



# February Dates You Don't Want to Miss

Saturday, February 1: Take-It and Make-It Crafts Available

Monday, February 3: Family Movie Night at 5:30pm

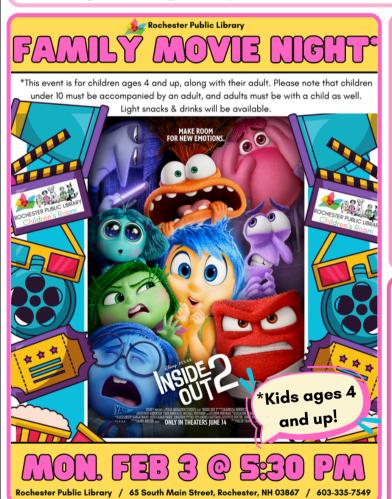
Monday, February 17: The Library will be CLOSED for Presidents' Day

Saturday, February 22: Board Game Fun 10:00-11:30am

Monday, February 24: Sign Ups Begin for Spring Story Times

Tuesday, February 25: Cardboard Chaos 2:00-4:00pm

Thursday, February 27: Experience Art at 10:00am \*\*\*REGISTRATION REQUIRED\*\*\*





## February Experience Art

Kids **ages 6-12** are invited to join us on **Thursday, February 27th at 10:00am** for our Experience Art program, where they can create and play with their own playdough. These sessions are fun, encourage independence, and promote creative thinking, building confidence and motor skills. Registration is **REQUIRED** for this event. Please visit the Children's Room or call us at 603-335-7549 to sign up.

#### **Board Game Fun**

Turn a boring Saturday morning into board game fun at the library! Kids **ages 4-12** and their families are invited to join us in the Story Time Room for a morning of games on **Saturday**, **February 22**. Drop-in anytime from **10:00-11:30**, no registration required. Explore our board games, puzzles, and playing cards, or bring your own favorites to play. Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult. Light refreshments will be available.



# February Take-It & Make-It

February's Take-It & Make-It craft will be a **Valentine Snail**. Kids can pick up a craft kit at the Children's Desk starting on **Saturday, February 1**. Kits will be available while supplies last.



# Celebrate February

Here are some fun & silly holidays for you to celebrate at home

The **ENTIRE** Month of February is:

- Library Lovers Month
- Black History Month
- International Friendship Month

#### <u>February 1</u>

Take Your Child to the Library Day

#### February 5

World Read Aloud Day

#### February 7

Send a Card to a Friend Day

#### February 9

National Read in the Bathtub Day

## February 11

National Make a Friend Day

## February 14

Library Lovers' Day

#### February 17

Random Act of Kindness Day

#### February 20

Clean Out Your Bookcase Day

#### February 26

International Tongue Twister Day

#### February 26

Tell a Fairy Tale Day

## Spring Story Times

Spring Story Time sign-ups will begin on **Monday, February 24**. Spring Story Times will begin the **week of March 10** and last for 6 weeks. Story Times are available for ages **9 months-6 years**. Call us or stop by the Children's Desk to sign up.

#### **DPW Thank You Cards**

Please join us in saying a big **THANK YOU** to the Rochester Public Works Department for all they do for our community! They are essential workers who keep our community running strong all year long by plowing and maintaining our streets, water and sewer systems. Thank you card stations are available in the Children's Room and café area.

## Hygge Family Journey

**Hygge** (pronounced *hoog-uh*) is a Danish word that describes the feeling of coziness, contentment, and sense of well-being brought on by taking pleasure in simple, gentle comforts, while fostering positive social interactions and togetherness. Families are invited to participate in the **Children's Room Hygge Family Journey through February 28**. Sign up at the Children's Desk to get your starter kit and choose your team name. All families who complete the journey will be entered to win a fun family raffle.

# Teen News & Upcoming Events

#### **Teen News**

The Winter Reading Program continues on Beanstack through May 4. The February Makerspace Activity is building. Visit the Teen Page for more details.

#### <u>Upcoming Events</u>

Mondays 2:30-4:00 | Maker Mondays

Wednesday, February 5 at Noon | Gumdrop Building
Saturday, February 8 at 10am | Beginner D&D One Shot
Monday, February 10 6-7 | Alternative Valentine's Party
Tuesday, February 18 6-7 | Beginner Crochet with Jessica
Monday, February 24 6-7 | Book Group: Comfort Reads
Wednesday, February 26 1-3 | Day 1 of 4-H Babysitting Course
Thursday, February 27 1-3 | Day 2 of 4-H Babysitting Course
Friday, February 28 1-3 | Day 3 of 4-H Babysitting Course

Registration is **REQUIRED** for: **Beginner D&D One Shot**, **Beginner Crochet with Jessica**, & the **4-H Babysitting Course**. Visit the Teen Page for more details.



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