

Season's Greetings, Earthlings and Book Lovers!

This winter, we're taking reading out of this world with our groovy new challenge: Winter Reading is Far Out! Get ready to blast off into the galaxy of great books, where the adventure is cosmic and the prizes are stellar! We've kept it simple—no events to attend, no secret codes to enter. Just cozy up with a good book and track the time you spend reading!

- Lift Off on December 1st: Registration opens, and you can start logging your reading time right away. Visit our website to get started!
- f Enter to Win: For every hour you read, you'll earn tickets to enter into our prize buckets. With amazing gift cards and far-out prizes, you won't want to miss your chance. The final day to log your reading and enter your tickets is February 1st.

It's time to tune in, turn the page, and blast off into a galaxy of good reads. Whether you're into funky fiction, spacey stories, or just hanging with a book from another dimension, we've got a challenge that's out of this world! The more you read, the better your chances. So grab your favorite blanket, find a comfy spot, and dive into the universe waiting for you inside those pages. We can't wait to see what you discover!

Stay groovy, readers, The Dalles Public Library

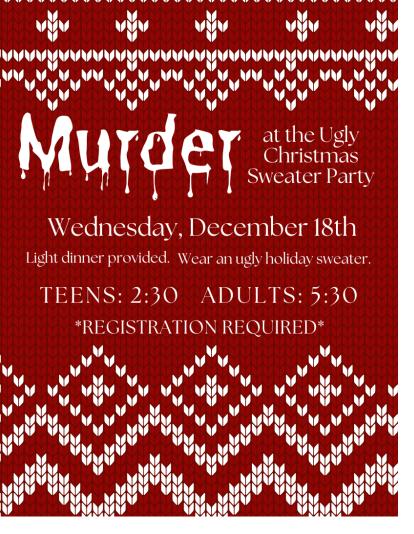




3 Events – 1 Special Day! Saturday, December 14th



















SONGS FOR KIDS & THE PEOPLE WHO LOVE THEM

THE DALLES PUBLIC LIBRARY

1ST SATURDAY PERFORMANCE SERIES

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH @ 11:00

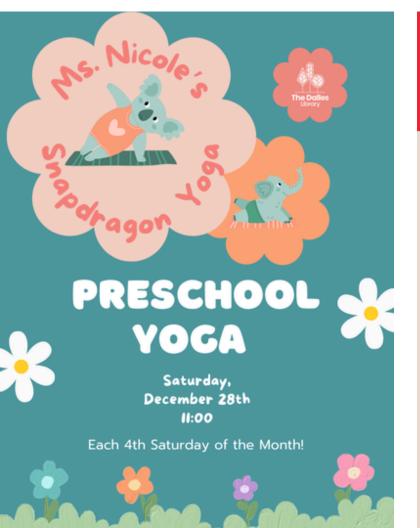




(Last Thursday every month.)







HEY KIDS, JOIN US AFTER SCHOOL FOR

Fun Fridays!



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20TH JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL FUN FRIDAY - HOLIDAY EDITION!



Arts & Crafts





Adults First Fridays 12:00 Winter Take & Make: Macrame Holiday Tree

Monday, December 2nd Teens & Adults *WHILE SUPPLIES LAST



Holiday Ribbon Wreath

Saturday December 7th 2:00

Teens & Adults
REGISTRATION REQUIRED

to the world

Guided Watercolor with Yvonne Pepin-Wakefield

Thursday, December 19th

6:00

Teens & Adults

REGISTRATION REQUIRED





mindfulness art

Third Fridays 12:00pm **Embroidery with Steph Evans**

Saturday, December 21st

10:00

Teens & Adults

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



Holiday Gift Workshop

Saturday, December 14th 12:00-4:00

All Ages



Art Club: Book Lover's Ornament

Wednesday, December 4th

1:00, 5:30 Adult

2:30 Teen



*Please visit the website calendar event for additional instructions.

Candle Making
with Adventurous Aromas

Unique experience of healthy candle making & immersive storytelling.

