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# Program Guide

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## “STEAM-UP”

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The Pinellas Public Library Cooperative’s Deaf Literacy Center held a Deaf Teen camp “STEAM-UP” (science, technology, engineering, arts and math) for twenty five Deaf and Hard of Hearing high school students this past August 11 – 15, 2014. The camp was hosted at the St Petersburg College Clearwater Campus. The goal of the camp was to educate, encourage and inspire Deaf/HH teens about STEAM possible future careers as well as to foster teamwork, leadership and citizenship. Students participated in a board range of interactive STEAM activities, hands-on and math workshops and educational site visits (ConMED-Linvatec, Raytheon and ZVRS) geared toward careers in STEAM.

At the week-long camp, students were able to interact with Deaf/HH professionals like Fred Beam, a high school math instructor Jenny Locy, a Regional Outreach manager at Z Video Relay Service, Rose Hukins, a Deaf Video phone installer for Sorenson Communications and Bill Irwin, a Deaf Professional Photographer among other. The camp ended with a student lead presentation of skills learned and a trip to MOSI in Tampa.

The camp was funded by in part a St. Petersburg College National Science Foundation grant. Event community partners/collaborator include: Family Center on Deafness, ZVRS, Sorenson Communications, Invisible hands and Deaf community volunteers!



# Adult Programs

## Clearwater Public Library System

### Main Library

**Chess Club:** Tuesdays, 1:00-3:00 pm. Chess instructor, Yulia Ruane, will teach adults on all levels. Boards provided.

**Board Game Club:** Thursday, October 16, 5:00-6:30 pm. Board games will be supplied.

**Halloween Horror Afternoon:** Thursday, October 30, 11:00 am-5:00 pm. View these classic black and white movies: “*The Thing*” (1951), “*Them*” (1959), and “*The Giant Claw*” (1957). Games and prizes to follow each film showing.

**Galleries:** PAVA hosts their fall show *Autumn Color*.

**Meet the Author:** Wednesday, October 8, 1:00-3:00 pm. Local author Thom Barrett will sign copies of his novel *Everywhere an Angel* at the Information Desk.

### Beach Branch

**Florida SunCoast Chorus – Barbershop Harmony:** Wednesday, October 1, 6:00-6:45 pm.

**Clearwater Beach Shell Crafter’s Club:** Thursdays, October 9, 23, 1:00-3:00 pm.

To join, please call 447-5882.

**Writer’s Support Group:** Wednesdays, October 1, 15, 1:00-3:00 pm.

### Countryside Branch

**2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday @ the Countryside Library:** October 11, 12:00-5:00 pm. A series of programs on a variety of topics.

**Aging Well on the Road:** Wednesday, October 22, 12:00-1:00 pm. A health lecture delivered by physicians from Baycare Health. Check for meeting topics. Registration is requested. Call 953-6821.

**Big Screen Biographies:** Wednesdays, 2:00-3:00 pm. October 1 – Boris Karloff, October 8 – Tutankhamun, October 15 – John Wayne, October 22 – Susan B. Anthony, October 29 – King George VI.

**Fabulous Ferns – How to Make Your Ferns Outstanding:** Thursday, October 23, 2:30-3:30 pm.

**Florida in the Movies:** Sunday, October 5, 1:00-2:30 pm. Based on her book, *Sunshine In the Dark*, Susan Fernandez, Professor Emeritus, USF St. Petersburg, will use clips and stills from movies and talk about how the state is portrayed in independent and studio films.

**Patrick Smith’s Florida IS a Land Remembered:** Thursday, October 30, 2:30-3:45 pm.

**Socrates Café @ Countryside Library:** Sunday, October 26, 2:00-3:00 pm. Open discussions on the book by Christopher Phillips. For more information visit [facebook.com/groups/287110008100641/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/287110008100641/).

### North Greenwood Branch

**What’s Going on Café:** Thursday, October 16, 5:00-6:30 pm. A place where the community meets to listen and be heard on the topics that shape our world.

**Thursday Afternoon @ the Movies (adults only please):** Thursday, October 2, 2:00-4:45 pm.

### East Branch

**Chess Club for Adults:** Wednesdays, 1:00-4:00 pm. Boards are provided.

**A Stitch in Time Charity Stitching Group:** Fridays, 2:00-4:30 pm. Weekly get-together to create items to donate for anyone in need.

**ESOL Tutoring:** Mondays, October 6, 20, 27, 4:00-6:00 pm. Literacy tutors and students practice Conversational English.

**Citizenship Class:** Thursday, October 2, 5:00-6:00 pm. Learn about the process to become a citizen.

**Socrates Café:** Saturday, October 18, 2:00-4:00 pm. Join in a philosophical discussion.

**Yo Me Cuido:** Saturday, October 4, 2:00-3:00 pm. Moffitt Cancer Center offers health information for Hispanic women.

### Dunedin Public Library

**Socrates Café:** Saturday, October 4, 10:00 am-12:00 pm. We meet the first Saturday of each month. All are welcome.

**Dunedin Garden Club:** Saturday, October 4, 1:00 pm. The Dunedin Garden Club meets the first Saturday of most months. For more information please call 447-6814.

**Medicare Seminar – “Medicare 101”:** Wednesday, October 8, 2:00 pm. This free, unbiased seminar will be presented by a specially trained S.H.I.N.E. volunteer from the Florida Department of Elder Affairs and the Pinellas/Pasco Area Agency on Aging.

**Introducing the iPad, Part 1:** Monday, October 13, 1:00-2:30 pm. We’ll use the Library’s iPads. Class size is limited. Registration is required. To register, call 298-3080 x1707 or sign up at the Adult Reference Desk.

**Introducing the iPad, Part 2:** Wednesday, October 15, 1:00-2:30 pm. We’ll use the Library’s iPads. Class size is limited. Registration is required. To register, call 298-3080 x1707 or sign up at the Adult Reference Desk.

**Dunedin Community Garden Series – “Grow Big with Micro Irrigation”:** Saturday, October 18, 10:00 am.

**Musical Performance by The Dedicated Dulcimers of Dunedin:** Tuesday, October 28, 7:00 pm.

**Casual Scrabble Club:** Join us the first and third Mondays of the month at 6:00 pm. Please bring your own board. Adults and teens, high school age and up are welcome.

**Job Club:** Tuesdays, 9:30-10:55 am. The Job Club is sponsored by CareerSource Pinellas, formerly WorkNet Pinellas. To attend, each person must be a registered job seeker in Employ Florida, the state’s sponsored job board, [www.employflorida.com](http://www.employflorida.com). You may attend your first meeting without being registered. The purpose of the group is to support and encourage each other in their job search, as well as to share ideas and network.

**Tuesdays at Two Film Program:** Movies are shown at 2:00 pm in the Community Meeting Room.

**Chess Club:** Tuesdays, 5:00-7:00 pm.

**SCORE Small Business Counseling:** Free. The second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 298-3080 ext 1707 for an appointment, or sign up at the Adult Information Desk. To learn more about S.C.O.R.E. visit their website at [www.scorepinellas.org](http://www.scorepinellas.org).

**Free Medicare Counseling with S.H.I.N.E.:** Every Wednesday. Free unbiased counseling on Medicare and other health-related issues. To set up an appointment, call 298-3080, ext 1707.

**Conversation Club:** Every Wednesday, 5:45 pm. Adult learners of English are welcome to attend and bring along their children. Child care is provided for pre-school and school-age children, with homework help available from an adult volunteer and teen helpers in the adjacent story time room.

**Genealogy Assistance:** Thursdays, 1:00-3:00 pm in Study Room 4. Members of The Caladesi Chapter of the DAR are here to assist you.

**Dunedin Writers Group:** Fridays, 9:30 am.

**Literacy Program:** The Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas (LCUP), located at the Dunedin Public Library, is looking for tutors. For additional information please call the Literacy Office at 298-3080 ext 1724 or visit the website at [www.lcupinfo.com](http://www.lcupinfo.com).

**Outreach Program for Adults:** If someone you know is homebound in Dunedin and would like monthly deliveries of library materials (books and CD books), please call our Outreach Department at 298-3080, ext 1721.

### East Lake Community Library

**In the Pink:** October 1-31. Support Breast Cancer Awareness Month by making a donation for our “In the Pink” accessories!

**Early Stage Dementia Support Group:** Wednesday, October 1, 11:00 am.

**Beginner’s Bridge:** Every Monday, 1:00 pm. Make your reservation today!

**Night Life@ The Library:** Wednesday, October 8, 6:30-7:45pm. Registration required – space is limited. Call for information about this month’s workshop (727) 773-2665.

**Edward Jones Financial Workshop: Securing Your Retirement:** Thursday, October 9, 12:30pm. Join Jeff Mizner, from Edward Jones, along with Carl Quaglia, a guest speaker from Blackrock, for this special seminar on securing your retirement, including such topics as how Social Security benefits work for you and your spouse, when and how to start receiving Social Security and opportunities to increase your benefits through retirement. Reservations are required, please call Edward Jones at 727-787-1419.

**Thrilling Tales:** Friday, October 10, 1:30 pm. A story time for adults. No pre-registration necessary.

**Identity Theft Class:** Saturday, October 11, 9:00 am. Learn how to protect yourself from Identity Theft when using the computer and how to best protect yourself from this modern day crime. Please call to reserve a spot. (727)773-2665.

**Discovering the World’s First Arctic Submarine:** Saturday, October 11, 2:00 pm. Dr. Stewart B. Nelson, oceanographer and past president of the American Oceanic Organization, will explore the fascinating tale of the Nautilus, an Arctic submarine expedition in 1931. The lecture will be followed by a book signing of his book *Sabotage in the Arctic: Fate of the Submarine Nautilus of 1931*. No preregistration is necessary.

**Palm Harbor Garden Club:** Monday, October 13, 9:30 am. Craig Huegal will speak about Wildflowers in your landscapes.

**Writers’ Critique Group:** Mondays, October 13 & 27, 6:00pm. This is a workshop for writers of all levels. No registration required.

**SHINE Medicare Help:** Tuesday, October 14, 21 & 28, 12:30-3:30 pm. Free, confidential, unbiased help with all Medicare questions, long-term care planning, and prescription assistance resources.

**Educational Workshop for Social Security Timing:** Saturdays, October 18 & 25, 10:00 am. Plan Well, Retire Well...Strategies to maximize your Social Security Income for ages 58 - 66. You must register at [www.SocialSecuritySaturdays.com](http://www.SocialSecuritySaturdays.com) or call 1-800-815-1334.

**Sylvie’s iPad Class:** Saturday, October 18, 2:30 pm. Learn all the features and benefits of your I-PAD. Registration is required, call for more info. (727)773-2665.

**Using Social Media to Market your Book or Business:** Monday, October 20, 6:30 pm. This program presented by Paula Knipps will discuss how to use such online Social Media tools as Facebook, Twitter, Linked-In, etc., to publicize your book (or business). Geared to the non-technical computer user.

**ELCL Author Showcase:** Tuesday, October 21, 6:30-7:45 pm. James Swain is the national best-selling author of fourteen mystery novels. For more information on this author, please go to [www.jimswain.com](http://www.jimswain.com).

**Fiber Arts Group:** Wednesday, October 22, 6:00 pm. Bring any projects you are working on.

**Sylvie’s Kindle Class:** Saturday, October 25, 2:30 pm. East Lake Library has Kindles you can use during the class and you can borrow one with your Library card to try at home. Registration is required. Call the library for more details.

### Gulf Beaches Public Library

**International Film Movement:** October 7, 4:00 pm. 2 *Autumns*, 3 *Winters*.

**World of Humor Film:** October 28, 4:00 pm.

**Investment Club:** Thursdays, 2:30 pm.

**Scrabble:** Fridays, 1:00-4:00 pm.

**Writer’s Group:** Mondays, 10:00 am -12:00 pm. We welcome all writers. Bring a few pages of your current work in progress to be critiqued by the group.

### Gulfport Public Library

**Free Thinkers Open Twelve Step Meeting:** Tuesdays, 5:45-6:45 pm, FMI, call 727-360-9069.

**Gulfport Prompt Short Story Writers:** Wednesdays, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

**Gulfport Toastmasters:** Wednesdays, 6:00-7:30 pm. FMI, call 727-827-7875.

# Adult Programs

**Women's AA Club:** Fridays, 5:45-6:45 pm.

**Free Family Movie Day:** Saturday, October 18, two movies, starting at 10:30 am and 1:30 pm. For movie titles, call 727-893-1074.

