

Virtual Library

Socrates Café: A Virtual Philosophical Discussion Group. Gather with people who have different backgrounds and beliefs to exchange thoughtful ideas and experiences. **Thursday, November 4 & 18, 10 AM-12 PM.**

FRANK Talks: What Is Patriotism? What do political leaders and social activists mean when they use the term "patriot"? What is the difference between patriotism and nationalism? Throughout history people have demonstrated patriotism through military service, government service, protests, marches, sit-ins and more. How is patriotism expressed now? How are peaceful marches and violent clashes described simultaneously as "acts of terrorism" and "patriotic"? Join us for an in-depth conversation about the history of patriotism in the U.S. and what it means today. Presented by Matthew Whitaker, Diamond Strategies LLC, a decorated educator, historian, author, social justice advocate, motivational speaker, and founder of the ASU Center for the Study of Race and Democracy. Registration is required.



Wednesday, November 10, 6-7 PM.

Songs in Progress Virtual Workshop. Meet virtually with Arizona Songwriters Association members Jon Iger and Randy Brown to get constructive feedback on your song, finished or not, BEFORE you go into the studio! Perform it live or play a CD or tape. **Saturday, November 20, 1-4 PM.**

Virtual Writers Group Workshop. Meet fellow writers and hear thoughtful feedback on your work. All genres and writing styles welcome. **Wednesday, November 24, 6-8 PM.**

To register to receive the Zoom link for a virtual program, please visit <http://bit.ly/gplazevents> or call 623-930-3600.

To find more virtual options, look through this calendar for events marked with an asterisk (*). This symbol indicates hybrid programs, which offer both in-person and virtual attendance.

Please note that all Glendale Public Library locations will be closed on Thursday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day. In addition, all locations will be closed on Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 26 in observance of Thanksgiving.

All events at the Glendale Public Library are public, and participants may be photographed by the media and/or City staff for future print and/or online publication.

Please arrive on time for registered programs. If you are more than 10 minutes late, your space may be given to another.

Glendale Public Library is a division of the City of Glendale Community Services Department: 623-930-3590



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Glendale Main Library
5959 W. Brown Street

Foothills Library
19055 N. 57th Avenue

Velma Teague Library
7010 N. 58th Avenue

Heroes Regional
Park Library
6075 N. 83rd Avenue

Monday	12 PM-8 PM
Tuesday	10 AM-4 PM
Wednesday	10 AM-2 PM
Thursday	10 AM-6 PM
Friday	10 AM-6 PM
Saturday	10 AM-5 PM
Sunday	1 PM-5 PM

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For special accommodations, please call the host library at least one week prior to the event.

November 2021 Programs for Adults at Glendale Public Library

Events

Velma Teague Library

***Brown Bag Booktalk.** Looking for something good to read? Feel free to bring a snack (food must be individually sealed and not shared); we'll bring the coffee or tea and some fresh-brewed book recommendations. Bring along a book or two to recommend to other readers. View previous booklists at <https://bit.ly/gplbrownbag>. **Thursday, November 4, 1:15-2:30 PM. Meeting Room.**



Arts and Crafts Corner: Learn How to Knit and Crochet. Drop by to learn new stitches, review past lessons, share techniques, or work on personal projects. **Saturday, November 6, 1-4 PM.**


Red Rock Crossing Band LIVE in Glendale: Our Home Town. Enjoy live music in the E. Lowell Rogers Amphitheatre! Red Rock Crossing is known for "off-the-hook" harmonies and unique song arrangements. While bluegrass is at their roots, you can catch them singing just about anything, from folk to jazz to country. This versatile trio is made up of Gary and Rochelle Tinstman of Glendale and Terri Sue Rossi of Phoenix, who sing lead and harmony while playing bass (electric and stand-up), ukulele, mandolin, rhythm guitar, piano, flute and percussion. This performance is funded by a City of Glendale Performing Arts Grant. **Saturday, November 13, 1-2 PM. Murphy Park Amphitheatre.**

