Pinellas Comic and Maker Con
Coming October 17th (PCMCon)

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Co-organizers of Pinellas Comic and Maker Con

The Seminole Community Library at St. Petersburg College invites you to Pinellas Comic and Maker Con (PCMCon) on October 17, 2015! It is the biggest comic convention in Florida’s most densely populated county and is for fans of comic books, gaming, sci-fi, fantasy, anime, costuming, and maker culture! The event will be held from 10am to 5pm on St. Petersburg College’s beautiful Seminole Campus, which is located on 9200 113th Street North.

Dozens of local businesses and organizations will have booths to sell fan collectibles, promote their upcoming events, and share their services/resources. PCMCon had over 3,400 people attend last year’s convention and it was a lot of fun for everyone who attended. The convention is free and open to the public. It will feature special guests, activities for people of all ages, panel discussions, and displays themed around superheroes, gaming, sci-fi, anime, and collectible toys. Visitors will enjoy all that plus live entertainment, including music by the Ken Spivey Band, a Game of Thrones dance troupe, a living chess match, plenty of food trucks, and much more.

Science and technology geeks will get a look at the library’s new Innovation Lab that includes a 3-D printer built locally by FreeFab3D, robots, Arduino and Raspberry Pi kits, virtual reality headsets, littleBits Synth Kit, a homemade hologram viewer, and more that they can explore throughout the day. Other exhibitors specializing in “all things maker” will be on hand as well.

Special guests include Chuck Dixon, writer of countless Batman stories as well as Robin and Nightwing, and Nicola Cuti, co-writer of E-Man and Moonchild. Comic artists on hand will include Austin Janowsky and the amazingly talented Sergio Cariello!

PCMCon will have a costume contest (adult and child divisions) and a gaming tournament hosted by Gamers on the Edge to raise funds to help support local children’s hospitals. Exhibitors include local comic book stores, game stores, and clubs as well as charitable groups like the Star Wars 501st Legion, the Real Tampa Bay Ghostbusters, and many more!

The controversial Parrish TARDIS (as seen on international news) will be there as well, for free photo ops, along with the control console, a Dalek, a classic Galactica Cylon ship, R2D2, and more!

All exhibitor fees are donated to All Children’s Hospital via Gamers On The Edge. This convention has proven especially attractive to Pinellas residents who may not attend other comic cons because of the distance and/or cost. Young adults, children, and older fans alike will all find something to enjoy and for free!

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Learn more about PCMCon at http://pcmcon.com
Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library

Every Life Is a Story: A Writing Workshop: Tuesdays, 10:30 am. An eight-week memoir-writing workshop for writers. Annemarie Micklo, is the workshop facilitator.

Chess Club: Tuesdays, 1:00 pm. Instruction provided by Yulia Ruane.

Introduction to Mindfulness and Meditation: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 13, 20, 5:00 pm. “Breath and Body” is a three-week course. Instructor is Angie Parrish.

SCORE Workshop: Establishing a Home Based Business: Thursday, Oct. 8, 5:00 pm. Register online at https://pinellascounty.score.org/localworkshops.

Plug into Energy Savings: Saturday, Oct. 10, 2:00 pm. October is Energy Action Month! Register at https://goo.gl/DXoexL.

The Basics: Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer’s Disease: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 10:30 am. Presented by the Alzheimer’s Association-Florida Gulf Coast Chapter.

Meet a Local Author: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 1:00 pm. Art Koonce in the library’s lobby and learn more about his book, “The Knowledge Worker.”

Medicare Advantage Plans: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 5:30 pm. Online Resources for Small Businesses: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 5:30 pm. Register online at myclearwater.com/cpl.

Frightening Flicks: Saturday, Oct. 31, 12:00 pm. Enjoy a classic horror movie triple feature including “Dracula” (1931), “Frankenstein” (1931) and “The Wolfman” (1941).

Chess Club for Adults:

East Branch

Declutter Your Space: Thursday, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 1:30 pm. Diane Lebedeff discusses how to clear the clutter from your space.

A Stitch in Time: Fridays, 2:00 pm.

Yo Me Cuido: Saturday, Oct. 3, 2:00 pm. Moffitt Cancer Center discusses the prevention and treatment of cervical cancer with Spanish speakers.

ESOL Tutoring: Monday, Oct. 5, 19, 26, 4:00 pm. Literacy tutors and students practice conversational English.

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

Socrates Café: Saturday, Oct. 17, 2:00 pm. Andrew Dianiska moderates.

Alzheimer’s Education Series - Dementia Conversations: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 11:00 am.

North Greenwood Branch

Thursday Afternoon @ the Movies: Thursday, Oct. 1, 2:00 pm. Adults are invited for an afternoon movie.

Chess Club for Adults: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 21, 28, 2:00 pm.

Natural Nubian: A Holistic Approach to Going Natural: Thursday, Oct. 22, 5:00 pm. Nurse, author and natural oil wellness coach, Orjaneet Bryant puts a different perspective on the value of growing your hair natural.

Dunedin Public Library

Casual Scrabble Club: Mondays, Oct. 5, 19, 6:00 pm.


Tuesdays at Two Film Program: Tuesdays, 2:00 pm. For more info on movies, please call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1707 or check out the Library website, www.dunedingov.com/library.

S.H.I.N.E Medicare Counseling: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 27, evenings. To set up an appointment, call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1707.

Chess Club: Tuesdays, 5:00-7:00 pm. Open to those ages 10 and up.

S.H.I.N.E Medicare Counseling: Wednesdays, To set up an appointment, call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1707.

Children’s Writer’s Group: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 10:00 am.

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

Dunedin Writers Group: Fridays, 9:30 am.

Socrates Café: Saturday, Oct. 3, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

Dunedin Garden Club: Saturday, Oct. 3, 1:00 pm. For more info please call (727) 447-6814.

Yarn Lovers: (Adults and Teens) Saturday, Oct. 10, 24, 1:00 pm.


SHINE Medicare Seminar - Medicare 101: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2:00-4:00 pm.

Transparent Waters: The History and Significance of Florida’s Springs: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 7:00 pm. Program presented by Dr. Tom Berson, The Florida Humanities Council.

Dunedin Community Garden Seminar - “Cooking and Preserving Peppers”: Saturday, Oct. 10, 10:00 am.

I’ll Never Forget the Day I Read a Book: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 7:00 pm. Presented by Bonnie Whitehurst.

SHINE Medicare Seminar-
Medicare Part C: Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.
Bob’s Great Cycling Adventure from Florida to Washington State: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 7:00 pm. Program presented by Bob Hartman.
Brownbag Lunch Series-Wildlife Webinars-Bats: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 12:15-1:00 pm. Bring your lunch and watch this webinar with us.
It’s Not About the Cure: Causes and Prevention of Breast Cancer: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 7:00 pm. Presented by local chiropractor, Dr. Patricia Snair.

East Lake Community Library
AARP Smart Driver Course: (Ages 55+) Saturday, Oct. 24, 10:00 am-4:00 pm. AARP’s Smart Drive course is a six-hour workshop. Register online, by phone or in person.
Big Red Bloodmobile: Saturday, Oct. 3, 6:00-9:00 pm. Go to http://www.oneblooddonor.org to make an appointment!
Bridge Game: Monday, Oct. 5, 1:00-3:00 pm. This is not a beginner class and no instructor will be present.
Chess Club: (Ages 9 to adult) Thursdays, 2:45-4:45 pm. Beginners, intermediate, and advanced players are welcome.
Cinema for Seniors: Saturday, Oct. 17, 1:00-3:00 pm.
College Planning-What is Best for Your Student: Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:30 am-12:00 pm. Tuesday, Oct. 20, 6:30-7:45 pm. Topics will include the Florida prepaid plans. Registration is required.
ELCL Author Showcase: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 6:30-7:50 pm. David C. Edmonds will talk about Lily of Peru.
Empath Health Series - Where Do I Go for Help: Friday, Oct. 2, 1:00-2:00 pm. A member of their Speakers Bureau will present an overview of the community resources. Registration is required.
Fiber Arts Group: Mondays, Oct. 12, 26, 1:00-3:00 pm. We will focus on the fun and instructional components that make a beautiful quilt.
Halloween Costume Swap: Oct. 5-30, Bring new or gently used costume, to the “Costume Shop” at the library to swap for a different one. Don’t have one to swap? Make a $5.00 donation.
Medicare 101: Saturday, Oct. 3, 11:00 am-1:00 pm.
Medicare-Part C: Thursday, Oct. 15, 1:00-3:00 pm.
Medicare-Part D: Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:00 am-1:00 pm.
Night Life @ the Library: Wine Tasting: (21+) Wednesday, Oct. 14, 6:30-7:45 pm. $5.00 fee at registration (in-person).
Palm Harbor Garden Club: Monday, Oct. 12, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.
SHINE Medicare Help: Tuesdays, 12:30-3:30 pm. Registration required.
Writers’ Critique Group: Mondays, Oct. 12, 26, 6:00-7:45 pm.
You Can’t Do That at the Library! Family “Fun”-Raider: Saturday, Oct. 3, 6:30-9:00 pm. mini-golf, a bounce house, carnival games, pizza and ice cream $15 for adults; $10 for kids ages 3-12 ($18 and $12 at the door).

