VIRTUAL EVENTS



September 2020

For a complete listing with the most up-to-date information, visit www.tulsalibrary.org/events.

Build A Reader Phone-In Storytime Sept. 1-14

Try our Phone-In Storytime! Call 918-549-7323 and follow the menu for a story, song or rhyme you can enjoy at home with your little ones!

Animate It! Library Edition: Stop Motion Animation Contest

Sept. 1-30

Join us this month for a short video challenge! Create a stop motion video sharing your love of libraries using Stop Motion Studio. Be creative and have fun! Videos should be no longer than 60 seconds and contain family-friendly content. You can submit your entry by Oct. 1 on Central Library's Facebook event page at www.facebook.com/ centrallibrary. Our team of expert judges (expert status not guaranteed) will pick one winner in each of the three age categories: children 7-12, teens 13-17, adults 18 and up. Each winner will get a \$10 e-gift card to a local bookstore or comic shop, winner's choice. Learn the basics of stop motion animation at www.youtube.com/tulsalibrary. We will post a short instructional video and an example submission on Sept. 1.

To-Go Craft Kit: Back to School Tuesday, Sept. 1

Take a break from the new school year and stop by the Judy Z. Kishner Library this week to pick up a pencil topper craft kit. Learn about resources for helping your family with distance learning. Kits are limited and available on a first-come-first-serve basis. Check our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/judyzkishnerlibrary for updates.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool Tuesdays, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Join us at www.facebook.com/ tulsalibrary as we share the best in children's literature, songs, games, finger plays, rhymes and other reading-related activities with your preschooler.

ELL Conversation Circles

10:30-11 a.m.

Tuesdays, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 3-4:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 10-11:30 a.m.

Mondays, Sept. 14, 21, 28 • 1-2:30 p.m.

Practice your English speaking and listening skills in this fun and friendly Zoom class. To register, contact the Adult Literacy Office at 918-549-7400 or literacy@tulsalibrary.org.

PAWS for Reading: Online - Jenks Library

Tuesday, Sept. 1 • 4-5 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids are invited to virtually read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend on Zoom. Register by emailing Jenks.Library.@tulsalibrary.org.

Yoga for Every Body

Tuesdays, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 6-7 p.m.

Join us via Facebook Live at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary for a free beginner-friendly yoga class taught by certified yoga instructor Christine Von de Veld. For all ages.

Cover to Cover Book Club

Tuesday, Sept. 1 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Join us for lively discussion and literary fun as we explore a range of genres. This month's selection is "Fruit of the Drunken Tree" by Ingrid Rojas Contreras. Email marie.welden@tulsalibrary.org for details to join the discussion. For adults.

Free Comic Book Summer! Get a bundle of comics for FREE, by mail! Sept. 2-9

Did you miss the annual Free Comic Book Day celebration in May? We did too. Thankfully, we can end Free Comic Book Summer by giving away free comics for all! Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive a bundle of free comics by mail from the Maxwell Park Library. Additionally, customers who request comics will randomly be given a special, collectible swag provided by Image Comics. We have age-appropriate comics for kids, teens and adults. Only Tulsa County residents are eligible to register.

Build A Reader Storytime: Family

Wednesday, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 10:30-11 a.m.

Thursdays, Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24 10:30-11 a.m.

Tune in for this real-time birth-5 storytime! Enjoy simple songs and books for little ones and more interactive stories and activities for older children. Join us at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary. Can't make it live? We'll save the videos on our Facebook page for your children to enjoy later!

What to Read Next

Wednesdays, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 2-3 p.m.

Join us at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary. Write a comment telling us what you last read and liked, a favorite author or three words describing what you'd like to read, and then let us know if you prefer an e-book or e-audio. We'll respond with two personalized suggestions!

Reference USA: A Powerful Tool for Nonprofits

Wednesday, Sept. 2 • 4-5 p.m.

Learn about Reference USA and how to use this amazing tool to plan and build your nonprofit, find prospective donors and understand your support base. Email wizard@tulsalibrary.org to register for this virtual workshop and to receive Zoom link.

