

Washoe County Library

EXPLORER

Winter Events & Resources

December 2025 - February 2026





Welcome to the
Winter Edition of
the Washoe County
Library Explorer!

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Happy holidays! This issue's cover star is Eggbert, the hatchling mascot of the Northwest Reno Library. But keep your eyes peeled — Eggbert isn't just on the cover. In fact, he's running all over this magazine. See if you can find all 24 times he appears throughout this issue. It'll be an eggventure!

This time of year is a season for giving, and in that spirit, we're hosting a "Give Thanks, Give Food" canned food drive through December 31 at most of our locations. (The Downtown Reno and Sierra View libraries are not participating.) And don't forget: The Food Bank of Northern Nevada's Kids Cafe program provides free lunch to all children ages 2–18 during Washoe County School District's winter break. See page 11.

We have some excellent holiday events coming soon to a library near you. You'll find holiday concerts presented by the Pioneer Center for the Performing Arts, Santa visits, and our popular gingerbread house workshops on page 4. Our libraries will also host the Pioneer Center Golden Encore events, geared toward seniors, and the Pioneer Center Youth Programs events, geared toward young people, in January and February. We've also got performances by magician Larry Wilson, Musical Stories with the Reno Chamber Orchestra, and more. See page 5.

We're also hosting in-person and virtual events curated by the Nevada Historical Society and Historical Reno Preservation Society. See page 14. And don't miss all the events coming up at our galleries this season, including the *France and the Holocaust* exhibition presented by the Nevada Center for Humanity, which will be on display at the Northwest Reno Library beginning in January. See page 8.

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You're always welcome to warm up in our libraries during the cold months. Follow us on social media and sign up for our newsletter for the latest library updates. For more information about library services, visit washoecountylibrary.us.

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COVER: Eggbert is the hardboiled mascot of the Northwest Reno Library.



Patrons got crafty with gingerbread houses at the Northwest Reno Library last year. Find gingerbread house workshops on page 4.



Make your way to the sweet finish line in the Northwest Reno Library's Land of Candy game! See page 4.



The Northwest Reno Library's remodeled gallery space hosts exhibitions year-round. Find library galleries on page 8.

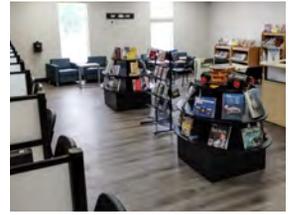
Downtown Reno Library

301 S. Center St.
Reno, NV 89501
775-327-8300



Senior Center Library

1155 E. Ninth St.,
Building E
Reno, NV 89512
775-328-2586



Duncan/Traner Community Library

1650 Carville Drive
Reno, NV 89512
775-333-5134



Sierra View Library

(inside Reno Town Mall)
4001 S. Virginia St.
Reno, NV 89502
775-827-3232



Gerlach Community Library

555 E. Sunset Blvd.
Gerlach, NV 89412
775-557-2326



South Valleys Library

15650-A Wedge Parkway
Reno, NV 89511
775-851-5190



Incline Village Library

845 Alder Ave.
Incline Village, NV 89451
775-832-4130



Spanish Springs Library

7100-A Pyramid Highway
Sparks, NV 89436
775-424-1800



North Valleys Library

1075 North Hills Blvd.,
Suite 340
Reno, NV 89506
775-972-0281



Sparks Library

1125 12th St.
Sparks, NV 89431
775-352-3200



Northwest Reno Library

2325 Robb Drive
Reno, NV 89523
775-787-4100



Verdi Community Library & Nature Center

270 Bridge St.
Verdi, NV 89439
775-345-8104



Library hours are subject to change. For up-to-date information,
call or visit washoecountylibrary.us/libraries.



Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents
The Grinch and Other
Holiday Favorites

In-Tune Tales stars longtime local-favorite radio talent and musician Scot Marshall alongside Graham Marshall and Ron Savage. The centerpiece of this holiday program is the beloved Dr. Seuss classic *How the Grinch Stole Christmas* told in its entirety through spoken word, song, and musical sound effects.

Sparks:
Tuesday, December 2, 11:30 am
Spanish Springs:
Monday, December 8, 11:30 am
Downtown Reno:
Monday, December 15, 3 pm



Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents
Celebrate the Season
with Timeless Holiday
Classics

Jazz duo Erika Paul and David Aller provide a musical journey of Great American Songbook holiday standards that continue to inspire generations, featuring songs made famous by Bing Crosby, Nat King Cole, Ella Fitzgerald, Brenda Lee, Elvis Presley, Judy Garland, Karen Carpenter, and many others. From heartfelt ballads to upbeat fun, this concert celebrates the joy and special meaning of the holiday season.

Incline Village:
Tuesday, December 9, 4 pm



Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents
A Retro Radio Dolls
Christmas Celebration

Step back in time and experience a delightful, vintage-inspired holiday celebration with the Retro Radio Dolls! This program combines the charm of classic Christmas songs, lively dance numbers, comedy, and fascinating fun facts to create an engaging and nostalgic experience for all participants.

South Valleys:
Sunday, December 14, 2 pm



Holiday Events



Holiday Family Story Time and a Very Merry Santa Visit

Celebrate the season at Story Time with a magical visit from Santa Claus. Registration recommended.

Downtown Reno:
Tuesday, December 16, 10:15 am
Sparks:
Tuesday, December 16, 3 pm
Duncan/Traner:
Friday, December 19, 3:30 pm

Life-Sized Land of Candy

Move through the colored squares to make your way to Candy Castle. Game is available for two to six players during library hours on a first come, first served basis.

Northwest Reno: December 2-12

Gift Wrapping Station

Drop in to one of our gift-wrapping stations for your winter holiday gifts. An assortment of free wrapping supplies provided while supplies last.

Incline Village: December 8-23
Sierra View: December 8-23

Holiday Maker Event

If you're looking for handmade decorations or gifts, we're here to help. Make something using our maker tools, including the Cricut Maker, sublimation printer, and heat press. Registration required.

Sparks:
Wednesday, December 10, 3 pm

Frozen Interactive Movie

This will be an interactive screening, bringing the film to life through provided props, singing, and more. Registration encouraged.

South Valleys:
Saturday, December 13, 2 pm

Family Holiday Movie Night

Bring the family for a special reading of *The Polar Express* (2004). Settle in to watch the film while enjoying some hot cocoa. Come to the library in your PJs, and snuggle in for some seasonal fun.

Sparks:
Tuesday, December 16, 3:30 pm

Gingerbread House Workshop

Make your own gingerbread house with a small milk carton, graham crackers, frosting, and candy! Please register for all individuals who will be making a gingerbread house. Registration required.

Sparks:
Tuesday, December 2, 4:30 pm
Downtown Reno:
Thursday, December 4, 3 pm
South Valleys:
Wednesday, December 10, 3:30 pm and 5 pm
Sierra View:
Saturday, December 13, 10:30 am
Northwest Reno:
Tuesday, December 16, 4 pm
Spanish Springs:
Thursday, December 18, 4 pm

Happy Noon Year

2026 is almost here, let's ring in the new year! For anyone who plans to be in bed before the ball drops, come join us for a craft, activities, and a countdown to "noon year"!

Sierra View:
Wednesday, December 31, 11 am
Spanish Springs:
Wednesday, December 31, 11 am

Upcoming Events



Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents Retro Radio Dolls "Hits, Harmony & High Heels"

Hailing from the heart of Reno, the Retro Radio Dolls transport audiences back in time to the golden age of radio. "Hits, Harmony & High Heels" entertains and engages audiences with songs from the 1920s through current hits with three-part harmony vocals and colorful costumes. Retro Radio Dolls' performances are a celebration of a bygone era, transporting listeners to a time when music was king and harmony reigned supreme.

Sparks:

Thursday, January 8, 5:30 pm



Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents Karen Burns "Hello Hollywood, Hello! FUTUROPOLIS"

Karen Burns' new presentation focused on science fiction, futuristic fun, plus a few facts about Reno's most iconic show. Continuing the theme of "When Hollywood Came to Reno – Behind the Scenes & Seams," Karen will feature more original costumes from "Hello Hollywood, Hello!," a stage show that ran at Reno's former MGM Grand from 1978 to 1989.

Spanish Springs:

Sunday, February 1, 12:30 pm



Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents In-Tune Tales "Goes to the Movies"

Join In-Tune Tales for a deep dive into the grand tradition of cinema soundtracks and famous theme songs from beloved films of the last 100 years. The importance of movie soundtracks is emphasized to illustrate excitement, suspense, joy, sadness, mirth, loss, terror, and a sense of wonder!

Incline Village:

Tuesday, February 3, 5 pm



Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Larry Wilson

Larry performs magic tricks using volunteers in direct, hands-on learning applications. Under his master tutelage, the most bewildering magic will be broken down into easy-to-follow steps that students can recreate at home with common household items.

