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Tillicum Pierce County Library October Events

2025

FREE

ADULT EVENTS

Friends of the Lakewood and Tillicum Libraries Book Sale

Saturday, Oct. 18, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church

10630 Gravelly Lake Drive SW, Lakewood

Find great used books and more! All donations
support the Pierce County Library System.



Tech Help

Wednesday, Oct. 22
2:30-4 p.m.

Drop in with your
technology questions.

Personal Finance: Credit and Debt

Wednesday, Oct. 22
5-6 p.m.



Learn about credit and debt including
terms and reports, using credit as a tool
and more.

Digital Skills Class

Monday, Oct. 27
noon-3 p.m.



Learn basic digital skills from
trained instructors.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS

Story Time for Mixed Ages

Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



Stories, songs and movement activities for
young children and their caregivers.
Ages 0-6.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...

Play Time

Thursdays, 3-5 p.m.



Explore, build and create! Join us for play
times designed to spark learning. Ages 0-6.

Cuentos Bilingües/Bilingual Story Time

Saturdays, 1-2 p.m.



Disfruta libros bilingües, rimas, canciones
y arte en la biblioteca! Edades 0-6.
Enjoy bilingual books, rhymes, songs
and art at the library! Ages 0-6.

Animal Encounters: Nocturnal Wonders*

Ages
3-18.

Monday, Oct. 13
noon-1 p.m.

Explore how some of the
world's most amazing
animals not only survive
but thrive in darkness.



Read to a Rabbit

Tuesday, Oct. 21
3-5 p.m.

Practice your reading aloud skills while entertaining
the resident rabbits from the Tacoma Pierce County
Humane Society. Ages 5-10.

Anytime Activity: Silly Saturday

Saturday, Oct. 25
2-4 p.m.



Drop in anytime to enjoy fun,
self-guided activities.
Ages 0-12.

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VIRTUAL EVENTS

Virtual Teen Council: Use Your Voice*

🖥️ **Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.**

Help plan events, give feedback and speak up about what teens actually want from their library. Volunteer hours and connection included. Ages 13-18.

Virtual Talk with Adrián Aldaba and Emily Key*

🖥️ **Thursday, Oct. 2, 11 a.m.-noon**



Enjoy a conversation with Smithsonian professionals Adrián Aldaba and Emily Key as they discuss

“Nuestra América” and highlight inspiring stories of Latinos throughout history. In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. All ages.

Virtual Cuentos Bilingües/ Virtual Bilingual Story Time*

🖥️ **Thursdays, 7-7:35 p.m.**

¡Venga en pijama a disfrutar de libros bilingües, canciones y más antes de ir a dormir! Edades 0-6. Join in your pajamas and enjoy bilingual books, songs and more before bedtime! Ages 0-6.

VIRTUAL EVENTS continued...

Virtual Mambo to Hip Hop with Annabel Quintero*

🖥️ **Friday, Oct. 3, 6-7:30 p.m.**



Explore famous artists and their unique contributions to music along with the political and socio-economic forces that helped create them. Ages 13 and up.

Hybrid Scribblers' Society*

🖥️ **Saturday, Oct. 4, 2:30-4:30 p.m.**

Get together with other writers to write, edit, critique and discuss. Attend virtually or at the Sumner Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

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. Ages 13 and up.

Virtual Get To Know: JobNow and Online Homework Help*

🖥️ **Wednesday, Oct. 8, 6-7:30 p.m.**

Learn more about Brainfuse JobNow and HelpNow services that give you access to resumé templates, job coaching, live tutoring and more. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Author Talk with Leigh Bardugo*

🖥️ **Thursday, Oct. 9, 4-5 p.m.**



Enjoy an exciting conversation with The New York Times bestselling author Leigh Bardugo as she celebrates the release of “Six of Crows: The Dregs Edition.” In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 13 and up.

VIRTUAL EVENTS continued...

Virtual Dungeons & Dragons Campaign*

🖥️ **Friday, Oct. 10 and 24, 3:30-5:30 p.m.**

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

Virtual Poetry Circle*

🖥️ **Saturday, Oct. 11, 3-4:30 p.m.**

Share poems you love, poems you're currently reading or poems you have written. Ages 13 and up.

Virtual Adultish Book Club*

🖥️ **Tuesday, Oct. 14**



5-6 p.m.

Read and discuss the monthly young adult or new adult book club pick. Ages 16 and up. October: “Thieves’ Gambit” by Kayvion Lewis

Virtual Game On: This Discord Has Ghosts In It*

🖥️ **Saturday, Oct. 18, 3-5 p.m.**

Join us in the PCLTeens Discord Server for a haunting game night. Ages 13-18.

Virtual Author Talk with Malala Yousafzai*

🖥️ **Wednesday, Oct. 22, 4-5 p.m.**



Hear from Nobel Peace Prize Laureate Malala Yousafzai as she shares about her astonishing memoir, “Finding My Way.” In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

VIRTUAL EVENTS continued...

Virtual Author Talk with Dr. Philippa Gregory*

🖥️ **Wednesday, Oct. 29, 11 a.m.-noon**



Author Dr. Philippa Gregory discusses her new book “Boleyn Traitor.” In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Hybrid Keys to Homeownership*

🖥️ **Wednesday, Oct. 29, 4-6 p.m.**

Learn how to build a strong financial foundation and grow your financial future. Explore key topics around homeownership including budgeting, credit, savings, ownership mindset, mortgage products and sustained home ownership plans. Attend virtually or at the Buckley Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Meditation Practice Group*

🖥️ **Wednesday, Oct. 29, 6-7 p.m.**

Join us for a meditation practice group for new and experienced meditators. Ages 18 and up.

Explore

Hispanic and Latinx Stories and Voices

Sept. 15-Oct. 15

Celebrate the contributions, achievements and history of diverse groups through cultural stories and voices.

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