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GET A LIBRARY CARD TODAY!

With a TCCL card, you get access to a wealth of services and resources, including more than 1 million books, e-books and e-audio materials. Pictured here, Kelly Bayles, TCCL regional manager, invites you to become a TCCL cardholder and visit the *Americans and the Holocaust* traveling exhibition at Central Library, April 14-May 20. See Pages 17 and 18 for more details.



Sign up today and use your TCCL card at all 25 locations and online!
www.tulsalibrary.org/get-a-library-card

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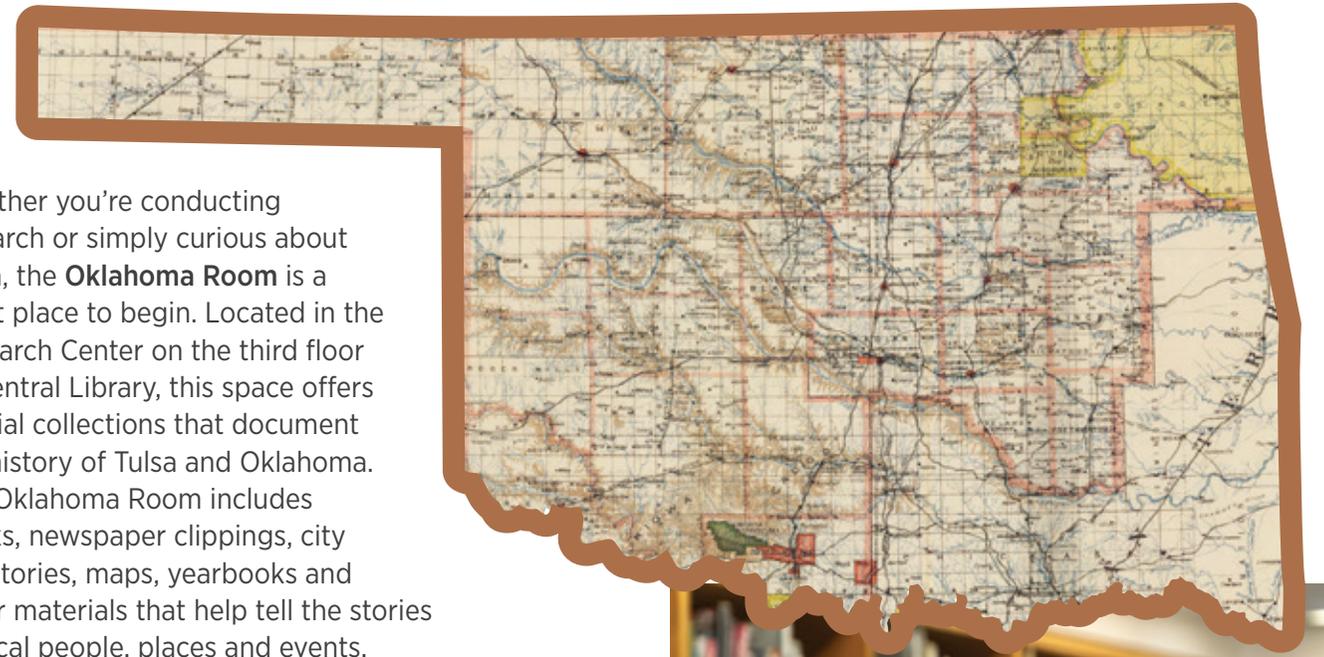
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The Stories That Shape Us: Understanding Our Present Through the Past

History is all around us, from the city we live in to the people we come from, and Tulsa City-County Library offers a range of resources to help you explore the past at every scale. This month, deepen your understanding of the present by exploring local, familial and world histories at TCCL.



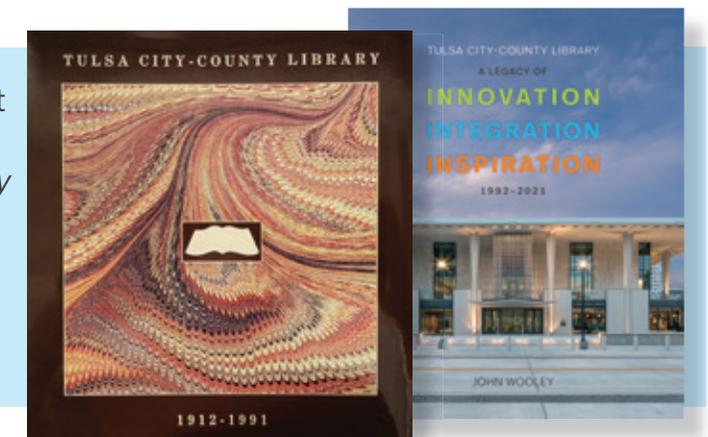
Whether you're conducting research or simply curious about Tulsa, the **Oklahoma Room** is a great place to begin. Located in the Research Center on the third floor of Central Library, this space offers special collections that document the history of Tulsa and Oklahoma. The Oklahoma Room includes books, newspaper clippings, city directories, maps, yearbooks and other materials that help tell the stories of local people, places and events.

"The Oklahoma Room is a special collection dedicated to the research of Oklahoma and its unique history. In addition to our 14 physical archival collections, the Oklahoma Room offers Tulsa directories dating back to 1909, rare written works on town histories, over 4,000 files of newspaper clippings on various subjects pertaining to Tulsa and Oklahoma history, and a continually growing yearbook and map collection," said Oklahoma History Librarian Rebecca McWilliams. "It is a treasure trove for researchers."



The Research Center's digital collections expand access even further, offering photographs, maps, postcards, interviews and historical documents that highlight the people, culture and growth of our city and state. Start exploring at www.tulsalibrary.org/research.

Speaking of local history, you can learn all about TCCL in *Tulsa City-County Library, 1912-1991* by Mildred Ladner Thompson and *Tulsa City-County Library: 1992-2021: A Legacy of Innovation, Integration, Inspiration* by John Wooley. Both items are available for checkout in our catalog at www.tulsalibrary.org.





For those interested in family history, try the **Genealogy Resource Center**, located at Hardesty Regional Library. Whether you're just beginning your family history research or are a seasoned genealogist, the center offers an extensive collection of tools to explore your lineage.

“Conducting family history research is special because it allows individuals to uncover personal stories, connect with their ancestors and gain a deeper understanding of their heritage to help foster a sense of identity and belonging,” said Aaron Pope, TCCL’s Genealogy Resource Center coordinator.

The Genealogy Resource Center provides one of the most robust genealogy collections in Oklahoma through books, microfilm and microfiche, maps and atlases, family surname files, genealogical magazines and journals, and access to online resources that offer both traditional and digitized records. Appointments for genealogy assistance are available but must be scheduled at least three days in advance. Learn more about appointments and resources at www.tulsalibrary.org/genealogy.

The Genealogy Resource Center also hosts monthly events that introduce attendees to family history tools and activities. Join staff for Genealogy Scrapbooking on Saturday, April 11. See Page 10 for details.

This spring, a special exhibition will connect our community to an important chapter of world history. From April 14-May 20, Central Library will host **Americans and the Holocaust**, a traveling exhibition from the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in partnership with the American Library Association. TCCL is one of just 50 libraries nationwide selected to host the 1,100-square-foot exhibition during its extended tour.

The *Americans and the Holocaust* exhibition examines the motives, pressures and fears that shaped Americans’ responses to Nazism, war and genocide in Europe during the 1930s and 1940s. The exhibition challenges viewers to consider the choices individuals and institutions made, and what those choices mean for us today and in the future. In addition, a series of related events, including lectures, workshops, book discussions, film screening and hands-on activities, will be offered during April and May. See Pages 17 and 18 for details.



New and coming soon titles

Browse library materials at www.tulsalibrary.org/books-music-movies.



FICTION

- Clara & the Devil* by Olivie Blake
- Elegy in Blue* by Mark Helprin
- The Subtle Art of Folding Space* by John Chu
- The Paris Match* by Kate Clayborn
- The Moonlight Runner* by Karen Robards
- Leave Your Mess at Home* by Tolani Akinola
- The Calamity Club* by Kathryn Stockett
- American Fantasy* by Emma Straub

NONFICTION

- 50 Children* by Steven Pressman
- The Greatest Sentence Ever Written* by Walter Isaacson
- August Wilson's American Century* by Laurence A. Glasco
- The Holocaust Codes* by Christian Jennings
- Leap Into Darkness* by Leo Bretholz
- Milena and Margarete* by Gwen Strauss
- Rescue Board* by Rebecca Erbelding
- Why?: Explaining the Holocaust* by Peter Hayes

get more online

To check out any of these items, place on hold or view more new titles, scan this QR code. >>



Events for Adults & All Ages

Visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/events or scan the QR code to register, get more details and find the most up-to-date information about any event changes or cancellations. Search for events by title or date, and filter by location, age group and event type.



DAILY

Handmade at Hardesty: Felt Succulent Craft Kit

April 1-8
Hardesty Regional Library

Pick up a craft kit that includes all the supplies and instructions needed to make your own felt succulent. Kits are available while supplies last. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For adults.

Post Your Poetry @ the Library

April 1-30
Suburban Acres Library

April is National Poetry Month. Drop by the library to check out a book of poetry or print a poem by your favorite poet. Record yourself reading your poem and share it online with the hashtags #NationalPoetryMonth, #TCCL, #SuburbanAcresLibrary. For adults and teens.

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 are provided. For tweens to adults.

Osage Language Class

6-7 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Join Jacqueline Delong, Osage Nation Language Department teacher, to learn commonly used words and simple sentences. For all ages.

Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club

6-8 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Join the Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club as they share their love of music. Come to practice, learn or just listen to the sweet sounds of the dulcimer. For all ages.

Artist Council

7-8 p.m.

Central Library • Greadington Center

Gather with other artists to share your work and support fellow creatives. For adults.

WEDNESDAYS

All Thumbs Knitters

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

Bring your latest project and join us for an afternoon of knitting and friendly conversation. For adults.

Candid Lab: Nonprofit Office Hours

3:30-4:30 p.m.

Central Library • Computer Lab

Practice and gain confidence using Foundation Directory and GuideStar. Bring a flash drive to save your findings. For adults.

THURSDAYS

Crochet and Knit Club

4-5:45 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Learn a new skill and enjoy fellowship with others. For ages 10 to adult.

FRIDAYS

Chicks Knit and Lit

1-3 p.m. • Glenpool Library

Bring your own favorite crafting project and join us for conversation, crafting and laughter. For adults.

APRIL 1, WEDNESDAY

Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners:

Gardening With Nature

noon-1 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Get out of Mother Nature's way and set up your garden to defend itself from pests and diseases. For adults.

LitWits' Book Club

6:30-7:30 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Ash Room

Read *Martyr!* by Kaveh Akbar and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

APRIL 2, THURSDAY

How-to: E-books and Audiobooks

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Charles Page Library

Get assistance checking out and downloading e-books and audiobooks from the library's collection. For adults.

Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners:

Gardening With Nature

1-2 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Frossard Auditorium

Get out of Mother Nature's way and set up your garden to defend itself from pests and diseases. For adults.

Really Basic Computer Class

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

This class is designed for new computer users who have little or no previous experience using computers, Windows, a mouse or the internet, and little or no knowledge of basic computer terms. For adults.

