

# The Tyson Times

Tyson Library Newsletter

## Setting Students Up for Success with Free School Supplies

Tyson's Teen Class for the summer packed up bags of school supplies for area students during their last meeting of the season.

On July 29, Tyson Library distributed the supplies on a first come, first served basis. The school supplies giveaway was made possible with in-kind donations



from our patrons and monetary support from Tyson Library's summer sponsors, which include many area businesses, groups, and organizations.

## 2023 Youth Saturday Programs

We are gearing up for our fall programs now, and our Youth Programming Coordinator, Aly Wright, has some fun Saturday programs on the calendar!

September's Saturday program will be a Stuffed Animal Sleepover. Those participating will get to send one of their stuffed friends for an overnight stay at the library, where they will take part in fun activities. Their owners will get to enjoy a breakfast with them on the 9th, and will get to hear all about their adventures.

In October, Tyson Library will host a Kids & Parent Playdate on the 14th. This program will include fun for the whole family, and a great opportunity to socialize for everyone.

Then in November, our students will be invited to sign up for a Bluey-themed party. This party will be for preschoolers and kindergarteners.

Registration is required for these programs. To sign up, call 812-689-5894, email [aly@tysonlibrary.org](mailto:aly@tysonlibrary.org), or stop in.

## Upcoming Programs & Events

Aug. 10  
Tyson's Pageturners  
Book Club

\*Sept. 9  
Stuffed Animal Sleepover

\*Sept. 22  
Soup & Chili Swap

\*Registration required



# Block Party Marks the End of Summer at Tyson Library

We celebrated a fun-filled summer with a block party on June 22. Our young patrons were able to enjoy an inflatable, lunch, face painting, balloon animals, and carnival-inspired games.

Our theme for the summer was All Together Now, and we had so much fun learning about all the fun things we can do together right here in our community.



Our fall programming will start in September. Visit our website to see what we have planned!

## 'It's easy to use...' A Library of Things Patron Review

"Mrs. Vest is all excited about using our new Button Maker at the Tyson Library to make name buttons for the Little Blessings Christian Preschool students this year. It's easy to use and available for check out to patrons as a part of our "Library of Things" collection. Make buttons for any occasion, such as a sporting event, church event, club activities or just some family fun. The first 25 buttons are free! Call or stop by the Tyson Library for details."

See our entire Library of Things at [tysonlibrary.org/libraryofthings](http://tysonlibrary.org/libraryofthings)



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- School-Aged
- Teen
- Adult
- All Ages
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# AUGUST / 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	31	1	2	3	4 *4pm-Color & Create Personalized Buttons	5
6	7 4pm-Yoga with Barb	8 3:30pm-Teen Hours	9	10 *3:30pm-Teen DND 5pm-Tyson's Page Turners	11	12
13	14 4pm-Yoga with Barb	15 3:30pm-Teen Hours	16	17	18 *3:30pm-Tyson Teens	19
20	21 4pm-Yoga with Barb	22 3:30pm-Teen Hours	23	24 *3:30pm-Teen DND	25 *4pm-String Art Vase	26
27	28 4pm-Yoga with Barb	29 3:30pm-Teen Hours	30	31	1	2

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# SEPTEMBER / 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27	28	29	30	31	1 *3:30pm-Tyson Travelers	2
3	4 4pm-Yoga with Barb	5 *10:30am-Storytime 3:30pm-Teen Hours	6 Tyson Homeschoolers Field Trip	7	8 *4pm-Craft: DIY Perpetual Desk Calendar	9 *Stuffed Animal Sleepover Pickup
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## Upcoming Events & Programs

### August 10

Tyson Library's Teen DND Group will meet from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. This group role play game is open to students in grades 7 to 12. The group typically meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. To learn more about the group or their ongoing campaign, email [aly@tysonlibrary.org](mailto:aly@tysonlibrary.org).

Join the Tyson Library Page Turners for a discussion about *Wish You Were Here* by Jodi Picoult at 5 p.m. The library will be happy to supply you with a copy of the novel. Stop by Tyson Library between now and the next book discussion date to pick up the book. Then on the book club date, meet with other patrons to discuss this month's read. All are welcome to join the group!

### August 18

Tyson Teens will meet at Tyson Library from 3:30 to 5 p.m. This group is for students in grades 7 to 12. They meet monthly to enjoy various activities, crafts, games, and community service projects. Email [aly@tysonlibrary.org](mailto:aly@tysonlibrary.org) with questions.

### August 25

Adults are invited to sign up for Tyson Library's String Art Vase craft class. Participants in this free class will get to pick out their vase shape, nail the design into their board, and wrap their string around into a vase to display flowers, pinwheels, and other fun items in your home. The class will be from 4 to 6 p.m. Registration is required for this adult program at [www.tysonlibrary.org/events](http://www.tysonlibrary.org/events).

### September 1

Journey with the Tyson Travelers as they travel to different places, cultures, and time periods. Each program will introduce participants from grades K-6 to the language, food, and facts about the places they visit from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Registration is required for this program. To register, go to [www.tysonlibrary.org](http://www.tysonlibrary.org).

### September 4

Tyson Library will be closed for Labor Day. The library will resume their normal hours Tuesday, September 5.

### September 5

Tyson Library's Preschool Storytime is weekly from 10:30 to 11 a.m. for children from birth to age 5. Storytime includes fingerplays and games. Each child needs an adult to attend with them. Call 812-689-5894 to sign up!

Tyson Library will offer Teen Hours on Tuesdays from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Students in grades 7 through 12 are invited to come relax in our downstairs conference room. The space will be set up to do school work, hangout, or play video or board games. Go to [www.tysonlibrary.org/teen-programs](http://www.tysonlibrary.org/teen-programs) to learn more.

### September 8

Adults are invited to join Tyson Library for a craft program. The library will provide all of the supplies to make a perpetual desk calendar. Each participant will get to make their own calendar and will be able to customize some of the details. These are great items for the home or office, and they also make great gifts. Registration is required for this program. Save your seat at [www.tysonlibrary.org/events](http://www.tysonlibrary.org/events).

**September 8-9**

Bring in your stuffed animals to Tyson Library anytime on Friday, September 8th and leave them with us for an overnight slumber party. Your stuffed toys will then spend the night at the library. They will enjoy a bedtime snack, storytime, and fun and games. Library staff pictures will be posted throughout the evening on Facebook. Pick your animal up Saturday morning (Sept. 9) and enjoy breakfast with them while watching their antics on a slideshow. Call 812-689-5894 to sign up!

**September 11**

Enjoy Yoga with Barb in the large conference room at Tyson Library every Monday at 4:30 p.m.. Your first class is free, and then costs just \$5 a class after that. All skill levels are welcome.

**September 14**

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**September 22**

Let's swap soups (or chili) at Tyson Library! Bring in a soup or chili (Enough to serve 4-6 people and the recipe, including a full ingredients list. The library will provide the supplies to sample the soups and make copies of the recipes to take home. The swap will start at 4:30 p.m. Email [tali@tysonlibrary.org](mailto:tali@tysonlibrary.org) with questions.

*See our full program calendar at [www.tysonlibrary.org/events](http://www.tysonlibrary.org/events)*