Orange County Library System
Board of Trustees Meeting

Board Packet for September 2019
September 6, 2019

To: Lisa Franchina, President
   Marucci Guzmán, Vice President
   Ted Maines, Trustee
   Richard Maladecki, Trustee
   Nicole Benjamin, Trustee

cc: The Library Governing Board:
   The Honorable Mayor Jerry Demings, Chairman of the Library Governing Board,
   Members of the Governing Board, Commissioners Betsy VanderLey, Christine Moore,
   Mayra Uribe, Maribel Gomez Cordero, Emily Bonilla, Victoria Siplin, Orange County;
   and Ana Palenzuela, City of Orlando.

From: Mary Anne Hodel, Director

Re: Library Board of Trustees Meeting

The next meeting of the Library Board of Trustees will be at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday,
September 12, 2019; Orlando Public Library; 101 East Central Boulevard; Orlando, Florida 32801;
407.835.READ (7323).

If any board member has an item to be brought up for discussion, please call
Milinda Neusaenger prior to the meeting, 407.835.7611.

cc: Aurora Realin - Liaison, Nominating Board ~ City of Orlando
AGENDA
ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES
September 12, 2019 ~ 6:00 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
101 East Central Boulevard
Orlando, Florida 32801
407.835.READ (7323)

19-108 I. Call to Order

II. Public Comment Policy & Procedures

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19-110 IV. Staff Presentations: None

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19-119 Architectural Engineer Continuing Contracts: Kris Shoemaker

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X. Adjournment

Next Meeting Dates: October 8, 2019 ~ TUESDAY ~ Orlando Public Library; 101 East Central Boulevard; Orlando, Florida 32801 --- November 14, 2019 ~ Fairview Shores Branch Library; 902 Lee Road; Orlando, Florida 32810.

Florida Statutes section 286.0105: If any person desires to appeal any decision with respect to any matter considered at a Library Board of Trustees meeting, such person will need a record of the proceedings; for this purpose, such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made to include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this proceeding due to a disability as defined by ADA may arrange for reasonable accommodations by contacting the Director’s Office on the fifth floor of the Main Library in person or by phone at 407.835.7611 at least two days prior to the meeting.
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September 12, 2019

Call to Order
Public Comment Policy

ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM
Public Comment and Conduct of Meetings Policy and Procedures

Effective Date: October 1, 2013 (Approved by the Board of Trustees on September 11, 2013)

Objective: The objective of this policy is to establish standard procedures to ensure an opportunity for broad public participation in decision-making.

Policy Statement: It is the intent of this policy that the deliberations and actions of the Board of Trustees of the Orange County Library System (“OCLS”) be conducted and taken openly in order that the public and relevant stakeholders may be fully informed and intelligently advised as to the conduct of public business by the Board of Trustees.

Definitions: For the purpose of this policy, the following definitions shall prevail:

1. A “meeting” is a gathering of a quorum of the membership of the Board of Trustees, or any board or commission of OCLS for the purpose of receiving information relating to public business, or for discussion of public business, or for official action upon a proposition related to public business.

2. A “regular meeting” is a meeting held pursuant to a schedule of such meetings as approved by a board or commission to conduct public business or otherwise discuss or act upon matters of public interest.

3. A “special meeting” is any meeting other than a regular meeting held by a board or commission. A “special meeting” is held for the purpose of addressing matters requiring the immediate attention of a board or commission or for the purpose of addressing matters which the board or commission has determined are best addressed at a special meeting. When a special meeting is called, the presiding officer of the board or commission shall specifically state the purpose of the meeting and the board or commission shall address only those matters for which the meeting was called.

4. A “board or commission” shall refer to the Board of Trustees of OCLS and any other board or commission now existing or created in the future by the Board of Trustees or OCLS.

5. The “presiding officer” shall mean, in the case of the Board of the Directors the chair and in all other cases shall be the chair of a particular OCLS board or commission.

6. “Board of Trustees” shall refer to the Board of Trustees of OCLS.

Meetings:

1. Location. All meetings of the Board of Trustees and any other board or commission shall be held in a suitable location and shall be open to the public as required by law. The only exception to the requirement that meetings be open to the public shall be an executive session scheduled for those purposes expressly recognized by law.

2. Regular Meetings. The Board of Trustees and the other boards and commissions shall hold regular monthly meetings as designated by the Board of Trustees or the other boards and commissions.
Public Notice: OCLS shall give public notice of the schedule of meetings and shall state the dates, times and places for such meetings. Public notice of any special meeting or of any reconvened meeting shall be given before such meeting. Public notice shall be given by posting the date and time of the meetings on the OCLS website, the public bulletin boards at all OCLS locations and the Orange County Administration Building. Notice will also be published in the Orlando Sentinel as required by Section 189.417 of the Florida Statutes.

Conduct of Meetings:

1. The presiding officer shall preserve order and decorum at all meetings.

2. When considering matters upon which the board or commission will take action the presiding officer shall receive comments from the public.

3. During any board or commission meeting, board and commission members shall maintain order and decorum.

4. OCLS staff and citizens must be recognized by the presiding officer before speaking or asking questions. The purpose of this requirement is so that there is order and so that the recording equipment will properly record all comments made by individuals wishing to comment on a specific subject.

5. All comments must be made from the podium which is located in the OCLS meeting room or by other reasonable accommodations in any other location in which a board or commission meeting is held, and shall address the subject of the agenda item. Individuals that appear before any board or commission are required to state their legal name and their actual address for the public record. The purpose of this requirement is so that they are properly reflected in any board or commission minutes and are available for future reference.

6. As a board or commission considers consent agenda items, emergency items, items involving official acts that involve no more than a ministerial act, approval of minutes, ceremonial proclamations and other similar items, the presiding officer may, at his discretion, or at the direction of a majority of the board or commission, accept comments from those in attendance.

Public Participation and Comment: In order to comply with Section 286.0114 of the Florida Statutes, OCLS hereby establishes a Public Comment Policy applicable to all boards and commissions to allow members of the public an opportunity to address boards and commissions. In addition to public hearings, a special time is hereby set aside at all board and commission meetings for the purpose of receiving comments and suggestions from members of the public. All comments made during any Public Comment period shall be subject to the following procedures:

1. OCLS allocates up to 30 minutes at the end of each board or commission meeting for citizens who wish to appear before that board or commission to make a request of that board or commission, voice a complaint or concern, express an opinion, or for some other type of recognition. The presiding officer will divide the time equally between all who have signed up to speak; but in no case may a citizen speak longer than three minutes. A Public Comment period not to exceed 30 minutes will be held during any board or commission meeting. The presiding officer may permit additional time to a given speaker on a case-by-case basis.

2. Public comments of items listed on the agenda will occur just prior to the Board’s discussion and action of the agenda item. Public comments of items not listed on the agenda will occur at the end of the meeting agenda.

3. When a board or commission considers matters during a public meeting upon which it will take action, no action shall be taken until the presiding officer requests and receives comments from the public.

4. Persons who wish to make a statement during the Public Comment period will register on a Notice of Intent to Speak Form which will be available 30 minutes before the start of the meeting. Information included on the Notice of Intent to Speak forms will be included in the Board Meeting Minutes and thus become public record. No one will be allowed to have his or her name placed on the list by telephone request to OCLS staff.

5. Each person who signed up to speak will have up to three minutes to make his or her statement. Speakers will be acknowledged by the presiding officer in the order which the Notice of Intent to Speak Form was received by the Board of Trustee’s administrative assistant. Speakers shall address that board or commission from the podium, and
not approach that board or commission or OCLS staff. Speakers will begin their statement by first stating their legal name and actual address.

6. Statements are to be directed to the board or commission as a whole, and not to individuals. Public comment is not intended to require a board or commission to provide an answer to the speaker. Discussions between speakers and members of the audience will not be allowed.

7. Speakers will be courteous in their language and presentation.

8. Only one speaker will be acknowledged at a time. In the event a group of persons supporting or opposing the same position desires to be heard, in the interest of time, a spokesperson shall be designated to express the group’s concerns. Likewise, in the event the number of persons wishing to attend the hearing exceeds the capacity of the meeting place, one or more delegates shall be selected to speak on behalf of each group. If the time period expires before all persons who have signed up get to speak, those names will be carried over to the next Public Comment period, or if the presiding officer consents, these comments can be heard at that meeting.

9. Any action on items brought up during the Public Comment period will be at the discretion of that board or commission. No board or commission will take any action on subject matter for which it has not had the opportunity to fully investigate and gather complete information.

10. These same rules shall apply to all boards and commissions.

Decorum: The presiding officer shall preserve strict order and decorum at all meetings.

1. In conducting business, boards and commissions are committed to the principles of civility, honor, and dignity. Individuals appearing before boards and commission are requested to observe the same principles when making comments on items and issues presented to a given board or commission for its consideration.

2. Staff members and citizens are required to use proper language when addressing a board or commission or the audience. Staff members and citizens shall not use profanity or cursing, aggressive or threatening behavior when addressing the board or commission or other participants. All comments are directed to the presiding officer and not to individual members of the board or commission or to the audience. No personal verbal attacks toward any individual will be allowed during the conduct of a board or commission meeting. The presiding officer may have individual(s) removed from the podium and/or meeting chambers if such conduct persists after a warning has been issued.

3. All members of a board or commission shall accord the utmost courtesy to each other, staff, and the public members appearing before the board or commission and shall refrain at all times from rude and derogatory remarks, reflections as to integrity, abusive comments and statements as to motives and personalities. During board or commission meetings, cell phones are to be turned off or silenced. Use of cell phones by board or commission members and staff for talking, texting, emailing or otherwise will not be allowed during meetings while at the dais, except for emergency communications, research, or during breaks.

Waiver of Rules: The board or commission may, at any time, waive all or a portion of these rules of procedure during the course of a meeting. Provided however, that any such waiver shall only be done upon a motion and majority approval of the waiver by members of the board or commission present and voting. Such waivers shall only be granted to insure the protection of the right of members of the public to be given a reasonable opportunity to be heard before a board or commission takes official action on a proposition.

Training: Periodic training for Sunshine Law requirements will be scheduled by OCLS for board and commission members.

Penalties: Any action taken at a meeting not open to the public, whether intentional or unintentional, is void. The law provides penalties for not complying with the Sunshine Law including criminal penalties, removal from the board position, fines up to $500, and an award of reasonable attorney’s fees against the board found to have violated the Sunshine Law.
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Approval of Minutes:
Library Board of Trustees Meeting
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MEETING MINUTES
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Library Board Present: Lisa Franchina (8/0); Marucci Guzmán (8/1);
Ted Maines (11/3 - City); Richard Maladecki (8/0);

Library Board Absent: Nicole Benjamin (5/1 – City)

Administration Present: Mary Anne Hodel; Debbie Tour; Danielle King; Steve Powell;
Ricardo Viera; Bethany Stone; Kris Shoemaker;
Milinda Neusaenger

19-094 I. Call to Order
President Franchina called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m.

II. Public Comment Policy & Procedures

19-095 III. Approval of Minutes: Library Board of Trustees Meeting ~
July 11, 2019
Vice President Guzmán, seconded by Trustee Maladecki, moved to approve the minutes for
the July 11, 2019 Library Board of Trustees Meeting. Motion carried 5-0.

19-096 IV. Staff Presentation: Children’s Initiative ~ Natalie Houston
& Sarah Qronfleh

19-097 V. Financial Statements and Summaries: July 2019
CFO Shoemaker summarized the financials reports. He indicated providing library
services to the west and east portions of the county are a priority. Brief discussion
ensued.

19-098 VI. Dashboard: July 2019
COO Powell informed the Board that starting November 1, 2019, publisher Macmillan
will impose an eight-week embargo on new titles of library e-books. Libraries wanting
to lend Macmillan’s new e-books to customers may buy access to a single e-book during
the first eight weeks of publication. After the eight-week period, additional copies may
be purchased to lend to customers. He reported this will have an impact on e-book
statistics. At the request of the Board, COO Powell will report on the impact at the
December Board Meeting.

19-099 VII. Action Items

19-100 Strategic Plan FY 2020 – FY 2022
Trustee Maladecki, seconded by Vice President Guzmán, moved to approve the
Strategic Plan for FY 2020 through FY 2022. Motion carried 4-0.

19-101 Board Meeting Schedule: FY 2020
Brief discussion ensued and one Board Member requested to change the October
meeting date from the 10th to the 8th. Trustee Maladecki, seconded by Trustee Maines,
moved to approve the FY 2020 Meeting Schedule as revised. Motion carried 4-0.
Restroom Contractor Agreements: Kris Shoemaker
CFO Shoemaker briefed the Board about the plans to renovate the bathrooms at the South Trail, Southeast and Southwest Branches. Discussion ensued regarding the privacy of the bathroom stalls for gender non-conforming customers. Trustee Maines indicated that there are different styles of stall walls and these can be taller or lower. CFO Shoemaker stated different style walls would be a cost increase of materials, but not in labor. The Board requested that Staff provide the cost comparison of the taller stall walls at the October Board Meeting. Trustee Maladecki, seconded by Vice President Guzmán, moved to approve the project budget of $638,000, to approve waiving of the Payment and Performance Bonds (as allowed in F.S. 255.05) and to approve staff to execute the three contracts with Ruby Builders, Inc. for the project. This is with the knowledge that Staff will next month, bring to the Board the cost comparison of taller bathroom stall walls. Motion carried 4-0.

Discussion and Possible Action Items

Director's Evaluation & Personnel Committee Meeting
President Franchina, Vice President Guzmán and Trustee Maines will serve on the Personnel Committee. President Franchina stated that she has reached out to the Friends of the Library Board and Joe Goldstein and Crockett Bohannan will sit on the Committee as well. The meeting will take place at noon on September 24, 2019 at the Library Downtown.

Information

Director’s Report
OCLS has received a $5,000 donation from the of estate of Vincent Soforenko Bishop in Milton, Massachusetts.

Staff had a meeting with County Administrators regarding the potential locations of a new branch in Horizon West. More information will be forthcoming soon.

The budget hearing went off smoothly in July with the Library’s Governing Board.

Public Comment: Non-Agenda Items

Adjournment
Trustee Maladecki, seconded by Vice President Guzmán, moved to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried 4-0. President Franchina adjourned the meeting at 7:21 p.m.

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Staff Presentation: None
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Financial Statements &
Summaries: August 2019
Operating Fund Revenue & Expenditure Summaries:

Ad Valorem Taxes:
The Library budgeted $43,905,000 for Ad Valorem Taxes in FY 2018-19 based on property tax values, millage rate of 0.3748 and a 5% statutory deduction. So far this year we have received $44,145,120 or 100.55% of the budget. This revenue is 9.6% higher than the same time in FY 2017-18

State Aid:
The Library budgeted $982,000 for State Aid Revenues in FY 2018-19 based on FY 2017-18 actuals. We received $830,417 from the State in April, which will be the total allotment for FY 2018-19, based on the Legislature’s funding for this year.

PC Pass and PC Express:
Revenues from PC Pass and PC Express are at 65.4% and 61.4% respectively of budget vs 91.7% of the fiscal year being consumed. These revenues are down 19.2% and 30.1% respectively compared to last year’s actuals through August. The main reason for lower actuals is that the Library started to offer free Wi-Fi in 2018. For the FY 2019-20 budget, these revenues will be budgeted lower.

Fines and Lost Materials:
Revenues from Fines and Lost Materials are at 99.4% of budget vs 91.7% of fiscal year being consumed. These revenues are down 10.3% compared to FY 17-18 actuals through August and are down 27.5% against the 5 year average. The main reason for the reduction in revenue is the increase in use of digital materials which are not subject to being late or lost. This trend of decreasing revenue from fines and lost materials will continue.

Investment Earnings:
The Library takes a conservative approach when budgeting for Interest Revenues as the investment markets can be, and have been, quite volatile. While we appreciate the current investment market results (a 114% increase as compared to FY 17-18 revenues thru August), we will continue to monitor the investment markets with our investment advisors to ensure the principal of our funds are safe and secure. We anticipate interest earnings to decline in the current low interest rate environment.

Internet Discount:
This account is used to record a “rebate” we receive from the Federal Government, based on our purchases of Internet Connectivity Equipment. This “rebate” is based on purchases and an extensive application process between July 1st and June 30th of each year. This revenue will now be received in October and recorded as a revenue for FY 2018-19.

Transfer From Tax Collector:
This account is used to record our revenue share from the Tax Collector Office will now be received in October and recorded as a revenue for FY 2018-19.

Defined Benefit Pension Plan:
The Defined Benefit Pension Plan Expenditures are at 125.3% of the budget vs 91.7% of the fiscal year being consumed. This Plan is a traditional retirement plan covering full time employees hired prior to January 1, 2007. This Plan closed to new employees starting in January 2007.

Contributions to the Plan are actuarially determined at the beginning of each calendar year. As noted in the March 31, 2019 financial statements, this fund experienced an unfavorable investment return in calendar year 2018. We expect to overspend this account by approximately $275,000 in the current fiscal year. The off-setting account is Building Improvements.
Professional Services:
The Professional Services Expenditures are at 83.1% of budget and are just below the 91.7% of the fiscal year consumed. The five year average through August for this account is 92.9% of budget, so we are on pace with our 5 year average spending for this account.

Other Contractual Services:
The Other Contractual Services Expenditures are at 83.6% of budget vs 91.7% of the fiscal year consumed. The expenditures in this include such services as police service, banking fees, Brinks services, marketing and programming. The expenses are tracking slightly behind FY 17-18 Actuals of 89.8% of budget.

Rentals and Leases:
The expenditures in this category through August are at 79.9% of budget vs 91.7% of the fiscal year being consumed. The main reason is that we had budgeted funds to lease a facility in the Horizon West area which has not materialized.

Repairs and Maintenance:
The expenditures in this category relate to the maintenance of the Library’s facilities and equipment. Through August, we have expended 107.7% of the budget compared to the 91.7% of the fiscal year being consumed. The major reason for the over spending is the recent failure of HVAC systems in the Alafaya and South Creek branches, which cost approximately $88,000 to replace the HVAC units. Additionally, we have had to replace the roof at Eatonville branch for approximately $60,000, as it was at the end of its useful life.

Supplies:
The expenditure in this category through August are at 116.6% of budget vs 91.7% of the fiscal year being consumed. We will overspend this expenditure item by approximately $195,000. The main reasons for the over expenditure are the need for some new staff chairs throughout the Library as they had exceeded their useful life and needed to be replaced as well as additional supplies needed for program materials. The off-setting account is Building Improvements.

