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**SIouxLAND
LIBRARIES**

November Programs



Lapsit

Help your baby develop listening and language skills with songs, stories, playtime. Get to know other families. For babies 6–24 months and caregiver.

Downtown Library | Saturdays 9:30 a.m. November 5, 12, 19

Oak View Branch | Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Prairie West Branch | Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Ronning Branch | Wednesdays 10:05 a.m. November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Toddler Time

Nurture your toddler's love of books through music, movement, and story activities, while developing language, motor, and social skills. For 2-year-olds and caregiver.

Brandon Community Library | Wednesday 10:15 a.m. November 2

Downtown Library | Monday 9:15 a.m. November 7

Prairie West Branch | Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Ronning Branch | Wednesdays 10:45 a.m. November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Preschool Storytime

Encourage a love of reading and develop your preschooler's early learning skills through stories, rhymes, songs, and movement activities. Please register your 3-, 4-, or 5-year-old at www.siouxlandlib.org/kids or call 367-8710.

Brandon Community Library | Tuesday 10:15 a.m. November 1

Downtown Library | Monday 10:05 a.m. November 7

Downtown Library | Monday 1 p.m. November 7

Oak View Branch | Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. November 2, 9, 16, 30

Prairie West Branch | Mondays 10:30 a.m. November 7, 14, 28

Ronning Branch | Thursdays 10:05 a.m. November 3, 10, 17

Ronning Branch | Thursdays 10:45 a.m. November 3, 10, 17

Ronning Branch | Thursdays 1 p.m. November 3, 10, 17

PAINT and PAGES

Promote your child's love of reading through simple art activities. For ages birth to 5 and caregiver.

Downtown Library | Friday 10:15 a.m. November 4

Tinker Tots

Explore, create, and learn through STEAM activities designed for 2- to 5-year-olds and caregiver.

Downtown Library | Friday 10:15 a.m. November 18

Wee Read and Sign

Simple signs build a communication bridge from infancy to childhood. Learn how to use stories, songs, and signs to boost brain development. For babies 6 to 24 months and caregiver.

Downtown Library | Tuesday 10:15 a.m. November 8

Preschool Science

Explore hands-on science. Stories introduce science concepts through interactive activities. For children 3 to 5 years old.

Prairie West Branch | Saturday 3 p.m. November 19

Wee Read and Explore

Engage your child in early learning games and activities inspired by the book Peanut Butter & Cupcake! For children 3 to 6 years old.

Prairie West Branch | Monday 10:30 a.m. November 21

Tail Waggin' Tutors

Bone up your child's reading skills. Book a 15-minute reading session with a Tail Waggin' Tutor! Registration required.

Brandon Community Library | Saturday 10–11 a.m. November 12

Downtown Library | Sunday 2–3 p.m. November 6

Prairie West Branch | Mondays 3–4 p.m. November 7, 14, 21, 28

Ronning Branch | Saturday 10:30–11:30 a.m. November 19

LEGO® @ the Library

Create art! We provide the bricks. Random pieces will be selected and displayed for one month. Registration required.

Brandon Community Library | Saturday 2:30 p.m. November 12

Library Explorers

Learn about the world through simple science experiments.

Crooks Branch | Tuesday 4:15 p.m. November 8

Art Adventures

Practice new techniques and discover the artists/illustrators who used them.

Downtown Library | Thursdays 4 p.m. November 3, 10, 17

Discovery Day

Learn something new at the Downtown Library!

Downtown Library | Wednesday 2 p.m. November 23

STEM Tuesday

Explore science, technology, engineering, and math with hands-on activities. For grades 3 to 5.

Downtown Library | Tuesdays 4 p.m. November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Book Tour Tuesday

Explore books and characters through fun activities.

Oak View Branch | Tuesdays 3:15 p.m. November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Kreative Kids

Discover a new book through crafts and activities.

Oak View Branch | Thursdays 3:15 p.m. November 3, 10, 17

Movie Wednesday

Enjoy a film!

Oak View Branch | Wednesdays 3 p.m. November 2, 9

Unplug and Play

A come-and-go program that tests skills and knowledge through activities that don't use computers.

Oak View Branch | Mondays 3:15 p.m. November 7, 14, 21, 28

Wii Wednesday

Wii games provide exercise and fun.

Oak View Branch | Wednesdays 3:15 p.m. November 16, 30

The Imagineers

Explore your creative side at the Prairie West Branch. For after-school adventures with stories and activities. Grades K to 5.

Prairie West Branch | Wednesdays 3:15 p.m. November 2, 9, 16, 30

Tremendous Tuesday

Weekly program for elementary students exploring the book series You Wouldn't Want to . . .