Maker Space Orientation: Sewing

5:30-6:30 p.m. • Central Library

Attend this orientation and learn sewing basics, and how to safely operate a sewing machine and bring your ideas to life. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Digital Literacy Lab Orientation: Digitization

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Central Library

Learn more about our digitization equipment and how to bring the media of the past into the future. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

APRIL 3, FRIDAY

Bingo at Hardesty

10-11 a.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Pecan Room

Join us for an exciting game of bingo! Enjoy prizes, fun and a little friendly competition. **Registration is required.** For adults.

APRIL 4, SATURDAY

Plant Swap

11 a.m.-1 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Join the TCCL Seed Library in sharing seedlings, volunteers, cuttings, bulbs and garden miscellany. Edible, ornamental and houseplants are welcome. Please label your plants to help others know how to properly care for them. For all ages.

APRIL 4 *(continued)***Sista' Chat Book Club****2-4 p.m.** • Suburban Acres LibraryIn recognition of Sexual Assault Awareness Month, join us to discuss *Where Wild Peaches Grow* by Cade Bentley. For adults.**Guitar Lessons Workshop****2-4 p.m.** • Zarrow Regional LibraryJoin us for an introductory guitar lessons workshop with professional musicians from Noise Town. Learn the basics, get started playing and learn how to care for your guitar. A handful of guitars will be available or you may bring your own. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. **Registration is required.** For adults.**Citizenship 101****3-4 p.m.** • Kendall-Whittier Library

Join us for an introduction and practice session for the naturalization test. For adults.

APRIL 6, MONDAY**Citizenship 101****10-11 a.m.** • Kendall-Whittier Library

Join us for an introduction and practice session for the naturalization test. For adults.

Craft Club: Quilled Flowers**6-7 p.m.****Central Library • Greadington Center**We'll test out the art of paper quilling by making some simple flower designs. **Registration is required.** For adults.**APRIL 7, TUESDAY****Digital Literacy Lab Orientation: MAC Basics****10-11 a.m.** • Central Library

Review basic MAC skills with our Digital Literacy Lab orientation. Orientation

is required before independent use of the lab. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.**Maker Space Orientation: Vinyl Cutter****11 a.m.-noon** • Central LibraryAttend this orientation to explore equipment, learn policies and see a demo of our Silhouette vinyl cutter. Attending an orientation will grant you access to all equipment in the room. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.**Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners****noon-1 p.m.****Central Library • Greadington Center**

Find out how to learn from the Tallgrass Prairie to design a sustainable native ecosystem — right in the middle of town! For adults.

Cover to Cover Book Club**6:30-7:30 p.m.** • Broken Arrow LibraryRead *Project Hail Mary* by Andy Weir and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.**Booked for Brushes!****Paint Along for Adults****6:30-7:30 p.m.** • Glenpool LibraryJoin us for a fun evening of painting one-of-kind masterpieces to take home. **Registration is required.** This event is in partnership with the Tulsa Artists' Coalition (TAC) and its annual 5x5 Show. For adults.**APRIL 8, WEDNESDAY****Full Cup Book Club****10-11 a.m.** • Martin Regional LibraryJoin fellow readers as we discuss *Everything Is Tuberculosis* by John Green. For adults.**Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners: The Urban Prairie****noon-1 p.m.** • Bronson Brookside Library

Find out how to learn from the Tallgrass Prairie to design a sustainable native ecosystem — right in the middle of town! For adults.

Bixby Book Club**2-3 p.m.** • Bixby LibraryRead *Weyward* by Emilia Hart and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.**Mystery Lovers Book Club****3-4 p.m.** • Nathan Hale LibraryJoin fellow mystery lovers to chat about *The Return of Ellie Black* by Emiko Jean. For adults.**Yarn Foolery****4-5 p.m.** • Maxwell Park Library

Do you like to knit or crochet? Do you enjoy socializing? Join us as we teach each other tips and tricks to get through that project. For adults.

Better Business Book Club**5:30-6:30 p.m.****Central Library • Aaronson Auditorium**Read *Well at Work: Creating Wellbeing in Any Workspace* by Dr. Esther M. Sternberg and then join us for a discussion. For adults.**Classic Reads****6-7 p.m.** • Schusterman-Benson LibraryRead *The Time Machine* by H.G. Wells and come share your thoughts. For adults.**APRIL 9, THURSDAY****Beyond the Book****10:30-11:30 a.m.** • South Broken Arrow LibraryJoin us to discuss *The Pretender* by Jo Harkin. For adults.

Celebrate NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

April 19-25, 2026



National Library Week is an annual celebration highlighting the valuable role libraries and library professionals play in transforming lives and strengthening our communities. This year's theme, "Find Your Joy," is an invitation for people of all backgrounds to explore and discover what sparks joy in them at the library. Celebrate National Library Week and come and discover all the wonderful events, services and resources the Tulsa City-County Library has to offer!

Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners: The Urban Prairie**1-2 p.m.** • Hardesty Regional Library

Find out how to learn from the Tallgrass Prairie to design a sustainable native ecosystem — right in the middle of town! For adults.

How To Make a Flyer:**Introduction to Canva****3-4 p.m.** • Martin Regional Library

Do you need to make a flyer, card or a social media post, but don't know where to start? Join us for an intro to Canva. For tweens to adults.

Maker Space Orientation: Vinyl Cutter**5:30-6:30 p.m.** • Central LibraryAttend this orientation to explore equipment, learn policies and see a demo of our Silhouette vinyl cutter. Attending an orientation will grant you access to all equipment in the room. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.**Digital Literacy Lab Orientation: MAC Basics****6:30-7:30 p.m.** • Central LibraryReview basic MAC skills with our Digital Literacy Lab orientation. Orientation is required before independent use of the lab. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.**APRIL 10, FRIDAY****Tai Chi for Better Balance****11 a.m.-noon** • Skiatook LibraryEase pain, reduce stress, increase balance and flexibility with the slow continuous movements of tai chi. Sponsored by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative (OHA) Northeast Center of Healthy Aging. **Registration is required.** For adults.**APRIL 11, SATURDAY****Genealogy Detectives: Genealogy Scrapbooking****11 a.m.-noon** • Hardesty Regional Library

Explore your family history while creating a personalized scrapbook page. Bring copies of family photos and use provided supplies to create one or two scrapbook pages to preserve your family memories in a creative way. For all ages.

Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club**1-3 p.m.** • Zarrow Regional Library

Join the Heartland Harmony Dulcimer Club as they share their love of music. Come to practice, learn or just listen to the sweet sounds of the dulcimer. For all ages.

Monthly Movie Matinee**2-4 p.m.****Central Library • Aaronson Auditorium**

Join us for a critically acclaimed classic film. Coffee and cookies are provided. For adults.

APRIL 11 (continued)

**Handmade at Hardesty:
Paint and Plant Party****2-3:30 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library**

Learn the basics of caring for succulents while decorating a small terra-cotta pot with your own one-of-a-kind design. All materials are provided but are limited. **Registration is required.** Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For adults.

Color Me Jazzy: Spring Paint and Sip**2:30-4:30 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library**

Enjoy canvas painting, coloring sheets, jazz music, mocktails and light refreshments. All supplies are provided. For adults.

APRIL 13, MONDAY

Email Basics**10-11 a.m. • Central Library**

Attendees will create a Gmail account; learn basic email functions like send, receive and reply; recognize and deal with spam; organize and delete emails; and search for messages. For adults.

Books Sandwiched In: Music and Mind**12:10-12:50 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library**

Linda Barnum, licensed professional counselor, will discuss *Music and Mind: Harnessing the Arts for Health and Wellness*, edited by Renée Fleming. Presented by Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries. For adults.

**Bronson Brookside Book
Discussion Group****1:30-2:30 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library**

Read *American Sirens* by Kevin Hazzard and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

Unraveled: Fiber Arts Club**1:30-3:30 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library**

Whether it's yarn, stitching or sewing, bring your project and come find some new crafty friends! For adults and teens.

Really Basic Computer Class**6-7 p.m. • Central Library**

Designed for those with little or no experience using computers and the internet, this class covers the very basics of the parts of the computer, Windows software and navigating the internet. For adults.

**Everlasting Blooms:
Beaded Plant Workshop****6-7 p.m.**

Love plants but not the watering schedule? Join us to create your own beautiful beaded plant that will never wilt! All supplies are provided. **Registration is required.** For adults.

**Banned Book Club:
Celebrate Your FREEDOM To READ!****7-8 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library**

Join us to discuss *Vera Wong's Unsolicited Advice for Murderers* by Jesse Q. Sutanto. For adults.

APRIL 14-MAY 20

**Americans and the Holocaust
Traveling Exhibition****April 14-May 20****Central Library • First Floor**

This traveling exhibition from the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum and the American Library Association examines Americans' responses to Nazism, war and genocide in Europe during the 1930s and 1940s. For more details, visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/AATH. For adults and teens.

**What We Knew:
Stories of the Holocaust in Oklahoma****April 14-May 20****Central Library • Second & Third Floors**

Explore narratives of World War II and the Holocaust in Oklahoma newspapers, illuminating what we knew about the genocide of Europe's Jewish population as it unfolded. The exhibit includes a curated collection of articles and images from state and local newspapers. Also, view microfilmed articles about the Holocaust published in the *Tulsa World* and *The Tulsa Tribune* in the Research Center on the third floor. For adults and teens.

APRIL 14, TUESDAY

**Digital Literacy Lab Orientation:
Google Basics****10-11 a.m. • Central Library**

Review Google applications at this Digital Literacy Lab orientation. Orientation is required before independent use of the lab. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

**Maker Space Orientation:
Screen Printing****11 a.m.-noon • Central Library**

Attend this orientation to explore equipment, learn policies and see a screen-printing demo. Attending an orientation will grant you access to all of the equipment. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

**Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County
Master Gardeners:****Butterflies and Pollinators****noon-1 p.m.****Central Library • Greedington Center**

Learn how to create a haven for beneficial insects, letting the fauna help you care for the flora. For adults.

Collinsville Book Discussion**12:30-2:30 p.m. • Collinsville Library**

Read *The Librarians* by Sherry Thomas and join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

**Relax and View, Just for You:
Showtime at the Rudisill Regional Library!****6:30-8:30 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library**

Join us for a movie (PG). For tweens to adults.

**28th Annual Yom HaShoah Interfaith
Holocaust Commemoration:
"Americans and the Holocaust: New
Reflections"****7-9 p.m.****Congregation B'nai Emunah, 1719 S. Owasso Ave.**

Join us as we explore what Americans knew about the Holocaust happening in Europe and what more could have been done. Rebecca Erbeling, historian, educator, curator and archivist at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, will address the topic "Americans and the Holocaust: New Reflections." The commemoration also will feature a musical performance, candle-lighting ceremony and mobile library with Holocaust resources available for checkout. **Registration is required.** Visit jewishtulsa.org/yomhashoah2026 to register or for more details. Presented by the Tulsa Council for Holocaust Education of the Jewish Federation of Tulsa in partnership with the Tulsa City-County Library, The Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art, Circle Cinema, Congregation B'nai Emunah and Temple Israel.

