

# February

## ADULT EVENTS

- 5 LUNCH & MOVIE SERIES: HIDDEN FIGURES**  
Ages 18+. 12 pm, Community Room
- 7 CRAFTER'S, INC.: T-SHIRT HOOP ART**  
Ages 18+. 11 am, Community Room
- 9 CRAFT\*LAB: ZENTANGLE WITH DARLA**  
Ages 18+. 7 pm, Community Room
- 12 LUNCH & MOVIE SERIES: SELMA** Ages 18+.  
12 pm, Community Room
- 14 READ & FEED BOOK GROUP: "YELLOWFACE"  
BY R.F. KUANG** Ages 18+. 6:15 pm,  
Community Room
- 16 CHECK OUT THE SYMPHONY! TCHAIKOVSKY'S  
PATHETIQUE SYMPHONY** Alys Stephens Ctr
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PATHETIQUE SYMPHONY** Alys Stephens Ctr
- 19 LUNCH & MOVIE SERIES: RESPECT** Ages 18+.  
12 pm, Community Room
- 22 FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY: CITY MANAGER  
JEFF DOWNES** Ages 18+. 10:30 am,  
Community Room
- 27 THE SISTERHOOD CIRCLE SERIES** Ages 18+.  
5:30 pm, Treehouse

## TECHNOLOGY CLASSES

(4:00 - 5:30 pm, Technology Classroom)

- 6 GOOGLE DRIVE**
- 15 INTERMEDIATE MICROSOFT EXCEL PART I**
- 20 INTERMEDIATE MICROSOFT WORD**
- 29 WINDOWS 11**

## SPECIAL HOURS

**FEB 5** Late Open Staff Meeting



## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

- 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 BOOK BABIES** 0-18 mos.  
10:00 am, Treehouse
- 3, 17 MS. COURTNEY'S LIBRARY STOP**  
All ages. 10:30 am, Community Room
- 6, 13, 20, 27 TODDLER-A-GO-GO** 18-36 mos.  
9:30 am & 10:30 am, Community Room
- 6 AFTER-SCHOOL ADVENTURES: WINTER  
MAD LIBS** K-2nd Grd. 3:30 pm,  
Children's Program Room
- 7, 14, 21, 28 STORY FRIENDS** Pre-K.  
10:30 am, Children's Program Room
- 7 TWELVE BELOW: ORIGAMI** Grd 3-6.  
3:30 pm, Children's Program Room
- 10, 24 KREATE W/KELLY** All ages.  
10:30-11:30 am, Children's Program Room
- 11-14 MAKE A VALENTINE TO KEEP OR GIVE  
AWAY!** All Day. Children's Department
- 13 AFTER-SCHOOL ADVENTURES V-DAY  
MIN-TO-WIN-IT** K-2nd Grd. 3:30 pm,  
Children's Program Room
- 13 FAMILY NIGHT: I LOVE BUBBLES!** All ages.  
Dinner 6 pm; Show 6:30 pm,  
Community Room
- 14 TWELVE BELOW: FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS**  
Grd 3-6. 3:30 pm, Children's Program Rm
- 20 AFTER-SCHOOL ADVENTURES: PENNY  
SPINNERS** K-2nd Grd. 3:30 pm,  
Children's Program Room
- 21 TWELVE BELOW: BUILD A RAFT!**  
Grd 3-6. 3:30 pm, Children's Prog. Room
- 27 AFTER-SCHOOL ADVENTURES: ART  
CHALLENGE** K-2nd Grd. 3:30 pm,  
Children's Program Room
- 28 GRAPHIC NOVEL BOOK CLUB: PAWCASSO BY  
REMY LAI** Grades 3-6. 3:30 pm,  
Children's Program Room