Ronning Branch | Tuesdays 3:15 p.m. November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

programs
for

ADULTS

Lit and Knit

Discuss your favorite books and authors while knitting blanket squares to be made into blankets and donated to local charities. Bring size 10 needles.

Ronning Branch | Wednesdays 1:30 p.m. November 2, 9, 16

Crooks Branch | Wednesday 6 p.m. November 30

NaNoWriMo Kick-Off Event

Think you have what it takes to write a 50,000-word novel in a month? Get tips, tricks, and writing prompts to prepare for this month-long national writing extravaganza.

Downtown Library | Tuesday 6:30 p.m. November 1

NaNoWriMo

Drop in for a Write-In with fellow NaNoWriMo (www.nanowrimo.org) participants. We'll provide the space; you bring the plot, characters, and creativity.

Downtown Library | Saturdays 11 a.m.–4 p.m. November 5, 12, 19, 26

Prairie West Branch | Sundays 1–5 p.m. November 6, 13, 20, 27

Young @ Heart Book Club

A young adult book club for adults. Registration required.

Prairie West Branch | Thursday 7 p.m. November 3

Oak View Branch | Monday 7 p.m. November 14

Pruning and Fall Cleanup

Get ready for winter! Daemon Coughlin from Oakridge Nursery will demonstrate landscape pruning.

Brandon Community Library | Wednesday 6:15 p.m. November 2

Death Gets a Red Card

Who would want the popular varsity soccer star . . . dead? Help solve the crime!

Crooks Branch | Thursday 6 p.m. November 10

Fiction and Poetry Writers Group

Critique and workshop open to all; focus is on short fiction and poetry.

Downtown Library | Tuesdays 6 p.m. November 1, 15

Getting to Know Downloadables: Holiday Edition

Considering a new device for a holiday gift? Come to this session to get a brief overview of Siouxland Libraries downloadable services.

Downtown Library | Saturday 2 p.m. November 20

Sweet Reads Book Club @ Half-Baked Cupcakes, 120 South Phillips Avenue

Discuss books that focus on the fun, uplifting, and humorous moments in life, while enjoying treats and coffee at Half-Baked Cupcakes!

Half-Baked Cupcakes | Tuesday 6:30 p.m. November 1

Yarn-A-Bit

For beginning stitchers or advanced yarn spinners. Bring your own supplies. All ages and experience welcome!

Prairie West Branch | Tuesday 7 p.m. November 8

Gitchie Girl Authors

Phil and Sandy Hamman will discuss the story of Sandra Cheskey, the lone survivor of 1973 Gitchie Manitou mass murder. Cheskey will also be present.

Ronning Branch | Saturday 10 a.m. November 26

Knitting Mittens

Learn to make mittens using double point needles. Must have knitting experience. Two-session class. Contact the branch for supply list.

Ronning Branch | Saturdays 10 a.m. November 5, 19

Page Turners Book Group

For those who love a variety of genres or want to expand their reading horizons.

Ronning Branch | Monday 7 p.m. November 21



Teen Advisory Board

Middle- and high-schoolers are invited to plan programs, suggest materials for library purchase, and learn about volunteering.

Caille Branch | Thursday 4:30 p.m. November 3

(will meet at Prairie West Branch)

Oak View Branch | Thursday 3:15 p.m. November 10

Prairie West Branch | Tuesday 4:15 p.m. November 1

Ronning Branch | Tuesday 7 p.m. November 15

Teen Activity Table Quiditch Tournament

Compete in a table Quiditch tournament to win movie tickets to Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them. Class size limited; registration required.

Brandon Community Library | Tuesday 3:30 p.m. November 15

P.W.P.D. (Prairie West Prairie Dogs)

Discover the books behind popular movies. For Grades 4 to 8.

Prairie West Branch | Tuesdays 4:15 p.m. November 22, 29

P.W.P.D. Book Club

Bring a book of your choice to discuss. Attend for a chance to win a free book. For Grades 4 to 8.

Prairie West Library | Tuesday 4:15 p.m. November 15

Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them

Celebrate the movie release with activities and craft your own fantastic beast.

Ronning Branch | Sunday 2 p.m. November 13



Trivia Night at Monk's, 420 East Eighth Street

Test your trivia knowledge and compete for prizes. Up to six team members; first 90 people. Must be 21 years or older. Food and beverage available for purchase.

Monk's | Tuesday 6 p.m. November 15

Holiday Spending

Don't let Jingle Bells turn into jingle bills. Celebrate the holidays without overspending. This seminar will help you formulate a plan.

