

## Easttown Library's Early Winter Events 2012 January – March 2012

We encourage all youth to participate in our events at their own level and ability. Library staff members are happy to assist parents and caregivers in creating a successful and enjoyable library visit for every child. Please ask for assistance at any time. Feel free to contact Becky Sheridan at [bsheridan@ccls.org](mailto:bsheridan@ccls.org).

### LITERACY CLASSES/STORY TIMES

Join us as we foster the skills your child needs in preparing to read. Stories, songs, instruments and movement all synchronize in nurturing your family's love of books and in preparing your child for a lifetime of learning. All classes are designed for attendance by both youth and parents/caregivers. No registration necessary.

#### MONDAY

**Family Time** (All ages)  
10:00 a.m.

#### On My Own

(Ages 4-6 without caregiver)  
Jan. 23, 30, Feb. 6, March 5, 12, 19  
1:00 p.m.  
Welcome to our Pre-Kindergarten to Kindergarten Literacy Class designed for children ages 4 to 6 years old who are able to participate independently. This class develops reading and school readiness through exposure to books, finger plays, and literacy-based activities.

#### TUESDAY

**Wee Readers** (Infants – 24 mo.)  
10:00 a.m.

#### WEDNESDAY

10:00 a.m.  
(Note: Wednesday program offerings vary)

**Wed., Jan. 4, 11, 18**  
Up, Down and All Around

**Wed, Jan. 25, Feb 1, 8, 15**  
Stories on the Screen

**Wed., Feb. 22, 29, March 7**  
Connect the Tots

**Wed March 14, 21, 28**  
Parent Child Workshop

#### WEDNESDAY continued

**Up, Down and All Around Parachute and Literacy Class/Story Time** (All ages)  
10:00 a.m.

**Wed., Jan. 4, 11, 18**

Join us for sessions of stories, music, movement and fun ... over, under, and on a parachute. Children will play games with props, songs and a colorful parachute. Parachute play encourages children's cooperation and coordination while developing both large and fine motor skills.

**Stories on the Screen** (all ages)

**Wed., Jan. 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15**

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. in the story time room

Experience popular picture books through the medium of film. The following films will be shown on the following dates:

Wed., 1/25: *The Lion and the Mouse; Diary of a Worm*

Wed., 2/1: *Bear Snores On; Robot Zot*  
Wed., 2/8: *Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Tale; Knuffle Bunny Too: A Case of Mistaken Identity*

Wed., 2/15: *There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly; Dooby Dooby Moo*

#### Connect the Tots

**Drums and Literacy Class/Story Time** (All ages)  
10:00 a.m.

**Wed., Feb. 22, 29, March 7**

Tap into the joy of rhythm and stories! This engaging series encourages audience participation while bringing people together in a communal activity.

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*This winter, the Easttown Library will be supporting literacy initiatives by partnering with our neighboring schools to provide your children with expanded early reading experiences.*

#### Parent/Child Workshop, Focus on Learning Styles

(Infants through age 3 with parent/caregiver)  
10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

**Wed., March 14, 21 28**

In this series of Parent/Child Workshops, you and your child will have fun exploring one of three main learning styles: visual, auditory, or kinesthetic (movement and touch). We review the strengths of each of these learning styles and we guide you in adapting your child's unique style in support of his/her emergent early literacy skills through books and other media.

#### THURSDAY

**Tales for Twos and Threes**  
(Ages 2-3)  
10:00 a.m.

#### FRIDAY

**Great Starts** (Ages 3+)  
10:00 a.m.

#### OverDrive eBook Workshop

Presented by Becky Sheridan, Youth Services Librarian, Sue Volk, Computer Services and Training, and Audrey Young, Reference Librarian  
Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, 7 p.m.  
Adults and ages 8+  
Registration is required.

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