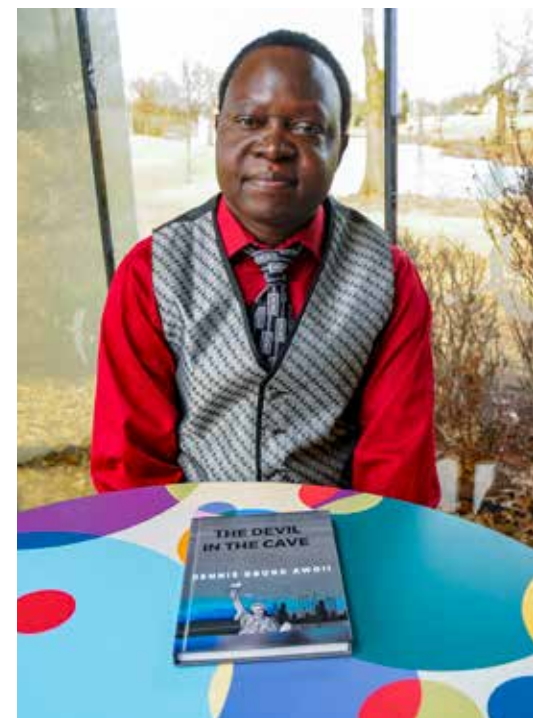




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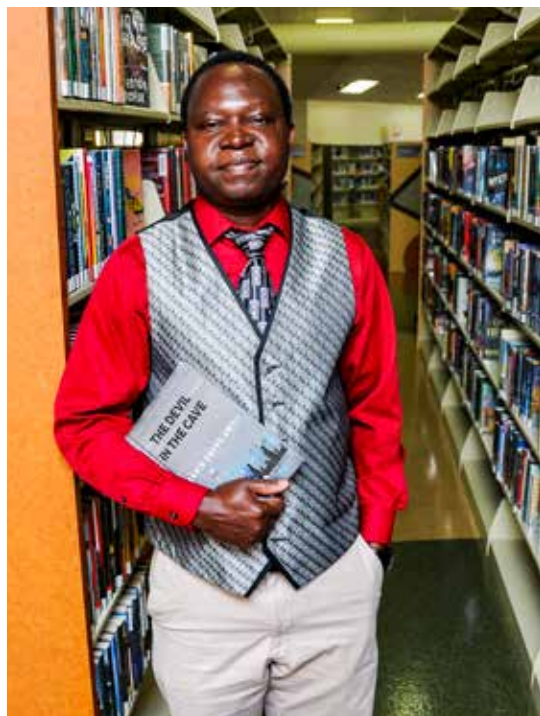
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Library Writing Contests Inspire Literary Success

In March 2019, Dennis Obong Awoii was at the library researching and writing the first draft of what he hoped would become his first book. He was struggling with the fact that completing this nonfiction political piece was going to require him to travel. That is when he spotted a promotional notice about TCCL's Adult Creative Writing Contest and the sparks began to fly!

"When I saw this advert about the story-writing competition, I thought, well, I could write a fiction book instead as that would allow me to just form thoughts about the storyline and do some research here and there to make it happen, instead of having to travel and leave my family," said Awoii.



>> Dennis Obong Awoii at Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

That day, he abruptly shifted gears and started working on a chapter of what later would become Page 10 of his novel *The Devil in the Cave*, published in 2020.

"I wanted to write a book that was a little bit spooky, exciting and adventurous – something that young adults would enjoy reading," said Awoii, who spent a couple hours each day in the library working on the manuscript until it was finished about six to seven months later.

Born and raised in Lira, Northern Uganda, Awoii moved to the U.S. about 10 years ago on the Diversity Immigrant Visa Program and lived in Tulsa briefly before relocating to Indianapolis, Ind., where he spent about three years. He returned to Tulsa seven years ago where he attended the National American University. He is a part-time author but wishes to make writing his full-time career. Currently, he is simultaneously working on three new manuscripts – one is a true story and the other two are fictional works.

"If you go to the library, you can almost dream during the day as it is so quiet," said Awoii. "I do best when I am writing in the dead of the night – going to the library is the next best thing!"

In addition to providing a quiet place to think and write, Awoii said the library has all the research resources he needs to learn about places, situations and other important things to flesh out his manuscripts and provide accuracy for his stories. For example, when

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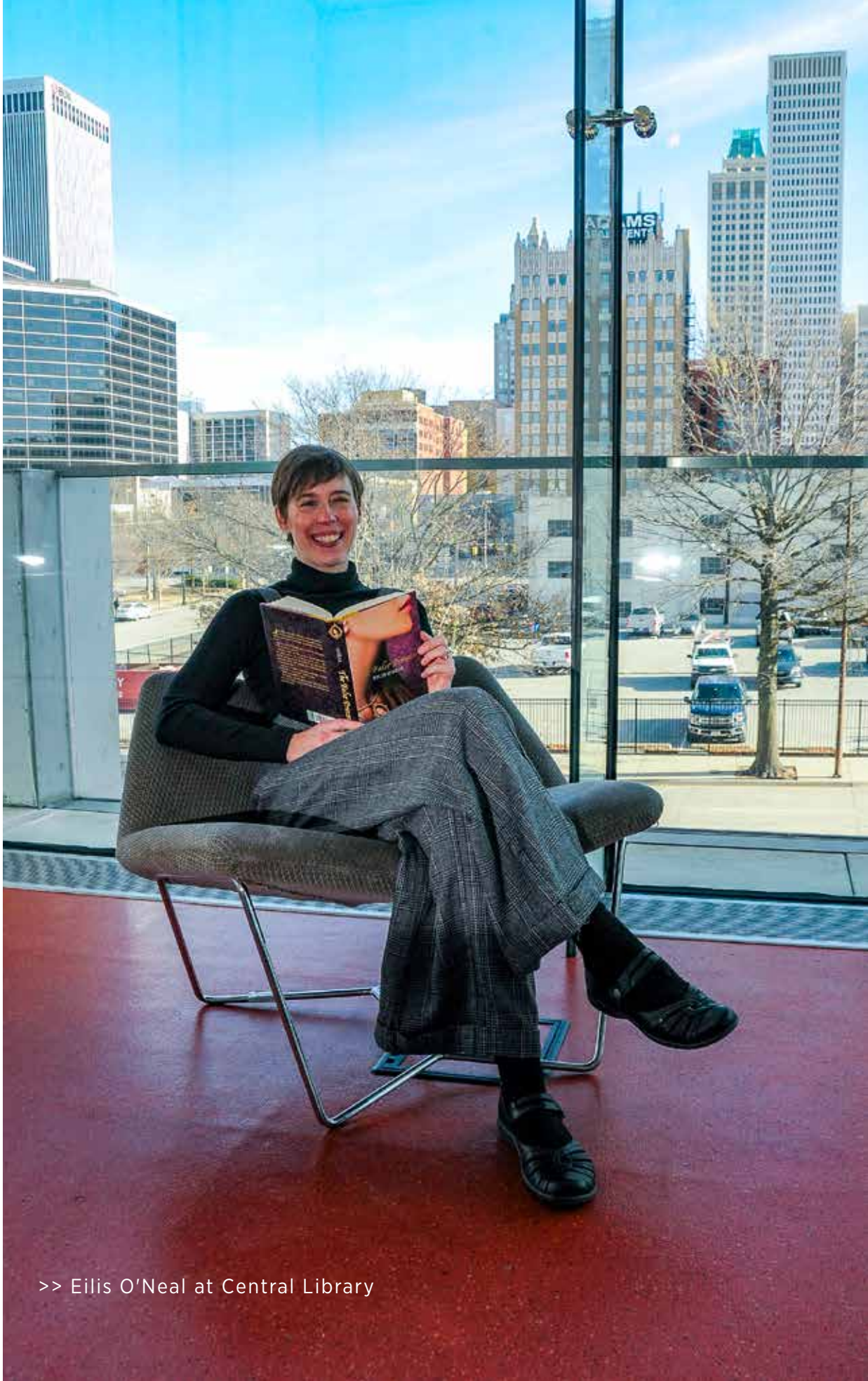
writing *The Devil in the Cave*, Awoii wanted to find information about the Alaska wilderness so that he could describe it accurately as it was the setting of his book.

