#### OCTOBER 2021

# OKEECHOBEE LIBRARY

## HALLOWEEN DRIVE THRU!

Get ready to Trick-or-Treat at the Okeechobee Library! Come by the Library on Saturday, October 30th at 3:00 p.m. for our Halloween Drive Thru event and receive craft kits, puzzles, candy, and more! This event will be a socially-distanced and safe event for spooky holiday fun for the whole family!

A special thank you to our program sponsors and partners: the Friends of the Okeechobee Library, Robes Law Group, Healthy Start Coalition of Okeechobee, the City of Okeechobee, Help Me Grow Florida, and the Okeechobee Library.

## TAKE HOME KIT MAGIC!

Pick up your **FREE Take Home Kit**, at the Okeechobee Library all month long! October's kit will be a **Water Refraction Trick**! Kits will include needed supplies and can be picked up at the front desk.

The kits will include instructions but you can also follow along at home with a video on our YouTube channel, tinyurl.com/okelibrary!

## MYSTERY ESCAPE ROOM!

Be the DETECTIVE and figure out the clues to solve the case of who robbed Isabella Cunningham's Jewelry store BUT you only have 20 minutes! Solve the game and get a prize!

Stop by the Okeechobee Library and try out this fun Escape Room-style game everyday in October 3:00pm-5:30pm. You can come by yourself or with a group (groups can be up to 6 people). All ages are welcome!

## FLOATING PUMPKIN PATCH!

The annual Floating Pumpkin Patch is back this year and better than ever!
Stop by the **Okeechobee Sports Complex Pool** on **Saturday, October 23rd from 6:00 - 8:00** p.m. and enjoy floating pumpkins, Halloween crafts, pumpkin painting, family swim, and more!

We would like to give a special thanks to the program partners for bringing this event to us once again:
Okeechobee County Parks
& Recreation, Okeechobee
Library, and the First
United Methodist Church.



### **OCTOBER DATES**

- Afternoons, All Month
   3:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
   Mystery Escape Room
- Tuesday, October 12th
   @ 4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
   Friends of Library Meeting
- Wednesdays, All month
   @ 1:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.
   Crochet Club
- Thursdays, All Month
   @ 1:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.
   Crafting & Coloring Club

## FALL BOOK CLUB LIST

- October: My Life as A
   White Trash Zombie by
   Diane Rowland
- November: There,
   There by Tommy Orange
- <u>December:</u> The Gift of the Magpie by Donna Andrews

### **NEW BOOK CLUB TIME!**

Join us the 4th Thursday of the month at 2:00 p.m., to discuss our latest read and receive a small gift bag with items related to that month's book!



Perfect for fans of iZombie.

October's pick is 'My Life as a White Trash Zombie'! Waking up from a car crash without a scratch but with a strange new addiction (brains!) Angel finds herself with a new job at the morgue and at the center of a murderous mystery!

# AUTUMN TRICKS & TREATS VIDEOS

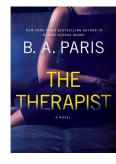
Check out the Okeechobee Library's YouTube channel at **tinyurl.com/okelibrary**, or our Facebook page,

facebook.com/okelibrary, for weekly videos of kid-friendly fall recipes, STEM optical illusions, and our monthly take-home magic trick kit. We will also be featuring Tricks and Treats themed Book Bites and Movie Morsels!

#### STAFF SPOTLIGHT!



Kellie Library Specialist II



The Therapist by B.A. Paris

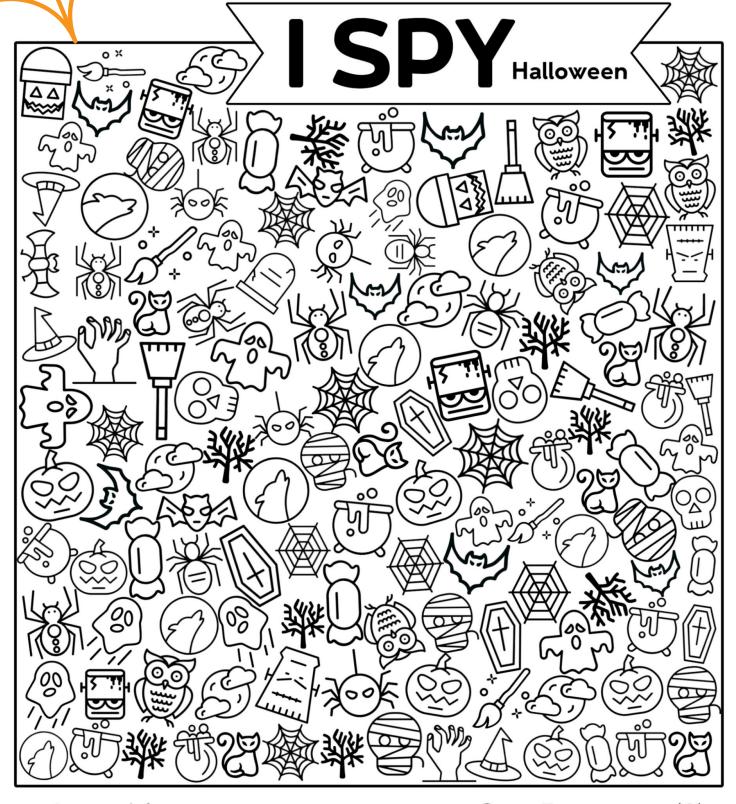


Glee, Season One

## HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Enjoy this game and have a safe and happy Halloween night from the Okeechobee Library!

























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### SPOOKY & SCARY STORIES!

Looking for a good scare or just a spooky Halloween feel? Check out these staff favorites with something for every age!





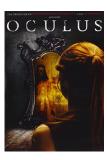
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The Addams
Family



The Conjuring 3



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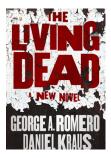
Dead Man



What Big Teeth



The Taking of Jake Livingston



The Living
Dead

### **MARVELOUS MYSTERIES!**

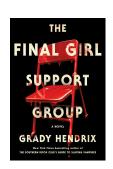
If scary stories aren't your thing, check out these mysteries and see if you can figure it out before the final page!



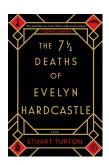




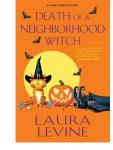
The Broken Spine



The Final Girl
Support Group



The 7 1/2
Deaths of
Evelyn Hardcastle



Death of a Neighborhood Witch

Don't forget to check out our Book Bites & Movie Morsels videos online for more recommendations!