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September 2023

**Library Card
Signup Month +
September Food Drive**

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Library Card Signup Month Food Drive and Ebook 101 Class!

Downloading Ebooks 101: How to Use Libby

Monday, September 11 (4-5 pm) - September is Library Card Sign-Up Month! Our library cards do all sorts of wonderful things for us—but did you know you can use your card to check out free ebooks from 12 different ebook libraries? Did you know you can also download audiobooks, or even “readalong” versions of your favorite picture books? If all of this sounds new to you, or you just want to figure out how to get ebooks on your device, come to our “Ebooks 101” program for a live demonstration of how you can use our Libby/Overdrive ebook catalog! Coffee included.

Library Food Drive

Bring an item and be entered into a special raffle drawing! Help us celebrate National Food Bank Day by giving back to the community! Did you know that 1 in 10 people and 1 in 7 children in Kootenai County live with food insecurity? For the month of September, the library will be accepting non-perishable food donations and hygienic items to help feed and care for those in our community experiencing poverty and food insecurity. Preferred foods include canned goods, boxed dinners, peanut butter, dry cereal, and canned meat. Toothbrushes, toilet paper, sanitary products, and other hygienic items will also be accepted. Stop by the front desk when you make your donation to receive your raffle ticket. This event is run in partnership with the Community Action Partnership, which works with communities in North Idaho to help families exit poverty.

National Hispanic Heritage Month September 15 to October 15

Every year from September 15 to October 15, Americans celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month by appreciating the community's history, heritage, and contributions of the ancestors of American citizens who came from Mexico, Spain, the Caribbean, and South and Central America.

Library Expands Spanish Collection

Thanks to a \$1500 grant from the Idaho Humanities Council, plus a matching amount from the Coeur d'Alene Public Library Foundation, The Library has been able to add 90+ new materials to its existing Spanish language collection. The library's Spanish language collection was established in 2009 and is currently comprised of hundreds of titles. Patrons can find an assortment of new bestselling adult fiction and non-fiction in various formats including print, audio Playaway, and digital audiobooks available via Libby. Did you know the library also offers an impressive Spanish language collection for children? We do! As the Hispanic population grows in Kootenai county, Coeur d'Alene Public Library hopes to be a trusted resource for this community.



Returning to the Library this Month

Medicare Workshops

SHIBA is presenting a series of senior health workshops at the library. Join us for any of the series. Senior Health Insurance Benefits Advisors (SHIBA) serves Idahoans on Medicare and those who help them by offering free, unbiased Medicare benefits information and assistance through workshops, group presentations and personal counseling. SHIBA is Idaho's provider for the federal network of State Health Insurance Assistance Programs (SHIPs). The program is partially funded by and operated under the authority of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Community Living (ACL).



- **September 13, 2023 (3-4:30pm)** - Quarterly Workshops - Introduction to Medicare 101 & 201
- **September 19, 2023 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Medicare Annual Enrollment: Why do Annual Plan Reviews & have a Medicare.gov account - Medicare Advantage & Prescription Drug Plans can change their premiums, coverage, network pharmacies and extra benefits each year. Reviewing your coverage during the annual enrollment period can help you be sure your coverage for next year is the one that will best suit your needs.

Upcoming programs:

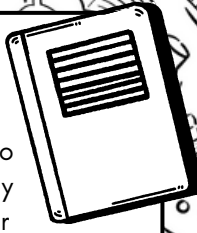
- **October 17, 2023 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Using the Medicare Plan Finder
- **November 21, 2023 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Changes to Medicare for 2024
- **December 13, 2023 (3-4:30pm)** - Introduction to Medicare 101 & 201
- **January 16, 2024 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Medicare Ads & Scams
- **February 20, 2024 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Medicare Resources
- **March 13, 2024 (3-4:30pm)** - Introduction to Medicare 101 & 201
- **March 19, 2024 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Medicare Basics
- **April 16, 2024 (1:30-2:30pm)** - Part B & Wellness Benefits
- **May 12, 2024 (3-4:30pm)** - Introduction to Medicare 101 & 201

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Don't miss out on all of our upcoming programs and services. Sign up for our monthly newsletter at cdalibrary.org/2021/09/22/signup. You can also email us at communications@cdalibrary.org, give us a call at 208-769-2315, or ask a librarian to get you on the list!



