

Library Events at a Glance

September – October 2024

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

Please visit the Library online calendar at glendoralibrary.org for detailed information.

<p><u>Library Building is CLOSED</u> eBooks, learning resources, streaming movies and music, and more are available 24/7 at glendoralibrary.org September 2 – Labor Day</p>	<p><u>Let's Be Pirates!</u> Evening Storytime A fun evening of stories and imagination. September 3, 6:30pm – Friends Room</p>
<p><u>America's Defining Moments</u> Discover the most defining moments in American history as Garrett Graff unveils the oral histories of 9/11 and D-Day. September 10, 11am – online event</p>	<p><u>Uncover the Mysteries of the Moon</u> Uncover the mysteries of the moon as you prepare for a partial lunar eclipse. Featuring Retired JPL Project Manager David Lehman. September 10, 6:30pm – Friends Room</p>
<p><u>Talk Like a Pirate Week</u> Learn how to talk like a pirate through crafts, scavenger hunts, and more! September 16–21 – Children's Room</p>	<p><u>Battle of the Books</u> Teen Trivia Competition September 17, 6pm – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p><u>Beyond Distraction: Cultivating an Open and Engaged Life</u> Explore the pathways back to openminded living with <i>New York Times</i> bestselling author Nate Klemp. September 18, 11am – online event</p>	<p><u>Harness the Power of the Sun</u> Teen IDEA Lab Put your ideas into action. Work as a team to design and build innovative projects aimed at addressing real-world challenges. Ages 10 and up. September 19, 3:30pm – Friends Room</p>
<p><u>Dance with Destiny</u> If you knew your future, would you live life differently? Explore the possibilities as we chat with Liane Moriarty about her new novel <i>Here One Moment</i>. September 21, 4pm – online event</p>	<p><u>Glendora's Pioneers</u> Glendora Historical Society Meeting Learn about Glendora's early pioneers with author Layne Staral, as she explores the Glendora area in the 1820's – 1840's. September 23, 6:30pm – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p><u>Help Plan Library Programs! Youth Advisory Board</u> Calling all Teens! Let your voice be heard as you help plan Library programs and services for teens. Join today! Ages 12 and up. September 24, 5:30pm – Friends Room</p>	<p><u>Prepare for the Zombie Apocalypse</u> From earthquakes to the undead. Learn steps you can take to be ready for anything! September 26, 3:30pm – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p><u>Not-So Spooky Tales</u> Evening Storytime A fun evening of stories and imagination. October 1, 6:30pm – Friends Room</p>	<p><u>Creatures of the Night: Discovering Bats</u> Take a journey to Bat Island to take a peek into the lives of tropical bats. Learn from Smithsonian researchers as they discuss their work. October 2, 11am – online event</p>

<p><u>In-N-Out Cover to Cover Reading Program</u> Reading incentive program for readers of all ages! Register online October 5 – November 17</p>	<p><u>Get Ready for Dia de los Muertos</u> Celebrate the vibrant traditions of Dia de los Muertos while sipping Mexican hot chocolate and enjoying sweet treats. Explore colorful crafts and activities for the whole family. October 5, 11am – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p><u>Be an Informed Voter</u> The November election is fast approaching. Find the information you need to make informed decisions during a non-partisan information session with City of Glendora and the League of Women Voters discussing upcoming ballot measures and propositions. October 7, 6:30pm – Bidwell Forum</p>	<p><u>Unveiling Hollywood’s Mystique</u> Explore the story of Salome, the legendary woman whose story has inspired artists since ancient time, and the women competing to play her during the Golden Age in Hollywood. October 9, 4pm – online event</p>
<p><u>Help Plan Library Programs!</u> Youth Advisory Board Calling all Teens! Let your voice be heard as you help plan Library programs and services for teens. Join today! Ages 12 and up. October 15, 5:30pm – Friends Room</p>	<p><u>Harness the Power of the Sun</u> Teen IDEA Lab Put your ideas into action. Work as a team to design and build innovative projects aimed at addressing real-world challenges. Ages 10 and up. October 17, 3:30pm – Friends Room</p>
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<p><u>Encounter with a Vampire</u> Novel Idea Book Discussion Group Journey to Victoria-era Transylvania to discover the secrets behind the myth of Dracula Castle and the events following the visit of solicitor Jonathan Harker in Bram Stoker’s <i>Dracula</i>. October 23, 5:30pm – Friends Room</p>	<p><u>Spooky Science</u> From colorful chemistry concoctions to hair-raising and eerie experiments, spend an afternoon doing hands-on science that is so fun, it’s almost scary. October 24, 3:30pm – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Save the Date: Gingerbread House Decorating Party December 7, 9am – Finkbiner Park</p>	
<p><u>Friends Book Loft/ Plaza Level</u> Monday – Friday 10:00 am –4:00 pm GPL Friends Foundation used bookstore</p>	<p><u>Storytime</u> Tuesday & Wednesday, 10am & 11am – Friends Room</p>

Unless otherwise noted, events are free and open to the public. For more information, call the Library at (626) 852-4891, email us at library@glendoralibrary.org or visit our website at www.glendoralibrary.org.

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