



MARCH 2024

Scott & Wesley Gerrish Library

250 Egloff Dr. | (907) 343-4024

Call or email LibraryGirdwood@anchorageak.gov to request ADA accommodations

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Entries for the Winter Reading Challenge for Grown Up's are due March 16! Earn prizes by completing a bingo or blackout! Visit https://bit.ly/APLWRC24 for more information.			1 3:30PM Adult Movie Night	2 3:30PM Author Visit
5 10:30AM Free Play Mornings 1PM Knot Just Knitters	6 10:30AM Family Storytime	7 4PM Game Night	8	9 3:30PM Family Movie Night
12 10:30AM Free Play Mornings 1PM Knot Just Knitters	13 10:30AM Family Storytime	14 1PM Pi Day Fun 4PM Game Night	15	16 Winter Reading Challenge for Grown Up's Ends 
19 10:30AM Free Play Mornings 1PM Knot Just Knitters Seed Exchange Begins 	20 10:30AM Family Storytime	21 4PM Game Night	22 3:30PM Magical Tea Party	23 All APL Branches closed in honor of Seward's Day
26 10:30AM Free Play Mornings 1PM Knot Just Knitters	27 10:30AM Family Storytime	28 4PM Game Night	29	30 4:30PM Book Club

HOURS OF OPERATION

Tuesday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Wednesday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Thursday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Friday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Saturday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Sunday: CLOSED

Monday: CLOSED

LIBRARY NEWS

GERRISH LIBRARY CLOSURES

SEWARD'S DAY CLOSURE

- Seward's Day: Branches will be closed on Saturday, March 23, 2024. Loussac Library will be closed Monday, March 25, 2024.



ANCHORAGE
PUBLIC LIBRARY

anchoragelibrary.org

STORYTIME

FAMILY STORYTIME

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM

Join us for a half-hour of stories, songs, and more to build early literacy skills; a blend of fun and education for children birth through kindergarten and their caregivers.

FEATURED

SCAVENGER HUNT

Ongoing

Go on a letter and picture hunt around the library! New themes every two weeks.

CODE QUEST

Ongoing

Journey on a quest! Answer the questions and crack the code to unlock the safe for a prize!

5 & UNDER

FREE PLAY MORNINGS

Tuesdays at 10:30 AM

Play with library toys, make friends and check out books!

ALL AGES

GAME NIGHT

Thursdays at 4 PM

Use our wide variety of board, dice, or card games or play with our Wii, Nintendo Switch or X-box or bring your own game!

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Saturday, March 9, 3:30 PM

Come get warm and enjoy a movie at the library! Popcorn will be provided. Please call 907-343-4024 for title.

PI DAY FUN

Thursday, March 14, 1 PM

Join us and celebrate Pi Day and Einstein's birthday with some fun circular math activities. Best for school age children.

MAGICAL TEA PARTY

Friday, March 22, 3:30 PM

Join us for a magical tea party extravaganza! Dress up in your fanciest attire and be ready to indulge in delicious tea, books, and treats.

ADULT

SEED EXCHANGE

Begins Tuesday, March 19

Stop by and pick up seed packets that were specially selected by master gardener Martina Steinmetz in collaboration with the Girdwood Library Boosters.

KNOT JUST KNITTERS

Tuesdays at 1 PM

Do you knit, crochet or sew or are you a beginner looking for a start? Join us for a weekly meetup and bring your ideas or current projects. We will have lessons for beginning knitters with long-time beloved resident Cleary Donovan. Materials and tools provided.

ADULT MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, March 1, 3:30 PM

Come get warm and enjoy a movie at the library! Popcorn will be provided. Please call 907-343-4024 for title.

AUTHOR VISIT

Saturday, March 2, 3:30 PM

Join us for a special discussion with author, professor, screenwriter, sometimes poet, and Anchorage resident; Don Rearden.

GERRISH BOOK CLUB

Saturday, March 30, 4:30-5:30 PM

Join us for the Gerrish Book Club discussion. March's title is *Ink and Bone: The Great Library* by Rachel Caine. Cookies and coffee provided!

EVENTS ACROSS APL—

CHUGIAK-EAGLE RIVER

12001 Business Blvd., #176
(907) 343-1530

STORYTIME AND CRAFT WITH CHILDREN'S AUTHOR BROOKE HARTMAN

Saturday, Mar. 30, 10 AM

Brooke will read her newest book, *Aboard the Alaska Train*, followed by a craft.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

120 Bragaw St.
(907) 343-2818

TEEN GAME TIME

Wednesday, Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27, 3-4 PM

Come hangout and use our Nintendo Switch, Xbox One, board games, and card games to build strategic thinking, have fun, and meet new gaming friends!

MULDOON

1251 Muldoon Rd., #158
(907) 343-4032

TEEN VOLUNTEER TIME

Friday, Mar. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 3:30-5:30 PM

No registration needed, just show up. We may ask you to dust, clean, shelve, or assist with program preparation. **For teens ages 13-18.**

Z. J. LOUSSAC

3600 Denali St.
(907) 343-2841

PUZZLE MANIA

Monday, March 11, 2-4PM

Puzzle fiends and novices: cometary your hand at different puzzles and even make your own!