PAWS for Reading: Read to a Dog Over Zoom

Wednesday, Sept. 2 • 4-6 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Elementary kids are invited to read a book to a furry, four-pawed friend and our special Nathan Hale PAWS dogs. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events and provide an email address to receive your Zoom link and reserved time slot.

Shawnee Language Class

Wednesdays, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 7-8:30 p.m.

Learn the beautiful language of the Shawnee people. This class is taught by the Shawnee Tribe's Language Department via Zoom. Register 24 hours ahead at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. For ages 10 to adult.

LitWits' Book Club: "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" by Betty Smith

Wednesday, Sept. 2 • 6:30-7:30 p.m. Join fellow book enthusiast to discuss "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" by Betty Smith and discover similar authors and titles you may enjoy. Email carissa.kellerby@tulsalibrary.org for details for joining the discussion. For adults.



ONE BOOK, ONE TULSA VIRTUAL EVENT



Friday, Sept. 4 7 p.m.

Meet author Jacqueline Woodson as she discusses *Red at the Bone*. With this new novel for adults, Woodson continues her sensitive exploration of what it means to be a Black girl in America.

Order your copy of *Red at the Bone* online through Fulton Street Books:

https://bookshop.org/books/red-at-the-bone





Build A Reader Storyminute El minuto del cuento

Thursdays, Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24 11-11:05 a.m.

Join Ms. Emily on Martin Regional
Library's Facebook page at
www.facebook.com/martinlibrary for
a song, a rhyme or a story in English
and Spanish to help your child develop
important early literacy skills. ■
Juntamos en el Facebook para cantar,
jugar con los dedos, o escuchar a un
cuento. Hacer estos ejercicios le ayuda a
tu niño con el desarrollo del alfabetismo.

Book Talk Thursday

Thursdays, Sept. 3, 17 • noon-12:15 p.m. Tune in to the main Tulsa City-County Library Facebook page at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary to hear about five themed books to add to your TBR list! For adults.

Tech Talk: Mac Computers for Beginners Friday, Sept. 4 • noon-1 p.m.

Join us for this Zoom webinar for an introduction to Mac computers and how to use them. Learn the basics of using a Mac computer as we explore the dock, searching files, Mac-only applications and more. This talk will be of interest to you whether you are a technology expert or enthusiast, or just want to learn more about how technology works. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom login info. Registrants will need to provide an email address. The Zoom login information will be emailed out an hour prior to the program. A recording of the talk will be uploaded to YouTube.

New and Coming Soon Titles for Teens/Tweens

Visit www.tulsalibrary.org to check out these titles and find more.



The Constitution Decoded By Katie Kennedy

Be an active citizen. Know your Constitution! In *The Constitution Decoded*, the ideas, concepts and rules that make America are unpacked and explained in detail to help all of us, kids and parents too, become more informed citizens.



We Are Power: How Nonviolent Activism Changes the World By Todd Hasak-Lowy

We Are Power brings to light the incredible individuals who have used nonviolent activism to change the world. Through key international movements, this book discusses the components of nonviolent resistance.



Serpentine By Philip Pullman

The world-changing events of *The Amber Spyglass* are behind them, and Lyra and Pan find themselves utterly changed as well. In *Serpentine*, they journey to the far North once more, hoping to ask the Consul of Witches a most urgent question. This beguiling must-read for Pullman fans old and new is a perfect companion to *His Dark Materials* and a fascinating bridge to *The Book of Dust.*



*I'll Be the One*By Lyla Lee

The world of K-Pop has never met a star like this. Debut author Lyla Lee delivers a deliciously fun, thoughtful rom-com celebrating confidence and body positivity – perfect for fans of Jenny Han and Julie Murphy.

One Book, One Tulsa: "Red at the Bone"

Friday, Sept. 4 • 7-9 p.m.

