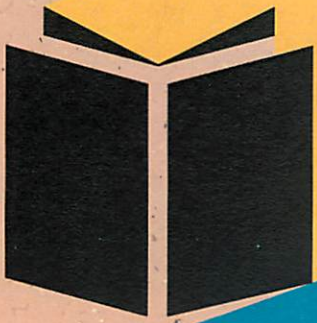


September 2019

@ Kansas City, Kansas Public Library



5th Annual
**LIBRARY
IN
THE PARK**

libraryinthepark.org

This Month

5th Annual Library in the Park

Butterfly Festival, Mexican Independence Day, & more!



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All programs are free and open to the public unless otherwise stated. For more information, contact a library location or check the online calendar at kckpl.org.

Featured This Month

5th Annual Library in the Park

Big 11 Lake Park, 10 am - 2 pm,
Saturday, September 28

Celebrate our community with live music, fun activities,
and the return of the taco contest! Our featured
author this year the award-winning children's author,
Christine Taylor-Butler.

Visit libraryinthepark.org for more information.



Red Cross Blood Drive

Giving blood is a simple thing to do, but it can
make a big difference in the lives of others.
Snacks and free books provided by Literacy KC.
Main, 12 pm, Wednesday, September 11

The Kansas City Clowns Presents: How to be a Clown

This fun all day course will cover topics such as
ethics, makeup and costumes, creating a
character, skits, and more. Turner, 10 am,
Saturday, September 14
Registration required.

Mexican Independence Day Celebration
Celebrate Mexican Independence Day with
folkloric dance, music, crafts and piñata!
South, 1 pm, Saturday, September 14

14th Annual Lawson Roberts Butterfly Festival
Butterfly hunting, Monarch tagging, the Monarch
Migration game, face painting, a butterfly walk
and scavenger hunt, butterfly storytime, and lots
of great crafts!

Schlagle, 10 am, Saturday, September 21

Art Exhibits

Bryan Whitehead
Main

Insect Photography
Contest
Schlagle

Jon Freeman
South

Senior Arts Council
West

Kat Bruns
Turner

Announcements



Closings

All library locations will be closed Monday, September 2, for Labor Day.

Adults & All Ages

Arts & Culture

The Writers' Bloc

West, 7 pm, Mondays except Sept. 2

Come Write In

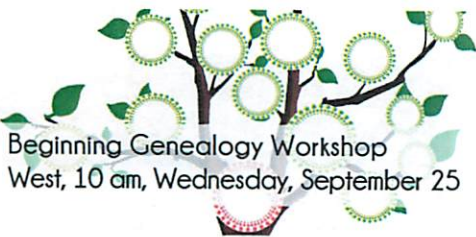
West, 1 pm Saturdays

Write Here at the Library

Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, September 3

Feng Shui Vision Board

Turner, 10 am, Saturday, September 14



Beginning Genealogy Workshop

West, 10 am, Wednesday, September 25

Elemental Quiz

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, September 30

Registration required.

Book Clubs

My Friend's Bookshelf*

Share what you've been reading

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, September 4

Bookfix Book Club*

South, 10 am, Thursday, September 5

Next Chapter Book Club*

The Second Mountain: The Quest for a Moral Life by David Brooks

Main, 5:30 pm Monday, September 9

Inspirational Book Club*

Half Finished by Laurianne Snelling West, 7 pm, Thursday, September 12

Clueless: A Mystery Book Club*

I Wish I Was You by S. P. Miskowski Panera at the Legends, 12:30 pm, Monday, September 16

Back to the Fiction Book Club*

West, 6 pm, Monday, September 16

Common Grounds Book Club*

The Line Becomes a River: Dispatches from the Border by Francisco Cantu Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, September 18

Cookbook Club*

Theme: Latin America

South, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 25

Katie's Comic Collective*

Hack/Slash

Main, 2 pm, Sunday, September 26

Registration required.

College & Career

Working Mondays*

2 hours computer time for job-related tasks.

West, 12:45 pm, Mondays except Sept. 2

Working Wednesdays*

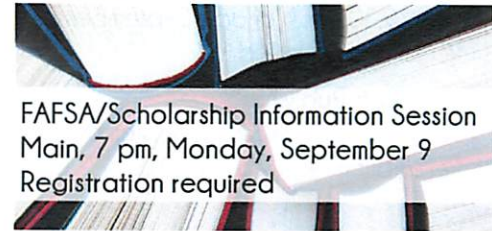
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Main, 1 pm, Wednesdays

GED Classes*

Main, 8:30 am, Mondays, Tuesdays, & Wednesdays

Registration required



FAFSA/Scholarship Information Session
Main, 7 pm, Monday, September 9
Registration required