Building Improvements Expense:
The Library budgeted $1,500,000 to expand the South Creek Branch, which will not occur in FY 2018-19. We also budgeted $350,000 for the Emergency Generator Replacement Project, of which the design will occur in FY 2018-19 and construction will occur in FY 2019-20. Similarly, we budgeted for $335,000 to renovate the restrooms at the South Trail and Southeast Branches. The design will occur in FY 2018-19 and construction will occur in FY 2019-20.
### ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT
### OPERATING FUND REVENUE SUMMARY
#### Eleven Months Ended August 31, 2019

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ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
Eleven Months Ended August 31, 2019

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ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT  
SINKING FUND  
Eleven Months Ended August 31, 2019

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### Revenues

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### Expenditures

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## ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT
### OPERATING FUND
#### BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS
##### August 31, 2019

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**TOTAL ASSETS** | **20,348,446**
ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT
OPERATING FUND
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE
August 31, 2019

LIABILITIES
Accounts Payable 408,542
Accrued Wages Payable 627,989
Accrued Sales Tax 2,822
Accrued Fax Tax 300
Due To Friends of the Library 80
Employee Payroll Deductions:
  United Appeal & Vision Plan 80
Miscellaneous
  Weight Watchers 696
  Daughters of American Revolution 139
  Staff Association 1,880
TOTAL LIABILITIES 1,042,528

FUND BALANCE
Nonspendable:
  Inventory 155,055
  Prepaid Items and Deposits 220,794
  Annetta O'B Walker Trust Fund 4,000
  A.P. Phillips Memorial Fund 100,000
  Willis H. Warner Memorial Fund 33,712
  Perce C. and Mary M. Gullett Memorial Fund 19,805
Committed:
  Vivian Esch Estate Fund 44,198
  Edmund L. Murray Estate Fund 724,689
  Arthur Sondheim Estate Fund 39,941
  Strategic Plan 4,000,000
Assigned:
  Fiscal Year 2019 Budget 323,000
  Unassigned 7,018,963
  Current Year Revenue over Expenditures 6,621,761
TOTAL FUND BALANCE 19,305,918

TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE 20,348,446
## ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT
### MONTHLY ROLLOVER
#### August 31, 2019

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<td>448,670</td>
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## GENERAL POOLED INVESTMENTS
August 31, 2019

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<td>Florida Prime (SBA)</td>
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- **US Treasury Securities**, 41%
- **Florida Prime**, 26%
- **Florida Safe**, 27%
- **Federated Treasury Obligations Fund**, 4%
- **Federated Government Obligations Fund**, 2%
Orange County Library System
Board of Trustees Meeting
September 12, 2019

Dashboard: August 2019
Overall, digital usage was up 11% comparing August 2019 to August 2018. We set a new overall record with 205,657 checkouts in one month. Records were set with OverDrive having 136,610 checkouts and Kanopy with 2,082. We have over 1,000,000 checkouts in OverDrive so far this calendar year.

On August 24, the Melrose Audio team oversaw the 2019 No Tan Radio Music & Arts Festival. After a five-year hiatus, the festival, which had previously been staged at The Plaza Live, returned thanks in no small part to the work of Audio Production Instructor Leo Linares. The No Tan Radio Festival highlights Hispanic/Latin musicians and visual artists. With electric bands playing on the new Melrose stage and acoustic acts playing on a small stage in the Melrose Conference Room, the festival provided over four hours of continuous live music for 379 attendees. Performers included Leo Aether, Artefacto, Blunder Club, Alejandro Prado and Huellas de Colombia Folkdances, the latter dazzling with a routine on the dancefloor set up in front of the stage. Visual artists exhibited at tables throughout the Center, including a group from NOVUS ARTEM International Gallery. Alibeth Suarez, Questline Reference Assistant, served as host of the festival and covered it for MAS 100.7FM radio as well.
### Event Attendance vs Class Attendance

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<th>2018</th>
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<td>Alafaya</td>
<td>3,365</td>
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<td>Chickasaw</td>
<td>3,246</td>
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<td>5,043</td>
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<td>65,481</td>
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### Events/Class Attendance

#### Community Events
- **2019**: 4,974 events, -33.54%
- **2018**: 7,599 events

#### Events - Adult
- **2019**: 16,367 events, -60.05%
- **2018**: 40,969 events

#### Events - Teen
- **2019**: 418 events, -0.95%
- **2018**: 422 events

#### Events - Children
- **2019**: 18,232 events, 10.56%
- **2018**: 16,491 events

#### Technology Classes
- **2019**: 5,087 events, 5,236 events

### Total Attendance
- **2019**: 45,078 events
- **2018**: 70,717 events

### August 2019 Events and Classes

- **Community Events**: 4,974 events, a decrease of 33.54% compared to 7,599 events in August 2018.
- **Events - Adult**: 16,367 events, a decrease of 60.05% compared to 40,969 events in August 2018.
- **Events - Teen**: 418 events, a decrease of 0.95% compared to 422 events in August 2018.
- **Events - Children**: 18,232 events, an increase of 10.56% compared to 16,491 events in August 2018.
- **Technology Classes**: 5,087 events, a decrease of 1.75% compared to 5,236 events in August 2018.

### Social Media Growth

- **Good Reads**: 3,000 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 25.45% compared to 4,100 followers in August 2018.
- **Pinterest**: 1,564 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 23.6% compared to 2,047 followers in August 2018.
- **YouTube**: 2,705 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 79.9% compared to 4,933 followers in August 2018.
- **Instagram**: 4,550 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 45.7% compared to 8,106 followers in August 2018.
- **Twitter**: 5,087 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 25.45% compared to 4,100 followers in August 2018.
- **Facebook**: 2,046 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 56.0% compared to 8,304 followers in August 2018.

### Events & Classes by Location

- **Orlando Public Library**: 8,568 events, a decrease of 1.8%
- **Winter Garden**: 4,589 events, an increase of 65.9%
- **Alafaya**: 3,365 events, a decrease of 56.0%
- **Chickasaw**: 3,246 events, a decrease of 35.6%
- **South Creek**: 3,108 events, a decrease of 45.7%
- **Southwest**: 3,085 events, a decrease of 60.0%
- **Southeast**: 2,705 events, a decrease of 53.0%
- **North Orange**: 2,046 events, a decrease of 5.5%
- **Windermere**: 1,826 events, an increase of 10.3%
- **South Trail**: 1,368 events, a decrease of 5.0%
- **Hiawassee**: 1,210 events, a decrease of 68.2%
- **Fairview Shores**: 1,244 events, a decrease of 66.9%
- **Herndon**: 1,242 events, an increase of 49.1%
- **West Oaks**: 991 events, a decrease of 79.9%
- **Washington Park**: 896 events, a decrease of 66.4%
- **Eatonville**: 502 events, a decrease of 40.3%
- **Online**: - events, a decrease of 0.0%

#### Social Media Growth

- **Good Reads**: 3,000 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 25.45% compared to 4,100 followers in August 2018.
- **Pinterest**: 1,564 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 23.6% compared to 2,047 followers in August 2018.
- **YouTube**: 2,705 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 79.9% compared to 4,933 followers in August 2018.
- **Instagram**: 4,550 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 45.7% compared to 8,106 followers in August 2018.
- **Twitter**: 5,087 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 25.45% compared to 4,100 followers in August 2018.
- **Facebook**: 2,046 followers in August 2019, a decrease of 56.0% compared to 8,304 followers in August 2018.

### August Events

- **Events & Classes by Location**
  - **Orlando Public Library**: 246 fewer classes were presented compared to system-wide last year, a decrease of 12.82%.
  - **Jiggleman** visited the Southwest Branch where he amazed a crowd of 108 with his jumping, joking, and juggling antics.
  - **Local Wanderer program**: launched in August 2019. Reached 10,835 people on Facebook and was shared 82 times. On the actual post, we received 33 comments and 218 likes.
  - **PBS Kids Time!**: aired 156 times and reached 3,684 people on Facebook. We received 63 reactions and 27 shares on the post.
  - **Facebook**: reached 22,865 people in attendance. Hosted Early Voting at 9 locations and attendance up 20.43% and attendance is up 19.38%.
  - **Voter Education Events**: 20.43% and attendance is up 19.38%.
  - **Early Voting Events**: attended 29 Community Events reaching 4,974 people. Last year we attended 45 Community Events and reaching 1,231 people. Last year, we presented 8 Offsite Events and reached 717 people. This year, we presented 16 Offsite Events and reached 6,826 people.

### Twitter Growth

- **2019**: 4,472 impressions, 14 retweets and 23 likes.
- **2018**: 41,242 -0.95%

### Instagram Growth

- **2019**: 4,472 impressions, 14 retweets and 23 likes.
- **2018**: 41,242 -0.95%

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### Orange County Library System: Annual Plan of Service – FY 2020

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| Debbie Tour B.       | Early and family learning                                                       |
| FY 2020              |                                                                                 |
| 1.                   | Expand current annual large-scale family events to increase attendance          |
| 2.                   | Create opportunities for hands-on interactive experiences at each location for walk-in customers |
| 3.                   | Develop and provide staff training on early literacy principles and practices   |
| 4.                   | Evaluate the program wiki and consider revamping for ease of use                |

| Danielle King C.     | Provide experiences to enhance life skills                                       |
| FY 2020              |                                                                                 |
| 1.                   | Look at current trends for program and class ideas                             |
| 2.                   | Evaluate partnerships and opportunities to connect customers with social services |
| 3.                   | Continue to research, pursue and evaluate grant opportunities                  |
| 4.                   | Implement system-wide training plan for ESOL offerings                          |

| Ricardo Viera D.     | Provide service delivery via technology                                          |
| FY 2020              |                                                                                 |
| 1.                   | Explore and implement alternatives to traditional services                      |
| 2.                   | Update Technology plan                                                           |
| 3.                   | Evaluate public PC needs to free up space for workspaces and charging areas      |
| 4.                   | Implement a phishing network security education strategy for staff               |

| Kris Shoemaker E.    | Explore new potential locations, project revenues and capital resources to service the community |
| FY 2020              |                                                                                 |
1. Evaluate sites for acquisition / purchase in Horizon West and Southeast Orange County
2. Evaluate the need to expand or remodel library facilities

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RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR STATE AID TO LIBRARIES GRANT.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orange County Library System, Orange County Florida, held in the City of Orlando, on the 12th day of September, 2019, at 6:00 pm, prevailing Eastern time.

PRESENT:

ABSENT:

The Board Resolves:

1. To approve the FY 2020 Annual Plan of Service as required by the Florida Department of State, Division of Library and Information Services, in order for the Orange County Library System to be eligible for a State Aid to Libraries Grant for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 2020.

2. All resolutions that conflict with the provisions of this resolution are rescinded.

AYES:

NAYS:

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED:

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Secretary
Orange County Library System
Board of Trustees Meeting
September 12, 2019

Request to Serve Alcohol
I. Overview

The Friends of the Orange County Library System are planning for Booktoberfest to be held at the Orlando Public Library on Friday, October 4, 2019. Booktoberfest is a beer and wine tasting fundraising event that celebrates the season while attracting new members to join the Friends of the Library. As stated in the adopted Alcoholic Beverage Policy (please see below), Board approval is required to serve alcoholic beverages.

II. Options

Option 1: Board approves the serving of alcoholic beverages in accordance with the Board-approved policy.

**Advantage:** The event offers an evening of enjoyment and may attract new people to the library.

**Disadvantage:** There is a degree of risk incurred when alcoholic beverages are served.

Option 2: Board does not approve the serving of alcoholic beverages.

**Advantage:** Decreased risk if no alcohol is served.

**Disadvantage:** Alternative plans for refreshments would have to be put in place, as well as a major change in the beer tasting format.

III. Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of Option 1.

Library Alcoholic Beverage Policy (Revised and Approved by the Library Board of Trustees August 12, 2004)

Alcoholic Beverages may be served for the purpose of fundraising and various Library-sponsored development and promotions projects or approved events, when the following requirements are met:

*The event is sponsored by the Library or Library approved
*The Library Board of Trustees has approved alcoholic beverages to be served, and
*A licensed bartender, caterer, or other entity which provides liquor liability insurance coverage, is engaged to serve beverages, and
*The bartender, caterer, or other entity executes an agreement which shall:

1. Hold the Library harmless and indemnify the Library against liability arising from alcoholic beverages willfully and unlawfully served to a person who is not of lawful drinking age or knowingly served to a person habitually addicted to the use of any or all alcoholic beverages; and
2. Require the bartender, caterer, or other entity to comply with all County, State, and Federal laws governing the service of alcoholic beverages.
RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE SERVING OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AT AN AFTERHOURS EVENT AT THE ORLANDO PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orange County Library System, Orange County Florida, held in the City of Orlando on the 12th day of September 2019 at 6 p.m. prevailing Eastern time.

PRESENT:

ABSENT:

The Board Resolves:

1. To authorize the serving of alcoholic beverages in accordance with the Board-approved policy at the Booktoberfest event on October 4, 2019 at the Orlando Public Library.
2. All resolutions that conflict with the provisions of this resolution are rescinded.

AYES:

NAYS:

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED:

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Secretary
Orange County Library System
Board of Trustees Meeting
September 12, 2019

Non-Consent Agenda Items
Orange County Library System
Board of Trustees Meeting
September 12, 2019

Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing
Continuing Contracts:
Kris Shoemaker
Continuing Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing (MEP) Engineering Services Firm Selection

I. ISSUE STATEMENT:
Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing (MEP) Engineering firms need to be selected to provide Continuing MEP services to the Library for the next three (3) years with two (2) one (1) year extensions, for a total of five (5) potential years of service. Board approval is needed for the ranking of three (3) MEP Engineering firms previously selected and to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services contracts for MEP Engineering services.

II. BACKGROUND & SUMMARY:
The Library has, and will continue to update, a list of projects that require MEP services. The majority of the projects are HVAC related as our air conditioning systems are coming to the end of their useful life. They will also provide MEP services in coordination with the CM and AE consultants. By entering into a continuing services contract with MEP firms to provide these services, the Library will have pre-negotiated rates and will save 8 – 12 weeks in selection time when we are ready to proceed with a project. The other benefit is having a consistency in design concepts.

The MEPs that are selected for this continuing services contract are bound by F.S. 287.055 titled, Acquisition of professional architectural, engineering, landscape architectural, or surveying and mapping services. It creates a competition among engineering firms based on their experience, qualifications and different design possibilities and approaches. The maximum cost per MEP project would be $2 million with most projects being less than $500,000. Any project costing over $2 million (like a new Branch) would require a separate RFQ process. Note: There are no minimum payment guarantees, thus if we do not have projects requiring their services, they are not owed payment. The firms only get paid if they do work for the Library.

The projects will be assigned to the MEP firms based on the amount of work, the dollar value of work assigned, their area of specialty and other factors. The goal is to have all three (3) firms receive as near equal dollar value of work as possible over the contract period.

The following selection process is dictated by the Florida Statutes, 287.055. The general process is:

1. Library advertises a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for the required services on the Orange County Florida Procurement Website, which sends notification to all of their registered firms for the specified requested service. The RFQ is also sent to Orange County and the City of Orlando Minority and Women Business Enterprise offices for distribution to their registered firms as well.
2. Firms submit their qualifications for consideration.
3. Selection Committee, in this case consisting of Mary Anne Hodel, Steve Powell and Kristopher Shoemaker, creates a short list preferably of no fewer than three (3) qualifying firms, which submitted proposals and satisfied the requirements of the RFQ, for oral presentations.
4. Each of the qualifying short-listed firms make an oral presentation to the Selection Committee to present their qualifications and experience, to share their proposed approach to our project, to present a proposed timeline and answer any questions from the Selection Committee.
5. Selection Committee determines a ranking of the presenting firms and sends a maximum of three (3) qualifying firms to the Library Board for consideration.
6. Library Board approves, modifies, or rejects the Selection Committee’s ranking and authorizes Staff to negotiate with the top ranked firms a Continuing Services contract for the specified requested services. If that negotiation fails, negotiations begin with the next ranked firm.
7. The Selection Committee brings the contract back to the Library Board for approval.
8. Contract is executed by staff.
The Continuing Contract period begins.

The Library received seven (7) responses for the RFQ, of which three (3) firms qualified to make oral presentations to the selection committee on Monday, August 19, 2019: C&S Consulting (C&S), Hanson Engineering (HANSON) and TLC Engineering (TLC). After hearing all the presentations and discussing the evaluation criteria stipulated in the RFQ (Qualification of the Firm, Qualification of Key Personnel, Proposal Approach, and Schedule/Timetable), the Selection Committee graded the firms as follows:

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The lowest score is 100, the maximum score is 500. Only qualifying firms with a score of 300 or more are considered for advancement to the next level of review.

Based on this scoring system, the selection Committee determined the following ranking:

1. TLC
2. C&S
3. HANSON

For staff to proceed, we seek two actions from the Board:

- First, the Library Board is being asked to approve this ranking, modify it, or reject it.
- Second, the Library Board is being asked to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services Contracts for MEP Engineering services with the MEP firms.

III. FIRM RANKING OPTIONS:

Option 1: Approve the firms ranking recommended by the Selection Committee as follows:

1. TLC
2. C & S
3. Hanson

**Advantage:**
- The Selection Committee determined that the first two (2) ranked firms will provide the best MEP services for the Library.

**Disadvantage:**
- The 3rd ranked firm also has good ideas. These ideas might not get incorporated into the project or design.

Option 2: Select a different ranking of the MEP Engineering firms.

**Advantage:**
- The alternate ranking of MEP Engineers could result in a better or a different design.

**Disadvantage:**
- The first ranked firm has better ideas, which might not get incorporated into the project or design.

Option 3: Throw out all firms and begin the selection process again.

**Advantage:**
- Other ideas could be considered.

**Disadvantage:**
- This will take more time and might not produce a better result.

IV. FIRM RANKING RECOMMENDATION:

The Selection Committee recommends Option #1.

V. CONTRACT RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Library Board to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services contracts for MEP Engineering services with the approved firms in order of rank.
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM
RESOLUTION 19-118

Continuing Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing (MEP)
Engineering Services Firm Selection

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orange County Library System, Orange County Florida, held in the City of Orlando, on the 12th day of September, 2019, at 6:00 pm, prevailing Eastern time.

PRESENT:

ABSENT:

The Board Resolves:

1. To approve the following ranking of firms for Continuing MEP Engineering Services Selection for the Library, and to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services contract for MEP Engineering services with the approved firms in order of rank.

   1. TLC Engineering (TLC)
   2. C&S Consulting (C&S)
   3. Hanson Engineering (HANSON)

2. All resolutions that conflict with the provisions of this resolution are rescinded.

AYES:

NAYS:

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED:

__________________________________________
Secretary
Orange County Library System
Board of Trustees Meeting
September 12, 2019

Architectural Engineer Continuing
Contracts: Kris Shoemaker
I. ISSUE STATEMENT:
Architectural Engineering (AE) firms need to be selected to provide Continuing AE services to the Library for the next three (3) years with two (2) one (1) year extensions for a total of five (5) potential years of service. Board approval is needed for the ranking of three (3) AE firms previously selected and to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services contracts for AE services.

II. BACKGROUND & SUMMARY:
The Library has, and will continue to update, a list of projects that require AE services. While majority of the projects in the next year are HVAC related, as our air conditioning systems are coming to the end of their useful life, there are future projects like restroom renovations, Children’s Library renovations, etc. that require AE services. By entering into a continuing services contract with the AE firms to provide these services the Library will have pre-negotiated rates and will save 8 – 12 weeks in selection time when we are ready to proceed with a project. The other benefit is having a consistency in design concepts.

The AE’s that are selected for this continuing services contract are bound by F.S. 287.055 titled, Acquisition of professional architectural, engineering, landscape architectural, or surveying and mapping services. It creates a competition among architectural and engineering firms based on their experience, qualifications and different design possibilities and approaches. The maximum cost per AE project would be $2 million, with most projects being less than $500,000. Any project costing over $2 million (like a new Branch) would require a separate RFQ process. Note: There are no minimum payment guarantees, thus if we do not have projects requiring their services, they are not owed payment. The firms only get paid if they do work for the Library.

The projects will be assigned to the AE firms based on the amount of work, the dollar value of work assigned, their area of specialty and other factors. The goal is to have all three (3) firms receive as near equal dollar value of work as possible over the contract period.

The following selection process is dictated by the Florida Statutes, 287.055. The general process is:

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2. Firms submit their qualifications for consideration.

3. Selection Committee, in this case consisting of Mary Anne Hodel, Steve Powell and Kristopher Shoemaker, creates a short list preferably of no fewer than three (3) qualifying firms, which submitted proposals and satisfied the requirements of the RFQ, for oral presentations.

