

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS OCTOBER 2026 - TWEEN/TEEN (8-18 YEARS)

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Brush & Blossom – Join Brush & Blossom for a paint night with family and friends! This event is aimed at ages 12+ and there is no fee to attend. Supplies provided as available, first come first served. Please plan to arrive on time for this program, as instruction will begin shortly after 4:30. Participants under the age of 13 must have a parent/caretaker on the library premises for the entirety of the event.

Dungeons & Dragons – Dungeons & Dragons is a role-playing game where participants create imaginary characters that go on adventures. Our Dungeon Master, Daryl, guides the story and helps in decision making. Since this is a collaborative game, space is limited and registration is required. Players should be between 10-17 years old and prepared to be able to join most of the scheduled sessions starting at the scheduled beginning time. Group 1 meets at 1:30 pm & Group 2 meets at 4 pm.

FAFSA Help Day – Teens & grownup, need help with the FAFSA? Let Arkansas Asset Builders help. *Additional information and registration can be found at <https://fcl.libnet.info/event/17497068>

Family Hiking Club – Kids can discover the joy of calling the Natural State home by joining our monthly family trail walks! We meet every first Friday from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at a different local trail.

These welcoming, family-friendly walks focus first on kids, helping children connect with nature while bringing families and neighbors together for healthy, relaxing outdoor time. September, we will be meeting at the Prince St. entrance to explore Tucker Creek Trail. Please arrive at the trail head 5 minutes early.

First Saturday Fun Day – Drop by the library for a self-directed DIY tote bag activity. No fee or registration required. First Saturday Fun Day is a drop-in event for youth and families, come when you can and stay for as long or short as you need. Materials for each project are provided, as supplies last, and will be first come-first served. All Ages.

Friday Morning Music Club – For ages 3-10 years & their families - learn about composers, genres, and more through stories, listening, movement, & hands-on activities. September's theme is Florence Price.

Juega y Platica (Play & Chat) –Este nuevo programa invita a familias con niños de 3 a 13 años a jugar, participar en actividades en grupo y conocer nuevos amigos. Si está buscando un lugar donde sus pequeños puedan divertirse y hablar español con otros niños, ¡hagan planes para pasar por la Sala Infantil todos los lunes de 4:30pm a 5:30pm! This is program is designed for native Spanish speaking families to have a space to speak Spanish with other kids!

Kids Nature Club – This daytime program is a wonderful space for homeschoolers and curious kids to explore nature through literacy, art, and science. We believe that connecting with nature helps kids feel happier and healthier while building a natural care for our planet. Best for ages 8 to 12, and younger kids ages 5 to 7 are welcome to join the fun with some extra help from their grown-up!

Kids Yoga – Let's build strength, flexibility and confidence! We'll have fun with yoga and enjoy mindful moments. Best for ages 8+, but younger yogis are welcome to join with some extra help from their grown-up.

Open Studio – Think. Create. Share. Grow. Choose your own creative adventure with a variety of maker materials in this open-ended program. Explore activities using our art cart, tech, and, of course, books! This program is supervised by a Youth Librarian and is a good chance for young people to learn and practice skills that encourage independence. Grownups are asked to please explore other areas of the library while the kids are having fun during this program! For ages 10-18 years.

Tales for Scales – Reading Dragons & Friends is an ongoing reading challenge and collectable card game for school age kids & teens (grades K-12). To begin, you will receive a starter set of Dragon cards and a reading tracker. As you spend time reading, you will begin to earn new cards, which are released monthly at the Tales for Scales program. Stop by the Children's Room desk for trackers and cards!

Taste Test Kitchen – Taste Test Kitchen is an opportunity for young chefs of all skill levels to practice their cooking skills while creating and tasting a new recipe each month. Taste Test Kitchen is a program for tweens and teens that provides basic cooking instructions and food safety education in a supportive and collaborative environment. Each session teaches skills such as reading a recipe, kitchen safety, collaboration, and sharing with others while providing the opportunity for participants to be creative in the kitchen. October: veggie kabobs with Mr. Shawn. For ages 8-18 years.