Learn & Play bus comes in November

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In the Kids Library, Daniel, Christina, Heidi, Kristina, Jennifer, Solomon, Graham and Gabriella get a preview of the new bus.
When it’s time to get health insurance, you probably don’t think of getting in touch with the library first. But we’re here to say that you should, especially if you’re not sure how enrollment works. The library plays a critical role in connecting consumers to health insurance information. We even have a specially devoted Health Information librarian.

“Consumers who receive in-person assistance are nearly 60% more likely to enroll in health insurance, as compared to those who venture into the process on their own,” says Paige C. Ashley, Coordinator, Cover Kansas Coalition.

At the library, we connect you with the right information and recommended local agencies.

When choosing a plan or choosing options within your plan, it’s a good idea to think about your total health care costs, not just the bill (the “premium”) you pay to your insurance company every month. “Out-of-pocket” costs like co-pays, deductibles and co-insurance have a big impact on your total spending on health care – sometimes more than the premium itself. The library and community partners are available to answer questions year-round and assist with open and special enrollment periods.

Get connected to health insurance resources at the library. Visit tscpl.org/health or talk with a librarian at tscpl.org/ask.

Another good bet? Attend one of these events designed specifically to help you enroll:

**Under 65**
*Health Insurance Marketplace Enrollapalooza*
Assistance with healthcare.gov from CoverKS partners
Monday, December 5 • 10 a.m.-7 p.m.
Marvin 101A

**65 and over**
*Medicare Mondays*
Mondays September 12, October 3, November 7, 1-3 p.m.
Menninger Room 206

Didn’t know the library did that? Well, now you do. And that’s a healthy dose of knowledge.
At Lowman Hill Elementary School, library staff served up both storytimes and lunches to kids hungry for literacy skills and basic nutritional needs.

Because of the Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library, our community is a better place to live, and continues to improve every day. We show up. We roll up our sleeves and get involved.

Our mission tells you, the library is “your place” — it belongs to you, and we are here for your needs. We improve and enrich lives.

We do not simply provide meeting spaces. We facilitate meetings. The library has 42 trained facilitators on staff. Our librarians and professionals have successfully facilitated meetings both in and outside of the building. These are conversations centered around topics like increasing collective health, battling poverty and homelessness, creating work-readiness programs, increasing broadband access, feeding children and supporting young professionals. These are conversations where the library can have an impact, offer resources and identify needs that we can fulfill. We always have a representative at the table. But more than that, we are usually standing at the head of the table, marker poised at the flip chart.

We’ve successfully fostered community development by making sure the library is at every discussion, and more often than not, we’re actually leading those discussions. We’re creating leaders and lifting the community. We believe that our impact on the community is part of the reason why we are the 2016 Library of the Year, the highest honor in the U.S. and Canada.

In a boardroom at the Chamber of Commerce, the library’s CEO Gina Millsap, COO Rob Banks and Community Services Manager Thad Hartman facilitated the strategic planning process for three separately operating chambers to develop a regional economic development partnership.

In downtown Topeka, Digital Librarian Amber Bonnett helps young entrepreneurs apply for small business loans at 712 Innovations, a makerspace and shared office space for inventors and professionals.

Across town, in the Hi-Crest neighborhood, 92% of families live in poverty. There, Jeannette Benson spends a couple hours each Tuesday with librarians at the Dream Center searching for jobs that will better support her five children.

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heresa C. Hudson sleeps at the Topeka Rescue Mission while she tries to get her life in order. By day, she learns how to use computers at the library’s Computer Training Center, building her skills and allowing her to apply for jobs online.

With one swipe, hoopla becomes a magical place especially for kids.

The library’s free streaming service, hoopla, has an all-new kids’ mode! Their favorite characters from Disney, Scholastic, Nick Jr., and brand new friends await in ebooks, audiobooks, comics, albums, TV and movies. Perfect for little fingers to swipe and choose.

tscpl.org/hoopla

Free with your library card

Newsbank

Local and global news articles at your fingertips with NO firewalls or ads.

With your library card, access Newsbank and get current news from Northeast Kansas as well as trending topics from around the world.

tscpl.org/research
Get a library card

Your library is both a physical place and a digital space. You can access each with your card.

It’s your key to entertainment, information, resources and tools you can utilize to enrich your life.

Your library card gives you access to a massive collection of books, of course. But it’s also your portal to media, technology and movies. With your card, you can gather the materials that help you learn, play and laugh.

Your library card is small, but it is mighty.

Get your card at tscpl.org/librarycard

I It’s time to expand your network. You can hobnob and pick brains all you want, but to access the real geniuses of the business world, you’ll have to start hanging out in one strategic place: The library’s brand new Business Neighborhood.

Located in the library’s West Wing, the Business Neighborhood is as impeccable as an Armani suit. Sections are clearly labeled for ease of browsing. Anything you could possibly want to learn in order to expand your career or give your business a boost resides in these stacks.

A specialized librarian, Terry Miller, M.B.A., presides over the collection, ready to assist you with locating the perfect book or audiobook.

"The Business Neighborhood has materials that can benefit anyone who works for corporations to small business owners to entrepreneurs," says Miller. "You can learn to help people who work in team situations, get organized in project management or learn leadership qualities that will apply to all facets of your work life."

The space is also full of entertaining reads, including company memoirs and profiles on some of the most successful CEOs and business leaders.

Terry says that the Business Neighborhood can be a valuable asset to those who aren’t necessarily involved in the business world.

"Church groups, sports associations and teachers can come here and check out books that will help them improve their endeavors. And our resources are free," she says.

These aren’t dusty tomes. The freshest literature and business philosophies can be found aside the old stalwart classics. You’ll have to come see for yourself.

Find out how easy a successful career can be when you have the best ideas right in the palm of your hand.
Library computers & trainers at Deer Creek

It’s 2016, and that means you have to know and work with computers if you’re in the workforce.

