

E-NEWS

Nova Southeastern University Alvin Sherman Library

CHILDREN

February 2016

Raise a Reader @ Sharkey's Storytime (Ages 3 - 5 with caregiver)

Wednesdays, 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM

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

10:30 - 11:00 AM: Stories and Songs.

11:00 - 11:15 AM: Raise a Reader & Activities

February 3: Sing a Song in Storytime!

February 10: Library Love Storytime!

February 17: Sea Storytime!

February 24: Positively Africa *Special Performance!*

First Floor - Program Room 1017



Raise a Reader @ Little Minnows Storytime (Ages 18 - 36 months with caregiver)

Thursdays, 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM

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

10:30 - 11:00 AM: Stories and Songs

11:00 - 11:15 AM: Raise a Reader & Free Play

February 4, 11, 18, 25

First Floor, Program Room 1017

Celebrate Library Lovers' Month with Creative Crafts

Saturday, February 6, 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Drop in for crafts celebrating Library Lovers' Month and help us create a valentine for the library! First Floor, Program Room 1017

Wags and Tales (Ages 5 - 12)

Monday, February 8, 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM

This program enables children 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. Registration begins Friday, Jan. 15. 954-262-5477 or public.library.nova.edu. First Floor, Public Library Services.

Welcome to the Library, Broward Homeschoolers!

Tuesday, February 9, 2:00 PM to 2:45 PM

Enjoy a brief tour of the library – one of the largest libraries in Florida – and explore our online resources for students of all ages with our youth services librarians. Save your spot, register now at 954-262-5477 or public.library.nova.edu First Floor, Program Room 1017

Builders Club (Ages 5 – 10)

Tuesday, February 9, 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Build and create with the library's LEGO® blocks. We provide the LEGO® blocks – kids provide the imagination! All materials must stay at the library, so bring a camera to capture your adventures. Please leave your LEGO® blocks at home. We don't want you to lose your favorite pieces! Registration opens Friday, Jan. 15.

954-262-5477 or online at: public.library.nova.edu

First Floor, Program Room 1017

Afterschool S.T.E.M (Grades 3-6)

Thursday, February 11, 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Science, Technology, Engineering and Math at the Alvin Sherman Library.

Join us every month as we explore S.T.E.M. concepts with awesome activities, excellent experiments, dynamic demonstrations and phenomenal guest presenters! Dress for a mess. Registration opens Friday, January 15. Call 954-262-5477 to register. public.library.nova.edu. First Floor, Program Room 1017

Dancing in Your Direction *Special Performance!*

(Ages 6+) Younger siblings with caregiver welcomed

Saturday, February 20, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Come see the Moving Currents performers dancing with the help of your imagination! The audience becomes the choreographer in this informal, interactive dance performance that encourages children to wake up their imagination and curiosity. This event is part of the Live at the Sherman Library series made possible by a gift from Charles P. Ferro Foundation.

First Floor - Program Room 1017

Celebrate African Music and Culture with Positively Africa!

(Recommended for children of all ages) *Special Performance!*

Wednesday, February 24, 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM

Dance & sing along as this lively and enchanting duo performs songs and movement and demonstrates authentic instruments. A selection of African folktales will be available for check-out. This free program is for children of all ages with caregiver. Call 954-262-5477.

First Floor, Public Library Services

The 4th annual SeussFest!

Sunday, March 6.

Register early at public.library.nova.edu/seussfest or call 954-262-5477.

TEENS

Greeting Card Workshop (Ages 13-18)

Thursday, February 4, 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

"Be Mine" or "Valentine Schmalentine"? Use your artistic talent to create beautiful cards in celebration of love – or not!

First Floor, Program Room 1017

Teen Movie Club: Shakespeare Adaptations!

Ages 13 -18

Saturday, February 6, 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM

Do you like movies? Join the club! We'll discuss a new genre each month, and then vote on a movie to watch. This month's theme is Shakespeare adaptations! Refreshments will be served. Questions? For more information, call the Public Library Services Reference Desk at 954-262-5477.