The Devil in the Cave is available for checkout at www.tulsalibrary.org. The second edition is coming out soon.

While a promotional piece for the Adult Creative Writing Contest sparked Awoii to start a book, it was the Young People's Creative Writing Contest and the Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature that started Eilis O'Neal's literary success.

"The library's Young People's Creative Writing Contest was probably the most influential event for me as a young person in terms of my future writing career," said O'Neal, editor in chief of *Nimrod International Journal*, a literary magazine that publishes short fiction and poetry.

Beginning in 1993, O'Neal entered the creative writing contest annually from the age of 12 to 18 and was a winner each year. The annual contest is open to Tulsa County youths ages 10 to 18 and offers cash prizes.



>> Eilis O'Neal at Central Library

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"To be recognized for my writing from an outside group that was not my parents or teachers was a huge deal; it was amazing," said O'Neal, who published her first young-adult fantasy, *The False Princess*, in 2011 and its prequel, *A Royal Birthday: A False Princess Short Story*, in 2013.

More important than winning the contest though was "getting to hear from the authors who are brought to Tulsa each year as the Zarrow award winners," said O'Neal.

O'Neal fondly remembers going to the Young People's Creative Writing Contest Awards Ceremony in 1993 and hearing Zarrow award winner Katherine Paterson, author of the beloved 1978 Newbery

Medal-winning *Bridge to Terabithia*, talk about her writing and give tips to the young aspiring writers.

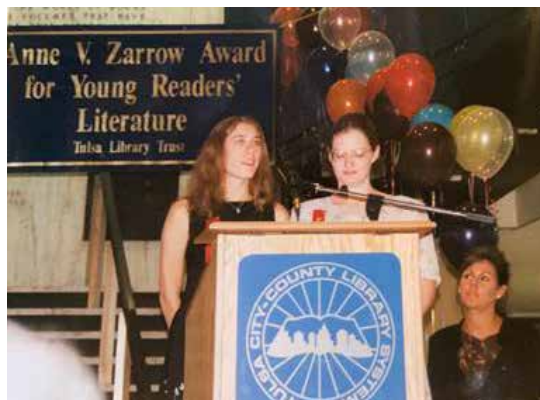
"This just opened my eyes to being an author as something I could do," said O'Neal. "You don't think of authors as real people but then seeing them in person you realize that they are real people and that this is something that real people do. Here was this woman who was telling us about ways and tips and tricks she used for writing – it was inspiring with a capital I!"

O'Neal is still sad about missing one of her all-time favorite authors, Madeleine L'Engle, who was the winner of the 1992 Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature.

"At the time, my family had no clue about the contest or the Zarrow award and I did not get to see her – I really wish that I did," said O'Neal about L'Engle, author of the 1963 Newbery Medal-winning *A Wrinkle in Time* and other works for young people.

"It is so awesome that every single year these authors come to Tulsa to talk to us," said O'Neal. "I remember when Walter Dean Myers came in 1996. He told us that he always carried a little tiny notebook to write things down and then he pulled it out of his pocket and showed it to us. I was 15 and thought, 'Oh gosh, I need to start doing this!' And then I got my own little notebook."

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>> Ellis O'Neal (left) and friend Quin Swiney with Zarrow award winner Cynthia Voigt in 1998

This year, Nikki Grimes, *New York Times* bestselling poet and author of *Ordinary Hazards: A Memoir* and other works for young people, is the winner of the Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature. She will accept the award, given by the Tulsa Library Trust, on Friday, May 6 at 6 p.m. and will present awards to winners of the 2022 Young People's Creative Writing Contest. The contest is accepting entries Feb. 1-28.

"It is so invaluable for kids who are interested in writing in addition to reading to hear these authors speak," said O'Neal. "I can go on and on for hours about the Young People's Creative Writing Contest and the Zarrow award as they were such a big deal for me as an aspiring writer!" ■

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2022 Sankofa Freedom Award honoring **Walter Mosley** Saturday, Feb. 12 • 10-11 a.m. • Virtual

Visit www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom link.

Walter Mosley will receive the 2022 Sankofa Freedom Award, given by the African-American Resource Center and Tulsa Library Trust. Mosley is a prolific author of over 60 critically acclaimed books, memoirs and plays, and best known for his Easy Rawlins detective series.

The Sankofa award is given biennially to a nationally prominent author whose life's work positively addresses the range and complexity of cultural, economic and political issues affecting the greater African American community.

If you would like to view the award ceremony on a large screen, you are welcome to join us at Rudisill Regional Library to watch the live webinar. Email Laressa.McNeil@tulsalibrary.org to reserve a seat.



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American Indian Festival of Words 2022 Circle of Honor Ceremony honoring **Archie Mason** Saturday, March 5 • 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. Archie Mason, Osage and Cherokee, will be inducted into the Circle of Honor. Mason was a former educator for 34 years and was one of the longest-serving members of the Osage Nation Congress. Induction into the Circle of Honor is a celebration of the honoree's actions in the face of adversity, commitment to the preservation of American Indian culture and legacy for future generations. Watch on TCCL's YouTube channel, www.youtube.com/TulsaLibrary.

Visit www.tulsalibrary.org/american-indian-circle-honor for event location updates and more details.

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to check out these titles and find more.



The Paris Apartment By Lucy Foley



From the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Guest List* comes a new locked room mystery, set in a Paris apartment building in which every resident has something to hide.

Funny Farm By Laurie Zaleski



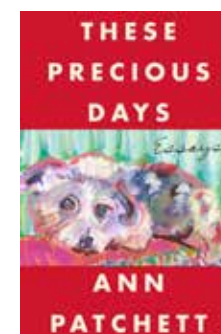
Funny Farm is an inspiring and moving memoir of the author's turbulent life with 600 rescue animals. Laurie Zaleski never aspired to run an animal rescue; that was her mother Annie's dream.

Black Cake By Charmaine Wilkerson



In this moving debut novel, two estranged siblings must set aside their differences to deal with their mother's death and her hidden past.

These Precious Days By Ann Patchett



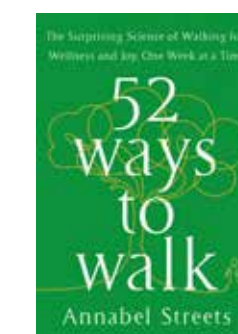
The beloved *New York Times* bestselling author reflects on home, family, friendships and writing in this deeply personal collection of essays.

The Swimmers By Julie Otsuka



In this Borzoi book, a group of obsessive swimmers finds solace and routine at the local pool – until a crack appears at the bottom of the pool that makes them completely neurotic.

52 Ways to Walk By Annabel Streets



This is a short, user-friendly guide to attaining the full range of benefits walking has to offer – physical, spiritual, emotional – backed by the latest scientific research to inspire readers to develop a fulfilling walking lifestyle.

Events for Adults & All Ages

Visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/events to register or for more details.

Events may be canceled or switched to virtual due to COVID risk levels.



DAILY

Life-Size Candyland

Feb. 1-28 • Judy Z. Kishner Library

Come and play the life-size modified game of Candyland! Enjoy a self-guided game play for all ages!

MONDAYS

Yuchi Language Class

6:30-7:30 p.m. (no class Feb. 21)

Zarrow Regional Library

All skill levels are welcome to join this language revitalization class, led by Yuchi language instructor Brent Deo from the zOyaha School of Language. For all ages. **Registration required.**

TUESDAYS

Yoga for Every Body

6-7 p.m. • Central Library, Aaronson Auditorium

Join us for a beginner-friendly yoga class taught by certified yoga instructor Beth Richmond. Yoga mats, blocks and straps are provided. **Registration required.**

Kiowa Language Class

6:30-8:30 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Learn the beautiful language of the Kiowa people. This class is taught by the Kiowa Tribe's Language Department via Zoom. **Registration required.**

THURSDAYS

American Indian Sign Language

7-8 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Learn the basics of talking with your hands the Indian way. **Registration required.**

FRIDAYS

Chicks Knit and Lit: Crafting Group

1-3 p.m. • Glenpool Library

Join us for great companionship, crafting

and fun! We knit, crochet, sew, and just about anything else craft or fiber related. Sometimes we talk about books and movies too!