4. Each of the qualifying short-listed firms make an oral presentation to the Selection Committee to present their qualifications and experience, to share their proposed approach to our project, to present a proposed timeline and answer any questions from the Selection Committee.

5. Selection Committee determines a ranking of the presenting firms and sends a maximum of three (3) qualifying firms to the Library Board for consideration.

6. Library Board approves, modifies, or rejects the Selection Committee’s ranking and authorizes Staff to negotiate with the top ranked firms a Continuing Services contract for the specified requested services. If that negotiation fails, negotiations begin with the next ranked firm.

7. The Selection Committee brings the contract back to the Library Board for approval.

8. Contract is executed by staff.

The Library received five (5) responses for the RFQ, of which three (3) firms qualified to make oral presentations to the selection committee on Thursday, August 29, 2019: Borrelli & Partners (BORRELLI), KMF Architects (KMF) and Song & Associates (SONG). After hearing all the presentations and discussing the evaluation criteria stipulated in the RFQ (Qualification of the Firm, Qualification of Key Personnel, Proposal Approach, and Schedule/Timetable), the Selection Committee graded the firms as follows:

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The lowest score is 100, the maximum score is 500. Only qualifying firms with a score of 300 or more are considered for advancement to the next level of review.

Based on this scoring system, the selection Committee determined the following ranking:

1. BORRELLI
2. SONG
3. KMF

For staff to proceed, we seek two actions from the Board:

- First, the Library Board is being asked to approve this ranking, modify it, or reject it.
- Second, the Library Board is being asked to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services Contracts for AE services with the AE firms.

III. FIRM RANKING OPTIONS:

Option 1: Approve the firms ranking recommended by the Selection Committee as follows:

1. BORRELLI
2. SONG
3. KMF

**Advantage:**
The Selection Committee determined that all three (3) firms brought unique skills to the table that the Library will need over the next 3 – 5 years. We feel the three (3) ranked firms will provide the best quality AE services for the Library.

**Disadvantage:**
The other non-ranked firms may have had good ideas. These ideas might not get incorporated into the project or design.

Option 2: Select a different ranking of the AE firms.

**Advantage:**
The alternate ranking of AE firms could result in a better or a different design.

**Disadvantage:**
The first ranked firm has better ideas, which might not get incorporated into the project or design.

Option 3: Throw out all firms and begin the selection process again.

**Advantage:**
Other ideas could be considered.

**Disadvantage:**
This will take more time and might not produce a better result.
IV. FIRM RANKING RECOMMENDATION:
The Selection Committee recommends Option #1.

V. CONTRACT RECOMMENDATION:
Staff recommends the Library Board to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services contracts for AE services with the approved firms in order of rank.
Continuing Architectural Engineering (AE) Services Firm Selection

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orange County Library System, Orange County Florida, held in the City of Orlando, on the 12th day of September, 2019, at 6:00 pm, prevailing Eastern time.

PRESENT:

ABSENT:

The Board Resolves:

1. To approve the following ranking of firms for Continuing AE Services Selection for the Library, and to authorize staff to negotiate a Continuing Services contract for AE services with the approved firms in order of rank.

   1. Borrelli & Partners (BORRELLI)
   2. Song & Associates (SONG)
   3. KMF Architects (KMF)

2. All resolutions that conflict with the provisions of this resolution are rescinded.

AYES:

NAYS:

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED:

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Secretary
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Discussion & Possible Action Items
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Bathroom Renovation Update
Restroom Project Update

I. Issue Statement:

On August 8, 2019 the Library Board of Trustees approved a contract with Ruby Builders Inc for the renovation of the Southwest, South Trail and Southeast restrooms for a total of $438,606 and an overall budget of $638,000, which includes owner direct purchases of $141,394 and a contingency of $58,000.

As part of the approval staff were asked to research and verify two (2) items:

1) Are there baby changing tables in both the men's and ladies' restrooms, and

2) Are the restroom stalls designed to provide gender neutral patrons privacy

II. Update on the Restroom Project:

Staff reviewed the plans and there are baby changing tables in both the men's and ladies' restrooms. However, the initial stall design was the standard design with 60" high walls which did not provide for increased patron privacy.

Upon further discussions with Ruby Builders and Ron Lang Architects, the plans have been changed and the stalls will be 72" high stainless steel with continuous brackets and zero sightline to provide increased patron privacy. The additional cost is $8,706, which will reduce the contingency budget to $49,294 for any further change orders.

A copy of the budget and the stall design is attached.
## OCLS Restroom Renovation Project Budget

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1) Restroom Stalls

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The durability and elegance of type 304 stainless steel complements any washroom.

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Closed Day Schedule FY 2020
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FT Staff - 8 hours holiday pay
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Director’s Report
Director’s Report: August 2019

The beginning of September came in like a lion, with Hurricane Dorian threatening to batter Florida. OCLS followed the lead of Orange County and Orange County Public Schools and closed all of our library locations from September 3 and 4 following the holiday weekend closures in anticipation of a potential hit from the storm. Luckily, the storm changed course, and all locations opened for normal business hours on September 5.

I urge you all to purchase tickets to a special event coming up tomorrow evening. Author Jerome Buting, known as the defense attorney in the hit Netflix documentary series *Making a Murderer*, will be here at the Orlando Public Library the evening of September 13th. Staff are excited to have him speak, and many thanks go to Lisa Franchina for making this event possible. This is a ticketed event, and sales benefit the Friends of the Orange County Library System.

The much-awaited Local Wanderer is now live and has proven to be extremely popular. The program, modeled after similar initiatives in other cities, offers a limited number of free passes to local museums and cultural experiences to library cardholders. You must have a library card to take advantage of the program, and participating organizations include the Orlando Shakes, Central Florida Zoo and Botanical Gardens, the Orange County Regional History Center, Menello Museum of Art, Hard Rock Live, Orlando Museum of Art, Annie Russell Theatre, Charles Hosmer Morse Museum of American Art, Orlando Solar Bears, and Orlando Repertory Theatre. We have so far given away more than 200 free passes to participating venues, and our inventory is fully booked for the next 30 days. We are actively signing on new partners, and we’re hoping to see the program grow as time goes on.

Staff were thrilled to learn that the Orange County Library System has been selected by Arts Midwest as a recipient of an NEA Big Read grant for 2020. The program supports approximately 75 community reading programs, each designed around a single book. Staff have selected the book *Pretty Monters* by Kelly Link as the OCLS Big Read. The book is a collection of nine fantasy and fairy stories, and OCLS will host events and programs that dovetail with the book and its themes. The Library is also partnering with Valencia College to support the initiative, and they will also host events to support the NEA Big Read, as well. The NEA Big Read kickoff event will take place on Sunday, May 17, 2020 at the Orlando Public Library. Attendees will get a chance to go home with a free copy of the book.

Staff are currently working on the Friends of the Orange County Library System’s Booktoberfest, which takes place at the Orlando Public Library on October 4th. As always, the event features a beer tasting, silent auction, raffles, games and trivia, and all proceeds support the Friends. We hope you’ll join us for this year’s event – it’s always a fun way to support the library.

Recent System-Wide Events

**Melrose Center**

- August was quite a month for the Audio team. Earlier this year, we set our sights on making the first weekend of August a *Melrose in the Mix* Metal doubleheader. Meka Nism, recently voted 2nd Best Metal Band in *OW’s Best of Orlando* poll, were scheduled to perform and record on August 3, with Drigo Garcia-Salas’ band Demon**** scheduled for August 4. Then in early July, our friend and local emcee/promotor Swamburger approached us to set up a session with nationally known hip hop artist Onry Ozzborn during his tour swing through Florida on August 10. That’s how we ended up staging three *Melrose in the Mix* sessions in eight days. All available seats for each of session were reserved in advance (making seven sessions in a row) with a combined attendance of 49 enjoying the three audio studio performances. Each session garnered mention in *Orlando Weekly*, including this quote from Bao Le Hu’s music column, “Onry Ozzborn’s presence alone lent nice national cred to the truly special *Melrose in the Mix* series, something that can only raise the profile of the pro-grade jewel of a recording studio our community has nestled in the second floor heart of the downtown public library.”

- On August 24, the Audio team oversaw the staging of the 2019 No Tan Radio Music & Arts Festival. After a five-year, hiatus, the festival – which had previously been staged at The Plaza Live – returned thanks in no small part to the work of Leo Linares who served as one of the event’s key organizers. The No Tan Radio Festival highlights Hispanic/Latin musicians and visual artists. With electric bands playing on the new
Melrose stage and acoustic acts playing on a small stage in the Melrose Conference Room, the festival provided over four hours of continuous live music for 379 attendees. Performers included Leo Aether, Artefacto, Blunder Club, Alejandro Prado and Huellas de Colombia Folkdances, the latter dazzling with a routine on the dancefloor set up in front of the stage. Visual artists exhibited at tables throughout the Center, including a group from NOVUS ARTEM International Gallery. Alibeth Suarez from Questline served as host of the festival and covered it for MAS 100.7FM radio as well. Here’s a video she posted to the station’s Facebook during the festival: https://www.facebook.com/mas100fm/videos/415573805974847/

- After the No Tan Radio Festival, we left the dance floor out for our Orlando Out Tonight Theatre meetup on August 25: **Hip Hop Dance Class**. Meetup organizer Marko Torres welcomed back Studio K to teach a Hip Hop dance routine, led by local choreographer Jaime Stout. The meetup drew 14 attendees.

- The Fab Lab team held their Orlando Melrose Makers meetup, **Costume and Prop Making**, on August 27. Instructors showed 28 attendees how to use Fab Lab equipment to create unique cosplay costumes and props.

- The Fab Lab held 13 **Makerspace Open Labs** during August, with a total attendance of 263. There were five open lab days with more than 20 attendees, with a record high 62 people (including 20 kids) visiting on August 24 - the day of the No Tan Radio Festival. There were two **Family Stem Saturdays** held in August, with nine attendees (five kids) on August 3, and 10 (seven kids) on August 17.

- The Photo team held two meetups in August. On August 13, 15 people attended **Working with One Speed Light** led by Winny Torres. The meetup up covered the basics of using a speed light, including camera settings, controlling the flash and diffusing the light.

- On August 28, Pedro Berrios hosted **Making Money with Your Pictures** for 14 attendees. Pedro led discussions on selling pictures on micro stock platforms like Shutterstock, Adobe Stock, iStock and more, as well as selling to magazines, newspapers and galleries.

- On August 8, Juan Rivera held a Digital Media Design meetup called **Tips and Tricks: Animating a 3D Character**. Juan demonstrated for four attendees how to animate using Maya’s graph editor tool. Five people attended **Open Lab: Game Design & VR** on August 31.

- Nearly 2,000 submissions were received, and after a vigorous review period, the Video team notified the filmmakers of the 70 **Melrose Film Festival** entries that have been accepted and will be screened at the festival on September 14.

- Membership for Melrose Meetup groups continued to grow during August:
  - Orlando Audio – 995 (+7)
  - Orlando Digital Media Design – 905 (+10)
  - Orlando Melrose Makers – 73 (+13)
  - Orlando Out Tonight Theatre – 1,769 (+77)
  - Orlando Photo+Design – 2,968 (+31)
  - Orlando Video & Post Production – 2,132 (+28)

- There were three community meetups during August, with attendance as follows:
  - Indienomicon - 38
  - Orlando Robotics and Makers – 7
  - Orlando Machine Learning & Data Science – 30

- Brian Haynes provided a tour of the Center for one adult and five kids from Irene’s Christian Academy on August 15.

- On August 27, Jim Myers presented a webinar for the Southeast Florida Library Information Network (SEFLIN) on Melrose Center Fab Lab experiences.

- We welcomed 224 new Melrose Members in August, while 7,296 people visited the Center throughout the month.

**Alafaya**

- On 1 August, Aidan Mitchell hosted “DIY Galaxy Bath Bombs Treat yourself!” During this program gusts created spaced themed bath bombs. There were 27 participants.
On 3 August, Melissa Ricaurte and Carey Major hosted, “Harry Potter Escape Room.” During this escape room program participants used their detective skills to defeat He-Who-Must-Not-Be-Named. There was a total of 22 attendees.

On 4 August, Lauren Mathur led a craft activity “Make A Forky!” This Toy Story 4 character inspired event had 26 attendees.

On 5 August, Lauren Mathur held an evening storytime event “Pajama Party.” This program has 26 participants.

On 5 August, Lauren Mathur hosted “Sesame Street Storytime.” This Sesame Street inspired stories, had 54 attendees.

On 6 August, Lauren Mathur led the program “Alphabet Adventures.” This program helped preschoolers learn the alphabet. It had 43 participants.

On 7 August, the Alafaya Branch hosted “Bubble Playtime.” This program was created to help develop fine motor development skills. This program had 115 participants.

On 8 August, Lauren Mathur led an outreach at the event, “Stone Lakes Meet the Teacher,” at Stone Lakes Elementary School. She talked to 52 community members about library resources.

On 8 August, Lauren Mathur led an outreach at the event, “Avalon Meet the Teacher,” at Avalon Elementary School. She talked to 72 community members about library resources.

On 10 August, Kelly Head hosted “Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 Go!” Attendees learned how to mix up a delicious snack for summer road trips. This program had 36 participants.

On 12 August, Lisa Glassford led “Sea Life.” During this aquatic themed storytime participants experienced stories, songs and crafts. It had 39 attendees.

On 13 August, Lauren Mathur “PBS Kids Time!” This PBS character inspired program had 116 participants.

On 14 August, Lynette Schimpf held “Guitar Sing-A-long.” This sing-a-long had 55 attendees.

On 17 August, Priscilla Diaz led the “Pop-Up Party: Descendants!” Participants celebrated Descendants trilogy by singing, brewing drinkable potions, creating crafts, and dressing up Descendants style! There were 22 attendees.

On 19 August, Aidan Mitchell led, “Puppy Love.” This puppy inspired program had 57 participants.

On 20 August, Carey Major hosted “STEAM Playground.” This science program had 50 attendees.

On 20 August, Lauren Mathur led an outreach, “Chick-fil-a Family Night.” She shared library resources with 23 attendees.

On 21 August, outside presenter MyGym held “My Gym Mobile Mommy & Me (ages 0-2).” This program had 71 participants.

On 21 August, outside presenter MyGym led, “My Gym Mobile Fun & Fitness (ages 3-5).” There were 25 attendees.

On 23 August, the Alafaya library held “Storytime Crafts.” This program had 30 participants.

On 26 August, Aidan Mitchell led, “Monsters Read Too!” There were 20 attendees at this monster themed storytime.

On 28 August, Alafaya library hosted “Tinker Tots.” This toddler maker program had 41 attendees.

On 27 August, Lauren Mathur led the attendees at “Stories & Stretches,” in reading stories and stretches. This program had 53 participants.

Throughout the month of August, Andrew Jefferies, Priscilla Diaz and Diana Rodriguez hosted “English from Zero,” “English Conversation Hour” and “Speaking Clearly” at Alafaya. 199 Customers attended these classes over the month.

Chickasaw

On 1 August, 180 participants attended “Summer BreakSpot.”
On 1 August, 46 participants attended “Stories & Stretches.”
On 2 August, 183 participants attended “Summer BreakSpot.”
On 3 August, 323 participants attended “Kids’ End of Summer Celebration.”
On 3 August, 67 people were engaged during Generacion de Fe’s Back to School Festival.
On 5 August, 44 participants attended “Parachute Play.”
On 6 August, 63 participants attended “Tertulia Cuatro Gatos.”
On 7 August, 27 participants attended “Puppy Love.”
On 9 August, 23 participants attended “What Does the Shape Say?”
On 10 August, 170 people were engaged at Summit Church’s Back to School event.
On 12 August, 22 participants attended “Mary Poppins Returns Movie & Craft.”
On 14 August, 31 participants attended “Back to School Celebration.”
On 14 August, 30 participants attended “Apples to Oranges.”
On 15 August, 14 participants attended “Pop Up: Letters of Love.”
On 16 August, 20 participants attended “Toddler Playground.”
On 19 August, 20 participants attended “Big Fish, Little Fish.”
On 22 August, 31 participants attended “If You’re Happy and You Know It!”
On 22 August, 20 participants attended “I Spy a Shape.”
On 22 August, 22 participants attended “Tertulia Cuatro Gatos.”
On 23 August, 33 participants attended “Wii Love Gaming.”
On 26 August, 41 participants attended “Hear Me Roar!”
On 29 August, 2 participants attended “You Are My Sunshine.”
On 30 August, 19 participants attended “Bean Bag Play with a Purpose.”
On each Tuesday in August, an average of 33 participants attended “Tiny Tales.”
On each Tuesday in August, an average of 68 participants attended “Toddler Time.”
On each Tuesday in August, an average of 49 participants attended “Storybook Fun.”
On each Tuesday in August, an average of 57 participants attended “Storytime Crafts.”
Throughout August, an average of 7 participants attended “Meetup: Crochet Project.”
On each Tuesday in August, an average of 17 students attended “Speaking Clearly Beginner.”
On each Monday and Tuesday in August, an average of 19 students attended “English from Zero.”
On each Thursday in August, an average of 10 students attended “Practice Makes Perfect.”
On each Wednesday in August, an average of 12 students attended “Basic Spanish.”

**Eatonville**

On 1 August, Patty Brinkman hosted “Cuisine Corner Junior: Lemonade Craze.” The 18 attendees learned how to make real lemonade and how to change the taste by adding various fruits and spices.
On 2 August, Patty Brinkman hosted “ASR: Color Your Universe.” A total of 15 attended.
On 3 August, Patrice F-Walker attended “Neighborhood Center for Families Back to School Event” and a total of 61 attended.
On 5 August, Sonya Surgeont hosted “Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 Go!” A total of 11 kids participated in this food event where attendees learned how to create delicious snacks for those summer road trips and long days by the water.
On 8 August, Patty Brinkman hosted “DC vs. Marvel.” A total of 10 kids participated in this superhero faceoff with games, trivia, and activities.
On 13 & 27 August, Eatonville Branch partnered with Healthy Eatonville Place to host “Hebni Nutrition Health and Wellness” class and “Homeless Mat” craft class. Attendees learned how to select vitamins by reading labels and how to create mats using plastic bags. A total of 25 attended these events.
On 17 August, Patrice F-Walker, Patty Brinkman, and Beverley-Ann Galloway, participated in the indoor and outdoor “132nd Town of Eatonville’s Founder’s Day Celebration.” A total of 18 adults participated in the senior activities and 20 kids attended the craft table in the kids’ corner.
On 27 August, Beverley-Ann Galloway hosted “Storytime Crafts” and a total of 36 kid from Brighter Futures Early Learning Center and Lashundra’s Tots attended this fun filled event of crafts and stories.
On 28 August, Veronica Tinsley hosted “What’s on the Inside?” How many hairs are on your head? What happens when you eat pizza? A total of 11 after schoolers attended this human body fact finding event with hands on activities.
On 29 August, Eatonville branch partnered with Healthy Eatonville Place to host “Check, Change, Control.” A total of 17 adults attended this health and wellness event focusing on high blood pressure and how to live healthy.

A total of 121 kids attended Eatonville’s “Zero to Five Storytime.” This read-aloud program encourages early literacy skills and includes rhythm and repetition of nursery rhymes, picture books, songs, and flannel board stories.

On 1 - 31 August, Eatonville promoted “Check It Out: Freddy’s,” presenting 50 children who checked out five or more books with a coupon for one free mini sundae or concrete.

