


VIRTUAL EVENTS continued...


Virtual Author Talk with Gabe Henry*



Wednesday, Sept. 17
11 a.m.-noon

Author Gabe Henry discusses his new book "Enough Is Enuf: Our Failed Attempts to Make English Easier to Spell." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.


Virtual Meditation Practice Group*



Wednesday, Sept. 24
6-7 p.m.

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

Virtual Gig Harbor Nonfiction Book Club*



Thursday, Sept. 25
6-7 p.m.

Enjoy a virtual book discussion on Zoom with your local librarians and neighbors. Ages 18 and up.



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from **YOUR** Pierce County Library System!

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

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- Wiring diagrams

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LIBRARY IS CLOSED:
Sept. 1 for Labor Day

Gig Harbor Pierce County Library

September Events

2025

FREE


ADULT EVENTS



Tech Help

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

Drop in with your technology questions.



Digital Skills Class


Tuesday, Sept. 9
Noon-3 p.m.

Learn basic digital skills from trained instructors.

Budgeting 101

Thursday, Sept. 18
5-6:30 p.m.


Learn the steps towards financial wellness through conversations about budgeting, savings and resources.



A Bailar Cumbia: Dance Workshop

Saturday, Sept. 20
2-3:30 p.m.

Learn new steps and the cross-cultural history of this dance genre. Ages 9 and up.



Gig Harbor Nonfiction Book Club

Wednesday, Sept. 24
6-7 p.m.

Check out this month's title from your local library or get it online on Libby.


GAME LAB: INTRO TO D&D

Sunday, Sept. 7 and 28
1:30-4:30 p.m.

Learn the basics of playing "Dungeons & Dragons". Ages 5-12.



TEEN EVENTS



Pottery Workshop*


Tuesday, Sept. 30
4-5:30 p.m.

Paint your own mug or learn how to use the pottery wheel. Ages 13-18.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS


Game Lab: Chess Club

Thursdays
5:45-6:45 p.m.



Enjoy 20 minutes of chess instruction and 40 minutes of play. Ages 5-12.

Play Time



Monday, Sept. 8, 15, 22 and 29
10:30-11:30 a.m.

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

More EVENTS inside

For the most current information, please visit mypcls.org/calendar

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YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...

Discovery Lab: Art Explorers
Monday, Sept. 8
4-5 p.m.



Show off your creativity with a craft or art project each month. Ages 5-10.

Story Time for Toddlers
Wednesday, Sept. 10, 17 and 24
10-11 a.m.



Join us for stories, songs and fun designed for toddlers. Ages 2-3.

Story Time for Preschoolers
Wednesday, Sept. 10, 17 and 24
11-noon

Enjoy stories, songs and activities to spark your preschooler's love of reading. Ages 3-6.

Story Time for Babies
Friday, Sept. 12, 19 and 26
10-11 a.m.

Songs, rhymes and stories just right for babies and their caregivers. Ages 0-2.



LIBRARY CARD
DESIGN CONTEST
SEPT. 1-30

Kids and Teens
Design the next Pierce County Library System cards! Enter Sept. 1-30.

More info: cardcontest.pcls.us


YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...

Story Time for Mixed Ages
Friday, Sept. 12, 19 and 26
11 a.m.-noon



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

Discovery Lab: Fandom STEAM
Sunday, Sept. 14
1:30-2:30 p.m.



Celebrate your favorite books, movies, and games. Ages 5-10. September theme: Pokémon

Discovery Lab: LEGO® Explorers
Monday, Sept. 15
4-5 p.m.

Help characters in a themed story with four LEGO® challenges. Ages 5-10.

Discovery Lab: Hobbit Day Quest
Sunday, Sept. 21
1:30-3:30 p.m.

Celebrate Hobbit Day with an epic quest in the world of the Lord of the Rings. Ages 3-12.

Discovery Lab: Science Explorers
Monday, Sept. 22
4-5 p.m.

Learn about a science topic and do an experiment or activity related to it. Ages 5-10.

Discovery Lab: Surprise Explorers
Monday, Sept. 29
4-5 p.m.

Drop in for an art or science related activity. Ages 5-10.

VIRTUAL 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. Ages 13 and up.

Virtual Author Talk
with Hannah Nicole Maehrer*




Wednesday, Sept. 3
4-5 p.m.




Embrace your dark side and enjoy a conversation with Hannah Nicole Maehrer, author of the New York Times bestselling Assistant to the Villain series. In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Adultish Book Club*



Tuesday, Sept. 9
5-6 p.m.



Read and discuss the monthly young adult or new adult book club pick. Ages 16 and up. September: "What the River Knows" by Isabel Ibañez

Virtual Author Talk with Jefferson Fisher*




Wednesday, Sept. 10
11 a.m.-noon



Communication expert Jefferson Fisher discusses his new book "The Next Conversation: Argue Less, Talk More." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

VIRTUAL EVENTS continued...

Virtual Cuentos Bilingües/ Virtual Bilingual Story Time*



Thursday, Sept. 11, 18 and 25
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 Dungeons & Dragons*



Friday, Sept. 12 and 26
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, Sept. 13
3-4:30 p.m.

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

More EVENTS on back

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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