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Library Hours

| Monday | 10-9 |
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| Tuesday | 10-6 |
| Wednesday | 10-9 |
| Thursday | 10-9 |
| Friday | 10-5 |
| Saturday | 10-5 |
| Sunday | 1-5 |

Holiday Hours

Sept. 2, Blues Fest
Open 9am-1pm

Sept 3, Blues Fest Closed

Sept 4, Labor Day Closed

Nov. 22, Thanksgiving Close early at 5pm

Nov. 23 & 24, Thanksgiving Closed



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Get Medieval

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

2 - 4 PM

Troy Depue, creator of Medieval Facts, will share his knowledge of Medieval history. Learn about the different kinds of armor & weapon types such as swords, axes, & flails. Hear stories about the real Dracula, Vlad Dracul III, as well as William Wallace & Joan of Arc. Troy will also discuss the relationship of historical reenactment & cosplay. A Q&A session will follow the presentation. Attendees are encouraged to wear Medieval attire!

Christmas Fest

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER II

9 AM - 4 PM

Get into the holiday spirit at our annual Christmas Fest! We will have a Christmas craft sale, breakfast with Santa, musical entertainment, & a silent auction. Booths are available for \$25. Contact Barbara Sparks to reserve your space at 817-952-2353 or email bedfordlibraryfundraising@gmail.com.

Natural Health Series

Creating the Life You Want with Feng Shui

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

7 - 8:30 PM

Creating the Life You Want with Feng Shui & the Law of Attraction presented by Bob Dahdaleh. Learn how to create a harmonious environment in your home or office that supports you & makes space for new things & experiences.

The Healing Power of Crystals

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19

7 - 8:30 PM

Learn how to harness the power of crystals & use them in your daily life for your well-being. Presented by Power of the Rainbow.

Using Essential Oils to Improve Your Health

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

7 - 8:30 PM

Plant-derived oils offer a wide range of benefits when used properly. Learn their history, where they come from, & ways to incorporate them into your life to create a healthier & happier you.

#NTX GIVING DAY

Thursday, September 14

The BPL Foundation is participating in North Texas Giving Day. Every donation of \$25 or more will be multiplied with bonus funds & prizes. The Foundation funds technology, low vision equipment, & Library infrastructure. Call 682-559-2746 for more information.

LATE NIGHT BOOK CLUB

1st Thursdays 7:30 - 8:30pm

The perfect book club for those who prefer the twilight hours! Book choices will appeal to a broad audience & range from non-fiction to literary fiction. Registration is not required.

Sept. 7 - 'LaRose' by Louise Erdrich

Oct. 5 - 'The Life We Bury' by Allen Eskens

Nov. 2 - 'Commonwealth' by Ann Patchett

Dec. 7 - 'Dead Wake' by Erik Larson

THE CRAFTER PARTY

Oct. 18 & Dec. 6 6:30 - 8:00pm

We bring the supplies; you bring your creativity! Check the online event calendar to see an example of the craft we will make at each Party. Registration is not required. First come, first served; space & supplies are limited. Adults & teens welcome!

Oct. 18 - Paper Quilling

Dec. 6 - TBA

BPL WRITERS CIRCLE 1st & 3rd Sundays

Join this gathering for writers of all genres. Meet twice each month to fine-tune your craft & help others do the same.

FIRST STEP: JOB SKILLS

2nd & 4th Wednesdays

Every journey begins with a first step. Job hunting begins with knowing what skills you have or need to have to begin your path to employment. This small group setting will help you understand job resources, resume writing, & networking. Contact Patt Dreyer at (682) 559-2746 for details.

FRIENDS BIG BOOK SALE

Aug. 11, Members Only 6-8 pm Aug. 12, Public 10 am - 4 pm

You don't want to miss this giant book (and DVD and CD) sale! Join or renew your Bedford Library Friends membership at the door for access to the Friday night Preview Sale. The sale opens to the public on Saturday. Individual membership, 1 year = \$10

EYE ON VISION FAIR

Saturday, Oct. 7 noon - 4 pm

Come to the Fair for information for adults & children about your vision & how to protect it. Free adult & child vision screenings!

BOOKWORMS BOOK CLUB

3rd Thursdays noon - 1:30pm

Come join the Bedford Bookworms' lively literary discussions! Copies of each book are available at the Children's Desk for \$10. Registration is not required. Sept. 21 - 'The Woman Next Door' by Yewande Omotoso

Oct. 9 - 'Barkskins' by Annie Proulx Nov. 16 - 'Before the Fall' by Noah Hawley No December meeting.

BEDFORD LIBRARY STITCHERS

2nd Saturdays & 3rd Tuesdays

10am - noon

This meeting provides an opportunity for stitchers of all skill levels & techniques to gather for sharing & learning. Contact Sue Countryman at (817) 577-0406 for more information. Registration is not required.

FORT WORTH CALLIGRAPHERS GUILD

2nd Thursdays 6-8:30pm

This monthly meeting offers hands-on & lecture-style programs on historical, modern & contemporary calligraphy & related arts. It's a great way to apply your own expressive creativity, learn how to letter or just improve your handwriting skills.







