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Fiddle N'Fun
 with
Mr. Joel



Sat. Feb. 8
10:30 AM

Community Room (1st floor)

Best for kids age 3 – 8
 with an adult caregiver.

Registration required.

Sign ups for
 Burrillville residents
 begin Sat. Jan. 25.

Sign ups for all patrons
 begin Sat. Feb. 1.

*In order to allow more children
 to attend the music program,
 please consider limiting to
 1 parent/caregiver per family
 when registering.

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Call the Children's Dept. at 710-7800 to sign up.

The Great Baldini
Magic Show
 for Kids & Families



Thurs. Feb. 20
1:30 PM

Community
 Room
 (1st floor)

Registration required.

Sign ups for
 Burrillville residents
 begin Tues. Feb. 4.

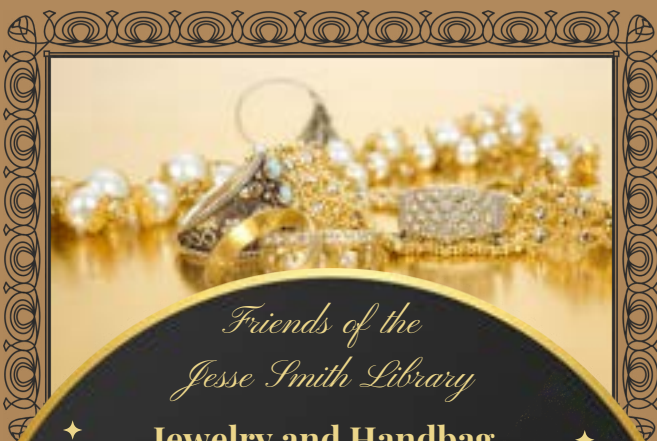
Sign ups for all patrons
 begin Tues. Feb. 11.

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Sponsored
 by the Friends
 of the Jesse Smith
 Library.

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*Friends of the
 Jesse Smith Library*

**Jewelry and Handbag
 Fundraiser Sale**

Saturday, March 29, 2025
10:00 am to 2:00 pm

The Friends have a wonderful selection of donated
 new and gently used jewelry and handbags for purchase.



FRIENDS OF THE JESSE SMITH LIBRARY

*Candy Basket
 Raffle*

Win an amazing basket of chocolate
 just in time for Valentine's Day!

PURCHASE TICKETS
JANUARY 27 THROUGH FEBRUARY 12, 2025

TICKETS: \$2.00 EACH

Time to get your sweets on! The proceeds will
 benefit the Jesse Smith Library.



Children's Department

February 2025

For youth programs that require registration, please visit the Children's Department or call 401-710-7800 to reserve your spot.



DROP-IN STYLE BABY & TODDLER PLAYTIME

Feb. 5 & 12 (Wed.)
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Children's Program Room

For ages 3 years and under with a caregiver. Stop in to meet other caregivers and make new friends. The room will be set up with age appropriate toys and board books for little hands. Siblings welcome!
Drop-in.



DROP-IN STYLE PAJAMA STORYTIME

Feb. 5 & 12 (Wed.)
6:00 – 6:30 PM
Children's Program Room

Join us for 30 minutes of stories and movement songs for kids in grade 5 and under with an adult caregiver. Pajamas, blankets, and/or stuffed animals are encouraged. No registration is needed. Siblings are always welcome.

Drop-in.

WINTER STORYTIME SESSION

Jan. 13 (Mon.) – Feb. 13 (Thurs.)

Our Winter Baby, Toddler, and Preschool Storytimes require registration and are now FULL. The seven week session ends Feb. 13. Contact the Children's Dept. at 401-710-7800 if you would like to be added to a wait list.

SPRING STORYTIME SESSION

Mar. 10 (Mon.) – Apr. 10 (Thurs.)

Sign-ups for Burrillville residents begins **Feb. 24**.
Sign-ups for all patrons begins **Mar. 3**.

- Toddler Storytime - Mon. 10 AM or 11 AM
- Baby Storytime - Wed. 9:30 AM
- Preschool Storytime - Thurs. 10:30 AM

For more information or to sign-up for a 5 week session, visit the Children's Dept. or call 401-710-7800.