Gulf Beaches Public Library
Book Sale: Friday, Oct. 9, 10:00 am-5:00 pm, Saturday, Oct. 10, 10:00 am-4:00 pm.
International Film Movement: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 4:00 pm. The Lesson.
World of Humor Film: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 4:00 pm.
Fall Film Series: Wednesdays, 2:30 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.
Bridge Lessons with Bert: Monday, Oct. 5, 12, 1:00-4:00 pm. Beginning bridge classes.
Mah Jong for Beginners: Thursdays, 11:30-2:00 pm.

Gulfport Public Library
A Road Map for Entrepreneurs - The nuts and bolts of legal, benefits and marketing aspects of running a business: Thursday, Oct. 1, 6:00 pm. FMI, call (727) 893-1073.
Free Family Movie Day: Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:30 am and 1:30 pm. For movie titles, call (727) 893-1074.
Acoustic Jam: Monday, Oct. 26, 5:00-7:00 pm.

Largo Public Library
Authors’ Club: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 6:00 pm. Facilitated by author, Kirk Bailey.
Socrates Cafe: Thursday, Oct. 8, 1:00 pm.
Portrait of a Bride, an Evolving Silhouette: Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:30 am-1:30 pm. The program includes a tea time and display of 25-30 antique, vintage and contemporary wedding gowns. Please pick up your free ticket for this event at the library.
Poets Live: Monday, Oct. 12, 6:30 pm.
Global Beats and Local Eats - Hispanic Heritage Month: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 6:00 pm. Sample food from a local latin restaurant. Please pick up your free ticket for this event at the library.
Crafter Dark: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 6:00 pm. Registration required.
Family History Assistance Day: Saturday, Oct. 31, 12:00-4:00 pm. Genealogists from the Pinellas Genealogy Society will be on hand to help you find your ancestors.
GENEALOGY CLASSES:
German Genealogy Gathering Facts - Part 3: Thursday, Oct. 1, 1:00 pm.
Family Tree Maker User Group: Saturday, Oct. 3, 10:00 am.
City Directories in Genealogy Research: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 6:00 pm.
Bounty Lands in Genealogy Research: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 10:00 am.
Irish Genealogy Interest Group: Thursday, Oct. 8, 1:00 pm.
Courthouse Records: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 6:00 pm.
German Genealogy Interest Group: Friday, Oct. 16, 10:30 am.
Computers in Genealogy: Saturday, Oct. 17, 10:00 am.
Introduction to Genealogy:
Italian Genealogy Interest Group: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 1:00 pm.
England & Wales Interest Group: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 1:00 pm.
Irish Genealogy Part 2: Thursday, Oct. 22, 1:00 pm.
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Adult Classes & Events

Ancestry.com: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 6:00 pm. England & Welsh Census Records 1801-1911: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 11:00 am.

Oldsmar Public Library System
Movies & Popcorn: Friday, Oct. 2, 1:00 pm. Call the library for movie title.
Writer’s Critique Group: Mondays, Oct. 5, 19, 6:00-8:00 pm. Registration required, email getpublishednow.biz@gmail.com to reserve a space (include CRITIQUE in the subject line).
Spanish Language Learner’s Group: Mondays, 6:30-7:45 pm. Group for adult beginning Spanish language learners.
SCORE - Free Small Business Counseling: Tuesdays, Oct. 6, 20, 10:00 am-12:00 pm and 1:00-3:00 pm, one hour one-on-one session. By appointment only, register at the reference desk or by phone.
Protect Yourself from Identity Theft: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 6:00 pm.
Poetry Group: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 6:00-7:30 pm.
Sustainable Living - Minor Changes, Major Impact: Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:00-7:30 pm. Presented by Pinellas County Extension, Register online at: https://sustainablelivingoldsmar.eventbrite.com.
Author Ben Montgomery: Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:00 am-8:00 pm. Registration (in class) is required.
Your Credit Report: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 6:00 pm.

Palm Harbor Library
Socrates Café: Thursdays, Oct. 1, 6:00-7:45 pm and Oct. 15, 1:00-2:45 pm.
Sustainable Living - Minor Changes, Major Impact: Friday, Oct. 2, 10:30 am-12:00 pm. Participants will learn about consumerism, energy and water conservation, and sustainable living behavior. Register online at sustainablelivingpalmharbor.eventbrite.com.
Crafting Under the Palms: Saturday, Oct. 3, 10:00 am-2:00 pm. Calling all crafters...You are invited to display your wares in the upcoming craft fair. A donation of $10.00 is requested to reserve your table for the day. Reservations and donations accepted at the Adult Services Desk.
Medicare Assistance: Mondays, 1:00-5:00 pm. Schedule an appointment by phoning 1-800-963-5337 or by the library’s Adult Services Desk.
Tai Chi for Movement and Balance: Mondays and Wednesdays, Advanced Level: 1:00-2:00 pm. Beginner-Intermediate Level: 2:00-3:00 pm. Fall-prevention for seniors. Registration (in class) is required.
Adult Beginner’s Sign Language: Tuesdays, 6:00-7:00 pm. For info, contact Rosa Rodriguez at (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120.
Adult Intermediate Sign Language: Tuesdays, 7:00-8:00 pm. For info, contact Rosa Rodriguez at (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120.
Master Gardener Plant Clinic: Wednesdays, 10:00 am-2:00 pm.
Master Gardener Series: Thursday, Oct. 8, 2:00 pm and 6:15 pm. Present “Birds in Your Florida Garden.” Admission is free, space is limited. To reserve a seat, call Pinellas County Extension at (727) 582-2603.
Friday Movie Matinee: Friday, Oct. 9, 2:00-4:00 pm. Call (727) 784-3332, ext. 3006 for movie title.
NaNoWriMo Prep Party: Saturday, Oct. 10, 2:30-3:30 pm. Get together with fellow writers and get ready for this year’s NaNoWriMo.
Remembering Italian-American Heritage Month: A discussion led by Mildred Cooper will follow the movie each week.
“Florentine Delights”: Friday, Oct. 16, 2:00-4:00 pm. We’ll enjoy Renaissance art in Florence, the city that propelled Europe out of the Middle Ages.
“Venice, City of Dreams”: Friday, Oct. 23, 2:00-4:00 pm. Be dazzled by masterpieces of the Venetian Renaissance and get intimate with the city of Casanova.
“Venice and Its Lagoon”: Friday, Oct. 30, 2:00-4:00 pm. We’ll sample the treasures of Venice’s Academia Gallery and explore the city’s back street wonders.
Classical Piano Concert: Saturday, Oct. 17, 2:00-3:30 pm. Joseph & Renata Schwartz present classic piano favorites.
Aging Backwards: Saturday, Oct. 24, 10:30-11:30 am. Led by Arielle Giordano. Registration is required.
Suncoast Genealogy Society- General Meeting: Saturday, Oct. 24, 12:00-4:30 pm. Registration is required with an early fee of $25.00 for members and $30.00 for non-members. After Oct. 14th, the fee is $35.00. Contact Jean Van Horn at suncoastpresident@gmail.com to register.
Genealogy Assistance: Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 1:00-4:00 pm and Saturday, Oct. 24, 1:00-1:45 pm.
John Brock Art Alcove: October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month. For more info about The Haven, please visit www.rcspinellas.org.

Pinellas Park
Barbara S. Ponce Public Library
Friends of the Library Meeting: Thursday, Oct. 1, 6:00 pm. Library Quiet Room.
Afternoon Movies: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2:00 pm. Please contact the library for movie titles.
Pinellas Park Better Block: Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:00 am-8:00 pm and Sunday Oct. 11, 11:00 am-4:00 pm. See event schedule at PinellasParkBetterBlock.com.
Re (up) cycling: Wednesday Oct. 14, 1:00 pm. Create a craft and turn magazine pages into gift bows for any occasion.
Smart Travel Tips: Travel Fraud and How Not to Become a Victim: Thursday, Oct. 15, 4:00 pm. Presented by a local travel agent.
True Crime @ The BSP Library: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 6:30 pm. Officer Mike Lynch will be presenting a profile of a local homicide investigation.
Writers Group: Saturday, Oct. 24, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.
Coloring Your Cares Away: (Ages 16+) Monday, Oct. 26, 6:00 pm. Coloring isn’t just for kids.
Team Trivia Night: (Ages 18+) Tuesday, Oct. 27, 6:00-8:00 pm. Get an answer when you reserve a space: (727) 369-0669.
Safety Harbor Public Library

SHINE – Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders: Thursdays, appointments available between 11:00-4:00 pm. Sign up at www.SafetyHarborLibrary.com or call (727) 724-1525, ext. 4107.