**Home Gardening Class:** Saturday, October 25, 2:00-3:00 pm. Topic: TBD.

**Acoustic Jam:** Monday, October 27, 5:00-7:00 pm. FMI, call 727-893-1073 & ask for Alex.

**SCORE-Small Business Counseling:** Tuesday, October 28, get free and confidential advice from locally based business mentors. Call to set up an appointment, 727-893-1073.

## Largo Public Library

**Adult beginners Sign Language:** Wednesdays, October 1, 15 & 29, November 12 and December 10, 6:00 pm. ASL course that includes basic Sign Language vocabulary, daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

**Adult Intermediate Sign Language:** Wednesdays, October 1, 15 & 29, November 12 and December 10, 7:00 pm. ASL course that includes basic Sign Language vocabulary, daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

**Movies on Mondays:** Mondays, 1:00 pm, October 6 & 13. Join us for a Monday matinee themed for Hispanic Heritage Month. Popcorn and drinks will be provided. Call 727-587-6715 for movie titles.

**Crafter Dark:** Tuesday, October 7, 6:00 pm. Adults are welcome to bring children who are 10 years or older.

**Story Circle Writers' Group:** Wednesday, October 1, 6:00 pm.

**Poets Live:** Monday, October 13, 6:30 pm.

**Socrates Cafe:** Thursday, October 9, 1:00 pm.

**English Language Learning Conversation Club:** Mondays, October 6, 13, 20, 27, 10:00am.

**Documentation:** Wednesday, October 1, 10:00 am. Participate in this introductory course on the content of proper source citations and the use of modern genealogy programs to enter these citations.

**Family Tree Maker User Group:** Saturday, October 4, 10:00 am. Q&A and a demonstration of how to use the Family Tree Maker genealogical database software.

**Genealogical Proof:** Monday, October 6, 10:00am. This class explains how to evaluate the evidence that we collect as we build our family trees.

**England & Wales Genealogy:** Wednesday, October 8, 10:00am-4:00 pm. This class features a morning lecture followed by an afternoon workshop with individual assistance for those searching for personal records in their research related to England and Wales.

**Genealogy Software Utilities - Part 2:** Monday, October 13, 6:00 pm. View a demonstration of several utility programs useful for genealogy such as: Dropbox, Skype, Google Voice, Google Earth, Evernote, and many more.

**Computers in Genealogy:** Saturday, October 18, 10:00 am. Question and answer session on the use of computers in genealogy research and record keeping.

**Pinellas by the Decades:** Saturday, October 18, 11:00 am. Presented by the Pinellas Historical Society.

**Newspapers in Genealogy:** Monday, October 20, 6:00 pm. Learn how to use newspapers to discover facts and human interest stories about your ancestors.

**Naturalization Records:** Tuesday, October 21, 6:00 pm. This class explains the naturalization process, what information can be found in the records, and where those records can be found.

**Ancestry.com:** Wednesday, October 22, 10:00 am. Discover search techniques for getting the most from this huge collection of databases.

**Courthouse Records:** Monday, October 27, 6:00 pm. Discover what types of records are available, where and how to find them, and the use for them in genealogy research.

**Homestead Act:** Tuesday, October 28, 10:00 am. This class reviews the historical and political significance of the 1862 Homestead Act and examines the genealogical value of the associated records.

**Brick Walls:** Wednesday, October 29, 10:00 am. This class will offer some ideas and suggestions for overcoming dead ends in your family history research.

**Family History Assistance Day:** Saturday, October 11, 12:00-4:00 pm. Genealogists from the Pinellas Genealogy Society will be on hand to help you find your ancestors. Free, individual assistance will be provided to each person who attends. Be sure to bring what you know (names, dates, places of birth, death, marriage, residence) concerning your parents, grandparents, and great-grandparents. We will help you find earlier generations.

**Author Book Signing - E.W. Skinner:** Saturday, October 18, 1:00-4:00 pm. Visit with local author, E.W. Skinner and purchase a signed copy of her new book, *St. Blair: Children of the Night*.

**English Language Learning Tutor Training & Orientation:** Saturday, October 18, 10:00am-4:00 pm. Training, Tuesday, October 21, 6:00-8:00 pm. Program Orientation. The full-day training session on Saturday is meant to educate new tutors and provide them with the proper toolkit to develop successful tutor/student learning relationships. This will be followed by an ELL program orientation for the new tutors on Tuesday evening. Both sessions are required. Refreshments and a brown bag lunch will be provided on Saturday. If you are interested in attending the tutor training course, please register online at [tinyurl.com/ELLtutor-registration](http://tinyurl.com/ELLtutor-registration) or contact Nancy Coleman-Romanos, ELL Librarian, [ncoleman@largo.com](mailto:ncoleman@largo.com), 727-587-6715 ext. 2547.

## Oldsmar Public Library

**Movies & Popcorn:** First Friday of the month, 1:00 pm, Call the library for movie title.

**Writer's Group:** Saturday, October 4, 10:00 am-12:00 pm, Library Conference Room. New group forming for all interested writers. For more information call 813-855-5006.

**Spanish Language Learning Conversation Club:** First and Third Monday of the month (beginning October 6) 6:30-8:00 pm, Library Conference Room, New group forming for Spanish language learners to practice their conversation skills. For more information call 813-855-5006.

**FL.O.W. Driver License Bus:** Monday, October 6, 9:00am-3:00 pm, driver license renewals, replacements, name & address changes, out of state to Florida changes. Bring required documents: <http://www.gathergoget.com> For more information see: <http://www.oldsmarlibrary.org/flow.pdf>.

**SCORE-Small Business Counseling:** First and Third Tuesday of the month, 10:00 am-12:00 pm & 1:00-3:00 pm, Free 1 hour one-on-one session with a SCORE business counselor. Register at the Library's Reference desk or by phone (813) 749-1181.

**Poetry Group:** First Wednesday of the month, 6:00-7:30 pm, For more information call 727-251-4754.

**Local author Ann O'Farrell:** Thursday, October 9, 7:00 pm, the author will talk about Ireland & her novels, program hosted by the Friends of the Oldsmar Library, no registration required.

**Bloodmobile:** Tuesday, October 28, 10:00 am-1:00 pm, Library parking lot, <http://www.oneblood.org/>

## Palm Harbor Public Library

**Socrates Cafe:** Thursday, October 2, 6:00-7:45 pm and Thursday, October 16, 1:00-2:45 pm.

**Medicare 101:** Monday, October 6, 1:00-3:00 pm. This seminar, conducted by Torrey Craig, SHINE representative (Serving the Health Insurance Needs of Elders), helps you learn everything you ever wanted to know about Medicare but were afraid to ask.

**Master Gardener Lecture Series:** Thursday, October 9, 2:00-3:30 pm. The Pinellas County Master Gardeners sponsor the program "Orchids and Epiphytes." Admission is free but space is limited. To reserve a seat, call Pinellas County Extension at (727) 582-2603.

**Friday Movie Matinee:** Friday, October 10, 2:00-4:00 pm. Refreshments provided. Call the library at (727) 784-3332 x. 3006 for movie title. Registration required.

**Medicare Assistance:** Every Monday from October 13-December 1, 1:00-5:00 pm. Torrey Craig meets with seniors one-on-one to assist them in better understanding Medicare and to answer questions. Please schedule an appointment by phoning 1-800-963-5337 or by stopping at the library's Adult Services Desk.

**Advanced Aging Empowerment Gang:** Friday, October 17, 1:00-3:00 pm. Learn what you can do to accept this life stage and develop self-empowerment skills. Register online at [palmharborlibrary.org](http://palmharborlibrary.org) or phone (727) 784-3332 x 3006. Facilitator: Audrey Lederman, accompanied by guest speakers.

**It's Not Just Fun in the Sun-Labor and Work in Florida:** Saturday, October 18, 1:00-2:30 pm. This presentation, by Dr. Steve Noll, takes us from Spanish days, through slavery and agriculture to today's service industries. This is the introductory program to the "Museums on Main Street" Smithsonian Exhibit co-sponsored by the Palm Harbor Museum. Light refreshments will be provided.

**Michelangelo Traveling Exhibit:** Monday, October 20 through Friday, October 24. Giant reproductions rendered in brightly colored images on lightweight satin fabric of the fascinating paintings and sculptures of Italian Renaissance master, Michelangelo, will be on display as part of our Italian/American Heritage Month celebration. It's only here for a few days so be careful not to miss it!

**Remembering Italian/American Heritage Month:** Friday, October 24, 2:00-4:00 pm.

A movie depicting Italy's history, culture, and people will be followed by a discussion facilitated by Mildred Cooper, President of Central Gulf Coast Lodge in Florida, Order of the Sons of Italy. Light refreshments provided. Registration required.

**Suncoast Genealogy Society, General Meeting:** Saturday, October 25, 1:00-4:30 pm. "Mini Fall Seminar with Ann Staley." Ms. Staley presents "Claws or Clues: Scratching for the Elusive Ancestor" and "Courthouses and the Records They Keep." Books will be available for purchase. Light refreshments provided. For registration information contact Ann James at (727) 791-1983 or email [jamesamsj@aol.com](mailto:jamesamsj@aol.com).

**Armchair Travel to Pompeii and Sicily:** Tuesday, October 28, 3:00-4:45 pm. Photos and discussion by Mildred Cooper will center on Pompeii and Sicily with many Italian items on display for your enjoyment. Light refreshments provided. Registration required.

**Remembering Italian/American Heritage Month:** Friday, October 31, 2:00-4:00 pm. A movie filmed in Sicily, Matera, Irsina, Naples, the island of Procida, Gubbio, Spoleto, Siena, and Rome is followed by a discussion facilitated by Mildred Cooper. Light refreshments provided. Registration required. Call library at (727) 784-3332, ext. 3006 for movie titles.

**Tai Chi for Movement and Balance:** Mondays and Wednesdays, Intermediate Level, 1:00-2:00 pm, Beginner Level, 2:00-3:00 pm. Join us for a fall-prevention program for seniors. Registration (in class) is necessary.

**Genealogy Assistance:** Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, 1:00-4:00 pm. This service is free of charge.

**Master Gardener Plant Clinic:** Wednesdays, 10:00 am-2:00 pm. The Pinellas County Master Gardeners provide a weekly gardening help desk for the public. No pre-registration is required.

**Conversation Classes:** Thursday, 6:30-7:30 pm. These classes are open to anyone who is learning English as a second language.

**John Brock Art Alcove:** October's featured artwork was created by artists from PAVA (Professional Association of Visual Artists), a nonprofit, state-wide organization. Additional information is available at [www.pavaartists.com](http://www.pavaartists.com).

**Call to Artists:** Want to see your art in the John Brock Art Alcove? During October and November we are accepting artist submissions for future exhibitions. Email [art@phlib.org](mailto:art@phlib.org) for more information.

**Individual Tutoring for the Deaf@ Deaf Literacy Center:** Call for appointment.

**Adult Beginners Sign Language:** Tuesdays September 2 – December 9, 6:00 pm. ASL course that includes basic Sign Language vocabulary, daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

**Adult Intermediate Sign Language:** Tuesdays September 2 – December 9, 7:00 pm. ASL course where you can learn daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

# Adult Programs

## Pinellas Park -Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

**Individual Tutoring for the Deaf @ Deaf Literacy Center:** Thursdays, 2:00-4:00 pm Call for appointment  
**Adult beginners Sign Language:** Thursdays September 4–December 11, 6:00 pm. ASL course that includes basic Sign Language vocabulary, daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

**Adult Intermediate Sign Language:** Thursdays September 4– December 11, 7:00 pm ASL course that includes basic Sign Language vocabulary, daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

**Writers Group:** October 18, 10:00 am-12:00 pm. Topic: Building Suspense.

**How to Write Your First Novel:** September 30 & October 7, 6:00-8:00pm. Free. Class space is limited, call to sign up: 727-541-0719.

**Plug Into Energy Savings:** October 29, 6:00-7:00 pm. Participants received free energy saving supplies! Sign up required: 727-541-0719.

## Safety Harbor Public Library

**Citywide Scavenger Hunt:** Saturday, October 18, 11:00 am. This family-friendly event will start at the library where teams will gather, then collect clues hidden at local businesses, and places in Downtown Safety Harbor. The hunt is limited to 12 teams of all ages, with at least one adult required per team. For more information or to register, call 727-724-1525 x4112 or email [shplref@cityofsafetyharbor.com](mailto:shplref@cityofsafetyharbor.com). Registration closes Friday, October 17.

**Creative Writers Group & Story Circle:** Wednesday, October 15, 6:00 pm. This group writes, shares, and encourages each other to preserve their life experiences.

