



# WASHINGTON DISTRICT LIBRARY

## February 2026

### TAKE HOME CRAFT OR ACTIVITY

#### KIT PICK-UP BEGINS

Feb 1 | While supplies last

Children's: Paper Roll Ladybug

Teen: Heart Ornament

Adult: Candy Heart Magnet

### STORYWALK

Feb - Mar | During Park Hours

Washington Park

Take a walk through Washington Park and enjoy a story as you stroll.

Book: Love Monster (Rachel Bright)

### WASHINGTON WINTER WALKABOUT

all ages

Feb 1 - 28 | During Library Hours

Main Library

Get ready for some wintery fun with the Washington Winter Walkabout! For the whole month of February, you'll be searching storefronts and office windows throughout town for festive wintery signage as part of a town-wide scavenger hunt. Stop in at the Main Library at the front desk for a swag bag of goodies!

### ANIMAL RESCUE GIVING TREE

Feb 1 - Mar 9 | During Library Hours

Sunnyland Branch

Help the Tazewell County Animal Shelter stock their shelves and provide newly adopted animals with the essentials they need. Select ornaments with items to donate, purchase the items, and bring them back to the Sunnyland Branch by March 10th.

### MONDAY MORNING MOVIE

February 2 | 10-11:45 AM

Sunnyland Branch

Join us at Sunnyland the 1st Monday of the month for a movie!

Movie: Love, Romance, and Chocolate

### DONUT DECORATING

February 3 | 6:00-7:30 PM

Main Library | Meeting Room

Take the challenge and decorate your own donut. Prizes will be awarded to the top decorators. All supplies provided.

### LITTLE LISTENERS

ages 2-3

Wed., 1/28 - 3/25 | 10-10:30 AM

Main Library | Meeting Room

20 minutes of short stories, rhymes, & songs, to be enjoyed from the comfort of a caregiver's lap. Storytime is followed by 10 minutes of sensory playtime.

### CHOCOLATE CRITIC

February 4 | 6:30-7:30 PM

Main Library | Meeting Room

Do you have a sweet tooth? Then this is the program for you! Sample a variety of chocolate themed treats and rate them based on appearance, texture, and flavor.

### BABY BOUNCE

ages 0-2

Thurs., 1/29 - 3/26 | 9:30-10 AM

Main Library | Meeting Room

30-minute music and movement class that teaches pre-literacy skills and prepares your child for a storytime-like setting.

### STEAM: DR. DEAN CAMPBELL

February 5 | 4-5 PM

Main Library | Meeting Room

Come in for a different STEAM-inspired activity on the 1st Thursday of every month.

### TOGETHER TIME

ages 3-5

Fri., 1/30 - 3/27 | 10:30-11:15 AM

Main Library | Meeting Room

30 minutes of stories, songs, & rhymes, followed by 15 minutes of activity stations. Stations include craft, sensory bins, and dramatic play.

### SATURDAY MORNING MOVIE

February 7 | 10-11:30 AM

Sunnyland Branch

Gear up for America's 250th anniversary by watching a historical film. The Sunnyland Branch will play Felicity: An American Girl Adventure. Co-sponsored by The Daughters of the American Revolution. Snacks will be provided.

### AARP SAFE DRIVER COURSE

ages 0-2

February 9 & 10 | 9:30-1:30 PM

Main Library | Meeting Room

If you are 50 and over, sign up to attend the AARP Safe Driver Course. Participants must attend both 4-hour sessions to receive a certificate that can provide a discount on car insurance. The cost is \$20 for AARP members and \$25 for non-members.

### HOMESCHOOL CONNECTIONS

kids & families

February 9 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Sunnyland Branch

Join us for a morning of sharing ideas, having fun, and making connections with other homeschooling families.

### KRAFTY KIDS: DIY HEART FRAME

February 9 | 4-4:45 PM

Main Library | Meeting Room

Join Miss Morgan for some afternoon crafting fun!

### GENEALOGY MEET-UP

February 10 | 10:30-11:30 AM

Main Library | Study Rooms

Come & share your discoveries and learn more about genealogical resources.

### LIBRARY LOBBY STOP

February 10 | 1:30-3:30 PM

Charter Senior Living | Lobby

Books will be available for residents to check out.

### COZY MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

February 10 | 2-3 PM

Sunnyland Branch

Join us for a discussion of the month's cozy pick! Snacks & drinks provided.

Book: A Doomful of Sugar (Catherine Bruns)

### ANIME

February 10 | 6-7:30 PM

Main Library | Meeting Room

Love anime and manga? Join us as we watch an anime show and eat ramen every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

## **FAMILY BINGO**

kids & families

**February 10 | 6:30-7:30 PM**

**Sunnyland Branch**

Play Bingo and win prizes.

