Library Cooperative Congratulates 2006 – 2007 Board Officers

The Pinellas Public Library Cooperative is pleased to announce its new Board Officers for the 2006 – 2007 fiscal year. The Cooperative congratulates Michele Abramo of Seminole on her re-appointment as Chairman of the Board. Ms. Abramo is a resident of Seminole and has served as a member of the board for the past two years. She has been very active with the GFWC Seminole Junior Woman’s Club and assisted in fundraising for the Seminole Community Library. Ms. Abramo brings her years of marketing experience as well as her passion for libraries and education to the Board. The new Vice Chairman is Donald McGarigle. Mr. McGarigle is from Treasure Island and brings a background in mathematics and engineering to the Board. He is a retiree of the IBM Corporation and currently serves as the President for the Gulf Beaches Public Library Friends of the Library. The Secretary/Treasurer is Laura Sargent. Ms. Sargent is from Seminole and is the Supervisor of Adult, Community, and Workforce Education for Pinellas County Schools. She brings over twenty years of experience in education and literacy services to the Board. She has served on several boards and committees including several School Advisory Councils, the Exceptional Education Advocacy Committee, and READ Pinellas. For more information, please contact the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative at (727) 441-8408.

Adam Miller presents Songs of Woody Guthrie at Safety Harbor Public Library

The Safety Harbor Public Library and the Friends of the Library host Songs of Woody Guthrie on Thursday, November 16 from 6:30 – 7:30 pm. This intergenerational program is presented by one of the premier autoharpists in the world, Adam Miller on a national tour from Oregon. Miller leads audiences of all ages with song and story through American history. Woody Guthrie (1912-1967) wrote over 1,000 American folksongs in his lifetime. Enjoy learning the true story of the man who wrote “This Land is Your Land.” Songs of Woody Guthrie is a family-friendly concert held in the library meeting room. Singing along is encouraged. Miller’s acclaimed “Singing Through History” folk music programs aid in the development of cultural and historical literacy, emphasizing the importance of history as a story well told.

A captivating storyteller and gifted instrumentalist, Miller is widely recognized for his ability to interpret traditional American folksongs with warmth, humor and remarkable scholarship and his albums receive airplay all over North America and Europe. Pianist and composer George Winston has called Adam Miller, “...one of the great autoharpists and folksingers of our time.” All are welcome at this free music concert, especially folk enthusiasts, grandparents, and parents with children ages 7 years and older. For more on Adam Miller see http://folksinging.org/. For more information about this program or other library events, call the Safety Harbor Library Reference Department at 727-724-1525 x233.

Library Directors Welcome New Board Members

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**Clearwater Public Library System**

**Main Library**
Registration for computer classes is on a first-come, first-call basis and opens on the Monday of the class.

**Introduction to the Internet:** Wednesday, November 1 & 8, 10:00 am.
**Introduction to E-mail:** Wednesday, November 15, 10:00 am.
**Introduction to Excel:** Wednesday, November 22, 10:00 am.

**Teen Tech Training program:** Wednesdays & Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Teen volunteers work one-on-one with students to help them learn the basics of the computer. Registration is required for both the classes and the one-on-ones.

**Beach Branch**
**Beginning Internet or Email:** Tuesdays, 10:00 am or Thursdays, 4 pm. Call to register. All classes last 1-hour.
**North Greenwood Branch**
**Internet for Beginners:** Wednesday, November 8, 10:00 am. Call to register.

**Deaf Literacy Center**
**Safety Harbor Public Library**

**Computer skills for the Deaf:** Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30 pm. Registration required.

**Dunedin Public Library**
No Computer Classes during the week of November 20.

**Word Basics, Part 1:** Tuesday, October 31, 11:00 am.
**PowerPoint Basics, Part 2:** Wednesday, November 1, 7:00 pm.
**Word Basics, Part 2:** Thursday, November 2, 11:00 am.
**Beyond Word Basics, Part 1:** Tuesday, November 7, 11:00 am & Wednesday, November 8, 7:00 pm.
**Beyond Word Basics, Part 2:** Thursday, November 9, 11:00 am & Wednesday, November 15, 7:00 pm.

**Introducing Windows:** Tuesday, November 14, 11:00 am.
**Health Information Online:** Thursday, November 16, 11:00 am.

**Web Basics, Part 1:** Tuesday, November 28, 11:00 am & Wednesday, November 29, 7:00 pm.
**Web Basics, Part 2:** Thursday, November 30, 11:00 am.

**East Lake Community Library**
Registration required for all classes.

**One on One Computer Help:** Wednesday, November 1, 9:30 am.
**Word Letters and Mailings Class:** Friday, November 10, 9:00 am.
**On-Line Tutorial:** Friday, November 17, 9:00 am. On-line shopping for the holidays.

**Gulf Beaches Public Library**
**Introduction to the Internet:** Thursday, November 2, 11:30 am.
**Introduction to Web-based Email:** Thursday, November 9, 11:30 am.
**Free One On One Computer Training:** Call to schedule an appointment with a library volunteer.

**Gulfport Public Library**
**One-on-One Computer Instruction:** Call for an appointment.

**Largo Public Library**
**Family Tree Maker Group:** Saturday, November 4, 10:00 am-noon. Karen Keegan provides insight into using this popular genealogy software program.

**Computer Series for Seniors:** Wednesday, November 8, 6:30-8:30 pm. Join software engineer Jim Shimp as he discusses Buying a Computer.

**Palm Harbor Public Library**
**Computer Class:** Dave Dockery will discuss “Power Point” on Saturday, November 18, 10:00 am-12:00 noon.

**Palm Harbor Computer Users’ Group**
Monday, November 20, 6:30-8:00 pm. Includes planned activities and a question-and-answer session.

**Pinellas Park Public Library**
**Discover the USB Connector & What It Can Do for You:** Wednesday, November 8, 7:00 pm, with instructor Mark Opyd.

**Safety Harbor Public Library**
Registration required for all computer classes.

**Internet Search Tools and Techniques:** Thursday, November 2, 6:30-7:45 pm.

**Microsoft Word Basics:** Friday, November 3, 9:30-10:30 am.
**Microsoft Excel Basics:** Friday, November 17, 9:30-10:30 am.

**Computer Tutorials:** One-on-one 15-minute hands-on computer tutorials covering basic computer skills or a focused task. Call for appointment.

**St. Pete Beach Public Library**
**Polaris PowerPAC:** Tips for using the Library’s online catalog and premium databases. Sign up at the Reference Desk.

