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## JANUARY 2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Spokane, Washington – All Spokane Public Library programs are free of charge and disabled access is available.

### Tuesday, January 16, 2018

**Paper Circuits: A Homeschool Event – 10:30 a.m. – Shadle Library**, 2111 W. Wellesley. Explore circuits and electricity using paper and copper tape. You'll get to take home your own light-up creation! For homeschooling children in K-6th grade. Young children should be accompanied by a caregiver.

**Cut the Cable Cord: Alternatives to Cable and Satellite TV – 2 p.m. – Indian Trail Library**, 4909 W. Barnes. Many people are choosing non-traditional ways of getting their entertainment. Come learn how you, too, can save money and still watch TV!

**Movie: Selma – 5:30 p.m. – East Side Library**, 524 S. Stone. Celebrate the courage and hope of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and those who marched with him from Selma to Montgomery to win an historic victory in the civil rights movement. Rated PG-13. 128 minutes.

**Reading with Riley – 5:30 p.m. – South Hill Library**, 3324 S. Perry. Come practice your reading. Riley, a Pet Partners certified reading dog, will be here to listen to you read. For kids in grades 3 to 5. Registration is required.

**eBook Boot Camp – 6 p.m. – Hillyard Library**, 4005 N. Cook. Just got a new Kindle, Nook or other device? Want to set it up to get free eBooks and audiobooks from the library? Come learn how! Bring your charged device, library card, and your Apple ID or Amazon password, if applicable. Registration highly recommended.

**Mindful Identity Doodles – 6:30 p.m. – Shadle Library**, 2111 W. Wellesley. If you like coloring pages or are interested in Zentangling and Mindfulness you'll enjoy Mindful Identity Doodling. It's a cross between a Zentangle, a self-affirmation and a meditation session. With no drawing skills needed, join us for an hour of doodling with a list of things that define you (or someone you care about). Bring only your willingness to participate, we'll provide pens, pencils, paper, inspiration and atmosphere. You'll not only create a design that defines you (or a friend or loved one) but also leave with a sense of calm after disconnecting from the digital world for a while. For tweens, teens, and adults.

### Wednesday, January 17, 2018

**Planning Meals for Nutrition & Savings – 4 p.m. – Downtown Library**, 906 W. Main. Planning meals will save you time in the store and the kitchen. And making a grocery list will save you money, cut down your food waste, help you stick to your healthy choices and avoid unhealthy impulse buys. Educators from 2nd Harvest will share some tips for planning easy, nutritious meals and shopping for quality, affordable food. Register now to join us in planning a menu, shopping wisely, and making delicious, simple food.



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**Girls Brick Build – 4 p.m. – Indian Trail Library**, 4909 W. Barnes. Calling all girls! Join us on the third Wednesday of the month through May for a fun STEM challenge using LEGO® bricks, followed by a free-build time. We'll display our favorite creations in the library. For girls ages 6-12.

**Movie Night: Gravity – 6 p.m. – Downtown Library**, 906 W. Main. Two astronauts find themselves stranded in space after a disastrous accident destroys their shuttle and wipes out the rest of their crew. Starring Sandra Bullock and George Clooney. PG-13, 91 minutes.

**Thursday, January 18, 2018**

**Introduction to Buxton Scout Analytics – 2:30 p.m. – Downtown Library**, 906 W. Main. Local experts will teach you how to access the Buxton Scout Analytics software to grow or start your business in the following ways:

- Learn exactly who your existing and potential customers are and the most cost-effective way to reach them;
- Determine the best site for your new or relocated business;
- Minimize your risk by learning how to make informed confident decisions around the inventory and services your business offers; and
- Better understand retail and service leakage for the Spokane trade area.

**2:30 to 2:50 - Introduction to Buxton**

**3 to 4 - Software training**

**Additional sessions on: March 15, May 17, July 19**

**Science of Snow – 4 p.m. – South Hill Library**, 3324 S. Perry. Where do snowflakes come from, and why are they all different? Come explore the science behind snow, and participate in hands-on activities! For kids in K-6th grade. Young children must be accompanied by a caregiver.

**Lilac City Live – 7 p.m. – Downtown Library**, 906 W. Main. Join us for Lilac City Live! A "late night" talk show featuring local Spokane talent. The first event of this kind at the Downtown Library -- Drinks! Music! Authors! Artists! Comedians! -- and guaranteed to be a fun time! Great opportunity to see some awesome Spokane talent -- for free.

**7-8**, cash bar, proceeds benefit Spokane Public Library Foundation

**8-9**, late night talk show-style show

**Host:**

Ryan Dean Tucker

**Guests:**

Shawn Vestal

Newman

Shelby Anne Allison



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### Friday, January 19, 2018

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### Saturday, January 20, 2018

**eBook Boot Camp – 10:30 a.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Just got a new Kindle, Nook or other device? Want to set it up to get free eBooks and audiobooks from the library? Come learn how! Bring your charged device, library card, and your Apple ID or Amazon password, if applicable. Registration highly recommended.

