

FEBRUARY 2026

Mountain View Library

120 Bragaw St. | (907) 343-2818

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
3 6:00 PM: Family Storytime	4 2:00 PM: Listening Post	5 2:00 PM: Listening Post	6 1:00 PM: Application Assistance 1:00 PM: People Mover Training	7 10:00 AM: AARP Tax Aid 3:00 PM: Drumming Circle
10 6:00 PM: Family Storytime	11 2:00 PM: Listening Post 5:00 PM: Hearts & Crafts: Valentine Card Making	12 2:00 PM: Listening Post	13 11:00 AM: Countdown to Kindergarten 1:00 PM: Application Assistance	14 LIBRARY CLOSED IN HONOR OF PRESIDENT'S DAY
17 6:00 PM: Family Storytime	18 2:00 PM: Listening Post 5:00 PM: Family Game Time	19 2:00 PM: Listening Post 4:30 PM: Stitch & Share: Knitting and Crochet Club	20 1:00 PM: Application Assistance	21 10:00 AM: AARP Tax Aid
24 2:00 PM: Senior Poetry Workshop 6:00 PM: Family Storytime	25 2:00 PM: Listening Post 6:00 PM: MVCC Meeting	26 2:00 PM: Listening Post	27 1:00 PM: Application Assistance	28 10:00 AM: AARP Tax Aid 3:30 PM: Movie Matinee

HOURS OF OPERATION

Tuesday: 11:00am—7:00pm
Wednesday: 11:00am—7:00pm
Thursday: 11:00am—6:00pm
Friday: 10:00am—6:00pm
Saturday: 10:00am—6:00pm
Sunday: CLOSED
Monday: CLOSED

LIBRARY NEWS

PRESIDENTS' DAY CLOSURE

- Presidents' Day: Branches will be closed on Saturday, February 14, 2026. Loussac Library will be closed Monday, February 16, 2026.

Winter Reading Challenge:

- Pick up your bingo card at the front desk. Earn prizes by reading 5 books by March 15th!



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FAMILY STORYTIME

Tuesdays, 6:00PM—6:30 PM

Join Miss Kim for a half hour of stories, songs, and more to build early literacy skills; a blend of fun and education for children birth through kindergarten & their caregivers.

COUNTDOWN TO KINDERGARTEN

Friday, Feb. 13, 11:00 AM—12:15 PM

Help your child master school readiness skills in the year before starting kindergarten while earning books and other prizes! Countdown to Kindergarten is for children 3 to 5 years old with their adult caregivers.

AGES 6-12

HEARTS & CRAFTS

Wednesday, Feb. 11

5:00 PM—6:00 PM

Spread the love this Valentine's Day by creating your own heartfelt cards!

We'll provide all the supplies—just bring your creativity!

TEEN & ALL AGES

DRUMMING CIRCLE

Saturday, Feb. 7, 3:00 PM—4:30 PM

Join Gail Jackson, Global Drum Circle Trainer and Remo Endorsed Facilitator, for a creative, community-driven drum circle. Explore various drums and percussion instruments while sharing your spirit!

FAMILY GAME TIME

Wednesday, Feb 18, 5:00 PM—6:00 PM

Kids and their grown-ups can enjoy video games (Xbox, Switch, Wii) and a variety of board and card games together. Feel free to play ours or bring your own to share. All attendees must be accompanied by a child.

STITCH & SHARE: KNITTING AND CROCHET CLUB

Thursday, Feb. 19, 4:30 PM —5:30 PM

Join us at the library for a cozy crafting afternoon! Whether you're a beginner or a seasoned knitter, all skill levels are welcome. Bring your projects, share tips, and connect with fellow crafters in a supportive environment. Let's create together!

MOVIE MATINEE

Saturday, Feb. 28, 3:30 PM—5:30 PM

Come on by and watch a movie at the library for free! Concessions provided. Call (907) 343-2818

ADULT

PEOPLE MOVER TRAINING

Friday, Feb. 6, 1:00 PM—3:00 PM

Join us for a hands-on transit training with People Mover. Learn how to read maps and schedules, use transit apps, set up mTicket for half-fare discounts, and practice bike rack loading. The session includes a guided ride to and from the Downtown Transit Center. *Open to the public. No registration required.*

SENIOR POETRY WORKSHOP

Tuesday, Feb. 24, 2:00 PM—3:30 PM

Join local poet and facilitator Brian Hutton for a poetry workshop, including exercises and discussions on creativity and mental well-being.

AARP TAX AID

Saturdays, 10:00 AM—2:00 PM*

**Except Feb. 14*

Need assistance with your taxes? AARP tax specialists are here to help you file—for free!

APPLICATION ASSISTANCE

Fridays, 1:00PM—3:00 PM

Get help completing paper and online applications and find resources that fit your needs.

EVENTS ACROSS APL—

CHUGIAK-EAGLE RIVER

COMMUNITY SCHOOL FAIR

Explore multiple schooling options for your child! Come meet representatives from homeschools, private schools, and ASD in the Chugiak-Eagle River area.

Saturday, Feb. 21 from 1-4 PM

MULDOON

MEDICARE 101

Presented by Jeanné Larson from the Medicare Information Office, learn the basics of Medicare: eligibility, enrollment, coverage options, and how to set up an appointment if you need extra help.

Thurs., Feb. 19, 11:45 AM—1:30 PM

GERRISH (GIRDWOOD)

ESTATE PLANNING WITH AARP

From keeping the family farm in the family to ensuring your final wishes are honored, estate planning is a priceless gift to your loved ones. Learn how it can help organize your finances and make sure your wishes are followed.

Wed., Feb. 18, 3:30—5:00 PM

Z. J. LOUSSAC

BE MY VALENTINE STORYTIME

Join us for stories, songs, and to make your own Valentine's Day craft.

Saturday, February 14, 11AM