# November

## Children and Family Events

Fern Hill Library 765 South 84th Street

### Storytimes • •

**Baby Storytime** | BIRTH-18 MOS. Tuesdays at 1 p.m. November 4, 18 Fun for you and your baby with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Family Storytime | ALL AGES Tuesdays at 6 p.m. November 4, 18 Stories, songs, and fun learning activities that the whole family can enjoy.

### Games and Clubs • • • • •

#### **Pokémon League**

AGES 6-YOUNG ADULT Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 4 p.m. Grab your Pokémon deck or DS and join us! All levels welcome.

### Other In-Person Events • • • •

### **Up and Atom STEAM Days**

GRADES K-8 | Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. Join us to try out different STEAM and craft activities.

- November 4: DiNovember!
- November 18: Shadow Stories and Puppet Theater
- November 25: Autumn Leaf Rubbings and Nature Patterns

### Family STEAM Night with Greentrike GRADES K-8

Wednesday, Nov. 5 at 4 p.m.
Bring the whole family to explore concepts of science, technology, engineering, art, and math. Presented by Greentrike, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.

Play to Learn | BABY AND PRE-K Fridays at 10 a.m. | November 7, 21 For children and caregivers to enjoy play together with fun group activities. Presented by Greentrike, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.



### Discover Dance | ALL AGES

Friday, Nov. 7 at 4 p.m.

Experience the joy of movement found in ballet, tap, and hip-hop. This interactive session is designed to ignite creativity, boost confidence, and instill a love for dance in all ages. Presented by Pacific Northwest Dance Foundation, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.

### Act the Story with Tacoma Musical Playhouse | GRADES K-5

Saturday, Nov. 15 at 11 a.m. This class will teach basic acting skills through character, movement/dance and performance work based on popular books. Presented by TMP, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.

### Online Events • • • • •

Registration required.

Pajama Storytime | ALL AGES online (Zoom) | Tuesdays at 7 p.m. November 4, 18, 25 Come join us for an evening of stories, activities, and songs.

### **System-Wide Events • •**

Native American Heritage Month Scavenger Hunt | GRADES K-8 All Locations | November 1-29 Learn about the culture and language of the Puyallup People / spuyaləpabš. Find hidden images around the library and earn a prize if you find them all!

#### **Craftopia Program Kits**

AGES 3+ | All Locations

- Chenille Bracelets: Pick up starting Friday, Nov. 7
- Woven Paper Bookmarks: Pick up starting Friday, Nov. 14
- Yarn Wrapped Leaves: Pick up starting Friday, Nov. 28

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Studio and Storytime with Tacoma Art

Museum | AGES 2-8 Saturday, Nov. 8 at 11 a.m. TAM (1701 Pacific Avenue) Read a story, explore art in TAM's galleries, and create a hands-on project in TAM's studio! Presented by TAM and TPL and funded by the City of Tacoma/ Tacoma Creates.



All events are free and open to the public; library card not required. Some events may require registration.





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### **Adult and Teen Events**

### Fern Hill Library

765 South 84th Street

#### **Book Clubs • • •**

**Treat Your Shelf Book Club** | ADULTS Wednesday, Nov. 5 at 6:30 p.m. We pick the theme, you pick the book! September's category is artificial intelligence.

### **Online Events** •

Registration required.

Knitty Gritty Stitchers | ADULTS online (Zoom) | Registration required. Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 22 at 4 p.m. This is a great opportunity to work on your own project, share ideas, meet new people, and show-and-tell the things you have made.

### Other Worlds: Online Speculative Fiction Book Club | ADULTS

online (Zoom) | Registration required.

Wednesday, Nov. 19 at 6:30 p.m. Join us online to discuss speculative books from across genres. November's title is "A Psalm for the Wild-built" by Becky Chambers.



### **In-Person Events**

### Drop-In Tech Help | ADULTS

Tuesdays at 6 p.m. November 4, 18, 25 Learn basic computer skills like email, web searching and MS Office programs, navigating apps, and more.



#### Basic Computer Skills | ADULTS

Thursday, Nov. 6 at 12 p.m.

Registration required: call 253-593-6641 ext 142 or scan the QR code to register online. Join Black Brilliance to explore computer basics. Those who complete the workshop can

apply for a free laptop. This program is funded by Pierce County Digital Literacy and Digital Equity Services.



### Wisdom Cafe | ADULTS

Thursday, Nov. 20 at 10:30 a.m. Join us for conversation and camaraderie as we discuss universal topics about life, fulfillment, and aging. All are welcome!

### **Tacoma Light Trail Lanterns**

ALL AGES | Saturday, Nov. 22 at 4 p.m. Make a lantern to bring on the Light Trail and parades! All materials provided. Presented by Tacoma Light Trail, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.

#### Around Town • • •

**Books on Tap Book Club** | 21+

Tuesday, Nov. 25 at 7 p.m. Incline Cider (2115 S C St,) Join us to discuss "The Ministry of Time" by Kaliane Bradley.



### Holiday Schedule • • • • •

All Tacoma Public Libraries will be closed:

- Tuesday, Nov. 11 in observance of Veterans Day
- Thursday, Nov. 27 in observance of Thanksgiving

All locations will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.:

Wednesday, Nov. 26

### Just for Teens • • •

**Teen Time** | Thursdays at 2:30 p.m. November 6, 13, 20

Middle and high school students are invited to meet new friends, relax, play games, work on homework, or make a craft. We'll do something different each time!



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