## TEENS Grade 6-12

- 1 VARIANT CHESS** 4:30 pm, Historical Room
- 2, 9, 16, OPEN GAMING** 4 pm, Community Rm
- 3 WEEKEND EMBROIDERY** 10 am,  
Historical. Room
- 6 TABLETOP GAMING GROUP** 4 pm  
Makerspace
- 7 WRITING GROUP: HAIKU** 4 pm,  
Historical. Room
- 14 ART GROUP: CHARACTER DESIGN**  
4 pm, Makerspace
- 17 ACT WORKSHOP ENGLISH/READING**  
Register. 9-11:30 am Community Room
- 20 ANTI-VALENTINE'S DAY** 4 pm, Makerspace
- 21 GAME PARTY** 4 pm, Makerspace
- 23 SUPER SMASH BROS TOURNAMENT**  
4 pm, Community Room
- 24 ACT WORKSHOP MATH/SCIENCE**  
Register. 9-11:30 am Community Room
- 24 D&D ONE-SHOT: VALENTINE'S MASQUERADE!**  
Register First. 10 am, Historical Room
- 27 FLOWER SHOP FRENZY** 4 pm,  
Community Room

## MAKERSPACE WORKSHOPS

(All ages unless otherwise noted)

- 1, 8, 15, 22 OPEN MAKER LAB**  
2-6:00 pm, Makerspace
- 5 INTRO TO 3D PRINTING**  
4:30 pm, Makerspace
- 13 TEARDOWN TUESDAY** Ages 10 & up.  
4:30 pm, Makerspace
- 19 MAKING STICKERS**  
4:30 pm, Makerspace
- 27 3D MODELLING WITH TINKERCAD**  
Register First. 4:30-5:30 pm,  
Makerspace



## ADULTS Ages 18+

**LUNCH & MOVIE SERIES** (2/5 Hidden Figures; 2/12 selma; 2/19 Respect) Bring your lunch. Popcorn, drinks and dessert is on us!

**CHECK OUT THE SYMPHONY!** Free tickets to this season's performances! For residents of Vestavia Hills, restrictions apply. Tickets available the first day of each month for that month's performances. More Info: 205-978-4678.

**CRAFTER'S, INC.: T-SHIRT HOOP ART** Bring an old t-shirt with graphics you love and upcycle into a work of art! Shirt will be cut up for the keepsake. Registration at [lora.roberts@vestavialibrary.org](mailto:lora.roberts@vestavialibrary.org) or 205-978-4674.

**CRAFT\*LAB: ZENTANGLE WITH DARLA** Create unique word art embellished with repetitive patterns called tangles. All materials, snacks, prizes provided. Register at 205-978-4678 or [terri.leslie@vestavialibrary.org](mailto:terri.leslie@vestavialibrary.org).

**FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY: CITY MANAGER JEFF DOWNES** Mr. Downes will discuss the state of the City. Coffee at 10 am, program at 10:30 am.

**READ & FEED BOOK GROUP** We have a new day and time! Join us on the 2nd Wed after hours for refreshments and a lively discussion. February: "Yellowface" by R.F. Kuang.

**THE SISTERHOOD CIRCLE SERIES** Come meet new people, enjoy refreshments and good conversation! Sometimes we need to just take a moment for ourselves. So, bring yourself, grab a friend, and enjoy some much-needed me-time with host Dehryl Mason. Monthly on the 4th Tuesday.

## TEENS Grades 6-12

**ACT WORKSHOP ENGLISH/READING** Learn from Amy Henson as she covers how the exam works, tips on the English/Reading portions, and shares resources to improve your score. FREE! Register at 205-978-3683.

**ACT WORKSHOP MATH/SCIENCE** Learn from Diane Teer as she covers how the exam works, tips on the Math/Science portions, and shares resources you to improve your score. FREE! Register at 205-978-3683.

**ANTI-VALENTINE'S DAY** Come and make a twisted Valentine's Day card while eating delicious snacks!

**ART GROUP: CHARACTER DESIGN** This month, join us for a drawing exercise where you will get practice designing original characters. Snacks served.

**DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS ONE-SHOT: VALENTINE'S MASQUERADE!** Help Val, a lonely succubus in disguise, find true love and turn over a new leaf or oust her due to her troubled past! Register at 205-978-3683.

**FLOWER SHOP FRENZY** In this Escape Room, show your skills as you transform a Flower Shop into an iris-istible Valentine's Day boutique!

**GAME PARTY** Join us in-person to play interactive Jackbox party games like Quiplash, Drawful, and Tee K.O. with other teens. Phone or mobile device recommended. Snacks Served.

**OPEN GAMING** Enjoy awesome board games and the latest consoles with fellow teens. Snacks served.

**SUPER SMASH BROS TOURNAMENT** Who will reign supreme in this battle royale of epic proportions? Come, dominate the competition and fight to win an Amazon gift card! Snacks served.