**St. Petersburg Public Library System**
**Main Library**

**One-on-One Internet Training:** Call Reference Desk at 893-7928 for an appointment.

**Catalog Training:** Polaris Power Pac: Mondays@2:00 pm and Fridays@11:00 am.

**Johnson Branch**
**Introduction to the Internet:** Mondays, 7:00-8:00 pm. Starts 1st Monday of each month, for four weeks. Registration required.

**Mirror Lake Branch**
**Elementary Computer Skills** (Group class) Friday, November 3, 3:00 pm. Get a basic overview of computer terms. Registration required.

**Introduction to the Internet** (Group class) Friday, November 17, 3:00 pm. Learn basic skills on how to navigate the internet. Registration required.

**South Branch**
**Catalog Training:** Tapping the Power of Polaris, Tuesday, November 7, 3:00 pm.

**Basic Internet & E-mail** (Individual Classes) Wednesdays, 10:00 am. Designed for adults with at least an introductory knowledge of computers.

**Intro to Computers, Basic Internet & E-mail** (Group Classes) Every Friday, 10:00 am (Classes will alternate). The intro to computers class is designed for adults with no knowledge of computers.

**Seminole Community Library**

**Welcome to E-Mail & the Internet:** Saturday, November 7, 1:00-5:00 pm. SPC registration required/$25.00 fee.

**Portrait Photography:** Thursday, November 30 & December 14, 6:00-9:00 pm. SPC registration/$49.00 fee.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**
Registration is required for all computer classes.

**Computer Basics:** Tuesday, November 14, 1:00 pm.
**Internet Basics:** Wednesday, November 15, 3:00 pm.
**Introduction to Microsoft Word:** Tuesday, November 28, 1:00 pm.
Adult Programs

Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library
Films on the Bluff-The Best of Art House Cinema: Tuesday, November 14, 6:00 pm & November 28, 2:00 pm.
Opera Rocks II: Tuesday, November 7 & 14, noon. Nov. 7: Verdi: Rigoletto; Nov. 14: Bizet: Carmen. Join the Pinellas Opera League each week for an exploration of the history behind the music.
Poetry Nights: Thursday, November 16, 7:00 pm. Open mike with the Tampa Bay Poetry Foundation. Bring your own poetry or read favorite works.
Countryside Branch
East Branch
Chess Club: (All ages) Saturdays, 2:00 pm.
Deaf Literacy Center
Safety Harbor Public Library
Individual Tutoring for the Deaf: Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays. Call for appointment.
Basic Deaf Literacy: Wednesdays, 6:30-8:00 pm. Includes reading, writing and computer skills. Call for appointment.
Adult Beginners Sign Language: Mondays, 6:00 pm. Continued 16-week course.
Adult Intermediate Sign Language: Mondays, 7:00 pm. Continued 16-week course.
St. Petersburg Library South Branch
Individual Tutoring for the Deaf: Tuesdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Call for an appointment.
Adult Intermediate Sign Language: Tuesdays, 6:00 pm. Continued 16-week course.
Adult Beginners Sign Language: Tuesdays, 7:00 pm. Continued 16-week course.
Palm Harbor Library
Individual Tutoring for the Deaf: Tuesdays, 2:00-4:00 pm. Call for appointment.
Adult Beginners Sign Language: Tuesdays, 6:30 pm. Continued 16-week course.
Pinellas Park Public Library
Individual Tutoring for the Deaf: Thursdays, 2:00-4:00 pm. Call for appointment.
Adult Beginner Sign Language: Thursdays, 5:00-6:00 pm or 6:00-7:00 pm. (no classes on November 23)
Dunedin Public Library
Genealogy Assistance: Thursdays, 1:00-3:00 pm. Members of The Caladesi Chapter of the DAR are here to assist you.
Literacy Program: The Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas (LCUP) holds ongoing tutor training in English as a Second Language (ESL) and Basic Literacy. If interested in becoming a tutor or have any questions call 298-3080 x242.
From Memories to Memoirs: Wednesday, November 8, 7:00 pm. Faith Andrews Bedford, Country Living contributing editor and author of Barefoot Summers, will encourage her listeners to tell their stories. Book-signing will follow.
Chess Club: (All ages) Thursday, November 16, 4:00-6:00 pm.
Outreach Program for Adults: If someone you know is homebound in Dunedin and would like monthly deliveries of library materials (books and/or cassette/CD books), please call our Outreach Department at 298-3080 x220.
East Lake Community Library
Friends of East Lake Community Library: Thursday, Nov. 2, 6:30 pm.

Apple Gourd Painting: Saturday, November 11, 11:00 am. This make-and-take outdoor workshop will show you how to paint a realistic apple gourd. Registration required.
ELCL Writer’s Critique Group: Mondays, November 13 & 27, 6:30-8:00 pm. Bring something to read and have critiqued, or bring your critical skills to help someone else become a better writer.
Knit Night: Thursdays, November 9, 16 & 30, 7:00 pm. Join other knitting enthusiasts.
Advisory Board: Tuesday, November 14, 6:00 pm.
East Lake Author’s Showcase: Tuesday, November 21, 6:30-8:00 pm. Our guest speaker is Faith Andrews Bradford, the Country Living magazine columnist who writes graceful contemplations about the special things in daily life. Her latest book is Barefoot Summers.
AM Coffee Café: Fridays, 10:00 am-noon. Enjoy coffee and a snack while browsing for your books.
Gulf Beaches Public Library
Film Movement: Tuesday, November 7, 5:30 pm. Familia.
Travel Film: Wednesday, November 8, 2:00 pm. Greek Islands.
Investment Club: Thursdays, 2:30 pm.
Spanish Language Classes: Thursdays, 5:00 pm
Gulfport Public Library
Scrapbookers Club for Adults and Teens: Sat., Nov. 11, 1:00 pm. Make beautiful pages of memories for yourself and your family. Some supplies available, but you need to furnish your own 12x12 scrapbook album.
Information Session on Reverse Mortgages: Monday, November 13, 1:30 pm. Presented by Starpointe Mortgage.
Socrates Café: These monthly discussion groups were inspired by the book The Six Questions of Socrates. Thursday, November 9, 10:00 am and Friday, November 17, 6:00 pm.
Study Groups: Friday, November 17, 1:00 pm & Monday, November 27, 1:00 pm. Presented by local chapter of Brandeis University Women.
Genealogy Discussion Group: Saturday, November 25, 1:00 pm. This is not a formal class, just an opportunity to meet and share experiences and information with others interested in delving into your family history.

