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Dear Guests,

Happy October! To quote L.M. Montgomery's Anne of Green Gables, I'm so glad I live in a world where there are Octobers.

As the crisp air settles and the leaves turn, it's the perfect time to find your October read. I'm currently enjoying "Chaos at the Lazy Bones Bookshop" by Emmeline Duncan, a cozy mystery where a bookstore owner must solve a murder in a hay bale maze to save a festival. Check out our librarians' picks for this month and discover a book you'll love to cozy up with!

We've got a packed calendar this month, filled with Halloween thrills, author talks, cultural celebrations and much more across the Metropolitan Library System. Here are just a few highlights.

Our seventh annual Paranormal Fest returns to the Ronald J. Norick Downtown Library on October 26, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Don't miss ghost hunting talks, a movie marathon, crafts, an escape room and plenty of spooky fun for all ages!

We're honored to present acclaimed author Russell Cobb, who will be sharing his insights at the Del City Library on October 19 and at the Downtown Library on October 20. Cobb will explore his compelling book *Ghosts of Crook County*, uncovering the exploitation of Muscogee land. This true crime narrative unravels a tangled web of unbridled greed, Indigenous dispossession and the mystery of a boy who may never have existed.

For book lovers, be sure to join the Friends of the Metropolitan Library System for their first ever Mini Community Book Sale at the Bethany Library from October 25-27. This is your chance to pick up great reads and media at bargain prices. All proceeds will go to support the library system.

October is Civic Engagement Month — a great time to gear up for the 2024 presidential election. Visit metrolibrary.org/vote to register, request absentee ballots, and get up-to-date election info. Join us at the Bethany Library for the "Let's Fix This" information table, where you can meet local leaders and discuss key community issues. Visit the table in the lobby on October 2, 4, or 10 to register to vote, learn about the upcoming election issues and get a sneak peek at the Smithsonian exhibit coming to the library in December.

Our celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month continues with lively Latin dance classes, cultural performances like the Yúmare Mexican Folkloric Dancers and a fun Sugar Skull Take-Home Kit.

We haven't forgotten our teens! October is the perfect time to highlight the amazing teen services available at our libraries year-round. During this month enjoy board game nights, Halloween parties, graphic novels and audiobooks—there's something for every teen to love!

As the seasons change, your library remains a place for discovery and connection. Whether you're picking up a new book, joining a workshop, celebrating cultural events or hearing from an author, we're here for you all season long. For more details, visit metrolibrary.org/events or check out this issue of the Info Magazine.

Thank you for being part of our library community. We look forward to seeing you this fall!



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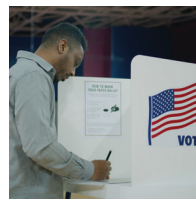
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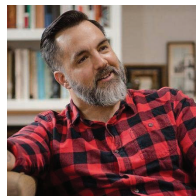
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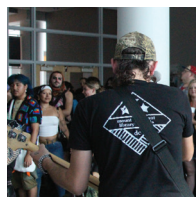
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Score fantastic deals on books and media at the Fall Mini Community Book Sale, October 25-27— held at the Bethany Library for the first time! All proceeds support the Metropolitan Library System. Read the full article for more.



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The Oklahoma Underground Music Archive - Step into the Oklahoma Underground Music Archive, where punk, metal, and indie are preserved and celebrated.



13 October Events

This month, your local libraries are bursting with Latin dance classes, Día de los Muertos festivities, engaging civic events, and a spooktacular lineup of Halloween-themed workshops, parties, and story times.



Civic Engagement at Your Local Library



By Zoe Elrod, Internal Communications Coordinator

With the 2024 presidential election approaching, it's the perfect time to ensure you're ready to vote, and the Metropolitan Library System is here to help! Whether you need to register, learn about absentee voting or find early voting locations, we've got essential resources to guide you.

Register to Vote and Stay Informed

Visit metrolibrary.org/voterresources for a quick link to Oklahoma's voter registration portal and other resources on election topics, candidate platforms, and ballot measures. Voter guides from the League of Women Voters, in both English and Spanish, will soon be available at all Metro Library locations to help you stay informed.

"Let's Fix This" Events at Your Library

Attend Let's Fix This voter engagement events at Bethany Library:

- October 2: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- October 4: 1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- October 10: 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Register to vote, discuss key issues and connect with local leaders.

Vote Early or by Absentee Ballot

Avoid lines on November 5 by voting early or by absentee ballot. Request absentee ballots and check early voting locations online.

First-Time Voter Tips

First-time voters can find tips, voter rights info and polling locations online. Be sure to view your sample ballot and feel prepared for Election Day.

This election season, let your library guide you. Visit metrolibrary.org/vote to register, stay informed and explore voter events. Your vote matters—make it count!

Save the Date: Voices and Votes at Bethany Library

Save the date for Voices and Votes: Democracy in America, December 14 to January 25. This exhibition explores pivotal moments in U.S. democracy with interactive displays and artifacts. Learn more at metrolibrary.org/voicesandvotes.

Discover reading recs related to Civic Engagement this month at bit.ly/CivicEngagementReading!

PARANORMAL FEST

SPOOKY FUN ALL DAY LONG

By Zoe "Gone Squatchin'" Elrod, Internal Communications Coordinator

Join us for the 7th annual Paranormal Fest at Ronald J. Norick Downtown Library on **October 26, 2024, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** Dive into spooky fun with ghost hunting talks, a movie marathon, crafts, an escape room and more. Don't miss out on the ultimate spooky season event!

SCHEDULE - ALL DAY:

- Grab and Go Take Home Kits: No registration needed; first come, first served. Limited quantities. For teens and adults.
- Paranormal Activities: Friends Room (4th floor) — Enjoy crafting with origami pumpkins, paper lanterns, bat garlands, and more. For all ages.
- Vendor Fair: Atrium (1st floor) — Browse local artists and organizations, discover oddities, and find witchcraft supplies. For all ages.

SCHEDULE - EVENTS:

- **Bigfoot:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Classroom EF (4th floor) Learn all about Bigfoot with the Native Oklahoma Bigfoot Research Organization. All ages.
- **Escape Room:** 11:00 AM - Noon, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Classroom G (4th floor) - Fun for kids, teens, and adults. Children must be supervised. Please arrive on time; late arrivals will not be admitted.
- **Local Hauntings:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Classroom AB (4th floor) - Jeff Provine, author of Haunted Oklahoma, shares local hauntings and urban legends. All ages.
- **Spooky Storytime:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Children's Program Room (1st floor) - Enjoy ghostly tales and supernatural adventures. For birth to pre-K and kids.
- **Family Fright Movie Marathon:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, 46th Star Auditorium (4th floor) - Watch family-friendly spooky films like ParaNorman, The Secret of NIMH, and Kubo and the Two Strings. All ages.
- **Astrology:** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM, Classroom CD (4th floor) - Discover your zodiac sign and its impact on your personality. All ages. Bring your birth date, city, and time.
- **Cryptid Quest: Hunting Hidden Creatures:** 12:30

PM - 1:30 PM, Children's Program Room - Kids will search for hidden cryptids and uncover legendary beasts.

- **Death and Dying:** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, Classroom AB (4th floor) - Engage in an open conversation about death and dying with the Death Doula Duo.
- **Red Dirt Cryptids:** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, Classroom EF (4th floor) - Explore local cryptids with Red Dirt Cryptids. All ages.
- **Cryptid Crafts:** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM, Children's Program Room (1st floor) - Create crafts inspired by cryptids like Bigfoot and the Loch Ness Monster. For kids and teens.
- **Indigenous Spooky Stories:** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM, Classroom CD (4th floor) - Enjoy American Indigenous folklore and spooky stories. All ages.
- **Ghost Hunting:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Classroom EF (4th floor) - Learn about ghost hunting with Investigating Oklahoma's Paranormal. All ages.
- **Spooky Sound Effects:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM, Classroom AB (4th floor) - Create your own spooky sound effects with experimental harpist Moriah Bailey. For teens and adults.

