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Program

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SUMMER LUNCH

OCPS MOBILE LUNCH

This summer, Orange County Public Schools Food & Nutrition Services is touring your city to offer meals at no charge to children and young adults under 18. The OCPS Mobile Lunch Vehicles are part of the USDA Summer Food Service Program, Summer BreakSpot. Lunches will only be offered to children and young adults 18 and under. Lunch is served Monday-Friday (no meals will be served on Monday, June 20 and Monday, July 4). Meals must be consumed on the premises. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

LUNCH SERVED MONDAY-FRIDAY

June 6–July 29, 2022 (no meals will be served on Monday, June 20 and Monday, July 4)

11 a.m.–Noon
Chickasaw Branch
870 N. Chickasaw Trail
Orlando, FL 32825

11 a.m.–Noon
Fairview Shores Branch
902 Lee Road, Suite 26
Orlando, FL 32810

11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Hiawasse Branch
7391 W. Colonial Drive
Orlando, FL 32818

11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch
1702 Deerfield Blvd.
Orlando, FL 32837

12:45–1:45 p.m.
North Orange Branch
1211 E. Semoran Blvd.
Apopka, FL 32703

1–2 p.m.
South Trail Branch
4600 S. Orange Blossom Trail
Orlando, FL 32839



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LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Next Board Of Trustees Meeting:

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Thursday, July 14, 6 p.m.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Next Friends Of The Library Board Of Directors Meeting:

Virtual
Wednesday, July 20, Noon

FROM THE INTERIM DIRECTOR

We are heading into summer with some good news – our 2022 Summer Reading Program is off to a strong start. We announced that we would be offering in-person events this summer, in addition to virtual selections, and the response has been fantastic. Hundreds of kids and their parents are showing up for events at our library locations, and we’ve already had 1,335 kids sign up to participate in our Summer Reading Challenge. For comparison, last year we had 1,984 kids sign up over the summer. We’re almost there, and we still have almost four weeks left to go before Summer Reading Program is over. It’s not too late to take part – visit ocls.info/srp to find out how you can attend library events and read books for a chance to win prizes.

The other good news we have to share is that on June 9, the Orange County Library System Board of Trustees approved leases for new library branches in both the Lake Nona and Horizon West communities.

In Horizon West, the library will have a ground lease with Orange County that will allow for the design and construction of a library in the Horizon West Regional Park. The library will design and construct a 20,000 square-foot building and outdoor pavilion that will share parking and outdoor space with recreation and community facilities operated by the county. In Lake Nona, the city of Orlando will design and construct the Lake Nona Branch as part of the new Southeast Government Center to be built on Dowden Road. The facility, which will also feature shared outdoor space and a stage, will be leased to the library upon its completion, with an option to purchase the building at a later date.

In July 2021, the library announced that it was working with the city and county on a plan to build these branches. The leases signed this week are the culmination of a collaborative effort to work toward a creative solution that would allow the library to fund and construct two branches in the same time frame. It has been a lot of work to get to this point, but the library is thrilled to let Lake Nona and Horizon West residents know that they have libraries on the way.

We will post updates on the Lake Nona and Horizon West branch projects on the library’s website and social media accounts as they are available.



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Steve Powell
Interim Director/CEO & COO
Orange County Library System

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POWERING bright minds

#DEPowerfulCommunities

OCLS is the proud recipient of a Duke Energy Florida Foundation Powerful Community Grant, for our project “Summer Reading Program Outreach and Partnership Development.” The grant program will fund outreach and books for children and families in the North Orange, Eatonville, Washington Park and Hiawassee communities.

Disney MEMORIES

Orange County Library System is collecting stories celebrating Disney’s 50th anniversary. Do you have a story you would like to share about your first or your most memorable time at Disney? Visit ocls.info/disney-memories to submit photos and share your stories with us.

CHECK OUT EVEN MORE AT THE LIBRARY!

VISIT THE OCLS BLOG FOR EVERYTHING FROM AUTHOR INTERVIEWS TO POP CULTURE DISCUSSIONS

OCLS.INFO/BLOG

IN-PERSON

Watermelon Wednesdays

West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 1:30 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, July 13, 1:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 1:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 27, 1:30 p.m.
Bite into a new mid-week celebration: Watermelon Wednesdays! Representatives from The National Watermelon Board show you new and delicious ways to prepare this refreshing fruit. Registration required.

Alphabet Calligraphy

Southeast Branch
Saturday, July 9, 3 p.m.
Join artist Lynda Chandler as she demonstrates how to practice lettering the alphabet. Explore how to create different fonts using a variety of pens and techniques. Registration required.

West Oaks Wildflower Club

West Oaks Branch
Sunday, July 10, 2–3:30 p.m.
Meet up with other nature lovers to celebrate wildflowers. Each month, we'll spotlight a different wildflower and host discussions and crafts that promote native Florida plants. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

Plant Clinic

Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, July 14, 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
Bring your plants, get your soil pH tested and ask questions. Master Gardener Volunteers from the County Extension Office will be available to answer your gardening questions.

Snack & Learn:

Medicare 101
Fairview Shores Branch
Friday, July 15, 10:30 a.m.
Learn about Medicare basics, your coverage options and where to get help. This event is part of the ongoing Snack & Learn series presented by Casman Mosby, CarePlus Health Plans.

Rock the Wrap:

Headwrap Styling
Workshop
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, July 16, 3–4:30 p.m.
This educational and interactive experience provides step-by-step instruction of headwrap styling techniques. Learn about the significance and history of head wrapping. Registration required.

The FUNDamentals of Improv

Orlando Public Library
Sundays, July 17–31, 3:30–5 p.m.
This eight-week course covers improv skills including: learning the basics of agreement and support, getting over shyness and being “in the moment.” Registration required. Recommended for ages 16 and up.

Tea & Conversation

South Creek Branch
Saturday, July 23, 2:30 p.m.
This monthly social is designed to bring adults together in a celebration of everyday life.



PEDALPALOOZA

Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, July 23, 11 a.m.–2 p.m.
Local cycling organizations from around Central Florida are setting up along the West Orange Trail to discuss all things bikes. Bring the family and share your love of bicycling! Part of the Sustainability Series sponsored by the Friends of the Orange County Library System.

VIRTUAL

Southwest Film Club

Tuesday, July 5, 7–8:30 p.m.
The Southwest Film Club discusses the themes and importance of a movie each month.

Craft and Chat

Wednesdays, July 6–27, 10:30 a.m.–Noon
Work on your art or craft projects while connecting with other crafters and artists. All levels of art or crafting experience are welcome. Registration required. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

Yoga

Monday, July 11, 9 a.m.
Get moving with this energizing and relaxing yoga sequence for all levels. Tap into the strength, balance, flexibility and relaxation that your body can provide you.

Cholesterol: Knowing What the Numbers Mean

Wednesday, July 13, 11 a.m.
Join Jessica Daly, Faculty Librarian and Assistant Professor with Advent Health University, as she discusses cholesterol, the importance of knowing your numbers and what it can mean for your health.

Chinese Painting Basics

Saturday, July 16, 10 a.m.
Join artist Jojo Liu as she teaches the basics of Chinese painting which includes how to use the brush and ink, the technique of bamboo stalks, leaves, branches and the composition of the painting.

Let's Talk:

Podcast Discussions
Tuesday, July 19, 7–8:30 p.m.
Just like a book club, but for podcasts! Join a community of podcast listeners as we explore a human interest topic by way of three to five podcast episode selections. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

Chair Yoga

Monday, July 25, 11 a.m.
Get moving with this energizing and relaxing Chair Yoga sequence for all levels. Tap into the strength, balance, flexibility and relaxation that your body can provide you. Requires use of a chair.

Ask A Lawyer

Monday, July 25, 5:30–7 p.m.
The Orange County Bar Association will provide an open forum for individuals to speak with a panel of attorneys to get guidance on consumer law and small claims.

VIRTUAL

No Cook Meal

Wednesday, July 20, 6 p.m.
Give your stove a break with these tasty no cook dishes. Yamira Lee Johnson, head chef and founder of Breaking Bread with Mira, will show us how to make easy no cook meals. Registration required.



SOFT CORN TORTILLAS AND SALSAS

Tuesday, July 26, 6:30 p.m.
Join culinary expert Dianne Morin as she demonstrates how to make soft corn tortillas, fresh tomato salsa and black bean corn salsa. Registration required.

THE TRUE STORY OF SMOKY THE WAR DOG

Thursday, July 7, 7 p.m.
Found by accident in the jungles of New Guinea during WWII, this brave dog went on to be chosen as the number one mascot of the South Pacific, the world's first official therapy dog of record.



Photo courtesy Smoky War Dog LLC

IN-PERSON



ACROSS THE SPARKLEVERSE
Orlando Public Library
On Display Through August
Through the combined power of fire, earth and air signs, artists Chelsea Smith and The Bears: Cake Marques and Michael McGrath, create a sparkly, out of this world art showcase. Across the Sparkleverse will take you through the universe to see fabulous and grandiose images of space, aliens and astrology combined in stark contrast to the world of the black, white and beige – the universe isn't anything without a little sparkle.

MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY
ocls.info/music-library

IN-PERSON



STORIES WITH STRINGS ATTACHED
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, July 9, 11 a.m.
The cello and piano duo has inspired several great romantic composers. Duo Arpeggione will perform the works of composers Edvard Grieg, Gaspar Cassado, John Gottsch and more.

FRIENDS OF KOTO MUSIC ENSEMBLE
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, July 17, 2 p.m.
The Friends of Koto will perform traditional 17th century music along with modern pieces on the Japanese stringed instrument, the koto. Explore koto's rich history with an accompanying lecture.



IN-PERSON

DISNEY JOB FAIR
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, July 16, 1–4 p.m.
Learn how you can be part of a team where you create magical vacation experiences. Speak with Disney Casting Services about open jobs and how to apply.

VIRTUAL

Career Academy:
Interview Like a Pro
Tuesday, July 12, 2:30 p.m.
You've landed an interview! Now what? Get tips that will help you to practice and prepare, and to write a memorable thank you letter.

Career Academy:
Perfecting Your Resume
Tuesday, July 26, 2:30 p.m.
Get noticed! Elevate your job application with best practices in crafting a resume and cover letter.




All Job Seekers
Welcome!



