With people living longer and taking better care of themselves, there has never been a better time to be a senior. That said, the library system has developed a new program series called Next Chapter—created with seniors in mind. Attend programs on everything from health topics to planning for retirement. Find a program near you on page 13.

Longer days and warmer temperatures signal spring is in the air. You’re invited to celebrate the season by attending one of our Spring Family Fun programs. There’s everything from musical performances to puppetry workshops. Even better, this special program series is offered at multiple library locations.

Back in 1984, Author Patrick D. Smith brought us the Florida classic novel A Land Remembered. This month, his son Rick Smith will give a multimedia presentation showcasing his father’s award-winning book. It’s happening Saturday, March 14 at 3 p.m. at the Orlando Public Library. Hope to see you there!

Angela King, a former skinhead who turned her life around in prison, shares her story of life after hate. King is now the deputy director and character educator for LifeAfterHate.org where she works to reduce prejudice, build communities of justice and educate on the Holocaust. Presented in honor of National Day of Action Against Bullying and Violence.
Hearts of Reality: **Survivor**

**30th season anniversary**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 2 P.M.**

**Orlando Public Library, Library Central**

In celebration of the 30th season of the popular reality competition, join us for a Q&A session with stars from *Survivor* hosted by *Big Brother* winner Evel Dick. Cast members from the hit television show will reunite and sign autographs following the program. Sandra Diaz-Twine, winner of *Survivor: Heroes vs. Villains* and the Pearl Islands edition, will participate live via Skype. Cast members subject to change without notice. Presented by Hearts of Reality. For more information, please visit [heartsofreality.com](http://heartsofreality.com).

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**A Land Remembered**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 3 P.M.**

**ORLANDO PUBLIC LIBRARY — LIBRARY CENTRAL**

Join Rick Smith, son of author Patrick Smith, on a journey through the award-winning classic novel *A Land Remembered* which captures the spirit and colorful history of Florida. Smith will present a high energy, multimedia and multi-sensory presentation about his famous father, his life and the experiences that led the senior Smith to write his books.
Celebrating the Genius of Women Exhibit  
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Through April  
Enjoy the annual Celebrating the Genius of Women art exhibition in honor of Women's History Month featuring the finalists of the Women in the Arts, Inc. Art Competition for local female artists. Stop by the Orlando Public Library from March 9 - 22 or visit our Facebook page to vote for your favorite piece to win the Patron's Choice Award. Voters with an Orange County Library System card in good standing will be entered into a drawing for a prize. Votes will also be accepted on our Facebook page. (Facebook voters not eligible for prize)

Celebrating the Genius of Women Awards Ceremony  
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, March 28, 2 p.m.  
Meet the artists and find out which piece will win the Patron's Choice Award. The reception includes an interactive gallery walk followed by an awards ceremony. Light refreshments will be served.

Southwest Art Club: Chinese Brush Painting & Calligraphy  
Southwest Branch  Saturday, March 7, 1 – 4 p.m.  
Explore the use of ink stone, ink sticks, brush and paper also known as “The Four Treasures” in Chinese painting. Learn about composition and a variety of techniques to create a beautiful landscape painting and a calligraphy piece. For ages 18 and older. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register. Suggested donation of $15 for supplies and materials. Payments (cash or checks) should be made to Women in the Arts, Inc.

School Spirit Display  
Orlando Public Library, Club Central  Through March  
Check out our School Spirit Display featuring arts, sports and other achievements of Orange County Public High Schools. This month showcases the art of students from Oak Ridge High School.

Art 101: Surrealism  
Orlando Public Library, Palm Room  Wednesday, March 25, 6:30 p.m.  
Learn about the 20th century Surrealism art movement. Surrealist artists sought inspiration through expression of the subconscious. Create your own Surrealist painting. Space is limited. Registration required. Register online at ocls.info or call 407.835.7323. Program recommended for ages 15 and older.
Citizenship & Language Learning

Citizenship Inspired
Alafaya Branch Tuesdays, March 3, 10, 17 and 24, 5:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch Sundays, March 8, 15, 22 and 29, 2 p.m.
West Oaks Branch Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 18 and 25, 6 p.m.
During this program, students meet to prepare for the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview. To be eligible for U.S. Naturalization, you must be able to read, write and speak basic English. This program series is for adult learners and is free to Orange County district resident cardholders, fee cardholders and Orange County Property Owner cardholders. Registration required. Register online at ocls.info, by phone at 407.835.7323 or stop by any of our 15 locations.

Practice Makes Perfect
Southeast Branch Mondays and Wednesdays, 2 p.m.
South Creek Branch Tuesdays, noon
Winter Garden Branch Wednesdays, 5:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch Fridays, 11 a.m.
If English is your second language, you are invited to improve your conversational English-speaking skills and comfort level. Join us each week as an Adult Literacy League certified instructor helps you build confidence. This program is presented through a partnership between the Orange County Library System and the Adult Literacy League.

Music in the Library

Music on the Porch: Mountain Brew
Winter Garden Branch Saturday, March 7, 10:30 a.m.
Mountain Brew performs live at your local library! Mountain Brew’s blend of American and Celtic music combines the sounds of folk, rock, bluegrass, old-time, Cajun, Irish, pop and country. The group performs regularly at public and private events throughout Florida.

Celtic Music
South Trail Branch Tuesday, March 10, 3 p.m.
Celebrate Irish Heritage Month at the library by enjoying a free musical performance by Central Florida Harpist Christine MacPhail.

Shirley Wang, Vocalist/Pianist and Donna Topp, Pianist
Orlando Public Library, Library Central Friday, March 20, 12 p.m.
Hear the classical piano and vocal stylings of Shirley Wang, vocalist/pianist and Donna Topp, pianist. Enjoy a children’s-themed performance as well as folk songs and gospel music arrangements. This diverse program is a great way to introduce classical music for newcomers but also tantalizing for classical connoisseurs.