Downtown Reno:

Friday, January 2, 3 pm

Incline Village:

Tuesday, January 6, 5 pm

North Valleys:

Tuesday, January 27, 11 am

South Valleys:

Sunday, February 1, 3 pm

Sparks:

Tuesday, February 3, 11 am



Musical Stories with the Reno Chamber Orchestra

This musical storytelling adventure for kids features the Hans Christian Andersen story "The Nightingale" adapted by Kevin Lau. It features pianist Kelly Kuo, violinist Ruth Lenz, clarinetist Karl Busch, and narrator Amy Heald.

South Valleys:

Thursday, January 29, 10:30 am

Sparks:

Thursday, February 26, 10:15 am



Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Reno Taiko Tsurunokai

The powerful sounds of taiko drums will transport audiences on a cultural adventure through Japanese history and customs. Tsurunokai performs traditional Japanese folk music and original compositions. Patrons will be invited to participate in drumming and dancing during the performance.

South Valleys:

Sunday, January 4, 2 pm

Sparks:

Saturday, January 17, 2 pm



NorthStar Chamber Players Holiday Concert

The popular woodwind quintet will perform favorite holiday classics. Enjoy selections from *The Nutcracker*, Christmas carols, and other seasonal music.

Northwest Reno:

Tuesday, December 9, 4:30 pm



Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents The Note-Ables

Children will enjoy an engaging, informative, and interactive live performance by The Note-Ables band and be encouraged to sing and clap along to age-appropriate popular songs, learning about basic concepts of disability, access, and inclusion. The program will end with a collaborative musical experience.

North Valleys:

Wednesday, February 25, 10:30 am



Library News

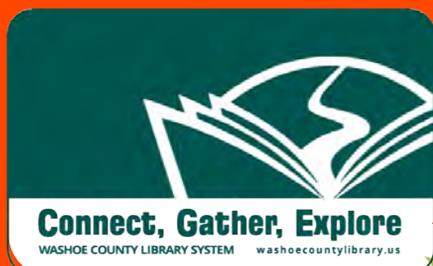
Washoe County Library Board of Trustees to start director recruitment

The Library Board of Trustees will soon initiate the recruitment process for the new Washoe County Library director. The Library Board will work with Washoe County Human Resources to recruit internal and national candidates. The process is expected to last three months. Minimum requirements for the position include a master's degree in library science or library information science, and experience as a library director or assistant director.

The new director will oversee and evaluate the operations of Washoe County's multi-branch library system, supervise library management, and work closely with the Library Board on developing future budgets and the 2026–2029 Strategic Plan.

Your library card means business

Brainfuse JobNow, Business Source Elite, Glassdoor, LinkedIn Learning, Reference Solutions, and The Wall Street Journal – your library card provides free, instant access to these business resources and more. Register or renew your card today at washocountylibrary.us.



New materials delays

Book supplier Baker & Taylor recently went out of business. This closure has had a significant impact on library systems across the country, including ours, and, consequently, we've had to reorder many of our materials.

Our Technical Services department has reordered materials from alternate vendors. However, we do anticipate some delays during this transition – new releases will likely arrive later than their publicized release dates, and patron requested material will take longer to arrive than usual.

New Library Services and Technology Act Grants benefit patrons

Washoe County Library was recently awarded two Library Services and Technology Act grants for new materials. The Digital Collection Development grant for \$25,000 will fund the purchase of ebooks and audiobooks targeting readers of all ages. The grant will meet the growing demand for digital content while reducing wait times and will directly benefit residents who are unable to visit the library in person, including seniors, individuals with disabilities, and those living in remote areas.

The Business Resource Center grant for \$35,000 will fund the purchases of business and entrepreneurship-themed audiobooks and ebooks on the Libby platform and high-demand print reference titles and guides. The project is expected to benefit entrepreneurs, small business owners, job seekers, and professionals throughout Washoe County.

These projects were made possible thanks to generous funding provided by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Library Services and Technology Act, administered by the Nevada State Library, Archives & Public Records.



Book News

Winter is a great time to curl up with a book, and Washoe County Library is a great place to find new books, book clubs, book recommendations, and more.



On the Shelf and On the Kids' Shelf with KUNR

Washoe County librarians share recommendations for readers of all ages on the radio. *On the Shelf* features great books for adults. *On the Kids' Shelf* includes books, literacy tips, and activities for families. Tune in!

For more information, visit washoelibrary.org/ontheself.

Virtual Author Talks

Join live virtual discussions with authors and experts. For registration, a complete upcoming schedule, and more information, visit washoelibrary.org/authortalks.



Library Book Clubs

Can't decide what to read? Visit washoelibrary.org/bookclub to see upcoming titles and prepare for our library book clubs!

Downtown Reno

Chapter One Book Club
Third Wednesdays, 3 pm

Incline Village

Inclined to Read Book Group
Tuesday, February 17, 10:30 am

North Valleys

Fiction Addiction Book Club
Second Wednesdays, 5 pm

Northwest Reno

Eclectic Evening Book Club
Third Wednesday, 5 pm

Sierra View

Dark Alleys: A True Crime Book Club
First Thursdays, 5:30 pm (Second Thursday in January due to holiday)

South Valleys

SO Very Literary Book Club
Third Thursdays, 2 pm;
1:30 pm starting in January.
Read-Aloud Book Club
Fourth Sundays, 2 pm
starting January 25

Spanish Springs

Tuesday Book Group
Second Tuesdays, 1 pm
Mystery Book Club
Third Sundays, 1 pm

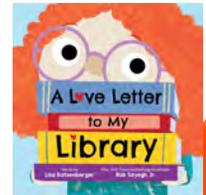
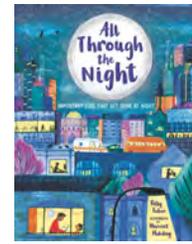
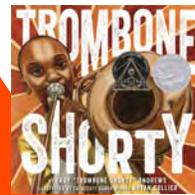
Sparks

Four Seasons Book Club
First Saturdays, 1 pm

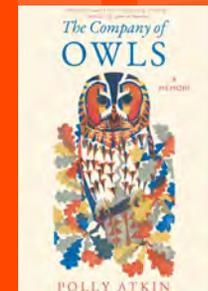
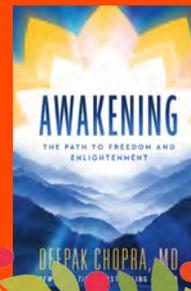
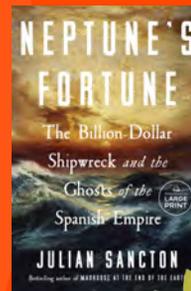
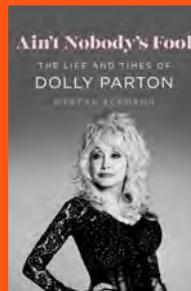
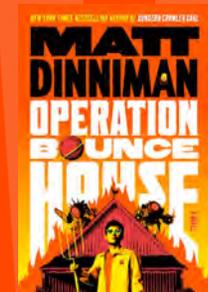
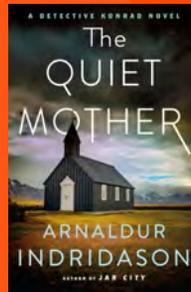
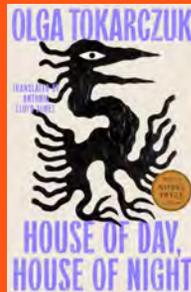
Author Talk with Martha O'Sullivan



Join us as the author reads from her latest book, *Sierra Fall*.
Incline Village
Tuesday, February 10, 5:30 pm



Book Suggestions



Book Club Film Series

South Valleys Saturdays, 2 pm

- January 3: *The Grapes of Wrath* (1940)
- January 10: *The Searchers* (1956)
- January 24: *The War of the Worlds* (1953)
- January 31: *To Kill a Mockingbird* (1962)
- February 7: *The Great Gatsby* (1974)
- February 14: *Pride and Prejudice* (1940)
- February 28: *In the Heat of the Night* (1967)
- March 7: *From Russia with Love* (1963)

Is the book always better than the movie? You can be the judge as we look at famous adaptations of classic and favorite books. All screenings will be introduced by library staff, and followed by a brief discussion.

Holiday Read-Aloud Book Club

South Valleys

Sunday, December 7, 2 pm

We're introducing a new monthly read-aloud book club in 2026. Join us for a special holiday event to preview what we have planned. Library staff will read aloud from some of their holiday favorites and then lead a discussion. Book selections geared toward older kids but can be enjoyed by all ages.

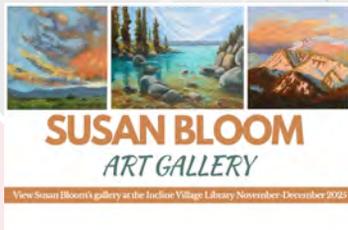
Library Galleries

Downtown Reno



Look This Way by Ray Valdez
January 12–March 8
Reception:
Sunday, January 25, 3 pm

Incline Village



Susan Bloom Fine Art
by Susan Bloom
November–December



Chilipepper's Painting
by Yasuyo Corbett
January–February

North Valleys



Voices of the Arctic
by Deanna Cordova
October–December

Northwest Reno



France and the Holocaust
presented by the Nevada Center for Humanity
January–March

Nevada Holocaust Museum by Nevada Center for Humanity is proud to share French artifacts from their collection. This is the first time they are being seen in the United States, and it is a privilege to have this history remain with us in Nevada. Join us in the journey as we learn from these "material witnesses" to history, to better understand the range of choices made by ordinary individuals.

