

# TARPON SPRINGS PUBLIC LIBRARY

138 E. LEMON ST. TARPON SPRINGS, FL 34689

## HOURS

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

DAYLIGHT  
SAVING  
TIME ENDS  
Sun, Nov 3



# OCTOBER 2024

**FRIENDS  
OF THE  
TARPON  
SPRINGS  
PUBLIC  
LIBRARY**  
**60TH ANNIVERSARY**



**SPECIAL DISPLAY AT  
THE LIBRARY IN HONOR  
OF THE FRIENDS  
60TH ANNIVERSARY**

**October 20 - 26  
(National Friends of  
Libraries Week)**

Display of special collections  
sponsored by the Friends will  
feature new additions  
available for checkout.



**FRIENDS  
OF THE  
LIBRARY  
ANNUAL  
MEETING**

**FEATURED SPEAKER  
STEPHANIE HAYES**

**Friday, October 18  
11:30 AM - 2 PM  
Located at Currents  
Third Space Event Hall**

200 E. Tarpon Ave.

Open to the public.  
\$30 per person includes  
choice of luncheon.  
RSVP by October 11.  
More information and  
registration form available  
at the Library.



## UKULELE WORKSHOPS

Presented by the Tampa Bay  
Ukulele Society

**Wednesdays,  
October 2, 9, & 16  
6:30 PM**

Registration required. See inside for details.

Ukulele kits may be checked out with your  
library card.



## BUSINESS PROGRAM

**PAYMENTS: PIPELINES FOR  
CASH FLOW**

Presented by SCORE Pinellas County

**Saturday, October 12  
10:30 AM**

Program offered both in person and online  
via Zoom

Registration required. See inside for details.

## SPECIAL CITY EVENTS



### HALLOWEEN BASH

Location:  
Tarpon Sports Complex  
105 N Jasmine Ave

**Saturday, October 19  
10 AM - 1 PM**



### HOLIDAY SAFETY FESTIVAL

Location: Tarpon Lowe's  
41800 US Hwy 19 N

**Saturday, October 26  
10 AM - 1 PM**

Visit the Library's table at the Halloween Bash and Holiday Safety Festival



# ADULT PROGRAMS

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

## GENEALOGY



### GENEALOGY RESEARCH GROUP

**Monday, October 14  
6 PM**

*"Picking Up Where You Left Off"*

How are you leaving your research for the next family historian? We'll explore ideas for organization, archiving, and sharing.

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



### ONE-ON-ONE GENEALOGY ASSISTANCE

**Available by appointment**

Are you stuck trying to find an ancestor? Have you taken a DNA test and you're not sure what to do next? Make an appointment with our genealogist.

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

## WRITERS GROUP



### FICTION WRITERS

**Wednesdays,  
10 AM**

Sharpen your writing skills with a fiction critique group.

Call David (727) 741-0055 for info.

## CRAFTS



### NEEDLECRAFT GROUP

**1st Mondays,  
6-8 PM**

**Next Meeting: October 7**

Bring your projects and gather 'round for a cozy meet-up where we stitch, knit, crochet, embroider, and quilt together. Newcomers have no fear. We'll teach you the ropes.



### CRAFTER-SPACE

**3rd Tuesdays,  
6-8 PM**

**Next Meeting: October 15**

Calling all crafters: knitters, beaders, painters, scrapbookers, and more. Bring your own project or use our craft kits.

For more information visit: [tarponlibrary.org/crafts](http://tarponlibrary.org/crafts)



### DIY CRAFT NIGHT\*

**Wednesday, October 30  
6 PM**

**Project:**  
Fall Button Frame

**Registration requested:**  
[tarponlibrary.org/diy](http://tarponlibrary.org/diy)



**ADULT Craft TO-GO**

**PAPER STRIP PUMPKIN**

Watch how-to video:  
[tarponlibrary.org/crafts](http://tarponlibrary.org/crafts)

## BUSINESS PROGRAM



### PINELLAS SCORE PROGRAM

**Saturday, October 12  
10:30 AM**

**Payments: Pipelines for Cash Flow**

Learn a brief history of payment types, an in-depth review of modern payment processes, cryptocurrency, and future trends.

This free hybrid workshop will be presented both in person and virtually via Zoom by SCORE personnel.

Registration required:  
[tarponlibrary.org/score](http://tarponlibrary.org/score)

## TECH HELP



### ONE-ON-ONE TECH HELP

**Available by appointment**

Not sure how to work your smartphone? Need to learn specific *Microsoft* products? Make an appointment for a free one-hour session.

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

## COMMUNITY PUZZLE TABLE



Drop in and work on our community puzzle located behind the Reference Desk.