One Book, One Tulsa is going virtual! This year's selection is the acclaimed novel "Red at the Bone" by Jacqueline Woodson. Join us virtually on the evening of Sept. 4 for a discussion of Woodson's novel, which sensitively explores what it means to

be a black girl growing up in America. "Red at the Bone" is a multigenerational tale of two black families that takes the reader from the Tulsa Race Massacre to present-day Brooklyn. Following her talk, Woodson will take questions from the audience. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive a Zoom link to the event. Email cas@tulsalibrary.org with questions!

To-Go Activity Kit: Archaeology

Tuesday, Sept. 8

Start digging this week with an archaeology activity kit! Discover what's buried in your individual mystery box and learn how to make your own secret messages! Stop by the Judy Z. Kishner Library to pick up your kit while supplies last. For preschoolers to elementary students.

Tulsa Master Gardeners Lunch and Learn: Fall Veggies

Tuesday, Sept. 8 • noon-1 p.m.

Fall is a second chance for Oklahoma vegetable gardeners. Join experts from the Tulsa Master Gardeners as they share tips on varieties, timing and techniques on Facebook Live at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary.

Collinsville Book Discussion

Tuesday, Sept. 8 • 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Read "The Sweetness at the Bottom of the Pie" by Alan Bradley and then join us via Zoom for a lively discussion. To receive an invitation to the Zoom meeting, send an email to cv@tulsalibrary.org. In his wickedly brilliant first novel, Debut Dagger Award winner Alan Bradley introduces one of the most singular and engaging heroines in recent fiction: 11-year-old Flavia de Luce, an aspiring chemist with a passion for poison. For adults.

BeTween the Pages: A Kids Read Book Discussion

Tuesday, Sept. 8 • 6-7 p.m.

Join us on Zoom as we talk about stories that take place in other countries. We'll also play a game. Don't forget to bring your own snacks. Contact <a href="https://dx.ncbi.nlm.ncbi.n

Geocaching and Time Capsules

■ Las cápsulas del tiempo y jugar a Geocaching

Wednesday, Sept. 9 • 11-11:10 a.m.

Join Ms. Emily on Martin Regional Library's Facebook page, www.facebook.com/martinlibrary, for a tutorial on geocaching and creating time capsules. ■ Junten con Srta. Emily en la página de Facebook para una

tutorial de cómo jugar a Geocaching y

de cómo crear una cápsula del tiempo.

Lunch & Learn: 401(k) - Leave It, Move It, Roll It, Take It

Wednesday, Sept. 9 • noon-1 p.m.

This seminar will help you learn how to handle your 401(k), pension or other employer-sponsored retirement plan when you leave a job. We will discuss strategies to apply to your retirement accounts when you move to a new job. Let us help you and your family to reach your financial goals. Erica Camp has been a registered representative with Edward Jones since 2019. She has been in the Glenpool community for over three years and has a passion to see people reach their goals within their financial stories. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events for the Zoom link.

Teens: Virtual Gaming

Wednesday, Sept. 9 • 3-4 p.m.

Join us on Zoom as we play party games, trivia and more! Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events and you'll receive a link to join on the day of the program. For ages 10-18.

PAWS for Reading Via Zoom

Wednesday, Sept. 9 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive

Reference USA: Finding Customers by Lifestyles

Zoom link.

Wednesday, Sept. 9 • 4-5 p.m.

Learn how to use Reference USA databases to research consumers by their lifestyles. Email wizard@tulsalibrary.org to register for this virtual workshop and to receive Zoom link. The library subscribes to Reference USA databases which customers can use to find detailed information on nearly every household in the nation by lifestyles plus detailed information for nearly every business, nonprofit and government location in the United States and Canada. Library customers can search these databases free 24/7 from any place online.

Short Story Café: "The Yellow Wallpaper" by Charlotte Perkins Gilman

Thursday, Sept. 10 • 2-3 p.m.

Join us for a lively discussion of a short

story. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events with your email address to receive the story and Zoom meeting invite. For teens and adults.

Tech Talk: How to Spot Fake News

Friday, Sept. 11 • noon-1 p.m.

