

SUNDAY CLOSED	MONDAY 10AM-9PM	TUESDAY 10AM-9PM	WEDNESDAY 10AM-9PM	THURSDAY 10AM-9PM	FRIDAY 10AM-6PM	SATURDAY 10AM-6PM
	<b>1</b> New Year's Day Library Closed	<b>2</b> Baby Lapsit 11:00 AM  Elementary STEM 4:00 PM	<b>3</b> Ready, Set, Kindergarten Kickoff! 10 AM - 12 PM  Device Day 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM	<b>4</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM  Teen Craft: String Art 4:30 PM	<b>5</b>  Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM	<b>6</b> <u>Cabin Fever Day!</u> Read to a Therapy Dog: 10:30 AM Storywalk @ City Park: 1 PM - 3 PM Saturday Movie Matinee: 3:00 PM Warm up w/ free hot cocoa, cider, & popcorn from 1 PM - 5 PM!
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM  Classic Movie Night "On the Town" 6 PM	<b>9</b> Baby Lapsit 11:00 AM  Elementary STEM 4:00 PM  Genealogy Workshop: "Newspaper Research" 6:30 PM	<b>10</b> Ready, Set, Kindergarten! 10:30 AM  Device Day 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM	<b>11</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM  Dungeons & Dragons 5:30 PM	<b>12</b>  Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM	<b>13</b> Dream Hands 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Snowshoeing 101 10:30 AM Saturday Movie Matinee "TMNT: Mutant Mayhem" @ 3 PM
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Martin Luther King Jr./ Idaho Human Rights Day Library Closed	<b>16</b> Baby Lapsit 11:00 AM  Elementary STEM 4:00 PM	<b>17</b> Ready, Set, Kindergarten! 10:30 AM  Game Night @ TFPL: "7 Wonders: Architechs" @ 6:00 PM	<b>18</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM Teen Chocolate Olympics 4:30 PM Open Mic Night: Short Stories & Poetry @ 6:30 PM	<b>19</b> Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM Computer & Tech Basics Class 11:30 AM Elementary Book Club @ 4:00 PM After-Hours Mocktails @ 6:30 PM	<b>20</b> AARP Tax-Aide: Tax Prep for the Upcoming Filing Season 1:00 PM Saturday Movie Matinee "Indiana Jones & the Dial of Destiny" @ 3 PM
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM Knitting & Crochet Basics 5:00 PM A Good Yarn Club 6:00 PM	<b>23</b> Baby Lapsit 11:00 AM  Elementary STEM 4:00 PM	<b>24</b> Ready, Set, Kindergarten! 10:30 AM  Limited Edition Book Club: "Turn of the Key" 6:30 PM	<b>25</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM  Dungeons & Dragons 5:30 PM	<b>26</b> Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM  Digital Art Class 4:00 PM	<b>27</b> Seed Swap w/ The Master Gardeners 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM Family Lego Build 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM Saturday Movie Matinee "Haunted Mansion" (2023) @ 3 PM
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Toddler Time 10:30 AM  Elementary Minecraft Club 4:00 PM	<b>30</b> Baby Lapsit 11:00 AM  Elementary STEM 4:00 PM	<b>31</b> Ready, Set, Kindergarten! 10:30 AM	<b>January Reading Challenge:</b> This month, read 24 minutes each week between January 1st and January 27th - complete the challenge and you will be entered for a prize drawing! Use code <a href="#">3d835</a> on the ReaderZone App to track your progress, or grab a paper entry form at the Reference Desk. Happy New Year!		

# Family

**Cabin Fever Day @ The Library!** – On January 6th, we're excited to join Parks & Recreation for Twin Falls's annual Cabin Fever Day! Bring the kids in the morning to Read to a Therapy Dog at 10:30 AM, then come back by for a Storywalk in City Park between 1-3 pm - and warm up with some hot cocoa/cider and free popcorn before our Movie Matinee at 3:00 PM - it's a fun full day of activities @ the Library!

**Game Night @ The Library!** – Join us Jan 17 @ 6 PM for game night! Try our games, games from Black Dragon's collection or BYOG to share. This month's featured board game is "7 Wonders: Architects." Ages 12+

**Saturday Movie Matinee** – Catch a free movie matinee every Saturday at 3 PM.  
January 6: "Paw Patrol: Mighty Movie" Rated PG  
January 13: "Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Mutant Mayhem" Rated PG.  
January 20: "Indiana Jones & the Dial of Destiny" Rated PG-13  
January 27: "Haunted Mansion" (2023) Rated PG-13

**Snowshoeing 101** – City of Rocks park rangers will be here Jan 13 at 10:30 AM to teach you the basics of snowshoeing! They'll cover the equipment you need, where to get it, & where to snowshoe in Southern Idaho. Then, (weather permitting) join us in City Park for some hands-on practice (equipment is limited, BYO snowshoe if possible)!

# Youth

**Ready, Set, Kindergarten!** – Ready, Set Kindergarten! is a program for kids who are entering kindergarten in Fall 2024. Join us for a kickoff celebration on Jan 3 from 10 AM-12 PM! You'll learn more about the program, and meet the teacher! Regular classes start on Jan 10 and occur every Wednesday at 10:30 AM. Each week, kids will learn a new letter, a kindergarten readiness concept, work on numbers, and participate in hands-on activities. Parents/caregivers will receive a worksheet to take home with suggestions of activities to do with their children.