Pete’s Blues
Orlando Public Library, Library Central Saturday, March 28, 2 p.m.
Enjoy a live performance by Pete’s Blues featuring electric blues and Latin-influenced guitarist/vocalist Pete.
AARP Income Tax Assistance
Herndon Branch  Mondays and Thursdays, 10 a.m.
Southeast Branch  Mondays and Fridays, 10 a.m.
South Creek Branch  Thursdays, 10 a.m.
West Oaks Branch  Fridays, 10 a.m.
AARP Volunteers will provide free income tax assistance. Attendees must provide a valid ID, social security card, any tax forms and annual benefits statements (if necessary) to complete a tax return. Insurance coverage information will be needed this year as required by the Affordable Care Act. Attendees will be seen on a first-come, first-serve basis.

CareerSource Central Florida
Alafaya Branch  Monday, March 2, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Orlando Public Library, Reference Central  Monday, March 9, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
North Orange Branch  Monday, March 16, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch  Monday, March 23, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Spend some time with the experts from CareerSource Central Florida to explore the services they provide and connect with employment opportunities using career counseling, skill development workshops and more.

Celebrating Through Film: Women's History Month
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Mondays, March 2 and 16, 5:30 p.m.
In honor of Women's History Month, we will screen Evita and Million Dollar Baby. See how these films depict the lives and hardships of two very different women.

Family Nutrition Program: Eating Smart, Being Active
Eatonville Branch  Mondays, March 2, 9 and 16, 6 p.m.
Family Nutrition Program participants will learn about healthy eating and being active. Groups meet for a series of lessons that are both fun and interactive. You will prepare and taste new recipes at each lesson. This program is intended for adults with children eligible for assistance programs such as SNAP, WIC or Head Start. Space is limited. To register, call 407.835.7323.

What Vintage Sport Collectibles Are in Your Attic?
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Sunday, March 1, 2 p.m.
Michael Osacky has appraised world championship athlete collections from the Chicago Bulls and New York Yankees. He will discuss his lifelong passion for collecting sports memorabilia and help attendees self-appraise their collectibles. At the end of the presentation, Osacky will provide a free verbal appraisal for attendees who bring in their vintage sports items.

Essential Oils 101
North Orange Branch  Saturday, March 7, 10:30 a.m.
Marylou Morris will discuss how essential oils can enhance our wellness and our lives. She'll also share handouts on how to make essential oils part of your daily life.

FUNDamentals of Improv Showcase
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, March 7, 3 p.m.
See students from the eight-week Power2Improv class perform in their live finale! All ages welcome.

Money Talks for Women
Melrose Center, Tech Central  Tuesday, March 10, 6 p.m.
Learn about goal-oriented tools for saving, investing and more as well as library services such as Morningstar Investment Research Center. Discuss what works for achieving financial confidence and share money management best practices across the financial spectrum. Women of all ages and financial backgrounds are encouraged to join the conversation.

Gaining Financial Control of Your Divorce
Herndon Branch  Tuesday, March 10, 6:30 p.m.
Avoid some common financial mistakes made during the divorce process. Learn about the sources of money that may be available to you as a result of your divorce. Each attendee will receive a copy of the Institute for Divorce Financial Analyst’s Divorce Survival Guide. For more information, visit OrlandoAdvisors.com.

Identity Theft Prevention
Southeast Branch  Tuesday, March 10, 6:30 p.m.
Edgewater Branch  Thursday, March 19, 6:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch  Tuesday, March 31, 6:30 p.m.
Learn how to protect yourself against the most common forms of identity theft and what to do if you have been victimized. Free Victim Kits will be provided by the Office of the Attorney General to assist in the reporting process.

Breaking Bread with Mira: How to Prepare Healthy Lunches
Alafaya Branch  Thursday, March 12, 6:30 p.m.
Mira Johnson, owner of Mira’s Deli & Catering, will show you effective tools on how to budget, plan and prepare healthy lunch packs. She will address the high cost and health impact of buying lunch every day. Space is limited. Register online at ocls.info or please call 407.835.7323.
Science Café: Robotics and Software Coding with SimRobotics
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Tuesday, March 10, 6:30 p.m.
Join SimRobotics as they show us how to program robots and develop robotic software with the SimRobotics education robot using Python, C, C++ and Raspberry Pi. This program is appropriate for adults and children in grades four and up.

Body and Books
Southwest Branch  Wednesday, March 11, 10:30 a.m.
Experience the health benefits and rejuvenation of yoga-based exercises and a healing dose of read-aloud literature. Please dress in loose, comfortable clothing. No prior yoga experience needed. Exercises can be done in a chair as well. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register.

Cinema Sunday
Alafaya Branch  Sunday, March 15, 2 p.m.
Watch the Hunger Games: Mockingjay Part 1 (rated PG-13) with friends and family at your local library.

Reading to Build Empathy
North Orange Branch  Wednesday, March 18, 6 p.m.
Edgewater Branch  Monday, March 23, 2 p.m.
Join Cathy Houde, humane educator with Pet Alliance of Greater Orlando, for a reading session geared toward families with children ages three and up. Enjoy animal stories that teach empathy and compassion for animals and get hands-on with a pet therapy team. This is part of the RedRover Readers program.

Duffy Hudson Presents: The Relativity of Albert Einstein
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, March 21, 4 p.m.
Broadway and film veteran Duffy Hudson brings Albert Einstein to life in this fun and unique one-man show. This show will inspire students and adults alike to look at the workings of the universe with new eyes. For more information, please visit duffyhudson.com.

Florida Friendly Fertilizer and Plant Nutrition Basics
Herndon Branch  Tuesday, March 24, 6:30 p.m.
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, March 28, 11 a.m.
By fertilizing your lawn responsibly, you can help prevent fertilizer from getting into and polluting our waterways. Attend this informative workshop to get a better understanding of the fertilizer label, fertilizer terms and how to determine when and how much to fertilize. Basic plant nutrition tips will also be shared. Presented by the City of Orlando’s Streets and Stormwater Division, and the University of Florida’s Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences.

