

# Okeechobee Library



## January Upcoming Programs

### Nature Drawing

Saturday, January 4<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 a.m.

Learn how to draw nature scenes with local landscape artist **Fawn Barr**.

Registration required.

### Tools to Quit Smoking

Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup> @ 12:00 p.m.

Learn tips to help you quit smoking in this free 2 hour course. Provided by **Florida Health and Tobacco Free Florida**.

### Talk with Gordie Peer

Thursday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

Gather round for tales with local legend **Gordie Peer**.

### Wood Models

Thursday, January 30<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

Check out wooden models made by local hobbyist **John Wilson** and learn about the gears and assembly of intricate wooden models and kits.

## Winter Concert Series

The Okeechobee Library is happy to present our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Winter Concert series. Featuring performers in a variety of musical styles, be sure to mark your calendars for these upcoming events!

### "Hits of the 40s, 50s, & 60s"

Performer: Dave Kilbride

Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

### "Happy Trails: Songs of the West"

Performer: KG & The Ranger

Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

### "Cajun ABC"

Performer: Rickey Pittman

Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

### "All Shook Up: Early Hits of Elvis"

Performer: Dave Deluca

Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

## Looking for a new hobby?

### Scrapbook & Stamping Club

Mondays @ 1:00 p.m.

Are you a scrap-booker? Do you want to learn how to create cards and other art using stamping techniques? Join our Stamping Club and learn techniques from experienced crafters. There will be a few basic supplies available, but feel free to bring any supplies and gadgets you need.

### Crochet Club

Wednesdays @ 1:00 p.m.

If you're handy with yarn or just want to be more creative, check out our crochet guild. Work on simple crochet projects with help from the Crochet Guild, a group of crocheters who create and donate blankets and outfits for newborns.

### Adult Coloring Club

Fridays @ 1:00 p.m.

For relief of stress, join our coloring class for adults. We provide the coloring pencils/pens and coloring pages. Join a great group of people for socializing and coloring.

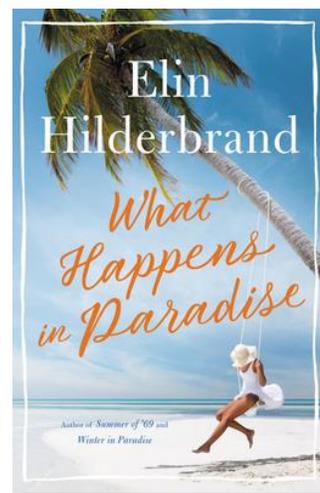
## Book Club is back!

If you're a book-lover who loves to talk about books then we have the club for you!

The Book Club is open to everyone and will meet once a month to discuss a different book. Expand your reading horizons by discovering great reads in new genres.

The January meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 4:00 p.m. The book choice for this month is:

'What Happens in Paradise' by Elin Hilderbrand.



*A year ago, Irene Steele had the shock of her life: her loving husband was killed in a helicopter crash. But that wasn't Irene's only shattering news: he'd also been leading a double life on the island of St. John, where another woman loved him, too.*

## Want to read more this year? Try a new format!

If you don't have time to read or carry around a big book, try an eBook or Audiobook that you can read on your phone or tablet. Download the **Overdrive or Libby app** and access **thousands of free books** to read or listen to on the go.

To find out more information on how to access these services with your library card, just check out our website at [myhlc.org](http://myhlc.org) or come in for assistance.

## Afterschool Programs Will Return Soon

For more details please visit [facebook.com/okelibrary](https://facebook.com/okelibrary). All after school programs are free and open to everyone. Parent participation and supervision is required.

## More Upcoming Programs

### Master Gardening Tips & Tricks Thursday, March 4<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m.

Learn how to grow and maintain a healthy garden with Master Gardener Ralph 'Wendy' Watts.