Central Florida
Job Fair

July 6, 2022
Doors open 12-4 PM
Central Fairgrounds Expo Hall,
4603 W Colonial Dr, Orlando, FL
Meet, network and interview with nearly
100 employers, under one roof!
Learn more: CFEC.org/job-fairs





IN-PERSON

Storytime for Grownups!
Fairview Shores Branch
Fridays, July 1 & 15, 1:15 p.m.
Enjoy a story or activity as our talented library storytellers entertain ages 18 and up.

Senior Scams – Smarter Senior Seminar Series
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, July 28, 10:30 a.m.
Expand your knowledge on current scams. A representative from the Florida Attorney General's Office will discuss senior scams. Learn how to avoid scammers taking advantage of COVID-19.

FLORIDA CENTER FOR CHANGE – LIFE INFORMATION FOR ELDERS
Orlando Public Library
Thursday, July 21, 12:10 p.m.
Join Michelle Blackwell, CTG Project Manager, as she discusses the Florida Center for Change and what they do. This seminar is part of the monthly LIFE Information for Elders series. To register, email OfficeonAging@ocfl.net.

VIRTUAL

Unboxing Your Sci-Fi & Fantasy Worldbuilding
Tuesday, July 5, 7 p.m.
Join Stephenie Magister, editor for award-winning and bestselling books, as she takes you through key strategies to unbox your worldbuilding like never before.

Increasing Tension via Goal, Obstacles and Stakes
Saturday, July 9, 4 p.m.
Increasing the tension moves the plot along and keeps readers turning pages. Author Michael Mammay will discuss increasing tension in scenes, chapters and novels via goals, obstacles and stakes.

OCLS Writer's Group
Sunday, July 10, 4 p.m.
Join your fellow writers for critique, discussion and camaraderie. Writers of all genres and experience are welcome. Please attend one meeting before submitting a piece for critique.



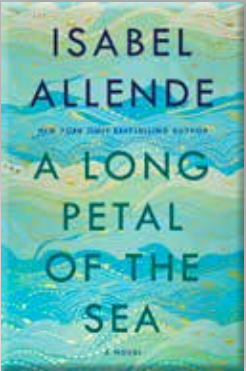
WRITING A FIRST CHAPTER TO HOOK READERS
Sunday, July 10, 1 p.m.
New York Times' bestselling author Emily Colin will share her secrets to writing stellar opening pages filled with compelling conflict, vivid voice and characters readers will love – or love to hate.

IN-PERSON

Southeast Book Club Southeast Branch
Monday, July 11, 3 p.m.
Join us to discuss this month's book selection, *A Long Petal of the Sea: A Novel* by Isabel Allende.


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Monday, July 11, 7 p.m.




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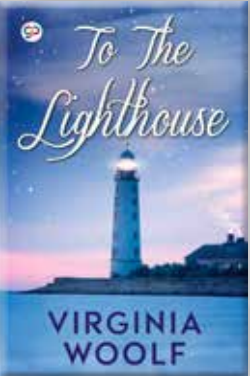
Alafaya Book Club
Thursday, July 14, 7 p.m.
The Alafaya Book Club's July selection is *Under the Whispering Door* by TJ Klune.



Hiawassee Book Club
Monday, July 18, 7 p.m.
In July, the Hiawassee Book Club will discuss *The Guest List* by Lucy Foley.



Southwest Book Club
Monday, July 25, 7–8:45 p.m.
Join Southwest Book Club to discuss *To the Lighthouse* by Virginia Woolf. One of the most influential novels of the 20th century. Professor of English, Shauna Maragh will lead the discussion. Recommended for ages 18 and up.



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ADULT SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2022 BEANSTACK CHALLENGE

June 4–July 23

Explore oceans of possibilities this summer with the library! Log the books you read, book reviews you write and challenges you participate in to earn digital badges with a chance to win prizes. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

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IN-PERSON

Ocean Animal Coffee Filter Suncatcher

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Wednesday, July 6, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch

Thursday, July 21, 5 p.m.

You'll be happy as a clam while creating this ocean themed craft. Create a suncatcher you will turtley love.

Ocean Animal Felties

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Friday, July 8, 11 a.m.

Southeast Branch
Thursday, July 14, 3 p.m.

Join us on a wild adventure this summer and learn how to create your own ocean animal felties! Explore how to hand sew or use glue for assembly. Registration required. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

Surf's Up: Surfing and Pop Culture

Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room
Thursday, July 14, 5 p.m.

Let's go surfing now, everybody's learning how: learn about the history of surfing and its impact on pop culture and hang out for trivia!

Get Salty with Watercolor

Southeast Branch

Saturday, July 16, 3–4:30 p.m.

Explore fun techniques using watercolors and other household items to create your own unique art. Registration required.

Drawing the Ocean

Chickasaw Branch

Saturday, July 16, 2 p.m.

Discover how fun it is to draw from original works of art!

Glass Bead Mason Jar Lanterns

Alafaya Branch

Thursday, July 21, 3 p.m.

Create custom mason jar lanterns that will be perfect for any indoor or outdoor space. Registration required.

The Outlaw Ocean

Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room

Thursday, July 21, 5 p.m.

Learn about ocean-related true crimes, including piracy, then enjoy a demonstration of how to use different library resources to research true crime.

Decorative Lighthouses

Southwest Branch

Friday, July 22, 1:30–2:45 p.m.

Explore endless possibilities as you create your own decorated lighthouse. All materials provided. Registration required. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

VIRTUAL

DOLPHIN CONSERVATION

Tuesday, July 12, 6:30 p.m.

Monique Pool, Founder and Director of Green Heritage Fund Suriname; Member, IUCN/SSC Anteater, Sloth and Armadillo Specialist Group; and CNN Hero, will share her dolphin conservation journey with us.

Ocean Animal Felties

Thursday, July 21, 4:30 p.m.

Join us on a wild adventure this summer and learn how to create your own ocean animal felties! Explore how to hand sew or use glue for assembly. No skills are required. All materials provided.

Ocean Resin Pendant

Orlando Public Library,
Albertson Room

Saturday, July 2, 11 a.m.

West Oaks Branch

Saturday, July 2, 4 p.m.

South Creek Branch

Thursday, July 7, 5 p.m.

Windermere Branch

Saturday, July 9, 2 p.m.

South Trail Branch

Wednesday, July 13, 11 a.m.

Hiawassee Branch

Thursday, July 14, 4:30 p.m.

North Orange Branch

Saturday, July 16, 2 p.m.

Southeast Branch

Thursday, July 21, 4 p.m.

Create a one-of-a-kind resin pendant that looks like a beach scene. Ages 18 and up.

DIY Fishing Gear

Orlando Public Library,
Albertson Room

Monday, July 18, Noon

Plastic bottles and other trash from single-use drink containers are among the greatest ocean pollutants worldwide. Use recycled materials to create fishing gear and enjoy a day on the water. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

ADULT SUMMER BOOK LIST

Golden Boys

by Phil Stamper

National bestselling author Phil Stamper crafts the perfect summer friendship story, starring four queer boys with big hearts and even bigger dreams. Readers will find an emotionally resonant summer story, full of aspirational experiences, sweet romance and joyously affirming friendship.

How Moon Fuentes Fell in Love with the Universe

by Raquel Vasquez Gilliland

The Hating Game meets *I Am Not Your Perfect Mexican Daughter* in this Pura Belpré Award-winning novel that's an irresistible romance starring a Mexican American teen who discovers love and profound truths about the universe when she spends her summer on a road trip across the country.

In a Time of Distance: and Other Poems

by Alexander McCall Smith

In a beautiful and transporting volume of poems, the beloved author of the No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency series takes us on a captivating journey from Africa to Greece, London to North America to Mumbai, and back home to Scotland, celebrating people, places, animals and books.

The Patron Saint of Second Chances

by Christine Simon

The self-appointed mayor of a tiny Italian village is determined to save his hometown no matter the cost in this charming, hilarious and heartwarming debut novel.

True Biz

by Sara Novic

Taking readers into a residential school for the deaf, this coming-of-age novel follows three people – a rebellious transfer student, the school's golden boy and the headmistress – as they each deal with personal and political crises and find their lives inextricable from one another – and changed forever.

Asking for a Friend

by Andi Osho

Three best friends are going to solve their relationship woes once and for all. These best friends decide it's time to ditch the dating apps and play the love game by their own rules. They're going to ask people out in real life ... but only for each other. What could possibly go wrong?

IN-PERSON

English Conversation Hour
Windermere Branch
Fridays, July 1–25, 3:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, July 2–30, Noon
South Creek Branch
Thursdays, July 7–28, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturdays, July 9–30, Noon
Come practice your English speaking skills during the English Conversation Hour. All proficiency levels are welcomed!

English from Zero
Alafaya Branch
Saturdays, July 2–30, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Sundays, July 3–31, 4:45 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Tuesdays, July 5–26, 10:30 a.m.
Wednesdays, July 6–27, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesdays, July 5–26, 5 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Thursdays, July 7–28, 11:45 a.m.
Mondays, July 11–25, 5:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Thursdays, July 7–28, 4:30–6 p.m.
Windermere Branch
Thursdays, July 7–28, 5 p.m.
English from Zero classes are designed for beginning English learners. Each workshop has a specific target topic.

An-Pèsòn: Creole Connect
South Trail Branch
Mondays, July 11–25, 4:15 p.m.
Vin aprann pale e pratike anglè w nan kou sa.

Open Language Lab
West Oaks Branch
Mondays, July 11–25, 4:30–6 p.m.
Explore and learn English (ESOL) or the language of your choice in an open lab environment. Learn and practice using one of the available programs.

English for Families
Mondays, July 11–25, 5:30 p.m.
Wednesdays, July 13–27, 5:30 p.m.
Join us virtually in this Family Literacy Program to practice reading with your children and learn English vocabulary for everyday use. This program meets twice per week for five weeks.

VIRTUAL

English from Zero
Fridays, July 1–29, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesdays, July 5–26, 3 p.m.
Wednesdays, July 6–20, 6:45 p.m.
Mondays, July 11–25, 3 p.m.
Join us to learn and talk about new basic English vocabulary associated with different topics.

Speaking Clearly Beginners
Fridays, July 1–29, Noon
A pronunciation class for beginners. The class is designed to introduce learners to the basic sounds of English for pronunciation.

Talk to a Spanish Teacher
Tuesdays, July 5–26, 5 p.m.
Spanish Conversational Workshops with Ms. Brenda.