"Paranormal Fest is the highlight of the Halloween season! For seven years, the library has hosted this free, all-day event where witches, cryptids, and ghouls unite. Every year is even more fun than the last with new guest experts, activities and local artists."

- Reagan Young, Engagement Specialist and Metro Library's own Ghost Wrangler

PARANORMAL FEST 2024

Don't miss spooky crafts, vendors, events, fun and more!



Children's activities, Paranormal Fest 2023



Vendors in the atrium, Paranormal Fest 2023



Spooky crafts, Paranormal Fest 2023



Hispanic/Latinx Heritage Month Through Oct. 15

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with the Metropolitan Library System through October 15! This annual event honors the rich histories and contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans. Enjoy a variety of events, including Latin dance classes, performances by Yúmáre Mexican Folkloric Dancers and Azuquita Cubana, and cultural workshops like Mexican Hot Chocolate and Concha Bread Making. Join us in celebrating through art, dance, food, and more!

Scan the QR code to explore upcoming events at your local library!





TeenTober: Events, Reads, and Resources

By Zoe Elrod, Internal Communications Coordinator

TeenTober is a nationwide October event honoring teens and their connection to libraries. This celebration highlights year-round teen services and encourages exploring all forms of reading—books, magazines, eBooks, comics and audiobooks. This October, enjoy popular graphic novels like *Heartstopper* by Alice Oseman and *Spy x Family* by Tatsuya Endo, along with classics like *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak and *1984* by George Orwell. Don't miss Sequoyah favorites such as *The Name She Gave Me* by Betty Culley and *The Summer of June* by Jamie Sumner—available at your library!

For Parents: Encourage reading for fun to boost test scores. Visit the library and make reading a daily habit with your teens.

Resources:

- Oklahoma Driving Practice Tests: Prepare for driving tests with practice exams and official manuals.
- LearningExpress Library: Access study guides, practice tests, job resources and computer tutorials.
- College Blue Book: Explore U.S. and Canadian schools, degree programs and scholarships.
- Teen Comics & Graphic Novels: Browse digital comics and graphic novels on Libby.
- Teen Audiobooks & eBooks: Enjoy 7- or 14-day checkouts for teen eBooks and audiobooks on Libby.

Southern Oaks Library Events:

- Literacies Scavenger Hunt (Oct. 2-8): Test your skills with a scavenger hunt for a small prize.
- Post-It Poetry (Oct. 9-13): Share poems on sticky notes and showcase your creativity.
- Post-It Art (Oct. 23-29): Create and display mini artworks on sticky notes.
- Board Game Night (Oct. 16, 4-5 p.m.): Play games with provided options or bring your favorites.

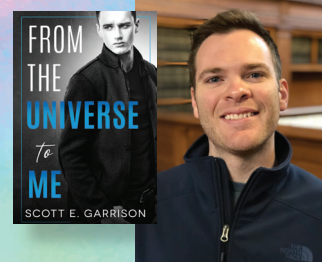
Other Teen Events Across the System:

- Halloween Party (Oct. 31, 6-8 p.m., Midwest City Library): Enjoy cupcake decorating, a trick-or-treat door, photo booth, dance floor and candy.
- Trading Card Game Night (Oct. 8, 5-6 p.m., Almonte Library): Join us for trading card games.
- Dread (Horror RPG) (Oct. 27, 2-4 p.m., Northwest Library): Experience the horror RPG Dread. No prior experience needed; general RPG experience recommended.
- Find something new to read, explore our resources or sign up for a program today!

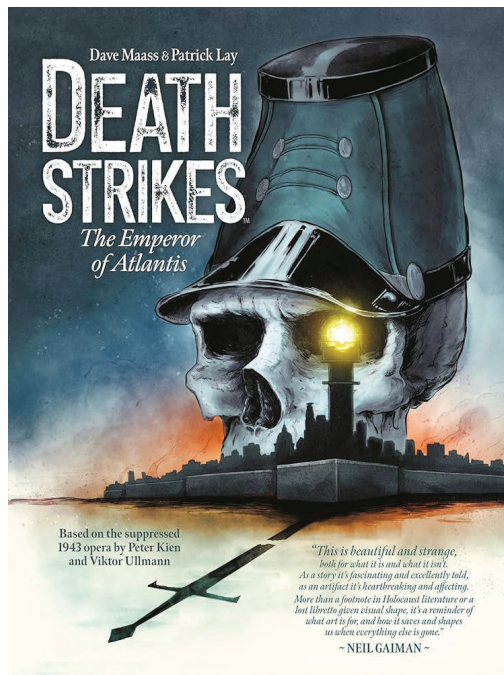
National Coming Out Day Celebration

Oct. 10, 6 - 8 PM, Northwest Library

Celebrate National Coming Out Day with crafts and a special author visit. Scott E. Garrison, author of *From the Universe to Me*, will read from his book, answer questions, and sign copies. Enjoy crafts that celebrate LGBTQ+ identities and a photo op. No purchase necessary to attend. This event is for ages 12 and up. To read the book before the event, you can place a hold on it at <https://bit.ly/fromtheuniversetome>.



in review



Death Strikes: The Emperor of Atlantis

Dave Maass

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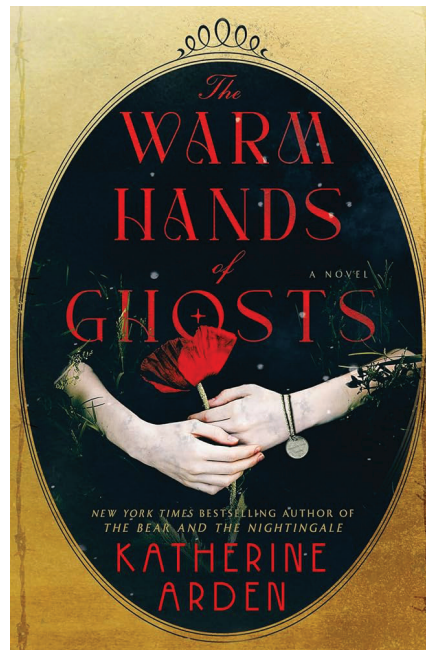
Available formats: Graphic Novel, eComic

“Death Strikes: The Emperor of Atlantis” by David Maass is one of the most impactful books I have personally read all year. I first checked it out in January, and I have reread it several times this year alone. The graphic novel is an adaptation of an opera written in the Terezín concentration camp by Peter Kien and Viktor Ullmann. Though undoubtedly influenced by its shift in medium, it loses no poignancy in its translation. Written during the 1930s, it combines elements of turn-of-the-century fantasy, horror, and a proto-dystopia that is at once modern in its sensibilities and reflective of the regime it was produced under. The illustration work is stunning, evoking the stark horror of war veterans, as well as reflecting on its roots as an operatic production. I recommend Death Strikes to anybody with interest in graphic novels, modern history, fantasy, or anybody who wants to read a book which has bridged a nearly 100-year gap.

reviewed by: Annika Lewis



Annika Lewis is a librarian at the Ronald J Norick Downtown Library. Her favorite genres are urban fantasy and science fiction. In her spare time, she runs tabletop RPGs for her friends, takes her cats for walks and paints historical & fantasy portraits.