**Fairview Shores**

- On 1 August, Fairview Shores hosted 16 participants to reach for the stars and see how they measure up with fun, family friendly games during, “Space Carnival.”
- On 3 August, Fairview Shores hosted 40 attendees for a “Kid’s Talent Show.”
- On 3 August, Fairview Shores received 40 “Early Learning Contest” entries and 62 “Reading & Activity Calendars.”
- On 1 and 2 August, Fairview Shores hosted “Summer Breakspot” where an average of 53 kids a day, 18 and under, received a free nutritious meal from the Orange County Public Schools Food Bus in the library parking lot, then joined us inside the library meeting room to nourish their bodies and minds.
- On 1 and 15 August, “Tertulia Cuatro Gatos” hosted their monthly meeting where they read poetry, discussed literature and sang; 47 people enjoyed these cultural events.
- On 2 August, 15 friends practiced developing their motor skills during, “Asteroid Adventures.”
- On 6 August, 15 children and parents explored the magical world of fairy tales with stories and activities for “Build a Story with the Three Little Pigs.”
- On 9 and 23 August, “Mother Goose on the Loose” hosted an average of 21 for an important time of pre-literacy skills development using rhymes, songs, puppets and musical instruments.
- On 13 August, Fairview Shores hosted 21 residents that seek to feel connected and address concerns in the community during, “Lee Road Safe Neighborhood.”
- On 14 August, 13 participants enjoyed the family friendly Disney movie *Mary Poppins Returns* and a craft during “Mary Poppins Returns Movie & a Craft.”
- On 15 August, 12 participants learned how to mix up a delicious snack for those long summer days during, “Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 Go!”
- On 19 and 24 August, 16 total participants enjoyed designing their own edible bugs during, “Just Buggy”
- On 20 August, 15 friends learned about France through stories and crafts during, “Everybody Bonjours!”
- On 26 August, “STEAM Discovery” brought together 11 parents and children to explore and discover STEAM activities and products.
- On 27 August, “What Can You do with a Crayon” helped 28 participants increase important developmental skills using crayons.
- Every Monday in August, an average of 29 children and parents participated in Fairview Shores “Zero to Five Storytime.” This read-aloud program encourages early literacy skills and includes rhythm and repetition of nursery rhymes, picture books, songs, and flannel board stories.
- Every Wednesday in August, “Introduction to American Sign Language” hosted an average of 9 students at Fairview Shores learning and improving their sign language through role playing, games, and instruction.
- Every Thursday in August Fairview Shores hosted, “Bubble Play Time” engaging an average of 21 toddlers and preschoolers for a great time developing coordination while playing with bubbles.
- In August, a total of 90 children and parents engaged in “Pop-Up Children’s Playtime.” They created various coloring and craft activities and played with toys focused to help build motor skills.
- In August, a total of 153 children and parents engaged in “Pop-Up Crafts” at the library.

**Herndon**

- On 1 August, Limary Velez hosted “Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star.” Thirty-four customers attended.
- On 1 August, Maggie Finley hosted “Space Spa.” Twelve customers attended.
- On 2 August, 40 customers attended “To Boldly Go with Gigi &Friends.”
• On 3 August, 16 customers participated in “Early Learning Contest.”
• On 3 August, 17 customers attended “Angel Paws to Read.”
• On 3 August, 19 customers participated in “Reading & Activity Calendar.”
• On 5 August, 14 customers attended “Caregiver Connect: Stay and Play.”
• On 5 August, Limary Velez hosted “Baby Discovery.” Thirty-five customers attended.
• On 7 August, Joriel Figueroa hosted “I Spy a Shape.” Fourteen customers attended.
• On 8 August, Normalee Page hosted “If You’re Happy and You Know It.” Forty-two customers attended.
• On 9 August, Limary Velez hosted “Everybody Bonjours.” Eleven customers attended.
• On 10 August, 15 customers attended “Book Talk with Katy Yocom.”
• On 10 August, 11 customers attended “Meet the Author: ShaKera Akins.”
• On 10 August, 29 customers attended “Storytime with Squirt.”
• On 10 August, 75 customers attended “Mini Book Fair.”
• On 12 August, Limary Velez hosted “Shake, Rattle & Roll.” Twenty customers attended.
• On 15 August, Limary Velez hosted “Little Chef: Peach Cobbler.” Thirty-five customers attended.
• On 16 August, Melissa Ricaurte hosted “Bubble Playtime.” Eighteen customers attended.
• On 19 August, Limary Velez hosted “Baby Games.” Twenty-four customers attended.
• On 19 August, 24 customers attended “Caregiver Connect: Stay & Play.”
• On 21 August, Joriel Figueroa hosted “What Can You Do with a Crayon?” Thirteen customers attended.
• On 22 August, Limary Velez hosted “Puppy Love.” Forty-three customers attended.
• On 23 August, Emily Thomson hosted “Afterschool Snacks: Puppy Chow.” Twenty customers attended.
• On 24 August, 12 customers attended “Introduction to Calligraphy.”
• On 26 August, Limary Velez hosted “Baby Boogie.” Forty-five customers attended.
• On 26 August, Limary Velez hosted “Caregiver Connect: Stay & Play.” Forty customers attended.
• On 28 August, 22 customers attended “Container Gardening.”
• On 29 August, Limary Velez hosted “Extraordinarily Ordinary.” Thirty-five customers attended.
• On 31 August, 22 customers participated in “Check it Out: Freddy’s.”
• During the month of August, 58 customers wrote letters to an “Astronaut” as part of the children’s book character mailbox.

Hiawassee
• On 2 August, Hiawassee hosted “Voter Registration Outreach,” in partnership with the Supervisor of Elections (SOE) to promote voter registration. The SOE outreach attracted 12 people who registered to vote or updated their voter information.
• On 3 August, Hiawassee’s Librarian Ashley Taylor attended a “Backpack Bash and Pep Rally” hosted by the Pine Hills Neighborhood Center for Families and the Wayne Densch YMCA. Ashley promoted library programs, services, resources to 212 students and parents.
• On 8 August, Hiawassee’s Librarian Ashley Taylor represented the branch at “Lake Silver Elementary School’s Meet the Teacher” event, where she spoke to 155 students and parents about school and study resources available virtually and at the Library.
• On 9 August, Hiawassee presented “Bubble Playtime” for 25 youth who enjoyed an interactive bubble class.
• On 13 August, Hiawassee presented “Snack & Learn: Talking to Aging Relatives About the Future” in partnership with CarePlus, where 31 seniors gathered to discuss financial, legal, and healthcare issues.
• On 16 August, Hiawassee presented “Puppy Love” to 25 little ones who gathered to share their love for our forever friends with stories and activities.
• On 23 August, Hiawassee presented “Apples to Oranges” to 10 toddlers and preschoolers who had fun learning about apples, oranges and everything yummy in between while playing and discovering stories, crafts and activities all about fruit.
• On 24 August, Hiawassee hosted a “NACA Home Buying Workshop” in partnership with the Neighborhood Assistance Corporation of America, where 125 participants learned about the NACA program and how to fast-track their path to homeownership.
• On 30 August, Hiawassee presented “Little Chef: Peach Cobbler” for 15 toddlers and preschoolers who enjoyed stories and made delicious no-bake peach cobblers.
• On 1 - 2 August, Hiawassee partnered with OCPS “Summer BreakSpot” to offer meals to 173 children, averaging 87 meals per day.
• On 1 - 31 August, Hiawassee promoted “Check It Out: Freddy’s,” presenting 23 children who checked out five or move books with a coupon for one free mini sundae or concrete.
• On 1, 5, 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26 and 29 August, Hiawassee offered “English from Zero” classes to an average of 14 beginning English learners per class.
• On 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 August, Hiawassee presented “Zero to Five Storytime” to an average of 11 toddlers and preschoolers.
• On 7 and 14 August, Hiawassee offered “Improve Your English Reading Workshops” with the Adult Literacy League to an average of 11 attendees per workshop.

Main
• On 1 August, favorite local children’s performer, “JiggleMan” visited the library and entertained 156 children and their caregivers with music, dancing and plenty of mysterious fun.
• The library marked the end of our Summer Reading Program on 3 August with the “Kid’s End of Summer Celebration” with freestyle rap group FREEDAPS. Our generous sponsors provided winning grand prizes that 276 attendees had a chance to win while having a blast.
• During the 10 August “Piano Festival of Marches Recital,” 199 attendees listened as students performed a selection of march music by Beethoven, Prokofiev, Schubert, Tchaikovsky and John Philip Sousa.
• The 14 August African American Chamber of Commerce of Central Florida “Member Exchange and Business Fair” provided 156 attendees with the opportunity to meet members of the community and answer questions.
• On 15 August, the monthly LIFE Information for Elders series in partnership with the Orange County Office on Aging gave 68 attendees a look at the “Components of a Full Memory Screening” and discussed the elements of comprehensive memory and thinking skills assessments.
• Harpist Christine MacPhail entertained 82 attendees during her 17 August “Music in the Library” performance.
• On 21 August, 40 toddlers and preschoolers channeled their inner artist at the “Little Picasso” event where they practiced important motor-development skills.
• The library celebrated a classic TV Show on 28 August with “Sesame Street Storytime” where 43 children and their caregivers listened to stories and participated in fun activities and crafts.
• The history of pizza and flatbreads was this month’s “Food 101” program. It was on 28 August. with 14 in attendance.
• On 29 August, 59 students from Lake Eola Charter School visited the library for a fun monster-themed storytime.
• Nationally bestselling and award-winning author, Hank Phillippi Ryan discussed her new thriller, The Murder List, with 35 eager fans during the 29 August “Meet the Author” event.
• The TEC department offered a variety of WhizKids classes during the month that had 48 attendees in total.
• The TEC department offered a variety of Adobe classes during the month that had 58 attendees in total.
• Our “English From Zero” Sunday series continued through August, welcoming 72 students over 4 sessions.
• The TEC department offered a variety of sewing classes and open labs for 164 attendees.
• “Personal Finance Using Morningstar” gave customers the 101 of budgeting and investing, with 19 in attendance over 3 sessions.
• The TEC department offered a variety of online classes for 44 attendees in total.
• The TEC department offered a variety of knitting/crochet classes and meetups for 93 attendees.
• The “Social Worker @ the Library” program assisted 142 customers over 10 sessions.
North Orange

- On 1 August, an outside presented hosted “Reactory Factory Explores the Library.” A total of 50 participants attended.
- On 3 August, Kerry Morgan attended the John H Bridges Annual Back to School Outreach, 325 participants obtained information about the Orange County Library System.
- On 3 August, 101 participants attended “Kid’s End of Summer Celebration.”
- On 6 August, 24 participants attended “Magnet Power.”
- On 8 August, 20 participants attended “Traffic JAM.”
- On 8 August, Loida Garcia attended the Wheatley Elementary School Open House event. A total of 109 kids and their caregivers visited the table.
- On 10 August, 27 participants attended “Angel PAWS to Read.”
- On 13 August, 18 participants attended “Monsters Read Too!”
- On 15 August, 22 participants attended “Homeschool Meet Up.”
- On 17 August, 15 participants attended “Cookies and Milk with a Cop!”
- On 20 August, 20 participants attended “Puppy Love.”
- On 20 August, 13 participants attended “Money Management Using a Calendar.”
- On 22 August, 18 participants attended “Everybody Bonjours!”
- On 23 August, 19 participants attended “Toddler Carnival.”
- On 27 August, 26 participants attended “Counting with Creatures.”
- On 27 August, 16 participants attended “Florida Licensing on Wheels.”
- On 29 August, 23 participants attended “If You’re Happy and You Know It!”
- Every Monday for the month of August, an average of 13 students attended “English from Zero.”
- Every Wednesday for the month of August, an average of 15 students attended “Intermediate English.”
- Every Wednesday for the month of August, a total of 275 children and caretakers participated in “Wednesday Story time Crafts.”

South Creek

- On 1 August, “Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star” was hosted at the South Creek Branch. This preschool age event introduced the little ones to the wonderful world of languages. There were 30 children and their guardians present.
- On 1 August, South Creek saw 26 people attend “Art Class” where the participants showcased their creativity.
- On 2 August, the crowd of 34 library customers found out the answer to the question “How Do Astronauts Eat in Space?”
- On 3 August, South Creek ended its Summer Reading Program with “Kids’ End of Summer Celebration.” Kids who turned in their Summer Reading Activity calendars redeemed their prize passes to enter the drawing for amazing giveaways. There were 213 in attendance for the celebration.
- On 7 August, Youth Program Specialist Cassandra Zamutt presented “If You’re Happy and You Know It!” This event for toddlers had the children clapping their hands and shouting hooray. There were 21 in attendance.
- On 8 August, Branch Circulation Clerk Jan Aikens hosted “Apples and Oranges.” This storytime and activity about fruit attracted 17 participants.
- On 10 August, Cassandra Zamutt presented “You Are My Sunshine.” Positive songs and stories were shared with toddlers and preschoolers. There were 11 in attendance.
- On 11 August, Branch Librarian Reshard Ausserlechner hosted “Tea and Conversation.” The group of 25 participants enjoyed a snack and great conversation.
- On 14 August, Cassandra Zamutt hosted “Monsters Read Too!” Not so scary stories were about our favorite monsters were shared with the 21 in attendance.
- On 15 August, “Baby Boogie” was presented by Branch Circulation Clerk Alexandra Ohara. Babies were introduced to music to stimulate their cognitive development, language learning, and motor skills. There were 21 in attendance.
On 17 August, Customer Service Tech Aly Oestreich presented “A World of Pausabilities.” The 21 in attendance learned tools on controlling their emotions with meditation.

On 18 August, South Creek enjoyed a great musical performance with “Hunter’s Creek Community Band.” There were 65 in attendance.

On 21 August, Cassandra Zamutt helped kids explore the seas with “Fish-tastic Fun.” There were a total of 53 participants.

On 22 August, Branch Circulation Clerk Lynne Richards hosted South Creek’s book club with the event “Books with a Bite.” The group of 11 shared their insights to books they have read recently.

On 22 August, South Creek hosted “Senator Marco Rubio Mobile Office Hours.” There were 12 constituents present to speak with a member of Senator Rubio’s office.

On 22 August, Alexandra Ohara delighted kids and their parents with “Artsy Toddler.” There were 23 in attendance.

On 24 August, Branch Circulation Clerk Maria Mussi presented “Everybody Bonjours!” The crowd of 14 customers learned about France through stories and crafts.

On 28 August, Cassandra Zamutt had 44 little ones and their parents put together delicious ingredients to create “Little Chef: Peach Cobbler.”

In August, weekly storytimes at South Creek brought in 809 library customers for the month.

In August, weekly ESOL classes brought in 318 students wanting to improve their English language skills.

In August, Hispanic book club “Tertulia Cuatro Gatos” met four times and had a total attendance of 181 people for the month.

In August, South Creek hosted four library tours for a local English language school. There were 95 people in attendance for the tours.

South Trail

“Summer BreakSpot” concluded on 2 August at South Trail. During the 9 weeks of the program the South Trail branch served 6172 meals from the Food Bus. In addition, 336 adults participated in events in the meeting room with their children. A total of 6508 people were impacted by this program at South Trail alone.

“English From Zero” met on Saturday mornings during August and averaged 18 students.

“Practice Makes Perfect” met on Tuesday evenings in August and averaged 17 students.

On 1 August, “Stranger Things Escape Room” had 20 participants.

On 2 August, “Out of This World Movies” entertained 25 with a movie and a craft.

On 2 August, 83 people participated in the “Back to School Roundup.”

On 2 August, “Guardians Remix” had 20 people in attendance.

On 5 August, 38 people celebrated the end of the summer at “South Trail’s End of Summer Party.”

On 8 August, Claudia Piper talked to 203 people about library resources at the “Pineloch Meet the Teacher” night.

On 12 August, 13 people participated in “Treehouse Adventures: Dinosaurs Before Dark.”

On 13 August, 19 children enjoyed “Everybody Bonjours!”

On 13 August, the “Back to Celebration” had 11 participants.

On 16 August, the “Robotics Open House” had 22 participants.

On 19 August, “Treehouse Adventures: The Knight at Dawn” had 14 people in attendance.

On 20 August, “If You’re Happy and You Know it!” had 15 children attending.

On 20 August, “Animal Super Powers” had 12 participants.

On 26 August, “Treehouse Adventures: Mummies in the Morning” had 16 children attending.

On 27 August, “Crafternoons” entertained 17 participants.

On 27 August, “Apples to Oranges” had 24 in attendance.
Southeast

- On 1 August, the event “To Boldly Go with Gigi & Friends” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 80 people attended.
- On 2 August, the event “Southeast End of Summer Bash!” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 103 people attended.
- On 17 August, the event “Library Pop-Up: Lake Nona - Magical Mr. Tim” was hosted at Valencia College in Lake Nona, a total of 38 people attended.
- On 17 August, the event “Mary Poppins Returns Movie & a Craft” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 13 people attended.
- On 27 August, the event “Cuisine Corner: Empanadas” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 23 people attended.
- Every day for the month of August, a total of 345 children and caretakers participated in Southeast’s “Color Your World!”
- Every Wednesday for the month of August, a total of 331 children and caretakers participated in Southeast’s “Wednesday Morning Story Times.”
- Every Monday in August, “Mother Goose on the Loose/Mama Gansa” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 4 events were held with a total of 23 attendees.
- Every Monday and Friday in August, “English from Zero” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 6 workshops were held with a total of 189 attendees.
- Most Mondays in August, “Practice Makes Perfect” was hosted at Southeast, a total of 3 workshops were held with a total of 62 attendees.
- Every Wednesday for the month of August, “Reading Clearly Intermediate” was hosted at Southeast, 4 workshops were held with a total of 107 attendees.
- Every Tuesday for the month of August, “Speaking Clearly Beginners” was hosted at Southeast, 7 workshops were held with a total of 194 attendees.
- Most Fridays for the month of August, “Writing Clearly Beginner” was hosted at Southeast, 3 workshops were held with a total of 79 attendees.
- Every Thursday for the month of August, “Spanish From Zero” was hosted at Southeast, 4 workshops were held with a total of 75 attendees.
- During August, 100 children participated in the library’s “Check It Out: Freddy's” promotion.

Southwest

- In August, children were invited to write a postcard to Arthur as part of the monthly "Character Mailbox," 42 postcards were received.
- In August, the “Turtle Scavenger Hunt” helped children learn about the Dewey Decimal System and the 105 who participated received a small prize.
- On 7 August, 14 patrons attended the “Stress Buster Art: Ceramic Tile Art” to unwind and unplug with art.
- On 12 August, Southwest staff presented the “Toddler Playground” program for 58 participants who used unstructured play to help their physical and cognitive development and have fun.
- On 13 August, 21 people attended “Cuisine Corner: Peach Panna Cotta” and joined Chef Emily from Publix Aprons school on a culinary journey.
- On 14 August, the event “Storytime for Grownups” featured an entertaining grown up storytime with laugh out loud stories for 16 attendees.
- On 14 August, 48 people attended the “Baby Bookworms” program and enjoyed songs and stories while developing better motor skills.
- On 19 August, 48 customers attended “Bubble Playtime” and had fun while also working on motor development skills.
- On 20 August, 19 people attended “Beginner Watercolor Techniques” and explored the basics of the watercolor painting method.
- On 27 August, 27 members of the “Southwest Book Club” met to discuss their monthly selection.
- In August, Southwest hosted “Storytime Crafts.” Five events were held with a total of 471 attendees.
- In August, 157 children participated in the library’s “Check it Out: Freddy’s” promotion.
• The library partnered with the Adult Literacy League for “Cozy English Conversations” for an August total of 56 attendees to work on English vocabulary, pronunciation and comprehension.
• On Thursdays in August, 251 preschoolers and their caregivers attended “Storybook Fun” to listen to stories, songs and develop a love of reading.
• In August, a total of 11 teens attended “Time Out for Teens” a weekly gathering on Mondays to talk about school and other issues while participating in fun activities and learning new life skills.

