

AUGUST 2023



Check out!

Wilsonville Public Library News & Events



Science Events for Kids

The Library is excited to bring back free science events for kids in August.

The University of Oregon Museum of National and Cultural History takes off on an Oregon geology adventure on Aug. 2 at 6pm.

Join the Oregon Coast Aquarium's myth busting celebration of sharks on Aug. 3 at 10:30am or 1pm.

The OMSI science explorations occurring Aug. 8-10 require registration due to limited space.

Learn more about each session and sign up at:
wilsonvillelibrary.org/science

Library Hours

Monday–Thursday
10am–8pm

Friday–Saturday
10am–6pm

Sunday
1–6pm





Short Story Contest

Writers of all ages are invited to submit short stories to the Wilsonville Public Library's 2023 Short Story Contest from August 1-31.

Stories must be 1500 words or fewer, original, and previously unpublished. Three winners from each age group will receive prizes and have their stories published on the Library's website.

For official rules and entry form, visit:
wilsonvillelibrary.org/story



Concert: Portland Lesbian Choir

Enjoy the sound of live music in the library with a performance by the Portland Lesbian Choir. The choir will perform music to transform the world, or at least one corner of it, from a wide variety of composers, classic to contemporary.

Saturday, August 19, 2-3pm
Reading Area

Did You Know?



You can check out Chromebooks and Hotspots with your LINCC card

Newly added to our
Library of Things:
Chromebooks and
internet Hotspots!

Use your LINCC library
card to place a hold on
these items, or ask at
the Circulation Desk.
When using the library
catalog, search for
"Chromebook" or
"Hotspot".

Library of Things items
check out for 14 days.

wilsonvillelibrary.org/LOT



Youth Programs

Instrument Petting Zoo

For all ages

Ever dreamed of being a rockstar? Now's your chance to give it a test drive! Guitars, keys, ukulele, and rhythm makers will be available for kiddos (and grown-ups) of all ages to try out. Learn how to properly hold, handle, and make sound with a variety of instruments, and see which ones ignite your imagination.

Saturday, Aug. 12

12-4pm

Oak Room

enTaiko Concert

For all ages

Japanese drumming group enTaiko carries on a centuries-old musical tradition from Japan. Enjoy traditional style taiko, as well as collaborative music creation with taiko and marimba. At the end of the performance, try your hand at taiko drumming!

Tuesday, Aug. 15

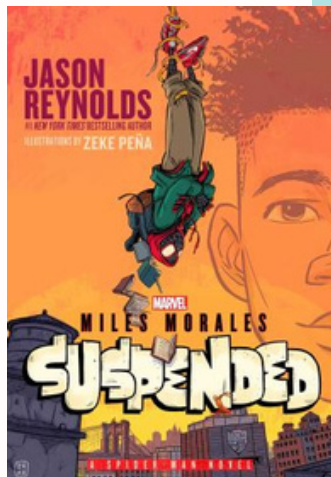
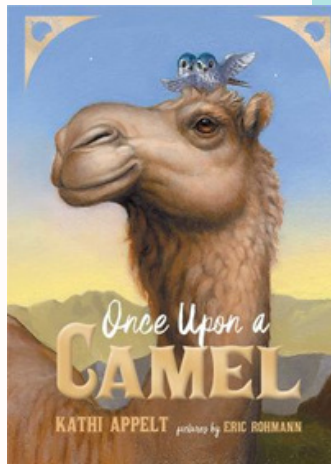
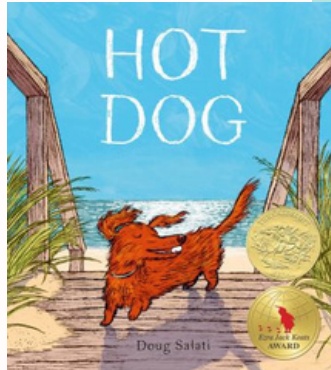
11am-12pm

Memorial Park

Baby & Toddler Time, Family Storytime, and Play Group return in September

Teen Programs

Return in September



Staff Picks!

Check out these staff recommended titles for kids and teens

Hot Dog

by Doug Salati

A sweet and summery story, as welcoming as a glass of cool lemonade on a sweltering summer day. Winner of the 2023 Caldecott Medal.

Once Upon a Camel

by Kathi Appelt

Zada, the last camel of her herd brought over from Turkey to the Texas desert in the late 1800's, weaves tales of her life's adventure.

Miles Morales:

Suspended

by Jason Reynolds

Earning a suspension for saving the world, Miles Morales finds a long boring day turning into one that has his spidey-senses tingling as he goes head-to-head with an unexpected enemy.

Adult Programs

Profiles: Cleopatra

The most powerful woman of her time, known for her liaisons, masterful political skills, and role as mother of four, Cleopatra has recently found redemption by historians.

**Wednesday, Aug. 2 from
11am-12:30pm**

Online on Zoom

Sign up to receive the Zoom meeting code:
wilsonvillelibrary.org/classes

First Friday Film

Watch recent releases on our big screen. August's film is based on the true story about long-married couple Jerry and Marge Selbee, who win the lottery and use the money to revive their small town.

**Friday, Aug. 4 from
3-5pm**

Oak Room

Walking Book Club

Walk through Memorial Park while talking about books. August's book is *The Night Circus* by Eric Morgenstern.

**Thursday, Aug. 17 from
1-2pm**

Meet in the library lobby

Space Talk

The Mars Perseverance Rover carried a "passenger" onboard, a small double-rotored helicopter named *Ingenuity*, designed to make the first ever powered flight on another planet.

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11am-12:30pm**

Oak Room

More programs on our website

Staff Pick



How Y'all Doing?
by Leslie Jordan

"Delightful memoir by the actor.
Listen to him read the
audiobook!"

-Andi Erickson

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**More info & events on
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Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

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Saturday



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Short Story Contest
August 1-31

ODHS Drop-in
10am-12pm
1-3pm

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Profiles
Cleopatra
Zoom
11am-12:30pm

Science Class:
Oregon Rocks!
6pm

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Science Class:
Shark Shenanigans!
10:30am and 1pm

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First Friday Films
Jerry & Marge Go Large (PG-13)
3pm

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● Registration required for OMSI Science Classes

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ODHS Drop-in
10am-12pm
1-3pm

English Class
10:30am-12pm

Science Class:
OMSI ● Wee Wonders
10-11am 11:30-12:30

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Science Class:
OMSI ● **Marvelous Magnets**
1-2pm
2:30-3:30

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Science Class:
OMSI ● School of Rocks
1-2pm
2:30-3:30pm

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Instrument Petting Zoo
12-4pm

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ODHS Drop-in
10am-12pm
1-3pm

English Class
10:30am-12pm

enTaiko:
Grove Shelter Memorial Park
11am

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Walking Book Club
The Night Circus by Erin Morgenstern
1 pm

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Space Talks
Flying on Mars (Ingenuity)
11am-12:30pm

Portland Lesbian Choir
2pm

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Genealogy Club
1-2:30pm

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ODHS Drop-in
10am-12pm
1-3pm

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Party in the Park
Town Center Park
5:30pm

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ODHS Drop-in
10am-12pm
1-3pm

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Blood Drive
11am-4pm

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August

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Hours

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Sunday 1-6

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