

NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2024 - FEBRUARY 2025

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OPEN HOURS

Monday - Thursday:

10:00am - 7:00pm

Friday & Saturday:

10:00am - 5:00pm

Sunday:

CLOSED

CLOSING DATES

Thanksgiving:

Nov 28 - 30

Christmas:

Dec 24 & 25

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New Year's:

Dec 31 & Jan 1

Tip-Up Town:

Jan 18 & 25

HLPL AFTER HOURS

When HLPL is closed, wireless internet access in the parking lot, the materials return, and virtual library services at WWW.HLPL.ORG are all open.

OPERATION WARM WELCOME KICKOFF

Nov 12 from 3:15 - 6:00pm

Stay warm this winter with free coats and shoes, courtesy of the Elks Lodge! The Library will be distributing children's coats and shoes. Each child will also receive a free book to take home and enjoy. Don't miss this opportunity to bundle up with a good book and a warm coat! Items will be available for pickup after the kickoff as well. While supplies last.

GNOME SANTA ORNAMENT

Dec 3 @ 10:30am

Get ready for some gnome-tastic fun at the Library this holiday season! Join us for a festive craft program where you'll create your own adorable Gnome Santa ornament. All materials will be provided, so just bring your holiday cheer and creativity. Registration requested.

STUFFED ANIMAL WORKSHOP

Dec 7 @ 3pm

Create your very own new furry friend! Choose an animal, stuff it, name it, and fill out a "birth certificate" before completing the adoption by taking them home. Space is limited. Registration is required. Kits will be first come, first served.

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS KICKOFF

Jan 11@ 10:30am

Meet coaches, form teams, read books, and compete against other local teams in a trivia-style competition. Who will be the last team standing? Please register in advance! For grades 4-6.

TABLET AND SMARTPHONE BASICS

Jan 22 @ 1:30pm

Unlock the potential of your smartphone and tablet! Learn how to install and remove apps, change settings, connect to WiFi, browse the web, and more!

BOOK CLUBS!

The Library offers a variety of book clubs for readers of all types! Check out our book club flyer or visit our website for more information.













STORYTIME FRIDAYS

Fridays @ 10:30am

Learn with us through stories, movement, rhymes, and play time at this weekly program geared for toddler and preschool age children.

TECH TUESDAY

Nov 5, Jan 7, & Feb 4 From 3 - 4:30pm

Kids can join us after school to enjoy our VR headsets, Sphero robots, green screen, and recording equipment.

MAKERSPACE WEDNESDAY

Nov 6, Jan 8, & Feb 5 From 3 - 4:30pm

Kids can stop in after school to create, craft, and build. Use the Library's craft supplies, or bring in a project from home to work on.

COOKIE DECORATING

Nov 15 @ 3pm

Get yourself in the holiday spirit with some good old-fashioned cookie decorating! We will have some cut-out sugar cookies for kids to decorate with frosting, sprinkles, and other supplies, and eat when they're finished!

INDOOR SNOWBALL FIGHT

Feb 12 @ 3pm

Shake off that cabin fever with an indoor snowball fight! Kids can join us after school for a free-for-all with our soft, lightweight, indoor snowballs. No cold, no mess, but still all the fun!



TEEN MOVIE CLUB

Nov 25, Dec 9, Jan 13, & Feb 10 @ 3pm

Teens are invited to enjoy popcorn and snacks while watching a movie chosen from audience suggestions.

DESTRESSING DIY

Dec 18 @ 3pm

It's a stressful time of year! Teens and kids can join us after school to create some homemade, self-care goodies. Whether you're making a gift for someone else or just treating yourself, we will have all the DIY recipes to help you relax and destress.

GAMERS UNITE

Jan 15 @ 3pm

Calling all gamers! Teens can join us to play games of all types! We will play games on the Nintendo Switch, VR, and bodacious board games!



GENEALOGY TIME

Nov 7 & Feb 6 @ 1pm

Join us to explore your ancestry and uncover fascinating stories about your ancestors. Get your questions answered and discover your family's history!

BOOKWORM ADVISORY

Nov 21, Dec 12, Jan 9, & Feb 13 From 4 - 5pm

Explore a world of endless possibilities with our Readers Advisory Program, catering to readers of all ages. Whether you're seeking a gripping mystery or a heartwarming romance, we're here to recommend the perfect book!

SEED LIBRARY HELP

Jan 6 @ 11am

Jan 16, Jan 27, Jan 31, Feb 3, & Feb 27 from 2 - 5pm

The Library is looking for volunteers to help us with our Seed Library. Stop in to help us inventory and pack our seeds!

ORNAMENT CLASSES

Nov 6 @ 5pm Nov 21 @ 11am

Deck the halls with handmade ornaments! Join us at the Library for a festive ornament-making program where you can create a unique decoration. All materials will be provided, registration requested.

TECH BUYER'S GUIDE

Nov 26 @ 3:30pm

Looking to buy a computer, tablet, smartphone, or other tech gadget this holiday season? Get advice on what to look for to buy the perfect gift!

VALENTINE'S DAY CARDS

Jan 29 at 11am

Share the love this Valentine's Day by creating handmade cards at the library! Join us for a fun, creative workshop where we'll provide all the supplies you need to make heartfelt cards for your loved ones.

iCLOUD BASICS

Feb 19 @ 1:30pm

Learn how iCloud works on your Apple devices. Discover how to access or remove data and pictures from your iCloud. Please note, iCloud is specific to Apple products, so attendees should be Apple users!