

February

Children and Family Events

**Moore
Library**
215 South 56th Street

Storytimes

Family Storytime | ALL AGES
Saturday, Feb. 1 at 10:30 a.m.
Join us for stories, songs, and fun learning activities that the whole family can enjoy.

Baby Storytime | BIRTH-18 MOS.
Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.
February 6, 13, 20, 27
Fun for you and your baby with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

¡Cuentos y Cantos! Bilingual Storytime
ALL AGES | Fridays at 4:30 p.m.
February 14, 28
¡Están invitados a una muy especial hora de cuentos bilingüe! Vengan con toda la familia para bailar, cantar, leer y hacer amigos en la Biblioteca de Tacoma! You are invited to our special bilingual storytime!

Games and Clubs

Brick by Brick LEGO Club
GRADES K-5 | Saturday, Feb. 8 at 3 p.m.
Free build to your heart's content!

Other In-Person Events

Black Artist Spotlight | ALL AGES
Join us in February to learn about Black artists who helped shape the world! Each week we will feature a different artist's story and work, as well as provide materials for patrons to create their own masterpieces!

Musical Storytelling and Crafts with Northwest Sinfonietta
PRE-K-GRADE 5
Saturday, Feb. 1 at 1:30 p.m.
Enjoy interactive storytelling and live music. Presented by Northwest Sinfonietta, funded by Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL.



Studio and Storytime at Tacoma Art Museum.

Up and Atom STEAM Days
GRADES K-8 | Wednesdays at 4 p.m.
Join us to try out different STEAM and craft activities.

- February 5: Abstract Squeegie Art
- February 12: Circuit Greeting Cards
- February 19: Engineering with Tacoma Public Utilities
- February 26: Warren M. Washington Weather Science

Harriet: The Black Swan, In the Year of COVID-19 | ALL AGES
Saturday, Feb. 8 at 4:30 p.m.
Join Tacoma Urban Performing Arts Center for a special showing and discussion of their short dance. Presented by T.U.P.A.C., funded by Tacoma Creates and hosted by TPL.

Switch Saturday | ALL AGES
Saturday, Feb. 22 at 3 p.m.
Bring your Nintendo Switch, or your favorite handheld console. No Switch? No problem, use one of ours!

Rock Painting Saturday | ALL AGES
Saturday, Feb. 22 at 3:30 p.m.
All materials provided to create your own little piece of art.

Closures
Tacoma Public Library will be closed on Saturday, Feb. 15 (Presidents' Day).

Online Events
Registration required.

Pajama Storytime | ALL AGES
online (Zoom) | Tuesdays at 7 p.m.
February 4, 11, 18, 25
Come join us for an evening of stories, activities, and songs.

System-Wide Events

Craftopia Program Kits
AGES 3+ | All locations

- Heart String Art Cards: Pick up starting Friday, Feb. 7
- Macrame Keyrings: Pick up starting Friday, Feb. 14
- Swirl Clay Magnets: Pick up starting Friday, Feb. 28

Black Artist Scavenger Hunt
GRADES K-8 | All locations
Join us February 1-28 to celebrate and learn more about Black artists who helped shape the world!

Around Town

Studio and Storytime with Tacoma Art Museum | AGES 2-8
Saturday, Feb. 22 at 11 a.m.
TAM (1701 Pacific Avenue)
Read a story, explore art, and create a project in TAM's studio! Presented by TAM and TPL and funded by Tacoma Creates.



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Adult and Teen Events

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Book Clubs •••••

Read and Rant: The South Sound's LGBTQ+ Book Club | ADULTS & TEENS
Saturday, Feb. 8 at 11 a.m.

Join us for a monthly LGBTQ+ book club discussion with South Sound LGBTQ+ Book Club. February's title is "How Far the Light Reaches: A Life in Ten Sea Creatures" by Sabrina Imbler.

Other Worlds: Online Speculative Fiction Book Club

ADULTS | online (Zoom)

Registration required.

Wednesday, Feb. 26 at 6:30 p.m.

Join us online to discuss intriguing, mind-expanding, speculative books from across genres. In February we'll discuss "The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue" by V.E. Schwab.

In-Person Events •••••

Home Maintenance 101 Workshop

ADULTS & TEENS

Saturday, Feb. 1 at 3 p.m.

Learn new to maintain your home with demonstrations by the Tacoma Tool Library.

Fused Together | ALL AGES

Tuesday, Feb. 4 at 5:30 p.m.

Join us for a special glass-working program presented by Hilltop Artists, Communities for a Healthy Bay and artist Kait Rhoads, funded by Tacoma Creates, and hosted by TPL!

Social Work Support with Samie

ADULTS & TEENS

Wednesdays, 1:30–5:30 p.m.

February 5, 12, 19, 26

TPL's Social Worker can assist with a variety of needs related to housing, shelter, domestic violence, VA, employment, behavioral health, McKinney Vento or student support, and more!



Free legal aid with tacomaprobono.

Victorian Puzzle Purses

ADULTS & TEENS | Tue., Feb. 11 at 5 p.m.

Learn how to make a paper craft used as a romantic card, a small catch-all, or a fun game.

Typing Club | ADULTS & TEENS

Thursday, Feb. 27 at 11 a.m.

Practice and improve typing with online tutorials and guides.

Career Training Opportunities with

Tacoma Community College | ADULTS

Thursday, Feb. 27 at 1 p.m.

Come learn about everything Tacoma Community College has to offer!

Free Legal Aid Pop-Ups | ADULTS

Friday, Feb. 28, 2–4 p.m.

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

Around Town •••••

Books on Tap Book Club | 21+

Event details can be found via Meetup.

Tuesday, Feb. 25 at 7 p.m.

In February, in honor of Black History Month, we'll be reading "The Revisioners" by Margaret Wilkerson Sexton.

Just for Teens •••••

Teen Time | Tuesdays at 4 p.m.

Middle and high school students are invited to play games, work on homework, or make a craft.

- February 4: The Reading Room
- February 11: Clay Valentines
- February 18: The Reading Room
- February 25: LGBTeen Book Club

The Main Event Grand Reopening Celebration!

ALL AGES | Main Library
(1102 Tacoma Ave. South)
Saturday, Feb. 1, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Tour the new library spaces, enjoy performances, visit the Maker Labs, meet Community Hub partners, and more!

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