**Teen Craft: String Art** – Teens in 6th - 12th grade, join us for a fun art project on Jan 4 at 4:30 PM! We will use cardboard, string, and pins to create vibrant, geometric pictures.

**Teen Chocolate Olympics** – Teens in 6th - 12th grade, join us on Jan 18 at 4:30 PM for a day of chocolate fun! There will be games, contests, and more.

# Youth cont.

## Storytimes

**Baby Lapsit** – Baby Lapsit is for babies from birth - 18 months. In this 15-minute storytime, your baby will be on your lap & you'll sing, move, and read with your baby! Tuesdays at 11 AM.

**Toddler Time** – Toddler Time is for kids 18mo-3yo old. There's plenty of movement & books that are appropriate for their attention span, followed by playtime! Mondays & Thursdays at 10:30 AM (except 1/1 & 1/15)

**Preschool** – Preschool Storytime is for 4-5-year-olds. We feature a letter, books a little longer & complex to get us ready for a classroom, & lots of rhymes & songs. After storytime, we play! Fridays at 10:30 AM.

**Elementary STEM: Dominoes**– Elementary-age kids, join us Tuesday afternoons at 4:00 for Elementary STEM! This month will be dedicated to toppling dominoes! We will build different lines, splits, fields, towers, and pyramids. Children under 8 will need help from a grown-up.

**Elementary Book Club: "The Penderwicks"** – Join us on January 19 at 4 PM for Elementary Book Club! This month we will be reading "The Penderwicks." We'll eat snacks, do some activities, and have so much fun celebrating this modern classic.

**Elementary Minecraft Club** – On January 29, from 4-6 PM, elementary-aged kids can join us for Minecraft Club! We'll have plenty of laptops out so elementary kids can all play together on the Library's private Minecraft server!

**Dream Hands** – Bring your child by the Library between 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM on January 13th to honor Martin Luther King Jr. Day with a dream hand! Children can cut a silhouette of their hand and write their dreams on it, then we'll display them in the Library.

**Family LEGO Build** – On January 27th, families can drop by from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM to build with the Library's huge LEGO collection! Or, take on the engineering challenge if you're feeling ambitious!



## Coming February: Tween Robot Coding Club!

Learn how to use block coding to make our Cody Rocky Robots do amazing things! This program series is for 3rd to 6th graders and space is limited to 12 participants! Registration is required.

Contact the Youth Services Department for more info & to register!

# Adult

**AARP Tax-Aide Tax Prep for the Upcoming Filing Season** – On Jan 20th at 1:00 PM, prepare for tax season with Certified AARP Tax-Aide Specialists! The AARP Tax-Aide team will take you through their services, what tax returns they can prepare, what documents are needed for accurate returns, and schedule an appointment for personalized tax preparation between Feb 1 and April 15th.

**After-Hours Mocktails & Trivia** – Join the Twin Falls Public Library and Keg & Barrell on Jan 19 at 6:30 PM for trivia, snacks, & mocktails! Learn to make each drink and vote for your favorite! Note: No alcohol will be served at this event. Doors will re-open at 6:30 PM for this after-hours event.

**Classic Movie Night** – Check out Classic Movie Club at the Library! This month, join us on Monday, January 8th at 6:00 PM to see "On the Town."

**Dungeons & Dragons** – Join our adventure on January 11th & 25th at 5:30 PM in the Library Program Room! Ask a Librarian how to join. Ages 13+

**Genealogy Workshop** – Each month, explore a different resource, tool, or skill in genealogy research! This month, join us on Jan 9 at 6:30 PM and learn how to research your genealogy with historical newspapers effectively!

**Knitting/Crochet Basics & A Good Yarn Club** – On Jan 22 join us for Knitting & Crochet basics at 5 PM! Stick around for A Good Yarn Club to meet your fellow yarn crafters, share ideas, and work on your project.

**Limited Edition Book Club: Something to Write Home About** – Join our three-part discussion series featuring stories told through letters. This month we'll discuss "Turn of the Key" by Ruth Ware on January 24th at 6:30 PM.

**Seed Swap w/ the Master Gardeners** – Whether you have extra flower, vegetable, or heirloom seeds, this is your chance to exchange and diversify your garden! On Jan 27, from 11 AM - 2 PM, bring your saved, labeled seeds to swap with fellow gardeners and learn from the Master Gardeners!

**Open Mic Night: Short Stories & Poetry** – Join us on Jan 18 at 6:30 PM to share short stories and poetry! Read original works, favorites by other authors, or just come to listen! Sign-up to read at the event (first-come, first-served). Light refreshments will be served. Readings are limited to 5 minutes each.

## Tech Classes

**January 3rd & 10th: Device Day!** – Drop in between 4:30 & 6:00 PM, with your device - we'll show you the basics of using your phone, tablet, or laptop plus, learn about some great digital resources from the Library!

**January 19th: Computer & Tech Basics** – At 11:30 AM, learn the basics of computer use, internet browsing, smartphone navigation and more!

**January 26th: Digital Art** – At 4 PM, learn the basics of digital painting, drawing, & photo editing. Use our devices, or bring your own!