Aging Backwards: Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:30 pm. Ways to improve your balance and health.

Medicare Advantage Plans: Saturday, Oct. 10, 2:00-4:00 pm.

Folk Music @ the Library: Sunday, Oct. 11, 2:00 pm. Folk tunes with vocals from duet Susan and Bill Haley.

Comedy Magician Dewayne Hill: Thursday, Oct. 15, 6:30 pm. A show blending exciting magic with side-splitting comedy.

SCORE Small Business Counseling: Tuesdays, Oct. 13, 27. Appointments from 10:00 am-2:00 pm.

Citywide Scavenger Hunt: Saturday, Oct. 17, 11:00 am. For more info or to register, call (727) 724-1525, ext. 4112 or email shphrlf@cityofsafetyharbor.com. Registration closes Friday, Oct. 16th.


Creative Writers Group and Story Circle: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 6:00 pm.

Safety Harbor Writers and Poets Library Group: Thursday, Oct. 22, 3:30 pm.

Collective Coloring Club: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 6:30 pm. Adults only.

Medicare Part D: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 6:00-8:00 pm.


Florida Licensing on Wheels: Friday, Oct. 30, 9:00 am-3:00 pm. For more info and required documents visit www.gathergoget.com.

St. Pete Beach Public Library

Empath Health: Monday, Oct. 5, 11:00 am. Bring your questions.

Medicare 101: Thursday, Oct. 8, 10:30 am. Bill Ferrari of S.H.I.N.E.

Movie Night at the Library: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 6:00 pm, TBD.

Medicare Advantage & Drug Plans: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 10:30 am.

Friends of the Library Annual Meeting: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 6:00 pm. Open to all.

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Florida Writers Association: Thursday, Oct. 8, 5:30-7:30 pm. See http://kwestpete.blogspot.com/ for speaker schedule.

Ghostbusters Halloween Event: The Real Tampa Bay Ghostbusters will be appearing in costume at 3:00 pm. We will be showing the original Ghostbusters at 4:00 pm. (1984, PG, 107 min).

Mirror Lake Community Needle Craft Club: Saturday, Oct. 10, 24, 1:00-3:00 pm. All skill levels are welcome.

South Community Family Yarn Guild: (Ages 8+) Saturday, Oct. 10, 24, 12:00-2:00 pm.

South Community Knitting Guild: (Ages 8+) Thursdays, Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, 11:00 am.

West Community Ghost Tours 101: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 7:00 pm. Tour with Dr. Brandy Stark.

Have a Spooktacular Good Time! Thursday, Oct. 22, 7:00 pm. Wear your costume & enjoy treats and spooky stories with Maureen Belote.

Halloween Celebration: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 7:00 pm. Spaced is limited, registration is required.

Seminole Community Library

Seminole Chess Club: Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 pm.


Thrilling Tales: Thursday, Oct. 8, 1:00 pm. Enjoy the simple pleasure of hearing good stories read aloud.

Two Towers Chess Club: Monday, Oct. 12, 16, 3:30-5:30 pm.

Unplug, Relax, and Recharge! Coloring for Adults: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2:00 pm and Thursday, Oct. 29, 6:00 pm. Contact Hilary for more info: (727) 394-6908 or hwagner@myseminole.com.

Wordsmiths Writing Group: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 6:00-8:00 pm.

SPC Toastmasters: Tuesdays, 6:15pm.

Tarpon Springs Public Library

Genealogy Assistance: Onep-on-one research help on Tuesday afternoons with Gary. Please call for an appointment for any other time.

Tarpon Springs Fiction Writers: Wednesdays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. For more info, call David at (727) 942-9540 or Gino at (727) 808-0290.

Writers Group: Fridays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Call Rebecca Roberts (727) 940-4327, for more info.

10 Tips for Advertising Your Business by SCORE: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 7:00 pm. To register, please call the library (727) 943-4922.

Cinema Saturday: Saturday, Oct. 10, 2:00 pm. Seating is limited to the first 80 people. Call the Library for the movie title.

Needlecraft Group: Monday, Oct. 12, 6:30-8:30 pm.

Advanced Care Planning: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2:00 pm.

DIY Craft: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 6:30 pm. Registration is required by Saturday, Oct. 10th. Call (727) 943-4922 to register or for more info.

Genealogy Research Group: Monday, Oct. 19, 6:30-8:30 pm.

Cinema Saturday: Saturday, Oct. 24, 2:00 pm. Seating is limited to the first 80 people. Call the Library for the movie title.

Stealing Beauty-The Criminal Enterprise of Art Theft: Monday, Oct. 26, 7:00 pm. This lecture will be presented by St. Petersburg College Professor, Kimberly Felos.

Crafterspace: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 6:30-8:30 pm.

Show off your creative ideas and join our lively conversations. There will be separate tables for messy crafts and fiber crafts.

Holiday Movie Matinee - Halloween: Saturday, Oct. 31, 11:00 am and 2:00 pm. Movies will begin at 11:00 am (rated PG) and 2:00 pm (rated PG-13). Seating is limited to the first 80 people. Please call the library for the movie titles.
Book Discussions

Clearwater Public Library System

Main Library

Book Lovers Bistro: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 12:00 pm. Call (727) 562-4970 for more info and titles.

Circula de Lecture: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 1:00 pm. Spanish language group. For more info and titles, please call (727) 562-4970.

East Lake Community Library


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ELCL Book Club: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 6:30-7:45 pm. This month’s selection is the Sarajevo war; The Cellist of Sarajevo by Steven Galloway.

Gulf Beaches Public Library

Chatterbooks: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 10:30 am. The Bluest Eye by Toni Morrison.

Gulfport Public Library

Coffee/Talk Book Club: Thursday, Oct. 15, 11:00 am-12:00 pm. The Tiger’s Wife by Tea Obreht.

Largo Public Library

Last Word Book Discussion Group: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 6:00 pm. Butterfly’s Child by Angela Davis-Gardner.

Booktalking with Iris: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 12:00 pm.

Barley Mow Book Club: Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:30 pm. A Haunted Love Story by Mark Spencer. This isn’t your average book club! Barley Mow is located at 518 W. Bay Dr., Largo.

Oldsmar Public Library System

Books and Brews: (Ages 21+)
Tuesday, Oct. 6, 6:00 pm. Meets at the Oldsmar Tap House (300 State Street East) Black Mass by Dick Lehr.

Palm Harbor Library

PHIL’s Book Club: Monday, Oct. 5, 11:00 am-12:00 pm. Library Director, Gene Coppola, leads a discussion on the book Waiting for Snow in Havana by Carlos Eire.

Ales & Tales Evening Book Club:
Monday, Oct. 12, 6:00-7:00 pm. Book Thief by Markus Zusak. Join Marisa Meale, at Tiffany’s Family Restaurant, 3500 U.S. Hwy. 19 N.

Pinellas Park

Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

What Did We Just Read: Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:00 pm. White Noise by Dom DeLillo Book Club at Pair O’ Dice Brewery, 4400 118th Ave. N., Suite 208, Clearwater.

Evening Book Discussion:
Wednesday Oct. 14, 6:30 pm. Dreaming Spies by Laurie R. King.

Afternoon Book Discussion: Thursday, Oct. 15, 2:00 pm. Unless by Carol Shields.

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Book Discussion Group Film:
Tuesday, Oct. 27, 10:30 am. Sophie’s Choice. By Lynn Cullen.

Safety Harbor Public Library


Books & Bagels Book Club:
Tuesday, Oct. 20, 10:30 am. The Luminaries by Eleanor Catton.

St. Petersburg Public Library System

All are welcome at these book clubs, titles available online at http://splibraries.org/book_clubs.html.

Main Library

LGBT Book Club: Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:00 am. Lovers at the Chameleon Club, Paris 1932 by Francine Prose.

Speculative Fiction Book Club:
Tuesday, Oct. 6, 6:30 pm.

The Real Deal Book Club:
Thursday, Oct. 29, 6:30 pm.

Mirror Lake Community

Reflections Book Club: Saturday, Oct. 17, 2:00 pm.

North Community

Thursday Morning Group:
Thursday, Oct. 1, 11:00 am.

Murder by the Book (Mystery):
Thursday, Oct. 1, 6:30 pm.

South Community

Book Club: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2:00 pm.

Mahogany Book Club: Saturday, Oct. 17, 12:00 pm. Read and discuss the works of African American writers.