To make sure everyone is up to speed, 12 library computers, an IT technician and two computer trainers just landed in the Deer Creek neighborhood.

For neighborhoods like the East End, where the Deer Creek Apartment complex houses families who typically don’t have easy access to the internet, free computer access can help people up their game and be more competitive in the job market.

That’s part of the reason why the library partnered with the Topeka Housing Authority (THA) to bring a dozen computers to the newly-renovated Deer Creek Community Center.

"Deer Creek has 92 family units with incomes under $10,000," says Sophie George, President/CEO of THA. "They want what any family wants for their children — for them to have it better than they had. But it’s incredibly difficult under the circumstances. We work hard to add services and opportunities for them any chance we get."

Beginning in September, the library’s two professional trainers offer digital literacy classes in the center, all free of charge. Visit tscl.eventbrite.com to register for classes, or call 785-580-4400.

"We are thrilled and proud to be working with the 2016 Library of the Year," says George.

The Training Center is open to all residents of Topeka and a library card is required to log in to a computer.

Celtic Fox: Books at the bar

A book club so popular, it outgrew its digs. Which now begs the question, What does the fox read?

When this book club outgrew its venue at the Dutch Goose, leaders sought a bigger space to accommodate all the devoted bibliophiles.

The Celtic Fox (118 SW 8th Ave.) was the perfect new spot for the re-vamped book club, now referred to as "What Does the Fox Read?" Attendees will find a unique atmosphere for a lively discussion. Come explore interesting literature, authors, fun people, good food and book-themed drink specials. Plenty of elbow room abounds.

Members of this book club are a spirited group of individuals who analyze social issues surrounding the books they read, which are both fiction and nonfiction.

Librarian and one of the leaders of What Does the Fox Read?, Meg Porteous, tells customers inquiring about their book club, "Don’t worry if you haven’t read or finished the book, you won’t be alone. Since we usually discuss a variety of topics brought up in our books, people find ways to participate no matter what."

The book club meets on the first Thursday of each month at the Celtic Fox in the Higgins room from 6:30-8 p.m.

Drop-ins are welcome. Email foxread@tscl.org for upcoming titles. For ages 21 and up.
Homemade soups every day

$4.79

Order your Thanksgiving pies by Nov. 21

Every child ready to read. It isn't a pipe dream. We can make it happen with the Dolly Parton Imagination Library, and you can help ensure a brighter future for nearly 12,000 Shawnee County kids.

With the Imagination Library, every child under the age of five will be mailed an age-appropriate book each month. That will give kids a home library of up to 60 books to study, read and share with parents. Studies show that participation in the program positively and significantly improves early childhood literacy.

For the program to be sustainable over five years, we need to raise $1 Million. Donate today to get the Imagination Library started in our community. $25 covers the cost for a child for one year. Visit foundation.tscpl.org.

This program is a partnership between the Library Foundation and United Way of Greater Topeka.

What you think of the catalog

Our new catalog has been in place for four months, and already some of you like it A LOT. Some of you weren’t quite as impressed. And you’ve told us about it.

We’ve been listening and updating our FAQ at tscpl.org/newcatalog. Thanks for your input! Here are some of the things you’ve been saying:

"I didn’t like this new catalog system at first, but I admit it’s growing on me."

"I’m getting to know the new format better and I like it."

"I had a quick question on where the LOG OUT button was located and received a response from the library very, very quickly. Thanks for the new look and the assistance."

"I’m a first-time user and needed assistance setting up my account (at my age, I need assistance remembering my name). Anyway, a young lady named Arion walked me through the set-up and showed me what I needed to know. I now have a couple of books that will go to California Crossing in the spectacular bookmobile. My compliments to Arion, and to the library staff in general."
The Cursed Child by JK Rowling

Harry Potter was pure magic, but it left us wanting more. On July 31, Harry Potter’s birthday, JK Rowling quelled that hunger with the newest installment of the Potter saga: Harry Potter and the Cursed Child. Harry and Ginny, Ron and Hermione, and even Malfoy have grown up and moved on...mostly. Now their children, Rose Granger-Weasley, Albus Severus Potter and Scorpius Malfoy take up the tale. The story is first and foremost a play. It’s been published as a script, so be prepared to read a script instead of a novel. It’s currently on stage at the Palace Theatre of London. The special effects are like magic and audiences laugh, cry and fall in love all over again with this whole new cast of characters.

— Marlana Hodgkinson, Kids Librarian

Look at You Now: My Journey from Shame to Strength by Liz Pryor

Pregnant at 17, Liz Pryor’s parents forced her to spend months in a sterile, locked facility waiting for the birth of her baby. The other residents, tough girls who were abused or delinquents, regarded Liz as a different breed, but Liz nevertheless bonded with this motley group and learned valuable lessons at one of the most difficult times in her life. An engrossing memoir, Look at You Now reads like your favorite young adult problem novel come to life.

— Julie Nelson, author of Lost in the Stacks, tscplo.org

For as long as I can remember, I’ve been a staunch reader of “real” books. You know, the good old-fashioned paper kind. Then I realized it had been months since I’d held a “real” book. I noticed my kids, husband, work and life in general were eating into my reading time. WHAT?! Reading was my escape — the way I relaxed and re-energized — but it was slowly slipping away.

Working at the library, I encouraged people for years to listen to audiobooks while going on a road trip, working out at the gym, during their morning commute, etc. Here’s the funny thing: I never once listened to my own advice. I was definitely not practicing what I was preaching. I owned every excuse in the book (no pun intended) on why audiobooks wouldn’t work for me: I can’t concentrate, my mind wanders, I miss big chunks of the story, it isn’t really reading — I could go on.

