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Thursday, August 8, 6 p.m.

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SAVE THE DATE: SEPTEMBER 19–22
FALL BOOK SALE
Find great new books at the Friends of the Library annual
Fall Book Sale on the third floor of the Orlando Public Library.
A great selection of fiction and non-fiction, recorded books,
DVDs, CDs and more will be available for half price.
A private preview sale for members of the Friends of the
Orange County Library System will be held
Thursday, September 19, 5–7 p.m.
New members are welcome to join at the door for as low as
$15 annually. Members receive an additional 10 percent off
all purchases. For more information about joining,
visit oclsfriends.info.

Members-Only Preview Sale
Thursday, September 19, 5–7 p.m.

General Sale
Friday, September 20, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Saturday, September 21, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday, September 22, 1:30–4:30 p.m.

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Gifts & Greetings

BOOKSTORE
Orlando Public Library
407.835.7491
Thursday–Friday: 11 a.m.–7 p.m.
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FROM THE DIRECTOR

It’s always hard to believe when August rolls around that summer is just about over. Summer is the busiest time of year at our libraries, and this summer has been one for the books! In July, we celebrated serving 100,000 free meals to children through our annual partnership with Orange County Public Schools and its Mobile Lunch program. We partnered with WUCF to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing. We introduced Library Pop-Up events in the Lake Nona and Horizon West areas of the county, bringing library events and programs to new neighborhoods that don’t yet have libraries of their own. We also hosted our biggest and best Potter-versary event to date!

Just because summer is drawing to a close doesn’t mean our work is done. As Back-to-School season begins, we’re excited to greet all of the new young learners who’ll be coming to our libraries to sign up for their first library cards or check out their first books. We’re also looking forward to greeting some of our new downtown neighbors from the UCF and Valencia downtown campus, which opens this fall just a short distance from the Orlando Public Library.

Students, if you haven’t visited yet, get ready to be wowed by what this library has in store for you. In addition to the usual library offerings, we are home to the Melrose Center, where you can learn about everything from how to use a recording studio to how to make money selling your photos. The library also hosts all manner of classes, meetups and events that are all free for library cardholders.

This month alone at the Orlando Public Library, we’ll be hosting a One Minute Film Festival in the Albertson Room, a Woodstock 50th Anniversary event featuring a presentation from UCF Professor George Weremchuk and a Food 101 event on making pizza and flatbreads (see pages 6–7 for more information). In the Melrose Center this month, we are also hosting the No Tan Radio Music & Arts Festival, which highlights the work of Hispanic and Latin artists and musicians – we’ll have live music, community organizations, radio personalities and more here to celebrate the weight of talent and diversity in our arts community (see page 22 for details).

We’re hoping that the students and faculty who relocate downtown this school season are ready to make this city their campus – there’s so much that downtown has to offer, and I think the library and its wealth of resources is a great place to start.

Mary Anne Hodel
Library Director/CEO

LIBRARY AFTER HOURS ocls.info/libraryafterhours

ILLUSION OF JUSTICE

Inside Making a Murderer and America’s Broken System

Orlando Public Library
Friday, September 13, 7 p.m.
5:30 p.m. VIP Early Access

Tickets:
$50 VIP Preferred Seating*
$25 General Admission

Library After Hours featuring Jerome F. Buting, Defense Lawyer from the popular Netflix series Making a Murderer. A riveting night of behind-the-scenes insight into how police and prosecutors tipped the scales of justice in their efforts to convict Steven Avery and Brendan Dassey.

*Available until September 1.

UNUSUAL FRIDA

Orlando Public Library, Library Central
On Display Through August

Twenty-six members of The ALIVE Artists Group created paintings of Frida Kahlo by “getting into the head” of the visionary artist to go beyond portraiture.

MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY ocls.info/mil

Piano Recital of Alma P. Francisco’s Students
Orlando Public Library, Library Central
Saturday, August 10, 2 p.m.

A select group of piano students will perform excerpts of classical favorites.

CHRISTINE MACPHAIL

Orlando Public Library, Library Central
Saturday, August 17, 11 a.m.

Enjoy a musical performance by Central Florida harpist Christine MacPhail. For more information, visit orlandoharpist.com.
Social Worker at the Library
North Orange Branch
Mondays, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Tuesdays, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Alafaya Branch

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Wednesdays, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Orlando Public Library

Thursdays, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
South Trail Branch

Fridays, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Social worker Andre Morris will meet one-on-one with individuals and families to assist with social and government services.

Savvy Savers
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, August 3, 1 - 3 p.m.
Become a savvy saver by sharing coupons and savings tips at this monthly meeting.

Orlando Public Library
Pokémon League
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room
Sundays, August 4 & 18, 3 p.m.
Calling all trainers! Join the official Orlando Public Library Pokémon League. Battle with the Pokémon Trading Card Game, video games and more.

The Pen Meetup
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room
Sunday, August 4, 3:30-5 p.m.
Meet up with other fountain pen enthusiasts each month to learn new things and explore our favorite hobby. Discuss everything from nib to paper. Let’s slow down and write.

Ghost Society
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Sunday, August 4, 2 p.m.
The Ghost Society is an open forum hosted by The Beyond Investigators paranormal team. Share your personal experiences, learn what’s new in the field and discuss books and shows in a casual atmosphere.

Mindfulness Meditation
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 6 p.m.

Member Exchange and Business Fair
Orlando Public Library
Wednesdays, August 14, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
The African American Chamber of Commerce of Central Florida presents this event for small business members to meet with each other and members of the community. Join us to learn about the AACCFF and what they can offer.

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

Stress Buster Art: Ceramic Tile Art
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 10:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Join us for a de-stressing adventure using ceramic tile to create beautiful art.

House Bunny Basics 101
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Sunday, August 11, 2 p.m.
Orlando Rabbit Care and Adoptions will advise you on the basics of rabbit ownership. Interact with bunnies who are hoping to find a forever home and learn to make your space a hare-ide.

Introduction to Foundation Center Resources
Orlando Public Library, Learning Central
Monday, August 12, 6 - 7:30 p.m.
Learn about the Foundation Center’s online resources.

Creative Coloring for Adults
Hiawassee Branch
Monday, August 12, 6 - 8 p.m.
Ages 18 and up.

Morning Walk
Southeast Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 10:30 a.m.
Join us for an indoor morning walk to recharge your body, mind and your entire day. Registration required.

Trap-Neuter-Return Boot Camp
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 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.

Beginner Watercolor Techniques
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 6:30 p.m.
Watercolor is an artistic medium like no other. Experiment with the basics of watercolor as we explore a variety of different painting methods to achieve astonishing results.

Woodworking Basics: Turning a Pen
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Saturday, August 24, 2 p.m.
Woodworker Glen Glrazier will show you the process of making a pen. From selecting wood type, to turning it on the lathe, to polishing and finishing the build. Ask questions and learn more about the craft!

NACA Home Buying Workshop
Hiawassee Branch
Saturday, August 24, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
NACA, a non-profit, community advocacy and homeownership organization, presents this free workshop about the home buying process from start to finish. Registration required. To register, visit NACA.com.

Altered Books
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, August 24, 2 - 4 p.m.
Scrapbook, journal, cookbook, planner? Bring your creativity and explore all the possibilities of altered books. Feel free to bring embellishments, recipes or photos to personalize your creation.

Florida Licensing on Wheels
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 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.

Food 101: Pizza and Flatbreads
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Wednesday, August 28, 6:30 p.m.
The Food 101 series introduces you to a new topic every month, examining the historical and social significance of what we eat. Registration required.

Creative Watercolors
Hiawassee Branch
Thursday, August 29, 6 - 8 p.m.
Join us as you learn the basics of watercolor painting through the use of watercolor pencils and paint. Ages 18 and up.