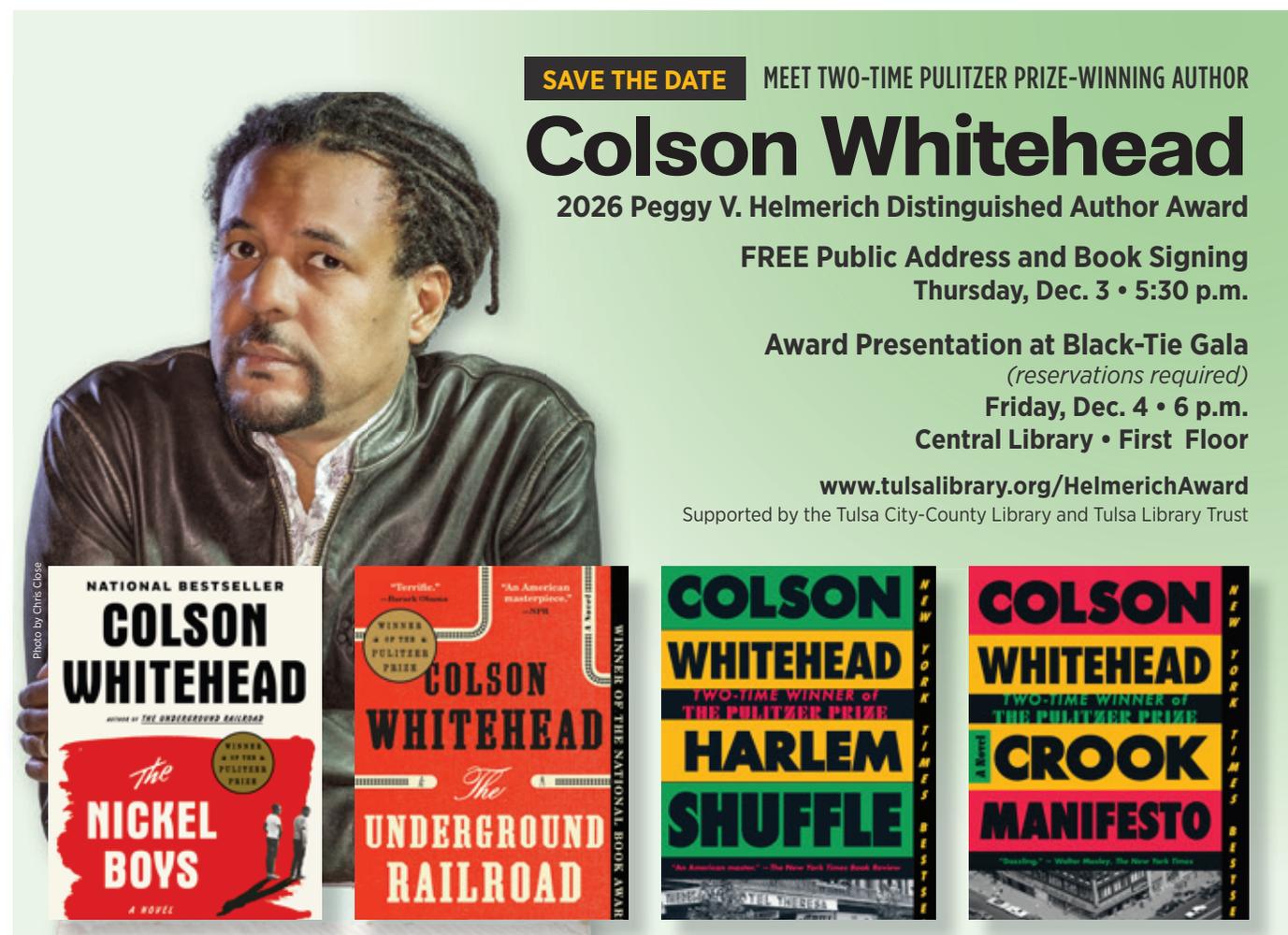
APRIL 15, WEDNESDAY

**Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County
Master Gardeners:****Butterflies and Pollinators****noon-1 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library**

Learn how to create a haven for beneficial insects, letting the fauna help you care for the flora. For adults.

**The Greenhouse: Business
Accountability Group****5:30-6:30 p.m.****Central Library • Computer Lab**

Come mingle with other entrepreneurs and find people to be accountable to during your business ventures. **Registration is required.** For adults.



SAVE THE DATE MEET TWO-TIME PULITZER PRIZE-WINNING AUTHOR

Colson Whitehead

2026 Peggy V. Helmerich Distinguished Author Award

FREE Public Address and Book Signing
Thursday, Dec. 3 • 5:30 p.m.

Award Presentation at Black-Tie Gala
(reservations required)
Friday, Dec. 4 • 6 p.m.
Central Library • First Floor

www.tulsalibrary.org/HelmerichAward
Supported by the Tulsa City-County Library and Tulsa Library Trust

APRIL 15 (continued)

DIY Acrylic Bookmarks

6-7 p.m.

Central Library • Maker Space

Create your own custom acrylic bookmark using the laser engraver. We'll cut acrylic into bookmark shapes, then add color and personality with vinyl stickers to design a one-of-a-kind finished piece. **Registration is required.** For adults.

APRIL 16, THURSDAY

Intro to Fundraising Planning

10-11 a.m.

Central Library • Computer Lab

Learn basic steps for developing a fundraising plan for organizations unfamiliar with the process and strategies for devising a plan that best reflects your organization's needs and resources. **Registration is required.** For adults.

Helmerich Library Annual Book Sale: Preview Day

noon-8 p.m. • Helmerich Library

Join the Friends of the Helmerich Library and get access to the annual book sale a day early! Become a VIP member for \$20 and attend from noon-4 p.m.; or attend from 5-8 p.m. for \$5 individual or \$10 family. For all ages.

Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners:**Butterflies and Pollinators**

1-2 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Learn how to create a haven for beneficial insects, letting the fauna help you care for the flora. For adults.

Introduction to Tinkercad

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Learn about Tinkercad, a free online 3D modeling platform, including how to set up an account, navigate the platform and create models. For tweens to adults.

The Thursday Cozy Murder Club

4-5 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Settle in as we discuss *Whose Body?* by Dorothy L. Sayers and consume delicious snacks. For adults.

Maker Space Orientation:**Screen Printing**

5:30-6:30 p.m. • Central Library

Attend this orientation to explore equipment, learn policies and see a screen-printing demo. Attending an orientation will grant you access to all of the equipment. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Jenks Book Club

6-7 p.m. • Jenks Library

Join fellow book lovers to discuss *Blue Sisters* by Coco Mellors. For adults.

Digital Literacy Lab Orientation: Google Basics

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Central Library

Review Google applications at this Digital Literacy Lab orientation. Orientation is required before independent use of the lab. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Page Makers: Crystal Suncatchers

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Create your own crystal suncatcher. Materials are provided. **Registration is required.** For adults.

APRIL 17, FRIDAY

Helmerich Library Annual Book Sale

10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Helmerich Library

The Friends of the Helmerich Library's annual book sale features thousands of gently used books and media. For all ages.

Tai Chi for Better Balance

11 a.m.-noon • Skiatook Library

Ease pain, reduce stress, increase balance and flexibility with the slow continuous movements of tai chi. Sponsored by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative (OHA) Northeast Center of Healthy Aging. **Registration is required.** For adults.

Citizenship 101

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Join us for an introduction and practice session for the naturalization test. For adults.

APRIL 18, SATURDAY

Creative Truths:**A History Book Discussion Club**

9-10 a.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Join librarian Mark to discuss *Black Moses* by Caleb Gayle. For adults.

Working With Nonprofits

10-11 a.m.

Central Library • Computer Lab

Learn to use BlueCareer and GuideStar databases and other library resources to find the perfect nonprofit career or job, and identify nonprofits agencies to work with. **Registration is required.** For adults.

Helmerich Library Annual Book Sale

10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Helmerich Library

The Friends of the Helmerich Library's annual book sale features thousands of gently used books and media. For all ages.

Spring Plant Swap

10-11:30 a.m. • Owasso Library

Join the TCCL Seed Library and share your favorite volunteers, multiplying plants, passalongs, bulbs, cuttings, seedlings, spare tools, questions and stories. Edible and ornamental, indoor and outdoor plants are welcome. Please label plants so their new people can care for them properly. For adults.

We Are Oklahoma Book Discussion

12:30-1:30 p.m.

Brice's Coffee & Bake House • 8929 S.

Memorial Drive

Join us as we discuss *Where the Dead Sit Talking* by Brandon Hobson and snack on unique baked goods from South Africa and delicious coffee. **Registration is required.** For adults and teens.

APRIL 20, MONDAY

Computer Basics for Seniors

9-10 a.m. • Jenks Library

Designed for those with little or no experience using computers and the internet, this class covers a very basic understanding of the parts of a computer, Windows software and navigating the internet. Space is limited. **Registration is required.** For adults.

Adult Craft Night: Collage Poetry

6-7:30 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Create a poem from a variety of collage materials to celebrate National Poetry Month. **Registration is required.** For adults.

APRIL 21, TUESDAY

Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners: Pretty Patio Pots

noon-1 p.m.

Central Library • Greedington Center

Learn how to bring your outdoor living space to life with artfully designed planters for any growing conditions. For adults.

Bronson Brookside Adult Graphic Novel Book Club

6:30-7:35 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Read *It's Lonely at the Centre of the Earth* by Zoe Thorogood and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

Affair With an Author:**A Book Club Series**

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Pratt Library

Ready for a little romance? Read *Funny Story* by Emily Henry and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

Down the Rabbit Hole: Weird Fiction Book Club

7-8 p.m. • VIRTUAL: Zoom

Join us on Zoom for a lively discussion of *Someone You Can Build a Nest In* by John Wiswell. Email Ben. Drake-Willcox@tulsalibrary.org for the Zoom link. For adults.

APRIL 22, WEDNESDAY

I Don't Compute: Computer Basics

11 a.m.-noon • South Broken Arrow Library

Need help finding the "on" button or something online? What is Wi-Fi? Let's find out together! **Registration is encouraged.** For adults.

APRIL 22 *(continued)***Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners: Pretty Patio Pots**
noon-1 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

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Page Turner Book Club

12:30-1:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Read *Savvy Summers and the Sweet Potato Crimes* by Sandra Jackson-Opoku and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

How Candid Helps Nonprofits

2-3 p.m.

Central Library • Computer Lab

This orientation will introduce you to Candid's flagship products and other resources to help you effectively fundraise, learn from peers and tell your organization's story. **Registration is required.** For adults.

Yarn Foolery

4-5 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library

Do you like to knit or crochet? Do you enjoy socializing? Join us as we teach each other tips and tricks to get through that project. For adults.

Found and Gentle:**An In-Person Poetry Hour**

6-7 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

April is National Poetry Month. Join us for a relaxed poetry hour using found text from books and magazines. You can write, cut out, black out or just sit ... and you don't have to share! For adults.

APRIL 23, THURSDAY**Lunch & Learn With the Tulsa County Master Gardeners: Pretty Patio Pots**

1-2 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Learn how to bring your outdoor living space to life with artfully designed planters for any growing conditions. For adults.

Maker Space Orientation:**Laser Engraving**

5:30-6:30 p.m. • Central Library

Attend this orientation to explore equipment, learn policies and learn how to engrave a design onto laser-safe material. Attending an orientation will grant you access to all equipment. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Witnesses to History:**Tulsans Remember the Holocaust**

5:30-7 p.m.

Central Library • Greadington Center

Join us for a conversation with Tulsans Dr. Marcel Binstock, Mieke Epps and Jan Douma as they share their personal experiences and that of their families during the Holocaust and World War II. Each will share a unique story of strength and survival. Dr. David Ruskoski, associate professor of history at Tulsa Community College, will moderate. Seating is limited. **Registration is required.** Presented by Tulsa Community College. For adults and teens.

