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Check out!

Wilsonville Public Library News & Events



Short Story Contest for all ages in August

Writers of all ages are invited to submit short stories (up to 1,500 words) to be judged by a panel of WVPL's expert librarians for creativity, style, and voice

Winners from each age group, from toddlers through adults, will receive prizes, have their stories published on the Library's website, and most importantly—receive bragging rights!

Last day to submit stories is August 31. Stories should be appropriate for a wide audience.

Download entry forms and rules: www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org/story

Library Hours

Monday–Thursday 10 am–8 pm

Friday–Saturday 10 am–6 pm

Sunday 1 pm–6 pm





The Dragon Hunt begins!

Every week in August, the Dragon will hide in a different place somewhere in the library.

Find the dragon and receive a small prize!

(Please leave the Dragon in its hiding spot for other people to find.)

Find out more at: WilsonvilleLibrary.org/SRP



Wildfire preparedness program on Aug. 10

We know wildfires can happen here. Learn practical steps to create a safety buffer around your home and property, make a plan, and be prepared to leave should you receive word to evacuate.

Presented by Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue

Wednesday, August 10

6:30 pm–8 pm Oak Room No charge *WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes*

Did you know?



The American Red Cross holds blood drives at the library

About every other month, the American Red Cross holds a blood drive in the library's parking lot.

Schedule an appointment with the Red Cross online: www.redcrossblood.org

The next Red Cross blood drive is Friday, August 19, from 10:00 am to 4:30 pm.

Donate blood and change a life!

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Youth Programs Classic Family Movies & Games

Cool Down with Classic Family Favorites

From favorite family book to favorite family movie, these classics are meant to be enjoyed again and again. Cool down at the library while you watch a great movie! You are welcome to bring snacks.

Movie will start at 2pm with doors opening at 1:45pm. All films are G-rated.

Thursday, August 4: Mary Poppins (original 1964 film)

Thursday, August 11: Charlotte's Web

Thursday, August 18: The Princess and the Frog

Thursday, August 25: Ramona and Beezus

Take a Game Break!

Right after the movie, we'll break out games and other activities for folks to enjoy while beating the heat in the cool Oak Room.

A variety of family-friendly games and activities will be available to try out until 5pm.

New Books!

Check out these popular titles for kids and teens

Meet the Bus Driver! by Jodie Shepherd

Introduces the role of bus drivers in the child's neighborhood.

Borders by Thomas King

A boy and his mother refuse to identify themselves as American or Canadian at the border and become caught in the limbo between nations when they claim their citizenship as Blackfoot.



The Complete Cookbook for Teen Chefs by America's Test Kitchen 70+ teen-tested and teen-approved recipes to cook, eat, and share.

Find out more: WilsonvilleLibrary.org



o Our Neighborhood

Bus Driver!

Adult Programs

PROFILES: Ruth Bader Ginsburg

Learn about the brilliant jurist's life and several of her landmark cases.

Wednesday, August 3 11 am–12:30 pm On Zoom. Sign up at: www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes

Learn Tarot

Discover a way to listen more clearly to your higher self. Please bring a 5-suit tarot deck (major arcana with 4 minor Arcana) that has detailed story-like images on all 78 cards.

Tuesday, August 16

6:30 pm–8:00 pm Oak Room *www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes*

Reading the Holocaust

Explore some lesser-known writings on the Holocaust, with a focus on diarists, especially by local survivors in the Portland area.

Saturday, August 27 1 pm–3 pm Oak Room www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org/classes

First Friday Films (August 5, 6pm)

Genealogy Club (August 15, 1pm)

Staff Pick



Thin Ice by Paige Shelton

"Suspenseful page-turning mystery in a remote Alaskan village."

> -Malia Laughton, Reference Librarian

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