

Free December Programming at the Glendale Public Library For Children & Teens

Thrilled to Read! Glendale Public Libraries now offer a year-round reading program for children 0-18 called Thrilled to Read! Pick up a game card at any Glendale Public Library and begin reading. Any time you read a book in two categories on the game board, you will win a prize. Prizes change each month, so you can complete the program as often as you'd like. Each time you win a prize, you can also enter a drawing for a Family Four Pack of tickets to Castles & Coasters! See the Youth Desk for a game board or to collect prizes.

Friday, December 1~Mini-Movers! 10 & 10:45 a.m. in the Large Meeting Room. Preschoolers ages 3-5 can get some exercise & have fun at the same time. Limited space. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Desk. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Saturday, December 2 Library Skills for 2nd & 3rd Graders. 9:15 am. Youth Department. Children in grades 2-3, accompanied by an adult, are taught the use of the library's computerized catalog. Registration required; call 623-930-3537, or log onto our website at www.glendaleaz.com/Library.

~My Kids in Sign Performance. 10 a.m. & 2 p.m. in the Auditorium. Everyone is welcome to enjoy this special performance including sign language and song.

~ Family Storytime, 2 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Monday, December 4~Got Gifts? Glorious Glow! 7:00 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Ages 12-18. Make your own candle and a lovely gift bag. Your friends are so lucky! Registration opens November 20. Call 623-930-3537, or log onto our website at www.glendaleaz.com/Library.

Tuesday, December 5~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~Toddler Time, 10 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent-toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an

adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. & 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Wednesday, December 6~Toddler Time, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent-toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Babytime**, 11 a.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Thursday, December 7~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Toddler Time**, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent toddler program for children ages 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Family Storytime**, 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required.

Friday, December 8~Mini-Movers! 10 & 10:45 a.m. in the Large Meeting Room. Preschoolers ages 3-5 can get some exercise & have fun at the same time. Limited space. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Desk.

Saturday, December 9~Community Service Saturday. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. If you need community service credit for school, extracurricular activities or church, come and earn four hours of community service credit for completing tasks in the library and assisting at a children's craft program.

~**Make A Holiday Ornament !** 12:30-1:30 p.m., in the Storytime Room. Kids ages 3 and up are invited to come for a fun, quick craft, with assistance from teen volunteers. No registration necessary.

~**Family Storytime,** 2 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required.

~**Anime Café** 3:00 p.m. in the Storytime Room. See the best and latest anime from ADV Films and FUNimation as well as special screenings of new and classic anime. Otaku and casual fans welcome! Free popcorn and soda. Sorry, you must be 13 or older to attend Anime Café.

Tuesday, December 12~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

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~**Storytime,** 10:30 a.m. & 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Wednesday, December 13~Toddler Time, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent-toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

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~**Yes, I Can!** 1, 1:30, 2 pm. Storytime Room. Preschool craft for ages 2-4. Children are accepted for each 20-minute session on a first-come-first-served basis. Simple assembling type crafts are featured. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Made It Myself!** 4 pm. Storytime Room. Craft for 5 years and up. Ten children are accepted for a 45-minute craft class on a first-come, first-served basis. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Got Gifts? Memory Book Madness.** 7:00 p.m. in the Large Meeting Room. Ages 12-18. A scrapbook designed and decorated by you. Who wouldn't want that? Registration opens November 29. Call 623-930-3537, or log onto our website at www.glendaleaz.com/Library.

Thursday, December 14~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Toddler Time**, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Nativity Stories**, 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required. Come and enjoy this night of Nativity stories and a related craft!

Friday, December 15~Mini-Movers! 10 & 10:45 a.m. in the Large Meeting Room. Preschoolers ages 3-5 can get some exercise & have fun at the same time. Limited space. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Desk.

Saturday, December 16~Library Skills for 4th-6thGraders. 9:15 am. Youth Department. Children in grades 4-6, are taught the use of the library's computerized catalog. Registration required; call 623-930-3537, or log onto our website at www.glendaleaz.com/Library.

~**Classic's Book Group.** 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Book-lovers ages 8-12 are invited to join our Classics Book Club! Our December selection is The Best Christmas Pageant Ever, by Barbara Robinson. Register at the Youth Desk, by phone at 623-930-3537, or online at www.glendaleaz.com/Library.

~**Family Storytime,** 2 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required.

Tuesday, December 19~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Toddler Time,** 10 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent-toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime,** 10:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required.

~**Hanukkah Stories,** 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Enjoy special stories and a craft about the Festival of Lights.

Wednesday, December 20~Toddler Time, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent-toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

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~**Watch It!** 6:30 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Come to the Teen Screening Room and watch cool flicks with other teens and enjoy free soda and popcorn. This month: *Phantom of the Opera*. Ages 12-18. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Thursday, December 21~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Toddler Time**, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Christmas Stories**, 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required. A special night of Christmas stories with a Special Visitor.

Friday, December 22~Mini-Movers! 10 & 10:45 a.m. in the Large Meeting Room. Preschoolers ages 3-5 can get some exercise & have fun at the same time. Limited space. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Desk.

Saturday, December 23 ~Family Storytime, 2 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required.

Tuesday, December 26~Babytime, 9:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger

plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

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~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. & 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Wednesday December 27~ Toddler Time, 10 a.m. in the Storytime Room. A parent-toddler program for children aged 18 months to 3 years accompanied by an adult. Includes stories, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

~**Storytime**, 10:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. Program targeting children ages 3-6 years includes stories, a short movie, fingerplays & songs. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

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Thursday December 28~ Babytime, 9:30 a.m. in the Storytime Room. For babies newborn through 18 months & accompanying adult. Programs last approximately 20 minutes & are designed to be an introduction to books, finger plays, rhymes & puppets. No registration required. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

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~Read with Maggie, A Therapy Dog! 2:00 p.m. in the Storytime Room. Children at all reading levels are invited to spend a delightfully relaxing occasion reading to Maggie, a certified therapy dog.

~Kwanzaa Stories, 7 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required. Special stories and a craft about the Kwanzaa celebration.

Friday December 29~Mini-Movers! 10 & 10:45 a.m. in the Large Meeting Room. Preschoolers ages 3-5 can get some exercise & have fun at the same time. Limited space. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Desk.

~ The Best Christmas Pageant Ever! 2 p.m. Ages 8-11. In the Storytime Room. Film buffs of all ages are invited to meet the Herdmans! Enjoy hot cocoa and festive snacks while watching this Holiday classic.

~Birthday Storytime. 4-4:30 pm. Storytime Room. Special birthday stories. Children ages 3-8 whose birthdays are in December will receive a small gift. Call 623-930-3537 for more information.

Saturday December 30~Family Storytime, 2 p.m. in the Storytime Room. A 30-minute program for children of all ages & their families. No registration required.