Third Place

6-8 p.m.

Central Library • Aaronson Auditorium

Drop in and engage in activities, socialize or simply enjoy a relaxing space to read. Board games, puzzles and refreshments are provided. For adults.

Digital Literacy Lab Orientation: Canva

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Central Library

Review basic Canva skills with our Digital Literacy Lab orientation. Orientation is required before independent use of the lab. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

APRIL 24, FRIDAY**Helmerich Library Annual Book Sale**

10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Helmerich Library

The Friends of the Helmerich Library's annual book sale features thousands of gently used books and media. For all ages.

Flint Foundation Family Concert Series

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Bring the family to experience the Tulsa Symphony Orchestra's String Quintet Ensemble. Learn about the instruments, meet the musicians and enjoy a free concert for all ages.

Citizenship 101

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Join us for an introduction and practice session for the naturalization test. For adults.

APRIL 25, SATURDAY**Grow Academy:****Marketing and Branding**

10 a.m.-noon

Central Library • Greadington Center

Learn how to understand your audience for marketing and branding to communicate what to expect from your business, help attract sales and increase growth. **Registration is required.** For adults.

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Plant Swap

10-11:30 a.m. • Nathan Hale Library

Bring your surplus plants, seedlings, bulbs, cuttings and usable gardening tools and exchange them with other gardeners. Indoor and outdoor plants are welcome, including ornamental, vegetable and herb plants. Please clearly label your plants so they can be cared for properly. For adults.

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Craft Supply Swap

1-4 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Have some random craft supplies that need a new home? Bring any new or gently used items and pick out some supplies for yourself. You don't have to donate to participate. Feel free to drop off any donations to the Skiatook Library prior to the event. For all ages.

Plant Swap

2-4 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Did you get too many plants at the Herbal Affair? Have extra seedlings ready to transplant or cuttings from houseplants you'd like to share? Bring them by to swap for something new! For adults.

APRIL 27, MONDAY**Devices for Beginners**

noon-1 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library

Got a new device? Or want to stay better connected with long-distance loved ones? Come learn how to use your phone or tablet. Designed for beginners or learners wanting to return to the fundamentals. For adults.

Cozy Fantasy Book Club

4-5 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Read *A Harvest of Hearts* by Andrea Eames and then join us for a lively discussion. For adults.

APRIL 28, TUESDAY**Digital Literacy Lab Orientation:****GarageBand**

10-11 a.m. • Central Library

Review GarageBand skills with our Digital Literacy Lab orientation. Orientation is required before independent use of the lab. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Maker Space Orientation: Audio Lab

11 a.m.-noon • Central Library

Attend this orientation to explore equipment, learn policies and learn how to set up and connect a microphone in GarageBand for high-quality recordings. Attending this orientation will grant you access to all equipment. **Registration is required.** For all ages. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

APRIL 29, WEDNESDAY**Do Your Dance With Ms. Sherrie**

3-4:30 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Celebrate International Dance Day for this basic instruction on popular dances and styles of dance. Comfortable clothing and shoes are recommended. For adults.

The Women of Route 66

6-7:30 p.m.

Central Library • Greadington Center

Celebrate the centennial of Route 66 by traveling through its history with the women who paved the way and those who are ensuring the road's future is a smooth path to success! Join Oklahoma author Annette LaFortune Murray and local business owner and

Route 66 enthusiast Mary Beth Babcock to discuss the women of Route 66 and learn about the individuals who are championing Tulsa's place on the road today! **Registration is required.** For adults.

APRIL 30, THURSDAY**Introduction to 3D Printing at the Library: Learn To Be a Maker**

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

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

Maker Space Orientation: Audio Lab

5:30-6:30 p.m. • Central Library

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LEGO Night for Adults

6-7:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library

LEGOs are for ages 4 to 99 and this night is for those approaching the higher end of that range! We'll provide the blocks and a few design ideas to get the building started.

Registration is required. For adults.

Digital Literacy Lab Orientation:**GarageBand**

6:30-7:30 p.m. • Central Library

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AMERICANS AND THE HOLOCAUST

WHAT DID
AMERICANS KNOW?

WHAT MORE COULD
HAVE BEEN DONE?



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

APRIL

- 14** 28TH ANNUAL YOM HASHOAH/
INTERFAITH HOLOCAUST
COMMEMORATION
7 P.M., THE SYNAGOGUE | CONGREGATION B’NAI
EMUNAH, 1719 S. OWASSO AVE., TULSA
- 23** WITNESSES TO HISTORY: TULSANS
REMEMBER THE HOLOCAUST
5:30 P.M., CENTRAL LIBRARY, GREADINGTON CENTER,
FIFTH STREET AND DENVER AVENUE, TULSA
- 24** ILLUSTRATING THE PAST AND
PRESENT: ZINE MAKING AND
BOOK DISCUSSION
3 P.M., CENTRAL LIBRARY, CHAPMAN ROOM,
FIFTH STREET AND DENVER AVENUE, TULSA

MAY

- 4** “DEFYING THE NAZIS:
THE SHARPS’ WAR”—
DOCUMENTARY SHOWING
7 P.M., CIRCLE CINEMA, 10 S. LEWIS AVE., TULSA
- 14** FROM EXILE TO OKLAHOMA:
ANTISEMITISM, RESILIENCE AND
JEWISH MIGRATION
1:30-3:30 P.M., CENTRAL LIBRARY, AARONSON
AUDITORIUM, FIFTH STREET AND DENVER
AVENUE, TULSA
- 20** NOVEL TALK—WHAT IF: REAL
FEAR, IMAGINED HISTORY
6:30 P.M., CENTRAL LIBRARY, AARONSON
AUDITORIUM, FIFTH STREET AND DENVER
AVENUE, TULSA

APRIL 14 – MAY 20, 2026

AMERICANS AND THE HOLOCAUST EXHIBITION

This traveling exhibition, located on the first floor, examines the motives, pressures and fears that shaped Americans’ responses to Nazism, war and genocide in Europe during the 1930s and 1940s. To complement the exhibition, narratives of World War II and the Holocaust in Oklahoma newspapers are on display in the Curiosity Spot on the second floor, and microfilmed articles about the Holocaust published in the Tulsa World and The Tulsa Tribune are available to view on the third floor.

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- When You're Brave Enough* by Rebecca Bendheim
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- Fruitcake* by Rex Ogle
- Armaveni* by Nadine Takvorian
- Sibylline* by Melissa de la Cruz
- Colossal* by Rutile
- Gods & Comics* by Kat Cho

NONFICTION

- 101 Lessons From the Dugout* by Harley A. Rotbart
- 99 Things To Do Before You Finish High School* by Steven Jenkins
- Discovering Life's Story* by Joy Hakim
- Girls Running* by Melody Fairchild
- Lana Del Rey* by Selena Fragassi
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- Double Crossed* by Rebecca E. F. Barone
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Events for Teens & Tweens

Visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/events or scan the QR code to register, get more details and find the most up-to-date information about any event changes or cancellations. Search for events by title or date, and filter by location, age group and event type.



DAILY

Post Your Poetry @ the Library April 1-30

Suburban Acres Library

April is National Poetry Month. Drop by the library to check out a book of poetry or print a poem by your favorite poet. Record yourself reading your poem and share it online with the hashtags #NationalPoetryMonth, #TCCL, #SuburbanAcresLibrary. For teens and adults.

MONDAYS

Rudisill Teen Lounge

3:45-5 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library (no program April 6)

Use the computers to do homework or game with friends, do a puzzle or activity, or just hang out and chat with others. For middle and high schoolers.

TUESDAYS

Rudisill Teen Lounge

3:45-5 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library

Use the computers to do homework or game with friends, do a puzzle or activity, or just hang out and chat with others. For middle and high schoolers.

WEDNESDAYS

Rudisill Teen Lounge

3:45-5 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library
(no program April 1)

Use the computers to do homework or game with friends, do a puzzle or activity, or just hang out and chat with others. For middle and high schoolers.

Teen Lounge

4-6 p.m. • Central Library

Kick back and chill with art supplies, video games and plenty of space to study, read or hang out with friends. For teens and tweens.

THURSDAYS

Rudisill Teen Lounge

3:45-5 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library
(no program April 2)

Use the computers to do homework or game with friends, do a puzzle or activity, or just hang out and chat with others. For middle and high schoolers.

Teen Lounge

3:30-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Hang out with friends, play games, eat snacks, make crafts and more. For teens and tweens.

Bored Game Afternoon

3:30-5 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library
(no program April 16)

Beat the afternoon boredom and join us for card and board games! For teens.

Crochet and Knit Club

4-5:45 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Learn a new skill and enjoy fellowship with others. All skill levels are welcome. For ages 10 and up.

Fandom Club

4:30-6 p.m. • Martin Regional Library
(no program April 9, 23)

Whether you're into anime, manga, video games, comics or movies, come hang, chat and unwind. For teens and tweens.

Dungeons & Dragons: Plane Pandemonium

6-8 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Learn to play the world-renowned tabletop role-playing game. All experience levels are welcome. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 1, WEDNESDAY

Creative Writing Club

4-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Do you like writing stories or want to learn how? Join us for writing prompts, games, encouraging feedback and brainstorming. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 2, THURSDAY

In the Middle: Tween Book Club

4-5 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Read *The Teacher of Nomad Land* by Daniel Nayeri and then join us for activities and discussion. For tweens.

Teen Night

5-7 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Make crafts and play games at this casual monthly teen hangout. Bring your art project, your homework, your friends or just yourself! Snacks provided by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For ages 13-18.

Dungeons & Dragons: Roll for Adventure

5:30-7 p.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Digital Lounge

Heroes needed! Join us for an afternoon of epic adventures and fearsome

creatures in this exciting D&D campaign. No experience required. Feel free to bring your own character or use a premade one provided at the program. For middle and high schoolers.

Roll Models: Teen D&D

6-7:30 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Ready for your next adventure? Join Roll Models, our teen D&D club, and meet new people, create characters and dive into epic stories together. **Registration is required.** For ages 14-17.

APRIL 6, MONDAY

Teen Time: Art

4-5 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Hang out at the library. We'll have supplies to make Shrinky Dinks. Bring a friend or make some new ones. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 7, TUESDAY

Middle School D&D

4-5:30 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign for tweens. No experience required to play. Bring your own character or use a premade character onsite. Use 2024 Core Rules only.

Clock Shop

4-5 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Create your own functional clock from start to finish. This hands-on crafting program blends creativity, simple mechanics and design as participants build a unique timepiece to take home. Supplies are provided. **Registration is required.** For teens and tweens.

Teen Tuesday: Perler Bead Crafting

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Create Perler bead designs to turn into key chains and jewelry. Templates and tools are provided. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 8, WEDNESDAY

Tabletop Gaming Guild

3:30-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Join us in playing a variety of tabletop games, including Dungeons & Dragons, Monster of the Week, Crash Pandas and other gaming systems. For teens and tweens.

Young Writers Collective

4-4:45 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Join us for a teen-led writing workshop to help strengthen and build creativity. Hosted by Owasso Library's Teen Advisory Board. **Registration is required.** For teens.

Watercolors and the Natural World

4-5:30 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

In this beginner class, we'll spend some time gaining a new appreciation for the watercolor genre. Supplies are provided. Class size is limited. **Registration is required.** For teens.

