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EVENT GUIDE | JANUARY 2018



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Four-year-old Waylon Potter (pictured left) and his 2-year-old brother, Wyatt, love coming to the Skiatook Library with their mom, Meghan, for fun stories and creative coloring.

library closings

All locations will be closed on Monday, Jan. 1 for
New Year's Day; Tuesday, Jan. 2 for library inventory;
and Monday, Jan. 15 for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
Charles Page Library will be closed Jan. 8-15 for improvements.

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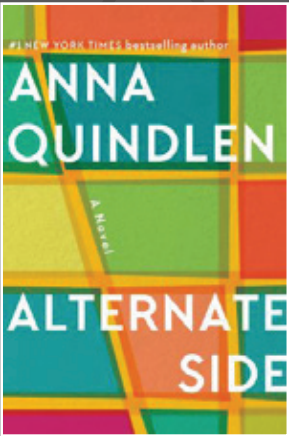
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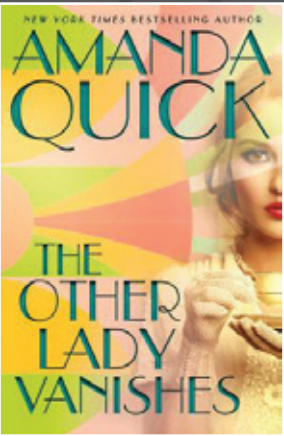
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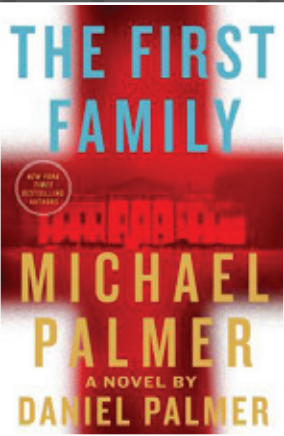
Alternate Side
by Anna Quindlen
The tensions in a tight-knit neighborhood – and a seemingly happy marriage – are exposed by an unexpected act of violence in this provocative new novel from the No. 1 *New York Times* best-selling author of *Miller's Valley* and *Still Life With Bread Crumbs*.



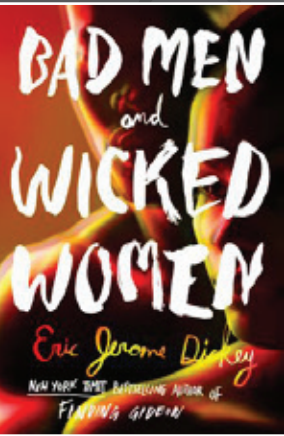
The Cast
by Danielle Steel
The No. 1 *New York Times* best-selling author follows a talented, creative woman as she launches her first TV series, helping to recruit an unforgettable cast that will bring a dramatic family saga to the screen.



The Other Lady Vanishes
by Amanda Quick
The author of *The Girl Who Knew Too Much* sweeps readers back to 1930s California – where the most dazzling of illusions can't hide the darkest secrets.



The First Family
by Michael Palmer
The President's teenaged son is threatened by a potentially fatal illness that is rooted in dark secrets from a long-buried past.



Bad Men and Wicked Women
by Eric Jerome Dickey
As a low-level enforcer in Los Angeles, Ken Swift knows danger – especially in his tangled romances. In Eric Jerome Dickey's new novel, raw emotions surface, igniting revenge, love, longing, desperation and despair – and the flames just might be deadly.

adults & all ages

BIXBY LIBRARY

**Manga for Grownups:
An Animated Book Discussion**
Saturday, Jan. 13 • 2-3 p.m.

Love DC, Marvel, manga or other types of comics? Come and discuss your favorite characters, books and series with other fans. Light refreshments are provided.

Adult Book Discussion

Wednesday, Jan. 31 • 2-3 p.m.
Read “Killers of the Flower Moon” and then join us for a lively discussion. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the Bixby Library or as e-books. Light refreshments are provided.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY

Cover to Cover Book Club
Tuesday, Jan. 9 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Join us for a lively discussion as we explore

the strange and secret “Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore” by Robin Sloan. For adults.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY/SOUTH

Beyond the Book
Thursday, Jan. 11 • 2-3 p.m.
Join us to discuss “Lillian Boxfish Takes a Walk” by Kathleen Rooney. Reserved copies of the title are available at the desk. Light refreshments are provided. For adults.

BROOKSIDE LIBRARY

Brookside Book Discussion

Monday, Jan. 8 • 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Read “No One Is Coming to Save Us” by Stephanie Powell Watts and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

CENTRAL LIBRARY

Harry Potter New Year’s Bash

Saturday, Jan. 6 • 5-7:30 p.m.

Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center

Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, and the Ministry of Magic request the pleasure of your company at the Harry Potter New Year’s Bash. Join us for an evening of enchantment and merrymaking. Celebrate this winter season and all things Harry Potter. Enjoy Butterbeer, snacks, a costume contest and house sorting. Take delight in creating magic-filled wands at Ollivander’s, snapping photos of you and yours for The Daily Prophet, and dancing the night away to Harry Potter-themed music. Costumes and themed attire are encouraged. For all ages.

Idea Box: Pause. Be. Mindful.

Jan. 16-28

Location: First Floor

Come and pause a moment while engaging with our large-scale Zen Garden. Allow yourself to stop and be still. Stroll through a digital meditation labyrinth and be with your thoughts. Learn about different cultures’ approaches to labyrinth meditation. The Idea Box is an exciting new way for customers to engage with novel concepts and experiences. Through pop-up installations, inspiring programming, topical book recommendations and one-of-a-kind associated events, the Idea Box challenges you to think outside your box! For all ages.

Idea Box: Guided Meditation – Pause. Be. Mindful.

Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 24 • noon-12:30 p.m.

Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center

Come and experience a lunchtime guided meditation session. Learn about ways to incorporate calmness and stress reduction in your routine through a daily meditation practice. For adults.

Idea Box: Tibetan Singing Bowls and Gongs – Pause. Be. Mindful

Thursday, Jan. 18 • 12:15-1:15 p.m.

Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center

Experience Tibetan singing bowls and gongs through guided participation and a soothing demonstration, presented by Mike O’Neal. Reduce stress and anxiety, lower blood pressure, relax deeply, increase mental/emotional clarity. For adults.

Idea Box: Guided Mindfulness – Pause. Be. Mindful.

Friday, Jan. 19 • 12:15-1:15 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 12:15-1:15 p.m.

Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center

Experience a lunchtime guided mindfulness session with Deborah Hunter, case manager for the Tulsa City-County Library. She will guide us through deep breathing and visualization techniques to help reduce stress and anxiety. For adults.

Tulsa Flute Band: A Concert for the Whole Family

Saturday, Jan. 20 • 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Location: First Floor

Join the Tulsa Flute Band for this fun, eclectic, casual concert featuring songs you know and songs you love! For all ages.

Great Decisions Kickoff

Sunday, Jan. 21 • 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Location: Aaronson Auditorium

Learn more about the Great Decisions foreign-policy discussion program, get connected with a group and pick up discussion materials. J. Markham Collins, professor emeritus of international business and finance in the Collins College of Business at the University of Tulsa, is

the featured speaker. Collins has served as vice provost for global education and co-director of the team that developed the Global Scholars program at TU. Great Decisions is America’s largest civic-education program on U.S. foreign policy and global affairs. It is sponsored nationally by the Foreign Policy Association and locally by the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries. Briefing books detailing the 2018 topics will be available for purchasing for \$20. Topics are: “The waning of Pax Americana?”; “Russia’s foreign policy”; “China and America: The new geopolitical equation”; “Media and foreign policy”; “Turkey: A partner in crisis”; “U.S. global engagement and the military”; “South Africa’s fragile democracy”; and “Global health: progress and challenge.” For adults.

Maker Monday: Make Your Own Bath Bomb!

Monday, Jan. 22 • 5:30-7 p.m.

Location: Maker Space

Create a personalized bath bomb using essential oils and other natural ingredients. Seating is limited. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For adults.

Travels With Tulsans: Traversing Australia

Wednesday, Jan. 24 • 12:10-12:50 p.m.