Family Paint Night
Alafaya Branch  Wednesday, March 25, 6 p.m.
Are you ready to paint your masterpiece? Join local artist Vicky Goodall for a fun-filled craft night for the whole family! Learn basic painting techniques and take home your very own work of art. Supplies will be provided. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register.

Back Up Your Data
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Tuesday, March 31, 6:30 p.m.
Your hard drive might crash. Thieves might steal your laptop at a café. At those moments, having a secure, up-to-date backup of your hard drive can be a lifesaver. Join Diana Uricchio, CEO of OXO Digital Organizing, to learn practical strategies for backing up your data including personal files, work documents and photos.

Natural Cleaning Solutions
Alafaya Branch  Tuesday, March 31, 6:30 p.m.
When it comes to cleaning house, the products we use off the shelves too often contain toxic and harmful ingredients that can have negative effects on our health and the environment. Join Natural Solutions Consultant Stephanie Jorian as she explains the benefits of non-toxic DIY cleaners, and provides recipes and how-to instructions to naturally clean your home with minimal costs.

All the Way to the Ocean
Washington Park Branch  Thursday, March 12, 10:15 a.m.
Enjoy a reading of All The Way To The Ocean by Joel Harper. Learn how human actions link directly back to nature with a specific emphasis on stormwater pollution and lake ecosystems. Fun for the whole family—with a focus on Pre-K through Grade 2 students. Presented by the City of Orlando’s Streets and Stormwater Division.
LIBROS

Amor verdadero; fotografías de Ana Carballosa
Jennifer Lopez
[traducido por Santiago Ochoa]  
SP B LOPEZ

Las carreras de Escorpio
Maggie Stiefvater
[traducción de Laura Ibáñez García]  
SP 863 STI

Conversación en la cathedral
Mario Vargas Llosa
SP 863 VAR

Justicia ciega
Anne Perry  
[traducción de Borja Folch]  
SP 863 PER

Los tecnólogos
Matthew Pearl  
[traducción de María Luisa Rodríguez Tapia]  
SP 863 PEA

MÚSICA

Todo tiene su hora 4.40
[CD sound recording]  
Juan Luis Guerra  
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Solo para mujeres
[CD sound recording]  
Aventura  
CD 781.63 AVE

Senzu-rah
[CD sound recording]  
Regulo Caro  
CD 781.63 CAR

Romantico y rumbero
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José Alberto  
CD 781.63 ALB

Pepe Aguilar MTV unplugged
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Pepe Aguilar  
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Celebrate spring with fun for the whole family. Visit ocls.info/springfamilyfun for upcoming programs. Seating is limited. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register.

Millions of Cats Puppetry Workshop
Eatonville Branch     Tuesday, March 3, 10:15 a.m.  
Windermere Branch     Thursday, March 5, 4 p.m.  
Kids, it’s time to use your imagination! Draw, create and perform a puppet show based on Wanda Gág’s Millions of Cats. Presented by Bits’n Pieces Puppet Theatre. Ages 6-12.

The Central Florida Zoo Presents Really Radical Reptiles
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, March 7, 11:30 a.m.  
Remarkable reptiles have instilled both fascination and fear in humans for centuries. Many of the myths surrounding these animals will be dispelled as children are introduced to snakes, turtles, lizards and an alligator.

Comedy Maks’ Variety Show
Southeast Branch   Saturday, March 7, 2 p.m.  
Hiawassee Branch   Saturday, March 14, 2 p.m.  
Alafaya Branch   Monday, March 23, 11 a.m.  
Southwest Branch   Tuesday, March 24, 3 p.m.  
Hernndon Branch   Saturday, March 28, 11 a.m.  
There’s something for everyone in this high-energy variety show. Comedy Maks will dazzle you with juggling, magic, plate-spinning and more!

Celtic Fairytale Fun
Washington Park Branch   Wednesday, March 18, 3:30 p.m.  
Edgewater Branch   Friday, March 20, 11 a.m.  
South Trail Branch   Wednesday, March 25, 3 p.m.  
West Oaks Branch   Saturday, March 28, 2 p.m.  
Meet Celtic duo Finn & Fiona as they bring music, dancing and tales from the old land to you.

Incredible Insects!
Winter Garden Branch   Saturday, March 21, 11 a.m.  
Discover the tiny universe hiding all around you! Touch live insects and examine others under a microscope to learn why these tiny creatures are so important. Presented by the UCF Entomology Club.

Bully! A Musical Theatre Production
South Creek Branch   Saturday, March 21, 2:30 p.m.  
Kids will work together to create and star in a musical theatre production that addresses one of the biggest challenges in school today. Presented by Dramatic Education. Ages 6-12.

The Central Florida Zoo Presents Where’s the Bear?
North Orange Branch   Wednesday, March 25, 3 p.m.  
Black bears in Central Florida? There certainly are and they need our help! Learn how to preserve Florida habitats for bears and other animals.

LATINO LITERATURE

Enjoy more than 450 plays, poems, short fiction and novels representing the various ethnicities of Latin American writers. The majority of Latino Literature is in English with 25 percent presented in Spanish. Visit ocls.info/latinolit.
FEATURED DATABASE OF THE MONTH—
World Book Online Reference Center
ocls.info/database
World Book is more than an encyclopedia! This online resource includes primary sources, e-books, a citation builder and research guide. Also check out Early World of Learning, World Book Kids, World Book Discover plus other great World Book online resources.

FEATURED RESOURCE OF THE MONTH—
Citizenship and Immigration
ocls.info/immigration
Learn all about the U.S. citizenship process and prepare for the Naturalization Test and Interview with this informative guide. From books and websites to our Citizenship Inspired classes, you will find all the materials you need to become a U.S. citizen.