Wednesday, December 11th

5:00

Teens & Adults



Take & Make:
Paper Gingerbread House (Kids)
Needle Felting (Adults)

Saturday, December 21st *While Supplies Last



Book Clubs

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<u>Happiness Book Club</u> First Tuesdays- 5:30 - December 3rd Holiday Celebration

Whodunnit Book Club First Thursday- 6:00 - December 5th In the Bleak Midwinter

<u>Clean Reads Book Club</u> Second Tuesday- 6:00 - December 10th An Amish Christmas Wedding

<u>Fantasy Book Club</u> Second Thursday- 6:00 - December 12th Emily Wilde's Encyclopedia of Fairies

<u>3rd Thursday Book Club</u> Third Thursday- 4:00 - December 19th

<u>The Swoon Society</u> Thursday- 6:00-December 20th *Meets at Bargeway Pub

Sci-Fi Book Club Canceled

December Gift Wrapping Station

Free at the Library!

Bring your gifts and wrap them at our free wrapping station.

Supplies provided - while they last!

Weekly Storytime

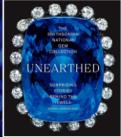
Toddler Storytime Every Thursday 10:30

Kids Storytime Every Friday 10:30

Second Saturday Storytime 2nd Saturdays 11:00

Virtual Author Events





Unearthed: Exploring the Smithsonian National Gem Collection with Dr. Jeffrey Post

Wednesday, December 4th at 11:00





On Pulse- Pounding, Family Driven Mysteries: A Conversation with Laura Dave

Wednesday, December 11th at 11:00



DECEMBER 2024

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All Month Long Gift Wrapping Station Free at the Library! Supplies provided - while they last!	2 Teen & Adult- Macrame Holiday Tree Take and Make -while supplies last Teen & Adult- *Mele Kalikimaka: Christmas Class 6:00	Adult- Happiness Book Club 5:30 All Ages- Wamic Bookmobile Open House 2:45	1:00,5:30	Clinic 2:00 Adult- Whodunnit Mystery Book Club- In the Bleak Midwinter 6:00		
8 *Registration Required	9 Kids- *Tumi Tales: Read with a Dog 3:30 Teen & Adult- *Mele Kalikimaka Ukulel Christmas Class 6:00		11 kids- Giggles & Wiggles 11:00 Teen- Library Council 2:30 (*5th grade and up) Teen- Cocoa Bar 2:00 Teen & Adult - Candle Making With Adventurous Aromas 5:00	All Ages- Dental Clinic 10:00 Kids- Toddler Storytime 10:30 Adult- Fantasy Book Club:	13 Kids-Storytime 10:30 Kids- Fun Fridays 3:00 Kids - *Beginner Tap (Ages 4-7), 4:15 Kids - *Beginner Tap (Ages 8-12), 5:00 Adult -*Beginner Tap, 5:45	14 Kids- Second Saturday Storytime 11:00 All Ages- Holiday Gift Workshop 12:00 Teen- VR Gaming 2:30 Teen & Adult- *Second Saturday Self Defense for Women: Round 2! 3:00
15	16 Teen & Adult- Island Holiday Musical Performances with Victor Johnson and Special Guests 6:00		18 Kids- Giggles & Wiggles 11:00 Teen- *Murder at the Ugly Christmas Sweater Party- Murder Mystery Event 2:30 Adult- *Murder Mystery Event 5:30 Adult- Coffee and Computers with Kimball - 6:00	Kids- Toddler Storytime 10:30 Adult- Third Thursday Book Club 4:00	Adult - Swoon Society Book Club- Beneath This Mask 6:00 (Location meeting at Bargeway Pub)	Z1 Kids- Paper Gingerbread House Take & Make- while supplies last Adult- Needle Felting Take & Make- while supplies last Teen & Adult- Embroidery with Steph Evans 10:00 Teen & Adult- Role Playing Games! 10:00
22	23 Kids- *Tumi Tales: Read with a Dog 3:30	24 Christmas Eve Library Closes at 2:00	Library Closed	26 All Ages- Family Lego Pizza Night 5:30		28 Kids- Snapdragon Yoga 11:00
29	30	31 New Year's Eve Library Closes at 6:00		Winter S	Roading is	Far Out