

SUNDAY CLOSED	MONDAY 10AM-9PM	TUESDAY 10AM-9PM	WEDNESDAY 10AM-9PM	THURSDAY 10AM-9PM	FRIDAY 10AM-6PM	SATURDAY 10AM-6PM
<p>The Twin Falls Public Library is thrilled to announce our new permanent StoryWalk at Thomsen Park! Every month, take a stroll along the trail and enjoy a fresh story to read. Help us celebrate at Thomsen Park on Cabin Fever Day, January 4th, from 1 PM - 3 PM for our Grand Opening Celebration with special guests, hot cider & cocoa, treats, crafts, music, and more!</p> 			<p>1 Library Closed Happy New Year!</p>	<p>2 Toddler Dance Party 10:30 AM Teen Scavenger Hunt 10 AM - 9 PM</p>	<p>3 Preschool Dance Party 10:30 AM Tech Class: Device Day 4:30 PM</p>	<p>4 StoryWalk @ Thomsen Park - Grand Opening Celebration! 1 PM - 3 PM Saturday Movie Matinee: "The Wild Robot" 3:00 PM</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>6 Toddler Time 10:30 AM Elementary STEM 4:00 PM Knitting/Crochet Basics @ 5 PM A Good Yarn Club @ 6 PM</p>	<p>7 Baby Lapsit Storytime 11:00 AM Genealogy Workshop: Genealogy Basics @ 6:30 PM</p>	<p>8 Ready, Set, Kindergarten 10:30 AM</p>	<p>9 Toddler Time 10:30 AM Dungeons & Dragons 5:30 PM</p>	<p>10 Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM Tech Class: Device Day 4:30 PM</p>	<p>11 President Piggie's Inauguration Party 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday Movie Matinee: "Arthur the King" 3:00 PM</p>
<p>12</p>	<p>13 Toddler Time 10:30 AM Elementary STEM 4:00 PM Classic Movie Night "Bundle of Joy" 6:00 PM</p>	<p>14 Baby Lapsit Storytime 11:00 AM Tween STEM 4:00 PM & 5:30 PM</p>	<p>15 Ready, Set, Kindergarten 10:30 AM Game Night @ TFPL "Ticket to Ride" 6:00 PM</p>	<p>16 Toddler Time @ 10:30 AM Readers Dozen Discussion 11:30 AM Teen Cooking Class: Ginger Ale & Root Beer @ 4:30 PM AARP Tax-Aide Presentation 6:30 PM</p>	<p>17 Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM Intro to Technology @ 11:30 AM Elementary Book Club: "The Guardian Test" 4:00 PM Mocktails & Trivia @ 6:30 PM</p>	<p>18 Read to a Therapy Dog 10:30 AM Family LEGO Build 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM Saturday Movie Matinee: "Trolls World Tour" 3:00 PM</p>
<p>19</p>	<p>20 Library Closed Martin Luther King Jr. Day</p>	<p>21 Baby Lapsit Storytime 11:00 AM Tween STEM 4:00 PM & 5:30 PM</p>	<p>22 Ready, Set, Kindergarten 10:30 AM LE Book Club: "Kindred" by Octavia Bulter @ 6:30 PM</p>	<p>23 Toddler Time 10:30 AM Dungeons & Dragons 5:30 PM</p>	<p>24 Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM</p>	<p>25 Dream Hands 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Seed Swap w/ the Master Gardener 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM Saturday Movie Matinee: "Beetlejuice Beetlejuice" 3:00 PM</p>
<p>26</p>	<p>27 Toddler Time 10:30 AM Elementary STEM 4:00 PM</p>	<p>28 Baby Lapsit Storytime 11:00 AM Tween STEM: 4:00 PM & 5:30 PM</p>	<p>29 Ready, Set, Kindergarten 10:30 AM</p>	<p>30 Toddler Time 10:30 AM Open Mic Night: Short Stories & Poetry @ 6:30 PM Teen Craft Kit: Emoji Pillows 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM</p>	<p>31 Preschool Storytime 10:30 AM</p>	

All-Ages/Family

StoryWalk @ Thomsen Park: Grand Opening Celebration – We're celebrating Cabin Fever Day with a grand opening of our permanent StoryWalk at Thomsen Park! Join us January 4th from 1 – 3 PM for fun & games, hot cocoa, special guests, and the Twin Falls Public Library Bookmobile. The StoryWalk is a unique, interactive way for families to enjoy reading while exploring the beauty of Thomsen Park, located at 1036 Carriage Ln.