FEB. 1, TUESDAY

Cover to Cover Book Club

6:30-7:15 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Join us for lively discussion and literary fun as we explore a range of genres. This month's selection is *A Good Neighborhood* by Therese Fowler.

FEB. 2, WEDNESDAY

Travels With Tulsans:

Ireland – From the North to the South

12:10-12:50 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Take a trip with us and enjoy travelogues from fascinating locales both near and far. Presented by Sloan Davis. Email friends@tulsalibrary.org for the Zoom link. Sponsored by the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries.

Great Decisions

12:30-2 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South

Join us as we discuss a variety of timely topics. Light snacks are provided.

LitWits' Book Club: In Person or Online

6:30-7:30 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

IN PERSON: Hardesty Regional Library, Digital Lounge

Join fellow book enthusiasts to discuss *Black Buck* by Mateo Askaripour in person or on Zoom. In this debut novel, an unambitious college graduate accepts a job at Sumwun, the hottest NYC start-up, and reimagines himself as "Buck," a ruthless salesman, and begins to hatch a plan to help young people of color infiltrate America's sales force.

Registration required.



FEB. 3, THURSDAY

Building Basic Computer Skills

2-3 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library, Computer Lab

New computer users who have little or no previous experience using computers will learn about using a mouse, accessing the internet, basic computer terms and more. **Registration required.**

Mr. Henry's Books EDUCATOR WORKSHOP

Saturday, Feb. 26 • 9-11 a.m.

Central Library • Fifth Street and Denver Avenue
Pocahontas Greadington Learning and Creativity Center

Attention, middle- and high-school teachers and librarians! You are invited to this continuing-education workshop focusing on the works of author Nikki Grimes, winner of the 2022 Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature. **You will:**

- Receive 50 copies of *Ordinary Hazards* by Nikki Grimes for your students to keep as their own. **This book is suited for students ages 12-17.**
- Learn how to incorporate various elements of *Ordinary Hazards* into your classroom and receive lesson plans on how to use Nikki Grimes' works in a variety of school subjects.
- Be introduced to Tulsa City-County Library's Anne V. Zarrow Award for Young Readers' Literature.
- Gain an opportunity to win a classroom visit by Nikki Grimes on Friday, May 6.



Every participant will receive their copies of *Ordinary Hazards* after the workshop, as well as an official continuing-education certificate. Participants must be employed by a school district within Tulsa County.

Registration Deadline: Saturday, Feb. 12

www.tulsalibrary.org/mr-henrys-books-registration

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FEB. 5, SATURDAY

Black History Month: Movies @ the Library 3:30-5 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Join us for a showing of *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*, starring Oprah Winfrey, Renée Elise Goldsberry and Courtney B. Vance. Attendance may be limited due to social distancing. For all ages.



FEB. 7, MONDAY

Craft Club: Homemade Valentines 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Central Library, Aaronson Auditorium

Join us for a fun night of chatting and crafting while we make valentines. We've got doilies and glue; you just bring your creativity! **Registration required.**

FEB. 8, TUESDAY

Collinsville Book Discussion

12:30-2:30 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Read *Hostage* by Clare Mackintosh and then join us for a lively discussion about this claustrophobic thriller set over 20 hours on one airplane flight ... on board the inaugural nonstop flight from London to Sydney.

Shelf Help Book Club

6-7 p.m. • Central Library, Greadington Center

Join us for our monthly discussion on a title aimed at helping you thrive and achieve your personal goals. This month's

selection is *Atomic Habits* by James Clear. Reserved copies of the book are available. Email tiffany.howard@tulsalibrary.org to receive a copy.

FEB. 9, WEDNESDAY

Full Cup Book Club

10-11:30 a.m. • Martin Regional Library

Read *These Ghosts are Family* by Maisy Card and join us for a lively discussion. Print copies are available at Martin Regional Library for checkout or online at www.tulsalibrary.org for download.

Travels With Tulsans:

Patagonia – Argentina and Chile

12:10-12:50 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Take a trip with us and enjoy travelogues from fascinating locales both near and far. Presented by Gerald Taron. Email friends@tulsalibrary.org for the Zoom link. Sponsored by the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries.



Really Basic Computer Class

1:30-2:30 p.m.

Rudisill Regional Library, 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. **Registration required.**

FEB. 10, THURSDAY

Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia 2-3 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Learn about the impact of Alzheimer's, the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, Alzheimer's disease stages and risk factors, and current research and treatments available to address some symptoms. Presented by the Alzheimer's Association. **Registration required.**



Digital Art Hour: Valentine's Day Cards

6-7 p.m.

Central Library, Digital Literacy Lab

Join us to use digital media tools, such as Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop and Procreate, to create Valentine's Day cards. Bring a flash drive to save your work. **Registration required.**

Galentine's Day Speed Friending

6:30-8 p.m.

Central Library, Greadington Center

Looking to expand your real-life social network? Women ages 18 and older are invited to our latest speed-friending event, complete with icebreakers, games, and a free tea and coffee bar. Speed friending is a great way to meet new people, right here in your community! Bring a favorite book to share during the event. Doors open at 6 p.m. **Registration required.**

FEB. 12, SATURDAY

2022 Sankofa Freedom Award Ceremony Honoring Walter Mosley

10-11 a.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Walter Mosley will receive the 2022 Sankofa Freedom Award, given by the African-American Resource Center and Tulsa Library Trust. Mosely is a prolific author of over 60 critically acclaimed books, memoirs and plays, and best known for his Easy Rawlins detective series. Visit www.tulsalibrary.org/events for Zoom link. If you would like to view the award ceremony on a large screen, you are welcome to join us at Rudisill Regional Library to watch the live webinar. Email Larissa.McNeil@tulsalibrary.org to reserve a seat. For all ages.

FEB. 14, MONDAY

Brookside Book Discussion

1:30-2:30 p.m. • Brookside Library

Read *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray and then join us for a lively discussion. This remarkable novel is about J.P. Morgan's personal librarian, Belle da Costa Greene, the Black American woman who was forced to hide her true identity and pass as white in order to leave a lasting legacy that enriched our nation.

FEB. 15, TUESDAY

Down the Rabbit Hole: Weird Fiction Book Club

7-8 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Join us on Zoom for a lively discussion of Rebecca Roanhorse's *Black Sun*, the first book in a new series inspired by the civilizations of the Pre-Columbian Americas and woven into a tale of celestial prophecies, political intrigue and forbidden magic. Email Ben.Willcox@tulsalibrary.org for Zoom link.

FEB. 16, WEDNESDAY

Travels With Tulsans: Helsinki, Finland and Tallinn, Estonia

12:10-12:50 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Take a trip with us and enjoy travelogues from fascinating locales both near and far. Presented by George Moudry. Email friends@tulsalibrary.org for a Zoom link. Sponsored by the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries.

Great Decisions

12:30-2 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South

Join us as we discuss a variety of timely topics. Light snacks are provided.

Introduction to 3D Printing

2-3 p.m.

Martin Regional Library, Computer Lab

Learn the basics of 3D printing and how this service works through the library.

FEB. 17, THURSDAY

Beyond the Book

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South

Join us to discuss *The Good Lord Bird* by James McBride. Reserved copies are available at the library.



Between the Covers Book Club

6-7 p.m.

Central Library, Aaronson Auditorium

Are you a romance lover? This book club is for you! Join us as we discuss

Honey Girl by Morgan Rogers. Email ellen.nole@tulsalibrary.org for a copy of the book or more information.

Jenks Book Club

6-7 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

IN PERSON: Jenks Library

Join our discussion of *The Secret Women* by Sheila Williams in person or virtually on Zoom. Email jenks.library@tulsalibrary.org for Zoom link.



FEB. 19, SATURDAY

Get Your Résumé Ready

10-11:30 a.m.

