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The Greensboro Public Library Children's Services Newsletter

Get Ready For Spring at the Library

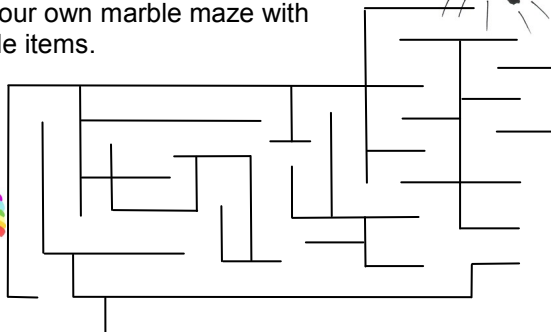
Mo Willems Valentine's Day Party

Glenn McNairy Branch
 Saturday, February 14, 4-5 pm

It's Valentine's Day, and do you know who we love? Mo Willems! Come for activities and creations to celebrate our favorite Mo Willems characters, including the Pigeon, Elephant and Piggie, and more.

Maze Masters Glenwood Branch
 Tuesday, February 18, 2-3:30pm

Create your own marble maze with recyclable items.



Remembering The Greensboro Sit-In,

The Children's Room, Tuesday,
 February 24, 5pm

How Four Friends Stood Up, By Sitting Down

Family Art Night: Holi Festival of Color

Glenwood Branch Tuesday March 10, 6:30-7:30pm

Bring the family for an evening of colorful art activities celebrating Holi the Indian festival welcoming spring.

Moon Maker-Space & Story-time.

The Children's Room
 Wednesday March 10, 5-6:00pm

To mark the start of Daylight Saving Time, we will have stories and crafts about the Moon.

Leprechaun House Maker-Space & Story-time The Children's Room,
 Tuesday March 17, 5:00-6:00pm

It's Saint Patrick's Day, so we will build tiny houses for Leprechauns and hear some stories about the wee people!

School's Out Special Hemphill Branch.
 Wednesday March 18, 2-3pm

Create a painted paper mosaic. Use pre-painted shapes to form a unique masterpiece.

Flower Craft Tuesday

The Children's Room
 March 24, 5:00-6:00pm

Spring has sprung, so come visit us and make some flowers to welcome the change in seasons.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DR. SEUSS!



Seussville Celebration, Glenwood Library
Friday, February 27, 10:30-12

Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss! The Children's Room, Monday, March 2, 3:30 – 4:30pm –Help us celebrate Dr. Seuss' Birthday with cake and crafts. You might build a Yertle the Turtle Tower, make some wearable Thidwick the Moose Antlers, as well as other surprises. We'll be telling tales the whole hour.

Dr. Seuss is back! Tuesday, March 3 10am
Stories by Dr. Seuss, with crafts and songs

Dear Dr. Seuss Vance Chavis Branch Tuesday, March 3, 11am
Enjoy stories, finger plays, a short film, and activities celebrating the classic works of Dr. Seuss.

Kidz Krew: Dr.Seuss Makerspace Vance Chavis Branch
Wednesday, March 4, 3:30-4:30pm
Create cool things inspired by the books of Dr. Seuss.

Dr. Seuss Makerspace Vance Chavis Branch Wednesday, March 4, 6:30-7:30pm
In honor of Dr. Seuss' birthday, we'll create a variety of fun things based on his classic storybook themes and characters.

Meet the Cat in the Hat!, Hemphill Branch, Thursday, March 5 10-11am
Join us for a toddler and preschool storytime with books, rhymes, and a fun art activity.

Seuss Sculpture Makerspace, Glen McNairy Branch, Thursday, March 5, 4-5pm,
Join us to create a Seuss Sculpture of your very own - bring your imagination, and we'll provide the craft supplies.

During the month of March, signed copies of two of Dr. Seuss' most beloved books, *The Cat in the Hat* and *Green Eggs and Ham* will be on display in the Children's Room.

Chinese New Year



February 19 begins the Year of the Goat. If you were born in the Year of the Goat (1967, 1979, 1991, 2003, or 2015) you are gentle and kind. Your lucky numbers are 2 and 7. Your lucky colors are brown, red, and purple. And your lucky flowers are carnations and primroses.



***In Chinatown,
The ducks hang down
And people
Gather all around
To watch the Dragon
Dance and play
From Mulberry
To East Broadway
Gung Hay Fat Choy*
The people say
Gung Hay Fat Choy
The people say.***

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* Best wishes and congratulations. Have a prosperous new year!

JUMBLE FUN

Presidents' Day was first celebrated on
George Washington's _____ .

D I T A R Y B H

February is the National Health Month
for this part of your body – smile!

H E T E T

On March 9, Daylight Savings Time be-
gins, when we move this forward one
hour.

L K C O C



On March 2, we celebrate Read Across
America Day – which is also the birthday of
this famous author and illustrator.

R D E S S U S

March 3 is a special day in Japan known as
Hinamatsuri, or Girls' Day. For an entire
month before this day, Japanese families
often have these out on display in their
home.

L S O D L

In early March, Hindus celebrate Holi,
which is often called the Festival of Colors
or the Festival of Love. It celebrates the
return of this season.

