



ELGIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

LIBRARY NEWS

NOVEMBER 2017

The Elgin Public Library

will be closed Friday,

November 10th

for Veteran's Day,

AND

November 23rd to 25th

for Thanksgiving.



Five ways to entertain kids at their Thanksgiving table:

- 1) Coloring or crafts.
- 2) Jenga and other games.
- 3) Have them write a Gratitude Card.
- 4) Let the children put on a play or show for the adults.
- 5) Keep them included in the Adult Table discussions.



CHILDREN & YOUTH PROGRAMMING

LAPSIT & STORYTIME PROGRAM @ 10:30

Every Tuesday for 3-5 year olds @ 10:30 am.

Lapsit Program for 0-2 year olds @ 10:45 am.



ARTS & CRAFTS

Every Wednesday @ 4:30 pm.

November 1st

November 8th

November 15th

November 22nd

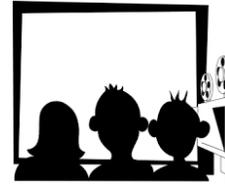
November 29th



FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Thursday, November 16th

@ 6:00 pm.



TEXAS BLUEBONNET BOOK CLUB

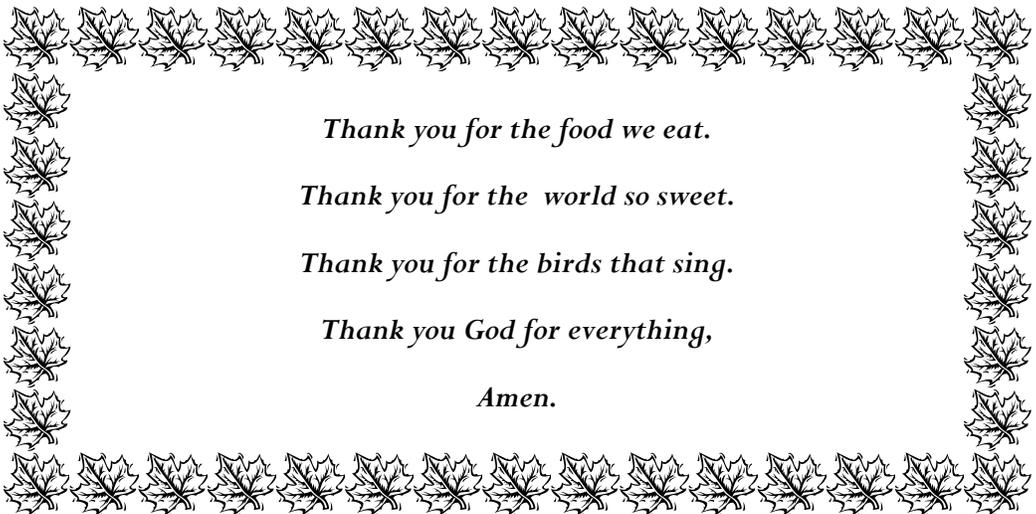
Children may still enroll for the Bluebonnet Award Voting.

The Bluebonnet Book Club is for Grades 3-6.

Check the Elgin Public Library for new 2017-2018 Reading List Books.

Texas Bluebonnet Book Club Voting will be Saturday, January 20th, 2018.

Read Five, Then Decide!



Thank you for the food we eat.

Thank you for the world so sweet.

Thank you for the birds that sing.

Thank you God for everything,

Amen.

Dear Friends:
 One of the most enjoyable fall activities in Central Texas is attending one of our many festivals. One of my favorite festivals (after Hog Eye, of course) is the Texas Book Festival (TBF). The TBF is one of the largest literary festivals in the US and over 275 authors will be featured this year. THREE of the featured authors, Kinky Friedman, Sarah Bird and Kathi Appelt, have also been past speakers for our literary events here in Elgin! It was also just announced that Tom Hanks will be in attendance and present his first collection of short stories as well. This year the TBF will be held on November 4th & 5th at the State Capitol. During the festival you can attend sessions and hear authors speak, browse book sales, get signed editions of books, hear live music, and visit food trucks. There are children's books, story times, and activities too. A favorite venue is the Cooking Tent where you can see cookbook authors whip up something delicious from their books. Best of all- The TBF gives grants to improve library collections- and our very own Elgin Library has been the recipient of TBF funds! So come on out to the Texas Book Festival and celebrate books- it's a terrific time and a terrific cause.
 Laura Stough President, Friends of the Elgin Library.

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday 10 to 7
 Wednesday 10 to 6
 Thursday 10 to 7
 Friday 10 to 6
 Saturday 10 to 4

Closed Sunday and Monday

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ADULT PROGRAMMING

ADULT CRAFT AFTERNOON

Friday, November 3rd @ 1:30

Craft: Felt & Pine Cone Elves

The Library has felt, elf heads, bells, glue gun, and pine cones. Bring your own if you have any!



TRAVEL CLUB



Friday, November 10th 2:00 to 3:30

Topic: To be determined

Speaker will discuss their experiences while visiting new places. All welcome!



AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

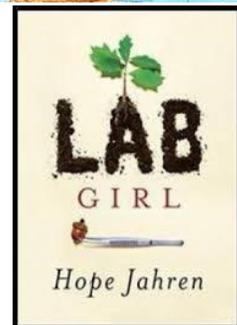
Tuesday, November 14th @ 2:00

Hillbilly Elegy, by J. D. Vance.

POTLUCK BOOK CLUB

Friday, November 17th @ 6:00

Lab Girl, by Hope Jahren.



CITIZENSHIP CLASS

Monday and Wednesday

6:00 to 8:00 pm.

CLASES de INGLES

English as a Second Language Level 1

Tuesday and Thursday

6:00 to 8:00 pm.



TGIF MOVIE with Popcorn!

Friday, November 17th @ 1:00

The Great Waldo Pepper (1975) color



JOB HUNTERS

- ◆ Receive one-on-one help
- ◆ Have your resume reviewed
- ◆ Get help with online job applications

Call for appointment at 512-303-3916 or drop by to meet Denise Ross, a Workforce Development Specialist with the Texas Workforce Commission in the Meeting Room.

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Call or bring your device to register through the Library website.

512-281-5678

