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The Hiawassee and Eatonville Library branches will celebrate their anniversaries in January

In January two of the Orange County Library branches will celebrate anniversaries and you are invited. On January 11 the Hiawassee library hosts its 10 year anniversary with special crafts, storytelling and a performance by Saxophonist Don Black. Then on January 25 the Eatonville turns 15 years old. Help celebrate with face painting, prizes and featured guests Orlando-based freestyle group FREE DAPS. Bring your family and friends for these two special occasions.

Have you considered learning a new language, for example American Sign Language? The Herndon branch hosts American Sign Language: Level 1A on Tuesdays in January starting on the 7th. During this four-week course, instructors will cover the manual alphabet, numbers, and more. Register today.

If you have any questions about the information shared below, contact us as 407-835-7323 and check us out online at ocls.info for a complete listing of all library events.

Tertulia Cuatro Gatos / Spanish Book Club

Fairview Shores Branch, 902 Lee Road, Suite 26.

el jueves, 2 y 15 de enero, 6:30–8:30 p.m.

Chickasaw Branch, 870 N. Chickasaw Trail

el martes, 7 de enero, 6:30–8:30 p.m.

South Creek Branch, 1702 Deerfield Blvd.

el miércoles, 8–29 de enero, 6:30–8:30 p.m.

La Tertulia Cuatro Gatos se reúne para compartir y discutir poesía, literatura, arte o historia. Todos son bienvenidos. El programa es presentado en español.

Citizenship Inspired

Hiawassee Branch, 7391 W. Colonial Drive

Thursdays, January 2–23, 6–8:30 p.m.

South Trail Branch, 4600 S. Orange Blossom Trail

Saturdays, January 4–25, 12:30–3:30 p.m.

Winter Garden Branch, 805 E. Plant St., Winter Garden

Wednesdays, January 8–29, 6:45–8:45 p.m.

South Creek Branch, 1702 Deerfield Blvd.

Tuesday, January 14–28, 2:30–5 p.m.

This four week series will prepare you to become a U.S. citizen. Learn everything you'll need to know to pass the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview.

Cuentame un Cuento

Chickasaw Branch, 870 N. Chickasaw Trail

Friday, January 3, 11 a.m.

Come enjoy bilingual stories and crafts for children. The library provides an interactive storytime in English and Spanish suitable for speakers of either languages. The whole family is welcome!

LEGO Block Party

Winter Garden Branch, 805 E. Plant St., Winter Garden

Saturday, January 4, 10:30 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch, 805 E. Plant St., Winter Garden

Tuesday, January 14, 6:30 p.m.

Is there anything you can't build with LEGOs? Let's find out! Join us for lots of building fun. We provide the LEGOs, you provide the creativity. LEGOs will be provided but cannot go home with you.

Recommended for children.

Money Talks for Women

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center, 101 E. Central Blvd.

Tuesdays, January 7–28, 6–7:30 p.m.

Learn about library services such as Morningstar Investment Research Center, goal-oriented tools for saving, investing and more.

American Sign Language: Level 1A

Herndon Branch, 4324 E. Colonial Drive

Tuesdays, January 7–28, 4 p.m.

Learn American Sign Language! During the progressive, four-week course, instructors will cover the manual alphabet, numbers, and more. Presented by ASL Services, Inc. Registration required.

Hiawassee Library 10th Anniversary

Hiawassee Branch, 7391 W. Colonial Drive

Saturday, January 11, 10–2 p.m.

Join the Hiawassee branch for its 10th Anniversary celebration, featuring events for all ages such as storytelling, crafts, face painting for children, Music in the Library featuring Saxophonist Don Black, a prize raffle and more.

Family Zumba

Chickasaw Branch, 870 N. Chickasaw Trail

Wednesday, January 22, Noon

Get your family moving with this energizing workout class. Learn basic Zumba moves to help you dance your way to fitness. Zumba uses dance aerobics for a fun workout. Recommended for children ages 4–13 and adults.

Downsizing in Five Easy Steps

Windermere Branch, 530 Main St., Windermere

Thursday, January 23, 6–7:30 p.m.

Discover steps that make downsizing easier to manage. Registration recommended. To register, call Mike Flahaven at 407.340.5291 or visit yourfloridahaven.com under the Smarter Senior Seminar Series.

OCLS Writers Conference

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room, 101 E. Central Blvd.

Saturday, January 25, 9:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Obtain the tools and knowledge needed to reach your writing and publishing goals this year. Authors and publishing professionals will teach workshops on a range of topics. For more information, visit ocls.info/writersconference.

Eatonville Library 15th Anniversary

Eatonville Branch, 200 E. Kennedy Blvd., Eatonville

Saturday, January 25, 10–2 p.m.

Join the Eatonville branch for its 15th Anniversary celebration, featuring events for all ages such as storytelling, crafts, face painting for children, FREE DAPS, prizes and more.

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