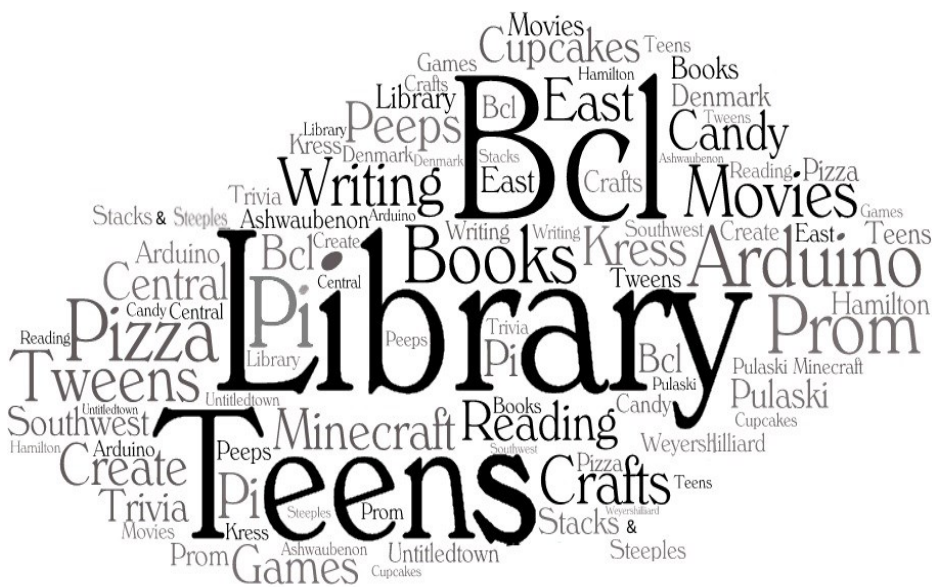


**Brown County Library  
Events  
For Tweens & Teens  
January - February 2018**



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# Central Library

515 Pine St., Green Bay

448-5846

**Mondays, January 8 & February 12** **3:30-5:00 pm**  
**Gaming on the Big Screen** Play video and board games in the TeenZone.

**Thursday, January 11** **6:00-7:30 pm**  
**Tween Writers, Readers and Artists: Journaling for Teens and Tweens**  
Journaling isn't just about writing down what happened during the day. You can release pent-up feelings, make lists, work out problems, draw, and say things you don't want anyone else to know. Decorate a blank journal (provided by us) and spend some time filling a few pages. *Grades 6 & up*

**Saturday, January 13** **10:00 am-3:00 pm**  
**Countdown to ComicCon: RetroCon.** Feeling nostalgic for those days spent in the arcade? We'll be featuring retro game systems and games, trivia, and a game-themed escape room (call 448-5825 to reserve a spot for your group). No quarters needed! Costumes welcome.

**Monday, January 15** **12:00-3:00 pm**  
**Retrogame Escape Room** A repeat of our escape room from RetroCon. Call 448-5846 to register your group.

**Friday, January 19** **1:30-3:00 pm**

**Thursday, February 22** **6:00-7:30 pm**

**Arduino at the Library!** Write code, invent & interact with your environment with Arduino. Have you ever wanted to learn the basics of writing code or building small electronics? Arduino is a credit-card-sized, programmable micro-controller that can read sensors and will turn on lights, run motors, and more, based on the code you write. Once you know the basics, the possibilities are endless! *Space is limited, call (920) 448-5846 to register.*

**Friday, January 19** **3:15-4:45 pm**

**Thursday, February 22** **6:00-7:30 pm**

**Arduino Club** For kids and teens ages 10-18 who have attended an Arduino at the Library event. Build new projects and learn more about coding. Guided projects help to expand on your Arduino. If you've already attended a club with the scheduled guided projects, come for the open play with our kits and extra electronic components. Come with ideas or we'll help you find a project to try. *Space is limited; call 448-5846 to register for one or both halves of an Arduino Club session.*

**January 19: *RGB LEDs*** RGB (red, green, blue) LEDs can display almost any color in the rainbow, all from one tiny LED bulb! Learn how to create a vibrant "mood light" that turns on when the lights are dimmed in a room.

**Guided Project: 3:15 –4:00 pm    Open Play: 4:00 - 4:45 pm**

**February 22: *Potentiometers*** A potentiometers is a simple knob that can be used to control variety of components, from LEDs to motors. Learn how to use a potentiometer to add a new layer of complexity to simple projects!

