Library Events at a Glance

December 2018 – January 2019

Glendora Public Library has something for everyone! All of these events are proudly presented by the Glendora Public Library and GPL Friends Foundation.

Gingerbread House Decorating Party
December 1, 9 – 11 am / Bidwell Forum
Join us to build a gingerbread house, play games, read stories and more!

BARK Reading Program

December 4, 3:45 pm – 4:45 pm / Children's Room
Come read with a BARK therapy dog.

Novel Idea Book Discussion Group
December 5, 5:30 pm / Friends Room
Join us to discuss favorite holiday reads!

Online Video Games-Demystified

December 6, 1 – 2 pm / La Fetra Center

Experience online gaming first-hand. Learn how to set up safety features, general online safety tips and the benefits of gaming.

Historical and Scenic Railroad Models

December 8, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm / Bidwell Forum

Explore an N-scale operating train layout at the library, including

Southern California orange groves, Thomas the Tank Engine,

Metrolink, Amtrak and more.

Online Video Games-Demystified

December 10, 6:30 – 7:30 pm / Friends Room

Experience online gaming firsthand. Learn how to set up safety features, general online safety tips and the benefits of gaming.

<u>Winter Reading Challenge</u> December 10 – January 19 Children receive incentives for reading.

Celebrate National Cocoa Day

December 13, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Stop by the Library for a steaming cup of hot chocolate. Main floor.

Holiday Movie Week
December 17 – December 21
Bring your popcorn and enjoy free holiday movies from 3-5 in the
Friends Room all week.

Holiday Craft Week
December 17 – January 21
Join us in the Library's children's room every day this week to make fun crafts with your child.

December 22-25 - Library closed for Christmas

December 29-January 1 - Library closed for New Year's

BARK Reading Program

January 10, 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm / Children's Room

Children, come read to a BARK therapy dog.

Opera Talks

January 12, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm / Friends Room "Opera and Social Politics." Opera is often political, in the sense that it deals with the values of society. Examples from five different operas will be explored.

Bookmark Design Contest January 14 – February 23

Theme: It's Showtime @ The Glendora Library. Open to students K-12 who live or attend school in Glendora. Entry forms available at the Library or online beginning January 16.

<u>Book Party</u> – How To Train Your Dragon January 17, 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm / Children's Room Explore the world of Berk and Hiccup Haddix with reading, games and more. For students grades 1-5.

January 21- closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

<u>Live Life Uncluttered</u> January 26, 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm / Friends Room Meet professional organizer Christine Douglass and discover the most efficient ways to organize different parts of your home, as well tips on what to keep, sell, donate or trash.

Regularly scheduled programs and events:

Homework Buddies, 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm / Friends Room Every Monday through Thursday, students can get assistance with their homework; assistance provided by high school students

Youth Advisory Board Meetings / Friends Room Teen Advisory Board: Library Advisory group for students in grade 5-7; meets every 2nd Wednesday of every month, 4 pm – 5 pm in the Friends Room Young Adult Council:

Library Advisory group for students in grade 8-12; meets every 2nd Wednesday of the month, 6 pm – 7 pm in the Friends Room

Weekly Children's Storytimes / Friends Room Mondays at 10:30 am: Infant & Toddler Tuesdays at 10:30 am: 2-3 year olds Wednesdays at 10:30 am: 3-5 year olds

Friends Book Loft / Plaza Level
Visit the Bookstore for great bargains on gently used books,
magazines, DVDs and CDs.
Monday - Friday 9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Saturday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Unless otherwise noted, events are free to the public and will take place at the Glendora Public Library, 140 South Glendora Avenue, Glendora 91741. For more information, call the Library at (626) 852-4891 or visit our website at www.glendoralibrary.org.

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