Weekly Children's Programming



Autumn Baby Story Time (0-18 mo)

Tuesdays, September 12, 19, 26 (10 am) - Settle into fall with a sweet storytime that's designed for caregivers to share quality time with their baby! We'll bounce, giggle, listen to flannel stories, sing catchy songs, and make silly actions that will bring a smile to your little one's face. Participants are encouraged to stick around afterward for playtime and adult conversation. You might even leave with ideas for new engaging ways to introduce developmental activities at home!

Autumn Toddler Story Time (18 mo-3 yo)

Thursdays September 14, 21, 28 (10 am) - Bring your toddler to the library for some fall themed fun! Of course, we'll read great stories, but there will also be plenty of singing, dancing, and silly moves to keep youngsters busy. All of the activities are intended to delight and emphasize early learning concepts. After storytime, you're invited to stay for unstructured playtime filled with creative opportunities and fun toys.

Autumn Pre-School Story Time (3-5 yo)

Fridays September 15, 22, 29, (10 am) - Fall is a great time to introduce preschoolers to the fun of group activities such as storytime at the library! You can expect entertaining stories that nurture your child's imagination along with fun activities that fuel their curiosity and build literacy skills. In addition to offering plenty of music and movement, this storytime always ends with an exciting, crowd-pleasing craft.

Special Children's Programming

Paws to Read (All Ages)

Mondays, September 11 (10:30-12 pm) & September 25 (3:30-5 pm) - Bring your young reader to the children's library to read to a real, live therapy dog. This is the perfect program for children who are working on building their reading confidence or who love sharing books with a furry friend. These dogs love to hear stories and are ready to help you become the best reader you can be!

Saturday with the Symphony: A Children's Program (3+yo)

Saturday, September 16 (11 am) - Children 3 and older can enjoy "Saturday with the Symphony" from 11-11:45 a.m. Saturday, at the Coeur d'Alene Public Library. The free music education program is coordinated by the Coeur d'Alene Symphony Orchestra and recurs the third Saturday of each month. The music-filled hour typically includes a fun musical performance, an interactive activity and a book reading by the children's librarian. Past musical performances have included traditional classical music, jazz, pop and world music. Come for a lively morning of musical enrichment.



September Scavenger Hunt

Explore the children's library during the month of September by participating in a fun scavenger hunt. After tracking down hidden clues, you can turn in the completed activity sheet to receive a small prize!

StoryWalk® in the Parks

Stroll through McEuen Park this fall while reading A Fall Ball for All by Jamie Swenson. Each page of the book is posted alongside a path that stretches from the library to the playground. The Library's Higgins Point State Park StoryWalk will feature award-winning children's book Swoop and Soar: How Science Rescued Two Osprey Orphans and Found Them a New Family in the Wild. Coauthored by raptor biologist Janie Veltkamp, executive director of Birds of Prey Northwest in St. Maries, Idaho, and Deborah Lee Rose, Swoop and Soar will be on display for visitors from August 28 through October.

Idaho Battle of the Books® Book Club (grades 4-6)

Saturday, September 16 (1pm) - It's like sports, but with books! Participate in a fun statewide reading experience by joining a team at the Coeur d'Alene Library. IBOB is a program that brings booklovers together to compete in book-themed trivia competitions that focus on quality literature, comprehension, and teamwork. The first IBOB Book Club meeting will be an informational gathering in the Story Room, where you'll form teams, choose names, and borrow at least 1 book to read before the October meeting. Registration is required, along with a commitment to join a 4-person team, read at least 4 of the 16 IBOB curated book titles, and attend 1pm book club meetings on the 3rd Saturday of each month from September through February. Participants will be expected to attend our library's competition in March, with the possibility of moving on to district or regional competitions where they'll battle kids from other libraries and schools.

Registration and the list of book titles are available online at cdalibrary.org/library-events/ibob/.



Musical Storytime with the Flutonics (for the whole family)

Saturday, September 9 (10am) - Join a talented group of local musicians for a one-of-a-kind musical storytime in the Story Room! They've written a unique story about the adventures of a princess on her way to the fair, which will be interspersed with mesmerizing flute performances. Kids will be encouraged to contribute to the storyline using assorted rhythm instruments and fun props. Kids are invited to stick around after the show to create a home-made flute of their own using everyday household items!