ONE MINUTE FILM FESTIVAL
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Saturday, August 31, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Enjoy a screening of one minute films that capture the world we love to live in. Coffee and donuts provided for attendees, while supplies last.

WOODSTOCK 50TH ANNIVERSARY
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Thursday, August 15, 6:30 p.m.
Celebrate the 50th anniversary of Woodstock with UCF Professor George Weremchuk. Relive the three days of peace and music with songs and video clips from the first real music festival.
DO YOU SPEAK ENGLISH AND HAVE AN INTEREST IN LEARNING A SECOND OR THIRD LANGUAGE?

Visit ocls.info/learnenglish for classes, book recommendations and online resources.

WE OFFER BASIC ENGLISH CLASSES.

Learn English in a Classroom with an ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) instructor or practice independently at one of our Open Language Labs. Visit ocls.info/ESOL to view workshop dates, locations and times.

OFTENEMOS CLASES BÁSICAS PARA ESTUDIANTES DE INGLES.

Aprenda inglés en un salón con un instructor de ESOL (Inglés para hablantes de otros idiomas) o práctica de forma independiente en uno de nuestros Open Language Labs. Visite ocls.info/ESOL para ver las fechas, ubicaciones y horarios de los talleres.

Practice Makes Perfect

South Trail Branch

Fridays, August 2–30, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Tuesdays, August 6–27, 5:30–7:30 p.m.

West Oaks Branch

Tuesdays, August 6–27, 6:30–8 p.m.

Join other new English speakers for conversational English practice.

Writing Clearly Beginner

Alafaya Branch

Fridays, August 2–30, 2–4 p.m.

Writing Clearly Beginner 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.

Improve Your English Reading Workshop

Hiawassee Branch

Wednesdays, August 7–28, 6–8 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.

Intermediate English

North Orange Branch

Wednesdays, August 7–28, 6:30–8:30 p.m.

English from Zero classes are designed for beginning English learners. Each workshop has a specific target topic.

English from Zero

Chickasaw Branch

Thursdays, 12:30–2:30 p.m.

Hiawassee Branch

Mondays, 7 p.m.

Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.

North Orange Branch

Mondays, 6:30–8:30 p.m.

Orlando Public Library

Sundays, 4–5:30 p.m.

South Trail Branch

Saturdays, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Southeast Branch

Mondays, 7:45 p.m.

Fridays, Noon–2 p.m.

Southwest Branch

Thursdays, 7 p.m.

Washington Park Branch

Wednesdays, 10–11:45 a.m.

Windermere Branch

Saturdays, 2:30–4:30 p.m.

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OPEN LANGUAGE LAB INCLUDING ESOL

Various Locations

Explore and learn English or another language of your choice via computer-based learning in an Open Language Lab. Choose from ELTT, Pronunciator, Mango Languages or Rocket Languages.

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CANSADOS: CÓMO LUCIR CONTRA LA FATIGA Y EL AGOTAMIENTO DEL DÍA A DÍA

por Dr. François Baumann

traducción de José Miguel Parra

SP 152.1 BAU

Y SI FUERAMOS NOSOTROS?

por Becky Albertalli y Adam Silvera

traducción de María Celina Rojas

SP 863 ALB

Rayuela

por Julio Cortázar

SP 863 COR

¡CAMBIOS YA!: NUEVOS RECURSOS NATURALES PARA LA SALUD, BELLEZA Y HABITAT

por Suzanne Powell

SP 615.321 POW

El amor se hace

por Carlos Cuauhtémoc Sánchez

SP 613.9 SAN

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NUEVOS EN ESPAÑOL ocls.info/nuevos

CITIZENSHIP INSPIRED ocls.info/citizenship

Hiawassee Branch

Thursdays, August 1–22, 6–8:30 p.m.

Windermere Branch

Saturdays, August 3–24, 10:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

Southwest Branch

Tuesdays, August 6–27, 4–6 p.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Wednesdays, August 7–28, 7–8:30 p.m.

This four-week series will prepare you to become a U.S. citizen. Learn everything you’ll need to know to pass the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview. Registration required.
SNACK & LEARN: TALKING TO AGING RELATIVES ABOUT THE FUTURE

Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 1:30 p.m.
Talking about financial, legal and healthcare issues can be uncomfortable. Learn strategies for making these important conversations as easy and productive as possible.

Senior Scams: Part Two
Eatonville Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Learn how to avoid becoming a target of senior scams. Registration recommended. To register, call Mike Flahaven at 407.340.5291 or visit yourfloridahaven.com under the Smarter Senior Seminar Series.

Storytime for Grownups!
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.
Williamson! Climb every mountain, float along the Rhine, follow every byway through a tour of the castles, fairy tales and history of Germany. A bit Grimm … but so much more.

Components of a Full Memory Screening
Albertson Room
Thursday, August 15, 12-10 p.m.
A full memory screening is a comprehensive assessment that checks memory and other thinking skills. This seminar is part of the monthly LIFE Information for Elders series. To register, call 407.836.7446.

Downsizing in Five Easy Steps
South Creek Branch
Thursday, August 15, 6–7:30 p.m.
Discover steps that make downsizing easier to manage. Registration recommended. To register call Mike Flahaven at 407.340.5291 or visit yourfloridahaven.com under the Smarter Senior Seminar Series.

Senior Scams: Part One
West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Fraud specialists will provide information on senior scams. Registration recommended. To register call Mike Flahaven at 407.340.5291 or visit yourfloridahaven.com under the Smarter Senior Seminar Series.

Caregiver Connect:
Stay and Play
Winter Garden Branch
Friday, August 2, 11:30 a.m.
Explore imaginary play with new adults and children. Meet and mingle while your little one explores imaginary play with new friends.

Caregiver Connect:
An Important Decision
Cypress Room
Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, August 28, 6–7:30 p.m.
Learn how to talk with your kids about healthy relationship habits, practices and other sensitive topics. Ages 18 and up. Registration required.

Space Spa
Chickasaw Branch
Friday, August 2, 2 p.m.
Create a Haley’s Comet fizzing bath bomb and exfoliating sugar scrub for relaxation that is out of this world! Registration required.

Galaxy Calming Jars
Windermere Branch
Thursday, August 1, 4:30 p.m.
Relax by creating your own galaxy-inspired calming jar. Calming jars serve as simple meditation tools that you can use daily. Ages 18 and up. Registration required.

Color Your Universe
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room
Friday, August 2, 11 a.m.
Space out this summer as you color your worries away! Bring the creativity, we’ve got the supplies covered! Space is limited. Registration required.

Vaccinations:
An Important Decision
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 6:30 p.m.
Shots may hurt a little, but the diseases they can prevent can be life threatening. Orlando Health uncovers the myths that surround essential vaccines, which are important for adults and children.

PRENATAL CARE EDUCATION
Winter Garden Branch
Monday, August 26, 6 p.m.
Prenatal care is vital to the health of every child. A representative from Community Health Centers will provide the information you need to know before you conceive and when you become pregnant.

Modern Parenting

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Caregiver Connect:
How to Have “The Talk” With Your Kids
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room
Tuesday, August 20, 6:30 p.m.
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Family Zumba
Chickasaw Branch
Wednesday, August 28, Noon
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Prenatal care is vital to the health of every child. A representative from Community Health Centers will provide the information you need to know before you conceive and when you become pregnant.
Journey Through Immigration Records
West Oaks Branch
Thursday, August 1, 11 a.m.
Learn more about your family’s history by using passenger lists, passports, alien registration cards, and naturalization records. A brief overview of immigration laws will also be presented.

Do It Yourself DNA Research Open Forum
West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 6:30 p.m.
Join us for an evening analyzing your own DNA test results. Our Genealogy Specialist will be available to help assist with answering questions as you conduct your own DNA analysis.

