

Heroes Regional Park Library

See also *Books & Blues* in the *Featured Programs* section on the front page of this calendar.

A Conversation with Jennifer Marshall McIlquham. Get to know this Arizona author, published as Parker Fairchild, as she introduces her new book, *Christmas Cookies on a Cruise Ship*. Learn how she became a writer and her path to successful publication. Registration is required. **Saturday, November 5, 2-3 PM. Yucca Room.**

† **Glendale 100: 1920s Ribbon Flowers.** Let's go back to the 1920s and make rosette ribbon flowers! Both historical and very cute, these flowers were worn on the shoulder or at the waist as a dress accessory. They are beautiful little pieces of art that even a sewing novice can create. Registration is required. **Saturday, November 12, 2-3 PM. Yucca Room.**



Velma Teague Library

See also the *"Swingin' in the Park" Concert* in the *Featured Programs* section on the front page of this calendar.

***Brown Bag Booktalk.** Looking for something good to read? Come for coffee or tea and some fresh-brewed book recommendations. Feel free to bring your lunch and a book or two to recommend to others. Visit <https://gplaz.org/brownbag> to view previous booklists. **Thursday, November 3, 1:15-2:30 PM. Meeting Room.**

Adult Crafting: Putz Glitter Houses and Trains. Create and decorate your own model village and train for a charming Christmas or winter holiday display. We will provide the patterns, cardstock, and pens and pencils. Registration is required. **Saturday, November 19, 1-3 PM. Meeting Room.**



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† This program is supported by the Arizona State Library, Archives and Public Records, a division of the Secretary of State, with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

All Glendale Public Library locations will be closed on Friday, November 11, in observance of Veterans Day, as well as Thursday, November 24 & Friday, November 25, 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's Community Services Department: 623-930-3590

Events



November 2022

Programs for Adults at the
Glendale Public Library

To register for a
program, please visit
<https://gplaz.org/events>
or call 623-930-3600.

Featured Programs: Listen to the Music!

All the performances below are funded by a City of Glendale Performing Arts Grant.

"Swingin' in the Park" Concert. The AZ Swing Kings Jazz Orchestra is a 19-piece big band directed by Lenny King, founder and former leader of the Chicago Metropolitan Jazz Orchestra. Jazz singers Sherry Roberson and Vito Maynes will perform authentic swing and jazz classics of the Big Band Era in this outdoor concert for all ages. Bring lawn chairs or blankets. Food will be available. **Thursday, November 3, 7-9 PM. Velma Teague Library (E. Lowell Rogers Amphitheatre in Murphy Park).**

Live @ the Library: Driftwood Quintet Presents Suite del Angel - Piazzolla's Nuevo Tango. Award-winning accordionist Gabe Hall-Rodriguez joins Driftwood Quintet for Astor Piazzolla's hauntingly beautiful suite depicting an angel's journey to save a small town in Buenos Aires. Paired with Piazzolla will be a number of works from some of Latin America's most influential composers, including Arturo Marquez's thrilling *Danzon No. 2* and Teresa Carreño's lush *String Quartet in B Minor*. **Monday, November 14, 6:30-7:30 PM. Main Library Auditorium.**

Books & Blues. This series of performances by local blues legends will not only entertain, but will expand your knowledge about an important genre of American roots music.

The Sugar Thieves. With their high-energy, soulful live shows, the Sugar Thieves have honed their brand of American roots music, creating a sound that is all their own. Registration is required. **Saturday, November 19, 2-3 PM. Heroes Regional Park Library Yucca Room.**

Bluesman Mike and the Blues Review Band. Formed out of a passion for the blues, this five-piece blues band goes back to the roots of blues music. **Sunday, November 27, 2-4 PM. Foothills Library Roadrunner Room.**

Live @ the Library: Lucius Parr Band. Inducted into the Blues Hall of Fame in 2021, Lucius has a rich history of music and artist development in Arizona and abroad. **Monday, November 28, 6:30-7:30 PM. Main Library Auditorium.**

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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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Buck-a-Bag Bonanza Book Sale. Don't miss the stellar bargains at this week-long book sale. Grab one of our grocery bags and shop until it's full, then bring it to the desk to pay only \$1. After we mark the bag paid, feel free to fill another. There's no limit to the number of full bags you can buy! **Monday, October 31 - Sunday, November 6, while supplies last. Hummingbird Room.**

"Shut Up and Write!" Northwest Valley. Discover how helpful it can be to write alongside other writers. All skill levels and types of writing are welcome. No one will see what you've written (unless you ask them to) or give you unsolicited advice. After a silent hour of writing, participants can connect with other writers, discuss projects and hurdles, share recommendations, and participate in a monthly critique group. Bring whatever supplies you'll need to write. **Tuesday, November 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29, 10-11:30 AM. Hummingbird Room.**