Conversation Hour
Tuesdays, July 5–26, 6 p.m.
Wednesdays, July 6–27, Noon
Thursdays, July 7–28, 2 p.m.
Mondays, July 11–25, 4:15 p.m.
Join us to practice your English speaking skills on a virtual Conversation Hour. Each session will have specific topics for discussion.

“Hola Amigos” – Spanish from Zero for Kids
Wednesdays, July 6 & 13, 6 p.m.
This basic introduction to Spanish for kids includes pronunciation, greetings, short sentences, descriptions and vocabulary.

Reading Clearly Intermediate
Thursdays, July 7–28, 12:30 p.m.
Join us to learn, practice and discuss reading strategies and complex English vocabulary.

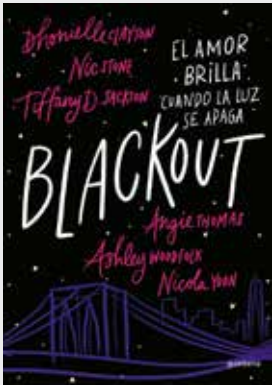
Speaking Clearly Intermediate
Mondays, July 11–25, Noon
A pronunciation class for Intermediate speakers designed to introduce learners to the rules of spelling and pronunciation of English words and phrases.

Writing Clearly Intermediate
Mondays, July 11–25, 1:30 p.m.
A grammar and writing course for Intermediate learners that focuses on complex grammar ideas, including sentence structures, phrases and vocabulary building.



LIBROS

Blackout: el amor brilla cuando la luz se apaga
por Dhonielle Clayton, Nic Stone, Tiffany D. Jackson, Angie Thomas, Ashley Woodfolk y Nicola Yoon
Un apagón. Doce adolescentes. Seis oportunidades en el amor. En medio del caos, en una sofocante noche de verano, brillará el amor. Seleccionado como uno de los mejores libros para jóvenes del 2021 por Publishers Weekly.



La piel de las sirenas
por Natasha Bowen
traducción de Victoria Simó Perales
Esta es la historia de un gran amor, un amor que amenazará a los mundos y enfurecerá a los dioses. Esta es una historia que cambiará la historia. Una forma de sobrevivir. Una forma de servir. Una forma de ahorrar. Una historia de amor épica impregnada de la mitología de África occidental.



El palacio de papel
por Miranda Cowley Heller
traducción de Laura Vidal
¿Se olvida alguna vez el primer amor? Décadas de secretos y mentiras han conducido a Elle al día de hoy. Tiene 24 horas para tomar la decisión que cambiará su vida para siempre.



El gran libro de la costura
por Alison Smith
El único libro que necesitarás para aprender y dominar todas las técnicas para coser a mano y a máquina.



MUSICÁ

Dharma
por Sebastian Yatra
Blanco y negro
por Ricardo Arjona



IN-PERSON

Citizenship Inspired
Southeast Branch
Saturdays, July 9–23, 10 a.m.–Noon
During this program, students will meet once each week to prepare for the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview.

VIRTUAL

Citizenship Inspired
Tuesdays & Wednesdays, July 5, 6, 12 & 13, 3–5 p.m.
Thursdays, July 7–28, 3–4:30 p.m.
Tuesdays & Wednesdays, July 19, 20, 26 & 27, 3–5 p.m.
During this program, students will meet via Zoom to prepare for the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview.





SOAK UP THE SUN
Celebrate sunny days at the beach or around town with these summer projects.

IN-PERSON

SEWING: BACKPACK
Orlando Public Library
Sundays, July 10–31, 1:30–3:30 p.m.
Sew a perfect backpack for that trip to the beach or just a day out on the town. Make a backpack from a selection of three easy to make styles.

Sewing: Jersey Sleeveless Shift Dress
Orlando Public Library
Monday–Wednesday, July 25–27, 3:30–5:30 p.m.
Make a jersey knit sleeveless dress perfect for long summer days of fun. Use this pattern to make a unique piece for your wardrobe.

VIRTUAL

HAND SEWING SASHIKO PATTERNS
Thursdays, July 7–28, 10:15 a.m.
Weave Woven Waves and Lots of Sun using Kuguri-sashi weaving techniques. Part of Sashiko, this Japanese hand sewing technique uses the simple running stitch and weaving to form geometric patterns.

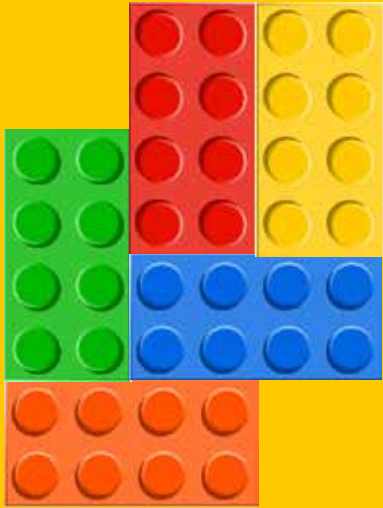
Let's Loom Knit Picot Scrunchies
Thursday, July 7, 5:30–7:30 p.m.
Keep your hair up during fun summer activities. Loom knit a hair scrunchy with a cute picot edge. Practice e-wrap and knit stitches, while learning how to incorporate a hair tie and make a picot edge.

Let's Knit Beachy Lace Headbands
Mondays, July 11–25, 10 a.m.–Noon
Enjoy a day at the beach or the pool with a fun lace headband designed for hot summer days. Learn how to knit lace and i-cord, as well as how to read lace charts.

Let's Loom Knit Lulu Headbands
Thursdays, July 14–28, 5:30–7:30 p.m.
Loom knit a cute summer headband with delicate i-cord details. Practice knit and purl stitches while learning how to make i-cords in the middle of a project.



BUILD SUMMER FUN
Whether you love building in digitally or in the real world, create your own video game or LEGO designs this summer.

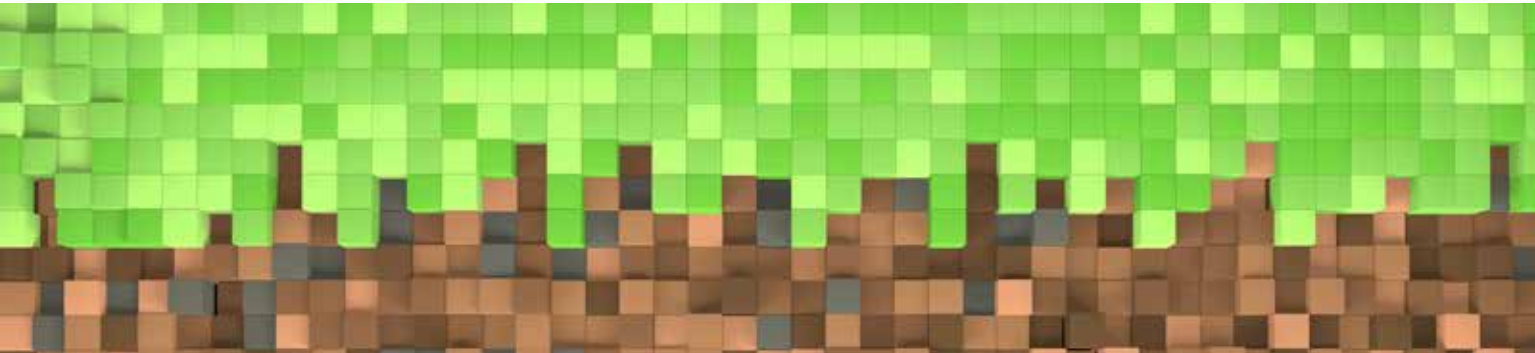


LEGO Digital Designs
IN-PERSON
(Ages 10–12)
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 1:15 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 11 a.m.
Thursday, July 21, 2 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Thursday, July 14, 2:30 p.m.
Saturday, July 23, 1:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 2 p.m.
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Tuesday, July 12, 11:15 a.m.
Wednesday, July 20, 10 a.m.
(Ages 7–9)

VIRTUAL
Tuesday, July 5, 10 a.m.
Friday, July 15, 3 p.m.
Thursday, July 21, 4 p.m.
Build your LEGO Designs on the computer with this easy to use free software. Create custom designs by snapping virtual bricks together. Print instructions or share your builds with friends online.

Roblox Game Design
VIRTUAL
(Ages 10–12)
Thursday, July 7, 11:15 a.m.
Monday, July 11, 10 a.m.
(Ages 7–9)
Thursday, July 14, 4 p.m.
Create Roblox games. In this introduction to game design and coding, learn how to manipulate 3D parts to create obstacles and racers, then use code to bring your game to life.

Build LEGO Video Games
IN-PERSON
(Ages 10–12)
South Trail Branch
Fridays, July 8 & 22, 11 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Friday, July 29, 1:30–3 p.m.
VIRTUAL
Thursday, July 7, 10 a.m.
Thursday, July 14, 12:30 p.m.
Create real LEGO video games. Use Unity's LEGO Microgame builder to make characters, design landscapes and add obstacles to your own game.

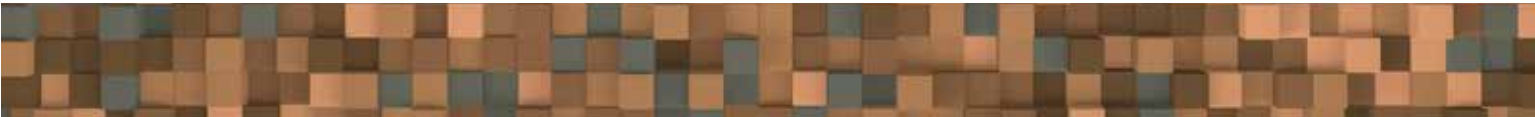


MINECRAFT MADNESS
This summer delve into the madness of Minecraft by designing your own characters, going on coding adventures and even programming your own Minecraft world.

Want more Minecraft?
Check out additional classes at ocls.info/srp

Code with Minecraft – Designer
IN-PERSON
(Ages 10–12)
Orlando Public Library
Friday, July 1, 1:30 p.m.
Monday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, July 14, 2 p.m.
(Ages 7–9)
VIRTUAL
Tuesday, July 5, 12:30 p.m.
Make your own Minecraft world! Program the environment, animals and mobs. Use algorithms, functions, loops and conditions to complete code challenges.

Code with Minecraft – Adventurer
IN-PERSON
(Ages 7–9)
North Orange Branch
Thursday, July 7, 2 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 2 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Friday, July 22, 10:30 a.m.
Sunday, July 31, 2 p.m.
VIRTUAL
Thursday, July 14, 2 p.m.
Join Alex and Steve on a Minecraft Adventure! Solve code challenges to explore, gather resources and defeat mobs. Create algorithms, use loops and debug your code.



