The Tyson Times

Tyson Library Newsletter

Children's Play Space Now Open for Business!

We are so excited to finally offer a play space in our Children's Area! Our first play setup is a pumpkin patch, complete with pumpkins our young patrons can buy/sell and delicious cafe-style treats they can pretend to serve to each other.

Our play space will get new themes every month or so, depending on the season and popularity of each theme. If you’d like to see something specific set up here in the future, email aly@tysonlibrary.org.

Curl Up With a Good Book this Winter

Tyson Library’s 2024 Winter Reading will begin on December 1 and end on February 29, 2023. Throughout the winter months, our patrons will get to draw for small prizes with each book they read. They will also get to enter to win one of our grand prizes.

There is something for everyone at the library, and winter is a great time to curl up with a good book!

Email tali@tysonlibrary.org with questions.

Upcoming Programs & Events

Nov. 11
*Bluey Party

Nov. 13-14
Library closed

Nov. 30
Cookie Swap

*Registration required
Sign up now for Breakfast with Santa

Registration is now open for our annual Breakfast with Santa event. This year we are hosting the man in the big, red suit on Saturday, December 9. Registration is required for this free event, and every child that is registered will receive a wrapped gift from Tyson Library at the event.

Our time slots this year will be at 10:15 a.m., 11 a.m., and 11:45 a.m. Each time slot has a limited number of spots, so we encourage you to register your child early.

Parents and families are required to stay with their children during this program, and are encouraged to enjoy breakfast and crafts with their little ones while they wait their turn to see Santa.

To save your child’s seat, call us today at 812-689-5894 or email aly@tysonlibrary.org with your child’s name, age, and gender.

Do your part to keep our library community safe and healthy this cold and flu season!

If you have the following symptoms, please wear a mask or come back when you have been symptom free for 24 hours:

- Fever of 101 degrees or higher
- Wheezing or shortness of breath
- Hard cough
- Constant runny nose
- Lethargy
- Diarrhea or vomiting
- Sore throat or swollen glands

We are happy to serve you curbside! Call 812-689-5894 to place an order for books or to discuss how we may help you with printing.

Thank you for helping us keep all our patrons and staff healthy.
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**Library Closed for Staff Development**

**Library Closed for Thanksgiving**

**Registration required**

- **N O V E M B E R**

**2023**

- **Preschool**
- **School-Aged**
- **Teen**
- **Adult**
- **All Ages**

- **4pm-Yoga with Barb**
- **10:30am-Storytime**
- **3:30pm-Kids in the Kitchen**
- **5pm-Tyson’s Page Turners**
- **4:30pm- Cookie Swap**
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*Library Closed for Christmas

*Registration required

**Events**
- **Dec. 1**: Winter Reading Begins
- **Dec. 6**: 10:30am-Tyson Homeschoolers Christmas Party
- **Dec. 13**: 5:30pm-Kids in the Kitchen
- **Dec. 20**: 5pm-Tyson’s Page Turners
- **Dec. 27**: Breakfast with Santa

**Note**: All events are subject to change. Please check the library’s website for the most up-to-date information.
Upcoming Events & Programs

November 9
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.

Join the Tyson Library Page Turners for a discussion about Into the Water by Paula Hawkins 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!

November 10
Local homeschool parents are invited to join the Tyson Homeschoolers for a Mom’s Night Out. The group will meet at 5 p.m. to enjoy each others company and some light snacks. Email aly@tysonlibrary.org for more information.

November 11
Preschoolers, kindergarteners, and their parents are invited to join Tyson Library for a Bluey party at 10:30 a.m. Miss Aly will lead the kids through games from the popular kids’ show and make crafts. We will also watch an episode together. Registration is required and parents must attend this event with their child.

November 13-14
Tyson Library will be closed on November 13 and 14 for staff development. The library will reopen with normal hours (10 a.m. - 6 p.m.) on Wednesday.

November 17
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 with questions.

November 23-25
Tyson Library will be closed for Thanksgiving on November 23-25.

November 30
Let's share the holiday spirit by swapping sweets at Tyson Library! Bring in 2-4 dozen cookies and the recipe, including a full ingredients list. We will provide cookie boxes for each participant to fill with cookies for sampling and make copies of the recipes to take home. Email tali@tysonlibrary.org with questions.

December 4
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.

December 6
Area homeschool families are invited to Tyson Library for the Tyson Homeschoolers Christmas Party at 10:30 a.m. For more information and to RSVP email aly@tysonlibrary.org.
December 9
Registration is open for this year’s Breakfast with Santa at Tyson Library. Santa’s visit will include breakfast, crafts, and a photo opportunity. Each child will also receive a wrapped gift. Save your child’s seat now by calling 812-689-5894.

December 14
Join the Tyson Library Page Turners for a discussion about I’d Like to Apologize to Every Teacher I Ever Had by Tony Danza 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!

December 15
Tyson Library’s Teen Council will celebrate the holidays with their own annual Christmas Party. Our teens in grades seven through twelve should bring a small gift (with a spending limit of $5) for a group gift exchange if they want to participate. The party starts at 3:30 p.m. Email aly@tysonlibrary.org with questions.

December 25-26
Tyson Library will be closed for Christmas on Monday, December 25 and Tuesday, December 26.

January 1
Tyson Library closed for New Year’s Day on Monday, January 1.

See our full program calendar at www.tysonlibrary.org/events