

## Upcoming Library Programs - February 2026

### Adults

#### **Read More 2026**

Read or listen to a unique book from 20 different categories. Titles must be adult or YA level. Record their titles on the log & and return completed logs to the Help Desk or on [Beanstack](#) before Thursday, December 31, 2026. Complete the challenge and receive a commemorative t-shirt. Ages 18 & up

#### **Painting Swap**

Thursday, February 5 @ 6PM

We will start with a canvas and then pass it around so that each participant can add their own flair to each piece of art. Every participant will take home an original piece of collaborative art created by the eight people in attendance. Space is limited due to time, but we are offering two sessions. Please only register for one session to allow more people to participate—registration required. Spaces are limited. All supplies provided.

#### **Hungrytown Folk Music Group**

Saturday, February 7 @ 2PM

Experience the unique musical fusion of Hungrytown, the artistic collaboration of Rebecca Hall and Ken Anderson. Don't miss this captivating performance, born from their years of worldwide touring and deep devotion to the craft, as they bring their dynamic sound to life on stage.

#### **Fiber Coil Coasters**

Tuesday, February 10 @ 6PM

Inspired by rag coiling techniques from African cultures, renowned local artist VET will guide participants through creating coasters by upcycling fabric scraps, thread, and beads. Suitable for 3rd Grade & Up, Teens, & Adults

#### **Painting Swap**

Thursday, February 12 @ 6PM

We will start with a canvas and then pass it around so that each participant can add their own flair to each piece of art. Every participant will take home an original piece of collaborative art created by the eight people in attendance. Space is limited due to time, but we are offering two sessions. Please only register for one session to allow more people to participate. Registration required. Spaces are limited. All supplies provided.

#### **Booked on Fridays**

Join us for engaging reads, good conversation, and loads of fun.

February 13

*They Went Left* by Monica Hesse

#### **Valentine's Open Craft Session**

Saturday, February 14 @ 11AM-1PM

Leftover craft supplies can be packaged to make at the library or take home. Bring your favorite person and craft with leftover items or take a craft bag home. Geode Skull, alcohol ink coasters,

pipe cleaner flowers, Lace painting, multi-media mini canvas. First come, first serve for leftover craft supplies, supplies are limited.

### **Third Tuesday Book Bunch**

Ages: 55+ years

Social networking and a good book. Immerse yourself into a good story with friends.

February 17

*Lula Dean's Little Library of Banned Books* by Kirsten Miller

### **D.E.A.R. After Dark**

Saturday, February 21 from 5:30 - 7:00pm

For Adult Friends of the Library Members Only!

The Friends of the Smith Public Library are hosting this special D.E.A.R. program so that adults can carve out time in their busy schedules for reading. Think of this as a low key night out. Bring a book, tablet, magazine - whatever you want to read. Check In, chat for a few minutes, then find a spot in the library to read for an hour uninterrupted! Afterwards, meet back up in the lobby to chat some more (or not) and then make plans to come to the next one. Let's Drop Everything & Read!

### **Conversational English**

Thursday, February 26 @ 2PM

Practice your English speaking conversation skills! Participants meet monthly to practice speaking about everyday topics in a casual, supportive setting. Sign up required.

### **Preschool**

Free stickers are required to enter all storytimes and are available right before the event time.

Space is limited due to fire code.

Bilingual Family Storytime for all ages

Mondays @ 6:30pm

Infant Storytime for 0 - 11 month olds

Wednesdays @ 10am

Big Kid Storytimes for 3 - 5 year olds

Wednesdays @ 10:45am and 11:30am

Thursdays @ 1:30pm

Toddler Time for 1 - 2 year olds

Fridays @ 10:15am and 11am

Gentle Storytime

Space is limited to keep a sensory friendly environment

Wednesdays @ 2:15pm

## **Kids**

### **Kids Winter Reading Challenge**

For Kinder - 6th grade. From January 3 - February 28.

Read 5 books to receive a small prize. Pick up a log at the Children's Desk.

### **BeTween Book Club**

4th-6th graders (9-12 years old) and meet on the designated date from 6-7pm in the Storytime Room.

February 10

*Escape From Mr. Lemoncello's Library* by Chris Grabenstein

### **My Very Own Book Club**

1st & 2nd graders (6-8 years old) meet on the designated date from 3:30-4:30pm in the Multi-Purpose Room.

February 17 or 19

*Crankenstein's Valentine* by Samantha Berger

### **Kids Garden Activity**

Join the Collin County Master Gardeners in the library lobby for a come and go activity for kids!

February 19 from 12:30 - 2:00pm

### **Idea Lab**

Idea Lab is a STEAM activity program for 3rd & 4th graders who are 8-10 years old (both criteria must be met for participation) and meets from 3:30-4:30pm in the Multi-Purpose Room.

February 26

Sound Lab

## **Teens**

### **Roll for the Initiative**

Teen D&D For 7th-12th graders only. Registration required. Space may be limited for specific meetings.

February 5 from 4:30 - 6:30pm in the MP Room

### **Teen Winter Reading Challenge**

For 7th - 12th grade. From January 3 - February 28.

Read 2 books to receive a small prize. Pick up a log in the Teen Room.

### **Teen Book Club**

7th-12th graders meet monthly at 6pm in the storytime room to chat about the book we read, discuss what else we've been reading, and snack! The first 30 teens to sign up get a free copy of the book!

February 12

*Leviathan* by Scott Westerfeld