VIRTUAL

Global Genealogy: Ireland
Tuesday, July 5, 1 p.m.

Explore resources, tips and tricks for finding records in the home countries of your ancestors. This session focuses on Ireland.

Genealogy in the States: Tennessee
Wednesday, July 6, 6:30 p.m.

Explore the rich research resources and collections that are held in a variety of archives and repositories in Tennessee. Discover what records are available and how to use them.

Advanced Searching on Ancestry.com
Thursday, July 7, Noon

Learn how to make the most out of your searches on Ancestry Library Edition and Ancestry.com.

Hard to Find Ancestors
Tuesday, July 12, 1 p.m.

Learn about techniques you can use to find your ancestors even if they didn't leave a large trail of records behind.

Mastering Genealogical Documentation
Wednesdays, July 13–27, 6:30 p.m.

Join us for our Mastering Genealogical Proof study group focusing on genealogical documentation.

Civil War Pension Files: Union & Confederate
Thursday, July 14, Noon

Explore the contents of both Union and Confederate Civil War pension files. Discover what types of information are contained in these records.

Sunday Morning Genealogy
Sunday, July 17, 11 a.m.

Grab a cup of coffee (or tea) and join us for this Sunday morning genealogy hangout. Feel free to ask any type of genealogy question or propose a genealogy discussion topic.

Global Genealogy: Canada
Tuesday, July 19, 1 p.m.

Explore resources, tips and tricks for finding records in the home countries of your ancestors. This session focuses on Canada.

DPLA and Genealogy
Thursday, July 21, Noon

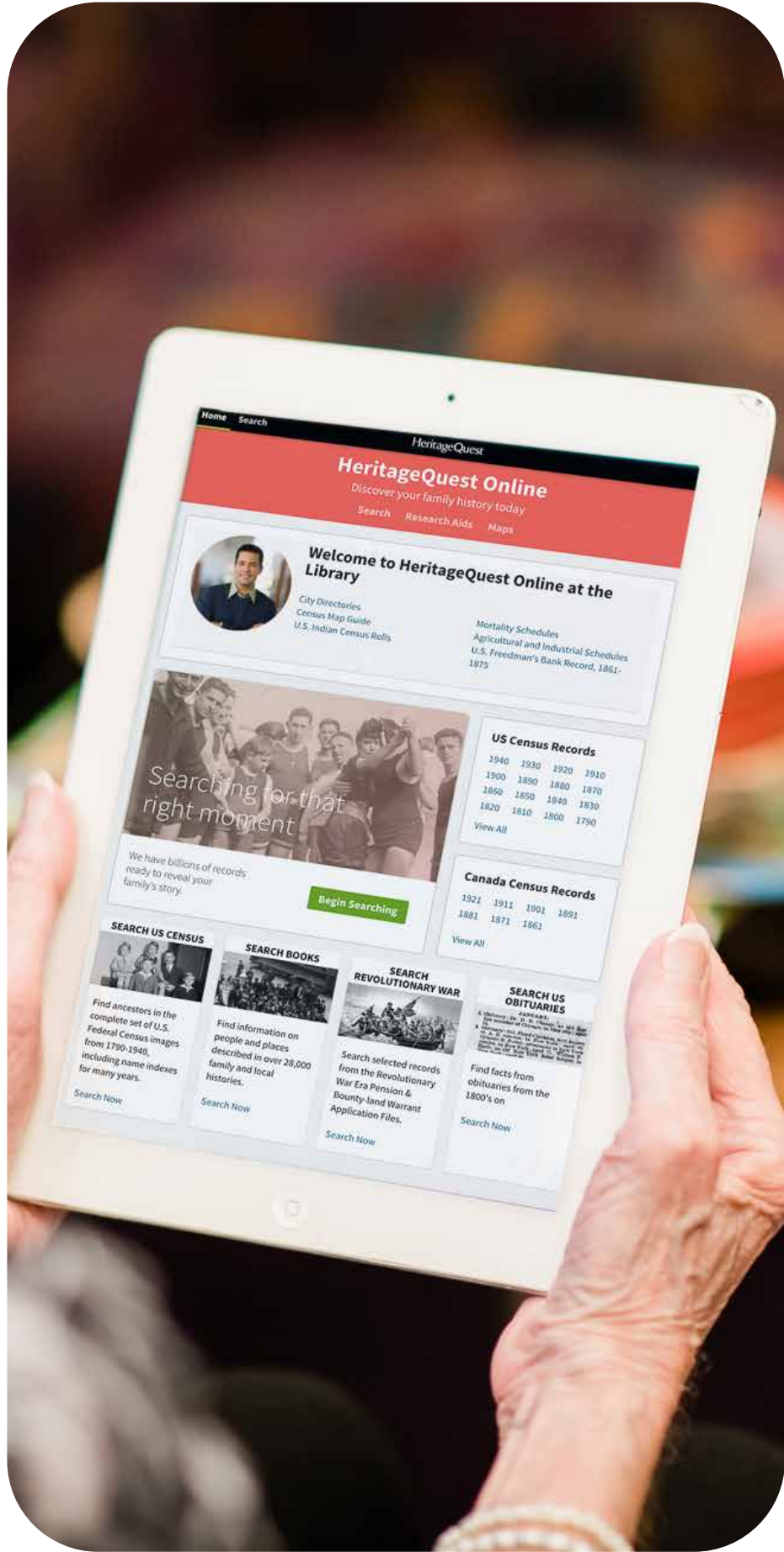
Discover the Digital Public Library of America and learn how you can use this amazing resource to enhance your genealogical research

Exploring DNA Tools on Ancestry.com
Tuesday, July 26, 1 p.m.

Learn about the latest tools Ancestry.com has developed to assist you in working with your DNA matches.

Genealogy in the States: South Carolina
Thursday, July 28, Noon

Explore the rich research resources and collections that are held in a variety of archives and repositories in South Carolina. Discover what records are available and how to use them.



IN-PERSON

Family STEM Saturday

Bring your family to build and play at the Melrose Center!

Family Open Lab

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, July 2, 10 a.m.–Noon

Drop in every first Saturday of the month for free play with our Snap Circuits, K'nex sets and littleBits kits.

Family Guided Lab

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, July 16, 10 a.m.–Noon

Every third Saturday of the month, we'll explore science topics with instructor led experiments and activities. Join us to build an air bazooka! Registration required.

IN-PERSON

Youngblood Improv

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center

Tuesday–Saturday, July 12–16, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Build confidence for the stage, relieve anxiety or just play in this five-day improv series. On the closing day, we do a show! See how improv can better your life in this safe, supportive environment. Recommended for ages 14–18.

VIRTUAL

Tabletop Miniature Painting Course

Wednesday & Thursday, July 6 & 7, 2–4 p.m.

Monday & Tuesday, July 18 & 19, 1–3 p.m.

Enhance your tabletop gaming experience with beautifully painted miniatures. You'll learn all the basic techniques to get you started in your miniature painting journey. Recommended for ages 11–17.

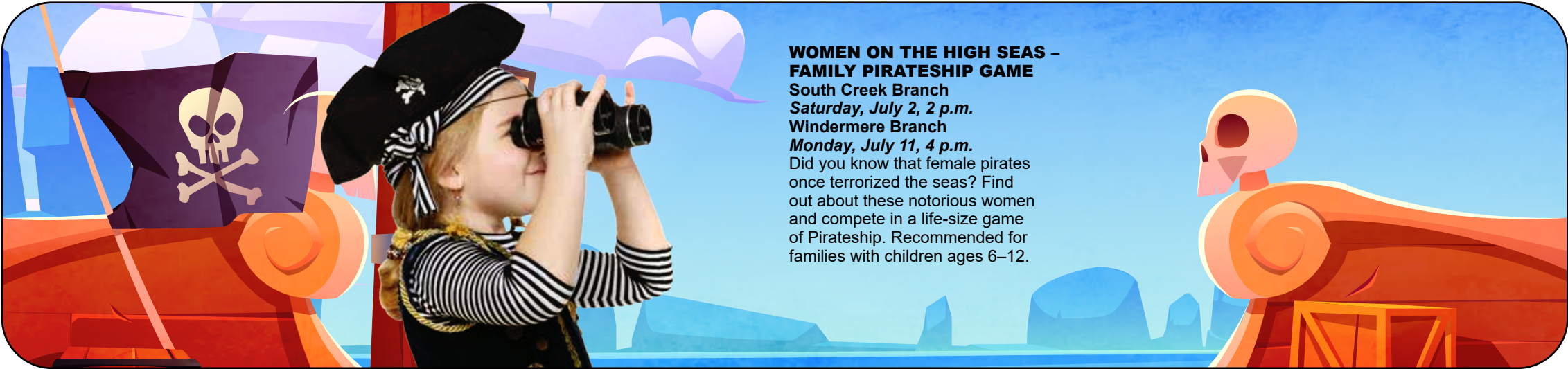
Melrose Audio Meetups:

Synthesizer Workflows –

Digital Synthesizer Sonics with Serum

Wednesday, July 20, 6–7:30 p.m.

Programming and shaping unique digital instrument textures with Serum is often overwhelming for music producers. Join us in this workshop for an intimate breakdown on Serum's features and how to approach creating your own unique patches.



IN-PERSON

Crafters of the Caribbean
Winter Garden Branch
Fridays, July 1–22, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesdays, July 5–19, 11:30 a.m.
Calling all mermaids, pirates and explorers of the ocean deep! Dive into a world of imagination and join us for 'fin'tastic crafts. Recommended for families with children ages 3–8.

Move Like the Ocean: Family Yoga
Windermere Branch
Friday, July 1, 10:30 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Thursday, July 7, 11 a.m.
Washington Park Branch
Thursday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 11 a.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 2:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Saturday, July 23, 10:30 a.m.
Glide like a shark, sway like seaweed and stretch like a starfish! Bring the family together for this all-ages yoga event. Recommended for families with children ages 6–8.

Family Deserted Island Survival Challenge
Southeast Branch
Friday, July 1, 4 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, July 14, 4:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch
Saturday, July 16, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 22, 2 p.m.
The ship is sinking! Choose your supplies, row the lifeboat to a deserted island then see if you can survive and find the tools needed to signal for help. Recommended for families with children ages 6 and up.

Pirate and Mermaid Adventure!
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, July 2, 11 a.m.
Set sail on a pirate quest to find the mysterious mermaid in the library! Join us for stories and games on this high seas adventure. Registration for each child required.