**Washington Park**

• On 1 and 2 August, Washington Park hosted “Summer BreakSpot” a program where children received a free nutritious meal from OCPS that they could enjoy inside the library. There were 50 children that received lunch.
• On 1 August, Lowens Mesidor hosted the “March on Mars” at the Washington Park Branch. Children designed their own spaceship to Mars. There were 15 participants.
• On 8 August, Leasha Tavernier attended "Meet the Teacher" at Eccleston Elementary School. She was able to reach out to 122 people.
• On 8 August, Leasha Tavernier attended "Meet the Teacher" at Carver Middle School. She was able to reach out to 90 people.
• On 8 August, Deborah Aponte attended "Meet the Teacher" at Lovell Elementary School. She was able to reach out to 93 people.
• On 21 August, Jesus Viana presented “Animal Superpowers” at the Washington Park Branch. Children learned what truly amazing animals can do with real superpowers. There were 10 participants.
• In August, Washington Park concluded its Summer Reading Program. Thirteen children returned their Reading & Activity Calendars and 7 participated in the Early Learning Contest.
• In August, Lorie Fornett created a “Back to School Activity” that children could complete and turn in to library staff to get a small prize. Twenty-two children participated by turning in their activity sheets.
• In August, Washington Park hosted “Character Mailbox” featuring postcards to Clifford the big red dog. Twenty-one children participated by writing letters and sending them through our character mailbox.
• In August, 43 children participated in the “Check It Out: Freddy’s Frozen Custard and Steakburgers” contest.
• Every Wednesday in August, “English from Zero” was hosted at the Washington Park Branch. A total of 4 classes were taught with an average of 14 students per class.
• Every Friday in August, “English Conversation Hour” was hosted at the Washington Park Branch. A total of 5 classes were taught with an average of 12 students per class.

**West Oaks**

• On 1 August, the event, “Journey through Immigration Records,” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. An audience of 11 genealogy researchers attended this lecture learning more about their family’s history by using passenger lists, passports, alien registration cards, and naturalization records. A brief overview of immigration laws was also presented.
• On 1 August through 29 August, the event series, “Writing Clearly for Beginners: ESOL,” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. This series introduced 39 customers to the beginning and basics of English grammar by focusing on the parts of speech, the organization of sentences, and vocabulary building.
• On 3 August, 70 preschool customers submitted an “Early Learning” calendar and received a goody bag and a chance to win the Early Learning End of Summer prize drawing!
• On 3 August, 185 customers submitted a “Reading and Activity Calendar” sharing each day that they read a book, attended a SRP event or a technology class and received a goody bag and a chance to win prizes at our End of Summer Grand Prize Drawing that, included prizes like, bicycles, tickets to local attractions, a staycation and more!
• On 6 August, the event, “Kids Yoga,” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. Parents and preschoolers participated in our monthly children’s yoga class. Our yoga instructor taught
attendees how to practice posture and strengthen their mind and body connection! A healthy and fun
time was had by all 29 customers attending!

- On 6 August through 27 August, the weekly event series, “Practice Makes Perfect” was hosted at the West
  Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. A combine audience of 36 attendees practiced conversational
  English with other non-native speakers! A certified ESOL instructor with the Adult Literacy League led the
  class.
- On 7 August, the Genealogy event, “Do It Yourself DNA Research Open Forum” was hosted at the West
  Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. An audience of 13 genealogy researchers spent their evening
  analyzing their own DNA test results. Our Genealogy Specialist was available to help assist with answering
  questions as attendees conduct their own DNA analysis.
- On 8 August, the event, “Organizing Your Family History Research,” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch
  Library and Genealogy Center. With energy and calmness, an audience of 21 joined us to learn how to
  organize genealogy documents and do your research in a systematic manner.
- On 8 August through 29 August, weekly event series, “An Introduction to American Sign Language,” was
  hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. A total of 38 customers attended to learn
  American Sign Language! During this progressive, four-week course, the instructors covered the manual
  alphabet, numbers, and more!
- On 13 August, the event, “Little Chef: Peach Cobbler” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and
  Genealogy Center. Oh My! An audience of 26 parents using whipped cream and yogurt and peaches
  mixed, layered, mushed and sliced a tasty treat using a delicious recipe.
- On 13 August through 27 August, the Event Series, “Tracing Your Ancestors,” was hosted at the West Oaks
  Branch Library and Genealogy Center. Each week our Branch Manager presented a genealogy course on
  researching ancestors of English, Italian and French descent. This popular series enjoyed a combined total
  of 14 genealogy researchers.
- On 13 August, the event, “Be a Pal to Your Pet” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and
  Genealogy Center. An audience of 13 school age children explored how to take care of and be a great
  friend to pets.
- On 15 August, the event, “Genealogy Myths and Legends: Fact, Fiction or Both?” was hosted at the West
  Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. A total of 12 genealogy researchers joined us to explore how
  family stories that are handed down from generation to generation can be wonderful and beneficial to
  genealogy research.
- On 18 August, the event, “Buckaroo Bash!” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy
  Center. An audience 20 preschoolers and parents joined us and dusted off their boots while they mosey on
down to the library for a rootin’ tootin’ good time with stories, games, and country western fun.
- On 20 August, the event, “Apples to Oranges” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy
  Center. An audience of 19 joined us to celebrate apples, oranges, and everything yummy in between! We
  played and discovered with stories, crafts and activities that was all about fruit!
- On 20 August, the SRP event, “Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 G!” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch
  Library and Genealogy Center. An audience of 29 super excited customers attended for the chance to learn
  how to mix up a delicious snack just in time for their return to school!!
- On 21 August, the event, “Senior Scams!” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy
  Center. Fraud specialists provided information on ways Seniors can prevent themselves from being a target
  of all types of senior scams. An audience of 13 attended!
- On 21 August, the event, “STEAM Storytime!” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy
  listened to stories and worked together on a STEAM based project.
- On 22 August, the event, “United States Genealogy: Pennsylvania” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch
  Library and Genealogy Center. An audience of 21 joined us to explore the rich research resources and
  collections that are held in a variety of archives and repositories in the Keystone state.
- On 24 August, the event, “Paws to Read” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy
  Center and enjoyed by 25 beginning readers and a few furry friends.
On 27 August, the event, “Everybody Bonjours!” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. Bienvenue à la bibliothèque! Welcome to the library! A total of 16 parents and preschoolers learned about France through stories and crafts inspired by Leslie Kimmelman’s Everybody Bonjours! À bientôt! See you soon!

On 27 August, the event, “Treehouse Adventures: The Knights at Dawn” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. An audience of 16 were whisked off with us to the Medieval time period! They competed in a knightly tournament of skills and created crafts fit for a king or queen.

On 29 August, the event, “Genealogy 101-Your Family's History: Where to Begin?” was hosted at the West Oaks Branch Library and Genealogy Center. This event introduced an audience of 11 to genealogical terms, techniques, and sources. Attendees learned helpful suggestions on how to begin to research their family's story.

On 31 August, the contest, “CHECK IT OUT: Freddy’s Frozen Custard & Steakburgers!” concluded with 86 juvenile customers participating. Customers checked out five or more items and received a coupon for a free mini sundae or concrete at Freddy’s Frozen Custard & Steakburgers!

Windermere

On 1 August, 13 children and 8 adults celebrated the 50th anniversary of the moon landing during “Celebrating Man’s First Steps on the Moon” by building their own space craft while eating tasty moon pies.

On 1 August, “Homeschooling: Building an Orion Space Craft” brought 20 children and adults into the library to make mini versions of the real Orion Space Craft.

On 2 August, 50 children participated in “Astronaut Coloring Activity” by coloring a cool picture of an astronaut in outer space.

On 2 August, 6 children and 4 adults learned all about how to best take care of their furry, fluffy, feathery, and fishy friends while making crafts and reading stories during “Be a Pal to Your Pet.”

On 3 August, “Citizenship Inspired” had 12 adults coming to the library to learn about and study for the Naturalization Test.

On 3 August, “English from Zero” brought 18 adults to the library to practice and improve their English.

On 3 August, 73 children completed their calendars for the “Reading Activity Calendar” by checking off the days they read books over the summer and turning in their sheet.

On 3 August, “Early Learning Contest” was completed by 25 children who marked off the days when they read a book over the summer.

On 5 August, 15 children and 10 adults embraced their inner monster during “Monsters Read Too” where they made monster masks and read stories.

On 5 August, “Homeschool: Cross Stitch” brought 6 children, 1 teen, and 5 adults to the library to learn the basics of cross stitching.

On 7 August, 21 children and adults had a delicious time learning how to make a yummy snack to eat before doing homework during “Afterschool Snacks: Puppy Dog Chow.”

On 8 August, 9 children and 5 adults came to “Homeschool: Science Exploration” to study science and perform cool experiments.

On 8 August, “Weather Watchers” had 17 children and 7 adults tracking hurricanes using the National Hurricane Center.

On 9 August, waffles piled high with fruit, sprinkles, and whipped cream were enjoyed by 15 children and adults during “Cuisine Corner Junior: Wacky Waffles.”

On 10 August, “Citizenship Inspired” had 13 adults coming to the library to learn about and study for the Naturalization Test.

On 10 August, everyone’s favorite therapy dogs Rocky the dachshund and Meg the golden doodle came during “Angel Paws to Read” to listen to stories read by 11 children and 6 adults.

On 12 August, “Homeschool: Cross Stitch” brought 6 children, 1 teen, and 4 adults into the library to make cross stitch personalized bookmarks.

On 13 August, Baby Cow came to the library to make a 3D Cow craft during “Family Storytime with the Chick-fil-A Cow.”
On 17 August, “Citizenship Inspired” had 13 adults coming to the library to learn about and study for the Naturalization Test.

On 17 August, “English from Zero” brought 10 adults to the library to practice and improve their English.

On 19 August, all the 20 children and adults who came to “Puppy Love” left the library with their very own balloon pooch after playing games and singing songs about puppies.

On 20 August, “Buckaroo Bash” was a rootin’ tootin’ good time for 14 children and 10 adults who after reading some stories made their own sheriff’s badge.

On 20 August, 11 children and 10 adults chilled out in their jammies during “Pajama Jamboree” while making door hangers and eating cookies.

On 23 August, 16 children and adults came to the library to paint stunning masterpieces during “Homeschool: Art Expressions.”

On 24 August, “Citizenship Inspired” had 14 adults coming to the library to learn about and study for the Naturalization Test.

On 24 August, “English from Zero” brought 2 children and 18 adults to the library to practice and improve their English.

On 26 August, octopi were seen swimming around the library after “Macaroni Mania Monday” where 17 children and 7 adults created the ocean-dwellers with different pasta shapes.

On 31 August, “Check It Out: Freddy’s” finished with 100 children participating by checking out books.

On 1 August, Erin Reichel presented the last session of “K Ready!” to 45 attendees.

On 1 August, the library held a pop-up event in Horizon West, “Library Pop-up: Horizon West” at the Waterleigh Community Clubhouse bringing stories and crafts to 22 participants.

On 1 August, Jessy Hart Howell hosted “Pokémon Party” for 70 enthusiastic future trainers.

On 1 August, the Library offered an “Out of This World Scavenger Hunt” taking 40 participants on a tour throughout the branch.

On 2 August, Jessy Hart Howell hosted the last session of “Tummy Time Sensory Play” welcoming 62 people.

On 3 August, Winter Garden hosted the “Kids' End of Summer Celebration” which drew in 257 revelers.

On 3 August, Winter Garden welcomed Expanding Intelligence for the “Tails with Tales” event, which encourages children to practice their reading with sweet, furry friends. 12 attendees participated.

On 6 August, Chand Persad hosted “You Are My Sunshine” featuring stories, crafts, and activities for 55 attendees.

On 8 August, 2 sessions of “Parachute Play” brought dancing and singing to the location for 63 participants.

On 10 August, the Winter Garden library hosted a “Back to School Celebration” offering several events and welcoming in community partners between 10:00 am and 4:00 p.m.:

- 50 people spoke with community partner-Florida Health
- 50 people spoke with community partner-Healthy West Orange
- 20 people spoke with community partner-The Neighborhood Center for Families.
- 35 people spoke with community partner-Orlando Health
- 54 attendees participated in the “Back to School Celebration” event which featured stories, activities, and crafts.
- 53 attendees participated in “Cuisine Corner Jr: Snacks to Go”
- 23 attendees participated in “Tech Exploration: hosted by Best Buy”

On 13 August, Nadine Nelson and 50 attendees shared stories and activities about furry friends during “Puppy Love.”

On 14 August, Erin Reichel got cooking with 26 attendees at “Afterschool Snacks: Puppy Chow.”

On 15 August, Erin Reichel Hosted “Apples to Oranges,” welcoming 41 attendees who explored various fruit through activities and stories.
On 15 August, Tech Trainer Ryan Nyman visited the Vision Educational Learning Center to speak with 20 parents and students about classes offered at the library each week.

On 16 August, Erin Reichel presented “Shake, Rattle, and Roll” which encourages baby’s movement and hand-eye coordination to a group of 40.

On 19 August, Winter Garden welcomed 20 attendees to “Tea Education & Tea Tasting.”

On 20 August, Janette Ramos hosted “Bubble Playtime” welcoming 66 attendees to dance and sing amidst a flurry of bubbles.

On 21 August, Nadine Nelson and 34 attendees got creative during “What Can You Do with a Potato?”

On 22 August, Erin Reichel welcomed 19 participants to “If You’re Happy and You Know It!”

On 22 August, Janette Ramos hosted “Creative Watercolors,” welcoming 11 attendees.

On 24 August, the library held a pop-up event in Horizon West, “Library Pop-up: Horizon West” at the Waterleigh Community Clubhouse bringing “Jiggleman,” who delighted 90 attendees.

On 24 August, Nadine Nelson and 18 participants explored the Hindu holiday of Raksha Bandhan through a story and craft during “Threads of Love.”

On 25 August, Branch Manager Zully Escobar, attended a “Community Baby Shower” at the Elks Lodge in Winter Garden to promote library services to 48 expectant mothers and guests.

On 27 August, Chand Persaud hosted “Monsters Read Too” for 41 attendees.

On 28 August, Erin Reichel hosted “Crafthoons” for a group of 36.

On 29 August, Genevieve Traas welcomed 20 to a garden themed edition of “Artsy Toddler.”

On 29 August, 11 children attended “Read to Sydney,” where they practiced reading to a furry dog.

On 29 August, Nadine Nelson hosted the “Winter Garden Book Club,” which continues to grow in popularity. 10 participants came together to discuss “Where the Crawdads Sing.”

On 31 August, Karen Southerland and 55 attendees created one of a kind art during “Yarn Doodles.”

The Winter Garden Library had 115 participants for the SRP “Early Learning Contest.”

The Winter Garden Library had 150 participants for the SRP: “Reading & Activity Calendar.”

Throughout the month of August visitors to the Winter Garden Library were invited to participate in a community art project. 304 people crafted and donated original art on popsicle sticks which all came together to form a quilt.

“Citizenship Inspired” was offered to the community on four Wednesdays in August by Branch Librarian, Rebecca Padrick, bringing in an average of 12 attendees per session.

“Backpack Bling” was hosted on 7 and 17 in August with a total of 34 attendees.

“English Conversation Hour” was offered on 4 Mondays in August by Branch Librarian Rebecca Padrick. 43 customers participated.

“Family Yoga” was held on three occasions at the branch in August, bringing in a total of 43 attendees.

Check It Out: Freddy’s ran throughout August. 150 tickets were distributed.

Winter Garden continued to offer “Caregiver Connect: Stay and Play” in August, holding nine events for an average of 44 attendees per event.

“Lego Block Party,” hosted by staff member Brandon Lower, was held on 17 and 27 of August, welcoming a total of 43 participants.

“D&D at the Library” was hosted on two Tuesdays in August, bringing in 20 attendees to take part in the campaign and battle.

“Storytime Crafts” was held on five Fridays in August and welcomed an average of 52 participants per event.

“Sing-A-Long with Friends” was held on four Tuesdays in August and drew an average of 38 attendees per event.

In August, Wednesday and Friday storytimes brought in 1253 kids and their guardians.
Upcoming Library Events

Back 2 Basic

Personal Finance Using Morningstar
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center   Tuesdays, September 3–17, 6:30 p.m.
Get the 101 of budgeting and investing using Morningstar’s *Investing for the Long Run: Strategies and Solutions to Help You Shape Up Your Personal Finances* in this six-week series.

Plant Clinic
Winter Garden Branch   Thursdays, September 5, 3–5 p.m.
Alafaya Branch   Thursday, September 12, 2–4 p.m.
Bring your plants, get your soil pH tested and ask questions! Master Gardener Volunteers from the UF/IFAS Orange County Extension Office will be available to answer your gardening questions.

Alphabet Calligraphy Class
Herndon Branch   Mondays, September 16, 4–5:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch   Sunday, September 22, 2–3:30 p.m.
Learn about the history of various calligraphy fonts while practicing writing letters of the alphabet. Feel free to bring your favorite calligraphy pens. Space is limited. Registration required.

Book Clubs

**Tertulia Cuatro Gatos / Spanish Book Club**
Chickasaw Branch   martes, septiembre 3, 6:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch   miércoles, septiembre 4–25, 6:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch   jueves, septiembre 5 y 19, 6:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch   martes, septiembre 10, 6:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch   jueves, septiembre 12 y 26, 6:30 p.m.
La Tertulia Cuatro Gatos se reúne para compartir y discutir poesía, literatura, arte o historia. Todos son bienvenidos. El programa es presentado en español. Join Spanish-language book club to discuss literature, art, music and more related to Latin American culture. This program is presented in Spanish.

Southeast Book Club

*The Island of Sea Women: A Novel* by Lisa See
Southeast Branch   Monday, September 9, 6:30 p.m.
While working as divers with the all-female diving collective on a small Korean island, Mi-ja and Young-sook find their friendship challenged by their differences and forces outside their control.

OCLS Album of the Month Club

*Revolver* by the Beatles
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room   Thursday, September 12, 6:30 p.m.
Fellow music lovers rejoice! OCLS has an Album-of-the-Month Club, and you are invited to join engaging conversations about some of the greatest records ever pressed. Ages 16 and up.

Hiawassee Book Club

*The Library of Lost and Found* by Phaedra Patrick
Hiawassee Branch   Monday, September 16, 6:30–8 p.m.
A shy librarian receives a mysterious book of fairy tales from the beloved grandmother she believed dead and embarks on a perspective-changing journey of astonishing family secrets.

Alafaya Book Club

*More Than Words* by Jill Santopolo
Alafaya Branch   Wednesday, September 18, 7 p.m.
Mourning the death of her father and reeling from an astounding secret, Nina Gregory finds herself caught between the world of her longtime boyfriend and her passionate boss.
Southwest Book Club
*News of the World* by Paulette Jiles
Southwest Branch  *Tuesday, September 24, 7–8:45 p.m.*

Historical fiction that explores boundaries of family, responsibility, honor and trust. Ages 18 and up.

Winter Garden Book Club
*The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak
Winter Garden Branch  *Thursday, September 26, 6 p.m.*

Trying to make sense of the horrors of World War II, Death relates the story of Liesel – a young German girl whose book stealing and storytelling talents help sustain her family and the Jewish man they are hiding.