**TABLETOP GAMING GROUP** Celebrate all things tabletop as you try new games and play old favorites with other teens! Games and expertise provided. Snacks served.

**VARIANT CHESS** Learn to play or challenge other chess veterans in our Chess club! This month, we're playing different chess variants like Horde Chess! Students Grade 4-12. No adults.

**WEEKEND EMBROIDERY** Learn basic embroidery skills and create your own piece of handmade art - perfect for patches, pins, or decorating clothes. Supplies and snacks provided.

**WRITING GROUP: HAIKU** Celebrate National Haiku Writing Month and share your work with other teens! Snacks served.

## CHILDREN & TWEENS Birth - Grade 6

**12 BELOW** Fun activities with S.T.E.M.-related projects! (2/7 Origami, 2/14 Friendship Bracelets, 2/21 Build a Raft) Grades 3-6.

**AFTER-SCHOOL ADVENTURES** Games, crafts, experiments and lots of adventures! (2/6 Winter Mad Libs; 2/13 V-Day Min-to-Win-IT; 2/20 Penny Spinners; 2/27 Art Challenge) K-2nd Grade.

**BOOK BABIES** Ms. Lisa introduces babies from birth to 18 months to the joys of storytime with special lap-sit programs.

**FAMILY NIGHT: I LOVE BUBBLES!** Dinner at 6 pm; Show at 6:30 pm. Join Ms. Kit for bubble fun! She creates huge bubbles, lots of teeny tiny bubbles and everything in-between! All ages.

**GRAPHIC NOVEL BOOK CLUB** "Pawcasso" by Remy Lai. Come get your copy to read before the program. Grades 3-6.

**KREATE WITH KELLY!** Every 2nd & 4th Saturday, Ms. Kelly, will lead your family in a cool, collaborative art project. Supplies provided. All ages.

**MAKE A VALENTINE TO KEEP OR GIVE AWAY** We will have different Valentines to make, and you can choose one to keep and one to give away to your favorite Valentine. All supplies are provided. All ages.

**MS. COURTNEY'S LIBRARY STOP** Make the library your regular stop every 1st & 3rd Sat. to see Ms. Courtney and her story pals! Stories, songs, dancing, and playing make this the perfect morning activity! All ages.

**STORY FRIENDS** Ms. Lisa will bring stories, music, movement, and fun for all her preschool friends! Pre-K.

**TODDLER-A-GO-GO** The perfect storytime for toddlers on the go! Singing, dancing, and moving, with some stories thrown in, will make this one of your favorite weekly activities! Ages 18-36 months.

## MAKERSPACE All ages, unless noted

**3D MODELLING WITH TINKERCAD** Learn the essentials of creating your own 3D models with Tinkercad.com created by Autodesk. Registration required.

**INTRO TO 3D PRINTING** Curious about 3D printing? This class is the perfect introduction. Learn how our 3D printers work and the basics of finding and preparing models to print.

**MAKING STICKERS** We will walk you through the steps involved in contour cutting stickers with the makerspace's vinyl cutter.

**OPEN MAKER LAB** Whether you need to 3D print, vinyl cut, or work on an art project, the Makerspace will be available so you can MAKE it.

**TEARDOWN TUESDAY** Join us in the "Breaker Space," where we tear down small appliances and electronic devices to see what makes them tick, learn about their components, and harvest parts. Ages 10 and up.

## TECHNOLOGY CLASSES Ages 18+

**GOOGLE DRIVE** Learn how this cloud-based file storage service is the perfect tool for backing up files! We will also discuss how to create and share Google docs, slides, and sheets. Class participants must have a Gmail account and know their password.

**INTERMEDIATE MICROSOFT EXCEL PART I** Move beyond the basics as you explore ways to enhance your spreadsheets. Prior Excel use required.

**INTERMEDIATE MICROSOFT WORD** Learn how to manipulate images, create an automatic table of contents, use mail merge, and more. Prior Word use required.

**WINDOWS 11** Gain practical experience using Windows 11! Learn the basics and explore what Windows has to offer. Bring your laptop or just come and observe.

Register for classes at [vestavialibrary.org/tech](http://vestavialibrary.org/tech) or 205-978-4679