Location: Aaronson Auditorium

Join the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries for this travelogue series. This week features an exciting presentation by Ros Elder and Ann Dunagan, who spent a month traversing all seven states of Australia. For adults.

Central Library Book Discussion

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 2-3 p.m.

Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center

Read or listen to “Fates and Furies,” Lauren Groff’s novel relating each side of a seemingly glamorous but secretive marriage, and then join us for this lively discussion of the novel. For adults.

HARRY POTTER

NEW YEAR’S BASH

an evening of enchantment and merrymaking

SATURDAY, JAN. 6 • 5-7:30 P.M.

Central Library • Fifth Street and Denver Avenue

POCAHONTAS GREADINGTON LEARNING & CREATIVITY CENTER

Celebrate this winter season and all things Harry Potter! Enjoy Butterbeer, snacks, a costume contest and house sorting. Take delight in creating magic-filled wands at Ollivander’s; snapping photos of you and yours for *The Daily Prophet*, and dancing the night away to Harry Potter-themed music! All ages (and houses) are welcome. Costumes and themed attire are encouraged!

MAGICAL PRESHOW: Join us at 4 p.m. for an owl demonstration with the Tulsa Zoo. The first 50 people to arrive are guaranteed a spot!

CENTRAL LIBRARY continued

Travels With Tulsans: Hungary and Czech Republic

Wednesday, Jan. 31 • 12:10-12:50 p.m.

Location: Aaronson Auditorium

Join the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries for this travelogue series. This week features seasoned traveler Joel Embry sharing enlightening tidbits from his visits to Hungary and the Czech Republic. For adults.

COLLINSVILLE LIBRARY

All Thumbs Knitters

Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

12:30-2:30 p.m.

All levels of knitting ability are welcome to join us for this fun afternoon. For adults.

Collinsville Book Discussion

Tuesday, Jan. 9 • noon-1 p.m.

Read “Ghost Gone Wild” by Carolyn G. Hart and then join us for this lively discussion. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the Collinsville Library. For adults.

Patchworkers: Quilting

Tuesday, Jan. 9 • 6:30-8 p.m.

If you are a quilter, join us for an evening of quilting and friendly conversation. For adults.

Patchworkers: Sew In

Saturday, Jan. 13 • 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

If you are a quilter, bring your latest project and settle in for a full day of quilting and friendly conversation. For adults.

GLENPOOL LIBRARY

Chicks Knit and Lit

Friday, Jan. 5 • 1-3 p.m.

Bring your own project and join us for an afternoon of knitting or whatever fiber or other craft you do. We'll also talk about what books we've read or movies we've seen. For adults and teens.

Cookbook Club: Finger Food for Parties

Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Get ready for the Super Bowl with a new recipe! Join other home cooks to try out the recipe and share. We'll critique each book's style, presentation, ease of use and, of course, the food. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For adults.

Diabetes Education Empowerment Series

Mondays, Jan. 22, 29; Feb. 5, 12, 26; March 5 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Older adults and their caregivers will learn how to manage diabetes in order to improve their overall quality of life. Presented by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative (OHAI) Northeast Office, this interactive series will focus on a different aspect of diabetes self-management each week and provide tips to implement at home. Through small groups, games, activities and support conversations, participants will learn about meal planning, how diabetes affects the body, how to monitor changes, and get tips on physical activity, how to encourage family involvement, plus much more. OHAI is a program of the Donald W. Reynolds Department of Geriatric Medicine at the University of Oklahoma. Registration is required for the entire series. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call the Glenpool Library at 918-549-7323.

HARDESTY REGIONAL LIBRARY

LitWits' Book Club

Wednesday, Jan. 3 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Location: Digital Lounge

Join fellow reading enthusiasts to discuss the haunting retelling of the Russian fairy tale “The Snow Child” by Eowyn Ivey and get recommendations on similar titles and authors. For ages 25 and older.

Beginning Genealogy Workshop

Saturday, Jan. 20 • 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Location: Frossard Auditorium

Learn how to start your family history research at this in-depth beginning genealogy workshop. For adults.

DIY: Sewing Assistance

Saturday, Jan. 20 • 1-4 p.m.

Location: Maple Room

Need help learning to navigate your sewing machine, or working through a pattern or project? Want some support and companionship as you work? Join us and let us help! We will assist with learning to read patterns, navigating trouble spots or difficult techniques. New or expert sewers are encouraged to come. For adults and teens.

HELMERICH LIBRARY

Books People Are Talking About

Wednesday, Jan. 17 • 12:15-1:15 p.m.

Join us as we discuss the refugee and immigrant experience in contemporary, timely novels from several countries. “The Refugees” by Viet Thanh Nguyen and “Americanah” by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie from Nigeria are by award-winning authors. Particularly relevant are the following novels set in the Middle East: Mosid Hamid’s “Exit West,” Hakan Gunday in “More” (which centers on the refugee crisis in Turkey), and “Live From Cairo” by Ian Bassingthwaighte. Light refreshments are provided. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library.

Mainly Mysteries: After the Holiday Book Swap!

Tuesday, Jan. 30 • 6-7:15 p.m.

Bring a paperback to swap, share a snack, and celebrate a new year of mysteries. Read “Hanging Mary,” “Gone to Dust” and “A Study in Scarlet Women.” Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For adults.

JENKS LIBRARY

Jenks Library Book Discussion Group

Thursday, Jan. 18 • 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Join us for a lively discussion of current and classic books. Call the Jenks Library at 918-549-7323 for more details. For adults.

Great Decisions Kickoff

FEATURING
J. Markham Collins

Sunday, Jan. 21
2:30-3:30 p.m.
Central Library
Aaronson Auditorium

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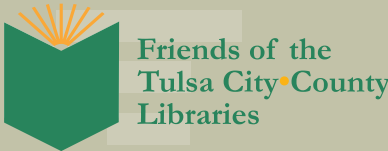
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on U.S. foreign policy and

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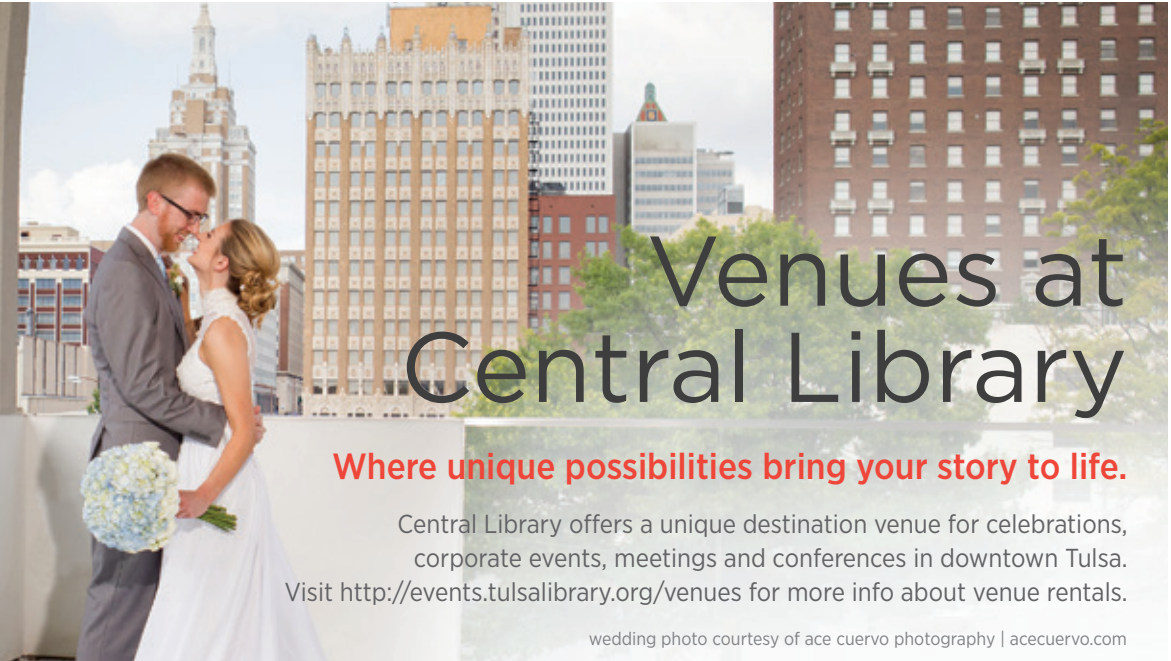


Learn more about Great Decisions, get connected with a group and pick up discussion materials. Join J. Markham Collins, professor emeritus of international business and finance in the Collins College of Business at the University of Tulsa, for this enlightening presentation about U.S. foreign policy. Collins has served as vice provost for global education and co-director of the team that developed the Global Scholars program at TU.