APRIL 9, THURSDAY

How To Make a Flyer: Introduction to Canva

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Do you need to make a flyer, card, simple handout or even a social media post, but don't know where to start? Join us for an introduction to Canva. For tweens to adults.

Paracord Crafts

4-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Parachute cord (AKA paracord) is a cord made of nylon that makes for a fun crafting material for items like bracelets, lanyards, key chains, decorations and more! For teens and tweens.

APRIL 10, FRIDAY

Homeschool Fun Friday

11 a.m.-noon • Charles Page Library

It's springtime! Create and decorate paper-plate greenhouses so you can watch your seeds sprout. Supplies are provided but are limited. For preschoolers to teens.

Rudisill Teen Lounge

3:45-5 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library

Use the computers to do homework or game with friends, do a puzzle or activity, or just hang out and chat with others. Fridays are movie days! For middle and high schoolers.

Collage Cards

4-5 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Cut out word photos from magazines to make a creative decorative card. For ages 5-18.

Teen Volunteer Drop-In Hour

4-5 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Youth ages 12-16 are welcome to drop by the Martin Regional Library to volunteer for a service hour.

Teen Advisory Board

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library

Teens are invited to help plan programs at Nathan Hale Library for community service hours.

APRIL 11, SATURDAY

Cozy Study Hall

10 a.m.-noon • Nathan Hale Library

It is time to buckle down and come study with friends at our pop-up study hall. We'll have snacks and sips to fuel your brain. For teens.

Résumé Building Workshop for Teens

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Central Library • Aaronson Auditorium

Join us for a hands-on workshop designed to help teens build their first résumé

or edit the current version to fit your goals. We'll brainstorm résumé content, references, formatting and more. Elaina Ross, Ph.D., associate professor of speech, Northeastern State University, will facilitate. **Registration is required.**

Graphic Novel Book Club

3:30-4:30 p.m. • Nathan Hale Library

Join us as we discuss the graphic novelization of Ursula K. Le Guin's classic *A Wizard of Earthsea*, adapted by Fred Fordham. Enjoy great conversation, snacks and activities. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 13, MONDAY

Unraveled: Fiber Arts Club

1:30-3:30 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

Whether it's yarn, stitching or sewing, bring your project and come find some new crafty friends! For adults and teens.

Loot Goblins: D&D for Tweens

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Calling all Loot Goblins! Ready to roll dice, collect treasure and go on epic quests? Join our D&D club for ages 10-13. **Registration is required.**

APRIL 14-MAY 20

Americans and the Holocaust Traveling Exhibition

April 14-May 20

Central Library • First Floor

This traveling exhibition from the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum and the American Library Association examines Americans' responses to Nazism, war and genocide in Europe during the 1930s and 1940s. What did Americans know, and what more could have been done? The exhibition also presents stories of individual Americans, some of whom took actions that went against the grain at the time, daring to rescue Jews from Europe. For more details, visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/AATH. For teens and adults.

APRIL 14, TUESDAY

High School D&D

4-5:30 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign for teens. No experience required to play. Bring your own character or use a premade character onsite. Use 2024 Core Rules only.

Relax and View, Just for You: Showtime at the Rudisill Regional Library!

6:30-8:30 p.m. • Rudisill Regional Library

Join us for a movie (2025, rated PG). Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For tweens to adults.

APRIL 15, WEDNESDAY

Creative Writing Club

4-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Do you like writing stories or want to learn how? Join us for writing prompts, games, encouraging feedback and brainstorming. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 16, THURSDAY

Introduction to Tinkercad: An Introduction to Basic 3D Modeling and CAD

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Join us for an introduction to Tinkercad, a free online 3D modeling platform. We'll cover setting up an account, the basics of navigating the platform and how to create models. For tweens to adults.

Third Thursday Arcade

3:30-5 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library

Join us for games on our Nintendo Switch and Xbox. Space is limited to four players per game on the Switch and two per game on the Xbox, so taking turns is a must. For teens and tweens.

Tweens Read Book Club

4-5 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Read what you can of *Sea Legs* by Jules Bakes and join us for activities and discussion. For ages 9-12.

Cross-Stitch for Beginners

5-7 p.m. • Bixby Library

Learn to cross-stitch and take home a handmade key chain. For teens and tweens.

Game Lounge

5-6:30 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

Discover a relaxed space where you can connect with friends, play exhilarating video games and unleash your creativity in a welcoming environment. Video games and activities are provided. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For teens and tweens.

APRIL 18, SATURDAY

We Are Oklahoma Book Discussion

12:30-1:30 p.m.

Brice's Coffee & Bake House • 8929 S. Memorial Drive

Join us as we discuss *Where the Dead Sit Talking* by Brandon Hobson and snack on unique baked goods from South Africa and delicious coffee. **Registration is required.** For adults and teens.

APRIL 20, MONDAY

Teen Time: Gaming

4-5 p.m.

Charles Page Library

Play a video game on our Switch or just hang out with us. For teens and tweens.

Build Your Bank:

Save Smart. Set Goals. Stack Your Cash.

Monday, April 20 • 4-5 p.m.

Skiatook Library

Learn how to save your money in a fun and easy way. Set goals and decorate

your own savings challenge bank to take home. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For ages 10-13.

APRIL 21, TUESDAY

Middle School D&D

4-5:30 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign for tweens. No experience required to play. Bring your own character or use a premade character onsite. Use 2024 Core Rules only.

APRIL 22, WEDNESDAY

Tabletop Gaming Guild

3:30-5 p.m. • Judy Z. Kushner Library

Join us in playing a variety of tabletop games, including Dungeons & Dragons, Monster of the Week, Crash Pandas and other gaming systems. For teens and tweens.

Chess Club

4-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Calling all chess lovers! Whether you are a beginner, intermediate or advanced, join us as we enjoy this classic board game in a relaxed and supportive environment. For elementary schoolers to adults.

Young Writers Collective

4-4:45 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Join us for a teen-led writing workshop to help strengthen and build creativity. Hosted by Owasso Library's Teen Advisory Board. **Registration is required.** For teens.

Teen Volunteer Drop-In Hour

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MEET AUTHOR RUTA SEPETYS

2026 ANNE V. ZARROW AWARD FOR YOUNG READERS' LITERATURE Friday, May 1 • 6 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove

Ruta Sepetys is a *New York Times* bestselling author of historical fiction novels enjoyed by students and adults across the globe. Her books are best known for shining light on underrepresented experiences throughout history.

After the Zarrow Award presentation, Sepetys will present awards to the winners of the 2026 Young People's Creative Writing Contest and then sign books.

Visit www.tulsalibrary.org/zarrowaward for more information.

Find titles by Sepetys in our catalog:
www.tulsalibrary.org/books-music-movies.

The Zarrow Award is a program of the Tulsa City-County Library, made possible through the Tulsa Library Trust by a grant from The Anne & Henry Zarrow Foundation.



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APRIL 23, THURSDAY

Teen Lounge: Video Games, Crafts and Snacks

4-5:30 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Join us for video games, crafts and snacks. All supplies are provided. For teens and tweens.

SWORD: Dungeons & Dragons

4-6 p.m.

Owasso Community Center • 301 S. Cedar St.

Are you interested in learning to play D&D? Join our SWORD (Students Who Occasionally Roll Dice) club and learn how. **Registration is required.** For middle and high schoolers.

APRIL 24, FRIDAY

Teen Drop-In Volunteer Day

2-5 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Hey, teens! Need a service hour or two? Drop by the library anytime between 2 and 5 p.m. and volunteer. For ages 12-17.

Illustrating the Past and Present: Zine Making and Book Discussion

3-4 p.m.

Central Library • Chapman Room

Join us to discuss the graphic novel *Maus* and then learn how to record your own perspective of current events through illustration. This event is in conjunction with the *Americans and the Holocaust* traveling exhibition on display at Central Library, April 14-May 20. Learn more at www.TulsaLibrary.org/AATH. For ages 12-18.

APRIL 25, SATURDAY

Craft Supply Swap

1-4 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Have some random craft supplies that need a new home? Swap them out! Bring any new or gently used items and pick out some supplies for yourself. You don't have to donate to participate. Feel free to drop off any donations to the Skiatook Library prior to the event. For all ages.



Ages 13-15 are invited to apply for the Teen Team at any TCCL location by May 1. Join the Teen Team and:

- Get hands-on job experience by assisting with library activities during the Summer Reading Program in June and July.
- Earn credit for volunteer hours.
- Develop practical work skills to apply toward a future job.
- Meet new friends!



Learn more at www.tulsalibrary.org/teen-team.



APRIL 25 (continued)

Saturday Crafternoon: Fairy Houses

2-4 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Bring a little enchantment into your weekend at this relaxed, come-as-you-are crafting hangout for tweens and teens! We'll provide a variety of art supplies, recycled and found materials, and plenty of inspiration as you design your own unique fairy house. Enjoy a chill atmosphere with snacks, music and lots of space to get creative. All supplies are provided; just bring your imagination.

book bedazzling! Supplies are provided but are limited. We encourage you to bring your own book. For teens.

Build Your Bank:

Save Smart. Set Goals. Stack Your Cash.

4-5 p.m. • Skiatook Library

Learn how to plan a paycheck, build a simple budget and save for real goals. Decorate a savings challenge bank you can use. Sponsored by Friends of the Helmerich Library. For ages 14 and up.

Bring your own character or use a premade character onsite. Use 2024 Core Rules only. Any other sources or homebrew need DM approval.

APRIL 30, THURSDAY

Introduction to 3D Printing at the Library: Learn To Be a Maker

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

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

APRIL 28, TUESDAY

High School D&D

4-5:30 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Join us for Dungeons & Dragons as we continue our campaign for teens. No experience required to play.

APRIL 27, MONDAY

Booked and Bedazzled

4-5 p.m. • Pratt Library

Turn the cover of your favorite book into a work of art. Join us for an hour of

New and coming soon titles

Browse library materials at www.tulsalibrary.org/books-music-movies.



FICTION

Bugs by Britta Teckentrup
Spring! by Leslie Patricelli
While We're Here by Anne Wynter
Orris and Timble by Kate DiCamillo
Serafina Makes Waves by Matthew Burgess
Red River Rose by Carole Lindstrom
Sashimi by Dan Santat
Wilderness Hacks by Joslin Brorsen
Pet Placement Society by Primo Gallanosa

NONFICTION

Just One Oak by Maria Gianferrari
Lost by Tom Adams
Piece by Piece by Erin Frankel
Puffins! by Maria Gianferrari
The Secrets of the Jellies by Karen Jameson
The Girl Who Changed Little League by Maria Pepe
Time for Kids: Good Dogs! by Brian Boone
Where Are the Rocky Mountains? by Sarah Fabiny

get more online

To check out any of these items, place on hold or view more new titles, scan this QR code. >>



Events for Children

Visit www.TulsaLibrary.org/events or scan the QR code to register, get more details and find the most up-to-date information about any event changes or cancellations. Search for events by title or date, and filter by location, age group and event type.