Get Ready to Get Hired: Resume and Job Search

Main, 10 am, Thursday, September 12

Registration required

Get Ready to Get Hired: Job Interview

Main, 7 pm, Monday, September 23

Registration required

Computers & Tech

One on One Computer Help

Library Hours with Appointment at Main, South, Turner, and West

Computer Basics*

Main, 2 pm

Registration required

Part I - September 13

Part II - September 20

Part III - September 27

Introduction to Computers:

Keyboarding and Mousing*

West, 9:30 am, Monday, September 9

Registration required

Microsoft Word*

Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, September 10

West, 9:30 am, Monday, September 16

Registration required

Adults and All Ages

Visiting the KCKPL eCommunity*

West, 9:30 am, Thursday, September 12
Registration required

Microsoft Word: Labels and Form Letters*

Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, September 17
Registration required

Advanced Microsoft Word*

West, 9:30 am, Thursday, September 19
Registration required

New Databases at the Library*

Main, 10 am, Thursday, September 19
Main, 6 pm, Tuesday, September 24
Registration required

Microsoft Excel*

West, 9:30 am, Monday, September 23
Registration required

Microsoft Publisher*

West, 9:30 am, Thursday, September 26
Registration required

Crafts & DIY

Sunday Sewing

South, 2 pm, Sunday, September 1

Tie Dye Shirts*

Main, 2 pm, Sunday, September 8
Registration required

Paint-along: Wisteria Willows

Turner, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 16
Registration required



Salvadoran Folk Art*

South, 5:30 pm, Wednesday, September 18

Color Craze

West, 1 pm, Saturday, September 21

Yarn Crafters Club

West, 11 am, Monday, September 23

Finance & Legal

Social Security Disability Class

South, 6 pm, Thursday, September 5

Money Smart KC: Quarterly Connect

South, 4 pm, Wednesday, September 11

Games & Videogames

Board @ The Library

West, 1 pm, Sunday, September 1, 15, & 29

Game On @ The Library

West, 1 pm, Sunday, September 8 & 22

Family Lego Club

West, 10:30 am, Saturday, September 14

Health & Wellness

Mindfulness and Meditation

Main, 12 pm, Wednesdays

Medicare Education*

West, 11 am, Thursday, September 5
Turner, 11 am, Thursday, September 26
Registration required

Conversation Cafe

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, September 5 & 19

Pause with Paws*

South, 10:30 am, Thursday, September 12

Language Learning

Inglés Básico/English Class

South, 6:30 pm, Tuesdays*
Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Conversational Spanish*

Basic skills needed to participate
South, 2 pm, Tuesdays
Main, 2 pm, Thursdays

Conversational English*

West, 6:30 pm, Wednesdays
Registration required.

Movies

South Family Movie Night

South, 6 pm, Mondays
Sept. 9 - The Secret Life of Pets 2
Sept. 16 - Men in Black International
Sept. 23 - Aladdin
Sept. 30 - X-Men: Dark Phoenix

Wednesday Night Movies: Viggo Mortensen*

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays
Sept. 4 - Eastern Promises
Sept. 11 - A History of Violence
Sept. 18 - Jauja
Sept. 25 - Captain Fantastic

Mad for the Movies: Strange Attractions

West, 6:30 pm, Wednesdays
Sept. 4 - Harold and Maude
Sept. 11 - Her
Sept. 18 - The Ghost and Mrs. Muir
Sept. 25 - The Purple Rose of Cairo

Thursday Night Theater

West, 6 pm, Thursdays
Sept. 5 - Rocketman
Sept. 12 - The Secret Life of Pets
Sept. 19 - Godzilla: King of the Monsters
Sept. 26 - Aladdin

Saturday Movies*

Main, 1 pm, Saturdays
Sept. 7 - Rocketman
Sept. 14 - Godzilla: King of the Monsters
Sept. 21 - Men in Black International
Sept. 28 - X-Men: Dark Phoenix

Speakers & Forums

Citizenship Classes*

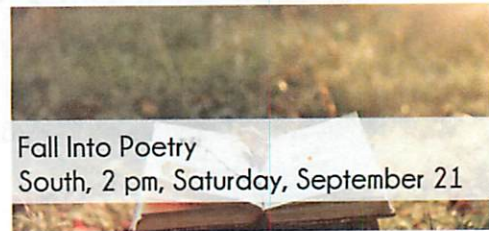
South, 6 pm, Mondays & Wednesdays

Steel Toes & Teeth Author Event with Jerry Parrish

West, 1 pm, Saturday, September 7

Dennis R. Garcia Author Event

South, 6:30 pm, Thursday, September 12



Fall Into Poetry

South, 2 pm, Saturday, September 21

Next Chapter KC Forum

West, 6 pm, Tuesday, September 24

* These programs are adults-only

Children



Kids' Café
Mon-Fri, 3 pm, West,
4 pm, Main

Join us for snacks provided by
KCKPS for children ages 0-18.
Snacks must be eaten on site.

