

Children's Services Calendar of Events

January 2025

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<u>Family Storytime</u> Wednesday, January 8, 15, 22, 29, at 6:00 PM (All ages welcome) Songs, poems, and stories for elementary aged children and their families.

STEM: Button Towers Saturday, January 4, at 10:00 and 11:00 AM (Age: 3-5)

How tall can you make your tower? Let's read *Up! Up! Up! Skyscraper* by Anastasia Suen and then use buttons and Playdoh to support a structure.

Celebrate Our Law Enforcement Day Monday, January 6, at 4:30 PM (Age: 5-11)

After reading the book called *Community Helpers: Police Officers* by Christina Leaf, help us create book marks to thank the officers in our community for their help and service.

<u>Vision Board</u>

Tuesday, January 7, at 4:30 PM (Age: 6-11)

Have you grabbed hold of 2025 yet? Come and listen to the book called Why Not You? and be inspired to set goals and pursue your dreams for the year and beyond.

<u>Puzzlemania</u>

Thursday, January 16, at 4:30 PM (Age: 5-11)

Are you puzzled about the new year? Then, come and assemble a puzzle with us. Children will be given a choice of 4 puzzles to put together alone or with a friend. The puzzle choices are Farm Friends, Solar System, United States Map, and World of Dinosaurs.

- Children under the age of 9 must be accompanied by an adult.
- Register in the Children's room or by phone at (225) 354-7060.
- We're happy to welcome all patrons of appropriate cognitive ages to our Children's Services Programs with a helper as needed.



<u>STEM: Gear Wall</u> Saturday, January 18, at 10:00 and 11:00 AM (Age: 8-11)

Let's read about the history of bicycles and then assemble a wall of moving gears!

King Crowns

Saturday, January 21, at 4:30 PM (Age: 5-9)

Help us celebrate the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King. Listen to *Be a King: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr's Dream and You* by Carole Boston Weatherford. Then, we'll use colorful glittery stickers to decorate a crown.

<u>Chinese New Year Fan</u> *Thursday, January 23, at 4:30 (Age: 6-11)*

Celebrate Chinese New Year with us! We'll read *Friends are Friends, Forever* by Dane Liu and create a Chinese-style fan.

Sensory Sensitivity Time: Tuesday, January 14, from 9:00 AM-11:00 AM

For our sensory sensitive patrons, any unnecessary light or sound elements will be turned off in the Children's Room. From the Children's service desk, patrons can pick up noise–blocking headphones, sunglasses, and various fidget items to use while in the library.



The library will close at 6:00 PM on Tuesday, December 31, in observance of New Year's Eve. The library will be closed on Wednesday, January 1 in observance of New Year's Day.

The library will be closed Monday, January 20, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.