VIDEOS -
Cuisine Corner: Hummingbird Cake by Dreamers Delectable Delights
ocls.info/videos
Sharon Anderson from Dreamers Delectable Delights stops by the Cuisine Corner to show how to make delicious hummingbird cupcakes!

FORGET ME NOT
Orlando Public Library,
Magnolia Room
Wednesday, March 11, 5 p.m.
Saturday, March 14, 1 p.m.
Thursday, March 19, 11 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, March 24, 11 a.m.
Preserve the memories of your loved ones with EPOCH. Attend one of these sessions where library staff provide assistance and answer questions. Computers and scanning equipment will be available for use. Bring photos and any information you want to include in a tribute.

EPOCH (Electronically Preserving Obituaries as Cultural Heritage) is a project created by the Orange County Library System for the community to save local history and memories. By engaging community members to memorialize the lives of those they have lost, the fullness of the legacies of the deceased can be preserved for family, researchers and genealogists. We invite you to take a look at this free resource!

ORAL HISTORIES OF WINDERMERE
Windermere Branch
Friday, March 13, 1 – 4 p.m. and Saturday, March 21, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Orlando Memory is about preserving discussions, images, stories, photographs and more. Bring friends and family, and your favorite memories to share to these special events. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register.

ORLANDO MEMORY
orlandomemory.info
Orlando Memory is a community-based, digital collection of local heritage and traditions. Be a part of Central Florida’s history by adding your memories, photos, documents, videos and more to the Orlando Memory site. It’s free and easy to register, so join the discussion today.
OCLS Writers Group
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room  Sunday, March 8, 4 p.m.
Join your fellow writers for critique, discussion and camaraderie.
Writers of all genres and experience are welcome.

Tax Tips for Writers and Freelancers
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Tuesday, March 10, 6:30 p.m.
What are the tax issues surrounding income earned from freelancing? What does the Internal Revenue Service allow? Accountant Robyn Weinbaum will provide tax advice for writers and freelancers, and answer these questions and more.

How to Find a Literary Agent
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Wednesday, March 11, 6:30 p.m.
If you have a book-length work of fiction or creative nonfiction that you’d like to sell to a commercial publisher, an agent is crucial. Literary representation will increase your chances with editors who rely on agents to present manuscripts that are polished and marketable. Join author Jaimie Engle to learn how to research and query literary agents.

Writing Workshop: Create an Attention-Getting Query
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Thursday, March 12, 6:30 p.m.
It doesn’t matter if you’ve written the next New York Times bestseller if no one gets to read it. In this workshop, Author Kathryn J. Bain will go paragraph-by-paragraph, explaining what to put in your query, what to leave out and why it’s so important. Learn how to craft a great query that will capture the attention your book deserves.

Social Media for Authors
Herndon Branch  Wednesday, March 25, 7 p.m.
Whether you publish with a major house, a small house or on your own, social media is a must for authors who want to be successful. Author and Book Publicist Sarah Nicolas will present social media strategies for published and aspiring authors. Attendees should have a basic understanding of Twitter and Facebook. A suggested prerequisite is our Facebook, Twitter and More! technology class.

Fiction Writing Basics: The First Step to Becoming a Bestseller!
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Monday, March 30, 6 p.m.
If your imagination runs wild at the possibilities of monsters, romance or adventure, you have the mindset of a fiction author. Embark on the path of a bestselling author by learning how to build on your creative ideas.

Microwave Gourmet
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Thursdays, March 5 and 19, 6:30 p.m.
Learn how to make easy, quick and convenient meals without the use of a stove or oven.

Florida Strawberries
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Monday, March 9, 6:30 p.m.
Join Strawberry Sue from the Florida Strawberry Growers Association as she shares her recipe for a crisp, delicious strawberry spinach salad that is full of essential vitamins and nutrients. Learn about the health benefits of strawberries and get recipes featuring the locally grown and in-season produce. For more information, please visit strawberrysue.com.

Dreamers Delectable Delights
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Monday, March 23, 6:30 p.m.
Sharon Anderson of Dreamers Delectable Delights returns to the library for a demonstration on desserts that only take minutes to prepare. Impress your family and friends with these sweet creations.

Vela Sauce
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Sunday, March 29, 2 p.m.
Join Co-Founder of Vela Sauce Vilma Vela for a lesson on how to spice up your dishes. Vela will make chicken and vegetarian taquitos, and demonstrate how to add heat to enhance a dish without changing the flavor. Vela Sauce is a flavorful, low sodium, all-natural hot sauce created with local produce and no additives. Vela Sauce is a Fresh from Florida product.

Cookbook Club
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Monday, March 30, 6:30 p.m.
Looking for cooking inspiration? Join the Cookbook Club to explore healthy recipes and new cookbooks.

Registration is required for Cuisine Corner. Space is limited. Please call 407.835.7323 or register online at ocls.info.
Downtown Book Club
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room Wednesday, March 3, 6 p.m.
Join in for a lively discussion on *The Almost Moon* by Alice Sebold. For years, Helen Knightly has given her life to others. When she finally crosses a terrible boundary, her life comes rushing at her in a way she never imagined. Unfolding over 24 hours, this searing, fast-paced novel explores the complex ties between mothers and daughters, wives and lovers, the meaning of devotion, and the line between love and hate.

Southeast Book Club
Southeast Branch Monday, March 9, 6:30 p.m.
Our selection for March is *Land of Love and Drowning* by Tiphanie Yanique. This major debut from an award-winning writer features an epic family saga set against the magic and the rhythms of the Virgin Islands.

Hiawassee Book Club
Hiawassee Branch Monday, March 16, 6:30 p.m.
Come for coffee and chatter on Peter Heller’s *The Painter*. Struggling with dark impulses after serving time for attempted murder, a successful artist gives in to his obsessions to kill an abusive troublemaker before fleeing authorities and the man’s vengeful clan.

