Teen Zone *grades 6 through 12*

Gem Stone Holiday Art

Tuesday, December 8 at 4:30 pm

Use watercolor paint, glitter and gemstones to create sparkly art for the holidays!

This free program is open to grades 6-12. Registration is required.

DECORATING SUGAR SKULLS

WED., NOV. 4 AT 6PM

Teens are invited to decorate ceramic sugar skulls using paint, markers, and embellishments to create unique, colorful designs that honor this meaningful cultural symbol. Registration is required.

Teen Service Saturday

Sat., Nov. 7, 10am-noon

Want to earn Community Service Hours? Volunteer your time at the library! Bring your Service Hours form for the librarian to sign.

No registration required. There will be pizza!

A Novel Idea Teen Book Club

Meets one Wed. per month from 6-7:30pm

Join us for a monthly Teen Book Club at Franklin Public Library--by teens, for teens! Open to grades 6-12. Email sophiamcollins22@gmail.com for more information.

THE FPL CINEMA



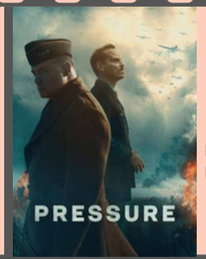
Classic Movie Matinee

Terms of Endearment

Nov 12 @ 1 pm

132 minutes. Rated PG.

Widow Aurora Greenway juggles her own struggles with a new romantic interest while trying to sort out the emotional problems of her daughter who's married to a cheating husband.



MONDAY MOVIE MATINEE

PRESSURE

Nov 16 @ 1 pm

100 minutes. Rated PG-13.

In the 72 hours before D-Day, General Dwight D. Eisenhower and Captain James Stagg face an impossible choice--launch the most dangerous seaborne invasion in history or risk losing the war altogether.

Bakers Wanted!!

Volunteer bakers of ALL AGES are needed!
Donate baked goods for the FPL Foundation Holiday Bake Sale happening Saturday, December 12th!
Proceeds go to the Children's Area Re-Design.

- Drop off baked goods at FPL **Wed, Dec. 9th** (4:30-8pm), or **Thurs, Dec. 10th** (9am-8pm)
- Drop off baked goods in a container that you **DO NOT want returned.**
- **TEENS!** Keep track of the time you spend baking and get credit for service hours!



An Expanded & Redesigned Children's Area for FPL?!

FRANKLIN PUBLIC LIBRARY learn...explore...connect

Franklin Public Library FPL25 2002-2027 25 Years at Loomis & Drexel

We can make it happen—together!

This redesign & renovation will be 100% donor-funded!

Our Children's Area has outgrown its space!

Let's make it more ADA-compliant & accessible!

Let's increase visibility so staff can better monitor the space for safety!

Public Information Meetings! Drop-In! 11/8: 1:30-3pm 11/30: 6:30-8pm

SCAN ME TO TAKE A TOUR!

SCAN ME! TO TAKE A SURVEY & GIVE YOUR FEEDBACK FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A $25 GIFT CARD TO KWIK TRIP OR SENDIK'S!

SCAN ME TO DONATE!

Franklin Public Library

2026 November Programs and Events

Library Hours:
Monday - Thursday: 9am-8pm
Friday: 9 am - 5 pm
Saturday: 9 am - 4pm
Sunday: 1 - 4 pm

