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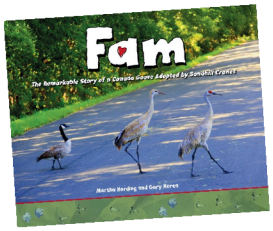
YOUTH SERVICES

December

256 353-2993 ext. 122 **www.myDPL.org/YS**

Date	Day	Time	Event
Dec. 1st	Tue	10:30am	Story Time: Letter of the Week - R r
Dec. 2nd	Wed	10:30am	Book Babies: Community Helpers - Mail Carriers
Dec. 2nd	Wed	4pm	Youth Book Club (ages 8+; meets in Story Hour Room)
Dec. 3rd	Thu	10:30am	Toddler Time (ages 1 - 4)
Dec. 3rd	Thu	4pm	LEGO® Hour: Christmas (meets in the Community Room)
Dec. 8th	Tue	10:30am	Story Time: Letter of the Week - S s
Dec. 9th	Wed	10:30am	Book Babies: Community Helpers - Farmers
Dec. 10th	Thu	4pm	Santa at the Library
Dec. 12th	Sat	10am - 12pm	LEGO® Morning
Dec. 15th	Tue	10:30am	Story Time: Letter of the Week - T t
Dec. 16th	Wed	10:30am	Book Babies: Community Helpers - Garbage Collectors
Dec. 22nd	Tue	10:30am	Family Story Time: Christmas
Dec. 23rd	Wed	10:30am	A Holly Jolly Story Time featuring Magical Memories AL
Thu., Dec. 24th - Sat., Dec. 26th: DPL CLOSED - Christmas Holidays			
Dec. 29th	Tue	10am - 12pm	LEGO® Morning
Dec. 31st	Thu	11:30am	Noon Year Celebration

Thu., Dec. 31st : DPL CLOSES AT 2PM
Fri., Jan. 1st - Sat., Jan. 2nd: DPL CLOSED - New Year Holiday



Decatur Public Library's

StoryWalk®

at Wheeler National Wildlife Refuge

Friday, Dec. 18th - Friday, Feb. 12th

Take a walk on the Atkeson Cypress Trail and read
Fam: The Remarkable Story of a Canada Goose Adopted by Sandhill Cranes
by Martha Harding and Gary Noren

TWEENS & TEENS:
(AGES 11 - 17)

CHRISTMAS ROCKS!



MON. DEC. 14TH **3:30PM**

STORY TIME

We sing songs, say poems, read books, and have an activity around a specific theme. Children of all ages are welcome!

BOOK BABIES

In this story time for babies from birth to 3 years old, we sing songs, do bouncing rhymes, and read books to encourage early literacy.

TODDLER TIME

Toddler Time is for toddlers to grow their early literacy skills. We will have themed activities, themed crafts, toy time, and more. This program is designed for toddlers ages 1 - 4.

YOUTH BOOK CLUB

is for kids ages 8 and up. We will discuss our books, have an activity, and receive our next book challenge. Kids should prepare for this book club by reading a book about Christmas or a mystery. *Books must come from our Youth Services Room.* *Meets in the Story Hour Room.*

LEGO® PROGRAMS

At **LEGO® Morning,** we'll have our LEGO® bricks out in the *Youth Services Room* for kids of all ages to stop by and create a masterpiece. **Meets in the Youth Services Room.**

At **LEGO® Hour**, we'll meet in the **Community Room** for a 45-minute build session. We will usually have a challenge to inspire your build. At the end you can show off your creation to the other builders.

FAMILY STORY TIME

combines Story Time & Book Babies for a fun story session for both age groups. We read books, say poems, sing songs, and have an activity that goes along with the theme.
This session's theme is Christmas.

Don't Miss DPL's Holiday Events:

SANTA IN THE LIBRARY



Join us for a program filled with holiday spirit! We will have Santa crafts, coloring sheets, and more! Don't miss out on this chance to take your own free photo with Santa!

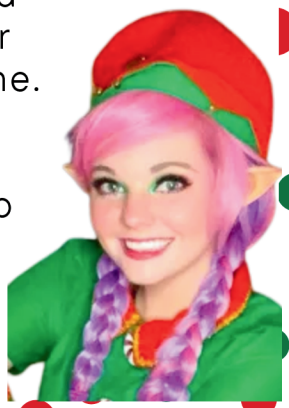
THURSDAY, Dec. 10th 4pm

HOLLY JOLLY STORY TIME

Come and meet Holly the Elf! She will read stories and pose for photos after story time. We will have a Christmas-themed coloring sheet to do afterwards.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 23rd 10:30am

Courtesy of **Magical Memories AL**



TWEENS & TEENS: CHRISTMAS ROCKS!

Join us for a merry good time! We will paint rocks with holiday designs.
For ages 11 - 17; meets in the Story Hour Room on MONDAY, DEC. 14th, at 3:30p.

NOON YEAR CELEBRATION

Come celebrate the New Year a few hours early! We will have a New Year's story time and activities. At noon, we will have our Noon Year balloon drop!
THURSDAY, DEC. 31st, at 11:30am.