Children's Business Fair - Bizkids
**Orlando Children’s Business Fair**
Orlando Public Library  *Sunday, November 17, 2–5 p.m.*

What do Elon Musk, Mark Zuckerberg, Bill Gates and an Orange County third grader have in common? They are all entrepreneurs who innovate and serve their communities. Join us for the Orlando Children’s Business Fair and together we can invest in the success of the next generation of entrepreneurs. The fair is a one-day marketplace where children will debut their innovative inventions, market their services or products, and build marketing strategies. Registration ends Saturday, October 19.

BizKids
In 2017, Orange County Library System unveiled a new series of camps called “BizKids” which teach entrepreneurship and business skills to youth. The camps provide students with opportunities to develop a business idea, run a storefront and learn office software. Combining these creative skills with the business skills needed to plan, finance, market and sell products, empower youth to become entrepreneurs.

On November 11, 2018, Orlando Public Library presented the Orlando Children’s Business Fair, a one-day marketplace to provide a platform for BizKids students to launch their businesses, promote their services or products and build marketing strategies. More than 50 businesses owned by kids ages 6–14 were featured at the fair and close to 800 attendees participated in the event, purchasing products from young vendors who sold artwork, soap, LEGO cars, baked goods, photographic services, handicrafts and more.

We believe that this is the first youth business fair held at a public library in the country. One aspect that makes the Orlando Children’s Business Fair unique is that it is complemented by business classes and camps that are free for residents of Orange County with a library card. These classes are enhanced by classes in fiber arts (sewing, finger knitting), Fab Lab (laser cutting, circuitry, woodworking, 3D printing), arts and crafts and culinary arts which are part of the growing maker / DIY movement.

This year’s fair is scheduled for November 17, 2019. The application period opened on Saturday, August 17 and will close on Saturday, October 19.

The library seeks to build upon the success of these programs by introducing the “BizKids Club” in Spring 2020! The club, geared towards middle school aged youth, consists of nine courses on entrepreneurship and business and will include mentorship and nutritious meals. This project is made possible by a generous grant from The Orange County Citizens’ Commission for Children (CCC), a Division of the Orange County Family Services Department.

**Citizenship Inspired**
Southwest Branch  *Tuesdays, September 3–24, 4 p.m.*
Windermere Branch  *Thursdays, September 5–26, 4:30–7:30 p.m.*
Southeast Branch  *Saturdays, September 7–21, 10:15 a.m.–1 p.m.*
Alafaya Branch  *Mondays, September 9–30, 5:30 p.m.*

During this four-week program, students will meet once each week to prepare for the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview.
Know Your Rights
Southeast Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 6:30 p.m.
This workshop is designed for immigrants, both documented and undocumented, and those who are interested in learning more about how to defend the constitutional rights of the immigrant community.

Talleres de Bienvenida
Chickasaw Branch  sábado, 21 de septiembre, 1–4 p.m.
Le invitamos a Talleres de Bienvenida, una serie de talleres diseñados para dar la bienvenida a las personas de habla hispana que se han mudado a la Florida Central. This class is presented in Spanish.

Cuisine Corner
Get Your Protein
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Tuesday, September 10, 6:30 p.m.
Joycelyn Bryant of Joycelyn’s Southern Kitchen will discuss the body’s dietary protein needs and demonstrate a delicious recipe. Registration required.

Tea Education & Tea Tasting
Windermere Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 6 p.m.
Enjoy tea education, for non-tea drinkers to those who have drunk tea their whole life. Sample two teas and learn about the history, fun facts and different types of teas. Registration required.

Goat Cheese Croquette
Southwest Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 6 p.m.
Join Chef Emily Roy from Publix Aprons on a culinary journey as she demonstrates how to make goat cheese croquette and raspberry preserves. Seating is limited. Registration required.

Nikki’s Place Southern Cuisine
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Tuesday, September 24, 6:30 p.m.
In honor of National Eat Chicken Month, the chefs from local favorite Nikki’s Place will show you how to prepare fried chicken and soul food sides! Ages 18 and up. Registration required.

No Cook Meals
Washington Park Branch  Thursday, September 26, 4 p.m.
Library staff will show you how to make a delectable no cook meal. Space is limited. Registration required.

Cross Creek Cookery
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Saturday, September 28, 2 p.m.
Park Rangers from the Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings Historic State Park will show you how to make an old Florida dish called pilau with a recipe straight from the Cross Creek Cookery! Registration required.

Healthy, Happy & Hummus…
West Oaks Branch  Sunday, September 29, 2 p.m.
Ever wondered what’s in hummus? Join us and learn the types of hummus, the health benefits of eating it and enjoy a demonstration on how to make this delicious Middle Eastern delicacy!

Genealogy
Tracing Eastern European Ancestors: Poland and More
West Oaks Branch  Tuesday, September 3, 12:30–2 p.m.
This genealogy research series focuses on researching European ancestors. Whichever country your ancestors are from, learn about types of documents available and research strategies to utilize.
Genealogy Research Question Workshop
West Oaks Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 6:30 p.m.
Participate in our group discussion workshop. Sharpen your genealogy skills by sharing your research questions. Email genealogy@ocls.info to submit your question.

AAHGS: Afro American Historical and Genealogical Society
West Oaks Branch  Saturday, September 14, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Members of the Central Florida Chapter of Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society (AAHGS) will share information on African American History, Heritage and Genealogy.

DNA Double Topic Night: Haplogroups and Surname Projects
West Oaks Branch  Wednesday, September 18, 6:30 p.m.
Join us for this dual topic DNA night as we explore the meaning behind haplogroups and discuss how to work with a surname project.

Researching Canadian Ancestors
West Oaks Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 6:30 p.m.
Do you have Canadian ancestors? We will discuss the differences between researching in Canadian versus American records and will explore sources such as census, land and probate records.

Finding Your Roots
Genealogy, The Very Basics
West Oaks Branch  Thursday, September 5, 11 a.m.
So you want to learn more about your family history but don’t know where to begin? This program will introduce you to genealogical terms and techniques.

Discovering U.S. Census Records
West Oaks Branch  Thursday, September 12, 11 a.m.
Learn about what information is contained in each of the censuses and discover how to use all of the various bits of information from the census as clues to further your research.

Using Vital Records
West Oaks Branch  Thursday, September 19, 11 a.m.
Births, marriages and deaths are important pieces of information for your family history. Become familiar with the key sources for locating your ancestors’ vital records.

Digging Up Land Records
West Oaks Branch  Thursday, September 26, 11 a.m.
Learn about deeds, mortgages, platting and surveys. Discover the difference between metes and bounds states and public land record states.

Healthy Living
Community Yoga
West Oaks Branch  Sunday, September 8, 3 p.m.
Join us for an all-levels free yoga class. Yoga is a great way to improve the health of your body and mind. Step out of your comfort zone and join us for an experience you won’t forget!

Mindfulness Meditation
Southwest Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 6 p.m.
Promote well-being through mindfulness meditation. For beginners to advanced. Presented by Lucia Beninati, M.S., C.C. Chairs provided. Registration preferred; walk-ins welcome. Ages 13 and up.
Calm, Cool, and Collected
West Oaks Branch Saturday, September 14, 2 p.m.
Relax by creating your own calming jar. Calming jars serve as simple meditation tools that you can use daily.

The Food Label: What’s it all About?
Eatonville Branch Saturday, September 28, 11 a.m.
Get ready for an interactive class on what you need to know about nutrition facts labels. Find out how reading the food label can help you manage diabetes, high blood pressure and lower cholesterol.

Hispanic Heritage
Music in the Library: Tropical Latin Jazz
Orlando Public Library, Library Central Sunday, September 15, 2 p.m.
The tropical sounds of Caramba Productions. The performance will include Latin jazz standards, salsa, merengue, Cuban music and more.

Cuisine Corner: Healthy Hispanic Dishes
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room Tuesday, September 17, 6:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch Thursday, September 19, 6:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch Saturday, September 21, 11 a.m.
Yamira Lee Johnson, head chef of Breaking Bread with Mira, will demonstrate how to create healthy Hispanic dishes. Space is limited. Registration required.

Hispanic Heritage Craft
Southeast Branch Wednesdays, September 18 & 25, 10 a.m.–Noon
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage by creating a fun craft. Recommended for toddlers, preschoolers, upper and lower elementary.

Celebrate Through Film: Hispanic Heritage
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room Wednesdays, September 18–October 9, 11 a.m.–3 p.m.
Screenings of popular movies in honor of National Hispanic Heritage Month.
9/18: La Bamba (PG-13)
9/25: Selena (PG)
10/2: Pan’s Labyrinth (R)
10/9: Coco (PG)

Mexican Danza
Chickasaw Branch Wednesday, September 18, Noon
Orlando Public Library Saturday, September 21, 2 p.m.
South Creek Branch Saturday, September 28, 11 a.m.

Cuisine Corner: Mojo Chicken and Black Beans
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room Friday, September 20, 2 p.m.
Chef Cristina demonstrates how to prepare a zesty and herbaceous mojo chicken with sofrito black beans. Space is limited. Registration required.

Southwest Art Club: Portrait of Frida Drawing Workshop
Southwest Branch Saturday, September 21, 1:30–4:30 p.m.
Use soft pastels to create portrait of Mexican artist Frida Kahlo based on a rendering by Xiomara Aleksic. Materials provided. No art experience needed. Suggested donation $20. Ages 18 and up.
Celebrate With Dance
Alafaya Branch       Sunday, September 22, 2 p.m.
Southeast Branch     Saturday, September 28, 2 p.m.
Enjoy a lively performance of Spanish folk dances by Alborea Dances.

Estrategias Exitosas Para Negocios Nuevos
Alafaya Branch       Wednesday, September 25, 6:30 p.m.

Hispanic Fusion
Winter Garden Branch Saturday, September 28, 2:30 p.m.
The Hispanic Fusion group performs cultural dances that represent their respective countries.

Music in the Library: El Mariachi Show
Orlando Public Library, Library Central Sunday, September 29, 2 p.m.
Listen as they take you on a musical journey to Mexico, Guatemala, Colombia, Venezuela, Peru, Ecuador, Argentina, Puerto Rico, Cuba and more.

Jobseeker
Career Academy: Perfecting Your Resume
Orlando Public Library, Learning Central Tuesday, September 3, 1:30 p.m. & Saturday, September 14, 9:30 a.m.
Get noticed! Elevate your job application with best practices in crafting a resume and cover letter.

Career Academy: Interview Like a Pro
Orlando Public Library, Learning Central Tuesday, September 17, 1:30 p.m. & Saturday, September 28, 9:30 a.m.
You’ve landed an interview! Now what? Get tips that will help you to practice and prepare, and to write a memorable thank you letter.

Language Learning

English from Zero
Alafaya Branch   Mondays, 6:30 p.m.
Chickasaw Branch Mondays, 6 p.m. & Thursdays, 12:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch   Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.
North Orange Branch Mondays, 6:30 p.m.
Orlando Public Library Sundays, 4:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch Mondays, 7:30 p.m. & Fridays, 10:30 a.m.
South Creek Branch Mondays, 3 p.m.
English from Zero classes are designed for beginning English learners. Each workshop has a specific target topic. Dates and times are subject to change.

Intermediate English
North Orange Branch Wednesdays, September 4–25, 6:30 p.m.
English from Zero classes are designed for beginning English learners. Each workshop has a specific target topic.

Improve Your English Reading Workshop
Hiawassee Branch   Wednesdays, September 4–25, 6 p.m.
Improve your English conversational skills, vocabulary, pronunciation and comprehension by reading a book. Enjoy learning and meeting new people in a supportive environment.
Writing Clearly Beginner
Alafaya Branch  Friday, September 6–20, 2 p.m.
Writing for Beginners is designed to introduce learners to the basics of English grammar by focusing on the parts of speech, the organization of sentences, and vocabulary building.

ESOL: Practice Makes Perfect
Southwest Branch  Saturdays, September 7–28, 2 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Fridays, September 9–27, 11 a.m.
Practice conversational English with other new English speakers to build confidence. Led by a certified instructor with the Adult Literacy League. No registration needed.

Basic Spanish
North Orange Branch  Tuesday, September 3–24, 6:30 p.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Wednesday, September 4–25, 6:30 p.m.
Vocabulary Workshop for Beginners is a free workshop for individuals who speak little to no Spanish.

Spanish From Zero
Southeast Branch  Thursday, September 5–26, 6:30 p.m.
Come and learn basic Spanish. Seating is limited. Registration required.

Library Events
Social Worker @ the Library
North Orange Branch  Monday, 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Orlando Public Library  Tuesday, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
Alafaya Branch  Wednesday, 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
Orlando Public Library  Thursday, 10 a.m.–7 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Friday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Social worker Andre Morris meets one-on-one with individuals and families to assist with social and government services.

Stress Buster Art: Customized Coffee Mugs
Southwest Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 10:30 a.m.–Noon
National Coffee Day is September 29 and to celebrate we will be designing personalized coffee mugs. Panera Bread will provide free coffee! All supplies provided. Registration required. Ages 18 and up.

Craft Club
Alafaya Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 7 p.m.
Arts and crafts aren’t just for kids! Release your inner child and come to adult crafting.

Creative Watercolors
Winter Garden Branch  Thursday, September 5, 6–8 p.m.
Join us for the basics of watercolor painting through the use of watercolor pencils and paint.

South Creek Small Business Expo 2019
South Creek Branch  Saturday, September 7, 10 a.m.–2 p.m.
Support small and local businesses at the South Creek Small Business Expo 2019. Vendors will have booths where they will be selling and promoting their unique crafts and services. Join us for a fun community event.

Responsible Dog Ownership
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Saturday, September 7, 11 a.m.
Enjoy a presentation from the Orlando Dog Training Club to educate first-time and current dog owners about the basics of dog ownership. Pets may not attend.
Orlando Public Library Pokémon League
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Sundays, September 8 & 22, 3 p.m.
Calling all trainers! Join the official Orlando Public Library Pokémon League. Battle with the Pokémon Trading Card Game and more. Trainers of all ages and skill levels welcome.

Ghost Society
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Sunday, September 8, 2 p.m.
Share your personal experiences, learn what’s new in the field and discuss books and shows in a casual atmosphere.

The Pen Meetup
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room  Sunday, September 8, 3:30 p.m.
Meet up with other fountain pen enthusiasts each month as we learn new things and explore our favorite hobby.

1989 Film Festival
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Mondays, September 9–30, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.
Celebrate these top 1989 movies turning 30 this year!
9/9: Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade (PG-13)
9/16: Look Who’s Talking (PG-13)
9/23: Dead Poet’s Society (PG)
9/30: Honey I Shrunk the Kids (PG)

Introduction to Foundation Center Resources
Orlando Public Library, Learning Central  Monday, September 9, 6–7:30 p.m.
Looking for funding? Get the 101 on using this comprehensive directory to win grants and make a difference.

The FUNdamentals of Improv
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Wednesdays, September 11–October 30, 6–7:30 p.m.
This eight-week course covers improv skills, including learning the basics of agreement and support, getting over shyness and being “in the moment.” Ages 16 and up. Registration required.

Creative Coloring
Winter Garden Branch  Thursday, September 12, 6–8 p.m.
Coloring is a great way to relax and unwind while channeling your inner child. All supplies will be provided, but feel free to bring your favorite colored pencils or markers.

Rock The Wrap: Headwrap Styling Workshop
South Trail Branch  Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m.
Hiawassee Branch  Thursday, September 26, 6 p.m.
Rock The Wrap is an educational and interactive experience that provides step-by-step instruction of headwrap styling techniques. Seating limited. Registration required.

Trap-Neuter-Return Boot Camp
Fairview Shores Branch  Saturday, September 14, 1–2:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Wednesday, September 18, 5:30–7 p.m.
Pet Alliance of Greater Orlando will be hosting a Trap-Neuter-Return Boot Camp to teach the basics of humanely trapping community cats.

Gaining Financial Control Of Your Divorce
Chickasaw Branch  Monday, September 16, 6:30 p.m.
Before making any financial decisions regarding your divorce, become aware of potential pitfalls and learn the smart questions you should be asking.
Crystal Energy: A History of Crystals and Gemstones
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room       Saturday, September 21, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch       Tuesday, September 24, 6:30–8 p.m.
Do you love crystals but wonder how to deepen your relationship with them? Join author and crystal expert Nicholas Pearson for an exciting journey through the history of crystals.

16Personalities
South Creek Branch       Sunday, September 22, 2 p.m.
Which personality are you? Take the personality test and learn who you really are.

Florida Licensing on Wheels
North Orange Branch       Tuesday, September 24, 10 a.m.–2 p.m.
Do you need to update your name or address on your driver license or ID? Florida Licensing on Wheels will be offering all these services and more.

Family Zumba
Chickasaw Branch       Wednesday, September 25, Noon
Learn basic Zumba moves to help you dance your way to fitness. Zumba uses dance aerobics for a fun workout. Recommended for children ages 4–13 and adults.

Art 101: Jewels of the Mughal Empire
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room       Wednesday, September 25, 6:30 p.m.
We will focus on jewels created during the Mughal dynasty and create a work of art based on classic designs. Registration required. Ages 15 and up.

Intersectionality: Building a Framework for Social Change
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room       Thursday, September 26, 6:30 p.m.
Our experiences are shaped by a variety of factors and social dynamics that operate together. Through Intersectionality we can understand these factors and use the privilege they provide to achieve equity.

Ask a Lawyer: Presented by The Orange County Bar Association
Chickasaw Branch       Thursday, September 26, 6:30 p.m.
The Orange County Bar Association will provide an open forum for individuals to speak with a panel of attorneys to get insight, guidance and legal information.

Paint Your Pint
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room       Monday, September 30, 6:30 p.m.
Explore your creative side with a fun night of glassware painting. Design a pint to take home. Space is limited. Registration required. Ages 15 and up.

Meet the Author
Local Author Festival
Orlando Public Library, Library Central       Sunday, September 22, 2–4 p.m.
Meet and greet local authors at our Local Author Festival. Authors from a variety of genres will share their experiences and books. Each author will have books available for purchase and signing.

Melrose
Melrose Film Festival
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center       Saturday, September 14, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
We’re rolling out the red carpet for filmmakers and film enthusiasts alike at the 2nd Annual Melrose Film Festival. Join us for a day of film screenings, guest presentations and Q&A sessions. This year, we received nearly 2,000 submissions from over 50 countries. Entries do not exceed 10 minutes in length and fall into one of five categories: Short Films, Micro Short Films, Animated Shorts, Music Videos and Documentaries. All selected films will be
screened the day of the festival, and winners from each category will be announced along with an Audience Favorite based on attendee votes. This is a great chance for local film lovers of all ages to support independent filmmakers and discover amazing Melrose Center resources.

**2020 Melrose Awards**

*Submission Period: September 9–December 9*

The Melrose Awards are back! Have you created a project using Melrose Center resources this year? Winners in the Music Recording, Voice Recording, Photography, Video, Digital Media Design and Maker categories will be awarded cash prizes at the Melrose Creative Expo on February 15, 2020. Submissions accepted starting September 9, 2019.

**Melrose in the Mix: Steve Garron**

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center  
Saturday, September 7, 3:30 p.m.

Steve Garron first rose to prominence in the music community as the leader of legendary Orlando band Precious. See him perform and record in the Melrose Center’s Audio Studio.

**Open Mic: The Voice of Melrose**

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center  
Thursday, September 26, 6–7:30 p.m.

Orlando musicians and poets: sharpen your live performance skills and let Orlando hear your voice. Join us every fourth Thursday of the month for live entertainment in a creative atmosphere.