## **COFFEE & COMPANY**

**February 11 | 10:30-11:30 AM**

**Sunnyland Branch**

Meet new faces and make social connections through fun games and activities. Donuts & drinks provided.

## **TWEEN WEDNESDAY: STOMP INTO FEBROARARY**

**February 11 | 6:30-7:30 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Sink your teeth into a variety of rawr-some themed snacks. Make dinosaur "dirt" cups, decorate egg shaped cookies, and assemble feet fruit kabobs. Afterwards, we'll dig into some prehistoric games and activities.

## **WDL BOOK CLUB**

**February 12 | 6:30-7:30 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Join us to discuss books from all genres. Snacks & drinks provided.

**Book: The Book Club for Troublesome Women (Marie Bostwick)**

## **VALENTINE'S TEA PARTY**

ages 3+

**February 14**

**Main Library | 10-11 AM**

Sign-up to decorate some holiday gingerbread houses!

## **STITCH & SIP**

**February 17 | 10:30-11:30 AM**

**Main Library | Adult Seating Area**

Join us for a relaxed morning of crocheting, knitting, cross-stitching, embroidery, or any thread-based craft. Bring your current project from home and spend time with fellow crafters. Stitch at your own pace while you sip on a free cup of coffee or tea. All skill levels are welcome.

## **LIBRARY LOBBY STOP**

**February 17 | 11 AM-12 PM**

**Villas of Holly Brook | Lobby**

Books will be available for residents to check out.

## **TEEN NIGHT: KOOL-AID LIP GLOSS & PAINTING**

**November 18 | 5:30-7:30 PM**

**Sunnyland Branch**

Come to the Branch for a night of Kool-Aid painting and make some Kool-Aid lip gloss.

## **BOOKISH TOTE BAG**

**February 18 | 6:30-7:45 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Need a bag for all of your library reads? This is tote-ally the program for you! Join us to make a bookish themed tote bag using fabric paints and stencils.

## **SUPPORTIVE LIVING BOOK CLUB**

**February 19 | 10-11 AM**

**Wash. Supportive Living | Lounge**

Supportive Living residents, join us for a book discussion on the 3rd Thursday of every month.

## **KIDZ ZONE**

**February 19 | 4-5 PM**

**Sunnyland Branch**

Join us for a variety of fun activities after school!

## **AXES & SNAXES**

**February 19 | 6:30-7:30 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Join us on the 3rd Thursday of every month to discuss true crime documentaries, podcasts, cold cases, and more! Snacks & drinks provided.

## **TOTS & TUNES**

**February 23 | 10:30-11:30 AM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Get your groove on at the library! Music, party lights, and bubbles- what's not to love?!

## **POKEMON CLUB**

**February 23 | 4-5 PM**

**Sunnyland Branch**

Calling all Pokemon trainers! Come join us for an afternoon of fun with themed games, crafts, and a time to trade cards.

## **LEGO CLUB**

**February 24 | 4-4:45 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Use library-supplied Legos to build original creations that will be displayed for the month!

## **CRAFTEEN: PATCH MAKING**

**February 24 | 6:30-7:30 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

Sign up to make a different craft every month!

## **SUNNYLAND CRAFT NIGHT: GNOME**

### **PICTURE HOLDER**

**February 24 | 6:30-7:30 PM**

**Sunnyland Branch**

Come join us at the Branch to make a wooden gnome picture holder.

## **HOW TO CRAFT STRONG STORY STARTS**

**February 26 | 6:00-7:30 PM**

**Main Library | Meeting Room**

What is it that draws us into a good book and keeps us turning pages? Join local fiction book coach Andrea Herrick to investigate the secrets to hooking readers and leave with new tools to try out in your own writing!

## **LIBRARY DAY: BINGO**

**February 27 | 2:30-3:30 PM**

**Leisure Acres | Building 28**

Residents, come for a fun afternoon hosted by the library!

## **FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER**

**Scan me!**



**Main Library**

380 N Wilmor Rd

309-444-2241

### **HOURS**

Mon: 9-6

Tues-Thurs: 9-8

Fri: 9-5

Sat: 9-1

Sun: 1-5



Closed: January 1 & 19

Delayed Open (10 AM): January 30

**Branch Library**

16 Washington Plz

309-745-3023

### **HOURS**

Mon: 9-6

Tues: 1-8

Weds: 9-6

Thurs: 1-6

Fri: 9-5

Sat: 9-1

Sun: Closed

■ all ages event ■ adult event · ages 18+ ■ teen event · ages 12-18 ■ tween event · ages 9-14 ■ school age event · ages 5-12 ■ toddler · ages 0-4 ■ outreach event

✓ Registration is required. Register by calling the hosting library, Main 309.444.2241 or Sunnyland 309.745.3023, or in person.

↑ Online or at home event ↗Repeats weekly or bi-weekly