***58th Avenue Book Group.** Discuss different topics, cultures, and periods in time. This month's book is *The Giver of Stars* by Jojo Moyes. **Tuesday, November 16, 10:15-11:30 AM. Meeting Room.**

Arts and Crafts Corner: Glass Gem Magnets. All supplies will be provided to make three different glass gem magnets. Space is limited and registration is required. **Saturday, November 20, 1-3 PM. Meeting Room.**


***Velma's Clues Cozy Mystery Book Club.** Discuss the first book in an ongoing cozy mystery series. This month's book is *Elementary, She Read* by Vicki Delany, the first in the Sherlock Holmes Bookshop Mystery series. **Monday, November 22, 6:30-7:45 PM. Meeting Room.**

Foothills Library




Big Band Grandstand. Musicians who can sight-read charts are encouraged to become a part of our big band, rehearsing and performing a variety of popular big band tunes. Audience is welcome. Players must bring their own music stands and instruments. Email bigbandgrandstand@gmail.com to sign up. **Monday, November 1-29, 1-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

***Borrow a Librarian: Computer Help, eBooks, and More.** Have a computer or eBook question? Sign up for a 30-minute session with librarian Erin via phone, Zoom, FaceTime, Skype, or in person. Please note that legal assistance, job application or résumé review, and tax help will not be provided. **Monday, November 1-29, 2-3 PM.**




Family Literacy Night. This is a family-centered program for parents of 3 and 4-year-old children. Instructors will work with families in small groups, providing tips regarding shared reading and making literacy engaging and fun, along with education modeling on the strategies taught. Registration is required. Presented by Midwestern University's Speech-Language Pathology program. **Monday, November 1, 5-6 PM. Storytime Room.**



Foothills Coffeehouse. Enjoy acoustic music performed by local musicians. This month: Mike Krzyston - fingerstyle guitar; Flashback - rock and roll from the fifties and sixties. **Monday, November 1, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

***Gentle Reads Book Discussion Group.** Discuss emotionally uplifting and inspirational fiction. This month's book is *Rebecca* by Daphne Du Maurier. **Wednesday, November 3, 10-11:30 AM. Hummingbird Room.**

Bluegrass Jam. Bring your acoustic instrument and play bluegrass, country, folk, gospel, and more, round-robin style! All levels of players, audience and singers are welcome. **Friday, November 5 & 19, 1-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**



Old-Time Music Jam. All acoustical instruments are encouraged at this jam focusing on traditional instrumental music, including Appalachian fiddle tunes, Celtic and Canadian reels, jigs, hornpipes and other roots music. Players of all ages and ability are welcome. Download a free tune book at www.azoldtimejam.com. **Saturday, November 6 & 20, 10 AM-12 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Glendale Writers Critique Group. Meet writers who will critique your writing, provide feedback, and offer mutual support and guidance in the pursuit of publication. Compositions submitted at a session will be critiqued at the next. This group is open to all unpublished or published authors of any type of written work. **Sunday, November 7, 1-3 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

***A Novel Approach Book Discussion Group.** Discuss engaging and thought-provoking popular fiction. This month's book is *There There* by Tommy Orange. **Monday, November 8, 6:30-8 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

The Whole Tooth: Dental Myths Debunked. Have you ever wondered why, when technology and healthcare are at their peak, people still lose their teeth? Did you know that dental implants might not be the right solution for you? Learn the answers and find out why it is so important to make your dentist a key part of your healthcare team. Presented by Bradley Roberts, D.D.S., and Eugenia Roberts, D.D.S., of Midwestern University. **Monday, November 8, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Adult Crafting: Mini Mad Hatter Hats. Create a unique mini top hat adorned with buttons and steampunk gears. All supplies will be provided. Registration is required and space is limited. **Tuesday, November 9, 2-4 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Jam-Boree Acoustic Jam. Bring your acoustic instrument to play along, or join the audience at this round-robin, all-acoustic jam session. All are welcome. **Saturday, November 13 & 27, 2-4 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Native American Drum Circle. Play an authentic handmade frame drum and PowWow drum, learn a Cherokee welcome song, and dance using hoops at this hands-on experience of Native American drumming, dancing and singing. All instruments will be provided. No musical experience is necessary and everyone is welcome. Registration is required. This program will be facilitated by Dr. Lydia A. Woods, a retired college professor of African-Native American heritage and the Founder & CEO of Drum Arizona Inc. This performance is funded by a City of Glendale Performing Arts Grant. **Sunday, November 14, 1-3 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Readers Roundtable: Reading Recommendations Book Group. Bring along a book or two to recommend to other readers at this lively, informal discussion group, where participants take turns booktalking fiction, non-fiction, classics, best-sellers, old favorites, and recent reads. **Wednesday, November 24, 1-2 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

