

January 2020 Monthly Report



Youth Program Librarian Terri Wortman performing her final Storytime on January 9

Manager's Report

Library programs returned in full force in January. Regular youth programs resumed, with an Early Release Day "Science Zone," K-2 Book Adventures, and the monthly Teen event (Nerf Night). Adult programs included presentations on human migration and how citizens can effect change in the Oregon legislature—the same presentation Greg Leo gives annually to the Wilsonville Citizens Academy.

A list of county-wide holds on various "Library of Things" (LoT) items showed

the high demand for items Wilsonville does not own. The Friends of the Wilsonville Library approved a request for \$1,500 to purchase more items for the library's LoT collection to support those holds.

Furniture proposals were received. Library management is in the process of selecting vendors and creating a schedule for furniture delivery and installation.

The sign base is now in place for the Wilsonville Road LED sign. Installation completion is expected at the end of March.

The library's Strategic Planning process is underway, with anticipated completion by the end of June. Library staff will keep the City Council up to date on developments.

Clackamas County created a Library Task Force to look at library services throughout the county in three specific areas: services provided, governance within the library district, and finance. Jeanna Troha and Alan Steiger will represent Wilsonville on the Library Task Force.

Attached is the January edition of the library's newsletter, "Check Out," which lists programs and events at the library in January.

-Pat Duke, Library Director



CHECK OUT! Wilsonville Public Library news & events

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Hours & Days of Operation Mon.- Thurs.: 10am–8pm Fri. - Sat.: 10am–6pm Sun.: 1pm–6pm

> Library closed Monday, Feb. 17

Find us online at: www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org Facebook (WilsonvilleLibrary) Twitter (@wvlibrary)



Library Artist of the Month:

Jeannie Brandstrom

Food for Fines in February

Reduce or eliminate library overdue fines by bringing in cans or boxes of food during the month of February.

Each can or box of unexpired food will be worth a one dollar credit on overdue fines, subject to the approval of library staff.

Please check expiration dates carefully! The food bank cannot accept or use expired food. The food bank prefers donations of:

- Canned goods such as tuna, fruit, and hearty soups
- Cereal (hot or cold)
- Jelly or Jam (sorry we can't accept homemade)
- No ramen
- No damaged or expired food



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Library Birthday Celebration on February 13

We are celebrating the Library's 38th birthday on Thursday, February 13, with free cake for all from 11am–3pm.

We are also celebrating over eight years of partnership with Dolly Parton's Imagination Library.

As of December 2019, Dolly Parton's Imagination Library has given over 50,000 free classic



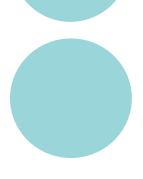
children's books to Wilsonville and Stafford children from ages birth to five. Classic books include *The Little Engine That Could* and *The Tale of Peter Rabbit*.

Sign up for Imagination Library at our table display from 10 am– 11:30 am that day, or at any time at the Circulation Desk.

For more information, visit:

www.wplf.org

Check Out!



Did you know?

The library hosts monthly art exhibits by local artists on the Art Gallery wall by the public computers.

Past exhibits have included life-sized marionettes, sculptures, and numerous photography, watercolor, and oil exhibits.



Youth Programs

Birth to Age 5

Baby Time

For ages 0-12 months Rhymes, songs, and special bonding time with your baby.

Friday Mornings 10:30 am–11:15 am (including playtime) Oak Room

Toddler Time

For ages 1 & 2 Stories, songs, and puppets with your toddler.

Tuesday mornings **TWO SESSIONS!** 10:00 am–10:30 am 11:00 am–11:30 am Oak Room

Family Storytime

For ages 3 and up Bring the whole family for fun with books, including creative storytelling with songs, puppets, and props.

Tues. evenings: 6:30–7:00 pm Wed. mornings: 10:30–11:00 am Thurs. mornings: 10:30–11:00 am Oak Room

Play Group

For ages 0–6 Drop in anytime and let the kiddos play with a variety of toys, as well as socialize with the under-6 crowd.