Then one day, I took the plunge. I downloaded my first audiobook from Overdrive. Now, I’ll be honest, I downloaded for training purposes, to make sure I knew how to do it in case I had to help a customer. But once it was on my phone, I figured, Why not? I actually listened to it! I wasn’t in the car or at the gym, but at home, cleaning. What better time to listen to a book than while I’m doing something where I’m basically on autopilot? Much to my surprise, I not only got the house cleaned, but I also read about six chapters while doing it. Talk about using your time effectively! I have now listened to books while cleaning, driving around town—which, mind you, keeps my temper in check since I’m more invested in my book than what other drivers are doing to irritate me—and while going for a walk.

Now I use both Overdrive and hoopla with my library card. hoopla is great because I don’t have to wait on a list to get the book. Both are great because they remember where I was if I don’t finish the book in the allotted time and have to check it out again. My reading has gone through the roof. I even listen to books while getting ready in the morning.

You can make time for reading. You just have to get a little creative and find something you really enjoy. Here are some of my top listening recommendations courtesy of hoopla (Heads up! I’m a romance reader but I could probably find something for you in any genre if you’re interested).

The Substitute by Denise Grover Swank
Suddenly One Summer by Julie James
The Fill-in Boyfriend by Kasie West
Sex, Lies and Online Dating by Rachel Gibson
Irresistibly Yours by Lauren Layne

Visit tscplo.org/downloads to get started listening to books right away!

— Stephanie Hall, public services manager

Today Will Be Different by Maria Semple

A brilliant novel from the author of Where’d You Go, Bernadette, about a day in the life of Eleanor Flood, forced to abandon her small ambitions and awake to a strange, new future. Today Will Be Different is a hilarious, heart-filled story about reinvention, sisterhood and how sometimes it takes facing up to our former selves to truly begin living. This is one not to miss.

— Jennifer Jones, Author of Fiction 5, tscplo.org

Zeros by Scott Westerfeld, Margo Lanagan, Deborah Biancotti

Six Californian teens from a range of social, economic and physical styles are brought together to form the Zeros, a group of average teens with unusual and concealed superpowers. Great characters, fast paced action and a well thought-out plot. Book two will be released this fall.

— Andrea Bair, Teen Librarian
1. The freshest trends in the print world
The sixth biennial Printed Image juried graphics exhibition supports national artists working in hand-pulled print media, and offers art lovers an opportunity to view the latest trends in printmaking.

This year’s esteemed juror is Stephen Goddard, associate director, senior curator of works on paper and professor of art history at KU’s Spencer Museum of Art. | **November 4 - December 30**

2. Withstanding the test of time
So much has happened in the art world in Topeka over the last century — The emergence of new artists, the growth of Washburn University’s art department, the formation and dissolution of the Arts Council and Arts Commission and the emergence of an arts district that thrives and bustles during First Friday Art Walks. One organization has witnessed it all. The Topeka Art Guild celebrates the 100 year anniversary of its founding in 1916 with an exhibit at the Alice C. Sabatini Gallery. The early founders’ work will be on display and visitors can dwell on the importance of this long-standing troupe of artists in helping the formation of the arts in Topeka. | **October 10 - December 18**

3. A whole new way to look at books
Unwanted books don’t have to wind up in the recycling bin. They can be turned into artworks for display, and that’s how Altered Books came to be.

See the Altered Books Exhibition, where books take on a second life in the library’s rotunda. Although they’re not for reading, you’ll find that the messages in these books will stay with you for a while. | **October 4 - November 28**
Every child ready for kindergarten

Here it comes, around the corner - the Learn & Play Bus! Babies, toddlers and preschoolers can climb aboard and dig into play that cultivates pre-reading skills.

The Learn & Play Bus is coming this fall, packing a bunch of toys, manipulatives, games and fun activities. The bustling vehicle will be overseen by Sherry Hess, the library’s early childhood learning coordinator. She’ll make sure all the little ones are developing through playing, talking, reading, singing and writing so that they’re all set to read when they enter school.

It’s the library’s first Community Impact Goal: Every child will be ready for kindergarten. We’re working on making that happen in a variety of ways, but the Learn & Play Bus is a huge piece in the puzzle. In Shawnee County, only 31% of children have a formal preschool experience. We’re bringing the preschool to families right in their neighborhoods, where kids can learn vital literacy skills for free and in a super fun environment.

Look for the Learn & Play Bus in your neighborhood soon. Your library is your best resource for raising a reader.
**October / November Schedule of Events ▶ tscpl.org/events**

**For library events that require registration, visit tscpl.eventbrite.com • Call 785-580-4400 for assistance**

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**ADULT**

**Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration**
Immerse yourself in Hispanic heritage and culture through music, performance and displays of genealogy and history. Get inspired and leave with tools to help you connect with your own family roots.
- **Marvin Auditorium**
  - Sat Oct 1 2-5 p.m.

**Gaming for Adults**
If you love to play, need a challenge or just want to socialize with fellow gamers, come enjoy some tabletop games and video games. Bring your own or play ours!
- **Lingo Story Room**
  - Sat Oct 1 2-5 p.m.
  - Sat Nov 5 2-5 p.m.

**Music for a Sunday Afternoon presents Hannah Porter Oceña**
Hannah’s brilliantly beautiful flute playing will make you happy. In her third season as principal flutist of the Topeka Symphony, Oceña continually inspires her colleagues and audiences with her masterful solos.
- **Marvin Auditorium**
  - Sun Oct 2 3-4 p.m.

**Monday Farmers Market at Your Library**
High-quality, locally-grown produce, farm fresh eggs and fresh-cut flowers. Visit the library booth for a free, fun kid craft. Books for sale, starting at 25 cents.
- **Parking Lot**
  - Mon Oct 3, 10 8-11:30 a.m.

**Medicare Mondays**
Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas helps you navigate the complex web of Medicare.
- **Menninger Room 206**
  - Mon Oct 3 1-3 p.m.
  - Mon Nov 7 1-3 p.m.

