TARPON SPRINGS PUBLIC LIBRARY

138 E. LEMON ST. TARPON SPRINGS, FL 34689

MAY 2024

HOURS

MON-WED: 10 AM-8 PM THURS-FRI: 10 AM-6 PM SAT: 10 AM-5 PM SUN: CLOSED

HOLIDAY HOURS

LIBRARY CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 27 MEMORIAL DAY



STAR WARS SATURDAYS

In recognition of Star Wars Day (May 4th)

- Watch the original Star Wars movies on the first three Saturdays of May (5/4, 5/11, & 5/18)
- Star Wars Selfie Station on Saturday, May 4
- Stop by our Star Wars table for activities & giveaways (5/4-5/18)
- Pick up a Star Wars To-Go Craft: Lightsaber Earrings (5/4-5/18)



BUSINESS PROGRAM:5 SIMPLE WAYS TO PREVENT BURNOUT

Saturday, May 4, 10:30 AM

Learn how to prevent burnout by using strategies in health care, gain practical tools for daily wellness and resilience, and cultivate habits for sustained peak wellness.

Registration is required.

Register online: tarponlibrary.org/score



DRAWING WITH BRUSH PENS

Saturday, May 25, 11 AM & 2 PM

Learn how to draw summer-themed illustrations with brush pens. Supplies and instructions provided,

Limited space available. Registration is required. Register online: tarponlibrary.org/drawing



ONE-ON-ONE COMPUTER HELP

Available by appointment

Call the Reference Desk at (727) 943-4922, ext. 6011 to schedule an appointment.



PINELLAS COUNTY HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS DAY

Saturday, June 1 10 AM - 1 PM

Tarpon Springs Public Safety Facility (444 S. Huey Ave.)

Details on page 3





GENEALOGY



GENEALOGY RESEARCH GROUP

Monday, May 13, 6:30 PM

Topic: Favorite Free Sites

Join us as we dive into our favorite free genealogy sites – like Find A Grave and Chronicling America.

We'll also get our feet wet with social media for genealogy.

For more information visit: tarponlibrary.org/genealogy or call (727) 943-4922, ext. 6021



ONE-ON-ONE GENEALOGY ASSISTANCE

Available by appointment

Call(727) 943-4922, ext. 6021 to schedule an appointment.

WRITING GROUP



FICTION WRITERS

Wednesdays, 10 AM

Sharpen your writing skills with a fiction critique group.

Call David (727) 741-0055 for info.

CRAFTS



Available beginning 5/1
Stop by the Check-Out Desk to pick up an adult to-go craft.



NEEDLECRAFT GROUP

1st Mondays, 6 - 8 PM

Next Meeting: May 6

Gather 'round for a cozy meetup where we'll stitch, knit, crochet, embroider, and quilt our way to a masterpiece. Newcomers, have no fear! We'll teach you the ropes and help you discover your hidden talent. Bring your project to share ideas!



COLOR ME HAPPY

3rd Fridays, 2 - 4 PM

Friday, May 17 2 - 4 PM

Come color with us! Our new adult coloring group is the perfect way to unwind. Studies show that coloring lowers stress levels, wards off anxiety, and sends your brain into zen mode. Relaxation awaits!

Bring in your coloring books and pencils or use some of ours.

CRAFTS



CRAFTER-SPACE

3rd Tuesdays, 6 - 8 PM

Next Meeting: May 21

Calling all crafters: knitters, beaders, colorists, crocheters, painters, scrapbookers, stampers, and other crafty people! Bring your project or use our craft kits and starter supplies to fuel your creative fire.

For more information visit: tarponlibrary.org/crafts



DIY CRAFT NIGHT*

Wednesday, May 22, 6 PM

Project: May Floral Crown

Supplies and instructions provided.

*Registration requested: tarponlibrary.org/diy

SPECIAL PROGRAM



DRAWING WITH BRUSH PENS

Saturday, May 25 11 AM & 2 PM

Learn how to draw summerthemed illustrations with brush pens. Supplies and instructions provided,

*Registration required: tarponlibrary.org/drawing



ADULT & TEEN PROGRAMS

Stop by the Reference Desk or call (727) 943-4922, ext. 6011 for more information. To register for a program visit our site.



In recogntion of Star Wars Day (5/4) May the 4th be with you!

