Connecting our diverse communities with resources and experiences to educate and enrich lives.

TumbleBook Library Launches to Customers

Customers can now Tumble into new children's titles online through our eResource, TumbleBook Library! The resource can be accessed by downloading the Tumblebooks app through a phone or tablet or online through an internet browser.

Tumblebooks features over 1100 titles for grades K-6 including animated, graphic novels, readalong books and National Geographic videos. The service also includes books in Spanish and French.

Access to Speakaboos will be discontinued.

Speakaboos, like Tumblebooks, offered access to interactive ebooks for children. However, Adobe Flash Player, the software used to support Speakaboos will no longer be supported after Dec. 31, 2020, making the resource inaccessible.

Read story books, read-alongs, graphic novels and more for free with your Library card!

For customers who may express disappointment in the discontinuation of Speakaboos, staff can share with them the variety of children's literacy resources and programs they can access with their library account, many available from the comfort of home, including our new TumbleBook Library eResource.

Some children's resources include:

Read-Along Books - A versatile new way for children to read - a traditional book with an upgrade - a speaker that reads as your child reads.

<u>Hoopla</u> - There is something for every member of the family on Hoopla. Try Hoopla Kids for everything from literacy skills to entertainment.

<u>Tailored Titles</u> - Get personalized reading recommendations on social media and via email. Sign up to learn about the latest reads for your family's favorite genres.

<u>Little Pim</u> - A unique language-learning resource created specifically for kids and babies that uses videos and other tools to help them learn a new language.

Kanopy Kids - Children and parents can enjoy unlimited use of Kanopy Kids with curated children's movies, tv shows, and read-along stories. Stream from the web, iOS, Android, AppleTV, Chromecast, FireTV, or Roku.

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<u>Library Online</u> - Visit our calendar of events for the

latest take home kits and virtual programs for all ages including programs like 123! Play with Me at Home!, book clubs, storytimes and more.

1000 Books Before Kindergarten - An excellent way to get your child ready to learn is to read to them! 1000 Books Before Kindergarten helps children and their caregiver prepare for kindergarten.

Fine Free Children's Materials - Children's books, movies and music checked out from the Metropolitan Library System will no longer accrue fines if late and any existing fines on children's materials will also be waived.



2020 United Way of Central Oklahoma Campaign

This year, hundreds of thousands of our neighbors will need valuable assistance from the programs provided by United Way's Partner

Agencies. The annual United Way Campaign is our chance to make a difference in our communities by helping United Way create lasting changes in people's lives.

The 2020 United Way theme is, Come Together For Our Community. With 2020 being such a different year, we hope we can all come

together to reach our goal of donating \$15,000 to United Way. Our campaign will run from Oct. 19- Oct. 31.

The United Way helps a variety of local nonprofits including some nonprofits that our library customers may utilize daily.

Through funds from the United Way, local nonprofit organizations and resource centers can offer assistance with basic life needs including

housing, meals, showers and personal care, career services, education resources and more.

Some organizations that benefit from the United Way include The Homeless Alliance, 211, the Boys and Girls Club of Oklahoma, Community Literacy Centers and many

others.

The library's goal is to contribute

\$15,000 to United Way. All staff will receive an email from the United Way of Central Oklahoma with a customized/personalized link to the ePledge website. If you have questions about how to use the site, please contact the United Way at 405-236-8441 or info@unitedwayokc.org.



Giving Levels

Participants	One Time/Annual	Giving Level Goal	26 Pay Period Deduction	Level Giving Perk	Giving Level
5	\$500.00	\$2,500.00	\$19.23	15 Wear Jeans to Work Day Passes	5 stars
15	\$250.00	\$3,750.00	\$9.62	10 Wear Jeans to Work Day Passes	4 stars
25	\$150.00	\$3,750.00	\$5.77	8 Wear Jeans to Work Day Passes	3 stars
30	\$100.00	\$3,000.00	\$3.85	6 Wear Jeans to Work Day Passes	2 stars
40	\$50.00	\$2,000.00	\$1.92	3 Wear Jeans to Work Day Passes	1 star

WHAT A DOLLAR BUYS.

LIVE UNITED

United we fight. United we win. United Way fights for the health, education and financial stability of every person in every community. Your weekly contribution will add up to big wins for your local community. Live United.

WHAT MATTERS MORE?



A \$2 BAR of chocolate per week

OR



3 STRUGGLING FAMILIES

are able to remain in their homes



A \$5 CUP of coffee per week

OR



5 CENTRAL OKLAHOMA YOUTH at risk of suicide receive mental health intervention services.



A \$10 LUNCH

OR



33 CENTRAL OKLAHOMA PATIENTS receive life-saving medication.



A \$20 PAIR of movie tickets per week

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2 VETERANS
receive full-mouth restorative dental care.

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HELLO!

Elizabeth Graham *VI Library Aide PT*

Jonathan Martinez *BE Library Aide PT*

Elizabeth Wolfgeher VI Library Aide PT (rehire)

Morgan Day MAC Marketing Manager Brady James CL Library Aide PT

Manisha Koosuru SPS Data Analyst FT

GOODBYE

Irene Cui 2 mos, ED Library Aide

Greg Rahn 5 mos, BI Library Aide

David Highfield 4 yrs, ED Library Aide

Amanda Mann 2 yrs, SO Library Aide

Jacquie Johnson 1 yr, NW Access Manager I

Kasandra Dewbre-Burrows 10 yrs, HUM Administrative Specialist



DIY DevelopmentThe Power of Lists to Get Stuff Done 39(m)

Best-selling author Paula Rizzo is so passionate about list making that she wrote two books on the topic: Listful Thinking and Listful Living. In this course, join Paula as she breaks down what makes lists so powerful, as well as how to use them to accomplish your goals. Explore the different types of lists you can make—from business to-do lists to gratitude lists—so you can pinpoint which ones suit you and your goals best. Get best practices for maximizing your lists, including how to create lists consistently and determine whether to opt for a digital or paper format. Learn how to identify your preferred productivity style, so you can lean into it to get more things done. Plus, get tips for beating procrastination and outsourcing items on your to-do list.

COMING UP

October 15

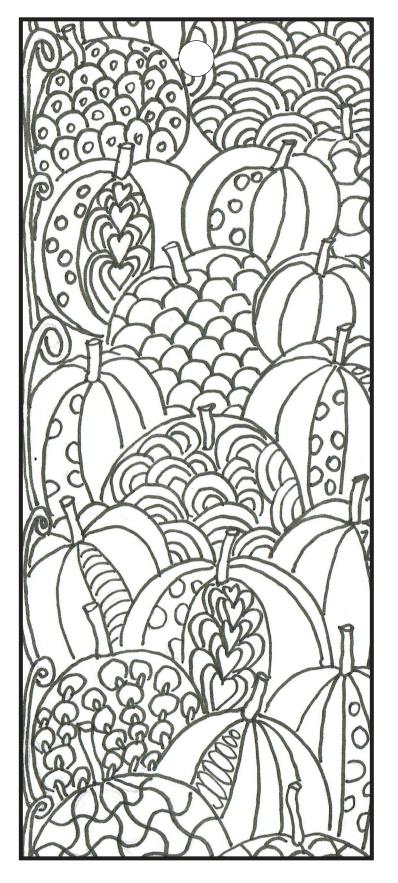
Commission Meeting via Zoom

November 26-27

Library Closed for Thanksgiving

Shelf LIFE

Bookmark Coloring Activity



Banned Books Week Sept. 27- Oct. 3