GREAT DECISIONS 2018 TOPICS ARE:

- The waning of Pax Americana?
- Russia's foreign policy
- China and America: The new geopolitical equation
- Media and foreign policy
- Turkey: A partner in crisis
- U.S. global engagement and the military
- South Africa's fragile democracy
- Global health: Progress and challenge

Briefing books detailing the topics will be available for purchasing at the kickoff for \$20 (cash or check only).



Venues at Central Library

Where unique possibilities bring your story to life.

Central Library offers a unique destination venue for celebrations, corporate events, meetings and conferences in downtown Tulsa. Visit <http://events.tulsalibrary.org/venues> for more info about venue rentals.

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MARTIN REGIONAL LIBRARY

Full-Cup Book Club for Adults
Wednesday, Jan. 10 • 10-11 a.m.
Location: Auditorium
Read “The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time” by Mark Haddon and join us for coffee and conversation. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the library or online at www.tulsalibrary.org.

Adulting 101: Repairing and Building Your Credit
Tuesday, Jan. 23 • 7-8 p.m.
Location: Auditorium
This program focuses on the basics of repairing and rebuilding a bad credit rating, or building credit for the first time from scratch.

What? LEGOs for Adults? Really?
Saturday, Jan. 27 • 2-3 p.m.
Location: Conference Room
Why should children have all the fun? Bring your MOC (my-own-creations) and dive into our many bins of bricks. Come and meet more of your kind. Remember the motto of the LEGO company: Play well!

Cookbook Club: Beverages
Monday, Jan. 29 • 7-8 p.m.
Location: Conference Room
Choose a nonalcoholic drink recipe (smoothie, hot chocolate, specialty coffee, etc.) from a cookbook, make it, and then bring some to share and chat about the recipe and cookbook. What worked? What would have been better? Did you already have the ingredients and supplies or were they specialty items? For adults.

OWASSO LIBRARY

Baby Bump: Make Your Own Baby Food
Thursday, Jan. 18 • 6:30-7:15 p.m.
Join Jan Dawson from the OSU Extension Community Nutrition Education Program as she shows how to make your own baby food and save money, and shares valuable information about your baby’s diet. New and expectant parents are welcome to attend. We ask that children age 1 and older not attend so parents can focus on the class material. Registration is required. Register online or by calling 918-549-7323. Sponsored by the Tulsa Library Trust.

Baby Bump: Infant CPR and Safety
Thursday, Jan. 25 • 6:30-7:45 p.m.
Join Susan West from the Peggy Helmerich

Women’s Health Center for an infant CPR and safety class. New and expectant parents are welcome to attend. We ask that children age 1 and older not attend so parents can focus on the class material. Registration is required and class size is limited. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or by calling 918-549-7323. Sponsored by the Tulsa Library Trust.

SCHUSTERMAN-BENSON LIBRARY

Mystery Reader Roundtable
Thursday, Jan. 4 • 2-4 p.m.
Come for coffee and find out what other mystery lovers are reading. For adults.

SUBURBAN ACRES LIBRARY

DIY: “I Have a Dream” Mobile
Saturday, Jan. 13 • 1-2:30 p.m.
In honor of Martin Luther King Jr., stop by and create your own “I Have a Dream Mobile” to express and share your thoughts on ways to make the world and our community better places. For all ages.

Movie and Games: National Popcorn Day
Friday, Jan. 19 • 4-6 p.m.
Stop by with a bag of your favorite popped treat and enjoy a late-afternoon snack at your neighborhood library. We’ll have a good movie and games on hand to enjoy! For all ages.

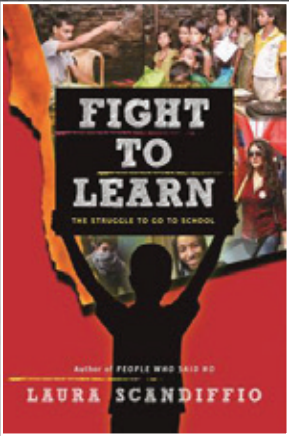
ZARROW REGIONAL LIBRARY

Osage Language Class
Mondays, Jan. 8, 22, 29 • 7-8 p.m.
Join the Osage Nation Language Department and learn the basics of the Osage language. For ages 10-adult.

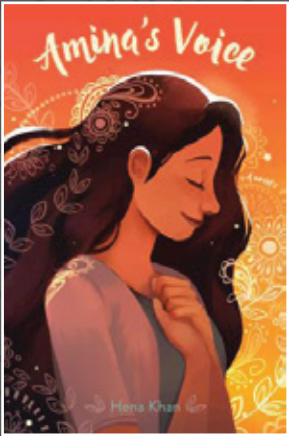
Make and Take Series: Native Patchwork
Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 30 • 6-8 p.m.
Join Native Amer-I-can as they teach how to sew native patchwork on shirts. Please bring a sewing machine, if possible. Limited seating is available. Featured sessions are: Jan. 9, “Diamond Design”; Jan. 16, “Clans”; and Jan. 30, “Mixed Media.” Sponsored by the American Indian Resource Center. For adults.

new and coming soon titles

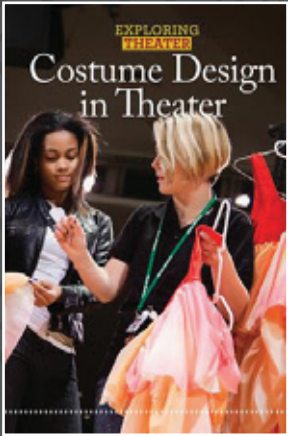
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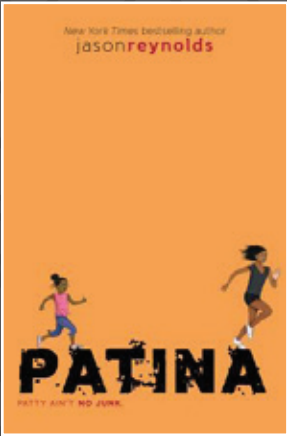
Fight to Learn: The Struggle to Go to School
by Laura Scandiffio
Read uplifting stories of incredible people whose vision and drive have made the dream of education come true for many.



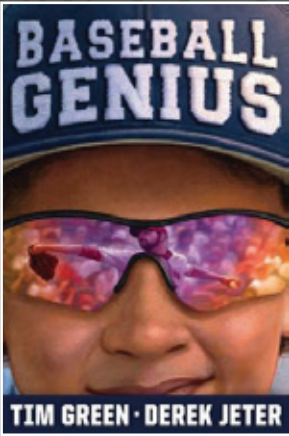
Amina’s Voice
by Hena Khan
A Pakistani-American Muslim girl struggles to stay true to her family’s vibrant culture while simultaneously blending in at school.



Costume Design in Theater
by Ruth Bjorklund
Outlines skills needed to become a costume designer, including how to research and create a costume plot.



Patina
by Jason Reynolds
A newbie to the track team, Patina “Patty” Jones must learn to rely on her family and teammates as she tries to outrun her personal demons.



Baseball Genius
by Tim Green
An everyday kid with a talent for predicting baseball pitches is caught stealing baseballs from his favorite New York Yankees player, who agrees not to press charges if the boy will help him recover from a difficult batting slump.

teens & tweens

BIXBY LIBRARY

Bixby Teen Manga/Anime Club Movie Night
Tuesday, Jan. 9 • 5-7 p.m.
Join us for our first anime night as we watch the top-voted choice from last month and discuss your favorites! For sixth- through 12th-graders.