You can't believe everything you read on the internet. In this Zoom webinar, we will explore techniques for spotting false or misleading news. This talk will be of interest to you whether you are a technology expert or enthusiast, or just want to learn more about how technology works. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom login info. Registrants will need to provide an email address. The Zoom login information will be emailed out an hour prior to the program. A recording of the talk will be uploaded to YouTube.

To-Go Activity Kit: Pirates and Parrots Monday, Sept. 14

Ahoy, me hearties! Dock yer ships at Kishner and pick up this treasure! Work on your pirate costume, create your own parrot friend and hide your pirate booty with your own pirate map! Sail, ho! Kits are limited and available on a first-come-first-serve basis. Stop by the Judy Z. Kishner Library to pick up your kit while supplies last.

CD Scratch Art: Teen To-Go Craft Kit Monday, Sept. 14

Stop by the Brookside Library to pick up a CD Scratch Art kit while supplies last. The kit comes with a painted CD and a scratch stick. For ages 10-18.

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers

Mondays, Sept. 14, 21, 28 10:30-10:50 a.m.

Join us at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary and learn and enjoy songs, stories and activities that are just right for your little one at this virtual lapsit storytime for newborns to 2-year-olds and their caregivers.

Brookside Book Discussion

Monday, Sept. 14 • 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Read "Red at the Bone" by Jacqueline Woodson and then join us for a lively virtual discussion on Zoom. Email br@tulsalibrary.org for details to join the meeting. In this novel, an unexpected

teenage pregnancy pulls together two families from different social classes, and exposes the private hopes, disappointments and longings that can bind or divide us from each other. Moving forward and backward in time, the novel uncovers the role that history and community have played in the experiences, decisions and relationships of these families, and in the life of the new child. For adults.

Draw Yourself! Manga/Anime Style Monday, Sept. 14 • 4-5 p.m.

We will meet on Zoom regularly to try different illustration techniques on our own portraits or original characters, including manga, Disney and Adventure Time. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom

Hispanic Heritage Month: Build A Reader Bilingual Phone-In Storytime Sept. 15-30

info. For ages 10 to adult.

Try Phone-In Storytime! Call 918-549-7323 for a mini storytime to enjoy with your little ones! During Hispanic Heritage month, all storytimes will be presented in both English and Spanish.

Tulsa Master Gardeners Fall Lunch and Learn: Trees

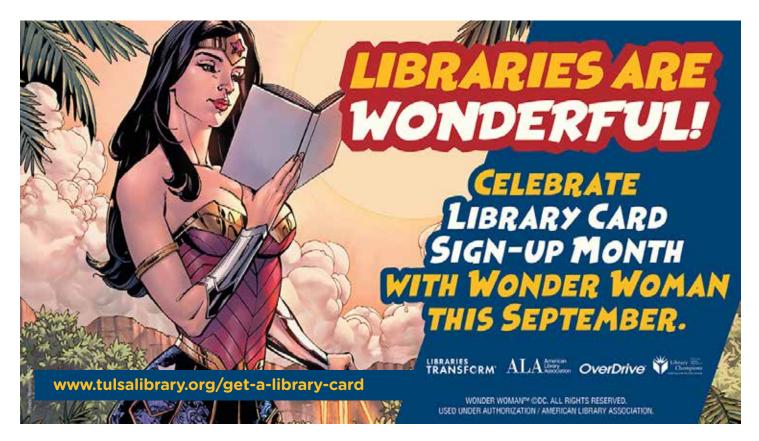
Tuesday, Sept. 15 • noon-1 p.m.

Fall is the perfect time to plant trees in Oklahoma. Join the Tulsa Master Gardeners at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary for tips on choosing the right tree and planting it well.

Kids Read: Curious World of Archaeology – Ancient Artifacts Live With Gilcrease Museum

Tuesday, Sept. 15 • 2-2:30 p.m.

Join us at www.tulsalibrary as we examine ancient artifacts and discuss all things archaeology with our friends at Gilcrease Museum! We'll look at some ancient artifacts from the Gilcrease collection, discuss what we can learn from them and demonstrate ways you can view thousands of artifacts from the comfort of your own home. Viewers also will have an opportunity to ask questions. We think you'll really 'dig' it! Visit www.tulsalibrary.org/kids for more activities and resources.



