

# SPECIAL EVENTS



## Messy Art

Youth under 5

March 18 & April 15 • 11 am, Discovery Room

Try fun, messy art and we'll handle the clean up. Wear clothes you don't mind getting messy. For babies, toddlers, preschoolers, & caregivers.



## Heeler Family Fun Day

Youth of any age

Saturday, March 28 • 10 am OR 1 pm, McLane Room

Celebrate everyone's favorite blue heeler family from down under. Crafts, games, and special guests for meet and greets – for real life!



## Nintendo Switch Game & Hang

Tweens/Teens

Wednesday, April 15 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Rotate through 4-player tournaments of Super Smash Bros & Mario Kart & cheer on friends. Use our consoles and games or bring your own! Geared toward tweens and teens in grades 6-12. Snacks provided.



## Crayon Initiative

All Ages

Throughout May • Children's Desk

Drop off broken and no longer needed crayons at the Children's Desk. Crayons will be donated to the Crayon Initiative, which will repurpose them to provide coloring supplies for kids in long-term hospital care.



## Playtime at the Library!

Youth under 5

Mondays, May 4 - June 1 • 9:30 am, Discovery Room

Stop in for a playdate! Early childhood services and organizations will be on hand to answer questions each week (see calendar.fdlpl.org). Refreshments available; enter into a raffle drawing for a gas and grocery gift card.



## Mini Makers' Market

Youth & Teens

Saturday, May 9, 10 am-3 pm and Sunday, May 10, 12:30-3:30 pm

Makers will sell homemade goods. Makers: pick up a registration form at the Children's Desk or print one at home starting April 1.

**Registration for Makers is required; space is limited. Forms must be returned to the Children's Desk by Friday, May 1.**



## Shrek's 25th: Dance Party

Toddlers & Preschoolers

Wednesday, May 20 • 11 am, Discovery Room

Step into the world of Shrek for an enchanting Shrek-themed dance party to celebrate the movie's 25th anniversary. Dance in a glow in the dark swamp, make fairytale-themed crafts, and enjoy refreshments.



## Shrek's 25th: Free Movie

All Ages

Tuesday, May 26 • 6 pm, McLane Room

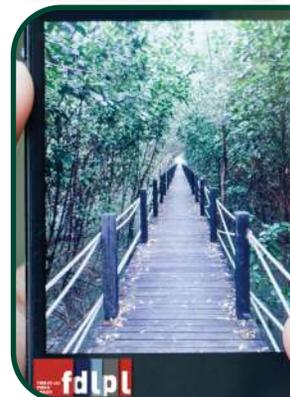
Enjoy a screening of the animated modern classic Shrek about a swamp-loving ogre, his traveling donkey companion, and a princess with a secret. Based on the book Shrek! by William Steig. Rated PG, runtime 90 minutes.

Youth  
Teens  
Families



March  
April  
May

# EVENTS



WIN A \$250  
VISA GIFT  
CARD!

Enter the Teen  
Photo  
Contest



Enter the Teen Photo Contest by April 10 for a chance to win. Categories for 2026 are:

- Joy
  - Light & Shadow
  - Anything Goes
- For the complete rules, scan the QR code at left or visit [fdlpl.org](http://fdlpl.org)

## Celebrate Bird Migration with FDLPL

### Flight Path: A month of science activities

Flight Path is landing in FDL! We're bringing science, community, and conservation together with fun activities and events all month long. Learn more at [FDLPL.org](http://FDLPL.org).



### Bird Brigade All Ages

Friday, May 8 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Join a new, all-ages club to share bird photos and stories, learn about birds, go for bird walks, and more. Birders of all abilities welcome!



### Building for Birds All Ages

Wednesday, May 27 • 4:30 pm, McLane Room

Learn about migration & migratory species, and screen the documentary, "Wild Hope: Building for Birds." Discuss how to make FDL safer for birds!

**FDLPL CLOSED: APRIL 8 • APRIL 22 • MAY 23-25**



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# WEEKLY & MONTHLY

## WEEKLY:



### Babies and Books

Through April 27: Mondays • 11 am, Discovery Room

Intended for children age 0 to 18 months, we'll sing songs & rhymes, explore books, and have a relaxing playtime with an opportunity for babies and caregivers to connect.