The Warm Hands of Ghosts

Katherine Arden

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Available formats: eAudiobook, eBook, Kindle, Playaway

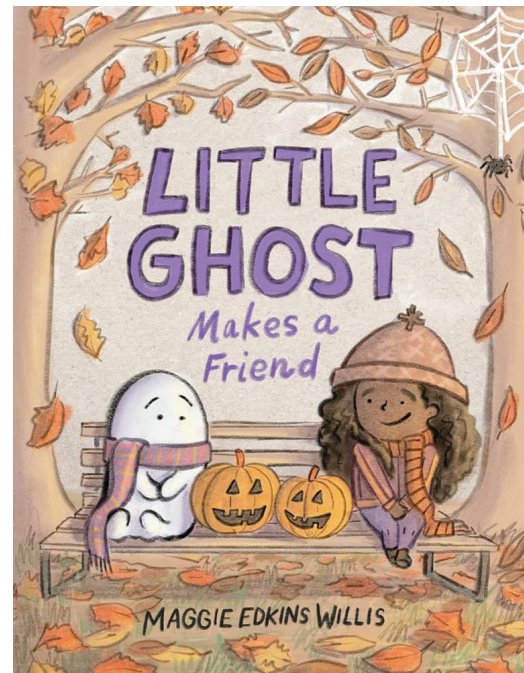
When I was a kid my favorite book in the “Anne of Green Gables” series was the lesser read final novel, “Rilla of Ingleside,” because it was romantic, angsty and kind of eerie and set during WWI. All that to say that “The Warm Hands of Ghosts” by Katherine Arden was precisely up my alley. Laura is an injured combat nurse who, upon her return to Canada, receives news that her soldier brother, Freddie, has died under unusual circumstances in France. But has he? She returns to the front lines determined to find answers, but the answers take a decidedly unearthly turn.

I love when a book combines the magical and historical. One minute you’re contemplating evil and spirits and then you’re down a long Wikipedia rabbit hole about the Halifax explosion of 1917. I really like Katherine Arden’s writing style, and she has become an automatic read author for me.

reviewed by: Dara Tinius



Dara Tinius is a librarian at the Ronald J Norick Downtown Library. She is a mom to two daughters and one dog. In her spare time, she enjoys road tripping with her family, mood reading, and going down documentary rabbit holes.



**Dead Things are Closer
Than They Appear**
Robin Wasley

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Little Ghost Makes a Friend
Maggie Edkins Willis

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Available formats: Book, eAudiobook, eBook, Kindle

Seventeen year-old Sid Spencer feels too boring to live in her ghost-ridden tourist trap of a town, where a well-known sealed portal to magic lies just below the surface, protected by secret Guardians. The day after Sid suffers a humiliating romantic rejection, one of the Guardians is killed and magic chaos erupts. As if the pending apocalypse wasn't enough, her older brother goes missing. As zombies crawl out of the portal, hyper-normal Sid finds herself enmeshed with a group of heroes (and her grouchy cat, Chad), killing monsters, searching for Guardians and trying to make things right. Author Robin Wasley delivers a funny, action-packed YA fantasy that will remind older readers of the best of "Buffy the Vampire Slayer" and "The Walking Dead." Also: Chad lives; we love Chad.

reviewed by: *Emily Williams*



Emily Williams is the teen services manager for Metro Library. When she's not librarianing, she paints pet portraits and uses her superpowers to manifest getting the No. 1 parking spot.

Available formats: Book

Imagine being a shy little ghost who desperately wants to make friends, seeing the world change around you and only feeling comfortable to come out of your house on Halloween once a year. That is the delightful story that I found to review today. I love the beautiful illustrations and the Halloween theme. Little ghost has a new neighbor who he would love to meet so he hatches a plan to introduce himself by throwing a Halloween party. He struggles over what to wear, what to eat and the games they will play. Will she show up? Will he make a friend? These are all the questions our shy little ghost asks himself without being true to his spooky, sparkly self. I highly recommend this book!

reviewed by: *Michelle Stone*



Michelle Stone is a collection development technician, mother to two sons, pet owner to three chihuahuas (Little Bear, Zoey, and Bella), and grandma to Ahsoka the cat. She's a huge fan of reading and movies, including "Star Wars." Ask her about R2-D2!

Uncovering History: Russell Cobb Explores Untold Stories of Muscogee Land

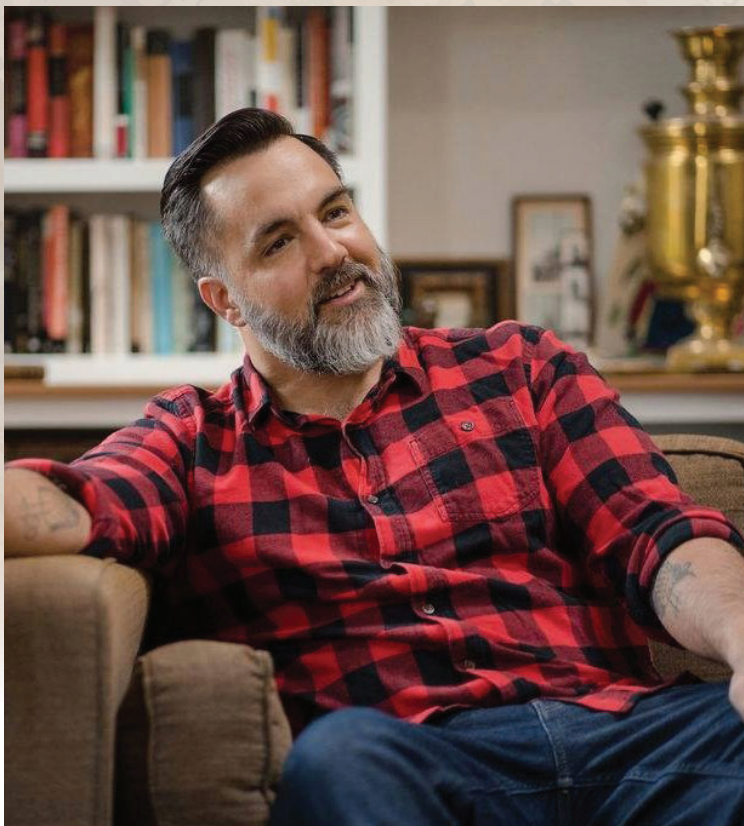
AUTHOR OF *GHOSTS OF CROOK COUNTY* AND *THE GREAT OKLAHOMA SWINDLE* VISITS METRO LIBRARIES

By Zoe Elrod, Internal Communications Coordinator

Join author Russell Cobb for two insightful discussions about his latest book, "Ghosts of Crook County." Cobb, renowned for his sharp historical and cultural insights, will delve into the exploitation and unresolved mysteries surrounding Muscogee land. His work provides fresh perspectives on overlooked narratives.

Del City Library: October 19, 10 a.m. - Cobb delves into the fascinating story of Oklahoma's oil boom and showcases the digital tools he used for his research.

Downtown Library: October 20, 2 p.m. - Adrienne Lalli Hills, Director of Learning & Community Engagement at First Americans Museum, joins Cobb to explore both the historical and contemporary aspects of his new book.



For Tracie Randolph, Regional Director with the Metropolitan Library System, "Ghosts of Crook County" was more than a historical exploration—it revealed surprising connections to her own family. While researching her Native American ancestry, Randolph came across details about her great-aunt, Minnie Atkins, who plays a central role in Cobb's book.

"Since I recently became aware of this family story, I was surprised at how vast and intriguing all the places and people involved impact my family," she said.

Cobb's book not only deepened Randolph's understanding of Muscogee land history but also illuminated her family's place within it.

"Reading the book has provided me with a better understanding of historical issues related to Muscogee land," Randolph said.

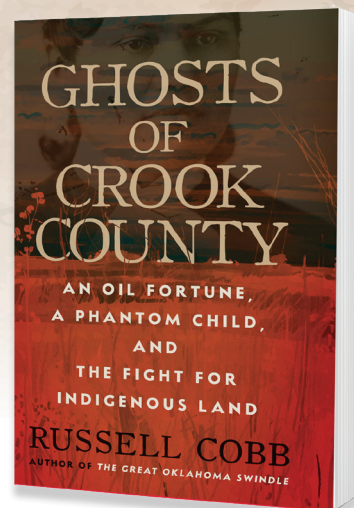
Randolph was particularly impressed by Cobb's sensitivity to cultural differences and his focus on overlooked stories in his historical presentations. She said she eagerly anticipates Cobb's upcoming library events and said it would likely spark meaningful discussions.

"I am overall just excited to hear more about my family history and the events involved in the book," she said.

The upcoming events promise to be a compelling exploration of historical narratives, offering an enriching experience for all attendees.