South Valleys



*East of the Crest:
Scenes from Across the Great Basin*
by Rachel Micander
November–December



Lines & Shapes
by Jacqueline Manley
January–February
Reception:
Saturday, January 10, 1 pm

Spanish Springs

Downtown Modernists by Jutta Gietl
December
Reception: Tuesday, December 2, 4 pm



*Sunrises, Sunsets, and Aerial Phenomena:
Photography* by Kenneth Johnston
January–February



Sparks

Tiny Art Show
December–January

Watercolors
by JoD Davison
January



Meet a Librarian!

Chris

What's your role with Washoe County Library?

I'm a Library Assistant II at the Northwest Reno Library. Overall, I've been with the library just over 25 years. I was at the South Valleys Library for almost 20 years, and that's when I first started doing the Story Times. When I worked at the Downtown Reno Library originally, I was mostly doing circulation, reference work, some shelving, and I was a courier part-time. But then, when the South Valleys Library opened, Rosie Beck asked me to do Story Time. It scared the tuna salad out of me, to quote Mo Willems. But once I did it, I was hooked. It's far and away my favorite part of the job. It's really cool seeing the kids grow up. Being at South Valleys for as long as I was, I got to see kids go from babies or toddlers into college. And to instill that love of reading and learning at a young age — if you get them early, it sticks. We've seen it. When we're wondering if we're making a difference, it's really cool to see them coming back when they're 18, 19, or 20 — and bringing their own kids!

How do you appeal to different age groups with children's programming?

The Story Time programs themselves, we have ones geared toward babies, toddlers, and then preschool and early school, like kindergarten and first grade. You'll see a lot of older siblings come, but usually around 7 or 8 is when they start aging out. Once they get past the Story Time programs, we do the fun weekend stuff. Sometimes we show movies, and every once in a while we'll do Story Time on the weekend as well, and we'll catch some of the older kids — like the early grade-school kids who still want to come and still enjoy picture books. But the Summer Reading Challenge is perfect for preteens and teens. It gives them something to do and something to motivate them to keep reading.

What do you hear from parents?

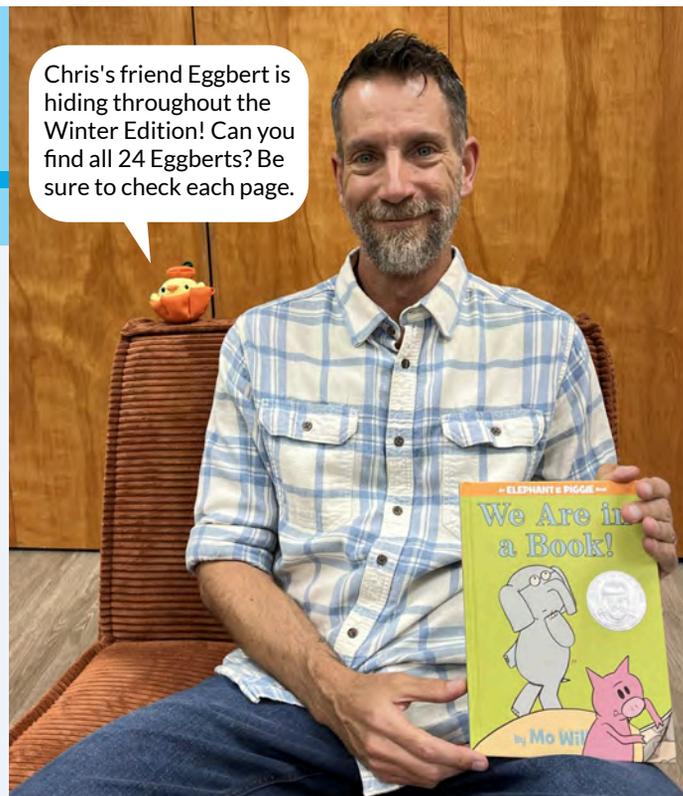
Parents like that it gets their kids interested in reading and shows them that it can be fun, and not just something that they're going to be assigned later in school. By the time you get into school, if you don't already like it, and you have to read, that makes it tougher to be able to focus on that, and it's just work. But if we instill this love of books and a love of reading before that, then it's not something that they're going to fight against. Parents appreciate that. They appreciate the downtime — although for some of them, it's not really downtime. They come into the library for Story Time, and then they go socialize in Isabella's Tree House afterward. Even if it's just for an hour or two a week, just to give the parents a little break and entertain their kids. That's what I see as my job — I want to entertain the kids, and I want to get them to love books.



For more information about Story Times, see page 10.

Tell us about Eggbert.

The legend of Eggbert — he showed up in a bin one day, and to this day we have no idea who made him or who sent him. And he just took on a persona of his own. He got dressed up for the first holiday after he showed, and he's been dressed up for every holiday ever since. I think he's going to last a long time. Patrons love him. We display him on the front desk, and the kids love the little outfits. The adults as well when they realize he has his own little wardrobe. It entertains us. It entertains the kids. It entertains the adults.



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Chris

Library Assistant II
Northwest Reno Library

What's the last great book you read?

Red Ranger Came Calling is my favorite holiday book. It's the best story. It's got the best artwork. It's about this kid who is exploring the hermit house up on the mountain, and the hermit is a retired Santa Claus who's lost his mojo. And the kid realizes this, and it's kind of like the little boy from *A Christmas Story*, except instead of a BB gun, it's a "Buck Tweed Bicycle." And Santa is a little senile, so when the boy finally works up the courage to ask him, he mishears him, and you don't realize that at first, and he goes home and checks and he doesn't see it, and he's storming back to tell Santa off, but Santa is so excited when he gets there and doesn't have it in him to break Santa's heart, so he makes up a story about how awesome it is, and Santa gets his mojo back. And then the boy goes home and he sees it in a tree because Santa heard a "treed bicycle," not a "Buck Tweed Bicycle," and then you flip to the last page and it's a photograph of a bicycle growing out of a tree, somewhere in Oregon or Washington. It's a real thing, and it says, "And that's where it still is to this day," and the kids' jaws just drop. They didn't realize they were listening to a true story. I love doing stuff like that.

What's a library service that you wish more people knew about?

It's probably something as simple as placing holds. I don't think a lot of people who aren't regulars know that service is so seamless. Maybe they're used to the older days with the card catalog when it would be harder to get something sent from another library. They don't realize we get a thousand books a day from other libraries. If you want something, there's a 99% chance we can get it for you, whether it's from one of our other branches or from outside of the system.



All Washoe County Library early literacy programs feature stories, fingerplays, and wiggle action to encourage a love of books, stimulate thinking, and promote feelings of self-assurance. Join us for Stay & Play after Story Time for fun with music, STEAM toys, and friends of all ages!

Which Story Time is the best fit for my family?

Baby Story Time: For children ages 0–18 months.

Baby Social: For parents and children ages 0–18 months. Learn about the library, sing some songs, and meet other new parents in the community.

Bilingual Story Time: For children of all ages, with stories and songs in English and other languages.

Family Story Time: For children of all ages, focusing on enjoying literacy and language as a family.

Preschool Story Time: For children 3–6 years.

STEAM Story Time: Family Story Time emphasizing Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math.

Toddler Time: For children 18 months to 3 years.

storytime

Family Engagement Activities from the Children's Cabinet

Join the Children's Cabinet for fun and educational hands-on activities that support Nevada Pre-Kindergarten and Early Learning Standards.

December: **Sparks** • Tuesdays, 10:45 am

January: **Downtown Reno** • Tuesdays, 11 am

February: **Downtown Reno** • Tuesdays, 11 am



Downtown Reno

Family Story Time:
Tuesdays, 10:15 am
Baby Story Time:
Second Thursdays,
10:15 am

Incline Village

Family Story Time:
Tuesdays and
Thursdays, 10:30 am

North Valleys

Toddler Time:
Wednesdays, 10:30 am
Baby Story Time:
Thursdays, 10:30 am

Northwest Reno

Baby Social:
Tuesdays, 10:30 am
Preschool Story Time:
Wednesdays, 10:30 am
Toddler Time:
Thursdays, 10:30 am

Sierra View

Baby Story Time:
Wednesdays, 11 am
Toddler Time:
Thursdays, 11 am
Family Story Time:
Fridays, 11 am
STEAM Family
Story Time:
Fourth Fridays, 11 am

South Valleys

Preschool Story Time:
Tuesdays, 10:30 am
Baby Story Time:
First Wednesdays, 11 am
Baby Social:
Third Wednesdays, 11 am
Toddler Time:
Thursdays, 10:30 am
Family Story Time:
Fourth Saturdays,
10:30 am

Spanish Springs

Family Story Time:
Mondays, 10:30 am
Baby Social:
Second and fourth
Wednesdays, 10:30 am
Toddler Time:
Thursdays and
Fridays, 10:30 am

Sparks

Baby Story Time:
Mondays, 10:45 am
Toddler Time:
Tuesdays, 10:15 am
Family Story Time:
Wednesdays, 10:15 am
Bilingual Story Time:
Thursdays, 10:15 am

For more information, or to register for a Story Time, scan the QR code or visit washoelibrary.org/storytime.