Seminole Community Library

Backward Travelers Historical Fiction Book Discussion: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 2:00 pm. The Miniaturist by Jessie Burton.

Book Buzz: Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2:00 pm.

Booktalkers: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2:00 pm. Mrs. Poe by Lynn Cullen.

Great Books: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 2:00 pm. The Grand Inquisitor by Fyodor Dostoevsky.

Super Novels: Thursday, Oct. 24, 2:00 pm. Fathers and Sons by Ivan Turgenev.

Winning Fiction by Women:
Monday, Oct. 12, 2:00 pm. The Pickup by Nadine Gordimer.

Tarpon Springs Public Library


Mystery, Murder and Mayhem Book Club: Wednesday, Oct. 21, 7:00 pm. House Rules by Jodi Picoult.

Books and Beyond Book Club:
Thursday, Oct. 22, 12:00 pm. Mrs. Mike: The Story of Mary Katherine Flannagan by Benedict and Nancy Freedman. Call Sherri at (727) 934-5926.
Children's Classes & Events

Clearwater Public Library System

Main Library

Little Ones Music & Stories: (Ages 1-3) Thursday, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 10:30 am.

Doggone Reading Fun: Saturday, Oct. 3, 12:00 pm. Paws for Friendship Inc. brings therapy-trained dogs for 20-minute reading sessions. Call (727) 562-4970 to preregister.

Let’s Grow Baby-Oh: (Infants-24 mo.) Monday, Oct. 5, 19, 26, 10:30 am. Please bring a blanket for baby and you.

After School Chess Club: (Grades K-12) Monday, Oct. 5, 19, 26, 3:30 pm.

Toddler Move ‘N’ Read Storytime (Ages 12-36 mos.) Tuesdays, 10:30 am

Bright Minds Preschool Storytime: (Preschoolers-2nd grade) Wednesdays, 10:30 am.

Mad Science with Jessica: (Grades 1-5) Saturday, Oct. 10, 1:00 pm. Children get to participate in all of the experiments, and learn some cool science facts along the way.

Sensory Storytime at Main: Sunday, Oct. 25, 2:00 pm. Designed for children and teens on the autism spectrum or those who are sensitive to sensory overload. Call (727) 562-4970 for details.

Halloween Storytime and Parade: (Ages 12 and under) Saturday, Oct. 31, 3:00 pm. Calling all young tricksters to join us for Halloween stories, trick-or-treating, and a costume parade through the library.

Countrywide Branch

Little Learners: Thursday, Oct. 22, 29, 10:30 am.

Countryside Branch

Mother Goose on the Loose: (Ages 0-3) Thursday, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 11:00 am.

Homework Help: Thursdays, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22 and Tuesdays, Oct. 6, 20, 27, 4:00 pm. Reserve a 30 minute session up to one week in advance.

Lego Free Build: Saturday, Oct. 3, 2:00 pm.

Shrinky Dink Monday: Monday, Oct. 19, 4:30 pm. Enjoy your day off of school by decorating Shrinky Dinks. Register at myclearwater.com/cpl.

Doggone Reading Fun: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 5:30 pm. Paws for Friendship Inc. will bring four therapy-trained dogs to the library for preregistered 20-minute reading sessions. Call (727) 562-4970 to preregister.

Halloween/Day of the Dead Party: Saturday, Oct. 24, 2:00 pm. Celebrating Fall events with this party full of crafts and games.

North Greenwood Branch

Combining Like Terms and Candies: Monday, Oct. 5, 4:30 pm. Participants will gain a firm understanding of Algebraic Expressions.

Doggone Reading Fun: Thursday, Oct. 8, 4:30 pm. Paws for Friendship Inc. will bring therapy-trained dogs to the library for preregistered 20-minute reading sessions. Call (727) 562-4970 to preregister.

Halloween Make-and-Take Craft: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 5:00 pm with Miss Sarah.

UNO Tournament: (All Ages) Wednesday, Oct. 21, 4:00 pm.

Sidewalk Art: (All Ages) Tuesday, Oct. 27, 4:30 pm. Weather permitting.

Dunedin Public Library

Baby & Me Story Time: (Birth to 18 mo.), Mondays, 10:00 am.

Music Mash: (Ages 5 and under) Mondays, 3:30 pm.

Toddler Times: (18-36 mo.), Wednesdays, 10:00 am and 11:00 am.

Preschool Story Times: (Ages 3-5), Thursdays, 10:00 am and 11:00 am.

Homework Help: (Elementary-Middle School age) Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Registration begins 2 weeks prior to a program unless noted otherwise.

Theater Class: (Ages 8-12) Saturday, Oct. 3, 3:00 pm. A Dunedin Youth Volunteer will share theater skills. Registration required.

Sunday Family Movie: (Youth of all ages) Sunday, Oct. 4, 2:00 pm.

LEGO Club: (Ages 5-12) Tuesday, Oct. 6, 6:00 pm.

Grow Your Mind: (Ages 4-7) Thursday, Oct. 8, 4:00 pm. Registration is required.

Yoga Kids: (Ages 3-5) Friday, Oct. 9, 10:30 am. Yoga with Ms. Susan.

Candy Corn Bingo: (Families) Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:00 am. We'll play several games of Bingo and use candy corn to cover our cards. Fun for the whole family.

Little Bits Circuits: (Ages 8-12) Wednesday, Oct. 14, 4:00 pm. Registration required.

Saturday Stories: (Families) Saturday, Oct. 17, 11:00 am. Enjoy thematic stories, songs, finger plays and a literature based short movie.

Read to Maggie the Dog: (Youth) Saturday, Oct. 17, 3:00 pm.

Leftover Crafts: (Youth of all ages) Monday, Oct. 19, 12:00-3:00 pm.

Minecraft & More: (Ages 5-12) Wednesday, Oct. 21, 4:00 pm.

Peanuts Pumpkin Party: (Ages 3-5) Friday, Oct. 23, 10:30 am. We’re getting ready for the new movie release. We will share stories, make a Snoopy craft and create a tasty treat. Registration is required.

Sunday Fun Day: (Youth of all ages) Sunday, Oct. 25, 1:00-4:30 pm. Stop in the Youth Department for a special make and take craft.

Spooky Stories and Crafts: (Youth continued on next page
Children’s Classes & Events

Dunedin Public Library continued

of all ages) Monday, Oct. 26, 6:00 pm.
Enjoy some not-so-scary stories, games, crafts and snacks.

East Lake Community Library

Baby Sensory Day: (Infants-18 mos.)
Friday, Oct. 16, 10:00-11:00 am.

Baby Sign: (Ages up to 3) Fridays,
11:30 am-12:30 pm. Miss Kathryn
from the Deaf Literacy Center of the
Pinellas Public Library Consortium will
teach sign language to babies and their
caregivers. No older children please.

Book Bingo for Kids: Friday, Oct. 16,
3:00-4:00 pm.

Chess Club: (Ages 9+) Thursdays,
Oct. 1, 8, 22, 29, 2:45-4:45 pm.
Beginners, intermediate, and advanced
players are welcome.

Crafternoon: Friday, Oct. 23, 3:00-4:00 pm.
Join Miss Sue for some crafty fun!

Dinosaur Days: (School age) Monday,
Oct. 19, 9:00 am-8:00 pm. A full day of
dinosaur movies, crafts, and even a fossil
workshop! Registration required.

Lapsit & Linger: (Newborn-18 mos.)
Tuesdays, 10:00-10:30 am. Join Miss
Susan for a fun and interactive story
time

LEGO Club: (School age) Friday, Oct.
9, 3:00-4:00 pm.

Passport to Adventure: Wednesday,
Oct. 7, 3:00-4:00 pm. We explore many
cultures and lands around the world!

Preschool Storytime: (Ages 3-5)
Thursdays, 1:00-1:45 pm.

Sue’s Tiny Tots: (Ages 18-36 mos.)
Tuesdays, 11:00-11:45 am.

Tiny Tots Sensory Day: (Toddlers up to
36 mos.) Friday, Oct. 9, 10:00-11:00 am.

Wacky Wednesday: (School age)
Wednesday, Oct. 21, 3:00-4:00 pm.
Come find out what fun Miss Colleen
and Miss Susan have planned!

You Can’t Do That at the Library!
Family “Fun” - Raiser: Saturday,
Oct. 3, 6:30-9:00 pm. Mini-golf, a
bounce house, carnival games, pizza and
ice cream, $15 for adults; $10 for kids
ages 3-12 ($18 and $12 at the door).

Gulf Beaches Public Library

Baby & Me Storytime: (Ages 0-2)
Wednesdays, 10:30 am.

Pre-K Storytime & Art Class: (Ages
2-4) Fridays, 10:30 am.

