

# BHML News & Current Events

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## Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Your second favorite stuffed animal or doll is cordially invited to our annual Stuffed Animal Sleepover at **4:00 PM on Saturday, January 27, 2024**. Meet us in the **first floor meeting room** to enjoy a story and a craft. Pajamas are welcome.

After the storytime, we will tuck the animals and dolls into bed and say good night.

Children may return **Monday, January 29th between 10:00 AM- 6:00 PM** to pick up their stuffed animals and dolls and discover the fun they had at the library over the weekend.

Sorry kids and parents-the sleepover is for stuffed animals and dolls only!

\*If you cannot bear to leave your friend behind over night, no worries! Come and enjoy the stories and the craft with your best friend.



## BHML Book/Movie Clubs:

### As Time Goes By Historical Fiction Book Club

*The First Emma*  
By Camille Di Maio  
First Floor Meeting Room  
Thurs., Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 p.m.

### Great Decisions Special Date

*Budrus*  
First Floor Meeting Room  
Tues., Jan. 9<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 p.m.

### Readers Mix

*Ladies of the Canyons*  
By Lesley Poling-Kempes  
First Floor Meeting Room  
Thurs., Jan. 11<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 p.m.

### Movie Chat

*Annihilation*  
First Floor Meeting Room  
Wed., Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, at 3:30 p.m.

### Shrouded in Mystery Book Club

*The Fix*  
By David Baldacci  
First Floor Meeting Room  
Thurs., Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 p.m.

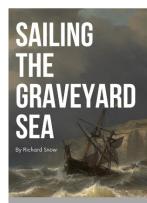
### Talking Texas Book Club

*Texas*  
By James Michener  
History Center Meeting Room  
Thurs., Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>, at 12:00 p.m.

## New and Popular Titles



*To the Lighthouse* by Virginia Woolf



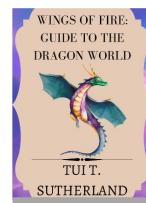
*Sailing the graveyard sea* by Richard Snow



*The Year of Second Chances* by Lara Avery



*Hotel Magnifique* by Emily J. Taylor



*Wings of Fire: A Guide to the dragon world* by Tui T. Sutherland



*Are you a cheeseburger?* by Monica Arnold

## Gardening 101—Texas Plants

Get ready to delve into the wonderful world of Texas plants with **Master Gardener Rae Raiford!**

In this informational session, you'll discover some of the most impressive and beloved plants that thrive in the Lone Star State. Take advantage of this opportunity to learn from a true expert and expand your gardening knowledge in Texas.

Gardening 101—Texas Plants will **meet in the first-floor meeting room on Saturday, January 13th, from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.**

Handouts will be provided.



## Sound Bath Humbling Bloom

Immerse yourself in a sound bath with resonant singing bowls at the Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library!

Join us for a session brought by Humbling Bloom. Ages 18 and over are welcome.

**Date:** Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 5:00 p.m.—5:45 p.m.

**Location:** First Floor Meeting Room

## Stretch & Relax Adult Yoga

Come and join Humbling Bloom for a gentle yoga session at the Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library.

The class is open to anyone 18 years and older and will last for an hour. While there are a limited number of yoga mats available, attendees are encouraged to bring their own.

Donations for our Humbling Bloom instructor are greatly appreciated.

**Date:** Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup>

Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 10:30 a.m.—11:30 a.m.

**Location:** First Floor Meeting Room

## Social Crafters

If you have a creative project you've been working on at home, join us for Social Crafters!

It's a fantastic way to showcase your work, connect with like-minded individuals, and get inspired by others' ideas. Plus, you'll have the opportunity to exchange tips and techniques, and receive valuable feedback on your work.

