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## FREE ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS AT THE BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

November 2 – November 8

**Arbutus Library**, 1581 Sulphur Spring Road, call 410-887-1451: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 4; “The Bubble Lady,” creating gigantic and unique bubbles with Miss Lynch, for the family (under age 6 with an adult), 7 p.m., Monday, November 3; “Up with Kids,” interactive musical fun with Uncle Pete on the guitar, for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 4; “Toons R Us,” a hands-on, demonstration-talk for school ages, registration required, 3 p.m., Wednesday, November 5; “Kaydee Puppets,” puppetry, featuring “The Princess and the Pea” and “The Little Red Hen’s Wacky Week,” for the family (under age 6 with an adult), 7 p.m., Thursday, November 6; “Family Fun Night,” games, crafts, music, stories, mime and food for the family (under age 6 with an adult), 7 p.m., Saturday, November 8; “A Fool Named ‘O’ ” by the wordless mime jester Mark Jaster, for the family (under age 6 with an adult), 8 p.m., Saturday, November 8.

**Catonsville Library**, 1100 Frederick Road, call 887-0951: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 6; “Baby Boosters,” stories, music, movement and rhymes for ages 0-23 months with an adult, registration required, 10:30 a.m., Saturday, November 8; “Karma Dogs,” reluctant readers sharing stories with a nonjudgmental, furry friend from the H.E.A.R.T.S. program, for school ages, registration required, 11 a.m., Saturday, November 8.

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**Cockeysville Library**, 9833 Greenside Drive, call 410-887-7750; “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 6; “Computer Know-How at Your Library,” a hands-on, demonstration-talk for age 13 years and up, 9 a.m., Monday, November 3; “Neat Like Magritte,” learning about surrealist artist Rene Magritte and creating a similar painting to take home, presented by artist Raeann Soto, for school ages, registration required, 2 p.m., Saturday, November 8.

**Essex Library**, 1110 Eastern Boulevard, call 410-887-0295: “Friday Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 11 a.m., Friday, November 7; “Computer Know-How at Your Library,” a hands-on, demonstration-talk for age 13 years and up, registration required, 9 a.m., Thursday, November 6.

**Hereford Library**, 16940 York Road, call 410-887-1919: “Baby Boosters,” stories, music, movement and rhymes for ages 0-23 months with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 4; “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 6; “Babysitting Training Course,” earning American Red Cross certification while learning first aid, diapering and feeding techniques, for teens ages 11-17 years (bring a bag lunch), registration required, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, November 8; “Up with Kids,” interactive musical fun with Uncle Pete on the guitar, 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 6.

**Lansdowne Library**, 500 Third Avenue, call 410-887-5602: “Pajama Story Time,” stories and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult (wear your jammies and bring a bedtime pal), 7 p.m., Monday, November 3; “Teen Gaming,” playing “Dance Dance Revolution,” Guitar Hero” and other Xbox 360 games, for teens, registration required, 3 p.m., Thursday, November 6; “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 1 p.m., Saturday, November 8.

**Loch Raven Library**, 1046 Taylor Avenue, call 410-887-4444: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 4.

**North Point Library**, 1716 Merritt Boulevard, call 410-887-7255: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5; “After-School Gaming,” playing “Guitar Hero” and other Xbox 360 games, for teens, registration required, 3:30 p.m., Wednesday, November 5; “Computer Know-How at Your Library,” a hands-on, demonstration-talk for age 13 years and up, registration required, 2 p.m., Thursday, November 6;

### **NORTH POINT (Continued)**

“Poe Comes to Life,” a one-man play, featuring dramatic interpretations of Poe’s literature, presented by Broadway and film veteran Duffy Hudson, for the family (age 11 years and up), 7 p.m., Monday, November 3; “Up with Kids,” interactive musical fun with Uncle Pete on the guitar, for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5; “Improv at the Library,” learning the basics of quick thinking and spontaneous, unscripted comedy presented by the Baltimore Improv Group for teens ages 11-17 years, 2 p.m., Saturday, November 8.

