Book Discussion
Thu, Mar 13, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Each meeting promises a deep dive into a compelling book that will ignite your imagination and stir your intellect. This month's pick is "All the Colors of the Dark," by Chris Whitaker. Preregister.


Writing Workshop
Fri, Mar 14, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
 Explore the craft of storytelling with Barbara Bixon (A.R. Alan), author of comedy, mystery and short stories. Preregister.

Splatter & Chatter: Painting for the Fun of It
Thu, Mar 20, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
 For the artistically challenged looking for a stress-free craft. No judgment, just colorful chaos and lots of laughs. This month we will be painting neurographic art. Preregister.

Sunshine Law and Public Records
Fri, Mar 21, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 In honor of Sunshine Week, Attorney Stefanie Beskovoyne will discuss Florida's open government and public records laws to help the public better understand their rights. Sponsored by The Florida Bar. Preregister.

Navigating Legal Issues in the Age of AI
Tue, Mar 25, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Patent attorney Derek Fahey examines the legal challenges of generative AI, focusing on content ownership, copyright implications and how AI is reshaping the boundaries of intellectual property law. Preregister.

PBC Veteran Services
Thu, Mar 27, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm
 Meet with accredited Service Officer Jason St. John for answers to your questions and to learn about services available to veterans. Bring your DD214.

Objects and Artists: Women and Art in the 19th Century 
Thu, Mar 27, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Dr. Karen Leader, FAU Art History professor, explores 19th-century women in art—their depictions, challenges and roles as artists and patrons. Preregister.

Chair Yoga
Fri, Mar 28, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 Relax and exercise with certified yoga instructor Dr. Maruti Ram Gudavalli. Preregister.

Line Dance with Ruth Goodstein
Sat, Mar 29, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Have fun and dance as if no one is watching. Preregister.

Coloring Club
Mon, Mar 31, 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm
 Relax and color with other enthusiasts. Materials provided. Preregister.

ADULTS & TEENS

FAFSA Workshop
Tue, Mar 11, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
 The TRiO Educational Opportunity Center at Palm Beach State College presents a walkthrough and discussion of the FAFSA application for parents and high school students intending to enroll in college.

TEENS

Teen Dungeons & Dragons
Sat, Mar 08 & 22, 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm
 Adventure in the world of Dungeons & Dragons with fellow wizards, barbarians and rogues. Ages 14 & up. Preregister for both sessions.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Chess Club
Wednesdays, 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
 Get tips to master chess moves. Challenge yourself and other players. Materials provided. Ages 8-12.

CHILDREN

Crafts for Kids
Fri, Mar 07, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Spark your creativity. Assemble fun seasonal crafts and meet new friends. Ages 5-8. Preregister.

LEGO® Challenge
Mon, Mar 10, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Challenge yourself to make LEGO® creations. Ages 5-8.

TINY Tot Time
Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 10:00 am - 10:30 am
 Stories, songs, games and activities for the youngest readers. Ages 1-2.

Peek-a-Boo Baby
Tue, Mar 18 & 25, 11:00 am - 11:30 am
 Wiggle, giggle, bounce and read with a splattering of songs. Pre-walkers. Ages 0-13 mos.

Toddler Story Time
Wed, Mar 19 & 26, 10:30 am - 11:00 am
 Interactive early literacy experience featuring props, songs, fingerplays and stories. Ages 2-3.

Preschool Storytime
Thu, Mar 20 & 27, 10:15 am - 11:00 am
 Practice school readiness through stories, songs, fingerplays, crafts and more. Ages 3-5.

Coloring Club
Mon, Mar 31, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm
 Socialize with friends while you work on a coloring craft. Ages 6-12.



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