**ESOL Conversation Club:** Mondays, October 6, 13, 20, & 27, 4:30-6:00 pm. Attend the ESOL conversation club to brush up on your English in an informal, comfortable session. Registration required.  
**Friends of the Library Book Sale:** Saturday, October 4, 9:00 am-3:00 pm. Books, CDs, DVDs, and more. All items in great condition, most only \$1.00.

**Friends Membership Gala featuring Comedian Juanita Lolita:** Thursday, October 16. Wine and cheese mingle at 6:30 pm. Show starts at 7:00 pm with the comedian, Juanita Lolita. The show is free and open to the public. All renewal and new memberships are entered to win a \$25 gift card to a local restaurant!

**Heart & Soul Cinema:** Sunday, October 19, 1:30 pm. *The Angriest Man in Brooklyn*. Starring Robin Williams in one of his last films. Rated R.

**Safety Harbor History and Ghost Walking Tour:** Tuesday, October 14, 7:00 pm. Presented by Yellow Snow Productions, the tour will last two hours and provide insight into paranormal life and explore the unique history of Safety Harbor. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Registration required.

**Safety Harbor Writers & Poets Library Group:** Thursday, October 23, 6:00 pm.

**SCORE-Small Business Counseling:** Tuesdays, October 14 & 28. Appointments available from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. Free and confidential small business advice.

**Tobacco Free Florida-Tools To Quit:** Saturday, October 4, 10:00 am -12:00 pm. To participate, please be ready to set a quit date 2-3 weeks after class. Registration required.

**Wine Tasting with Jon Marshall:** Thursday, October 30, 6:30 pm. Get a wine education before the Safety Harbor Wine Festival! Registration required.

**Adult Beginners Sign Language:** Mondays September 8 – December 8, 6:00 pm. ASL course that includes basic Sign Language vocabulary, daily phrases and facts about the Deaf community and culture. No registration required!

**Adult Intermediate Sign Language:** Mondays September 8 – December 8, 7:00 pm. ASL course that includes Conversational Sign Language, Stories, Songs and skits. No registration required!

**Individual Tutoring for the Deaf @ Deaf Literacy Center:** Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, call for appointment! (727) 724-1525 ext 120.

**Basic Deaf Literacy@ Deaf Literacy Center:** Includes reading, writing and computer skills. Call for appointment! (727) 724-1525 ext 120.

## St. Pete Beach Public Library

**Friends of the Library Annual Meeting:** 55<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. Wednesday, October 22, 6:00 pm  
**S.H.I.N.E. Programs by Bill Ferrari:** Medicare Advantage Plans, Monday, October 6, 10:30 am; Medicare Part D Drug Plans, Monday, October 20, 10:30 am.

## St. Petersburg Public Library System

### Main Library

**Financial Wellness Series:** Thursday, October 9, 11:00 am. *Identity Theft*. Presented by GTE Financial.

**Florida Writers Association:** Thursday, October 9, 5:30-7:30 pm. Monthly meeting featuring topical speakers. See <http://fwatpete.blogspot.com/> for speaker schedule.

**Contemporary Composers Chamber Concert:** Sundays, October 12 & 26, 3:00 -5:00 pm. See [www.thenewmusicconflagration.org](http://www.thenewmusicconflagration.org) for program information.

**Medicare Seminar- Medicare Advantage Plans:** Tuesday, October 14, 11:00 am. Learn about plans, including HMO's & PPO's. Presented by the Florida Department of Elder Affairs SHINE volunteers. Registration required, call 893.7928.

**Medicare Seminar-Prescription Drug Plans:** Tuesday, October 28, 11:00 am. Overview of Medicare Part D. Presented by the Florida Department of Elder Affairs SHINE volunteers. Registration required, call 893.7928.

**St. Pete Speaks ESL @ your library:** Accepting adult English language learners for no-cost tutoring. All skill levels welcome. Volunteers also need to work one-to-one with an adult English as a Second Language student to improve conversational English. Application & registration is required. For more information call 893.7929, email [ESL.library@stpete.org](mailto:ESL.library@stpete.org) or online at [www.splibraries.org/ESL.html](http://www.splibraries.org/ESL.html).

## Mirror Lake Branch

**Financial Wellness Series:** Saturday, October 18, 11:00 am. *Stretching your Dollar*. Presented by GTE Financial.

**Needle Craft Club:** Second and fourth Saturdays of each month, 1:00-3:00 pm. Needle crafts include knitting, crocheting, needlepoint, embroidery and quilting. All skill levels are welcome.

## North Branch

**Financial Wellness Series:** Saturday, October 4, 1:00 pm. *Money, Money, Money*. Presented by GTE Financial.

## South Branch

**Financial Wellness Series:** Thursday, October 30, 6:30 pm. *You can Own a Home!* Presented by GTE Financial.

**South Branch Knitting Guild:** (Age 8 & up) Every Thursday, 11:00 am. All attendees must bring their own yarn, needles & supplies. Crafters with all level of experience are welcome.

**Family Yarn Guild:** (Ages 8 & up) Second and fourth Saturdays of each month. All attendees must bring their own yarn, needles & supplies. Crafters with all level of experience are welcome.

**Reading Partners-Reading Buddies:** Elementary school children read aloud to adult volunteers. Call branch for more information.

## West Community Library

**St Petersburg Writer's Club:** First and third Thursdays, 6:30 pm.

**Financial Wellness Series:** Thursday, October 9, 6:30 pm. *Identity Theft*. Presented by GTE Financial.

**Halloween Celebration:** Tuesday, October 21, 6:30 pm. Deborah Frethem will speak about her latest book *Haunted Ybor City*. Thursday, October 23, 6:00 pm. Hear Dr Brandy Stark speak about *The Dead Don't Just Walk, They Dance! Zombies, Revenants & the Danse Macabre*

## Seminole Community Library

**7 Keys For Health & Enlightenment – Free Meditation Classes:** Saturday, October 4, 10:00am. Six consecutive Saturdays (October 4 - November 8). Requirements: cushion, pen, notebook, text *The Power of Now*, by Eckhart Tolle. For cancer, headaches, ulcers, insomnia, loneliness, sadness, backaches, smoking, depression, drugs, etc. Registration: 727-394-6909.

**Cinema at Sundown:** Thursday, October 9, 6:00 pm. *Good Morning, Vietnam* © Touchstone (1987). Thursday, October 23, 6:00 pm. *The Birdcage* ©MGM (1996). Free popcorn and soda courtesy of the Friends of the Seminole Library.

**Classic Movie Matinee:** Fridays, 1:00 pm. October 3: *It's a Wonderful World* © Warner Bros. (1939). October 10: *Dead Poets Society* © Touchstone (1989). October 17: *Awakenings* © Image Entertainment (1990). October 24: *Mrs. Doubtfire* © Twentieth Century Fox (1993). October 31: *The Uninvited* © Universal Pictures (1944). Free popcorn and soda courtesy of the Friends of the Seminole Library.

**Gizmos, Gadgets & Geezers:** Need help with your phone, laptop, tablet, MP3 player, or E-Reader? Members of the Library Youth Advisory Board are here to help you. To set up an appointment, contact the Youth Services Department at 727-394-6913.

**Pause for Poetry:** Wednesday, October 15, 7:00 pm. Spoken word encouraged. Writers and non-writers welcome.

**Seminole Chess Club:** Wednesday, October 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, 6:30-8:30 pm. For novice, intermediate and advanced players. Basic instruction not available at the meetings. Players should already know the moves, rules and etiquette of chess.

**Socrates Café:** Monday, October 20, 1:00 pm.

**Sunday Musicales:** Sunday, October 12, 3:00 pm. "Encore! Three Divas in Harmony" [classical vocalists].

**Two Towers Chess Club:** Monday, October 13, 27, 3:30-5:30 pm. All skill levels welcome.

**SPC Toastmasters:** Tuesdays, 6:15 pm.

## Tarpon Springs Public Library

**Genealogy Assistance:** One-on-one research help on Tuesday afternoons. Other times are available by appointment; please call the library.

**Tarpon Springs Fiction Writers:** Wednesdays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Critiques group dedicated for writers of fiction. Members must be actively writing a novel or short story. For more info, call David at (727) 942-9540 or Gino at (727) 808-0290.

**Writers Group:** Fridays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Bring your manuscript to read and have critiqued. Call Rebecca Roberts (727)940-4327, for more information.

**Needlecraft Group:** Monday, October 13 and Wednesday, October 22, 6:30-8:30 pm. Open to anyone who knits, crochets, embroiders, or does any other needlecraft. All skill levels are welcome.

**Managing Garden Pests:** Wednesday, October 15, 6:30 pm. Topics will include: integrated pest management; common weeds; harmful and beneficial insects; and scouting for pests in your garden. To register for event, please visit <http://bit.ly/1p9HmEH> or call the library at (727)943-4922.

**Genealogy Research Group:** Friday, October 17, 2:30-4:30 pm and Monday, October 20, 6:30-8:30 pm. Beginners and advanced researchers are welcome. Bring your laptop or call the library to reserve one.

**Cinema Saturday:** Saturday, October 18, 2:00 pm. Watch newly released movies! Seating is limited to the first 80 people. Call the library for the movie titles.

**African American Quilting Workshop:** Saturday, October 25, 10:00 am -2:00 pm. Eatonville's Ella Johnson Dinkins will teach African American quilting. Bring scissors, fabric, and thread to make a sample. For 20 adults and children ages 9 and up. Call (727)943-4922 to register.

**Double Feature Halloween Movie Mayhem:** Friday, October 31, 1:30 pm & 3:30 pm. Join us for a special double feature of family friendly Halloween movies. Showing at 1:00 pm will be a favorite Halloween classic film, a spooky kids movie will be at 3:30 pm. Seating is limited to the first 80 people. Call the library for the movie title.

# Teen Programs

## Clearwater Public Library System

### Main Library

**Game On!:** Wednesdays, 3:30- 6:30 pm. (Grades six to 12). Space, gaming consoles and video games provided. Bring your trading card decks and handheld gaming devices.

**Percy Jackson and the Heroes of Olympus Party:** Saturday, October 4, 2:00-4:00 pm. (Grades six to 12). Celebrate the release of the final book in the *Heroes of Olympus* series, *The Blood of Olympus* by Rick Riordan.

**Teen Group Story Café:** Friday, October 10, 3:30-4:30 pm. (Ages 13 to 18). Participating teens will write a progressive story online at [teengroupstory.wordpress.com](http://teengroupstory.wordpress.com) from 9/1/14 to 10/10/14. The finished story will be read and discussed October 10. Refreshments will be served and there will be a chance drawing.

**Manga Book Club:** Saturday, October 25, 2:00-4:00 pm. (Ages 13 to 18). Read and discuss different manga monthly.

**Bibliobots:** Wednesdays, October 8, 22, 29, 5:00-6:30 pm. We are accepting students in grades three to eight with competitive spirits and creative minds to form robotic teams using Lego Mindstorm EV3 kits. A fun S.T.E.A.M activity. Call for reservations.

### North Greenwood Branch

**Game Club:** Wednesday, October 1, 4:30-6:00 pm. Enjoy video gaming, music, board games, card games and friendly competition.

### East Branch

**Homework Help:** Thursdays, October 9, 23, 30, 3:30-5:30 pm. Reserve a 30-minute session up to one week in advance. Walk-ins will be accommodated as space is available and limited to 20-minute sessions.

**Video Gaming- Play & Learn:** Saturday, October 11, 2:30-4:30 pm. This event, sponsored by M & M Video Games, encourages children and families to learn and play video games together. Learn about the video gaming rating system, video game troubleshooting, and much more! Play some of your favorite games.

### Dunedin Public Library

**Please Note: All teen programs require registration. Registration begins two weeks prior to the program.**

**Dunedin Youth Volunteers:** Monday, October 6, 6:30 pm. Our teen volunteer group meets once a month to plan, assist and create programs for the youth of the community.

**Teen Haunted Ginger Bread Houses:** (Ages 12-18) Monday, October 13, 6:00 pm. Create your own scary gingerbread house. Materials provided. Registration is required.

**Princeton Review Strategy Session:** (High School Age) Saturday, October 18, 10:00 am. Practice tests will be returned. Learn a few tricks to improve your score. Registration is required.

**Teen Creative Writing Club:** (Teens) Monday, October 20, 6:00 pm. No registration is required.

### Gulfport Public Library

**Teen Hangout:** Wednesdays, 3:00-5:00 pm.

**Teen Anime Club:** Friday, October 10, 3:00-4:30 pm. Kick back & network with other fans. FMI, call 727-893-1133.

**Free Family Movie Day:** Saturday, October 18, Screening two newly released movies, starting at 10:30 am and 1:30 pm. For movie titles, call 727-893-1074.