Bixby Teen Manga/Anime Club
Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 6-7 p.m.
Discuss your favorite manga characters and books while making a craft. For sixth- through 12th-graders.

Teen Movie and Game Night
Tuesday, Jan. 23 • 5-7 p.m.
Come and watch a movie while playing a variety of board games. For sixth- through 12th-graders.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY

BATAB: Broken Arrow Teen Action Board
Thursday, Jan. 11 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Join us as we partake in activities and community projects. For ages 12-18.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY/SOUTH

LEGO Build
Monday, Jan. 22 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Get hands-on experience with engineering principles as you design and build with LEGOs. For ages 5-18.

In the Middle
Monday, Jan. 29 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Join us as we discuss a book and enjoy lively conversation. The featured book is available for checkout at the library. Light refreshments are provided. For ages 10-12.

CENTRAL LIBRARY

Minecraft Gaming

Wednesday, Jan. 3 • 2-3 p.m.

Location: Computer Lab

Put your imagination to the test building your own world in the popular game Minecraft. Creepers not welcome! Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For ages 10-18.

Harry Potter New Year’s Bash

Saturday, Jan. 6 • 5-7:30 p.m.

Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center

Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, and the Ministry of Magic request the pleasure of your company at the Harry Potter New Year’s Bash. Join us for an evening of enchantment and merrymaking. Celebrate this winter season and all things Harry Potter. Enjoy Butterbeer, snacks, a costume contest and house sorting. Take delight in creating magic-filled wands at Ollivander’s, snapping photos of you and yours for The Daily Prophet, and dancing the night away to Harry Potter-themed music. Costumes and themed attire are encouraged. For all ages.

Open Drawing Studio

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 3-7 p.m.

Location: Maker Space

Drafting table, light box, drawing pads, pens, books and more! Drop by for some independent 2-D study time. All materials are provided, but limited. For ages 10-adult.

Coding for Teens

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 4-5 p.m.

Location: Digital Literacy Lab

Learning to code can be intimidating. Join us as we learn to code using JavaScript and HTML. Class size is limited. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For ages 10-18.

Open Lab for Teens

Thursdays, Jan. 18, 25 • 4-5 p.m.

Location: Digital Literacy Lab

Design a video game. Draft your graphic

novel. Create a video using our green screen. Open Lab is a time to work on your own projects. For ages 10-18.

Hip-Hop Hour for Teens: Intro to Maschine

Monday, Jan. 29 • 4-5 p.m.

Location: Maker Space

Join us in the Audio Lab for Hip-Hop Hour. We’ll discuss current hip-hop trends and experiment with the drum pad, Maschine. For ages 14-18.

CHARLES PAGE LIBRARY

Coding for Teens

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Learning to code can be intimidating. Join us as we learn to code using JavaScript and HTML. Class size is limited. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For ages 10-18.

GLENPOOL LIBRARY

Tuesday Teen Lab: Engineering

Tuesday, Jan. 9 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Learn all about engineering as we explore and experiment with our new engineering kit. For ages 10-18.

HARDESTY REGIONAL LIBRARY

Minecraft Gaming

Thursday, Jan. 4 • 6-8 p.m.

Put your imagination to the test building your own world in the popular game Minecraft. For ages 10-18.

Anime/Manga Club

Saturday, Jan. 13 • 1-2:30 p.m.

Discuss your favorite manga characters and books while making a craft. For ages 12-18.

Teen Books and Brownies

Thursday, Jan. 18 • 6-7 p.m.

Location: Oak Room

Join us to nibble on some brownies as we discuss the book “I Am Princess X” by Cherie Priest. For ages 10-18.

HERMAN AND KATE KAISER LIBRARY

Teen Watch the Book

Thursday, Jan. 4 • 3:30-5 p.m.

You know the story, now watch the movie. Enjoy popcorn and watch one of your favorite books on film. For ages 10-18.

STEM Demonstration: Are You Really What You Eat?

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 4-5 p.m.

What happens when food goes bad? Gluten free or not? What is all the hype about GMO? We will examine the foods we eat, explore fun food facts and compare the taste of different foods. For ages 10-18.

Craft Connection

Thursday, Jan. 18 • 4-5 p.m.

If you enjoy making crafts, join us for a mystery craft that equals part fun and challenging! You also can use a button maker to make a button of your choice. For ages 10-18.

Teen Readers Roundtable

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 4-5 p.m.

Have you read a good book lately? Come and enjoy snacks and share what you’ve been reading. For ages 12-18.

MARTIN REGIONAL LIBRARY

Gamer Lab

Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 • 3-5 p.m.

Location: Computer Lab

Teens have the opportunity to play video games in a room all to themselves!

Anime Club for Teens

Friday, Jan. 26 • 4-6 p.m.

Location: Conference Room

Watch and talk anime with other otaku!

Tween Book Club

Tuesday, Jan. 30 • 3-4 p.m.

Location: Storytime Room

If you want to talk about books that you love (or hate), this club is for you! We

ZARROW REGIONAL LIBRARY

Osage Language Class

Mondays, Jan. 8, 22, 29 • 7-8 p.m.

Join the Osage Nation Language Department and learn the basics of the Osage language. For ages 10-adult.

Dungeons & Dragons Workshop: Dice & Drama @ the Library

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 6-7 p.m.

We’re getting together to work on Dungeons & Dragons Fifth Edition characters and campaigns. Bring your books, dice, pencils and paper, and let’s sharpen those sheets! For teens.

Yarn Ballers: Teen Knit and Crochet Group

Saturday, Jan. 13 • 2-3 p.m.

Learn to knit or crochet or both. We’ll supply the crochet hooks, the knitting needles and yarn. If you already have a yarn project going, come and work on it with us! For ages 13-18.

Dungeons & Dragons Adventure: Dice & Drama @ the Library

Thursday, Jan. 18 • 6-8 p.m.

The journey has begun! Bring your ready-to-adventure characters for some role-playing fun. This will be an ongoing adventure where your character can grow in strength and knowledge. We will follow the rules and guidelines of Dungeons and Dragons Fifth Edition. Glory awaits those who dare go after it! There are five spots in the adventuring party for ages 13-18. Sign up either in person by visiting the ASK desk at Zarrow Regional Library or by calling us at 918-549-7323.

Minecraft or Rōblox

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 6-7 p.m.

Location: Computer Lab

Minecraft or Rōblox? It’s your choice! Build your world your way. For ages 10-18. Seating is limited.

also will vote on our first book club read for the next month. For ages 10-12.

NATHAN HALE LIBRARY

Teen Advisory Board: Teen Leadership Club Meeting

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 4-5:30 p.m.

Whether you’re looking for volunteer hours for school or scouts, or just like to work on cool projects, eat and have fun, the Teen Leadership Club is the place for you!

OWASSO LIBRARY

Teen Board Games

Friday, Jan. 5 • 4-5 p.m.

Do you enjoy playing board games like “Apples to Apples,” “Exploding Kittens,” “Munchkin”

and “Ticket to Ride”? Join us to play these fun games and more. We’ll have hot chocolate and apple cider too. For ages 10-18.

RUDISILL REGIONAL LIBRARY

Reading Roundtable

Wednesday, Jan. 17 • 4-5 p.m.

Location: Pine Room

We will discuss our favorite books and what we love about them, and get ideas for our next read. For teens.

SCHUSTERMAN-BENSON LIBRARY

Teen Advisory Board: Wii and Board Game Night

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 5:30-7 p.m.

Come and play your favorite game and bring a friend. For ages 10-18.



SKIATOOK LIBRARY:

A community of readers

The Skiatook Library proudly displays a plaque just inside its front door, recognizing the small rural town of less than 8,000 as the winner of Tulsa City-County Library's 2017 Summer Reading Program Mayoral Challenge.

Skiatook earned this distinction as a community of active readers by having the highest percentage of children and teens enrolled in the program, beating out Collinsville, Broken Arrow, Tulsa and the other cities located in Tulsa County. More than 900 youths participated – that's 34 percent of all children and teens living in Skiatook Library's service area. They read 8,244 books in the 10 weeks that the Summer Reading Program ran, and more than 54 percent of them finished the program.