Southwest Book Club
Southwest Branch Tuesday, March 17, 7 p.m.
This month we will discuss *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd. Follow more than three decades in the life of a Charleston debutante who longs to break free from the structure of her household, and pursue a meaningful life and the urban slave who is placed in her charge as a child.

Alafaya Book Club
Alafaya Branch Wednesday, March 18, 7 p.m.
We are reading *The Vacationers* by Emma Straub in March. Celebrating their 35th anniversary and their daughter’s high-school graduation during a vacation in Mallorca, Franny and Jim Post confront old secrets as well as hurts and rivalries that reveal sides of themselves they’ve tried to conceal.

Off the Shelf
North Orange Branch Thursday, March 19, 10:30 a.m.
Join other reading enthusiasts to share thoughts and recommend recently read books. Bring your list of books that you have read lately and be ready to add titles to your own “to read” list!

Tertulia Cuatro Gatos (Spanish Book Club)
South Creek Branch Wednesday, March 12, 6:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch Tuesday, March 10, 6:30 pm
Windermere Branch Tuesday, March 10, 6:30 pm
Orlando Public Library, Palm Room Thursdays, March 12 and 26, 6 p.m.
Edgewater Branch Thursdays, March 12 and 26, 6:30 pm
North Orange Branch Monday, March 30, 6 p.m.
Join this Spanish-language book club to discuss literature, art, music and more related to Latin America.

South Creek Branch miércoles, 6:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch martes, 6:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch martes, 10 de marzo, 6:30 pm
Orlando Public Library, Palm Room jueves, 12 y 26 de marzo, 6 p.m.
Edgewater Branch jueves, 12 y 26 de marzo, 6:30 pm
North Orange Branch lunes, 30 de marzo, 6 p.m.
Ven y asiste a la sucursal más cercana a ti para que compartas y discutas poesías, literatura, arte o historia! Todos son bienvenidos.
Counsel for Caregivers
West Oaks Branch      Tuesday, March 10, 10:30 a.m.
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room Thursday, March 19, 12:15 p.m.
Let us lend you a helping hand of healing with your care-giving responsibilities. This series is presented by OCLS and Orange County’s Commission on Aging. Registration required. Call 407.836.7446 to register or e-mail officeonaging@ocfl.net. Refreshments will be provided to the first 50 attendees.

Shape Up 4 Seniors
South Creek Branch Saturday, March 14, 10:30 a.m.
South Trail Branch Saturday, March 28, 10:30 a.m.
Join Shape Up 4 Seniors, LLC for a fun interactive health program and take part in a demonstration of Zumba Gold, a modified lower intensity fitness class! Learn all about the local resources and activities available to seniors. For more information on Shape Up 4 Seniors, visit shapeup4seniors.com.

Table for Two
Windermere Branch Thursday, March 19, 6:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch Thursday, March 26, 6:30 p.m.
Award-winning cookbook author Warren Caterson shares kitchen tips, cooking hints and humorous anecdotes about the joys and challenges of cooking. Chef Warren will demonstrate how easy it can be to cook for two using fresh and readily available ingredients. Book sale and signing will follow the program. For more information, please visit tablefortwocookbooks.com.

Hearing Screening
Southeast Branch Friday, March 20, 10:30 a.m.
Hearing is an essential part of our everyday communication and connects us to our families, friends and the world. Hearing loss is gradual but can be treated with amplification from hearing aids. Connect Hearing helps people stay connected by offering premium, complimentary testing, servicing and after-care rehabilitation. Join us to celebrate better hearing. For more information, please visit connecthearing.com or call 407.351.9679.

Route 65: Cruising the Road to Medicare
Hiawassee Branch Thursday, March 26, 5 p.m.
If you are a baby boomer with an eye for retirement, representatives from SHINE may have directions for a smooth ride! Get answers to your questions and an overview of the options and benefits available to the soon-to-be-retired. Call 407.835.7323 to register.

EMPOWERING THE LIVES OF SENIORS THROUGH A SERIES OF FUN, EDUCATIONAL AND INFORMATIVE PROGRAMS. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT OCLS.INFO/NEXTCHAPTER.
For more information or to register for programs, please call 407.835.7323 or visit kids.ocls.info/programs.

>CHILDREN

PAWS TO READ

Sign up to practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a lovable, furry listener. Be An Angel Therapy Dogs Ministry presents this reading program for children with certified therapy dogs. Meet these pups at multiple locations. Visit ocls.info/paws for dates, times and locations.

HANGING OUT AT THE PORCH

Orlando Public Library, Children’s Library  Fridays, 3 p.m.
Hang out in the Children’s Library for games, crafts, movies or other activities.

Seussville Celebration

Eatonville Branch  Monday, March 2, 10:30 a.m.
Edgewater Branch  Monday, March 2, 3:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch  Tuesday, March 3, 11 a.m.
Windermere Branch  Wednesday, March 4, 3:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch  Saturday, March 28, 2:30 p.m.
Come one, come all, we are going to have a Seussville ball filled with fun and wonderful things, stories and crafts that will make you sing.

Read Across America

Winter Garden Branch  Monday, March 2, 6 p.m.
Celebrate the genius of Dr. Seuss with the library. Read stories and make a take-home craft.

Dr. Seuss’ The Lorax: Grow Your Own Truffula Tree

Alafaya Branch  Saturday, March 14, 11 a.m.
Lately the Lorax has been feeling so-so. Can he be helped by making Truffula seeds grow? Learn the science behind plant life as we raise our own trees and give back to the environment. Registration required.
Seating is limited for some events. Please call 407.835.7323 to register in advance.

Crazy 8's Math Club
Edgewater Branch  Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 18 and 25, 6 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch  Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 18 and 25, 4 p.m.
Join Bedtime Math’s Crazy 8’s where you’ll build, run, jump, make music and a mess. It’s a totally new kind of math club! Grades K-2. Seating is limited.