Teen Book Chat: Sequoyah Masterlist Tuesday, Sept. 15 • 6-7 p.m.

Join us on Zoom as we chat about a book from the Sequoyah Book Awards high school masterlist. This month's selection is "Warrior of the Wild" by Tricia Levenseller. Email hk@ tulsalibrary.org to get the Zoom link. "Warrior of the Wild" is available through the library as a print book, or downloadable e-book or audio through Overdrive. How do you kill a god? As her father's chosen heir, Rasmira has trained her whole life to become a warrior and lead her village. But when her coming-of-age trial is sabotaged and she fails the test, her father banishes her to the monster-filled wilderness. To win back her honor, Rasmira must fulfill an impossible quest: kill the oppressive god who claims tribute from the villages each year ... or die trying.

Kiowa Language Class

Tuesdays, Sept. 15, 22, 29 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Learn the beautiful language of the Kiowa people. This class is taught by the Kiowa Tribe's Language Department via Zoom. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events 24 hours ahead for Zoom link. For ages 10 to adult.

Bixby Library Adult Book Discussion

Wednesday, Sept. 16 • noon

Read "The Strands of Truth" by Colleen Coble and then join us at www.facebook.com/bixbylibrary for a lively discussion. Call the Bixby Library at 918-549-7323 for a copy of the book or download an e-book. For adults.

Take & Make Craft: Make Your Own Fossil

Wednesday, Sept. 16

Stop by Schusterman-Benson Library to pick up a Make Your Own Fossil craft kit, while supplies last. Share pictures of your completed work at www.facebook.com/schustermanbensonlibrary. For ages 5-10.

Faux Stained Glass Luminaries

Wednesday, Sept. 16

Light up the approaching autumn evenings with your own decorated luminary! We'll use tissue paper to create colorful, translucent patterns that are backlit with a tea candle for a simple, pretty project. Craft kits are available at the Schusterman-Benson Library on first-come-first-serve basis. Call 918-549-7323 for availability. For teens and adults.

Teen Victorian Fiction: Steampunk, Magic and Mystery

Wednesday, Sept. 16

Do you like Victorian teen fiction? Steampunk, magic and mystery? Watch our video at www.facebook.com/martinlibrary of the 10 best reviewed by our staff. Then stop by Martin Regional Library and ask for our handout list! For ages 10-18.

Hispanic Heritage Month Podcast Series: Stories of the Unknown

Wednesdays, Sept. 16, 23, 30 • 6-7 p.m.

Join us for a special podcast series in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month. Each week we will share stories of the paranormal, occult or the unknown. Hosted by the Hispanic Resource Center coordinator and Tulsa City-County Library staff, we will have special guests every week joining us to tell us about their relationship with storytelling. The podcast will be livestreamed to the Hispanic Resource Center Facebook page at www.facebook.com/ TCCLhispanicresourcecenter and is in tribute to Mexico's hit radio program "The Hairy Hand" or "La Mano Peluda." For teens and adults.

Creativity Matters: String Art

Thursday, Sept 17

Visit the Nathan Hale Library to pick up your take-home crafting kit curbside and then tune in to the Nathan Hale Facebook page, www.facebook.com/nathanhalelibrary, for a tutorial on creating your own string art masterpiece. Kits include a wooden tile, push pins and colorful embroidery thread. Call 918-549-7323 for availability. Kits are available on a first-come-first-serve basis. For ages 10-17.

Jenks Library Virtual Book Club

Thursday, Sept. 17 • 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Join us for virtual discussions of great books. This month we'll discuss the mystery "A Curious Beginning" by Deanna Raybourn. Email <u>carissa</u>. <u>kellerby@tulsalibrary.org</u> for the Zoom invite. For adults.

Beyond the Book

Thursday, Sept. 17 • 2-3 p.m.