"We are so proud of our kids here," said Michelle Beckes, Skiatook Library branch manager. "We do a lot of outreach to our local schools. We go class to class engaging the students in our library and all the wonderful programs, services and resources we have to offer. And the extra effort really pays off!"

Located on the town's main street, the Skiatook Library opened at its present location of 316 E. Rogers in 1981. In November 2017, the 5,400-square-foot building was remodeled to better serve its customers with their research needs, book recommendations, computer



help and more. Improvements included new public PCs, full-service self-checkout machines and charging stations for digital devices; a Business Center with wireless printing, faxing, scanning and copier; new paint; rearranged layout; and additional shelving. The library's exterior also is getting a nice facelift with a fresh coat of paint and new awnings too.

Shortly after the library reopened from the renovation, Skiatook resident Julie Hope stopped by with her daughters Thea, age 10, and Emily, age 8, to begin an exciting new adventure in their lives.

"Today is our first day to start homeschooling," said the exuberant mom. "I want to make homeschooling fun. I want my daughters to be smart. We are going to excel in this, and the library is going to be our main thing!"

Beckes said a lot of homeschool families in the area rely on the Skiatook Library for materials to supplement their children's education. Likewise, commuters and senior citizens frequently use the Skiatook Library for audiobooks and favorite reads.

Among its many resources, the Skiatook Library features a robust Native American collection to support the community's American Indian heritage. The city proudly displays this heritage on a welcome sign at the intersection of State Highway 11 and State Highway 20. "Skiatook: Where the Cherokee & Osage Meet" is the sign's message, referring to the fact that a borderline of the Osage Nation and the Cherokee Nation runs through Skiatook.

The Skiatook Library also offers weekly Build A Reader family storytimes, as well as additional programming for children, young adults and adults throughout the year. All programs are free and open to the public. Check the event listings in this guide for more details.



Pictured (left to right) are Kelsey, Kat, Bill, Rachel and Michelle.]

MEET THE TEAM

On average, 5,000 to 6,000 customers visit the Skiatook Library each month to utilize its many resources and services. The library's six staff members bring diverse experiences and interests to the community, helping to make the library more well-rounded.

Michelle Beckes, branch manager, has worked at the Skiatook Library for five years and a total of 10 years for Tulsa City-County Library. Her all-time favorite read is *Charlotte's Web* by E.B. White, as she credits this classic tale for igniting her passion for reading. "The book changed my life! My second-grade teacher read it out loud to our class and it really drew me into books." In her spare time, Michelle loves riding horses and, of course, reading good books.

Kelsey Royce, children's library associate, joined the Skiatook staff two years ago. She has worked a total of 13 years for TCCL. Lewis Carroll's classic *Alice in Wonderland* is Kelsey's all-time favorite children's book. "I enjoy the sort of absurdity of the situations Alice finds herself in and how she deals with it." Kelsey loves spending time with her 8-year-old twin daughters.

Rachel Armstrong, lead customer service assistant, has worked at Skiatook for one year and a total of 11 years for TCCL. She enjoys cooking and baking, and *Station Eleven* by Emily St. John Mandel is her favorite book.

Bill Carrell, lead customer service assistant, joined the Skiatook staff almost three years ago and has worked a total of 10-plus years for TCCL. Currently, no one title stands out as Bill's favorite read, but that's possibly because he hasn't read it yet! This avid reader also enjoys spending time outdoors.

Kat Neal, teen library associate, has worked at Skiatook for four years and at TCCL for a total of 10-plus years. Kat's all-time favorite book is Stephen King's *The Stand*. "I read it when I was in ninth grade. I had always believed in a very black-and-white version of what good and bad were in my mind. After reading the book, I realized that the world isn't just good and evil. We live in a blend of both each and every day. It was profound for me as a young person, who at the time, was very idealistic." Kat said she loves reading and finding new books.

Samantha Free, customer service assistant, joined the Skiatook team in July 2016. Her favorite book is *Pride and Prejudice* by Jane Austen. "I especially enjoy the character dynamics in the story as well as the sense of female empowerment shown by how the women in the book make their own decisions rather than just going along with what they are 'supposed' to do based on the time period in which they live. Plus, it is really funny if you like dry, sarcastic humor." In her free time, Samantha tends to hibernate in her apartment reading or watching things she enjoys.

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CENTRAL LIBRARY

Privacy Lab: Lecture and Workshop
Saturday, Jan. 6 • 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
Location: Pcahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center
Gadgets may come with batteries, but your privacy is not always included. Join us for a lecture on how to keep your information safe and some hands-on device management. We will kick off this event with an hour-long lecture on consumer privacy presented by Luke Crouch, a privacy and security engineer with Mozilla. Bring your laptops, smartphones and tablets. After the lecture, we will have volunteers available to help you manage the privacy settings on your devices. Light refreshments will be provided. Sponsored by the Mozilla Foundation, the Techlahoma Foundation and Tulsa City-County Library. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For teens and adults.

Stencil Screen Printing
Tuesday, Jan. 9 • 4-5 p.m.
Location: Maker Space
Drop by for an instructional demonstration of how to screen print using stencils. Seating is limited. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. After attending this orientation, you can make appointments to use the equipment for your own prints. For teens and adults.

Digital Literacy Lab Orientation
Wednesday, Jan. 10 • 12:30-1:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 23 • 6-7 p.m.
Location: Digital Literacy Lab
Want to learn more about the Digital Literacy Lab? Come and see what we're about! Orientation is required before independent use of the lab.

Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For teens and adults.

Intro to Laser Engraving
Thursday, Jan. 11 • 1-2 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 25 • 6-7 p.m.
Location: Maker Space
Join us for a demonstration of our laser engraver to see what kind of projects you can do. Learn how the engraver works, software used and how you can get started creating as soon as the next day. Seating is limited. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For teens and adults.

Photoshop Lab: Hoax Photos
Thursday, Jan. 11 • 5:30-7 p.m.
Location: Digital Literacy Lab
Join us for an introductory class as we create hoax photos using Photoshop. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For adults.

Intro to 3-D Printing
Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Location: Maker Space
See a demonstration of our 3-D printers. Learn how the printers work, software used and what other customers have used 3-D printing for. After attending this orientation, you can make appointments to use the equipment for your own prints. No registration is required, but seating is limited. For teens and adults.

Intro to Desktop Carving
Tuesday, Jan. 23 • 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Location: Maker Space
See a demo of our CNC carver. We'll discuss how it works, software used and example projects. After attending, you can make appointments to use the equipment independently. Seating is limited. For teens and adults.

HARDESTY REGIONAL LIBRARY
Online Computer Learning for Seniors
Thursday, Jan. 11 • 2-3 p.m.
Location: Computer Lab
Is your New Year's resolution to learn computer

basics, Windows, MS Word or Excel, Pinterest or EBay? These and many other online tutorial classes are available for free. Join us and learn more! No registration required.

3-D Demo
Saturday, Jan. 13 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Thursday, Jan. 25 • 7-8 p.m.
See what 3-D printing is all about with a demonstration of the Ultimaker2 3-D printer! For all ages. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Facebook for Beginners
Saturday, Jan. 27 • 10 a.m.-noon
Location: Computer Lab
If you already have a Facebook account, but you're not sure what to do with it, this is the class for you! We'll cover privacy, your Facebook profile, finding friends, writing posts and more. If you do not already have a Facebook account, please arrive by 9:15 a.m. to set up your account before the class begins. Class size is limited to 12. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For adults.

HERMAN AND KATE KAISER LIBRARY

Downloadable Drop-in for Adults
Wednesday, Jan. 3 • 3-5 p.m.
Bring your phone, tablet or e-reader for help getting downloadable e-books and audiobooks from your library. No registration is required. First come, first served.

MARTIN REGIONAL LIBRARY

Really Basic Computer Class
Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 7-8 p.m.
Location: Computer Lab
This class is designed for new computer users who have little or no previous experience using computers, Windows, a mouse or the internet, and little or no knowledge of basic computer terms. For all ages.

