December 2023

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Featured Programs

**Holiday Matinee Double Feature (families)**
Friday, December 1 at 1:00 p.m.
Get in the holiday spirit with this festive double feature! There will be a 15-minute intermission between the films.

- *Home Alone*; PG; 102 minutes
- *Elf*; PG; 97 minutes

**P.U.R.E. Session**
Thursday, December 14 at 6:00 p.m.
Peace, Unity, & Revival Through Entertainment Performance Artist Showcase Featuring: Chris & Rae Williams.
Registration required at thezdexperience.com/p-u-r-e-concert-series

Adult Programs

**Memoir Writing Group**
Saturday, December 2 at 3:00 p.m.
Have you ever wanted to write a memoir? Attend these regular sessions to learn the process and get started. Session Three: Organizing Your Material Into a Working Outline

**Knit & Stitch**
Saturday, December 9 at 2:00 p.m.
Do you knit, crochet, embroider, cross-stitch, or hand quilt? Bring your project and work on it while socializing with others. All skill levels are welcome. Please bring your own supplies.

**The Essentials of Self-Publishing**
Tuesday, December 12 at 6:00 p.m.
Learn the necessary steps for independent publishing including editing, layout and design, ISBN#, copyright, printing, and the free software provided by Charleston County Libraries.

**Jackbox Games Night**
Tuesday, December 19 at 6:30 p.m.
Bring your phones and friends and have some fun! Join us as we play party games online with Jackbox Games. Other tabletop games will also be available. A phone or other Wi-Fi-enabled device is strongly encouraged.

**BYOB Holiday Gathering**
Saturday, December 16 at 3:00 p.m.
Bring one of your favorite books (from any genre) to discuss with the group, and learn about the book discussion themes that will be featured during the upcoming year!

**Coffee and Coloring**
Thursday, December 21 at 10:30 a.m.
Join us in the Meeting Room to relax and enjoy coffee, coloring, and conversation. Coffee and coloring supplies will be provided.

Teen Programs (grades 6-12)

**Time Person of the Year**
Throughout December
Design a Time Person of the Year poster with the person of your choice. Materials are available at the Teen desk.

**Holiday-Themed Bingo**
Monday, December 4 at 4:00 p.m.
Play a fun and festive game of bingo with friends. Enjoy holiday snacks and prizes during the game.

**Teen BYOB (Bring Your Own Book) Holiday Party**
Tuesday, December 19 at 4:00 p.m.
Join friends to celebrate the end of the year. Bring ideas for books to discuss in 2024. Refreshments will be provided.
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Children’s Programs (ages 11 and younger)

Early Literacy Stations (Ages 0-5 with Adult)
Throughout December
Check out Dorchester’s early literacy stations for fun activities and games that teach children the skills they will need to become successful readers. Stations change monthly.

Snowflake Scavenger Hunt (All Ages)
Throughout December
Search the Children’s area for snowflakes. Return your scavenger hunt sheet to the Children’s desk for a prize.

Winter I Spy (All Ages)
Throughout December
How many winter items can you spot? Complete our super fun I-Spy scavenger hunt sheet for a prize!

Makerspace: DIY Snow Globe
(Ages 5+)
Throughout December
Drop in and make your very own plastic snow globe. Available while supplies last.

Family Storytime (All Ages with Adult)
Mondays, December 4 & 11 at 3:30 p.m.
Enjoy a variety of interactive books, songs, and activities designed to strengthen your child’s reading readiness.

Preschool Storytime (Ages 3-5 with Adult)
Tuesdays, December 5 & 12 at 10:30 a.m.
Join us for stories, songs, and activities that reinforce early literacy skills and strengthen your child’s school readiness.

Winter Festival (Ages 5+ with Adult)
Tuesday, December 5 at 5:00 p.m.
Join us for an evening of holiday themed songs, movies, crafts, and cookie decorating.

Toddler Storytime
Wednesday, December 6 & 13 at 10:30 a.m.
Enjoy a variety of books, fingerplays, songs, and rhymes designed to exercise important motor skills and practice vocabulary.

STEAM Club (Kids & Teens)
Wednesday, December 6 & 13 from 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- December 6: LEGO Club
- December 13: Stencil Art

STAR Therapy Dogs (All Ages with Adults)
Saturday, December 9 at 10:30 a.m.
Boost your reading confidence as you practice reading to STAR therapy dogs and volunteers.

Pajama Storytime
(All Ages with Adult)
Saturday December 16 at 11:00 a.m.
Join us for a storytime all about bedtime! Dress in your PJ’s, grab your favorite plushie or blanket, and get cozy while we sing, read, and play.

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