

APRIL 2023



Check out!

Wilsonville Public Library News & Events

National Poetry Month

Celebrate National Poetry Month

April is National Poetry Month! It has become the largest literary celebration in the world celebrating poetry's vital place in our culture.

Learn about American poet Robert Frost, the only poet to receive four Pulitzer Prizes for Poetry, at our PROFILES online program on Wed. April 5. at 11am.

Discover your inner poet with daily poems posted on our Facebook page. On Fridays we post a photo of a poem we've created using the titles on book spines, and invite you to post your own Book Spine Poems. Poetry doesn't have to be long, hard, or even rhyme!

www.wilsonvillelibrary.org/poetry

Library Hours

Monday–Thursday
10am–8pm

Friday–Saturday
10am–6pm

Sunday
1–6pm



"Strong Women, Strong Archetypes" Writing Class starts Apr. 5

We will explore archetypes such as the maid, the mother, the wise woman, and the wild woman as inspiration for our own creative and original stories in this free six-week class.

Wednesday evenings, 6-8pm
Apr. 5 through May 10

Sign up online to register:
wilsonvillelibrary.org/classes



Repair Fair on Apr. 8

Join this free community event that brings skilled volunteers and people with broken items together on Saturday, Apr. 8, from 10am-1pm at the library.

What to bring:

- Clean clothes and textiles
- Bicycles
- Small electronics
- Small home appliances
- Tools or knives to be sharpened
- Jewelry

Some repairs may not be available or may require a part we don't have. To confirm an item you want to bring can be repaired, please email sustainability@clackamas.us.

Did You Know?



Seed Library Coming Soon!

By the request of several patrons, we will open a seed library here in the library starting in mid-April.

Since fall 2022, we have been collecting donations from seed companies and nonprofits to create The Seed Library.

We are excited to begin sharing our wide selection of vegetable, flower, herb, grass, and other seeds with library card holders for free!

Watch for our opening announcement on Facebook and our website.



Youth Programs

Toddler & Baby Time

For ages birth to 2

Engaging songs, stories, and play for babies and toddlers.

Tuesday mornings at
10:30am & 11:15am

Oak Room

Family Storytime

For ages 3 and up

Creative storytelling and early learning fun for preschoolers.

Wednesday & Thursday
mornings at

10:30am

Oak Room

STEAM Stuff

For ages birth-6

Drop in for hands-on STEAM activities at the library on early release days.

Wednesday afternoons from
1-2:30pm

Apr. 12 & 26

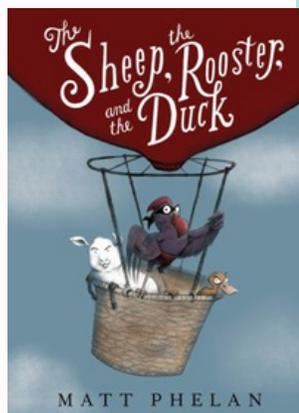
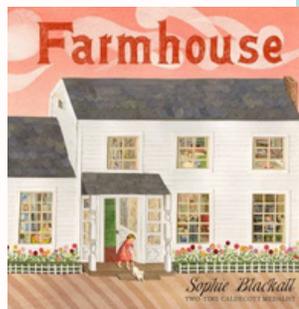
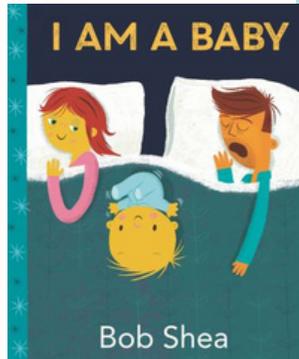
Teen Programs

Teen Weekly Events

For students in grades 6-12

After-school drop-in games, movies, crafts, snacks, and more in the Teen Area.

Wednesday afternoons from
3-6pm



Staff Picks!

