September

LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH
I ❤️ My Library Card Contest

September is Library Card Sign-up Month! Enter for a chance to win a $25 gift card to Half-Price Books by telling us why your library card is important to you! Forms can be picked up and turned in at the information desk throughout the month of September. For another way to win, check-in at the library on Facebook anytime in September! Winners will be announced October 2nd.

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten

Foster a lifelong love of learning by enrolling your young child in our new early literacy program that challenges you to read 1,000 books with them before kindergarten. For more information, see the KIDS page of the newsletter.

Homework Lab for K-12

On Thursdays from 4-6pm our computer lab will be dedicated for K-12 student use. Free peer tutoring will be provided by qualified volunteer high school students. First-come, first-served. Tutoring focuses on core subjects like English and Math.

Costume Swap: Donations Wanted!

Accepting costumes now through October 7th
We are preparing for a costume swap! Bring us your old costumes and accessories. We'll stock everything for the swap on October 7th! For every item you bring, you can take as many home on the day of the swap!

#adulting workshop series: Healthy Relationships

Saturday 9/2 @ 1pm, presented by SafeHaven of Tarrant County. Ages 12-adult. Relationships exist on a spectrum from healthy to unhealthy to abusive and everywhere in between. It can be hard to determine where your relationship falls. Attend this workshop to learn the basics of dating, healthy relationships and drawing the line before abuse starts.

Community Health Workshop ❤️ Saturday 9/23 @ 2pm
See the back of the newsletter for more details!
KIDS

Storytime Programs
Spanish Storytime 18 mos - 5 years
Babies & Books 0-18 mos.
Storytime all ages
Yoga Storytime all ages
Mon 11:30
Tue 10:30 & 11:00
Wed 10:30 & 11:00
Thu 10:30 & 11:00

Homeschool Roundtable
9/1 @ 2:30pm
Homeschool families are invited to an idea-sharing meeting.

Tail Waggin' Tutors
9/3 @ 3pm
Join us on the first Sunday of every month to read aloud to therapy dogs! For ages 5+

Snap Circuits
9/15 @ 3:30pm
Ages 8-12
Join us in self-guided playing and learning with Snap Circuits.

Coding with Scratch
Fridays @ 4:30pm beginning 9/8
Ages 8-12 registration required
Learn the basics of game design in this 8 week session that meets on Fridays. Some experience required.

WizArt
9/1 @ 4:30pm
Ages 5-12
Create a seasonal craft with expert volunteer artists. No registration required.

Lil' Builders
9/8 @ 3:30pm
5 and up
Let your budding engineers and LEGO enthusiasts freebuild with us!

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten
Beginning September 1st, enroll your child (0-6) in our early literacy program that challenges you to read together. Register and track your progress on our website, keller.beanstack.com. Readers will receive milestone markers and a place on the library's wall of honor after reading 1,000 books!
TEENS
Writing Workshop and Caleb & Kit Book Launch
with author Beth Vrabel

September 12th at 4:30pm for tweens and teens
Meet special guest and author Beth Vrabel (Blind Guide to Stinkville, Pack of Dorks, and Blind Guide to Normal) as we celebrate her newest book: Caleb and Kit! Also learn how to write with authenticity and how to tell a story only you can tell using tips from the author. Attendees will receive a copy of Caleb and Kit while supplies last!

Book Hedges
Tuesday 9/5 @ 4:30
Our craft this month is a book hedgehog! Make yours, give it some facial features and take it home. All materials provided. Tweens and teens.

Homework Lab
Thursdays, 4 to 6pm for K-12
Work on your homework in the computer lab and get free help from your peers when you need it! First-come, first-served.

Tabletop Gaming Club
Every Wednesday @ 5pm
Serious about gaming? Join our Tabletop Gaming Club! We meet every Wednesday at 5pm in the library. For teens and adults.

Apprentices of Fiction
Wednesday 9/13 @ 5pm for teens
Join the teen book club this month! We will be discussing Ready Player One by Ernest Cline. Next month's book is Dead Girls Society by Michelle Keys.

Kindness Rocks!
Tuesday, 9/26 @ 4:30
Participate in project #KindnessRocks with Keller Library by painting rocks and hiding them near the library and Johnson Park!
Well Read Book Club

**Wednesday 9/13 @ 6:30pm**
The Well Read Book Club meets on the 2nd Wednesday of every month to discuss books of all genres. This month's book is *Tell the Wolves I'm Home* by Carol Rifka Brunt. October's book is Everything I Never Told you by Celeste Ng.

College: Getting There from Here

**Tuesday 9/19 @ 6:30pm presented by Edward Jones**
Whether your children are learning to crawl or learning to drive, you can help make their college education a reality. Join us for this financial seminar to help you establish a college savings strategy.

Community Health Workshop

**Saturday 9/23 @ 2pm, presented by UNTHSC Gibson D. Lewis Health Science Library**
When it comes to health, having access to accurate and reliable health information is essential. Attend this workshop to learn how to access health information you can trust through the National Library of Medicine. This workshop will also feature a special segment on nutrition.

ESL & Citizenship Classes

- **ESL: Tuesdays 10am-12pm**
- **Citizenship: Thursdays 4-5:30pm**
Interested in learning English or preparing for U.S. citizenship? Join us for these free classes! Call us at 817-743-4840 or email us at library@cityofkeller.com to register.

Reader's Forum

**Thursday 9/7 @ 1pm**
The Reader's Forum meets the first Thursday of every month. This month's book is *Small Great Things* by Jodi Picoult. October's book is The Woman in Cabin 10 by Ruth Ware.