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Dia De Los Muertos Take Home Craft Pick-Up Dia De Los Muertos Scavenger Hunt Nov 1-7 Remember Me Board Nov 1-7 Remember Me Week: Death Cafe 1:30pm	2 Waddlers and Walkers Drop-in 9:30am or 10:30am Remember Me Week: Soundtrack of Memory 6:00pm	3 Tales for Twos Drop-in 9:30am Preschool Pretend and Play Drop-in 10:30am Remember Me Week: Family Memory Digitization 1:00pm Color Club 6:00pm	4 Tales for Twos Drop-in 9:30am Preschool Pretend and Play Drop-in 10:30am Remember Me Week: Before I Die 6:00pm Remember Me Week: Decorating Sugar Skulls for Teens 6:00pm	5 Sewing with Barb 1:30pm Read It and Eat It 6:00pm Writer's Night 6:30pm	6 Remember Me Week Movie Matinee: *The Farewell* 1:00pm	7 Chair Yoga: Fall Session 9:30am Teen Service Saturday 10:00am Sparkle and Screen Drop-in 1:00pm
8 Children's Area Redesign Public Information Meeting 1:30-3:00pm	9 Waddlers and Walkers Drop-in 9:30am or 10:30am Sounds of Peace Sound Bath 6:00pm Tinker Time 6:00pm	10 Tales for Twos Drop-in 9:30am Preschool Pretend and Play Drop-in 10:30am Holiday Treat Decorating 6:00pm	11 Tales for Twos Drop-in 9:30am Preschool Pretend and Play Drop-in 10:30am Veterans Day Program 11am DIY Crafternoon: Fall Leaf Bowl 12:30pm	12 Sewing with Barb 1:30pm Classic Movie Matinee: *Terms of Endearment* 1:00pm Meditation for De-Stressing the Holidays 6:00pm	13 Homeschool Social Drop-in 2:00pm	14 Vintage Holiday Boutique and Rummage Sale Donation Drop-Off 9:00am-4:00pm
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22 Handmade Holidays 1:30pm Holiday Boutique and Thrift Sale $5 "Take What You Want!" 1:00pm-4:00pm	23 Rhyming to Read Drop-in 9:30am FPL Board of Trustees Meeting 6:00pm	24 Music & Motion Drop-in 9:30am	25 Creative Movement and Pre-Ballet Ages 2-3 Parent/Tot 10:30am Ages 4-5 11:00am Library Closes at 5pm	26 Library Closed for Thanksgiving	27 Library Closed for Friday After Thanksgiving	28
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Adult Programs

Ages 18+

FPL Book Clubs

Join fellow readers for great conversations about fascinating books.
No registration required.

Brown Baggers

Tuesdays @ 12:30pm

Nov. 17: Fuzz by Mary Roach
Dec. 15: The Glassmaker by Tracy Chevalier

Night Readers

Mondays@ 6pm

Nov. 16: The House in the Cerulean Sea by T.J. Klune
Dec. 14: Born a Crime by Trevor Noah

Silent Book Club

Thursdays @ 6pm

Nov. 19: On Cloud Wine – 10064 W. Loomis Rd.
Dec. 17: Safadi Coffee, 6570 S. Lovers Ln.

Holiday Boutique & Thrift

Nov. 19-22

Donations can be brought to the library beginning Saturday, Nov. 14 at 9am.

Thurs., Nov. 19, 5-8PM Preview Sale
Fri., Nov. 20, 9AM-5PM
Sat., Nov. 21, 9AM-4PM – 50% OFF SALE
Sun., Nov. 22 – 1PM-4PM –
Pay $5 and take what you want!

We are looking for volunteers to help sort and run the sale!
Contact Jennifer at jennifer.loeffel@mcfls.org to volunteer!

Handmade Holidays

Spend an afternoon crafting a few heart-felt gifts while enjoying cookies and hot cocoa. For adults 18+.
No registration needed.

Sun., Nov. 22, 1:30-3:30pm

Holiday Treat Decorating

Nov. 10 @ 6pm

Bring your friends for an evening of fun and sweets! Enjoy decorating cookies and other holiday sweets. For adults 18+
Registration is required.
A $5 supply fee is due 1 week prior to the class.

Ceol Cairde Holiday Concert

Weds. Dec. 9 at 6pm

Ceol Cairde will be performing holiday favorites with a Celtic flare! This family-friendly concert is fun for all ages.
No registration is needed.

Coffee Fundraiser, 10/19–12/13

FPL STONE CREEK COFFEE

Scan the QR code and purchase items from Stone Creek Coffee's website using the code **FPL26** at checkout. FPL receives 20% of the sale (excluding coffee makers). Select Stone Creek Coffees are also available for purchase at our Check Out Desk while supplies last!

Remember Me Week

Nov. 1-6

Remember Me Board, Nov. 1-7
Bring a picture of your loved one to place on our ofrenda.

Sunday, 11/1, 1:30pm: Death Cafe
Mon., 11/2, 6pm: Soundtrack of Memory
Create art in memory of a loved one.
Registration required.
Tues., 11/3, 1pm: Family Memory Digitization
Weds., 11/4, 6pm: Before I Die - Death care professionals will answer questions and provide end-of-life options.
Friday, 11/6, 1pm: Movie Matinee: The Farewell

Arts & Crafts Corner

DIY Crafternoon – Fall Leaf Bowl – Weds., Nov. 11 @ 12:30pm

Make a pretty fall bowl out of leaves. Registration is required and a $2 supply fee must be paid by cash or check at the library by Wednesday, Nov. 4 to secure your spot in the class.

