






<p><b>TAI CHI</b> Monday, May 6 to Thursday, June 13; 10:00 am – 11:00 am</p> <p>This class meets Mondays &amp; Thursdays for six weeks. The movements of tai chi help older adults reduce their risk of falling, while also increasing balance &amp; flexibility. Participants learn ways to improve their overall mind, body &amp; spirit through a series of slow, continuous movements.</p>	<h2>SENIORS</h2>	 <p>Classes are provided by Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative (OHAI), Dept of Geriatric Medicine, OUSC.</p> <p><i>These health literacy projects are supported by the Oklahoma Dept of Libraries with federal funds under the Library Services &amp; Technology Act (LSTA) &amp; the Institute of Museum &amp; Library Services.</i></p>  
<p><b>HOW TO COMMUNICATE EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER</b> Wednesday, May 8; 10:00 am – 11:00 am</p> <p>This workshop teaches participants &amp; caregivers how to communicate more effectively with health care professionals. You will gain information on the benefits &amp; challenges of the medical system, while also learning a team approach to providing overall care.</p>		
<p><b>USING MEDICATIONS SAFELY</b> Wednesday, May 22; 10:00 am – 11:00 am</p> <p>This workshop is designed to empower older adults to be more active participants in decisions regarding their medications.</p>	<p>To register for any of these FREE TO YOU classes, call 580.581.3450 ext. 7.</p>	

**HOLIDAY CLOSURE**  
The main library is closed Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day Weekend. The library catalog & databases will be available online at [lawtonok.gov/departments/library](http://lawtonok.gov/departments/library)

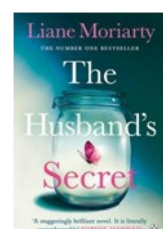
## SUMMER @ THE LIBRARY

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<p><b>THURSDAY STORY TIME AT ELMER THOMAS</b> June 20 &amp; July 18 10:00 am – 10:30 am Ages 0 – 10 &amp; caregivers</p> <p>Come to the West Pavilion for stories &amp; more!</p>																			
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## ADULTS

**PAGE TURNERS FICTION BOOK CLUB**  
Tuesday, May 14  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

This month's book is *The Husband's Secret* by Liane Moriarty. June's book is *The Secret Chord* by Geraldine Brooks.




**SOUTHWEST OKLAHOMA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY**  
Monday, May 20  
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Learn about bounty & land warrants with Lynna Warren, SWOGS board member.


**COVER-TO-COVER BOOK CLUB**  
Tuesday, May 21  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

This month's book is *The Night Circus* by Erin Morgenstern. June's book is *Where'd You Go, Bernadette?* by Maria Semple.



**GENEALOGY RESEARCH GROUP**  
Wednesday, May 22  
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Come research your family's history with fellow researchers. The group meets once a month in the Family History Room. Bring your family information & questions. SWOGS members will be there to offer research assistance.



# KIDS

## EARLY READER'S ACADEMY

Age-based classes that promote school readiness skills for our youngest readers.

## MOVERS & SHAKERS

Tuesdays, May 7, 14, 21, 28  
10:00 am – 10:30 am  
Ages 3 – 6 & Caregivers

Explore early literacy through fingerplays, rhymes, stories, songs, & music. Thirty minutes of singing, talking, reading, & moving.



## STEAM-POWERED

### IMAGINATION STATION

Thursdays, May 2, 9, 16  
No Class on May 23 & 30  
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Ages 6 – 18

Flex your imagination with LEGOS, science & art, 5-minute observations, puzzles & games, & trivia!



## WIGGLERS & CRAWLERS

Friday, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31  
10:00 am – 10:30 am  
Ages 0 – 3 & Caregivers

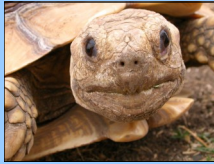
Lap-time fun for infants & toddlers using rhymes, bounces, fingerplays, & songs that promote early literacy skills.



## HAPPY WORLD TURTLE DAY

Thursday, May 23  
All Day; All Ages

Come "Shellabrate" World Turtle Day at the Library. Say hello to "Sal", the 25 year old Red footed Tortoise.



Pick up a turtle fact sheet or some coloring pages & join the fun!

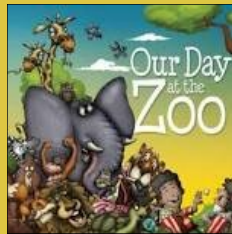
## TURTLE DAY CRAFT

Thursday, May 23; 10:00 am – 10:30 am  
Ages 0 – 12 & Caregivers

Make a paper turtle!

## FREE ZOO PASSES ARE BACK BEGINNING MAY 1!

Each family that checks out the book *Our Day at the Zoo* will receive a zoo pass good for FOUR people to get into the OKC Zoo for FREE. The zoo pass is good from May 1, 2019 – March 31, 2020 while supplies last.



## GET THE NEWSLETTER ONLINE

To receive the library's monthly newsletter in your email, send an email to: [librarynews@lawtonok.gov](mailto:librarynews@lawtonok.gov) with "subscribe" in the subject line.

## LOCATIONS & HOURS

[lawtonok.gov/departments/library](http://lawtonok.gov/departments/library)

### Main Library

110 SW 4th Street  
Lawton, OK 73501  
580.581.3450

Mon – Wed 9:00 am – 8:00 pm  
Thu – Sat 9:00 am – 6:00 pm  
Sun Closed

### Kathleen Wyatt Nicholson

#### Branch Library

1304 NW Kingswood Road  
Lawton, OK 73505  
580.581.3457

Tue & Thu 12:00 noon – 5:00 pm  
Sat 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

## LIBRARY BOARD

The next library board meeting is Wednesday, May 15 @ 4:00 pm. The public is invited to all meetings.

Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Patty Neuwirth  
Vice Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Susan Kremmer  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Frantzie Couch  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Ellouise Love  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Tom Rine

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Library meet quarterly. The next meeting is Monday, July 22 @ 12 noon.

Support your Friends of the Library. Become a member today! Annual membership is just \$10.00 per person or \$20.00 per family.

# TEENS

## TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tuesday, May 7; 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Ages 12 – 18

Wanted: dedicated teens with innovative ideas! Join us to give your input on events at your library!

## TEEN GAME NIGHT

Tuesday, May 7; 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm  
Ages 12 – 18

Snacks will be provided.



## TEEN BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, May 28; 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm  
Ages 12 – 18

Pick up a copy of *How We Roll* by Natasha Friend while supplies last. Snacks are provided.



## SAVE THE DATE: CHAUTAUQUA 2019

June 18 – 22

- Tuesday, June 18: Hank Fincken as Pizarro
- Wednesday, June 19: Paul Vickery as Bartolomé de las Casas
- Thursday, June 20: Ilene Evans as Elizabeth Catlett
- Friday, June 21: Joey Madia as Ernesto (Che) Guevara
- Saturday, June 22: Doug Mishler as Pablo Picasso

Workshop schedule now available on library's website.



Library programs are generously sponsored by the Friends of the Lawton Public Library.



## TEEN VOLUNTEER APPLICATIONS

2019 Teen Summer Volunteer applications will be available on April 15 & are due by Wednesday, May 15. Applications can be picked up at both library locations & are available to print from either the library's website or Facebook page.