**Bald Eagles in Kansas**
Wildlife biologist Mike Watkins tells us all about the behaviors of Bald Eagles, where you can find them in Kansas and their nesting status. Co-sponsored by Topeka Audubon Society.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101C**
  - Mon Oct 3 7-8:30 p.m.

**League of Women Voters Tuesday Topics:**

**Water Issues in Kansas**
Sarah Green, independent writer and consultant, will discuss water issues in Kansas. The meeting is free and the public is invited to attend. Millennium Café-catered luncheon at 11:30 a.m. for $8.95; program from 12-1 p.m.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Tue Oct 4 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

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**Paper Flowers Workshop**
Learn a new art/craft technique each month! You’ve seen those colorful, festive paper flowers. Now learn how easy it is to make your own. Your choice of several styles and many colors. To register, call Crestview Community Center, 785-251-2960 or Shawnee North Community Center, 785-286-0676.
- **Crestview Community Center - 4801 SW Shunga Dr.**
  - Wed Oct 5 1-2:30 p.m.
- **Shawnee North Community Center - 300 NE 43rd St.**
  - Thu Oct 7 9-10:30 a.m.

**How to Start a Business**
Learn what it takes to start and run your own business. This event covers important topics such as business legal structure, writing a business plan, knowing your competition and what to expect from being your own boss. Presented by Washburn Small Business Development Center.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101C**
  - Wed Oct 5 5:30-8 p.m.
- **Menninger Room 206**
  - Wed Nov 2 5:30-8 p.m.

**Computerized Genealogy**
Get started in genealogy and learn how to use the print and online resources your library offers. Receive a pedigree chart and other helpful forms for keeping records as you research your family tree. Registration required. To register, call Shawnee North Community Center at 785-286-0676 or Central Park Community Center at 785-251-2965.
- **Shawnee North Community Center - 300 NE 43rd St.**
  - Thu Oct 6 10-11:30 a.m.
  - Thu Nov 3 10-11:30 a.m.
- **Central Park Community Center - 1534 SW Clay St.**
  - Mon Oct 10 5-6 p.m.
  - Mon Nov 14 5-6 p.m.

**Alzheimer’s Association Family Caregiving Series**
A six-part series for people who care for individuals with Alzheimer’s disease or a related dementia, with weekly focus on resistance to care, activities, medications, placement decisions and the role of the caregiver. Registration required. To register, call the Alzheimer’s Association at 785-271-1844.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101C**
  - Thu Oct 6, 13 1:30-3 p.m.
  - Marvin Auditorium 101B
  - Thu Oct 20, 27 1:30-3 p.m.

**WOMEN & MONEY**
A series for women to learn financial literacy and take charge of credit, budgets, borrowing and life planning. Presented by financial experts at Housing and Credit Counseling, Inc. Registration for all events is required. Register at www.hcci-ks.org.

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**You & Money: Why Credit Reports Matter**
Understand how credit scores affect you, what credit scores tell lenders, how to improve your score and dispute errors in your credit history.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Thu Oct 6 7-8:30 p.m.

**Your Spending Plan: Saying Yes - Saying No**
Understand your financial values and goals and learn budgeting exercises with calculators and worksheets. Bonus class 6-6:50 p.m.: Panel Discussion with Kansas Entrepreneurs.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Thu Oct 6 7-8:30 p.m.

**Get Smart About Borrowing**
Learn types of loans, the cost of credit and your options for borrowing, then participate in a group Q&A and discussion. Presented by Jennifer Cook, Division of Consumer & Mortgage Lending Office of the State Bank Commissioner of Kansas. Bonus class: 6-6:50 p.m.: Student Loan Repayment Options.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Thu Oct 20 7-8:30 p.m.

**Women & Investing: Paying Yourself First**
Learn what you need to know about your risk tolerance, how to choose a financial planner, how and when fees are charged, asset allocation and diversification and protecting yourself against investment fraud. Presented by Shannon Stone, Director of Investor Education, Office of the Kansas Securities Commissioner.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Thu Oct 20 7-8:30 p.m.

**Wills & Durable Power of Attorney (DPA): Life Planning for Your Future**
Understand DPA for health and financial decisions. Find out what you need to know if you are “flying solo” or managing finances with a spouse or other family members. Presented by Rebecca Miller, trust attorney, Central National Bank, and by Kathleen Urbom, attorney, Urbom Law. Bonus Class 6-6:50 p.m.: Social Security Benefits - More than a Retirement Check.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101C**
  - Thu Oct 20 7-8:30 p.m.

**Caregiver Support Group**
Being a caregiver can be incredibly stressful, but you don’t have to do it alone. Come meet and talk to others who are in the same situation as you. Moderated by April Maddox, caregiver support specialist at Jayhawk Area Agency on Aging.
- **Anton Room 202**
  - Mon Oct 10 3:30-4:30 p.m.
  - Mon Nov 14 3:30-4:30 p.m.

**Fiction Writing Techniques**
Get geared up for writing success with a review of fiction basics. Hear quick and practical advice from fiction writers as part of Indie Authors Day. Check out books to prepare for writing your novel and discuss plotting, setting, dialogue and characters with fiction writers in your community.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Mon Oct 10 6:30-8:30 p.m.

**Journaling with Words and Images**
Explore personal writing and illustrated journals through creative prompts and art techniques around a monthly theme. Discover additional ideas through the works of others, in-session sharing and online sources.
- **Lingo Story Room**
  - Wed Oct 12 2-3:30 p.m.
  - Wed Nov 9 2-3:30 p.m.

**Bulb Planting for Spring**
Low maintenance flowers! Easy to grow! Learn about bulbs and flowers that start blooming in early spring and continue to bloom well into summer from Shawnee County Extension’s Master Gardeners.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101B**
  - Thu Oct 13 7-8 p.m.