### Author Signing: Lesley Diehl March 21<sup>st</sup> @ 2:00 p.m.

Enjoy a visit by local author **Lesley Diehl** as she discusses her latest books and what's next in store for her characters. Copies will be available for purchase during the event.

### Author Signing: Glenn Nilson Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 p.m.

Local author **Glenn Nilson** will be at the Library to discuss his latest murder mystery. Copies will be available for purchase during the event.

## New Year's Resolutions

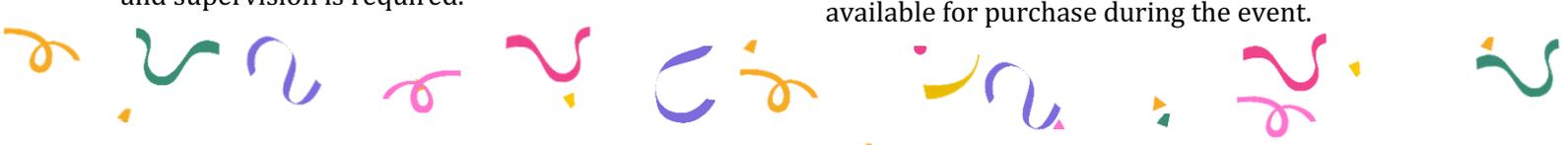
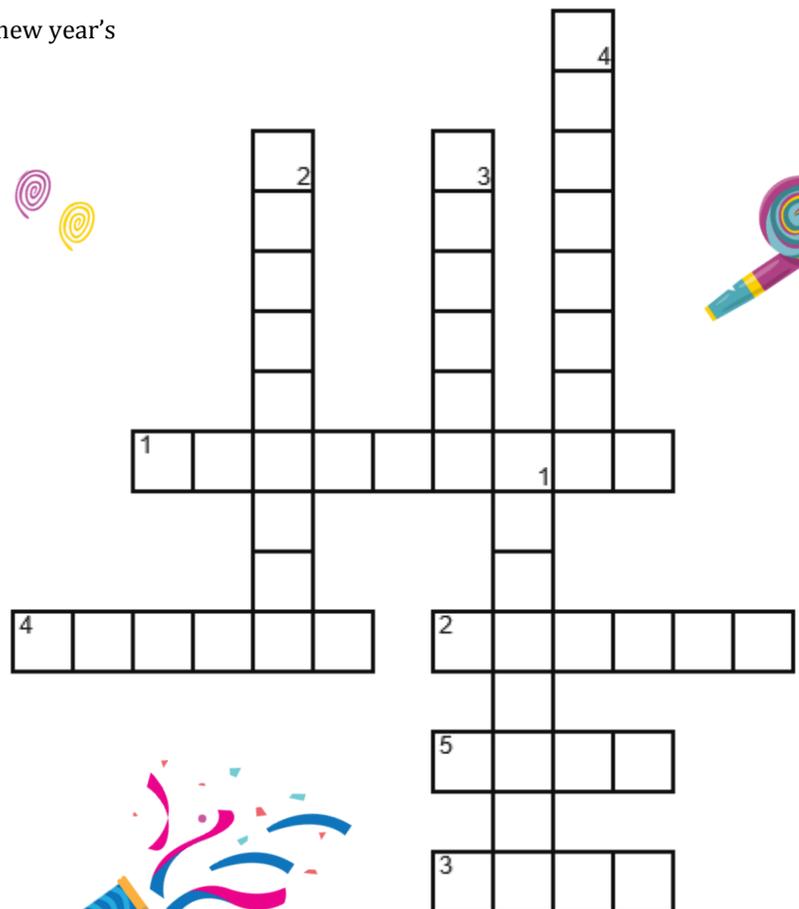
See if you can figure out a few of the most common new year's resolutions!

### Across

- To offer oneself for some service or undertaking of charity.
- To journey or go from one place or point to another.
- To comprehend the meaning of something written by looking at and interpreting the printed characters.
- To work in, cultivate, or take care of plot of land.
- To regulate the food of, especially in order to improve the physical condition.