Autumn Astronomy Under the Stars (kids of all ages)

Saturday, September 23 (7:30-9pm) - See the Moon and Saturn's rings! Celebrate the 1st day of Autumn by joining the CDA Astronomy Club outside at the library's upper parking lot. Be prepared to learn fascinating details about the cosmos that will enhance your understanding of the universe and build excitement about one of the world's oldest scientific disciplines. Weather permitting, participants will be able to view the Moon and Saturn through one of the most powerful telescopes in North Idaho. Jupiter too, if you stay late!

Take & Make Craft – Available Tuesday, September

Pick up a fun art project to-go from the children's library beginning Tuesday, September 5th, while supplies last. Each kit contains the supplies to create a special back-to-school picture frame!

Teen Weekly Programming

#ClassicBookTok

Tuesdays, September 12, 19, 26 (released by 4 pm) - On social media and YouTube -Hear a sample from one of our YA Classics. Find out if it's available as a Classic Digital Book Club item. Learn how to create a classic book club with your friends! (for ages 12+)

Creative Arts Club

Thursdays, September 14, 21, 28 (4-5 pm) - In the Teen Zone - Make art--and friends! Explore your creative, crafty, artistic side, and get help when you're struggling creatively (for ages 12-19)

Gamers' Guild

Fridays, September 15, 22, 29 (4-5:30 pm) - In the Teen Zone - Play games together! Hangout with other local teens while playing games like League of Legends, chess, UNO, the Library's Nintendo Switch games, board games from our Library of Things, or bring your own game to play! (for ages 12-19).

Teen Special Programming

Improv Workshop with Levity Theatre

Saturday, September 16 (2-3:30 pm) - In the Community Room - Learn improv games and act them out in small groups. Develop your spontaneous side. Learn to be more in the moment. Try something new! (for ages 12+)

Levity Theatre exists to serve the community of Coeur D'Alene by being a comedy club that offers high-quality improv comedy that is hilarious, light, original, and for all ages. Our mission is to bring people together through laughter, and to excite and educate individuals about the art form of improv comedy.

Teen Movie Matinee – Princess Bride (PG)

Saturday, September 30 (1-2:40 pm) - In the Teen Zone - Watch a movie on a big screen. Eat free popcorn. Bring a project to work on while you watch. Meet new people in a low-stress environment. In September, we'll be watching Princess Bride (PG). Email our teen librarian (cdateens@cdalibrary.com) with what you'd like to see for a movie in October. ("As you wish!") (for ages 12+)

D&D KITS

Anytime, anywhere - Checkout one of our D&D kits, and you'll have everything you need to play--whenever, wherever. Gather your friends to play, or find a group to join on our Discord server.

Nintendo Switch

2-hour sessions, first come, first served - Checkout the Switch equipment box from the front desk, and you'll have everything you need to play the Teen Zone's Switch. This service is limited to 2-hour sessions at a time.

Teen Zone Take-Out Book Boxes

Subscribe to our service to receive two book recommendations, a craft, and a small prize. Sign-up at tinyurl.com/cdateenbookbox

Become a Volunteer, fill out our Teen Zone Survey, sign up for the Teen Newsletter, or join our Teen Discord Server HERE: cdalibrary.org/services/teen-services

Levity
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Weekly Adult Programming

Scribbler's Society Writing Club

Mondays, August 14 & 28 (2 pm) - Join fellow writers for brainstorming, critiquing, and inspiration — in-person every 2nd and 4th Monday from 2-3 in the Gozzer Room. All ages welcome. Discuss writing, share your work, and find inspiration with fellow writers. All ages welcome. If you are interested in joining our email list, please email moore@cdalibrary.org for more information.

Yoga for You!

Mondays (9:30 am) - Join us for this Yoga program for adults. This blend of stretching, strengthening and balance work, along with relaxation, may be just what you're looking for. Your instructor, Gerry Bryak, will adapt poses to your needs so this yoga is truly for YOU! All levels are welcome, from beginners to experienced. Please bring a mat to class.