Scan to learn more and register!





Join Us for the Mini Community Book Sale at Bethany Library!

By Zoe Elrod, Internal Communications Coordinator

The Metropolitan Library System is hosting its second Fall Mini Community Book Sale at Bethany Library from October 25-27.

Event Hours:

Friday, October 25: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday, October 26: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday, October 27: 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Discover great deals on a variety of books and media, including children's books, fiction, mystery and more. Prices are \$2 for hardbacks, \$1 for paperbacks, and CDs and DVDs range from \$1 to \$4. Please note, no carts will be allowed.

This sale follows last year's successful October event and complements the annual book sale scheduled for February 2025 at the Fairgrounds. Proceeds from the sale support the Metropolitan Library System, funded by Friends of the Library members and book sale revenues. The Friends, a 501(c)3 organization, have raised over \$6 million to fund library programs, technology and staff scholarships.

“This small sale will be so much fun with cookbooks, religious and inspirational items, mysteries – it’s a great way to stock up for winter before the big sale!”

- Heather Zeoli, Director of Development and Volunteer Services



From PUNK to Preservation: The Oklahoma Underground Music Archive

By Meg Nance Coker, Special Collections Librarian

For most people the words “punk” and “archive” don’t exactly go together. But even raucous concepts like punk, metal, goth, experimental, indie, hip hop, or various other flavors of alternative music belong in a library and archive as part of our local history and culture. Everyone’s stories are history. The question then, is how do you go about preserving and sharing something wild in a world that likes order and quiet?

That’s the question I mulled over as a new MLS employee looking at a project that was then called The History of Punk. It was more a time capsule of a moment and a music scene than a timeline of a genre, though, so I changed the name to The Punk Project. We had a smattering of physical items – used hair dye bottles, distressed and customized sweaters, flyers and posters, zines (aka DIY magazines or fanzines) – plus a Facebook group and around a thousand digital images shared with us by community members. Then I talked with others who were part of the scene then and now about what it meant to preserve and share this particular piece of our past, and possibly its present? Within a few months a spark caught, and we collectively brainstormed a new name: the Oklahoma Underground Music Archive (or OK UMA) because our local

music scene is more than a single genre.

Fast-forward a little. We had a crustpunk show at the Downtown Library last July! It was a gorgeous show with great bands and community members of all ages. We are now printing the sixteenth issue of a monthly music zine, UMAMi, that includes reviews, articles, collaborative playlists, a community message board, local music gigs, and a variety of other submissions that then are enthusiastically collected and shared not only across the entire library system, but also at a variety of other venues across the metropolitan area. And we’re excited to announce that our next musical event, **Library Out Loud**, will be next month on the evening of November 7th in the Auditorium of the Downtown Library and will feature a collaboration between local experimental musicians and visual artists. The music lineup features BIRD DRUGS, the solo project of Norman-based interdisciplinary artist Justin Wallis, known for his sonic anti-ambient softcore noise and haunting video collages. Also performing is ut mutem, Andrew Lee’s youth ambient project, and Tired Ocean, a collaboration between Carl and Todd, with visuals by their friend Rock.

How can you be involved? If you have any tickets, flyers, posters, photographs, zines, or other souvenirs of local alternative music past and present, we’d love to preserve and share them with others. If you want to contribute to an issue of UMAMi, we’re always looking for new collaborators – email Oklahoma.UMA@gmail.com with your ideas. And of course, we’d love to see you at Library Out Loud – don’t forget, November 7, 6 p.m. at the Downtown Library!

For more information about the Oklahoma Underground Music Archive, visit tinyurl.com/ok-uma.



october featured events

To see the latest information about library programs and events, click on the *Attend* menu on the MLS website: metrolibrary.org. **All Metro Library locations will be closed Oct. 14 for Staff Development Day.**

*Registration required

Almonte Library

Halloween Carnival at Trinity Lutheran

All Ages Oct. 25 at 6:00pm
5701 S. May Ave., OKC

Bethany Library

Leading Latinas! and How They Have Shaped Oklahoma's History | Latinas que lideran! y como han influido la historia de Oklahoma*

Kids, Teens Oct. 1 and 8 at 6:30pm
Bethany Library

Let's Fix This Information Table

Adults Oct. 2 at 10:00am, Oct. 4 at 1:30pm
Bethany Library Oct. 10 at 4:00pm

Capitol Hill Library

Dia de los Muertos Take Home Kit

Teens, Adults Oct. 1, All Day
Capitol Hill Library

Choctaw Library

Pumpkin Decorating Contest*

All Ages Oct. 15 at 6:00pm
Choctaw Library

Legends and Lore: Exploring Cryptids & More

Kids Oct. 23 at 4:00pm
Choctaw Library

Downtown Library

Pintura y Bebidas: Paint & Sip for Hispanic Heritage Month*

Adults Oct. 10 at 6:00pm and 7:00pm
Downtown Library

Paranormal Fest

All Ages Oct. 26 at 11:00am
Downtown Library

Edmond Library

Halloween Story, Craft, & Costume Parade*

Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 19 at 10:00am
Edmond Library

Midwest City Library

Way Fun Wednesday: Costume Party

Birth-PreK Oct. 30 at 10:00am
Midwest City Library

Halloween Party*

Teens Oct. 31 at 6:00pm
Midwest City Library

Northwest Library

Latin Dance Class with Latin Fusion Oklahoma

Teens, Adults Oct. 5 at 10:30am
Northwest Library

Artsy Fartsy Club: TikTok Ghost Paintings with a Swiftie Twist*

Teens Oct. 24 at 6:00pm
Northwest Library

Halloween Storytime and Parade*

Birth-PreK Oct. 31 at 10:30am
Northwest Library

Ralph Ellison Library

Yumare Mexican Folkloric Dancers Inc.

All Ages Oct. 5 at 2:00pm
Ralph Ellison Library

Pumpkin Painting Party

All Ages Oct. 10 at 3:30pm
Ralph Ellison Library

Southern Oaks Library

Halloween Terrarium Workshop*

Teens, Adults Oct. 4 at 4:00pm
Southern Oaks Library

Yumare Mexican Folkloric Dancers*

All Ages Oct. 12 at 2:00pm
Southern Oaks Library

Metropolitan Library Commission Meeting

Adults Oct. 17 at 3:30pm
Southern Oaks Library

* Registration required

The Village Library

Halloween Storytime and Costume Parade!

Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 31 at 10:00am
The Village Library

Warr Acres Library

Spooktacular Storytime

Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 25 at 10:00am
Warr Acres Library

Wright Library

Spooky Crafts at Empower OKC

Kids Oct. 15 at 4:00pm
1841 Exchange Ave, Oklahoma City, OK 73108

october events

Almonte Library

Monster Slime Lab: Halloween DIY Kit

Kids Oct. 1 - 13, All Day

Wiggly Wednesdays

Birth-PreK Oct. 2 at 10:00am

Wiggly Wednesdays* Oct. 9, 16, 23, 30 at 10:00am

Birth-PreK Oct. 9, 16, 23, 30 at 10:00am

Total Wellness Classes

Adults Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 at 4:30pm

Reading to Dogs

All Ages Oct. 7 at 6:00pm

Trading Card Game Night*

Teens Oct. 8 at 5:00pm

Concha Bread Making*

Adults Oct. 12 at 2:00pm

Take-Home Kit: Halloween Mache Bowls

Adults Oct. 15 - 27, All Day

Reading Music for Beginners*

Kids, Teens Oct. 15 at 6:00pm

Trick-or-Treat: Monster Bags!*

Kids Oct. 16 at 6:00pm

Homework Help

Kids Oct. 21 at 6:00pm

Trading Card Game Night*

Teens Oct. 22 at 5:00pm

Yarn Club! / Club de Hilo!*

Teens, Adults Oct. 22 at 6:00pm

Food Explorers Take-Home Kit*

Adults Oct. 24 at 9:00am

Halloween Carnival at Trinity Lutheran

All Ages Oct. 25 at 6:00pm
5701 S. May Ave., OKC

123! Play with Me!

