

EVENTS

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Midland Library, 805 S.E. 122nd Ave., 503.988.5392

November 2011

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

FOR FAMILIES

Chinese (Cantonese) Storytime

Storytime presented in Cantonese for children ages 0-6 years with adult.

Sundays, 1:15-2 p.m.

Preschool Yoga Storytime

This class introduces children to the benefits of yoga through stories, music and simple movements. For children ages 3-6 years and their caregivers; one child per adult. We encourage you to bring your own mat.

Tuesdays, 10:15-11 a.m.

Book Babies

Storytime for children 0-12 months with adult.

Tuesdays, 11:15 a.m.-noon

Pajama Time

Put on your pajamas, grab a bedtime buddy, and join us for stories, songs and fun. For children 6 years and younger with adult.

Tuesdays, 7-7:30 p.m.

Tiny Tots

Storytime for children 12-24 months with adult.

Wednesdays, 10:15-11 a.m.

Wednesdays, 11:15 a.m.-noon

Fridays, 10:15-11 a.m.

Preschool Storytime

Storytime for children 3-6 years with adult.

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

Toddler Storytime

Storytime for children 24-36 months with adult.

Thursdays, 11:15-11:45 a.m. (except November 24)

Fridays, 11:15 a.m.-noon

Hora de Cuentos

Se presentan cuentos, canciones y rimas en español para familias con niños de 0 a 6 años de edad.

Jueves, 5-5:45 p.m. (excepto 24 de noviembre)

Vietnamese Storytime

Storytime presented in Vietnamese for children ages 0-6 years with adult.

Sat., November 5, 10:15-11 a.m.

Sat., November 19, 10:15-11 a.m.

Yarn Club

Whether your interest is knitting or crocheting, come join the fun as we learn together. All experience levels and ages welcome. Please bring your own supplies.

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

African Drumming and Dancing Workshop

Chata Addy is a professional drummer, composer, dancer and choreographer from Ghana, West Africa. In this interactive workshop, Chata helps students feel the rhythms and sing the drum beat as they explore Ghanaian music, dance and lifestyle. His enthusiasm and extensive background in drumming will have everyone moving to the rhythm.

Sat., November 5, 3-4:30 p.m.

Vietnamese Family Playgroup

This playgroup is a wonderful opportunity for both children and parents from the community to meet and network with each other. It is also a gathering place for children to practice and/or learn Vietnamese.

Sat., November 12, 10:15-11 a.m.

Sat., November 26, 10:15-11 a.m.

Tapestry of Tales Family Matinee

Enjoy a storytelling performance by Barbara McBride-Smith. She has entertained audiences across the U.S. and is frequently featured at the National Storytelling Festival in Jonesborough, Tennessee. Recommended for ages 5 and up. *Free tickets for seating will be available 30 minutes prior to the program.*

Sat., November 19, 2-2:45 p.m.

Raven Steals the Sun

The world was once dark and cold because the sun, moon and stars were locked in a box. Based on a Native American tale, this play tells how Raven the trickster brought light and warmth to the world. This performance is created and performed by Emily Alexander of Tears of Joy Theatre. After the show, she will lead an audience participant play titled *Coyote Gets Fire*. Made possible by the Grande Ronde Fund for Native American Collections & Programs of The Library Foundation.

Tue., November 22, 3:30-4:15 p.m.



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FOR KIDS AND TEENS

Teen Lounge

Use library laptops for homework or fun, play Wii or board games, and meet friends. For teens in grades 6-12.

Mondays, 4-6 p.m.

Chess Club for Children and Teens

Have fun playing chess! Beginning, intermediate and advanced players are welcome. Bring your own set or use one of ours.

Saturdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Teen Council

Meet new friends, learn new skills, help the library, eat snacks and have fun!

Wed., November 2, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Wed., November 16, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Read to the Dogs SM

Improve your reading skills and make a new friend by reading aloud to a therapy dog from the Delta Society's Pet Partners® Program, sponsored by DoveLewis. *Registration required; call 503.988.5392.*

Mon., November 7, 6:30-8 p.m.

Mon., November 21, 6:30-8 p.m.

Make Your Mark

Create your very own hand-carved rubber stamps with linoleum block tools! Leave your mark by stamping your symbol, signature or design on notes, stationery or artwork. Under the instruction of local artist Joy Leising of the 100th Monkey Studio, each artist will create and take home their own signature stamp. For teens in grades 6-12.

Wed., November 16, 4-6 p.m.

FOR ADULTS

Intercambio/Language Exchange

Engage in conversation with native English speakers who want to practice their Spanish, as well as with native Spanish speakers who want to practice their English. *Conversación para los hablantes nativos de inglés y español que quieren mejorar el segundo idioma.*

Sundays/domingos, 3-4:30 p.m.

Talk Time

Talk Time is an informal conversation circle for non-native speakers to practice speaking English. This is not a class, but an opportunity to meet new people, share your culture, and have fun. Only English will be spoken.

Mondays, 6-7:30 p.m.

Movie Viewing and Discussion: *Louisa May Alcott: The Woman Behind Little Women*

Louisa May Alcott's life was no children's book: She worked as a servant, a seamstress, and a Civil War nurse before becoming a millionaire celebrity. Under pen names and anonymously, she also wrote stories with enough drugs, sex and crime to prove the author was no "little" woman. This movie tells the story of Alcott's remarkable quest to rescue her family from poverty and to find wealth, fame and happiness for herself. After the movie viewing, Professor of English Maude Hines will lead an interactive discussion. *Louisa May Alcott: The Woman Behind Little Women* is a documentary film co-produced by Nancy Porter Productions, Inc. and Thirteen/WNET New York's American Masters, and a biography of the same name written by Harriet Reisen. Made possible by the National Endowment for the Humanities Fund of The Library Foundation.

Mon., November 7, 6-8 p.m.

Alternatives to Foreclosure

This workshop will help financially strapped homeowners understand the foreclosure process, explore the best options, decide the next steps to take, and learn how to spot foreclosure recovery scams. If you anticipate getting behind on your mortgage payments, or are already behind, get some advice from Mathew Raczko of ClearPoint Financial Solutions.

Tue., November 8, 6:15-7:45 p.m.

Tertulia Literaria

Acompáñenos en una discusión mensual en donde damos vida a la palabra. Participe en conversaciones estimulantes acerca de cuentos o una novela, intercambie perspectivas acerca de los personajes y también conozca a nuevas personas. Llame 503.988.5392 para el título actual.

Domingo, 13 de noviembre, 3-5 p.m.

How to Write a Kick-Butt Cover Letter

If a resume is a listing of job facts, the cover letter is the story of your career. Author and consultant Susan Rich will teach you how to organize your thoughts, pick a key message, evaluate a job description and present your personal brand.

Mon., November 14, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Pageturners

Engage in stimulating conversation about books and get to know your neighbors. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Meet the author! Read *Executive Privilege* by Phillip Margolin.

Wed., November 16, 1-2:15 p.m.

Meet the author! Read *Mink River* by Brian Doyle.

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