

Eldredge Public Library  
Youth Services

# OCTOBER 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Look for the * symbol indicating programs requiring registration.</p> </div>			<p><b>Early Release</b> 2:30-3:30 pm <b>Lego Block Party*</b> (Gr. K-4)</p> 			
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Library Closed	<p><b>SORRY! WE'RE CLOSED</b></p>	<p>1:15 pm <b>"S" Is For Storytime*</b> (2.9-5 Yrs. with Caregiver)</p>		<p>11:30 am <b>Baby Yoga*</b> (Newborn to Pre-crawling infants with Caregiver)</p>	<p>10:30 am <b>Wee Read*</b> (Walkers.-2.9 Yrs. with Adult Caregiver)</p> 	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Library Closed		<p>1:15 pm <b>"S" Is For Storytime*</b> (2.9-5 Yrs. with Caregiver)</p> <p><b>Mock Tuesday!</b> 5:30 - Newbery* (Adults, Gr. 4 &amp; Up)</p> <p>6:30 - Printz* (Adults, Gr. 7 &amp; Up)</p>	<p><b>Early Release</b> 2:30-3:30 pm <b>Fall Crafternoon*</b> (Gr. K-4)</p>	<p>11:30 am <b>Baby Yoga*</b> (Newborn to Pre-crawling infants with Caregiver)</p>	<p>10:30 am <b>Wee Read*</b> (Walkers.-2.9 Yrs. with Adult Caregiver)</p> <p>3:45-4:45 pm <b>Jr. Friends Mtg.*</b> (Gr. 5-12)</p>	<p>10:00 am <b>Sing Me A Story!</b> (Infants-5 Yrs &amp; Their Families.)</p>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Library Closed		<p>1:15 pm <b>"S" Is For Storytime*</b> (2.9-5 Yrs. with Caregiver)</p> <p>5:00-7:00 pm <b>Murder Mystery Dinner*</b> (Gr. 5-12)</p>	<p>10:00 am <b>Mock Caldecott*</b> (Adult Program)</p>	<p>11:30 am <b>Baby Yoga*</b> (Newborn to Pre-crawling infants with Caregiver)</p>	<p>10:30 am <b>Wee Read*</b> (Walkers.-2.9 Yrs. with Adult Caregiver)</p>	
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Library Closed		<p>1:15 pm <b>"S" Is For Storytime*</b> (2.9-5 Yrs. with Caregiver)</p> <p>11:00 am to 6:30 pm <b>Trick-Or-Treat@ The Library!</b> (Children of All Ages)</p>				

**TUESDAYS**

**"S" is for Storytime— Tuesdays beginning Oct. 10th at 1:15 pm for Children 2.9-5 Yrs.** This 26-week program (with breaks for vacations) will celebrate picture books, reading, and the letters of the alphabet! **A one-time registration is required** to ensure materials are prepared and available for participants.

**Mock Tuesday!— Oct. 17th beginning at 5:30 pm (Mock Newbery) and 6:30 pm (Mock Printz).** Both discussions follow the award criteria for selecting the most distinguished titles of the year for children and young adults. **Participants must register for each mock session** and may participate in one or both groups. To register or for more information, email Tammy at [tdepasquale@clamsnet.org](mailto:tdepasquale@clamsnet.org).

**Murder Mystery Dinner — Oct 24th from 5:00 to 7:00 pm for Gr. 5-12.** Kick off "Spooky Season" at the Eldredge Public Library! Put on your detective hat and join us for dinner and a night of clue-solving fun! **Registration is required.**

**Trick-Or-Treat @ The Library — Oct. 31st from 11:00 am to 6:30 pm for Children of All Ages.** Celebrate Halloween with the Eldredge Public Library staff! Children of all ages can visit the Library to trick-or-treat, enjoy Halloween Books, and show off their costumes! **Registration is not required.**

**WEDNESDAYS**

**Early Release Fun: LEGO Block Party! — Oct. 4th from 2:30 to 3:30 pm for Gr. K-4.** Are you a LEGO-maniac? Join your friends & share your enthusiasm for building! This is a Monomoy Early Release Day, so a snack will be provided. **Registration is required.**

**Early Release Fun: Fall Crafternoon! — Oct. 18th from 2:30 to 3:30 pm for Gr. K-4.** Explore art with us and create your own spooky craft! **Registration is required.**

**Mock Caldecott — Oct. 26th at 10:00 am for Adults.** This book discussion group follows the award criteria for selecting the year's most distinguished picture books for children. Books will be provided and must be read ahead of time. **Registration is required.** To register, email Tammy at [tdepasquale@clamsnet.org](mailto:tdepasquale@clamsnet.org).

**THURSDAYS**

**Baby Yoga — Thursdays beginning Oct. 12th at 11:30 am for Newborns-Pre-Crawling Infants with Caregivers.** Enjoy a unique parent/child bonding opportunity by practicing yoga, discovering movement, and singing rhymes in this child-friendly, relaxed, environment. **Registration is required.**

**FRIDAYS**

**Wee Read Storytime/Playgroup — Fridays beginning Oct. 13th at 10:30 am for Walking Toddlers.-2.9Yrs. with Adult Caregiver.** Enjoy stories, songs, crafts, and play time together in this weekly early literacy program. **A one-time registration is required.**

**Jr. Friends Mtg. — Oct. 20th from 3:45-4:45 pm for Gr. 5-12.** Tweens & teens, we need your help with special Library projects! **Registration is required.** Email Meghan at [mkemp@clamsnet.org](mailto:mkemp@clamsnet.org) to register.

**SATURDAYS**

**Sing Me A Story! — Oct. 21st at 10:00 am for Newborns-5 Yrs. with Their Families.** Families with children from birth to 5 years old are invited to a special program with singer/songwriter, Emilia Dahlin. We'll sing, move, and play together while learning how singing supports children's acquisition of early literacy skills. **Registration is required.**

**1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Celebration!  
Saturday, Oct. 21st at 10:00 am**

During our *Sing Me A Story* program, we will also share information about our *1,000 Books Before Kindergarten* program and celebrate the milestones achieved by our program participants! Whether your child has read 100, 200, 300, or more books so far, we want to celebrate you! This is also a great time to register your child for this home-based program to help build the foundation of your child's literacy skills. Hope to see you there!

**HAPPY HALLOWEEN**

