







Looking Ahead . . .

Be on the lookout for further details for an upcoming valley-wide "Love to Learn" event for families of young children. Each town will host a program on different dates in February offering families ideas and activities focusing on topics such as language and pre-literacy skills and school readiness.





January 2019

Harcourt Wood Memorial Established 1902

JANUARY 1 TUESDAY

Closed in Observance of New Year's Day

WEDNESDAY

Cabin Fever Winter Reading Club for Audlts (18+) begins. 1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

6:00 - 7:30 pm YA Wednesdays . . . Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17) 6:00 pm Resume "Right-ing" session

THURSDAY

10:00 am Hot Stove Roundup Session w/Rich Marazzi. 14th season!

10:30 am Let It Snow Story/Craft Time. (ages 3-6)

MONDAY

10:00 am Family Place - 1,2,3 Grow With Me! (ages 1-3)

WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Time for Twos (25 - 36 months old)

1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

6:00 - 7:30 pm YA Wednesdays . . . Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)

10 THURSDAY

9:30 am Baby Steps (birth - 12 months old) 10:30 am Wonderful Ones (13 - 24 months old)

10:00 am STEAM Ahead! (ages 3-5)

10:00 am Musical Mondays (ages 2-6) w/Sandi Schuchmann, Turn It Up!

15 TUESDAY

4:00 pm B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie (ages 5-11)

16 WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Time for Twos (25 - 36 months old)

1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

6:00 - 7:30 pm YA Wednesdays . . . Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)

6:30 pm Tech Time

Cabin Fever Winter Reading Club for Adults (ages 18 +)

The Derby Public Library reminds adults that it's cool to read with the re-launch of its Winter Reading Club for Adults, Cabin Fever, beginning January 2 through February 28.

Adult readers, ages 18 and over, are invited to play Cabin Fever BINGO this

winter! To play, complete the categories listed on your BINGO card and cross off the appropriate square. Every BINGO you get earns you an entry in the prize drawing. A completely filled BINGO card equals 12 drawing entries!

BINGO cards are available at the Circulation Desk, and can be downloaded from the library's website starting January 2, 2019. Completed cards may be turned in at the Circulation Desk. Cards must be received by Thursday, February 28, in order to be entered into the drawing. You may submit more than one finished BINGO card. The winning ticket will be drawn on Friday, March 1.



A 'Spring's a-Comin' celebration for all club members, will be held on Monday, March 4 at 6:30 PM. All attendees will have a chance to win a grand prize raffle.

JANUARY

17 THURSDAY

9:30 am Baby Steps (birth - 12 months old) 10:00 am Tech Time

10:30 am Wonderful Ones (13 - 24 months old)

18 FRIDAY

10:00 am STEAM Ahead! (ages 3-5)

10:00 am - Noon The American Job Search Career Coach presents 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Create a Great Resume.

21 MONDAY - Closed in Observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

22 TUESDAY

6:00 pm Food Allergies . . . What's it all about Presentations.

23 WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Time for Twos (25 - 36 months old)

1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

6:00 - 7:30 pm YA Wednesdays . . . Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)

24 THURSDAY

9:30 am Baby Steps (birth - 12 months old) 10:30 am Wonderful Ones (13 - 24 months old)

25 FRIDAY

10:00 am **STEAM Ahead!** (ages 3-5)

10:00 am Family Place - 1,2,3 Grow With Me! (ages 1-3) 6:30 pm Winter Wellness w/Essential Oils Workshop (18+).

4:00 pm **S.T.E.M. Program**, Construction Zone (ages 4-11)

30 WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Time for Twos (25 - 36 months old)

12:30 pm Lunchtime Book Discussion: Eleanor Oliphant Is Completely Fine by Gail Honeyman. Soon to be made into a major motion picture! 6:00 - 7:30 pm YA Wednesdays . . . Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17) 1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

31 THURSDAY

9:30 am Baby Steps (birth - 12 months old)

10:30 am Wonderful Ones (13 - 24 months old)

10:00 am Hot Stove Roundup Session w/Rich Marazzi. 14th season! 3:00 - 4:30 pm Teen Maker Space Build a Better World (ages 12-17)

Thank You!