Tai Chi & Qi Gong - Mind Body Movement

Tuesdays (10 am) - Improve strength, balance, coordination, focus, breathwork and relaxation, all while exploring different movements from Tai Chi and Qi Gong styles. All movements can be done within your own comfort zone and mobility level. No special equipment or clothing needed, wear what is comfortable for you. Avoid wearing flip flops or slides. Chairs will be available for those that need to sit or use for extra balance. This program is for anyone at any age and any ability level. Your instructor Christine brings over 25 years of experience in teaching and sharing Tai Chi and Qi Gong.

Community Sew-In

Thursdays (12-3 pm) - Come join us with your current quilting project to socialize, get advice, or whatever else you might need. Bring your sewing machine (or your hand work,) your fabric, your extension cord, and your love of sewing! Find us in the Community Room.

Adult Special Programming

Challenge Yourself to The Writer's Mythic Quest

Are you tired of going it alone? Step out of your comfort zone and become a better writer. Understanding mythology deepens narrative storytelling. Come join us in the Community room from 2:00-3:30 for this four-part series of self-discovery with local writer Kim Morgan. Your takeaway is a plethora of re-Visioning strategies for writing in any literary genre.

Saturday, Sept 2 (2-3:30) - Re-Vision Your Narrative into a Compelling Memoir

Saturday, Sept 9 (2-3:30) - Archetypal Motifs: Demystify the Myth of Writer's Block

Saturday, Sept 23 (2-3:30) - 7 Narrative Structures All Storytellers Should Know

Saturday, Oct 7 (2-3:30) - Carl Jung's Red Book and Understanding Active Imagination



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"Cover to Cover" Improv Show

Thursday, September 7 (6 pm) - Ages 13+ - Come see live comedy like you've never seen it before! Join local improv group Levity Theatre in the Community Room as they interview author Michael B. Koep to discuss his work and journey to become published. His answers will then be used to inspire a series of improvised family friendly comedy sketches. Register here: levitytheatre.com/shows

Walking Adventures

We will meet once or twice a month starting at the library where we will walk to our destination and meet up with a special tour guide who will lead the main part of the tour. The walks are moderate intensity, as there will be some hills and we may cover up to five miles, so dress appropriately for the weather, bring water, and be prepared to be out for at least 2 hours.

Protecting Tubbs Hill - Wednesday, September 6 (9:15) - We will leave at 9:15 from the Jameson Room at the Library. Come with us as we learn about the history of Tubbs Hill, its development, and the individuals who have striven to protect it. Be prepared to hike around 2 miles with some up and down hills. Please bring appropriate footwear, water, and sunscreen!

Memory Café

At a Memory Cafe, persons living with Alzheimer's or other dementias and their loved ones enjoy socializing or engaging activities in a relaxed setting. Families and friends meet and socialize in an environment that is accepting and non-judgmental. They will meet every 2nd Friday of the month from 10:00-11:30 am. **Friday, September 8 (10 am)** - Join us for refreshments, treats, and good company. Use our acrylic paint markers to decorate rocks to take home with you!



Mindful Doodling

Friday, September 15 (4-5 pm) and Saturday, September 30 (10-11 am) - Join us in the Community Room for a fun mindfulness activity! Mindful Doodling is a self-directed art program based on the ZenTangle Method. Drop in anytime during art sessions to listen to relaxing music and make beautiful "tangle art" (all directions and supplies will be provided). Discover the health benefits of "mindful doodling" and take home your very own art creations! (No previous art skill required.)



History Hour Lecture

In this monthly lecture series, join us in the Community Room at the Library for a special presentation with the Museum of North Idaho, featuring a local author or historian who will talk about Idaho's fascinating heritage.

Wednesday, September 13 (5:30 pm) - North Idaho's Silver Valley is known for its record-breaking silver mines and the long history of labor strife that came along with the mines. Join local historian, Tom Richards, as he discusses what led to the labor strikes and all of the trouble that followed.



