

# May Events

2026

## ADULT EVENTS

### Friends of the Graham Library Meeting

Tuesday, May 5, 1-2 p.m.

Support your local library by becoming a Friend! Attending meetings is a great way to find out about volunteer opportunities and meet other Friends of the Library.

HIGHLIGHTED EVENT



### Plants as Medicine\*

Wednesday, May 6, 3-4 p.m.

Learn the basics of making your own herbal medicine in this hands-on workshop.



### Conversation Café: Bento Boxes\*

Wednesday, May 20, 3-4:30 p.m.

Join us for a discussion about the cultural significance of bento boxes in Japanese culture and how they might mirror similar practices for portable, nutritious meals.

## TEEN EVENTS

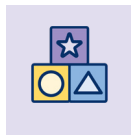


### Craft Café

Wednesday, May 13, 4-5:30 p.m.

Get creative, try something new or just be yourself and try a variety of crafts. Ages 13-18.

## YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS



### Play Time

Saturdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

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



### Story Time for Mixed Ages

Wednesday, May 6, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

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

### Read to a Dog

Tuesday, May 12, 5-6 p.m.

Practice reading aloud with a friendly, certified therapy dog. Ages 6-12.



**LIBRARY IS CLOSED: May 25 for Memorial Day**

## VIRTUAL EVENTS

### Virtual Talk Time\*

🖥️ **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. Ages 13 and up.

### 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 Author Talk with Marjan Kamali\*

🖥️ **Thursday, May 7, 4-5 p.m.**



Enjoy an exciting conversation with internationally acclaimed author Marjan Kamali as we delve into the timeless wonder of her New York Times bestselling novel "The Lion Women of Tehran." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

### Virtual Facing Turmoil with Integrity\*

🖥️ **Thursday, May 7  
5-6:30 p.m.**

Explore how the ancient Tamil Kural shaped Gandhi and Dr. Martin Luther King in this inspiring talk presented by author Thomas Hitoshi Pruikma. Ages 18 and up.



### Virtual Dungeons and Dragons: The Ongoing Campaign\*

🖥️ **Friday, May 8 and 22, 3:30-5:30 p.m.**

Join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure. Ages 13-18.

### Virtual Author Talk with Dr. Vivienne Ming\*

🖥️ **Tuesday, May 12, 11 a.m.-noon**

Join a timely virtual conversation on AI, humanity and a better future with Dr. Vivienne Ming as she discusses her new book "Robot-Proof: When Machines Have All the Answers, Build Better People." Ages 18 and up.



### Hybrid Social Security 101\*

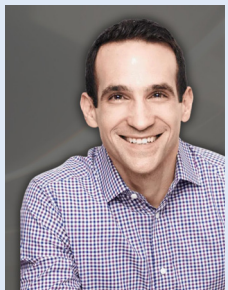
🖥️ **Thursday, May 14, 1-2 p.m.**

Learn about the Social Security program, including its history, how it is funded, how your benefits are calculated, and much more. Attend virtually or at the Eatonville Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

### Virtual Author Talk with Nir Eyal\*

🖥️ **Tuesday, May 19, 11 a.m.-noon**

Explore how the limits we face are often psychological, not physical, in a compelling look at belief and possibility from bestselling author Nir Eyal in "Beyond Belief." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.



Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

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