Paws 2 Read

Paws 2 Read is a program for children of all ages, presented by Paws 4 Love. Friendly therapy dogs lend a loving, nonjudgmental ear to beginning readers. Children will take home a free book!

Downtown Reno • Third Sundays, 11 am
Incline Village • Third Wednesdays, 4 pm
North Valleys • Second Saturdays, 2 pm
Northwest Reno • Second Saturdays, 11 am
Sierra View • Second Saturdays, 11 am
South Valleys • Second Saturdays, 11 am
Spanish Springs • Second Sundays, 1:30 pm
Sparks • Second Saturdays, 11 am

Holiday Party with Santa Paws

Join our special furry friends after Toddler Time for photos and crafts!

Spanish Springs
Thursday, December 4
noon

Visit with the Paws 2 Read dogs and enjoy letter writing to Santa, a hot cocoa bar, and more!
Registration required.

Incline Village
Wednesday, December 10
4 pm

Paws 2 Read



K-12 Resources

LEGO Club

Are you a BrickHead? Do you want to build with others? Join us as we provide weekly challenges for you to get creative and meet with others who love to build!

Duncan/Traner

Wednesdays, 2:30 pm

Sierra View

Saturdays, 2 pm

LEGO Robotics Club

Come learn how to code and build with LEGO Robots. Whether you are new to coding or building or are an experienced programmer and LEGO master, you will find something to challenge your mind.

Spanish Springs

Tuesdays, 4 pm

Winter Break Kids Cafe

The Food Bank of Northern Nevada's Kids Cafe program provides free lunch to all children ages 2-18 during Washoe County School District's winter break. For more information about meal service at a library near you, visit fbnn.org/kidscafe.



FOOD BANK
OF NORTHERN NEVADA

Acting Camp for Kids

Check out our exciting winter break theater series for older youth, ages 10 to 18! Each 90-minute session explores a new theatrical topic. Registration required.

South Valleys

Monday, December 29, 1:30 pm

Tuesday, December 30, 1:30 pm

Wednesday, December 31, 1:30 pm

C A M P S



Sewing Camp for Kids

Kids will learn basic hand stitches, then create two fun backpack charms. This program encourages creativity, fine motor skills, and confidence through hands-on sewing in a friendly, supportive setting. Registration required.

Incline Village

Wednesday, February 18, 2 pm

Thursday, February 19, 2 pm



LEGO Robotics Camp: Knock It Down

Create a LEGO robot that pushes and knocks things over. Registration required.

Spanish Springs

Tuesday, December 30, 1 pm

Wednesday, December 31, 1 pm



Tutoring and Homework Help

First through sixth grade students can receive free tutoring and homework help from library-trained volunteers.

Sierra View

Tuesdays and Thursdays

3:30-5:30 pm

Nevada Reading Week: Book an Adventure

Nevada Reading Week is March 2-6, 2026, but you can get a head start with our Beanstack Reading Challenge from February 1-March 31.

This fun, interactive challenge is open to readers of all ages and offers a chance to earn digital badges as you track your reading progress. Explore the Washoe County Library Reading Challenges at washoelibrary.org/readingchallenges.



The Snowy Day Story Walk

Follow the path through the library to read the story *The Snowy Day* by Ezra Jack Keats! Can you follow in Peter's footsteps as he explores his neighborhood in the snow?

Spanish Springs

January 1-31

TEEN EVENTS

Dungeons & Dragons

Join our library Dungeon Masters and fellow adventurers for some role-playing fun. Some weeks we'll do a short, one-shot adventure; other times you can join an ongoing campaign. Bring a character you've created, or use one of ours. All experience levels welcome.

Downtown Reno: Wednesdays, 3 pm

Spanish Springs: Fridays, 4 pm

South Valleys: First and third Wednesdays, 5:15 pm

Sparks: Fridays, 4 pm



North Valleys Game Night!

Join us for some family fun at Game Night! People of all ages are welcome to join the excitement. Get ready for an evening filled with laughter, snacks, and memories with your neighbors. We provide a variety of board games such as chess, Code Master, and dominoes. You can bring a game to share, too!

North Valleys: Fridays, December 12, January 9, and February 13, 3:30 pm

Wizard Academy: Escape Room

Step into a world of magic and mystery as you race to stop a dark curse from unraveling the Wizard Academy! You'll decode ancient runes, brew enchanted potions, and uncover secrets hidden deep within the headmaster's chambers – all in a thrilling 45-minute session. Can you restore the balance before magic fades forever? Sharpen your wands and your wits. Register for a spellbinding adventure!

Incline Village: January 15–16 and 29–30, 3–5 pm



*WE NEED
YOUR FEEDBACK!*

TEEN SURVEY

We are committed to providing welcoming spaces for teens in our community!

Help us better understand what kind of spaces and services you would like to see at your library by completing this brief survey.



Teen Tuesday

Join fellow teens to hang out! There will always be a fun activity and snacks.

Incline Village – First Tuesdays, 4 pm

Teen Scene

Drop by the Sparks Teen Zone on the first Wednesday of each month for some fun activities and snacks. Bring a friend or two! Ages 13–18 are welcome. All programs are first come, first served, and spots are limited.

Sparks – First Wednesdays, 3 pm

December 3: Tiny Art

January 7: Snack Tasting

February 4: Bad Art Challenge

Acting Camp for Kids

Check out our exciting winter break theater series for older youth, ages 10–18! Each 90-minute session explores a new theatrical topic.

December 29, Session 1: Finding Your Voice

December 30, Session 2: Finding Your Character

December 31, Session 3: Finding Your Part

South Valleys – December 29–31, 1:30 pm



VOLUN TEEN

Need hours? Volunteer with Washoe County Library's Volunteent program. Earn up to 20 volunteer hours from home. Visit washoelibrary.org/volunteent to get started. For teens 14–18 years of age.



Clases básicas de computación para hispanohablantes
Beginning Computer Classes for Spanish Speakers
Sparks

101: Uso de su PC
 4, 7 de febrero, 11 am
 Prerrequisito: ninguno.

102: Conceptos básicos de internet
 11, 14 de febrero, 11 am
 Prerrequisito: conocimiento del mouse/teclado.

103: Uso del correo electrónico
 18, 21 de febrero, 11 am
 Prerrequisito: conocimiento del mouse/teclado y uso de pestañas/enlaces y navegadores.

104: Introducción a Word
 25, 28 de febrero, 11 am
 Prerrequisito: conocimiento del mouse/teclado y uso de pestañas y navegadores.



Es necesario registrarse. Si tiene más preguntas, comuníquese con la biblioteca de Sparks al 775-352-3200.

Registration required. If you have questions, please call the Sparks Library at 775-352-3200.

Habilidades digitales 101: Recursos de la biblioteca
Digital Skills 101: Library Resources
Northwest Reno

Primer y tercer viernes de cada mes, 10:30 am
 First and third Friday of each month, 10:30 am

Traiga preguntas sobre cómo usar su teléfono o computadora, o venga para aprender habilidades básicas de la tecnología. Nuestro personal bilingüe está disponible para ayudar en inglés y español.

Bring questions regarding how to use your phone or computer or drop-by to learn basic technology skills. Our bilingual staff is available to assist in English and Spanish.

Reserva un bibliotecario (para hispanohablantes)
Book a Librarian (for Spanish speakers)
Sparks

los miércoles, 3 pm
 Wednesdays, 3 pm

Podemos ayudarle a completar solicitudes de empleo en línea, presentar una solicitud de desempleo, hacer una dirección de correo electrónico y solicitar asistencia del gobierno. Haga una cita y un bibliotecario hará todo lo posible para ayudarle. Recuerde que el personal de la biblioteca no puede evaluar, revisar o completar elementos por usted.

We can help you fill out online job applications, file for unemployment, set up an email address, and apply for government assistance. Make an appointment and a librarian will do their best to help you. Remember that library staff cannot assess, review, or complete items for you.



RECURSOS PARA
HISPANOHABLANTES
washoecountylibrary.us/espanol

Diversión y juegos en español e inglés
Spanish/English Fun & Games
Sparks

Segundo martes de cada mes, 4 pm
 Second Tuesday of each month, 4 pm

Dirigida a niños de edad 8 a 18 años de origen hispanohablante, ¡pero los niños que quieran interactuar con el idioma español en un ambiente divertido y de bajo estrés también son bienvenidos!

