

What's Happening @



Hours

Sunday

2:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

Monday—Thursday

9:00 a.m.—9:00 p.m.

Friday—Saturday

9:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m.

*Registration Required



DECEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps 10:00 & 6:00 Deck the Stockings	4 10:00 Deck the Stockings	5 4:00 Children's Story Hour 4:00 StorySeekers* 7:00 Artist of the Month	6 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs	7 9:30 Tai Chi Easy with Jan 
8	9 10:00 Stuff the Stockings 4:30 Craven Chess Players*	10 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps 6:00 Learn About Foster Care 6:30 Nite Owls Book Club*	11 4:00 InBeTWEEN Wednesdays*	12 4:00 Children's Story Hour 4:00 StorySeekers*	13 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs	14 9:30 Tai Chi Easy with Jan 3:00 Saturday @ the Movies
15	16	17 9:30 & 10:30 Preschool Storysteps 1:00 River Readers Book Club*	18 4:00 Children's Movie Day*	19 4:00 Children's Story Hour 4:00 StorySeekers*	20 9:30 & 10:30 TOTs Ugly Christmas Sweater Day	21 9:30 Tai Chi Easy with Jan 2:30 Gingerbread Team Challenge*
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29	30 4:30 Teen Scene*	31 Library closing at 6:00 p.m.				

Children's Programs

Weekly Programs:

**Children's Weekly Programs
will not be held December 22-31.
Programming will resume in January 2020.**

Preschool Storysteps ~ Tuesday @ 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
~ **Ages 3 to 5** ~ Follow the footsteps under the rainbow for stories, music, puppetry, and much more! Children's Mini-Theater

TOTs - Time Out for Toddlers ~ Friday @ 9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. ~ **Ages 18 months to 3** ~ Join Toady the Frog for books, rhymes, fingerplays, songs, and puppets! Children's Mini-Theater

Children's Story Hour ~ Thursday, 4:00-5:00 p.m. ~ Grades K-2 ~ An after-school adventure of storytelling and creative activities. Children's Mini-Theater

StorySeekers* ~ Thursday, 4:00-5:00 p.m. ~ Ages 10-12 ~ Children develop storytelling techniques including oral storytelling, puppetry, and creative dramatics. *Registration now open to new participants.* Auditorium

General Interest Programs:

Dec. 11: InBeTWEEN Wednesdays* ~ 4:00-5:30 p.m. ~ Grades 3-5 ~ Cookie Decorating 101 ~ Celebrate the holidays by decorating cookies! We'll provide the cookies, frosting, decorations, and fun. You provide your creativity and appetite! Auditorium

Dec. 18: Children's Movie Day* ~ 4:00-5:45 p.m. ~ Grades K-5 ~ *The Nutcracker and the Four Realms* ~ When Clara finds a magical gift, she travels into a parallel world where a group of mice soldiers and others help her retrieve the key to stabilizing the land. This movie is rated PG. Auditorium

Young Adult Programs

Dec. 21: Gingerbread Team Challenge* ~ 2:30-4:00 p.m. ~ Grades 6-12 ~ Come add crazy details and deck out a gingerbread house worthy of the Gingerbread Man himself! Register solo or with a friend for this extreme event. *Deadline to register is December 18. Limited registration.* Auditorium

Dec. 30: Teen Scene* ~ 4:30-5:30 p.m. ~ Grades 6-12 ~ Solve a Mystery! ~ Help us solve a mystery at the library with photo evidence. Come prepared to follow clues around the entire library. The team with the most correct photos wins! *Rescheduled from September.* Auditorium

For more information or to register for **Children's** or **Young Adult** Programs, call 252-638-7815 or email youthprograms@nbccpl.org.

***Registration Required**

Adult Programs

General Interest Programs:

Deck the Stockings: three opportunities to participate!
Dec. 3 ~ 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. or 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Dec. 4 ~ 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

~ Drop in and help the Friends of the Library decorate stockings for children in kindergarten, first, and second grades at Oaks Road Academy this holiday season. Auditorium

Dec. 9: Stuff the Stockings ~ 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. ~ Now that the stockings are all decorated, come help the Friends fill them with goodies to give to the students at Oaks Road Academy. *Donations for stocking stuffer gifts are being accepted at the library through Sunday, December 8.* Auditorium

Dec. 10: Learn About Foster Care ~ 6:00-7:00 p.m. ~ Interested in becoming a foster parent and don't know where to start? Join representatives from Touchstone Residential Services and Craven County Department of Social Services to learn more about opening your home and heart to a child. Auditorium

Dec. 10: Nite Owls Book Club* ~ 6:30-7:30 p.m. ~ The library's evening book club will discuss *Sunday's Child* by Tom Lewis. *The reading group is closed to new participants at this time.* Conference Room

Dec. 14: Saturday @ the Movies ~ 3:00-5:15 p.m. ~ *Die Hard* ~ A New York City cop visiting his estranged wife and children in California gets more than he bargained for when terrorists take over his wife's office building. Is it or isn't it a Christmas movie? You decide! This movie is rated R. *No one under 18 will be admitted.* Auditorium

Dec. 17: River Readers Book Club* ~ 1:00-2:00 p.m. ~ The group will discuss *Extra Virgin: a Young Woman Discovers the Italian Riviera, Where Every Month Is Enchanted* by Annie Hawes. *The reading group is closed to new participants at this time.* Conference Room

Free Technology Classes:

Technology classes will resume in January 2020.

Programs for Everyone

Dec. 5: Artist of the Month ~ 7:00-8:30 p.m. ~ The Twin Rivers Art Association invites you for a reception and viewing of Dale Quidley's acrylic paintings. Auditorium

Dec. 7, 14, & 21: Tai Chi Easy with Jan ~ 9:30-10:30 a.m. ~ Learn the benefits of better balance and circulation through this ancient practice for the mind, body, and spirit for participants of any ability or age. Please bring a mat or towel & water. *Note: No class will be held December 28.* Auditorium

Dec. 9 & 23: Craven Chess Players* ~ 4:30-5:30 p.m. ~ Ages 8 & older ~ Show off your best moves against other chess fans! Whether you're a chess master or just starting out,

For more information or to register for **Adult** or **Everyone** Programs, call 252-638-7807 or email adultprograms@nbccpl.org.