

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

MAY 2025

HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Monday, May 26
MEMORIAL DAY

LIBRARY SURVEY

We would like to know
your thoughts on our
future programs,
services, and
enhancements.

**ENTER FOR A CHANCE TO
WIN A \$25 GIFT CARD!**



Participants will be
entered into a random
drawing for one of four
\$25 gift cards

Sponsored by the
Friends of the Library

Survey available in the
Library & online at:
connecttarponsprings.com



STAR WARS WEEK

IN RECOGNITION OF STAR WARS DAY (5/4)

May 5 - 10

Take a Selfie with R2D2 and C3PO,
pick up activity sheets,
giveaways, and enter our Trivia
Contest for a chance to win a Star
Wars-themed prize.

See inside for more details.



HORSE-DRAWN TO HORSE-LESS: CARS OF THE EARLY 1900S

PRESENTED BY THE COLLECTION
ON PALMETTO

**Saturday, May 17
2 PM**

Learn about the evolution of cars at
the dawn of the Automobile Age.

See inside for more details. Register online: tarponlibrary.org/cars
The Collection on Palmetto is a PPLC Museum Pass Program Partner



(Ages 5-95)

**ICRE8
INTER-
GENERATIONAL
ART CLASS
WITH MARCELA**

**Saturday, May 10
2 PM**

See inside for more details.
Registration required.
Call (727) 943-4922 ext. 6016.



(Ages 6-12)

**CONSERVATION
STORY TIME
PRESENTED BY
SUZANNE
ELIZABETH
MURPHY**

**Saturday, May 17
10:30 AM**

See inside for more details.
Registration required.
Call (727) 943-4922 ext. 6016.

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.

MOVIES

FAMILY FILM

Saturday,
May 3 PM

Mufasa

PG; 1H 58M; 2024;
Walt Disney Pictures



ALFRED HITCHCOCK MOVIE SERIES

Friday, May 23
2 PM

Dial M For Murder

PG; 1H 45M; 1954;
Warner Bros.



For more info, and for the
complete movie list visit:

tarponlibrary.org/hitchcock

WACKY HOLIDAY MOVIE

Movies for wacky holidays you
didn't know existed

Saturday, May 24
2 PM

Scavenger Hunt

PG; 1H; 56M; 1979;
20th Century Studios

In recognition of
National Scavenger
Hunt Day (May 24)



FRIDAY FILM

Friday,
May 30
2 PM

The Unbreakable Boy

PG; 1H 49M; 2025;
Lions Gate Films, Inc.

Movie titles and dates are
subject to change.



CRAFTS

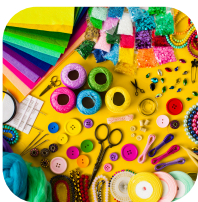


NEEDLECRAFT GROUP

1st Mondays,
6-8 PM

Next Meeting: May 5

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: May 20

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



DIY CRAFT NIGHT

Wednesday, May 28
6 PM

Project: Vision Board

Supplies and instructions provided.



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TEACUP
BOOKMARK

Available at the Checkout Desk
while supplies last.

WRITERS GROUP



FICTION WRITERS

Wednesdays,
10 AM

Sharpen your writing skills with
a fiction critique group.

Call David (727) 741-0055 for info.

BOOK CLUBS

EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

1st Wednesdays,
3:30 PM

May 7

Diamond Eye
by Kate Quinn



June 4

Identity Unknown
by Patricia Cornwell

BOOKS & BEYOND

Last Thursdays,
12:00 PM

May 29

*How to Age
Disgracefully*
by Claire Pooley



June 26

Memoirs of an Imaginary Friend
by Matthew Dicks

GENEALOGY



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?

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



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GENEALOGY



GENEALOGY RESEARCH GROUP

**Monday, May 12
6:30 PM**

Topic: *Newspaper Archives for Genealogists and History Buffs*

Learn how to find old newspapers on free websites, and how to use subscription sites economically. Not all old newspapers are online, so we'll learn how to access those too.

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

STAR WARS TRIVIA CONTEST

May 5 - 10

Stop by the Star Wars Week display table to test out your Star Wars knowledge and be entered for a chance to win a prize.

