



## ALBANY PUBLIC LIBRARY HOMEBOUND DELIVERY SERVICE

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When getting to the library is too difficult, let the library come to you! The Albany Public Library provides free home delivery to Albany residents who are unable to visit the library due to illness, injury, disability or limited mobility. Questions about this service? Call the library at 541-917-7580, or email us at [apldelivery@cityofalbany.net](mailto:apldelivery@cityofalbany.net).

¡Cuando es demasiado difícil venir aquí, dejarnos llegar a ti! La biblioteca ofrece entrega gratuita a casa a las personas en Albany que no pueden ir de visita a la biblioteca debido a una enfermedad, discapacidad o necesidades especiales. ¿Preguntas sobre este servicio? Por favor, llame al 541-917-7580 para pedir más información o envíenos un correo electrónico a [apldelivery@cityofalbany.net](mailto:apldelivery@cityofalbany.net).



## Reserve a Study Room Online!

The Main Library has four study rooms available during our open hours and can be reserved in advance by making a reservation through the library's online calendar:

[cityofalbany.libcal.com/reserve/studyrooms](http://cityofalbany.libcal.com/reserve/studyrooms)

### Reading Recommendations for All Ages!

Looking for something new but not sure where to start? Let our librarians help you! Fill out a form with your personal preferences and we'll send you a personalized list that you, your teen, or your child might enjoy.

[library.cityofalbany.net/reading-recommendations-ages/](http://library.cityofalbany.net/reading-recommendations-ages/)

## Friends of the Library Book Store

The Friends of the Library Book Store is open! Come by to browse like new and gently used books, media, and other materials for yourself or to give as a gift. The Friend's Book Store invites you to browse Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1 to 5 p.m., and on Wednesday and Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. Proceeds go the library! Have a question? Want to donate? Give them a call at 541-220-8033.



November  
2022

All events take place at the Main Library unless otherwise specified!

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
<b>1</b> <b>El Día de los Muertos AT THE LIBRARY EN LA BIBLIOTECA</b> Tuesday, November 1st from 5:30-7 p.m. Martes, 1 de noviembre desde 5:30-7 p.m.		<b>2</b> Baby story time 10:15 a.m. Toddler story time 11 a.m. El Día de los Muertos Day of the Dead 5:30—7 p.m.	<b>3</b> Family story time <i>bilingual</i> 10:30 a.m.	<b>4</b> Gardening in the PNW—Xeriscaping noon Family story time at Carnegie 10:30 a.m. Friends of the Library Book Sale 11 a.m.—7 p.m.	<b>5</b> Super Saturdays at Carnegie 10:30 a.m. Friends of the Library Book Sale 10 a.m.—5 p.m.		
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Baby story time 10:15 a.m. Toddler story time 11 a.m. Evening Book Club virtual 7 p.m.	<b>9</b> Family story time <i>bilingual</i> 10:30 a.m. Read to the Dogs 4 p.m. Teen D&D Night 5—7 p.m.	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> <i>Library Closed</i>	<b>12</b> Super Saturdays at Carnegie 10:30 a.m. Family Game On Day! 3 p.m.	
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Baby story time 10:15 a.m. Toddler story time 11 a.m. Noon Book Club noon Computación para adultos en español 6:30—8 p.m.	<b>16</b> Family story time <i>bilingual</i> 10:30 a.m.	<b>17</b> Gardening in the PNW—Garden Planning noon Lunchtime Crafting noon After-School Crafting 4 p.m.	<b>18</b> Family story time at Carnegie 10:30 a.m.	<b>19</b> Super Saturdays at Carnegie 10:30 a.m. Teen Anime Club 3—5 p.m.	
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Baby story time 10:15 a.m. Toddler story time 11 a.m. Library Board 5:15 p.m. Computación para adultos en español 6:30—8 p.m.	<b>23</b> Family story time <i>bilingual</i> 10:30 a.m.	<b>24</b> <i>Library Closed</i>	<b>25</b> Family story time at Carnegie 10:30 a.m. Teen Action Group 4 p.m.	<b>26</b> Super Saturdays at Carnegie 10:30 a.m. Teen Game Night 5p	
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Baby story time 10:15 a.m. Toddler story time 11 a.m. Computación para adultos en español 6:30—8 p.m.	<b>30</b> Family story time <i>bilingual</i> 10:30 a.m. DIY Custom Book Edges 5 p.m.	<b>Friends of the Library Book Sale!</b> Friday, November 4 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. Saturday, November 5 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.			

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### MAIN LIBRARY

2450 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE  
541-917-7580

### CARNEGIE LIBRARY

302 Ferry Street SW  
541-917-7585

Sunday:	<i>closed</i>	<i>closed</i>
Monday:	<i>closed</i>	<i>closed</i>
Tuesday:	10 a.m.—7 p.m.	<i>closed</i>
Wednesday:	10 a.m.—6 p.m.	1—6 p.m.
Thursday:	noon—6 p.m.	1—6 p.m.
Friday:	noon—6 p.m.	10 a.m.—1 p.m.
Saturday:	1—5 p.m.	10 a.m.—1 p.m.

## Noticias de la biblioteca



Tuesday, November 1st from 5:30-7pm @ Main Library  
Martes, 1 de noviembre, desde 5:30-7 pm @ Biblioteca Main

## Taller de habilidades básicas de computación en español para adultos

El taller estará en la sala de reunión de la Biblioteca Main en el 15, 22, y 29 de noviembre, 6:30 - 8 p.m.

¿Quieres mejorar tus habilidades de computación? ¡Regístrate en este curso gratis de 3 semanas para aprender y practicar conceptos básicos de informática!



Escanea el código para registrarte o llama al 541-791-0195 para más información.