**Makerspace Open Lab**

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center  
*Tuesdays, September 3–24, 9:30 a.m.–7:30 p.m.*  
*Thursdays, September 5–26, 9:30 a.m.–7:30 p.m.*  
*Saturdays, September 7 & 21, 1:30–5:30 p.m.*  
*Saturdays, September 14 & 28, 9:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.*

Do you need a space and tools to build your maker projects? We have the equipment and tools, you bring your materials and projects!

**Designing 3D Prototypes Level 1**

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center  
September 9, 4–5:30 p.m. & September 18, 9:30–11 a.m.

Learn how to measure and design your prototype for 3D printing or injections molding.

**Designing 3D Prototypes Level 2**

Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center  
September 9, 6–7:30 p.m. & September 18, 11:30 a.m.–1 p.m.

Are you ready to take your idea to manufacturing? Learn how to create a prototype with moving parts.

**Music in the Library**

**Brian Hayes**

Chickasaw Branch  
Wednesday, September 4, 11 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch  
Saturday, September 7, 11 a.m.

Enjoy a musical performance by classical guitarist, Brian Hayes.

**Shannon Rae**

South Creek Branch  
Saturday, September 7, 11 a.m.

Vocalist Shannon Rae will perform as part of the South Creek Branch’s Small Business Expo. Hear songs every generation will enjoy. You might even catch yourself singing along.
Next Chapter

Healthy Living for Seniors
Herndon Branch  Wednesday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Learn how to create and maintain a healthy lifestyle. Registration recommended. To register, call Mike Flahaven at 407.340.5291 or visit yourfloridahaven.com under the Smarter Senior Seminar Series.

Central Florida Community Arts Beginner Dance for Seniors
Fairview Shores Branch  Wednesdays, September 18–November 20, 10:30 a.m.–Noon
Seniors at all skill levels are welcome and encouraged to attend! A great way to learn beginning dance skills and get some exercise in a fun environment. Registration recommended.

Elder Services and Resources
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  Thursday, September 19, 12:10 p.m.
Learn what types of agencies and assistance are available to elders in the Central Florida area. This seminar is part of the monthly LIFE Information for Elders series.

Senior Living Affordability Options
Southwest Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Obtain information on affordable senior living options. Registration recommended.

Downsizing in Five Easy Steps
South Trail Branch  Monday, September 30, 6–7:30 p.m.
Discover steps that make downsizing easier to manage. Registration recommended.

Fall Fiber Festival
Orlando Public Library  Sunday, September 29, 1–5 p.m.
Calling all fiber artists! Join us in a celebration of sewing, knitting, crocheting, weaving and more!
- Explore exhibitor and vendor booths
- Explore the Yarnfiti Community Art Project installation
- See demonstrations and try family-friendly activities
- Compete in speed knitting and serger threading competitions
- Win hand-crafted items
- Discover who will walk away with this year’s Fiber Arts Contest Grand Prize

Fiber Arts
Yarnfiti Community Art Project
Lend your knitting and crocheting skills to our annual community art project, Yarnfiti. Join your fellow fiber artists in crafting an undersea world out of yarn.

Meetup: Yarnfiti Community Art Project
Orlando Public Library  Wednesdays, September 4–18, 5 p.m.
Contribute your crochet and knitting talents to the annual Yarnfiti Community Art Project. Help craft an undersea paradise out of yarn complete with undersea plants, animals and corals.

Let’s Crochet Jellyfish Amigurumi
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, September 7, 2:30–4 p.m.
Practice your crochet skills while creating a jellyfish amigurumi. This project uses chaining, single crochet and double crochet stitches to create a jellyfish. Prior crochet experience required.

Yarnfiti Installation Party
Orlando Public Library  Sunday, September 22, 2–5 p.m.
Contribute your talents to the annual Yarnfiti Community Art Project. Join us in installing the undersea world for it’s opening on September 29.
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HTML Online
Can’t get to the library? Learn the basics of web design from the comfort of home. Master this powerful language with instructor-led classes and real-world exercises.

Online Class: Web Design – HTML5 Level 1
*Friday, September 6, Noon–1:30 p.m.*
*Monday, September 16, 6–7:30 p.m.*
Learn basic web design processes and terminology and how to create a simple webpage using HTML tags.

Online Class: Web Design – HTML5 Level 2
*Friday, September 13, Noon–1:30 p.m.*
*Tuesday, September 17, 6–7:30 p.m.*
Want to expand your skills? Learn how to layout webpages using HTML5 tags. In this class, you learn how to create a header, footer and different sections in a webpage.

Online Class: Web Design – HTML5 Level 3
*Wednesday, September 18, 6–7:30 p.m.*
*Friday, September 20, Noon–1:30 p.m.*
Want to display data properly on your webpage? Learn how to build a responsive table to showcase your data.

Online Class: Web Design – HTML5 Level 4
*Thursday, September 19, 6–7:30 p.m.*
*Friday, September 27, Noon–1:30 p.m.*
Do you want to interact with your users? Learn how to create an interactive form to collect data from your site’s visitors.

Hack HTML
Start designing modern websites today. Use Hypertext Markup Language (HTML) to structure beautiful and responsive pages.

Web Design: HTML Level 1
Fairview Shores Branch  *Saturday, September 7, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.*
Herndon Branch  *Saturday, September 7, 10:30 a.m. & Wednesday, September 25, 6 p.m.*
Orlando Public Library  *Wednesday, September 18, 10 a.m.–11:30 a.m.*
Alafaya Branch  *Friday, September 20, 1–2:30 p.m.*
Want to expand your skills? Learn how to layout webpages using HTML5 tags. In this class, learn how to create a header, footer and different sections in a webpage.

Responsive Web Design Fundamentals
Orlando Public Library  *Sunday, September 8, 3–5 p.m.*
Herndon Branch  *Wednesday, September 11, 7:15 p.m. & Saturday, September 21, 2:15 p.m.*
Alafaya Branch  *Wednesday, September 25, 6:30–8:30 p.m.*
Learn how to build a website that responds and adapts to the size of the screen through the use of responsive HTML5 and CSS code.

Ready, Set, Code! Clubs
Join the club that codes! Learn how to create your own mobile apps, robots and video games from scratch in these nine-week coding clubs.
Ready, Set, Code! Club: Robotics
Orlando Public Library
*Sundays, September 8–November 3, 2–3:30 p.m. & Wednesdays, September 11–November 6, 4–5:30 p.m.*
Winter Garden Branch  *Saturdays, September 14–November 9, 1:15–2:45 p.m.*
Join the Ready, Set, Code! Club to design and build robots from scratch. Identify a problem, then brainstorm and design a robot to solve it. Ages 10–14.

Ready, Set, Code! Club: Mobile Apps
Alafaya Branch  *Wednesdays, September 11–November 6, 3:30–5 p.m.*
Orlando Public Library  *Saturdays, September 14–November 9, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.*
Join the Ready, Set, Code! club to design your own mobile apps from scratch. Create your own app from wireframing your idea to presenting your prototype. Ages 10–14.

Upcoming
Recollections of an Atomic Bombing Survivor
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  *Tuesday, October 8, 6:30 p.m.*
A lecture organized by the Nagasaki National Peace Memorial Hall for the Atomic Bomb Victims.

Trick or Treat Safe Zone
Orlando Public Library
Orange County Regional History Center
*Saturday, October 26, 10 a.m.–3 p.m.*
Young ghouls and goblins enjoy trick or treating throughout the Orlando Public Library and the Orange County Regional History Center along with creepy crafts, candy and a scavenger hunt!

Writers Corner
Common Editing Mistakes
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  *Wednesday, September 4, 6:30 p.m.*
Laura Helseth of Read Head Editing will discuss the most common fiction editing mistakes and how to avoid them. She’ll provide tips and tricks for getting the most out of your self-editing.

OCLS Writers Group
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room  *Sunday, September 8, 4 p.m.*
Join your fellow writers for critique, discussion and camaraderie. Writers of all genres and experience are welcome. Please attend one meeting before submitting a piece for critique.

Writing Wednesday
Southwest Branch  *Wednesday, September 18, 7–8:30 p.m.*
Join us for structured writing time and light refreshments in our reading area. Writers of all types and levels are encouraged to attend.

Building a Series Bible
Alafaya Branch  *Thursday, September 19, 7 p.m.*
A series bible is a document used to track information on a series’ characters and world-building elements. Author Kerry Evelyn will demonstrate how to create and use one. Registration required.

Inspire Your Writing
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  *Saturday, September 21, 4 p.m.*
Learn how music, art and other media can influence and assist your writing. Author Taylor Simonds will discuss how to incorporate playlists, instrumental scores and mood boards into your process.
Childrens
Game Day
Fairview Shores Branch   Tuesdays, September 3–24, 4 p.m.
Play everything from Xbox and chess to Pokémon and more at our Cool to Do After School series!

Latin Fun Fiesta
South Trail Branch      Tuesday, September 3, 4:30 p.m.
Washington Park Branch  Wednesday, September 18, 4 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch        Tuesday, September 24, 6:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch        Saturday, September 28, 2 p.m.
South Creek Branch      Saturday, September 28, 2:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch       Thursday, September 19, 3:30 p.m.
Kids, join us for a fun Maya & Miguel celebration! Activities, crafts and culture await you at this program that will prove to be “muy fabuloso.”

Cuisine Corner Junior: Salsa, Salsa, Salsa!
Hiawassee Branch        Tuesday, September 3, 6:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch    Wednesday, September 11, 3:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch        Tuesday, September 17, 5 p.m.
Eatonville Branch       Wednesday, September 18, 2:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch      Saturday, September 21, 2 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch  Monday, September 23, 4 p.m.
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage with a salsa tasting, salsa dancing and spicy games! Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Superhero Science
West Oaks Branch         Tuesday, September 3, 5 p.m.
Washington Park Branch   Monday, September 9, 4 p.m.
South Trail Branch       Tuesday, September 10, 4:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch   Monday, September 16, 4 p.m.
South Creek Branch       Thursday, September 19, 4 p.m.
Orlando Public Library   Saturday, September 21, 3:30 p.m.
Eatonville Branch        Wednesday, September 25, 2:30 p.m.
Windermere Branch        Thursday, September 26, 3:30 p.m.
There is more to superheroes than what meets the eye. Explore the science behind their powers through hands-on activities that will transform your mind!

Drop In Chess
Southwest Branch         Wednesdays, September 4–25, 3–5 p.m.
Orlando Public Library   Wednesdays, September 11 & 25, 2 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch   Saturday, September 28, 2 p.m.
Drop in for a game of chess at the library. Chess sets are available for play and rule sheets are provided. All ages.

Crafternoons
Winter Garden Branch     Wednesday, September 4, 3:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch       Fridays, September 6–27, 4 p.m.
Join us for an hour of crafting fun with friends. Registration recommended.

Fur-ever Friends Film Festival
Fairview Shores Branch   Wednesdays, September 4–25, 4 p.m.
Enjoy a kid friendly film fest that celebrates furry friends. All ages.
Mayor Buddy’s Book Club Discussion Group
Orlando Public Library  Thursdays, September 5 & 19, 3:15 p.m.
Join Mayor Buddy’s Book Club weekly discussion group to talk, meet other book club members, share experiences and have fun. Recommended for upper elementary, tween and teen.

The CREATE Space
Orlando Public Library  Fridays, September 6 & 20, 3 p.m.
What will you create today? Explore, experiment or be entertained. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Wii Love Gaming
Chickasaw Branch  Fridays, September 6 & 20, 3:30 p.m.
If you love gaming like we love gaming, come get your game on at the library! Join us for action-packed fun with the Nintendo Wii and more!

Tails with Tales
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, September 7, 11:45 a.m.
Practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a sweet, furry friend. Expanding Intelligence Dog Training LLC presents this reading program with their certified therapy dogs.

Construction Toys for Kids
Herndon Branch  Saturdays, September 7 & 21, 2 p.m.
Learn the basics of building and learning with Snap Circuits, K’NEX and Magformers.

Southwest Homeschool Club
Southwest Branch  Mondays, September 9, 1 p.m.
Math, science, history, art and literature-based learning to support your homeschool curriculum. Recommended for upper elementary.

Notable Hispanic Americans
Fairview Shores Branch  Monday, September 9, 4 p.m.
Orlando Public Library  Saturday, September 14, 3:30 p.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Friday, September 27, 3:30 p.m.
Get to know more about some inspiring Hispanic Americans with a program that celebrates National Hispanic Heritage Month.

Building Challenge
Alafaya Branch  Monday, September 9, 4:30 p.m.
Different building challenges each month, using things like LEGO, K’Nex, Keva blocks and more! Space is limited. Registration required. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Treehouse Adventures: Pirates Past Noon
South Trail Branch  Monday, September 9, 4:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch  Wednesday, September 18, 6:30 p.m.
Ahoy matey! Set sail on the high seas to learn about the pirate life.

What’s on the Inside?
West Oaks Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 5 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Wednesday, September 18, 3:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch  Monday, September 30, 4 p.m.
How many hairs are on your head? What happens when you eat pizza? By exploring the human body with hands-on activities and stories we can find out the answers to these questions and more!
STEAM Storytime
Hiawassee Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 6:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Saturday, September 14, 10:30 a.m. & 3:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch  Tuesday, September 24, 10:30 a.m.
Science! Technology! Engineering! Art! Math! Storytime! Gather the family to listen to a story and work together on a STEAM based project. Recommended for lower and upper elementary and families.

Folk Art Arpilleras
Washington Park Branch  Wednesday, September 11, 4 p.m.
Alafaya Branch  Wednesday, September 11, 4:30 p.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Friday, September 13, 3:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch  Tuesday, September 24, 5 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 3:30 p.m.
Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month! Learn about folk art arpilleras from Chile and Peru and create your own.

Musical Paints
Fairview Shores Branch  Thursday, September 12, 4 p.m.
Follow the beat to make your art complete! Drop in for a unique event that combines art with sound.

Food Discovery
South Trail Branch  Thursday, September 12, 4:30 p.m.
Expand your culinary world while enjoying samples of fruits from around the globe! Supplies are limited. Registration is required.

Roald Dahl Day: Matilda
Orlando Public Library  Friday, September 13, 3:30 p.m.
Celebrate Roald Dahl’s birthday with a mystery game and crafts. All activities are based on his book, Matilda.

LEGO Block Party
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, September 14, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch  Tuesday, September 24, 6:30 p.m.
Is there anything you can’t build with LEGO? We provide the LEGO, you provide the creativity. LEGO bricks will be provided but cannot go home with you.

Angel Paws to Read
North Orange Branch  Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m.
Windermere Branch  Saturday, September 14, 11:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch  Saturday, September 28, 11:30 a.m.
Orlando Public Library  Saturday, September 28, 11:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch  Saturday, September 28, 11:30 a.m.
Practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a lovable, furry listener. Be An Angel Therapy Dogs Ministry presents this reading program for children featuring certified therapy dogs.

Fall Into Fun
South Creek Branch  Sunday, September 15, 2 p.m.
Fall into fun with this fantastic fall craft and storytime!

Southwest Homeschool Club, Jr.
Southwest Branch  Monday, September 16, 1 p.m.
Join us for hands-on learning to support your homeschool curriculum in the areas of science, math, history, art and literature. Recommended for lower elementary.
**Maker Monday**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Monday, September 16, 4:30 p.m.*  
Discover the maker in you as we complete challenges, STEM projects and experiments. Registration required. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

**Hola Biblioteca**  
South Trail Branch  
*Monday, September 16, 4:30 p.m.*  
Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month with this fabuloso event! Take a trip to the library and enjoy stories, crafts and activities.

**Afternoon with a Balloon**  
Orlando Public Library  
*Wednesday, September 18, 2:15 p.m.*  
You are never too old to have fun with a balloon, but you’ve never had fun like this! Get hands-on with balloon science and games at the library.

**A Pirate’s Life for Me**  
Winter Garden Branch  
*Wednesday, September 18, 3:30 p.m.*  
Shiver me timbers! Set sail on the high seas as we learn to be the best pirates we can be.

**LEGO One Scoop**  
West Oaks Branch  
*Wednesday, September 18, 4 p.m.*  
Create greatness with one single scoop! The challenge is on, so let’s see what you can build! Bricks for play will be provided but cannot go home with you.

**Painting with Scissors**  
Fairview Shores Branch  
*Thursday, September 19, 4 p.m.*  
This program explores the cut paper art of Henri Matisse. Share books with cut paper or collage illustrations and make your own art piece.

**Cookies and Milk with a Cop!**  
North Orange Branch  
*Saturday, September 21, 11 a.m.*  
Come meet an Apopka Police Officer, be able to hear them read stories, and have cookies and milk with them!

**Cuisine Corner Junior**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Monday, September 23, 4:30 p.m.*  
Enjoy easy-to-make snacks to celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month! Space is limited. Registration required. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

**Treehouse Adventures: Afternoon on the Amazon**  
South Trail Branch  
*Monday, September 23, 4:30 p.m.*  
Journey to the Amazon rainforest and explore the fascinating plants and animals there!

**Perfect Puzzles**  
Washington Park Branch  
*Wednesday, September 25, 4 p.m.*  
Join us for a great time while we create our own jigsaw puzzles! Registration recommended.

**Read to Sydney**  
Winter Garden Branch  
*Thursday, September 26, 11:45 a.m.*  
Read to Sydney is a local therapy dog organization that encourages children to practice their reading skills with an attentive furry listener. All ages are welcome to join Thom and his dog Toby.
This Painting Rocks!
Orlando Public Library    Saturday, September 28, 4 p.m.
Come paint with us! No two rocks are alike and that makes them a perfect canvas for unique art. Registration recommended. Recommended for upper elementary and tweens.

Treehouse Adventures: Sunset on the Sabertooth
South Trail Branch    Monday, September 30, 4:30 p.m.
Take a trip back to the prehistoric age for an event filled with caveman inspired fun!

Early Learning Baby
Sing-A-Long with Friends
Winter Garden Branch    Tuesdays, September 3–24, 10:15 a.m.
A brief sing-a-long to familiar songs for you and your baby or toddler.

Mother Goose on the Loose
Southwest Branch    Wednesdays, September 4 & 18, 10:30 a.m.
Fairview Shores Branch    Fridays, September 6 & 20, 10:30 a.m.
Southeast Branch    Mondays, September 9–30, 5:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch    Monday, September 16, 10:30 a.m.
Using rhymes, songs, puppets, musical instruments and more, we will be interacting together to help develop important pre-literacy skills in our littlest ones!

Caregiver Connect: Stay and Play
Orlando Public Library    Wednesdays, September 4–25, 11 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch    Wednesdays, September 4–25, 11:30 a.m. & Fridays, September 6–27, 11:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch    Wednesdays, September 4–25, 11 a.m.
Windermere Branch    Thursdays, September 5–26, 11:45 a.m. & Fridays, September 6–27, 11:45 a.m.
Connect with other caregivers to meet and mingle while your little one explores imaginary play with new and old friends.

Mama Gansa
Southeast Branch    Mondays, September 9–30, 5:45 p.m.
Herndon Branch    Monday, September 16, 10:45 a.m.
Southwest Branch    Wednesdays, September 4 & 18, 10:45 a.m.
A Spanish immersion Mother Goose on the Loose with interactive songs, rhymes and activities to grow your baby’s early literacy and Spanish skills!

Tummy Time Sensory Play
Herndon Branch    Monday, September 9, 10:30 a.m.
Interact with your little one as they play in their surroundings, stimulate their senses and become little explorers!
This class requires adult participation and floor blankets are encouraged.

Guitar Sing-A-Long
Alafaya Branch    Wednesday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.
A brief sing-a-long to familiar songs along with live guitar for you and your baby or toddler.