Designed for children 8–18 with a Spanish-speaking background, but all children who want to engage with the Spanish language in a low-stress and fun environment are also welcome!



Club de Charla
The Chat Club
Incline Village

1, 15 de diciembre, 5 de enero, 2 de febrero, 3:30 pm
 December 1, 15, January 5, February 2, 3:30 pm

¿Quiere practicar el inglés en un ambiente divertido y relajado? Únase a los estudiantes de Incline High para una práctica de idiomas de forma relajada para adultos que aprenden inglés.

Looking to practice your English-speaking skills in a fun, low-stress environment? Join Incline High students for a relaxed language practice for adult English language learners.

Grupo de conversación en inglés
English Conversation Group
Sparks

los miércoles, 3, 17 de diciembre, 11 am
 Wednesdays, December 3, 17, 11 am

¿Quiere practicar el inglés en un ambiente divertido y relajado? Únase a nosotros en la Sparks Library para practicar inglés de forma relajada para adultos que aprenden inglés.

Looking to practice your English-speaking skills in a fun, low-stress environment? Join us at the Sparks Library for relaxed English-language practice for adult English language learners.



* Adults & Seniors

Incline Village

Never Felt Better

Second and fourth Thursdays, 3 pm
Learn how fun and easy felting can be during this casual drop-in program.

Wind-Down Wednesday

First Wednesdays, 3:30 pm

Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop

Second and fourth Mondays, 2 pm
Join fellow writers in writing and sharing memorable moments and experiences.

The Chat Club

First and third Mondays, 3:30 pm



Northwest Reno

Creative Corner

Second Wednesdays, 5 pm
This event is designed for all skill levels. Come express yourself in a relaxed environment, with all supplies provided.

Sierra View Nevada Historical Society presents History on the Go!

First Saturdays, 1 pm



180 Years Later: Donner Party Still Makes News
with Frank Mullen - December 6



Our Public Lands
with Dr. Bill Rowley - January 3



Kittie "Kit" Wilkins
with Richard Dorman - February 7

Virtual Event: High Noon with Neal Cobb presented by the Nevada Historical Society

Third Thursdays at noon on Zoom



Our Nevada Stories: Oral History Project for America250
with Brad McMullen
December 18



Rhyolite: The Life and Death of a Boom Town
with Howard Goldbaum
January 15



Hair, Makeup, and Me
with Jan Loverin
February 19

Historic Reno Preservation Society Presents Second Sundays at noon, Downtown Reno

Reno's Mail Service: The Earliest Days to Now, with Debbie Hinman - January 11

A Taste for History: Discovering Untold Stories about the Region's Food, with Sharon Honig-Bear - February 8



Spanish Springs

Gardening Talks by Washoe County Master Gardeners

Sunday, December 28, 1:30 pm
Sunday, January 25, 1:30 pm
Sunday, February 22, 1:30 pm



For all dates, a Master Gardener Help Desk will be available 1-4 pm.



South Valleys

Mah-Jongg

Mondays, 10 am

Playing mah-jongg preserves brain health and improves memory. Plus, it's a great way to make friends! Join us on Mondays to socialize and play the centuries-old strategy game. No experience necessary.



Sparks

Senior Bingo Night

Wednesday, January 28, 4 pm

Join us for a special night of bingo, just for seniors! Bring a friend or two, and enjoy light refreshments while you play.



South Valleys Tuesdays, 4 pm Time-Out Tuesday for Adults

December 2: Folded Paper Garlands
December 9: Holiday Cookie Swap
December 16: Gnome Ornaments
December 23: Decorative Clothspins
December 30: Show and Tell

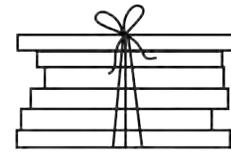
This weekly program is just for adults. Join us for a variety of events that will allow you to disconnect and relax. Will you make something? Maybe. Will you learn something? Hopefully. Will you enjoy yourself? Definitely.

January 6: No-Sew Tote Bags
January 13: Trash Card Game
January 20: 3D Papier-Mâché Art
January 27: Healing Soundscapes

February 3: Felt Flower Bookmarks
February 10: Button Valentine Cards
February 17: Yarn Art
February 24: Bee Water Cups



TECHNOLOGY



BOOK A LIBRARIAN

We can help you navigate your cell phone or tablet, master the Libby app, complete your ID.me for unemployment, set up email, and more. Make an appointment, and a librarian will help you.

Downtown Reno: Mondays and Tuesdays, 11 am–4 pm

Incline Village: Tuesdays–Thursdays, 11 am–5 pm,

with a reservation made 24 hours in advance.

Senior Center: Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 10 and 11:30 am

Sierra View: Tuesdays, 11:30 am

South Valleys: Wednesdays, 11 am

Sparks: Wednesdays, 4–6 pm; and in Spanish, 3–4 pm



CLASSES

COMPUTER SKILLS 101: USING YOUR PC

Tuesdays, January 6 and 8, 11 am

COMPUTER SKILLS 102: INTERNET BASICS

Tuesdays, January 13 and 15, 11 am

COMPUTER SKILLS 103: USING EMAIL

Tuesdays, January 20 and 22, 11 am

COMPUTER SKILLS 104: MICROSOFT OFFICE

Tuesdays, January 27 and 29, 11 am

Sparks



DIGITAL SKILLS 101: LIBRARY RESOURCES

First and third Fridays, 10:30 am

December 5 and 19

January 2 and 16

February 6 and 20

Northwest Reno



TECH CAFÉ

This program is designed to help tech beginners learn how to use devices like smartphones, tablets, laptop computers, and more.

Second Wednesdays, 10:30 am

December 10

January 14

February 11

Sparks

LEARN ABOUT YOUR IPHONE

First and third

Wednesdays, 10:30 am

December 3 and 17

January 7 and 21

February 4 and 18

Sparks



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Connect, Gather, and Explore this winter at Washoe County Library

Registration may be required for some events.
Register online and find additional details
at washoecountylibrary.us/events.

Monday, December 1

- 10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
- 3:30 pm **The Chat Club**
Incline Village
See page 13.

Tuesday, December 2

- 10:15 am **PBS Curiosity Classroom: Curious George Construction Vehicles**
Sparks
- 10:45 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Sparks
See page 10.
- 11:30 am **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents The Grinch and Other Holiday Favorites**
Sparks
See page 4.
- 3:30 pm **STEAM: Marshmallow Geodesic Domes**
North Valleys
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 4 pm **Teen Tuesday**
Incline Village
See page 12.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Folded Paper Garlands**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **Artist's Reception: Jutta Gietl**
Spanish Springs
See page 8.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.
- 4:30 pm **Gingerbread House Workshop**
Sparks
Registration required. See page 4.

Wednesday, December 3

- 10:30 am **Learn About Your iPhone**
Sparks
- 11 am **English Conversation Group**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 2:30 pm **LEGO Club: Holiday Village Build**
Duncan/Traner
See page 11.
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 3 pm **Teen Scene: Tiny Art**
Sparks
See page 12.

- 3:30 pm **Wind-Down Wednesday: Watercolor Holiday Cards**
Incline Village
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Paper Holiday Animals**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5:15 pm **Dungeons & Dragons Club**
South Valleys
Ages 12–18. See page 12.

Thursday, December 4

- noon **Holiday Party with Santa Paws**
Spanish Springs
See page 10.
- 3 pm **Crafternoon: Gingerbread House Workshop**
Downtown Reno
Registration required. See page 4.
- 3 pm **IV Quad: Sublimated Holiday Mugs**
Incline Village
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 3:30 pm **STEAM Thursday: Exploring Music & Sound**
Sparks
Explore musical instruments then compose a song using Garage Band.
- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: Genetics and Mutations**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Sparks and Spells: Dungeons & Dragons for Adults**
Sparks
Ages 18 and up.

Friday, December 5

- 10:30 am **Make and Mingle for Adults: Winter Holiday Gifts – Sugar Scrubs**
North Valleys
- 10:30 am **Digital Skills 101: Library Resources**
Northwest Reno
See page 13.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Pipe Cleaner Cinnamon Stick Holiday Decorations**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, December 6

- 1 pm **Nevada Historical Society presents History on the Go: 180 Years Later – Donner Party Still Makes News**
Sierra View
See page 14.

- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Balances**
Sierra View
See page 11.

Sunday, December 7

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
- 2 pm **Holiday Read-Aloud Book Club**
South Valleys
See page 7.

Monday, December 8

- 10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
- 11:30 am **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents The Grinch and Other Holiday Favorites**
Spanish Springs
See page 4.
- 2 pm **Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop**
Incline Village
See page 14.

Tuesday, December 9

- 10:45 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Sparks
See page 10.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Sparkly Winter Paintings**
North Valleys
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 4 pm **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents Celebrate the Season with Timeless Holiday Classics**
Incline Village
See page 4.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Holiday Cookie Swap**
South Valleys
Bring your favorite recipe to share.
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.
- 4 pm **STEAM**
Spanish Springs
- 4 pm **Spanish/English Fun & Games**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 4:30 pm **NorthStar Chamber Players Holiday Concert**
Northwest Reno
See page 5.