Birth-PreK Oct. 26 at 10:30am

Guinea Pig Book Buddies: Reading for a Cause! with Squeak Squad Guinea Pig Rescue

Kids Oct. 26 at 1:00pm

Teen Makerspace Tuesday*

Teens Oct. 29 at 6:00pm

Belle Isle Library

Tai Chi*

Adults Oct. 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17 at 10:00am

Lo-Fi Study Hall

Teens, Adults Oct. 1, 9, 22, 29 at 5:00pm

Wiggly Wednesdays

Birth-PreK Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 9:00am and 10:00am

Wiggly Wednesdays Signup Required*

Birth-PreK Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 11:00am

Children Reading to Dogs

Kids Oct. 2 and 16 at 6:15pm

Video Games

Teens Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 at 4:00pm

Dobby's Closet

All Ages Oct. 7, All Day

123! Play with Me!

Birth-PreK Oct. 7 at 10:00am

Kid Questions, Doc Answers: Meet Future Pediatricians

Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 8 at 2:00pm

Belle Isle Book Club

Adults Oct. 9 at 11:00am and 5:30pm

Navigating the Medicare Maze*

Adults Oct. 10 at 2:00pm

Zine Canteen

Teens, Adults Oct. 10 at 6:30pm

Great Jigsaw Puzzle Race*

Adults Oct. 12 at 2:00pm

Heat Transfer Vinyl Tote Bags*
Adults Oct. 15 at 6:00pm

Beginner Friendly Crochet - Beanie or Scarf*
Adults Oct. 17 at 6:00pm

Pretend Playtime
Birth-PreK Oct. 21 at 10:00am

Escape Room*
Teens, Adults Oct. 22 at 6:30pm, 7:15pm, 8:00pm

Vinyl Record & Art Night
Teens, Adults Oct. 24 at 6:30pm

Makerspace Crafternoon*
Adults Oct. 26 at 1:00pm

Itty Bitty Dance Party
Birth-PreK Oct. 28 at 10:00am

Bethany Library

Eye See You Spooky Scavenger Hunt
All Ages Oct. 1 - 31, All Day

Tuesdays Together
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 10:00am

Writer Meetup - November Novelist Month Prep
Adults Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 6:00pm

Leading Latinas! and How They Have Shaped Oklahoma's History | Latinas que lideran y como han influido la historia de Oklahoma*
Kids, Teens Oct. 1 and 8 at 6:30pm

Let's Fix This Information Table Oct. 2 at 10:00am
Adults Oct. 4 at 1:30pm, Oct. 10 at 4:00pm

Coffee and Crafts
Adults Oct. 2 at 10:30am

Fiber Arts Group/Craft Along!
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 2 and 16 at 1:30pm

Oklahoma Human Services Mobile Bus
Adults Oct. 3, from 9:00am - 5:00pm

Nalbinding 101*
Teens, Adults Oct. 3 at 7:00pm

American Girl Book Club
Kids, Teens Oct. 4 at 4:30pm

Rocket Readers
Kids Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 4:30pm

Virtual Rocket Readers* Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 6:30pm
Kids 7:00pm, 7:30pm, 8:00pm

Women's Coffee
Adults Oct. 8 at 10:00am

Infant Crisis Services' BabyMobile
Birth-PreK Oct. 8 at 10:00am

Maker Meetup
Teens, Adults Oct. 9 at 6:00pm

123! Play with Me!
Birth-PreK Oct. 10 at 10:00am

Children Reading to Dogs
Kids Oct. 10 at 4:00pm

Nalbinding 101: Starting a Hat*
Teens, Adults Oct. 10 at 7:00pm

MetroWrites
Adults Oct. 12 at 10:00am

Psychology of Money*
Adults Oct. 12 at 11:00am

Stories & Fun
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 12 at 11:00am

Craft Drop-In: Spooky Squishies!
Kids, Teens Oct. 12 at 2:00pm

Adventures with Cricut: creating a BOO bag for Trick or Treat*
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 16 at 6:00pm

Nalbinding 101: Decorative Finishing*
Teens, Adults Oct. 17 at 7:00pm

Horror Board Game Night
Teens Oct. 21 at 6:00pm

Alzheimer's Support Group
Adults Oct. 22 at 6:00pm

Mini Community Book Sale
All Ages Oct. 25 - 26, 9:00am - 4:00pm
Oct. 27, 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Bethany Book Club
Adults Oct. 29 at 11:00am

Capitol Hill Library

Dia de los Muertos Take Home Kit
Teens, Adults Oct. 1, All Day

Free Employment & Job Services! Goodwill of Central Oklahoma
Teens, Adults Oct. 1 at 10:00am

Homework & Reading Help
Kids Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 4:30pm

Introductory English as a Second Language Classes (ESL)
Adults Oct. 1, 3, 8, 10, 22, 24, 29, 31 at 6:00pm

After School Games
Kids, Teens Oct. 3, 17, 31 at 4:30pm

* Registration required

Capitol Hill Library, cont'd

Tech Help <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 7 and 21 at 2:00pm
Lollipop Crafts for Halloween - Take Home Kit <i>All Ages</i>	Oct. 8 - 13, All Day
Halloween Slime <i>Kids, Teens</i>	Oct. 9 at 4:00pm
Crochet Night <i>Teens, Adults</i>	Oct. 10 at 6:30pm
30 Ways to Trim Your Budget* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 12 at 1:00pm
Haunted House Craft Kit <i>All Ages</i>	Oct. 15 - 21, All Day
Creepy Crafts for Halloween <i>Kids</i>	Oct. 23 at 4:30pm
The Caring Van Visit <i>All Ages</i>	Oct. 25 at 1:30pm
After School Snack Series <i>Kids, Teens</i>	Oct. 30 at 4:00pm
BIPOC Book Club - "White Horse" by Erika T. Wurth* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 30 at 6:00pm

Choctaw Library

October Mindfulness Journal <i>Teens, Adults</i>	Oct. 1, All Day
123! Play with Me! <i>Birth-PreK</i>	Oct. 1 at 10:00am
Teen Dungeons and Dragons <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 1 and 15 at 1:00pm
Stay Active & Independent for Life (SAIL)* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 10:00am
Tai Chi* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23 at 1:00pm
Gamefest <i>Kids</i>	Oct. 2 at 4:00pm
Homeschool Hangout <i>Kids</i>	Oct. 3 at 10:00am
Artsy Fartsy Club: Kadinsky <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 3 at 3:15pm
Adult Dungeons and Dragons <i>Teens, Adults</i>	Oct. 3 and 17 at 6:00pm

Yoga* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25 at 10:15am
Teen Advisory Board <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 4 at 3:00pm
Clay Ghosts* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 5 at 2:00pm
Page Turners* <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 6 at 2:00pm
Full Steam Ahead: Kitchen Table Science <i>Kids</i>	Oct. 7, All Day
Coding Club: Homeschool Edition* <i>Kids, Teens</i>	Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 1:00pm
Web Developer Bootcamp with Fiero Learning* <i>Teens, Adults</i>	Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 7:00pm
Toddler Storytime <i>Birth-PreK</i>	Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29 at 9:30am
Preschool Storytime <i>Birth-PreK</i>	Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29 at 10:30am
Puppet Monster Mania <i>Kids</i>	Oct. 9 at 4:00pm
Humans vs. Zombies <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 10 at 3:15pm
Twilight Saga: Party at the Library <i>Teens, Adults</i>	Oct. 10 at 7:00pm
Let's Get Crafty <i>Teens, Adults</i>	Oct. 12 at 2:00pm
Pumpkin Decorating Contest* <i>All Ages</i>	Oct. 15 at 6:00pm
Catch 'Em All @ The Choctaw Pokemon Club <i>Kids, Teens</i>	Oct. 16 at 4:00pm
Lemonade Lounge <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 17 at 3:15pm
Searching for Bigfoot <i>All Ages</i>	Oct. 22 at 6:00pm
Legends and Lore: Exploring Cryptids & More <i>Kids</i>	Oct. 23 at 4:00pm
Anime Club <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 24 at 3:15pm
Felt Fiends <i>Adults</i>	Oct. 27 at 2:00pm
Graveyard Goobers <i>Teens</i>	Oct. 31 at 3:15pm

