

# EVENTS

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Woodstock Library, 6008 S.E. 49th Ave., 503.988.5399

November/December 2011

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

## FOR FAMILIES

### **Tiny Tots**

Storytime for children 12-24 months with adult.

**Thursdays through December 8, 9:30-10 a.m.**

**(except November 24)**

**Fridays through December 9, 3-3:30 p.m.**

### **Toddler Storytime**

Storytime for children 24-36 months with adult.

**Thursdays through December 8, 10:30-11 a.m.**

**(except November 24)**

**Fridays through December 9, 9:30-10 a.m.**

### **Preschool Storytime**

Storytime for children 3-6 years with adult.

**Fridays through December 9, 10:30-11 a.m.**

### **Book Babies**

Storytime for children 0-18 months with adult.

**Saturdays through December 10, 10:30-11 a.m.**

### **Chinese/English Storytime**

Bilingual storytime presented in Mandarin and English for children 3-7 years with adult.

**Sun., November 6, 1-1:30 p.m.**

**Sun., December 4, 1-1:30 p.m.**

### **Sensory Storytime**

This storytime, which is open to all preschoolers, is especially geared to children with sensory integration issues. If your child has difficulty sitting through one of the library's other storytimes, this program of stories, songs and activities may be just what you are looking for.

**Sat., November 19, 9:30-10 a.m.**

**Sat., December 10, 9:30-10 a.m.**

### **American Indian Symbols and Mask Making**

Learn about Northwest Coast Native American culture through mask making. Create your own mask while artist Maranee Sanders tells stories and shares the meaning behind the masks. Made possible by the Grande Ronde Fund for Native American Collections & Programs of The Library Foundation. *Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.*

**Sun., November 20, 1:30-3:30 p.m.**

### **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 26, 3:30-5 p.m.**

### **"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. *Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.*

**Sat., December 3, 4-5:30 p.m.**

## FOR KIDS AND TEENS

### **Homework Helpers**

Homework Helpers are trained volunteers who give students one-on-one help finding the books and information they need to complete homework assignments.

**Wednesdays through December 14, 3-5 p.m.**

### **Cartooning with Jonathan Hill**

Join author and illustrator Jonathan Hill in learning how to create and share your own cartoons and illustrations! You have probably seen one of Jonathan's illustrations in *The Asian Reporter*, *Hyphen*, *Willamette Week*, *The Portland Mercury*, or in the graphic novel he recently published with MK Reed titled *Americus*. Learn from the master and understand what it takes to creatively, and practically, get your voice out there! For teens in grades 6-12. *Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.*

**Sun., November 6, 2-3 p.m.**



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## **FOR ADULTS**

### **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.

**Tuesdays, 6:30-7:45 p.m.**

### **Bilingual Knitting and Crocheting**

Whether you are a beginner or an experienced knitter or crocheter, come to the library and join the fun! Learn basic knitting and crocheting skills, get help with an existing project, or learn fancy new patterns and techniques. Under the instruction of professional knitter Xiaoying Ruan, gain new skills while communicating and sharing experiences with Chinese-speakers and other individuals who share your hobby. All experience levels and ages welcome. Please bring your own supplies.

**Wed., November 9, 3-5:30 p.m.**

**Wed., November 23, 3-5:30 p.m.**

**Wed., December 7, 3-5:30 p.m.**

**Wed., December 21, 3-5:30 p.m.**

### **Oregon's Leading Woman: Abigail Scott Duniway**

An early women's rights activist, outspoken and often controversial, Abigail Scott Duniway pioneered the movement for women's suffrage in the Northwest. She was a lecturer, organizer, writer, and an editor devoted to ensuring equality and combating the many outspoken opponents of women's suffrage. Duniway's story is brought to life by actress Jane Van Boskirk through lively theater, wit and entertainment with rigorous attention to historical fact. Best suited for grades 5 through adult. Made possible by the National Endowment for the Humanities Fund of The Library Foundation.

**Sun., November 13, 2-2:45 p.m.**

### **Pageturners**

Meet the author! Read *Mink River* by Brian Doyle. Doyle's stunning fiction debut brings a small Oregon coast town to life through the jumbled lives and braided stories of its people. Although Neawanaka, Oregon, is impossible to find on a standard map, you should really spend some time there. It's a magical coastal village with some "odd sweet corners," very idiosyncratic residents and stories to last a lifetime. Engage in stimulating conversation about books and get to know your neighbors. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

**Wed., November 16, 6:30-7:45 p.m.**

### **Fruit Cake Redeemed**

If you've long suspected that the fruit cake jokes are bogus and the cakes are actually delicious, then this is the class for you! Cookbook author and food historian Jean Johnson will demonstrate creating one of these lovely cakes while offering samples to taste. Fruit cakes are rich in dried fruits, nuts, eggs and butter and can make great gifts. Fear no one will want your fruit cake? Attend this class to learn Jean's secret to making this delectable seasonal treat.

**Sun., December 4, 2-3 p.m.**

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



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