### Largo Public Library

**Wii Warriors:** Thursday, October 2, 2:30- 5:30 pm. Ages 13-18.

**TLC (Teen Library Council):** Monday, October 13, 5:00-7:00 pm. Apply online or in-person to participate on the Teen Library Council. Earn volunteer hours while having fun creating and planning upcoming events at the library. Ages 13-18.

**Teen Read Week Book Giveaway:** Monday, October 13 - Friday, October 17. Complete daily activity sheets for a chance to win some of your favorite books. Prize drawing will be on Monday, October 20. Winners will be contacted. Ages 13-18.

**The Teen Scene:** Monday, October 20, 5:00-7:00pm. This program will include book trivia, bookmarking yourself, book speed dating, and more! Ages 13-18.

**Halloween Open House:** Thursday, October 30, 2:00- 5:30 pm. Join us for games, treats, do-your-own monster makeup, and crafts at this pre-Halloween celebration. Ages 13-18.

### Oldsmar Public Library

**Coffee House/(OTAB):** (Grades 6-12) Tuesday, October 21, 6:00 pm, Oldsmar Teen Advisory Board meeting - Enjoy refreshments & talk about the latest teen books/movies and help plan teen library programs. No registration required.

### Palm Harbor Public Library

**Youth Advisory Board (YAB):** (Ages 13-18) Thursday, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 5:00-6:00 pm. The Youth Advisory Board (YAB) strives to serve the Palm Harbor Library and community by planning relevant programs for the youth of Palm Harbor. Membership is open to all teens (ages 13-18) who complete a YAB application. Attendance at weekly meetings and participation in various service activities and programs is expected. Come join us! Hours may be counted for Bright Futures Scholarships.

**The Frank A. Weaner Teen Room Ribbon Cutting:** Thursday, October 9, 5:00 pm.

Join us for the ribbon cutting dedication of the Frank A. Weaner Teen Room. Naming rights for the Teen Room and financial support for enhanced teen services in the future are made possible through Mr. Weaner's generosity and Palm Harbor Library's partnership with the Greater Palm Harbor Chamber of Commerce Foundation.

**Shelter in Place:** (Ages 13 and up) Friday, October 10, 5:30-7:00 pm.

Zombies have invaded Palm Harbor Library! This is a fast-paced blend of live-action role-playing and tag! Registration required.

**Teen Reads Week Scavenger Hunt!:** (Ages 11-16) Wednesday, October 15, 6:30-8:00 pm. The library's closed, but we're still in for a good time! We'll provide the food and the fun; you provide the brains of the operation. Registration required.

**Anime Club:** (Ages 9-16) Monday, October 27, 4:30-5:30 pm.

### Pinellas Park – Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

**Teen Advisory Board:** The T.A.B. helps to plan and organize teen programs and events for the Library. 6:30 pm., October 16. If interested, speak to a staff member at the Youth Services desk or call 541-0716.

**Teen Book-to-Movie Club:** Wednesday, October 22, 5:30 pm. Read, watch books that have crossed over to the silver-screen. October Book: *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle.

**Teen Creative Writers Group:** October 8, 6:00-7:30 pm. Whether you write poetry, fiction, or even fanfiction, all genres and types are welcome.

**Around the World in a Year-Oktoberfest!:** Friday, October 16, 7:00-9:00 pm.

Teens are invited to join us after-hours at the library and celebrate the German festival, Oktoberfest! Registration is required and begins two weeks before the event. Call 727-541-0716 to sign up!

**Origami Workshop:** October 14, 6:30-8:00 pm. Learn the art of paper folding from our local origami expert, Virgil Manning. Registration is necessary. Call (727) 541-0716 to sign-up.

### Safety Harbor Public Library

**Sweet Ida Mae's "Sweet Treat Decorating Class":** (Grades 6-12) Sunday, October 5, 2:00 pm. Learn how to decorate Halloween cupcakes and other delicious treats. Registration required.

**Teen Library Advisory Board (TLAB):** Ages: 13+ Monday, October 6, 5:00-6:00 pm. Join TLAB and participate in planning and implementing programs for teens.

**Anime + Manga Club:** (Ages 13+\*) Second and fourth Tuesday of each month, 4:30 pm. Draw and watch anime films with fellow manga & anime fans. Call 727-724-1525 for more information. \*If under 13, you need a signed note from a parent.

**Teen Craft:** (Grades: 6-12) Thursday, October 16, 4:30 pm. Registration required.

**ZombieFest:** (Ages: 13+) Saturday, October 18, 2:00 pm. Watch a movie, eat some (brain) food, join our costume contest, and win prizes. Our theme this year is "Zombie Prom."

### St. Petersburg Public Library System

#### Main Library

**Tabletop Games Night:** (Ages 11-18) Thursday, October 16, 5:00- 7:30 pm. Classic board games, card games or miniatures. Bring your own games or borrow ours!

#### North Branch

**Teen Computer Squad:** Mondays, 2:30-5:30 pm, Wednesdays, 2:30-4:30 pm, Fridays, 3:00-5:30 pm, & Saturdays, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Receive computer help from our tech savvy teens appointments are on a first come first served basis.

#### West Community Library

**Teen Night:** (Ages 13-19) Monday, October 6, 6:00-7:00 pm. Halloween Party!

#### Seminole Community Library

**Library Youth Advisory Board (LYAB) General Meeting:** (grades 8-12) Thursday, October 16, 7:00-8:00 pm. For additional information, please stop by the Youth Services Department or call Ms. Porcelli at 727-394-6913.

**"Around the World" Tween Monday:** (Grades 5-7) Monday, October 13, 7:00-8:00 pm. Be sure to stop by the Youth Services department for the travel itinerary and optional reading list for each month. For additional information, please call Miss Fabrizio at 727-394-6913.

**Two Towers Chess Club:** (All ages) Monday, October 13 and 27, 3:30-5:30 pm.

**Seminole Chess Club:** (All ages) Wednesday, October 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, 6:30-8:30 pm. For novice, intermediate and advanced players. Basic instruction not available at the meetings. Players should already know the moves, rules and etiquette of chess.

**Pause for Poetry:** (All ages) Wednesday, October 15, 7:00 pm.

#### Tarpon Springs Public Library

**Free Practice ACT Exam:** (Ages Teen) Saturday, October 4, 10:00 am.

Get ready for the real thing with a free practice test. Know what to expect on test day, get a complete analysis of your results and learn exclusive strategies to improve your score. Parents and students will receive test results via email within 2 weeks. Space is limited. Call 1-800-Kap-test or register online at <http://tinyurl.com/TarponSpgsLib-KaplanFall2014>.

**Manga Book Club:** (Ages 12 and up) Monday, October 6 and 20, 7:30 pm. Each month new titles and series will be selected to read and discuss. Members will also enjoy watching popular anime episodes.

# Book Discussions

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## Clearwater Public Library System

### Main Library

**Book Lovers' Bistro:** Tuesday, October 7, 12:00-1:30 pm. Group meets over lunch to discuss past best sellers and popular titles. For more information and titles call 562-4970 ext. 5284.

**Circulo de Lectura:** Wednesday, October 22, 1:00-3:00 pm. Spanish language book discussion group. For more information and book discussion titles, call 562-4970 ext. 5284.

### Countryside Branch

**The Book Group @ Countryside:** Thursday, October 16, 2:30-3:30 pm. This month's interesting read, *The Light Between Oceans*, by L.M. Stedman.

### East Branch

**Mystery Readers Club:** Tuesday, October 21, 12:00-1:30 pm. A lively discussion on books covering the theme for the month.

### Dunedin Public Library

**Contemporary Books Discussion Group:** Tuesday, October 28, 7:00 pm. Topic: "Life After Life", by Kate Atkinson.

### East Lake Community Library

**ELCL Book Club:** Wednesday, October 1, 6:30-7:45 pm. This month's selection is *The Trial of Fallen Angels* by James Kimmel, Jr. For more information on the author, please go to, <http://www.jameskimmeljr.com>. No registration required.

### Gulf Beaches Public Library

**Chatterbooks:** Tuesday, October 21, 10:30 am. *The Day the Bathroom Ceiling Fell: And Other Entertainment*, by Jeanne Fuller.

### Gulfport Public Library

**Coffee/Talk Book Club:** Thursday, October 16, 11:00 am. This fall we discuss spiritual works, continuing with a selection from *The Koran*. Stop by the Circulation Desk to check out a copy. Coffee & light refreshments provided by our Circle of Friends.

### Largo Public Library

**Last Word Book Discussion Group:** Wednesday, October 1, 6:00 pm. *End of Days: The Assassination of John F. Kennedy* by James L. Swanson.

**Booktalking with Iris:** Wednesday, October 8, 12:00 pm. Listen to a talk on popular titles each month.

### Oldsmar Public Library

**Books and Brews - Book Discussion Group:** (Ages 21 and up) First Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm, meets at the Oldsmar Tap House (300 State Street East), October's book: *This is Where I Leave You* by Jonathan Tropper, book and movie discussion, No registration required.

### Palm Harbor Public Library

**Phil's Book Club:** Monday, October 6, 11:00 am-12:00 pm. Library Director Gene Coppola leads this book discussion on "The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry: A Novel" by Rachel Joyce.

### Pinellas Park – Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

**The Yonahlossee Riding Camp for Girls:** October 8, 6:30 pm. By Anton DiSclafani.

**The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel :** October 16, 2:00 pm. By Deborah Moggach.

### Safety Harbor Public Library

**Words & Wine Book Club:** Monday, October 20, 6:30 pm. Join us for our book club held at Whistle Stop Bar and Grill, 915 Main Street. October's title is *The Round House*, by Louise Erdrich. Limited copies of the book are available at the library.

**Books & Bagels Book Club :** Tuesday, October 21, 10:30 am. Join us for coffee and bagels at our new second book club. October's title is *Storied Life of A.J. Fikry*, by Gabrielle Zerlin. Limited copies of the book are available at the library.

Call for more information.

**Significant Events of 20<sup>th</sup> Century Safety Harbor, FL:** Thursday, October 2, 6:30 pm. Local history researchers Warren Firschein and Laura Kepner will present additional stories of the community from their book titled, *A Brief History of Safety Harbor, Florida*.

## St. Pete Beach Public Library

**Book Discussion Group:** Tuesday, October 21, 10:30 am. *Cleopatra: A Life* by Stacy Schiff.

**Book Discussion Group Film:** Tuesday, October 28, 10:30 am. *Antony and Cleopatra*.

## St. Petersburg Public Library System

### Main Library

**Speculative Fiction Movie Discussion & Book Club:** Saturday, October 4, 12:00 pm. *Ender's Game (film)* by Orson Scott Card.

**Modern Classics Book Club:** Thursday, October 16, 6:30 pm. *Invisible Man* by Ralph Ellison.

**The Real Deal Book Club:** Thursday, October 30, 6:30 pm. Call or check online for latest title.

### North Branch

**Thursday Morning Group:** Thursday, October 2, 11:00 am. *Terrorist* by John Updike.

**Murder by the Book (Mystery Book Club):** Thursday, October 9, 6:30 pm. Call or check online for latest title.

**Carl G. Jung Society Reading Group:** Saturday, October 11, 10:00 am.

### South Branch

**Book Club:** Wednesday, October 8, 2:00 pm. Call or check online for latest title.

**Mahogany Book Club:** Saturday, October 18, 12:00 pm. Call or check online for latest title.

### Seminole Community Library

**Backward Travelers Historical Fiction Book Discussion:** Tuesday, October 21, 2:00 pm. *Benjamin Franklin's Bastard* by Sally Cabot.

**Book Buzz!:** Tuesday, October 7, 2:00 pm. Drop by and enjoy chatting with other readers about your favorite books, plus hear the latest 'buzz' about what's new at the library.

**Booktalkers:** Wednesday, October 1, 2:00 pm. *Mr. Penumbra's 24 Hour Bookstore* by Robin Sloan.

**Great Books:** Wednesday, October 15, 2:00 pm. *Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, An American Slave* by Frederick Douglass.

**Super Novels:** Thursday, October 23, 2:00 pm. *Ironweed* by William Kennedy.

### Tarpon Springs Public Library

**Expand Your Horizons Book Club:** Wednesday, October 8, 3:30 pm. October's book will be *The Missing Manuscript of Jane Austen* by Syrie James.

**Mystery, Murder and Mayhem Book Club:** Wednesday, October 15, 7:00 pm.

The book choice for October is *First Degree* by David Rosenfelt. Light refreshments will be served.