Wednesday, December 10

- 10:30 am **Tech Café**
Sparks
See page 15.
- 2 pm **Cozy Winter Mug Making Party**
North Valleys
All ages welcome. Registration required.



- 2:30 pm **LEGO Club: Free Build**
Duncan/Traner
See page 11.
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 3 pm **Holiday Maker Event**
Sparks
Registration required. See page 4.
- 3:30 pm **Gingerbread House Workshop Session 1**
South Valleys
Registration required for each individual making a gingerbread house. See page 4.
- 4 pm **Holiday Party with Santa Paws**
Incline Village
See page 10.
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Creative Corner: Felt Ornaments**
Northwest Reno
See page 14.
- 5 pm **Gingerbread House Workshop Session 2**
South Valleys
Registration required for each individual making a gingerbread house. See page 4.

Thursday, December 11
Staff Training Day
All libraries closed

Friday, December 12

- 3:30 pm **North Valleys Game Night!**
North Valleys
See page 12.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Cricut Holiday Mugs**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, December 13

- 10:30 am **Gingerbread House Workshop**
Sierra View
Registration required. See page 4.
- 1 pm **Birthday Party: Taylor's Version**
Sparks
- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Snowmen**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 2 pm **Frozen Interactive Movie**
South Valleys
First come, first served. Space and supplies are limited. See page 4.

Sunday, December 14

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
- 2 pm **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents A Retro Radio Dolls Christmas Celebration**
South Valleys
See page 4.

Monday, December 15

- 10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
- 3 pm **The Cricut Club**
Downtown Reno
Registration required.
- 3 pm **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents The Grinch and Other Holiday Favorites**
Downtown Reno
See page 4.
- 3:30 pm **The Chat Club**
Incline Village
See page 13.



Tuesday, December 16

- 10:15 am **Holiday Family Story Time and a Very Merry Santa Vist**
Downtown Reno
Registration recommended. See page 4.
- 10:45 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Sparks
See page 10.
- 3 pm **Holiday Family Story Time and a Very Merry Santa Visit**
Sparks
Registration recommended. See page 4.
- 3:30 pm **STEAM: Winter Logic Games**
North Valleys
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 3:30 pm **Family Holiday Movie Night**
Sparks
See page 4.
- 4 pm **Gingerbread House Workshop: Sugar & Sparkle**
Northwest Reno
Registration required. See page 4.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Gnome Ornaments**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.
- 5:30 pm **Lahontan Audubon Society: Santa's Favorite Birds**
Spanish Springs

Wednesday, December 17

- 10:30 am **Learn About Your iPhone**
Sparks
- 11 am **English Conversation Group**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 2:30 pm **LEGO Club: Robots**
Duncan/Traner
See page 11.
- 2:45 pm **Catch-Up Movie Event**
Sparks
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Ugly Sweater Craft**
South Valleys

- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5:15 pm **Dungeons & Dragons Club**
South Valleys
Ages 12–18. See page 12.

Thursday, December 18

- noon **High Noon with Neal Cobb: Our Nevada Stories — Oral History Project for America250**
Virtual Event
See page 14.
- 3 pm **STEAM**
Downtown Reno
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 3:30 pm **STEAM Thursday: Exploring Music & Sound**
Sparks
Explore musical instruments then compose a song using Garage Band.
- 4 pm **Winter Wonderland Snow Globes**
Northwest Reno
All supplies provided. Registration required.
- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: The Chemistry Behind Cooking and Baking**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio: Gingerbread House Workshop**
Spanish Springs
Registration required. See page 4.
- 5 pm **Sparks and Spells: Dungeons & Dragons for Adults**
Sparks
Ages 18 and up.

Friday, December 19

- 10:30 am **Digital Skills 101: Library Resources**
Northwest Reno
See page 13.
- 3:30 pm **Holiday Family Story Time and a Very Merry Santa Visit**
Duncan/Traner
Registration recommended. See page 4.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Penguin Pom-Pom Poppers**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, December 20

- 11 am **Family Saturday: Story Crafts**
Sparks
- 2 pm **Tabletop Tales: A Solo Role-Playing Journal Game Club**
North Valleys
Ages 18 and up.
- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Winter Challenge Cards**
Sierra View
See page 11.

3 pm **Maker Weekend**
South Valleys
Ages 12 and up. Registration required.

Sunday, December 21

11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
3 pm **Maker Weekend**
South Valleys
Ages 12 and up. Registration required.

Monday, December 22

10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
11 am **Art a la Cart**
Downtown Reno
2 pm **Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop**
Incline Village
See page 14.

Tuesday, December 23

10:45 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Sparks
See page 10.
3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Reindeer Door Hanger**
North Valleys
4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Decorative Clothespins**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

Wednesday, December 24 Christmas Eve All libraries close at 4 pm

10-4 **Crafternoon: Paper Strip Reindeer Take Home Craft**
South Valleys
Pickup your take-home craft kit between 10 am and 4 pm while supplies last.
11 am **Movie Matinee: *The Muppet Christmas Carol* (1992)**
Downtown Reno

Thursday, December 25 Christmas All libraries closed

Friday, December 26

3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Beaded Snowflakes**
Sierra View
4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, December 27

1 pm **Make & Mingle for Adults**
Sparks
2 pm **LEGO Club: Model of Your Room**
Sierra View
See page 11.

Sunday, December 28

11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
1 pm **Master Gardener Help Desk**
Spanish Springs
See page 14.
1:30 pm **Gardening Talks by Washoe County Master Gardeners**
Spanish Springs
See page 14.

Monday, December 29

10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
11 am **Art a la Cart**
Downtown Reno
1:30 pm **Acting Camp for Kids**
South Valleys
Ages 10-18. Registration required.
See page 11.

Tuesday, December 30

10:45 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Sparks
See page 10.
1 pm **LEGO Robotics Camp: Knock it Down**
Spanish Springs
Registration required. See page 11.
1 pm **PBS Curiosity Classroom: Spool Racer**
Sparks
1:30 pm **Acting Camp for Kids**
South Valleys
Ages 10-18. Registration required.
See page 11.
3:30 pm **PBS Reno: Little Cloud**
Downtown Reno
Learn about the water cycle and why a cloud rains.
3:30 pm **STEAM: String Marionettes**
North Valleys
4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Show and Tell**
South Valleys
Bring a story, souvenir, or artifact to share. Ages 18 and up. See page 14.

Wednesday, December 31 New Year's Eve All libraries close at 4 pm

10-4 **Crafternoon: New Year's Noise Makers Take Home Craft**
South Valleys
Pickup your take-home craft kit while supplies last.

11 am **Movie Matinee: *Muppet Treasure Island* (1995)**
Downtown Reno
11 am **Happy Noon Year**
Sierra View
See page 4.
11 am **Happy Noon Year**
Spanish Springs
See page 4.
1 pm **LEGO Robotics Camp: Knock it Down**
Spanish Springs
Registration required. See page 11.
1:30 pm **Acting Camp for Kids**
South Valleys
Ages 10-18. Registration required.
See page 11.

Thursday, January 1 New Year's Day All libraries closed



Friday, January 2

10:30 am **Make and Mingle for Adults: Water Color Resist Painting**
North Valleys
10:30 am **Digital Skills 101: Library Resources**
Northwest Reno
See page 13.
3 pm **Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Larry Wilson**
Downtown Reno
See page 5.
3:30 pm **Crafternoon: New Year's Journal**
Sierra View
4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, January 3

1 pm **Nevada Historical Society presents History on the Go: Our Public Lands**
Sierra View
See page 14.
2 pm **LEGO Club: Igloos**
Sierra View
See page 11.
2 pm **Book Club Film Series: *The Grapes of Wrath* (1940)**
South Valleys
See page 7.

Sunday, January 4

11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno

2 pm Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Reno Taiko Tsurunokai
South Valleys
See page 5.

Monday, January 5

10 am Mah-Jongg
South Valleys
See page 14.

3:30 pm The Chat Club
Incline Village
See page 13.



Tuesday, January 6

11 am Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet
Downtown Reno
See page 10.

11 am Computer Skills 101: Using Your PC
Sparks
See page 15.

3:30 pm Crafternoon: Pinecone Mouse
North Valleys

3:30 pm Tutoring and Homework Help
Sierra View
See page 11.

4 pm Teen Tuesday
Incline Village
See page 12.

4 pm Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: No-Sew Tote Bags
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.

4 pm LEGO Robotics Club
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

5 pm Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Larry Wilson
Incline Village
See page 5.

Wednesday, January 7

10:30 am Learn About Your iPhone
Sparks

3 pm Dungeons & Dragons
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

3 pm Teen Scene: Snack Tasting
Sparks
See page 12.

3:30 pm Wind-Down Wednesday: Palette Knife Art
Incline Village

4 pm Crafternoon: Red Cardinal Paper Painting
South Valleys

4 pm Spanish Springs Coding Club
Spanish Springs

5:15 pm Dungeons & Dragons Club
South Valleys
Ages 12–18. See page 12.