Grand Prize:

- Canvas Bag
- Tervis Tumbler
- Book: *How Not to Get Eaten by Ewoks and Other Galactic Survival Skills* by Christian Blauvelt
- Set of two Ballpoint Pens with Bookmark
- Millennium Falcon Keyring

Prizes sponsored
by the Friends of
the Library



STAR WARS WEEK

May 5 - 10

In recognition of Star Wars Day (May 4), a display table will be filled with activity sheets, *Star Wars* materials available for check out, and giveaways!

Stop by the Selfie Station and take a picture with C3PO and R2D2!



SPECIAL EVENTS



HORSE-DRAWN TO HORSE-LESS:

Cars of the Early 1900s

**Saturday, May 17
2 PM**

Laura Merrill from the Collection on Palmetto automotive museum will discuss the evolution of cars at the dawn of the Automotive Age.

Learn about four very special cars in the museum collection that dramatically shaped the evolution of automobiles at the turn of the 20th century through innovative technologies, methods of propulsion, and manufacturing methods.

Register online:
tarponlibrary.org/cars

The Collection on Palmetto is a partner with Pinellas Public Library Cooperative and part of our Museum Pass Program. Stop by the Check-Out Desk to see if museum passes are available.

Museum passes are available to PPLC cardholders only and are on a first-come-first served basis.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Did you know we offer...

- Museum Passes
- Musical Instruments
- Pickleball Kits & Other Sports Equipment
- Puzzles & Games Including Giant Editions
- Seed Library
- Tonie Characters & Toniebox Speakers
- Youth STEAM Kits & Educational Tablets
- Hobby Kits Including:
 - Astronomy
 - Bird Watching
 - Crochet
 - Drawing
 - Genealogy
 - Hand Lettering
 - Origami
 - Watercolor Pencils



and
MORE

CHECK THEM OUT TODAY!



YOUTH & TEEN 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*

Thursdays at 10:30 AM

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

***Registration is required.**

Starting in June, Story Time will be taking a break for the summer and will resume in September.



(Ages birth - 3)

BABY SIGN LANGUAGE*

Fridays at 10:30 AM

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.**

Please note that Baby Sign Language will switch from Friday to Thursday in June and July.

YOUTH



YOUNG ARTISTS RECEPTION*

Tuesday, May 13, 4:30 PM

This event is for the participating students in the Young Artist program and their families to showcase the student's works of art.

***Registration is required.**

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

YOUTH



(Ages 6 - 12)

CONSERVATION STORY TIME*

Presented by Suzanne Elizabeth Murphy

Saturday, May 17 10:30 AM

Join us for a workshop on the importance of conservation of coral reefs with original art and story created by Suzanne Elizabeth Murphy. Artist/author Murphy is a recipient of an Arts Impact Fund Grant by Creative Pinellas for *Mirabelle and the Sea Green Bathtub*, *Journey to the Coral Reef*.

Registration required. Call (727) 943-4922 ext. 6016



(Ages 6 - 12)

YOU CAN DRAW*

Tuesday, May 20 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 4 - 8)

JEWELRY MAKING

Tuesday, May 27 4 PM

Unleash your creativity by making fun jewelry with artist/illustrator/author Jenipher Lyn.

***Registration is required.**

FAMILY



(Ages 5-95)

ICRE8 INTER-GENERATIONAL ART CLASS

with Marcela

Saturday, May 10 2 PM

Create your own original art piece while experimenting with a variety of art supplies and techniques.

***Registration is required.**

TWEENS & TEENS



(Ages 13-17)

TEEN GAME NIGHT*

Monday, May 19 5 - 6 PM

Bring your friends and play board games and card games. Snacks provided.

***Registration is required.**

TEEN DATABASE



TeenBookCloud features ebooks, graphic novels, enhanced novels, classic literature, videos, educator resources, and audiobooks. Enhanced Novels are a collection of classic literature, YA novels, middle school chapter books, and foundational non-fiction texts featuring professional narration paired with line by line highlighting.

Visit tarponlibrary.org/teens