Organizing Your Family History Research
West Oaks Branch
Thursday, August 8, 11 a.m.
Learn how to organize your genealogy documents and do your research in a systematic manner.

AAGHS: Afro American Historical and Genealogical Society
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, August 10, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Members of the Central Florida Chapter of Afro American Historical and Genealogical Society (AAGHS) will share information on African American history, heritage and genealogy.

Tracing European Ancestors: A Genealogy Course
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 13–27, Noon–1:30 p.m.
This course is designed to help you research your European ancestors. Each week we will cover a different country, exploring the archives and repositories in the area.

Correlating Evidence: Advanced Genetic Genealogy
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 6:30 p.m.
This class is an advanced course in genetic genealogy. We will explore how to use DNA testing to help identify your ancestors.

Drowning in DNA?: Advanced Genetic Genealogy Study Group
West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 6:30 p.m.
This study group is for those looking to deepen their understanding of genetic genealogy. We will discuss the latest research and techniques.

Genealogy Myths and Legends: Fact, Fiction or Both?
West Oaks Branch
Thursday, August 15, 11 a.m.
Learn about common genealogy myths and legends and how to debunk them.

Plant Clinic
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, August 15, 3–5 p.m.
Bring your plants and ask questions about how to care for them.

Discover Your Money Personality Type
Hernando Branch
Thursday, August 1, 1 p.m.
Through a fun and interactive session, we will explore different money personality types and how they affect your financial decisions.

Money Management Using a Calendar (week series)
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, August 13–27, 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.

Healthy Grocery Shopping on a Budget
South Trail Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.
Get easy, quick, on-the-go tips for saving money at the grocery store while still eating healthy meals.

Create a Family Spending Plan
Hiawassee Branch
Thursday, August 15, 10:30 a.m.
Learn tips and strategies to create a spending plan that will help you reach your financial goals.

Couponing 101
Alafaya Branch
Sunday, August 25, 2 p.m.
Learn how couponing can save you money! Join Simple Truth Foundation for tips on couponing strategies that will have you cashing in big.

Personal Finance Using Morningstar
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Tuesday, August 13–27, 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.

CONTAINER GARDENING
Hernando Branch
Wednesday, August 28, 7 p.m.
Join Master Gardener Dena Wild from the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County Office for tips on starting your own container garden. Learn the many advantages of container gardening.

Calligraphy
Herndon Branch
Thursday, August 15, 10 a.m.
Learn American Sign Language! During this interactive class, we will practice signing the alphabet and numbers. No prior knowledge required.

Introduction to American Sign Language
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, August 7–28, 6 p.m.
This free six-week introductory class will teach you basic American Sign Language (ASL) skills.

Getting Your Life Together
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, August 13–27, 11 a.m.
Learn how to organize your life, including tips on decluttering and setting up systems to keep your life organized.

Genome 101
West Oaks Branch
Thursday, August 21, 6:30 p.m.
Learn about the science of genetics and how it can be used to help you understand your family history.

Introduction to Genetic Genealogy
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, August 8, 2–4 p.m.
Learn how to use genetic genealogy to research your family history. This class is for beginners.

Genealogy 101
West Oaks Branch
Thursday, August 21, 6:30 p.m.
Learn the basics of genealogy, including how to start your family tree and find your ancestors.

FIND A LOCATION TO CLASS
ocls.info/back2basics
ocls.info/genealogy

12 LEARN, GROW, CONNECT.
Chickasaw Branch
Friday, August 30, 6:30 p.m.
Meet several notable romance writers including our featured speaker Sonali Dev. Complimentary wine and chocolate samples will be served. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Registration required. Ages 21 and up. Registration begins July 1. Register at ocls.info/rwc.

PEACH PANNA COTTA
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 6 p.m.
Join Chef Emily Roy from Publix Aprons on a culinary journey as she demonstrates how to make a delicious peach panna cotta with biscotti crumble and blueberry compote. Registration required.

Tea Education & Tea Tasting
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room
Wednesday, August 7, 6:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Monday, August 19, 6 p.m.
Enjoy tea education for non-tea drinkers to those who drink tea their whole life. Sample two teas and learn about the history of tea, fun facts and different types of teas. Registration required.

Simple Sauces
Herndon Branch
Thursday, August 22, 6:30 p.m.
Join Chef Karen Ross of Karen’s Creative Cuisines and learn how easy it is to make a simple Alfredo sauce and a simple tomato sauce. Space is limited. Registration required.

Empanadas
Southeast Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 6:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, August 29, 6:30 p.m.
Discover how you can make tasty empanadas. Yamila Lee Johnson, head chef and founder of Breaking Bread with Mira, will demonstrate how to make empanadas. Space is limited. Registration required.

Peach Panna Cotta

GET YOUR PASSPORT @ THE ORLANDO PUBLIC LIBRARY!

Starting September 11, you can make an appointment on select days to submit your passport application at the Orlando Public Library. Visit ocls.info/passports or call 407.835.7323 for details.
**WRITING SCIENCE FICTION**
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room Saturday, August 17, 2–3 p.m.
Learn to write both short and novel-length science fiction from Nebula Award Finalist José Pablo Iriarte and author Elle E. Gre. Topics will include research, world-building, tropes, clichés and more.

**Writing and Publish a Novel**
Alafaya Branch Tuesday, August 6–27, 7 p.m.
Learn how to write and publish a book from author and publisher L.E. Perez. Registration required. 8/6: Story from A to Z. 8/13: Revision and Editing. 8/20: First 3 Pages. 8/27: Choose a Publishing Path

**OCLS Writers Group**
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia Room Sunday, August 11, 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, August 21, 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.

**Writing a Query Letter**
North Orange Branch Sunday, August 25, 4–5:30 p.m.
If you want to find an agent or a publisher for your novel, you'll need an outstanding query letter. Author Sarah Nicolai read publisher queries for three years and will share her experiences in this area.

**BOOK CLUBS**
ocls.info/bookclubs

**Tertulia Cuatro Gatos / Spanish Book Club**
Fairview Shores Branch jueves, 1 y 15 de agosto, 6:30–8:30 p.m. Chickasaw Branch martes, 6 de agosto, 6:30–8:30 p.m. South Creek Branch miércoles, 7–28 de agosto, 6:30–8:45 p.m. Southeast Branch jueves, 8 y 22 de agosto, 6:30–8:30 p.m. Windermere Branch martes, 13 de agosto, 6:30–8:30 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.

**Tertulia Cuatro Gatos / Spanish Book Club**
Fairview Shores Branch
Thursdays, August 1, 15, 6:30–8:30 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, August 7–28, 6:30–8:45 p.m.
Windermere Branch
Thursday, August 8 & 22, 6:30–8:30 p.m.

**Southeast Book Club**
Southwest Branch Monday, August 12, 6:30 p.m.
Join the Southeast Book Club to discuss a book of your choice. Tell us about your favorite authors and let us know what you’re reading this summer.

**Hiawassee Book Club**
The Great Alone by Kristin Hannah
Hiawassee Branch Monday, August 19, 6:30–8 p.m.
When her volatile, former POW father impulsively moves the family to Alaska to live off the land in the mid-1970s, young Leni and her mother are forced to confront the dangers of their lack of preparedness in the wake of a dangerous winter season.

**Hiawassee Book Club**
The Dreamers by Karen Thompson Walker
Hiawassee Branch Wednesday, August 21, 7 p.m.
A student in an isolated Southern California college town witnesses a strange sleeping illness that subjects patients to life-altering, heightened dreams.

**Southwest Book Club**
Educated: A Memoir by Tara Westover
Southwest Branch Tuesday, August 27, 7–8:45 p.m.
The author traces her experiences as a child born to survivalists in the mountains of Idaho, describing her participation in her family’s paranoid stockpiling activities and her resolve to educate herself well enough to earn an acceptance into a prestigious university and the unfamiliar world beyond.