**Genealogy 101 – 2 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Come and find out how to get started and what resources are available for free, both from the library and online.

**Crafternoon – 2 p.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** We're opening our meeting room for crafters to enjoy one another's company as we work! Bring your project and your conversation, and we'll offer light refreshments. We'll also have adult coloring pages and a simple craft available for those who don't bring a project.

**Build Your Cat a Castle – 3 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Come use our supplies to build your cat (or other small pet) a fun castle! Families and adults welcome. Adults will use the sharp tools.

### Sunday, January 21, 2018

**Movie: Cars 3 – 2 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Lightning McQueen sets out to prove to a new generation of racers that he's still the best race car in the world. Rated G. 1 hour 42 minutes long. Snacks and coloring pages will be provided. Young children should be accompanied by a caregiver.

### Monday, January 22, 2018

**Reading with Riley – 5:30 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Come practice your reading. Riley, a Pet Partners certified reading dog, will be here to listen to you read. For kids in grades 3 to 5. Registration is required.

### Tuesday, January 23, 2018

**Reading with Riley – 5:30 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Come practice your reading. Riley, a Pet Partners certified reading dog, will be here to listen to you read. For kids in grades 3 to 5. Registration is required.

**Big Bing Theory – 6 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Founded in 1999, the Big Bing Theory (BBT) is Gonzaga University's highly acclaimed a cappella group. Inspired by Gonzaga alum Bing Crosby, BBT performs a variety of musical styles ranging from pop songs to oldies using only their voices! BBT is completely student run, arranges all its own music, and is well-known in the Gonzaga, Spokane, and A Cappella communities. Recently, BBT has competed in the International Championship of Collegiate A Cappella (as seen in Pitch Perfect), performed with BYU's VocalPoint (as seen on the Sing Off), and recorded its 7th full length studio album, "Out by Ten."



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### Wednesday, January 24, 2018

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**Movie Night: Sully – 6 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** The story of Chesley "Sully" Sullenberger, an American pilot who became a hero after landing his damaged plane on the Hudson River in order to save the flight's passengers and crew. PG-13, 96 minutes.

### Thursday, January 25, 2018

**Thursday Brick Build – 4 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Children and families are invited to a fun afternoon with LEGO® bricks on the fourth or last Thursday of each month through May. Build whatever you like or accept our monthly challenge! We'll display our favorite creations in the library. For children ages 5 and up, with their families.

**A Walk Through Poverty – 4:30 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** "A Walk Through Poverty" is a new documentary that examines the complex nature of poverty in our region and an immersive experience that includes portrait sketches of some of the individuals who share their experience with the audience about poverty. The documentary was produced in partnership by SNAP, John J. Hemmingson Philanthropy, and Rogue Heart Media.

### Friday, January 26, 2018

**DIY Last Will and Testament Workshop – 12 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** Many Americans warily avoid planning for the final distribution of their property and the guardianship of their minor children. While it can be emotionally difficult to think about death, planning ahead allows you to outline your wishes and care for your family. Expert legal assistance from an attorney may be necessary to do this preparation, but often the process is simple and straightforward. This workshop will provide and explain simple will forms for both single and married people, with or without minor children. We will also discuss related topics such as transfers outside of probate, like Transfer on Death Deeds (TODDs), and Washington Advance Directives, used to outline your wishes for end-of-life care.

Presented by Rob Mead, Director of the Washington State Law Library in Olympia, a member of the Washington and New Mexico bars, and a co-author of the legal treatise *Advising the Elderly Client*, published by Thomson Reuters.

**Kids Flix: My Little Pony: The Movie – 1:30 p.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** After a dark force conquers Canterlot, the Mane 6 embark on an unforgettable journey beyond Equestria where they meet new friends and exciting challenges on a quest to use the magic of friendship to save their homeland. Rated PG. 1 hour 39 minutes. Young children should be accompanied by a caregiver.

**Kids Flix: The Lego Ninjago Movie – 1:30 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Shunned by everyone for being the son of an evil warlord, a teenager seeks to defeat him with the help of his fellow ninjas. Rated PG. 1 hour and 41 minutes. Young children should be accompanied by a caregiver.



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**Movie: Despicable Me 3 – 2 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Join Dru and the Minions in their most recent animated adventure. Rated PG. Run time 90 minutes.

#### **Saturday, January 27, 2018**

**Toy Cars Cardboard Build – 10:30 a.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Bring some creativity and a few of your favorite toy cars, and build something cool out of cardboard for them! You can choose from a parking garage, a racetrack, a car jump, and more! We'll provide cardboard, tape, cutting tools, etc. Children should bring an adult with them to help. Adults will use the sharp tools.