Join us for a lively Zoom discussion about "The Secrets We Kept" by Lara Prescott. Email kelli.mcdowell@tulsalibrary.org for details to join the event. For adults.

PAWS for Reading: Online - Glenpool Library

Thursday, Sept. 17 • 4-6 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids are invited to virtually read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend on Zoom. Register by emailing Glenpool.Library@tulsalibrary.org.

Ask a Question, Save a Life: Question, Persuade and Refer

Thursday, Sept. 17 • 6-7:30 p.m.

Learn the QPR Method of Question, Persuade and Refer - three simple steps that anyone can learn to help save a life from suicide. Often referred to as the mental health version of CPR, this life-saving technique only takes about an hour to learn. Participants will receive helpful referral resources along with strategies to help navigate a mental health crisis and re-establish hope. Join Deborah Hunter, case manager, Family & Children's Services, and Karen LaPlante, director of education, Mental Health Association Oklahoma, for this workshop via Zoom. Registration is required. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive

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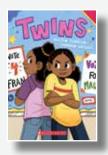
LEGO Halloween Ideas By Selina Wood

Celebrate Halloween with 50 spooky build ideas! Use your LEGO collection to conjure up a giant bat, a ghost ship, a witch's house and many more creepy creations. Plus, challenge your friends to spooky LEGO games.



Your Place in the UniverseBy Jason Chin

Introduces readers to the mind-boggling scale of the known universe. Most 8-year-olds are about five times as tall as this book, but only half as tall as an ostrich, which is half as tall as a giraffe and 20 times smaller than a California Redwood! How do they compare to the tallest buildings? To Mt. Everest? To stars, galaxy clusters and ... the universe?



*Twins, Volume 1*By Varian Johnson

Maureen and Francine Carter are twins and best friends. But just before the girls start sixth grade, Francine becomes Fran – a girl who wants to join the chorus, run for class president and dress in fashionable outfits that set her apart from Maureen. Maureen and Francine are growing apart and there's nothing Maureen can do to stop it. Are sisters really forever? Or will middle school change things for good?



Glork Patrol on the Bad Planet By James Kochalka

Who keeps the galaxy silly? The Glork Patrol! Join the Glorkian Warrior and Baby Gonk as they explore a new planet and make some new friends. But they'll have to watch out for the most dangerous creature in the universe: A Baby Quackaboodle!

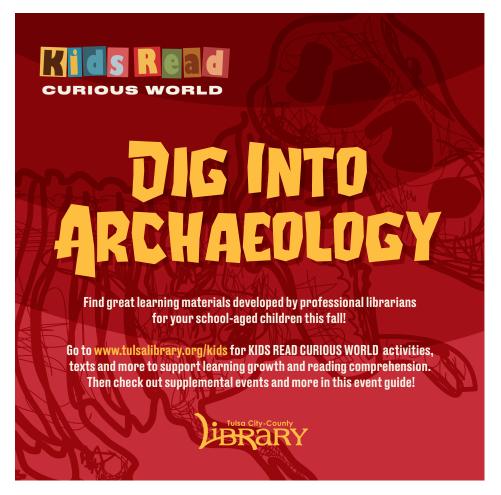
a Zoom invitation via email. For ages 18 and older.

Fantasy/Science Fiction Book Club

Thursday, Sept. 17 • 7-8 p.m.

Join fellow fantasy/science fiction enthusiasts to discuss "Wild Beauty" by Anna-Marie McLemore on Zoom.

For nearly a century, the Nomeolvides women have tended the grounds of La Pradera, hiding a terrible legacy, until mysterious Fel arrives and Estrella helps him explore his dangerous past. Contact rebecca.mcwilliams@tulsalibrary.org for the Zoom link. For ages 16 and up.



Tech Talk: Internet Hacks for Beginners

Friday, Sept. 18 • noon-1 p.m.

Are you a new internet user? Join us for this Zoom webinar as we explore hacks to improve your experience online. This talk will be of interest to you whether you are a technology expert or enthusiast, or just want to learn more about how technology works. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom login info. Registrants will need to provide an email address. The Zoom login information will be emailed out an hour prior to the program. A recording of the talk will be uploaded to YouTube.

