

## Library MUSINGS

**VISION STATEMENT:**  
All people in our community value & use the Lawton Public Library.

**MISSION STATEMENT:**  
Provide opportunities to engage in life-long learning.



- E-Books
- E-Magazines
- E-Audio
- E-Video
- Learn a Foreign Language
- Find a Wiring Diagram for your car
- Find research articles
- & SO MUCH MORE!

### WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE

November 1 – December 30  
Both Locations



Donate your new & gently used winter coats, socks, gloves, hats, & scarves.



### THANKFUL TREE

All November  
All Ages

Fill out a thankful ornament to place on the tree!



### MOVIE MATINEE: DORA & THE LOST CITY OF GOLD

Wednesday, November 11; 10:00 am – 11:30 am  
Family Friendly

Individually packaged snacks will be provided. PG; 102 min



### ADULTISH CRAFTS: PERLER BEAD BONANZA

Wednesday, November 11  
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm  
Ages 16+

We are in-person this month! Just fun crafts & social distancing. Limited to first 20 participants. No Registration. No Fees. No Kids.



### HEALTHY FOOD OPTIONS

Tuesday, November 10  
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
All Ages



Comanche County Health Department

Change up your snacks to healthier options. Stop by the booth inside the library. Sponsored by the Comanche County Health Department.

### DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS NOVEMBER 1

Don't forget to turn your clock back!



### THANKSGIVING CLOSURES

The main library will close at 5:00 pm on Wednesday, November 25 & the libraries will be closed Thursday, November 26 & Friday, November 27. Both libraries will be open regular hours on Saturday, November 28.

Databases are available online 24/7 at [lawtonok.gov/departments/library](http://lawtonok.gov/departments/library)

Library programs are generously sponsored by the Friends of the Lawton Public Library.



*Friends of the Lawton Public Library*

# KIDS

## EARLY READER'S ACADEMY

Age-based classes that promote school readiness skills for our youngest readers.

## MOVERS & SHAKERS

Tuesdays, November 3, 10, 17, 24  
10:00 am – 10:30 am  
Ages 3 – 6 & Caregivers



Explore early literacy through fingerplays, rhymes, stories, songs, & music. Thirty minutes of singing, talking, reading & moving.

## WIGGLERS & CRAWLERS

Thursday, November 5, 12, 19  
10:00 am – 10:30 am  
Ages 0 – 3 & Caregivers



Lap-time fun for infants & toddlers using rhymes, bounces, fingerplays, & songs that promote early literacy skills.

## LEGO MANIA

Tuesday, November 10 (2nd Tuesday)  
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm; Ages 6 – 18

Flex your imagination & boost your STEAM skills with LEGOS.

## SIT, STAY, READ: LITERACY DOGS!

Returns January 28, 2021!

## YEAR-ROUND FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOOK STORE AT MAIN & BRANCH LIBRARIES

We are pleased  
to provide  
assistance.  
If you need  
help, just ask.

Give Curbside Book  
Pick Up a Try!

## LOCATIONS & HOURS

[lawtonok.gov/departments/library](http://lawtonok.gov/departments/library)

### Main Library

110 SW 4th Street  
Lawton, OK 73501  
580.581.3450

Mon – Wed 9:00 am – 8:00 pm  
Thu – Sat 9:00 am – 6:00 pm  
Sun Closed

### Kathleen Wyatt Nicholson

#### Branch Library

1304 NW Kingswood Road  
Lawton, OK 73505  
580.581.3457

Tue & Thu 12:00 noon – 5:00 pm  
Sat 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

## LIBRARY BOARD

The next library board meeting is  
Wednesday, November 4 @ 4:00  
pm. The public is invited to all  
meetings.

Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Patty Neuwirth  
Vice Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Susan Kremmer  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Frantzie Couch  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Ellouise Love  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Tom Rine

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Library meet  
quarterly. The next meeting is  
Monday, January 25 @ 12 noon.

Support your Friends of the Library.  
Become a member today! Annual  
membership is just \$10.00 per person  
or \$20.00 per family.

## FREE ZOO TICKETS

Checkout the book *Juniper's  
Butterfly Garden* by Autumn Heigle & receive  
a pass for four family members to  
get into the OKC Zoo for FREE. While  
supplies last.



# ADULTS

## PAGE TURNERS FICTION BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, November 10; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

This month's book is *A Place of Execution* by Val McDermid. Next month's book is *The Sisters of Glass Ferry* by Kim Michele Richardson. Call Reference at 580.581.3450 ext. 4 to order next month's book.



## WAR OF 1812: SWOGS MEETING

Monday, November 16; 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

The War of 1812 is occasionally referred to as the Second War of Independence.

SWOGS board member, Dale Scott will tell us all about this important conflict & how to find ancestors who participated. All are welcome to attend the monthly Southwest Oklahoma Genealogical Society meeting.



## COVER-TO-COVER BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, November 17; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

This month's book is *The Readers of Broken Wheel Recommend* by Katarina Bivald. Next month's book is *November Road* by Lou Berney. Call Reference at 580.581.3450 ext. 4 to order next month's book.



# TEENS

## TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tuesday, November 3

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm; Ages 12 – 18

Wanted: dedicated teens with innovative ideas! Join us the first Tuesday of every month to give your input on programs & events.

## TEEN TIME: POPSICLE STICK ART

Tuesday, November 3

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Ages 12 – 18

Come make a mini-masterpiece out of popsicle sticks.



## TEEN BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, November 24

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Ages 12 – 18

Pick up your copy of *The Beauty That Remains* by Ashley Woodfolk while supplies last. Snacks are provided.



# LITERACY

## 1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

The Lawton Public Library invites you to participate in this FREE reading challenge! The goal is for you to read 1,000 BOOKS with your child from birth until kindergarten.



## LEARN TO READ! FREE TUTORING FOR ADULTS

If you, or someone you know, would like help learning to read or improving your reading skills, please contact 580.581.3450 ext. 7 for more details. Funding provided by the Oklahoma Department of Libraries.

*Changing Adult Lives Through Literacy*

## BOOK MATEYS READING PATCH CLUB

Ages 0 – 12

The Book Mateys Reading Patch Club is here! You can earn a total of 18 different patches by participating in this self-paced reading program.



Lawton Public Library  
Citizenship Corner



# NOVEMBER 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> 10:00 am Movers 4:00 pm Teen Advisory 5:00 pm Teen Time	<b>4</b> 4:00 pm Library Board	<b>5</b> 10:00 am Wigglers	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 10:00 am Movers 3:00 pm Healthy Food 5:00 pm Lego Mania 6:00 pm Page Turners	<b>11</b> 10:00 am Movie 6:00 pm Adultish Crafts	<b>12</b> 10:00 am Wigglers	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 6:30 pm SWOGS	<b>17</b> 10:00 am Movers 6:00 pm Cover to Cover	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> 10:00 am Wigglers	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 10:00 am Movers 5:00 pm Teen Book Club	<b>25</b> Closed at 5 pm	<b>26</b> Closed for Thanksgiving	<b>27</b> Closed for Thanksgiving	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<div data-bbox="633 1507 1458 1644" data-label="Text" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>GET THE NEWSLETTER ONLINE:</b> To receive the library's monthly newsletter in your email, send an email to: <a href="mailto:librarynews@lawtonok.gov">librarynews@lawtonok.gov</a> with "subscribe" in the subject line.</p> </div>				

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