**Parkville Library**, 9509 Harford Road, call 410-887-5353: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5 and Thursday, November 6.

**Perry Hall Library**, 9440 Belair Road, call 410-887-5195: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5; “Improv at the Library,” learning the basics of quick thinking and spontaneous, unscripted comedy presented by the Baltimore Improv Group for teens ages 11-17 years, 7 p.m., Monday, November 3.

**Pikesville Library**, 1301 Reisterstown Road, call 410-887-1234: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Friday, November 7; “Poe Comes to Life,” a one-man play, featuring dramatic interpretations of Poe’s literature, presented by Broadway and film veteran Duffy Hudson, for the family (age 11 years and up), 7 p.m., Wednesday, November 5.

**Randallstown Library**, 8604 Liberty Road, call 410-887-0770: “Video Games for Teens,” playing “Rock Band,” “Guitar Hero” and other Wii and Xbox 360 games, for teens, registration required, 3 p.m., Tuesday, November 4; “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5; “Intro to the Internet,” a hands-on, demonstration-talk by Verizon Helping Hands, for age 13 years and up, 9 a.m., Saturday, November 8; “The Turkey That Wanted to Read,” interactive, face-painting stories by storyteller Stephanie Catlett, sponsored by the Friends of the Randallstown Library, for all ages (under age 6 years with an adult), 2 p.m., Sunday, November 2; “Intro to the Internet,” a hands-on, demonstration-talk by Verizon Helping Hands for age 13 years and up, 9 a.m., Saturday, November 8.

**Reisterstown Library**, 21 Cockeys Mill Road, call 410-887-1165: “Preschool Story Time,” stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5 and 11 a.m., Saturday, November 8.

**Rosedale Library**, 6105 Kenwood Avenue, call 410-887-0512: "Toddler Time," stories, music and movement activities for ages 2-3 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 4; "Video Games for Teens," playing "Rock Band," "Guitar Hero" and other Wii and Xbox 360 games, for teens, registration required, 3 p.m., Wednesday, November 5; "Preschool Story Time," stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Friday, November 7; "Baby Boosters," stories, music, movement and rhymes for ages 0-23 months with an adult, registration required, 9:30 a.m., Monday, November 3; "Babysitting Training Course," earning American Red Cross babysitting certification while learning first aid, diapering and feeding techniques, for teens ages 11-17 years (bring a bag lunch), registration required, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, November 8; "Intro to the Internet," a hands-on, demonstration-talk for age 13 years and up, registration required, 9 a.m., Saturday, November 8; "Poe Comes to Life," a one-man play, featuring dramatic interpretations of Poe's literature, presented by Broadway and film veteran Duffy Hudson, for the family (age 11 years and up), 7 p.m., Tuesday, November 4.

**Towson Library**, 320 York Road, call 410-887-6166: "Friday Story Time," stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Friday, November 7; "Intro to the Internet," a hands-on, demonstration-talk for age 13 years and up, registration required, 9:15 a.m., Saturday, November 8; "Up with Kids," interactive musical fun with Uncle Pete on the guitar, for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 2 p.m., Saturday, November 8.

**White Marsh Library**, 8133 Sandpiper Circle, call 410-887-5097: "Baby Boosters," stories, music, movement and rhymes for ages 0-23 months with an adult, registration required, 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 5, and 9:30 and 10:30 a.m., Thursday, November 6; "Toddler Story Time," stories, music and movement activities for ages 18-35 months with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 4.

**Woodlawn Library**, 1811 Woodlawn Drive, call 410-887-1336: "Preschool Story Time," stories, activities and songs for ages 2-5 years with an adult, 10:30 a.m., Friday, November 7; "Intro to the Internet," a hands-on, demonstration-talk for age 13 years and up, registration required, 9 a.m., Saturday, November 8.