Hardesty Regional Library, Computer Lab

Learn how to create a professional-looking résumé, plus discover other free tools the library offers for job seekers. Basic MS Word skills recommended. **Registration required.**

Intro to Laser Cutting/Engraving

1-2 p.m.

Central Library, Maker Space

Learn the basics for cutting and engraving. We'll discuss the software used and demonstrate how to use the Epilog laser. After attending this orientation, you can make appointments to use the equipment for your own projects. **Registration required.**

FEB. 22, TUESDAY

Black Cowboys of Rodeo
With Keith Ryan Cartwright
7-8:30 p.m.

Central Library, Greedington Center
Magic City Books and Tulsa City-County Library present Keith Ryan Cartwright, author of *Black Cowboys of Rodeo: Unsung Heroes From Harlem to Hollywood and the American West*. Copies of the book are available for purchase at Magic City Books and will be for sale at the event. Cartwright and the cowboys featured in the book will sign copies at the conclusion of the event. *Black Cowboys of Rodeo* is a collection of 100 years of stories, told by these revolutionary Black pioneers themselves and set against the backdrop of Reconstruction, Jim Crow, segregation, the civil rights movement and eventually the integration of a racially divided country. For all ages.



FEB. 23, WEDNESDAY

Travels With Tulsans: Wildlife of Tanzania – Serengeti and Ngorongoro Crater
12:10-12:50 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Take a trip with us and enjoy travelogues from fascinating locales both near and far. Presented by Teresa Meinders Burkett, volunteer with The Nature Conservancy in Oklahoma. Email friends@tulsalibrary.org for the Zoom link. Sponsored by the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries.

Internet @ the Library

1:30-2:30 p.m.
Rudisill Regional Library, 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. **Registration required.**

Literary Ladies of Bixby Book Club

2-3 p.m. • Bixby Library

Read *The Lost and Found Bookshop* by Susan Wiggs and join us for a lively discussion. Copies are available to check out at the Bixby Library or as an e-book at www.tulsalibrary.org.

FEB. 24, THURSDAY

African American Heritage Bowl

6-9 p.m.

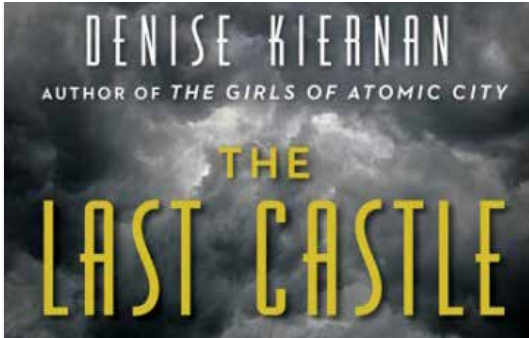
Rudisill Regional Library, Ancestral Hall

Schools and community groups will compete for prizes and recognition by answering questions about Black history. "African American Health and Wellness" is this year's theme. Contact Adrienne. teague@tulsalibrary.org for more details.

iPad Paint Along

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Follow along on an iPad or other tablet to create a fun painting digitally! We'll use the app Infinite Painter. If you bring your own tablet, you don't have to register, but be sure to have the Infinite Painter app downloaded on your tablet. If you'd like a print of your artwork, we will print it at the end of the program. **Registration is required to reserve an iPad.**



FEB. 26, SATURDAY

Creative Truths: A History Book Discussion

9-10 a.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

IN PERSON: Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Join librarians Mark and Sarah to discuss *The Last Castle: The Epic Story of Love, Loss and American Royalty in the Nation's Largest Home* by Denise Kiernan. Read the book and then join us for a lively discussion in person or on Zoom. The program will be held before the library opens, so please follow signs to the rear door of the building to attend the discussion. A Zoom link also will be available for those unable to attend in person. Email HK@tulsalibrary.org for Zoom link.

Sista' Chat Book Club

noon-2 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Celebrate Black History Month as we read and discuss *Autumn: A Love Story* by Norian Love. Join us for a bit of lighthearted and enjoyable conversation on a lazy Saturday afternoon.

Want to submit your work to the library's writing contests?

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- **Use digital and physical books** about writing fiction, nonfiction, poetry and more to fine-tune your piece or expand your writing scope. Explore book lists and writing resources at www.tulsalibrary.org/tccl-blog/writing-resources.
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New and coming soon titles for **Teens & Tweens**

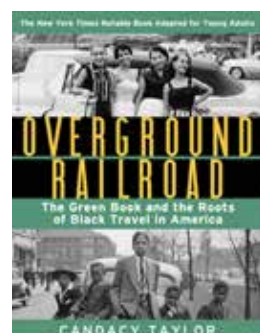
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Outer Banks: Lights Out By Alyssa B. Sheinmel



JJ convinces John B to go fishing in the notoriously dangerous Frying Pan Shoals, where they pick up a stranded Kook and run into smugglers with deadly cargo.

Overground Railroad By Candacy Taylor



Chronicles the history of the Green Book, which was published from 1936 to 1966 and was the "Black travel guide to America."

Required Reading for the Disenfranchised Freshman By Kristen R. Lee



Upon arriving at the prestigious Wooddale University, 17-year-old Savannah Howard comes face to face with microaggressions and outright racism – but if she stands up for justice, will she endanger her future?

Become an App Inventor By Karen Lang



Have you ever wanted to build your own mobile apps? With this inspiring guide, curious young dreamers can become real inventors with real-world impact.

Loveboat Reunion By Abigail Hing Wen



After their disastrous summer in Taipei, Sophie Ha and Xavier Yeh must come together once more to help each other pursue the futures they want.

Augusta Savage By Marilyn Nelson



A powerful biography in poems about Augusta Savage, the trailblazing artist and pillar of the Harlem Renaissance.



2022 **African American Heritage Bowl**

Theme:
African American
Health and Wellness

**Q: What is
the average
life span of
a Black male
in America
today?**



Thursday, Feb. 24 • 6–9 p.m.

Rudisill Regional Library
Ancestral Hall • 1520 N. Hartford

The competition features a Middle School Bowl, a High School Bowl and a Community Bowl. Trophies will be awarded for first, second and third place in each bowl. Plus, each first-place student team member will receive an Amazon Fire tablet.

Contact Adrienne.Teague@TulsaLibrary.org to register and receive a team packet with study guides. **Registration deadline is Feb. 17.**

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Events for Teens & Tweens

Visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/events to register or for more details.

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MONDAYS

Teen Storytime

4-4:30 p.m. (no storytime Feb. 21)

Maxwell Park Library

Join us in the teen area after school and listen to staff read aloud great young-adult literature while you wait for your ride to pick you up. For ages 10-18.

Yuchi Language Class

6:30-7:30 p.m. (no class Feb. 21)

Zarrow Regional Library

All skill levels are welcome to join this language revitalization class, led by Yuchi language instructor Brent Deo from the zOyaha School of Language. For ages 10 and up. **Registration required.**

TUESDAYS

Kiowa Language Class

6:30-8:30 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Learn the beautiful language of the Kiowa people. This class is taught by the Kiowa Tribe's Language Department via Zoom. For ages 10 and up. **Registration required.**



FRIDAYS

Chicks Knit and Lit: Crafting Group

1-3 p.m. • Glenpool Library

Join us for great companionship, crafting and fun! We knit, crochet, sew, and just about anything else craft or fiber related. Sometimes we talk about books and movies too!

FEB. 3, THURSDAY

Altered: Teen Maker Club

4-5 p.m. • Brookside Library

Do you like art, crafting, writing or DIY culture? We're going to explore them all. Join us to make faux stained-glass candleholders. For ages 10-18.

FEB. 8, TUESDAY

BeTween the Pages: A Tween Book Club

6-7 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Join us to chat about your favorite literary friendships and for other fun activities. For ages 10-12.

Bixby Teen Manga/Anime Club

6-7 p.m. • Bixby Library

Do you like manga or anime? Join us as we discuss our favorite manga and anime and do a fun activity. For sixth to 12th graders.

