

# Glendora Library Happenings

Presented by the Glendora Public Library and the GPL Friends Foundation.

## Upcoming events

### FEBRUARY

#### WINTER DISCOVERY CHALLENGE

**January 5 – February 28**

Get back into the reading habit as you start a new year. Register online at [CityOfGlendora.gov/Library](http://CityOfGlendora.gov/Library).

#### SWASHBUCKLING HEROINES AND HIGH SEAS ADVENTURES

**February 5 | 4 p.m. | Online**

Author Vanessa Riley provides insight into her latest book *Fire Sword and Sea*, based on the folk story of the female pirate Jacquotte Delahaye.

#### BOOKED & BRUSHED

##### WITH PAINT N PARTY

**February 7 | 11 a.m. | Bidwell**

Grab a brush and celebrate your favorite book at this paint party for adults. [Registration required.](#)

#### LOVE BITES! ANTI-VALENTINE PARTY

**February 10 | 4:30 p.m. | Bidwell**

Teens! Does sappy romance give you the ICK? Celebrate love in a fun and unique way at this Anti-Valentine party. Make yummy chocolate treats with a special guest from A & J Cakes.

Ages 10+ | [Registration required.](#)

#### MOJOS, MERMAIDS, AND MEDICINE

**February 12 | 11 a.m. | Online**

Explore how enslaved women used traditional herbs, food, textiles, song, and dance to sow rebellion, freedom, and hope.

## Save the Date

#### LET'S TALK WILDFIRES

**March 14 | 11 a.m. | Bidwell**

Discuss wildfire prevention, forest health, preparedness, and more with an Angeles National Forest expert.

**Library Building CLOSED – Presidents' Day  
February 16**

#### A TASTE OF HISTORY – RISE & SHINE: THE MAGIC OF SOURDOUGH

**February 21 | 11 a.m. | Bidwell**

Begin your sourdough journey with Wildflour Artisan Sourdough's Karen Quinones. [Registration required.](#)

#### NOVEL IDEA BOOK GROUP

**February 25 | 5:30 p.m. | Friends Room**

Journey through fiction bestsellers and classics. This month's title is *Remarkable Creatures* by Tracy Chevalier.

#### CELEBRATION OF DR. SEUSS

**February 26 | 3:30 p.m. | Children's Area**

Hooray for Dr. Seuss's wacky world! Enjoy fun and games, create your own crafts, and let your imagination run wild!

#### GREAT TRIVIA CHALLENGE

**March 6 | 6 p.m. | Foothill Christian School**

A GPL Friends Foundation fundraising event. For more information visit [gplff.org](http://gplff.org).

# Ongoing programs

## WEEKLY STORYTIME

**Tuesdays & Wednesdays | 10 a.m. & 11 a.m. | Friends Room**

Songs, stories, and early learning fun.

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE CONVERSATION CLUB

**1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays | 12 p.m. |**

**Glendora Gardens**

Practice English in a relaxed, supportive space.

## FRIENDS BOOK LOFT

**Monday–Friday | 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. |**

**Plaza Level** (schedule subject to change)

Discover used books and meet fellow readers.

## HOMEWORK BUDDIES

**Mondays & Wednesdays |**

**3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. | Friends Room**

**(closed on school holidays)**

Homework help for students in grades K–6.

## BLIND DATE WITH A BOOK

**Month of February | Library Main Floor**

Don't judge a book by its cover. Take a chance on a blind date with a book!

Ready for a literary love match?

## EVENING STORYTIME

**1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month | 6:30 p.m. |**

**Friends Room**

## YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD: HELP PLAN LIBRARY PROGRAMS!

*Ages 12+*

**3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month | 5:30 p.m. |**

**Friends Room**

## TEEN IDEA LAB

*Ages 10+*

**3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month | 3:30 p.m. |**

**Friends Room**

## WALK INTO HISTORY!

**Ongoing**

The Glendora Library offers historic walking tours on demand. Choose from three available options. Contact the Library for more information.

I'd like to know  
*What* is possible

WITH THE LIBRARY, I CAN.

Have a dream, a goal, or a curiosity? Let us know how we can help.  
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