

The Alvin Sherman Library Is Having a Party!
Saturday, March 2, 2013
1 - 3 pm

Free and open to the public

Please RSVP by Friday, February 22
<http://nova.edu/library/rsvp> or 954.262.5477

March 2nd we celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday and cannot wait. It will be a party like no other...so save the date! There will be fun, games and scrumptious cake. Mark your calendar and don't be late!

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Alvin Sherman Library, Research, and Information Technology Center
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JAPAN FOUNDATION

Gazing at the Contemporary World:
Japanese Photography from the 1970s to the present

March 5 - April 12, 2013 • Adolfo & Marisela Cotilla Gallery
Nova Southeastern University Alvin Sherman Library

The exhibit provides an overview of the diverse photographic expression that has emerged in Japan since the 1970s. It is divided into two sections. The first, "A Changing Society," focuses on the appearance of human beings as members of society. The second, "Changing landscapes," focuses on changes in landscapes appearing in cities, suburbs, rural villages, and nature.

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www.nova.edu/library/main 954.262.4600

Gallery Hours
Monday - Friday: 9 am - 9 pm; Saturday: 9 am - 8 pm; Sunday: 11 am - 9 pm

Directions: From I-95 or Florida's Turnpike: Exit I-595 proceed west to University Drive. (Exit #5) Continue South on University Drive to SW 30th Street/Abe Fischer Blvd. Turn left (East) onto SW 30th Street. Pass the Miami Dolphins Training Facility, turn right turn onto Ray Ferrero, Jr. Blvd. The public parking garage is located to the right. Parking is \$1 per hour.

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Library Hours:

Monday - Thursday
7:30 am - 11:00 pm

Friday
7:30 am - 9:00 pm

Saturday
8:00 am - 8:00 pm

Sunday
11:00 am - 11:30 pm

*Extended Library
Hours
March 1*

7 am until 12 am

Children & Tweens

Wednesdays,

10:30 am - 11:30 am (Ages 3-5 years with caregiver)

Sharkey's Storytime Fun

Enjoy books, songs & activities that enhance early literacy skills and explore the world online with kid-friendly websites recommended by librarians. First Floor, Room 1017.

March 6 - The Art of Reading!

March 13 - Get Ready for St Patrick's Day!

March 20 - Girl Power!

March 27 - Ocean Commotion!

Thursdays, 10:30 am - 11:00 am (Ages 18-36 months with caregiver)

Little Minnows Storytime

Inspire your future reader with stories and songs featuring rhythm, repetition, and rhyme.

10:30-10:50 am: Stories & Songs.

10:50-11:00 am: Free Play & Family Literacy University.

First Floor, Room 1017.

March 7, 14, 21, 28

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Funded by the Erwin and Barbara Mautner Charitable Foundation
Read for the Fun of It Initiative.

Saturday, March 9 10:30 am - 11:00 am (Ages 3-5)

All Star Storytime for Children with ASD!

The Alvin Sherman Library's All Star Storytime provides a special opportunity for parents of children ages 3-5 years who have been diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder to experience a library storytime with their child.

Class size is limited. Pre-registration is required. Call 954-262-5477 beginning two weeks prior to the program to register your child. For more information, visit www.bit.ly/asdstorytime. First Floor, Room 1017.

The Alvin Sherman Library is excited to announce that it received a \$250,000 grant from the Erwin and Barbara Mautner Charitable Foundation to support the Read for the Fun of it Initiative. Read for the Fun of it is a five-year initiative designed to create a legacy of reading by addressing literacy issues in this community by fostering a tradition of life-long learning and a love of literature for preschoolers through teens.

This gift enables the library to reach more of our community through innovative and unique programming and outreach efforts. Our goal is to encourage the love of reading through programs and events many of which will focus on helping ensure that families who cannot afford to purchase their books will be able to create their own library. To reach more families, we will include partnerships with other educational institutions and community organizations. In addition, we intend to launch new programs and enhance existing programming such as community outreach, Families 2Read, a celebration of Dr. Seuss' birthday, a summer library reading program, and a Young Authors Workshop (a teen creative writing program).

Most importantly, we are working with the Erwin and Barbara Mautner Charitable Foundation to make an impact in our community by changing people's lives through embracing the love of reading. On March 2, we kick-off the Read for the Fun of It by celebrating Dr. Seuss' (Theodor Seuss Geisel) Birthday. Dr. Seuss, an American writer, poet and cartoonist wrote over 46 children's books creating a generation of readers which continues today. We hope you join us for this wonderful event.

Saturday, March 9 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm (Ages 6+)

LEGO Builders Club!

