## Black History Month 2015
CELEBRATING Black History NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

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**Sunday, Feb. 15   2 -3 PM   2nd Floor, Cotilla Gallery**

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**E-NEWSLETTER**
**February 2015**

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**nova.edu/library/main**

**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

## Children & Tweens

**Raise a Reader @ Sharkey's Storytime (Ages 3-5 with caregiver)**
**Wednesdays, 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM** (First Floor - Program Room #1017)
Enjoy books, songs & activities that enhance early literacy skills and explore the world online with kid-friendly websites recommended by librarians.
10:30 AM-11:00 AM: Stories & Songs
11:00 AM-11:15 AM: Crafts & Raise a Reader
11:15 AM-11:30 AM: Little Learners' Computer Lab
   February 4: Cats!
   February 11: Celebrate Black History Month with Positively Africa!
   February 18: Presidents Day!
   February 25: Library Love!

**Raise a Reader @ Little Minnows Storytime!**
**(Ages 18-36 months with caregiver)**
**Thursdays, 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM** (First Floor - Program Room #1017)
Inspire your future reader with stories and songs featuring rhythm, repetition, and rhyme.  Raise a Reader: learn about early literacy skills.
  10:30 AM-10:50 AM: Stories & Songs
  10:50 AM-11:15 AM: Raise a Reader & Free Play
   February 5, 12, 19, 26

**Millions of Cats Puppetry Workshop! (Ages 6+)**
**Saturday, February 7: 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM** (First Floor - Program Room #1017)
Tampa-based master puppet builder Holli Rubin leads a puppetry workshop based on the children's book classic Millions of Cats by Wanda Gag. In this hand's on program, children will make puppets, learn storytelling and puppet performance techniques and perform their puppet show to the audience.

**Florida Grand Opera! (All ages & Adults)**
**Sunday, February 8: 2:00 PM – 2:45 PM** (Second Floor - Cotilla Gallery)
America's seventh-oldest opera company (founded as The Opera Guild of Greater Miami in 1941), Florida Grand Opera presents: "The Telephone" by G. Menotti.  For more information about this and any other  event go to public.library.nova.edu and click on Program and Events.
**Wags & Tales (Ages 5-12)**

**Monday, February 9: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM**
(First Floor - Program Room #1017)
Wags & Tales enables children to have fun reading an age-appropriate short story to an Animal Assisted Therapy Dog. Offered in partnership with the Humane Society of Broward County.  **To reserve your spot, please call 954-262-5477 or visit the Public Library Services Reference Desk starting January 12 at 9 AM.**

**Afterschool S.T.E.M.(Grades 3-6)**
**Thursday, February 19: 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM**
**(**First Floor - Program Room #1017)
Build! Create! Investigate!  Join us once a month for hands-on science demonstrations and experiments. Pre-registration required.
**Call us at 954-262-5477 to register.**

## Teens

**Teen College Series (Ages 13-18)**
   **College Admission Essay Workshop**
   **Tuesday, February 17: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM**
   Learn how to make your writing stand out! Pre-registration is required. Call 954-262-5477 to reserve your spot.

   **College Scholarship Information and Search Session**
   **Wednesday, February 18: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM** (Second Floor - Lab A)
   Learn how to locate funding for college using the library's databases! Pre-registration is required. Call 954-262-5477 to reserve your spot.

   **NSU Admissions Presentation & Campus Tour**
   **Saturday, February 21: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM** (Third Floor - Room 3018)
   Join us for a presentation from the NSU Undergraduate Admissions Office and a campus tour led by one of our student ambassadors! Pre-registration is required. Call 954-262-5477 to reserve your spot.