A Splash of the Sea
Windermere Branch
Saturday, July 2, 2 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 2:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Thursday, July 14, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Saturday, July 23, 2 p.m.
Create stunning art that captures the beauty of the ocean waves using a fun and simple paint pouring technique. Dress for a mess, you'll probably be in the splash zone!

Jumbo Family Game Night
South Creek Branch
Saturday, July 2, 4 p.m.
It's time for fun on a massive scale. We'll be recreating a family board game with you as the game pieces!

Mindful Start Family Yoga
West Oaks Branch
Wednesdays, July 6–27, 10 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Mondays, July 11–25, 10:30 a.m.
Silly and fun yoga poses designed for kids! Flow through an imaginative journey filled with puppets, parachute games and relaxing rest time. Recommended for families with children ages 0–7.

Family Art Adventures: Hooray for Fish!
Washington Park Branch
Thursday, July 7, 10:30 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, July 16, 11 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Friday, July 22, Noon
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 11 a.m.
Families are invited to listen to the story *Hooray for Fish* by Lucy Cousins while learning how to paint like the featured illustrator. Recommended for families with children ages 3–12.

Life of a Firefighter
Eatonville Branch
Friday, July 8, 10:30 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 15, 10:30 a.m.
Meet real firefighters and find out what it takes to fight the heat. Presented by Orange County Fire Department.

Family Art Adventures
Southeast Branch
Saturday, July 9, 11 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Thursday, July 28, 11 a.m.
Explore the strangest of strange sea creatures with stories and activities. Learn how to draw one of these creatures step-by-step. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.

The Amazing Under Sea Race
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 15, 2 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 4:30 p.m.
Find your way through the kelp forest, feed the seals or walk like a penguin. Families will race to complete all their ocean-themed challenges. Recommended for families with children ages 4–8.

Cookies & Milk with a Cop
West Oaks Branch
Friday, July 15, 2:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Saturday, July 16, 11 a.m.
Bring your kids to meet our local police officers and enjoy a story, cookies and milk! This series will be a great chance to interact with officers in a fun and informative environment.

Blob Fish and Other Strange Creatures
South Creek Branch
Saturday, July 16, 2 p.m.
Explore the strangest of strange sea creatures with stories and activities. Learn how to draw one of these creatures step-by-step. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.

I Love Manatees
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 3:30 p.m.
Show some love for Florida's state marine animal with stories, crafts and activities.

VIRTUAL

CUISINE CORNER JUNIOR: PAN SEARED PEACH SUNDAY
Friday, July 15, 2 p.m.
In 1976, Korea was hit by the heaviest rainfall in its history causing peaches to fall from the sky. Learn about how the community came together and follow along to make a refreshing peach treat.



IN-PERSON

Homeschool: Spanish
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 2 p.m.
Develop your Spanish skills with us! In this Spanish class you will learn basic vocabulary, numbers, colors and much more. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool: Life in Ponds, Streams and Rivers
Windermere Branch
Thursday, July 7, 1 p.m.
Discover fresh-water ecosystems. Be prepared to get your hands wet. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool: Art Expressions
Windermere Branch
Fridays, July 8 & 22, 2 p.m.
Join us for a fun afternoon where you will learn to be more creative by developing and expressing your art skill. This art class is designed to help children improve their motor skills. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool: Shocking Sharks and Outrageous Orcas
Windermere Branch
Thursday, July 14, 1 p.m.
Look past those sharp teeth to discover how amazing these ocean animals are, through trivia, fun activities and a craft. Recommended for ages 6–17.

VIRTUAL

Homeschool: French
Tuesday, July 12, 2 p.m.
Develop your skills with us. In this French class you will learn basic vocabulary, numbers, colors and much more. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool: Surviving in the Oceans
Windermere Branch
Thursday, July 21, 1 p.m.
What do you know about the Earth's oceans? Come discover cool facts and trivia. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool: French
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 2 p.m.
Develop your French skills with us! In this French class you will learn basic vocabulary, numbers, colors and much more. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool Junior: Sandcastles
Windermere Branch
Wednesday, July 27, 10:30 a.m.
Kick start your little one's education with Homeschool Junior! Join us for a storytime and activities all about basic concepts. Recommended for ages 3–5.

Homeschool: Iceberg Investigators
Windermere Branch
Thursday, July 28, 1 p.m.
Whether it is the Arctic or Antarctica, living on ice is no picnic. Investigate what is like to live where ice meets the sea. Recommended for ages 6–17.

Homeschool: Spanish
Tuesday, July 19, 2 p.m.
Develop your Spanish skills with us! In this Spanish class you will learn basic, vocabulary, numbers, colors and much more. Recommended for ages 6–17.



BABY (Ages 0–18 Months)

IN-PERSON

Mama Gansa
South Creek Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 3 p.m.
A Spanish immersion Mother Goose on the Loose with interactive songs, rhymes and activities to grow your baby's early literacy and Spanish skills.

Hello, Ocean Friends
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 2:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Thursday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 11 a.m.
Discover ocean animals with high contrast books perfect for promoting early eye development and helping babies make connections between images on a page and the real world.

Babies Explore Oceans
Southwest Branch
Monday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.
Explore the world with your baby through stories, songs, fingerplays and sensory activities. This program is sure to stimulate their sense of adventure and discovery.

Stay and Play
Hiawasse Branch
Mondays, July 11 & 18, 10:45 a.m.
Stay and play with us after storytime for a different fun activity each week. Recommended for ages 0–5.

MOTHER GOOSE ON THE LOOSE
Fairview Shores Branch
Thursdays, July 7–28, 10:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Monday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.
Using rhymes, songs, puppets, musical instruments and more, we will be interacting together to help develop important pre-literacy skills in our littlest ones.



TODDLER (Ages 18–36 Months)

HAPPY CLAMS
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 11 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, July 21, Noon
Dig in the mud to explore the world of clams. Learn how to be as happy as a clam through talking and singing. Talking and singing develop early narrative skills.

IN-PERSON

Counting Crustaceans
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 11 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, July 7, 10:30 a.m.
Eatonville Branch
Monday, July 18, 10:15 a.m.
Lobsters, and king crab, and krill, oh my! Help your child practice the literacy-building skill of counting with this crustacean-themed storytime.

Artsy Toddler
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 11 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, July 7, Noon
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, July 27, 10:30 a.m.
Paint, paste, glue, stamp and create! Young children will enjoy stories, songs and exploring age-appropriate art experiences. Registration required.

Big Fish, Little Fish
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.
Southeast Branch
Monday, July 18, 11 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Thursday, July 21, 11 a.m.
Splish, splash, splosh! Fish and his friends are ready to play. Play strengthens fine and gross motor skills and develops problem solving skills.

Sea Life Rescue
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 11 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:15 a.m.
The sea creatures need your help! Learn about animals in the ocean and explore with interactive stories, songs and activities. Registration required.

Boats Float
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, July 28, 11 a.m.
Ahoy! Toddlers will engage in stories and songs about boats and participate in a fun activity using fine motor skills to reinforce what they have learned.

Where Does a Pirate Go Potty?
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 10:30 a.m.
Learn where a pirate can go potty as we read a hilarious book written by author Dawn Prochovnic. This storytime will support your child's early literacy development.

On the Farm with The Little Red Hen
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 11 a.m.
Explore the farm with stories, interactive stations and a craft. Recommended for ages 2–5.

VIRTUAL

Counting Crustaceans
Thursday, July 7, 11 a.m.
Lobsters, and king crab, and krill, oh my! Help your child practice the literacy-building skill of counting with this crustacean-themed storytime.

IN-PERSON

TINY TALES
(ages birth–18 months)
South Creek Branch, Mondays, 11:15 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch, Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m.
North Orange Branch, Wednesdays, 10:15 a.m.
Southeast Branch, Wednesdays, 11:15 a.m.
Windermere Branch, Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.
West Oaks Branch, Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.
Southwest Branch, Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch, Fridays, 11:15 a.m.
Alafaya Branch, Fridays, 10:15 a.m.

TODDLER TIME
(ages 18 months–3 years)
South Creek Branch, Mondays, 10:45 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch, Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
North Orange Branch, Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
Southeast Branch, Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
Windermere Branch, Thursdays, 10:45 a.m.
West Oaks Branch, Thursdays, 10:45 a.m.
Southwest Branch, Thursdays, 11 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch, Fridays, 10:45 a.m.
Alafaya Branch, Fridays, 10:45 a.m.

STORYBOOK FUN
(ages 3–5 years)
South Creek Branch, Mondays, 10:15 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch, Tuesdays, 11:15 a.m.
North Orange Branch, Wednesdays, 11:15 a.m.
Southeast Branch, Wednesdays, 10:15 a.m.
Windermere Branch, Thursdays, 11:15 a.m.
West Oaks Branch, Thursdays, 11:15 a.m.
Southwest Branch, Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch, Fridays, 10:15 a.m.
Alafaya Branch, Fridays, 11:15 a.m.

ZERO TO FIVE STORYTIME
(ages 0–5 years)
Fairview Shores Branch, Mondays, 10:15 a.m.
Hiawasse Branch, Mondays, 10:15 a.m.
Washington Park Branch, Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m.
Eatonville Branch, Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.
South Trail Branch, Fridays, 10:15 a.m.
Orlando Public Library, Saturdays, 11 a.m.

SUNDAY FAMILY STORYTIMES
North Orange Branch, Second Sundays, 2 p.m.
South Creek Branch, Third Sundays, 2 p.m.
West Oaks Branch, Fourth Sundays, 2 p.m.





**CUENTAME UN CUENTO:
UNDER THE SEA**

South Trail Branch
Tuesdays, July 5 & 19, 10:15 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 3 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Friday, July 15, 11 a.m.

Cuéntame un Cuento is an interactive storytime featuring books and songs in English and Spanish that are suitable for speakers of either language.

VIRTUAL

Mythological Mermaids

Friday, July 1, Noon
Tuesday, July 19, 11 a.m.

Discover more about mermaids and their magical history with stories, crafts and activities.

Little Chef: S'more Starfish

Tuesday, July 5, 11 a.m.
Thursday, July 21, 11 a.m.

Your child will learn fine motor skills and cooking vocabulary while creating a classic summer treat with an artistic ocean flair. Adult participation is required.

Marvelous Manatees

Wednesday, July 6, 11 a.m.