**Date:** Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 4:00 p.m.—5:30 p.m.

**Location:** First Floor Meeting Room



## SOUND BATH

Humbling Bloom

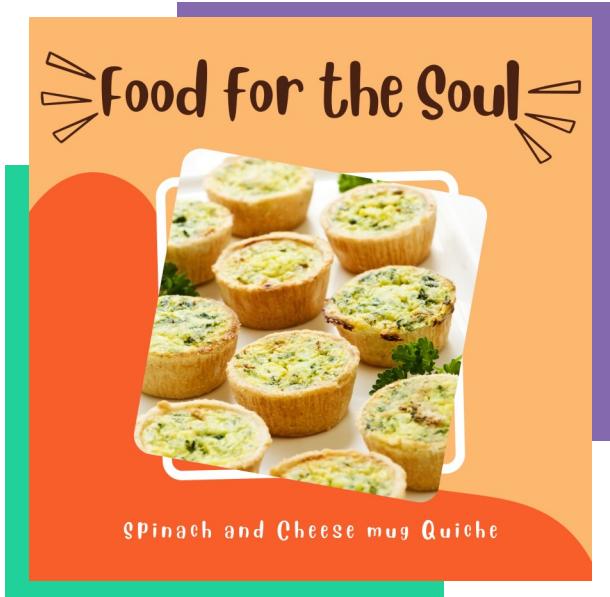
## STRETCH & RELAX

### ADULT YOGA



## Social

### Crafters



## Suicide Prevention Training

Have you ever suspected that someone you cared about was struggling with thoughts of suicide? **Kathy Turner, a clinical social worker** will share information on identifying and intervening with loved ones who may be considering taking their own lives.

**Date:** Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 2:00 p.m.—3:30 p.m.

**Location:** First Floor Meeting Room

## Food for the Soul—Special Date

Join us at the Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library for an interactive seminar and cooking demonstration. Enjoy making some **Spinach and Cheese Quiche** and **Oatmeal Raisin Cookies**.

**Date:** Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Time:** 4:30 p.m.—5:30 p.m.

**Location:** First Floor Meeting Room

## The A,B,C, & D's of Medicare

**Esse Moreno**, a Benefit Advisor, will be at the library to explain the **basics of Medicare** and all your options. Esse Moreno will also be available to answer any questions.

**Date:** Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup>

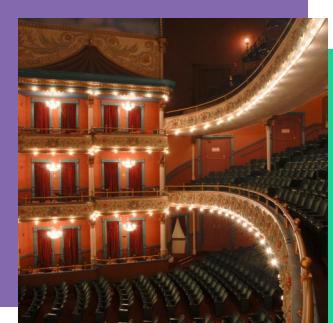
**Time:** 4:30 p.m.

**Location:** Third Floor Conference Room

## Theater

There are only two opportunities to catch **Red Velvet** at the **VK Garage Theater** in January 12 and 13 with the performance starting at 7:30 p.m.

**"Red Velvet"** tells the true story of Ira Aldridge, the first Black man to play Othello in London in 1833. This stirring drama transports audiences to the turbulent backstage world of London's Theatre Royal in the early 1800s.



## Music

Saturday, January 6 the **Symphony of the Hills** will perform "**POPS: A Night at the Movies**" at The Cailloux Theater. Enjoy a full orchestra of professional musicians and advanced music students, performing a diverse musical program featuring top soloists. Reception at 6 p.m. Program starts at 7 p.m.



## Art

The **Museum of Western Art** will showcase approximately 25 paintings and framed etchings of **Susanne Vincent** in the collection "**Glory and Grime: the Art of Susanne Vincent**". This collection will explore ranching life in the Gulf Coast through the art of Susanne Vincent (b. 1941), who was active in Texas and Louisiana. Vincent's paintings portray the natural atmospheric landscape of the Gulf Coast of Texas and Louisiana as well as document the perpetual and ongoing events of cattle ranching.



Available for viewing January 13 - March 2, 2024.

## Community Events

The **Kerrville Renaissance Festival** will be held over the course of three weekends in 2024! Rain or shine, enjoy top entertainment, handmade crafts, fantastic food, games, and fun! January 20 & 21, January 27 & 28, February 3 & 4 at the Hill Country Youth Event Center.