CHILDREN

MONDAYS

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

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Preschool
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family
11 a.m.-noon • Bixby Library
6-7 p.m. • Central Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
6-6:20 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library
(no program April 6)

TUESDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Babies and Toddlers
STORYTIME: 10-10:30 a.m. • 10:30-11 a.m.
STAY AND PLAY: 11-11:30 a.m.
Broken Arrow Library

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

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

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Charles Page Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

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

Build A Reader Storytime: Preschool
10:30-11 a.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

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

WEDNESDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime: Family
9:30-10 a.m. • Owasso Library
(registration required)
10:30-11 a.m. • Collinsville Library
10:30-11 a.m. • Helmerich Library

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

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family
10-11 a.m. • Jenks Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Rudisill Regional Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Skiatook Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Bilingual
10-11 a.m. • Martin Regional Library

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers
10-10:25 a.m. • 10:30-10:55 a.m.
Schusterman-Benson Library

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Babies and Toddlers
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Glenpool Library

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

THURSDAYS

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family
10-11 a.m. • Martin Regional Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library
10:30-11:30 a.m. • Pratt Library
(no program at Pratt April 16)

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers
10:15-10:45 a.m. • Bronson Brookside Library
11-11:30 a.m. • Nathan Hale Library
(no program at Nathan April 23, 30)

Build A Reader Storytime: Bilingual
10:15-11 a.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Family Play Space
4-5 p.m. • Central Library
(no program April 30)

Enjoy outdoor fun and games as a family. If the weather doesn't cooperate, we'll move the activities indoors. Children of all ages are welcome.

LEGO Club
4-5:30 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library
Drop in for some freestyle LEGO fun and maybe even "make" a friend or two! For ages 4-12.



PAWS for Reading

Registered therapy dogs are excellent listeners. Elementary schoolers are invited to read their favorite books to a furry, four-pawed friend. Each reader will receive a free book provided by the Tulsa Library Trust and the Friends of the Tulsa City-County Libraries. **Registration is required.**

Build A Reader Storytimes

Help your baby and young child get ready to read! Pick the storytime that's right for you! 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.

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

Bilingual • Enjoy stories, songs and activities in English and Spanish.

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.

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

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

Stay and Play • For babies and young children, playing is learning! Join us after storytime for games, toys and activities that foster critical early literacy skills.

CHILDREN

APRIL 2, THURSDAY

Art After School

4-5 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Get creative and make something with us. For elementary schoolers.

APRIL 3, FRIDAY

The Inflatable Dash

2-3 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library

Join us as we race in inflatable costumes. Costumes are provided. For ages 5-11.

APRIL 4, SATURDAY

Maker Space: Tinker Saturday

10 a.m.-noon • Central Library

Experience the joy of tinkering in the Maker Space as a family. Explore cutting-edge tech, experiment with materials and create something unique you can take home.

Movies in the Cove

10 a.m.-noon

Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove

Join us for a family-friendly movie (rated PG). No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For families of all ages.

PAWS for Reading

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Registration is required.

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family

3:30-4 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

APRIL 6, MONDAY

Music Monday

10:30-11 a.m. • Central Library

Join us for a fun morning of singing and dancing to help foster early literacy skills. For toddlers and preschoolers.

LEGO Build

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

Join us as we put engineering principles into action and build with LEGO bricks. For ages 5-12. Younger siblings are welcome.

Celebrate Día! Traditional Mexican Crafts

3:30-5 p.m. • Maxwell Park Library

Choose from a selection of crafts and make one or all of them! Younger children may require assistance. For all ages.

Build A Reader Storytime: Sensory

6-6:20 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library

This inclusive program of stories, songs and activities focuses on learning with all five senses and is especially designed for children with a variety of learning styles or sensory integration challenges. Seating is limited. **Registration is required.** For ages 2-10.

APRIL 7, TUESDAY

PAWS for Reading

3:30-4:30 p.m. • Jenks Library

Registration is required.

LEGO Club

6-7 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library

Create and build a LEGO adventure. We provide the LEGOs; you provide the imagination. All LEGOs must stay in the library. For all ages.

APRIL 8, WEDNESDAY

PAWS for Reading

4-5 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Registration is required.

APRIL 9, THURSDAY

Book Club After School

4-5 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Join us to talk about your favorite facts or information books. For elementary schoolers.

APRIL 10, FRIDAY

1-2-3 Play With Me Parent-Child Workshop

10-11:15 a.m.

Hardesty Regional Library • Maple Room

Playing is learning! Join us for a play workshop for parents and children ages 1-3. The workshop offers opportunities for children to play with developmentally appropriate toys in a playgroup atmosphere. Early childhood specialists will be available to talk about child development, speech and hearing, and music and movement. Class size is limited. **Registration is required.**

Homeschool Fun Friday

11 a.m.-noon • Charles Page Library

It's springtime! Create and decorate paper-plate greenhouses so you can watch your seeds sprout. Supplies are provided but are limited. For preschoolers to teens.

Full STEAM Ahead!

2-3 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Join us for STEAM-focused activities for homeschooled and distance-learning kids ages 5-12.

Collage Cards

4-5 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Cut out word photos from magazines to make a creative decorative card. For ages 5-18.

APRIL 11, SATURDAY

Movies in the Cove

10 a.m.-noon

Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove

Join us for a family-friendly movie (rated PG). No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For families of all ages.

Build A Reader Storytime: Sensory

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

This inclusive program of stories, songs and activities focuses on learning with all five senses and is especially designed for children with a variety of learning styles or sensory integration challenges. Seating is limited. **Registration is required.** For ages 2-10.

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family – We Love the Library!

10:30-11 a.m. • Jenks Library

Join us as we read books, sing songs and do a fun craft celebrating the library. For ages 0-5.

Oklahoma Native Flowers Craft

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Skiatook Library

Join us on the patio to learn about flowers that are native to Oklahoma while we decorate pots and plant a seed. Kids will receive a small pot, soil and packet of seeds. In case of inclement weather, we will move this event into the meeting room. Sponsored by the Friends of the Helmerich Library. For elementary schoolers.

APRIL 13, MONDAY

PAWS for Reading

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

Registration is required.

APRIL 14, TUESDAY

1-2-3 Play With Me Parent-Child Workshop

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Playing is learning! Join us for a play workshop for parents and children ages 1-3. This program offers opportunities for children to play with developmentally appropriate toys in a playgroup atmosphere. Early childhood specialists will be available to talk about child development, speech and hearing, and music and movement. Class size is limited. **Registration is required.**

Build A Reader Play Workshop

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

Playing is learning! Join us for a fun play workshop for children ages 0-5 and their parents/caregivers, featuring conversations with a child development specialist and a speech pathologist.

Kids Read: First Chapter – Día!

4-5 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Listen to the first chapter of a fun book while you make art with friends. For ages 5-12.

APRIL 15, WEDNESDAY

LEGO Fun

3:30-4:30 p.m. • Charles Page Library

Join us for a fun time building with bricks. We provide the LEGOs; you provide the imagination. For preschoolers to teens.

STEM Build a Bird's Nest Challenge

4-5 p.m. • Collinsville Library

Elementary schoolers will design and construct a bird's nest using natural materials. This activity promotes problem-solving, engineering design and an understanding of animal adaptations.

APRIL 16, THURSDAY

Storytime at the Airport

10-10:30 a.m.

Tulsa International Airport • 7777 Airport Drive

Join the Hardesty Regional Library at the Tulsa International Airport for a spring-inspired storytime. Attendees can park in the airport's parking garage, take the elevator or stairs to the second level, and walk across the street to Schwab Hall. Attendees will receive a ticket when leaving for free parking. For children of all ages.

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Sensory

Storytime • 10:30-11 a.m.

Stay and Play • 11-11:30 a.m.

Broken Arrow Library

This inclusive program of stories, songs and activities focuses on learning with all five senses and is especially designed for children with a variety of learning styles or sensory integration challenges. This inclusive Stay and Play offers sensory-friendly games, toys and activities designed for children with diverse learning and sensory needs. **Registration is required for both the storytime and the Stay and Play.** For ages 2-10.

Games After School

4-5 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library

Join us to play board games. For elementary schoolers.

PAWS for Reading

4-5 p.m. • Glenpool Library

4:30-5:30 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library

Registration is required.

Día

Children's Day/
Book Day

Each Story
MATTERS
Every Child
COUNTS



Día is a celebration every day of children, families and reading that culminates yearly on April 30. The celebration emphasizes the importance of literacy for children of all linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Check the event listings in this guide or scan the QR code for more details about the following events.



Celebrate Día! Traditional Mexican Crafts
Monday, April 6 • 3:30-5 p.m.
Maxwell Park Library

Kids Read: First Chapter – Día!
Tuesday, April 14 • 4-5 p.m.
Martin Regional Library

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Spanish – Día!
Saturday, April 18 • 3-3:25 p.m.
Martin Regional Library

Día Bilingual Storytime
Thursday, April 30 • 11-11:30 a.m.
Nathan Hale Library

Día: Children's Day
Thursday, April 30 • 3:30-4:45 p.m.
Kendall-Whittier Library

Family Play Space: Día Celebration
Thursday, April 30 • 4-5 p.m.
Central Library

Craft Castle: Día! – Spinning Piñatas
Thursday, April 30 • 4-5 p.m.
Martin Regional Library



APRIL 16 (continued)

1-2-3 Play With Me Parent-Child Workshop

6-7 p.m. • Central Library
Playing is learning! Join us for this play workshop program for parents and children ages 1-3. The program offers opportunities for children to play with developmentally appropriate toys in a playgroup atmosphere. Early childhood specialists will be available to talk about child development, speech and hearing, and music and movement. Class size is limited. **Registration is required.**

APRIL 17, FRIDAY

1-2-3 Play With Me Parent-Child Workshop

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library
Playing is learning! Join us for this play workshop for parents and children ages 1-3. The program offers opportunities for children to play with developmentally appropriate toys in a playgroup atmosphere. Early childhood specialists will be available to talk about child development, speech and hearing, and music and movement. Class size is limited. **Registration is required.**

APRIL 18, SATURDAY

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family – Celebrate Earth Day!

10-10:30 a.m. • Central Library
Bring the whole family for this Earth Day-themed storytime, geared toward ages 0-5. There will be a craft to take home afterward.

Movies in the Cove

10 a.m.-noon
Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove
Join us for a family-friendly movie (rated PG). No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For families of all ages.

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family

10:30-11 a.m. • Charles Page Library

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family – Hoppo Springtime!

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

OKLUG LEGO Skyscraper Build Challenge

1-3 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library
Join in the fun and put your engineering skills to the test! Build a skyscraper out of LEGO bricks. Children will compete in teams of two, with a total of eight teams. Building materials are provided. Presented by the Oklahoma LEGO Users Group (OKLUG). **Registration is required.** Please complete registration for each participating child; registration for guardians not required. For first-sixth graders.

Culture Crafts:

Ndebele Houses of South Africa

2-3 p.m. • Hardesty Regional Library
Celebrate the art style of South Africa and Zimbabwe. Join us as we decorate mini make-and-take Ndebele-inspired houses. For preschoolers and elementary schoolers.

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Spanish – Día!

3-3:25 p.m. • Martin Regional Library
Join us for a special Saturday storytime in Spanish. For ages 0-5.

APRIL 20, MONDAY

Loteria

3:15-4:30 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library
Join us to play a Spanish bingo game. For all ages.

APRIL 21, TUESDAY

Reptile Roundup With the Oklahoma Aquarium

3:30-4:30 p.m. • Jenks Library
Join us to explore the world of reptiles, from terrestrial to marine and in between, as we welcome educators and animals from the Oklahoma Aquarium. Seating is limited and available first come, first served. For elementary schoolers and tweens.

PAWS for Reading

4:30-5:30 p.m. • South Broken Arrow Library
Registration is required.