Learn about Florida's unique sea mammal with fact-filled stories and activities perfect for your preschooler's inquiring mind.

Cuéntame un Cuento

Tuesdays, July 12 & 26, 10 a.m.

Cuéntame un Cuento is an interactive storytime featuring books and songs in English and Spanish that are suitable for speakers of either language.

Look, I'm a Scientist

Tuesday, July 12, 11 a.m.

You don't need a white coat and a fancy lab to be a scientist. You have all you need: your brain and five senses. Be ready to get a little wet as we investigate ocean waves.

Shy Seahorse

Wednesday, July 13, 11 a.m.

Learn about fish that look like horses with monkey tails in this preschool storytime featuring stories and activities that promote early literacy skills.

Tide Pool Tales

Thursday, July 14, 11 a.m.

Have a big adventure in a tiny world! In this STEAM storytime, attendees will familiarize themselves with the one of the world's tiniest ecosystems – the tide pool!

Under the Sea

Friday, July 15, Noon

Travel under the sea and discover all the treasures therein with activities, crafts and more.

Jiggly Jellyfish

Wednesday, July 20, 11 a.m.

Discover the world of jellyfish. Preschoolers will participate in stories and activities that promote early literacy skills while learning about these amazing creatures.

Pirate's Perfect Pet

Tuesday, July 26, 11 a.m.

In this bilingual storytime, children will learn the letter of the day – P for Pirate! Talk and sing about the weather, every pirate hopes for good weather when out sailing.

Amazing Sea Creatures

Wednesday, July 27, 11 a.m.

Preschoolers will learn about some of the amazing creatures that call the ocean their home through stories and activities that promote early literacy.

Crunch, Munch, Dinosaur Lunch

Thursday, July 28, 11 a.m.

We want to hear you STOMP and ROAR! Bring out your inner dinosaur as we go back to dino time with songs, stories, activities and more.

PRESCHOOL (Ages 3–5)

IN-PERSON

Yoga with PLAYologist Yolonda
Eatonville Branch
Tuesdays, July 5–26, 10:15 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, July 31, 3 p.m.
Fun-filled yoga, meditation and mindfulness sessions with a twist that uses a PLAY-based yoga curriculum that is trauma-informed conscious.

Pirate's Perfect Pet
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Monday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.
Southeast Branch
Monday, July 25, 11 a.m.
Ahoy Mates, hola amigos! Jump aboard our imaginary pirate ship. In this bilingual storytime for preschoolers, children will learn the letter of the day – P for Pirate!

Countdown to Kindergarten
South Creek Branch
Tuesdays, July 5 & 12, 11 a.m.
Who says you can't play with your food? Strengthen important early literacy skills through food-themed stories, activities and a craft. Recommended for ages 4–5.

Little Artist: Ocean Animals
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 11 a.m.
Get creative with arts and crafts! Preschoolers will enjoy age-appropriate stories and crafts.

Water Savers
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 11 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Monday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, July 21, 10:30 a.m.
The earth is made of water, and so are you! This event will explore one of earth's most valuable resources and show attendees how they can play their part in protecting it.

Look I'm a Scientist: Make a Wave
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 10:30 a.m.
You don't need a white coat and a fancy lab to be a scientist. You have all you need: your brain and five senses. Be ready to get a little wet as we investigate ocean waves.

Tide Pool Tales
Orlando Public Library
Thursday, July 7, 10:30 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 11 a.m.
Have a big adventure in a tiny world! In this STEAM storytime, attendees will familiarize themselves with one of the world's tiniest ecosystems – the tide pool!

Love and Light Yoga
Windermere Branch
Fridays, July 8, 22 & 29, 10 a.m.
Through music and activities, preschool-age children will experience the benefits of yoga and meditation as they learn to focus their minds and stretch their bodies.

Caribbean Cruisin'
North Orange Branch
Friday, July 8, 11 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Monday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Monday, July 25, 10:45 a.m.
Welcome onboard! Preschoolers will set sail for a cruise around the Caribbean. We will share multicultural stories and songs from each port of call.

Look, I'm a Scientist
Southeast Branch
Monday, July 11, 11 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 11 a.m.
You don't need a white coat and a fancy lab to be a scientist. You have all you need: your brain and five senses. Be ready to get a little wet as we investigate ocean waves.

Malala's Magic Pencil
Chickasaw Branch
Monday, July 11, Noon
Learn about *Malala's Magic Pencil*. Then create your own magic pencil at this craft based storytime all about Malala Yousafzai.

Moana Storytime
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 11 a.m.
Make way for Moana and Maui! Sail across the ocean and under the sea to the Realm of Monsters through stories, games and crafts. Registration for each child required.

Love Makes a Family
Eatonville Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:15 a.m.
Family may look different to everyone but most importantly – it's where the heart is. Celebrate diverse families with reading, songs and a craft.

Aquanuts!
Southeast Branch
Friday, July 15, 10:15 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Friday, July 15, 10:30 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Dive deep with Jacques Cousteau to explore what lives in an ocean abyss. Encourage your child's curiosity and vocabulary through ocean songs, sea stories and a craft.

Wild Sea Turtle & Manatee Tails
Chickasaw Branch
Monday, July 18, Noon
Calling all kids! It's time to go wild at the library with stories and crafts about sea turtles and manatees.

Down at the Beach
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
Preschoolers will explore the beach through stories and activities that promote early literacy.

Baby Shark Storytime
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 11 a.m.
Let's go swim with Baby Shark and his entire family! Join us for shark themed stories, songs, and crafts. Registration for each child required.

Mythological Mermaids
South Creek Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 11 a.m.
Discover more about mermaids and their magical history with stories, crafts and activities.

Bubble Guppies Storytime
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 11 a.m.
Celebrate your Bubble Guppies friends through stories, songs and games.

Mr. Richard
Southwest Branch
Friday, July 29, 11 a.m.
Liven up and sing-along to original, wacky songs. Experience live music and rock out with the whole family. Get ready to move and dance.

GALÁPAGOS GIRL: BIOLOGIST VALENTINA CRUZ

South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 11 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, July 27, 3:30 p.m.
Explore the Galápagos Islands, an island formed by fire. Learn about Valentina Cruz, a girl born on the Galápagos Islands who became a biologist to protect her homeland. Recommended for ages 6–8.



KIDS' END OF SUMMER CELEBRATION

Chickasaw Branch
Saturday, July 30, 2 p.m.
Orlando Public Library,
Saturday, July 30, 2 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Saturday, July 30, 2 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, July 30, 2 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Saturday, July 30, 2 p.m.
It's time to celebrate all the fun you had this summer. Complete the Summer Reading Challenge to enter the Grand Prize Drawing and see if you are one of the lucky winners!



IN-PERSON

Amazing Animals
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 1, 10:30 a.m.
Dive in and meet rare, threatened and endangered species. Learn about interesting animals that can be found throughout different lands and animal conservation.

Happy Habitats
Eatonville Branch
Friday, July 1, 10:30 a.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 10:30 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Monday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, July 14, 4 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
What do all living things need to survive? From desert to rainforest, animals are found in a variety of habitats throughout the world. Discover how they have adapted to their habitats.

Zoo Mom Science
Southwest Branch
Friday, July 1, 11 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Lizards, snakes and bugs, oh my! Are they really as scary as they seem? Learning comes alive with animals in this fun and engaging program.

The Octopus's Garden
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 1, 2 p.m.
Southeast Branch
Friday, July 15, 4 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 11 a.m.
Eatonville Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 3 p.m.
Learn about the many adaptations an octopus uses to survive. Children will engage in stories and hands-on science investigations to increase comprehension. Recommended for ages 6–8.

The Glen Foster Show
Horizon West Pop-up
16150 Pebble Bluff Loop,
Winter Garden, FL 34787
Saturday, July 2, 10:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
Washington Park Branch
Monday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.
It's time for mayhem with award-winning comedy magician and entertainer, Glen Foster! Get ready to grin from ear to ear with the whole family.

Comedy Maks' Variety Show
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Monday, July 11, 11 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, July 21, 10:30 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 22, 10:30 a.m.
There's something for everyone in this high-energy variety show. Your kids will be dazzled with juggling, magic, plate-spinning and more!

Meet a Gatorland Wrangler
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, July 7, 10:30 a.m.
Washington Park Branch
Monday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
Southeast Branch
Thursday, July 14, 11 a.m.
Washington Park Branch
Thursday, July 21, 10:30 a.m.
Gatorland brings the wild to the library! Get up close and personal with snakes and gators and learn all about these swimming creatures.

What Do You Know About H2O?
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday, July 5, 10:30 a.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Explore the wonders of water and learn why we need to protect it. Children will learn what things they can do to help save our planet and our oceans. Recommended for ages 6–8.

Follow That Turtle
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 2 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 2 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 11 a.m.
Eatonville Branch
Thursday, July 21, 2:45 p.m.
Southeast Branch
Saturday, July 23, 11 a.m.
Sea turtles are survivors of the age of dinosaurs, but many are vulnerable today. Learn about these ancient reptiles and what you can do to protect them. Recommended for ages 9–12.

Science of Senses
Chickasaw Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 10:30 a.m.
Horizon West Pop-up
16150 Pebble Bluff Loop,
Winter Garden, FL 34787
Saturday, July 9, 10:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Monday, July 18, 11 a.m.
An interactive science show all about the five senses. The Professor uses laughter and learning to make science unforgettable. Get ready to be amazed while things explode with chemical reactions.

Make Your Own Beat!
South Trail Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 2 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 2 p.m.
Learning music production is a lot like playing with LEGOs. In this activity, kids will learn music production techniques so they can unleash their creativity! Recommended for ages 8–14.

JiggleMan
Southeast Branch
Thursday, July 7, 11 a.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 10:30 a.m.
Eatonville Branch
Friday, July 15, 10:30 a.m.
Horizon West Pop-up
16150 Pebble Bluff Loop,
Winter Garden, FL 34787
Saturday, July 16, 10:30 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Monday, July 18, 11:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
Get ready to laugh out loud and be amazed by jumping, joking and juggling. Enjoy this unique comedy show.

Self-A-STEAM: Sylvia Earle
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, July 7, 4:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 2 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, July 13, 3 p.m.
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 1 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, July 21, 2:30 p.m.
Sylvia Earle is an oceanographer, marine biologist and record-breaking scuba diver. This event will feature hands-on STEAM activities celebrating her work. Recommended for ages 6–8.