PAWS for Reading: Read to a Dog on Zoom

Friday, Sept. 18 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend using Zoom. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom info.

Fandom Friday Trivia: General Geekery Friday, Sept. 18 • 6:30-8 p.m.

Join us for Fandom Friday Trivia as we test your knowledge on all things geeky. Think you know your Marvel from DC? JRR from George RR? Power up the Tardis, grab your sonic screwdriver, we'll see you there! Registration is required to receive a Zoom meeting invite. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events. Questions? Contact Rebecca. Harrison@ tulsalibrary.org. For teens and adults.

Gilmore Girls Trivia

Friday, Sept. 18 • 7-8 p.m.

Copper boom! Grab a coffee, a book and your most witty pop culture reference as it's Gilmore Girls trivia time! Register with your email address at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to get the Zoom link for this pub-style game. For adults and teens.

Creative Truths: A History Book Discussion

Saturday, Sept. 19 • 9-10 a.m.

Join librarians Mark and Sarah on 700m to discuss "The Queens of Animation" by Nathalia Holt. Email HK@tulsalibrary.org for the Zoom meeting invitation. For adults.

Hispanic Heritage Month: A Conversation With Valeria Luiselli

Saturday, Sept. 19 • 5-6 p.m.

Join us for a virtual reading and discussion with Valeria Luiselli, author of "Lost Children Archive," hosted by the Tulsa City-County Library's Hispanic Resource Center. Join us on Tulsa City-County Library's Facebook page, www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary, for this livestream reading and discussion.

To-Go Activity Kit: Fall Leaves

Monday, Sept. 21

Fall into Kishner this week to pick up an autumn craft kit! Use leaves or your fingers to create a fiery autumn tree painting, and then get out into the fall air with an autumn scavenger hunt! Kits are limited and available at the Judy Z. Kishner Library on a first-come-first-serve basis. Check our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/ judyzkishnerlibrary for updates.

Tulsa Master Gardeners Lunch and Learn: Bulbs

Tuesday, Sept. 22 • noon-1 p.m.

Fall is the time to plant early bloomers like daffodils and tulips. Join experts from the Tulsa Master Gardeners at www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary as they share tips on varieties, timing and techniques on Facebook Live.

Plains Indian Sign Language

Tuesday, Sept. 22 • 3-3:30 p.m.

Learn Plains Indian sign language by third generation signer Mike Pahsetopah. Watch on TCCL's YouTube channel, www.youtube.com/tulsalibrary.

Murder and Mayhem: True Crime Book Club

Tuesday, Sept. 22 • 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Our featured selection is "The Five" by Hallie Rubenhold. Print and digital copies are available via www.tulsalibrary.org. For a Zoom invitation, email ba@tulsalibrary.org. For adults.

Courageous Community Conversation: Begin the Healing

Tuesday, Sept. 22 • 7-8 p.m.

Join us on Zoom for this reading and discussion program on historical trauma and its impact on today. Courageous Community Conversations is a reading and discussion program designed to give participants an opportunity for authentic, transformative dialogue about challenging issues. Using this year's One Book, One Tulsa selection, "Red at the Bone" by Jacqueline Woodson, we will discuss the manner in which traumatic historical events impact an individual's social, mental and physical well-being years - even decades - after their occurrence. Participants will have the opportunity to share ideas for fostering resilient communities during these unprecedented times. Email outreach. services@tulsalibrary.org for details for joining the discussion. For adults.

Another Chapter Book Discussion

Thursday, Sept. 24 • 2-3 p.m.

Read or listen to "Dear Mrs. Bird" by A.J. Pearce and then join the discussion. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive a Zoom link to join the discussion. For adults.

Jeopardy! Random Fandom

Thursday, Sept. 24 • 5-6 p.m.

