

# Sumner Pierce County Library September Events

2024

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**YOUR** library card saves **YOU** money!

Enjoy a variety of free services  
from **YOUR** Pierce County Library System!

Explore  
**Hispanic and Latinx Stories and Voices**  
Sept. 15-Oct. 15

[mypls.org/stories-and-voices](http://mypls.org/stories-and-voices)

Attend in-person and  virtual events!

\* Event requires registration at [mypls.org/calendar](http://mypls.org/calendar).

Visit [mypls.org/calendar](http://mypls.org/calendar) for more  
Library events and information.

**Pop & Palette: Pumpkins\***  
Saturday, Sept. 28  
10:30-11:30

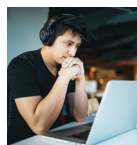


Work together or on your own to paint a pumpkin on a vine.

Ages 5 and up

## ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS

 **Virtual Talk Time:**  
**English Conversation for ESL Learners\***



**Tuesdays, 10-11 a.m. and  
Thursdays, 6-7 p.m.**

Learn, connect and practice English language skills.  
For ESL learners and English speakers wanting to  
connect with and support ESL learners.

**Community Board Game Day**

**Saturday Sept. 7, 1-3 p.m.**

Top Down Brewing Company, 15355 Main St E, Sumner

Learn about contemporary and new board games  
or enjoy family classics. All ages.

 **Virtual Poetry Circle\***

**Saturday, Sept. 14, 3-4:30 p.m.**

Share poems you love, poems you're currently reading  
or poems you have written.

**Zine Workshop**

**Sunday, Sept. 15, 2-4:30 p.m.**

Create, collaborate and connect with zines! All ages.

 **Virtual How the Heck Do I Buy a Used Car?\***

**Monday, Sept. 16, 6-7:15 p.m.**

Learn the process of buying a used car from budgeting to  
negotiating from author Chaya M. Milchtein. Ages 13 and up.

**The Craftening: Cross Stitching**

**Wednesday, Sept. 18, 5:30-6:30 p.m.**

Explore cross stitching and try your hand  
at a design of your choice.



**Nonfiction Book Club**

**Saturday, Sept. 21, 3-4:30 p.m.**

Read and discuss  
"How to Be Perfect"  
by Michael Schur.

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

**Dungeons & Dragons\***

**Saturday, Sept. 14 and 28, 1-4 p.m.**

Explore tabletop roleplay games using the D&D system  
in a variety of unique settings. No experience needed.

Sept. 14: One Shot Wedding Heist

Sept. 28: Ongoing Campaign

 **Virtual Meditation Practice Group\***

**Wednesday, Sept. 25, 6-7 p.m.**

Join us for a meditation practice group for new  
and experienced meditators.

## TEEN EVENTS

**Tuesday Hangouts**

**Tuesday, Sept. 10, 17 and 24, 4:30-6 p.m.**

Enjoy an inclusive space to hang out with friends  
for a weekly theme and drop-in activities. Ages 13-18.

**Poetry and Writing Club\***

**Thursday, Sept. 12, 19 and 26, 3-4 p.m.**

Join fellow writers as you work toward your writing goals.  
Ages 13-18.

 **Virtual Dungeons & Dragons for Teens\***

**Friday, Sept. 6 and 20, 3:30-5:45 p.m.**

Make a character and join fellow teens  
on a gothic horror adventure. Ages 13-18.

## YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS

**Betsy Wellings Live!**

**Sunday, Sept. 8, 2-3:30 p.m.**

Bring the whole family to enjoy a mix of favorite children's  
songs, engaging originals, sing-alongs and tunes in Spanish.  
All ages.

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YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...

**Homeschool Meet-Up**

**Thursday, Sept. 19, 10:15-11:15 a.m.**

Join local homeschool families and explore your world with themed STEAM activities. Ages 5-12.

**STORY TIMES**

**Baby Story Time**

**Tuesday, Sept. 24, 10:30-11:15 a.m.**

Join in with your child and enjoy books, action rhymes, knee bounces, songs and more. Ages 0-2.



**Family Story Time**

**Tuesday, Sept. 24**

**11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.**

Stories, art activities, rhymes, singing and fingerplays for the whole family. Ages 0-6.

**Virtual Bilingual Pajama Party\***

**Thursday, Sept. 19 and 26, 7-7:35 p.m.**

¡Venga en pijama a disfrutar de libros bilingües, canciones y mucho más antes de ir a dormir con la Srta. Bryna y sus amigos! Edades 3-6.

Join in your pajamas and enjoy bilingual books, songs and more before bedtime with Miss Bryna and amigos! Ages 3-6.

**"I like making friends and getting books at the library."**  
Tristan, Pierce County Library cardholder

I didn't know my library had this!

**TOOLS** for **students**

Grades K-12  
FREE with your Pierce County Library card!

**Need help with homework?**  
Free online research tools from your Library.

- Receive expert help from live online tutors.
- Read full-text reference books, newspapers, magazines and articles.
- Access practice tests, skill building courses, financial aid assistance and more.

**tools.pcls.us**

Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

Thanks to the Pierce County Library Foundation and Friends of the Sumner Library which support many of these events and classes.

**LIBRARY IS CLOSED:**  
**Sept. 2 for Labor Day**

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