William Kent Krueger: Author Event

Thursday, September 14 (7 pm, doors open 6:30 pm) - The Coeur d'Alene Public Library Foundation in conjunction with The Well Read Moose is pleased to present an evening with the New York Times best selling author William Kent Krueger on September 14 at 7pm in the Library's Community Room. His presentation at the Library will focus on his latest book, *The River We Remember*. Krueger is the author of *This Tender Land* and *Ordinary Grace* as well as nineteen acclaimed books in the Cork O'Connor mystery series. He lives in the Twin Cities with his family. Tickets are \$25 and available at cdalibrary.org/library-events/river/. Snacks, raffle items, and a no-host bar will be available. For more information contact the Library Foundation at 208-769-2380.

Feng Shui

In this monthly series, learn from certified Feng Shui consultant Jan Rednall how Feng Shui techniques can help you achieve wellbeing and find balance in different aspects of your life. By manipulating your environment using ancient Feng Shui principles, you can balance and harmonize the energy flow in a space to help improve your wellbeing. Every third Thursday of the month, we will meet in the Community Room from 4-5 pm.

Thursday, September 21 (4 pm) - Clear the Clutter in your Home and Life - Learn the basics of Feng Shui and how to determine what supports you today.



Arty Afternoons: An Art Workshop Series

Get to know your local artist community in this special collaboration with The Coeur d'Alene Arts and Culture Alliance. Each class will be led by a local artist who will teach you step-by-step how to make your own unique piece of art. All supplies are provided free of charge but are limited so registration is required!

Little Art Workshop - Have you noticed the Free Little Art Galleries around town? Join local artist Abby Light in this series where we will use different techniques to make unique pieces of miniature art to take home and to add to the Free Little Art Galleries.

Tuesday, September 26 (1-3 pm) - In the second session, we will make mixed media art collages using painted paper, construction paper, magazines, and newspapers. We will provide materials but feel free to bring your own craft paper or printed materials from home! Preregistration is required. Ages 12+

Pageturners Book Club

Wednesday, September 27 (10:15 am) - The Pageturners Book Club is discussing "Women Talking" by Miriam Toews. Recently made into an Oscar-winning film, "Women Talking" follows the lives of a group of Mennonite women living through terrible events that occurred at the Manitoba Colony, a remote and isolated Mennonite community in Bolivia. Pick up a copy of the book, with discussion questions, at the Reference Desk. For more information call or email JD Smithson, 208-769-2315 ext 455., or email communications@cdalibrary.org. Pageturners Book Club meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month and is currently funded by the Friends of the Coeur d'Alene Public Library.



Coming in October



Novel Destinations: Race to Alaska with David Kilmer

Monday, October 2 (7pm) - The crew departed Pt. Townsend at first light bound for Ketchikan. Ahead lay 750 cold water miles. Their home was a small craft with no engine, a good chance of capsizing, and a slight chance of being eaten by bears. If that sounds like the makings for adventure, it most certainly was. Spend an enjoyable evening with Capt. David Kilmer to hear how it all turned out.

Race to Alaska is an annual race is a project of the Northwest Maritime Center, a 501(c)(3) non-profit committed to engaging people in the waters of our world in a spirit of adventure and discovery.

Laywer in the Library

Thursday, October 5 (4-6 pm) - The Library is partnering with the Idaho Volunteer Lawyers Program (IVLP) to provide resources for low-income individuals and families in Idaho who require civil legal services and cannot afford to pay for them. Although they are unable to assist with criminal issues or fee generating cases, these free legal clinics are an opportunity to receive advice and counseling from local attorneys who volunteer their time and expertise. Registration is required and must be done at least 24 hours before the clinic, every first Thursday of the month in the Gozzer Room.



IDAHO VOLUNTEER
LAWYERS PROGRAM



REGISTER HERE BY OCTOBER 4 (4PM): cdalibrary.org/library-events/lawyer/

Ready! For Kindergarten (6-7:30 pm) Dinner, childcare, and valuable resource kit provided!

READY! For Kindergarten is a program that creates workshops for parents that show them different ways to foster their children's essential pre-literacy, math, and social-emotional skills through songs, activities, and reading. Registering today will enroll you in all 3 sessions of the workshop series. There are limited spaces for this workshop. If it is full, you will be notified to be placed on a waitlist. Register here for these free workshops: cdalibrary.org/library-events/ready-for-kindergarten

October 4 -- Part 1: Language and Literacy

February 15 -- Part 2: Math and Reasoning

TBD -- Part 3: Social and Emotional