West Oaks Branch  Mondays, March 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 3:30 p.m.
Join Bedtime Math’s Crazy 8’s where you’ll build, run, jump, make music and a mess. It’s a totally new kind of math club! Grades 3-5. Seating is limited.

Preschool: Bug in a Rug
West Oaks Branch  Friday, March 6, 11 a.m.
I’m bringing home my baby bumblebee. Won’t my mommy be so proud of me? Join me and my bug friends for a program filled with fun stories, crafts and games.

Preschool: Dinosaurs Roar
South Creek Branch  Saturday, March 7, 11 a.m.
Children will learn about dinosaurs through a science presentation, stories and crafts.

Pop-up Builder
Orlando Public Library, Children’s Library  Saturday, March 7, 2 p.m.
Build it yourself! Drop by and test your carpentry skills while building your own wooden project. Featured projects will vary and are available while supplies last. Sponsored in part by Lowe’s. Recommended for ages 5-10.

Achoo! Sniffles, Sneezes & Boogers Too!
South Trail Branch  Thursday, March 12, 4:30 p.m.
Join us for stories, activities and crafts about what makes your nose tickle.

Preschool: How Does a Seed Grow?
West Oaks Branch  Friday, March 20, 11 a.m.
Have some fun at the library with stories, songs, crafts and activities all about beautiful flowers.

Newspaper Forts
Edgewater Branch  Monday, March 23, noon
Design and build a newspaper fort that you can play in. The whole family is invited to participate! Ages 9-12.

Put Science into the Mix!
South Creek Branch  Monday, March 23, 2:30 p.m.
Let us get our hands dirty in the name of science! With a few easy kitchen supplies, we will make a craft you can take home and play with for days. Supplies provided.

Get Ready for K!
South Trail Branch  Wednesdays, March 4 and 11, 10:15 a.m.
Preschoolers will hear songs and stories to help them begin learning the skills they will need to start kindergarten. This series of programs will introduce reading, math, basic concepts and skills, health and safety, and art. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register. Get more ideas for how to prepare your child at ocls.info/kindergarten and download our K-Ready app at ocls.info/k-ready.

Jump, Frog, Jump
Winter Garden Branch  Friday, March 6, 10:30 a.m.
A hopping good time awaits you! Enjoy stories, songs and rhymes. Make a take-home craft.

Mighty Explorers
Windermere Branch  Friday, March 13, 11 a.m.
Let’s team up for a journey with backyard creatures of all kinds! We will stretch our knowledge about creepy, crawly and squirmly friends through stories, activities and crafts inspired by The Backyardigans.
CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

Seating is limited for some events. Please call 407.835.7323 to register in advance.

**Timeless Tales Family Storytime**
North Orange Branch  Sundays, March 1, 8, 22 and 29, 2:15 p.m.
Listen to stories that will delight and entertain the entire family. Coloring sheets, markers and crayons provided.

**Crafternoons**
Hiawassee Branch  Tuesdays, March 3 and 17, 4 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Wednesdays, March 4 and 11, 3:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch  Wednesdays, March 4, 11,18 and 25, 3:30 p.m.
Stop by the library for an hour of crafting fun with friends.

**Cuéntame un Cuento: Tell Me a Story Bilingual Stories and Fun**
Orlando Public Library, Children's Library  Saturday, March 7, 11 a.m.
Enjoy bilingual stories and crafts for children. The library provides an interactive storytime in English and Spanish suitable for speakers of either or both languages. The whole family is welcome!

**Getting Minecrafty**
Alafaya Branch  Saturday, March 7, 2 p.m.
You’ve played the game, now make the crafts. Join us to break and make blocky crafts inspired by Minecraft.

**The Boxtrolls Movie & Craft**
West Oaks Branch  Tuesday, March 10, 3:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Saturday, March 14, 2 p.m.
Eatonville Branch  Saturday, March 19, 4 p.m.
Orlando Public Library, Children's Library  Saturday, March 21, 3 p.m.
Edgewater Branch  Tuesday, March 24, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch  Thursday, March 26, 2:30 p.m.
Think inside of the box! Enjoy our movie screening of The Boxtrolls and make your very own boxtroll to take home.

**AlligatorZone: Where Kids Meet Cool Startups**
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, March 14, 10:30 a.m.
Parents, children and teens are invited to meet entrepreneurs and learn about innovative products in a community gathering that celebrates entrepreneurship. Bring your family for an interactive exchange where your questions and suggestions will help steer entrepreneurs successfully across the “AlligatorZone” and avoid issues that sink startups. Participate in local innovation in a unique and exciting way! Ages 8 and up.

**Family Storytime**
Orlando Public Library, Children's Library  Saturday, March 14, 11 a.m.
Join us for a fun-filled program for the little ones in your life! Caregivers and children have the opportunity to share, listen and enjoy stories and other activities together. Recommended for ages birth to 5.

**Celebrate Pi Day**
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, March 14, 1 p.m.
Learn some mathematical facts and enjoy some activities as we celebrate National Pi Day.

**Science Explorers**
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, March 14, 3 p.m.
Join us as we explore science in a whole new way. We will participate in a hands-on activity once a month so bring your thinking cap.

**Make It & Take It**
Windermere Branch  Tuesday, March 17, 10:30 a.m.
South Trail Branch  Wednesday, March 18, 10:15 a.m.
Edgewater Branch  Saturday, March 28, 11 a.m.
Orlando Public Library, Children's Library  Saturday, March 28, 3 p.m.
Spring into the library and show off your creativity as we explore painting, patterns, and paper mache!

**In the Garden**
Winter Garden Branch  Friday, March 20, 2 p.m.
Welcome spring in the Garden! Come for stories and a craft.

**Storybook Yoga**
Orlando Public Library, Children's Library  Saturday, March 21, 11 a.m.
Join us for an introduction to yoga with Maggie Mathwich. Learn poses inspired by your favorite picture books. Registration required. Ages 3-6.