## Teens

Teens age 13 & up are invited to join the APL Teen Discord! For an invite, email [christine.troetschel@cityofalbany.net](mailto:christine.troetschel@cityofalbany.net)

Teen D&D Night—Wednesday, November 9, 5—7 p.m.  
Been wanting to see what Dungeons & Dragons is all about? Or are you a seasoned player looking to meet others? Join in the adventure at the library—bring a Level 6 character of your own, or use one of ours! No experience required.

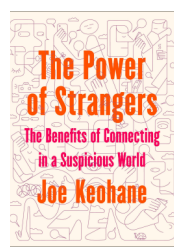
Teen Anime Club—Saturday, November 19, 3—5 p.m.  
Hang out and watch anime with other anime fans! Taste test & judge some new Japanese snacks, enjoy anime-themed crafts, watch more Spy x Family or Toilet-Bound Hanako-kun, and feel free to cosplay and bring your favorite squishies and art.

Teen Action Group—Friday, November 25, 4 p.m.  
Use your voice at the library! Teens in grades 7 & up are invited to enjoy some snacks and talk about Teen Services at the Library.

Teen Game Night—Saturday, November 26, 5—7 p.m.  
Hang out after hours at the library and play a variety of multiplayer Switch games and retro consoles. Feel free to bring your own board, card, or tabletop games!

## Adults

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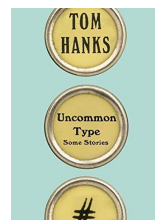


Evening Book Club—Virtual  
Tuesday, November 8 at 7 p.m.

The Power of Strangers by Joe Keohane  
Copies available at the Reference Desk. If you are interested in participating, please email [askalbany@cityofalbany.net](mailto:askalbany@cityofalbany.net) for Zoom details.

Noon Book Club  
Tuesday, November 15 at noon  
Uncommon Type by Tom Hanks

Copies available at the Reference Desk. If you are interested in participating, please email [askalbany@cityofalbany.net](mailto:askalbany@cityofalbany.net) for details.



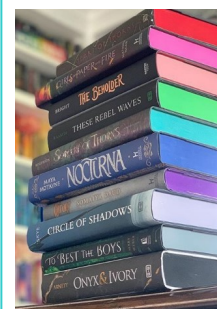
## Gardening in the PNW

The OSU Master Gardeners are back at the library this fall for a series on gardening in the Pacific Northwest!

November 3 @ noon —Xeriscaping  
November 17 @ noon —Garden Planning

## DIY Custom Book Edges

Wednesday, November 30 @ 5 p.m.



For teens & adults! Turn any hardcover book into your own special edition by customizing the page edges with paint! We'll have a variety of YA hardback books to choose from for your first attempt, and you can bring your own books from home—please no sentimental or irreplaceable books.

## New YA at the Library!



## Kids & Families

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### Bookmark our online calendar!

Make sure to bookmark the library's online calendar so that you can always see what events are coming up and easily register for our programs! For online events with a virtual component, Zoom invitations and passwords will be sent to you via email once online registration is complete.

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## STORY TIME

The Albany Public Library offers several story times for a variety of ages! Join us for a fun morning of stories, songs, and activities. Masks are welcome and encouraged for adults and children ages 4 & up.

In-person story times are drop-in, no registration required!

Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m.—for babies  
11 a.m.—for toddlers

Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.—bilingual, all ages

Fridays, 10:30 a.m.—all ages  
At the Carnegie Library, downstairs

## Read to the Dogs

November 9 at 4 p.m.



The R.E.A.D. therapy dogs are great listeners—and reading aloud helps with literacy & communication skills! Drop-ins are welcome, but we suggest you reserve a spot for your reader through our online calendar, calling 541-917-7583, emailing: [sarah.orzech@cityofalbany.net](mailto:sarah.orzech@cityofalbany.net), or stopping by the children's room.

## SUPER SATURDAYS

AT THE CARNEGIE LIBRARY!  
SATURDAY MORNINGS AT 10:30 A.M.

Drop by the downtown Carnegie Library on Saturday mornings at 10:30 a.m. for some super family fun! We'll mix it up each week with a variety of activities: bingo, scavenger hunts, escape room challenges, swap days, craft days, and special weeks when we will bring over some of our maker items from Main. Each week participants get a sticker—collect a total of six stickers and earn a prize!

Day of the Dead—Tuesday, November 1, 5:30—7 p.m.  
Celebrate Dia de los Muertos with the Library! Learn about this special day from Latin America that honors ancestry and loved ones that have passed on. We hope you will join us for talavera style pot painting, Day of the Dead themed lotería bingo for prizes, and some delicious themed treats.

Family Game On Day!—Saturday, November 12, 3 p.m.  
Join us on the 2nd Saturday of each month for some family game fun at the Main library. We have several larger than life games, like Giant Jenga and two bins of board and card games that are just sitting in April's office. Let's put them all to use!

Lunchtime Crafting—Thursday, November 17, noon  
Drop by the Children's Room for some crafting! We'll have a variety of craft supplies out for you to craft something fun.

After School Crafting—Thursday, November 17, 4 p.m.  
Come by the library after school and do some crafting! We'll have a variety of craft supplies out for you to craft something fun.



It's never too early—or too late—to read to your child! Reading aloud to preschool kids has clear benefits for both you and them. Start early and read often!

You can participate in 1000 Books Before Kindergarten through the Beanstack app on your phone or in your browser on the computer. Log books, earn badges, and help prepare your child for Kindergarten!

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I bloom like a flower each time it rains, and shrivel up whenever it stops.

What am I?

Do you think you know the answer? Come by the Children's Desk at the library and give us your guess! Right answers (and clever wrong answers!) get a small prize.