EVENTS

**Preschool Story Time**  
Wednesdays @ 10:30am

**Japanese Club for Teens**  
Thursdays @ 6pm

**Design to Sell**  
Wed, Feb 1 @ 6pm

**Lego Club**  
Wed, Feb 8 @ 1pm

**Cricut Craft: Valentines Cards**  
Thurs, Feb 9 @ 6pm

**Crafty Does It: Pot Holders**  
Thurs, Feb 16 @ 6pm

**School's Out Friday Movies**  
Fri, Feb 17 @ 2pm

**BASIC: Building Adult Skills in Computing**  
Sat, Feb 18 @ 10am

**School's Out Craft: Tile Coasters**  
Mon, Feb. 20 @ 2pm

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**Tax Season at the Library**  
Unfortunately, we are not able to offer the AARP tax assistance program this year. AARP attempted to recruit a volunteer corp to take over the program, but they were not successful. We have most of the common tax forms at the front desk, federal and state, and we will make 10 free copies for patrons.

**New Independent Reader Collection**  
We have added a collection of chapter books for newly independent readers. These books are ideal for 6-9 yr olds who are beginning to read on their own. They are located at the end of our picture book collection.
Try it at Home Series: Stethoscopes: Matters of the Heart

What you'll need:
- Kitchen roll tube
- Duct tape
- Small funnel or bottle

Directions:
- If you are using a bottle, cut it in half. Save the top portion to use in place of a funnel.
- Tape the funnel or bottle into one end of the paper towel roll.
- If desired, decorate the outside of your stethoscope.

Activities with your stethoscope:
- Trying counting the number of beats before and after some exercise. Can you record this data on a chart?
- How could you make the stethoscope better? What if you used a hose with a funnel at each end, or different sized funnels? What about using a funnel on both ends.

How does a stethoscope work?
- Stethoscopes used by doctors consist of a chest piece, rubber tubes and earpieces. The chest piece consists of a diaphragm and bell which amplify the sound of the heart beating so the doctor can hear it.
Book Recommendations

The Heart and the Bottle
- Oliver Jeffers
- Pre-K - 3rd Grade

Weird But True! Human Body
- National Geographic Kids
- 3rd - 7th Grade

Because You'll Never Meet Me
- Leah Thomas
- 7th - 9th Grade

Heart: A History
- Sandeep Jauhar
- Adult
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