**Winter Garden Book Club**
Feel Bad About My Neck by Nora Ephron
Winter Garden Branch Thursday, August 29, 6 p.m.
This collection of essays offers a humorous look at the ups and downs of being a woman of a certain age, discussing the tribulations of maintenance and trying to stop the clock, menopause and empty nests.

**MINI BOOK FAIR**
By Edward Booker, Herndon Branch Manager

The Herndon Branch will be hosting their first-ever Mini Book Fair on Saturday, August 10. Don’t let the name of this event fool you – book nerds and scribblers alike will find plenty of literary enrichment with three local authors making appearances.

Katy Yocom is an associate director at the School of Creative and Professional Writing at Spalding University and author of the forthcoming novel, Three Ways to Disappear. Raquel Henry is a writer, editor and founder of Writer’s Atelier. ShaKera Akins is the author of the children’s book, The Little Brown Girl Experience.

**What made you want to become a writer?**
Katy Yocom: I was a voracious reader as a kid. Even though I read widely, I had favorite books I read over and over: the Tris, Belden mysteries, the Little House books, the Narnia books, but also the James Herriot All Creatures Great and Small series. I read and re-read those books until the language embedded itself in my brain and made me a writer somehow.

Raquel Henry: I was always a writer, to be honest. I started reading at age 2. When I learned to write, I would write stories on several sheets of construction paper, complete with illustrations, and bound together with yarn. I had always done well in English, but it was my fifth grade teacher who got it in my head that I should be a writer because “I had a way with words.” That was the end. I was hooked.

ShaKera Akins: My presence in the classroom showed me the value of representation for young girls, particularly African-American girls. I recognized the need for another incentive to pick up a book and read and felt it was my duty to supply them with something they could relate to, learn from and be inspired by as well.

**What path did you take to publishing? What do you see as the benefit to that choice? What are the challenges?**
Katy: I’m published by a small press out of Ashland, Oregon, that’s run by a husband-and-wife team, who had former careers in New York publishing. They produced my debut novel. The personal touch has been so rewarding – they’ve made this process a joy. The challenge is that they don’t take returns, which means that some bookstores are reluctant to carry my book. I’ve had to get creative which means being flexible with bookstore owners.

Raquel: I don’t have a full-length book, but I have published shorter work in a traditional sense through several independent publishers. I also have a short affirmations book published on my own through a division of the writing studio I own. Both traditional publishing and self-publishing have their pros and cons. The author must decide what’s best for the book – one path may be right for one book and not another.

ShaKera: Amongst many others, I chose the self-published route. The benefit of being a self-published author is the freedom to do what you want, but the challenges are not having the resources to publicize your work and making it difficult to reach a mass audience.

The Mini Book Fair takes place at the Herndon Branch on Saturday, August 10.
Welcome back to School

7 WAYS YOUR LIBRARY CARD CAN HELP YOU THROUGH COLLEGE*
by Scottie Campbell, Marketing Specialist

1. Are you familiar with the massive open online course website Lynda.com? Normally there is a fee for this incredible resource, but your library card gives you free access. Lynda was recently acquired by LinkedIn, so now course completion certificates can be posted on your profile.

2. Use our Foundation Center database to find grant and scholarship opportunities. You can also take our Introduction to Foundation Center Resources classes at the Orlando Public Library to make the most of this resource.

3. Let’s face it, finding peaceful places to study can be a challenge in college life, particularly if you’re trying to tackle a group project. Study rooms can be reserved for free with your library card.

4. Have you heard about our Blue Bags of Happiness? You can request books and other library materials be delivered directly to you, and, you guessed it, they arrive in a bright blue bag. If you are living that dorm life, be sure to talk to your closest branch about delivery methods.

5. The Orange County Library System offers free Wi-Fi. Unlike some other public places, you don’t have to buy a chai tea latte to stake out your workspace.

6. NewsBank offers access to tens of millions of articles and video clips from state, regional, national and international newspapers and other news sources. You can also find the Orlando Sentinel and El Sentinel there. The database is fully searchable. We also have periodicals available at all of our locations if you prefer the tactile experience of holding the publication in your hands.

7. Connect with live tutors through Brainfuse. You can get help on a variety of subjects and you’ll find them particularly useful when you’re working on those big papers thanks to their writing lab.

*Space doesn’t allow us to cover all the ways your library card can help. Visit ocls.info for more. In fact, go ahead and bookmark our site, it’s going to be your best friend.

Homeschool U is an interactive learning experience to assist homeschool educators in achieving instructional goals. In this half-day event, you will learn information that can be shared in the homeschool environment with students and fellow homeschool educators. From co-ops to umbrella schools and everything in between, join us whether you are just getting started to find a model that’s best for your family or if you would like to add to your homeschool teaching toolkit!

Homeschool U is open to homeschool educators teaching in Orange County. Participants must have an Orange County Library Resident, Property Owner or Fee card in good standing.

Applications must be received by Thursday, August 15.

To learn more and apply, visit ocls.info/HomeschoolU today!

 WHICH BRANCH IS YOUR CAMPUS NEAR?

**ORLANDO PUBLIC LIBRARY**
UCF Downtown
Valencia College Downtown
Florida A&M University – College of Law
Florida State University – College of Medicine

**ALAFAYA BRANCH**
University of Central Florida – Main Campus

**SOUTHEAST BRANCH**
UF Research & Academic Center
Valencia College – Lake Nona Campus

**CHICKASAW BRANCH**
Valencia College – East Campus

**WASHINGTON PARK BRANCH**
Valencia College – West Campus

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Cuisine Corner: Back to School Smoothies
Washington Park Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 6 p.m.
Orlando Public Library, Cypress Room
Tuesday, August 27, 6:30 p.m.
School is back in session and mornings are going to be hectic. Chef Farah Davids will teach you quick blended breakfasts to grab on your way out the door to keep you full and healthy.

Cuisine Corner: Healthy School Lunches
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 6:30 p.m.
Engage kids with making their own healthy school lunches. Yamira Lee Johnson, head chef and founder of Breaking Bread with Mira, will demonstrate how to make delicious recipes that are kid friendly. Space is limited. Registration required.

Organizing 101
Southeast Branch
Saturday, August 17, 11 a.m.
Sunday, August 25, 2 p.m.
Learn the steps to tackle your organizing projects and reduce the clutter, chaos and stress in your life.

Homeschooling Strategies for All Families
Chickasaw Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 7–8:30 p.m.
Are you a full-time homeschooling family or looking to supplement your children’s education? This workshop will teach strategies all families can apply to make it a successful school year.

Orlando Public Library
Thursday, September 12, 9 a.m.–1 p.m.
Homeschool U is open to homeschool educators teaching in Orange County. Participants must have an Orange County Library Resident, Property Owner or Fee card in good standing.

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To learn more and apply, visit ocls.info/HomeschoolU today!

Online articles, biographies, expert analysis and full text literature! Go to: ocls.info/databases

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SEWING SUMMER
Enjoy the long days and stylish nights of summer with custom accessories and garments.

Go Green Custom Shopping Bag
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday–Thursday, August 6–8, 2 p.m.

Backpack
Orlando Public Library
Thursdays, August 8–22, 5:30 p.m.

Chef’s Apron
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday–Thursday, August 13–15, 2 p.m.

Simple Jersey Shift Dress
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday–Friday, August 20–23, 10 a.m.

Shirt Dress
Orlando Public Library
Monday–Friday, August 26–30, 10 a.m.

Open Lab: Sewing
Orlando Public Library
Fridays, August 2–30, 1:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m.
Saturdays, August 3–31, 3:30 p.m.
Mondays, August 5–26, 1:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m.
Get your entry for the Fiber Arts Contest ready today. Come to the sewing studio for professional tools and expert advice on all your sewing projects. Be sure and bring your patterns and fabric to participate in the open labs.

