

JANUARY 2025

Chugiak-Eagle River Library

12001 Business Blvd., #176 | (907) 343-1530

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 All APL libraries closed for New Year's Day.	2 All Day- Sticker Contest Studio	3 3-5 PM Science Discovery	4 10 AM-12 PM Eagle River Spinners 3-5 PM Build It!
7	8 Sticker Contest entries due by 6 PM!	9	10 10:30 AM Family Storytime 3-4:30 PM PAWSitive Reading	11 10:30 AM-12:30 PM Preschool Open Play
14	15	16	17 10:30 AM Family Storytime	18 APL branch libraries closed for Martin Luther King Jr. Day.
21	22	23 10:30 AM WIC Mommy and Me Class 3:30-5:30 PM LEGO Club	24 10:30 AM Family Storytime	25
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HOURS OF OPERATION

Tuesday: 11:00am—6:00pm

Wednesday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Thursday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Friday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Saturday: 10:00am—6:00pm

Sunday: CLOSED

Monday: CLOSED

WINTER READING CHALLENGE FOR GROWN-UPS RETURNS!

Challenge yourself to read 5 books in 8 weeks! Complete a bingo or blackout between January 1 and March 16 to win fabulous prizes. Visit <https://bit.ly/APLWRC24> for more information.



ANCHORAGE
PUBLIC LIBRARY

anchoragelibrary.org

EVENTS

FAMILY STORYTIME

Weekly on Fridays starting Jan.10 @ 10:30 AM
A half hour of stories, songs, and movement that build early literacy skills. It's a blend of fun and education for children birth through kindergarten and their caregivers.

PRESCHOOL OPEN PLAY

Saturday, Jan. 11, 10:30 AM-12:30 PM
Drop in and enjoy our space to meet and socialize with other caregivers and preschoolers. Play with the library's toys, look at books, and have fun!

WIC EAGLE RIVER MOMMY AND ME EXERCISE CLASS

Thursday, Jan. 23, 10:30 AM
Come experience music and motion! During these short and cold days, bring your children for a good time of moving around and gaining ideas for indoor activities at home.

STICKER CONTEST STUDIO

Thursday, Jan. 2, All Day
Use our materials to create your sticker contest design.

SCIENCE DISCOVERY

Friday, Jan. 3, 3-5 PM
Try activities and experiments from different areas of science and learn about APL's STEM kits.

BUILD IT!

Saturday, Jan. 4, 3-5 PM
Come build with the library's LEGO, Lincoln Logs, & cardboard!

PAWSITIVE READING

Friday, Jan. 10, 3-4:30 PM
Beginning readers- practice your reading by reading to a therapy dog! Reading sessions are 10-15 minutes long and are scheduled on a first come basis with the last session starting at 4:15 pm. Sign-up will open at 2:45 pm with the first session starting at 3 pm.

LEGO CLUB

Thursday, Jan. 23, 3:30-5:30 PM
Bring your imagination and join us for some free build time. Build whatever you want or try one of our challenges.

EAGLE RIVER FIBER SPINNERS

Saturday, Jan. 4, 10 AM –12 PM
Discover the art of spinning! Join the Eagle River Spinners for a free demonstration as they work on their own amazing yarns!

STICKER CONTEST

Calling creative youth!*

We need your help to design our next promotional sticker! Drop by the library to pick up an entry form and get the contest details or check out the details here <https://bit.ly/apl-sticker-contest!>

Entries due Wednesday, Jan. 8 by 6 pm.

*This contest is open to children ages 5-18 who are residents of the Municipality of Anchorage .

EVENTS ACROSS APL—

GERRISH (GIRDWOOD)

250 Egloff Dr.
(907) 343-4024

COOKIE SWAP

Friday, Jan. 3, 4 PM
Join us in swapping holiday cookies, share your favorite recipes, and enjoy a cozy afternoon at the Library.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

120 Bragaw St.
(907) 343-2818

Craft-a-Kazoo!

Saturday, January 25, 1-4PM
Did you know that January 28th is Kazoo Day? Join us at the library to celebrate this quirky, musical holiday with a fun and creative crafting activity. Kids and families will enjoy making their very own kazooos and learning how to play them.

MULDOON

1251 Muldoon Rd., #158
(907) 343-4032

NONFICTION STORYTIME

Tues., Jan. 28, 10:30 AM
3 compelling nonfiction stories plus a related activity. Ideal for ages 3-5 with caregiver, but all families welcome.

Z. J. LOUSSAC

3600 Denali St.
(907) 343-2841

COMMUNITY SCHOOL FAIR

Saturday, Jan. 25, 1-4 PM
Meet representatives from homeschool alternatives, private schools, and the Anchorage School District. We'll also offer a Preschool Pavilion for preschool, Head Start, and kindergarten prep programs!