FEB. 9, WEDNESDAY

Bookmarked! In-person and Online Book Club

6-7 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

IN PERSON: Hardesty Regional Library, Digital Lounge

Join other book lovers as we discuss *Grown* by Tiffany D. Jackson in person or on Zoom. When legendary R&B artist Korey Fields spots Enchanted Jones at an audition, her dreams of being a famous singer take flight, until Enchanted wakes up with blood on her hands and zero memory of the previous night. For ages 14 and up. **Registration required.**

FEB. 10, THURSDAY

Games and Guilds: Tabletop Gaming

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South

Join us for Dungeons and Dragons, and tabletop games like Settlers of Catan, Ticket to Ride and other great options! For ages 12-18. **Registration required.**

FEB. 11, FRIDAY

Teens: Virtual Gaming

4:30-5:30 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Join us on Zoom as we play party games, trivia and more! For ages 10-18. **Registration required.**



FEB. 15, TUESDAY

Down the Rabbit Hole: Weird Fiction Book Club

Sci-Fi, Fantasy, Horror and Other Weird Fiction

7-8 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Join us on Zoom for a lively discussion of Rebecca Roanhorse's *Black Sun*, the first book in a new series inspired by the civilizations of the Pre-Columbian Americas and woven into a tale of celestial prophecies, political intrigue and forbidden magic. Email Ben.Willcox@tulsalibrary.org for Zoom link. For teens and up.

FEB. 16, WEDNESDAY

Introduction to 3D Printing

2-3 p.m. • Martin Regional Library, Computer Lab

Learn the basics of 3D printing and how this service works through the library. For teens.

FEB. 19, SATURDAY

Get Your Résumé Ready

10-11:30 a.m.

Hardesty Regional Library, Computer Lab

Learn how to make a professional-looking résumé, plus discover free tools the library offers for job seekers. Basic MS Word skills recommended. For teens and up. **Registration required.**

Read or Die Anime Club

noon-1 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Join fellow anime and manga lovers as we talk about and watch anime. For ages 13-17.

Intro to Laser Cutting/Engraving

1-2 p.m. • Central Library, Maker Space

Learn the basics for cutting and engraving. We'll discuss the software used and demonstrate how to use the Epilog laser. After attending this orientation, you can make appointments to use the equipment for your own projects. For teens and up. **Registration required.**

FEB. 22, TUESDAY

Teen Manga/Anime Club

4:30-5:30 p.m.

Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Join us as we discuss, watch and increase our overall knowledge of anime and manga. For ages 12-17.

Black Cowboys of Rodeo

With Keith Ryan Cartwright

7-8:30 p.m. • Central Library, Greadington Center

Magic City Books and Tulsa City-County Library present Keith Ryan Cartwright, author of *Black Cowboys of Rodeo: Unsung Heroes From Harlem to Hollywood and the American West*. Copies of the book are available for purchase at Magic City Books and will be for sale at the event. Cartwright and the cowboys featured in the book will sign copies at the conclusion of the event. *Black Cowboys of Rodeo* is

a collection of 100 years of stories, told by these revolutionary Black pioneers themselves and set against the backdrop of Reconstruction, Jim Crow, segregation, the civil rights movement and eventually the integration of a racially divided country. For teens and up.

FEB. 24, THURSDAY

Creative Writing for Teens: Editing Workshop

noon-2 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Are you ready for the annual Young People's Creative Writing Contest? Get your story polished and prepared for submission at our editing workshop. The Young People's Creative Writing Contest deadline is Feb. 28. Space may be limited. For ages 10-18.



Paint Like Basquiat: Black History Meets Art

4-5 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Paint like one of the most famous painters of the 20th century and learn more about his life. In addition to learning about this icon in Black history, learn about color theory as we paint pictures inspired by Basquiat's work. For ages 10-18.

African American Heritage Bowl

6-9 p.m.

Rudisill Regional Library, Ancestral Hall

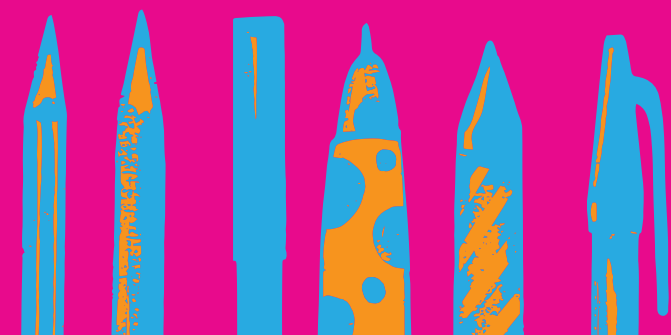
Schools and community groups compete for prizes and recognition by answering questions about Black history. Contact Adrienne.teague@tulsalibrary.org for more details. For ages 10 and up.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S creative writing CONTEST 2022

Informal Essay
Short Story
Poetry
Short Play
Comix

Cash Prizes
For Ages 10-18
Entries Accepted Feb. 1-28

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FEB. 24, THURSDAY

iPad Paint Along

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library
Follow along on an iPad or other tablet to create a fun painting digitally! We'll use the app Infinite Painter. If you bring your own tablet, be sure to have the Infinite Painter app downloaded on your tablet. We will print artwork at the end of the program. For ages 10 and up. **To reserve an iPad, registration is required.**

FEB. 25, FRIDAY

Final Friday: Arcade Day!

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library
End your month on a high note by playing games on our Nintendo Switch and Xbox One consoles. Space is limited to four players on the Switch per game and two per game on the Xbox. For ages 10-18.

Out-Lit: YA Book Club

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South
Join us as we read Sequoyah Book Award nominee *Only Mostly Devastated* by Sophie Gonzalez. We'll discuss the book and do an activity. This is great for fans of *Grease*, but with a lot less singing and a lot more heart. For ages 10-18.

FEB. 26, SATURDAY

Anime Club

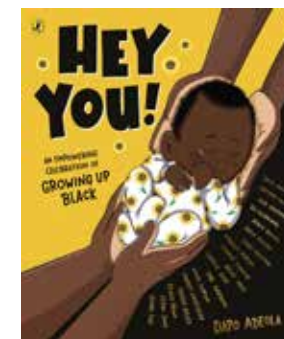
noon-2 p.m. • Martin Regional Library
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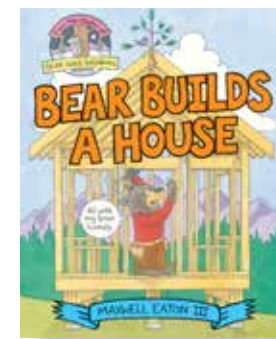


Hey You! By Dapo Adeola



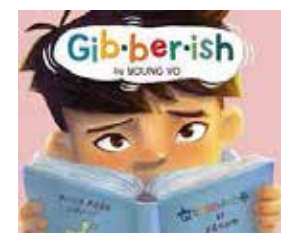
This remarkable picture book is a lyrical, inspirational exploration of growing up Black, written by award-winning illustrator Dapo Adeola and brought to life by some of the most exciting Black artists of today.

Bear Builds a House By Maxwell Eaton



Bear's next project is her most ambitious one yet. She's going to build a house! But can she and her friends finish before winter sets in?

Gibberish By Young Vo



When Dat starts school in a country where he does not speak the language, everything around him sounds like gibberish until a new friend helps him make sense of his new world.

Because Claudette By Tracey Baptiste



This biographical picture book about Claudette Colvin, the teen whose activism launched the Montgomery bus boycott, celebrates collective action.

A Friend for Yoga Bunny By Brian Russo



Yoga Bunny returns in this adorable, mindful and meditative friendship story! Great for finding calm and practicing easy fun-to-do yoga poses in the classroom or at home.

Black Artists Shaping the World By Sharna Jackson



Introduces young readers to 26 contemporary artists from Africa and of the African descent, working in everything from painting, sculpture and drawing to ceramics, installation art and sound art.

Events for Children

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Pick the Build A Reader Storytime that's right for you!

Help your baby and young child get ready to read!
Seating may be limited.

Babies

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.

Family

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.

Babies & Toddlers

Ready, set, READ! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

Toddlers

Join us for songs, stories and movements geared to your toddler.

Preschool

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

Bilingual

Enjoy stories, songs and activities in English and Spanish.



MONDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies
10-10:20 a.m. (no storytime Feb. 21)
Hardesty Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
10:30-10:55 a.m. (no storytime Feb. 21)
Broken Arrow Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
11-11:30 a.m. (no storytime Feb. 21)
Bixby Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
6-6:30 p.m. (no storytime Feb. 21)
Central Library

TUESDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10-10:30 a.m. • Owasso Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
10:15-10:45 a.m. • Brookside Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers
10:30-10:55 a.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. • Central Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual
10:30-11 a.m. • Maxwell Park Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South



Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers
11-11:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual
11-11:30 a.m. • Martin Regional Library

WEDNESDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies – Early Edition!
9:30-9:50 a.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library
Space is limited. Register to reserve a seat.

Build A Reader Storytime: Toddlers
10-10:20 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10-10:30 a.m. • Owasso Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. (no storytime Feb. 23)
Glenpool Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers
10:30-11 a.m. • Central Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. • Helmerich Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. (no storytime Feb. 23)
Rudisill Regional Library

Make-and-Take Crafts
11-11:30 a.m. (no program Feb. 23)
Rudisill Regional Library

Children of all ages can join us after storytime for a craft or art project. Perfect for toddlers and homeschool families. For large groups, please call ahead at 918-549-7323 to plan a separate time to stop in.

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
11-11:30 a.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

THURSDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
10:30-11 a.m. • Nathan Hale Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
11-11:30 a.m. (no storytime Feb. 3)
Herman and Kate Kaiser Library



Build A Reader Storytime: Family
6:30-6:50 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

FEB. 5, SATURDAY

National Take Your Child to the Library Day
9 a.m.-5 p.m. • Central Library

Bring your kids to the library today and celebrate your love of books and reading! Go on a scavenger hunt, take a photo at the selfie booth and do a simple craft project together. Three lucky winners will receive a \$25 gift card to Magic City Books!

National Take Your Child to the Library Day
9 a.m.-5 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Calling all engineers! Drop by our children's department to design and create your own vehicle that rolls! We will have stations set up for kids to explore engineering and learn about our Kids Read Curious World theme "Me & the Machines." Every child who visits the Hardesty Regional Library today will receive a small gift.

National Take Your Child to the Library Day
10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Enjoy time with your little one checking out books and grab a marshmallow launcher kit to construct at home! Kits are limited and available on first-come-first-serve basis.

FEB. 5, SATURDAY

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Glenpool Library**

Children visiting Glenpool Library today will get a small gift as we share our love of books and reading. Five lucky winners will receive a LEGO sculpture kit.

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Helmerich Library**

Drop by the library to celebrate National Take Your Child to the Library Day! Learn cool facts about wolves and see how you compare!

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Pratt Library**

Drop in and see large posters of the strangest vehicles and take home instructions for creating unconventional vehicle designs, or stay and build your machine at the library! Using the book *Unconventional Vehicles* as the central focus, kids will choose the strangest vehicles they want to learn more about (Flying Cathedral? Human Cannonball Truck? Scubadoo?) and create their own unconventional vehicle designs.

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South**

Drop in to celebrate National Take Your Child to the Library Day! We'll have prizes, Thinker-Tinker kits and take-and-make projects available while supplies last.

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
noon-2 p.m. • Charles Page Library**

Drop in for kids to explore the Kids Read Curious World theme "Me & the Machines" and get a take-home kit. Every child who visits the Charles Page Library today will receive a small gift.

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
noon-3 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library**

Visit the library to experiment like an engineer! We will have stations set up for kids to explore the Kids Read Curious World theme "Me & the Machines."

**National Take Your Child to the Library Day
2-4 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library**

Drop in to create your own functional gumball machine, complete with small candies to get you started, while supplies last.

FEB. 8, TUESDAY

**STEAM After School: Valentine Origami
3-4 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library**

Join us for fun science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics activities. Don't know what to get your valentine this year? Fear not! Come to this program and learn how to make some simple, lovey-dovey origami. For ages 5-12.

FEB. 9, WEDNESDAY

**PAWS for Reading
3:30-4:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library**

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Kids ages 6-10 are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Raymond and Bessie Kravis Foundation through the Tulsa Library Trust. **Registration required.**

FEB. 12, SATURDAY

**PAWS for Reading
10-11 a.m. • Central Library**

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 Raymond and Bessie Kravis Foundation through the Tulsa Library Trust. **Registration required.**

**Build A Reader Storytime: Babies & Toddlers
1-2 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library**

**PAWS for Reading
2-3 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library**

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Elementary students are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Raymond and Bessie Kravis Foundation through the Tulsa Library Trust. **Registration required.**

FEB. 15, TUESDAY

**PAWS for Reading
4:30-5:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library/South**

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Elementary students are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Raymond and Bessie Kravis Foundation through the Tulsa Library Trust. **Registration required.**

FEB. 18, FRIDAY

**Kids Read Storytime: Simple Machines
4-5 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library**

The world is big, and you are curious about it! Let's take a look at simple machines in this fun-filled storytime. Did you know that simple machines are everywhere? Learn more about what they are, what they do and how they connect to you! For preschoolers and elementary students.



FEB. 23, WEDNESDAY

**PAWS for Reading
4-5 p.m. • Owasso Library**

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 Raymond and Bessie Kravis Foundation through the Tulsa Library Trust. **Registration required.**



FEB. 26, SATURDAY

**Elephant and Piggie Book Party!
1-2 p.m. • Central Library**

It's time to dress up and enjoy games, crafts, read-aloud stories and a celebration of two of Mo Willems' silliest characters! For preschoolers and elementary students. **Registration required.**

National Take Your Child to the Library Day

Saturday, Feb. 5

Visit any Tulsa City-County Library location to receive a special sticker and treat! Check the event listings in this guide for FUN programs for kids to spark their curiosity!

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Want to give your child a head start on reading and writing?

START HERE! >>

- **Build A Reader Storytimes** help your babies and toddlers develop early literacy skills and a love of reading through songs, activities, books and more. Check the event listings in this guide or go to www.tulsalibrary.org/events.

- **Homework HelpNow** has practice tests, worksheets and lessons to help improve writing for students in grades three and up. Access from anywhere using your library card at www.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkhelp.

- **LearningExpress Library** offers writing and grammar skills improvement for middle-school students. Access from anywhere using your library card at www.tulsalibrary.org/online-learning.