**Topeka Art Guild Afternoon Tea**
A reception like the “old days” of the Topeka Art Guild. Enjoy tea, treats and celebrate the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Topeka Art Guild on October 16, 1916. Meet some current members of the Topeka Art Guild. Hat and gloves are encouraged!
- **Alice C. Sabatini Gallery**
  - Sun Oct 16 2-4 p.m.

**Law at the Library**
A half hour informational program on advance directives and estate planning basics starts at 1, followed by the opportunity to meet with Kansas Legal Services staff who will be available to draft documents such as Powers of Attorney and Living Will for free for community members aged 60+. Part of the Senior Life Series.
- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Mon Oct 17 1-4 p.m.
Holiday Adult Coloring
Get in the holiday spirit and enjoy a relaxing afternoon coloring, being creative and socializing with others. Pages will be provided. Part of the Senior Life series of programs.
Marvin Auditorium 101C
Mon Oct 31 1:30 p.m.

League of Women Voters Tuesday Topics:
Cyndi Haines of CASA
Listen to Haines, volunteer recruiter & Trainer at Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children of Shawnee County. The meeting is free and the public is invited to attend. Millennium Café–catered luncheon at 11:30 a.m. for $18.95; program from 12-1 p.m.
Marvin Auditorium 101B
Mon Nov 7 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Recycled/Upcycled Holiday Crafts
You can make terrific holiday decorations, cards and gifts using recycled materials, found objects and other things you probably have around the house. Take home some great ideas and a finished item. Materials provided. Registration required. To register, call Crestview Community Center at 785-251-2960 or Shawnee North Community Center, 785-286-0676.
Crestview Community Center - 4801 SW Shunga Dr.
Wed Nov 9 1-2:30 p.m.
Shawnee North Community Center - 300 NE 43rd St.
Thu Nov 17 9-10:30 a.m.

Legal Issues and Your Small Business
Entrepreneurs, find out the legal requirements to starting and running your small business. Presented by the Washburn Business & Transactional Law Center.
Marvin Auditorium 101A
Wed Nov 9 6-8:30 p.m.

Pruning & Winterizing Trees
Help your trees and shrubs to be healthy and beautiful with proper pruning. The Shawnee County Extension Master Gardeners present an evening of tips and tricks.
Marvin Auditorium 101B
Thu Nov 10 7-8 p.m.

Kansas Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society
This Kansas genealogical chapter meets monthly to share tips and techniques on African American family history and to learn more about African American history in Kansas. The topics vary and each meeting features a guest speaker.
Hughes Room 205
Thu Nov 10 7-8:45 p.m.

Computerized Genealogy Series 2
Now that you have your family tree, move to the next level. Find records on your family. Learn how to locate local resources from libraries and repositories. Find your ancestors where they may be hidden using resources online. Registration required. Go to tscpl.eventbrite.com.
Computer Training Center
Sat Nov 12 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

International Games Day 2016
Have fun with friends and family playing your favorite games. Libraries across the world recognize the value of games and this is the day to play board, card or video games. Feel free to bring any tabletop favorites you want to share.
Marvin Auditorium
Sat Nov 19 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Honoring Our Veterans: The Fog of War
War has touched us all. We seek a better understanding of the experience of war. Lt. Colonel Brian Steed has served for a decade in the Middle East. Steed will reflect on his experiences in a program that will honor those who have served in this war. Q & A session to follow.
Marvin Auditorium 101B
Tue Nov 8 7-8:30 p.m.

Peregrine Falcons in Topeka
Get to know the Peregrine Falcon that nest in Topeka in a presentation by Brad Loveless, executive director of environmental services at Westar Energy. Co-sponsored by Topeka Audubon Society.
Marvin Auditorium 101B
Tue Nov 8 7-8:30 p.m.

How to Write a Novel in 30 Days
Write a 50,000 word draft in November with National Novel Writing Month (NaNoWriMo). Get fun and helpful advice from former participants, plus inspiration, advice from former participants, plus inspiration, tips and techniques on African American family history and to learn more about African American history in Kansas. The topics vary and each meeting features a guest speaker.
Hughes Room 205
Thu Nov 10 7-8:45 p.m.

Sports Trivia
Bring some friends, enjoy some food and beverages and show us how much you know about sports at our sports trivia competition at Pizza Pub at West Ridge Mall. Prizes will be awarded to the top teams.
Pizza Pub
Fri Nov 4 8:30-10:30 p.m.

Fiction Writing: Come Write In
NaNoWriMo participants meet to add scenes, chapters and characters to their stories, compete in word wars and further their plots. Bring laptops for a creative and frantic writing session to help boost word counts. Sign up at nanowrimo.org to write the first draft of your next novel in November.
Menninger Room 206
Sun Nov 6, 13, 20 1-5 p.m.

Friends of the Library Annual Meeting
Library CEO Gina Millsap informs attendees of the impact of funds donated by the Friends made on the library and community. There will be an election of new board members, refreshments and a program.
Marvin Auditorium 101A
Sun Nov 6 2:30-4 p.m.

Topeka Genealogy Society
Whether you are just starting to put together your family tree or you’re a seasoned researcher, this program is for you. Topic for this month: Ghost Stories of Topeka, by Cathy Ramirez.
Marvin Auditorium 101A
Thu Oct 27 7-8:45 p.m.

ATTEND LIBRARY EVENTS AT A COMMUNITY CENTER

CENTRAL PARK
1534 SW CLAY ST.
785-251-2905

CRESTVIEW
4801 SW SHUNGA DRIVE
785-251-2900

OAKLAND
801 NE POPLAR ST.
785-251-2953

GARFIELD
1600 NE QUINCY ST.
785-251-2950

RICE
423 SE NORWOOD ST.
785-251-2976

DEER CREEK
2345 SE 25TH ST.
To register for classes at Deer Creek, visit tscpl.eventbrite.com
Books

Talk About Literature in Kansas

Julia Alvarez’s novel, *In the Time of the Butterflies*, follows the Mirabal sisters, who sacrifice comfortable lives to become butterflies who dare to oppose the Dominican Republic’s cruel 30-year dictatorship. Facilitated by Dr. Tom Pasch. Sponsored by the Kansas Humanities Council.