Largo Public Library
Small Business Counseling: Provided by the Largo Mid-Pinellas Chamber of Commerce on Wednesdays, 11:30 am-1:30 pm & Thursday, November 9, 5:30-7:30 pm.
Books-To-Film Cinema Series: Sunday, November 12, 1:30-4:30 pm. Read the book, then join us at the library to see the film! Flamingo Rising by Larry Baker.
Poetry Readings-Poets Live: Monday, November 13, 6:00-8:30 pm. Open mic poetry readings.
Genealogy Computer Interest Group: Saturday, November 18, 9:45 am. An informal discussion group in a question and answer format on anything related to the use of computers in genealogy.
Music in the Cafe: Monday, November 20, 6:30-8:30 pm. Join us for two hours of music featuring a local musician and songwriter.

Oldsmar Public Library
Early Voting for the General Election: Through November 4. Voting hours: 10:00 am -6:00 pm Monday-Friday and 8:00 am-4:00 pm Saturday.

Palm Harbor Public Library
Socrates Café: Wednesday, November 1, 6:00-7:45 pm. Thought-provoking questions are put into a jar, and facilitator Gene Mag selects one to discuss. See www.philosopher.org for details.
Jazz in the Stacks: Sunday, Nov. 12, at 3:00 pm. Frank Greenstreet will lead the 6-piece Clam Bayou Jazz Band in “Songs of World Wars I & II”.
Writer’s Group: Tuesdays, Nov. 14 and 28, 6:30 pm. Anyone interested in writing is welcome. Bring one of your writing projects to share!
Opera @ Your Library: Sunday, November 19, at 5:00 pm. Vocalists from the Sunstate Opera Society will perform.
**Adult Programs**

**Literacy:** If you are interested in becoming a tutor or student and have questions about our literacy program, call 784-3332, Ext. 211. New Tutor Training will be held on Saturday, November 4, from 9-4:30. The Literacy Book Club will discuss a story about the American Revolution, *My Brother Sam is Dead*, on Thursday, November 30, from 7:00-8:00 pm.

**Genealogy:** The Suncoast Genealogy Society will meet Monday, November 27, at 7:00 pm. Genealogy help is also available in the Reference Department from 1:00-4:00 pm Monday through Friday.

**Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing:** A representative from Florida Telecommunications Relay will be here from 10:00 am-12:00 pm on Wednesday, November 8, to offer special phones and ring-signaling devices to qualified deaf or hard-of-hearing residents. Call 399-9983 (voice) or 399-9422 (TTY) for details.

**Early Voting:** Monday, October 23, through Saturday, November 4. Hours are Monday-Friday, 10:00 am-6:00 pm, and Saturdays, 8:00 am-4:00 pm. The library will also serve as a general election voting site on Tuesday, November 7.

**Pinellas Park Public Library**

**Author Talk:** Saturday, November 18, 1:00 pm. Join us for an entertaining afternoon with Scott Taylor Hartzell, author of *Remembering St. Petersburg, Florida: Sunshine City Stories and Remembering St. Petersburg, Florida: Volume 2, More Sunshine City Stories*.

**Early Voting Site:** October 23-November 4. Monday-Friday, 10:00 am-6:00 pm; Saturdays, 8:00 am-4:00 pm.

**Safety Harbor Public Library**

**ESOL Student Conversation Group:** Friday, November 3, 3:30-5:00 pm.

**ESOL Tutoring:** English-speaking volunteers are needed to tutor ESOL.

**Author Talk:** Thursday, November 9, 6:30-7:45 pm. Faith Andrews Bedford, author of *Barefoot Summers* and Country Living magazine columnist on domestic life.

**Ask a Genealogist:** Tuesday, November 28, 2:00-3:00 pm. A volunteer will assist you with family tree searching and genealogy source work.

**Friends of the Library:** The Friends meet the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm. The Friends welcome new members.

**“POSH” Players of Safety Harbor:** Adult Drama Troupe will present “Goodbye Charlie” by George Axelrod. Produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc. Saturday, November 11 at 7:00 pm Safety Harbor Gazebo on Main St. Tuesday, November 14, & Thursday November 16 at 7:00 pm. in the Safety Harbor Elem. School Auditorium. Saturday, November 18 at 7:00 pm at the Safety Harbor Rigsby Center 605 Second Street North.

**St. Pete Beach Public Library**

**Meet the Author – Judith Wells** 
*C. Perry Snell: His Place in St. Petersburg, Florida History.* Thursday, November 2, 1:00 pm.

**Keep in Stitches:** Friday, November 10, 2:30 pm. A hand sewing club for adults.

**Screening/Discussion of Thank You for Smoking:** Friday, November 17, 1:00 pm.

**Meet the Author – Scott Taylor Hartzell:** *Sunshine City Stories: Remembering St. Petersburg, Florida.* Thursday, November 30, 2:00 pm.

**St. Petersburg Public Library System**

**Main Library**

**Art of the Florida Highwaymen:** Sunday, November 19, 1:00 pm. Sylvester Wells will discuss his experience as one of the Highwaymen painters. Mr. Wells’ work will be on display during the presentation.

**Florida Writers' Association:** Thursday, November 9, 7:00 pm. Connect with other aspiring writers! FWA hosts a guest speaker every month.

**The Alley Cat Players:** Monday, November 14, 7:00 pm. Enjoy poetry and reader’s theater for this Tampa drama troupe. Visit www.alleycatplayers.org to learn more.

**Adults’ Craft Circle:** Saturdays, 9:00 am-noon. Open session-stop in, as you please but kindly bring no children.

**Mirror Lake Branch**

**Book Signing:** Saturday, November 4, 2:00 pm. Book talk and signing by Judy Wells, author of *C. Perry Snell: his place in St. Petersburg, Florida history*.

**North Branch**

**ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages):** Wednesdays, 3:30-5:00 pm. For new learners of the English language.

**Book Sale:** Saturday, November 18, 10:00 am-4:00 pm.

**South Branch**

**Art of the Florida Highwaymen:** Sylvester Wells, Highwayman Painter. Thursday, November 2, 5:00-9:00 pm.

**Book Sale @ Art Arbor:** Saturday & Sunday, November 4 & 5, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Boyd Hill Nature Park.

**West Community Library**

**Family Story Time:** Thursday, November 2, 7:00 pm. *Native American Tales*.

**Seminole Community Library**

**AARP Safe Driving:** Wednesday, November 8 & Friday, November 10, 9:00 am.

**Classic Movie Matinee:** Fridays, 1:00 pm. Free popcorn & sodas.

**November 3:** No movie

**November 10:** *Going My Way*

**November 17:** *Coal Miner's Daughter*

**November 24:** No movie

**Sean Scott Medicaid Seminar:** Tuesday, November 7, 2:00 pm.

**Hidden Stitches:** Wednesday, November 15, 6:30 pm.

**Toastmasters:** Tuesdays, 6:00 pm.

**Fibromyalgia Support:** Saturday, November 18, 11:00 am.

**Suicide Prevention:** Monday, November 13, 7:00 pm.

**Mom’s Club:** Monday, November 6, 10:00 am.

**Parkinson's Support Group:** Thursday, November 9, 6:00 pm.

**Boater Safety-How to Boat Smart:** Saturday, November 11, 8:00 am-5:00 pm. SPC registration/$35.00 fee

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**

**Genealogy Assistance with John Kiwala:** Mondays, 10:00 am-4:00 pm.

**Genealogy Assistance with Ken Nichol:** Tuesdays, 10:00 am-4:00 pm.

**Writers Group:** Fridays, 10:00 am.

**Storytelling Workshop:** Saturday, November 4, 11:00 am. Performance by Emily Harris, of folktales and personal stories followed by advice on how to find, tell and share stories.