Thursday, January 8

11 am Computer Skills 101: Using Your PC
Sparks
See page 15.

3 pm Never Felt Better
Incline Village
See page 14.

3:30 pm Tutoring and Homework Help
Sierra View
See page 11.

3:30 pm Crafternoon: Make Your Own Mittens
Sparks
Create a pair of cut-out mitten friends. Make them silly, make them mismatched — it's up to you!

4 pm STEAM Thursdays: Respiratory System
South Valleys

4 pm Thursday Craft Studio
Spanish Springs

5:30 pm Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents Retro Radio Dolls "Hits, Harmony & High Heels"
Sparks
See page 5.

Friday, January 9

3:30 pm North Valleys Game Night!
North Valleys
See page 12.

3:30 pm Crafternoon: New Year's Positive Affirmation Jar
Sierra View

4 pm Dungeons & Dragons
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

4 pm Dungeons & Dragons
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, January 10

10:30 am Pokémon GO at the Library
South Valleys

1 pm Artist's Reception: Jacqueline Manley
South Valleys
See page 8.

2 pm LEGO Club: Theme Park Rides
Sierra View
See page 11.

2 pm Book Club Film Series: *The Searchers* (1956)
South Valleys
See page 7.

Sunday, January 11

11 am Sunday Funday
Northwest Reno

noon Historic Reno Preservation Society presents Reno's Mail Service: The Earliest Days to Now
Downtown Reno
See page 14.

Monday, January 12

10 am Mah-Jongg
South Valleys
See page 14.

2 pm Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop
Incline Village
See page 14.

Tuesday, January 13

11 am Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet
Downtown Reno
See page 10.

11 am Computer Skills 102: Internet Basics
Sparks
See page 15.

3:30 pm STEAM: Paper Circuits
North Valleys

3:30 pm Tutoring and Homework Help
Sierra View
See page 11.

4 pm Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Trash Card Game
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.

4 pm LEGO Robotics Club
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

4 pm STEAM
Spanish Springs

4 pm Spanish/English Fun & Games
Sparks
See page 13.

Wednesday, January 14

10:30 am Tech Café
Sparks

3 pm Dungeons & Dragons
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

4 pm Crafternoon: Felt Melted Snowmen
South Valleys

4 pm Spanish Springs Coding Club
Spanish Springs

5 pm Creative Corner: Eye Pillows/Heating Pads
Northwest Reno
See page 14.

Thursday, January 15

11 am Computer Skills 102: Internet Basics
Sparks
See page 15.

noon High Noon with Neal Cobb: Rhyolite — The Life and Death of a Boom Town
Virtual Event
See page 14.

3 pm STEAM
Downtown Reno

3 pm Wizard Academy: Escape Room
Incline Village
Registration required. See page 12.

3:30 pm Tutoring and Homework Help
Sierra View
See page 11.

3:30 pm STEAM Thursday: Tape Resistant Snowflake Art
Sparks
Turn snowflakes into an artistic backdrop with acrylic paint and washi tape.

- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: Hovercrafts**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Sparks and Spells: Dungeons & Dragons for Adults**
Sparks
Ages 18 and up.

Friday, January 16

- 10:30 am **Digital Skills 101: Library Resources**
Northwest Reno
See page 13.
- 3 pm **Wizard Academy: Escape Room**
Incline Village
Registration required. See page 12.
- 3:30 pm **Winter Movie Night: *Little Women* (1994)**
North Valleys
Bring your own snacks and blankets! All ages welcome.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Peace and Martin Luther King Jr. Suncatchers**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, January 17

- 11 am **Family Saturday: Story Crafts**
Sparks
- 2 pm **Tabletop Tales: A Solo Role-Playing Journal Game Club**
North Valleys
Ages 18 and up.
- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Things that Fly**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 2 pm **Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Reno Taiko Tsurunokai**
Sparks
See page 5.
- 3 pm **Maker Weekend**
South Valleys
Ages 12 and up. Registration required.

Sunday, January 18

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
- 3 pm **Maker Weekend**
South Valleys
Ages 12 and up. Registration required.

Monday, January 19
Martin Luther King Jr. Day
All libraries closed

Tuesday, January 20

- 11 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Downtown Reno
See page 10.
- 11 am **Computer Skills 103: Using Email**
Sparks
See page 15.
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: 3D Papier-Mâché Art**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

Wednesday, January 21

- 10:30 am **Learn About Your iPhone**
Sparks
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 3 pm **Pokémon GO at the Library**
Incline Village
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Winter Spinner**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Opening Reception for *France and the Holocaust* presented by the Nevada Center for Humanity**
Northwest Reno
Featuring Léon Malmed, author, public speaker, Holocaust survivor, and Reno-Tahoe resident. See page 8.
- 5:15 pm **Dungeons & Dragons Club**
South Valleys
Ages 12–18. See page 12.

Thursday, January 22

- 11 am **Computer Skills 103: Using Email**
Sparks
See page 15.
- 3 pm **Never Felt Better**
Incline Village
See page 14.
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Wintry Mixed Media**
Sparks
Tap into your inner artist with this vibrant craft that blends chalk, paint, and paper silhouettes.
- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: All About Chickadees**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs

Friday, January 23

- 3:30 pm **Winter Movie Night: *March of the Penguins* (2004)**
North Valleys
Bring your own snacks and blankets! All ages welcome.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Snowman Rocks**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, January 24

- 1 pm **Make & Mingle for Adults**
Sparks
- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Build Your Name**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 2 pm **Book Club Film Series: *The War of the Worlds* (1953)**
South Valleys
See page 7.

Sunday, January 25

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
- 1 pm **Master Gardener Help Desk**
Spanish Springs
See page 14.
- 1:30 pm **Gardening Talks by Washoe County Master Gardeners**
Spanish Springs
See page 14.
- 2 pm **Read-Aloud Book Club**
South Valleys
NEW — ages 12 and up. See page 7.
- 3 pm **Artist's Reception: Ray Valdez**
Downtown Reno
See page 8.



Monday, January 26

- 10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
- 2 pm **Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop**
Incline Village
See page 14.

Tuesday, January 27

- 11 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Downtown Reno
See page 10.
- 11 am **Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Larry Wilson**
North Valleys
See page 5.
- 11 am **Computer Skills 104: Microsoft Office**
Sparks
See page 15.

- 3:30 pm **PBS Reno: Moon in Motion**
Downtown Reno
 Learn about the moon cycle and how the moon moves across the sky at night.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Origami Kusudama Flower**
North Valleys
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
 See page 11.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Healing Soundscapes**
South Valleys
 Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
 See page 11.

Wednesday, January 28

- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
 Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Snowman Hand Puppets**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 4 pm **Senior Bingo Night**
Sparks
 See page 14.
- 5 pm **Creative Corner for Adults: Vision Boards**
Northwest Reno
 Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 5:30 pm **All-Ages Bingo**
South Valleys

Thursday, January 29

- 10:30 am **Musical Stories with the Reno Chamber Orchestra**
South Valleys
 See page 5.
- 11 am **Computer Skills 104: Microsoft Office**
Sparks
 See page 15. 
- 3 pm **Wizard Academy: Escape Room**
Incline Village
 Registration required. See page 12.
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
 See page 11.
- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: From Creepy Crawlies to Big and Fierce**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs

Friday, January 30

- 3 pm **Wizard Academy: Escape Room**
Incline Village
 Registration required. See page 12.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Terra Cotta Windchimes**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
 Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
 Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, January 31

- 10:30 am **National Seed Swap Day**
Sparks
- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Robots**
Sierra View
 See page 11.
- 2 pm **Book Club Film Series: To Kill a Mockingbird (1962)**
South Valleys
 See page 7.

Sunday, February 1

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
- 12:30 pm **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents Karen Burns "Hello Hollywood, Hello! FUTUROPOLIS"**
Spanish Springs
 See page 5.
- 3 pm **Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Larry Wilson**
South Valleys
 See page 5.

Monday, February 2

- 10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
 See page 14.
- 3:30 pm **The Chat Club**
Incline Village
 See page 13.

Tuesday, February 3

- 11 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Downtown Reno
 See page 10.
- 11 am **Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents Larry Wilson**
Sparks
 See page 5.
- 3:30 pm **STEAM: Groundhog Shadow Investigation**
North Valleys
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
 See page 11.
- 4 pm **Teen Tuesday**
Incline Village
 See page 12.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Felt Flower Bookmarks**
South Valleys
 Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
 See page 11.
- 5 pm **Pioneer Center Golden Encore presents In-Tune Tales "Goes to the Movies"**
Incline Village
 See page 5.