FALL FIBER FEST
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, September 29, 1–4 p.m.
The festival will include demonstrations, exhibitors and hands-on activities, as well as a Fiber Arts Contest. Entries will be accepted in the following categories: sewing, knitting and crochet. Contest registration is open through August 31. Entries will be judged based on creativity, skill level required, utility and attendance in fiber arts classes. To learn more and register for the contest, visit ocls.info/fallfiberfest.

IT’S YARNFITI TIME!
It’s time to start stitching your contribution to Yarnfiti! Our annual Yarnfiti Community Art Project combines the efforts of hundreds of fiber artists in Central Florida into one work of art. This year we’re creating an underwater wonderland complete with a colorful coral reef, a sea brimming with life and a fantastic mermaid’s grotto. So pick a watery pattern and crochet or knit your contribution today. Discover patterns and connect to events at ocls.info/yarnfiti. The Yarnfiti Community Art Project will premiere at the Fall Fiber Fest on Sunday, September 29 at 1 p.m.

Meetup: Yarnfiti Community Art Project
Orlando Public Library
Wednesdays, August 7–28, 5–7:30 p.m.

Microsoft Excel 2016:
Data Management Level 1
North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 1, 6 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Saturday, August 10 & 18, 2 p.m.
Herndon Branch
Monday, August 12, 10:30 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 6 p.m.
Chicacksaw Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 5 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, August 25, 3:15 p.m.
Learn how to use advanced sort and filter options. Apply data validation and other data tools to organize your data.

Microsoft Excel 2016:
Data Management Level 2
North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 1, 7:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Saturday, August 10 & 18, 2 p.m.
Herndon Branch
Monday, August 12, 11:45 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 11:45 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 7:30 p.m.
Chicacksaw Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 6:30 p.m.
Learn how to apply data subtotals, outlines, data consolidation and conditional formatting to organize your data.

Microsoft Excel 2016:
Formulas and Functions
North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 8, 6 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Saturday, August 10 & 18, 2 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, August 18, 2 p.m.
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 6 p.m.
Calculate your data with formulas and functions. Use the Function Library to find the best fit for your project. Insert financial, logical, lookup and text functions.

Microsoft Excel 2016:
Pivot Tables
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, August 25, 2 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Friday, August 10, 7:30 p.m.
Herndon Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 2:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 7:30 p.m.
Pivot Charts using Microsoft Excel. Dred analyzing data? Simply the process and create meaningful reports using the powerful PivotTable tools. Learn how to create and customize PivotTables and PivotCharts using Microsoft Excel.

Microsoft Excel 2016:
Automate Tasks
Fairview Shores Branch
Saturday, August 10 & 18, 3:15 p.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 15, 6 p.m.
Southwest Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 11:45 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Sunday, August 25, 2 p.m.
Automate everyday tasks with macros. Record data entry and formatting. Insert and modify objects to run macros without coding.

TECHNOLOGY HIGHLIGHTS
Register online at ocls.info/classes
Melrose in the Mix: Meka Nism
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Saturday, August 3, 3:30 p.m.
Orlando favorites Meka Nism have released three EPs and toured with some of the biggest names in metal. See them record in the audio studio. To register, visit ocls.info/melroseinthemix.

Melrose in the Mix: Demon****
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Sunday, August 4, 3:30 p.m.
Orlando experimental street metal band Demon**** have a recently released album and growing local following. The hard-hitting trio will perform and record in the Melrose Center audio studio. To register, visit ocls.info/melroseinthemix.

Melrose in the Mix: Onry Ozzborn
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Saturday, August 10, 3:30 p.m.
Nationally acclaimed Seattle-based rapper Onry Ozzborn is a founding member of alternative hip-hop groups Grayskul, Dark Time Sunshine and Oldominion. In association with Swamburger Presents, see him perform and record in the Melrose Center audio studio. To register, visit ocls.info/melroseinthemix.

Maya: Modeling
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Saturday, August 10, 3:30 p.m.
Thursday, August 22, 3:30 p.m.
Develop a detailed humanoid arm. Learn to extrude, sub-divide and sculpt a 3D mesh.

Maya Fundamentals
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Saturday, August 10, 1 p.m.
Thursday, August 22, 11:30 a.m.
Discover the world of motion capture animation. Using the Perception Neuron motion capture suit and Axis Neuron software, learn techniques to record, edit and export motion capture data.

Melrose Meetups: Audio
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Wednesday, August 14, 6 p.m.
Bring in your most recent mixes and get tips and tricks on how to take your music to the next level with a Critique Session, Listening Exercises and a Technique Workshop.

Maya: Retargeting Motion Capture Data
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Saturday, August 17, 3:30 p.m.
Thursday, August 29, 11:30 a.m.
Animate a digital character using motion capture data. Learn how to create, define and edit a character’s skeletal structure using Maya’s HumanIK Solver.

Motion Capture Fundamentals
Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center
Saturday, August 17, 2 p.m.
Thursday, August 29, 11:30 a.m.
Discover the world of motion capture animation. Using the Perception Neuron motion capture suit and Axis Neuron software, learn techniques to record, edit and export motion capture data.

No Tan Radio festival of music and art regresa a Orlando. El festival, que se centra en músicos hispanos/latinos independientes y artistas visuales, se llevará a cabo por primera vez en el Melrose Center en asociación con Orange County Library System. Habrá dos etapas, con actuaciones de Leo Aether, Artefacto, Blunder Club, Alejandro Prado, Liquid Spiral, Kefas, Percpción y más. También se presentará Huellas de Colombia Ballet folklórico y mucho más.

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AFTER A FIVE-YEAR HIATUS, THE NO TAN RADIO MUSIC & ARTS FESTIVAL RETURNS TO ORLANDO. THE FESTIVAL, WHICH FOCUSES ON INDEPENDENT HISPANIC/LATINO MUSICIANS AND VISUAL ARTISTS, WILL TAKE PLACE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE MELROSE CENTER IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM. THERE WILL BE TWO STAGES, WITH PERFORMANCES BY LEO AETHER, ARTEFACTO, BLUNDER CLUB, ALEJANDRO PRADO, LIQUID SPIRAL, KEFAS, PERCEPCION AND MORE. FEATURING A SPECIAL APPEARANCE BY HUELLAS DE COLOMBIA BALLET FOLKLÓRICO AND MUCH MORE.

22 LEARN, GROW, CONNECT.
This promotion is only for OCLS juvenile cardholders (0–17 years) with a regular, property owner or fee card in good standing. In-person check out only. While supplies last. Tickets will not be mailed. Not valid for previous checkouts, home delivery or e-book downloads.

The Freddy’s Way
Enjoying great food without a long wait doesn’t mean your meal has to be cooked before you order it. From steakburgers to sundaes, Freddy’s makes food fresh after you ask for it because that’s the kind of quality you deserve. Take a moment to catch up with friends and family. It’s almost time to eat. For more information about Freddy’s visit freddysusa.com. Coupon expires August 31, 2020.

CHECK IT OUT:
Freddy’s Frozen Custard & Steakburgers
All Locations, August 1–31
Check out five items with your juvenile library card at any Orange County Library System location, August 1–31, and receive a coupon for any mini sundae or mini concrete at Freddy’s Frozen Custard & Steakburgers.

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Make learning the ABCs fun
BABY

Tummy Time Sensory Play
Orlando Public Library
Monday, August 5, 10 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.

Baby Discovery
Herndon Branch
Monday, August 5, 10:30 a.m.

Play with your little one while exploring colors and textures through stories, songs and activities that will enhance their world.

Sing-A-Long with Friends
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesdays, August 6–27, 10:15 a.m.

Join us for a brief sing-a-long to familiar songs for you and your baby or toddler.