Note to parents & caregivers:

While in the library, kids under age 10 must be accompanied by an adult or a responsible caregiver age 13 or older.



FIDDLE N' FUN

Feb. 8 (Sat.)
10:30 AM
Community Room
(1st floor)

Best for kids age 3 -8 with an adult caregiver. Mr. Joel's music program includes singing, movement, instruments, and much more! Kids will explore playing a Fiddlestix, a single-stringed instrument and "bow".

Registration required. Begins Jan. 25 for BUR residents & Feb. 1 for all patrons.

SAVE THE DATE

A program
for kids who
love that
fun
blue heeler
family!



Sat. March 15
drop-in style
10:00 am – 12:00 pm



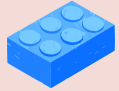
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February School Vacation

LEGO® "COMPOUND WORD" CHALLENGE



**Feb. 18 (Tues.)
2:00 – 4:30 PM**

Best for kids age 3 - grade 5. Create a two part piece that when identified together, shows a compound word. e.g. butterfly, pancake, catfish

DROP-IN STYLE PROGRAMS FOR KIDS & FAMILIES*

*with the exception of
The Great Baldini Magic Show – Registration required.

- All programs held in the Children's Program Room (2nd Floor).
- Check our Facebook page or call 401-710-7800 for updates.

WINTER LUAU



**Feb. 19 (Wed.)
10:30 AM – 6:00 PM**

For kids in grade 5 and under. The 2nd floor will be turned into a tropical setting with games like limbo, activities, a craft, photo backdrops and more.

THE GREAT BALDINI MAGIC SHOW



**Feb. 20 (Thurs.)
1:00 PM**

For kids in grade 5 and under and their families. The Great Baldini will entertain with his unique style of humor & magic. **Reg. required. Begins Feb. 4 for BUR residents & Feb. 11 for all.**

ICE PAINTING



**Feb. 21 (Fri.)
10:00 – 11:00 AM**

For kids in grade 5 and under. Explore a new way of painting by using paint and watercolors to turn plain piles of ice into beautiful and shiny art.

STEM SAT: CREATE A CHAIN REACTION



**Feb. 22 (Sat.)
1:15 – 3:15 PM**

Best for kids age 5 - 12. Given activity cards, kids are challenged to create different chain reactions with ramps, pendulums, hammers, & more!



TWEEN TUESDAY
Feb. 25 (Tues.) (ages 9-12)
5:30 – 7:00 PM
Children's Program Room

Open to tweens ages 9-12. Sorry, no siblings. The Children's Program Room will be transformed into the **Tween Hangout** with activities designed just for them. Snacks will be provided. **Drop-in.**



FINE MOTOR FRIDAY
Feb. 28 (Fri.)
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Children's Program Room

Best for kids ages 3 - 5 and their families. Activity stations include exploring dough, stringing beads, cutting scraps of paper, and sorting small objects with the goal of developing fine motor skills.

Drop-in.



Activities include small objects that can be choking hazards for kids under 3 years old.



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Teen Programs February 2025



Teen programs are for those in grades 6-12



TEEN HANGOUT

Mon, Wed, & Thurs.
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM
The Community Room

Looking for a place to chill after school? Come to our Teen Hangout! We've got everything you need to relax and have fun - laptops, video games, tabletop and card games, plus snacks! Open to teens in grades 6-12 only (no adults, no younger kids). Drop in anytime during open hangout hours, hang out with friends, or just unwind. It's your space, your time, your hangout! **There is NO Hangout during the week of February Vacation.**



BINGO NIGHT!

Feb. 05 (Wed.)
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM
The Community Room

Come play a few rounds of BINGO with us. There will be prizes for those who can get a bingo, plus snacks. Open to teens in grades 6-12.



MARIO KART NIGHT

Feb. 26 (Wed.)
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM
The Community Room

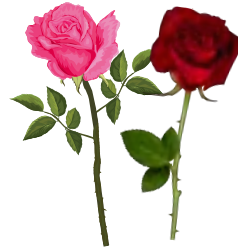
Ready to relax, unwind? Come to the library and play some Mario Kart on Switch with us! We'll play four players on two devices, so you can play with friends or solo against others. Snacks will be provided. Open to teens in grades 6-12.