Messy Art Club: Secret Garden Crafts

6-7 p.m. • Zarrow Regional Library
Celebrate spring with botanical and gardening crafts inspired by the book *The Secret Garden* by Frances Hodgson Burnett. For all ages.

APRIL 22, WEDNESDAY

Chess Club

4-5 p.m. • Broken Arrow Library
Calling all chess lovers! Whether you are a beginner, intermediate or advanced, join us as we enjoy this classic board game in a relaxed and supportive environment. For elementary schoolers to adults.

APRIL 23, THURSDAY

Build A Reader Storytime: Babies and Toddlers – World Book Day!

11-11:30 a.m. • Nathan Hale Library
Happy World Book Day! This beginning storytime focuses on helping your baby or toddler develop important literacy skills while emphasizing the fun of reading.

LEGOs After School

4-5 p.m. • Bronson Brookside Library
Let's build and create with LEGOs. We have a new challenge every month. For elementary schoolers.

Baby Prom

10-11 a.m. • Martin Regional Library

Celebrate spring at Baby Prom! Dress up or choose comfortable clothes. We'll have light snacks and music. For ages 0-5 and their families.

Glow 66: Science and Circuits With the Discovery Lab

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • Herman and Kate Kaiser Library

Join us as our friends from the Discovery Lab bring the science AND fun to the Herman and Kate Kaiser Library! Design your own retro-style sign and bring it to life with circuits in this electrifying STEAM experience. In Glow 66, students explore the science of light and electricity while creating custom illuminated signs inspired by the iconic Route 66. **Registration is required.** For third-fifth graders and their caregivers.

Jelly-Bean Building Challenge!

2-3 p.m. • Schusterman-Benson Library

In this multisensory experience, kids use candy to practice engineering skills. We'll explore building different shapes and load-bearing structures by varying the connection points. For ages 6-12.

Finger Painting

2:30-3 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Experience the art of finger painting with your little one. For toddlers and preschoolers.

Flint Foundation Family Concert Series

3-4 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Bring the family to experience the Tulsa Symphony Orchestra's String Quintet Ensemble. Learn about the instruments, meet the musicians and enjoy a free concert for all ages.

Movies in the Cove

10 a.m.-noon

Hardesty Regional Library • Connor's Cove

Join us for a family-friendly movie (rated PG). No food or drink is allowed in Connor's Cove. For families of all ages.

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family

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

Learning To Love Science

2:30-3:20 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Join us to explore real science with STEM activities. For elementary schoolers and tweens.

Saturday Build A Reader Storytime: Family

3:30-4 p.m. • Suburban Acres Library

Baby Board Book Book Club

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Central Library

Calling all grown-ups! Now is the time for your baby to join their first-ever book club. Experience the joy of reading together featuring board books, playtime and a chance to make new friends. Visit Central Library to pick up your book club books in advance or drop in on the day of the event.

Music and More Connection With Ms. Katherine

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

Experience music and movement connections with Ms. Katherine. Come ready to move, dance, laugh and create memories together during this interactive, experiential class. This class

is designed for children ages 0-5 and their caregivers. Older siblings are always welcome. Bonus: Adults report that good naps are taken after class. Sponsored by Friends of the Helmerich Library.

Build A Reader Storytime/Stay and Play: Family

10:30-11:30 a.m. • Collinsville Library

Día Bilingual Storytime

11-11:30 a.m. • Nathan Hale Library

Día is a chance to celebrate kids, reading and Hispanic culture. This bilingual storytime helps develop literacy skills. Each child will get a book to keep, thanks to the Hispanic Resource Center. For ages 0-3.

Día Celebration

3:30-4:45 p.m. • Kendall-Whittier Library

Celebrate Children's Day/Book Day at Kendall-Whittier Library. For all ages.

Family Play Space: Día Celebration

4-5 p.m. • Central Library

Join us for a special Family Play Space in celebration of Children's Day/Book Day. Enjoy a family craft activity and cozy reading time with bilingual books in the Tandy Garden. Bring some snacks and have some fun. We'll move the activities indoors if the weather doesn't cooperate. Children of all ages are welcome.

Craft Castle: Día! – Spinning Piñatas

4-5 p.m. • Martin Regional Library

Stop by the Craft Castle to celebrate Día by making your own spinning piñata! For ages 4-12.

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Una guía mensual de eventos, servicios y recursos de la Biblioteca de la Ciudad y Condado de Tulsa



Sin Historia No Hay Futuro

Escrito por Ana Davis, asistente bilingüe de servicio al cliente, Biblioteca Regional Martin

Sabías que la ciudad de Tulsa cuenta con una de las mayores concentraciones de arquitectura de Art Déco del país o, que el estado de Oklahoma es conocido por tener más lagos artificiales que cualquier otro estado; y

que también es un importante productor de helio. Bueno si tu como yo no sabias esto, iven al Oklahoma Room! que se encuentra en el tercer piso de la Biblioteca Central y está abierto al público durante el horario habitual de la

biblioteca. TCCL recopila, organiza y conservar materiales sobre la historia de nuestra zona.

Con el fin de promover la historia que contribuye a fortalecer a la comunidad, el **Oklahoma**

Room consiste en un espacio de investigación con dos computadoras y una colección especial de libros, recortes de periódicos, anuarios y materiales académicos relacionados con el estudio de la historia y la cultura de Oklahoma. El espacio está reservado exclusivamente para la investigación de los materiales de la colección. Uno de los episodios más importantes en la historia del estado de Oklahoma es sobre la masacre racial de 1921 en Tulsa y si buscas información o quieres aprender más, el **Centro de Recursos Afroamericanos** (AARC), situado en la Biblioteca Regional Rudisill, y el Centro de Investigación de la Biblioteca Central son los que albergan el mayor número de recursos.

De Oklahoma Room cuenta con una gran y extensa colección de archivos temáticos. Estos archivos contienen artículos de periódicos, revistas, folletos, y material efímero sobre empresas, organizaciones, hogares, edificios, informes, eventos y personas de la zona. Si te interesa aprender más sobre la historia de Oklahoma; TCCL cuenta con varios centros de recursos que te pueden ayudar, por ejemplo, si quieres saber más sobre tu árbol genealógico, el **Centro de Genealogía** situado en la biblioteca **Regional Hardesty** alberga la mayor información y la ayuda que necesites, otro que te puede interesar es el **Centro de Recursos de Indios Americanos** que se encuentra en la biblioteca **Regional Zarrow**.

Y si hablamos de historia, sabias que durante la segunda guerra

mundial *Gilberto Bosques Saldívar* un diplomático mexicano salvó a miles de judíos y otros perseguidos. Como cónsul general en Francia entre 1939 a 1943, emitió visas y refugio a cerca de 40,000 personas, desafiando a los nazis. También alquiló castillos y propiedades que fueron declarados jurisdicción diplomática mexicana para albergar a los refugiados, Bosques Saldívar actuó bajo la instrucción del presidente Lázaro Cárdenas. Fue detenido y encarcelado por las autoridades alemanas durante un año, por su labor humanitaria fue apodado el *“Schindler mexicano.”*

Americans and the Holocaust Traveling Exhibition estará en la biblioteca Central. Esta exposición temporal que se inauguró en abril de 2018 en el *Holocaust Memorial Museum* de los Estados Unidos, en Washington D. C. La exposición temporal *Los estadounidenses y el Holocausto* aborda temas importantes de la historia de Estados Unidos, como la respuesta de los estadounidenses ante los refugiados, la guerra y el genocidio en las décadas de 1930 y 1940. Esta exposición cuestiona la creencia generalizada de que los estadounidenses desconocían y no hicieron nada ante la persecución y el asesinato de judíos por parte de los nazis durante el Holocausto.

Basándose en una notable colección de fuentes primarias de los años treinta y cuarenta, la exposición se centra en las historias de personas y

grupos de estadounidenses que tomaron medidas en contra del nazismo. La exposición invita a los visitantes a reflexionar sobre las responsabilidades y los obstáculos a los que se enfrentaron personas desde el presidente Franklin Delano Roosevelt hasta estadounidenses comunes y corrientes que tomaron decisiones difíciles, buscaron cambiar las cosas y, en algunos casos, asumieron riesgos importantes para ayudar a las víctimas del nazismo, a pesar de que el rescate nunca fue una prioridad para el gobierno. La exposición pretende animar a las personas a preguntarse no solo *¿qué habría hecho yo?*, sino también *¿qué voy a hacer?*

Dicen por ahí que “Quien no conoce su pasado está obligado a repetirlo.” Esta enseñanza sigue vigente, pues vivimos tiempos acelerados, donde muchas veces prima lo urgente sobre lo importante. Sin embargo, la historia nos invita a detenernos, reflexionar y mirar hacia atrás para aprender con compasión de quienes nos precedieron. Conocer los errores y desastres que vivió nuestra sociedad nos permite evitar caer de nuevo en ellos, protegiendo así nuestro presente y futuro.

TCCL y de **Americans and the Holocaust Traveling Exhibition** te invitan a que a proveches esta valiosa oportunidad de conocer más sobre este periodo crucial de la historia de Estados Unidos. Esta muestra invita a reflexionar sobre el pasado y su impacto.

Eventos

Build A Reader Storytime: Cuentos Bilingües/Juegan Juntos
Miércoles, 1, 8, 15, 22 y 29 de abril • 10-11 a.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

Disfruta de cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español. ¡Jugar es aprender! Vengan para jugar con juguetes y hacer actividades después de los cuentos.

Microsoft Word para Principiantes
Miércoles, 1 de abril • 10-11 a.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

Únase a una clase fácil de seguir sobre los aspectos básicos de Microsoft Word. Aprenda a redactar cartas, dar formato a currículums y mucho más. Para adultos.

Build A Reader Storytime: Familia/Juegan Juntos
Jueves, 2, 9, 16, 23 y 30 de abril • 10-11 a.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Toda la familia está invitada! Vamos a leer y cantar mientras hablamos sobre actividades divertidas para practicar en casa. ¡Jugar es aprender! Vengan para jugar con juguetes y hacer actividades después de los cuentos.

Build A Reader Storytime: Cuentos Bilingües
Jueves, 2, 9, 16, 23 y 30 de abril • 10:15-11 a.m.
Biblioteca Kendall-Whittier

Disfruta de cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español.

Fandom Club: Zona Fandom
Jueves, 2, 16 y 30 de abril • 4:30-6 p.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

Un lugar donde los jóvenes pueden pasar un rato después de la escuela. ¿Te gusta el anime, el manga, los videojuegos, los cómics o las películas? Ven a divertirte, pasar el tiempo y desestresarte. Para adolescentes y preadolescentes.

Sábado de Experimentos
Sábado, 4 de abril • 10 a.m.-noon
Biblioteca Central Library

Experimenta el placer de jugar en familia en el Espacio Maker. Explora la tecnología más avanzada, experimenta con materiales y crea algo único que puedas llevarte a casa.

¡Celebramos Día! Manualidades con Temática Mexicana
Lunes, 6 de abril • 3:30-5 p.m.
Biblioteca Maxwell Park

Elige entre una selección de manualidades: haz una o hazlas todas. Para todas las edades. Los niños pequeños podrían necesitar ayuda.