**Movie: War of the Worlds (1953) – 2 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Join us to watch this 1953 classic based on H.G. Wells' book of the same title. Rated G. 1 hour and 25 minutes long.

**Holocaust Remembrance Movie: Life is Beautiful – 3 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Guido, a Jewish-Italian, and his son Giosue are sent to a concentration camp. Determined to shelter his son from the horrors of his surroundings, Guido convinces Giosue that their time in the camp is merely a game. Rated PG-13. Italian with subtitles.

**Identity Theft and Fraud Awareness Presentation – 3 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Join Crime Victim Advocate Abigail Walthall from Spokane COPS to discuss avoiding becoming a victim of fraud and safeguarding and recovering your identity.

#### **Monday, January 29, 2018**

**Planning Meals for Nutrition & Savings – 4 p.m. – Shadle Library, 2111 W. Wellesley.** Planning meals will save you time in the store and the kitchen. And making a grocery list will save you money, cut down your food waste, help you stick to your healthy choices and avoid unhealthy impulse buys. Educators from 2nd Harvest will share some tips for planning easy, nutritious meals and shopping for quality, affordable food. Register now to join us in planning a menu, shopping wisely, and making delicious, simple food.

**Reading with Riley – 5:30 p.m. – South Hill Library, 3324 S. Perry.** Come practice your reading. Riley, a Pet Partners certified reading dog, will be here to listen to you read. For kids in grades 3 to 5. Registration is required.

#### **Tuesday, January 30, 2018**

**Exploring Paper Circuits – 4 p.m. – Hillyard Library, 4005 N. Cook.** Explore circuits and electricity using paper and copper tape. You'll get to take home your own light-up creation! For children in 1st-6th grade. Young children should be accompanied by a caregiver to assist them.

#### **Wednesday, January 31, 2018**

**Exploring Paper Circuits – 4 p.m. – Indian Trail Library, 4909 W. Barnes.** Explore circuits and electricity using paper and copper tape. You'll get to take home your own light-up creation! For children in 1st-6th grade. Young children should be accompanied by a caregiver to assist them.

**Movie Night: The Mummy – 6 p.m. – Downtown Library, 906 W. Main.** An ancient Egyptian princess is awakened from her crypt beneath the desert, bringing with her malevolence grown over millennia, and terrors that defy human comprehension. Tom Cruise, Russell Crowe, PG-13, 107 minutes.

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**The following is our schedule of weekly programs.**

**Sundays:**

**Game Day! –Shadle Library**, 2111 W. Wellesley. Come in anytime during open library hours on Sunday (1-5 p.m.) for Game Day. We will have an assortment of board games available for use in the library.

**Mondays:**

**Appy Hour Digital Support – 11 a.m. – Downtown Library**, 906 W. Main. Do you need help with your electronic device? We can help you modernize your online presence, understand your smartphone, learn Microsoft programs or download applications to your tablet.

**Tuesdays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Downtown and South Hill Libraries.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.

**Preschool Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – Downtown Library**, 906 W. Main. Ages 3 to 5.

**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – South Hill Library**, 3324 S. Perry. Ages 3 to 5.

**Build! – 3 p.m. – East Side and South Hill Libraries.** Each week we'll put out simple and complex building toys so children of all ages can participate. Come exercise your imagination and engineering abilities at the library.

**Wednesdays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Hillyard and Shadle Library.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.

**Preschool Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – Hillyard Library**, 4005 N. Cook. Ages 3 to 5.

**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – Shadle Library**, 2111 W. Wellesley. Ages 3 to 5.

**Build! – 3 p.m. – Indian Trail Library.** Each week we'll put out simple and complex building toys so children of all ages can participate. Come exercise your imagination and engineering abilities at the library.

**Thursdays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Shadle and South Hill Libraries.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.

**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – Shadle and South Hill Libraries.** Ages 3 to 5.

**Build! – 3 p.m. – Build! – 3 p.m. – Hillyard and Shadle Libraries.** Each week we'll put out simple and complex building toys so children of all ages can participate. Come exercise your imagination and engineering abilities at the library.

**Fridays:**

**Toddler Storytime – 10 a.m. – Downtown, East Side, and Indian Trail Libraries.** Ages 18 mo. to 3 yrs.

**Preschool Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – Downtown and East Side Libraries.** Ages 3 to 5.

**Preschool Play & Learn – 10:30 a.m. – Indian Trail Library**, 4909 W. Barnes. Ages 3 to 5.

**Saturdays:**

**Family Storytime – 10 a.m. – South Hill Library**, 3324 S. Perry. Storytime for the whole family!

**Family Storytime – 10:30 a.m. – Shadle Library**, 2111 W. Wellesley. Storytime for the whole family!



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### **About Spokane Public Library**

Spokane Public Library delivers high quality education for all – opportunities to read, to learn, and discover the world. In accomplishing our mission, we keep in mind certain values that contribute to creating an open and welcoming place where all people can use the services of the library freely.

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