Baby Bookworms
Southwest Branch    Wednesday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.
Read! Learn! Play! Introduce your baby to important literacy practices that encourage learning and developmental growth.
My Gym Mobile Mommy & Me
Alafaya Branch    Wednesday, September 18, 10:15 a.m.
My Gym Mobile Mommy & Me is a parent participation class that combines music, movement and basic gymnastic skills. We make fitness fun!

Sensory Toys
Alafaya Branch    Monday, September 23, 10:30 a.m.
Get unplugged and join the fun of learning through play with sensory toys. Recommended for babies and toddlers.

Baby Bash
Herndon Branch    Monday, September 23, 10:30 a.m.
Bring your baby to our fun series where we will sing, play and work on developing motor skills.

Baby Games
Southwest Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.
Support your baby’s physical, social and emotional learning through play and build thinking, communication and language skills.

Early Learning Preschool
Alphabet Adventures
Alafaya Branch    Tuesday, September 3, 10:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch  Friday, September 13, 10:30 a.m.
Practice the alphabet with exciting stories and fun activities.

Purple, Green & Orange
Fairview Shores Branch  Tuesday, September 3, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch    Friday, September 20, 11 a.m.
It’s time for an adventure in colors as we share stories, songs and activities starring purple, green and orange.

Kids Yoga
West Oaks Branch    Tuesday, September 3, 11 a.m.
Yoga helps to develop focus and concentration, practice good posture, clear the mind and strengthen the mind-body connection. Recommended for families.

Little Chef: Bean Burritos
Herndon Branch    Wednesday, September 4, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch  Monday, September 9, 11 a.m.
West Oaks Branch    Tuesday, September 10, 11 a.m.
Hiawassee Branch   Tuesday, September 17, 6:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch   Friday, September 20, 3:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.
Learn about Hispanic foods while you mash, spread and roll a delicioso Mexican inspired dish. Registration required.

Barn Dance
South Creek Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch  Friday, September 6, 11 a.m.
Windermere Branch  Monday, September 16, 10:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch    Tuesday, September 17, 11 a.m.
Herndon Branch    Wednesday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch    Wednesday, September 18, 11 a.m.
Yeeehaw! Join chick and his barnyard friends for a fun-filled time with stories, activities and more!
D is for Dinosaur
Southwest Branch  Friday, September 6, 10:30 a.m.
Dino time is near; let’s give a roaring cheer! We are off on a dinosaur adventure using stories and activities while experiencing a good time together!

Cuentame un Cuento
Chickasaw Branch  Friday, September 6, 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 languages. The whole family is welcome!

Vamos a Leer
Chickasaw Branch  Monday, September 9, 11 a.m.
Herndon Branch  Wednesday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.
Acompañanos con canciones y un cuento en español para niños preescolares y sus padres o cuidadores.

Listen, Move & Play in All Kinds of Weather
South Trail Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 10:15 a.m.
Herndon Branch  Friday, September 13, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch  Friday, September 13, 11 a.m.
Alafaya Branch  Monday, September 16, 10:30 a.m.
South Creek Branch  Thursday, September 19, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 11 a.m.
Do you like singing in the rain? How about dancing in the wind? Explore some of the sights and sounds of weather.

PBS Kids Time!
Alafaya Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 10:30 a.m.
Every month we learn and explore with our favorite PBS characters! Enjoy a story, craft and episode.

Adventures from the Hundred Acre Wood
North Orange Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 11 a.m.
Orlando Public Library  Friday, September 13, 11 a.m.
Everybody loves that willy, nilly, silly ole bear – Winnie the Pooh. Come hear stories about Pooh and his friends, and join us for fun activities and a craft.

I’m Not Scared!
Chickasaw Branch  Friday, September 13, 11 a.m.
Owl is absolutely, positively not scared of the dark, and you shouldn’t be either! A fun time filled with fearless stories, activities and crafts.

Narwhal and Jelly Party!
Alafaya Branch  Saturday, September 14, 11:30 a.m.
Ahoy! Join us for a fin-tastic time where we’ll celebrate Narwhal and Jelly! Enjoy a reenactment of the book, along with games and crafts!

Animals Around the World
West Oaks Branch  Sunday, September 15, 3 p.m.
Bring your friends and learn about animals from every corner of the world. Enjoy fun stories, activities and crafts.

Global Read Aloud: Dreamers / Soñadores
South Trail Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 10:15 a.m.
North Orange Branch  Tuesday, September 24, 11 a.m.
Herndon Branch  Monday, September 30, 10:30 a.m.
Celebrate family and home with Yuyi Morales’ Dreamers! You’ll enjoy stories and songs in Spanish and English and make a festive craft.
**My Gym Mobile Fun & Fitness**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Wednesday, September 18, 11 a.m.*
My Gym Mobile Fun & Fitness is a parent participation class that combines music, movement, games/relays and basic gymnastic skills. We make fitness fun!

**I Can Count**  
Eatonville Branch  
*Monday, September 23, 10:30 a.m.*
West Oaks Branch  
*Tuesday, September 24, 11 a.m.*
Chickasaw Branch  
*Monday, September 30, 11 a.m.*
Help your child explore their world with stories and activities that encourage mathematical thinking.

**Look, I'm a Scientist!**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Tuesday, September 24, 10:30 a.m.*
You don’t need a white coat and a fancy lab to be a scientist. You already have all you need: your brain and amazing senses!

**Global Read Aloud: Just a Minute**  
South Trail Branch  
*Tuesday, September 24, 10:15 a.m.*
Dive into the world of numbers with Yuyi Morales’ *Just a Minute!* You’ll enjoy stories and songs in Spanish and English and make a festive craft.

**Dr. Seuss on the Loose**  
Herndon Branch  
*Wednesday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.*
Come one, come all … we are having a Seussville Ball! Filled with fun and wonderful things, our stories and crafts will make you sing.

**Little Chef: A Full Scoop**  
Herndon Branch  
*Thursday, September 26, 10:30 a.m.*
I scream, you scream, we all scream for ice cream! Let’s mix and sprinkle fun toppings to make a delicious treat to keep us cool. Adult participation is required.

**Storybook STEAM**  
Southwest Branch  
*Friday, September 27, 10:30 a.m.*
Listen to a story and complete a STEAM challenge. Challenges will invite preschoolers to imagine, plan, create and improve upon a story-related project.

**Fancy Nancy Tea Party**  
Orlando Public Library  
*Friday, September 27, 11 a.m.*
It’s time to get fancy with our favorite girl, Nancy! Wear your fanciest clothes and join us for stories, activities and crafts that will be magnifique. Don’t forget to accessorize!

**Early Learning Toddler**  
**Little Bugs**  
South Trail Branch  
*Tuesday, September 3, 10:15 a.m.*
South Creek Branch  
*Wednesday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.*
Herndon Branch  
*Thursday, September 12, 10:30 a.m.*
Winter Garden Branch  
*Thursday, September 12, 10:30 a.m.*
Chickasaw Branch  
*Thursday, September 12, 11 a.m.*
Fairview Shores Branch  
*Friday, September 13, 10:30 a.m.*
North Orange Branch  
*Monday, September 16, 11 a.m.*
Southwest Branch  
*Monday, September 23, 10:30 a.m.*
Hiawassee Branch  
*Friday, September 27, 11 a.m.*
Let’s learn, grow and play as we learn about our favorite bugs with interactive stations for all!
**Teddy Bear Storytime**
- Eatonville Branch: Tuesday, September 3, 10:30 a.m.
- Herndon Branch: Thursday, September 5, 10:30 a.m.
- Southeast Branch: Monday, September 9, 10:15 a.m.–11:45 a.m.
- Alafaya Branch: Monday, September 9, 10:30 a.m.
- Southwest Branch: Monday, September 9, 10:30 a.m.
- South Creek Branch: Thursday, September 12, 10:30 a.m.

Bring your teddy bear to the library! Interact with your teddy through stories, songs and rhymes for a one-of-a-kind story time! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

**Bubble Playtime**
- Winter Garden Branch: Tuesday, September 3, 10:30 a.m.
- Alafaya Branch: Wednesday, September 4, 10:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.
- Fairview Shores Branch: Thursdays, September 5–26, 10:30 a.m.–12:45 p.m.
- Southwest Branch: Monday, September 16, 10:30 a.m.
- Herndon Branch: Friday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.

Help your child with their motor development skills in this interactive bubble class. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

**Storytime Crafts**
- Chickasaw Branch: Tuesdays, September 3–24, 10:35 a.m.–Noon
- North Orange Branch: Wednesdays, September 4–25, 10:30 a.m.–Noon
- Southwest Branch: Thursdays, September 5–26, 10:30 a.m.–Noon
- Winter Garden Branch: Fridays, September 6–27, 10:30 a.m.
- South Creek Branch: Mondays, September 9 & 16, 10:30 a.m.

Drop-in before and after storytime to create a make-and-take craft. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

**Beanbag Play with a Purpose**
- Orlando Public Library: Wednesday, September 4, 10 a.m.

Use movement, balance and coordination to develop gross motor skills.

**Hello, Zoo!**
- Chickasaw Branch: Wednesday, September 4, 11 a.m.
- South Creek Branch: Thursday, September 5, 10:30 a.m.
- Windermere Branch: Monday, September 9, 10:30 a.m.
- Winter Garden Branch: Tuesday, September 10, 10:30 a.m.
- Hiawassee Branch: Friday, September 20, 11 a.m.
- North Orange Branch: Thursday, September 26, 11 a.m.

Gather together and listen to a story followed by fun zoo activities.

**Artsy Toddler**
- Winter Garden Branch: Thursday, September 5, 10:30 a.m.
- North Orange Branch: Tuesday, September 17, 10:35 a.m. & 11 a.m.

Paint, paste, glue, stamp and create! Young children will enjoy stories, songs and exploring age-appropriate art experiences.

**Now I’m Big**
- Chickasaw Branch: Thursday, September 5, 11 a.m.
- South Creek Branch: Wednesday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.
- Herndon Branch: Thursday, September 19, 10:30 a.m.
- North Orange Branch: Monday, September 23, 11 a.m.
- Winter Garden Branch: Tuesday, September 24, 10:30 a.m.

Enhance your gross motor skills through activities that will get your large muscles movin’.
Sesame Street Storytime
Hiawassee Branch  Friday, September 6, 11 a.m.
Orlando Public Library  Wednesday, September 18, 10 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Thursday, September 19, 11 a.m.
Southwest Branch  Friday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch  Monday, September 30, 10:30 a.m.

Sing, dance and learn your way through the alphabet and numbers with interact stories and activities inspired by Plaza Sésamo! Recommended for toddler and preschoolers.

Toddler G.A.M.E.S.
South Creek Branch  Fridays, September 6–27, 2 p.m.
Growing, Active, Musical, Educational, Silly – A super fun interactive event for your little ones.

Hello, Neighbor!
Orlando Public Library  Wednesday, September 11, 10 a.m.
Welcome to our neighborhood of make-believe. Join us for a grr-ific time learning practical skills with stories and interactive activities! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Busy Builders
Herndon Branch  Saturdays, September 14 & 28, 11 a.m.
Join us for some fun independent play and building activities! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

STEAM Playground
Alafaya Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.
Science! Technology! Engineering! Art! Math! Playground! Explore basic STEAM concepts through active play. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Parachute Play
Fairview Shores Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.
Join us with your toddlers for a special parachute playtime. Enjoy rhymes, songs and tons of parachute fun.

Pirate Party!
Winter Garden Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.
Ahoy! Are ye ready to join our pirate crew? Grab yer trusty map and set sail on the high seas for swashbuckling adventures! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Pirates and Princesses
Winter Garden Branch  Thursday, September 19, 10:30 a.m.
Ahoy, mateys! Come to our royal romp full of swashbuckling stories, side-splitting sea shanties and other fantastic fun. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Lots of Leaves
North Orange Branch  Thursday, September 19, 11 a.m.
Leaves are falling, let’s have some fun with them! Enjoy the sights and sounds of fall with stories, songs and crafts. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Crunch Munch Dinosaur Lunch
Chickasaw Branch  Friday, September 20, 11 a.m.
We want to hear you STOMP and ROAR! Bring out your inner dinosaur as we go back to dino time with songs, stories, activities and more! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.
Never Land Adventures
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, September 21, 2:30 p.m.
Ahoy, friends! Journey to find treasure with stories and fun activities inspired by the Disney Junior series Jake and the Never Land Pirates! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Autumn Apples
Orlando Public Library  Wednesday, September 25, 10 a.m.
An apple a day may keep the doctor away, but apple-themed crafts and activities are just plain fun! Celebrate the season of fall with everything apple. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Move and Play
Alafaya Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.
It’s a musical morning where we’ll shake and shimmy, move and groove and play along with our favorite songs! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

I Can Count
South Creek Branch  Thursday, September 26, 10:30 a.m.
North Orange Branch  Friday, September 27, 11 a.m.
Help your child explore their world with stories and activities that encourage mathematical thinking. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Book to Boogie
Chickasaw Branch  Thursday, September 26, 11 a.m.
Shake, rattle and roll as we dive into picture books and engage in dance and movement activities. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Toddler Playground
Southwest Branch  Monday, September 30, 10:30 a.m.
Toddlers use unstructured play to advance their physical and cognitive development and to have fun!

FALL FAMILY FUN
Sing Along with Yehaa Bob
North Orange Branch  Thursday, September 5, 11 a.m.
Orlando Public Library, Library Central  Monday, September 16, 11 a.m.
Sing along, clap along and laugh along with one of America’s funniest entertainers, Yehaa Bob! Recommended for preschoolers, lower and upper elementary.

Mark Alan’s Magic Show
Fairview Shores Branch  Saturday, September 7, 11 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Monday, September 16, 11 a.m.
Southwest Branch  Saturday, September 21, 10:30 a.m.
Watch Mark Alan amaze and amuse you with magical fun for kids of all ages! Recommended for lower and upper elementary.

We C.A.R.E. About Animals
Washington Park Branch  Saturday, September 7, 2:30 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch  Saturday, September 14, 2 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Wednesday, September 18, 4:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch  Saturday, September 21, 12:30 p.m.
West Oaks Branch  Thursday, September 26, 4 p.m.
Discover a world of rescue animals and learn about local wildlife, their habitats and conservation efforts to protect them with educators from The C.A.R.E. Foundation.
Outer Space Science with DoDad’s Lab
South Creek Branch  Saturday, September 14, 10:30 a.m.
Southeast Branch  Saturday, September 14, 3 p.m.
Windermere Branch  Saturday, September 21, 11 a.m.
Travel to space with Professor DoDad and discover the solar system, space travel, gravity, stars and so much more with experiments, original music, learning and laughs!

Spin, Pop, BOOM! with Mad Science Live
Herndon Branch  Saturday, September 14, 1 p.m.
Alafaya Branch  Sunday, September 15, 2 p.m.
Eatonville Branch  Tuesday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.
Foaming cups and steaming chemical reactions will introduce you to a world of exciting chemistry with awesome rainbow reactions, foaming elephants’ toothpaste and even slime!

FAMILY
Painting for a Purpose with a Veteran
Eatonville Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 11 a.m.
Alafaya Branch  Saturday, September 7, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Monday, September 23, 11 a.m.
Paint and create a masterpiece to honor our veterans. Spend time painting with a local veteran and learn about their time serving our country. Registration required. Ages 6 and up.

Pajama Tales
Fairview Shores Branch  Wednesdays, September 4–25, 6:30 p.m.
Get comfy and cozy! Wear your jammies, bring your favorite stuffed animal and join us for an evening of stories, rhymes and songs.

Kingdom of Board-om
Alafaya Branch  Thursday, September 5, 6:30–8 p.m.
Come one, come all and join the Kingdom of Board-om as we explore both classic board games and the cutting edge of current gaming at the Alafaya library. All ages.

Pajama Party
Alafaya Branch  Monday, September 9, 6 p.m.
Put on your PJs and join us for a nighttime story time! Enjoy stories and songs for the whole family!

ArtMazing
South Creek Branch  Saturday, September 14, 2:30 p.m.
Unleash your inner artist and discover your creative side in this monthly all ages event. Inspiration is a must!

Decorate a Sweet Treat with a Veteran
Southwest Branch  Friday, September 20, 3:30 p.m.
Chickasaw Branch  Monday, September 23, 11 a.m.
North Orange Branch  Saturday, September 28, 11 a.m.
Decorate a sweet treat with a local veteran. Learn more about their time serving our country while sharing this treat together. Registration required.

Family Craft Night
Alafaya Branch  Wednesday, September 25, 6 p.m.
Craft together as a family! Registration required for each family member. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.
Teens & Tweens

Afterschool Adventures with Hero Spark
Chickasaw Branch  Mondays–Thursdays, 3:30–5:30 p.m.
Orlando Public Library  Mondays–Thursdays, 3:30–5:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Mondays–Thursdays, 3:30–5:30 p.m.

Gaming and homework help collide at the library. Complete your homework with the help of a tutor, and then join your peers for awesome gaming adventures. Afterschool Adventures will not meet on Monday, September 2.

History Happenings: Victorian England
Hiawassee Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 4 p.m.

Step back in time to learn the history and culture of Victorian England!

How the World Builds
Washington Park Branch  Wednesday, September 4, 4 p.m.
Eatonville Branch  Wednesday, September 11, 2:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch  Saturday, September 21, 2:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch  Tuesday, September 24, 4:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Monday, September 30, 6 p.m.

Travel from the desert to the jungle to the city, and everywhere in between, to discover how different communities around the world are built.

I Heart Salsa
Eatonville Branch  Thursday, September 5, 3:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Saturday, September 7, 3:30 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch  Wednesday, September 11, 3:30 p.m.

Move to the beat as we travel across Latin cultures with music, activities and more.

Library Art Box
South Creek Branch  Saturday, September 7, 2:30 p.m.
Washington Park Branch  Thursday, September 19, 5:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Saturday, September 28, 3:30 p.m.
Eatonville Branch  Monday, September 30, 3:30 p.m.

Open up the art box and be inspired! Join us as we become movie-motivated to create with various art media.

Time Out for Teens
Southwest Branch  Mondays, September 9, 23 & 30, 3:30 p.m.

Get together with other teens to talk and participate in fun activities to help you become a better you.

Test Your Taste Buds: International Edition
Orlando Public Library  Tuesday, September 10, 3:15 p.m.

Take your taste buds on a trip around the world! We will try different international snacks to see which country has the tastiest treats. Supplies limited. Registration required.

Building a Recipe
Eatonville Branch  Tuesday, September 10, 3:30 p.m.

Learn to build a layered treat! Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Mexican Folk Art
Southwest Branch  Monday, September 16, 3:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch  Saturday, September 21, 3:30 p.m.

Celebrate Mexican Independence Day and the start of Hispanic Heritage Month by creating your own craft honoring Mexican folk art.
**Teen Art Adventures: Hispanic Artists**  
Washington Park Branch  
*Monday, September 23, 4 p.m.*  
Explore the art of famous Hispanic artists and create some art of your own.

**Sew Kawaii**  
Orlando Public Library  
*Tuesday, September 24, 3:15 p.m.*  
Learn how to hand-sew a tiny, ridiculously cute plushy to keep. Supplies limited. Registration required.

**Shadow Box Art**  
Eatonville Branch  
*Tuesday, September 24, 3:30 p.m.*  
Learn the art of making shadow boxes and tell your story with three-dimensional collages using found materials.

**Animanga Hero Club**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Thursday, September 26, 6:30–8 p.m.*  
Come be a hero with games, trivia, crafts, prizes and of course discussion of your favorite anime and manga.
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Public Comment:
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