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LIBRARY CLOSINGS

JAN. 1 - NEW YEARS DAY

LIBRARY HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY
9 AM - 8 PM

FRIDAY-SATURDAY
9 AM - 5 PM

SUNDAY - CLOSED

LIBRARY NEWS

WINTER READING OLYMPICS

All Ages



JAN 17 - FEB 19

Join us for Winter Olympic themed reading challenges, activities and more at the Burlington Public Library!

Stop by the library, keep an eye on our social media and our website for more Winter Reading Olympic info

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FRIENDS NEWS

FRIENDS

OF THE BURLINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY



LOCATED IN MEETING
ROOMS A & B

JANUARY

FRIDAY

21ST

9 AM - 5 PM
MEMBER'S PREVIEW

SATURDAY

22ND

9 AM - 5 PM

MAY

FRIDAY

20TH

9 AM - 5 PM
MEMBER'S PREVIEW

SATURDAY

21ST

9 AM - 5 PM

MONDAY, 23RD
CLEARANCE:
9 AM - 2 PM
NON-PROFITS:
11 AM - 2 PM

JANUARY EVENTS

LIBRARY CLOSED

January 1 - ALL DAY

ALL AGES PROGRAMS

WINTER READING OLYMPICS

January 17 - February 19

Join us for Winter Olympic themed reading challenges, activities and more at the Burlington Public Library! Stop by the library, keep an eye on our social media and our website for more Winter Reading Olympic information.

WINTER READING OLYMPICS: BOBSLED INTERACTIVE MOVIE

January 21, 2:30-4:00 PM

Join us at the library for an Olympic-themed & interactive showing of Cool Runnings. Get cozy in your own makeshift bobsled and kick-back while we watch and play along with this fun movie. No registration necessary; snacks & bobsleds (plastic totes) available while supplies last.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

BRICK MASTERS

January 8, 10-11 AM

Join us in the Storytime room for a fun morning of free building with LEGO bricks. No registration needed and this program is open to children in grades K and up!

STEM SATURDAY

January 15, 10-11 AM

Join us for a morning of STEM fun, where we will explore a variety of science, technology, engineering, and math projects that you can creatively explore at your own pace. No registration needed, and this program is open to children in grades K and up.

FAMILY STORYTIME

January 21 & 28, 10:30-11 AM

Join us for music, movement and books at the Burlington Public Library! No registration needed, and all are welcome.

WIGGLE TIME

January 17, 24, & 31, 6-6:30 PM

January 18 and 25, 10-10:30 AM

January 19 and 26, 9:30-10 AM and 10:30-11 AM

Wiggle Time is a music and movement program for children ages 2-4 with their caregiver. Children and grownups will sing, dance, and read together as we continue to work on establishing the 5 building blocks of early literacy: read, write, sing, talk, and play! Please register!

MINI MAKERS

January 17, 24 & 31, 4-5 PM

Mini Makers is a STEM-based learning program for children ages 3-6 with a caregiver. Each week we will be incorporating unique learning stations with themes such as science, technology, engineering, art, and math. No registration required.

BABYGARTEN

January 19 and 26, 5-5:30 PM

January 20 and 27, 10-10:30 AM

Babygarten is an early literacy lapsit program for children ages 0-23 months with a caregiver. Each week we will be learning new baby signs, sharing caregiver tips, and sharing songs, rhymes, and a book. Please register!

HANGRY'S STORYTIME

January 20 & 27, 12-1 PM

Join us as we experience the world of food through literature and tasting, including the history of where different foods come from. Registration required; please visit our online calendar to register.

SENSORY EVENING

January 28, 6-7:30 PM

This after hours event is open to children on the autism spectrum, or otherwise differently abled, and their families. Low lights and small numbers will be the background for families to explore the library, participate in sensory activities, check out materials and ask questions. Registration required; please visit our online calendar to register.

TWEEN PROGRAMS

SNOWFLAKE LANTERNS

January 11, 6-7 PM

Join us to make your very own winter luminaria to light up your room on a cold winter night.

GO FOR THE GOLD

January 25, 6-7 PM

Come & cheer on team USA and join us for some fun "minute to win it" games as we celebrate the Olympics!

TEEN PROGRAMS

TICOS

January 6, 5 PM

TICOS is a Junior Optimist Club with a library focus. TICOS stands for Teens Inspiring Change, Optimism & Service and is open to students in 6-12th grades. We meet monthly and usually have an activity or service project. This meeting counts as volunteer time.

TEEN D&D

January 13, 6 PM

Join Dungeon Master Kelsey for a one night campaign. If you are new to D&D, this is a great intro. If you have some tabletop role playing experience but want to find more people to play, this is your group! 7-12th grades need to pre-register to save your place. Masks suggested, snacks provided.

TEEN ESCAPE ROOM

Part 1: January 20, 6 PM

Part 2: January 27, 6 PM

The first week you can solve the puzzles and figure out the escape, then Miss Becky will show you how she created the room. In part 2, we split into 2 teams to create your own rooms for the other team to solve! If you like escape rooms and would love to learn how to create one, this is for you!

ADULT PROGRAMS

HOLIDAY TECH HELP

January 5, January 12, 3-4 PM

Having trouble with the new gadget you received this holiday season? Bring in your iPad, Kindle, Chromebook, smartphone, and more to Burlington Public Library. We can assist you in setting it up and even show you some great library resources that you can use on your device!

SIP 'N STITCH

January 10, 17, 24, 31, 6-7:30 PM

Join us every Monday evening as we learn about the various fiber arts and share your projects with fellow crafters! Bring your current work-in-progress, be it cross-stitch, embroidery, knitting, sewing, felting, macrame, or more. Some craft supplies, hot water, and tea will be provided. All ages and skill levels are welcome.

BEYOND THE BOOK CLUB

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM



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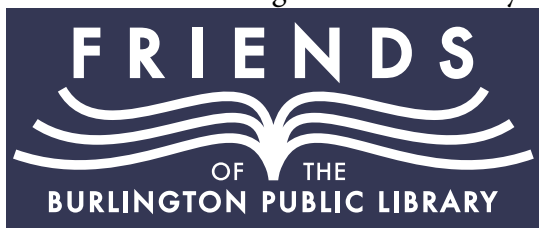
MEET UP ON THE 3RD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH AT NOON VIA ZOOM. A LINK AND PASSWORD WILL BE SENT TO YOUR EMAIL.

HOOVER PRESENTATION: A FEW OF MY FAVORITE THINGS

January 20, 6-7:30 PM

Hoover Presidential Library archivist Matthew Schaefer shares "A Few of My Favorite Things" he discovered in his career as a Hoover archivist. "Some are treasures and others are just fascinating pieces of history most people never knew existed," Schaefer said. Be sure to join us online for this special 'behind the scenes' look at the Hoover archives! Your unique link is: <https://tinyurl.com/2p9bakrt>

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Author Highlight: Alexandra Boiger



Author/illustrator Alexandra Boiger's book, *Max & Marla*, will be featured in our Story Walk throughout the Winter Reading Olympics & she has donated a signed copy of *Max & Marla* for a give-away during this year's winter reading program!