

JPL Children's Newsletter

March

2017



Preschoolers' Storytime

Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.

Designed for children from 3 to 6 years of age, Preschoolers' Storytime is an early literacy program that uses interactive stories, songs, and activities to help your preschooler get ready to read. Your child will build language, math, listening and social skills, while having fun! Craft included. (Coloring sheets for 2 y/o & younger.)

March 2 – “Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss!” – Share stories by the beloved children’s author whose imagination brought to life some of literature’s zaniest characters.



March 9 – “Thank you, Johnny Appleseed!” – Do you love crisp, crunchy apples? ☺ So did John Chapman, American pioneer. Hear his story and sample some delicious apples (then vote on your favorite.)

March 16 – “Happy St. Patrick’s Day!” – Fun stories about Irish folklore: the luck of the Irish, leprechauns, four-leaf clovers, and St. Paddy. Wear green to storytime.

March 23 – “Being Safe at Home” – With the help of a few of our favorite book characters, we’ll take a non-threatening look at staying safe in our homes.

March 30 – “Spring is Here!” – What’s so great about spring? Everything! Let’s learn about the changing seasons and what makes spring “Spring.”

Attention, Teens! If you’re age 12 and up, join us for our Teen Leprechaun Run/Walk Tuesday, March 28th at 4pm. Meet at the J’ville. Comm. Ctr. soccer field pavilion where we will get on the Chief Ladiga Trail (& be on the lookout for “pots o’ gold”...) Don’t forget to wear green! Snacks and drinks provided.

Can [FebruaryMarch](#)? ... No, but [AprilMay](#)!

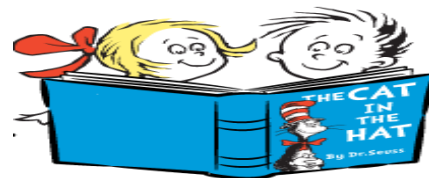
Tiny Tots' Storytime

Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Especially for your baby, Tiny Tots Storytime is an interactive 30-minute early literacy program designed for children **0 to 2 years of age**. Your child will be amused and stimulated by age-appropriate stories, activities, and songs, which will enhance the developmental skills your toddler is so busy mastering! **Tiny Tots Storytime will be held at the same time as Preschoolers' Storytime (but in different rooms) for the convenience of parents who have children in both age groups. Of course, older children are always welcome.**

Celebrate Dr. Seuss' Birthday with your friends at the Jacksonville Public Library!

Calling all Seuss fans (of ANY age!) Come into the library and pick up a surprise for showing your appreciation of Dr. Seuss in any of the following ways:



February 28th – **I Wish That I Had Duck Feet** – Bring a rubber duck to the library.

March 1st – **The Cat in the Hat** – Wear your wackiest hat to the library.

March 2nd – **Green Eggs and Ham** – Wear green to the library.

March 3rd – **The Foot Book** – Wear mismatched shoes to the library.

March 4th – **Fox in Socks** – Wear your silliest socks to the library.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Photography Club 1:30pm	2 Preschoolers' Storytime 10am Tiny Tots Storytime 10am <i>Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss!</i>	3	4 ASPIRING WRITERS 10AM
5	6	7	8	9 Preschoolers' Storytime 10am Tiny Tots Storytime 10am Last day to register for Adulting 101: "Your 1 st Home Away from Home"	10	11 Adulting 101: "Your 1 st Home Away from Home" (teens 15 & up) 10:00a.m. - noon Cover 2 Cover Book Club Noon
12	13	14	15 Library Board Meeting 4:30pm	16 Preschoolers' Storytime 10am Tiny Tots Storytime 10am	17 Happy St. Patrick's Day!	18 Library Flix Film Club Noon Bring Your Lunch
19	20	21	22	23 Preschoolers' Storytime 10am Tiny Tots Storytime 10am	24	25
26	27	28 Teen Program - Leprechaun Run/Walk. <u>Wear green!</u> Meet at Jax Comm. Ctr. 4p	29	30 Preschoolers' Storytime 10am Tiny Tots Storytime 10am		

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200 Pelham Road South
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Library Hours

- Tue – Fri 8am-5:45pm
- Sat 8am-3:45pm
- Youth Dept. closes 15 minutes before Main Floor

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