Monday mornings 10:00 am–11:30 am Oak Room *No Play Group 2/17*



Grades K–5

Science Zone

For grades 3–5 Looking for something to do on Early Release Days? How about some science fun! Get hands-on with exciting science experiments.



Wednesday, Feb. 19 1:30 pm–2:30 pm Oak Room

LEGO Night

For grades K-5

A fun night to construct, create, and imagine with Lego! Lego expert David Thornton from Canby Bricks & Minifigs will be available to provide cool tips.

Wednesday, Feb. 19 6:30 pm–7:30 pm Oak Room



K-2 Book Adventures

Classic stories, books, and authors with interactive story-telling, puppetry, and other fun activities.

Thursday, Feb. 13 3:30 pm–4:15 pm Oak Room



Teen Programs

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Grades 6–12

Join us for FREE movies, games, food, and more with monthly events just for $6^{th}-12^{th}$ graders.



TEEN EVENT:

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES VR & a Movie Wednesday, Feb. 5 4:00 pm–6:00 pm Try the hottest virtual reality game, SuperHotVR! Movie TBD. In the Teen Area.

For students in grades 6–12

TAB wants you!

The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is made up of 6^{th} through 12^{th} graders like you who meet to:

- Hang out, eat, & have fun
- Help choose books, music, and movies for the library
- Plan events

If you're interested, send us an e-mail or call Brad at 503–570– 1592, or just show up at our next meeting.

Teen E-mail List

Want to come to an event, but need a little reminder? Enter your email address at

www.WilsonvilleLibrary.org/ subscribe

to get added to our eNotify list.

Or become a Facebook friend of "Wilsonville Library" to get event updates!

Adult Programs

Classes & Lectures



PROFILES: Toni Morrison Looks at the life and writings of Toni Morrison, American novelist, essayist, book editor, and

college professor.

Sunday, Feb. 9 1:30 pm–3:00 pm

Oak Room No Charge

Civics Guide: Participation in Federal, State, County, and City Affairs

Our government is for, by and of the people, but how can we best participate in federal, state and local government affairs?

Tuesday, Feb. 4 6:00 pm–8:00 pm Rose Room No Charge

History Pub Monthly programs focusing on Oregon's rich history.

Tuesday, Feb. 25 6:30 pm–8:00 pm Wilsonville McMenamins Doors open at 5 pm No Charge



Book Club New members welcome! February title TBA.

Thursday, Feb. 27 6:00 pm–8:00 pm No charge



English class Learn English for free at the library. All levels welcome.

Thursday mornings 11:00 am–12:30 pm No charge

English Conversation Group Practice your English! This group is free and everyone is welcome.

Monday evenings

6:00 pm–7:30 pm No charge Great Books Discussion Group Discussion of the great Western classic books. <u>Plutarch: The Lives of the</u> <u>Noble Grecians & Romans</u> (Lycurgus, Numa, Alexander, Caesar)

Tuesday, Feb. 11 6:00 pm–8:00 pm No charge

Free Tax Help

Experienced tax preparers can answer your questions and help you fill out your tax forms on Saturdays, from February 8 through April 11, 10 am–2 pm. Please bring all of your

2019 necessary documentation and your 2018 tax records.

Free Tax Help Saturdays 10 am–2 pm February 8–April 11

Entertainment



First Friday Films Watch the latest releases, free on our big screen. Snacks available or

bring your own.

Friday, Feb. 7 6:00 pm-8:00 pm Oak Room No charge



Book Notes Concert Monthly live music in the library stacks on the 2nd Saturday of the month.

<u>Carolee & Romeo</u> American Folk music influenced by Joni Mitchell, Neil Young, and Eva Cassidy.

Saturday, Feb. 8 2:00 pm–3:00 pm No Charge

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