

 **REGISTRATION REQUIRED** Register online, at the library, or call 608-758-6585

FOR KIDS & FAMILIES

STORYTIMES

February 3-27

No registration necessary.

MUSIC & MOVEMENT

Mondays at 6 p.m. • February 3-24

PROGRAM ROOM

BABIES IN THE LIBRARY

Wednesdays at 9:30 & 10:30 a.m. • February 5-26

PROGRAM ROOM

WIGGLE AND RHYME STORYTIME

Thursdays at 9:30 & 10:30 a.m. • February 6-27

PROGRAM ROOM

NEW! SENSE-ATIONAL STORYTIME

Fridays at 9:45 a.m. • February 7-21

PROGRAM ROOM

READ-IN WITH MARY *for kids*

Mondays from 3:30-5 p.m.

February 3-24

CHILDREN'S ROOM

Settle in for some cozy silent reading with Mary the Comfort Dog.

CODING CAMP *for kids ages 9-12*

Mondays from 4-5 p.m.

February 3, 10, & 17

WOODRUFF ROOM

Learn the basics of coding, then practice your skills using a variety of robot toys and games during this 3-week program.

HOMESCHOOL IDEA LAB

for kids & families

Tuesdays from 2-3 p.m.

February 4, 11, 18, & 25

PROGRAM ROOM

Explore different stations related to a weekly topic at your own pace. Come prepared to get messy! *Stations are geared toward ages 7 to 17. Younger kids need adult assistance.*

TWEEN TEAM: QUEST (K)NIGHT

for ages 9-12

Thursday, February 6, 3:30-5 p.m.

PROGRAM ROOM

Roll for initiative! Here's your chance to discover the joys of imaginative role-playing and character creation for games like Dungeons & Dragons. Join an adventuring party in a series of encounters where, just like Dungeons & Dragons, the dice will decide your fate.

TEEN DUNGEONS & DRAGONS (YOUNG ADVENTURERS CAMPAIGN)

for kids ages 11-13

Tuesday, February 18, 4:30-6 p.m.

PROGRAM ROOM

Learn the basics and play with friends!

LEARNING THROUGH PLAY

Saturday, February 22, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

PROGRAM ROOM

Drop in and join your child as they explore, discover, and learn through play at stations that are easy to duplicate at home. Families welcome!

WE PLAY: PLAY NINE *for kids ages 8-11*

Thursday, February 20, 3:30-5 p.m.

THE CHILDREN'S ROOM

Stop in to learn and play our new KidSpace games! Participants may join or leave at any time.

NEW!

WINTER READING CHALLENGE *for ages 5-12*



READING MENAGERIE: MEET THE DRAGONS

January 6-May 24

Calling all Dragon Masters - start building your magical creature menagerie!

For every 30 minutes of reading you'll earn an Earth, Water, or Fire Dragon egg card. Keep reading to evolve your egg into a baby dragon, a teen, and finally an adult dragon.

Pick up your Reading Tracker at the Children's Desk and start collecting cards.

Four new dragons will be introduced each month from January through May.

READING MENAGERIE: TOURNAMENT DAY

Thursday, February 27, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Test your skills using your Dragon Cards and keep all the cards you earn. *You must have at least three cards to participate.*

FREE MOVIE: SPACE JAM - A NEW LEGACY

Friday, February 28, 2 p.m.

CHILDREN'S ROOM

Watch as superstar LeBron James and his son,

Dom, battle the Goon Squad.

FAMILY TRIVIA: PICTURE BOOK EDITION

for kids & families

Tuesday, February 25, 6:30 p.m.

PROGRAM ROOM

Compete with other families for the library's favorite prize: books - and bragging rights!

Form a team of up to 6 people and use Kahoot

to show us what you know about picture books.

Bring your own device or borrow ours.

FOR ALL AGES

WOOD CARVING DEMO

Saturday, February 1, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

ATRIUM

Visit with the Rock River Valley Woodcarvers.

ADOPT-A-PET AT THE LIBRARY

Wednesday, February 12, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

ATRIUM

Meet adorable adoptable pets from the Humane Society of Southern Wisconsin.

LUNAR NEW YEAR

Saturday, February 15, 2-4 p.m.

PROGRAM ROOM

Celebrate the year of the snake with a traditional lion dance presentation by the Zhong Yi Kung Fu association of Madison.

UKULELE PLAY-ALONG CIRCLE

for ages 7-adult

Thursday, February 27, 6-7 p.m.

FIREPLACE ROOM

Join our play-along circle led by Knpton Musik Knotes. Open to beginners and more experienced players. *A limited number of ukuleles will be available to use during the session.*

AT OUR BRANCH

HPL Express at Upton Janesville

2500 Milton Avenue

MONDAY MEET-UP:

STORIES & MORE *for kids & families*

Mondays from 11-11:30 a.m. • February 3-24*

HPL EXPRESS


Enjoy a themed story or playtime activity.

