Hello, welcome to your February news. Sit back and review what's in store this month at your favorite library.

What's new at PHL?
As you know, our library has always been a huge advocate for the Arts. Striving to be Palm Harbor's cultural and artistic hub, we continue to add more inspired upgrades. We are happy to announce we have a new display in our library. Check out the wonderful art wraps displayed on four of our end caps. Pictures just don't do them justice, so make sure to swing by and see them in person!

The art wraps depict "The Landscape with Two Poplars," oil on canvas, painted in 1912, one of Vasily Kandinsky's abstract paintings. A poplar is a tall, fast growing tree of north temperate regions, widely grown in shelter belts and for timber and pulp.

Vasily Kandinsky, (1866-1944), was a Russian born painter and art theorist. He is credited as one of the pioneers of abstraction in western art.

Additional exciting news is the introduction of a revised, brighter, and more modern logo. While keeping on with our puzzle piece motif and its significance, we have come up with a logo that matches our library's character. We hope you love the new look as much as we do!
Things are never dull at our library! The upcoming Library Lounge is a special after-hours program we are offering quarterly. For an intimate evening filled with delightful music, save these dates and stay tuned for more info. The first event in on Friday, March 4th at 6 PM.
All ages are invited to join us for Hippie Fest! Grab your Flower Power passport and hop on the Peace Train for some crafts, snacks, music, raffles and more! Registration is required.
We hope to see you as both adults and children will enjoy these wonderful stories.
Pass the magic on to young readers who haven’t yet discovered these unforgettable books. Come dressed up, make crafts, play games and test your trivia knowledge. Registration is required.
Join us for a fun night of musical trivia! The winning table will receive a prize! Save the date and purchase your tickets at the front desk.
We're happy to bring back our Small Business Help program. Starting in March we will partner with Florida Small Business Development Center (SBDC) to bring you resources and assistance to help your small business become successful.
SAVE THE DATE! Anime and comic enthusiasts unite! Come dressed in your favorite costume, get photos in our photobooth, enter our costume contest, enter for a chance to win fun prizes, and MORE at this year's ACEcon!
Have you always wanted to learn how to sign? We offer beginner friendly sign language classes every Tuesday. See you there!
Feeling crafty? Join our monthly DIY@PHL to make a new, fun craft. Please register for a session on our calendar of events.
If you have already completed Beginner Tai Chi, consider continuing your practice with our **Advanced Tai Chi** classes.

Registration is required as there is limited attendance. To register please check our [calendar of events](#).
Join us for a breathtaking cello concert: Theresa Villani's "The Language of the Cello --Past & Present: How composers expressed music through this most human of all instruments."

Theresa will be playing both her Baroque cello and modern cello. Registration is a must! Please register here.

This event is made possible by Friends of the Library.
Join Maryjane this month as we explore some Chocolate recipes!
Don't you have some leftover Valentine Chocolate to experiment with in the kitchen? We'll also have a couple of Chocolate games and, of course, Chocolate prizes!
Wondering about publishing your own book? Join us and chat with our local authors.
This book talk is where everyone reads their own favorite cozy mystery, then share with the group each month. This way everyone goes away with a few new authors to try! Plus we will have a print handout of authors to add to your choices.
Interested in soldier's military records? The Suncoast Genealogy Society is holding a lecture about it on Saturday, February 19th. For more information and to register please email: suncoastgensoc@gmail.com.
Join director Gene Coppola for our monthly book club meeting. Copies of this month's book are available at the front desk.
This month's Ales and Tales book club will be hosted by Marisa. This is a hybrid event; participants can meet at Stilt House Brewery or connect via Zoom. The Zoom link is provided below. Copies of this month's book are available at the front desk.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84520301816

Meeting ID: 845 2030 1816

Passcode: 420590
Caregivers and Infants 0-12 months are welcome to this interactive story time. We will enjoy a story, lap bounces, rhymes, and opportunities to share a love of books with your baby!
WEDNESDAYS AT 10:00 AM

MOTHER GOOSE Rhyme Time

A weekly program for our youngest members filled with nursery rhymes, songs, and fingerplays.
Join amateur sorcerer Samma to learn some tried and true magic, from a simple card trick to a fun DIY mentalist trick! AGES 9-12. Please register here.
The Great Explorations Children's Museum staff are bringing the fun! Journey through space and let's have some fun and learn as we go. Please register [here](#).
Stories, songs, and fun in this interactive story time. Don't expect to sit still - you'll be getting all your wiggles out! No registration required.
The party is on! Join Ms. Chris and Ms. Jaclyn for a fun-filled time of crafts, games and trivia celebrating the beloved American Girl series. Registration required. (Ages 7-12).
Join us for all things anime! This club meets once a month, so if you miss this month, try to catch them next month! This month's theme is RomCom. (Ages 11-18)
Beyond the Dragons is a Tabletop RPG Club. Each week, explore a new game. Registration is required and due at least 8 days prior to the session.

This club is held once a month on Saturdays from 12:30 pm to 4:30 pm in our Mark Mazurek Gaming Area. The next session is on Saturday, February 5th and the theme is My Little Pony: Tails of Equestria! Please register here.
Join us for a party celebrating the reopening of the Hazel L. Incantalupo MakerSpace. Stop by to enjoy some raffles, cake, giveaways, and more!
YAB presents its annual Murder Mystery.

You’re invited to our wonderfully mad Wonderland murder mystery, A Mad Murder. Come and join us for an afternoon of solving crime, Wonderlandian style.

Snacks and tea will be flowing, and tweens & teens can work in groups of up to 3 to try and solve the murder first and get a prize!

**Ages 10 to 18. Please register** [here](#).
Join us on Tuesday February 1st and Tuesday February 22nd to learn how to use the Palm Harbor Library e-resources or how to operate different social media platforms.

Space is limited and registration is required.
Overdrive is now switching over to Libby.  
Existing OverDrive app users that *already* have the app downloaded will be able to continue using it.

You can also stream content through [http://libbyapp.com](http://libbyapp.com) or our library’s website.
Get To Know Us

MEET WINONA
VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR

HOBBY:
My main hobby is singing barbershop with the Toast of Tampa show chorus, a part of Sweet Adelines International. I have been with the chorus since last summer and enjoy the harmonies and the friendships.

FAVORITE MOVIE GENRE:
Musicals - from the "Let's put on the show right here!" attitude of Mickey and Judy to newer, more inclusive fare like in the Heights and The 2021 West Side Story, I love them all!

PETS:
I have three cats - Zuzu, Oreo, and Bandit.
Did you know that Amazon donates a percentage of your sales to our library? Just make sure to utilize Amazon Smile when shopping!
"In light of the many uncertainties we all currently face, it is good to know that library values have not changed in the past 12 years and are still very much relevant today. Here are 12 of them..." Please continue reading [here](#).
Stay Connected

Make sure to follow us on Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest, Twitter, TikTok and YouTube.

Our Children's Department has a Facebook page too! Follow us HERE.

---

Palm Harbor Library
2330 Nebraska Ave, Palm Harbor FL, 34683