First Floor, Teen Room 1035

ADULTS

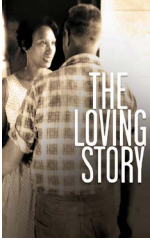
The Left Hand (and Right Foot) of Tai Chi Ch'uan

Saturday, February 13, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Learn Tai Chi basics with Dr. Douglas Flemons!

Tai Chi is known for its health benefits and stress reduction. Dr. Flemons is an NSU professor of family therapy, a clinical professor of family medicine, co-director of the NSU Office of Suicide and Violence Prevention, and longtime Tai Chi practitioner. Sponsored by the Big Read grant. Register at public.library.nova.edu or 954-262-5477.

First Floor- Program Room 1017



"The Loving Story," Film Viewing and Discussion

Sunday, February 14, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Richard and Mildred Loving, who were arrested in 1958 for violating Virginia's ban on interracial marriage, fought their conviction all the way to the Supreme Court in a landmark case. Created Equal: America's Civil Rights Struggle is an initiative of the National Endowment for the Humanities and the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History that uses the power of documentary films to encourage community discussion about America's civil rights history. A discussion

moderated by an NSU professor from the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences will follow the screening. Light refreshments will be served.

Second Floor, Cotilla Gallery

Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune Comes to Life

Wednesday, February 17, 6:30 PM - 8:00 pm

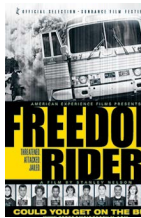
Circle of Friends and the Florida Humanities Council Present author and performer Ersula Knox-Odom as Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune. RSVP at libdev@nova.edu or 954-262 4593.

How to Start a Novel

Sunday, February 20, 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Attention all writers! Start your novel today with Mystery Writers of America's Florida Chapter Speakers Bureau! Register at 954-262-5477.

Second Floor, Conference Room 2053



"Freedom Riders" Film Viewing and Discussion

Sunday, February 21, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

What happens when non-violent activism and courage are used as a means to combat injustice and inequality? This film offers insight into some of the brave activists and their stories.

A discussion moderated by an NSU professor from the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences will follow the screening. Light refreshments will be served. Second Floor, Cotilla Gallery



"The Abolitionists," Film Viewing and Discussion

Saturday, February 27, 2:00 PM TO 5:30 PM

Radicals. Agitators. Troublemakers. Liberators. Called many names, the abolitionists tore the nation apart in order to create a more perfect union. Portrayals of Frederick Douglass, William Lloyd Garrison, Angelina Grimké, Harriet Beecher Stowe, and John Brown are highlighted in the film.

A discussion moderated by an NSU professor from the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences will follow the screening.

Light refreshments will be served. Second Floor, Cotilla Gallery

Jazz in the Gallery

Sunday, February 28, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Broward College Jazz Combo will perform jazz music to celebrate Black History Month. Please register online at public.library.nova.edu or call 954-262-5477, Second Floor, Cotilla Gallery

COMPUTER CAMP

Computer Basics for Absolute Beginners

Saturday, February 13, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

This computer class is for absolute beginners who would like to learn basic computer skills in a comfortable and welcoming atmosphere. Please register at 954-262-5477.

Second Floor, Lab B

iPad Basics

Tuesday, February 16, 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Explore your iPad! Come and learn about the physical features, the operating system, Safari browser and apps. Please register online or call 954-262-5477.

Second Floor - Lab B

GENEALOGY

African American Genealogy. A GSBC Program

Sunday, February 7, 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Learn more about genealogy with fellow enthusiasts!

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

EXHIBIT

NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY | AFRICAN PRESENCE 2016
THIRTEENTH ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION

ASCENT: Black Women's Expressions

FEBRUARY 4-MARCH 4, 2016 | ALVIN SHERMAN LIBRARY
ADOLFO AND MARISELA COTILLA GALLERY

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Sunday
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