Ronning Branch | Thursday 7 p.m. November 3



Family Storytime

Stimulate early learning with books, rhymes, music, and movement at this drop-in program for families.

Brandon Community Library | Thursday 7 p.m. November 3

Colton Branch | Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. November 2, 9

Crooks Branch | Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. November 2, 9

Downtown Library | Saturdays 11 a.m. November 5, 12

Humboldt Branch | Thursdays 10:30 a.m. November 3, 10

Oak View Branch | Mondays 10:30 a.m. November 14, 21, 28

Prairie West Branch | Saturdays 10:30 a.m. November 12, 19, 26

Pajama Storytime

Sleep is an important part of good health. Wind down at this story program for families.

Downtown Library | Thursdays 6:30 p.m. November 6, 10

Hartford Branch | Thursdays 7 p.m. November 3, 10

Prairie West Branch | Mondays 7 p.m. November 7, 14, 21, 28

Turkey Tales

Bring the kids to this family storytime featuring tales about turkeys and ending with a musical Turkey Trot parade through the library.

Brandon Community Library | Tuesday 10:15 a.m. November 15

Downtown Library | Monday 10:05 a.m. November 14

Downtown Library | Monday 1 p.m. November 14

Downtown Library | Saturday 11 a.m. November 19

Oak View Branch | Wednesday 10:30 a.m. November 23

Colton Branch | Wednesday 10:30 a.m. November 16

Crooks Branch | Wednesday 10:30 a.m. November 16

Hartford Branch | Thursday 7 p.m. November 17

Humboldt Branch | Thursday 10:30 a.m. November 17

DIY Day

Discover a new book through crafts and activities.

Colton Branch | Saturdays 9–11 a.m. November 5, 26

Hartford Branch | Saturday 10 a.m.–12 noon November 5

Special Story Time with April Cundy

Learn how April Cundy creates art, and hear a story about her life written by her mother, Linda. For school-aged children.

Downtown Library | Wednesday 4 p.m. November 2

Fridays with Rocky

Encourage the love of reading and develop your child's learning skills at this special family storytime with a certified therapy dog.

Oak View Branch | Fridays 10:30 a.m. November 4, 18

Moving and Grooving Storytime

Perfect for wiggle worms; features music, movement, and books for families. Encourage your child's curiosity, love of reading, and early learning.

Oak View Branch | Monday 10:30 a.m. November 7

Second Saturday Storytime

Featuring stories, songs, and a craft for families with children ages 3–5.

Oak View Branch | Saturday 10:30 a.m. November 12

Light-Up-the-Dark Storytime

Activities and crafts that glow! For all ages.

Prairie West Branch | Saturday 10:30 a.m. November 5

Sensory Storytime

Stories, songs, and activities for children ages 3 to 8 with autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration issues, or other developmental disabilities. Registration required; participation strongly encouraged at all of the five-week sessions.

Ronning Branch | Wednesdays 1:30 p.m. November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

First Friday Book Give Away

In the spirit of November's First Friday theme Downtown Gives, the Downtown Library will hold a book giveaway for all ages from 5–8 p.m. in the lobby of the Washington Pavilion.

Washington Pavilion | Friday 5–8 p.m. November 4

Baltic Branch

213 St. Olaf Avenue, Baltic, SD | 605-529-5415

Brandon Branch

305 South Splitrock Boulevard, Brandon, SD | 605-582-2390

Caille Branch

4100 Carnegie Circle, Sioux Falls, SD | 605-367-8144

Colton Branch

402 South Dakota Avenue, Colton, SD | 605-446-3519

Crooks Branch

900 North West Avenue, Crooks, SD | 605-543-5296

Downtown Library

200 North Dakota Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD | 605-367-8720

Garretson Branch

649 Main Avenue, Garretson, SD | 605-594-6619

Hartford Branch

705 East Second Street, Hartford, SD | 605-528-3223

Humboldt Branch

201 South Main Street, Humboldt, SD | 605-363-3361

Oak View Branch

3700 East Third Street, Sioux Falls, SD | 605-367-8060

Prairie West Branch

7630 West 26th Street, Sioux Falls, SD | 605--978-6899

Ronning Branch

3100 East 49th Street, Sioux Falls, SD | 605-367-8140

Valley Springs Branch

401 Broadway Avenue, Valley Springs, SD | 605-757-6264



Siouxland Libraries

www.siouxlandlib.org | 605-367-8720

Siouxland Libraries Closed

All branches closed in observance of Veterans Day.

All Branches | Friday, November 11

All branches closed in observance of Thanksgiving Day.

All Branches | November 24

Caille Branch Closed

Closed for renovation. It's going to be great. . . worth the wait!