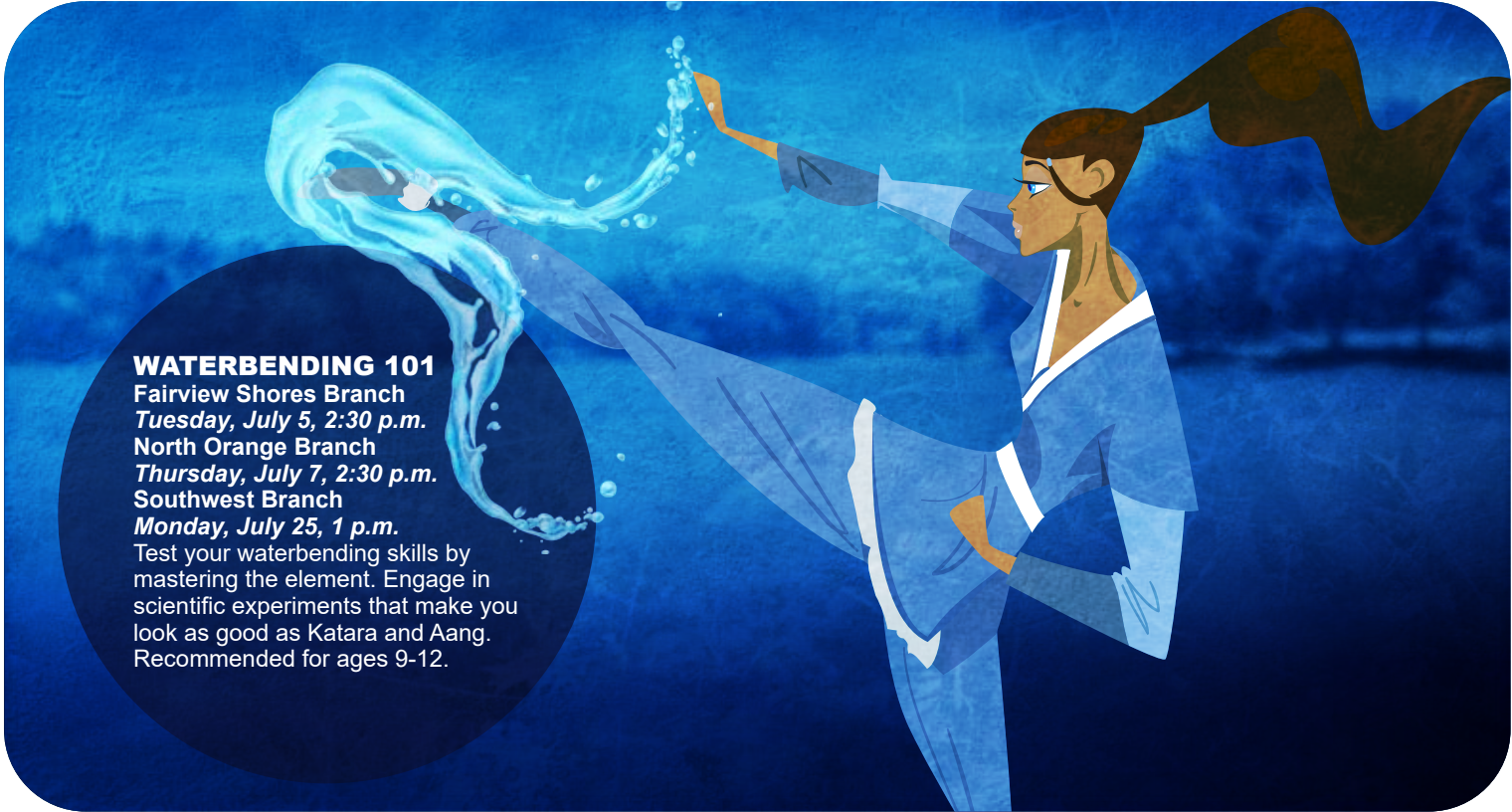
Bilingual Comedy Magic Show
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 8, 10:30 a.m.
Learn new tricks and a few new vocabulary words in Spanish in this dynamic and educational magic show. Surprise your kids with the best bilingual magic show.

Sing Along with Yehaa Bob
Southwest Branch
Friday, July 8, 11 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.
Sing along, clap along and laugh along with one of America's funniest entertainers.

Tween Art Adventures: Macramé Mermaid Tails
South Creek Branch
Friday, July 8, 2 p.m.
Learn simple macramé knots to fashion your very own mermaid tail keychain! Recommended for ages 9–12.

Angel Paws to Read
North Orange Branch
Saturday, July 9, 11 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Saturday, July 9, 11:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, July 23, 11:30 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, July 23, 11:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, July 23, 11:30 a.m.
Practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a lovable, furry listener. Be An Angel Therapy Dogs Ministry presents this reading program for children featuring certified therapy dogs.

Spheres Bubble Show
South Creek Branch
Monday, July 11, 10:30 a.m.
Watch Blaise Ryndes, master bubble performer, blow gigantic bubbles and create "liquid fireworks."



WATERBENDING 101

Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, July 5, 2:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, July 7, 2:30 p.m.
Southwest Branch
Monday, July 25, 1 p.m.
Test your waterbending skills by mastering the element. Engage in scientific experiments that make you look as good as Katara and Aang. Recommended for ages 9–12.

IN-PERSON

Ocean Shrinky Dinks
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 2:30 p.m.
Make ocean themed Shrinky Dinks while testing your knowledge of ocean trivia.

Aquatic WILD: Marsh Munchers
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 4:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Monday, July 18, 2:30 p.m.
Washington Park Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 4:30 p.m.
Find out who eats whom and decode a salt marsh food web. Presented as a part of the Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies Project WILD. Recommended for ages 9–12.

Whale Tales
Southeast Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 1–3 p.m.
Learn and practice water safety techniques in this interactive program with Longfellow the whale. Recommended for families with children ages 3–12.

Aquatic WILD: Fashion a Fish
Orlando Public Library
Thursday, July 14, 10:30 a.m.
Learn to classify fish by body shape and coloration, then design your own based on your new knowledge.

OrisiRisi African Folklore
Southwest Branch
Friday, July 15, 11 a.m.
Share the beauty of African life and culture through a unique folkloric performance filled with drumming, dance and storytelling.

Snake Education with a Twist
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, July 16, 11 a.m.
Enjoy a snake show with Professional snake handler Chief Rowley and his reptile friends. It's guaranteed to both entertain and educate! Registration required.

Magical Mr. Tim
South Creek Branch
Monday, July 18, 10:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Friday, July 22, 11 a.m.
Horizon West Pop-up
16150 Pebble Bluff Loop,
Winter Garden, FL 34787
Saturday, July 23, 10:30 a.m.
It's crazy, zany and chaotic magic. Can you help make the magic happen? Watch a hilarious, comical and hugely entertaining children's magician.

Reactory Factory
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 10:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Eatonville Branch
Friday, July 22, 10:30 a.m.
Listen to safe kids' songs as Dr. Reacto creates fun songs with today's popular music appeal while providing an educational message in line with current educational trends.

Sharks: Fact or Fiction?
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 2:30 p.m.
Sharks are often misunderstood. Discover fun facts and debunk common myths about these apex predators of the sea with true-or-false trivia and activities.

Pajama Jamboree
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 4:30 p.m.
Put on your favorite jammies for a fun-filled evening of a story, craft and cookies and milk. Recommended for ages 3–7.

How the Sea Began: Taino Mythology
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 2 p.m.
Learn about the Taino myth of the sea, accidentally created from a giant gourd. Increase your child's fluency with Spanish vocabulary in this bilingual program. Recommended for ages 9–12.

Diving into the Past and Future
Southeast Branch
Thursday, July 21, 11 a.m.
Scuba diver Derek will explore some of the amazing prehistoric marine animals uncovered while exploring various rivers and oceans around Florida.

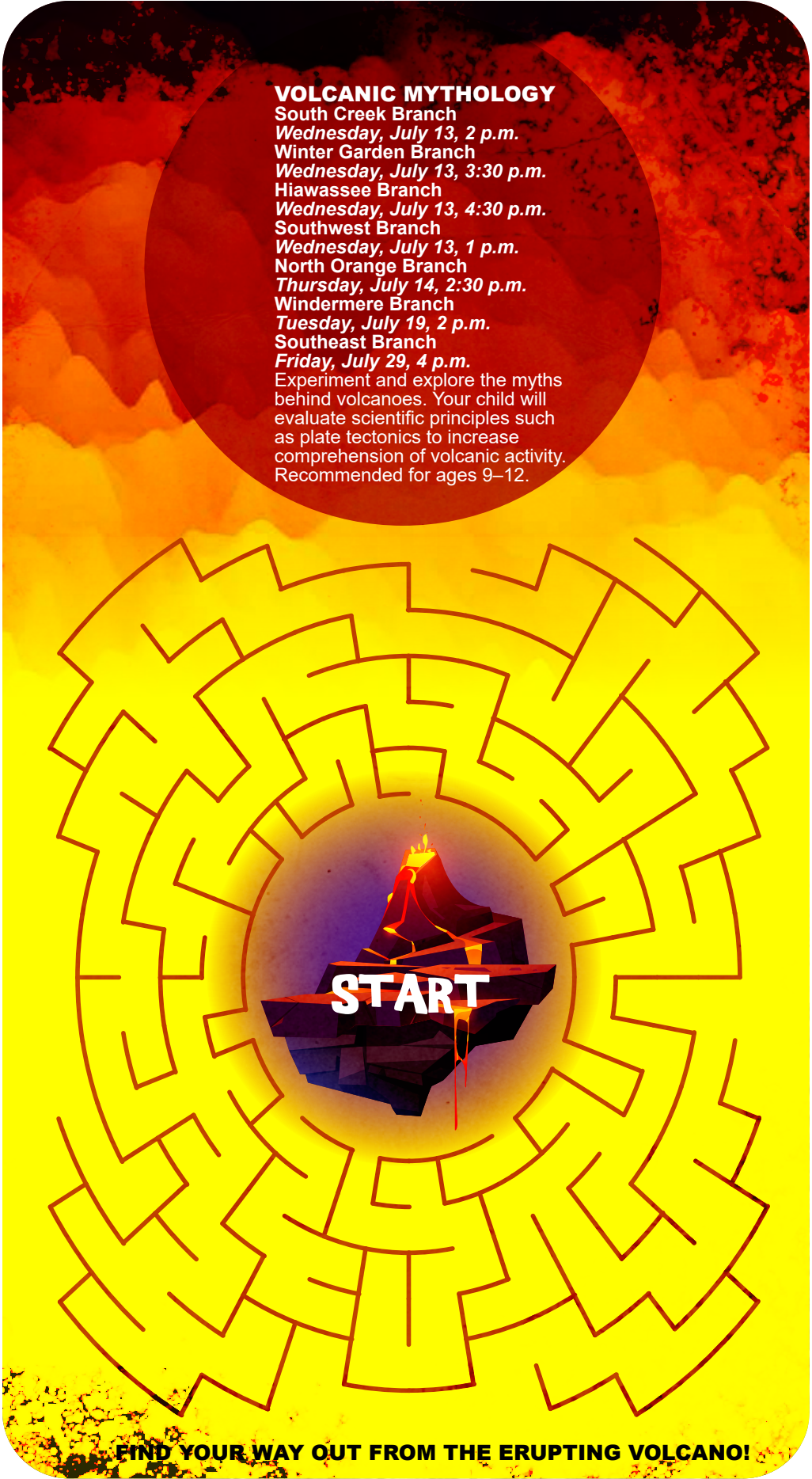
Macaroni Mania
Windermere Branch
Monday, July 25, 4 p.m.
Join us to make an under the sea pasta craft. Recommended for ages 5–12.