- Marvin Auditorium 101C
- Menninger Room 206
- Marvin Auditorium 101A

In *Brand New Memory*, Cuban American teenager Gina Domingo’s life revolves around Southern California pop culture and her wealthy parents, until her grandmother arrives from Cuba for an unexpected visit. Sponsored by the Kansas Humanities Council. Facilitated by Dr. Gene Chavez.

- Marvin Auditorium 101C
- Menninger Room 206
- Marvin Auditorium 101A

Classics Made Modern Book Discussion

*Gilead* by Marilynne Robinson won the 2005 Pulitzer Prize for Fiction. In 1956, toward the end of Reverend John Ames’s life, he, begins a letter to his young son, an account of himself, his pacifist father and his abolitionist grandfather, telling the story of sacred bonds between fathers and sons.

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All-True Travels and Adventures of Lidie Newton by Jane Smiley is the 1998 historical novel from the Pulitzer prize-winning author. A young woman whose abolitionist husband is murdered during the 1850s in Kansas cuts her hair and tracks his killers to Missouri.

- Marvin Auditorium 101C

African American Writers Book Discussion Group

What if overcoming the legacy of American slavery meant bringing back that very institution? A young black attorney is thrown headlong into controversial issues of race and power in the provocative new novel, *40 Acres*. Find more info about the group and the books at aawbdg.org or email v.omni@cox.net.

- Hughes Room 205

Google It!

Learn to use this most-visited site on the web. Search for information and images on the internet. See your house with Google Maps. Learn about even more Google apps and features. Register online at tscp lentivate.com.

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COMPUTER CLASSES

BEGINNING CLASSES

Designed for new computer users and presented at a relaxed pace. Try taking the classes in the order listed for a good, basic understanding. Registration required. Go to tscp lentivate.com.

**Taming Your Mouse**

Learn the proper way to hold and move the mouse. Learn about check boxes, radio buttons and scroll bars. If you can’t make one of these sessions, register for a Computer & Gadget Help session to get started. Register online at tscp lentivate.com.

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**Windows 10 for Beginners**

Experience the new features in Windows 10. Learn how to organize the Start Menu, use accessories, personalize the desktop and get apps from the Windows Store.

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iPad Workshop
Bring your iPad and your library card. Staff and participants share tips and tricks, iPad features and favorite apps, including our suite of digital offerings.
Register online at tschl.eventbrite.com.

**Computer Training Center**
- Thu Oct 20 1:30-3 p.m.
- Fri Nov 18 1:30-3 p.m.

**New! - Introduction to Mac**
Take a tour of the desktop and dock. Learn about standard apps, how to browse files with Finder and use menus. Macs are not provided for this overview class. Attendees are welcome to bring their own Macs to work along with the instructor. Registration required at tschl.eventbrite.com.

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Library Ebooks for Android & Nook Tablets
Bring in your Android or Nook tablets and learn how to get free ebooks anytime! Email and App Store login required. Register online at tschl.eventbrite.com.

**Computer Training Center**
- Tue Oct 25 1:30-3 p.m.

Library Ebooks for Kindle Tablets
Bring in your Kindle, tablet and library card, and learn how to get free ebooks anytime. Email and App Store login required. Register online at tschl.eventbrite.com.

**Computer Training Center**
- Thu Oct 27 1:30-3 p.m.

Online Safety and Security Basics
Stay safe, and secure your information while browsing, shopping or paying bills online. Develop a strong password system, learn ways to recognize traps of adware or malware and avoid scams that can compromise your equipment or personal information.

**Computer Training Center**
- Thu Nov 3 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Computer & Gadget Help
A dedicated time to focus on your technology questions. Bring your laptop, tablet or other device. Practice new computer skills or learn to use the library catalog while trainers are available. Provide a description of the help you need when registering. Register online at tschl.eventbrite.com.

**Computer Training Center**
- Tue Oct 4, 11, 18, 25 3-5 p.m.
- Sat Oct 15 9:30-11 a.m.
- Tue Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 3-5 p.m.
- Thu Nov 3, 10 1:30-3 p.m.
- Sat Nov 5 9:30-11 a.m.

Preschool Storytime [3-5 years]
Stories, songs and fingerplays that encourage a love of reading and help develop early learning skills for children.

- **The Story Zone**
  - Tue Oct 4, 11, 18, 25 10-10:30 a.m.
  - Wed Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 10-10:30 a.m.
  - Thu Oct 6, 13, 20, 27 10-10:30 a.m.
  - Tue Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 10-10:30 a.m.
  - Wed Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 10-10:30 a.m.
  - Thu Nov 3, 10, 17 10-10:30 a.m.

**tWiin Xgaming Station** [8-12 years]
Come hang out and play awesome games on the Wii, Xbox or PlayStation. Impress your friends with your stellar hand-eye coordination. Beat your enemies using your limitless courage. Now’s the time to show your stuff! (Games will be rated E for everyone).

- **Tweens Area**
  - Tue Oct 4, 11, 18, 25 4-5 p.m.
  - Tue Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 4-5 p.m.

Toddler Time 1 [12-24 months]
Bubbles and books, wiggles and songs! Early literacy fun for young toddlers & adults to enjoy together.

- **Lingo Story Room**
  - Wed Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 9:30-10 a.m.
  - 10:30-11 a.m.
  - 6:30-7 p.m.
  - Wed Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 9:30-10 a.m.
  - 10:30-11 a.m.
  - 6:30-7 p.m.

**Baby Bookworms** [Birth-18 months]
Introduce your baby to the wonderful world of books through interactive songs, stories, bounce and more!

