



Racine Public Library

75 Seventh Street

Racine, WI 53403

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Library Hours

Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Friday & Saturday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Celebrating GivingTuesday

Support Your Local Library for GivingTuesday

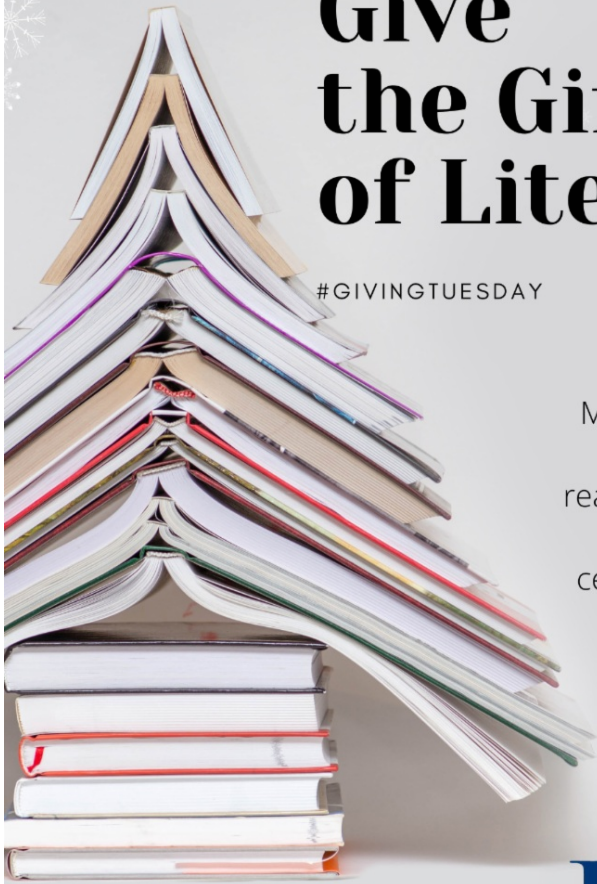
On Nov. 29, 2022, people and groups all around the world are coming together for GivingTuesday. Together, we will tap into the power of human connection, strengthen communities and change our world. The Racine Public Library is joining the movement — will you?



Give the Gift of Literacy

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#GIVINGTUESDAY



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Share the joy of reading with your Racine Community. Make a donation to the Racine Public Library Foundation in honor of the reader, book collector or library lover in your life! The library will send a certificate in honor of them to you for the donation.



Support Our Next 125 Years

This year marked the Racine Public Library's 125th Anniversary. To celebrate, we put on a warm and cozy Winter Fest, ran a fun night of trivia, participated in a Spring Literacy Fest, hosted an epic block party and much more. We're looking forward to celebrating our next literary milestones with you.



If you want to support the future of your library, a donation is the best way to guarantee that we can support literacy for years to come. If you enjoyed this year's festivities, will you donate \$12.50?

If you have extra room for generosity this season, a donation of \$125 comes with a Racine Public Library t-shirt and tote bag. Just bring your confirmation email to the library's front desk to receive your thank-you gifts. Or, if you don't live nearby, forward your confirmation email to [this address](#), and share your mailing address and t-shirt size.

[Donate Here](#)



Build a Book Collage: Claim a square to share your favorite book

We're building a donation collage of our readers' favorite book titles. Snag a square, enter your donation amount and then upload the cover of your favorite book. Let's see what stories Racine loves!



[Pick Your Square](#)

The Library's Holiday Schedule

Mobile Library Schedule Change

The Bookmobile will be out of service from Monday, Dec. 19 through Monday, Jan. 2. The Techmobile will be at a limited number of stops for holds pick-up throughout this time. Check out the [schedule](#) below.

[Techmobile Holiday Schedule](#)



The December Calendar

Mark your calendar for storytimes, coding classes, history talks and more! This calendar is your guide to what we're planning for the end of 2022.

Paper copies of the calendar will be available at the main library, Bookmobile and Techmobile stops, and wherever the library pops up throughout the community. Or click on the calendar here to view it online.



Upcoming Programs

[Settle in for a Storytime](#)

Monday:

*Ruff Readers | 4 p.m.

Tuesday:

*Ruff Readers | 4 p.m.

Wednesday:

Family Storytime | 10 a.m.

Extended through Dec. 14

*Ruff Readers | 4 p.m.

Thursday:

*Ruff Readers | 4 p.m.

*Please call the library to book your slot.



