November

Children and Family Events

Mottet
Library
3523 East G Street

Storytimes •

Family Storytime | ALL AGES Wednesdays at 6 p.m. November 5, 12, 19 Join us for stories, songs, and fun learning activities that the whole family can enjoy.

Other In-Person Events • • • •

Up and Atom STEAM Days

GRADES K-8 | Saturdays at 1:30 p.m. Join us to try out different STEAM and craft activities.

- November 1: LEGO Club
- November 8: Dinosaur Puppets
- November 15: Family Game Night
- November 22: Robot Puppets
- November 29: LEGO Club

Balloon-Powered Cars with LeMay - America's Car Museum

GRADES K-8

Wednesday, Nov. 5 at 4 p.m. Hands-on physics has never been this fun—ready, set, inflate! Presented by LeMay-America's Car Museum, 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

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



Around Town •

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.



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Adult and Teen Events

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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.

Community Compass | ADULTS

Wednesdays, 12–4 p.m.

November 5, 19, 26

Drop-in to connect with University of Washington Tacoma's Master of Social Work Practicum Students. They will be happy to listen and assist patrons with general support and resource navigation.



Wisdom Cafe | ADULTS

Thursday, Nov. 6 at 12 p.m. Let's gather to connect, share stories, and learn from each other. Together, we'll explore a variety of topics and create lasting connections.

Free Legal Aid Pop-Ups | ADULTS

Friday, Nov. 14, 2–4 p.m. Stop by for free, drop-in help, information and resources from Tacomaprobono!

Crochet Connection with Debra

ADULTS & TEENS Saturday, Nov. 15 at 3 p.m. Join Debra for crochet fun with simple crochet projects. Patterns will be provided.

Adult Nintendo Night: Mario Kart

ADULTS | Thursday, Nov. 20 at 4 p.m. Ready, set, race! Join us for a fun-filled evening of Mario Kart and friendly competition. Bring your best as we battle it out on the big screen. This event is for adults only, all skill levels welcome!

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.



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