**No Meet-Up February 17*


FOR TEENS & ADULTS

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MONDAY NIGHT MAGIC for teens & adults
Mondays from 5-7 p.m. • February 3 & 17
LAB 316
Play the popular game, *Magic: The Gathering!*

 **TEEN DUNGEONS & DRAGONS (ROLE PLAY CAMPAIGN)** for teens
Tuesday, February 4, 4:30-7:30 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
Go on an epic quest with traditional character development and role-playing

CHAIR YOGA for teens & adults
Wednesday, February 5, 6 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
Join us for a gentle yoga class perfect for anyone with mobility or balance challenges, or for those who work while seated. Chair provided.

 **ELL CLASS WITH BTC** for adults
Tuesdays & Thursdays
11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
February 4-May 1

Martes y Jueves
11:30 am - 2:30 pm
4 de febrero-1 de mayo
FRIENDS COMMUNITY ROOM
Learn English as a second language with instructors from Blackhawk Technical College. Space is limited. Registration is required. Contact René Bue at 608-758-5803 to register or if you have any questions.

Aprenda inglés como segundo idioma con instructores de Blackhawk Technical College. El espacio es limitado. Es necesario registrarse. Comuníquese con René Bue al 608-758-5803 para inscribirse o si tenga alguna pregunta.

 **TECHNOLOGY HELP OFFICE HOURS** for adults
Thursdays at 11 a.m. & 12 p.m.
February 6 & 20

HPL EXPRESS | UPTOWN JANESVILLE
2500 MILTON AVE.
Wednesdays at 10 & 11 a.m.
February 12 & 26
STUDY ROOM 1


Get help with a new device, troubleshoot tech problems, or learn a new skill! Call 608-758-5833 to register. Walk-ins are welcome.




hygge
hyooguhkrou [Danish]
a cozy nook in a room where you can curl up with a good book and a warm drink

Fall in love with a new language...free with your library card!



 **NEW! STORYTELLING CIRCLE** for adults
Saturday, February 8, 2-3 p.m.
FIREPLACE ROOM
Learn about storytelling, hear some tales, and have an opportunity to tell, all while having tea and cookies by the fireplace. We'll focus on traditional storytelling techniques as well as creative storytelling from folk tales, to personal stories, to everything in between! A minimum of six registrants is required for the *Storytelling Circle* to be held.

 **TEEN DUNGEONS & DRAGONS (CHAOS CAMPAIGN)** for teens
Tuesday, February 11, 4:30-7:30 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
Enjoy home-brew style play, with lots of quests, combat, and chaos!

HIKING IN GERMANY & FINDING MY ROOTS for adults
Tuesday, February 11, 6 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
Barbara Elmhorst Bendlin will share her hiking adventures in the Alps of southern Germany as well as a visit to her relatives in Hanover. She is the first American to connect with the Elmhorsts in Germany after 140 years of separation.

EVENING YOGA for teens & adults
Wednesday, February 12, 6 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
Enjoy a beginner-friendly gentle Vinyasa Yoga class. Bring your own yoga mat, towel, props, and water.

CASUAL CRAFTERS for teens & adults
Thursday, February 13, 5:30-7 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
Create a crafting community! Bring your current project or start a new one, use available library craft supplies, and meet other crafters.

HEDBERG HARMONY

Enjoy live music from local musicians in the Fireplace Room. Visit our calendar for a full list.

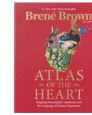
SOUTHERN WI DULCIMER CLUB
Saturday, February 8, 10 a.m.

ROCK RIVER STRING BAND
Monday, February 17, 2 p.m.



USED BOOK SALE
Friday, February 28, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Saturday, March 1, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
PROGRAM ROOM
\$6 bag sale all day Saturday!

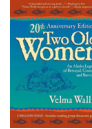
BOOK CLUBS



WELLNESS BOOK CLUB for teens & adults
Monday, February 3, 6:30 p.m.
FIREPLACE ROOM
Atlas of the Heart: Mapping Meaningful Conversations and the Language of Human Experience by Brene Brown



NEW! PAGES & POSITIVI-TEA UNBOOK CLUB for teens & adults
Tuesday, February 4, 5:30-7 p.m.
FIREPLACE ROOM
Drop in with your current read and make new book-loving friends!



NON-FICTION KNOWS NO BOUNDS for adults
Wednesday, February 19, 10 a.m.
JANESVILLE SENIOR CENTER
69 SOUTH WATER STREET
Two Old Women by Velma Wallis

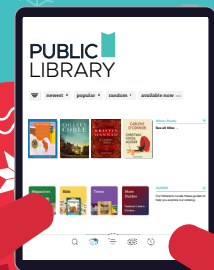


MONDAYS ARE MURDER for adults
Monday, February 17, 1:30 p.m.
WOODRUFF ROOM
The Murders in the Rue Morgue: The Dupin Tales by Edgar Allan Poe



READING ON THE ROCK for adults
Thursday, February 27, 6:30 p.m.
WOODRUFF ROOM
James by Percival Everett

Get your mitts on a good book



Libby.

The library reading app from OverDrive

ART, EXHIBITS, & DISPLAYS

Acrylic Inks & Paints by Kath Brinkman
Alcohol Ink on Glass by Jennifer Sturgeon