- **Lingo Story Room 121**
  - Thu Oct 6, 13, 20, 27 9:30-10 a.m.
  - 10:30-11 a.m.
  - 5:30-6 p.m.
  - Thu Nov 3, 10, 17 9:30-10 a.m.
  - 10:30-11 a.m.
  - 5:30-6 p.m.

Zoo Animals Live
Meet some of the Topeka Zoo animal residents up close as Rachael Rost, education specialist, helps you separate animal fact from fiction.

- **Marvin Auditorium 1018**
  - Thu Oct 6 4-4:45 p.m.
  - **The Story Zone**
  - Thu Nov 3 4-4:45 p.m.

**Musical Storytime** [Birth-5 years]
Shake off your sleepiness with some fun songs and crazy dancing with Kyler. Occasional surprises and guests!

- **The Story Zone**
  - Sat Oct 8 2-6 p.m.

**R.E.A.D. Dogs** [All ages]
Dogs are man’s best friend, but they’re also a child’s best listener. Grab your favorite book and read to the Reading Education Assistance Dogs.

- **The Story Zone**
  - Sun Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 2-3 p.m.

**Ghosts Read** [8-12 years]
Read awesome books dudes will dig — explosive action and fun! Then talk ’em over with the guys, play games, down wolf some food and meet new friends. Receive books on a first-come, first-served basis. For more info, call Jason at 785-580-4565.

- **Menninger Room 206**
  - Sat Oct 8 2-3 p.m.
  - Sat Nov 12 2-3 p.m.

**Amazing Animals** [5-12 years]
Take a walk on the wild side with our naturalist librarians. Marvel at our featured creatures, get up close and personal with our amazing animal guests and make a memento of your encounter to take home.

- **Lingo Story Room**
  - Mon Oct 10 4:30-5:30 p.m.
  - Wed Nov 9, 23 4:30-5:30 p.m.

**Minecraft® @ Your Library** [8-12 years]
Enter the library’s Minecraft® world on our own server and build, build, build. Each time we meet, we’ll have a new mission to construct and complete new parts of the library’s landscape. Then, we’ll unleashed creepers.

- **Computer Training Center**
  - Wed Oct 12, 26 4-5 p.m.

**Factual Fun: Mathematical Muscles**
Dive into the world of nonfiction and learn about food science as you make your own ice cream and butter with Arion.

- **Dinosaur Zone**
  - Wed Oct 19 4-5 p.m.

**Bears, Bears Everywhere!** [2-5 years]
Kansas Reads to Preschoolers Week
Boomer and friends share stories, singsongs and play. We’ll have time for all the fun! Family Childcare providers welcome. Co-sponsored by Child Care Aware®

- **Marvin Auditorium 101AB**
  - Tue Nov 15 10-11 a.m.
  - Wed Nov 16 10-11 a.m.

**BOO! with the National Park Service**
Join Ranger Mynesha to experience outdoor cinema at its best.

- **Menninger Room 206**
  - Thu Oct 20 4-5 p.m.

**The Patience Stone**
Hong Kong | 2005 | PG | 107 minutes
The sense of family is recaptured for one man. © Sony Picture Classics

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**MOVIES**

**Movie on the Lawn: Frankenweenie**
Grab your blankets, lawn chairs and your Halloween costume and head on down to the State Capitol to experience outdoor cinema at its best. **Frankenweenie** will be the main feature.

- **State Capitol Lawn**
  - Sat Oct 1 7:30-9 p.m.

**INTERNATIONAL FILM SERIES**

**The Patience Stone**
The legend of the patience stone is when it has absorbed all that it can, it shatters. © Sony Picture Classics

- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Tue Oct 4 6:30-8:45 p.m.

**Riding Alone for Thousands of Miles**
The sense of family is recaptured for one man. © Sony Picture Classics

- **Marvin Auditorium 101BC**
  - Tue Nov 1 6:30-8:45 p.m.
THANKS, MR. HANKS - SERIES

Saving Mr. Banks
Tom Hanks as Walt Disney in the story of how Mary Poppins was brought to the big screen despite the reluctance of author P.L. Travers.
120 minutes | Rated PG-13 | 2013
Marvin Auditorium 101BC
Fri Oct 7 6:30-9 p.m.

Charlie Wilson’s War
The efforts of Congressman Charlie Wilson focused on a program to organize and support the Afghan freedom fighters during the Soviet/Afghan War.
102 minutes | Rated R | 2007
Marvin Auditorium 101BC
Fri Oct 7 6:30-9 p.m.

Bridge of Spies
A Brooklyn insurance attorney is entrusted with negotiating the prisoner exchange of an American pilot with a KGB spy during the Cold War.
135 minutes | Rated PG-13 | 2015
Marvin Auditorium 101BC
Fri Oct 14 6:30-9 p.m.

Captain Phillips
A cargo ship captain is taken hostage by Somali pirates in the Indian Ocean which leads to a standoff with the U.S. Navy.
134 minutes | Rated PG-13 | 2013
Marvin Auditorium 101BC
Fri Oct 28 6:30-9 p.m.

CLASSIC FILM SERIES

Ace in the Hole
A frustrated former big-city journalist now stuck working for an Albuquerque newspaper exploits a story about a man trapped in a cave to re-jump-start his career, but the situation quickly escalates into an out-of-control circus.
1951 | b&w | 111 minutes
Marvin Auditorium 101BC
Fri Oct 14 2-5 p.m.

In Which We Serve
This Oscar-nominated story follows the British destroyer HMS Torrin in flashbacks by survivors as they cling to a life raft. 1942 | b&w | 115 minutes
Marvin Auditorium 101BC
Fri Oct 14 2-5 p.m.

