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Contests

Grand Prize Giveaway ☆

Grab your opportunity to win fantastic prizes like a *GoPro* camera or tickets to Megacon 2016! Receive one entry for each program, Melrose Camp or TechKrew session you attend and photo you enter in the Teen Photo Contest. Earn an entry for writing your first online book review. Winners will be drawn randomly at the End-of-Summer Teen Party on Wednesday, August 5 at 3 p.m. Must be present and between ages 11-18 to win. Orange County Library System regular, property owner or fee card in good standing is required to win. For official rules, visit ocls.info/srpteens.

Teen Photo Contest ☆

All Locations

June 8 – July 31

Show us your world this summer! Take a photo with your camera or mobile device and earn an entry to the Grand Prize Giveaway! See official rules and enter online at ocls.info/srpteens. Ages 11–18.

Orange County Library System regular, property owner or fee card in good standing is required to win.

Teen/Tween Programs

Programs marked with a ☆ are also appropriate for ages 11 and 12.

***The Hunger Games* Movie Marathon**

Orlando Public Library, Club Central Wednesday, June 3, 10:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

North Orange Branch Wednesday, June 17, 2 – 8 p.m.

Volunteer as tribute and start a revolution by joining us for a *Hunger Games* movie marathon. All films rated PG-13.

Notorious Villains ☆

Herndon Branch Wednesday, June 10, 7 p.m.

Orlando Public Library, Club Central Wednesday, June 17, 3 p.m.

North Orange Branch Wednesday, June 24, 2 p.m.

South Creek Branch Saturday, June 27, 11 a.m.

Venture to the darkside as we explore the villains of our favorite books and movies!

Meet the Author: Lauren Gibaldi

Alafaya Branch Tuesday, June 16, 7 p.m.

Join Alafaya's librarian and young adult author Lauren Gibaldi as we celebrate the release of her debut novel *The Night We Said Yes*. Enjoy a Q&A session, book sale and signing, and cake!

Summer Fun Book Club

Southeast Branch Thursday, June 18, 3 p.m.

Come for group reading and enjoy food with your friends at the library this summer. Ages 11-13.

Fancy Fingers

North Orange Branch

Saturday, June 20, 2 p.m.

Try out new colors and nail art ideas. Some colors and tools will be supplied but you may also bring your own materials. Registration required.

Lip Balm Fab Lab ☆

Alafaya Branch

Saturday, June 20, 2 p.m.

North Orange Branch

Saturday, June 27, 2 p.m.

Use scientific methods to investigate beauty product ingredients and learn how they are made. Each participant will have the opportunity to create his or her own natural and organic lip balm. Presented by Pretty on Purpose.

Teen Summer Kickoff – After Hours

Orlando Public Library, Library Central

Saturday, June 20, 7-10 p.m.

Start your summer right! Grab your friends and hang out after-hours. Enjoy DJ beats and live music, gaming and more throughout the night. Take selfies at Madame Tussauds' celebrity photo booth and dine on pizza and Shake Shack's frozen custard! Be sure to wear white because the black lights will be in full force! Sponsored by Amerigroup, Madame Tussauds, Putting Edge and Shake Shack.

Game Changer: A *Dungeons & Dragons*™ Writing Adventure ☆

Orlando Public Library, Children's Library

Monday-Friday, June 22-26, 1-5 p.m.

Go on the adventure you've always dreamed of! Game Changer's unique one-week summer camp will lead you through the fundamentals of the galaxy's most famous tabletop role-playing game, *Dungeons & Dragons*. Develop your character, write an epic adventure as it unfolds within your mind, battle monsters, solve mysteries and have fun with other gamers. Seating is limited. Registration required. Call 407.835.7323 to register.

Jewelry-Making 101 ☆

Southeast Branch

Saturday, June 27, 2 p.m.

Learn the basics of jewelry-making using beads. Join us to create your own bracelets or necklaces.

Teen Clubs

Mayor Buddy's Book Club ☆

Join Mayor Buddy's Book Club! Sign up online to see what we are reading and when the next celebration will be held at mayor.ocls.info.

Animanga

Orlando Public Library, Club Central

Thursday, June 18, 6 p.m.

Are you an anime and manga fan? If so, join us to interact with other teens who love Japanese entertainment. Chat about your favorite manga and watch anime while meeting new friends! The club meets the third Thursday of every month.

Teen Voices

Orlando Public Library, Club Central

Thursday, June 25, 6 p.m.

Join our Teen Advisory Board to meet new people and develop teen library programs and services while earning community service hours.

Teen Library Corps

All Locations

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

Gaming at the Library!

If you love gaming like we love gaming, get your game on at the library! Join us for action-packed fun at multiple locations. Visit **ocls.info/GamingEvents** for dates, times and locations.

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