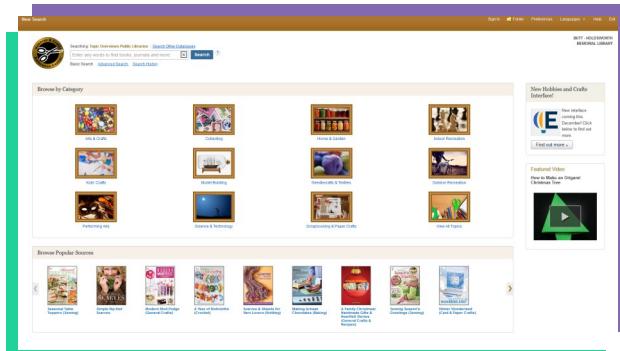
The **Kerrville Public School Foundation Trivia Night** on Saturday, January 20 will begin at 5:30 p.m. and is an opportunity to gather for dinner, fun, and friendly competition. Proceeds benefit KPSF's mission of furthering academic excellence for all students of KISD by mobilizing the resources of the community.

Celebrate the full moon on January 25 with a donation-based yoga class led by **Humbling Bloom** at the Trailhead Beer Garden from 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.

## Tech Corner: Hobbies and Crafts Reference Center

Wanting to learn a new craft or needing help on a craft project? Hobbies and Crafts Reference Center offers over 140 hobbies and craft topics containing periodicals, books, and videos.

Learn everything from woodworking to astronomy to printmaking. There is something for everyone!



To access Hobbies and Crafts Reference Center:

1: Head to our catalog or use the link <https://kerrvilletx.biblionix.com/catalog/>

2: Search for Hobbies and Crafts under the Electronic Resources section.

## Kids' Corner

### Yoga Storytime with Humbling Bloom

Join us for some fun stretches and an exciting story with our special guest reader Kathryn from Humbling Bloom. Yoga storytime is geared for ages 4 and up.

Yoga storytime with Humbling bloom will be held on **Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.** and will take place in the first floor meeting room.

### Cuentos for Kids

Join us for a special bilingual storytime featuring stories and songs in both English and Spanish followed by a fun activity.

Cuentos for Kids will be on **Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.** and will be held in the first floor meeting room.

### Teen & Tween Programs Ages 12-18

Join us in the Teen Room for a variety of fun for the month of January:

- **Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> 4:00 p.m.—5:30 p.m.**
  - Teen Giant Games
- **Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> 4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.**
  - Tween Craft Club

WHAT IS FROSTY'S FAVORITE MEXICAN FOOD?  
BRRR-ITOS



## Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library

505 Water St.  
Kerrville, TX 78028  
Phone: 830-257-8422  
Reference: 830-258-1274  
Circulation: 830-258-1275  
[www.kerrvilletx.gov/92/Library](http://www.kerrvilletx.gov/92/Library)

### Business Hours:

Sunday - Closed  
Monday - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Tuesday - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Wednesday - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Thursday - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Friday - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Saturday - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

### Library Services:

The Library offers in-person operations and computer use. Additionally, curbside pickup continues to be available Monday thru Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. We encourage patrons to take advantage of this convenient option.

**The library will be closed Monday, Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, and we will resume our normal hours of operation on Tuesday, Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will also be closed Monday, Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>, and we will resume our normal hours of operation on Tuesday, Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>.**

## Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library operate the bookstore every Wednesday from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. and from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. on the second Saturday of the month.

The bookstore has thousands of gently used books, DVDs, and CDs at extremely low prices.

Interested in volunteering with the Friends of the Library? Please send an email to [fobhml@gmail.com](mailto:fobhml@gmail.com) or contact the library at 830-258-1274.

Please keep Friends in mind during your next visit!

## Library Mission Statement

- ◆ The Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library's mission is to inspire creativity, encourage lifelong learning, instill the joy of reading, and strengthen our community by providing access to information, education, culture and recreation.

## Library Vision Statement

- ◆ The Butt-Holdsworth Memorial Library will foster the spirit of exploration, lifelong learning and the pursuit of knowledge for all citizens.