Family-Friendly Quote-Along:
Ghostbusters
Recruit the family for a movie event where costumes, reciting dialogue and audience participation are encouraged! Doors open at 2 p.m. for themed crafts and the movie starts at 3 p.m. Who you gonna quote?
105 minutes | Rated PG | 1984
Marvin Auditorium
Sat Oct 15 2-4:30 p.m.

Silents in the Cathedral
Get ready for Halloween with the library’s 19th annual Silents in the Cathedral. Last Warning (1929) is the main feature and will be accompanied with a live musical performance and other short films. Funding for this program is provided by the National Endowment for the Humanities.
Grace Episcopal Cathedral
Fri Oct 28 7-10 p.m.

TEENS

Teen Writer’s Group [12-18 years]
Find inspiration to create. Join others who share your literary passion as we express ourselves and explore the world through our works of poetry and prose.
The Edge - Teen Room
Mon Oct 10, 24 7-8 p.m.
Mon Nov 14, 28 7-8 p.m.

Electoral College Knowledge [12-18 years]
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Board Game Day [12-18 years]
Learn new board games and play old favorites. Including Ticket to Ride, Monopoly, Settlers of Catan, Checkers, Stratego, Chess, Sorry, Battleship, Connect Four and many, many more.
The Edge - Teen Room
Thu Oct 20 2-4 p.m.

Super Smash Bros Tournament [12-18 years]
Prove you are the best Super Smasher in town. Face off against opponents in the popular WiiU game.
The Edge - Teen Room
Fri Oct 21 2-3:30 p.m.

Books Into Movies: The 5th Wave [12-18 years]
Sixteen-year-old Cassie Sullivan is trying to survive a world devastated by the waves of an alien invasion, while trying to save her five-year-old brother Sam from a training camp that was created by the Others.
The Edge - Teen Room
Wed Nov 9 4-6 p.m.

BOOKMOBILE

No bookmobile service Fri. Nov. 11 and Thurs. Nov. 24. FOR SCHEDULE UPDATES, CHECK tscl.org/bookmobile

MONDAY
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM  Pine Ridge, 1100 SE Highland
12:30 PM – 2:30 PM  Wal-Mart, 1301 SW 37th
12:30 PM – 3:00 PM  Azura Credit Union, SE 29th & Croco
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM  Avondale East, 455 SE Golf Park Blvd
3:00 PM – 7:30 PM  Fairlawn Plaza Shopping Center, SW 21st & Fairlawn
3:30 PM – 7:30 PM  Tecumseh United Methodist Church, 334 SE Tecumseh

TUESDAY
9:30 AM – 1:00 PM  Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 3625 SW Wanamaker
9:30 AM – 1:00 PM  Brookwood Shopping Center, SW 29th & Oakley
2:15 PM – 7:30 PM  Dillons, SW 29th & Urish
2:30 PM – 7:30 PM  Shawnee Heights United Methodist Church, SE 45th/Shawnee Hts

WEDNESDAY
9:30 AM – 7:30 PM  Villa West Shopping Center, SW 29th & Wanamaker
9:30 AM – 7:30 PM  California Crossing Shopping Center, SE 29th & California

THURSDAY
9:30 AM – 11:00 AM  Casey’s General Store, 4441 SE California Ave.
9:30 AM – 1:00 PM  Hunter’s Ridge, NW 46th & Hwy 75
11:45 AM – 1:15 PM  Jayhawk Towers, 209 SW 6th Ave. (Temporary)
2:30 PM – 7:30 PM  Brookwood Shopping Center, SW 29th & Oakley
2:00 PM – 7:30 PM  Dillons North, 800 NW 25th St.

FRIDAY
9:30 AM – 1:00 PM  Fairlawn Plaza Shopping Center, SW 21st & Fairlawn
9:30 AM – 12:45 PM  Dillons North, 800 NW 25th St
2:00 PM – 7:30 PM  Mike’s IGA, NE Sardou & Forest
2:30 PM – 7:30 PM  Velma Paris Community Center, 6715 SW Westview

SATURDAY
9:30 AM – 11:30 AM  Azura Credit Union, SE 29th & Croco
9:30 AM – 12:15 PM  Auburn Community Center, 121 W. 11th
12:45 PM – 3:00 PM  Hunter’s Ridge, NW 46th & Hwy 75
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM  Villa West Shopping Center, SW 29th & Wanamaker

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Email Manager Mary Campbell at mcampbell@tsclp.org with questions or comments.
A Hispanic Heritage Celebration
Oct 1 | 2-5PM
Immerse yourself in Hispanic heritage and culture through music, performance and displays of genealogy and history.

Hannah Porter Oceña
Oct 2 | 3-4PM
In her third season as principal flutist of the Topeka Symphony, she continually inspires her colleagues and audiences.

10 EVENTS you don't want to miss
See everything on pages 10-15

Altered Books
Oct 4-Nov 28
Marvel at books in a whole new way with altered books created by our community.

Stories of the Choctaw
Nov 6 | 2PM
Be enchanted when Tim Tingle, an Oklahoma Choctaw storyteller, tells and performs Native American tales and plays the flute and drums.

Ghostbusters
Oct 15 | 2PM
Recruit the family for a movie event where costumes, reciting dialogue and audience participation are encouraged!

Volunteer Fair
Oct 22 | 10AM - 2PM
Learn about the local agencies that offer volunteer opportunities to serve your community.

Silents in the Cathedral
Oct 28 | 7PM
Get ready for Halloween with the library’s 19th annual Silents in the Cathedral. Enjoy the showing of the film, Last Warning and much more!

Printed Image 6
Nov 4 - Dec 30
This nationally renowned printmaking competition showcases a wide variety of hand-pulled prints from around the country.

International Games Day
Nov 19 | 10AM-5PM
Have fun with friends and family playing your favorite games at the library.

Chandler Booktique
Black Friday Sale | Nov 25 | 10AM - 6PM
Beat the shopping mobs and come get an armload of books at the Chandler Booktique, where books are half-price for this special holiday sale.