Halloween Open House: (School
Age) Monday, Oct. 19, Crafts and face
painting.

Gulfport Public Library

Science Club for K-5th Grade:
Mondays, Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, 3:00-4:00 pm.

Toddler Storytime: Thursdays, 10:30-
11:00 am.

Free Family Movie Day: Saturday,
Oct. 17, 10:30 am and 1:30 pm. Call
(727) 893-1074.

Kids Yoga: Thursday, Oct. 22, 3:30-
4:00 pm.

Largo Public Library

Library LEGOs: (Ages 5-12)
Saturdays, 2:00-4:00 pm.

Hour of Code: (Ages 8-12) Friday, Oct.
9, 4:30-5:30 pm. Learn introductory
computer programming skills in this
1-hour class. Register in the Children’s
department.

Bright Beginnings: Mondays, 10:30
am. Join us in this early literacy lap-sit
program for an introduction to stories,
songs, and finger plays.

Fiesta Fun: (All Ages) Monday, Oct.
5, 6:00 pm. Join us in celebrating Hispanic
Heritage Month. Register in the
Children’s Department.

Around America-New York: Monday,
Oct. 12, 6:00 pm. Explore a different
state every month! Register in the
Children’s Department.

Sunset Stories: Monday, Oct. 19,
26, 6:00 pm. Relax and enjoy tales and
activities. Join us at this story experience
for the whole family!

Wobbly Walkers: (Ages 12-24 mos.)
Tuesdays, 10:30 am. Stories, finger
plays, music, and movement activities.

Toddler Tales: (Ages 24-36 mos.)
Wednesday, Oct. 7, 14, 21, 10:30 am.
Stories, music, and extended story
activities that encourage early literacy.

Cook-a-Book: Wednesdays, 6:00 pm.
Following recipes helps to build a child’s
reading comprehension and vocabulary.

Pre-K Hooray: (Ages 3-5) Thursdays,
11:00 am.

Character Bingo: (Ages 5-12)
Thursday, Oct. 1, 4:00 pm.

Tinker Lab: (Ages 6-12) Thursdays,
Oct. 8, 22, 4:00-5:30 pm. Oct. 8 - How
Does Your Garden Grow? Exploring
hydroponic gardening. Oct. 22 - How
High Can You Go? Defy gravity by
building tall structures.

Party with Elephant & Piggy: (All Ages)
Monday, Oct. 19, 2:00 pm. Register in the Children’s Department.

Harry Potter Halloween: Friday,
Oct. 23, 4:00 pm. Join in on games
and crafts. Costumes are strongly
encouraged to show off your best
witching and wizardry fashion! Register
in the Children’s Department.

Ms. Angela’s Character Parade:
(Ages 12 mos.-5 years) Wednesday,
Oct. 28, 10:30 am. Halloween is in
the air! Come to the library dressed as
your favorite character. Register in the
Children’s Department.

Puppets Aplenty: Friday, Oct. 30,
4:30 pm.

Oldsmar Public Library System

Preschool Storytime: (Ages 3-5)
Thursdays, 10:00 am.

Toddler Time: (Ages 18 mos.-3 years)
Meet Miss Chris for story time at Palm Harbor Starbucks, located at U.S. Hwy. 19 and Nebraska Ave.

**Halloween Event @ the Centre:** (All Ages) Saturday, Oct. 24, beginning at 6:30 pm. Location: The Centre, 1500 16th Street, Palm Harbor. For more info visit www.csapalmharbor.org

**Leap Into Art at Leepa-Rattner:** (Ages 3+) Wednesday, Oct. 28, 3:00-4:00 pm. For an art themed story and craft time. Admission is free for children and museum members - $6.00 for all others. Oct.: The (Not Very) Scary Story Time!

**Trick or Treat @ the Library:** (All Ages) Saturday, Oct. 31, 2:30-4:30 pm. Happy Halloween! Stop by the Children’s Room and say “trick or treat”.

**Pinellas Park Barbara S. Ponce Public Library**

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

**Read, Sing & Play Toddlertime:** (Infant-35 mos.) Tuesdays, 11:00 am. Program may include stories, rhymes, songs, finger plays, and crafts.

**Music in Motion:** (Ages 2-5) Wednesdays, 11:00 am. Join us as we celebrate music and movement in this 20-30 minute program.

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

**Saturday Family Storytime:** Saturdays, 10:30 am.

**Tail Waggin’ Tutors:** Thursday, Oct. 8, 22, 3:30-4:30 pm. 15-minute scheduled sessions that allow children to read aloud to a therapy dog. Call (727) 369-0664 to register.

**Origami Workshop:** Tuesday, Oct. 13, 6:30 pm. Learn the art of paper folding. Paper is provided. Registration is required. Call (727) 369-0664.

**Homework Help:** Mondays, 3:30-5:30 pm. Adventures in Art: (Ages 5-12) Monday, Oct. 19, 6:00 pm. Each month we will focus on a different project. All art supplies are provided by the library. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

**Magic Tree House Book Club:** (Ages 5+) Sunday, Oct. 25, 2:00 pm. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

**Mad Hatter Tea Party:** (All Ages) Tuesday, Oct. 6, 6:00 pm. Alice in Wonderland-themed tea party.

**Palm Harbor Library**

**Annual Halloween Costume Swap:** Oct. 1-30. Bring new or gently used infant - 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.

**Art Attack:** (Ages 6-12) Saturday, Oct. 3, 3:00-4:15 pm. Registration required.

**Toddler Story Time:** (Ages 18 mos.-3 years) Mondays, 10:00-10:30 am.

**Infant/Toddler Sign Language:** (Infants-4 years) Mondays, 10:45-11:15 am. Please register with the Deaf Literacy Center via phone or email. Phone: (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120; TDD: (727) 724-1529; email: rrodriguez@pplc.us

**School Age Sign Language:** (Ages 5-12 years) Mondays, 4:15-5:15 pm. Please register with the Deaf Literacy Center via phone or email. Phone: (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120; TDD: (727) 724-1529; email: rrodriguez@pplc.us

**Homework Help:** (Grades K-5) Monday-Thursday, starting Oct. 5, 3:00-5:00 pm.

**LEGO Club:** (All ages) Monday, Oct. 5, 2:00-4:00 pm. $5.00 per costume donation.

**Adventures in Art:** (Ages 5-12) Monday, Oct. 5, 2:00-4:00 pm. $5.00 per costume donation. Don’t have one to swap? Make a $5.00 per costume donation.

**Paws-itive Pals:** (All Ages) Mondays, Oct. 12, 26, 4:30-5:30 pm. Saturdays, Oct. 17, 31, 10:30-11:30 pm.

**Starbucks Story Time:** (All Ages) Tuesday, Oct. 13, 10:30-11:00 am.

**Art Attack: (Ages 6-12)**

**Saturday, Oct. 3, 3:00-4:15 pm. Registration required.**

**Toddler Story Time:**

**(Ages 18 mos.-3 years) Mondays, 10:00-10:30 am.**

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**Homework Help:**

**(Grades K-5) Monday-Thursday, starting Oct. 5, 3:00-5:00 pm.**

**Fire Truck Frenzy:**

**(Ages 5-12)**

**Tuesday, Oct. 6, 5:00-6:00 pm.**

Celebrate Fire Safety Month. Registration required.

**Mother Goose Rhyme Time:**

**(Infant-2 years) Wednesdays, 10:00-10:30 am.**

**First Steps:**

**(Ages 1-3) Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 am. In-person registration required.**

**Star Wars Reads Day:**

**(Ages 3+) Saturday, Oct. 10, 11:00-3:30 am.**

Join us for stories, games, activities, prizes, and fun to celebrate the Star Wars series.

**Paws-itive Pals:**

**(All Ages) Mondays, Oct. 12, 26, 4:30-5:30 pm. Saturdays, Oct. 17, 31, 10:30-11:30 pm.**

**Starbucks Story Time:**

**(All Ages) Tuesday, Oct. 13, 10:30-11:00 am.**
Safety Harbor Library continued

**Pumpkin!** (Ages 4-10) Tuesday, Oct. 20, 3:30 pm. Pumpkins and supplies included. Registration required.

**Game On:** (Ages 5-12 years) Wednesday, Oct. 21, 3:30 pm.

**Wee Discoveries:** (Ages 1-5 years) Thursday, Oct. 22, 11:00 am. Play with age-appropriate discovery stations designed to encourage creativity in learning with STEM goals in mind. Adult participation required.

**Paw-some Readers Program:** Thursday, Oct. 22, 5:00 pm and Friday, Oct. 23, 3:00 pm. Practice your reading with our specially trained therapy dogs.