Shake, Rattle & Roll
Herndon Branch
Monday, August 12, 10:30 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch
Friday, August 16, 11:45 a.m.

Southwest Branch
Wednesday, August 28, 10:30 a.m.

Encourage your baby’s movement and hand-eye coordination by exploring shapes, shakers and sounds.

Guitar Sing-A-Long
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a brief sing-a-long to familiar songs along with live guitar for you and your baby or toddler.

Baby Bookworms
Southwest Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.

Read! Learn! Play! Introduce your baby to important literacy practices that encourage learning and developmental growth.

Baby Boogie
South Creek Branch
Thursday, August 15, 10:30 a.m.

Herndon Branch
Monday, August 26, 10:30 a.m.

Introduce your baby to music and stimulate cognitive development, language learning and motor coordination.

Baby Games
Herkimer Branch
Monday, August 19, 10:30 a.m.

Support your baby’s physical, social and emotional learning through play and build thinking, communication and language skills.

My Gym Mobile Mommy & Me
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 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!

MOTHER GOOSE ON THE LOOSE
Southeast Branch
Mondays, August 5–26, 5:45 p.m.

Southwest Branch
Wednesdays, August 7 & 21, 10:30 a.m.

Fairview Shores Branch
Friday, August 9 & 23, 10:30 a.m.

Using rhymes, songs, support, musical instruments and more, we will be interacting together to help develop important pre-literacy skills in our little ones!

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TODDLER

Storytime Crafts
Southwest Branch
Thursdays, August 1–29, 10:30 a.m.–Noon

Winter Garden Branch
Thursdays, August 1–29, 10:30 a.m.

Orlando Public Library
Saturday, August 3, 10:30 a.m.

South Creek Branch
Mondays, August 5 & 12, 10:30 a.m.

North Orange Branch
Wednesdays, August 7–28, 10:30 a.m.–Noon

Chickasaw Branch
Tuesdays, August 6–27, 10:30 a.m.–Noon

Eatonton Branch
Thursday, August 22, 10:30 a.m.

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

Stories & Stretches
Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, August 1, Noon

Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 10:30 a.m.

Calling all little yogis and wigglyworms! Join us for a special movement storytime focusing on motor development that is filled with stories, songs and fun! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Sesame Street Storytime
Alafaya Branch
Monday, August 5, 10:30 a.m.

Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, August 28, 10 a.m.

Come for a sunny day and join us as we enjoy stories, games and crafts from Sesame Street! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Parachute Play
Southwest Branch
Monday, August 5, 10:30 a.m.

Southwest Branch
Monday, August 5, 11 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, August 8, 10:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.

Join us with your toddlers for a special parachute playtime! Enjoy rhymes, songs and tons of parachute fun.

You Are My Sunshine
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 10:30 a.m.

South Creek Branch
Saturday, August 10, 10:30 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, August 29, 11 a.m.

Celebrate a positive mindset and sunny moments by singing songs, reading stories and completing crafts and activities sure to make your little one smile. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Bubble Playtime
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 10:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Southwest Branch
Monday, August 19, 10:30 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 10:30 a.m.

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

If You’re Happy and You Know It!
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 10:30 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, August 8, 10:30 a.m.

South Trail Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 10:15 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 11 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, August 22, 10:30 a.m.

North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 29, 11 a.m.

Clap your hands, stomp your feet and shout hooray! Bring your little ones to celebrate with a smile!

Puppy Love
Chickasaw Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 11 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 10:30 a.m.

Hawaiian Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for aquatic themed stories, songs and language skills.

Traffic Jam!
North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 8, 11 a.m.

It’s time for a tough truck party with a celebration of things that go, go, go! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Toddler G.A.M.E.S
South Creek Branch
Friday, August 9–30, 2 p.m.

Growing, Active, Musical, Educational, Silly – join us for a super fun interactive event for your little ones.

Sea Life
Alafaya Branch
Monday, August 12, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for aquatic themed stories, songs and games! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Toddler Playground
Southwest Branch
Monday, August 12, 10:30 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch
Friday, August 16, 11 a.m.

Toddlers use unstructured play to advance their physical and cognitive development and to have FUN!

Party in Your PJs
Orlando Public Library, Papa Bear
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.

Come over for an exciting pajama party just for you! Don’t forget to wear your PJ’s. Get ready for fun with stories, games and crafts! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Toddler Carnival
North Orange Branch
Fridays, August 16 & 23, 11 a.m.

Come one, come all! Step right up with your little one to enjoy magnificent carnival games and a festive themed story.

Busy Builders
Herndon Branch
Saturday, August 17, 10 & 11 a.m.

Join us for some fun independent play on stories and activities! Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Little Picasso
Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, August 21, 10 a.m.

Let your imagination run wild with colors and express your creativity on a repurposed picture box canvas! Dress for a mess. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

Fish-tastic Fun
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 10:30 a.m.

We will explore the sea with fish-tastic stories, crafts and activities full of under the sea fun! Recommended toddler and preschoolers.
**PRESEXCHOOL**

**cuemante un Cuento**
Chickasaw Branch
Friday, August 2, 11 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 10:30 a.m.

**Monsters Read Too!**
Windermere Branch
Monday, August 5, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Monday, August 12, 11 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 11 a.m.
South Creek Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 10:30 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Monday, August 26, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 10:30 a.m.

**I Spy a Shape**
Fairview Shores Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Tuesday, August 28, 11 a.m.

**Preschool**

**Buckaroo Bash**
Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, August 8, 11 a.m.
North Orange Branch
Thursday, August 15, 11 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Thursday, August 22, 11 a.m.

**Kids Yoga**
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 11 a.m.

**Alphabet Adventures**
Southwest Branch
Friday, August 9, 10:30 a.m.

**What Does the Shape Say?**
Chickasaw Branch
Friday, August 9, 11 a.m.

**PBS Kids Time!**
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 10:30 a.m.

**I Spy a Shape**
Hernndon Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 10:30 a.m.
Chickasaw Branch
Thursday, August 8, 2, 11 a.m.
Southwest Branch
Friday, August 30, 10:30 a.m.

**Storybook STEAM**
Southwest Branch
Friday, August 16, 10:30 a.m.

**Help your child learn by playing as we weave early literacy practices into fun interactive stories, songs, rhythm and dance. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.**

**Storytime**

**Preschool Storytime**

**My Gym Mobile Fun & Fitness**
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 11 a.m.

**Big Fish, Little Fish**
Chickasaw Branch
Monday, August 19, 11 a.m.
Splash, splash, splash! Fish and his friends are ready to play. Swim into stories, activities and crafts.

**STEAM Playground**
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 10:30 a.m.
Science! Technology! Engineering! Art! Math! Playgroud! Explore basic STEAM concepts through active play. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers.

**What Can You Do with a Crayon?**
Herndon Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 10:30 a.m.
Get creative with us and help your child increase important developmental skills using crayons.

**Little Chef - Peach Cobbler**
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 11 a.m.

**My Gym Mobile Fun & Fitness**
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 11 a.m.

**Bilingual Tablet Tales**
South Creek Branch
Thursday, August 29, 10:30 a.m.
Join us for a digitally enhanced bilingual storytime experience! Let’s explore another way to learn and read by using apps and digital media!

**TODDLER TIME**

**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.
**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays & Saturdays, 10:30 a.m.

**STORYBOOK FUN**

**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.
**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays & Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.

**ZERO TO FIVE STORYTIME**

**Alafaya Branch:** Tuesdays, 11:45 a.m.
**South Creek Branch:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.
**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays, 10:45 a.m.