**Books and Beyond Book Club:** Thursday, October 23, 12:30 pm.

October's book choice is *Exodus* by Leon Uris. If you are interested in joining, please call Sherri Patterson at (727)934-5926.

# Cooperative Libraries

## **Administrative Office** **Pinellas Public Library** **Cooperative**

1330 Cleveland Street  
Clearwater, FL 33755  
Phone: 441-8408  
Fax: 441-8938  
[www.pplc.us](http://www.pplc.us)

## **Born to Read**

1330 Cleveland Street  
Clearwater, FL 33755-5103  
Phone: (727) 441-8408  
Fax: (727)441-8938  
[www.pplc.us/borntoread](http://www.pplc.us/borntoread)

## **Deaf Literacy Center**

101 Second Street North  
Safety Harbor, FL 34695  
Phone: (727) 724-1525 x232  
Fax: (727) 724-1533  
TDD: (727) 724-1529  
<http://deafliteracycenter.org>

## **Talking Book Library**

1330 Cleveland Street  
Clearwater, FL 33755-5103  
Phone: (727) 441-9958  
[www.pplc.us/tbl](http://www.pplc.us/tbl)

## **Clearwater System**

### **Main Library & Offices**

100 N. Osceola Avenue  
Clearwater, FL 33755  
Phone: 562-4970  
<http://myclearwater.com/cpl>

### **Beach Branch**

69 Bay Esplanade  
Clearwater, FL 33767  
Phone: 562-4970

### **Countryside Branch**

2741 State Road 580  
Clearwater, FL 33761  
Phone: 562-4970

### **East Branch**

2251 Drew Street  
Clearwater, FL 33765  
Phone: 562-4970

### **North Greenwood Branch**

905 N. Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave.  
Clearwater, FL 33755  
Phone: 562-4970

## **Dunedin Library**

223 Douglas Avenue  
Dunedin, FL 34698  
Phone: 298-3080  
<http://dunedingov.com/library>

## **Friends Branch**

1920 Pinehurst  
Dunedin, FL 34698  
Phone: 812-4548

## **East Lake Community Library**

4125 East Lake Road  
Palm Harbor, FL 34685  
Phone: 773-2665  
<http://www.eastlakelibrary.org>

## **Gulf Beaches Library**

200 Municipal Drive  
Madeira Beach, FL 33708  
Phone: 391-2828  
<http://www.gulfbeacheslib.org>

## **Gulfport Library**

5501 28<sup>th</sup> Avenue South  
Gulfport, FL 33707  
Phone: 893-1074  
Fax: 344-6386  
Reference: 893-1073  
<http://www.mygulfport.us/gpl>

## **Largo Library**

120 Central Park Drive  
Largo, FL 33771  
Phone: 587-6715  
Reference: 587-6715  
TDD: 587-6778  
<http://www.largopubliclibrary.org>

## **Oldsmar Library**

400 St. Petersburg Drive East  
Oldsmar, FL 34677  
Phone: (813) 749-1178  
<http://www.oldsmarlibrary.org>  
E-mail: [information@oldsmarlibrary.org](mailto:information@oldsmarlibrary.org)

## **Palm Harbor Library**

2330 Nebraska Avenue  
Palm Harbor, FL 34683  
Phone: 784-3332  
<http://www.palmharborlibrary.org>

## **Barbara S. Ponce Public Library**

7770 52<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Pinellas Park, FL 33781  
Phone: 541-0718  
Reference: 541-0719  
<http://www.pinellas-park.com/library>

## **Safety Harbor Library**

101 2<sup>nd</sup> Street North  
Safety Harbor, FL 34695  
Phone: 724-1525  
<http://www.cityofsafetyharbor.com/library>

## **St. Pete Beach Library**

365 73<sup>rd</sup> Avenue  
St. Pete Beach, FL 33706  
Phone: 363-9238  
<http://www.stpetebeach.org>

## **St. Petersburg System** **Administrative Offices**

280 5<sup>th</sup> Street North  
St. Petersburg, FL 33701  
Phone: 893-7318

## **Main Library**

3745 Ninth Avenue North  
St. Petersburg, FL 33713  
Phone: 893-7724  
Reference: 893-7928  
<http://www.splibraries.org>

## **Childs Park Branch**

691 43<sup>rd</sup> Street South  
St. Petersburg, FL 33711  
Phone: 893-7714

## **James Weldon Johnson Branch**

1059 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue South  
St. Petersburg, FL 33705  
Phone: 893-7113

## **Mirror Lake Branch**

280 5<sup>th</sup> Street North  
St. Petersburg, FL 33701  
Phone: 893-7268

## **North Branch**

861 70<sup>th</sup> Avenue North  
St. Petersburg, FL 33702  
Phone: 893-7214

## **South Branch**

2300 Roy Hanna Drive S.  
St. Petersburg, FL 33712  
Phone: 893-7244

## **West Community Library**

@ SPC Gibbs Campus  
6700 8<sup>th</sup> Ave. North  
St. Petersburg, FL 33710  
Phone: 341-7199  
(Reduced hours when classes not in session)

## **Seminole Library**

9200 113<sup>th</sup> Street North  
Seminole, FL 33772-2800  
Phone: 394-6905  
<http://www.spcollege.edu/scl>  
(Reduced hours when SPC classes not in session)

## **Tarpon Springs Library**

138 E. Lemon Street  
Tarpon Springs, FL 34689  
Phone: 943-4922  
<http://tarponspringslibrary.org>  
Email: [tslibrary@pplc.us](mailto:tslibrary@pplc.us)

# Tech Programs

## Clearwater Public Library System

### Main Library

**Computer and e-Reader Help:** Wednesdays, 10:30 am-12:30 pm. Meet with library computer techs for assistance using e-readers, computers or the Internet. No registration required.

**Internet Basics:** Saturday, October 11, 1:00-2:00 pm. Learn the basics or refresh your technology skills.

**Intro to Excel:** Saturday, October 25, 1:00-2:00 pm. Learn the basics or refresh your technology skills.

### Beach Branch

**Computer Help with Ray:** Mondays, October 6, 20, 27, 1:00-3:00 pm. Countryside Branch

**Computer and e-Reader Help!:** Thursdays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 12:30-3:30 pm. You can use library laptops or bring your own.

### North Greenwood Branch

**Computer and e-Reader Help:** Mondays, October 6, 20, 27, 4:00-6:00 pm. Use the library's laptops or bring your own. No registration required.

### East Branch

**Computer and e-Reader Help:** Tuesdays, 2:00-5:00 pm. You can use library laptops or bring your own.

## Dunedin Public Library

**PowerPoint 2010 Basics, Part 2:** Thursday, October 2, 11:00 am.

**Beyond PowerPoint 2010 Basics, Part 1:** Tuesday, October 7, 11:00 am.

**Beyond PowerPoint 2010 Basics, Part 2:** Thursday, October 9, 11:00 am.

**Introducing the iPad, Part 1:** Monday, October 13, 1:00-2:30pm. We'll use the Library's iPads.

Registration is required.

**Appy Hour – Cool Apps for your Device:** Tuesday, October 14, 11:00 am.

**Introducing the iPad, Part 2:** Wednesday, October 15, 1:00-2:30pm. We'll use the Library's iPads.

Registration is required

**Open Question Time:** Thursday, October 16, 11:00 am.

**Working with Files:** Tuesday, October 21 11:00 am.

**Working with Folders:** Thursday, October 23, 11:00 am.

**Creating a Data CD with Windows 7:** Tuesday, October 28, 11:00 am.

**Flash Drives and External Hard Drives:** Thursday, October 30, 11:00 am.

**Tech Time:** Get help with your smart phone, e-reader or tablet. 30 minute sessions are available by appointment on Tuesdays from 2:00-4:00 pm. For more information or to schedule your appointment, stop by our Circulation Desk or call (727) 298-3080 x1716.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring:** One-hour sessions are available by appointment. Days and times vary. Contact the Youth Services Department for more information or to schedule your appointment at (727) 298-3080 x1732.

## East Lake Community Library

**Computer Chat With Paul:** Wednesdays, October 1, 15 & 22, 12:30- 1:30 pm. Each session lasts one hour and preregistration is required. Bring your questions and laptop, if you have one.

## Gulf Beaches Public Library

*All classes at 1:00 pm. If you are bringing a laptop, please set it up before the class begins.*

**E-mail Class:** Wednesday, October 8.

**Open Forum:** Monday, October 20.

**Internet Class:** Wednesday, October 15.

**Facebook:** Monday, October 27.

## Gulfport Public Library

**One-on-One Computer Instruction:** Mondays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. First come, first served.

**Beginning iPad Workshop:** Thursday, October 2, 1:00-3:00 pm. Bring your iPad and learn how to benefit from and enjoy your new technology. Pre-registration required for this popular class. Sign up at the Reference Desk or call 727-893-1073.

## Largo Public Library

**Mouse and Keyboarding:** Mondays, October 6 & 20, 2:00 pm Class size is limited to 7 students on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Email:** Tuesdays, October 7 & 21, 2:00 pm. This introductory class will teach you how to set up an email account, and how to send and receive messages. Class size is limited to 12 students on a first-come, first-served basis. Students should be comfortable using a mouse and keyboard before attending this class.

**Internet:** Thursdays, October 9 & 23, 2:00pm. This introductory class is designed to provide the skill set that you will need to get you comfortably cruising online. Class size is limited to 12 students on a first-come, first-served basis. Students should be comfortable using a mouse and keyboard before attending this class.

**Word Processing:** Fridays, October 10 & 24, 2:00pm. This introductory class explores how to create a document in Microsoft Word, how to copy & paste text, change the font, and how to save or print your work. Class size is limited to 12 students on a first-come, first-served basis. Students should be comfortable using a mouse and keyboard before attending this class.

**Library eBooks on Your Kindle:** Thursday, October 9, 3:00 pm. Learn how to download library books to your Kindle or using the Kindle app. This class is specifically for Kindles and mobile device owners using a Kindle app.

**iPads for Beginners:** Tuesday, October 7, 3:00 pm.

**iPads for Beginners 2:** Tuesday, October 14, 3:00 pm.

**iPad User Group:** Tuesday, October 21, 3:00pm. This is a primarily self-guided group. Share your knowledge with other iPad users and learn some new tricks from your peers.

**Appy Hour:** Thursday, October 23, 3:00 pm. Learn about some cool apps for productivity and entertainment.

**Using Library Resources – Resumes w/Word 2013:** Wednesday, October 15, 2:00 pm. In this class, learn how to build a resume using Microsoft Word 2013.

## Oldsmar Public Library

**Drop-in Computer Help:** First and Third Wednesday of the month, 3:00-5:00 pm, Bring your own laptop or smartphone, or use library computers. First come first served.

**Computer Class with Mark Opyd:** Second Tuesday of the month, 2:00 pm,

October's class: *What to Look for in a New Device* – Tablets, smartphones, laptops and desktops will be discussed as well as what to look for, how to choose and how to future- proof your selection. Lecture/demonstration followed by Q & A. No registration required.

## Palm Harbor Public Library

**Borrowing Library eBooks:** Friday, October 3, 2:00-3:30 pm. Learn how to download free eBooks using your library card and transfer them to your Kindle, Nook, iPad, phone, tablet or other eReader.

**Using the Online Library Catalog:** Monday, October 6, 10:30 am-12:00 pm. Learn to successfully use the library's online catalog.

**Learn to Navigate Windows 8.1:** Thursday, October 9, 6:30-7:45 pm. This interactive class will explore the new features of Windows 8.1.

**iPad for Beginners:** Monday, October 20, 10:30 am-12:00 pm. Bring your iPad to this beginner's class and we'll go over some basics, get started with apps, and answer any questions you might have.

**E-mail Basics:** Friday, October 24, 2:00-3:30 pm. Learn the basics of e-mail including how to organize your inbox and protect yourself from unwanted e-mail. We will help you set up an account if you don't have one.

**Internet Basics, Surf the Net:** Thursday, October 30, 6:30-7:45 pm. Learn how to safely navigate the Internet using a search engine like Google, Yahoo, or Bing. Mouse skills are required.

**One-on-One Computer Instruction:** Available after 2:30 pm until closing each day. Whether you need help with the Internet, e-mail, or Word documents, our teen techs can help. Call (727) 784-3332, ext. 3017 to check availability.

## Pinellas Park – Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

**Introductory Computer Classes:** For class schedule, contact Information Desk – 541-0719. Prior registration recommended.