RUDISILL REGIONAL LIBRARY

Really Basic Computer Class
Monday, Jan. 8 • 2-3 p.m.
Location: Computer Lab
This class is designed for new computer users who have little or no previous experience using computers, Windows, a mouse or the internet, and little or no knowledge of basic computer terms. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For adults.

MS PowerPoint 101
Friday, Jan. 12 • 10-11 a.m.
Location: Computer Lab
This class shows how to create group presentations and slide shows. You should take MS Word 2 prior to

taking this class. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For adults.

Internet @ the Library
Monday, Jan. 22 • 2-3 p.m.
Location: Computer Lab
This class is designed for people with little or no experience using the internet. You will learn to navigate the World Wide Web and use the library's catalog system and online resources. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For adults.

Email 101
Monday, Jan. 29 • 2-3 p.m.
Location: Computer Lab
Learn how to set up a free account and use it to send and receive email. You should

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have a familiarity with the basic functions of navigating the internet prior to taking this class. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323. For adults.

ZARROW REGIONAL LIBRARY

Intro to 3-D Printing
Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 2-2:30 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 27 • 2-2:30 p.m.
Get an introduction to our 3-D printing equipment and software, along with a general safety overview. After attending this orientation, you can make appointments to make your own prints! For all ages.

Did you know?

The Renée F. Neuwald Trust Maker Space at Central Library has 3-D printers, a laser engraver, desktop carver, vinyl cutter for screen printing and other equipment available for public use. The lab also has a heavy-duty sewing machine and serger, as well as a table loom.

Plus, the lab even has an Audio Lab! From recording voiceovers and narration, to music production and mixing, the Audio Lab features some of the most popular and modern recording equipment and software available. All that's needed to get started using the Audio Lab is to schedule a brief orientation by contacting the Maker Space at makerspace@tulsalibrary.org or 918-549-7442.

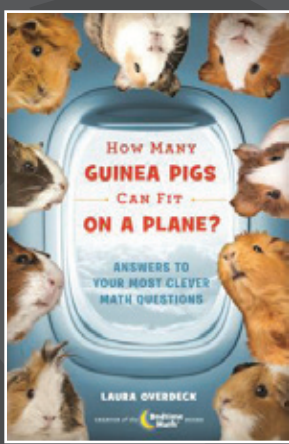
Maker Space orientations are offered monthly. After attending an orientation, you can use the equipment in the lab independently. Check the event listings in this guide for upcoming Maker Space orientations and special workshops scheduled in January.

Visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/central/makerspace to learn more about the Renée F. Neuwald Trust Maker Space.

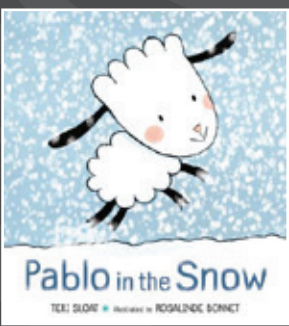


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How Many Guinea Pigs Can Fit on a Plane?: Answers to Your Most Clever Math Questions
by Laura Overdeck
How many birds would it take to pick you up and fly with you? How many bees does it take to make one jar of honey? Discover answers to unusual questions using mathematics.



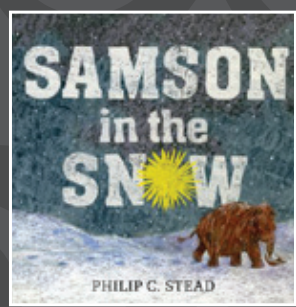
Pablo in the Snow
by Teri Sloat
The heartwarming tale of one little lamb's first snowy adventure.



William's Winter Nap
by Linda Ashman
A cozy winter bedtime story, featuring a boy and animal characters, that touches on the concept of hibernation.



Star Wars, the Last Jedi: The Visual Dictionary
by Pablo Hidalgo
Presents a guide to the characters, droids, aliens and creatures of *Star Wars: The Last Jedi*, with details on costumes, weapons and accessories.



Samson in the Snow
by Philip C. Stead
When friendly giant mammoth Samson falls asleep and wakes up in the middle of a blizzard, he finds and shelters a little red bird and a flower-loving mouse, beginning new friendships for all.

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BIXBY LIBRARY

Winter Wonderland Party

Saturday, Jan. 6 • 10 a.m.-noon
Come to our festive winter party to enjoy the movie “Frozen” and winter crafts and activities. For ages 5-12.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family

Mondays, Jan. 8, 22, 29 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There’s something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Build A Reader: Explore and Play

Wednesday, Jan. 17 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Build a reader through unstructured playtime. This program helps children and their caregivers build early literacy skills through one-to-one time with toys, games and books. For ages 0-3.

Build A Reader Family Storytime: Evening

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 6-6:30 p.m.
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There’s something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Monday, Jan. 29 • 11-11:30 a.m.
For preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY

PAWS for Reading

Wednesday, Jan. 10 • 4-5 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided

by the Tulsa Library Trust. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. Please use participant, not parent/guardian, names to register.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers

Tuesdays, Jan. 16, 23, 30 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Ready, set, READ! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

Build A Reader: Explore and Play

Thursdays, Jan. 18, 25 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Build a reader through unstructured playtime. This program helps children and their caregivers build early literacy skills through one-to-one time with toys, games and books. For ages 0-4.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool With Miss Hannah

Mondays, Jan. 22, 29 • 10:30-11 a.m.
The best in children’s literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY/SOUTH

PAWS for Reading

Wednesday, Jan. 3 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust. Registration is required. To register, call 918-549-7323.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 10:30-11 a.m.
The best in children’s literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 11-11:30 a.m.
For preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers

Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Ready, set, READ! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

LEGO Build

Monday, Jan. 22 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Get hands-on experience with engineering principles as you design and build with LEGOs. For ages 5-18.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family – Evening Storytime

Tuesday, Jan. 23 • 6-6:30 p.m.
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There’s something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

BROOKSIDE LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool

Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 10:15-10:45 a.m.
The best in children’s literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 10:45-11:15 a.m.
For preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 10:15-10:35 a.m.
Ready, set, READ! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 10:40-11 a.m.
For babies and toddlers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

PAWS for Reading

Friday, Jan. 19 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

CENTRAL LIBRARY

Harry Potter New Year’s Bash

Saturday, Jan. 6 • 5-7:30 p.m.
Location: Pocahontas Greadington Learning & Creativity Center
Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, and the Ministry of Magic request the pleasure of your company at the Harry Potter New Year’s Bash. Join us for an evening of enchantment and merrymaking. Celebrate this winter season and all things Harry Potter. Enjoy Butterbeer, snacks, a costume contest and house sorting. Take delight in creating magic-filled wands at Ollivander’s, snapping photos of you and yours for The Daily Prophet, and dancing the night away to Harry Potter-themed music. Costumes and themed attire are encouraged. For all ages.

PAWS for Reading

Saturday, Jan. 13 • 1-2 p.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Children’s Storytime Room
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family

Tuesdays, Jan. 16, 23, 30 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Mondays, Jan. 22, 29 • 6:30-7 p.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Storytime Room
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There’s something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Mr. Henry's Books TEACHER WORKSHOP

Saturday, Feb. 3 • 9-11 a.m.
**Pocahontas Greadington Learning and Creativity Center
Central Library • Fifth Street and Denver Avenue**

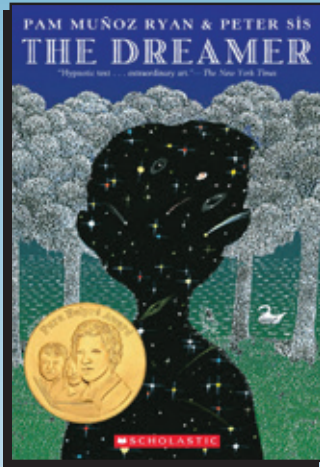
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- One lucky participant will win a visit by Pam Muñoz Ryan to his or her classroom on Friday, May 4.