**SKILLS**

**My Gym Mobile Fun & Fitness**
Alafaya Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 11 a.m.

**Join our professional storytellers for storytime designed to help your child develop early literacy skills through picture books, songs, finger plays, movement activities and more.**

**TINY TALES**

**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays & Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.
**South Creek Branch:** Mondays & Tuesdays, 11:15 a.m.
**West Oaks Branch Mondays, 11:15 a.m.
**Chickasaw Branch:** Tuesdays, 11:45 a.m.
**Herndon Branch:** Tuesdays, 11:15 a.m.
**North Orange Branch:** Wednesdays, 11:15 a.m.
**Southeast Branch:** Wednesdays, 11:45 a.m.
**Winter Garden Branch:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.
**Alafaya Branch:** Thursdays, 10:15, 10:45 & 11:15 a.m.
**Southwest Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.

**EXTRAORDINARY INITIATIVES**

**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:45 & 11:45 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 10:45 a.m.
**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays, 10:45 a.m.

**TODDLER TIME**

**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays & Saturdays, 10 a.m.
**South Creek Branch:** Mondays & Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**West Oaks Branch Mondays, 10:45 a.m.
**Chickasaw Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Herndon Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**North Orange Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southeast Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 & 11:15 a.m.
**Winter Garden Branch:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southwest Branch:** Thursdays, 10:45 & 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.

**Eatonville Branch:** Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.
**Eatonville Branch:** Fridays, 10:45 & 11:45 a.m.
**West Oaks Branch:** Mondays, 10:45 a.m.
**Chickasaw Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Herndon Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**North Orange Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southeast Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Winter Garden Branch:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southwest Branch:** Thursdays, 10:45 & 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.

**STORYBOOK FUN**

**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays, 3-5 p.m.
**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:45 & 11:45 a.m.
**Chickasaw Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Herndon Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**North Orange Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southeast Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Winter Garden Branch:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southwest Branch:** Thursdays, 10:45 & 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.
**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:15 & 11:15 a.m.

**STORYBOOK FUN**

**Orlando Public Library:** Mondays, 3-5 p.m.
**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:45 & 11:45 a.m.
**Chickasaw Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Herndon Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**North Orange Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southeast Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Winter Garden Branch:** Wednesdays & Fridays, 10:45 a.m.
**Southwest Branch:** Thursdays, 10:45 & 11:15 a.m.
**Windermere Branch:** Thursdays & Fridays, 11:15 a.m.
**Alafaya Branch:** Fridays, 10:45 & 11:45 a.m.

**Eatonville Branch:** Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.
**Eatonville Branch:** Fridays, 10:45 & 11:45 a.m.
**West Oaks Branch:** Mondays, 10:45 a.m.
**Chickasaw Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**Herndon Branch:** Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.
**North Orange Branch:** Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.
FAMILY EVENTS
Family events invite caregivers and children to engage in shared experiences.

BACK 2 SCHOOL BASIC BIKE REPAIR
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 5 p.m.
Learn basic bicycle repair for a safe and smoother ride!

AFTERSCHOOL SNACKS: PUPPY CHOW
Windermere Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 2 p.m.
Salty and sweet snack! Supplies are limited. Registration required.

MARY POPPINS RETURNS
MOVIE & A CRAFT
Chicksaw Branch
Monday, August 12, 3:30 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 3:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch
Saturday, August 17, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Friday, August 23, 3:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Saturday, August 24, 2 p.m.
Want an easy treat for after school? Learn how to make this salty and sweet snack! Supplies are limited. Registration required.

JiggleMan
Orlando Public Library, Library Central
Thursday, August 1, 10:30 a.m.
Get ready to laugh out loud and be amazed by the jumping, juggling and juggling JiggleMan!

Be a Pal to Your Pet
Windermere Branch
Friday, August 2, 2 p.m.
Gather the entire family and discover the maker in you as we complete experiments.

What Can You Do with a Potato?
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, August 28, 3 p.m.
Makerspaces foster learning through hands-on tinkering. Gather the entire family and discover the maker in you as we complete challenges, STEAM projects and experiments.

BACK TO SCHOOL CELEBRATION
Eatonville Branch
Friday, August 2, 2:30 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, August 6, 6:30 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 10, 10:30 a.m.
Southeast Branch
Saturday, August 10, 11 a.m.
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 4:30 p.m.
Chicksaw Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 3 p.m.
Get a head start on the year and prepare your mind to learn with stories, activities, crafts and lots of fun.

Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 Go!
Eatonville Branch
Monday, August 5, 2:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 10, 11:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 10, Noon
Fairview Shores Branch
Thursday, August 15, 4 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 5 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 6:30 p.m.
Learn how to mix up a delicious snacks for those summer road trips and long days by the water. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Tails With Tales
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 3, 11:45 a.m.
Come practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a sweet, furry friend. Expanding Intelligence Dog Training presents this reading program with their certified therapy dogs.

Harry Potter Escape Room
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 3, 2–3:30 p.m.
Can you discover all of the clues to help Harry Potter save the Wizarding World? Use your best detective skills to defeat He-Who-Must-Not-Be-Named? Recommended for upper elementary.

Friendship Bracelet Fun
Alafaya Branch
Sunday, August 4, 2 p.m.
Celebrate the new school year by making friendship bracelets for you and your BFF. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

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Making Mondays
Alafaya Branch
Monday, August 5, 2:30 p.m.
Come practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a sweet, furry friend. Expanding Intelligence Dog Training presents this reading program with their certified therapy dogs.

LOWER AND UPPER ELEMENTARY

Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 Go!
Eatonville Branch
Monday, August 5, 2:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 10, 11:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 10, Noon
Fairview Shores Branch
Thursday, August 15, 4 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 5 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 6:30 p.m.
Learn how to mix up a delicious snacks for those summer road trips and long days by the water. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

The CREATE Space
Orlando Public Library
Friday, August 2, 2:30 p.m.
Celebrate the new school year by making friendship bracelets for you and your BFF. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Alafaya Branch
Monday, August 5, 1 p.m.
Join us for math, science, history, art and literature-based learning to support your homeschool curriculum. Recommended for upper elementary.

Cuisine Corner Junior: Snacks 2 Go!
Eatonville Branch
Monday, August 5, 2:30 p.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 10, 11:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 10, Noon
Fairview Shores Branch
Thursday, August 15, 4 p.m.
West Oaks Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 5 p.m.
Hiawassee Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 6:30 p.m.
Learn how to mix up a delicious snacks for those summer road trips and long days by the water. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Make weekdays fun at the library! Explore all the activities that you can do with your family! From science experiments to crafting, there’s something for everyone.
Drop In Chess
Southwest Branch
Wednesdays, August 7–28, 3 p.m.
Orlando Public Library
Wednesday, August 14, 2 p.m.
Fairview Shores Branch
Saturday, August 17, 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.

Movie & Craft
Fairview Shores Branch
Wednesdays, August 7, 21 & 28, 3:30–4:45 p.m.
Enjoy a movie and a craft.

Mayor Buddy’s Book Club
Discussion Group
Orlando Public Library
Thursdays, August 8 & 22, 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.

Threads of Love
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesdays, August 10 & 24, 2:30 p.m.
Family and friends, come celebrate the Hindu holiday of Raksha Bandhan through a story and craft.

Angel Paws to Read
North Orange Branch
Saturday, August 10, 11 a.m.
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 24, 11:30 a.m.
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, August 24, 11:30 a.m.
Windermere Branch
Saturday, August 10, 11:30 a.m.
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, August 24, 11:30 a.m.–1 p.m.
Practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a lovable, funny listener. Be An Angel Therapy Dogs Ministry presents this reading program for children featuring certified therapy dogs.

Super Science
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 10, 2 p.m.
Each month we will conduct awesome new experiments, learning all about chemistry, physics, earth science and more. Recommended for upper elementary and tweens. Registration required.

A World of Paucabilities
West Oaks Branch
Saturday, August 10, 2 p.m.
South Creek Branch
Saturday, August 17, 10:30 a.m.
Take a moment to pause: Teach your child how to identify their emotions and use meditation to control them. Use and create fun tools to help your children meditate! Recommended for lower elementary.