Del City Library

123! Play with Me!
Birth-PreK Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22 at 10:00am

Take-Home Tuesday: Mexican Hot Chocolate*
Adults Oct. 1, from Noon - 9:00pm

Kid Questions, Doc Answers: Meet Future Pediatricians
Adults Oct. 1 at 3:00pm

High School Equivalency Classes (HSE)
Adults Oct. 2, 7, 9, 21, 23, 28, 30 at Noon

Lo-fi Study Hall
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 4:00pm

Total Wellness Classes
Adults Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 at 9:30am

LEGO Club
Kids Oct. 3 and 17 at 4:00pm

Teen Game Night
Teens Oct. 3 and 17 at 6:30pm

The Book Drop - Teen Book Box*
Teens Oct. 4, All Day

Magic the Gathering for Beginners*
Kids, Teens Oct. 4 and 18 at 4:00pm

The Shelf Watch Book Club*
Adults Oct. 5 at 10:00am

The Writers Room*
Adults Oct. 5 at 2:00pm

DHS Resource Help
Adults Oct. 7, 21, 28, All Day

Teen Dungeons and Dragons
Teens Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 5:30pm

Sunset Yoga*
Adults Oct. 8 and 22 at 6:30pm

Family Art Night*
All Ages, Kids Oct. 10 and 24 at 6:30pm

Birds and Bones: Owl Pellet Dissection*
Kids Oct. 12 at 2:00pm

Pokemon TCG League*
Kids, Teens Oct. 13 and 27 at 3:00pm

Author Discussion- Russell Cobb*
Adults Oct. 19 at 10:00am

Culture Crew - Indigenous Campfire Tales!*
All Ages Oct. 23 at 6:30pm

Paint & Sip*
Adults Oct. 26 at 2:00pm

BattleBots*
Kids, Teens Oct. 31 at 6:30pm

Downtown Library

Halloween Nostalgia & Ice Breaker Take Home Kit*
Adults Oct. 1 at 8:00am

Teen Book Bag*
Teens Oct. 1, All Day

Baby Storytime!
Birth-PreK Oct. 2, 16, 23, 30 at 11:00am

Around the World: Peru
Kids Oct. 2 at 3:30pm

Metro Writes*
Adults Oct. 3 at 7:00pm

Scissor Tales
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26 at 10:00am

Downtown Crochet & Knit Club*
All Ages Oct. 5 at 2:00pm

Dance Performance by Azuquita Cubana for Hispanic Heritage Month
All Ages Oct. 6 at 2:00pm

Canta Conmigo! Bilingual Storytime
Birth-PreK Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 10:30am

Financial Literacy with Katera Snelling
Adults Oct. 8 at 9:00am

123! Play with Me!
Birth-PreK Oct. 9 at 11:00am

Science Explorers: Physics!*
Kids Oct. 9 at 3:30pm

Children Reading to Dogs*
Kids Oct. 10 at 3:30pm

Pintura y Bebidas: Paint & Sip for Hispanic Heritage Month*
Adults Oct. 10 at 6:00pm

Computer Keys: From Basics to Brilliance with Microsoft Word*
Teens, Adults Oct. 12 at 10:00am

Kids Build: LEGOs and Beyond*
All Ages Oct. 13 at 2:00pm

Día de los Muertos Take-Home Kits
Kids, Teens Oct. 15 - 31, All Day

Lunch Bunch Book Club*
Adults Oct. 15 at Noon

Downtown Library, cont'd

Backyard Buddies- a Nature Club for Kids!
Kids Oct. 16 at 3:30pm

Community and Coffee
Adults Oct. 18 at 9:00am

Author Discussion- Russell Cobb*
Adults Oct. 20 at 2:00pm

Paranormal Fest: Grab & Go Take Home Kits
Teens, Adults Oct. 26, All Day

Paranormal Fest
All Ages Oct. 26, from 11:00am - 4:00pm

Creativity Lab: Halloween Fun!*
Kids Oct. 30 at 3:30pm

Edmond Library

Toddler Storytime (Ages 1-3)* Oct. 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16
Birth-PreK 29, 30 at 9:30am and 10:30am

Cozy Mystery Book Club
Adults Oct. 1 at 3:00pm

Intermediate English as a Second Language Classes (ESL)
Adults Oct. 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, 31 at 5:00pm

Children Reading to Dogs - 1st Session*
Kids Oct. 1 and 15 at 6:30pm

Children Reading to Dogs - 2nd Session*
Kids Oct. 1 and 15 at 7:00pm

U.S. Citizenship Classes
Adults Oct. 2, 9, 23, 30 at 4:30pm

Tales from the Silver Screen - Tucker and Dale vs Evil (2010)
Adults Oct. 2 at 7:00pm

Baby Storytime*
Birth-PreK Oct. 3, 10, 17, 31 at 9:30am

Will Clinic with Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma*
Adults Oct. 5 at 9:00am

Family Storytime*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 5 and 12 at 10:00am

LEGO Block Party*
Kids Oct. 5 at 3:00pm

Power Hack! Advanced Coding Club*
Kids, Teens Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27 at 3:00pm

Journaling For Women: A Take & Make
Adults Oct. 7 - 13, All Day

Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 7 and 28 at 10:00am and 11:00am

**The Magic Tree House Book Adventures Club:
A Crazy Day with Cobras***
Kids Oct. 7 and 28 at 4:30pm

Hues on First Art Club*
Teens, Adults Oct. 7 at 6:30pm

**Needle Felt Architecture Painting with Oklahoma
Contemporary Arts Center Studio School***
Adults Oct. 8 at 6:30pm

Chess Club In the Park!*
Kids, Teens Oct. 9 at 4:30pm

Foodie Fun: Cookie Swap*
Adults Oct. 9 at 7:00pm

Anime Club: My Hero Academia*
Teens Oct. 10 at 6:30pm

Musictime for Babies*
Birth-PreK Oct. 11 at 9:30am

Musictime for Children (ages 2-5)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 11 at 10:30am

Book Bunch Book Club*
Adults Oct. 12 at 1:30pm

Take & Make: Standing Ghosts -- Ages 10-18*
Kids, Teens Oct. 15 - 20, All Day

Silly Pumpkin Faces Take and Make for Ages 2-5*
Birth-PreK Oct. 15 - 20, All Day

Petrifying Pompoms for Adults*
Adults Oct. 15 - 20, All Day

Halloween Jar Take & Make Kit for Ages 6-9 Years*
Kids Oct. 15 - 20, All Day

Haunted Castle Take Home Craft, 6-9 Years*
Kids Oct. 15 - 20, All Day

Vintage Kitchenware: What's in Your Cupboard?*
Adults Oct. 16 at 7:00pm

So... You Want to Be a Dark Merfolk*
Kids, Teens Oct. 17 at 6:00pm

Halloween Story, Craft, & Costume Parade*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 19 at 10:00am

Polka in the Park
All Ages Oct. 19 at 2:00pm

Preschool Playtime (Ages 3-5)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 21 at 10:00am and 11:00am

Quilling Club*
Teens, Adults Oct. 21 at 6:00pm

Toddler Playtime (Ages 1-3)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 22 - 23 at 9:30am and 10:30am

Ye Olde Chess Club and Fair*
Kids, Teens Oct. 23 at 4:30pm

Baby Playtime*
Birth-PreK Oct. 24 at 9:30am

Sensory Storytime*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 24 at 6:15pm

Teens & Tweens: Cross Stitch 101*
Kids, Teens Oct. 24 at 6:30pm

Family Playtime*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 26 at 10:00am

