# February 2024

# Old Bridge Public Library Youth Services

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1. 10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime 6:00pm - 8:00pm: D&D Hangout	2. Take Home Craft: Year of the Dragon Puppet  10:30am - 12:30pm: Alphabet Art	3. 11:00am - 1:00pm: Math Tutoring 11:00am - 2:00pm Take Your Child to the Library Day 12:00pm - 1:00pm LEGO Lab
4.	5.  10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime  7:00pm - 8:00pm: Maker Monday: Valentines (Ages 5-8)	6. 10:15am - 11:30am: ABC Play with Me 7:00pm - 8:00pm: Lunar New Years Celebration	7. A: 10:15am - 10:45am B: 11:15am - 12:00pm Baby Storytime  4:00pm - 5:00pm: Read to the Dogs  6:00pm - 7:00pm: Swing Into Softball: Girls & Women in Sports (Ages 5+)	8. 10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime 5:00pm - 5:40pm: Bugs on the Go: A Program About Bugs	9.	10. 11:00am - 1:00pm: Math Tutoring 12:00pm - 1:00pm LEGO Lab
11.	<b>12. 10:15am - 10:45am:</b> Kids Dance Party	13. 10:15am - 11:30am: ABC Play with Me 11:00am - 4:00pm: Preschool Valentine's Day Craft Drop-in 7:00pm - 8:00pm: Dynamic Duo Craft Club: Mardi Gras*	14. A: 10:15am - 10:45am B: 11:15am - 12:00pm Baby Storytime	15.  10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime  6:00pm - 8:00pm: D&D Hangout	Take Home Craft: Black History Month  10:30am - 12:30pm: Alphabet Art	17. 11:00am - 1:00pm: Math Tutoring 12:00pm - 1:00pm LEGO Lab
18.	19. 10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime 4:00pm - 5:00pm: Meet a Therapy Horse	20. 10:15am - 11:30am: ABC Play with Me 4:00pm - 4:45pm: Storytime with Phoebe Willow the Therapy Dog	21. A: 10:15am - 10:45am B: 11:15am - 12:00pm Baby Storytime	22. 10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime 6:00pm - 7:30pm: Cartooning Club (Grades 3-6)*	23.	24. 11:00am - 1:00pm: Math Tutoring 12:00pm - 1:00pm LEGO Lab 2:30pm - 3:30pm: Family Bingo (Ages 4+)
25.	26. 10:15am - 10:45am: Kids Dance Party 7:00pm - 8:00pm: STEAM Explorers: Marshmallow Engineering (Ages 8-11)*	27.  10:15am - 11:30am: ABC Play with Me  4:00pm - 5:00pm: Air Dry Clay Day (Ages 5-8)*	28. A: 10:15am - 10:45am B: 11:15am - 12:00pm Baby Storytime	29. 10:15am - 10:45am: Family Storytime 6:00pm - 8:00pm: D&D Hangout 6:30pm - 8:00pm: Lotus Lantern Craft Workshop (Ages 13-Adult)*		equired, please visit pelibrary.org/events

#### **Teen Programs (Grades 6-12)**

<u>D&D (Dungeons & Dragons) Hangout</u> Thursday: Feb. 1, Feb. 15, Feb. 29 at 6:00pm Join an epically fun tabletop role-playing game.

Lotus Lantern Craft Workshop (Ages 13 - Adult)\*
Thursday, February 29 from 6:30pm - 8:00pm
Learn about Korean culture through the Korean Spirit
and Culture Promotion Project's lotus workshop.

#### **Monthly Youth Classics**

<u>Family Storytime:</u> select Mondays and every Thursday
Join us for an all-ages storytime!

<u>Kids Dance Party:</u> select Mondays

Join us as we dance along to popular kids songs!

ABC Play with Me: every Tuesday
Come socialize and play with learning toys that
encourage imagination and motor skills.

<u>Baby Storytime:</u> two sessions every Wednesday Join us for rhymes and stories ages 0-24 months!

Read to the Dogs: the first Wednesday of every month
Practice reading skills by reading to a therapy dog.

<u>Take Home Craft:</u> the first Friday of every month Crafts are first come, first served while supplies last.

Alphabet Art: every other Friday

Drop-in crafts based on each letter of the alphabet.

<u>Math Tutoring:</u> every Saturday Improve your math skills with our teen volunteers!

<u>LEGO Lab:</u> every Saturday
Bring your imagination to life with LEGO blocks.

#### **Featured Youth Programming**

Take Your Child to the Library Day
Saturday, February 3 from 11:00am - 2:00pm

Pick up your Love Your Library game board and win some prizes as you do activities.

Maker Monday: Valentines (Ages 5-8)
Monday, February 5 from 7:00pm - 8:00pm
Make your own Valentine gifts out of craft supplies.

#### **Featured Youth Programming Continued**

**Lunar New Years Celebration** 

Tuesday, February 6 from 7:00pm - 8:00pm Celebrate the Year of the Dragon with crafts and then participate in our Dragon Parade around the library!

Swing Into Softball: Girls and Women in Sports (Ages 5+)
Wednesday, February 7 from 6:00pm - 7:00pm
A learn-about program and storytime about softball

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<u>Bugs of the Go: A Program About Bugs</u> Thursday, February 8 from 5:00pm - 5:40pm

Presented by Insectropolis, get a chance to pet hissing roaches, tarantulas, millipedes and scorpions.

<u>Preschool Valentine's Day Drop-in Craft</u>

Tuesday, February 13 from 11:00am - 4:00pm

Drop-in to do some fun easy crafts of hearts and love!

Dynamic Duo: Mardi Gras\*

Tuesday, February 13 from 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Come create a work of art with your little one!

\*\*parents & guardians must register name with child\*\*

#### Meet a Mini Therapy Horse

Monday, February 19 from 4:00pm - 5:00pm Meet Roxxy and/or Roo the Mini Therapy Horses.

Storytime with Phoebe Willow the Therapy Dog (Ages 4+)
Tuesday, February 20 from 4:00pm - 4:45pm
Local author Rosemarie DiMare and her therapy dog
Phoebe Willow share a story about making friends.

Cartooning Club (Ages 8+)

Thursday, February 22 from 6:00pm - 7:30pm Share your stories and art with peers.

STEAM Explorers: Marshmallow Engineering (Ages 8-11)\*
Monday, February 26 from 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Crafts, activities, and experiments based on engineering with marshmallows.

Family Bingo (Ages 4+)

Saturday, February 24 at 2:30pm - 3:30pm Come play a fun game of bingo and win a prize. program limited to the first fifty(50) participants.

Air Dry Clay Day (Ages 5-8)\*

Tuesday, February 27 from 4:00pm - 5:00pm Sculpt a masterpiece with fast drying air dry clay.

### **Old Bridge Public Library**

### **YOUTH SERVICES**

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## <u>Library Hours</u> Central Branch

Monday-Friday

10am - 9pm

Saturday

10am - 5pm

Sunday

12pm - 5pm

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One Old Bridge Plaza,
Municipal Center
Route 516 and Cottrell Rd
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<sup>\*</sup> Registration is required and space is limited.