Book Clubs

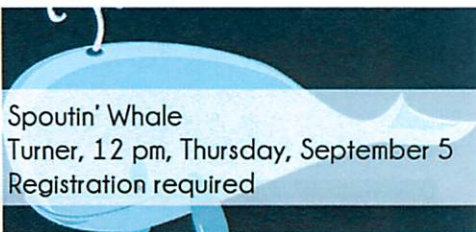
Book to Movie Club

Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, September 28

Art & Crafts

3D Sunflowers

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 4



Spoutin' Whale
Turner, 12 pm, Thursday, September 5
Registration required

Bilingual Craft Time

South, 5:30 pm, Thursday, September
5 & 26

Create a Miniature Cityscape for the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art

South, 2 pm, Saturday, September 7

National Teddy Bear Day

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 9

Handprint Tree

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 11

Design Your Own Bookmarks!

Main, 2 pm, Saturday, September 14

National Play-Doh Day

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 16

Pinecone Apple Trees

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 18

Cactus Pet Rock

Turner, 6 pm, Thursday, September 19

Registration required.



Unicorn Parties

South, 5:30 pm, Thursday, September 19

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, September 23

Magnetic School Bus Picture Frame

Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, September 21

Registration required.

Autumnal Equinox

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 23

Munchie Monday: Banned Book Cupcakes

West, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 23

Get Your Art On: Piet Mondrian

Main, 3 pm, Wednesday, September 25

Apple Stamping

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 25

International Coffee Day

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 30

Games & Videogames

Gamers' Adventures

Turner, 3:30 pm, Mondays & Thursdays
except Sept. 2

Lego Club

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Video Game Club

West, 1 pm, Wednesday, September
4 & 18

Board Game Mania

West, 3 pm, Thursday, September 5

Game Night

Main, 3:30 pm, Monday, September
9 & 23

Learning & Culture

Girls Who Code Club

West, 6 pm, Thursdays except Sept. 12
Registration required.

Homeschool Family Event: Creating Connections to Nature

Schlagle, 10 am, Wednesday,
September 4

Registration required

Kid's Science Lab: Epic Engineering

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, September 4

Homeschool Hour: Discover Native American Cultures!

South, 1 pm, Friday, September 6

STEM Saturday: Crystal Construction

Main, 1 pm, Saturday, September 7

Homeschool Monday: Special Guest

West, 10 am, Monday, September 9

Ages: 5-11

West, 1 pm, Monday, September 9

Ages 12+

Music Monday

West, 3 pm, Monday, September 9 & 16

Detective Science

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, September 9

Registration required

Homeschool Friday: Art All Around Us

Turner, 11 am, Friday, September 13

Registration required

Kid's Science Lab: Sound Science

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday,

September 18

Homeschool Thursday: Puppetry & Puppet Making Workshop

Turner, 12:30 pm, Thursday, September 19

Registration required

Homeschool Thursday: Discover Calligraphy

Main, 2 pm, Thursday, September 19

Registration required

Storytimes

Main

6 by 6 Storytime

Stories, songs, and loads of fun for Early Learners that focus on the 6 skills preschoolers need to be ready for school.
6 pm, Tuesdays
Ages: 3-5 years

Baby Storytime

Start your little ones on their literacy journey to becoming a lifelong reader with stories, rhymes, and songs.
10 am, Wednesdays
Ages: Birth-24 months

Family Storytime

Stories, dance, and songs to help your child build a lifelong love of reading!
11 am Saturdays
Ages: All Ages

South

Little Learners Storytime

Stories that focus on 6 by 6 pre-reading skills.
10:30 am, Tuesdays
Ages: All Ages

Turner

Friday 6 by 6 Storytime

Stories, dance, and games to get kids excited about learning 6 by 6 pre-reading skills!
10:30 am, Fridays
Ages: 18 months to 8 years

West

Preschool Storytime

Stories, songs, crafts, play, and STEAM activities engage attendees in early literacy learning with a focus on 6 by 6: Ready to Read principles.
10 am, Wednesdays
Ages: 3-5 years

Toddler Storytime

Short stories, songs, fingerplays, movement activities, and free play to reinforce early language learning.
10 am, Thursdays
Ages: 12-36 months

Read With Me

The trained dogs from Pet Partners will provide a safe and exciting environment for children to read and flourish.
1 pm, Saturday, September 21
Ages: 5-11 years