Family LEGO Build – Drop by from 12 PM – 2 PM on January 18th to build with the Library's huge Lego collection!

Game Night @ The Library! – Join us January 15th @ 6 PM for game night! This month's featured board game is "Ticket to Ride" Ages 12+.

Knitting/Crochet Basics & A Good Yarn Club – Meet us on January 6th for Knitting & Crochet basics at 5 PM! Then, stick around after class for A Good Yarn Club to meet fellow yarn crafters, share ideas, and work on your projects.

Saturday Movie Matinee – Catch a free movie matinee every Saturday at 3 PM on the big screen in our Program. Here's everything playing this month:

Jan 4th – The Wild Robot (PG)
Jan 11th – Arthur the King (PG-13)
Jan 18th – Trolls World Tour (PG)
Jan 25th – Beetlejuice Beetlejuice (PG-13)

Youth

Teen Scavenger Hunt – Teens in 6th – 12th grade, stop by the library anytime on January 2nd and do a scavenger hunt in the teen room. When you finish, you get a prize!

Teen Cooking Class – Homemade Ginger Ale & Root Beer – Teens in 6th – 12th grade, join us on January 16th at 4:30 PM for a cooking class! This month we are making homemade ginger ale and homemade root beer.

Teen Craft Kit: Emoji Pillows – Teens in 6th – 12th grade, stop by anytime on January 30th to pick up a craft kit with everything you need to make a fun craft at home. This month, we are making no-sew emoji pillows. Kits are first come, first served while supplies last.

Tween STEM Club – Kids in 4th – 6th grade, sign up for our next Tween STEM Session! This program will run on Tuesdays (4:00 PM & 5:30 PM) from 1/14 – 2/25. Participants will work on a project over the course of the program, learning core STEM skills along the way. **Registration is required and space is limited.** Call (208) 733-2964 ext. 301 to sign up and for more details.



Youth cont.

Storytimes

Baby Lapsit – Baby Lapsit is designed for babies from birth through 18 months. This short storytime lasts 15 minutes. Your baby will be on your lap throughout, and you will sing, move, and read with your baby! Tuesdays at 11 AM.

Toddler Time – Toddler Time is designed for children in the 18mo to 3yo age group. This age group gets the wiggles, so there are lots of opportunities for movement and books that are appropriate for their attention span followed by playtime! Mondays & Thursdays at 10:30 AM (except except 01/02 & 01/20).

Preschool Storytime – Preschool storytime is designed for kids who are 4-5 years old! This storytime uses the five early literacy practices- sing, talk, read, write, and play. Each storytime features a letter, books that are a little longer and a little more complex to get us ready to sit in a classroom, and lots of fun rhymes and songs. After storytime, we play! Fridays at 10:30 AM (except 01/03).

Dance Parties – During the week of New Years, let's have a dance party! All pre-elementary kids can join us for a fun dance party in the storytime room! There will be music, bubbles, and more – January 2nd & 3rd @ 10:30 AM.

Dream Hands – Bring your child by the library anytime from 10 AM – 5 PM on January 25th to honor Martin Luther King Jr. Day with a dream hand! Children can cut a silhouette of their hand and write their dreams on it, then we'll display them in the library.

Elementary STEM – Elementary-age kids, join us Monday afternoons at 4 PM for hands-on activities designed to get kids excited about Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Children under 8 will need help from a grown-up. Note: We will not have Elementary STEM on 1/20.