VOLUNTEENS

Feb. 03 (Mon.)
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM
The Stillwater Room



Be a part of your community with Volunteens! We will work on different projects that help out those who need it most. Collaborate with other teens, find your voice, let your creativity shine - all while gaining leadership skills as well as volunteer hours.



VALENTINE ROSES

Feb. 10 (Mon.)
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM
The Community Room

Valentine's Day is coming up! Come to the library to make a pretty rose that you can give to someone special, a friend or family member, or keep it yourself. It's up to you! Open to teens in grades 6-12

Notice:

**If Burrillville Schools close
or dismiss early due to
inclement weather, Teen
Programs will be cancelled.**



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Teen Programs February 2025



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February Vacation

ART TIME

Feb. 18 (Tues.)

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

The Community Room

Come in and let your creative juices flow. We will have tons of art supplies for you to let loose and make something fun! Snacks will be provided. Open to teens grades 6-12

HOT CHOCOLATE GUESS

Feb. 19 (Wed.)

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

The Community Room

Come in for a fun guessing game. Warm up with some good hot chocolate and try to guess what flavors we have from the taste. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Open to teens in grades 6-12

SNOWBALL FIGHT

Feb. 20 (Thur.)

10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

The Community Room

It's a winter wonderland outside, so let's take some of that inside. Come in for a fun and friendly snowball fight. This will be held indoors. Open to teens grades 6-12

SNOWFLAKE ART

Feb. 21 (Fri.)

2:30 – 3:30 PM

The Community Room

Come in for a snowflake day at the library. We will be making snowflakes of all kinds with different techniques. Snacks will be provided. Open to teens grades 6-12



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Adults

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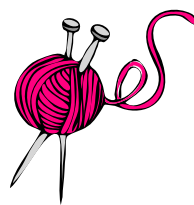
*To sign up for programs requiring registration, please visit or call the Reference Department 710-7800. *
Adult programs are for those 18+.



GALENTINE'S

Feb. 15 (Sat.)
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Community Room

Celebrate your friendships and yourself! We will be making kusudama flowers, poppets and tiny paintings. Music, raffle and snacks. **Registration required.**
Registration begins February 1st.



KNIT & CROCHET GROUP

Feb. 6, 13, 20 & 27 (Thurs.)
6:30 – 7:45 PM
The Lounge

Join us for our free knit and crochet group that meets Thursdays in the library. Come knit and crochet with us! Drop in. No registration required.



DROP IN SCRABBLE

Feb. 10 (Mon.)
6:00 – 7:30 PM
The Lounge

We have a special spot set aside for a pickup game of Scrabble. Usually the 3rd Monday of the month, the holiday has bumped us to the 10th. No registration required.



TECH HELP

Feb. 20 (Thurs.)
6:00 – 7:00 PM
Reference Desk

Stop by the Reference Desk for help navigating your cellphone or tablet. Drop in. No registration required.



BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

Feb. 26 (Wed.)
10:00 – 11:00 AM
Conference Room

February's book is *The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue* by V.E. Schwab. Cordial conversation and discussion. Group will vote on suggestions for next books. **Registration Required.**



UNITED WAY 211 REPRESENTATIVE

Feb. 20 (Thurs.)
9:00 – 11:30 AM
Concourse

A United Way 211 outreach representative will be here to help connect you to:

- SNAP/Food Assistance
- Housing Assistance
- Tax Assistance
- *and much more!*

THE FASCINATING WORLD OF THE HONEY BEE

Feb. 27 (Thurs.)
6:00 – 7:30 PM
Community Room

Betty Mencucci of the Rhode Island Beekeepers Association leads an interactive program on honey bees and beekeeping. **Registration required. Registration begins February 1st.**



TAKE AND MAKE CRAFT

Available beginning Feb. 1st
Reference Desk

Stop by the reference desk for a take home craft. While supplies last.



Closed

February 17

for President's Day



Library Hours

Monday - Thursday
9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Friday
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Saturday
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Closed Sunday



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