

REGISTRATION



All programs are **FREE!**

Call (604) 885-3260 or drop by the library to register.

LIBRARY HOURS


Monday: 10-5 FEB 20 **CLOSED**
Tuesday: 10-5
Wednesday: 10-6
Thursday: 10-5
Friday: 10-5
Saturday: 10-4
Sunday: Closed

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Valentines Day

Valentine
by
Edgar Allan Poe

For her this rhyme is penned, whose
luminous eyes,
Brightly expressive as the twins of Loeda,
Shall find her own sweet name, that,
nestling lies
Upon the page, enwrapped from every
reader.
Search narrowly the lines!—they hold a
treasure
Divine—a talisman—an amulet
That must be worn at heart. Search well the
measure—
The words—the syllables! Do not forget
The trivialest point, or you may lose your
labor!
And yet there is in this no Gordian knot

Which one might not undo without a sabre,
If one could merely comprehend the plot.
Enwritten upon the leaf where now are
peering
Eyes scintillating soul, there lie perdus
Three eloquent words oft uttered in the
hearing
Of poets, by poets—as the name is a poet's,
too.
Its letters, although naturally lying
Like the knight Pinto—Mendez Ferdinando—
Still form a synonym for Truth—Cease
trying!
You will not read the riddle, though you do
the best you can do.

*Take the first letter of the first word on
the first line, the second letter of the second
word on the second line,
and so on, to spell the name of Poe's muse.
A new line starts with a bolded letter.

ONE-ON-ONE SUPPORT

Genealogy Tutoring **FREE**
Curious about your history? Want to
discover your family tree?
Appointment required.

Tech Assistance **FREE**
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
30 minute one-on-one sessions with
our local tech expert. **Appointment
required.**

Repair Café **FREE**
Saturday, Feb 11, 10:30-2:30
Free, while you wait, repair to domestic
appliances and devices by volunteers
from Gibsons Repair Café. Basic
mending of clothes also offered.

Accessibility Services **FREE**
One-on-one assistance with Daisy audio
players, accessibility programs, and
resources for individuals with visual
impairments or other print disabilities.
Appointment Required.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Book Faire

Fri, Feb 17 12:00 - 5:00 Community Room
Sat, Feb 18 10:00 - 3:00 Community Room
Sun, Feb 19 12:00 - 3:00 Community Room
Hosted by Friends of the Library.
Donations are limited to 1 box of great books
on Friday and Saturday only, during Book Faire
hours. Flash Sale On Sunday.



February 2023 Program Guide



ADULTS

Card Making with Ruth

Thursday, Feb 9, 23 11:00-12:00

Community Room & Zoom

Join Ruth Moore for a free card-making class! All supplies provided.

Limited Space Registration Required.



Astronomy Group Meeting

Friday Feb 10, 7:00PM-9:00PM

Community Room & Zoom

Presentation by Sunshine Coast Astronomy Club.

Dungeons & Dragons

Tuesdays, 5:30-8:30 **Sechelt Library**



Come and delve into the fantastic stories of Dungeons and Dragons. Join our group for exciting adventures in imagination every Tuesday. Call or email the library to register. **Registration Required.**

Stitchin'



Mondays, 10:30-11:30 **Community Room**

Bring your knitting/crochet/stitching project and enjoy a friendly stitchin' session with other crafters.

Drop-Ins Welcome. No meeting Feb 20.

Chair Yoga

Mondays, 12:00-1:00 **Zoom & In Person**

Join Bobbie Seale-Cobiskey for this gentle form of yoga. **Registration Required.**

No meeting Feb 20.

Ukulele Jam

Thursdays, 1:30-3:00 **Community Room**

Fun ukulele jam for all levels. **Drop In.**

Other Instruments Welcome.

Very Beginners Ukulele

Thursdays, 12:00-1:00 **Community Room**

New to Ukulele? Join Mark Trevis, to learn a few basic chords and enjoy a fun group experience.

Registration Required

Non-Fiction Book Club

Tuesday Feb 7, 11:00 - 12:30 **Library & Zoom**

Read *The Woods* by Amber McMilan and bring along suggestions for future meetings.

Registration Required.

General Fiction Book Club



Tuesday Feb 14, 11:00-12:30 **Community Room**

Read *Goodnight from London* by Jennifer Robson in preparation for the next book club meeting on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. **Registration Required.**

Mystery Book Club

Tuesday Feb 21, 11:00-12:30 **Community Room & Zoom**

Read *Busy Body* by M.C. Beaton in preparation for the next book club meeting on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. **Registration Required.**

Men's Book Club

Tuesday Feb 28, 1:00-2:30 **Rockwood**

Read *The World Without Us* by Alan Weisman in preparation for the next book club on the 4th Tuesday of the month. **Registration Required.**

Writer's Studio Writing Consults

Saturday, Feb 11, March 11, April 8 12:00, 1:00, 2:00

Room of Requirement

Free 45 min consultation with Jocelyne Gregory MFA, on seven pages of your poetry or prose. Please provide the sample of your work 1-2 weeks prior to your appointment. **Registration Required.**

Ancestor Hunters

Tuesday Feb 28, 10:00-12:00

Community Room & Zoom

Interested in your family history? Come join our group of dedicated ancestor hunters.

Registration Required.

Town Hall: BC Seniors Advocate

Tuesday Feb 6, 10:30-12:00

Seaside Center, 5790 Teredo Street

Open Town Hall meeting with BC Seniors Advocate Isobel Mackenzie. **Open to the public.**

CHILDREN & TEENS

Winter Family StoryTime

Saturday, Feb 4, 10:30 -11:00

Children's Area.

Recommended for families with children 5 and under. Join us on Saturday for a drop-in Family Storytime for books, songs, and play. **Drop-Ins Welcome.**

No StoryTime Feb 11, 18, 25.

Dungeons & Dragons

Tuesday, Feb 2 5:30-8:30

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February 2nd ONLY

PAWS 4 Stories

Wednesdays, Feb 1, 8, 4:30-5:30 **Children's Area**

Practice your reading by signing up for a 20 minute appointment to read with a certified St. John Ambulance therapy dog.

Registration Required. Recommended for ages 6+. No Session Feb 15 & 24.

Teen Anime Club

Friday, Feb 3, 3:00-4:50 **Community Room**

Join us to watch anime and discuss manga.

Snacks provided. Ages 9-18. The content is rated PG13 or TV14A. **Registration Required.**

No Meeting February 17

Youth Book Club

Wednesday, Feb 8, 3:30-4:30 **Teen Area**

Read *Chunky* (Graphic Novel) by Yehudi Mercado, and discuss it with us. Snacks provided! Ages 9-12.

Registration Required.

Valentine's Day Card Making

Saturday Feb 4 1:30-2:30 **Community Room**

Join local card-maker Ruth Moore in creating exciting Valentine's Day cards. All supplies provided. **Registration Required**

COMING SOON

Spring Break Programming in March!