Heroes Regional Park Library

Crafting: Button Art. Create your own unique designs on canvas using buttons. All supplies will be provided. Registration is required and space is limited. **Saturday, November 6, 1-2 PM. Yucca Room.**


NF Book Discussion. Join us and discover some of the most interesting non-fiction titles the library has to offer. This month's book is *What a Fish Knows: The Inner Lives of Our Underwater Cousins* by Jonathan Balcombe. Registration is required. **Monday, November 8, 6-7 PM or Wednesday, November 10, 11 AM-12 PM. Yucca Room.**

Meet Author Jennifer Marshall McIlquham, a.k.a. Parker Fairchild. Arizona author Jennifer Marshall McIlquham is a model, social media copywriter, and freelance writer with multiple writing credits. Join her in conversation as she introduces her new book written under the pen name of Parker Fairchild, *Christmas Cookies on a Cruise*, and speaks about her writer's journey and path to publication. Registration is required. **Monday, November 15, 6-7 PM.**

Personal Artifact Crafts. Join the Junk Lady, Shari Keith, in a hands-on workshop to create a small treasure from junk. Known for using found and discarded objects to create art, this artist will provide you with a treasure trove of small found objects to assemble into your own unique personal artifact. Registration is required. **Wednesday, November 17, 12:30-2 PM. Yucca Room.**


**This is a hybrid program, which offers both in-person and virtual attendance options. You must register to receive the Zoom link.*

Main Library




Adult Crafting: Lava Bead Bracelets. Create a beaded bracelet using black lava rock, reputed to be a grounding stone that fosters emotional balance. Registration is required and space is limited. **Monday, November 1, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Digital Help Spot. Want to learn how to get free downloadable books, audiobooks and more from your library? Bring your smartphone, tablet or eReader and register for a session with Marlene Jacobson, digital librarian. **Thursday, November 4 & 18; Tuesday, November 9, 23 & 30, 2-3 PM. Creative Space.**




Mystery Readers. Discuss mysteries on different topics. This month's topic is mysteries set in Australia/New Zealand or Asia. **Tuesday, November 9, 11 AM-1 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Sahuaro Ranch Acoustic Jam. Bring your acoustic instrument and play round-robin style in this self-led program. Audience welcome. **Sunday, November 14 & 28, 2-4 PM. Meeting Room Wing.**



Main Library Coffeehouse. Bring the family and enjoy acoustic music performed by local musicians. Seating is limited to the first 100 audience members. This month features Alan L - Americana/rock originals and covers; "As Is" Band - Gayle Nichols, Buzz Babins and Barbara Herber play light rock originals and covers. **Monday, November 15, 6:30-7:30 PM. Auditorium.**



Live @ the Library: Driftwood Quintet. This local reed chamber group will highlight the diversity within American music in this flashy concert. The program will feature the emotional work "Jigsaw" from Phoenix-born composer Kincaid Rabb, Alfred Reed's Latin-infused "El Camino Real," Jeff Scott's jazzy "Homage to Paradise Valley," "Ritmo Indio" by Native American composer Louis Ballard, and a soulful new arrangement of Florence Price's spiritual string quartet, "Five Folksongs in Counterpoint." Bring the family and come enjoy the show! Seating is limited to the first 100 audience members. Driftwood Quintet's performance is funded by a City of Glendale Performing Arts Grant. **Sunday, November 21, 2-3 PM. Auditorium.**