**Ten Steps to Starting Your Own Business:** Monday, November 6, 7:00 pm. Presented by the Pinellas County Chapter of SCORE (The Service Corp of Retired Executives). Registration required.

**Friends of the Library Author Luncheon Series:** Tuesday, November 7, 11:30 am. Featuring author Anita Lowe. The cost is $15 and includes a boxed lunch. Call 944-3042 to register.

**Bay Knit Wits:** Wednesday, November 8, 6:30 pm. Open to anyone interested in learning how to knit or crochet.

**From the Cook’s Shelf:** Wednesday, November 8, 7:00 pm. Cookbook discussion group. Recipes, samples and cookbook reviews welcome.

**Sol Peska Film Series:** Thursday, November 9, 2:00 pm. *Two Women*.

**The Dream Station of Tarpon Springs:** Wednesday, November 15, 7:00 pm. Substance abuse and awareness lecture. Call 1-800-419-HELP for more information.

**Business Plans:** Wednesday, November 15, 7:00 pm. Seminar presented by the Pinellas County Chapter of SCORE (The Service Corps of Retired Executives). Registration is required.

**Free Blood Pressure Screening:** Thursday, November 16, 1:00-3:00 pm. Provided by Helen Ellis Home Care.

**Meet the Authors:** Saturday, November 18, 11:00 am-4:00 pm. Local authors from the Tarpon Springs Writers Group will discuss their books and talk about writing and getting published. Copies of their books will be available for sale and signing.

**History Discussion Group:** Tuesday, November 21, 1:30-3:30 pm. *James Madison: The Life of Our Fourth President*.

**Library Used Book Sale:** Wednesday, November 29 – Saturday, December 2. Large selection of materials available for sale during normal business hours.
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Dunedin Public Library  
DIY – Do it Yourself Program: (Ages 10-15) 6:00 pm. Come learn to create your own stylish space. Registration required.

Largo Library  
Short Story Awards Ceremony: (Grades 3-5) 7:00 pm. Join us as we recognize the winners of the Largo Public Library’s Stanley Shalti Short Story Competition for Pinellas County students.

November 4  
East Lake Community Library  
Friends Annual Book Sale: 9:00 am-2:00 pm. Celebrate East Lake Community Library’s 7th birthday with a gigantic book sale and carnival atmosphere.

November 7  
Clearwater Public Library System  
Main Library  

Largo Library  
Losing It All to Sprawl-How Progress Ate my Cracker Landscape: 7:00 pm. Award-winning author and documentary filmmaker Bill Belleville shares his personal story of the battle for his rural landscape and places the experience in the context of Florida development. Registration required.

November 8  
Dunedin Public Library  
Insect Program: (All ages) 2:00 pm. Join us in the afternoon to learn about insects. Registration required.

November 9  
Clearwater Public Library System  
Main Library  
Menus @ Main: 12:00 pm. Bil Mitchell from Publix Apron’s Cooking School whips up a Thanksgiving Surprise themed meal. First 25 to arrive at the program will be given tickets to the sample table.

November 11  
St. Pete Beach Public Library  
A Discussion of The Flamingo Rising: 10:00 am. At the Beach Theatre, 315 Corey Avenue. With Margo Hammond and Steve Persall, Book Editor and Movie Critic of the St. Petersburg Times.

East Lake Community Library  
Civil War Reenactment: 10:00 am-12:00 pm. Come and see history come alive!

November 12  
Deaf Literacy Center  
Safety Harbor Library  
Third Annual ASL Storytelling Festival: 1:30-4:00 pm at the Safety Harbor Library Art Park. Everyone is welcomed to attend and share signed stories, songs and more.

November 13  
Clearwater Public Library System  
North Greenwood Branch  
Mother Goose Games: 10:30 am. Enjoy stimulating activities for youth and their parents/caregivers.

November 14  
Clearwater Public Library System  
North Greenwood Branch  
Defeat Literacy Center  
Palm Harbor Library  
Spotlight on Deafness: 6:00-7:30 pm. Learn about a Deaf teacher who worked for over 30 years in a public school setting. Light refreshments will be served.

November 15  
Clearwater Public Library System  
Countrywide Branch  
Mother Goose Games: 10:00 am. Enjoy stimulating activities for youth and their parents/caregivers.

November 16  
Clearwater Public Library System  
Countrywide Branch  
The Little Gym: 10:00 am. Little Gym staff shows how children can build motor skills using development gymnastics.

November 17  
Clearwater Public Library System  
Countrywide Branch  
Mother Goose Games: 10:00 am. Enjoy stimulating activities for youth and their parents/caregivers.

November 18  
Clearwater Public Library System  
Main Library  
Boca Beth: 11:00 am. Entertains while teaching Spanish to young children and their parents/caregivers.

Largo Library  
Thanksgiving Stories and Crafts: 2:00 pm. Come and enjoy turkey stories, turkey crafts and turkey fun! Intended for elementary school aged children.

Oldsmar Public Library  
Friends of the Library Book Sale: 9:00 am-3:00 pm.

November 19  
Dunedin Public Library  
Crow Wolf Song – Native American Storytelling: 2:00 pm.

Pinellas Park Public Library  
Sunday Spectacular: Wild About Reading! 3:00 pm. Registration required.

November 20  
Dunedin Public Library  
Leftover Crafts: All day, open to youth of all ages.

November 21  
Dunedin Public Library  
Thanksgiving Potluck: (Ages 5-10) 2:00 pm. Get ready for a cornucopia of crafts, songs, skits and lots of fun. Registration required.

November 28  
Dunedin Public Library  
Celebrate Mark Twain’s Birthday: (All ages) 3:30 pm. Join us for a Mark Twain Movie, Tom Sawyer. Registration required.

Largo Library  
How to Make Your Business Thrive, not Just Survive: 6:00-8:00 pm. Discuss the skills needed to grow your business. You will learn the art of management and the communication skills needed to succeed in all areas. Registration required.