This inclusive program for ages 6 and up is for children of all ability levels. Parents are encouraged to bring a camera and take home a picture of your child's creation. Registration begins on Monday, February 25th. For more information, call 954-262-5477. First Floor, Room 1017.

Monday, March 11 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm (Ages 5-12)

Wags & Tales: Read to a Dog!

This program enables children between the ages of 5-12 years old to read an age-appropriate short story to an Animal Assisted Therapy Dog. The intent of the program is to make reading fun and boost the child's confidence in reading out loud. This program is offered in partnership with the Humane Society of Broward County.

Registration begins on Monday, February 25. To reserve your spot, please call 954-262-5477 or visit us at the Public Library Services Reference Desk. First Floor, Room 1017.

Saturday, March 23 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm (All Ages)

Live at the Sherman Library! Duck in Truck Puppets: The Tom Sawyer Shadow Puppet Show

Duck in Truck Puppets is a professional puppet troupe based in Jensen Beach, Florida. They have been delighting young audiences for decades. Mark Twain's classic *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer* comes to life in this energetic, entertaining puppet performance. In addition to learning about the art of puppetry, children will be introduced to the famous Mark Twain characters Tom Sawyer, Aunt Polly, and Becky Thatcher. This program is made possible by a gift from the Charles P. Ferro Foundation. Second Floor, Cotilla Gallery.

Teens

March 9- 14 ALL DAY (Ages 13-18)

Teen Tech Week: Teens in the Contemporary World Photography Exhibit

Photographs taken by teens expressing their perspective of their environment is the focus of this exhibit which features the works of NSU's Upper University School Digital Arts students and members of the Alvin Sherman Library Teen groups.

This exhibit reflects the themes in *Gazing at the Contemporary World*, a Japanese photography exhibit in Alvin Sherman Library's Cotilla Gallery. First Floor, Atrium.

March 10- 16 ALL DAY (Ages 13-18)

Teen Tech Week: Retired Technology Trivia

Visit the technology display of outdated devices in the Teen Room and take your best guess at what these relics were once used for.

Fill out an entry form with your answers and drop it in the ballot box for a chance to win a new PS3 or XBOX360 game! First Floor, Room 1035.

Friday, March 15 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm (Ages 13-18)

Teen Tech Week: Nintendo Night

Test your gaming skills on one of the original Nintendo systems and play some of the classics! First Floor, Room 1035.

Adults

Sunday, March 10 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Celebrate Florida Heritage Month: Hurricanes

Join Meteorologist Robert Molleda of NOAA (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration) as he talks about the establishment of the National Weather Service in South Florida and the history of hurricanes from the 1800s to the present. Light refreshments will be served.

Fourth Floor, Room 4009.

Sunday, March 17 10:45 am - 12:00 pm

COF Annual Pre-Lit Live Brunch

Circle of Friends for the Alvin Sherman Library invites you to a lively Pre-LitLIVE! Brunch with Dr. Stanley Cohen. Author of *My Time with Einstein* and Executive Vice Dean Health Professions Division.

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COMPLIMENTARY ADMISSION for *Circle of Friends* Members, \$15 per person non-members. (Reservations required, walk-ins not permitted). RSVP by Friday, March 8, 2013 to: Joan McBean: 954.262.4627 or libdev@nova.edu.

Second Floor, Room 2002.

Sunday, March 24 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Celebrate Irish-American Heritage Month: Film

Join us as we celebrate the contributions of Irish-Americans by enjoying a classic Irish film. Please call for title. Light refreshments will be served.

Second Floor, Room 2053.

Computer Camp

Wednesday, March 13 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Microsoft Word 2010, Part II

Gain confidence and go beyond the basics as we edit, format and proofread text in Microsoft Word. Prerequisite: Familiarity with Microsoft Word window.

Register online or call us at 954-262-5477. Second Floor, Lab B.

Saturday, March 23 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Computer Basics for Absolute Beginners

This computer class is for absolute beginners who would like to learn basic computer skills in a comfortable and welcoming atmosphere.

Register online or call us at 954-262-5477. Second Floor, Lab B.

Genealogy

Sunday, March 3 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Genealogical Society of Broward County

The Genealogical Society of Broward County's monthly meeting is held at the Alvin Sherman Library. The program begins at 2:30 pm after the GSBC open lab (noon - 2 pm) and the Genealogical Society of Broward County business meeting (which begins at 2 pm). Sponsored by the Genealogical Society of Broward County.

Second Floor, Lab A.

Saturday, March 23 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

African Diaspora Genealogy Group

Join others interested in learning more about African Diaspora genealogy. This support group meets informally on the fourth Saturday of every month at the Alvin Sherman Library. For more information about the group contact adgenealogy@gmail.com.

Second Floor, Lab A.



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