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Todo sobre la **escritura**

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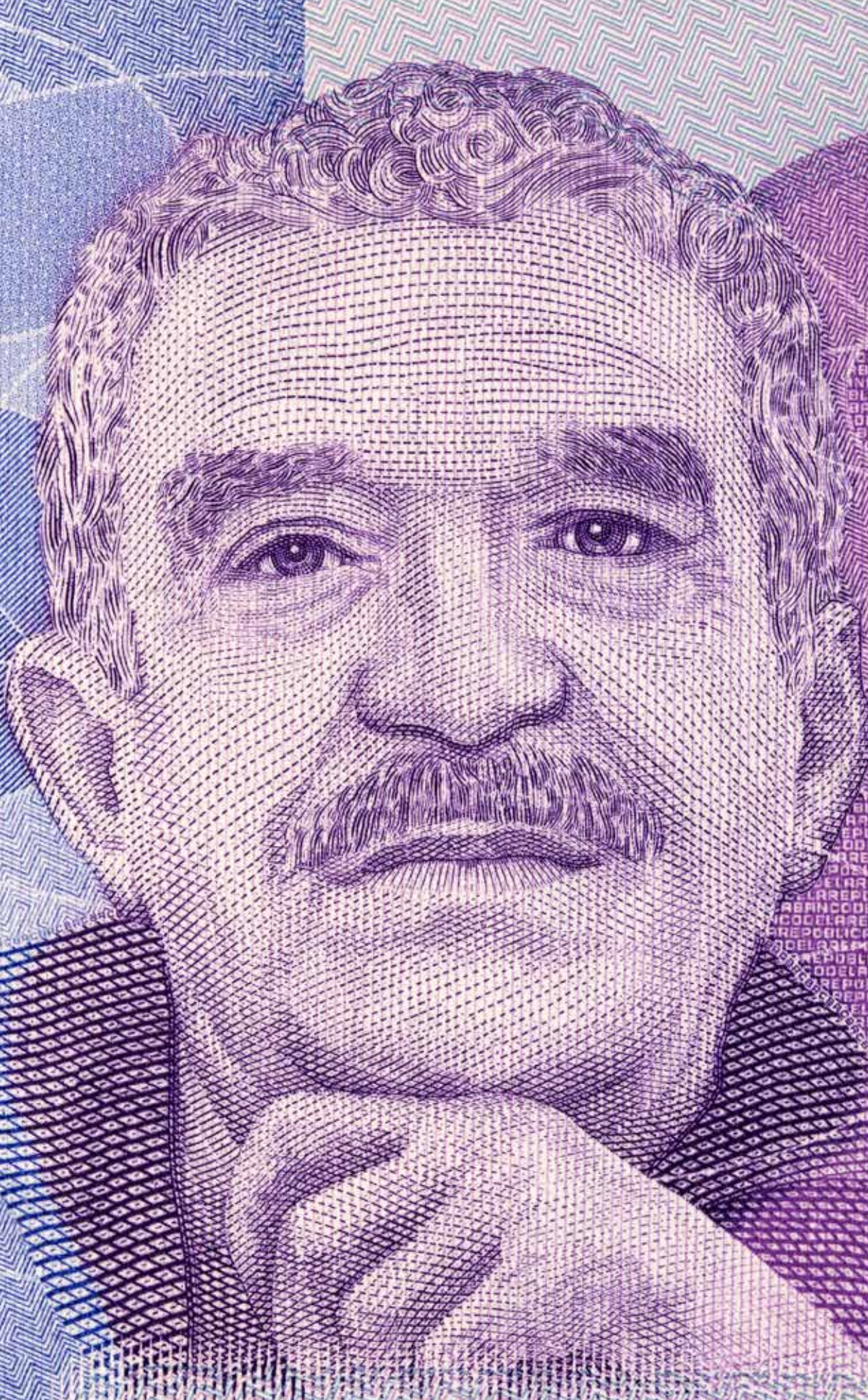
Nuevos títulos en español para jóvenes

El hábito de la escritura

Escrito por Ana Davis, Asociada al Cliente Bilingüe, Biblioteca Regional Martin

¿Alguna vez te ha pasado que después de leer un libro, te entra la inquietud por escribir como tu autor favorito? A mí me ha pasado, y espero no ser la única que quiere ser escritora después de leer un libro. En lo que a mí respecta, escribir es la habilidad más importante que uno puede tener y ser un buen escritor conduce a ser pensativo y más coherente. También es uno de los pocos

hábitos que no importa lo que hagas o quién seas en la vida, escribirás casi todos los días. Ya sea que se trate simplemente de enviar un correo electrónico o actualizar tu estado en Instagram o de Facebook, ser capaz de articular claramente tus pensamientos es una habilidad increíblemente valiosa.



“El llanto más antiguo de la historia del hombre, es el llanto de amor.”

- Gabriel García Márquez

Gabriel García Márquez, el padre del realismo mágico y ganador del premio Nobel de Literatura en 1982 por su obra Cien años de soledad, fue periodista de profesión y tuvo una educación en leyes la cual abandono para dedicarse a la pasión de su vida, por lo cual ahora es uno de los escritores más reconocidos en todo el mundo.

Márquez descubrió que iba a ser escritor leyendo “La metamorfosis” de Kafka, y fue influenciado por escritores estadounidenses como Ernest Hemingway y William

Faulkner. Lo mismo me paso a mi después de leer Pedro Páramo de Juan Rulfo, así como después de leer Cien años de soledad. Pero claro, yo no tengo ninguna formación como escritora, así que decidí aprender cómo empezar a escribir. Hay libros que te pueden ayudar a aprender a escribir porque esta actividad, como cualquier otra actividad creativa, siempre será un camino de aprendizaje. Si estas interesado en aprender más o solo quieres continuar desarrollando tus habilidades de escritura, visita tu biblioteca más cercana donde podrás encontrar todo lo que necesitas y así podrás empezar un nuevo pasatiempo o mejor aún, tu próxima profesión.

Aquí hay una pequeña lista de libros y recursos que te pueden ayudar, y lo más increíble es que todos estos artículos los puedes encontrar en cualquiera de nuestras 24 bibliotecas que la ciudad y el condado de Tulsa, solo necesitas tu tarjeta de la biblioteca ¡y listo! Si quieres poner en practica tu escritura, recuerda que la biblioteca tiene su concurso anual de escritura creativa. ¡Te esperamos! ■



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Describe cómo aumentar la creatividad y la producción al escribir una novela escribiendo durante siete minutos al día durante veintiún días seguidos.



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En este libro encontraras conocimientos, secretos, trucos e información para que puedas mejorar tu velocidad de escritura, aumentar con creces las palabras que escribes en un mes y publicar más libros.



Dominar el hábito de la escritura: escribe 2000 palabras por día y supera el bloqueo de escritor por S. J. Scott (eBook) Disponible en Hoopla

APRENDE: Cómo eliminar el bloqueo de escritor para siempre y escribir MILES de palabras por día ¿Te cuesta escribir todos los días? Muchas personas sueñan con convertirse en autores exitosos, pero no encuentran el tiempo para escribir. Al desarrollar el hábito de la escritura, tendrás la confianza para sentarte frente a la computadora todos los días con la seguridad de que las palabras fluirán.



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Eventos



Cuentos Bilingües

Martes 1, 8, 15 y 22 de febrero

10:30-11 a.m.

Biblioteca Maxwell Park

Acompáñenos para cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español.

Cuentos Bilingües

Martes 1, 8, 15 y 22 de febrero

11-11:30 a.m.

Biblioteca Regional Martin

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Día Nacional de llevar a tu hijo a la Biblioteca

Sábado, 5 de febrero

¡Visita cualquier ubicación de la biblioteca de la ciudad y el condado de Tulsa para recibir una calcomanía especial y un regalo!

¡Consulta los listados de eventos en esta guía para ver programas DIVERTIDOS para que los niños despierten su curiosidad!

¡Elecciones del personal!



Recomendado por Vanessa Rodriguez, asistente de servicio al cliente, Biblioteca Regional Martin



Alguien está mintiendo

por Karen M. McManus

¿Cómo puedes presenciar un asesinato y aún no saber qué sucedió? Karen McManus ha creado la tormenta perfecta de narraciones mixtas de testigos poco fiables, el misterio crece y te mantiene adivinando hasta el final. Si te encanta el suspenso y la resolución de crímenes, esta serie de libros es para ti. Este libro es para jóvenes de 13 años en adelante.



Alguien tiene un secreto

por Karen M. McManus

Ellery es nueva en Echo Ridges, pero ya lo sabe todo sobre el pueblo. Aquí, a veces, las chicas desaparecen. Sus asesinatos siguen sin resolverse. Aunque las clases no han empezado aún, la futura reina del baile ha sido amenazada y una chica ha desaparecido. ¡Todo apunta a que Ellery también está en peligro! Este libro es para jóvenes de 13 años en adelante.

¿Quieres comentarios sobre tu escritura?

¡EMPIEZA AQUÍ! >>

Homework HelpNow tiene un laboratorio de escritura que ofrece asistencia gratuita en línea para escribir. Simplemente carga un documento para revisarlo y recibirás comentarios útiles de un experto. Para utilizar el laboratorio de escritura, inicia una sesión en Homework HelpNow con tu apellido y tarjeta TCCL en www.tulsalibrary.org/homeworkhelp.



45° Concurso Anual de Escritura Creativa para Adultos 2022

Para mayores de 18 años
Ingrese antes del 31 de marzo

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- Ensayo Informal
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Los formularios de inscripción están disponibles en todas las bibliotecas de la ciudad y el condado de Tulsa y en línea en www.TulsaLibrary.org/Friends.



CONCURSO DE Escritura Creativa PARA JÓVENES 2022

Para edades 10-18
Entradas aceptadas del
1 al 28 de febrero

- Ensayo Informal
- Cuento
- Poesía
- Obra de Teatro Corta
- Cómic

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Ingrese en línea en www.TulsaLibrary.org/ypcwc o recoja la inscripción de entrada en cualquier ubicación de la biblioteca.