# 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.

## MOVIES

### FAMILY FILM

Saturday,  
October 5  
2 PM

*Inside Out 2*



PG; 1H 36M; 2024;  
Walt Disney Studios

### FRIDAY FILM

Friday,  
October 11  
2 PM

*The Mummy*



PG-13; 2H 4M;  
Released: 1999;  
Universal Pictures

### FILMED IN FLORIDA MOVIE SERIES

Watch movies each  
month filmed locally  
or in Florida.

Thursday,  
October 24  
2 PM

*Edward Scissorhands*



PG-13; 1H 45M; Released: 1990;  
Twentieth Century Fox

**Florida Filming Locations:**  
Lakeland, Land O' Lakes, Lutz,  
Wesley Chapel, and Dade City

Visit [tarponlibrary.org/filmed-in-florida](http://tarponlibrary.org/filmed-in-florida)

### CINEMA SATURDAY

Saturday,  
October 19  
2 PM

*The Mummy  
Returns*



PG-13; 2H; 10m;  
Released: 2001;  
Universal Pictures

## BOOK CLUBS

### EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

1st Wednesdays,  
3:30 PM

October 2

*Remarkably Bright Creatures*  
by Shelby Van Pelt



November 6

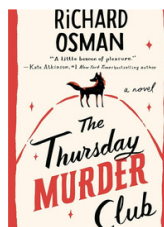
*Finding Dorothy*  
by Elizabeth Letts

### BOOKS & BEYOND

Last Thursdays,  
12:00 PM

October 31

*The Thursday  
Murder Club*  
by Richard Osman



November 21\*

*Night Passage* by Robert Parker

\*Note date change due to holiday.

## SPECIAL PROGRAM



### UKULELE WORKSHOP

Presented by  
Tampa Bay Ukulele  
Society (TBUS)

Wednesdays,  
October 2, 9, & 16  
6:30 PM

Introductory Ukulele Workshop  
for Beginners.

Learn how to hold, tune, strum,  
and play a few chords.

Limited quantities of ukuleles will  
be available at the workshop.  
If you have a ukulele, please bring it  
or check one out at the library.

Registration required:  
[tarponlibrary.org/ukulele](http://tarponlibrary.org/ukulele)

## SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Discover our growing special  
collections ranging from  
energy saving to STEAM kits  
for kids, all available for  
check out!

- **Kill-A-Watt**

A device to find out how much  
energy your appliances use.

- **Hobby Kits**

Beginners' kits to explore  
various hobbies.

- **Museum Passes**

Available to PPLC cardholder  
members.

- **Musical Instruments**

Various types of musical  
instruments to check out.

- **Playaway Launchpads**

Pre-loaded tablets with  
content for kids, teens, and  
adults. No need for Wi-Fi.

- **Seed Library**

Take home herb, flower, fruit,  
and vegetable seeds to plant.

- **YA Art Kits**

Kits available for teens ages  
13 - 17 years.

- **Youth STEAM Kits**

Kits that teach science,  
technology, engineering, arts,  
and math skills.

## TWEENS & TEENS



(Ages 12-17)

### PUMPKIN DIORAMA

Monday, October 21  
5 PM

You create your masterpieces  
and enjoy yummy snacks!

\*Registration is required.



# 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 10/24

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.

The program is provided by the Deaf Literacy Center of the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative.

\*Registration is required.



(Ages birth - 4)

### ZUMBINI\*

Thursday, October 24  
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.

## YOUTH



(Ages 6 - 12)

### YOUNG ARTISTS\*

Tuesday, October 8  
4:30 PM

Learn about art masters and get hands-on experience with art techniques.

The monthly program is presented by the Tarpon Springs Art Association and sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

\*Registration is required.



(Ages 6 - 12)

### YOU CAN DRAW\*

Tuesday, October 15  
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.



(Ages 3 +)

### LEGO HOUR

Wednesday, October 23  
11 AM - 12 PM

Swing by and unleash your inner architect with LEGOS!

LEGOS are provided.

No registration is required.



## YOUTH



(Grades 2 - 5)

### BOOKS TO MOVIES\*

Saturday, November 9  
10:30 AM

Read the book in advance, then watch the movie and discuss them both with others.



Charlotte's Web  
by E.B. White



Charlotte's Web  
G; 1H 34M; 1973;  
Paramount Pictures

\*Registration is required.

## SPECIAL CITY EVENTS



### HALLOWEEN BASH

Location:  
Sports Complex  
105 N. Jasmine Ave

Saturday, October 19  
10AM - 1 PM

A safe alternative to trick or treating. There will be bounce houses, concessions, crafts and more! Stop by the Library booth to say hello to staff members!



### HOLIDAY SAFETY FEST

Location:  
Lowe's  
41800 US Hwy 19 N

Saturday, October 26  
10AM - 1 PM

The City of Tarpon Springs and Keep Pinellas Beautiful are teaming up to celebrate going back to school! Check out the Library table for fun giveaways.