Grow Play Learn School Readiness. During this eight-week school readiness program, children, ages 4-5, will learn basic knowledge through stories, songs, and games. Caregivers participating with their children will learn tips to support them at home and prepare them to be successful at school. Visit <https://gplaz.org/growplaylearn> to get started. Registration is required and space is limited. Please register with the child's name. **Wednesday, November 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30. 10-11:30 AM.**

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. 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. Registration is required. **Sunday, November 6, 2-4 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Foothills Coffeehouse: Live Acoustic Music. Enjoy acoustic music performed by local musicians. This month: Joe Ford & Mike Krzyston - folk rock & fingerstyle guitar; Michael Littwin - Irish & folk. **Monday, November 7, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Adult Crafting: Fall Luminaries. Get in the fall spirit and craft a glass jar luminary with us! Registration is required. **Tuesday, November 8, 2-4 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

Sport Psychologists and Mental Health in the Olympics. What is sport psychology? Why is it important? Why was the recent emphasis on mental health in the 2022 Winter Olympics so significant? Learn how sport psychologists can help athletes of all ages and levels to maintain a healthy mindset and enjoy a long sports career. Presented by Angela Breitmeyer, Psy.D. of Midwestern University. **Monday, November 14, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**

Sourcing and Pricing Merchandise for Online Selling. Learn where to find items to sell online and how to profitably price them. Registration is required. **Saturday, November 19, 10:30 AM-12 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

Connecting with the Archangels. Through meditations, visualizations and hands-on exercises, learn to connect with your angels and experience a transformation of body, mind and soul. Sharing her own inspirational life story, psychic medium and author Sunny Dawn Johnston will take you on a journey of peace, happiness and unconditional love, teaching you how to empower your inner being and move from pain or fear to joy. **Monday, November 21, 6:30-8 PM. Roadrunner Room.**



*Hybrid programs offer both in-person and virtual attendance options.

See also *Live @ the Library* and *Books & Blues* in the *Featured Programs* section on the front page of this calendar.

Nutrition Class 4: Protein, Micronutrients & Osteoporosis Prevention. This is the last in a series of four classes from the University of Arizona, offered in partnership with the City of Glendale. Previous classes include Intro, Calories, Key Nutrients & My Plate (October 6); Healthy Fats & Oils – Intro to Food Labels (October 13); and Carbs, Sugar and Fiber (October 27). Presented by Khandle Hedrick, Instructional Specialist. You must attend all four classes to earn your Certificate in Nutrition. Complete the survey at <https://gplaz.org/nutrition> before registering. **Thursday, November 3, 5-6 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

† **Glendale 100: Boondoggle Keychain Craft.** Celebrate the 1930s with us! Learn about the origins and history of the term "boondoggle" while creating your own boondoggle keychain using Rexlace plastic lacing. Registration is required. **Monday, November 7, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Starting a Business in Glendale. Learn the most common steps needed to get your business up and running in Glendale. Discussions will include types of business structures, city and state licensing, separating personal and business assets, and more. Registration is required. **Monday, November 14, 6-7:30 PM. Large Meeting Room.**

Sunday Afternoon of Music: West Valley Country Music Songwriters Showcase. The top 15 songwriters perform their submitted song for three professional songwriter judges and the general audience. Three winners will be selected based on criteria presented to the judges. **Sunday, November 20, 2-4 PM. Auditorium.**

Main Library Coffeehouse: Karmann & Kompany. Enjoy acoustic music performed by local musicians. This month, singer/songwriter Karmann Powell and her band perform covers and originals. **Monday, November 21, 6:30-7:30 PM. Auditorium.**

Maker Mondays: 3D Printed Snowperson. Create something new! This month, use Tinkercad to create a Snowperson that will be 3D printed. Registration is required. **Monday, November 28, 6-7:30 PM. Creative Space.**



Virtual Library

You must register with an email address to receive the Zoom link for a virtual program. To find more virtual options, look through this calendar for hybrid programs, which are marked with an asterisk (*). These offer both in-person and virtual attendance.

ABCs of Starting a Business. This three-part webinar series is presented by Allen Himmelstein from SCORE of Greater Phoenix.

- **Part 1: How to Start.** What are the first steps to becoming an entrepreneur? What are the key characteristics of a successful entrepreneur? Should you buy a business, start a business from scratch, or franchise a business? How should you set it up? Get the answers to these questions and more. **Thursday, November 3, 6-7:30 PM.**
- **Part 2: Business Planning.** Failing to plan is planning to fail. Business planning is a roadmap, not a railroad track. A business plan is a living document. This webinar will focus on some short business action plans and traditional SBA/SCORE plans for funding. **Thursday, November 10, 6-7:30 PM.**
- **Part 3: Finance and Funding.** If you don't know your financial numbers, you can't get funding. Learn the basics of understanding a profit and loss statement, a balance sheet, and financing possibilities. **Thursday, November 17, 6-7:30 PM.**



For special accommodations, please call the host location at least one week prior to the program.