

# Library Events at a Glance

October- November 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](http://glendoralibrary.org) for detailed information.

<p><b><u>Not-So Spooky Tales</u></b> <b>Evening Storytime</b> A fun evening of stories and imagination. <b>October 1, 6:30pm</b> – Friends Room</p>	<p><b><u>Creatures of the Night: Discovering Bats</u></b> 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. <b>October 2, 11am</b> – online event</p>
<p><b><u>In-N-Out Cover to Cover Reading Program</u></b> Reading incentive program for readers of all ages! Register online <b>October 5 – November 17</b></p>	<p><b><u>Get Ready for Dia de los Muertos</u></b> 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. <b>October 5, 11am</b> – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p><b><u>Be an Informed Voter</u></b> 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. <b>October 7, 6:30pm</b> – Bidwell Forum</p>	<p><b><u>Unveiling Hollywood's Mystique</u></b> 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. <b>October 9, 4pm</b> – online event</p>
<p><b><u>Help Plan Library Programs!</u></b> <b>Youth Advisory Board</b> Calling all Teens! Let your voice be heard as you help plan Library programs and services for teens. Join today! Ages 12 and up. <b>October 15, 5:30pm</b> – Friends Room</p>	<p><b><u>Harness the Power of the Sun</u></b> <b>Teen IDEA Lab</b> 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. <b>October 17, 3:30pm</b> – Friends Room</p>
<p><b><u>Library Building is CLOSED</u></b> eBooks, learning resources, streaming movies and music, and more are available 24/7 at <a href="http://glendoralibrary.org">glendoralibrary.org</a> <b>October 18 – Fall Staff Development Day</b></p>	<p><b><u>What it Means to be Human</u></b> Explore you own blind spots and examine the truths and fictions you tell yourself and others as you navigate the tightrope of life. <b>October 22, 11am</b> – online event</p>
<p><b><u>Encounter with a Vampire</u></b> <b>Novel Idea Book Discussion Group</b> 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>. <b>October 23, 5:30pm</b> – Friends Room</p>	<p><b><u>Spooky Science</u></b> 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. <b>October 24, 3:30pm</b> – Bidwell Forum</p>
<p><b><u>AVID Family Night at the Library</u></b> Calling all AVID students and their families. Learn about community resources to help with school and college. <b>November 4, 6pm</b> – Bidwell Forum</p>	<p><b><u>Chomp, Stomp, and ROAR! Dinosaur Storytime</u></b> <b>Evening Storytime</b> A fun evening of stories and imagination. <b>November 5, 6:30pm</b> – Friends Room</p>

<p align="center"><b><u>Dinovember</u></b> Dinosaurs come to life through stories, games, and hands-on activities. <b>November 7, 3:30pm – Children’s and Friends Rooms</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Tales of the unexpected</u></b> Expand your own worldview as former Navajo Ranger Stanley Milford, Jr. chats about the chilling and utterly bizarre cases he encountered. <b>November 7, 4pm – online event</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Library Building is CLOSED</u></b> eBooks, learning resources, streaming movies and music, and more are available 24/7 at <a href="http://glendoralibrary.org">glendoralibrary.org</a> <b>November 11 – Veterans Day</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Solito: A Tale of Courage and Family</u></b> Join us for the true story of Javier Zamora and his tale of survival and persistence during a three-thousand-mile journey from El Salvador to the United States. <b>November 9, 11am – online event in Spanish</b> <b>November 14, 1pm – online event in English</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Rock On! A Journey with Rocks and Minerals</u></b> Get ready for a rock-solid experience! Bidwell Gem and Mineral Museum specialists Larry and Bonnie Bidwell join us as we explore and discover dazzling rock displays and dig into hands-on activities. <b>November 16, 11am – Bidwell Forum</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Help Plan Library Programs!</u></b> <b>Youth Advisory Board</b> Calling all Teens! Let your voice be heard as you help plan Library programs and services for teens. Join today! Ages 12 and up. <b>November 19, 5:30pm – Friends Room</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Threads of Traditions</u></b> Take a walk through the stories of three Native American women told through the eyes of the dolls that provided comfort and companionship. <b>November 20, 4pm – online event</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Blast-off Bonanza! Science of Rockets</u></b> <b>Teen IDEA Lab</b> 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. <b>November 21, 3:30pm – Friends Room</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Stuffed Animal Sleepover</u></b> What happens after the Library lights go out? Let your favorite stuffed animal join the fun and find out! Online registration required – Friends Room <b>Drop off November 25 – 6:30pm</b> <b>Pick up November 26 – 10am</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Library Building is CLOSED</u></b> eBooks, learning resources, streaming movies and music, and more are available 24/7 at <a href="http://glendoralibrary.org">glendoralibrary.org</a> <b>November 27 – Library will close at 5PM</b> <b>November 27 –28 Thanksgiving Holiday</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Save the Date:</u></b> <b><u>Gingerbread House Decorating Party</u></b> <b>December 7, 9am – Finkbiner Park</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Save the Date:</u></b> <b><u>Winter Discovery Challenge</u></b> <b>January 6, 2025 – register online</b></p>

<p align="center"><b><u>Storytime</u></b> <b>Tuesday &amp; Wednesday,</b> <b>10am &amp; 11am – Friends Room</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>HW Buddies</u></b> <b>Monday &amp; Wednesday,</b> <b>3:30PM–5:00pm – Friends Room</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Friends Book Loft/ Plaza Level</u></b> Monday – Friday 10:00 am –4:00 pm GPL Friends Foundation used bookstore</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](mailto:library@glendoralibrary.org) or visit our website at [www.glendoralibrary.org](http://www.glendoralibrary.org).

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