A special thanks to the Irving School Student Council members and advisors who generously gave of their time and energy this holiday season by decorating our Multipurpose Room. We appreciate their contribution to making the Library a most festive and inviting place.

And a shout out to Duke Misiewicz for sharing his amazing creative talents by building a fireplace for our holiday/winter display. The intricately built masterpiece made of cardboard truly has made the children's area an even more welcoming place to visit.





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February 2019





FEBRUARY

1 FRIDAY

10:00 am STEAM Ahead! (ages 3-5)

2 SATURDAY

Take Your Child to the Library Day!

10:00 am The Giggling Pig Art Studio (ages 4-11). Make a masterpiece! 11:30 am - 1:00 pm STEM program, *Construction Zone* (ages 3-11).

4 MONDAY

10:00 am Family Place - 1,2,3 Grow With Me! (ages 1-3) 6:30 pm Oscar Talk with Joe Meyers (18+).

5 TUESDAY

4:00 pm B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie (ages 5-11)

6 WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Time for Twos (25 - 36 months old)

1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

6:00 - 7:30 pm **YA Wednesdays** . . . Games, Legos & More! (ages 12-17)

6:00 pm Resume "Right-ing" session

7 THURSDAY

9:30 am Baby Steps (birth - 12 months)

10:30 am Wonderful Ones (13 - 24 months old)

8 FRIDAY

10:00 am STEAM Ahead! (ages 3-5)

11 MONDAY

10:00 am Musical Mondays (ages 2-6) w/Sandi Schuchmann, Turn It Up!

12 TUESDAY

6:30 pm Yesterday's Headlines presented by Rob Novak (18+)

13 WEDNESDAY

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15 FRIDAY

10:00 am **STEAM Ahead!** (ages 3-5)

10:00 am - Noon The American Job Search Career Coach presents

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Job Search Assistance

18 MONDAY - Closed in Observance of Presidents' Day

19 TUESDAY

4:00 pm B.A.R.K. (Be A Reading Kid), Read to Ollie (ages 5-11)

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25 MONDAY

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6:30 pm Make Spa Products w/Essential Oils Workshop (18+).

27 WEDNESDAY

10:00 am Time for Twos (25 - 36 months old)

12:30 pm Lunchtime Book Discussion: Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng,

1:00 pm Wednesday Movie Matinees (18+)

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28 THURSDAY

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3:00 - 4:30 pm Teen Maker Space Build a Better World (ages 12-17)

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From the Desk of the Director:

Nicole B. Cignoli

Finding Your Next Great Read is Now Easier Than Ever

As we head into the winter months, I would like to clarify Derby Public Library's Winter Program Policy in case of bad weather. If schools are closed, all library programs for the entire day will be cancelled. If schools have an early dismissal, all library programs for the afternoon and evening will be cancelled. If schools have a delayed opening, all morning library programs will be cancelled. For Saturday programs, please check the website, Facebook, Twitter or call the Library if you are not sure. If a program is run by a community group, please contact that group directly.

Would you like to receive free weekly alerts about the latest new books, movies, music and audio books at the Derby Public Library? If the answer is yes, then you should sign up for our Wowbrary newsletter. Each week you will receive an email listing the newest books, DVDs and CDs in our inventory here at the Library. The best part is that you will be able to reserve these items instantly, as a link in the newsletter will take you to our catalog. To sign up, go to www.derbypubliclibrary.org, click on the Wowbrary link, and provide your email and your ZIP code. One subscriber said, "I love getting up Wednesday morning and seeing what's new."

For more ways to find your next good read, visit our website Online Resources and the drop down menu to "Wowbrary & Novelist" to learn about NoveList. If you've just finished a great book, log into NoveList and find great read-a-likes. It also has extra content like reviews (both professional reviews and reader reviews), book discussion guides, curriculum guides, and other book-oriented articles. Book groups and teachers find these resources especially helpful. We hope you will all try this wonderful service, and let us know how you like it. And if you are new to the library, stop by for a library card for each family member. Everyone can have their own library card! Just be sure to bring a driver's license or a piece of mail as proof of address.

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