**Zumba Kids:** (Ages 4-10 years) Wednesday, Oct. 28, 4:00 pm. Participate in a fun dance fitness program for kids!

**Kids’ Yoga Dance:** (Ages 10 and under) Thursday, Oct. 22, 4:00 pm. Yoga meets dance in this fun, new program with instructor Mei Tschang.

**Preschool Halloween Party:** (Ages 5 and under) Wednesday, Oct. 28, 10:30 am. Come dressed in your costume!

**Harry Potter Halloween Party:** (All ages) Saturday, Oct. 31, 1:00-3:00 pm. Come dressed as your favorite Harry Potter character.

**St. Petersburg Public Library System**

**Main Library**

**Family Story Time:** (All ages) Thursdays, 6:30 pm.

**Humpty Dumpty Story Time:** (Infants-18 mos.) Thursdays, 10:15 am and 11:00 am.

**Library Lego Mania:** (All ages) Tuesdays, 3:30 pm.

**Mother Goose:** (Ages 3 & under) Thursdays, 3:15 pm and Fridays, 10:15 am and 11:00 am

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 10:25 am and Thursday, 1:30 pm.

**Super Saturdays at Main Library:** (All ages) 11:00 am Crafts, Legos, Games and a Puppet Show.

**Children Park Community**

**School-age Program:** (Ages 5-10) Fridays, 4:30 pm.

**J.W. Johnson Community**

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 10:15 am.

**Mirror Lake Community**

**Mother Goose:** (Ages 3 & under) Mondays, 11:00 am. Songs, puppets and finger plays.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Mondays, 10:15 am.

**North Community**

**Family Story Time:** (All ages) Tuesdays, 6:30 pm.

**Mother Goose:** (Ages 3 and under) Wednesdays, 10:15 am.

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

**South Community**

**Mother Goose:** (Ages 3 and under) Thursdays, 10:15 am.

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

**West Community**

**After School Program:** (Ages 6-12) Thursday, Oct. 1, 3:30-4:30 pm.

**Mother Goose Story Time:** (Ages 3 and under) Tuesdays, 9:30 am.

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, Songs and stories.

**Seminole Community Library**

**Toddler Story Time:** (18-36 mos.) Tuesdays, 10:00 am.

**Preschool Story Time:** (3-5 years) Tuesdays, 11:30 am.

**Crafty Kids:** (Grades K-5), Tuesday, Oct. 6, 20, 6:00-7:00 pm.

**Baby Time:** (Newborn-18 mos.), Wednesdays, 10:00 am.

**Hands On:** (Grades PK-5), Wednesday, Oct. 7, 21, 1:00-2:30 pm. Educational manipulatives, games, puzzles, building blocks, LEGO and more will be provided.

**Wiggle, Giggle and Sing:** (Ages 5 and under), Thursdays, 10:00 am.

**Family Movie Matinee:** (All ages), Saturday, Oct. 3, 10, 24, 31, 2:00 pm. 10/03: Dark Crystal ©Universal. 10/10: Max @Warner Bros. 10/17: NO MOVIE TODAY. 10/24: Monsters University ©Disney. 10/31: Labyrinth ©Columbia Pictures.

**Two Towers Chess Club:** (All ages), Monday, Oct. 12, 26, 3:30-5:30 pm.

**Pause for Poetry:** (All ages), Wednesday, Oct. 21, 7:00 pm.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**

**Preschool Story Time:** (Ages 3-5), Thursdays, 10:15 am.

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

**Craft Club:** (Ages 6-12), Friday, Oct. 1, 4:30-5:30 pm. Registration required.

**After School Make’n Take Craft:** (All ages) Saturday, Oct. 3, 10:00 am-4:00 pm. Stop by Youth Services and make a craft to celebrate Fire Safety Week.

**Drop-In Homework Help:** Tuesdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Extra help with homework or reading provided. No appointment necessary.

**Makerspace STEM Lab SPECIAL EVENT:** (Grades 2-3) Saturday, Oct. 12, 10:00-11:00 am and (Grades 4-5) 11:00 am-12:00 pm. Class size limited. Registration required.

**Family STEM Program:** (Ages 4+), Wednesday, Oct. 21, 3:00 pm. Tampa Bay Bats will give a special presentation for the whole family. No registration required.

**Wee Sing with Mrs. Music:** (Ages 1+) Saturday, Oct. 24, 10:30 am. Have fun learning colors, numbers, letters, sign language and Spanish. No registration required.

**Halloween Party:** (Ages 2-12), Wednesday, Oct. 28, 3:00 pm. Join us for a Halloween Party with stories, games, craft and fun. Costumes encouraged. No registration required.
Dunedin Public Library

**Conversation Club:** Wednesdays, 5:45 pm. The Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas, with the support of the Dunedin Friends of the Library, hosts this Conversation Club.

**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 (727) 298-3080, ext. 1724 or visit the website at www.lcupinfo.com.

Largo Public Library

**English Language Learning Conversation Club:** Mondays, 10:00 am and Tuesdays, 6:00 pm. Join us for an informal hour of community and conversation.

**Baby Sign Language:** Tuesdays, 9:30 am. These interactive signing classes teach you how to include signs naturally while interacting with your child.

**Adult Sign Language:** Wednesdays, Oct. 7, 21, 6:00-8:00 pm. Join us for this bi-weekly class that includes basic sign language vocabulary, daily phrases, and facts about the deaf community and culture.

**English Language Learning Tutor Training and Orientation:** Saturday, Oct. 10, 10:00 am-4:00 pm. Tutor Training, Tuesday, Oct. 13, 6:00-8:00 pm. Program Orientation: Both sessions will be held at the Seminole Community Library. If you are interested in attending the tutor training course, please register online at tinyurl.com/ELLtutor-registration or contact Nancy Coleman-Romanos, ELL Librarian, ncoleman@largo.com, (727) 587-6715, ext. 2547.

Palm Harbor Library

**Conversation Classes:** Thursdays, 6:30-7:30 pm. The Palm Harbor Literacy Council invites you to join them in practicing your English conversational skills. These classes are open to anyone who is learning English as a second language.

Pinellas Park

**Barbara S. Ponce Public Library**

**Children’s American Sign Language:** Thursdays, 3:30 pm.

**Adult American Sign Language, Level 1:** Thursdays, 6:00 pm.

**Adult American Sign Language, Level 2:** Thursdays, 7:00 pm.

**English Classes:** Wednesdays, 6:00 pm.

Safety Harbor Public Library

**ESOL Conversation Club:** Tuesdays, 4:00-5:30 pm. Practice your English conversation skills.

**Adult Literacy and ESOL Tutoring:** The Safety Harbor Public Library offers Adult Literacy and ESOL tutoring in partnership with the Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas. Visit www.SafetyHarborLibrary.com or call (727) 724-1525 for more information on enrolling as a student or becoming a tutor.

St. Petersburg Public Library System

**Main Library**

**Roll Over and Read:** Monday, Oct. 5, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

**English Tutoring - St. Pete Speaks ESL @ your library:** A one-on-one, no cost tutoring program for non-native English speakers. If you are interested on becoming a tutor or student please contact esl.library@stpete.org.

**Mirror Lake Community**

**Roll Over and Read:** Wednesday, Oct. 21, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

**Johnson Community**

**Roll Over and Read:** Tuesday, Oct. 6, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

**North Community**

**Roll Over and Read:** Tuesday, Oct. 20, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

**South Community**

**Roll Over and Read:** Friday, Oct. 2, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register for a session.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**

**ESOL Conversational Classes:** Mondays, 5:30 pm and Tuesdays, 3:30 pm. The Tarpon Springs Public Library, in conjunction with the Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas, is offering free, informal conversational English classes. No registration is required. Please call the Library at (727) 943-4922, for more information.
Tech Classes & Events

Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library

Computer and e-Reader Help: Wednesdays, 10:30 am. Meet with library computer techs on the third floor for assistance using e-readers, computers or the Internet.


Beach Branch
Computer Help! With Ray: Mondays, Oct. 5, 19, 26, 10:00 am.

East Branch
Computer and e-Reader Help: Tuesdays, 2:00 pm.

North Greenwood Branch
Computer and e-Reader Help: Mondays, Oct. 5, 19, 26, 4:00 pm.

Dunedin Public Library
Registration is required for all computer classes.
iPad Basics, Part 1: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 11:00 am.
iPad Basics, Part 2: Thursday, Oct. 8, 11:00 am.
Beyond iPad Basics, Part 1: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 11:00 am.
Beyond iPad Basics, Part 2: Thursday, Oct. 15, 11:00 am.
Android Basics, Part 1: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 11:00 am.
Android Basics, Part 2: Thursday, Oct. 22, 11:00 am.
Walk-in Tech Help: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 11:00 am and Thursday, Oct. 29, 11:00 am.
Tech Time: Get help with your devices, 45 minute sessions are available by appointment on Tuesdays, 2:00-4:00 pm. For more info, stop by our Information Desk or call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1716.