Check out these staff recommended titles for kids and teens

I Am a Baby by Bob Shea

Baby, are you ever going to go to sleep? With humor and sympathy, it looks at the chaos of life with a baby as amiably narrated by the new arrival

Farmhouse by Sophie Blackall

Lilting verses and charmingly beautiful illustrations reveal the loving mark 12 children made on their home, their farmhouse.

The Sheep, the Rooster and the Duck by Matt Phelan Gary Paulsen

In 1783, three unlikely superheroes—a sheep, a rooster and a duck—find themselves caught up in a sinister plot. Will they be able to save Benjamin Franklin and the world in time?

Adult Programs

Profiles: Robert Frost

Looks at the life and poetry of Robert Frost, one of America's rare public literary figures and an American artistic institution

Wednesday, Apr. 5 from 11am-12:30pm

Online on Zoom

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

First Friday Film

Watch the latest releases on our big screen the first Friday of the month. April's movie is *Devotion* (PG-13).

Friday, Apr. 7 from 3-5pm

Oak Room

Book Notes Concert: Bernie Sims

Singer-songwriter performs songs influenced by Kenny Loggins & Paul McCartney.

Saturday, Apr. 8 from 2-3pm

Central reading area

Walking Book Club

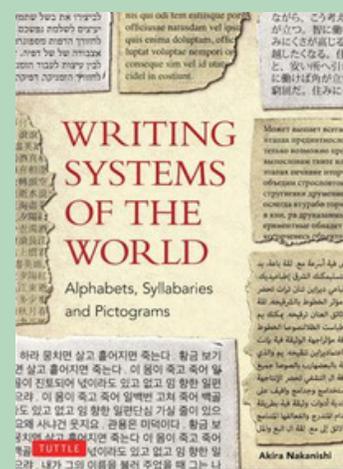
Walk through Memorial Park while talking about April's book is *The Midnight Library* by Matt Haig.

Thursday, Apr. 20 from 1-2pm

Meet in the library lobby

[More programs on our website](#)

Staff Pick



Writing Systems of the World by Akira Nakanishi

"This fun book has an example of very nearly every kind of script that exists today in the world. Perfect for language and grammar geeks like me!"

-Greg Martin
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April

PROGRAMS & EVENTS



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- Registration required

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The Romantic Poets Class
1:30-3pm ●

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Beginning Spanish II Class
6-8pm ●

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

Toddler & Baby Time
10:30am and
11:15am

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Family Storytime
10:30am

Profiles:
11am-12:30pm ●

Teen Drop-In Activities
3-6pm

Writing Class
6-8pm ●

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Family Storytime
10:30am

7

Play Group
10am

First Friday Films
Devotion (PG-13)
3pm

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Repair Fair
10am-1pm

Booknotes Concert
Bernie Sims, singer-songwriter
2-3pm

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Beginning Spanish II Class
6-8pm ●

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

Toddler & Baby Time
10:30am and
11:15am

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Family Storytime
10:30am

STEAM Stuff
1-2:30pm

Teen Drop-In Activities
3-6pm

Writing Class
6-8pm ●

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Family Storytime
10:30am

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Play Group
10am

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Space Talks
NASA's Artemis Mission
11am-12:30pm

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The Romantic Poets Class
1:30-3pm ●

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Genealogy Club
1-2:30pm

Beginning Spanish II Class
6-8pm ●

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

Toddler & Baby Time
10:30am and
11:15am

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Family Storytime
10:30am

Teen Drop-In Activities
3-6pm

Writing Class
6-8pm ●

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Family Storytime
10:30am

Walking Book Club
1pm

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Play Group
10am



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The Romantic Poets Class
1:30-3pm ●

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

Toddler & Baby Time
10:30am and
11:15am

English Class
10:30am-12pm

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Family Storytime
10:30am

STEAM Stuff
1-2:30pm

Teen Drop-In Activities
3-6pm

Writing Class
6-8pm ●

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Family Storytime
10:30am

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Play Group
10am

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1:30-3pm ●

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