

The Elgin Public Library

will be closed

Saturday,

October 28th

for the

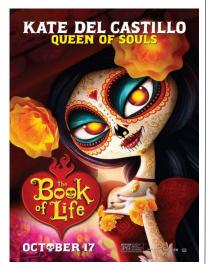
Elgin Hog-Eye festival

on Main Street.



## FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Thursday, October 19th @ 6:00 pm.



## **ELGIN PUBLIC LIBRARY**

## LIBRARY NEWS

OCTOBER 2017

## **CHILDREN & YOUTH PROGRAMMING**

### **FALL FESTIVAL**

Thursday, October 5th from 5:00 to 8:00 pm.



Scariest Short Story Contest- form at front desk of the Library.

Halloween Coloring Contest- sheet at front desk of the Library.

Pumpkin Decorating Contest-register day of Fall Festival.

Flavor of Fall Cooking- register day of Fall Festival.



Best Halloween Children's Costume Contest 0-4 yrs old @ 6:00 pm.

Best Halloween Children's Costume Contest 5-18 yrs old @ 7:00 pm.

Also: Magic Show, Twist Balloons, Food, Arts & Crafts and Bonzo Crunch!

## 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.

Special Halloween Lapsit & Storytime- October 31st @ 11:00 am.



### **ARTS & CRAFTS**

Every Wednesday @ 4:30 pm.

October 4th- Paper Bats October 11th- Jack-o-Lantern October 18th- Popsicle Sticks October 25th-Witch







Texas Bluebonnet Book Club will meet from 10:00 to 11:00 am:

Saturday, October 7th Saturday, October 14th

The Bluebonnet Book Club is for Grades 3-6.

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



#### Dear Friends:

Like many of you, I love to readand when I am in the midst of a good book, my whole world seems a little better, a bit brighter. And, with the advent of electronic reading devices, we now have many more ways to access print. Being a "compulsive reader" (as one friend calls me) I always make sure I have plenty of book stock. I have a Kindle Paperwhite and subscribe to Kindle Unlimited. Amazon Prime allows me to check out one best seller once a month. I have RB Digital on my tablet to download electronic library books. I have access to thousands of electronic books through my university on my computer. But still...many times I download a book onto one of these devices and I find it wasn't what I was looking for, I lose interest, or it isn't a book of what I consider high quality. Funny enough I often find my best reads at the Elgin Public Library. I'm not sure if it is that hard copy books are more attractive or if the books are particularly well-chosen by our librarians- but I can always cheer myself by walking through the stacks and checking out the delicious selection. Our library contains over 38,000 items- most bought with the help of the Friends. Come browse and make your own day a little beter. 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

# FRIENDS of the ELGIN LIBRARY

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### ADULT PROGRAMMING

### ADULT CRAFT AFTERNOON

Friday, October 6th @ 1:30

Craft: Tie Dye

Bring your own washed cotton item and make a work

of art!

## TRAVEL CLUB 🖂 🏜 🚨

Friday, October 13th 2:00 to 3:30 Topic: Thailand Speakers will be Tim Kraycsir.

### AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, October 10th @ 2:00

Into the Magic Shop, by James R. Doty.

### POTLUCK BOOK CLUB

Friday, October 20th @ 6:00 The Leftovers, by Tom Perrotta.

### CITIZENSHIP CLASS

Monday and Wednesday 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

### CLASES dé INGLES

English as a Second Language Level 1 Tuesday and Thursday 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

TGIF MOVIE with Popcorn!
Friday, October 20th @ 1:00
Mrs. Miniver (1942) black and white









## **JOB HUNTERS**

Denise will return middle of October.

- ♦ 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. We now offer ebooks and
Audio books through
Rb digital and magazines through
Zinio for Libraries.
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the Library website.