Color Club – Tues., Nov. 3, 6-7:30

Head to the library for a relaxing evening of coloring or painting and socializing with fellow artists. Supplies are provided, or bring your own! Adults and Teens ages 12+ are welcome! No registration needed.

Sounds of Peace

Nov. 9 @ 6pm

Join Kathryn Rambo, Sound Practitioner, to experience sound bath meditation to relax, unwind and reflect. Registration is required. DOORS CLOSE AT 6PM. PLEASE ARRIVE BEFORE 6PM.

Meditation for De-Stressing the Holidays

Nov. 12 @ 6pm

Join Kathryn Rambo for a guided meditation to help with all the holiday stress. Registration is required.

DOORS CLOSE AT 6PM. PLEASE ARRIVE BEFORE 6PM.

Homeschool Social

(Grades K5 & up), *Drop-in*

Fridays from 2-4pm:

November 13 • December 11

All homeschool families are welcome to meet-up, make new friends, learn about library resources, and enjoy activities!

Kid's Programs

birth through 5th grade

Waddlers & Walkers

age 23 months & under with adult

This 20-minute program, focusing on parent-child interaction, introduces babies to rhymes, songs, fingerplays & short stories, followed by a playtime.

Drop-in: Mondays @ 9:30 *OR* 10:30am:

Same program both times.
November 2, 9, 16, & 30

Sensory Sprouts

ages 5 & under

Pick-up a sensory kit with hands-on activities to play, investigate, and explore at home!

Pick-up: November 20
Thanksgiving Sensory Pie

Available on the date listed. One per child. While supplies last.

Creative Movement & Pre-Ballet

November 25: Turkey Trot Ballet

Ages 2-3 Parent/Tot 10:30-11:00am, Drop-in–Parent Participation Required
Ages 4-5: 11:00-11:45am, Drop-in

Join the Academy of Performing Arts for a magical morning of movement, music, and imagination with beginner-friendly dance classes!

Tales for Twos

age 2 with adult

This 30-minute program introduces short stories, songs, & early learning activities to you & your child, followed by a playtime.

Drop-in: Tuesdays *OR* Wednesdays@ 9:30am

Same program both days.
November 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, & 18

Read It & Eat It!

grades K5-5
registration required

Thursday, November 5: 6pm

Explore a cookbook celebrating Día de los Muertos and make a tasty snack!

Registration is required and space is limited. Online registration opens Oct.22 at 9am. See website for registration information.

PRESCHOOL PRETEND & PLAY

ages 3-5 with adult

This 30-45-minute program is a stepping stone to the first days of school, incorporating books, songs, & other early literacy activities, followed by a playtime.

Drop-in: Tuesdays *OR* Wednesdays @ 10:30am

Same program both days.
November 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, & 18

Sparkle & Screen

grades K5-5

Make diamond art while watching the movie Coco (PG, 109 min.)! *While supplies last.*

Drop-in: Saturday, November 7, 1pm

Music & Motion

ages 5 & under with adult

This 30-minute program is full of dancing & singing for fun & exercise.

Drop-in: Tuesday @ 9:30am:
November 24

Rhyming to Read

ages 5 and under with adult

This 30-minute program introduces nursery rhymes through a variety of activities.

Drop-in: Monday @ 9:30am:
November 23

Remember Me

all ages

Remember and celebrate loved ones who have passed during a week of reflection, creativity, and connection!

Remember Me Board: Nov. 1-7
Scavenger Hunt: Nov.1-7
Take-Home Craft: Sun., Nov. 1
See website for more information.

More Family Fun

Holiday Chopped Challenge

grades K5-5
registration required

Monday, November 30
1:00pm

Compete in a holiday inspired "Chopped" challenge! Kids must use all mystery ingredients to create a tasty snack!

Registration is required and space is limited. Online registration opens Nov. 16 at 9am. See website for registration information.

Tinker Time

Best suited for ages 5 & up

Join us for fun STEAM activities for the whole family in the CreateSpace!
No registration required. While supplies last.

Mondays @ 6 pm:

November 9: Apples, Apples, Apples
December 7: Holiday Crafty Fun