Wicked Cool Science and Art
Kids Oct. 29 at 6:00pm

Harrah Library

October Mindfulness Journal
Teens, Adults Oct. 1, All Day

Game-Fest
Kids, Teens Oct. 8 at 3:30pm

Paper Making
Kids, Teens Oct. 10 at 3:30pm

Whodunit Mystery Book Club
Adults Oct. 15 at 1:00pm

LEGO Club
Kids, Teens Oct. 24 at 3:30pm

Jones Library

October Mindfulness Journal
Teens, Adults Oct. 1, All Day

Child Development and Autism Screening*
Birth-PreK Oct. 2 at 9:00am, 10:30am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm

Game Night
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 3 and 17 at 3:30pm

Storytime
Birth-PreK Oct. 4 and 18 at 10:00am

New Knitters
Adults Oct. 8 and 22 at 6:00pm

Children Reading to Dogs
Kids Oct. 11 and 25 at 4:00pm

Tree Planting*
Adults Oct. 15 at 6:30pm

Jones Book Club
Adults Oct. 22 at 10:00am

Seed Library
Teens, Adults Oct. 31 at 9:00am

Luther Library

October Mindfulness Journal
Teens, Adults Oct. 1, All Day

Oct. Scavenger Hunt
All Ages Oct. 1, All Day

Storytime
Birth-PreK Oct. 2 and 18 at 10:00am

Game Night
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 8 and 22 at 5:30pm

Midwest City Library

LEGO Club
All Ages, Kids Oct. 1 at 4:30pm

123! Play with Me!
Birth-PreK Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23 at 10:00am

Total Wellness
Adults Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 5:15pm

DIY Potion Bottles*
Adults Oct. 2 at 6:00pm

Anime Club*
Teens Oct. 3 at 5:00pm

Fall Adult Book Subscription*
Adults Oct. 4, All Day

Paranormal Investigation with IOKP*
All Ages Oct. 4 at 3:30pm

Mat Yoga*
Adults Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 10:00am

Storytime
Birth-PreK Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 10:00am and 11:00am

Children Reading to Dogs*
Kids Oct. 7 at 4:00pm

Dungeons and Dragons for Beginners*
Adults Oct. 9 and 23 at 6:00pm

Computers for Beginners*
Adults Oct. 10 and 24 at 10:00am

The Caring Van Visit
All Ages Oct. 11 at 2:00pm

* Registration required

Midwest City Library, cont'd

Dungeons and Dragons: Neverland
Adults Oct. 12 at 10:00am

Guided Acrylic Painting: Halloween Paint*
Teens Oct. 12 at 2:00pm

After School Art Hour: Disasterpiece Theater
Kids Oct. 15 at 4:30pm

One More Chapter*
Adults Oct. 16 at 6:00pm

Fandom Trivia Night: Marvel*
Teens Oct. 17 at 5:00pm

Early Readers Book Club*
Kids Oct. 19 at 10:30am

Fall Crafternoon
All Ages Oct. 21 at 2:00pm

Family Gaming Night*
All Ages Oct. 24 at 4:30pm

Self Defense*
Teens, Adults Oct. 24 at 7:00pm

Black Light Painting*
Adults Oct. 26 at 10:00am

Pokemon Club*
Kids, Teens Oct. 28 at 4:30pm

Brainstorm STEAM*
Kids Oct. 29 at 4:30pm

Way Fun Wednesday: Costume Party
Birth-PreK Oct. 30 at 10:00am

Halloween Party*
Teens Oct. 31 at 6:00pm

Nicoma Park

October Mindfulness Journal
Teens, Adults Oct. 1, All Day

Community Room Oct. 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18,
Teens, Adults 23, 25, 30, from 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Northwest Library

Baby Time (Ages Birth-12 mos)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 9:30am

Art Smart Kids: Amate Folk Art (Ages 8-12)*
Kids Oct. 1 at 4:30pm

Toddler Time (Ages 1-3)* Oct. 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 22
Birth-PreK 23, 29, 30 at 10:30am

Toddler Time (Ages 1-3)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 9:30am

Total Wellness with Oklahoma Health Department
Adults Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 5:15pm

Preschool Time (Ages 3.5-5)*
Birth-PreK Oct. 3, 10, 17 at 10:30am

Dungeons and Dragons Club*
Teens, Adults Oct. 3 and 17 at 6:00pm

Latin Dance Class with Latin Fusion Oklahoma
Teens, Adults Oct. 5 at 10:30am

Dino Day*
Kids Oct. 5 at 2:00pm

Library Helpers (Ages 7-10)*
Kids Oct. 6 at 3:00pm

Spoooky Decor Take Home Kit*
Adults Oct. 7 at 9:00am

123! Play with Me!*
Birth-PreK Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 10:00am

Staying Active & Independent For Life (SAIL)*
Adults Oct. 7 at 2:30pm
Oct. 9, 16, 21, 23, 28, 30 at 2:00pm

Children Reading to Dogs
Kids Oct. 7 and 21 at 4:00pm

LEGO Club (Ages 5-12)
Kids Oct. 8 at 4:30pm

National Coming Out Day Celebration with Author Visit*
Teens Oct. 10 at 6:00pm

All Ages Storytime with ASL Interpretation
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 12 at 9:45am

Animal Adventures: Owls (Ages 5-12)*
Kids Oct. 15 at 6:30pm

Mystery YA Book Bundle*
Teens Oct. 18 - 25, All Day

Shelf Indulgence: YA Book Club*
Teens, Adults Oct. 19 at 2:00pm

Come Craft With Me (Ages 5-12)*
Kids Oct. 19 at 2:00pm

Murder on a Sunday Afternoon*
Adults Oct. 20 at 2:00pm

What's Your Parenting Style?*
Adults Oct. 21 at 6:00pm

Weather Science with Meteorologist Andrea Melvin (Ages 5-12)*
Kids Oct. 22 at 4:30pm

Breast Cancer Awareness Pink Ribbon Bracelet: Take Home Kit*
Adults Oct. 23 - 26, All Day

Artsy Fartsy Club: TikTok Ghost Paintings with a Swiftie Twist*
Teens Oct. 24 at 6:00pm

Fun on the Farm Toddler Playtime*
Birth-PreK Oct. 26 at 10:00am

Family Game Day: Minute To Win It Games
All Ages, Kids Oct. 26 at 2:00pm

Dread (Horror Role-Playing Game)*
Teens, Adults Oct. 27 at 2:00pm

Bad Art Night: Tape Painting*
Adults Oct. 28 at 6:00pm

Halloween Storytime and Parade*
Birth-PreK Oct. 31 at 10:30am

Ralph Ellison Library

OSU Extension Community Nutrition Education Program
Adults Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 3:00pm

Adult Basic Education Classes (ABE)
Adult Oct. 2, 7, 9, 16, 21, 23, 28, 30 at 10:30am

Ralph Ellison LEGO Club
All Ages Oct. 2 at 6:00pm

Free Play Friday*
Birth-PreK Oct. 4 and 25 at 11:30am

Yumare Mexican Folkloric Dancers Inc. Of Oklahoma City Performance
All Ages Oct. 5 at 2:00pm

Sugar Skull Take Home Kit
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 7 - 13, All Day

Quilting & Crafting
Teens, Adults Oct. 7, 21, 28 at 11:00am

Anime and Manga Club
Teens Oct. 8 and 22 at 4:30pm

Your Future Is Possible
Teens, Adults Oct. 8 at 6:00pm

Let's Create an Alebrije Paper Sculpture*
Kids Oct. 9 at 3:30pm

Pumpkin Painting Party
All Ages Oct. 10 at 3:30pm

Pet Food Pantry
All Ages Oct. 11 at 11:30am

Banned Book Club For Parents*
Adults Oct. 12 at 10:00am

STEAM Saturday: Kids Crafternoon
Kids Oct. 12 and 26 at 3:00pm

Lucha Libre Mask Take Home Kit
All Ages Oct. 15 - 22, All Day

Teen Craft & Chat
Teens Oct. 15 at 4:30pm

123! Play with Me!*
Birth-PreK Oct. 16 at 10:00am

All about Slime*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 16 at 2:00pm