Mobile Library

Storytime

Blue Route, Angels of Grace, Friday, September 13 & 27

Homeschool Monday: Library Level-Up
West, 11 am, Monday, September 23

Blackout Poetry

West, 1 pm, Wednesday, September 25

Movies

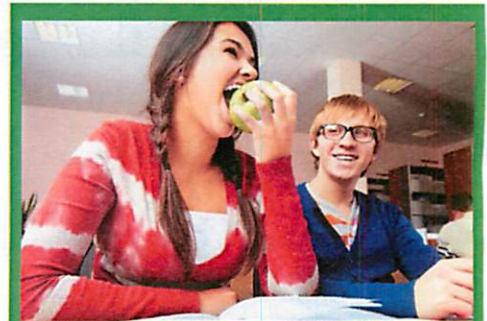
Main Family Movie Night

Main, 6 pm, Thursdays
Sept. 5 - The Nutcracker and the Four Realms
Sept. 12 - Ugly Dolls
Sept. 19 - Pokémon Detective Pikachu
Sept. 26 - The Secret Life of Pets 2

Recreation

Free Friday

West, 3 pm, Fridays
Sept. 6 - Spiral Coloring
Sept. 13 - TBA
Sept. 20 - TBA
Sept. 27 - Banned Book Read-In



Kids' Café
Mon-Fri, 3 pm, West,
4 pm, Main

Join us for snacks provided by KCKPS for children ages 0-18. Snacks must be eaten on site.

Teens

Book Clubs

Book to Movie Club

Main, 1:30 pm, Saturday, September 28

Art & Crafts

3D Sunflowers

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 4

National Teddy Bear Day

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 9

Adorable Pop-Up Cards

South, 3:30 pm, Tuesday, September 10

Handprint Tree

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 11

National Play-Doh Day

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 16

Pinecone Apple Trees

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 18

Bad Art Day: Famous Paintings

West, 3 pm, Thursday, September 19

Autumnal Equinox

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 23

Munchie Monday: Banned Book

Cupcakes

West, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 23

Mod Podge Confetti Vase

South, 3:30 pm, Tuesday, September 24

Get Your Art On!: Piet Mondrian

Main, 3 pm, Wednesday, September 25

Apple Stamping

West, 6 pm, Wednesday, September 25

International Coffee Day

South, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 30

Games & Videogames

Gamers' Adventures

Turner, 3:30 pm, Mondays & Thursdays
except Sept. 2

Chaos Time with Carly

West, 3 pm, Tuesdays

Lego Club

Main, 6 pm, Wednesdays

Video Game Club

Main, 1 pm, Wednesday, September
4 & 18

West, 1 pm, Wednesday, September
4 & 18

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, September
11 & 25

Board Game Mania

West, 3 pm, Thursday, September 5

Game Night

Main, 3:30 pm, Monday, September 9 & 23

Learning & Culture



Homeschool Family Event: Creating Connections to Nature

Schlagle, 10 am, Wednesday, September 4
Registration required

Kid's Science Lab: Epic Engineering

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, September 4

STEM Saturday: Crystal Construction

Main, 1 pm, Saturday, September 7

Music Monday

West, 3 pm, Monday, September 9 & 16

Detective Science

Turner, 6 pm, Monday, September 9
Registration required

Teen Volunteer Orientation

Main, 6 pm, Monday, September 9 & 23
Registration required

ACT Test Prep

West, 7 pm, Thursday, September 12
Registration required

Practice ACT

West, 9 am, Saturday, September 14
Registration required

Kid's Science Lab: Sound Science

South, 2:30 pm, Wednesday, September 18

Blackout Poetry

West, 1 pm, Wednesday, September 25

Movies

Main Family Movie Night

Main, 6 pm, Thursdays

Sept. 5 - The Nutcracker and the Four
Realms

Sept. 12 - Ugly Dolls

Sept. 19 - Pokémon Detective Pikachu

Sept. 26 - The Secret Life of Pets 2

Avengers: Endgame

West, 1 pm, Wednesday, September 11

Anime Clubs

Visit facebook.com/otakuanimecorps

Anime Club - Main, 3 pm, Tuesday,
September 24

Otaku Anime Corps - Turner, 5 pm,
Wednesdays

West Anime Corps - West, 6 pm,
September 3, 10, 17, 23

Recreation

Free Friday

West, 3 pm, Fridays

Sept. 6 - Spiral Coloring

Sept. 13 - TBA

Sept. 20 - TBA

Sept 27 - Banned Book Read-In



Ninja Tournament

West, 3 pm, Thursday, September 12

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<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 8:30am - 8:30pm	<i>Monday-Friday</i> 9:00am - 5:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 9:00am - 9:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 10:00am - 8:00pm	<i>Monday-Thursday</i> 9:00am - 9:00pm	Green Route 913-461-2374
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