Elementary Book Club: "Legends of Lotus Island: The Guardian Test" – Join us on January 17 at 4:00 PM for Elementary Book Club! This month we are reading "Legends of Lotus Island: The Guardian Test" by Christina Soontornvat. We'll eat snacks, do some activities, and have so much fun!

President Piggie's Inauguration Party – Piggie won the Library Election, and now you are invited to her Inauguration Party! Come join us on January 11th from 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM for games, music, and ice cream! You can even come dressed up for a "fancy costume pool party," just like in the book!

Ready, Set, Kindergarten! – Class starts January 8; every Wednesday at 10:30 AM. Ready, Set Kindergarten! is a program for kids who are entering kindergarten in Fall 2025. Each week, kids will earn a new letter, a kindergarten readiness concept, work on numbers, participate in hands-on activities, and parents will receive a worksheet to take home with suggestions of activities to do with their children.

Read to a Therapy Dog – Kids, come read to a therapy dog from the Pets Helping People Therapy Team on January 18th at 10:30 AM! Sign up for a 10-minute slot when you arrive, and spots are first come, first served.

Adult

AARP Tax Aide – Come to this special presentation from Certified AARP Tax-Aide Specialists! On January 16th at 6:30 PM, the AARP Tax-Aide team will take you through the services they offer every tax season. Learn what tax returns they can prepare, what documents are needed for accurate returns, and schedule an appointment for personalized tax preparation between Feb 1 and April 15th.

Classic Movie Night – Check out Classic Movie Club at the Library! This month, join us on January 13th at 6 PM for our screening of "Bundle of Joy."

Dungeons & Dragons – Adults & teens, join our adventure! Play Dungeons & Dragons every other Thursday at 5:30 PM in the Program Room! Ask a Librarian to find out how to join! Jan. 9th & 23rd. Ages 13+

Genealogy Workshop: Genealogy Basics – Join our Genealogy Workshop! Every month, we'll teach you a new skill or tool to use to uncover your family tree. On January 7th at 6:30 PM, come and learn the basic skills you need to begin researching your genealogy!

Limited Edition Book Club: It's About Time – Join our three-part discussion series featuring titles all about the fourth dimension – time. On Jan. 22nd at 6:30 PM, come discuss "Kindred" by Octavia Butler.

Mocktails & Trivia – Join us for Mocktails & Trivia January 17th at 6:30 pm at this after-hours event! Play trivia in teams, learn how to make some delicious mocktails, and vote for your favorite! Note: Registration is required for this program due to limited space. Call the Reference Desk to reserve your spot today!

Open Mic Night: Short Stories & Poetry – Visit us on January 30th at 6:30 PM for a night of short stories & poetry. Share your own writings or pieces by other authors, or just come to listen! Sign-up is first come, first to read. 5-minute time limit per reading. Check with a librarian for more information.

Readers Dozen Discussion – Reading a book for Readers Dozen that you want to share? Join us at 11:30 AM on Thursday, January 16th to talk about the book you chose and get great recommendations from other readers. Bring a brown bag lunch, if you like!

Seed Swap w/ the Master Gardeners – Gardeners, come on January 25th from 11 AM – 2 PM or our 2nd Annual Seed Swap in collaboration with the Master Gardeners. Anyone who attends will get tickets to claim seeds, and if you bring some seeds in to swap (properly stored and viable), you'll get extra tickets!

Tech Class: Device Day – Join us at 4:30 PM on January 3rd & 10th for Device Day! Whether you're working with a new device want to learn more about digital resources available from the library, we can help! Drop in at 4:30 pm to sit down and get one-on-one help with your device.

Intro to Technology – Learn the basics! Stop by January 17th at 11:30 AM to learn how to use your computer for internet browsing, word processing and more, plus, you'll learn how to navigate your smartphone – find and install apps, send text messages, and everything else you need to get started using your devices.