Nuevos títulos en español para jóvenes

Visite www.tulsalibrary.org/books-music-movies para ver estos títulos y encontrar más.

Aquí estuvimos
por Matt de la Peña



Miguel lo enviaron al centro de detención juvenil. El juez lo sentenció a un año en una casa hogar para menores; dijo que tenía que escribir en un diario para que algún consejero pudiera tratar de entender su forma de pensar. El juez no tenía idea de que en realidad le había hecho un favor a Miguel.

Lobizona
por Romina Garber



Algunas personas son indocumentadas. Las lobizonas no existen. Estas dos afirmaciones son falsas. Manuela Azul se encuentra atrapada en una existencia que resulta demasiado pequeña para ella y debe huir de la familia criminal de su padre en la Argentina.

Lazos de sangre
por Karen M. McManus



Milly, Aubrey y Jonah Story son primos, pero casi no se conocen. Su familia se rompió cuando su abuela desheredó a sus hijos. Pero, de pronto, la abuela Mildred los invita a pasar el verano en su complejo turístico y, con el paso de los días, los tres primos irán notando cosas extrañas que no acaban de encajar.

La orden del dragon
por Jenn Bennett



En esta emocionante historia llena de magia y ambientada en las misteriosas montañas de los Cárpatos, una niña debe encontrar el anillo maldito de Vlad el Empalador para salvar a su padre. Pero no es la únicos que está buscando el anillo. Una sociedad secreta también lo está buscando y harán todo lo posible para encontrarlo.

No somos de aquí
por Jenny Torres Sánchez



La travesía llena de peligros, resiliencia, dolor y esperanza, de tres adolescentes guatemaltecos que cruzan la frontera entre México y Estados Unidos. Se tienen el uno al otro y siguen la ruta de La Bestia, el peligroso tren de carga que los conducirá a una vida mejor, si tienen suficiente suerte como para sobrevivir el viaje.

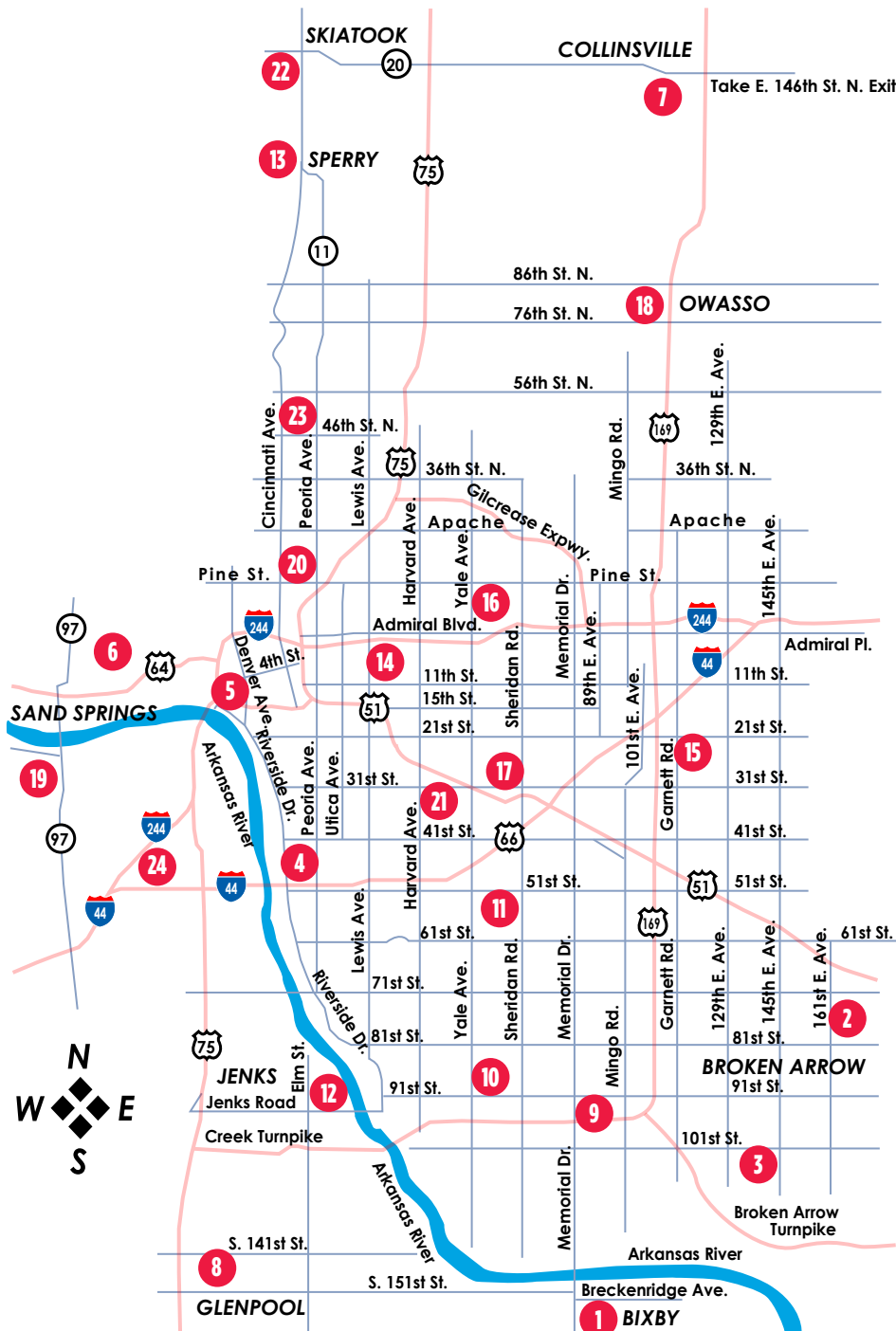
The Immortal Boy
por Francisco Montaña Ibáñez



Dos historias de Bogotá entrelazadas. Uno, una familia de cinco hijos, se fue a vivir por su cuenta. La otra, una niña en un orfanato que hará cualquier cosa para hacerse amiga del misterioso Niño Inmortal. La forma en que se entrelazan nunca te dejará.

Tulsa City-County Library Locations

Hours of operation for each location may be subject to change due to staff shortages.
Check www.tulsalibrary.org/opening-details for up-to-date information.



- 1 Bixby Library**
20 E. Breckenridge, 74008 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 2 Broken Arrow Library**
300 W. Broadway, 74012 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 3 Broken Arrow Library/South**
3600 S. Chestnut, 74011 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 4 Brookside Library**
1207 E. 45th Place, 74105 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 5 Central Library**
400 Civic Center, 74103 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 6 Charles Page Library**
551 E. Fourth St., Sand Springs, 74063
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 7 Collinsville Library**
1223 Main, 74021 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 8 Glenpool Library**
730 E. 141st St., 74033 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 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
- 10 Helmerich Library**
5131 E. 91st St., 74137 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 11 Herman and Kate Kaiser Library**
5202 S. Hudson Ave., Suite B, 74135 |
M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 12 Jenks Library**
523 W. B St., 74037 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 13 Judy Z. Kishner Library**
10150 N. Cincinnati Ave. E., Sperry, 74073
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 14 Kendall-Whittier Library**
21 S. Lewis, 74104 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 15 Martin Regional Library and Hispanic Resource Center**
2601 S. Garnett Road, 74129 | M-Th, 9-9;
Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 16 Maxwell Park Library**
1313 N. Canton, 74115 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 17 Nathan Hale Library**
6038 E. 23rd St., 74114 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 18 Owasso Library**
103 W. Broadway, 74055 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 19 Pratt Library**
3219 S. 113th W. Ave., Sand Springs, 74063
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 20 Rudisill Regional Library and African-American Resource Center**
1520 N. Hartford, 74106 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 21 Schusterman-Benson Library**
3333 E. 32nd Place, 74135 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 22 Skiatook Library**
316 E. Rogers, 74070 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 23 Suburban Acres Library**
4606 N. Garrison, 74126 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 24 Zarrow Regional Library and American Indian Resource Center**
2224 W. 51st St., 74107 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5