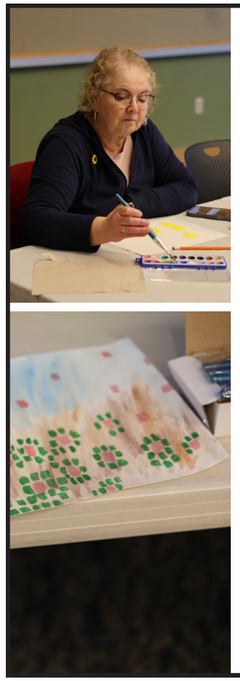

## Experience Art Programming

Experience Art programs bring people together through hands-on creative activities like:

- Journaling
- Creative writing
- Drawing
- And more

Drawing inspiration from a variety of artists, perspectives and cultural traditions, this experience invites everyone to engage creatively. No artistic experience required. Just bring your curiosity and openness to explore, reflect and connect.

Learn more at **mypcls.org**

Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

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

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# August Events

2026

## ADULT EVENTS

### Crochet with Debra
**Wednesday, Aug. 12, 4-5:30 p.m.**
Want to learn how to crochet? Already an expert? All levels of experience welcome.

### Legal Help Pop-Up
**Wednesday, Aug. 26, 3-5 p.m.**
Get assistance from Tacomaprobono on questions about civic legal issues like family law, debt, wills and housing and help with the Eviction Prevention program from Pierce County Human Services.

## YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS

### Play Time
**Monday, Aug. 3, 10, 17 and 24**
**10-11 a.m.**
Explore, build, and create! Join us for play times designed to spark learning. Ages 0-5

### Dig Into Dinos with Mikey the Rad Scientist
**Tuesday, Aug. 4, 3-4 p.m.**
Enjoy a prehistoric musical adventure with dancing, singing, roaring and fun songs about dinosaurs and other fierce animals. Ages 18 months-12.

### Camp Creative
**Tuesday, Aug. 25, 11 a.m.-noon**
Join us for summer fun and get creative with different STEAM projects. Ages. 3-12..

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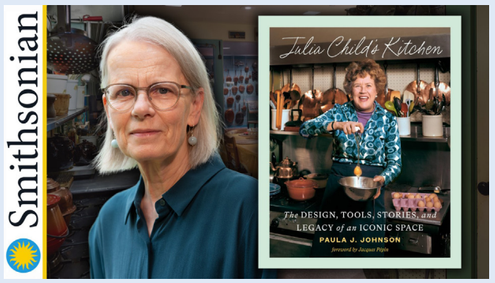
## VIRTUAL EVENTS

### 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.

### Hybrid Using AI to Assist Us in Everyday Life*
Learn to use simple and often inexpensive tools that can help you succeed at home every day. This session provides accessible ways to use AI day-to-day and includes something for everyone, including practical tips for how AI can help neurodivergent users with reminders, focus, organization and everyday tasks. Ages 18 and up. Attend virtually or at one of the following Pierce County Libraries:

- **Saturday, Aug. 1, 1-2 p.m.**
  Gig Harbor Pierce County Library
- **Saturday, Aug. 15, 1-2 p.m.**
  Sumner Pierce County Library

### Virtual Author Talk with Paula J. Johnson*
**Tuesday, Aug. 4, 11 a.m.-noon**
Delve into the legacy of cooking icon Julia Child with Smithsonian curator and public historian Paula J. Johnson, author of "Julia Child's Kitchen: The Design, Tools, Stories, and Legacy of an Iconic Space." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.




### Hybrid Doomscrolling Detox: Find Balance in the Digital Age*
**Wednesday, Aug. 5, 4-5:30 p.m.**
Journalist and media educator T. Andrew Wahl breaks down the key developments that have led to our current information landscape and offers tips to help develop a healthier relationship with information. Attend virtually or at Graham Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

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### Hybrid Putting AI to Work for You as a Job Seeker*
This beginner-friendly workshop focuses on how job seekers can use AI tools to navigate keyword filters, strengthen resumes and much more. Ages 18 and up. Attend virtually or at one of the following Pierce County Libraries:

- **Tuesday, Aug. 11, 5:30-6:30 p.m.**
  University Place Pierce County Library
- **Saturday, Aug. 29, 1-2 p.m.**
  South Hill Pierce County Library

### Hybrid Making AI Work for You*
**Thursday, Aug. 13, 5-6 p.m.**
Explore how AI can make everyday tasks and learning easier. Discover practical ways to use AI for brainstorming ideas or managing long-term projects. Learn how to ask clearer questions, check response accuracy and credit AI-generated content. Attend virtually or at Eatonville Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

### Virtual Dungeons and Dragons: The Ongoing Campaign*
**Friday, Aug. 14 and 28, 3:30-5:30 p.m.**
Join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure. Ages 13-18.

### Virtual Author Talk with Beronda Montgomery*

**Tuesday, Aug. 25 11 a.m.-noon**
Author and biologist Beronda Montgomery discusses her book "When Trees Testify: Science, Wisdom, History, and America's Black Botanical Legacy." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

### Virtual Author Talk with Lucy Foley*

**Thursday, Aug. 27 11 a.m.-noon**
Enjoy a thrilling conversation with author Lucy Foley about her brand-new Miss Marple mystery, "Murder at the Grand Alpine Hotel." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.