Tween Book Club
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, July 26, 5 p.m.
Engage in a dynamic discussion and a themed activity based on *24 Hours in Nowhere* by Dusti Bowling. Registration required. Recommended for ages 9–12.

Dig in the Florida Sand
Washington Park Branch
Wednesday, July 27, 4 p.m.
Florida has plenty of sand and the library has plenty of beach stories and crabby crafts. Don't miss the fun!

VOLCANIC MYTHOLOGY

South Creek Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 2 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 3:30 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 4:30 p.m.
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, July 13, 1 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, July 14, 2:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 2 p.m.
Southeast Branch
Friday, July 29, 4 p.m.
Experiment and explore the myths behind volcanoes. Your child will evaluate scientific principles such as plate tectonics to increase comprehension of volcanic activity. Recommended for ages 9–12.



FIND YOUR WAY OUT FROM THE ERUPTING VOLCANO!

VIRTUAL

Mr. Richard
Thursday, July 7, 4 p.m.
Original songs with guitar and harmonica. Sing-along tunes about dog kisses, the garbageman, girl pilots and the five-second rule, music for hip kids – dancing encouraged! Recommended for ages 0–8.

Secret Agent: Operation Atlantis
Tuesday, July 12, 4:30 p.m.
Calling all Secret Agents! Go undercover in the lost city of Atlantis to conduct covert operations and avoid detection by King Atlas. Recommended for ages 9–12.

Teachers of Nature
Thursday, July 14, 4 p.m.
Reptiles have established themselves in nearly every kind of environment, including the water. Meet a number of reptiles that are experts at living in, and around water! Recommended for ages 6–8.

Mayor Buddy's Book Club End of Book Party
Wednesday, July 20, 3 p.m.
Join Orlando Mayor Buddy's Book Club to celebrate the completion of their latest book *A Wish in the Dark* by Christina Soontornvat. There will be a Q&A with the author. Recommended for ages 8–12.

Pierce Freelon
Thursday, July 21, 4 p.m.
Joyful music blends hip-hop, electronic jazz and soul. Modern and dynamic sound is inspired by being a millennial dad and is carefully crafted for today's modern families. Recommended for ages 6–8.

Book Adventure
Tuesday, July 26, 4:30 p.m.
You have read the book. Now, live the adventure! Trivia, games, activities and crafts: experience the book in its storyworld dimension. Recommended for ages 9–12.

Noodle Loaf
Thursday, July 28, 4 p.m.
An interactive play-based music party. Dan Saks leads the audience through a series of echo songs, movement games and popular activities from the podcast. Recommended for ages 6–8.

Tween Book Club
Thursday, July 28, 5 p.m.
Engage in a dynamic discussion and a themed activity based on *24 Hours in Nowhere* by Dusti Bowling. Registration required. Recommended for ages 9–12.



VIRTUAL

FAMILY ZUMBA

Saturday, July 23, 11 a.m.

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 to create a fun workout.

IN-PERSON

Caregiver Connect: Stay and Play

Winter Garden Branch
Fridays, July 1–29, 11:35 a.m.
Connect with other caregivers to meet and mingle while your little one explores imaginary play with new and old friends.

Every Child Ready to Read Caregiver Workshop
Orlando Public Library
Thursday, July 21, 10:30 a.m.

Learn about the five early literacy practices as well as tips, tricks and resources to help your child strengthen important pre-reading skills. Recommended for adults who care for children ages 0–5.

Los Niños Escuchan Cuando Tu Escuchas
Southeast Branch
Thursday, July 28, 5 p.m.
La comunicación es fundamental en cualquier tipo de relación, y es igualmente importante que tus hijos sepan que sus padres los escuchan. Aprende qué decir y cómo decirlo.



VIRTUAL

EVERY CHILD READY TO READ

Friday, July 22, 10:30 a.m.

Learn about the five early literacy practices as well as tips, tricks and resources to help your baby strengthen important early literacy skills.



IN-PERSON

Save the Planet, Save Your Skin

Hiawassee Branch
Wednesday, July 6, 4:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, July 9, 3 p.m.
Eatonville Branch
Tuesday, July 12, 2:45 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, July 19, 4:30 p.m.

Care for the planet, and your skin, with this DIY event. Learn to use your creativity by making your own self-care products with ocean-inspired ingredients.

IN-PERSON

Comic Camp
Hiawassee Branch

Wednesdays, July 6–20, 3 p.m.
Comic Camp is an eight week program which will cover the basics of creating a comic book page.

Pop-Up Culture

Alafaya Branch
Saturday, July 2, 4 p.m.
Create fun paper creations inspired by your favorite fandoms. Learn basic paper engineering techniques while making cards and bookmarks.

Environmental Graffiti
South Trail Branch

Tuesday, July 5, 2 p.m.
Don't throw that away! Turn recycling into inspiring by using your creativity to fashion a unique work of art out of found objects.

It's Sew Easy: Pineapple Backpack
South Trail Branch

Tuesday, July 5, 4:15 p.m.–6:15 p.m.
Wednesday, July 6, 4:15 p.m.–6:15 p.m.
Take the fashion world by storm! We will teach you everything you need to know to start sewing like a pro. Create your own unique backpack perfect for school or the beach.

Creatures of the Deep
Southeast Branch

Wednesday, July 6, 4:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, July 9, 4 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Saturday, July 9, 3 p.m.
Southwest Branch
Monday, July 11, 1 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, July 20, 2:30 p.m.
Dive deep into the ocean and learn about the strange and unusual creatures who lurk in the deep waters.

Teen Volunteering: Craft Kit Prep
Eatonville Branch

Saturday, July 9, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, July 16, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.
Attend a volunteer event and earn community service hours. High school students are invited to help assemble craft kits at this two-hour in person community service event.

Amazing Science: Puff Painting
Fairview Shores Branch

Wednesday, July 13, 2:30 p.m.
Make your very own puff painting. Learn to paint by using straws and air.

Ocean Felties
Alafaya Branch

Saturday, July 16, 4 p.m.
Sew your own ocean animal felties! All materials provided, no experience necessary. Registration for each participant required.

Teen Art Adventures
Southeast Branch

Wednesday, July 20, 4:30 p.m.
Don't throw that away! Turn recycling into inspiring by using your creativity to fashion a unique work of art out of found objects.

Escape Room: The Lost Library
of Atlantis

Windermere Branch
Saturday, July 23, 11 a.m.
You are trapped underwater in the Atlantis Library. Using your critical thinking and collaborating skills, can you solve the puzzles to escape before your oxygen runs out?

Teen Book Club
Winter Garden Branch

Tuesday, July 26, 4:30 p.m.
Are you a teen who enjoys reading young adult novels? Join us in a dynamic discussion with an activity for the YA novel, *All My Rage* by Sabaa Tahir.

Don't Throw Away That Bag!
Southwest Branch

Wednesday, July 27, 1 p.m.
Learn about Isatou Ceesay and responsible citizenship by creating a wallet made from discarded plastic bags. All materials will be provided.

VIRTUAL

Middle School Advisory Board Meeting

Wednesday, July 6, 4 p.m.
Middle schoolers will earn a community service hour by participating in a board meeting to support tween and teen library programming. This is a virtual, one-hour event for students in grades 6–8.

TEEN CUISINE BOBA!
Thursday, July 7, 2:30 p.m.

Experience a taste of Taiwan and learn to create a fan favorite, boba! Explore the culture through a recipe demonstration and taste your very own refreshing drink.





BOOK DROP LOCATIONS

Horizon West Book Drop

Hamlin Town Center
14416 Shoreside Way, Winter Garden, FL 34787

Lake Nona Book Drop

Valencia College Lake Nona Campus
12350 Narcoossee Rd, Orlando, FL 32832

Materials placed in book drops are picked up and returned to the library Monday–Saturday.

LOCATIONS Sunday Hours: 🕒

Orlando Public Library

101 E. Central Blvd., Orlando, FL 32801
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

Alafaya Branch

12000 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando, FL 32826
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

Chickasaw Branch

870 N. Chickasaw Trail, Orlando, FL 32825
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Eatonville Branch

200 E. Kennedy Blvd., Eatonville, FL 32751
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Fairview Shores Branch

902 Lee Road, Suite 26, Orlando, FL 32810
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Hiawassee Branch

7391 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando, FL 32818
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

North Orange Branch

1211 E. Semoran Blvd., Apopka, FL 32703
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

South Creek Branch

1702 Deerfield Blvd., Orlando, FL 32837
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

South Trail Branch

4600 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando, FL 32839
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Southeast Branch

5575 S. Semoran Blvd., Orlando, FL 32822
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Southwest Branch

7255 Della Drive, Orlando, FL 32819
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Washington Park Branch

5151 Raleigh St., Suite A., Orlando, FL 32811
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

West Oaks Branch & Genealogy Center

1821 E. Silver Star Road, Ocoee, FL 34761
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

Windermere Branch

530 Main St., Windermere, FL 34786
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Winter Garden Branch

805 E. Plant St., Winter Garden, FL 34787
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

CLOSURES

Independence Day

All Locations:

Sunday & Monday, July 3 & 4

Celebración del día de la independencia

Todos las localidades:

el domingo y lunes, 3 y 4 de julio



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