# Tween Winter Programs & Book Clubs Registration Required.

#### Be the Change

*For students in grades 4-6* Thursday, January 27, 4:00 pm, Zoom Join us on Zoom for a fun project to explore some topics that are important to us. Learn how to engage your inner activism.

## **Tween Cooking Club**

*For students in grades 4-6* Wednesdays, February 2 & March 16, 4:00 pm, Zoom Calling all aspiring cooks! Join us to learn how to make fun treats that are easy to prepare and taste delicious! Registrants will be emailed recipes and a Zoom link.

### Going Graphic: Book Talk

For students in grades 4-6 Thursday, February 10, 4:00-5:00 pm, Zoom Join us as we talk about new graphic novels in the Children's Department and your favorite graphic reads.

## **Crafting Creations**

*For students in grades 4-6* Monday, February 21 2:00-3:00 pm, Zoom and Kit Pick up a kit and then join us on Zoom on your day off from school to get creative and make some fun crafts for you and your friends!



# Family Programs Registration required.

# Outback Ray's Amazing Virtual Animal Show

Family Event

Monday, January 17, 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm, Zoom Outback Ray shares fascinating facts about exotic animals during this exciting and entertaining Zoom show for all ages. Please include an email address to receive a Zoom link.

# **<u>Celebrate the Year of the Tiger</u>**

Family Event

Tuesday, February 1, 4:00 – 4:45 pm, Zoom and Kit Join us virtually for some fun stories, songs, activities, and crafts to celebrate the Chinese New Year. the Year of the Tiger. Craft kits will be available for pick up starting Monday, Jan. 31, 2002. A ZOOM link will be emailed to you prior to the event.

### Make & Share a Valentine

*Family Event* Tuesday, February, 8, 3:30-4:00 pm, Kit 7:00-7:30 pm, Purple Room Pick up a kit to make a Valentine card to give a loved one and then make another and return it to the library to be shared with our Outreach Community.

# **Black History Trivia**

Family Event

Tuesday, February 22, 7:00 pm, Zoom

Do you know who Garrett Morgan was? Even if you have never heard of him, join us for virtual trivia with Kahoot! Test your knowledge, learn something new, and have some fun as we celebrate Black History Month!

# **Read Across America**

Family Event

Wednesday, March 2, 7:00 pm, 2nd Floor

Join us in the Children's Department for fun stories, activities, and crafts as we tour the United States to celebrate the importance of diverse reading!



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#### **Winter Reading Bingo**

For all ages

January 21 to March 21

It's time to gather up a blanket, find a comfy chair, and get ready for a winter of reading. This year, we invite all ages to join in the Winter Reading Bingo fun. You can participate online through Beanstack, or use our BINGO card available at the Children's 2nd Floor Desk. When you complete a BINGO, stop in and claim your prize and a raffle ticket to our Grand Prize drawing. Complete the entire card or 5 Beanstack Bingo badges and you'll get an extra raffle ticket for our prize drawing.

# Children's Winter Programs & Storytimes Registration Required.

### Winter Baby & Me @ Home

For babies, toddlers & their caregivers Wednesdays, January 26 to February 23, 6:30 pm Thursdays, January 27 to February 24, 9:15 am and 10:15 am, Zoom

Join us for a 20-minute virtual, interactive and fun lapsit program of songs, stories, and rhymes. We will send you the ZOOM link prior to the storytime.

#### 2s and 3s Storytime @ Home

For children ages 2-3 & their caregivers January 24-February 21 Virtual Register to receive a link weekly to a YouTube playlist of stories. View one story or all of them, one at a time or all at once.

#### Winter Preschool Storytime @ Home

For children ages 4-6 January 24-February 21 Virtual Register to receive a link for a weekly storytime to enjoy in your own house filled with books, rhymes, and songs to help your preschooler get ready for kindergarten.

### Play, Learn & Grow

For children 6 months to 3 years & their caregivers Tuesday, March 15, 10:00 am Wednesday, March 16, 6:30 pm, Purple Room Perfect for children and adults to enjoy some quality "together time" while playing with toys and reading books. Let's have some fun!

# Messy Art @ Home

For ages 2-5 & their caregivers Monday, February 7, Kit Are you brave enough to get messy at home? This kit contains everything you need to create a process-centered art project. Supplies must be picked up in person or via our drive-thru.

# <u>Tech Tales</u>

For children ages 3-5 & their caregivers Monday, March 7, 6:30 to 7 pm, Purple Room This classic storytime has a digital component. Find out how apps and eBooks can support early literacy, bringing adults and children together. Tablets will be provided.

### Adapted Storytime

For children with developmental needs and their families Saturdays, March 12 & April 9, 10:00 am, Purple Room Children with varying learning styles and abilities learn together in a safe, supportive environment where respect and appreciation for differences is encouraged. Programs incorporate double visuals, a schedule board, and an opportunity for play and socialization.

## Steam Studio Jr.

For students in grades K-1 Tuesday, February 15 at 4:30 pm, Zoom Tuesday, March 29 at 4:30 pm, Purple Room Do you have a budding scientist? Join us for Steam Studio for grades K-1 and explore concepts of science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math in this series. Discover, imagine, and create.

### **Winter Storybook Olympics**

*For students in grades K-1* Thursday, March 3, 4:15-5:00 pm, Auditorium After watching the world compete in the Winter Olympics, join us for our own storybook-based Olympics. With games and activities centered around early reading levels, everyone can win a medal!

# **Registration Information**

WINTER REGISTRATION begins Saturday, January 8, at 9:00 am. To register, visit our Children's page at www.rrpl.org, and click on Programs, or call 440-333-7610 and press 4.

## <u>Dog Man Mania</u>

For students in grades 2-3 Wednesday, January 19, 4:00 pm, Zoom Wednesday, April 27, 4:00 pm, Purple Room Are you a supa fan of the half-canine, half-human marvel that is Dog Man? Then come joins us as we celebrate Dav Pilkey's comic creation. Through a series of activities and crafts participants will see if they have what it takes to thwart the likes of Petey the Cat and express their joy for all things Dog Man.

The January program will now be conducted virtually with Dog Man themed trivia and Make-and-Take kits. Kits will be available starting 1/16/22. Registrants will receive a Zoom link prior to the start of the program.

#### **Connecting for Kids Partnership Program**

#### Anxiety and Attention Series: Academic Anxiety

For parents of school age children Tuesday, February 1, 6:30 pm, Zoom Register at the Connecting for Kids website: <u>https://</u> <u>connectingforkids.org/event-4580353</u> Does your child get an upset stomach the morning of a big test? Is getting called on in class scary? Join John Zbornik, Ph. D, of Kenneth A. De Luca, Ph. D. and Associates, Inc., for a discussion about academic anxiety disorders. Attendees will learn to spot these disorders and ease your child's fears. Register at the Connecting for Kids website and you will be emailed information about how to join the program using the free Zoom app or by calling a toll-free number.

## Book Babble

For students in grades 2-3 Tuesday, February 15, Zoom Tuesdays, March 1 & May 10, 7:00-7:45 pm, Purple Room Have you been waiting to be old enough for book clubs at RRPL? Join now! We will discuss such titles as **The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs, By A. Wolf; Mr. Mergler, Beethoven, and Me;** and **The Dog that Pitched a No-Hitter,** with little or no advanced reading necessary.

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