November 30  
Deaf Literacy Center  
Safety Harbor Public Library  
Signing for Sense Workshop: 6:00-8:00 pm. This hands-on workshop is designed to develop musical, poetry and storytelling ASL skills.
Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library
Student Library Tours: Research training available. Call to schedule a tour.

Teen Tech Training Program: Wednesdays & Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Teen volunteers work one-on-one with students to help them learn the basics of the computer. Registration is required for both the classes and the one-on-ones.

North Greenwood Branch
Read and Recreate Library Book Club: Read three age-appropriate books and earn a free day pass to the Recreation Center. Pick up a book report log at the library, fill it out and bring it back to receive your pass.

East Branch
Chess Club: (All ages) Saturdays, 2:00 pm.

Dunedin Public Library
D.Y.V. (Dunedin Youth Volunteers): Monday, November 6, 6:30 pm. Our teen volunteer group meets to plan, assist and create programs for the youth of the community.

Chess Club: (All ages) Thursday, November 16, 4:00-6:00 pm.

East Lake Community Library
Teen Library Council: Mondays, November 13 & 27, 5:00 pm. Teens meet to plan programs.

Board Game Night: Friday, November 10, 5:30-8:00 pm. Games will be provided, but feel free to bring in your favorite game.

Gulfport Public Library
Scrapbookers Club for Adults and Teens: Saturday, November 11, 1:00 pm. Make beautiful pages of memories for yourself and your family. Some supplies available, but you need to furnish you own 12x12 scrapbook album.

Largo Public Library
Teen How to Series-Knitting: Saturday, November 4, 1:00-3:00 pm. Learn the basics of knitting and make a free knitted bookmark. Registration required.

Teen Library Council: Tuesday, November 7, 6:00-8:00 pm. TLC members help the library by providing ideas, feedback and recommendations on teen programs, services and materials.

Teen Paper Series-Manga Drawing: Saturday, November 11, 1:00-3:00 pm. Start drawing your own Manga characters.

Teen Ramen Bar: Tuesday, November 14, 5:00-7:00 pm. Connect with the Asian culture while eating Ramen noodles. This month participants will be exposed to traditional Asian clothing.

Metro Largo! News Team: Saturday, November 18, 2:00-3:30 pm. The News Team is responsible for producing the “Metro Largo” a new Largo Public Library teen publication. Call to join.

Teen Film Club: (Ages 13-19) Tuesday, November 28, 4:30-6:30 pm. Japanese Anime of Metropolis, directed by Taro Rin. Have fun with movie trivia, contests, and other film-related activities. Registration required.

Teen Homework Center: Thursdays & Sundays, 1:30-4:30 pm. We have tutors, tools, books and computer software to make your homework easier and fun.

Teen Club Center: Fridays & Saturdays, 11:30 am-4:30 pm. Make the Largo Public Library the meeting place for your teen club. We have two rooms available for groups of ten or less.

Palm Harbor Public Library
Youth Advisory Board: (Ages 13-18) Thursdays, 5:00-6:00 pm. Plan programs, services and fundraisers that meet the needs and interests of teens.

Pinellas Park Public Library
Free Saturday Tutoring for Teens: Math 10:00 am-12:00 pm. Tutor: Vinay. Contact him in advance at 726-3386.

Players of Safety Harbor Teen Theatre Troupe: (Ages 11-16) Every Tuesday and Thursday, 4:30-5:30 pm. Registration required.

St. Pete Beach Public Library
The Fun of Drive-In Theaters: Monday, November 6; 7:00 pm. Discussion in conjunction with the “Read Around Pinellas” selection, The Flamingo Rising.

Scappy Teens: Monday, November 20, 7:00 pm. Scrapbooking tools provided. Don’t forget your photos!

St. Petersburg Public Library System
Main Library
Monthly Teen Night: (Ages 13-19) Wednesday, November 15, 6:30 pm. Call for details.

South Branch
Teen Advisory Council: Tuesday, November 7, 4:30 pm. Teen council provides input on library programs services and materials for teen library users.

Teen Book Club: (Grades 9-12) Friday, 4:30 pm.

Chess Club: Mondays, November 6 & 20, 3:30 pm. All ages and skill levels welcome.

West Community Library
Teen Scene: Thursday, November 9, 7:00-8:30 pm. TBA.

Seminole Community Library
Library Youth Advisory Board: Thursday, November 2 & 16, 7:00 pm.

Tarpon Springs Public Library
Chess Club: Monday, November 6 & 20, 3:30 pm. All ages and skill levels welcome.

Exploring Cultures-India: (Ages 13-18) Saturday, November 11, 2:00 pm. Experience the food, arts and crafts of another country. Registration is required.

Library Directors Welcome New Board Members
As the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative (PPLC) begins a new season, the Library Directors had an opportunity to meet the new PPLC Board of Directors and wish a fond farewell to those Board Members that have served the past three years. Along with special guests Janine Golden from the State Library and Liz Warren from the Pinellas County Administrator’s Office, the Cooperative welcomed Jeri Antozzi, Pushpa Venkatesh, and Ronalda Hobson to the 2006-2007 PPLC Board of Directors. With our deepest regards and sincere appreciation for their service, we say goodbye to our Vice Chairman, Maria Edmonds, our Secretary/Treasurer Tom Jennings, and past-Secretary/Treasurer Abigail Helck. We look forward to their continued support for our library programs and services in Pinellas County.

(LEFT) Lana Bullian, Safety Harbor Library Director and Tom Jennings, PPLC Board

Barbara Ponce, Anne Shepherd, Mary Gaines, Sara James, Mike Bryan, Janine Golden, Barbara Pickell
Mission

The Pinellas Public Library Cooperative serves Pinellas County residents in member cities and the unincorporated county. The Cooperative office provides coordination of activities and funding as well as marketing services for member libraries.

The Cooperative Libraries feature current high-demand, high interest materials in a variety of formats; actively provide timely, accurate and useful information; and encourage young children to develop an interest in reading and learning through services for children and for parents and children together.