**Spring Break Staycation Movies**
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Monday–Friday, March 23–27, 10:30 a.m.
Hiawassee Branch  Monday, March 23, 6 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Wednesday, March 25, 3:30 p.m.
Staying in town? Relax at the library this spring break with movies for the whole family!

**Spring Break @ Your Library**
North Orange Branch  Monday–Friday, March 23–27, 1–4 p.m.
Spend your Spring Break discovering what the library has to offer beyond books. Enjoy technology classes, science demonstrations and craft programs.

For more information or to register for programs, please call 407.835.7323 or visit kids.ocls.info/programs.
Let It Go! ●
Washington Park Branch   Monday, March 23, 2:30 p.m.
Enjoy a stunning big-screen comedy adventure of your favorite Disney movie *Frozen*. Find out how snowmen survive the summer and make a cool craft.

Machines, Motion and Engineering Using K’NEX ●
Alafaya Branch   Wednesday, March 25, 3 p.m.
Use a K’NEX construction system to build machines such as transmissions, drag racers, cranes, rocket launchers and more. Make learning about simple machines, motion and engineering fun! Registered children under 12 must be accompanied by a registered adult, guardian or older sibling. All participants must register to attend.

Dear Dumb Dork Diary of a Wimpy Kid
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, March 21, 2 p.m.
Fans of Greg Heffley, Jaime Kelly or Nikki Maxwell are invited for a diary-filled extravaganza! Enjoy crafts, games and more while we celebrate *Dear Dumb Diary*, *Dork Diaries* and *Diary of a Wimpy Kid*.

Sunshine Storytime for Children of All Abilities
Orlando Public Library, Children’s Library   Saturday, March 28, 11 a.m.
Join us for a welcoming storytime with songs, stories and interactive play. This storytime is designed for children who prefer small group activities or have sensory, social or developmental challenges. Ages 3-8. Registration required.

ShamROCKS! ●
Windermere Branch   Saturday, March 7, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch   Saturday, March 14, 2:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch   Tuesday, March 17, 11 a.m.
Washington Park Branch   Tuesday, March 17, 4 p.m.
Do you have the luck of the Irish? Come by to have a legendary good time with crafts, stories and leprechaun fun!

Luck of the Irish ●
Winter Garden Branch   Tuesday, March 17, 6 p.m.
Everyone is Irish on *St. Patrick's Day* so join us for stories and crafts.

Mardi Gras Celebration
Alafaya Branch   Saturday, March 28, 1 p.m.
Learn all about this annual carnival with arts and crafts then participate in our own Mardi Gras parade. Registration required.

Sunshine State Book Club
West Oaks Branch & Genealogy Center   Tuesday, March 24, 3:30 p.m.
This month’s pick from the Sunshine State Readers List for 3rd – 5th grade is *Capture the Flag*. Join the book club for crafts, prizes and fun!
Go on the adventure you’ve always dreamed of! This unique one-week spring break camp will lead you through the fundamentals of the galaxy’s most famous tabletop role-playing game, Dungeons & Dragons. Develop your character, write an epic adventure as it unfolds within your mind, battle monsters, solve mysteries, and have fun with other gamers. For more information, visit page15.org/game. Grades 6-12. Seating is limited. Registration required. Presented by Page 15.

Page 15 requires a signed parental permission form to work with registrants. Upon registration, the library will send you a form to complete and bring to the first day of the program.
Once Upon a Workout ✯
Eatonville Branch   Tuesday, March 3, 4 p.m.
Orlando Public Library,
Club Central   Wednesday, March 4, 3:30 p.m.
Edgewater Branch   Friday, March 27, 3 p.m.
Get off the couch and learn how to burn some calories while watching your favorite TV show!

Knitting Club ✯
North Orange Branch   Wednesdays, March 4, 11 and 18, 3:30 p.m.
Knitting Whole Hearts is a Knitting Club for teens in partnership with New Journey Youth Center and Jerri Knits, Teens will learn how to knit a basic hat and will have the option of donating their hats to a local hospital to support cancer survivors.

Teen Art Adventures: CD Scratch Art ✯
Orlando Public Library,
Club Central   Wednesday, March 11, 3:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch   Thursday, March 19, 3:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch   Thursday, March 26, 4:30 p.m.
Create your own special wall hanging from recycled CDs. Bring your imagination and we will provide the rest.

A Middle-Earth Movie
Eatonville Branch   Thursday, March 12, 4 p.m.
Edgewater Branch   Saturday, March 14, 2 p.m.
Orlando Public Library,
Club Central   Wednesday, March 25, 3:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch   Thursday, March 26, 3:30 p.m.
He’s a giant among giants—huge as five trolls. His teeth are swords and his claws are spears but dragons ought to be scared of men. Join us for a special screening of The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug.

Lucky Charm
Orlando Public Library,
Club Central   Wednesday, March 18, 3:30 p.m.
From leprechauns to the color green, find out what St. Patrick’s Day is all about. Come ready to challenge a friend and expand your knowledge with Irish culture, shamrocks and everything in between.

Spring Time is the “Write” Time ✯
Winter Garden Branch   Monday – Friday, March 23 – 27, 1 p.m.
Welcome to the world of research papers! We will cover areas such as topic selection, finding useful information, citing sources and proofreading. This program requires a weeklong commitment as we will build upon the skills learned. Seating is limited. Registration required.

Are You My Motherboard? ✯
Washington Park Branch   Tuesday, March 24, 2:30 p.m.
Attached to your old computer? Don’t throw it away. Learn how to reuse select parts of your old computer to create something new.

Guardians of the Galaxy Movie & Craft
South Creek Branch   Tuesday, March 24, 2:30 pm
A group of space criminals must work together to stop the fanatical villain Ronan the Accuser from destroying the galaxy. Join us for a craft worthy of Star-Lord and a screening of the film. Rated PG-13.

Prepare Your Lunch Box in Under 20 Minutes
South Creek Branch   Wednesday, March 25, 2:30 pm
Learn how to prepare fast and delicious lunches. Supplies provided. Seating is limited. Registration required.