Ralph Ellison LEGO Club Build a Car
All Ages Oct. 16 at 6:00pm

Spooktacular 3D Pen Art I*, II*, III*
Kids Oct. 19 at 1:30pm, 2:00pm, 2:30pm

Take Home Kit: Pumpkin Pie Spice
All Ages Oct. 21 - 28, All Day

Evening Family Story Time*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 21 at 6:00pm

Unofficial Warhammer Club Play*
Teens, Adults Oct. 27 at 2:00pm

Take Home Kit: Glow-In-The-Dark Slime
Kids Oct. 28 - Nov. 3, All Day

The Urban Poets
Teens, Adults Oct. 28 at 6:00pm

Live Action Clue*
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 30 at 3:00pm

Halloween Window Mural Art for Children
Kids Oct. 15 at 2:00pm

Storytime Crafternoon for Children
Kids Oct. 31 at 4:00pm

Game Day
Kids, Teens Oct. 31 at 4:00pm

Southern Oaks Library

Intermediate Tai Chi*
Adults Oct. 1 at 10:15am

Maker Tuesday
All Ages Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 4:30pm

TeenTober at Southern Oaks: Literacies Scavenger Hunt
Teens Oct. 2 - 8, All Day

Southern Oaks Library, cont'd

Understanding Medicare Options*
Adults Oct. 2 at 11:00am

Beginners Line Dancing*
Adults Oct. 2, 9, 23, 30 at 1:00pm

Homework Help and Reading Buddies
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 2 and 9 at 4:15pm

Introductory English As A Second Language (ESL)
Adults Oct. 2, 7, 9, 21, 23, 28, 30 at 6:00pm

S.O. Animation Society*
Teens, Adults Oct. 3 at 4:30pm

Halloween Terrarium Workshop*
Teens, Adults Oct. 4 at 4:00pm

Murder Mystery Masquerade Tea Party*
Adults Oct. 5, 17, 27 at 2:00pm

Peep Dioramas*
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 6 at 2:00pm

Storytime*
Birth-PreK Oct. 7 at 10:30am

Cozy Mystery Readers Club*
Adults Oct. 7 at 1:00pm

Southern Oaks Book Club*
Adults Oct. 8 at 11:30am

Kids' Book Club*
Kids Oct. 8 at 6:00pm

TeenTober at Southern Oaks: Post-It Poetry
Teens Oct. 9 - 13, All Day

Adult Dungeons and Dragons - Fall Session*
Adults Oct. 10 at 6:00pm

Yumare Mexican Folkloric Dancers*
All Ages Oct. 12 at 2:00pm

Teen Book Bags*
Teens Oct. 15 - 31, All Day

TeenTober Wednesdays: Board Game Night
Teens Oct. 16 at 4:00pm

Children Reading to Dogs*
Kids Oct. 20 at 2:00pm, Oct. 22 at 6:00pm

Parachute Play*
Birth-PreK Oct. 21 at 10:30am

TeenTober at Southern Oaks: Post-It Art
Teens Oct. 23 - 29, All Day

Minecraft Meetup*
Kids Oct. 25 at 4:30pm

Potion Bottles DIY*
Teens, Adults Oct. 26 at 2:00pm

Halloween Toddler Dance*
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 28 at 10:30am

Spooky Zines for Teens & Tweens*
Kids, Teens Oct. 30 at 4:30pm

The Village Library

Storytime
Birth-PreK Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 at 10:00am

Children Reading to Dogs
Kids Oct. 1 and 15 at 3:30pm

Music with Ginger*
Birth-PreK Oct. 3 at 10:00am

Chess Club
All Ages Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25 at 4:00pm

Learn to Knit: Baby Hats*
Teens, Adults Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26 at 1:30pm

Teen Take & Make Lit Kit*
Teens Oct. 8, All Day

This Time Next Year Calendar Take-Home Kit*
Adults Oct. 8, , All Day

Storytime Under the Stars
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 9 at 6:30pm

Teen Advisory Board
Teens Oct. 10 and 24 at 7:00pm

Knitty Committee
All Ages Oct. 12 at 10:00am

STEAM Break - Take Home Kit: Minecraft Exploding Creepers*
Kids Oct. 15 - 20, All Day

Eat Better, Move More with OHAI*
Adults Oct. 16, 23, 30 at 10:00am

Village Book Club
Adults Oct. 17 at 3:00pm

Movies on The Green
All Ages Oct. 17 at 7:00pm

STEAM Break: 3D Holograms*
Kids Oct. 18 at 3:00pm

Support Stuffies*
Teens, Adults Oct. 19 at 10:00am

Career Tech or College: Let's Talk Finances*
Adults Oct. 21 at 5:30pm

Holidays on a Budget - Let's Talk Finances*
Adults Oct. 22 at 5:30pm

Baby Storytime
Birth-PreK Oct. 28 at 10:00am

Halloween Storytime and Costume Parade!
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 31 at 10:00am

Warr Acres Library

October Creative Writing Chapbook
Teens, Adults Oct. 1 - 31, All Day

October Mindfulness Journal
Teens, Adults Oct. 1 - 31, All Day

Coding Club*
Kids, Teens Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22 at 4:30pm

All Ages LEGO Build - Halloween Houses
All Ages Oct. 1 at 6:30pm

Beginner English as a Second Language (ESL)
Adults Oct. 2, 7, 9, 21, 23, 28, 30 at 12:30pm

You Can Homeschool! Getting Started
Teens, Adults Oct. 2 at 6:00pm

Homeschool Questions/Answers & Encouragement
Teens, Adults Oct. 3 at 2:00pm

Becoming a Homeowner*
Adults Oct. 3 at 5:30pm

Musictime
Birth-PreK Oct. 4 at 10:00am

Air-Dry Clay Lady Figurine Creations*
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 5 at 10:00am

Life Writing Sunday*
Teens, Adults Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27 at 3:00pm

S.A.L.T. Council (Seniors and Law Enforcement Together)
Adults Oct. 7 at 10:00am

Homeschool Coding Club*
Kids, Teens Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29 at 10:00am

Mindful Skills for Relaxation Special Event
Crochet - Follow-on
Teens, Adults Oct. 8 at 6:30pm

Halloween Decor Crafts*
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 10 at 6:00pm

123! Play with Me!
Birth-PreK Oct. 11 at 10:00am

Learn the Art of Suminagashi!*
Teens, Adults Oct. 12 at 10:00am

STEM Club - Science Fun!*
Kids Oct. 12 and 17 at 2:00pm

The Caring Van Visit
All Ages Oct. 15 at 10:00am

Mindful Skills for Relaxation REWIND*
Teens, Adults Oct. 15 at 6:30pm

Minecraft Club*
Kids, Teens Oct. 17 at 6:00pm

Art Time
Birth-PreK Oct. 18 at 10:00am

MedlinePlus - Trusted Health Information for You!
Teens, Adults Oct. 19 at 11:00am

Family Art Time
Kids Oct. 19 at 2:00pm

Halloween Plushies Take Home Kits
Kids Oct. 20 at 1:00pm

My Pet Dragon - Take Home Kit
All Ages Oct. 21 - 27, All Day

Goodwill Employment Services Van
Adults Oct. 22 at 1:00pm

Quilting Club*
Teens, Adults Oct. 24 at 5:30pm

Spooktacular Storytime
Birth-PreK, Kids Oct. 25 at 10:00am

LEGO Club
Kids Oct. 26 at 2:00pm

Wright Library

Take and Make: Halloween Family Fun Kit*
All Ages Oct. 1 - 5, All Day

Goodwill Job Connection & Employment Services
Teens, Adults Oct. 1 at 1:00pm

Coffee for the Community
Teens, Adults Oct. 5 at 9:00am

STEAM-tastic Surprise Take Home Kit*
Kids, Teens, Adults Oct. 15 - 19, All Day

Spooky Crafts at Empower OKC
Kids Oct. 15 at 4:00pm
1841 Exchange Ave, Oklahoma City, OK 73108

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