



## Over 50 Spring Break Activities @ Your Libraries March 20 – 29 • Entertaining • Educational • Free •

**Beaverton City Library:** (503-644-2197) 12375 SW Fifth St., Beaverton  
Tights & Flights Movie Marathon: Monday, March 23 - Friday, March 27, 2 p.m.  
Bored during spring break? Catch your favorite new superhero movies on the big screen! One movie per day from Monday to Friday! All Movies begin at 2 p.m. Designed for grades 6-12.

Stuff Swap! Wednesday, March 25, 6 p.m.  
Is there old stuff cluttering up your room? Was that CD cool last year, but not so much this year? SWAP IT at the stuff swap! It's simple: bring in your old stuff. For every item you trade, you get a ticket, which is good for an even-stein, 1:1 exchange for something that someone else brings. The only requirement: it has to be something a teenager would want (no old children's books)!

Fancy Nancy: Saturday, March 21, 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.  
The fancier the better! Come enjoy a fun-filled Fancy Nancy time. We'll play games and create zany accessories to make even the fanciest wardrobes fancier! Don't forget to dress in your most glamorous attire. This program is for ages 3 to 6. Registration is required.

Thomas Schroyer presents "Rhythmic Opera": Tuesday, March 24, 10:30 a.m.  
Groove with Thomas in his "Rhythmic Opera" program which weaves musical performance, story, and history with the unlimited possibilities of rhythm. Thomas will demonstrate how rhythm can be found just about anywhere. This program is for ages 2 to 6 years.

Going to School in the 1880s: Thursday, March 26, 2 p.m.  
Become immersed in a typical school day at a pioneer one-room school house. What was it like to go school in Oregon in the 1880s? Washington County Historical Society's Mobile Museum in the Community will be here to give kids a taste of an old-fashioned school day. This program is for children ages 6 to 11. Registration is required.

"Bored" Game Day: Saturday, March 28, 11a.m. – 1 p.m.  
Bust the end-of-Spring-Break boredom and join us for some fun board games. Drop in for this program – designed for children ages Kindergarten through Grade 5 and their favorite adult to accompany them.



**Cedar Mill Community Library** (503-644-0043) 12505 NW Cornell Rd., Cedar Mill  
Spot-Spot-the-Dog: Visit the library during spring break and look for Spot! Tell the Librarian where Spot is hiding and get a prize bookmark! Activity will be at both libraries.

**Cedar Mill Community Library @ Bethany** (503-617-7323) 15320 NW Central Dr., Bethany  
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**Cornelius Public Library** (503-357-4093) 1355 N Barlow St., Cornelius  
Pajama Party @ The Library! Monday, March 23, 7 PM to 8 PM  
Put on your pajamas and join us as we share bedtime stories and familiar songs with storyteller Nancy Upton. Stuffed animal friends are welcome! Cookies and milk will be served.

**Garden Home Community Library** (503-245-9932) 7475 SW Oleson Rd, Portland  
Toddler Storytime: Tuesday March 24, 10:30 a.m.  
Book Babies: Wednesday, March 25, 10:30 a.m.

**Hillsboro Main Library** (503-615-6500) 2850 NE Brookwood Pkwy., Hillsboro  
Family Movie Matinee: Tuesday, March 24, 3 p.m.  
Celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday by watching "*Horton Hears a Who*" on the big screen! Movie snacks will be provided. No registration required, but attendance must be limited to the first 100 people. Great family entertainment for children and their responsible adults!

Teen Book, Movie & Music Swap: Thursday, March 26 from 2:30 to 5 p.m.  
Teens in grades 6-12 are invited to save some green, have fun and meet new friends while swapping gently-used teen books, movies and music.

Twilight Thursday: Thursday, March 26 at 6 p.m.  
Join other fans age 13 and older to watch "*Twilight*" (PG-13) on the big screen. Seating is limited to the first 100 people and movie snacks will be provided.

Shakespeare-to-Go Acting Workshop: Saturday, March 28, 1-5 p.m.  
Hillsboro's own Bag & Baggage Productions will make Shakespeare's comedy of complexities come alive for teens and adults who come to this workshop. Participants will first enjoy a screening of "*The Comedy of Errors*" and then interact with professional actors in exercises like mirroring, portraying an identical twin, improv games and devising plot twists. This free workshop is from 1-5 p.m. and registration (online or at the library) is required.

Polar Bear Tales: Sunday, March 29 at 2 p.m.  
Erica Wills, local polar bear ambassador for the Oregon Zoo, and student at Liberty High School in Hillsboro, will give a multimedia presentation and share stories about her experience at Polar Bear Science Camp. Don't miss this exciting adventurous tale! This is a family friendly program.



**Hillsboro Library - Shute Park** (503-615-6500) 775 SE 10th Ave., Hillsboro

Spring into Spring Crafts: Monday, March 23, 2 – 4 p.m.

Drop in and welcome spring with special seasonal crafts. Great for families and fun for age 5 and up (children under ten will need to bring a responsible adult.)

Family Game Day: Tuesday, March 24, 2 – 4 p.m.

Spend the afternoon playing games and meeting new people. Games will be provided, but feel free to bring your own favorite game! A great activity for teens and families with children age five and up (children under ten will need to bring a responsible adult.)

DIY Crafts: Wednesday, March 25, 12-2 p.m.

Craft supplies will be available but feel free to bring your own projects. For crafty families and friends of all ages.

**Sherwood Public Library** (503-625-6688) 22560 SW Pine St., Sherwood

Read to the Dogs: Saturdays, March 21 & 28, 11 a.m. -1 p.m.