One-on-One Computer Tutoring: One-hour sessions are available by appointment. Contact the Youth Services Dept. for more info or call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1732.

East Lake Community Library

Registration is required for all computer classes.
Computer Chat with Paul: Wed., 12:30-2:30 pm. Classes are one hour each. Please call the library to register for your individual session.
Senior Skills Computer Class - Basic Computers: Thursday, Oct. 8, 9:30-11:30 am. Free computer classes for seniors taught by Paul Goldman.
Senior Skills Computer Class - Using the Mouse and the Keyboard: Thursday, Oct. 29, 9:30-11:30 am.

Gulf Beaches Public Library

Computer Classes: All classes at 1:00 pm. If you are bringing a laptop, please set it up before the class begins.
E-mail Class: Wednesday, Oct. 14.
Internet Class: Wednesday, Oct. 21.
Open Forum: Monday, Oct. 19. Ask questions about devices or software.

Largo Public Library

Registration is required for all computer classes.
iPads for Beginners: Thursday, Oct. 1, 3:00 pm. Class size limited to 8.
Open Idea Lab: Fridays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Book your 3D experience appointment by calling (727) 587-6715, ext. 2529.
iPads for Beginners 2: Thursday, Oct. 8, 3:00 pm. Class size limited to 8.
Mouse and Keyboarding: Mondays, Oct. 12, 26, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 7 students on a first-come, first-served basis.

Email: Tuesdays, Oct. 13, 27, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 12 students on a first-come, first-served basis.

Internet: Thursdays, Oct. 15, 29, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 12 students on a first-come, first-served basis.

Word Processing: Fridays, Oct. 16, 30, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 12 students on a first-come, first-served basis.

Oldsmar Public Library System

Drop-in Computer Help: Wednesdays, Oct. 7, 21, 3:00-5:00 pm.

Palm Harbor Library

Registration is required for all computer classes. Call (727) 784-3332, ext. 3006.
How to Tell What’s True on the Internet: Thursday, Oct. 8, 11:00 am-1:00 pm. This class will help you ferret out the truth from the fiction.
Learn to Navigate Windows 8.1: Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:00-7:30 pm.

Palm Harbor Library

Email Basics: Tuesday, Oct. 20, 2:00-3:30 pm.

Borrowing Library eBooks: Saturday, Oct. 24, 12:00-1:30 pm.

One-on-One Computer Instruction: One-on-one help (30 minute sessions) available after 2:30 pm until closing each day. Call (727) 784-3332, ext. 3017 to check availability.

Pinellas Park
Barbara S. Ponce Public Library
Introductory Computer Training
Classes: Classes offered throughout October. Call (727) 541-0719 to inquire about schedule.
One-on-One Technology Clinic: Tuesdays, 3:00 pm and Thursdays, 6:00 pm.
E-book training: Wednesdays, 10:00 am. Additional sessions often offered. Please call (727) 369-0667 to inquire.
Zinio Training: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 10:00 am.

Safety Harbor Public Library
Call to schedule an appointment.
One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Logan: Sundays, 1:30-4:30 pm.
One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Dan: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 6:00 or 7:00 pm.
Mobile Device Help with Michael: Fridays, 3:30-6:00 pm.
One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Rahul: Saturdays 9:30 am-12:30 pm.

St. Pete Beach Public Library
E-Reader Help Hour: Tuesdays, Oct. 6, 20, 3:00 pm.
More iPad: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 10:30 am. Intermediate level.
E-Books for iPad: Friday, Oct. 16, 10:30 am. Bring library card and Apple passwords.

St. Petersburg Public Library System
Registration is required for all computer classes.
Main Library
Internet Basics: Monday, Oct. 5, 4:00 pm.
Facebook for Beginners: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 10:00 am.
Basic Microsoft Excel 2007: Monday, Oct. 12, 4:00 pm.
Introduction to Online Searching: Monday, Oct. 19, 10:00 am.
Basic Microsoft Word 2007: Monday, Oct. 26, 10:00 am.
Walk-in Computer Help: Tuesdays, 4:00-6:00 pm.

Johnson Community
One-on-One Computer Assistance: Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 am and Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 am.
Basic Microsoft Excel 2007: Thursday, Oct. 29, 10:00-11:30 am.

North Community
One-on-One Computer Assistance: Tuesdays, 10:30-11:30 am and Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 am.
Basic Microsoft Excel 2007: Thursday, Oct. 29, 10:00-11:30 am.

South Community
One-on-One Computer Assistance: Computer help on a one-on-one basis, no appointments needed, but please call (727) 893-7214 to see if teen computer squad member is available.

West Community
Supervised Lab Time: Fridays, 1:30-3:30 pm.
LinkedIn: Thursday, Oct. 1, 12:30 pm.
Microsoft Word Advanced: Thursday, Oct. 15, 12:30 pm.
Etsy Basics: Thursday, Oct. 22, 12:30 pm.

Seminole Community Library
Gizmos, Gadgets and Geezers: Need help with your devices? Contact the Youth Services Department at (727) 394-6913 to set up an appointment.

Tarpon Springs Public Library
Tech Tutoring: Free one hour session with a student volunteer. Registration is required. Please call the library to arrange an appointment.
One-on-One eBook Training: Call or stop by the library to schedule an appointment.

Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library
Percy Jackson Meets Magnus Chase: (Grades 5-12) Saturday, Oct. 3, 2:00 pm. Celebrate the release of Rick Riordan’s new series, Magnus Chase and the Gods of Asgard,
After School Chess Club: (Grades K-12) Monday, Oct. 5, 3:30 pm.
Game On: (Grades 6-12)
Wednesdays, 3:30 pm.
Manga Book Club: (Ages 13-18) Saturday, Oct. 24, 2:00 pm. Read and discuss different manga monthly.
Monster Mash Bash: (Grades 6-12) Saturday, Oct. 31, 1:00 pm. Interactive movies, music, crafts, and activities. Costumes greatly encouraged.

North Greenwood Branch
Manners Matter: Tuesday, Oct. 6, 13, 4:00 pm. Workshop Facilitator, Tawanna Larkin, will present an interactive etiquette workshop for youth.
Wii Gaming: Wednesday, Oct. 7, 4:00 pm. Join us for Wii video game fun.
UNO Tournament: (For All Ages) Wednesday, Oct. 21, 4:00 pm.

Tarpon Springs Public Library
Tech Tutoring: Free one hour session with a student volunteer. Registration is required. Please call the library to arrange an appointment.
One-on-One eBook Training: Call or stop by the library to schedule an appointment.

Teen Classes & Events
Teen Creative Writer’s Group: (High School Ages) Monday, Oct. 19, 6:00 pm. Teens teach and encourage others on their creative journey.

East Lake Community Library
Chess Club: (Ages 9-Adult) Thursdays, Oct. 1, 8, 22, 29, 2:45-4:45 pm. Beginners, intermediate, and advanced players are welcome.

Gulfport Public Library
Middle School Robotics Club: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 4:00-5:00 pm. Pre-registration required. Check with Cailey in Youth Services to sign up or call 727-893-1074.

Largo Public Library
Wii Warriors: (Ages 13-18) Thursday, Oct. 1, 2:00-5:30 pm. Test your Wii skills at this monthly gathering of gamers.

The Teen Scene: (Ages 13-18) Monday, Oct. 12, 5:00-7:00 pm.

Teen Halloween Party: (Ages 13-18) Friday, Oct. 30, 2:00-5:30 pm. Games, treats, do-your-own monster makeup, and crafts.

Oldsmar Public Library System
Teen Coffee House: (Grades 6-12) Tuesday, Oct. 20, 6:00 pm. Enjoy coffee, tea, snacks and share your ideas for library programs with other teens.

Palm Harbor Library
Youth Advisory Board: (Ages 13-18) Thursdays, 5:00-6:00 pm. Banned Book Bingo: (Ages 13-18) Thursday, Oct. 1, 6:15-7:15 pm.

Anime Club: (Ages 11-18) Monday, Oct. 26, 4:30-5:30 pm. Test your video game skills!

Minecraft Club: (Grades 6-12) Saturday, Oct. 10, 17, 12:00-2:00 pm. Participants must have an active Minecraft account.

Teen Creative Writing and Journaling: (Grades 6-12) Tuesday, Oct. 13, 20, 5:00 pm. Instructed by local author, Laura Kepner.

Youth Advisory Board: (Ages 13-18) Thursdays, 5:00-7:30 pm. Chess Club: (Ages 13-18) Monday, Oct. 12, 26, 3:30-5:30 pm.

Drop-By Gaming (Ages 9-18) Thursday, Oct. 29, 3:30-5:00 pm.

