Fall 2026

Town Hall Library Newsletter



In honor of the 60th anniversary of Town Hall Library (1966-2026), the Friends of Town Hall Library sponsored a community quilt project. Local quilters were invited to contribute to the project. Over 20 community members participated. Krista Kile assembled the final quilt.

This quilt represents our storied history rooted in community buy-in with a commitment to outstanding service and creative expression.

This quilt will be permanently displayed in Town Hall Library. It will proudly be the first piece of art our patrons see as they enter the building from the front.



Become a “Friends” Member!

Want to help advocate and support Town Hall Library? **Become a member of the Friends of Town Hall Library with a tax-deductible donation.** For volunteer opportunities, join the “Friends” meetings on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 10am.

Coming soon: WhaZoodle!

Our Library of Things collection is expanding again - we've added additional Mini Yoto Players & Toniebox sets and now we're introducing - WhaZoodle. **Like Yoto and Toniebox, WhaZoodles are screen-free audio players for kids. The biggest difference? A rugged, durable design with no small parts (cards or figurines) to lose!**

WhaZoodles include stories, activities, physical movement, interactive games, guided meditation, and immersive nature soundscapes.



Bundles available for check out:

- Welcome to Kindergarten
- Mother Earth
- Monster Mischief
- Little Golden Book Treasury
- Learning My Letters
- Learning My Colors
- Animal Songs

New Permanent Display

Looking for your next five star read? Start with recommendations from our new display of Staff & Patron Picks! Located near the new books on the main level, these books come recommended by people who have actually read them.

Pick up a book, read the notes on the bookmark to see if it is the right recommendation for you and then check out!

And if you recently loved a book - fill out a bookmark, put it in the designated box and we will display your pick next!

Good books should be shared!





Young Adult Area Update

Our young adult area is getting a much needed upgrade! This overall includes matching floor to ceiling shelving, more functional and comfortable seating and a slatewall installment. This project will require the removal and reshelving of our entire young adult collection.

Projected construction timeframe is end of November to December.



Teen Advisory Board (TAB)

TOWN HALL TAB

The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) gives ages 11-18 a chance to build community through volunteerism and have a real say in what happens at Town Hall Library.





IN 2026, CURRENT MEMBERS...

- VOLUNTEERED AT NUMEROUS PROGRAMS & EVENTS
- DESIGNED AND BUILT OUR HARVEST FEST FLOAT
- HELPED DEVELOP NEW OFFERINGS SUCH AS LEGO CLUB

We are looking for more teens to join this incredible group. Build leadership skills, boost resumes, meet like-minded friends and **make the Library a place you & other teens want to be.**

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NEXT TAB MEETING

the first Monday of each month from 4:30-5:30PM

A Story from the Stacks



Local artist Lara Schultz is proud to display her art at her childhood library:

“The Town Hall Library is magical. I know this for a fact, because when I was little, it was actually a castle. And a haunted house. And a wizard’s study, with enough rows of books to rival the Library of Congress! At least, that’s how it felt. And all these years later, it’s still just as magical.

My mother, Liz, instilled a love of reading in my brother and I from the time we could reliably hold a book without drooling on the pages. She took us to Town Hall Library All. The. Time.

Growing up here taught me that a library is so much more than a building full of books. It’s a place to discover, create, learn, and occasionally get distracted by something completely unrelated to what you came in for. As a kid, I spent plenty of time doodling when I was supposed to be reading. So, getting to display my artwork here now feels very full-circle. It has truly been an honor!”

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MAKERSPACE MONDAY

3:30-7:30PM

Express your own creative side! Drop by during the open hours of a Makerspace Monday session to get more familiar with our creative technology (3D printer, laser engraver, Cricut & more!)

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Friday: 9am–5pm
Saturday: 9am–1pm
Sunday: Closed

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