Wednesday, February 4

- 10:30 am **Learn About Your iPhone**
Sparks
- 11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 101: Uso de su PC (Using Your PC in Spanish)**
Sparks
 See page 13.
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
 Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 3 pm **Teen Scene: Bad Art Challenge**
Sparks
 See page 12.
- 3:30 pm **Wind-Down Wednesday: Charcoal Art**
Incline Village
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Arctic Fox**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5:15 pm **Dungeons & Dragons Club**
South Valleys
 Ages 12–18. See page 12.
- 5:30 pm **Love and Romance in the Shadow of the Holocaust presented by Professor James McSpadden**
Northwest Reno
 Join us to learn about the incredible power of love in the shadow of unimaginable suffering.

Thursday, February 5

- 3 pm **Crafternoon**
Downtown Reno
- 3 pm **IV Quad: Custom Buttons**
Incline Village
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
 See page 11.
- 3:30 pm **STEAM Thursday: Popsicle Stick Catapults**
Sparks
 Build a catapult and learn how these simple machines work.
- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: Can You Save Fred?**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Sparks and Spells: Dungeons & Dragons for Adults**
Sparks
 Ages 18 and up.

Friday, February 6

- 10:30 am **Make and Mingle for Adults: Paper Lanterns**
North Valleys
- 10:30 am **Digital Skills 101: Library Resources**
Northwest Reno
 See page 13.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Peek-a-boo Punxutawney Phil**
Sierra View

- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4:30 pm **Be Your Own Valentine**
North Valleys
Create affirmation cards.

Saturday, February 7

- 11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 101: Uso de su PC (Using Your PC in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 1 pm **Nevada Historical Society presents History on the Go: Kittie "Kit" Wilkins**
Sierra View
See page 14.
- 2 pm **LEGO Club: Penguins**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 2 pm **Book Club Film Series: The Great Gatsby (1974)**
South Valleys
See page 7.

Sunday, February 8

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno
- noon **Historic Reno Preservation Society presents A Taste for History: Discovering Untold Stories about the Region's Food**
Downtown Reno
See page 14.

Monday, February 9

- 10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.
- 2 pm **Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop**
Incline Village
See page 14.

Tuesday, February 10

- 11 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Downtown Reno
See page 10.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Handprint Valentine's Day**
North Valleys
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Button Valentine Cards**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

- 4 pm **STEAM**
Spanish Springs
- 4 pm **Spanish/English Fun & Games**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 5:30 pm **Author Talk with Martha O'Sullivan**
Incline Village
See page 7.

Wednesday, February 11

- 10:30 am **Tech Café**
Sparks
See page 15.
- 11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 102: Conceptos básicos de internet (Internet Basics in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Love Bug Monsters**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Creative Corner: Winter Magazine Trees**
Northwest Reno
See page 14.

Thursday, February 12

- 3 pm **Never Felt Better**
Incline Village
See page 14.
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: String Art**
Sparks
Make a string art heart on a wooden panel.
- 4 pm **STEAM Thursday: Spaghetti Towers**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs

Friday, February 13

- 3:30 pm **North Valleys Game Night!**
North Valleys
See page 12.
- 3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Valentine's Day Craft**
Sierra View
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, February 14

- 11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 102: Conceptos básicos de internet (Internet Basics in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.
 - 2 pm **LEGO Club: Hearts**
Sierra View
See page 11.
 - 2 pm **Book Club Film Series: Pride and Prejudice (1940)**
South Valleys
See page 7.
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Sunday, February 15

- 11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno

Monday, February 16 Presidents Day All libraries closed

Tuesday, February 17

- 11 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Downtown Reno
See page 10.
- 3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.
- 4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Yarn Art**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.
- 4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

Wednesday, February 18

- 10:30 am **Learn About Your iPhone**
Sparks
- 11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 103: Uso del correo electrónico (Using Email in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.
- 2 pm **Sewing Camp for Kids**
Incline Village
Registration required. See page 11.
- 3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.
- 4 pm **Crafternoon: Beaded Bookmarks**
South Valleys
- 4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs
- 5 pm **Art and Craft Supply Swap**
Northwest Reno
Bring your extra craft supplies to the library February 9–17. Come back for the swap and find something new to take home! Please see website for more details and limitations.

5:15 pm **Dungeons & Dragons Club**
South Valleys
Ages 12–18. See page 12.

Thursday, February 19

noon **High Noon with Neal Cobb: Hair, Makeup, and Me**
Virtual Event
See page 14.

2 pm **Sewing Camp for Kids**
Incline Village
Registration required. See page 11.

3 pm **STEAM**
Downtown Reno

3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.

3:30 pm **STEAM Thursday: Glass Bead Suncatchers**
Sparks
Assemble glass bead suncatchers to make prisms in your home.

4 pm **STEAM Thursday: The Arts in STEAM – Perspective**
South Valleys

4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs

5 pm **Sparks and Spells: Dungeons & Dragons for Adults**
Sparks
Ages 18 and up.

Friday, February 20

10:30 am **Digital Skills 101: Library Resources**
Northwest Reno
See page 13.

3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Chinese New Year – Year of the Horse**
Sierra View

4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, February 21

11 am **Family Saturday: Story Crafts**
Sparks

11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 103: Uso del correo electrónico (Using Email in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.

2 pm **Tabletop Tales: A Solo Role-Playing Journal Game Club**
North Valleys
Ages 18 and up.

2 pm **LEGO Club: Ramps**
Sierra View
See page 11.

3 pm **Maker Weekend**
South Valleys
Ages 12 and up. Registration required.

Sunday, February 22

11 am **Sunday Funday**
Northwest Reno

1 pm **Master Gardener Help Desk**
Spanish Springs
See page 14.

1:30 pm **Gardening Talks by Washoe County Master Gardeners**
Spanish Springs
See page 14.

2 pm **Read-Aloud Book Club**
South Valleys
NEW — ages 12 and up. See page 7.

3 pm **Maker Weekend**
South Valleys
Ages 12 and up. Registration required.

Monday, February 23

10 am **Mah-Jongg**
South Valleys
See page 14.

2 pm **Write Your Life: Memoir Workshop**
Incline Village
See page 14.

Tuesday, February 24

11 am **Family Engagement Activities presented by the Children's Cabinet**
Downtown Reno
See page 10.

3:30 pm **PBS Reno: Dental Hygiene**
Downtown Reno
Take a virtual trip to the dentist to learn about ways to keep their teeth healthy.

3:30 pm **STEAM: Tangram Mania**
North Valleys

3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.

4 pm **Time-Out Tuesday for Adults: Bee Water Cups**
South Valleys
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.

4 pm **LEGO Robotics Club**
Spanish Springs
See page 11.

Wednesday, February 25

10:30 am **Pioneer Center Youth Programs presents The Note-Ables**
North Valleys
See page 5.

11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 104: Introducción a Microsoft Word (Microsoft Word in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.

3 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Downtown Reno
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

4 pm **Crafternoon: Fairy Journal Button Books**
South Valleys

4 pm **Spanish Springs Coding Club**
Spanish Springs

5 pm **Creative Corner for Adults: Mosaics**
Northwest Reno
Ages 18 and up. See page 14.

5:30 pm **All-Ages Bingo**
South Valleys

Thursday, February 26

10:15 am **Musical Stories with the Reno Chamber Orchestra**
Sparks
See page 5.

3 pm **Never Felt Better**
Incline Village
See page 14.

3:30 pm **Tutoring and Homework Help**
Sierra View
See page 11.

3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Beaded Keychains**
Sparks

4 pm **STEAM Thursday: What's in a Mouth?**
South Valleys

4 pm **Thursday Craft Studio**
Spanish Springs

Friday, February 27

3:30 pm **Crafternoon: Clothespin Butterflies**
Sierra View

4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Spanish Springs
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

4 pm **Dungeons & Dragons**
Sparks
Ages 12 and up. See page 12.

Saturday, February 28

11 am **Habilidades de la computadora 104: Introducción a Microsoft Word (Microsoft Word in Spanish)**
Sparks
See page 13.

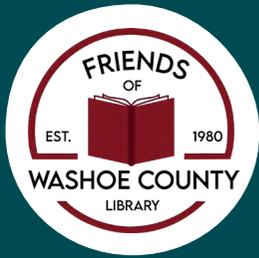
1 pm **Make & Mingle for Adults**
Sparks

2 pm **LEGO Club: Animal Habitats**
Sierra View
See page 11.

2 pm **Book Club Film Series: In the Heat of the Night (1967)**
South Valleys
See page 7.



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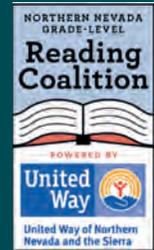


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Friends of Washoe County Library Book Sale
January 10–18, 10 am–4 pm
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NATIONAL NEWS LITERACY WEEK

February 2-6, 2026

The News Literate Community Initiative aims to build a shared foundation of facts, encourage meaningful dialogue on important issues, and strengthen both our community and our democracy. In short, we work to prevent “truth decay.”

During News Literacy Week, the News Literate Community Initiative will host events throughout Washoe County. For local updates, visit nlcwashoe.org. For national updates and resources, visit newslit.org/news-literacy-week.



MASTERPIECE
**ALL CREATURES
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NEW SEASON PREMIERES
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