**Blacks in Innovation: A Technology Fair**
**Saturday, February 21st, 11:00 am to 2:00 pm**
**NSU's Office of Innovation and Information Technology will host**
Blacks in Innovation: A Technology Fair, geared toward students, ages 12-15 years old. Includes several interactive sessions where students will view the contributions of Blacks in technology; learn about aerial photography and video with the use of a quadcopter, view a drone flight demonstration; see a demonstration of 3-D printing; explore Robotics (the use of automation to secure a perimeter and help farmers watch crops); Video Production (Gopro footage editing and correction, with video and photo composition); visit web sites relating to learning various programming languages; learn about the process of creating digital art from concept to completed design in a brief demonstration; learn about writing Code; and more.
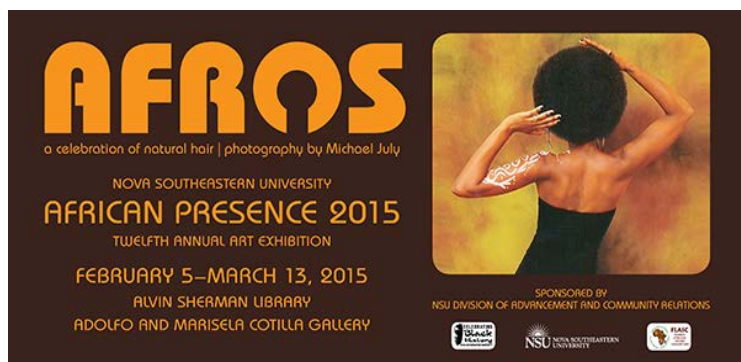
# Adults

**Edible Prose Let's Chat! Let's Eat! Book Club**
**Saturday, February 14: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM** (First floor - Program Room #1017)
Join us for engaging discussion and light refreshments! This month's pick, *Very Valentine* by Adriana Trigiani. The book is available in print or audio. Search our catalog **(NovaCat)** to borrow or find it at any local Broward County library. More information at http://sherman.library.nova.edu/sites/spotlight/events/. To register please call 954-262- 5477

**Jazz in the Gallery**
**Sunday, February 1: 2:00 PM -3:00 PM** (Second Floor - Cotilla Gallery)
South Florida jazz fusion group The Inner Court is the featured artist in this concert celebrating Black History Month. The Inner Court is led by bassist Tony Alford, and the group covers a wide range of styles, all with a firm jazz grounding. Co-sponsored
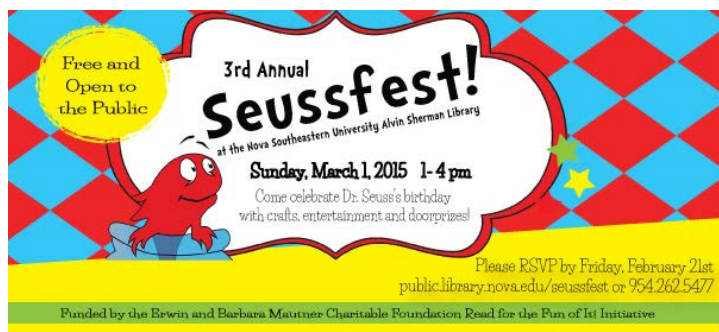


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Free and Open to the Public
3rd Annual
Seussfest!
at the Nova Southeastern University Alvin Sherman Library
Sunday, March 1, 2015  1-4 pm
Come celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday with crafts, entertainment and doorprizes!
Please RSVP by Friday, February 21st
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# Computer Camp

**Computer Basics for Absolute Beginners**
**Saturday, February 14: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM** (Second Floor - Lab B)
This computer class is for absolute beginners who would like to learn basic computer skills in a comfortable and welcoming atmosphere.
Please call 954-262-5477 to register.

**Ipad Basics**
**Tuesday, February 17: 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM** (Second Floor - Lab B)
Explore your iPad. Come and learn about the physical features, the operating system, Safari browser and apps. Please call 954-262-5477 to register.

# Genealogy

**Genetics and Genealogy. A GSBC Program**
**Sunday, February 1: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM**
Professor Emily Schmitt will discuss genetics testing as it relates to genealogy research. She will be joined by her honors thesis student, Natalie Negron who has used this techniques to do family history research. Emily Schmitt is an Associate Director and Professor at the Division of Math. Science and Technology, Farquhar College of Arts and Sciences, Nova Southeastern University.

The program will begin following the GSBC business meeting at 2:00 PM.
The Genealogical Society of Broward County (GSBC) meets monthly at the NSU Alvin Sherman Library on the first Sunday of every month. Meetings begin with an open lab from noon to 2 PM. The open lab is followed by a board meeting and program. Meetings are open to the public.
Second Floor - Lab A

**Genealogy Research Night at the Library**
**Wednesday, February 25: 7:00 PM-9:00 PM**
Join other genealogy enthusiasts for an open lab. Have a brick wall? Get help breaking through! Need to learn how to use the databases resources at the Sherman Library â€" learn how withÂ experienced genealogists. Free and open to the public.

Sponsored by the Jewish Genealogical Society of Broward County.
For more information about the JGSBC see www.jgsbc.org
Second Floor - Lab A



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