Saturday, May 4, 2 PM

Star Wars Episode IV: A New Hope



PG; 2H 1M; Released: 1977; 20th Century Fox Stop by Youth Services at our Star Wars Selfie Station

Saturday, May 11, 2 PM

Star Wars Episode V: The Empire Strikes Back



PG; 2H 4M; Released: 1980; 20th Century Fox

Saturday, May 18, 2 PM

Star Wars Episode VI: Return of the Jedi



PG; 2H 11M; Released: 1983; 20th Century Fox

STAR WARS CRAFT



Available May 4 - 18
Stop by the Check-Out Desk to pick up an adult to-go craft.

MOVIES

FILMED IN FLORIDA MOVIE SERIES

Watch movies each month filmed locally or in Florida.

Thursday, May 23, 2 PM

Cocoon

PG-13; 1H 57M; Released: 1985; Twentieth Century Fox

Florida Filming Locations: St. Petersburg, Clearwater, & Lakeland

Visit tarponlibrary.org/filmedin-florida

BUSINESS PROGRAM



5 SIMPLE WAYS TO PREVENT BURNOUT

Saturday, May 4, 10:30 AM

Presented by SCORE Pinellas County. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Registration required. Register online: tarponlibrary.org/score

TWEENS & TEENS



(Ages 12 - 17)

TWEEN/TEEN CRAFT & SNACKS*

Monday, May 20, 6 PM

Project: Rolled Paper Letter

Make a craft and enjoy yummy snacks.

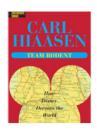
*Registration is required.

BOOK CLUBS

EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

1st Wednesdays, 3:30 PM

May 1 Team Rodent by Carl Hiaasen



BOOKS & BEYOND

Last Thursdays, 12 PM



May 30 Band of Sisters by Lauren Willig

SPECIAL EVENT

PINELLAS COUNTY HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS DAY



Saturday, June 1, 10 AM - 1 PM

Tarpon Springs Public Safety Facility (444 S. Huey Ave.)

- Weather panel with Denis Phillips, Chief Meteorologist with ABC Action News, & Ross Giarratana, Meteorologist with The National Weather Service
- Special Needs Evacuation Assistance Program registration
- Free animal services: Exams, rabies shots, and microchips
- Free hurricane kits and pre-filled sandbags (10 per household) while supplies last
- Free hot dogs and beverages provided by Salvation Army
- Stop by the Library's table at this event for giveaways & info





YOUTH PROGRAMS

Stop by the Youth Services Desk or call (727) 943–4922, ext. 6016 for more information or to register for a program.

TODDLERS & PRESCHOOL



(Ages 1 - 5)

STORY TIME*

*No program on 5/30

Thursdays at 10:30 AM

Themed story time with books and music followed by a craft.

Children will also learn colors, numbers, and the alphabet in English and Greek.

* Registration is required.



(Ages birth - 3)

BABY SIGN LANGUAGE*

Fridays at 10:30 AM

Learn how to communicate with your baby by using basic American Sign Language phrases and songs.

Program provided by the Deaf Literacy Center of the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative.

*Registration is required.



(Ages birth - 4)

ZUMBINI*

Thursday, May 2, 10:30 AM

Combines music, dance, and educational tools for 45 minutes of can't-stop-won't-stop bonding, learning, and fun for kids and their caregivers.

* Registration is required.

TODDLERS & PRESCHOOL



(Ages birth - 5)

UKULELE SING-ALONG*

Saturday, May 18, 10:30 AM

Get ready to shake, rattle, and roll with the fabulous Miss Jenipher Lynn and her ukulele! Kids, it's your time to shine and get those wiggles out.

*Registration is required.

YOUTH



(Ages 8 - 12)

CRAFT CLUB*

Wednesday, May 22, 4:30 PM

Create your one-of-a-kind masterpiece.

*Registration is required.



(Ages 6 - 12)

YOU CAN DRAW*

Tuesday, May 28, 4:30 PM

Learn the basics of drawing for beginners and beyond. You will be able to draw something new by the end of each class.

*Registration is required.

FAMILY



(Ages 3+)

LEGO HOUR

Saturday, May 11, 11 AM - 12 PM

Swing by and unleash your inner architect with LEGOS!

LEGOS are provided. No registration is required.

SPLASH PARK CELEBRATION



SPLASH PARK 10 YEAR ANNIVERARY CELEBRATION

Saturday, May 4, 10 AM - 1 PM

Stop by the Library's table at the Recreation Division's celebration of the Splash Park's 10th anniversary. There will be a DJ, games, water slides, and free refreshments while supplies last.

Location: Tarpon Springs
Splash Park (508 Live Oak St.)

PROGRAM



YOUNG ARTISTS RECEPTION*

Tuesday, May 14, 4:30 PM

*Registration is required.

Register at the Library or call (727) 943-4922, ext. 6016