### Down

- Bodily exertion, especially for the sake of training or improvement of health.
- To interact or mingle with others in a friendly manner.
- An estimate, often itemized, of expected income and expense for a given period in the future.
- To arrange methodically or in order.



# Newly Acquired



## Abominable



Three teenagers must help a Yeti return to his family while avoiding a wealthy man and a zoologist who want it for their own needs.



## The Goldfinch



A boy in New York is taken in by a wealthy Upper East Side family after his mother is killed in a bombing at the Metropolitan Museum of Art.



## Overcomer



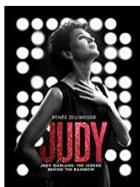
A high-school basketball coach volunteers to coach a troubled teen in long-distance running.



## Downton Abbey The Film



The continuing story of the Crawley family, wealthy owners of a large estate in the English countryside in the early twentieth century.



## Judy



Legendary performer Judy Garland (Renée Zellweger) arrives in London in the winter of 1968 to perform a series of sold-out concerts.



## Once Upon A Time In Hollywood



A faded television actor and his stunt double strive to achieve fame and success in the film industry during the final years of Hollywood's Golden Age in 1969 Los Angeles.



## It: Chapter Two



Twenty-seven years after their first encounter with the terrifying Pennywise, the Losers Club have grown up and moved away, until a devastating phone call brings them back.



## Hustlers



Inspired by the viral New York Magazine article, Hustlers follows a crew of savvy former strip club employees who band together to turn the tables on their Wall Street clients.



## Game Of Thrones Season 8



In Season 8, Jon and Dany's forces face off against the Army of the Dead as the series reaches its conclusion.



## Good Omens Season 1



A tale of the bungling of Armageddon features an angel, a demon, an eleven-year-old Antichrist, and a doom-saying witch.

# Coming Soon

Check with a librarian to find out when these titles will be available.



## Joker



In Gotham City, mentally troubled comedian Arthur Fleck is disregarded and mistreated by society. He then embarks on a downward spiral of revolution and bloody crime. This path brings him face-to-face with his alter-ego: the Joker.



## Zombieland: Double Tap



Columbus, Tallahassee, Wichita, and Little Rock move to the American heartland as they face off against evolved zombies, fellow survivors, and the growing pains of the snarky makeshift family.



## Big Little Lies Season 2



The apparently perfect lives of upper-class mothers, at a prestigious elementary school, unravel to the point of murder when a single-mother moves to their quaint Californian beach town.



## Maleficent: Mistress of Evil

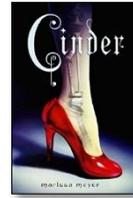
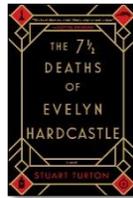
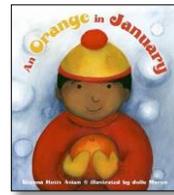
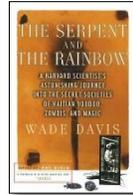
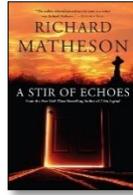
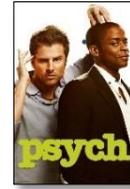


Maleficent and her goddaughter Aurora begin to question the complex family ties that bind them as they are pulled in different directions by impending nuptials, unexpected allies, and dark new forces at play.



# New Perspectives!

Try one of these staff favorites the next time you're looking for some entertainment!



Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

			1 Crochet @1:00	2 Home School @10:00	3 Adult Coloring @1:00	4 Nature Drawing @11:00
5	6 Scrapbook & Stamp @1:00	7	8 Crochet @1:00	9	10 Adult Coloring @1:00 Story Time @11:00	11
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19	20 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Library Closed	21 Lib. Adv. Board @5:00	22 Crochet @1:00 Book Club @4:00	23 Gordie Peer @4:00	24 Adult Coloring @1:00 Story Time @11:00	25
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