

February 2018 - Children's Programs at the Parsippany Library

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(*R) = Registration required. Please register online at www.parsippanylibrary.org by clicking on the children's calendar of events. Check the library website for updated program information in case of inclement weather.

1
Nursery Time
10 am-10:30 am
Librarian's
Favorite Stories
2:00-2:45 pm
My Very First
Book Club **(*R)**
7:00-7:45 pm

2
Happy
Groundhog
Day!



3
STEAM
Saturday **(*R)**
10:00-10:45 am



4
5
Peter Rabbit
Party
4:15-5:00 pm



Pajama Party
7:00-7:30 pm

6
Preschool Storytime
10 am-10:45 am
Preschool Storytime
(Session 2)
11 am-11:45 am
Make and Take
Marshmallow Snowmen
4:15-5:00 pm

7
Read to a Dog
(*R)
4:30-5:15 pm



8
Nursery Time
10 am-10:30 am
Librarian's
Favorite Stories
2:00-2:45 pm
Stick Puppet Craft
4:15-5:00 pm

9
National Pizza
Day
Borrow a book
about pizza!



11
12
Pajama Party
7:00-7:30 pm



13
Preschool Storytime
10 am-10:45 am
Preschool Storytime
(Session 2)
11 am-11:45 am
Code and Go Robot
Mouse **(*R)**
7:00-7:45 pm

14
Valentine's Day
Party
4:15-5:00 pm



15
Nursery Time
10 am-10:30 am
Librarian's
Favorite Stories
2:00-2:45 pm
Clifford the Big
Red Dog
Celebration
4:15-5:00 pm

16
Happy
Chinese New
Year!



17
Play and Learn
10 am - 11 am
Chinese New
Year Craft:: Year
of the Dog **(*R)**
2:00-2:30 pm

18
19
Library Closed



20
Preschool Storytime
10 am-10:45 am
Preschool Storytime
(Session 2)
11 am-11:45 am
Hour of Code **(*R)**
4:15-5:15 pm

21
LEGO
Mindstorms
(*R)
4:15-5:00 pm

22
Nursery Time
10 am-10:30 am
Librarian's
Favorite Stories
2:00-2:45 pm
Rainbow Fairies
Book Club **(*R)**
7:00-7:45 pm

23
Play and Learn
2:00-3:00 pm



24
Bingo for Kids
10:00-10:45 am

25
26
Pajama Party
7:00-7:30 pm

27
Preschool Storytime
10 am-10:45 am
Preschool Storytime
(Session 2)
11 am-11:45 am

28
Zumba for Kids
4:30-5:15 pm

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Thursday, February 1, 7-7:45 pm **My Very First Book Club** Children should be in **grades K-1**. Registration is required and begins January 18th. Read a book by a selected author and meet to discuss the book, complete activities and make a craft. Please pick the book up at the children's services desk.

Saturday, February 3, 10:00-10:45 am **STEAM Saturday (Ages 7-11)** Children will work in pairs to drive Sphero robots. Please download the free Sphero Edu app to your phone or tablet before the program. Registration is required and will begin on January 29.

Monday, February 5, 4:15-5:00 pm **Peter Rabbit Party** (ages 4-9) Enjoy fun activities about the beloved character from Beatrix Potter's story, *The Tale of Peter Rabbit*. Children will play games, eat rabbit food, and have a chance to win a special prize from Sony Pictures Entertainment to celebrate the new Peter Rabbit movie. Registration is not required.

Tuesday, February 6, 4:15-5 pm **Make and Take Marshmallow Snowman** Children should be in grades K-3. Stop in the children's department to make an edible treat in the story hour room. Registration is not required.

Wednesday, February 7, 4:30 pm **Read to a Dog** For ages 5 and older. Sign up to read to a therapy dog. Registration required. Each child may register for one session only.

Thursday, February 8, 4:15 pm **Stick Puppet Craft**. For ages 3 and older. Make a puppet using craft sticks and washi tape. No registration required.

Saturday, February 10, 10 am **Drop-in Craft** For all ages. Drop in to make a Valentine's Day craft. No registration required.

Tuesday, February 13, 7:00-7:45 pm **Code and Go Robot Mouse** Children should be in grades K-3. Children will build a maze and use coding cards to create a step-by-step path for the robot mouse. Registration is required and will begin on January 29.

Wednesday, February 14 4:15-5 pm **Valentine's Day Party** Children should be in grades K-2. Enjoy Valentine's Day stories, games and a craft. Registration is not required.

Thursday, February 15, 4:15 pm **Clifford the Big Red Dog Celebration**. For ages 3-6. Celebrate the birthday of Norman Bridwell, author of the Clifford the Big Red Dog series by listening to a Clifford book and making Clifford crafts. No registration required.

Saturday, February 17, 10:00-11:00 am and Friday, February 23, 2:00-3:00 pm **Play and Learn (Birth to age 5)** Play in the story hour room with toys and educational games. Children need playtime to develop creativity and to build cognitive strength. This informal playgroup is a great way for new parents to meet other families in Parsippany.

Saturday, February 17, 2:00-2:30 pm Chinese New Year Craft: Year of the Dog (Ages 5 and up) Each child will make a dog craft designed by a talented local resident. Registration is required and will begin on January 29.

Tuesday, February 20th 4:15-5:15 pm. **Hour of Code** Children should be in grades 3-5. Have fun learning to code! Registration is required and begins January 29th.

Wednesday, February 21, 4:15pm **LEGO Mindstorms** For grades 2-5 Try out LEGO Mindstorm robots. Registration is required and will begin on January 29.

Thursday, February 22nd 7:00-7:45 pm. **Rainbow Fairies Book Club** Children should be in grades 2-4. Read one of the *Rainbow Fairies* book and meet to talk about it, play games and make a craft. Registration is required and begins January 29th.

Saturday, February 24th 10-10:45 am. **Bingo for Kids** Children of all ages may attend. Play bingo! Registration is not required.

Wednesday, February 28, 4:30 pm **Zumba for Kids** For ages 5-11. Learn some new moves and have fun exercising with Zumba. Comfortable clothes and sneakers are recommended. No registration required.

Weekly storytimes

Pajama Party (Birth to age 6) Mondays, February 5, 12, 26 7:00-7:30 pm

Enjoy an evening program of short stories, songs, fingerplays, and a craft.

Preschool Storytime (Ages 2-5) Tuesdays, February 6, 13, 20, 27 10:00-10:45 am or 11:00 -11:45 am

Please choose one session to attend - 10 am or 11 am. The first 16 children will be admitted to the first session. Additional children and latecomers will attend the second session at 11 am. Stories, songs, fingerplays, and other activities. Caregivers remain in the library.