**E-book training:** Learn how to take advantage of the library's digital collections. Bring your device and your library card. Second Wednesdays at 10:00 am. Additional sessions often offered; please call 541-0719 to inquire.

**One-on-One Technology Clinic:** Thursdays, 6:00-7:00 pm. Bring your specific questions about your e-reader, tablet, and laptop. Help is offered on a first-come-first served basis.

## Safety Harbor Public Library

**Computer skills for the Deaf @ Deaf Literacy Center:** Individualized tutorials, as well as small group instruction is offered on an as needed basis. Please call Rosa to schedule.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Dan:** Available Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday evenings by appointment. Call for information and to schedule an appointment.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Logan:** Available Sundays, 1:30-4:30 pm. Call for information and to schedule an appointment.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Rahul:** Available on Saturdays, 9:30 am-12:30 pm. Call to schedule an appointment.

**Book-a-Tech Mobile Device Help:** Fridays, 3:30-5:30 pm. Have a question about an e-reader, MP3 player or your mobile phone? Make an appointment with a techie.

**Tony's Beginning Computer Series Part 1:** Wednesdays, October 1 & 8, 2:00-4:00 pm. A beginner's series for learning the basics about using Windows. Registration required, please register before the first class.

**Tony's Beginning Computer Series Part 2:** Wednesdays, October 15, 22, & 29, 2:00-4:00 pm. Learn the basics about email, searching the Internet and other computer applications. Registration required, please register before the first class.

## St. Pete Beach Public Library

**iPad App of the Month Club:** Wednesday, October 1, 3:00 pm.

**e-Reader Hour:** Fridays, October 3 & 17, 11:00 am-12:00 pm. Help with downloading library books to your Kindle, Nook, iPad, etc.

**I Just Got My iPad...Now What?:** Tuesday, October 7 & Wednesday, October 15, 10:30 am.

**E-Books for iPad:** Friday, October 10, 10:30 am.

## St. Petersburg Public Library System

### Main Library

**E-Government Open Lab:** Fridays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Library staff will be available to assist with online services & applications. Computers available on first-come, first-served basis.

**Internet Basics:** Thursday, October 2, 1:00 pm. Get started using the internet and learn how to surf the web.

**Interest Basics:** Thursday, October 9, 4:00 pm. Learn all about this popular social media site, set up an account & begin pinning to your own boards.

**Introduction to Computers-Mousing Basics:** Tuesday, October 21, 12:00 pm. This class is for absolute beginners with no prior computer experience. Learn the parts of a computer & how to use a mouse.

**Basic Microsoft Word 2007:** Monday, October 27, 10:30 am. Use Microsoft Word to write letter, papers, create resumes, flyers and much more.

### Johnson Branch

**One-on-One Computer/Internet Training:** Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 am & Thursdays, 10:30 -11:30 am.

**Basic Microsoft Word 2007:** Thursday, October 23, 3:30 pm. Use Microsoft Word to write letter, papers, create resumes, flyers and much more.

### North Branch

**One-on-One:** Computer help for adults, with volunteer computer tutors.

**Introduction to PowerPoint 2007:** Thursday, October 23, 3:30 pm. Begin creating custom presentations and slide shows using Microsoft PowerPoint.



# Tech Programs

## South Branch

**Basic Microsoft Word 2007:** Tuesday, October 14, 1:00 pm. Use Microsoft Word to write letters, papers, create resumes, flyers and much more.

## West Community Library

**Supervised Lab Time:** Fridays, 1:30-3:30 pm. Get help with all your computer issues. Beginners & advanced users welcome.

**LinkedIn:** Thursday, October 2, 12:30 pm. The World's largest professional network. Learn to manage your professional identity.

**Microsoft Word Advanced:** Thursday, October 16, 12:30 pm. Learn additional steps in word processing.

**Microsoft Excel Basics:** Thursday, October 23, 12:30 pm.

**Registration required for the above computer classes.**

# Children's Programs

## Clearwater Public Library System

### Main Library

**Toddler Move "N" Read Storytime:** Tuesdays, 10:30-11:15 am. Toddlers, ages one to three years.

Program includes stories, movement and fun activities.

**Doggone Reading Fun:** Saturday, October 4, 12:00-2:00 pm. Paws for Friendship Inc. will bring four therapy trained dogs to the library for pre-registered 20-minute reading sessions. Call to reserve a session for your young reader.

**Bright Minds Preschool Storytime:** Wednesdays, 10:30 am-12:00 pm. Children ages three to six and accompanying adults enjoy participating in themed early literacy activities including stories, songs, and a make and take craft. Younger siblings welcome.

**Homework Help:** Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Teen volunteers available to help elementary age students with their homework.

**Let's Grow, Baby-Oh!:** Mondays, October 6, 20, 27, 10:30-11:10 am. A gentle and fun introduction to literacy through stories, songs, and finger plays for children up to two years of age. Please bring a blanket for baby and you. Stay for play and social time after the program.

**Bibliobots:** Wednesdays, October 8, 22, 29, 5:00-6:30 pm. We are accepting students in grades three to eight with competitive spirits and creative minds to form robotic teams using Lego Mindstorm EV3 kits. A fun S.T.E.A.M activity. Call for reservations.

**School-Age Sensory Fun:** Saturday, October 11, 1:00-2:00 pm. A unique activity for school age children and teens on the autism spectrum. All programs will follow the same format of movement activity, story, and experimental learning station. Parental attendance and registration required. Please call for more details.

**Sensory Storytime:** Monday, October 20, 11:30 am-12:15 pm. Sensory storytimes are designed for children six and under on the autism spectrum or who are sensitive to sensory overload. Each storytime will follow the same format of preschool level songs, activities and books. Parental attendance and registration required.

**Glow in the Dark Halloween Carnival:** Saturday, October 25, 2:00-4:00 pm. For children ages seven to 14. Listen to a spine-tingling tale with only a flashlight for comfort, play glow-in-the-dark games at this library carnival and create your own glowing craft.

### Countryside Branch

**Halloween Craft:** Wednesday, October 22, 3:30-4:30 pm. Create spooky fun crafts!

**Homework Help:** Wednesdays, October 1, 8, 15, 29, 3:00-5:00 pm. Teen volunteers are available to help elementary age students with their homework.

**Little Learners:** Thursdays, October 2, 9, 23, 30, 10:30-11:15 am. Ready your child for the preschool experience with storytime followed by *After Hours Book Club* for older participants. Stories and crafts.

**Mr. David Special Event:** Thursday, October 16, 10:30-11:15 am. Mr. David will present exciting stories, fun songs, movement and dance, and an introduction to very basic musical building blocks.

**Infant/Toddler Sign Language:** (Ages 0-5) Tuesdays, October 14, November 11, December 9, 10:30 am. This fun and interactive signing class will teach you how to include signs naturally while interacting with your child through daily routines, playtime, story time and music.

**Music for Little Ones:** Tuesday, October 21, 10:30-11:00 am. Special guest Karen Gliddon presents Music with Mar.

**Toddler Art and Sensory Stations:** Tuesday, October 7, 10:30-11:00 am. Monthly art program for toddlers ages one to three years and adult caregiver. Practice fine motor skills and experience sensory stimulations by creating art.

### North Greenwood Branch

**Game Club:** Wednesday, October 1, 4:30-6:00 pm. Enjoy video gaming, music, board games, card games, and friendly competition.

**Doggone Reading Fun:** Thursday, October 9, 4:30-6:00 pm. Paws for Friendship, Inc. will bring trained therapy dogs to the library for pre-registered 20-minute reading sessions. Call to reserve a session.

**All Hallows Eve Party:** Thursday, October 30, 4:30-6:00 pm. Enjoy games, crafts and treats on the night before Halloween. Attendees will get a free glow stick while supplies last.

### East Branch

**Lego Club:** Saturday, October 4, 2:00-3:30 pm. Use library legos or bring your own. Meet in the children's area.

**Viva Saturdays:** October 4, 12:00-1:15 pm. Enjoy a different themed storytime each month with music, games, and crafts for the whole family. Meets the first Saturday of the month and is followed by play time at 2:00 pm. (Lego Club).

**Homework Help:** Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:30-5:30 pm except October 16. Reserve a 30-minute session up to one week in advance. Walk-ins will be accommodated as space is available and limited to 20-minute sessions.

**Mother Goose on the Loose:** Thursdays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 11:00-11:30 am. Infants and toddlers up to age three with caregivers have fun with nursery rhymes and songs during this multi-sensory, early literacy program.

**Preschool Storytime:** Wednesdays, October 8, 22, 11:00-11:45 am. Children ages three to five enjoy stories, rhymes, and crafts.

**Doggone Reading Fun:** Wednesday, October 15, 4:30-6:00 pm. Paws for Friendship, Inc. will bring trained therapy dogs to the library for pre-registered 20-minute reading sessions. Call to reserve a session.

**Manners Matter:** Monday, October 20, 4:00-5:00 pm. Grades three to eight. Registration Required.

Workshop facilitator, Tawanna Larkin, presents an interactive etiquette workshop for youth. Topics include mealtime manners, classroom etiquette, online etiquette, the Golden Rule, and more.

**Halloween and Day of the Dead Celebration:** Saturday, October 25, 2:00-3:45 pm.

Commemorate these two holidays with books, games, and crafts for the whole family. Wear costumes to participate in the library's costume parade.

**Babies and Toddlers Halloween Party:** Thursday, October 30, 11:00-11:45 am.

Enjoy a special Halloween-themed Mother Goose on the Loose program with special stories, music, bubbles, and more. Little ones are encouraged to attend in costume and participate in the library's customer parade. Don't forget your cameras.

### Dunedin Public Library

**Baby & Me Story Time:** (Birth to 18 mos), Mondays, 10:00 am. We're focusing on the six steps to early literacy to encourage baby to reach milestones. Costume Parade and Trick or Treat after Story Time the week of October 27.

**Music Mash:** (Ages 5 and under) Mondays, 3:30 pm. Join us for a mix of music and movement using some expressive props.

**Toddler Times:** (18 to 36 mos), Wednesdays, 10:00 am and 11:00 am. Utilizing early literacy skills, toddlers will experience the exciting world of reading with books, songs, finger plays, short literature based video and a craft. Costume Parade and Trick or Treat after Story Times the week of October 27.

**Preschool Story Times:** (3-5 yrs.), Thursdays, 10:00 am and 11:00 am. Each week we'll focus on early literacy skills important to reading development. Costume Parade and Trick or Treat after Story Times the week of October 27.

**Homework Help:** (Elementary and Middle School age youth) Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 pm when school is in session. No registration is required.

**First Friday Preschool Movie Series:** (Ages 3-5) Friday, October 3, 10:30 am. This month we'll watch "I Stink! And More Stories on Wheels". Popcorn provided. No registration required.

**Candy Corn Bingo:** (Youth and families) Saturday, October 4, 11:00 am. We'll play several games of Bingo and use candy corn to cover. No registration is required.

**Sunday Family Movie:** (Youth of all ages) Sunday, October 5, 2:00 pm. Join us for a new release DVD. No registration is required.

**LEGO Club:** (Ages 5-12) Wednesday, October 7, 6:00 pm. No registration is required.

**Grow Your Mind:** (Ages 4-7) Thursday, October 9, 4:00 pm. Join us for a variety of Science, Technology, Engineering and Math topics (STEM). This month's theme is "Spooky Science". Registration is required.

**Philip's 3D Puzzle Club:** (Ages 8-14) Tuesday, October 14, 6:00 pm. Enjoy an evening of creative building fun. No registration is required.

**Night Owls Family Story Time:** (Ages 3 and up) Tuesday, October 14, 6:30 pm. Pajamas optional. No registration is required.

**Wednesday Workout:** (Ages 8-14) Wednesday, October 15, 4:00 pm. Join us for a fantastic assortment of Wii and Xbox games that challenge your STEM knowledge. No registration is required.

**Sunday Fun Day:** (Youth of all ages) Sunday, October 19, 1:00-4:30 pm. Stop in the Youth Department for a special make & take craft. This month's theme is: Trick or Treat. No registration is required.

**Super Speed Stacking:** (Ages 8-14) Tuesday, October 21, 6:00 pm. Improve your memory and concentration. Practice your up stacking and down stacking. No registration is required.

**Book Buddies - "Miss Spider's Tea Party - Halloween Fun":** (Ages 3-5) Friday, October 24, 10:30 am. We'll share stories, make some crafts and enjoy some spooky treats. Registration is required.

**Dunedin Halloween Events:** Saturday, October 25. The Youth Services Department will be at the Downtown Dunedin Trick or Treat, the Honeymoon Island event and the Dunedin Community Center Carnival! Check the City of Dunedin Website for the exact times and locations of these events ([www.dunedingov.com](http://www.dunedingov.com)).

