



2026 - 2027 HANDY DANDY CALENDAR



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SEPTEMBER

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	September 2	First Day of School Board Meeting	Library Open 11-9 7 p.m.
Saturday/ Sunday	September 5- September 6	Labor Day Weekend	Library Closed
Monday	September 7	Labor Day	Library Closed Schools Closed
Friday	September 11	Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown	Library Open 9-9
Saturday	September 12	Regular Saturday Hours begin First Day of Rosh Hashanah	Library Open 9-5
Sunday	September 20	Yom Kippur begins at sundown	Library Closed
Monday	September 21	Yom Kippur	Library Closed Schools Closed
Friday	September 25	Sukkot begins at sundown	Library Open 9-9

OCTOBER

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Sunday	October 4	Regular Sunday Hours begin	Library Open 1-5
Wednesday	October 7	Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Monday	October 12	Columbus Day	Library Open 9-5 Schools Closed

NOVEMBER

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Tuesday	November 3	Election Day	Library Open 9-5 Schools Closed
Wednesday	November 4	Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Sunday	November 8	Diwali	Library Open 1-5
Wednesday	November 11	Veteran's Day	Library Open 9-5 Schools Closed
Wednesday	November 25	Thanksgiving Eve	Library Open 9-5
Thursday	November 26	Thanksgiving Day	Library Closed Schools Closed
Friday	November 27	Thanksgiving Recess	Library Open 9-9 Schools Closed

DECEMBER

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	December 2	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Friday	December 4	Hanukkah begins at sundown	Library Open 9-9
Tuesday	December 8	Board – Staff Meeting	Library Open 9-5
Thursday - Friday	December 24- January 1	Holiday Recess	Schools Closed
Thursday	December 24	Christmas Eve	Library Open 9-1
Friday	December 25	Christmas Day	Library Closed
Thursday	December 31	New Year's Eve	Library Open 9-1

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JANUARY

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Friday	January 1	New Year's Day	Library Closed Schools Closed
Wednesday	January 6	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Monday	January 18	Martin Luther King Day	Library Open 9-5 Schools Closed

FEBRUARY

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	February 3	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Friday	February 12	Lincoln's Birthday	Library Open 9-5
Monday	February 15	Presidents' Day	Library Closed
Monday – Friday	February 15-19	Winter Recess	Schools Closed

MARCH

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	March 3	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Tuesday	March 9	Eid al-Fitr	Library Open 9-9 Schools Closed
Thursday - Monday	March 25-26, 29	Easter Recess	Schools Closed
Friday	March 26	Good Friday	Library Open 9-5
Sunday	March 28	Easter Sunday	Library Closed

APRIL

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	April 7	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Wednesday	April 21	Passover Begins at sundown	Library Open 11-9
Thursday – Friday	April 22- April 30	Passover/ Spring Recess	Schools Closed

MAY

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	May 5	Budget Hearing & Library Board Meeting	6:30 p.m.
Sunday	May 9	Mother's Day	Library Closed
Sunday	May 16	Last Sunday Open	Library Open 1-5
Tuesday	May 18	Budget & Board Elections	Library Open 9-9
Monday	May 31	Memorial Day	Library Closed Schools Closed

JUNE

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	June 2	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Friday	June 18	Juneteenth observed	Library Open 9-9 Schools Closed
Saturday	June 19	Juneteenth	Library Open 9-5
Friday	June 25	Last Day of School	Library Open 9-9
Saturday	June 26	Summer hours begin	Library Open 9-1

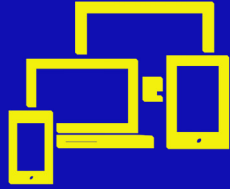
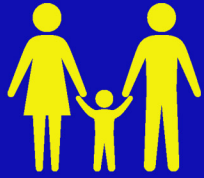
JULY

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Sunday	July 4	Independence Day	Library Closed
Monday	July 5	Independence Day observed	Library Closed
Wednesday	July 7	Library Organizational & Board Meeting	7 p.m.

AUGUST

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LIBRARY SCHEDULE
Wednesday	August 4	Library Board Meeting	7 p.m.

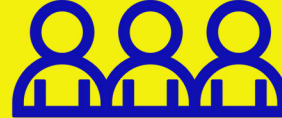
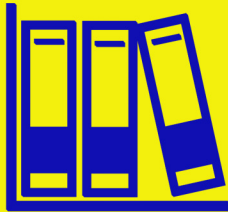
HERE IS HOW THE LIBRARY SERVED YOU DURING THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 2024 - JUNE 2025:



THE LIBRARY SERVES A POPULATION OF 52,315, AN ESTIMATED 17,671 HOUSEHOLDS.

THERE ARE 23,604 REGISTERED BORROWERS, 70,247 PEOPLE VISITED OUR WEBSITE AND 238,559 PEOPLE CAME THROUGH OUR DOOR!

Digital collections remained popular this year, with patrons borrowing more than 107,000 items, including 57,976 e-books, 34,900 e-audiobooks, 10,864 e-serials (such as magazines), and 3,624 e-videos. These resources allow patrons to enjoy library materials wherever and whenever they choose



THERE WERE 1,662 PROGRAMS WITH A TOTAL OF 31,284 PEOPLE IN ATTENDANCE. DID YOU ATTEND? WHAT ABOUT THE SUMMER READING CLUB? A TOTAL OF 2,236 CHILDREN, TEENS AND ADULTS TOOK PART. DID YOU MISS IT?

THERE ARE COMPUTERS HERE FOR YOUR USE, AND SECURE PUBLIC WI-FI FOR YOUR OWN DEVICE.



During this fiscal year, we circulated 249,650 items and were open 3,384 hours which means we circulated 74 items per hour.

We borrowed 33,493 items from other libraries for your use and loaned 40,859 items to other libraries' patrons.



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