Children & Tweens

Raise a Reader @ Sharkey’s Storytime: (Ages 3-5 with caregiver)
Wednesday, 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.
10:30-11:00am: Stories & Songs
11:00-11:15am: Crafts & Raise a Reader
11:15-11:30am: Little Learners’ Computer Lab
   September 11: Florida Fun!
   September 18: Pirates Love Libraries!
   September 25: ¡Canta, baila, y ríe en la biblioteca!

Raise a Reader @ Little Minnows Storytime! (Ages 6-36 months with caregiver)
Thursday, 10:30am-11:00am (First Floor-Program Room #1017)
September 12, 19, 26
Inspire your future reader with stories and songs featuring rhythm, repetition, and rhyme. Raise a Reader: learn about early literacy skills.
10:30-10:50am: Stories & Songs
11:50-11am: Raise a Reader & Free Play

Wags & Tales (Ages 5-12)
Monday, September 9, 4:00 pm - 4:45 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. Boosting confidence in reading out loud. Offered in partnership with the Humane Society of Broward County.
To reserve your spot, please call 954-262-5477 or visit us at the Public Library Services Reference Desk starting Monday, August 26.

LEGO Builders Club for Children with Special Needs (Ages 6 and Up)
Thursday, September 26, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm (First Floor-Program Room #1017)
Children with special needs can build and create with the library’s LEGOs gaining experience with social interactions while encouraging creativity, cooperative play and fine motor skills. Parents welcome! we encourage you to bring a camera to take home pictures of the child’s creations.
Pre-registration required and class size is limited. Call 954-262-5477 for more information.

All Star Storytime for Children (Ages 3-5 years with ASD)
Saturday, September 28, 10:30am - 11:00am
(First Floor- Program Room #1017)
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 on Monday, September 17 at 9 am to register
Adults

Computer Camp: Browser Basics
Saturday, September 7, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm (Lab A)
Learn the basics of using a browser, software used to access the Internet. Prerequisite: Competence in using a keyboard and mouse.
Register at: 954.262.5477

Cine Argentino Film Festival
Sundays, September 8, 15, 22, 29 at 2:00 pm
This FREE Argentinean film series includes screenings at 2 pm. on Sundays in September. Films will be shown in the Knight Auditorium of the Carl DeSantis Building on NSU’s main campus, at 3301 College Ave. Argentine actress and journalist Adriana Bianco will introduce and provide commentary about the films.

September 8: Soñar No Cuesta Nada
September 15: El Ángel del Acordeón*
September 22: Homenaje a Gabriel García Marquez
September 29: El Exilio de Gardel

*Join us after the film for a Special Reception at 5pm, RSVP by September 6 at: joanee@nova.edu or call: 9542624578

Computer Camp: Audiobooks (Lab TBA)
Tuesday, September 17, 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm
Learn about the library’s downloadable audiobooks service, OneClickdigital, which has popular best-selling titles as well as exclusive Recorded Books titles. In this class you’ll learn how to borrow and transfer audiobooks to a portable device.
Register at: 954.262.5477.

Tango from the Streets of Buenos Aires: Hispanic Heritage Dance Concert
Saturday, September 21, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Rose and Alfred Miniaci Performing Arts Center
Experience the drama of the Tango with live music and authentic dances performed by Oscar Caballero, Roxana Garber, and the Miami Tango Times Dance Company and with live piano, bass, bandoneon, and violin music directed by conductor Anibal Berraute, with vocals by Cristina Longo.

FREE event. Pick up your tickets with your Alvin Sherman Library card starting Wednesday, August 21 at the Alvin Sherman Library’s Public Library Services desk. Call 954.262.5477 for more information.

Teens

Papel Picado (Ages 13-18)
Saturday, September 21, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm (First Floor-Teen Room #1035)
Papel picado is a Hispanic folk art in which intricate designs are cut into colorful paper. Hang out and cut beautiful designs to bemade into banners and learn more about this traditional art form!

Celebrate Your Freedom to Read: Banned Books Bingo (Ages 13-18)
Monday, September 23, 5:30pm - 6:30 pm (First Floor-Teen Room #1035)
Brush up on your literary knowledge and celebrate over 30 years of freedom to read by playing a special version of this favorite game.

Genealogy

Mastering Ancestry.com
Genealogical Society of Broward County (GSBC)
Sunday, September 8, 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm (Second Floor, Lab A.)
In September join the GSBC in learning about ancestry.com and the many sites to access for your special genealogical research projects. GSBC President Harriett Brooke will be taking center stage in guiding us through the current Ancestry information. The GSBC will host only an open lab (12 noon - 2 pm). Sponsored by the Genealogical Society of Broward County.

African Diaspora Genealogy Group
Saturday, September 28, 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm (Second Floor, Lab A)
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.

Database Spotlight

Explore the Amazing History of You.

Heritage Quest Online

Family history research database. Provides a unique, growing collection of research materials for tracing family history and American culture. Contains original page images for all documents, over 25,000 books, the entire U.S. Federal Census, PERSI™, and other expanding collections.

Teen Health & Wellness

real life • real answers

Provides middle school and high school students with nonjudgmental, straightforward, standards-aligned, curricular and self-help support.