## Guiding Principles

- ◆ Be a warm and welcoming place for community members to gather.
- ◆ Be actively engaged in the life of the community.
- ◆ Strive to deliver the highest quality services possible and pledge to be approachable and knowledgeable.
- ◆ Be good stewards of the Library's financial and material resources.
- ◆ Protect the freedom to read and access to information.

Staff are available to provide assistance by phone at 830-258-1274, via email at [library.webmaster@kerrvilletx.gov](mailto:library.webmaster@kerrvilletx.gov), or via text at 830-215-0640.

## Recursos en la Biblioteca

Prepárate para nuestra fiesta de pijamas con animales de peluche. Trae tu segundo muñeco o peluche favorito y disfruta de un cuento y una manualidad. ¡Los pijamas son bienvenidos!

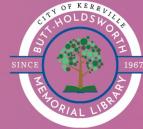
Después de nuestro cuento y manualidad, acostaremos a los animales y muñecos en la cama y les daremos las buenas noches. La fiesta de pijamas con animales de peluche se llevará a cabo el **sábado 27 de enero de 4:00 p. m. a 5:00 p. m.** y se llevará a cabo

en la sala de reuniones del primer piso.

Los niños pueden regresar el lunes **29 de enero entre las 10:00 a. m. y las 6:00 p. m.** para recoger y descubrir toda la diversión que tuvieron sus peluches en la biblioteca.



# JANUARY 2024 ADULTS



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	 Library Closed	2	3	4 As Time Goes By Historical Fiction Book Club 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm <i>The First Emma</i> By Camille Di Maio	5 Meditative Sound Bath 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm	6 Stretch & Relax Adult Yoga 10:30 am - 11:30 am
7	8 Great Decisions Discussion 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Social Crafters 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	9	10	11 Readers Mix Book Club 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm <i>Ladies of the Canyons</i> By Lesley Poling-Kempes	12	13 Gardening 101 10:30 am - 11:30 am
14 MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY	15  Library Closed	16	17 Movie Chat Annihilation 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	18 Shrouded in Mystery Book Club 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm <i>The Fix</i> By David Baldacci	19	20 Stretch & Relax Adult Yoga 10:30 am - 11:30 am Suicide Prevention Training 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
21	22 Food for the Soul 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	23	24 Medicare Class 4:30 pm - 5:45 pm	25 Talking Texas Book Club 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm <i>Texas</i> By James Michener	26	27
28	29	30	31			

## 1/4 AS TIME GOES BY HISTORICAL FICTION BOOK CLUB

The club will discuss *The First Emma* by Camille Di Maio in the first floor meeting room.

## 1/9 SOCIAL CRAFTERS

Bring your project from home and come craft with a group. Show-off your projects, share ideas, and get inspired!

## 1/18 SHROUDED IN MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

The club will discuss *The Fix* by David Baldacci in the first floor meeting room.

## 1/25 TALKING TEXAS BOOK CLUB

The Club will discuss *Texas* by James Michener in the History Center's first floor reading room.

## 1/5 MEDITATIVE SOUND BATH

A relaxing, meditative session with Humbling Bloom. Immerse yourself in a sound bath with resonant singing bowls. 18+ welcome. Donations for our Humbling Bloom instructor are greatly appreciated.

## 1/11 READERS MIX BOOK CLUB

The club will discuss *Ladies of the Canyons* by Lesley Poling Kempes in the first floor meeting room.

## 1/20 SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING

Have you ever suspected that someone you cared about was struggling with thoughts of suicide? Kathy Turner, a clinical social worker will share information on identifying and intervening with loved ones who may be considering taking their own lives.

## 1/6 & 1/20 STRETCH & RELAX YOGA

Now offered 2X a month: Join us for a gentle 1 hour adult yoga class led by Kathryn from Humbling Bloom. Ages 18+ welcome. A limited number of yoga mats available for use - attendees are encouraged to bring their own. Donations for our Humbling Bloom instructor are greatly appreciated.

## 1/13 GARDENING 101 - TEXAS PLANTS

Learn about Texas superstar plants for your garden from Master Gardener Rae Raiford. Handouts provided.

