**Space at programs is limited. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis, except as noted.**

### FOR FAMILIES

**Toddler Storytime**
Storytime for children 24-36 months with adult.
- **Mondays,** 10:15-10:45 am
- **Tuesdays,** 10:15-10:45 am

**Book Babies**
Storytime for children 0-12 months with adult.
- **Mondays,** 11:30 am-12:15 pm
- **Tuesdays,** 11:30 am-12:15 pm

**Tiny Tots**
Storytime for children 12-24 months with adult.
- **Fridays,** 10:15-11 am
- **Saturdays,** 11:30 am-12:15 pm

**Preschool Storytime**
Storytime for children 3-6 years with adult.
- **Fridays,** 11:30 am-12:15 pm

**Family Storytime**
Storytime for children 0-6 years with adult.
- **Saturdays,** 11:15-11:45 am

**Belmont Builders**
Drop in and explore your building prowess with Legos, K'NEX and more! We'll supply the building materials ... you bring the creativity and imagination. All ages welcome.
- **Fridays,** 12:30-1:30 pm

### FOR KIDS AND TEENS

**Family Book Group — For the Younger Set**
Boys and girls in grades 1-3 and their parents come together to share excellent books and learn about each other.
- **Wednesday, October 7,** 5:30-6:30 pm

**Belmont Knit Fix**
Do you want to learn to knit, crochet or spin? Need help with a project? Just want to hang out for conversation, project help and inspiration? Join us for some fiber fun. Bring your own supplies. All experience levels welcome. For ages 8 through adult.
- **Tuesday, October 13,** 3:30-5:30 pm
- **Tuesday, October 27,** 3:30-5:30 pm

**Butterfly Magnets**
Make your own lovely butterfly magnets out of felt, fabric, glitter and other embellishments. Learn a few simple sewing and decoupage techniques, too.
- **Thursday, October 15,** 3:30-5:30 pm

**Read to the Dogs SM**
Improve your reading skills by reading aloud to a therapy dog from Pet Partners®. **Registration required; call 503.988.5382.**
- **Saturday, October 10,** 1-3 pm
- **Saturday, October 17,** 1-3 pm
- **Wednesday, October 21,** 3-5 pm
FOR ADULTS

Meditation for Everyday Living
Incorporating meditation into one’s life has many positive effects. Join William Smith, retired Army Lt. Colonel and long time meditator for over 40 years, for this inspiring program. Learn a simple meditation technique that can help you in all aspects of your life.
Saturday, October 3, 4:30-5:30 pm

Resume Help
Do you need some help with your resume? Are you unsure about your choice of words? Struggling to describe your accomplishments? Come meet with an experienced volunteer for one-on-one help. If you have a paper copy of your resume, please bring it along.
Sunday, October 4, 10:30 am-12:30 pm
Wednesday, October 21, 6-8 pm

My Child Is Smart ... So Why Are We Struggling?
Parenting a struggling learner can feel overwhelming and isolating. While parents might be able to name many symptoms, such as difficulty with reading fluency, spelling or memorizing math facts, there’s often a disconnect between symptoms and solutions. In this workshop, parents will be exposed to the most common reasons that smart, motivated and hard-working students fail to make adequate academic progress. They will leave equipped with an increased understanding of how to help their child succeed in school.
Wednesday, October 7, 6-7:30 pm

Invasive Plants in Our Neighborhoods
In this workshop, you will learn about invasive plants, including tree-of-heaven, in the Sunnyside and surrounding neighborhoods. Learn how to identify some of these plants, what problems they cause, and how to control them. Followed by a walk around the neighborhood to see examples of invasive plants. This workshop is presented by Sunnyside Street Tree Team and City of Portland Urban Forestry.
Saturday, October 10, 1-4 pm

Portland Oregon Paper Shapers (POPS)
Enjoy origami-paper folding for fun, relaxation and stretching your brain. Drop in and practice origami with members of the Portland Oregon Paper Shapers. Please bring origami paper if you have it. Adults and teens welcome, children 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.
Sunday, October 11, 1:30-4:30 pm

Pageturners
Read Oryx and Crake by Margaret Atwood. Engage in stimulating conversation about books and get to know your neighbors. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.
Wednesday, October 14, 6:30-7:30 pm

Becoming Your Own Publisher
This workshop provides authors with all the tools and guidance necessary to become their own successful publishers. Including aspects of professional editing and design, logistics and distribution, and publicity and marketing, the goal for this presentation is to offer enough details to make writers “publishing professionals,” with an insider’s knowledge of the business and unique manners of approaching the marketplace. Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.
Thursday, October 15, 6:30-7:30 pm

PBS POV Screening: Out in the Night
Join us for a screening and discussion of Out in the Night by Blair Dorosh-Walther.
Saturday, October 17, 4-5:30 pm

DIY Insulation Workshop
Learn how to weatherize a flat attic. This workshop covers the stages of the insulating process, including the initial audit, creating a supply list, prepping the attic, finding the right insulation, and getting cash incentives to help cover the cost of your project. The workshop is also useful for those who are hiring a professional but would like to cut preparation costs and understand the process. Perfect for DIY-ers of all experience levels. Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.
Sunday, October 25, 2-4:30 pm

COMPUTER CLASSES

Introduction to Family History
Have you ever wanted to know more about your family history, but you weren't sure how to get started? By the end of this class, you will be able to use some basic genealogy vocabulary, be familiar with some ways to get started, know some effective online communication techniques, and understand research basics and vital records. This class uses lab computers. It is for beginners, but you must be comfortable using a keyboard and a mouse. Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5234.
Wednesday, October 7, 10 am-noon