### Family Storytime

Through April 28: Mondays & Tuesdays • 9:30 am, Discovery Rm

Stories, songs, rhymes & more designed to develop early literacy skills & encourage a love of reading. For ages 2-5, but all ages welcome.

## MONTHLY:



### LEGO Club

March 3 • April 7 • May 5 • 4:30 pm, Children's Room

Love to build? Use our LEGOs to build with friends. We'll display all creations in the library, and enter each creation in a drawing for a special LEGO set.



### Adaptive Storytime

March 4 • April 1 • May 6 • 9:30 am, Discovery Room

Sensory-friendly storytime will include stories, inclusive activities, a supportive environment, and opportunities for bonding between caregiver and child, no matter the age or ability. Storytime is followed by free play.



### FDLPL Rook Club

March 10 • April 14 • May 12 • 6 pm, Discovery Room, for all ages

All ages and skill levels may join us for some friendly gameplay. We'll have resources on learning chess & encourage experienced players to share their knowledge with beginners. Use one of our chess sets or bring your own.



### Crafty Kids

March 11 • April 8 • May 13 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Join us monthly for an afternoon of artsy, crafty fun. Best for ages 4+. **March:** Origami Mouse Bookmarks **April:** Bouncing Frog **May:** Button Snails



### Maker Mondays

March 16 • April 20 • May 18 • 4:30 pm, McLane Room

Create something new every month! Best for ages 7 and older. **March:** Propeller car **April:** Birdhouse & bird feeder **May:** Tie-dye string bag



### Paint-Along *strictly for ages 5-12*

March 20 • April 6 • May 15 • 11 am & 2 pm, McLane Room

Miss Katie leads you in creating a work of art with paint! Ages 5-12; wear messy clothes. [Register at calendar.fdlpl.org](https://calendar.fdlpl.org).

**March:** Playful Red Panda **April:** Bookworm Buddy **May:** Hello Toucan



### Paws to R.E.A.D.

March 24 • April 28 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Visit with a trained therapy dog and practice your reading skills. These dogs are great listeners who can't wait to hear a story. No registration required.

# TEEN ACTIVITIES

## SPECIAL MONTHLY PROGRAMS



### Anime Afternoon

March 3 • April 7 • May 5 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Calling all anime enthusiasts! Join us the first Tuesday of each month to watch a couple episodes of an anime we choose (and eat snacks). Cosplay is always welcome!



### Ready, Set, Roleplay!

March 5 • April 2 • May 7 • 4:30 pm, Teen Space

Meet us for a tabletop roleplaying adventure! Bring your own level one D&D 5E character, or choose one of ours. If you have a set of dice, bring those too! All experience levels welcome.



### Monday Night Writes

March 9 & 23 • April 13 & 27 • May 11 • 4:30 pm, Teen Space

Drop in for some dedicated writing workshop time and connect with other writers. Bring what you're working on; we'll have prompts available, too!



### Play with Your Food

March 17 • April 21 • May 19 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Learn more about food (and, of course, eat some, too). **March:** Potato Chip Chowdown **April:** Eat With Your Ears **May:** Ra-MAY! Exploring ways to elevate ramen



### Roblox Meetup

March 18 • May 20 • 4:30 pm, Discovery Room

Bring your own device and meet with other Roblox enthusiasts for chill gaming. Geared toward tweens & teens in grades 6-12. Snacks will be provided.

## ONGOING PROGRAMS



### Teen Mystery Bag

Bags are available in the Teen Space, while supplies last

Each bag contains a library book to check out, read & return, plus a snack, an activity, and a list of more book recommendations.

**Starting March 16:** Feeling Lucky **Starting April 20:** Coming of Age

**Starting May 18:** Series Starters



### Teen Badging in the Idea Studio

March 4 • April 1 • May 6 • 6 pm, Idea Studio

Receive training on selected equipment each month, and a chance to complete a project on some months. Registration is required. **March:** Easy Sew Phone Pillow **April:** Recording Studio **May:** Sublimated Mug