

February

Children and Family Events

**South Tacoma
Library**

3411 South 56th Street

Storytimes • • • • •

Family Storytime | ALL AGES

Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

February 6, 13, 20, 27

Join us for stories, songs, and fun learning activities that the whole family can enjoy.

Baby Storytime | BIRTH-18 MOS.

Fridays at 11:30 a.m.

February 6, 13, 20, 27

Fun for you and your baby with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Other In-Person Events • • • •

Up and Atom STEAM Days

GRADES K-8 | Fridays at 3:30 p.m.

Join us to try out different STEAM and craft activities.

- February 6: Stoplight Paper Circuits
- February 13: Valentine's Day Candy Launchers
- February 20: Balloon-Powered Cars with LeMay - America's Car Museum, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates
- February 27: Building with KEVA Planks

Online Events • • • • •

Registration required.

Pajama Storytime | ALL AGES

online (Zoom) | Tuesdays at 7 p.m.

February 3, 10, 17, 24

Come join us for an evening of stories, activities, and songs.



Studio and Storytime at Tacoma Art Museum

System-Wide Events • • • • •



Black Inventors Scavenger Hunt

PRE-K-GRADE 8

All Locations | February 3-28

From everyday items to groundbreaking innovations, participants will learn how Black inventors have shaped the world we live in.

Craftopia Program Kits

AGES 3+ | All Locations

- Shake Paintings: Pick up starting Friday, Feb. 6
- Paper Strip Flowers: Pick up starting Friday, Feb. 20
- Blow Up Bunnies: Pick up starting Friday, Feb. 27

Around Town • • • • •

Studio and Storytime with Tacoma Art Museum | AGES 2-8

Saturday, Feb. 7 at 12 p.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.

Closure • • • • •

All Tacoma Public Library locations will be closed on Saturday, Feb. 14, in observance of Presidents' Day.



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Adult and Teen Events

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Online Events • • • • •

Registration required.

Knitty Gritty Stitchers | ADULTS

online (Zoom)

Wednesday, Feb. 11 at 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 28 at 5 p.m.

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)

Wednesday, Feb. 25

at 6:30 p.m.

Join us online to discuss speculative books from across genres. This month, we'll be discussing "The City We Became" by N.K. Jemisin.



In-Person Events • • • • •

Credit and Debt Management

ADULTS | Thursday, Feb. 5 at 3 p.m.

Pathways to Homeownership™ of Tacoma/Pierce County's Habitat for Humanity invites you to a hands-on financial wellness event designed to help you take control of your money.

Free Legal Aid Pop-Ups | ADULTS

Friday, Feb. 6, 2-4 p.m.

Stop by for free, drop-in help, information and resources from Tacomaprobono!

Drop-In Tech Help | ADULTS

Fridays at 3 p.m.

February 6, 13, 20, 27

Learn basic computer skills like email, web searching and MS Office programs, navigating apps, and more.

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South Tacoma Weekend Crafters

ADULTS | Saturday, Feb. 7 at 2:30 p.m.

Whether you're a seasoned crafter or learning something new, this program is for people that want to create, connect, and unwind. Bring your own project and enjoy conversation and inspiration from fellow crafters.

Brushes of Wisdom | ADULTS

Wednesday, Feb. 18 at 12 p.m.

Follow step-by-step printed instructions or DIY to create your own masterpieces.

Cultural Stories from our Sister Countries | ALL AGES

Saturday, Feb. 21 at 3:30 p.m.

Join us for a showcase of the rich traditions, histories, and unique narratives of one of Tacoma's Sister Cities, El Jadida, Morocco. Presented by Tacoma Sister Cities, funded by the City of Tacoma/Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.

Local Birds, Habitats and Conservation

ADULTS & TEENS

Wednesday, Feb. 25 at 3 p.m.

Learn about what types of birds live in this area and what they need to thrive. Presented by Tahoma Bird Alliance, the National Endowment for the Arts Big Read program, and the Museum of Glass.

The Strange Link Between Shark The Strange Link Between Shark Attacks and Voting Behavior with Michael Artime | ADULTS

Wednesday, Feb. 25 at 6 p.m.

Do any of us vote rationally? Or is it all just vibes? Discover the fascinating political science case study in which a horrifying wave of shark attacks in New Jersey may have cost Woodrow Wilson votes—despite Wilson and his policies having nothing to do with the attacks. Presented by Humanities WA.

Around Town • • • • •

Books on Tap | 21+

Tuesday, Feb. 24

at 7 p.m.

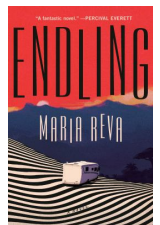
Dystopian State

Brewing Co.

(611 South Baker Street)

Join us to discuss

"Endling" by Maria Reva.



Just for Teens • • • • •

Teen Time | Wednesdays at 5 p.m.

February 4, 11, 18, 25

Meet new friends, relax, play games, work on homework, or make a craft.

We'll do something different each time!



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