Participants must be employed by a school district within Tulsa County. This workshop is recommended for middle and high school teachers. CEU available.

Registrations are limited and must be received by Jan. 29.

Mr. Henry's Books is a program of the Tulsa City-County Library, sponsored by the Tulsa Library Trust, made possible by a grant from the Anne and Henry Zarrow Foundation.



REGISTRATION FORM

Registration Fee \$10

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School Address _____

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CENTRAL LIBRARY continued

Build a Reader Storytime: Toddlers
Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Storytime Room
This storytime is perfect for toddlers who like their stories while on the move. Enjoy songs and stories along with games and activities for ages 3 and younger.

Hands-on Storytime
Thursdays, Jan. 18, 25 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Storytime Room
Busy hands, busy brain! Preschoolers learn through hands-on activities. We will explore, experiment and create. Be ready to get messy!

Games at the Library
Thursdays, Jan. 18, 25 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Storytime Room
Grab a friend and come to the library after school to play some board and video games, and build with our LEGOs. For ages 5-10.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies, Bubbles & Books
Wednesday, Jan. 24 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Storytime Room
Learn and enjoy songs, stories and activities that are just right for your little one at this lapsit storytime. For newborns to 2-year-olds and their caregivers.

STEAM Workshop: a-MAZE-ing Robots!
Monday, Jan. 29 • 2-3:30 p.m.
Location: Mary K. Chapman Storytime Room
Homeschoolers, this program is for you! Enjoy STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, mathematics) activities for ages 5-12. Class size is limited. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events.

CHARLES PAGE LIBRARY

PAWS for Reading
Thursday, Jan. 18 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

Trust. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
Tuesdays, Jan. 23, 30 • 10:30-11 a.m.
The best in children's literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play
Tuesdays, Jan. 23, 30 • 11-11:30 a.m.
For preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

COLLINSVILLE LIBRARY

PAWS for Reading
Monday, Jan. 8 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust. Call 918-549-7323 to sign up.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 10-10:30 a.m.
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

GLENPOOL LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Join Ms. Tori and her guitar for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple rhymes for little ones, more interactive stories for older children, and lots of music and movement.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 11-11:30 a.m.
For babies, toddlers and preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

Ms. Tori's Messy Art: Winter-Scene Finger Painting
Thursday, Jan. 11 • 4-5 p.m.
Wear your grubby clothes and join Ms. Tori for a messy art project as we paint snowy trees (without paint brushes). Space is limited. Call 918-549-7323 to register. For elementary students.

PAWS for Reading
Thursday, Jan. 18 • 4-5 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

LEGO Club
Thursday, Jan. 25 • 4-5 p.m.
Join us for an hour of free play for ages 5-11. Bring your creativity; we'll supply the LEGOs.

HARDESTY REGIONAL LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies
Mondays, Jan. 8, 22, 29 • 10-10:20 a.m.
Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 10-10:20 a.m.
Location: Storytime Room
Ms. Julia will present songs, stories and activities that are just right for your little one at this lapsit storytime. For newborns to 2-year-olds and their caregivers.

Don't Stop the Music
Mondays, Jan. 8, 22, 29 • 11-11:35 a.m.
Location: Maple Room
Join us for a fun children's program all about music and movement. Shake, shimmy and dance your twinkle toes to the bebop boogie with Ms. Julia and Ms. Maureen. For preschoolers and toddlers.

Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers
Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 11-11:20 a.m.
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 10-10:20 a.m.
Location: Storytime Room
Join us for songs, stories and movements geared to your toddler.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 11-11:30 a.m.
Location: Storytime Room
The best in children's literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
Thursdays, Jan. 11, 18, 25 • 6:30-7 p.m.
Location: Storytime Room
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

HELMERICH LIBRARY

LEGO Academy
Saturday, Jan. 6 • 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Join like-minded Legoleers to build cool creations from your imagination. LEGOs will be available, but you may bring your own. For ages 5-12.

PAWS for Reading
Tuesday, Jan. 9 • 4-5 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust. Registration is required. Call 918-549-7323 to register.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play
Tuesdays, Jan. 16, 23, 30 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Playing is learning! Join Adam for this fun storytime. He will sing songs and read stories for the whole family. Stay after for toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills. For infants and toddlers, but children of all ages are welcome to attend.

HERMAN AND KATE KAISER LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play
Thursdays, Jan. 18, 25 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Join us for a fun family storytime for children ages 0-5 and their caregivers. Stay after to play with new friends!

HERMAN & KATE KAISER LIBRARY continued

PAWS for Reading

Tuesday, Jan. 30 • 3:30-5 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

JENKS LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family

Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.

Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 11-11:30 a.m.

For babies, toddlers and preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

MARTIN REGIONAL LIBRARY

LEGO Club

Monday, Jan. 8 • 3-4 p.m.

Location: Storytime Room

Learn new building ideas, partner with other children during team building challenges and explore free building. Leave your LEGOs at home and come play with ours! For ages 5-12.

Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 11-11:30 a.m.

Location: Storytime Room

Enjoy stories, songs and activities in English and Spanish. For all ages.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 11:30 a.m.-noon

Join us after storytime for imaginative play with toys and activities. For all ages.

MAXWELL PARK LIBRARY

Build-A-Reader Storytime: Family

Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.

Enjoy great stories, silly songs and fun

finger plays with Ms. Anna! For ages 8 and younger. Families and siblings are encouraged to attend and join in on the fun!

Build-A-Reader Storytime: Pop-Up!

Thursdays, Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25 • 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Can't attend a scheduled storytime? Ask for one! On Thursdays, ask for a storytime and one will be created on the spot, specifically for your request. For toddlers to elementary students.

Build-A-Reader Storytime: Family

Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 3-3:30 p.m.

Enjoy great stories, silly songs and fun finger plays with Ms. Sarah! For ages 8 and younger. Families and siblings are encouraged to attend and join in on the fun!

Build A Reader Storytime: Family

– Special Saturday Edition!

Saturday, Jan. 20 • 11 a.m.-noon

Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children. Stay after storytime for Stay-and-Play activities, where we'll play with educational toys.

Monthly Movie @ Maxwell Park: "Minions"

Saturday, Jan. 20 • 3-4:30 p.m.

Start off 2018 right with a fun little crime caper for all ages! The whole family can join us while we eat popcorn and watch the movie "Minions" (2015). Afterward, we'll make Minion paper crafts. In this movie, a trio of small yellow minions are recruited by a supervillainess and her inventor husband as part of a plan to steal the British royal crown. The movie is rated PG, so parents are recommended to attend with small children.

NATHAN HALE LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family/Stay and Play

Thursdays, Jan. 11, 18, 25 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Reading adventures, music and fun are all part of storytime at Nathan Hale Library. Stay and play after storytime with friends and family. For ages 5 and younger.

OWASSO LIBRARY

Bounce'n Beethovens Presented by

Midtown School of Performing Arts

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 6:30-7:15 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 26 • 10-10:45 a.m.

Friday, Jan. 26 • 11-11:45 a.m.

Children explore music through movement and instruments as they play with egg shakers, bells, rhythm sticks, drums and maracas in this fun, interactive program for parents and kids ages birth-5. Class size is limited and registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or by calling 918-549-7323. Please register for only one class per month. Sponsored by the Tulsa Library. Trust.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers

Tuesdays, Jan. 16, 23, 30 • 10-10:25 a.m.

Tuesdays, Jan. 16, 23, 30 • 10:30-10:55 a.m.

Join Ms. Shelly for fun stories, songs and activities that help your child develop important early literacy skills. For infants to 2-year-olds.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Tuesdays, Jan. 16, 23, 30 • 11-11:25 a.m.

For babies and toddlers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool

Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 24, 31 • 10-10:25 a.m.

Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 24, 31 • 10:30-10:55 a.m.

The best in children's literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities are shared with your preschooler.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 24, 31 • 11-11:25 a.m.

For preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

PAWS for Reading

Wednesday, Jan. 17 • 4-5 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

Registration is required and class size is limited. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or by calling 918-549-7323.