PPLC Board of Directors
Michele Abramo, Chairman
Donald McGarigle, Vice-Chairman
Laura Sargent, Secretary/Treasurer
Jeri Antozzi, Ronalda Hobson, Sara James, Peggy O'Shea, Maxine Terry, Pushpa Venkatesh
PPLC Executive Director
Mary A. Brown

Services
- Book discussions and reviews
- Books, tapes, CDs, videos, and magazines for checkout
- Community rooms
- Computer classes
- Countywide book delivery and return
- Deaf Literacy Center
- Friends of the Library and volunteer groups
- Internet access
- Interlibrary loan
- Library service for the blind and physically handicapped
- Literacy classes and tutoring
- Programs for adults and young adults
- Reference assistance and reader's advisory
- Story hours and children's activities

Policies
- A resident of the unincorporated areas of Pinellas County or one of the member cities is entitled to a free library card.
- Residents of non-member cities may receive a card valid for one year upon payment of $100. Note: Some cities reimburse all or part of this fee.
- One Cooperative card is good at all Cooperative libraries.
- Cards issued to residents are valid for three years.
- Cards issued to non-residents are valid for one year.
- Register for a card at any Cooperative member library.
Clearwater Public Library System

Main Library

**Book Lovers Bistro**: Tuesday, November 7, noon. Meet over lunch to discuss a bestseller.

**Circulo De Lectura**: Wednesday, November 22, 1:00 pm. Spanish language book discussion group.

**Leadership Book Review**: Thursday, November 2, 12:00 pm. Leadership Pinellas presents members of the business community, local government, and others who talk about books that have inspired personal and professional growth.

**Great Books**: Thursday, November 9, 1:30 pm. Narrative of the Life of Fredrick Douglass, an American Slave (Discussion Guide).

**East Branch**

**Mystery Readers Club**: Tuesday, November 21, 10:30 am. Spy novels.

**Dunedin Public Library**

**Great Decisions Discussion Group**: Tuesday, November 14, 7:30 pm. Topic: Turkey.

**Great Books Discussion Group**: Tuesday, November 21, 7:00 pm. Topic: TBA.

**Contemporary Books Discussion Group**: Tuesday, November 28, 7:00 pm. *Damascus Gate* by Robert Stone.

**East Lake Community Library**

**Book Club**: Wednesday, November 15, 6:30 pm. *Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

**Gulf Beaches Public Library**

**Book Discussion**: Tuesday, November 21, 10:30 am. *Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

**Gulfport Public Library**

**CoffeeTalk**: Thursday, November 16. Coffee is ready at 9:30 am, discussion starts at 10 o’clock. *One Thousand White Women*, by Jim Fergus.

**Largo Public Library**

**The Last Word Book Club**: Wednesday, November 1, 7:00 pm.

**A Ray of Sunshine Family Book Club**: Saturday, November 4, 2:00 pm. *Attack of the Tagger* by Wendelin Van Draanen.

**Booktalking with Iris**: Wednesday, November 15, 12:00-1:00 pm. *Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

**Teen Readatherapy**: Tuesday, November 21, 4:30-6:00 pm. Learn how reading can be therapeutic. Be sure to bring your favorite book or poem to share. This month’s genre will be “Historical Fiction”. You will create a keepsake to treasure for years-beaded bracelets or crocheting own beads.

**Oldsmar Public Library**

**Book Discussion**: Thursday, November 16, 12:00 pm. *The Plot Against America* by Philip Roth.

**Palm Harbor Public Library**

**PHiL's Book Club**: Monday, November 13, 11:00 am & 7:00 pm. *The Club Dumas*, by Arturo Perez-Reverte. Refreshments will be served.

**Pinellas Park Public Library**

**Book Discussion**: Thursday, November 16, 2:00 pm. *Collapse* by Jared Diamond.

**Safety Harbor Public Library**

**Book Discussion**: Tuesday, November 21, 2:00-3:00 pm. *Life of Pi* by Yann Martel.

**Mahogany Book Discussion**: Saturday, November 18, 10:30-11:30 am. *Parable of the Sower* by Octavia E. Butler.

**St. Pete Beach Public Library**

**Book Discussion**: Tuesday, November 14, 10:30 am & Wednesday, November 15, 7:00 pm. *The Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker. 2006 “Read Around Pinellas” selection.

**St. Petersburg Public Library System**

**Main Library**

Call or check online for titles.

**Mother/Daughter Book Club**: Tuesday, November 14, 6:30 pm.

**Between Covers Book Club**: Wednesday, November 15, 7:00 pm.

**The Bookers’ Book Group**: Thursday, November 16, 10:30 am.

**Mirror Lake Branch**

**Classic Up Close**: Tuesday, November 9, 2:00 pm. *The Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

**North Branch**

**Thursday Morning Group**: Thursday, November 2, 10:00 am. *Moll Flanders* by Daniel Defoe.

**South Branch**

**Book Club**: Tuesday, November 9, 2:00 pm. *The Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

**Mahogany Book Club**: Saturday, November 18, 10:00 am. Read and discuss the works of African American writers.

**West Community Library**

**West Community Group**: Wednesday, November 8, 1:30 pm. *The Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

**Seminole Community Library**

**Booktalkers**: Wednesday, November 1, 2:00 pm. *The Franklin Affair* by Jim Leher.

**Great Books Discussion Group**: Wednesday, November 15, 2:00 pm. *The Power of the Majority* by Tocqueville.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**

**Book Discussion Group**: Thursday, November 16, 12:00 pm. *The Flamingo Rising* by Larry Baker.

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**Library closings for the month of November are as follows:**

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**November 23**

All libraries closed.

**November 24**

All libraries closed.

**November 25**

Oldsmar Public Library
St. Pete Beach Public Library
Children's Programs

Clearwater Public Library System

Main Library

Saturday Family Storytime: (Ages 3-5) Saturdays, 11:00 am.
Mother Goose Storytime: (12-24 mos) Fridays, 10:00 am.
Bright Minds Preschool Storytime: Wednesdays, 10:00 am.
Guys Read: (Ages 8-12) Friday, November 29, 3:30-4:45 pm. Boys get to read interesting books together and share their opinions and thoughts about them.
R.E.A.D.: (Reading Education Assistance Dogs) Saturday, November 11, 10:00 am-12:00 pm. Children have the opportunity to read to dogs for 20 minutes each library visit.

Countryside Branch

Preschool Storytime: Wednesdays, 10:00 am.
Mother Goose Storytime: (24-36 mos) Thursdays, 10:00 am.

North Greenwood Branch

Preschool Storytime: Mondays, 10:30 am.
Legal Eagles Homework Help: Tuesdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Attorneys from the Clearwater Bar Association available to give homework help.
Tutoring Tuesdays: (K- grade 3) Tuesdays, 5:30 pm. Homework and reading with the Ivey Reading Academy.
Chess Club: (All ages) Wednesdays, 3:30 pm. Instruction and chessboards provided.
Craft Corner: Thursdays, 2:00-4:00 pm. Drop in anytime during the two hours to create crafts and enjoy a variety of other activities.
Thanksgiving Crafts: Thursday, November 16, 2:00 pm. Watch A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving
Frightening Fridays: Fridays, November 3, 10, & 17, 3:00 pm. Watch old monster movies to start off the weekend including trivia games, prizes, and refreshments.

