

EVENTS

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Capitol Hill Library, 10723 S.W. Capitol Hwy., 503.988.5385

November/December 2011

Space at programs is limited. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis, except as noted.

FOR FAMILIES

Storytimes feature skill-building play activities and help children get ready for kindergarten and for learning to read.

Toddler Storytime

Storytime for children 24-36 months with adult.

Thursdays through December 15, 10-10:45 a.m.
(except November 24)

Preschool Storytime

Storytime for children 3-6 years with adult.

Thursdays through December 15, 11-11:45 a.m.
(except November 24)
Fridays through December 16, 11-11:45 a.m.
(except November 25)

Tiny Tots

Storytime for children 12-24 months with adult.

Fridays through December 16, 10-10:45 a.m.
(except November 25)

“Good Night, Gorilla” Mobiles

“Good night, Gorilla” says the zookeeper, but Gorilla is not really asleep! Clever Gorilla has taken the zookeeper’s keys and one by one let all of his animal friends out of their cages. Instead of sleeping, all of the creatures secretly follow the zookeeper home! Under the instruction of artist Anya Hankin, create your own “Good Night, Gorilla” mobile, inspired by Peggy Rathmann’s story. Then, night after night, the creatures of the zoo can join you on your own good night journey. *Free tickets for seating will be available 30 minutes prior to the program.*

Sat., November 5, 1:30-3 p.m.

Little Women: A Discussion for All Ages

Little Women, Louisa May Alcott’s most well-known work, was written over a century ago and continues to be one of the most popular novels read by people of all ages. The story follows the lives of four sisters — Meg, Jo, Beth and Amy March — and is loosely based on the author’s childhood experiences with her three sisters. Join us for an all ages discussion on this beloved piece of American literature.

Wed., November 9, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

C.S. Lewis’ classic tale finds four siblings — Peter, Susan, Edmund and Lucy — transported through a magical wardrobe to the land of Narnia. The children join the colorful creatures of Narnia in combating an evil witch who has cast a perpetual winter across the land. Join the Hampstead Stage Company as they bring this story to life through interactive live theatre. *Free tickets for seating will be available 30 minutes prior to the program.*

Sat., December 3, 2-3 p.m.

FOR KIDS AND TEENS

Teen Service Crew

Need community service hours and volunteer credit?

Check out the Teen Service Crew @ your library. Come for a one-hour block of fun, music, snacks and enough work to keep you busy! *Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.*

Thursdays through December 8, 4:30-5:30 p.m.
(except November 24)

Read to the Dogs SM

Read with Mort and Nancy! Improve your reading skills by reading aloud to therapy dogs from the Delta Society’s Pet Partners® Program, sponsored by DoveLewis.

Registration required; call 503.988.5385.

Tue., November 1, 4:15-5:15 p.m.

Tue., December 6, 4:15-5:15 p.m.

Movie Viewing: *Little Women*

The honest sentiment of Louisa May Alcott’s perennial favorite about the March family is captured in this faithful film adaptation. This black and white classic from 1933 stars Katharine Hepburn, in her favorite film role, as the brisk and spirited Jo March. Made possible by the National Endowment for the Humanities Fund of The Library Foundation. For teens and adults.

Sat., November 5, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Make Your Own iPod Cozies

Local artist Dawn Grunwald will teach you how to reuse those old wool sweaters to create your own case for your iPod, iPad, cell phone, camera or even your school ID! Choose your color, add a pocket here or there, even a zipper if you dare! All materials provided, but bring a pair of sharp sewing scissors if you have them. Hand sewing experience helpful but not required. For teens and adults.

Sat., December 10, 2-4 p.m.



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If you have a disability and need accommodations to participate in an event or class, please call 503.988.5402. Please give 48 hours notice to allow us to better serve you.

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FOR ADULTS

Wills, Trusts and Estate Planning

Learn the basics of wills, living trusts, powers of attorney and health care directives with attorney and author Richard Schneider.

Wed., November 2, 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Pageturners

Engage in stimulating conversation about books, exchange perspectives about characters and plot, and get to know your neighbors. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Read *March* by Geraldine Brooks. Brooks tells the story of the absent father, March, in Louisa May Alcott's classic, *Little Women*. When March goes off to join the Union cause during the Civil War, his experiences change his marriage and his beliefs.

Thu., November 3, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Tue., November 8, 6:45-7:45 p.m.

Read *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks* by Rebecca Skloot. In 1951 Henrietta Lacks died of cervical cancer, a poor African American migrant worker and mother of five. Cells from the tumor that killed her were taken without her knowledge. They would become the foundation of modern science, living on in thousands of labs worldwide, spawning discoveries that have changed the world.

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Tue., December 13, 6:45-7:45 p.m.

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Home-Made Vinegars

Like so many things that our great-grandparents knew how to do, vinegar making is almost a lost art. But with a little help from mother (not the woman who gave birth to you, but the thick, jellylike substance used in fermentation), and cookbook author Jean Johnson, you can learn how to make your own vinegars. Leave with some 'mother' to get you started, along with the knowledge to make this age old craft at home! Made possible by the National Endowment for the Humanities Fund of The Library Foundation.

Sat., November 12, 11 a.m.-noon

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Check the *Free Classes @yourlibrary* schedule for a complete list of computer classes.



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