Preschool Yoga

Friday, Jan. 19 • 10:30-11 a.m.

Join certified yoga teacher Jeanne Doss for a free parent/child class featuring interactive stories and yoga poses. For ages 3-5. Class size is limited and registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or by calling 918-549-7323.

PRATT LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family

Thursdays, Jan. 11, 18, 25 • 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Talk, sing, read, write and play with Miss Connie and all your storytime friends! Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There's something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play

Thursday, Jan. 11 • 11:15-11:30 a.m.

For babies, toddlers and preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

An Afternoon at the Movies: "The Muppets"

Thursday, Jan. 25 • 4-6 p.m.

Kermit races to save the Muppet Theater from destruction and enlists some new friends to help, along with reuniting his old gang to try to get the job done! For ages 5-12.

RUDISILL REGIONAL LIBRARY

PAWS for Reading

Saturday, Jan. 13 • 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Location: Ancestral Hall

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323.

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Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
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Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 24, 31 • 10-10:30 a.m.

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Build A Reader: Stay and Play
Wednesdays, Jan. 17, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.

For preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

SCHUSTERMAN-BENSON LIBRARY

PAWS for Reading
Monday, Jan. 8 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust. Registration is required. Please see a staff member to schedule a reading time for your child.

Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual
Tuesdays, Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Enjoy stories, songs and activities in English and Spanish. For preschoolers.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31
10-10:20 a.m. • 10:30-10:50 a.m.
Ready, set, READ! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31
10:30-11:30 a.m.
For babies and toddlers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

Wiggles and Giggles Dance
Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 4-5 p.m.
Presented by PC Dance Company, this 30-minute class focuses on teaching young children coordination and the fundamentals of a dance class. For ages 2-5. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or call 918-549-7323.

SKIATOOK LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 • 11-11:20 a.m.
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There’s something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play
Wednesdays, Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
11:30 a.m.-noon
For babies, toddlers and preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

SUBURBAN ACRES LIBRARY

Movie and Games: National Popcorn Day
Friday, Jan. 19 • 4-6 p.m.
Stop by with a bag of your favorite popped treat and enjoy a late-afternoon snack at your neighborhood library. We’ll have a good movie and games on hand to enjoy! For all ages.

ZARROW REGIONAL LIBRARY

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 10:30-11 a.m.
Bring the whole family for this 0-to-5 storytime! There’s something for everyone – simple songs and books for the little ones, more interactive stories and activities for your older children.

Build A Reader: Stay and Play
Wednesdays, Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31 • 11-11:30 a.m.
For babies, toddlers and preschoolers, playing is learning! Join us for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

LEGO Club
Tuesday, Jan. 16 • 6-7 p.m.
Create and build with LEGOs. We provide the LEGOs; you provide the imagination. All LEGOs must stay in the library. For all ages.

PAWS for Reading
Saturday, Jan. 20 • 2-3 p.m.
Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 5-12 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust.

Messy Art Club: Let It Snow With Puffy Paint
Tuesday, Jan. 30 • 6-7 p.m.
Join us as we paint up a snowstorm. Create your own snowscape, snowman or snowflakes with puffy paint. For ages 3-12.

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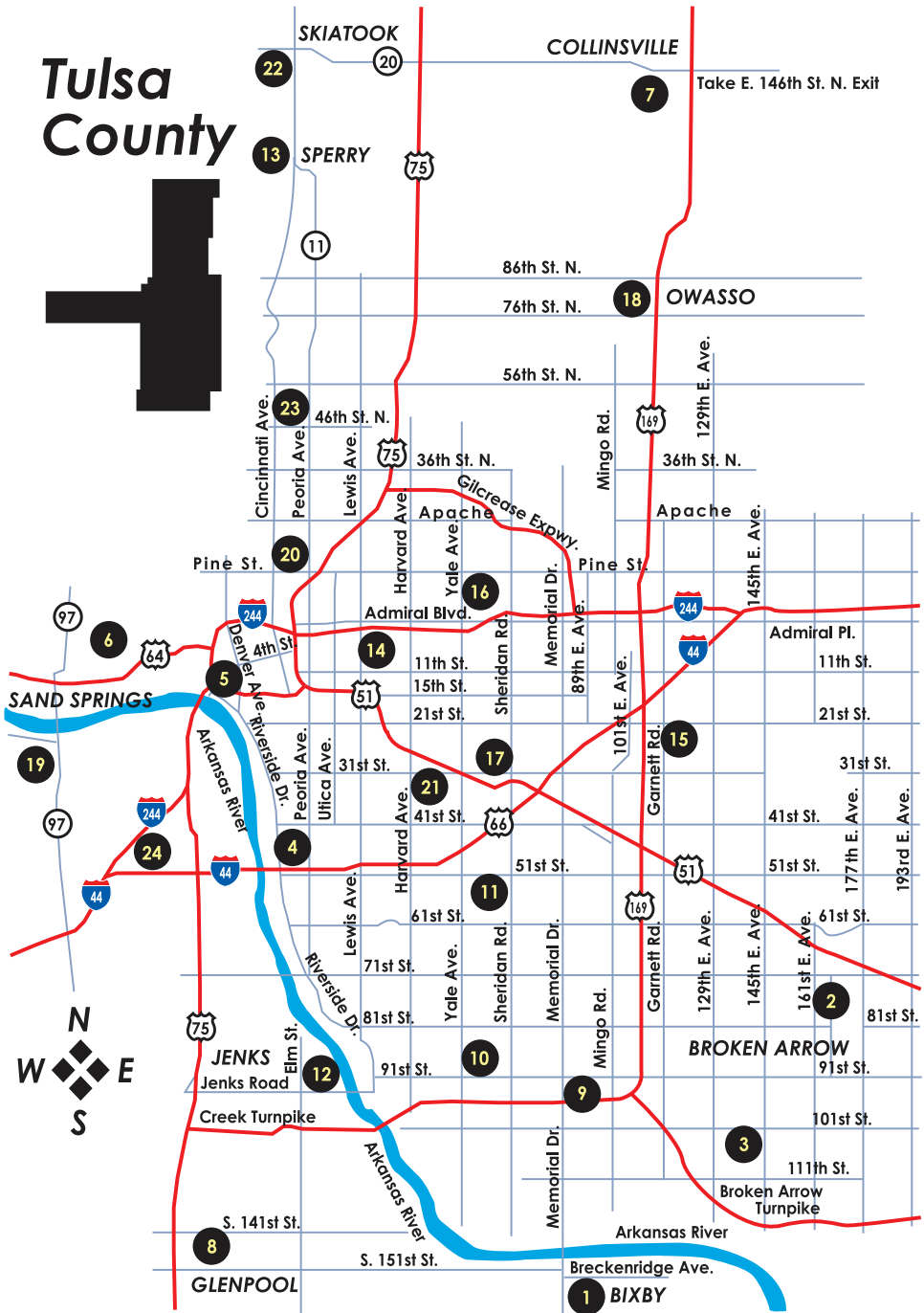
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Martes, 9, 16, 23 y 30 de enero • 11-11:30 a.m.
Cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español. Para todas las edades.

Juegan Juntos
Martes, 9, 16, 23 y 30 de enero
11:30 a.m.-12 p.m. • Despues de los cuentos, unete a nosotros en juego imaginativo con juguetes y actividades. Para todas las edades.

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Cuentos Bilingües
Martes, 9, 16, 23 y 30 de enero • 10:30-11 a.m.
Cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español. Para las edades 0-5.

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300 W. Broadway, 74012 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
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3600 S. Chestnut, 74011 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri.-Sat., 10-5
- 4 Brookside Library**
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- 5 Central Library**
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- 6 Charles Page Library**
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- 8 Glenpool Library**
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- 9 Hardesty Regional Library and Genealogy Center**
8316 E. 93rd St., 74133 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
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- 13 Judy Z. Kishner Library**
10150 N. Cincinnati Ave. E., Sperry, 74073
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- 14 Kendall-Whittier Library**
21 S. Lewis, 74104 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 15 Martin Regional Library and Hispanic Resource Center**
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- 16 Maxwell Park Library**
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