



The Cedar Grove Public Library December 2024 Calendar of Events



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>1  No activity bags this week.</p>	<p>2 Watercolor w/Jane @10 am 7-8pm Overbrook Writers (on Zoom)</p>	<p>3 10 am Wee Rhyme & Read 10:30 am Chair Yoga (on Zoom) w/Penny Family Fun Night sponsored by the Library Friends 5:30 to 7:30pm College Planning @7pm Register at cbrg.info</p>	<p>4 10:30 am Needle Works Group Meet Up 1 pm Movie: (Thomas Kinkade's Christmas Cottage) 2pm Virtual Author Talk</p>	<p>5 10am Story Time Senior Strength Training (on Zoom) @10 am Completed forms and gingerbread houses due in the library. 1 pm Movie (Reagan) Mike Luipersbeck Band @6:30 pm</p>	<p>6 Kids Chess @3:45 pm</p>	<p>7 Come in we're open 9-1 </p>
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<p>22 No activity bags this week </p>	<p>23 Winners of the Gingerbread House Contest announced! Drop in Art @10 am 7-8pm Overbrook Writers</p>	<p>24 LIBRARY CLOSED NO CHAIR YOGA</p>	<p>25 LIBRARY CLOSED </p>	<p>26 NO STORY TIME Senior Strength Training (on Zoom) @10 am </p>	<p>27 Kids Chess @3:45 pm </p>	<p>28 Come in we're open 9-1 STEM Ages 7+ Registration required Details on back</p>
<p>29</p>	<p>30 Drop in Art @10 am 7-8pm Overbrook Writers</p>	<p>31 10 am Wee Rhyme & Read NO CHAIR YOGA Library closes at 5pm </p>	<p>Library Closed Wednesday, January 1 </p>	<p>Family Fun Night Tuesday, December 3 (5:30 to 7:30 pm) - \$10 per family & a nonperishable food donation. Games, crafts, story time, a movie & snacks. Register: givebutter.com/famfun</p>	<p>Family Gingerbread House Contest ! Completed forms and houses are due Thursday, December 5. Voting begins Monday December 9. See more details on back. Good luck to all the participants!</p>	

Special Events December 2024

Overbrook Writers LIVE & VIRTUAL

Mondays, December 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 from 7 to 8 pm
(A writing support and discussion group). Whether you write in a notebook or type on a computer, come meet other local writers and discuss the craft
Email: marrin@palsplus.org for the meeting link

Concert—Thursday, December 5 @6:30 pm

Mike Luipersbeck (drummer) is back with his talented musicians to entertain and play tunes for your listening pleasure! No registration required.

Digital Literacy

Monday, December 9 @11 am

Adults: Learn how technology can help you manage and improve your health and technical skills. Discover how to download apps, navigate websites, access telehealth and identify scams. Presented by Braven Health.

College Planning Workshops (on Zoom)

Wednesdays, December 3, & December 17

Free virtual workshop which will include understanding Financial Aid Forms, what college is the best “fit”, how to find that school, and more.
Go to cbgr.info to register.

Cedar Grove Public Library Webinars

Tuesdays, December 4 @2 pm and December 11 @2pm

Enjoy a range of talks from bestselling authors.
Brought to you in partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.

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Needle Works Group (No meet up December 25)

Learn to knit, crochet, embroider & more at the needle works group that meets Wednesdays at 10:30 am. Enjoy a time of sharing while learning how to create your own work of art. An instructor will be available to help you with your projects. Supplies are available to get you started. For more info email falcone@palsplus.org

Diamond Art

Friday, December 13 @11 am—Decorate a peacock sun-catcher. Registration required; limited seating. Email falcone@palplus.org or sign up at the front desk.

Regular Programs at the Cedar Grove Public Library

Watercolor Classes

Mondays, December 2 & 16 with Jane @10 am.
Registration Required.
Drop in Art Monday, December 9, 23 & 30 @10 am

Chair Yoga (on Zoom)

Every Tuesday in December @10:30 am
with Instructor, Penny Prospero.
Yoga poses, breathing exercises all done in a chair or using a chair as support.
NO CHAIR YOGA DECEMBER 24 & DECEMBER 31

Strength Training for Seniors (on Zoom)

Thursdays, December 5, 12, 19, & 26 @10 am
with Instructor, Leena Kalle. Cardio/Stretch
For a more fit, healthier you.

Cedar Readers Book Clubs

The evening book club will meet Thursday, December 19 @6:30 pm to discuss “Comfort & Joy” by Kristin Hannah.
Our afternoon book club will meet Friday, December 20 @12 pm to discuss “Tom Lake” by Ann Patchett. Join us for some good conversation. Both clubs are open to all.

Two Afternoon Movies (1st Week in December only)

(1) Wednesday, December 4 @1 pm
(*Thomas Kinkadee's Christmas Cottage*)
(2) Thursday, December 5 @1 pm (*Reagan*)
No Thursday Afternoon Movies December 12, 19 & 26

The next Thursday Afternoon movie will be shown on January 2 @1 pm. TBA

Friends Of the Library

Meeting Tuesday, December 10 @6:30 pm

Culinary Club

Wednesday, December 18 @12 pm
(Holiday Buffet in the Main Area of the Library)
Catering from *Yetla's (Mexican Cuisine)*

Library Closed

Tuesday, December 24 & Wednesday, December 25
and Wednesday, January 1

Early Closing

Tuesday, December 31—Closing at 5 pm

CHILDREN'S EVENTS & STORY TIMES

Grab and Go Bags

Each week we will have a new bag available for pick-up at the library containing a craft & several activities related to the week's Story Time theme. Bags are first-come; first-served, so it's advised that you call the library to schedule a pick-up.
NO ACTIVITY BAGS THE WEEKS OF DEC. 9, 16 & 23

Wee Rhyme & Read

Tuesdays in December @10 am with Miss Natalie.
(Recommended ages 0 to 2.5 years old)
Songs, rhymes & short stories for your little learners. NO WEE RHYME & READ TUESDAYS, DECEMBER 10, 17 & 24.

Story Time with Miss Natalie

Thursdays @10 am with Miss Natalie.
Join Miss Natalie in the children's section for stories, rhymes and a craft. NO STORY TIME THURSDAYS, DECEMBER 12, 19 & 26.

Kids Chess

Fridays, December 6, 13, 20, & 27 @3:45 pm with Instructor, John Hagerty. Learn to play or revisit strategic chess moves. Ages 6-13

Read to a Dog

Tuesday, December 17 @4 pm
There will be a special doggie in the library that loves to be read to. Sign up required. For information & to register email marrin@palsplus.org

Gingerbread House Contest Participants

Have fun making your very own Gingerbread House! Bring in your creation by Thursday, December 5. Voting begins Monday, December 9 and ends Saturday, December 21. Houses will be on display at the library and posted on our Facebook page. Winners announced Monday, December 23!

Saturday STEM December 28 @11 am

Design and build a device that can prevent two candy canes from breaking when they are mailed. Ages 7 and up. Registration required. Visit <http://bit.ly/cgplsastem1224> to sign up.