Pinellas Park
Barbara S. Ponce Public Library
Teen Art Club: Monday, Oct. 5, 6:00 pm. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

Teen Anime Club: (Ages 13-18) Saturday, Oct. 17, 2:30 pm. Call (727) 369-0664 to register.

Teen Creative Writers Group: (Ages 13-18) Wednesday, Oct. 14, 6:00 pm. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

Teen Book-to-Movie Club: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 5:30 p.m. Call (727) 369-0664 for book info.

Teen Advisory Board: (Grades 6-12) Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:30 pm. If interested, speak to a staff member at the Youth Services desk or call (727) 369-0664.

Teen Halloween Lockin: (Ages 12-18) Friday, Oct. 23, 7:00 pm.

Safety Harbor Public Library
Registration required for most.
Teen Library Advisory Board: (Grades 6-12) Tuesday, Oct. 6, 5:00 pm. Join TLAB and participate in planning and implementing library programs for teens. Applications can be picked up at the Youth Dept. Next meeting will be November 3rd.

Teen Time: (Grades 6-12) Wednesdays and Thursdays, 4:30 pm. Teen Gaming: (Grades 6-12) Fridays, 4:30 pm. Test your video game skills!

Minecraft Club: (Grades 6-12) Saturday, Oct. 10, 17, 12:00-2:00 pm. Participants must have an active Minecraft account.

Teen Creative Writing and Journaling: (Grades 6-12) Tuesday, Oct. 13, 20, 5:00 pm. Instructed by local author, Laura Kepner.

Youth Cookbook Club: (Grades 6-12) Wednesday, Oct. 14, 6:00 pm. Do you love to bake, cook, or trying new foods and sharing recipes? Then join us for our new monthly club.

Teen Craft: (Grades 6-12) Thursday, Oct. 15, 4:30 pm. Book folding! Learn how to fold a book into a hedgehog.

After Hours Teen Halloween Party: (Grades 6-12) Friday, Oct. 16, 7:00 pm. Special party for teens after the Library has closed! Costumes are encouraged.

Teen Read Week: (Grades 6-12) Oct. 18-24. Stop by the teen area and play our shredded book guessing game for a prize.

Teen Book Club: (Grades 6-12) Friday, Oct. 23, 4:30 pm.

American Red Cross Babysitter’s Training: (Ages 11-15) Saturday, Oct. 24, 9:30 am-4:30 pm. Will teach teens that are planning to babysit the knowledge and skills necessary to safely give care to children and infants. Receive a certificate from the American Red Cross.

Animanga Club: (Grades 6-12) Tuesday, Oct. 27, 4:30 pm.

Harry Potter Halloween Party: (All Ages) Saturday, Oct. 31, 1:00-3:00 pm. Costumes are encouraged.

St. Petersburg Public Library System
Main Library
Tabletop Games Night: (Ages 11-18) Thursdays, 5:00-7:30 pm.

Anime and Manga Club: (Ages 11-18) Tuesday, Oct. 20, 6:15 pm.

West Community
Teen Craferton: Wednesday, Oct. 14, 3:00-5:00 pm.

Movie Night: Monday, Oct. 19, 6:30-8:30 pm. Watch Night of the Living Dead.

Seminole Community Library
Library Teen Board General Meeting: (Grades 8-12) Thursday, Oct. 15, 4:30-5:30 pm. For info stop by the Youth Services Dept. or call Ms. Porcelli at (727) 394-6913.

Manga/Anime Club: (Grades 6-12) Friday, Oct. 23, 3:45-5:45 pm. Join us for a showing of Whisper of the Heart ©Disney, rated G, screenplay by Hayao Miyazaki and directed by Yoshifumi Kondo.

Two Towers Chess Club: (All Ages) Monday, Oct. 12, 26, 3:30-5:30 pm.

Seminole Chess Club: (All Ages) Wednesday, Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28, 6:30-8:30 pm. For all level players.

Pause for Poetry: (All ages), Wednesday, Oct. 21, 7:00 pm.

Tarpon Springs Public Library
Manga Book Club: (Ages 12+) Monday, Oct. 5, 19, 7:30 pm. If you like manga, graphic novels and anime, then this club is the place for you!
## Cooperative Libraries

### Administrative Office
**Pinellas Public Library Cooperative**
1330 Cleveland Street
Clearwater, FL 33755-5103
P: (727) 441-8408
F: (727) 441-8938
www.pplc.us

### Born to Read
1330 Cleveland Street
Clearwater, FL 33755-5103
P: (727) 441-8408
F: (727) 441-8938
www.pplc.us/borntoread

### Deaf Literacy Center
101 Second Street North
Safety Harbor, FL 34695
P: (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120
F: (727) 724-1533
VPhone: (727) 474-1914
www.pplc.us/dlc

### Talking Book Library
1330 Cleveland Street
Clearwater, FL 33755-5103
P: (727) 441-9958
www.pplc.us/tbl

### Clearwater System
**Main Library & Offices**
100 N. Osceola Avenue
Clearwater, FL 33755
P: (727) 562-4970
www.myclearwater.com/cpl

**Beach Branch**
69 Bay Esplanade
Clearwater, FL 33767
P: (727) 562-4970

**Countryside Branch**
2741 State Road 580
Clearwater, FL 33761
P: (727) 562-4970

**East Branch**
2521 Drew Street
Clearwater, FL 33765
P: (727) 562-4970

### North Greenwood Branch
905 N. Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave., Clearwater, FL 33755
P: (727) 562-4970

### Dunedin Library
223 Douglas Avenue
Dunedin, FL 34698
P: (727) 298-3080
www.dunedingov/library

### Friends Branch
1920 Pinchurst Road
Dunedin, FL 34698
P: (727) 812-4548

### East Lake Community Library
4125 East Lake Road
Palm Harbor, FL 34685
P: (727) 773-2665
www.eastlakelibrary.org

### Gulf Beaches Library
200 Municipal Drive
Madeira Beach, FL 33708
P: (727) 391-2828
www.gulfbeacheslib.org

### Gulfport Library
5501 28th Avenue South
Gulfport, FL 33707
P: (727) 893-1074
F: (727) 344-6386
Reference: (727) 893-1073
www.mygulfport.us/gpl

### Largo Library
120 Central Park Drive
Largo, FL 33771
P: (727) 587-6715
Reference: (727) 587-6715
TDD: (727) 587-6778
www.largopubliclibrary.org

### Oldsmar Library
400 St. Petersburg Drive East
Oldsmar, FL 34677
P: (813) 749-1178
www.oldsmarlibrary.org
Email: information@oldsmarlibrary.org

### Palm Harbor Library
2330 Nebraska Avenue
Palm Harbor, FL 34683
P: (727) 784-3332
www.palmharborlibrary.org

### Pinellas Park Barbara S. Ponce Library
7770 52nd Street
Pinellas Park, FL 33781
P: (727) 369-0669
Reference: (727) 369-0667
www.pinellaspark.com/library

### Safety Harbor Library
101 2nd Street North
Safety Harbor, FL 34695
P: (727) 724-1525
www.safetyharborlibrary.com

### St. Pete Beach Library
365 73rd Avenue
St. Pete Beach, FL 33706
P: (727) 363-9238
www.stpetebeach.org/library

### Seminole Library
9200 113th Street North
Seminole, FL 33772-2800
P: (727) 394-6905
http://www.spcollege.edu/scl
(reduced hours when classes not in session)

### Tarpon Springs Library
138 E. Lemon Street
Tarpon Springs, FL 34689
P: (727) 943-4922
www.tarponspringslibrary.org

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**Childs Park Community Library at YMCA**
Community Center
691 43rd Street South
St. Petersburg, FL 33711
P: (727) 893-7714

**James Weldon Johnson Community Library**
1059 18th Avenue South
St. Petersburg, FL 33705
P: (727) 893-7113

**Mirror Lake Community Library**
280 5th Street North
St. Petersburg, FL 33701
P: (727) 893-7268

**North Community Library**
861 70th Avenue North
St. Petersburg, FL 33702
P: (727) 893-7214

**South Community Library**
2300 Roy Hanna Drive S.
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
P: (727) 893-7244

**West Community Library at SPC Seminole Campus**
6700 8th Avenue North
St. Petersburg, FL 33710
P: (727) 341-7199
www.spcollege.edu/scl
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Events at
Pinellas Talking Book Library

Low Vision Support Group: Pinellas Council of the Blind-Low vision; meets on the 1st Thursday of the month, 10:00 am-12:00 pm at the Talking Book Library.

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• Books, CDs, DVDs, games, kits, and more!
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• “Friends” Groups and volunteer opportunities
• Interlibrary loans
• Book discussion and writer’s groups
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• Story hours and early learning activities
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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.
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