Two Read to the Dogs teams are now available - Tucker and his human handler Randy, and Christopher and his human handler Christina are at the Library on Saturdays and would love to have you read to them. The two different teams alternate each weekend – so both generally are not there on the same day. You now have twice the opportunity to Read to the Dogs! Sign up for a half hour session to practice your reading AND make a new friend. Each participant receives a certificate and a photo with Tucker or Christopher. Pre-registration is recommended.

Toddler Time: Tuesday, March 24, 10:15 a.m.; Wednesday, March 25, 11:30 a.m.;

Thursday, March 26, 10:15 a.m.

Storytime: Tuesday, March 24, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, March 25, 1 p.m.;

Baby Time: Thursday, March 26, 11 a.m..



**Tigard Public Library** (503-684-6537)

13500 SW Hall Blvd., Tigard

The Muses Music: Friday, March 20, 7–8 p.m.

An evening of Celtic music Tanya Brody and Matthew Gurnsey will sing and play a mix of Celtic music with a variety of instruments.

Mud Pie Madness Crafts: Saturday, March 21, 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Create mud pie crafts and enjoy a delicious “mud pie” treat! Designed for ages 5 and up.

Rainy day Crafts: Sunday, March 22, 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Put on your galoshes and splash on over to the Library for crafts that show how fun rain can be.

Canine Movie Marathon: Monday, March 23, 2–8 p.m.

Movies Refreshments will be served at all movies in the Community Room.

2 p.m. Air Bud: World Pup — Golden Retriever Buddy captivates the audience with his soccer skills and finesse at fatherhood. (Rated G)

4 p.m. Beethoven’s Big Break — Lovable St. Bernard goes Hollywood. (Rated PG)

6 p.m. Best in Show — A dog show where the people are more neurotic than the dogs. (Rated PG-13)

High School Musical 3: Wednesday, March 25, 1–3:30 p.m.

Join Troy, Gabriella and the Wildcats in their final high school spring musical. Stay after the movie for fun activities. (Rated G)

All Ages Animanga Fun: Thursday, March 26, 5–7 p.m.

Enjoy the classic anime film, My Neighbor Totoro. Learn Japanese crafts, calligraphy, song and dance.

Madagascar—Escape 2 Africa: (Rated PG). Friday, March 27, 1–3 p.m.

Enjoy the antics of Alex the Lion, Marty the Zebra, Melman the Giraffe and Gloria the Hippo as they discover their roots in Africa.

Creating a Future Where our Children Can Thrive: A New Approach to Sustainability

Tuesday, March 24, 7– 8:30 p.m.

International consultant and business writer Gary Langenwalter will discuss how to create a sustainable lifestyle to improve your life and help save the world. Langenwalter wrote *The Squeeze: A Novel Approach to Business Sustainability*.

Revolution! The Battles of Lexington and Concord: Saturday, March 28, 2–3 p.m.

Dressed in full battle regalia, Gary Langenwalter will evoke the battles of Lexington and Concord and describe the life of a soldier in the Revolutionary War using slides, music and trivia.



**Tualatin Public Library** (503-691-3074) 18878 SW Martinazzi Ave., Tualatin  
Teen Choice - DDR or Rock Band: Monday, March 23, 1- 4 p.m.  
Teens get their choice and the most popular pick wins. Snacks will be provided for this program designed for teens ages 12 -18.

Mad Science "Spin Pop Boom": Monday, March 23, 11 a.m.  
How do you know that a chemical reaction has occurred? Start with a change of color in our chemically challenging "magic" trick. Move on to an assortment of experiments featuring both chemical and physical changes. Watch in awe as the Mad Scientist creates numerous versions of erupting science! Design for ages 5+.

Teen Project T-shirt: Tuesday, March 24, 2 – 5 p.m.  
Learn stencil design (or use one of ours) and make a one-of-a-kind t-shirt in the libraries Teen Room. Bring a pre-shrunk t-shirt (or two) and the library will provide the rest. Pre-register by calling 503-691-3077. Designed for teens ages 12 -18.

Teen Animanga Club! Wednesday, March 25, 4 – 6 p.m.  
Want to watch anime on the big screen? Eat Japanese candy? Share your fan artwork? Hang out with other anime/manga fans? Join us to discuss manga, watch anime, and eat snacks. Designed for teens ages 12 -18.

Cool Tunes for Kids: Thursday, March 26, 7 p.m.  
Eric Herman's songs are at once ingeniously witty, indelibly memorable and incredibly fun, and his live shows are bursting with comedy, creativity and audience participation for all ages. Whether you are five or fifty-five, Eric Herman will have you smiling from ear to ear, dancing from limb to limb and laughing from nose to foot!

Teen Bollywood Movie Night: Friday, March 27, 6:30 – 9 p.m.  
Enjoy special Indian snacks, drinks, and more in the libraries Teen Room. Henna created by the awesome Wendy Rover! Designed for teens ages 12 -18.

Teen SYS (Swap Your Stuff): Saturday, March 28, 2 - 3:30 p.m.  
Bring stuff you no longer need (books, DVDs, CDs, games, etc.) and trade it for other people's stuff in the libraries Teen Room. Snacks and drinks will be provided. This program is designed for teens ages 12 -18.

The Curt Show/Comedy, Juggling, Entertainment: Sunday, March 29, 3 p.m.  
With a style all his own, Curtis fuses world class juggling skills and fresh innovative comedy for all ages. Curtis provides side-splitting comedy, juggling, and audience participation.

**West Slope Community Library** (503-292-6416) 3678 SW 78th Ave., Portland  
Game Afternoon: Tuesday, March 24, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.  
Wii games and board games for ages 5+.

Game Evening: Thursday, March 26, 6:00 -7:30 p.m.  
Wii games and board games for ages 9+.