Tips and Tricks for Searching the Internet

WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO USE A SEARCH ENGINE LIKE GOOGLE TO FIND YOUR WAY AROUND THE INTERNET? WE'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO PHRASE YOUR SEARCH FOR THE BEST RESULTS AND WHAT SEARCH ENGINES CAN DO FOR YOU.

Tuesday, Nov. 29
5:00-6:00 PM | The Lee Room
Adults | Registration Required

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CODE WITH DRAWING

THIS ISN'T JUST ARTS AND CRAFTS — ONCE YOU PUT YOUR MARKER TO THE PAPER, YOU'RE HELPING OUR ROBOTS COME ALIVE. WATCH AS OUR ROBOTS USE YOUR LINES AND SYMBOLS AS A MAP AND INSTRUCTION MANUAL FOR WHERE TO GO AND WHAT TO DO.

Wednesday, Nov. 30
5:00-6:00 PM | The Martin Room
Grades 4-8 | Registration Required

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Freaky Fall Book Discussion

Wednesday, Nov. 30th
5:30 p.m. | Lee Room

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IT'S BINGO TIME! JOIN US THE FIRST THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH FOR FIVE ROUNDS OF BINGO, AND MAYBE EVEN WIN A PRIZE IF YOU'RE ONE OF OUR BEST PLAYERS.

GRAND PRIZE IS A \$10 WALMART GIFT CARD

1ST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH
10:00-11:30 AM | THE ATRIUM
ADULTS | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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Tis the Season:


HOLIDAY TRADITIONS FROM RADIO'S GOLDEN AGE, PRESENTED BY STEVE DARNALL

The holidays are a time of traditions for many – and there were plenty of entertaining traditions during the "Golden Age" of radio, from Jack Benny's annual shopping trips to Lionel Barrymore's portrayal of Ebenezer Scrooge. Our gift to you is an audio-based presentation full of classic seasonal sounds from radio's past, designed to spur the imagination and evoke a bit of Yuletide spirit.

THURSDAY, DEC. 1
6:00-7:00 PM | ZOOM
ALL AGES | REGISTRATION REQUIRED






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HEALTH SCREENINGS AND EDUCATION WITH CARTHAGE COLLEGE

Carthage College nursing students are providing free health screenings and education at the library. Stop in to test your vision, blood pressure, blood sugar, ankle brachial index, body mass index and more.

FRIDAY, NOV. 4TH, 11TH, DEC. 2ND
10:30-12:30 PM | THE ATRIUM
ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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COVID-19 SAFETY DURING THE HOLIDAYS

From 11 a.m.-1 p.m., stop by the Racine Literacy Council's booth in the youth services department on the first floor. Here, take a survey and play COVID-19 myth-busters. All survey participants will be entered to win a gift basket.

From 1-2 p.m., join the Racine Literacy Council in the Atrium to get up-to-date on COVID-19. Learn about its spread, variants and vaccines, how to prevent the spread, how to take a home test. Bring your questions for the Q&A at the end.

SATURDAY, DEC. 3
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM | THE ATRIUM
ALL AGES | NO REGISTRATION




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CRAFTS WITH K: POETRY AND PAINTING

Calling all poetry and paint lovers! Try your hand – and your voice – at presenting a matching poem and painting to your fellow artists. Prizes will go to the top three performers. Refreshments will be served.

Saturday, Dec. 3, Dec. 17
1:00-3:00 PM | The Martin Room
Ages 16+ | Registration Required





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READING CHALLENGE:

NASA'S ARTEMIS PROJECT — TO THE MOON, MARS, AND BEYOND

IN ANCIENT GREEK MYTHOLOGY, ARTEMIS WAS THE GODDESS OF THE MOON AND TWIN OF THE SUN GOD APOLLO. MUCH LIKE NASA'S APOLLO PROGRAM, WHICH TOOK HUMANS TO THE MOON IN THE 1960S AND 1970S, THE ARTEMIS SPACEFLIGHT PROGRAM WILL RETURN HUMANS TO THE MOON AND PREPARE US FOR OUR FIRST TRAVELS TO MARS AND BEYOND. AS NASA LAUNCHES ARTEMIS' FIRST MISSION, READ BOOKS AND COMPLETE ACTIVITIES INSPIRED BY THIS EVENT TO EARN BADGES IN BEANSTACK.

12/1 - 1/31/22
ALL AGES | BEANSTACK
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

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