Just Dance Wii Party ✯
South Creek Branch   Friday, March 27, 2:30 pm
Join us for a Spring Break dance party with Just Dance 2015. Popcorn and beverages will be provided. Dress comfortably, bring your friends and get ready to have some fun!

Teen Voices
Orlando Public Library,
Club Central   Thursday, March 26, 6 p.m.
Join our Teen Advisory Board to meet new people and develop teen library programs and services while earning community service hours.

Teen Library Corps
All Locations
Volunteer with the Teen Library Corps and give back a little “TLC” to your library and your community. Plan programs, help out at events, give suggestions for teen services, meet new people and earn community service hours for school. If you are between the ages of 13-18 and love to have fun, join TLC today! For more information, please call 407.835.7323 or go online at ocls.info/tlc.

Gaming at the Library!
If you love gaming like we love gaming, get your game on at the library! Join us for action-packed fun at multiple locations. Visit ocls.info/gamingevents for dates, times and locations.
Improve your technology skills at the library by attending hands-on technology classes available at select locations. Our curriculum covers a variety of essential topics and software including:

- Product Photography, Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator for the advertiser.
- Blender Fundamentals, Create a 3D Video Game, and 3D Design and Printing for the video game designer.

Our tech classes are designed to meet your needs and to help you achieve your goals through hands-on training and expert instruction.

Register for a class at any location, online at ocls.info/classes or call 407.835.7323.
Most classes are free to Orange County district resident cardholders, Fee cardholders, and Orange County Property Owner cardholders. Some classes are fee-based to cover the cost of the materials. Out-of-district individuals may attend by paying a $10 non-refundable fee at time of registration prior to class time. A $5 late cancellation fee will be charged unless reservations are canceled by 11:59 p.m. the day before the class is scheduled. Registration required. Classes at the Orlando Public Library are held in the Technology and Education Center on the second floor of the library.

> CLASS DISCOVERY WIZARD
ocls.info/classes
We have hundreds of classes! Let the Wizard help you discover the right classes for you based on your technology experience.

> SEE WHAT YOU’LL LEARN
Before you attend a class, get a sneak peek at the topics that will be taught and the recommended prerequisites. A full list of class descriptions can be found at ocls.info/classes.

> ON-DEMAND CLASSES
If you don’t have time to attend a class, brush up on your computer skills at your own pace at any time or any place. Find a list at ocls.info/ondemandclasses.

> NEED A PLACE FOR TRAINING?
Our classrooms at the Orlando Public Library offer modern, comfortable and attractive training centers for business and civic groups. Available for daily rental. For more information, please call 407.835.7323. ocls.info/classrentals.
MAKERBOT® 3D PRINTERS AT SELECT LIBRARY LOCATIONS

3D Printing classes may be closer to you than ever before! 3D printers are now available at the Alafaya, North Orange and Winter Garden branches. If you still have not seen one in action, check our online calendar for the next 3D Cookie Cutter class or other related classes at these locations!

QuickBooks Pro 2015 is Here!

Check out the latest version of QuickBooks. Classes are now available at select library locations. Discover how to use the newest features in this accounting software in one of our classes. If you’re starting up a new business, QuickBooks may be what you need to track your expenses and create invoices.

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MARCH 23 - 27

Attend a Melrose Camp and break up the dullness of your average Spring Break! These camps run Monday through Friday.

Crafty Capers for Kids (9-12)
Craft simple and easy projects using LED lights, a Silhouette cutter and a 3D printer.

Young Makers Camp for Teens (13-17)
Go from idea to invention with hands-on training in electronics, basic engineering and robotics.

Audio Post Production (13-17)
Create your own film soundtrack with hands-on training from professional instructors. Learn key post production concepts including recording voiceovers and sound effects, synchronizing audio to video and arranging a music soundtrack.

*Registration with Orange County Library System card in good standing required. Seating is limited. Registration fee is $25 per student. Being on the Payment Waiting list does not guarantee a seat. To secure a seat, please call 407.835.7323 or visit your local branch to pay your class registration fee.

TEEN TECH WEEK
MARCH 8 - 14

Teens are invited to attend TechKrew technology classes being held in the Melrose Center. Learn about circuitry, soldering, radio electronics and electromagnets. Materials fees may apply. Check our online calendar for class dates and times.
How Technology Can Make a City a Better Place to Live
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center Thursday, March 26, 6:30 p.m.
Technological developments, from GPS-enabled devices to those that help the visually impaired navigate cities, are affecting how we move around and interact with urban spaces. As people continue to move from rural to urban areas, there is likely to be an even greater reliance on technology within cities. Join us for a fascinating discussion with Matt Broffman, director of innovation for Mayor Buddy Dyer.

Arduino Day
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center Saturday, March 28, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Join the Melrose Center Fab Lab instructors and the Orlando Robotics and Makers Club as we celebrate this worldwide event. Instructors will teach from our selection of Arduino classes, and the Orlando Robotics and Makers Club will showcase some of their innovative Arduino creations.

MORE WAYS TO CELEBRATE ARDUINO DAY
Attend one or both of the Arduino classes held at the Melrose Center on Saturday, March 28.

Introduction to Electronics Prototyping with Arduino Level 1
Use the Arduino to control custom circuits you construct. Learn the steps to make LEDs blink and a speaker play music. Experience the potential of this inexpensive and accessible tool.

Introduction to Electronics Prototyping with Arduino Level 2
Learn the steps to make sensors affect an action. Build a circuit and program the Arduino to function as a working traffic light.
Money Smart Week®
is a public awareness campaign designed to help consumers better manage their personal finances. Local financial institutions, businesses, not-for-profits and government agencies will share information on a variety of financial topics. Educational seminars and activities will be offered throughout the week of April 18 – 25 at several library locations. Check the April Books & Beyond for specific dates and times or visit ocls.info.