### East Lake Community Library

**Halloween Costume Swap:** October 1-30 during library hours. Bring your children's gently used costumes and swap them for a new one (costume must be clean and in good condition). Don't have one to swap? Make a donation of \$5.00 for any costume! One per child, please.

**Yoga Fun:** Thursday, October 2, 3:00 pm. Join Miss Sarah, of Kidding Around Yoga, as she introduces gentle yoga poses and fun movement to babies, toddlers, preschoolers, school aged students, and their grown-ups. Registration required - space is limited.

**Preschool Storytime:** Fridays, October 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31, 11:30am. Storytime fun for children ages 3 to pre-K.

**Fabulous Friday Fun:** Fridays, October 3, 10, 17 & 24, 3:00 pm. First and third of the month will be LEGO Club, the second of the month will be Art Studio, and the fourth of the month will be librarian's surprise - something fun for everyone. No registration necessary. For school age children.

# Children's Programs

**'Frozen' Family Fun Day:** Saturday, October 4, 11:00 am. Come sing along to everyone's favorite movie. Lots of fun with Princess Susan and Princess Daniele. No registration necessary. Bring the whole family!

**Reading Readiness:** Mondays, October 6, 20, 27, 11:30 am. Ages 4 & 5 (pre-K) get ready to read through songs, stories, and games. Parents are not required to participate in this program, but must remain in the building. Unfortunately, younger aged children are not able to participate. Please register via our website.

**Lapsit & Linger:** Tuesdays, October 7, 14, 21 & 28, 10:00 am. For newborns to 18 months. No registration required.

**Tiny Tots:** Tuesdays, October 7, 14, 21 & 28, 11:00 am. Ages 18 months to 3 years old. No registration.

**Fiber Arts for Kids:** Wednesday, September 10, 3:00 pm. Fabric art projects for children, ages 7-14. Includes needlework, knitting, embroidery, crocheting, and quilting! Please register: (727)773-2665.

**Little Scientists:** Wednesday, October 22, 11:30 am. Join us for wild experiments and creative play. Please register so we have enough supplies. Wear play clothes. For ages 3-5 (pre-K).

**Jiggelman Halloween:** Saturday, October 25, 12:30 pm. Celebrate Halloween with the crazy madcap fun of Jiggelman! Laugh out loud fun for the whole family.

**Teddy Bear Family Story Time:** Wednesday, October 29, 6:30pm. An evening story time for families – bring your teddy bears and wear your pajamas if you like!

## Gulf Beaches Public Library

**Baby & Me Storytime:** (Baby - 2 yrs) Wednesdays, 10:30 am. Short stories, puppets, songs and fingerplays followed by some baby play & good times.

**Wild Things Storytime & Art Class:** (Ages 2-4) Fridays, 10:30 am. Stories, puppets, songs, fingerplays, followed by an art/craft class.

**Early Readers: Read to the Dogs & Build with Legos:** Every Friday, 3:00 pm. Stop by after school, read to our pet therapy dogs, pick out something for the weekend, and build something from Legos or K'Nex.

**Make and Take Crafts:** We're making monsters this month, And be sure to stop in and cast your vote for the Most Monstrous Monster.

**Sensory Storytime:** (For children 10 and under with special sensory needs) Fridays, 12:00 pm. This storytime is still in the planning stages. Please give Ms. Travis a call at 391-2828 if you are interested.

## Gulfport Public Library

**Science Club for K-5:** Mondays, 3:00-4:00 pm. Activities and more as we explore.

**Storytime:** Thursdays, 10:30-11:00 am. For toddlers & preschoolers. Sing songs, play instruments and meet other caregivers in the community.

**Storytime Yoga:** Thursday, October 23, 3:00-3:20 pm: 2-4 year olds. And 3:30- 4:00 pm: 5 years old and up. Mats a plus but not required. Children must be accompanied by adult caregiver. Space is limited so sign up early! Call Cailey at 893-1133 for more info.

## Largo Public Library

**Sunset Stories:** Mondays, October 6, 13, 27, 6:00pm. Relax and enjoy tales and activities. Join us at this story experience for the whole family!

**Wobbly Walkers:** Wednesdays, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 9:15am. Join us for stories, fingerplays, music, and movement activities. For walking children ages 12 to 18 months with an adult helper.

**Toddler Tales:** Wednesdays, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 10:30am. This program includes themed stories, music, and extended story activities that encourage early literacy. For children ages 18 to 36 mo.

**Cook-a-Book:** Wednesdays, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 6:00 pm. Following recipes helps to build a child's reading comprehension and vocabulary. It's fun for the whole family!

**Brilliant Babies:** Thursdays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 10:30am. Join us in this early literacy lap-sit program for an introduction to stories, songs, baby signs, and fingerplays. For babies who are not yet walking and their parents/caregivers. We recommend one baby per lap.

**Pre-K Hooray:** Thursdays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 1:00 pm. Enjoy themed stories, songs, and more in this program designed to help prepare your child to attend school. Ages 3-5.

**Infant/Toddler Sign Language:** (ages 0-5) Tuesdays, Session I September 9- October 7. Session II October 14- November 18, 9:30 am. This fun and interactive signing class will teach you how to include signs naturally while interacting with your child through daily routines, playtime, story time and music.

**Character Bingo:** Thursday, October 2, 4:00 pm. Learn about historical figures, famous people, or book characters in this program that combines interesting stories and trivia with a bingo game of the same theme.

**Library Legos:** Saturdays, October 4, 11, 18, 2:00-4:00 pm. All materials are provided. Ages 5-12.

**Crafty Creations:** Saturday, October 11, 10:00 am. Listen to a themed story and use a variety of materials to create and decorate. Ages 5-12.

**#TweenZone:** Thursday, October 16, 4:00-5:30 pm. A plethora of activities, including Wii games and crafts, await you @ the library. Ages 8-12.

**Puppets Aplenty:** Friday, October 17, 4:30 pm. Prepare to be delighted at this family program that invites children to fall in love with stories through puppet shows for the young and the young at heart.

**L.P.L.I (Largo Public Library Intelligence):** Monday, October 20, 1:00 pm. Your mission, should you choose to accept it...investigate. Check out some cool tricks of the trade and maybe a book or two. Ages 6-12. Register in the Children's Department.

**Meet a Pup Pal:** Monday, October 20, 6:00 pm. "Woof, woof, woof, woof, woof..." Translation: "Come to the library to meet me, Conrad, a Pup Pal Volunteer. I am bringing my human, Elliott. He takes good care of me. He will tell you my story and answer all of your questions. Hope to see you there!"

**Not-So-Scary Halloween:** Friday, October 24, 4:00 pm. Skip the tricks and enjoy the treats at this program presented by Largo Public Library's teen volunteers. Bring your little ones, dressed in costume, for stories, crafts, and more! Ages 12 and under.

**Spooktacular:** Saturday, October 25, 2:00-6:00 pm. Largo Central Park. Stop by Largo Public Library's booth at this annual Halloween event in the park. Bring your camera to take a photo in our life-size storybook featuring Moonlight, a Halloween-loving cat!

**Miss Angela's Character Parade:** Wednesday, October 29, 10:00 am. (Ages 12 mths – 5 yrs.) Halloween

is in the air! Come to the library dressed as your favorite character to enjoy a fun-filled morning of stories, songs, and surprises. Register in the Children's Department.

## Oldsmar Public Library

**Toddler Time:** (Ages 18 mo - 3 yrs.) Mondays & Tuesdays, 10:00 am, Program includes short stories, songs and activities to encourage early literacy and lasts about ½ hour.

**Preschool Storytime:** (Ages 3 - 5) Thursdays, 10:00 am, Program includes stories and a simple craft and lasts about ½ hour.

**LEGO Club:** (All ages) Monday, October 20, 2:00-4:00 pm.

## Palm Harbor Public Library

**Toddler Story Time:** (Ages 18 mo.-3 yrs.) Mondays, 10:00-10:30 am. Interactive stories, songs, and fun. No registration required.

**Baby Sign Language:** (Ages 0-3) Mondays Session I September 8- October 13. Session II October 20- December 1, at 10:45am. Registration required, call Rosa Rodriguez at 727-724-1525 ext 4120!

**School age Children's Sign Language:** (Ages 5-12) Fall: Tuesdays, September 9- December 16. ASL Beginners 4:15, Intermediate 5:00 pm. Registration required, email Rosa Rodriguez rrodriguez@pplc.us.

**Mother Goose Rhyme Time:** (Infants-2 yrs.) Wednesdays, 10:00-10:30 am. A weekly program for our youngest members filled with nursery rhymes, songs, and fingerplays. No registration required.

**First Steps:** (Ages 1-3) Wednesdays, October 1-October 22, 10:30-11:30 am. This four-week series of fun caregiver/child workshops includes interactive play, community resource professionals, parenting materials, and hands-on creative art activities. Siblings: infants to age 4 welcome. In-person registration required.

**Homework Help:** (Grades K-5) Beginning October 6. Monday-Thursday, 3:00-5:00 pm. Saturday, 10:00 am-12:00 pm. A teen volunteer will be available on a first come, first served basis, during weeks when school is in session to offer free assistance with homework assignments for children in grades K-5.

**Star Wars Read Days:** (All ages) Saturday, October 11, 11:00 am-2:00 pm. Come in costume if you like and see which library staff have become Star Wars characters! No registration required.

**Starbucks Story Time:** (All ages) Tuesday, October 14, 10:30-11:00 am. Boo to you! Take a coffee break and meet Miss Chris at Palm Harbor Starbucks, located at US Hwy 19 & Nebraska Ave., for some Halloween tales. No registration required.

**Art Attack!:** (Ages 6-12, parents of age-eligible children welcome) Saturday, October 18, 3:00-4:15 pm. Please come dressed to get a little messy. Registration required.

**Fire Truck Frenzy!:** (Grades K-5, parents of age-eligible children welcome) Monday, October 20, 1:00-2:45 pm. Celebrate Fire Safety Month at this fun program for elementary school age children in grades K-5, featuring stories, activities, and a special visit from the Palm Harbor Fire Rescue Pros! Registration required.

**Halloween Event at the Centre:** (All ages) Saturday, October 25, beginning at 6:00 pm. Haunted hayrides, free trick or treating, and the "prepare to be scared" Haunted Insane Asylum created and presented by the Palm Harbor Library's Youth Advisory Board members. Location: The Centre, 1500 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Palm Harbor. For more information visit [csapalmharbor.org](http://csapalmharbor.org). No registration required.

**Leap into Art at Leepa-Rattner:** (Ages 3 and up) Wednesday, October 29, 3:00-4:00 pm. Join Miss Marisa for "Slightly Spooky Stories!" at the Leepa-Rattner Museum of Art's Interactive Gallery. Enjoy an hour of art-related stories and an art activity. Admission is free for children and museum members-\$6 for all others. No registration required.

**Trick or Treat @ the Library:** (All ages) Friday, October 31, 2:30-4:30 pm. Happy Halloween! Visit the Children's Room and say those special "trick or treat" words. Our Youth Services staff will be in costume to greet you and treat you!

**Drop Off Your Drawers @ the Library!:** October 1-30 during regular library hours. Help Palm Harbor Library show support for Clothes to Kids, a Pinellas County charitable organization. We're collecting packages of new underwear and socks (sizes 4-18) to help clothe in-crisis and low income school age children. Donations may be dropped off in the Children's Room. To learn more, visit [Clothes to Kids at www.clothestokids.org](http://Clothes to Kids at www.clothestokids.org).

**Annual Halloween Costume Swap:** October 1-30 during regular library hours. Limit one costume per child. Bring new or gently used infant to teen size costumes to the Children's Room to swap for a different one. Don't have one to swap? Make a \$5.00 per costume donation to the Youth Services Department. Donations benefit children's programming at Palm Harbor Library.

## Pinellas Park – Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

**Preschool Reading Adventures:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 3:30 pm. & Wednesdays, 10:00 am. Program may include stories, rhymes, songs, finger plays, and crafts.

**Read, Sing, & Play Toddler Time:** Tuesdays, 11:00 am.

**Music in Motion:** (Ages 2-5) Wednesdays, 11:00 am. We will sing, play instruments, and incorporate activities which promote moving along with the beat of music.

**Read, Learn, Imagine Family Storytime:** Thursdays, 7:00 pm. Designed for young children and their caring adults.

**Children's Sign Language course:** (Ages 5-12) Thursdays September 4 - December 11, 3:30-4:30 pm. ASL course that includes Sign Language vocabulary, stories and crafts or activities for children. No registration required!