East Branch

Preschool Storytime: (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 10:00 am.
Mother Goose Storytime: (24-36 mos) Wednesdays, 11:00 am.
Chess Club: (All ages) Saturdays, 2:00 pm.
Baby Sign Class: (Infants) Thursday, November 2, 9 & 16, 11:00 am.
Learn sign language with your baby.
Nature Class: Monday, November 6, 3:00 pm. Moccasin Lake Nature Park Programmer, Rachel Franklin, will show live animals (toads and frogs) and lead hands-on activities.

Deaf Literacy Center

Safety Harbor Public Library

Time to Sign: (Infants) Thursdays November 2, 9, 16 and 30th, 10:00 am. Participants learn to use sign language with their pre-verbal babies in a fun and educational way through the use of songs, games and stories. Registration required.

Children's Sign Language: (Ages 5-12) Mondays, 3:30-4:30 pm.

Palm Harbor Library

Time to Sign: (Toddlers) Tuesdays, 10:30 am. Participants learn to use sign language with their pre-verbal babies in a fun and educational way through the use of songs, games and stories. Registration required.

Children's Sign Language: “Flashing Fingers” (Ages 6-12) Tuesdays, 4:15 pm. Registration required.

St. Petersburg Library South Branch

Children's Sign Language: (Ages 5-12) Tuesdays, November 1, 14, 21 and 28, 4:00-5:00 pm.

Pinellas Park Library

Children's Sign Language: (Ages 5-12) Thursdays, November 2, 9, 16 and 30, 3:00-4:00 pm.

East Lake Library

Time to Sign: (Infants) Wednesdays, November 1, 8, 15 & 29, 6:00 pm. Participants learn to use sign language with their pre-verbal babies in a fun and educational way through the use of songs, games and stories. Registration required!

Dunedin Public Library

No regular Storytimes the week of Thanksgiving, November 20-24.

Positively Preschoolers: (Ages 4-5) Tuesdays, 2:00 pm. Program is a repeat of the Thursday Preschool Storytime.

Baby & Me Storytime: (Birth-18 mos) Wednesdays, 10:00 am.

Toddler Time: (18-36 mos) Wednesdays, 10:30 am.

Preschool Storytime: (3-5 yrs) Thursdays, 10:30 am.

East Lake Community Library

Children’s Thanksgiving Craft: (All ages) Saturday, November 11, 1:00 pm. Come and make a fun holiday decoration. Registration required.

Teen Puppet Theatre: (All ages) Mondays and Thursdays, 7:00 pm. Our Teen Library Council writes, produces and stars in amazing puppet shows every week.

Bedtime Story Time: (Birth-3 yrs) Tuesdays, 10:15 am.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 11:00 am.

Bedtime Story Time: (All ages) Wednesdays, 7:00 pm. A craft and story before bedtime with a “casual” dress-code – pajamas!

Gulf Beaches Public Library

Storytime: Wednesdays, 10:30 am.
Family Movie: Saturday, November 18, 2:00 pm. Cars

Homework Center: Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 3:30 pm. Grades 1-5. Call to register.

Gulfport Public Library

After School Fun with Crafts: Fridays, November 3 & 17, 4:00 pm.

Bedtime Storytime: Thursdays, November 9 & 30, 6:30 pm.

Family Club Night: Saturday, November 18, 2:00 pm.

Largo Public Library

Baby Sign: (Birth- 17 mos) Mondays, 10:00-10:30 am. Enhance communication with your baby long before they can speak using simple ASL signs. Registration required for this four-week workshop.

Toddler Sign: (18-36 mos) Mondays, 11:00-11:30 am. Learn basic ASL signs the fun musical way while enriching communication with your toddler. Registration required for this four-week workshop.

Ready-Set-Games! (Grades 1-6) Mondays, 4:00-6:00 pm. Test your skill against an opponent in a match of strategy.

Family Story Night: (Ages 3-7) Mondays, 7:00-7:30 pm. Pajamas are encouraged and don’t forget your favorite cuddly to hug!

Two School Storytime: (Ages 1-3) Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:00 am.

Pre-School Storytime: (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays & Thursdays, 11:00 am.

Baby Rhyme Time: (6-12 mos) Wednesdays, 1:00 pm.

Toddler Rythme Time: (Ages 1-3) Wednesdays, 11:00 am.

Pre-School Rhyme Time: (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 1:00 pm.

Family Storytime: (All ages) Saturdays, 10:30 am.

Largo K-Kids Club: Friday, November 10, 3:00-3:50 pm. A student-led service organization for the home schooled and elementary school students who are dedicated to library and community service. Brought to you in partnership with the Kiwanis Club of Largo/Mid-Pinellas and the Largo Public Library.

Oldsmar Public Library

Storytime with Oliver the Big White Dog: Saturday, November 11, 10:00am-12:00 pm.

Thanksgiving Program for Preschoolers: (Ages 3 & up) Thursday, November 16, 10:00 am.

Palm Harbor Public Library

Mother Goose Story Time: (Birth-2 yrs) Sat., Nov. 18, 10:00 am.

Toddler Story Time: (18-36 mos) Mondays, 10:00 & 11:00 am.

Granny Jane's Stories: (All ages) Wednesdays, 1:30 pm.

Bedtime Bash: (Ages 3 & up) Mondays, 7:00 pm. Bedtime stories--Don’t forget to bring your teddy bear!
**Children’s Programs**

**American Girls-Meet Kirsten:** (Ages 7-12) Saturday, November 4, 10:30 am. Pioneer crafts, music, and games reflecting the daily life of this American Girl character. Registration required.

**Wacky Wednesday:** (Ages 6-12) Wednesday, November 15, 3:30-7:30 pm. What’s wrong in the Children’s Room?? Fill in your entry form with all the unusual things you see. Every entrant receives a free book, and prizes will be awarded for the best library sleuths!

**Book Harvest Festival:** (Ages 3 & up) Saturday, November 18, 1:30-3:30 pm. Celebrate books with children’s authors, storytelling, book signings, Reading Dogs, a “Character Cupcake Walk,” and more. Fun for the entire family!

**The following children's programs all require in-person pre-registration.**

**Our Native Friends:** (Ages 6-8) Monday, November 20, 1:30-2:30 pm. Discover traditions of our Native American friends through crafts and stories.

**Abrakadoodle Mini-Doodles:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesday, November 21, 1:30-2:30 pm. A wonderful art education experience for preschoolers!

**Camp Manners:** (Ages 8-12) Tuesday & Wednesday, November 21 & 22, 10:00-11:30 am. Brush up on your manners and etiquette just in time for those holiday family gatherings!

**Abrakadoodle – Chameleon Doodles:** (Ages 8-12) Saturday, November 25, 1:30-2:30 pm. An art experience using color and various techniques – take home a framed painting of your completed project! ($5 materials fee required at registration.)

