

Calendar of Events

December 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
LIBRARY HOURS Monday: 10-6 Tuesday: 10-8 Wednesday: 10-6 Thursday: 10-8 Friday: 10-5 Saturday: 10-4	November 26 Twos ST 10:15 Pre-K ST 11:15	November 27 Baby Bounce ST 10:15 Pre-K ST 11:15	November 28 Twos ST 10:15 Pre-K ST 11:15 Good Listeners ST 1:30	November 29	November 30 Walking Ones ST 10:15-Ticket required Walking Ones ST 11:15-Ticket required	1 See back of calendar for program details and to the right for details of special events.
2 CLOSED ST=Storytime Find us on our new Facebook page!!!! Facebook.com/rockwallcotxlibrary	3 Twos ST 10:15 Pre-K ST 11:15	4 Baby Bounce ST 10:15 Pre-K ST 11:15 Teen Tuesday 4:15  LOAL Therapy dog visit	5 Twos ST 10:15 Pre-K ST 11:15 Good Listeners ST 1:30	6 Family Pajama ST 7:00 PM (1st Thursday for this month) 	7 Walking Ones ST 10:15-Ticket required Walking Ones ST 11:15-Ticket required LOAL Therapy dog visit	8 Girls Who Code 10:30-11:30 AM Youth 6th-12th grade Call 972-204-7770 for info and to register
9 CLOSED For the latest news check out our blog: Rockwallcountylibrary.org	10	11 December Family Night (details to right) 7 PM	12 Holiday Music (details to right) 11 AM	13 Holiday Family Event Come-and-go 6-8 PM (details to right)	14	15
16 CLOSED QUESTIONS? Call the Youth Services Desk at 972-204-7740	17	18 Family Pajama ST in Spanish 7:00 PM 	19	20	21	22
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TEEN TUESDAY—Dec. 4 at 4:15 p.m.
Snacks and creative fun with Build-Your-Own SNOW GLOBE. Bring a friend! Teen events are for those in grades 7-12 ONLY.

DEC. FAMILY NIGHT—Dec. 11 at 7 p.m.
Join us on Tuesday, December 11 at 7 PM when our friend Alphie the Elf drops in from the North Pole for a visit. Alphie brings stories, songs, and holiday magic for all ages.

HOLIDAY MUSIC—Dec. 12 at 11:00 a.m.
Join us for sounds of the season as the 4th-6th grade choirs from Celia Hays Elementary entertain us with 30 minutes of holiday tunes. Sure to get you in the right spirit!

HOLIDAY FAMILY EVENT—Dec. 13
Come-and-go 6:00-8:00 p.m. for an Elf Scavenger Hunt. Search for the elves throughout the first floor of the library to find crafts, games, refreshments, and Santa! As a special treat, you can create a keepsake at our holiday photo booth!

PLEASE NOTE:
Late fall storytimes end 12/7/18.
Winter storytimes begin 1/28/19. 

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Pajama Storytime in English for Families—Second Thursdays

Ms. Stephanie presents Family Pajama Storytime the second Tuesday evening of each month during 2018. Bring the whole family for fun stories, songs, and laughter. And what's a bedtime story without a bedtime snack? Milk and cookies are provided courtesy of Tom Thumb and Friends of the Library. Wear your comfy jammies and join Ms. Stephanie on the second Tuesdays 7:00-7:30 p.m.

Pajama Storytime in Spanish for Families—Third Tuesdays

Bring the whole family for stories, songs, and laughter—all in Spanish—on the third Tuesday of the month. Wear your comfy jammies and join Mrs. Colon and Mrs. McCarthy, Dobbs teachers, from 7:00 to 7:30 p.m. Milk and cookies will be provided after the stories for a great ending to the day!

Family Nights

Need a fun family outing? Come and enjoy Family Nights at the Rockwall County Library. Family Nights are FREE programs with performers, stories, and activities. Check the calendar for descriptions of these family events!

Pawsitive Reading with *Love on a Leash* (LOAL)

Rockwall County Library and Love on a Leash Pet Therapy invite you to read with the dogs. Doggy reading companions are at the Library the first and third Friday afternoons and the first Tuesday evenings of most months to listen to a story read by an independent reader. Sign up at the Youth Services Desk for a 15-minute time slot between 3:30 p.m. and 4:15 p.m. on the Fridays or a 15-minute time slot between 6:30 p.m. and 7:15 p.m. on the Tuesdays.

Teen Tuesdays

Teens (grades 7-12): Join Ms. Stephanie 4:15-6:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month for a FREE fun activity or craft. Check the calendar for the month's activity or call the Youth Services Desk at 972-204-7740. Teen Tuesday is for grades 7-12 ONLY.

OTHER RESOURCES

BOOK LISTS: The Youth Services department has 100+ books lists to share. Lists are available by topics, subjects, genres, awards, and by age groups.

POP-UP BOOKS: Bring your library card to the Youth Services Desk to enjoy one of our pop-up books while at the Library. These often elaborate books cannot be taken home but can be read and browsed while visiting us.

QUESTIONS? CALL THE YOUTH SERVICES DESK AT 972-204-7740

For the latest news, check out our blog: rockwallcountylibrary.org

STORYTIME SESSIONS FOR 2018

Winter Session 2018: January 22, 2018-March 1, 2018

Spring Session 2018: March 19, 2018-April 27, 2018

Summer Session 2018: June 11, 2018-July 27, 2018 (SCHEDULE MAY VARY)

Early Fall Session 2018: September 10, 2018-October 19, 2018

Late Fall Session 2018: October 29, 2018-December 7, 2018

Baby Bounce (Infants to about 12 months)

Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.

A structured interactive time for babies and their parents or caregivers. Lots of rhymes, music, and touch.

Walking Ones (ages 12-23 months): Ticket required

Fridays at 10:15 a.m. AND at 11:15 a.m.

Music, sensory activities, and short books followed by a social time for the adults and children. Continuous adult participation is required. This popular storytime is limited to 30 children per session. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Services "Ask Me" desk starting at 10:00 a.m. on program days.

Terrific Twos (ages 2 & 3)

Mondays and Wednesdays 10:15 a.m.

Stories, songs, and fun for ages 24 months and up. Parents/caregivers are required to attend and encouraged to participate.

Preschool Time (ages 3-6)

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays 11:15 a.m.

For children ages 3-6, a 30-minute program of stories, songs, rhymes, and some silliness usually followed by a craft project that reinforces the storytime theme.

Good Listeners (ages 4-8)

Wednesdays 1:30 p.m. (ends by 2:30 p.m.)

Strictly ages 4 and up. A 45- to 60-minute program of stories, songs, activities, and a craft project for good listeners ages 4 and up. Parents with younger children will need to supervise them outside the programming room.

Programs are planned with age-appropriate books and activities for the target group; please attend the one that best fits your child's developmental stage.