**Sunday Spooktacular:** Sunday, October 26, 2:00 pm. There will be story-sharing, songs, games, and a snack registration begins two weeks before event.

**Tail Waggin' Tutors:** Second and fourth Thursdays of each month, 3:30-4:30 pm.

15-minute scheduled sessions that allow children to read aloud to a therapy dog.

Call 541-0716 for more information and registration.

**Origami Workshop:** Tuesday, October 14, 6:30 pm. Learn the art of paper folding. Paper is provided. Registration is required, call 541-0716.

# Children's Programs

**Homework Help:** Mondays, 3:30-5:30 pm. Teen volunteers will work one-on-one with elementary school students to help them with school work. Students are helped on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Sensational Science Series:** Tuesdays, 4:00-5:00 pm. Explore the wonderful world of science in the library's brand new science club designed for children in grades 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>. Children will participate in hands-on science experiments and learn about the scientific principals relating to the experiments.

## Safety Harbor Public Library

**Children's Sign Language course:** (Ages 5-12) Mondays, September 8 – December 8, 4:30 pm. ASL course that includes Sign Language vocabulary, stories and crafts or activities for children. No registration required!

**Infant/Toddler Sign Language:** (Ages 0-3) Thursdays Session I September 11– October 9, Session II October 16 – November 20 at 10:30 am. Registration required, email Rosa Rodriguez rrodriguez@ppc.us.  
**Toddler Time:** (Ages 18mo. - 3 yrs.) Mondays, October 6, 13, 20, & 27, 10:30 am. Bring your young one to the library to listen to stories, sing songs, dance, and do finger plays.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 2-5 yrs.) Wednesdays, October 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29, 10:30 am. Read stories, sing songs, do a craft, and participate in other fun literary activities.

**Baby & Me:** (Ages 18 mo. and under) Fridays, October 3, 10, 17, & 24, 10:00 am. Enjoy special time with your baby while you listen to stories, sing songs, and learn finger plays, followed by a play session.

**Homework Help!:** (Grades 2-8) Mondays and Tuesdays, 4:00 pm. Sign up at the Children's Reference Desk.

**Wee Sing:** (Ages 1-5) Tuesdays, October 7, 14, 21, & 28, 10:00 am. This program incorporates foreign and sign languages, music sticks, and more. Online registration required: www.safetyharborlibrary.com.

**Children's Movie:** Wednesday, October 8, 3:30 pm. Watch *Legends of Oz* at the library! Free snacks and drinks provided.

**Story Yoga:** (Ages 3-9) Wednesday, October 1, 4:00 pm. Please bring a mat or towel and wear stretchy clothes. Registration required.

**Music and Movement-Ballet:** (Ages 4-9) Friday, October 10, 4:00 pm. An introductory ballet class taught by a certified instructor from *Body Altitudes*. Registration required.

**Tuesday Crafternoon:** (Ages 4-12) Tuesday, October 21, 3:30 pm. Paint a pumpkin at the library! Registration required.

**Family Musical Yoga:** (All ages) Friday, October 17, 4:00 pm. Stretch, move, breathe and make music together as a family! Registration required.

**Tail-Waggin' Tutors – A Dog is a READER'S Best Friend:** Read with Oliver: Friday, October 17, 3:00 pm. Practice your reading with our specially trained therapy dog.

**Wii Wednesday @ the Library:** (Ages 5-12) Wednesday, October 15, 3:30 pm. Play our games or bring your own! Must be rated E for everyone.

**Zumba Kids:** (Ages 4-12) Thursday, October 16, 4:00 pm. Participate in a dance fitness program for kids with instructor Tiffany Palmer Godfrey. No registration required.

**LEGO League:** (Ages 3 and up) Wednesday, October 22, 3:00 pm and every Saturday, 3:00 pm.

**Halloween Party:** (Ages 5 and under) Friday, October 31, 11:00 am. Join us for spooky stories, songs, games, snacks, a monster mash and other fun activities. Come dressed in your Halloween costume!

**Harry Potter Party:** (All ages) Friday, October 31, 3:00 pm. Celebrate Halloween at the library. Dress up as your favorite *Harry Potter* character, enjoy themed snacks and crafts, and watch *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone!* Movie starts at 3:25 pm.

## St. Pete Beach Public Library

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 & under) Thursdays, October 2 (bears), 9 (adventure), 16 (dinosaurs), & 30 (halloween), 11:00 am.

**I Want to Be a Skeeter Reader:** Skill-building for beginning readers, Thursdays, October 9, 16, 23, & 30, 4:00 pm.

**Halloween Parade:** Stories and activities, Friday, October 31, 4:00 pm.

## St. Petersburg Public Library System

### Main Library

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**After School Story Time:** (Ages 5-10) Thursdays, 3:15 pm. Stories, music & crafts.

**Family Story Time:** (All ages) Thursdays, 6:30 pm. Stories, Music & Crafts.

**Humpty Dumpty Story Time:** (18 mos. & under) Thursdays, 10:15 & 11:00 am. Come join us for movement, music & fun with rhymes and puppets.

**Junior League Puppet Show:** Monday, October 13 & 27, 10:30 am.

**Library Lego Mania:** Tuesdays, 3:30 pm. Come build with us.

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 & under) Fridays, 10:15 & 11:00 am. Songs, puppets & finger plays.

**Preschool Story Time:** (3-5 yrs.) Wednesdays, 10:15 am. Stories & Songs.

**Roll Over & Read:** Monday, October 6, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

**Super Saturdays at Main:** (All ages) 11:00 am. Fun activities include: Puppet Show: Saturday, October 4. Star Wars Read Day: Saturday, October 11. Craft Corner: Saturday, October 18. Game Time: Saturday, October 25.

### Childs Park Community

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**School-age Program:** (Ages 5-10) Tuesdays, 10:30 am. Stories, activities & music

### Johnson Branch

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 10:15 am. Stories, participation activities & music.

**Roll Over & Read:** Tuesday, October 7, 4:15-5:15 pm. Call to register for a session.

### Mirror Lake Branch

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**Lego Mania:** Wednesday, October 1, 3:30 pm.

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 & under) Thursdays, 3:00 pm & Fridays, 11:00 am. Songs, puppets, & finger-plays.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 2:00 pm & Fridays, 10:15 am. Music, Instruments & Dance.

**Roll Over & Read:** Wednesday, October 15, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

### North Branch

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**Family Story Time:** (All ages) Tuesdays, 6:30 pm. Stories, Music & Crafts.

**Lego Mania:** Monday, October 6, 3:30 pm. Come build with us!

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 & under) Wednesdays, 10:15 am. Songs, puppets, & finger-plays.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 11:00 am. Songs & Stories.

**Puppet Show:** (All ages) Tuesday, October 21, 6:30 pm.

**Roll Over & Read:** Tuesday, October 21, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session

### South Branch

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**Lego Mania:** Friday, October 17, 3:30 pm.

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 & under) Thursdays, 10:15 am. Songs, puppets & finger-plays.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 11:00 am. Songs & stories.

**Roll Over & Read:** Friday, October 3, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

### West Community Library

**No Story Times October 13-25, 2014.**

**After School Story Time:** (Ages 6-12) Thursday, October 2, 3:30 pm. Stories & fun.

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 & under) Tuesdays, 9:30 am., Songs, puppets, finger-plays.

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

**Roll Over & Read:** Tuesday, October 21, 3:00-5:00 pm. Call to register for a session.

### Seminole Community Library

**"Around the World" Tween Monday:** (Grades 5-7) Monday, October 13, 7:00-8:00 pm. Be sure to stop by the Youth Services department for the travel itinerary and optional reading list for each month. For additional information, please call Miss Fabrizio at 727-394-6913.

**Toddler Story Time:** (18-36 mo.) Tuesday, October 7, 14, 21 and 28, 10:30 am. 20 minutes of short stories, songs and movement activities based on a weekly theme for toddlers and their caregivers.

**Preschool Story Time:** (3-5 yr.) Tuesday, October 7, 14, 21 and 28, 11:30 am. 30 minutes of short stories, songs and movement activities based on a weekly theme for preschoolers and their caregivers.

**Trending Tuesdays:** (PK-5<sup>th</sup> grade) NEW PROGRAM. Tuesday, October 7, 14, 21 and 28, 6:30-7:30 pm. For additional information, please call Ms. Porcelli at 727-394-6913.

**Baby Time:** (Newborn-18 mo.) Wednesday, October 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, 10:00 am. A 20 minute lap sit program featuring books, fingerplays, songs and a playtime.

**Hands On!:** (Preschool and elementary ages) Wednesday, October 1 and 15, 3:30 pm. Educational manipulatives, games, puzzles, building blocks, LEGOs and more will be provided.

**Wiggle, Giggle and Sing!:** (Ages 5 and under) Thursday, October 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 10:30 am.

**Family Movie Matinee:** (All ages) Saturday, October 4, 11, 18 and 25, 2:00 pm. Please call the Youth Services Department at 394-6913 for movie titles and additional information.

**Two Towers Chess Club:** (All ages) Monday, October 13 and 27, 3:30-5:30 pm. All skill levels welcome.

**Pause for Poetry:** (All ages) Wednesday, October 15, 7:00 pm.

### Tarpon Springs Public Library

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 10:15 am. No registration required.

**Toddler Time:** (Ages 1-3), Fridays, 10:15 and 11:00 am. Registration required.

**Makerspace After-school STEM Lab:** Wednesday, October 1, 3:30-4:30 pm.

Topic: *Paper airplane aerodynamics with Dean Mackey of the Online Paper Airplane Museum.* The makerspace provides hands-on creative ways for students to experiment, build, and create. All materials supplied. For children only. Registration required.

**Craft Club:** (Ages 6-12) Friday, October 3, 4:30- 5:30 pm. Registration is required.

**After School Make'n Take Craft:** Tuesday, October 8, 2:00-6:00 pm. Celebrate Fire Safety Week with a Dalmatian dog craft.

**Face Painting 101- Halloween make-up workshop:** Tuesday, October 21, 7:00-8:00 pm. Learn how to use face painting to create and enhance Halloween costumes. From the simple to the scary.

**Makerspace After-school STEM Lab:** Wednesday, October 22, 3:30-4:30 pm.

Topic: *Catapults. We'll be making a catapult and studying the science behind it.* All materials supplied. For children only. Registration required.

**Wee Sing with Mrs. Music:** (Preschool) Monday, October 27, 10:30 am.. Have fun learning colors, numbers, letters, sign language and Spanish. No registration required.

**After School Make'n Take Craft:** Tuesday, October 28, 2:00-6:00 pm. Get ready for a spooky Halloween, stop in and make a mummy door decoration.

**After School Make'n Take Craft:** Wednesday, October 29, 2:00-6:00 pm. It's National Cat Day! Celebrate, make a cat craft.

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## MISSION STATEMENT

PPLC provides leadership, resources and opportunities to enhance the quality, value, and availability of library services to members.

## VISION STATEMENT

PPLC will lead the way for world-class library services to its members.

## SERVICES

- Book discussions and reviews
- Books, CDs, DVDs, and magazines for checkout
- Computer classes
- Downloadable audiobooks & eBooks
- Downloadable music
- Countywide automation system and book delivery and return
- Friends of the Library and volunteer groups
- Internet access
- Interlibrary loan
- 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.



**Saturday, October 18, 2014**

On Saturday evening, October 18, 2014, the Clearwater Library Foundation will host its 10th annual Jazz & Jambalaya. Guests will listen to the sounds of smooth jazz from Clearwater's Jazz Holiday in Coachman Park, while enjoying cool breezes on the Main Library's West Terrace, along with the spectacular views from the Roof Top Terrace. Admission prices include a wonderful array of local fare, with a full bar and valet parking. This year E & E Stakeout Grill, RUMBA, Clear Sky Beachside Café, Eat in' Fresh, Chart House Cork'N Brew, Nauti Nancy's, Hamptons Haute, Pensare and Mixx will be the local restaurants providing a New Orleans style fare.

This year's sponsors are USAmeriBank, Belleair Bluffs Branch, Think Tank Studio, Charles Melges - CQM, Rick & Janet Clemens, Merrill Lynch, Tampa and Merrill Lynch Wealth Management, Clearwater; media sponsor is Clearwater Beacon.

All proceeds from this event go to support the programs of the Clearwater Library Foundation, a 501(c) (3) non-profit corporation. The Foundation provides funds for enhancements to programming, services and collections of the Clearwater Public Library System. To date they have raised over 4.3 million dollars for the Library System.



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