Build A Reader Storytime: Cuentos Bilingües/ Juegan Juntos
Martes, 7, 14, 21 y 28 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Biblioteca Maxwell Park

Disfruta de cuentos, canciones y actividades en inglés y español. ¡Jugar es aprender! Vengan para jugar con juguetes y hacer actividades después de los cuentos.

Horario de Voluntario para Adolescentes
Viernes, 10 de abril • 4-5 p.m.
Miércoles, 22 de abril • 4-5 p.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

Ven a la biblioteca Regional Martin el 2do viernes y el 4to miércoles de cada mes para ser un voluntario en la biblioteca. No es necesario registrarse. Este programa es solo para adolescentes de 12 a 16 años.

Build A Reader Taller de Juego
Martes, 14 de abril • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Jugar es aprender! Acompañenos a un taller de juego divertido para los niños de 0 a 5 años de edad y sus padres o cuidadores, presentando conversaciones con una especialista de desarrollo de los niños y una patóloga del habla.

Kids Read: Primer capítulo – ¡Día de los Niños!
Martes, 14 de abril • 4-5 p.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Escucha el primer capítulo de un libro divertido mientras creas una obra de arte con tus amigos! Para edades 5-12.

Espacio Abierto de Tecnología
Viernes, 17 de abril • 10-11 a.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

Trae tus preguntas tecnológicas y recibe ayuda personalizada durante este horario de Espacio Abierto de Tecnología. Para adultos.

Hora de cuentos en español: ¡Día de los Niños!
Sábado, 18 de abril • 3-3:25 p.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

Acompañanos este sábado para una hora de cuentos en español. Para edades de 0 a 5 años.

Baile de Bebés
Viernes, 24 de abril • 10-11 a.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Unase a nosotros para el baile de bebés! Ven vestido en su ropa elegante o cómoda. Habrá comida ligera y música. Para las edades de 0-5 años, y toda la familia está invitada.

¡Celebremos el Día de los Niños /El día de los libros!
Jueves, 30 de abril • 11-11:30 a.m.
Biblioteca Nathan Hale

¡Celebremos el Día de los Niños con la lectura y la cultura hispana! La hora del cuento ayuda a su hijo a desarrollar habilidades de lectura y escritura. La hora del cuento será bilingüe. Cada niño se llevará a casa un libro gratis gracias al Centro Hispano. Para edades 0-3.

Craft Castle: ¡Día de los Niños! – Piñatas Giratorias
Jueves, 30 de abril • 4-5 p.m.
Biblioteca Regional Martin

¡Acompañenos en “Craft Castle” este mes para hacer su propia piñata giratoria para celebrar el Día del Niño! Para edades 4-12.

Nuevos títulos en español

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

PARA ADULTOS

Unidas por el sol naciente
por Heather Morris

Malinalli
por Veronica Chapa

El tatuador de Auschwitz
por Heather Morris

PARA ADOLESCENTES

Manos
por Torrey Maldonado

El niño brujo: La bruja escondida
por Lee Knox Ostertag

Aniana del Mar Se Avienta
por Jasminne Mendez

PARA NIÑOS

Cachorro cariñoso
por Sandra Boynton

Sumo Libre
por Joe Cepeda

El libro más aterrador
por R.L. Stine

Reseñas de libros

por Lelio Ariza, asociado bilingüe del departamento del desarrollo de colecciones

PARA NIÑOS



Mi abuela es una bruja
Escrito por: Mayra Cuevas
Ilustrado por: Lorena Alvarez Gómez
Editorial: Knopf Books for Young Readers

A veces nos sucede que, cuando escuchamos la palabra “bruja”, nos remitimos a la imagen de los cuentos clásicos, donde una mujer malvada utilizaba la magia y los hechizos para obtener fines macabros. Sin embargo, en *Mi abuela es una bruja*, Mayra Cuevas desmitifica esta palabra y la relaciona con los momentos mágicos y llenos de amor que vivió con su abuela en la isla de Puerto Rico.

Este libro infantil podría considerarse una obra poética, pues utiliza un lenguaje metafórico que despierta diferentes emociones en el lector, como la nostalgia, el amor y la alegría. Es una obra que invita a valorar la vida y a no olvidar la riqueza que existe en la conexión entre generaciones.

PARA ADOLESCENTES



Decir adiós en cubano
Escrito e ilustrado por: Daniel Miyares
Editorial: Vintage Español

Hay diferentes maneras de contar los hechos históricos de la humanidad: algunos nos brindan información y conocimiento, mientras que otros nos llevan a una profunda reflexión; eso solo lo puede hacer el arte, y en este caso la literatura. De esta manera, Daniel narra a través de una novela gráfica la historia de su padre llamado Carlos. Un niño que crece en Cuba en el año 1956, durante el tiempo de la revolución.

En *Decir adiós en cubano*, Miyares refleja los desafíos que enfrentaron las personas valientes que decidieron arriesgar su vida para escapar del régimen. Es una obra que utiliza una narrativa escrita y visual para expresar una profunda gratitud por el futuro que heredaron hijos como él.

PARA ADULTOS



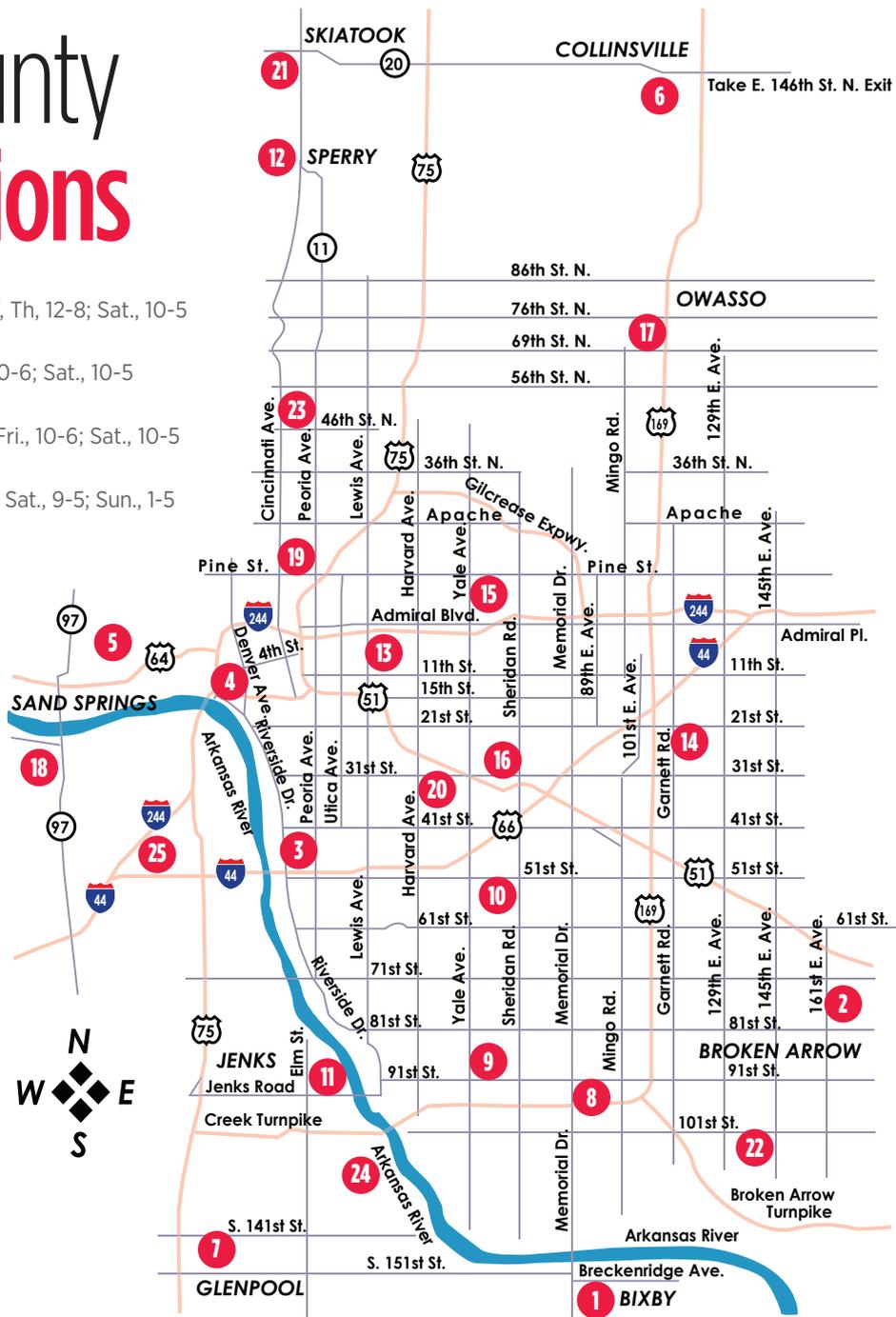
El viento conoce mi nombre
Escrito por: Isabel Allende
Editorial: Vintage Español

En *El viento conoce mi nombre*, Isabel Allende nos presenta un texto que entrelaza la historia y la memoria con los dilemas contemporáneos de la migración. La novela narra la vida de dos niños obligados a abandonar su tierra por persecución: uno, un niño judío que huye del horror nazi en 1938; la otra, una niña salvadoreña que en el 2019 se ve forzada a migrar, separándose de su familia.

Aunque los caminos de estos dos menores son distintos y sus tiempos separados por décadas, ambos llegan finalmente a los Estados Unidos, llevando consigo el peso del desarraigo y la esperanza de un futuro incierto. Solo “la voz del viento” — símbolo del dolor y la resiliencia — será el hilo invisible que les permitirá conectarse.

Tulsa City-County Library Locations

- 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 Bronson Brookside Library**
4607 S. Madison Place, 74105 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 4 Central Library**
400 Civic Center, 74103 | M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 5 Charles Page Library**
551 E. Fourth St., Sand Springs, 74063
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 6 Collinsville Library**
1223 W. Main, 74021
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 7 Glenpool Library**
730 E. 141st St., 74033
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 8 Hardesty Regional Library and Genealogy Center**
8316 E. 93rd St., 74133
M-Th, 9-9; Fri., 9-6; Sat., 9-5; Sun., 1-5
- 9 Helmerich Library**
5131 E. 91st St., 74137
M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 10 Herman and Kate Kaiser Library**
5202 S. Hudson Ave., Suite B, 74135
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- 11 Jenks Library**
523 W. B St., 74037
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 12 Judy Z. Kushner Library**
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- 13 Kendall-Whittier Library**
21 S. Lewis, 74104 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 14 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
- 15 Maxwell Park Library**
1313 N. Canton, 74115 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 16 Nathan Hale Library**
6038 E. 23rd St., 74114 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 17 Owasso Library - Temporary Location**
314 E. Fifth Ave., Suite 202, 74055 M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 18 Pratt Library**
3219 S. 113th W. Ave., Sand Springs, 74063
M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 10-8; Sat., 10-5
- 19 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



- 20 Schusterman-Benson Library**
3333 E. 32nd Place, 74135 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 21 Skiatook Library**
316 E. Rogers, 74070 | M, W, F, 10-6; T, Th, 12-8; Sat., 10-5
- 22 South Broken Arrow Library**
3600 S. Chestnut, 74011 | M-Th, 10-8; Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 23 Suburban Acres Library**
4606 N. Garrison, 74126 | Mon.-Fri., 10-6; Sat., 10-5
- 24 TCCL Express**
Tulsa Premium Outlets, 801 E. Outlet Drive, Jenks, 74037 | M-Sat., 10-8; Sun., 11-6
- 25 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