**Pinellas Park Public Library**

**Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 10:00-10:30 am.

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Birth-3 yrs) Tuesdays, 10:45-11:05 am & Wednesdays, 10:30-10:50 am.

**Story Time Celebration:** (Ages 3 & up) Tuesdays, 7:00-7:30 pm.

**Chess Club:** Mondays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Beginner instruction (3:00-4:00 pm); Advanced instruction (4:00-5:00 pm). Free play encouraged during club hours.

**Evening Mother Goose:** (Younger children) Thurs., 7:30-7:30 pm.

**YU-GI-OH Tournament:** (Younger children) Thurs., 7:00-7:30 pm. Prizes awarded. Co-sponsored by Wal-Mart.

**Safety Harbor Public Library**

**Baby Time:** (Birth-11 mos) Fridays, 9:45 am. Registration required. Baby and Me: (Birth-18 mos) Mon., 9:45 am. Registration required. 1st Steppers: (Ages 1-3) Fridays, 10:30 am. Registration required. Toddle Time: (18-30 mos) Mon., 10:30 am. Registration required. Young Storytimmers: (Birth-2 ½ yrs) Tuesdays, 10:30 am. Preschool Storytime: (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 1:30 pm. Players of Safety Harbor Youth Theatre Troupe: (Ages 7-10) Wednesdays, 4:30-5:30 pm. Registration required. Family Storytime: (All ages) Mondays, 7:00 pm.

**St. Pete Beach Public Library**

**Mother Goose Time:** (Birth – 3 yrs) Tuesday, November 7, 21 and 28, 10:30 & 11:30 am.

**Dolphin Club:** (Ages 3 & up) Tuesdays, 4:00 pm. Longer stories and sometimes crafts.

**Sunshine State Young Readers Reading Club:** (Grades 3-5) Tuesday, November 14, 5:00 pm. Discussion of Quake! Disaster in San Francisco by Gayle Langor Kaworski.

**Library in the Park:** Thursday, November 16, 4:00 pm. Stories, a craft and outdoor play. At Hurley Park, 1501 Gulf Way.

**Sister City Tea Party:** Saturday, November 18, 3:00 pm. Have a snack and a chat with Heather Humby and June Hall of Sandown, Isle of Wight, England.

**Tucker the Reading Therapy Dog:** Tuesday, November 21, 3:00 pm. Practice reading aloud.

**St. Petersburg Public Library System**

**Main Library**

**After-School Program:** (Ages 6-12) Tuesdays, 4:00 pm.

**Junior League Puppet Show:** Tuesday, November 7 & 21, 10:00 am. Officer Buckle and Gloria & Impatient Pamela Call 911.

**Mother Goose:** (Infant-3 yrs) Fridays, 9:30 am & 10:30 am.

**Preschool Story Time:** (3-5 yrs) Wednesdays, 10:00 am.

**Family Story & Craft:** (3-8 yrs) Thursdays, 7:00 pm.

**Young Magicians:** (7-16 yrs) Saturday, November 4, 10:00 am. Teaching the art of illusion to children.

**Johnson Branch**

**Preschool Story Time:** (3-5 yrs) Fridays, 9:45 & 10:15 am.

**Mirror Lake Branch**

**Humpty Dumpty:** (Infants-crawlers) Mondays, 10:30 am & Wednesdays, 3:30 pm.

**Jack & Jill:** (Walkers-3 yrs) Mon., 9:45 am & Wed., 4:15 pm.

**Preschool:** (3-5 yrs) Thursdays, 10:00 am.

**North Branch**

**Mother Goose:** (Birth-3 yrs) Mondays, 11:00 am & Wednesdays, 10:00 am.

**Preschool Storytime:** (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 11:00 am.

**South Branch**

**Mother Goose:** (Birth-3 yrs) Thursdays, 10:00 am.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 10:30 am.

**Craft Club:** (All ages) Saturday, November 4, 2:00 pm. Learn new craft & share ideas!

**Newberry Book Club:** (Ages 8-12) Tuesday, November 14, 4:30 pm.

**West Community Library**

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays & Wednesdays, 10:00 am.

**Mother Goose:** (Birth-3 yrs) Tuesdays & Wednesdays, 11:00 am.

**After School Program:** (Ages 5-10) Thursday, November 16, 3:30 pm. Stories, songs, puppets, poetry and activities a craft. Thanksgiving Tales.

**Seminole Community Library**

**Toddler Storytime:** (18-36 mos) Tuesdays & Thursdays, 10:30 am.

**Pre-School Storytime:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 11:00 am.

**Twilight Tales:** (Pre-school-2nd grade) Mondays, 6:30 pm.

**Family Movie:** Saturdays, 2:00 pm. Films for all ages—free popcorn and sodas.

**November 4:** No Movie

**November 11:** No Movie

**November 18:** No Movie

**November 25:** Hoot

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**

**Preschool Story Time:** (3-8 yrs) Thursdays, 10:15 am.

**Mother Goose Toddler Time:** (Ages 1-3) Fridays, 10:15 am. Registration required.

**Craft Saturdays:** Saturdays, 10:00 am-3:00 pm. A different craft each week.

**FCAT Preparation:** Wednesday, November 1 & 8, 3:30 pm. Witty Writing Workshop. Children must have completed 1st grade to attend. Registration required.

**Craft Club:** (Ages 6-12) Friday, November 3, 4:30 pm. Registration required.

**Storytelling Workshop:** Saturday, November 4, 11:00 am. Performance by Emily Harris, of folktales and personal stories followed by advice on how to find, tell and share stories.

**Groom Your Room:** (Ages 9-12) Saturday, November 4, 2:00 pm. Create decorating accents to jazz up your room. Registration required.

**Youth Chess Club:** Monday, November 6 & 20, 3:30 pm-4:30 pm. All ages and skill levels welcome.

**Reading Club:** (Ages 9-13) Saturday, November 18, 2:00 pm. Flush by Carl Hiaasen. Registration required.
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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

NOVEMBER 11, 10 A.M.
The Flamingo Rising: A Discussion at the Beach
Theater with Margo Hammond and Steve Persall of the
St. Petersburg Times
St. Pete Beach Theater
315 Corey Ave.

NOVEMBER 15, 12 P.M.
Book Talking with Iris
Largo Public Library

NOVEMBER 12, 1:30 P.M.
Book to Film Discussion
Largo Public Library
120 Central Park Drive

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10
2:00 pm
Closing Event:
The Author’s Program
LARGO PUBLIC LIBRARY
(727) 587-6715

For more information on Read Around Pinellas events, visit the PPLC Web site at www.pplc.us or check your local public library.