Southwest Homeschool Club, Jr.
Southwest Branch
Monday, August 12, 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.

Treehouse Adventures: Dinosaurs Before Dark
South Trail Branch
Monday, August 12, 4:30 p.m.
Be whisked away into the prehistoric past during this Treehouse Adventure! Learn about your favorite dinosaurs while enjoying crafts and games.

Family Storytime with the Chick-fil-A Cow
Windermere Branch
Tuesday, August 13, 10:30 a.m.
Meet the cow from Chick-fil-A for songs, games and storytelling that the whole family can enjoy.

Animal Super Powers
Eatonville Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 2:30 p.m.
South Trail Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 4:30 p.m.
Washington Park Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 4 p.m.
Move over, Superman! Make way for nature’s superheroes. Learn what truly amazing animals can do with real super powers.

Crafternoons
South Trail Branch
Fridays, August 16, 23 & 30, 4 p.m.
Tuesday, August 27, 4 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Wednesday, August 28, 3:30 p.m.
Join us for an hour of crafting fun with friends. Registration recommended.

The REP Readers
Fairview Shores Branch
Saturday, August 17, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Discover theater in a whole new way through this unique, interactive workshop!

Candy Sushi
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, August 17, 4 p.m.
Learn how to make delicious sushi rolls out of candy, rice crispy treats and more! Registration required. Supplies limited. Recommended for upper elementary and tweens.

STEAM Storytime
West Oaks Branch
Wednesday, August 21, 4:30 p.m.
Science! Technology! Engineering! Art! Math! Storytime! Come to a story and work together on a STEAM based project. Recommended for lower and upper elementary and families.

What Can I Do
Chickasaw Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 4 p.m.
Discover theater in a whole new way through this unique, interactive workshop!

What’s the On the Inside?
Eatonville Branch
Saturday, August 28, 2:30 p.m.
Pharaohs and scarabs and mummies, oh my! Join us for a trip back to Ancient Egypt where we will play puzzles and games to unlock the secrets of the past.

HomeSchool Field Trip
Alafaya Branch
Tuesday, August 27, 2 p.m.
Inviting all homeschoolers to join us for a learning adventure! Registration required.

Cuisine Corner Junior: Breakfast Banana Split
Orlando Public Library
Monday, August 26, 3:15 p.m.
Get jump start on the day by diving into a delicious breakfast bowl featuring the super food powers of the acai berry. Recommended for upper elementary, tweens and teens.

Treehouse Adventures: Mummies in the Morning
South Trail Branch
Monday, August 26, 4:30 p.m.
Pharaohs and scarabs and mummies, oh my! Join us for a trip back to Ancient Egypt where we will play puzzles and games to unlock the secrets of the past.

Construction Toys for Kids
Herndon Branch
Saturday, August 24, 2 p.m.
Learn the basics of building and learning with Snap Circuits, KNEX and Magformers.

Doodle Bugs
South Creek Branch
Saturday, August 24, 2:30 p.m.
Join us for a monthly series for kids to unleash their creative side and design art based on fun and unique themes. Recommended for upper elementary.

Music Lab: Song Maker
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, August 24, 3 p.m.
Create simple or elaborate beats and melodies with the aesthetic color-coded Music Lab. You will be challenged to write music for all different types of scenarios!
TEEN & TWEEN EVENTS
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DIY BACK TO SCHOOL
Chiccasaw Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 6 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 10, 2–3 p.m.
Make your gear the coolest in school with fun and useful crafts!

HELP US CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH!
Bring a friend in-person to sign up for a new library card
September 1–30 for a chance to win a prize pack. Post a selfie
with your friend and their new library card on Instagram with the hashtag
#OCLSFriends to earn an extra entry into this contest. Learn about the
requirements to register for a library card and promotion details at
ocls.info/bringafriend.

DIY Galaxy Bath Bombs
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, August 1, 4:30 p.m.
Treat yourself! Bath bombs are easier to make than you think, join us for a space themed creation that is out of this world.

Time Out for Teens
Southwest Branch
Mondays, August 5–26, 3:30 p.m.
Get together with other teens to talk about school and other issues while participating in fun activities to help you relax, de-stress, learn new life skills and become a better you.

Fashion Forward
Washington Park Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 4 p.m.
What will you wear to school this year? Find new ideas and create your own inspiration board as we watch a super stylish movie.

Extreme Bingo
Hiwassee Branch
Wednesday, August 14, 4 p.m.
Bingo isn’t just for your grandparents anymore! Test your skills with our Extreme Bingo and play for a chance to be crowned Bingo Master.

K-Pop Dance Party
Alafaya Branch
Thursday, August 15, 6:30–8 p.m.
Eatonville Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 3:30 p.m.
If you have K-Drama feelings for K-Pop music then the library is where you need to be for trivia, activities and fandom crafts.

Paper Makes Perfect
Orlando Public Library
Tuesday, August 20, 3:30 p.m.
Get organized for the new school year by harnessing the power of origami to create a mini journal and storage boxes all from paper! Registration recommended.

Chalk Rocks
Orlando Public Library
Friday, August 30, 3 p.m.
Make a cool paperweight to keep all your loose ends under control.

JUST BUGGY
Fairview Shores Branch
Monday, August 19, 4 p.m.
Hiwassee Branch
Tuesday, August 20, 6:30–8:30 p.m.
Southeast Branch
Saturday, August 24, 3 p.m.
Insects represent most of the world’s species and come in all shapes, sizes and colors. Join us to watch a buggy movie and design your own edible bug.

DIY BACK TO SCHOOL
Chiccasaw Branch
Wednesday, August 7, 6 p.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, August 10, 2–3 p.m.
Make your gear the coolest in school with fun and useful crafts!
LOCATIONS

Orlando Public Library
101 E. Central Blvd., Orlando, FL 32801
Hours: Monday–Thursday 9 a.m.–8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 9 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m.–6 p.m.

Alafaya Branch
12000 E. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32826
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m.–6 p.m.

Chickasaw Branch
870 N. Chickasaw Trail, Orlando, FL 32825
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Eatonville Branch
200 E. Kennedy Blvd., Eatonville, FL 32751
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

NOW OPEN
Fairview Shores Branch
902 Lee Road, Suite 26, Orlando, FL 32810
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Herndon Branch
4324 E. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32803
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Hiawassee Branch
7391 W. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 32818
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

North Orange Branch
1211 E. Semoran Blvd., Apopka, FL 32703
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m.–6 p.m.

South Creek Branch
1702 Deerfield Blvd., Orlando, FL 32837
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m.–6 p.m.

South Trail Branch
4600 S. Orange Blossom Trl, Orlando, FL 32839
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Southeast Branch
5575 S. Semoran Blvd., Orlando, FL 32822
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Southwest Branch
7255 Della Dr., Orlando, FL 32819
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Washington Park Branch
5151 Raleigh St., Suite A., Orlando, FL 32811
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

West Oaks Branch & Genealogy Center
1821 E. Silver Star Rd., Ocoee, FL 34761
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m.–6 p.m.

Windermere Branch
530 Main St., Windermere, FL 34786
Hours: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Winter Garden Branch
805 E. Plant St., Winter Garden, FL 34787
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Friday & Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Sunday Hours: ☀

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CLOSURES

Labor Day
The Orange County Library System will be closed Sunday and Monday, September 1 & 2 in observance of Labor Day. The library system will resume normal hours on Tuesday, September 3.

Día del Trabajo
El sistema de bibliotecas del condado de orange estará cerrado el domingo y lunes, 1 y 2 de septiembre debido a la conmemoración del Día del Trabajo. El sistema de bibliotecas abrirá en sus horas regulares el martes, 3 de septiembre.