Join us via Zoom for a fun night of Random Fandom trivia from literary favorites to pop culture. Join as a team or just bring yourself for a chance to win a fantasy book bundle of YA and adult titles. Five spots are available. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events or contact Nathan Hale Library on Facebook Messenger, www.facebook.com/nathanhalelibrary. For ages 13 and older.

Tech Talk: Machine Learning the Basics

Friday, Sept. 25 • noon-1 p.m.

Join us for this Zoom webinar as we explore the basics of machine learning, the study of computer algorithms that improve automatically through experience. Yahya Lazrak, a full stack web developer at Scout Group, will dive into the fundamentals of machine learning. This talk will be of interest to you whether you are a technology expert or enthusiast, or just want to learn more about how technology works. Register online at

www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom login info. Registrants will need to provide an email address. The Zoom login information will be emailed out an hour prior to the program. A recording of the talk will be uploaded to YouTube.

Out-Lit: YA Book Club

Friday, Sept. 25 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Join us as we chat about "Not Your Sidekick" by C.B. Lee, which is available in print, audio and on the Hoopla app. Register online at

www.tulsalibrary.org/events to be e-mailed the Zoom link. Welcome to Andover ... where superpowers are common, but internships are complicated. Just ask high school nobody Jessica Tran. Despite her heroic lineage, Jess is resigned to a life without superpowers and is merely looking to beef up her college applications when she stumbles upon the perfect (paid!) internship ... only it turns out to be for the town's most heinous supervillain. On the upside, she gets to work with her longtime secret crush, Abby, who Jess thinks may have a secret of her own. Then there's the budding attraction to her fellow intern, the mysterious "M," who never seems to be in the same place as Abby. But what starts as a fun way to spite her superhero parents takes a sudden and dangerous turn when she uncovers a plot larger than heroes and villains altogether. For ages 12-18.

Zoom Paint-Along Party

Friday, Sept. 25 • 6-7 p.m.

Meet us on TCCL's Teen Services Zoom for an instructional paint-along party! Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive Zoom link. For elementary students to adults.

PAWS for Reading: Online - Zarrow Regional Library

Saturday, Sept. 26 • 2-3 p.m.

Kids are invited to read their favorite books to Arson the Dalmatian online through Zoom. Register online at www.tulsalibrary.org/events to receive an assigned time slot just for you and a Zoom link to join the fun.

Hispanic Heritage Month: Tea Workshop With Edgar Fabián Frías

Saturday, Sept. 26 • 6-7 p.m.

Join us for a guided meditation and

tea workshop with multidisciplinary artist Edgar Fabián Frías. This event will be livestreamed to Tulsa City-County Library's Facebook page, www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary. Frías

is a nonbinary, queer, indigenous (Wixárika) and Brown multidisciplinary artist, curator, educator and psychotherapist. Along with Hispanic Resource Center Coordinator Amairani Perez Chamu, the two will showcase how to make your own tea with medicinal herbs. For adults and teens.

To-Go Activity Kit: Rolling Marble Painting

Monday, Sept. 28

Roll on by Judy Z. Kishner Library to pick up a rolling marble painting kit! Be prepared to get messy and find out what you can make simply by rolling a marble around on paint and paper. Kits are limited and available on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Virtual Book Discussion: "Across That Bridge" by John Lewis

Monday, Sept. 28 • 6-7:30 p.m.

You are invited to join Rudisill Regional Library via Zoom for an online book discussion of "Across That Bridge: A Vision for Change and the Future of America" by John Lewis. Email Wyvonne.Harris@tulsalibrary. org for Zoom link. In "Across That Bridge," Congressman John Lewis draws from his experience as a prominent leader of the civil rights movement to offer timeless wisdom, poignant recollections and powerful principles for anyone interested in challenging injustices and inspiring real change toward a freer, more peaceful society. For adults.

Tulsa Master Gardeners Lunch and Learn: Succulents

Tuesday, Sept. 29 • noon-1 p.m.

Explore the weird and wonderful world of everyone's favorite low-maintenance houseplant, succulents, with the experts from Tulsa Master Gardeners on Facebook Live, www.facebook.com/tulsalibrary.