## 1/23 FOOD FOR THE SOUL (SPECIAL DATE)

Join us for a fun interactive seminar and cooking demonstration. Come learn all about tasty meals and desserts that are easy to prep & prepare. This month we'll make *Spinach and Cheese Quiche* and *Oatmeal Raisin Cookies*.

## 1/9 GREAT DECISIONS DISCUSSION GROUP (SPECIAL DATE)

Interested in world affairs? Join us at each group meeting to discuss a new topic. This month we will cover the documentary *Budrus*. There will be copies available for checkout - View independently then join us for discussion and snacks.

## 1/17 MOVIE CHAT

Like our Readers Mix book club, but with a movie! View the selected title independently, then join us for discussion and snacks. This month's film is *Annihilation*.

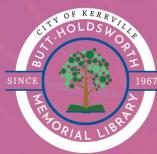
## 1/24 THE A,B,C, & D'S OF MEDICARE

Benefit Advisor, Esse Moreno, explains the basics of Medicare and your options and is available for questions. Esse Moreno will be in the library's third floor conference room.

For more suggestions, questions, comments, or concerns, please call the Reference Desk at 830-258-1274, and a librarian will assist you.

<b>STORYTIME</b> Join us weekly for books, songs, rhymes and a craft. Each week we will focus on a different letter of the alphabet. <b>Geared to ages 3-5.</b>
<b>LEGO CLUB</b> Join us on the <b>first Thursday</b> of the month at 4:00 p.m. in the library meeting room for an hour of Lego building fun.
<b>LAP-SIT STORYTIME</b> Join us weekly for books, songs, rhymes, and baby play time. <b>Geared to ages 0-3.</b>
<b>MYSTERY CRAFT CHALLENGE</b> Join us in the teen room for a crafty challenge. Each month's craft will revolve around a mystery craft ingredient that must be used in your creation. <b>For ages 12-18.</b>
<b>YOGA STORYTIME WITH HUMBLING BLOOM</b> Join us for a special storytime with guest reader <b>Kathryn from Humbling Bloom</b> . Following storytime, Kathryn will demonstrate gentle yoga stretches with attendees. Yoga storytime is <b>geared for ages 4 and up.</b>
<b>TEEN GIANT GAMES</b> Join us in the teen room to try out one of our giant games. This month join us for a game of <b>Sorry</b> . <b>For ages 12-18.</b>
<b>HISTORY CENTER STORYTIME</b> Join us next door for a special storytime at the Kerr Regional History Center.
<b>STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER</b> Bring your second favorite stuffed animal or doll to our Stuffed Animal Sleepover on <b>Saturday, Jan. 27th from 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.</b> Enjoy a story and craft. Pajamas are welcome! After our lively evening, we will tuck the animals and dolls into bed and say good night. Children may return <b>Monday, Jan. 29th between 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.</b> to discover the fun the stuffed animals and dolls had at the library.
<b>CUENTOS FOR KIDS</b> Join us for a <b>bilingual storytime</b> featuring stories, songs and rhymes in English and Spanish followed by a fun activity.
<b>TWEEN CRAFT CLUB</b> Join us on the last Tuesday of the month at 4 pm in the library meeting room for an hour of crafty fun. <b>For ages 9-13.</b>

# JANUARY 2024



# KIDS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
	 <b>Library Closed</b>	1	2	3 <b>Storytime</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am	4 <b>Lego Club</b> 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	5	6
7	8 <b>Lap-Sit Story Time</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am <b>Mystery Craft Challenge</b> 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	9	10 <b>Storytime</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am	11	12	13	
14	15  <b>Library Closed</b>	16	17 <b>Yoga Storytime with Humbling Bloom</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am	18	19	20	
21	22 <b>Lap-Sit Story Time</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am <b>Teen Giant Games</b> 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	23	24 <b>History Center Storytime</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am	25	26	27 <b>Stuffed Animal Sleepover</b> 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	
28	29 <b>Lap-Sit Story Time</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am	30 <b>Cuentos for Kids</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am <b>Tween Craft Club</b> 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	31 <b>Storytime</b> 10:00 am - 11:00 am				

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