**Guided Project: 6:00 –6:45 pm    Open Play: 6:45 - 7:30 pm**

## Central Library *continued*

Thursday, February 8

6:00-7:00 pm

**Tween Writers, Readers and Artists: *What's So Funny?!*** They say laughter is the best medicine. Get your daily dose of giggles with us! Write captions for our funny photos, share something humorous you've read, and try your hand at writing jokes and puns. *Grades 6 & up*

## Ashwaubenon Branch

492-4913

1060 Orlando Dr., Green Bay

Wednesdays, January 17 & February 21

6:00 pm

**Creative Writing for Tweens and Teens** Published author/freelance writer Sharon Verbeten leads these monthly sessions where you can meet other writers, improve your skills and share your work (if you'd like). Writers of poetry, fan fiction, short stories and all creative writing welcome. *Ages 12+*

Tuesday, January 23

3:30 pm

**Weather or Not, Build a Snowman!** It's the dead of winter; what else have you got to do? Join us for snowman building outside (if there's snow) and inside (with boxes and other random stuff)!

Wednesday, February 7

3:30 pm

**Root Beer and Trivia: *Olympics Theme*** How much do you know about past Olympic sports and winners?

Wednesday, February 14

3:30 pm

**Didn't Get a Valentine?** Don't sweat it! Celebrate love or drown your sorrows at our valentine party, complete with punch and a popcorn bar!

Wednesday, February 21

3:30 pm

**Silly Chilly Olympics** Get some fresh air and join Miss Sharon for some silly Olympic-style tomfoolery and games outside!

## stuff you'll love!



### Libby

Download e-books and audiobooks using Libby, the NEW app from Overdrive. [browncountylibrary.org/overdrive](http://browncountylibrary.org/overdrive)



### Are you in Driver's Ed?

Be better prepared! Check out the practice driving tests on the Teen page of our website.

## Denmark Branch

863-6613

450 N. Wall St., Denmark

**Monday, January 8**

**6:00 pm**

**Star Wars: Jedi (K)night** Race against your friends in the Boonta Eve Classic, make your own lightsaber, show off your Star Wars knowledge during our trivia contest, and become one with the Force while making Star Wars themed crafts. There will also be a costume contest, so come dressed as your favorite character and have your picture taken with Darth Vader or R2-D2. Snacks and prizes, we will have. May the Force be with you, always!

**Wednesday, January 17**

**5:00-7:30 pm**

**Family Game Night** Come play with us! We'll have board games, card games, and a Wii U on hand for Mario Kart and fast paced matches of Super Smash Bros. Drop in and play an old favorite or learn something new.

**Wednesday, February 7**

**3:30-5:00 pm**

**Escape Room** Can you escape in time? Players will be "locked" in a room and have to use elements of the room to solve a series of puzzles and escape within a set time limit.

**Thursday, February 22**

**3:30-4:30 pm**

**Minecraft and Lego Fun** Minecraft is a wildly popular sandbox game in which you can collect resources and build almost any design you can imagine. Interact with your friends in a virtual Minecraft world using the library's laptop computers or build with your friend's in the real world with LEGOs. Either way, this program is for you!

## East Branch

391-4600

2255 Main St., Green Bay

**Friday, January 19**

**1:00 pm, 1:45 pm, 2:30 pm & 3:15 pm**

**ESCAPE from the Disney Villains!** Do you have what it takes to outsmart Jafar, Scar and Ursula? Work as a team to solve puzzles and search for clues, or be stuck with the Villains forever! Up to four people per team. *Reservations are required; call 391-4600 to save your spot.*

**Wednesday, February 14**

**5:30 pm**

**Teen Movie Night: Pride and Prejudice and Zombies** Come and enjoy a romantic horror movie on Valentine's Day. Sweet treats included! *PG-13, 2016, 1 hr 48 min. Details at: [browncountylibrary.org/movies-at-the-library/](http://browncountylibrary.org/movies-at-the-library/)*

***All Brown County Library locations  
will be CLOSED Monday, January 1,  
AND February 9, 2018.***

## Kress Family Branch

448-4407

333 N. Broadway, De Pere

**January**

**Call to set up a time**

**Last Chance! Escape Room: Chef's Secret** Do you have what it takes to escape? Look for clues, solve puzzles and beat the time limit in this fun group challenge. Gather a group of 4-6 people and call 448-4407 to sign up for a time slot. *Ages 10+*

**Mondays, January 22 & February 19**

**1:00-3:00 pm**

**Homeschool Hangout** Meet up at the library to socialize with other homeschooled tweens/teens. Board games, crafts and snacks will be set out in a casual atmosphere where connections can be made and interests shared. *Ages 10-17*

**Saturday, January 27**

**1:00-3:00 pm**

**Harry Potter Crafts** Dress in your Hogwarts finest and hang out with fellow witches and wizards while making Harry Potter inspired crafts. (Muggles also welcome.) Sign up is appreciated, please call 448-4407. *Ages 10-17*

**Saturday, February 24**

**1:00-3:00 pm**

**Minute to Win It: Library Edition** Get ready to laugh as you and your friends participate in ridiculous challenges. Sign up is appreciated, please call 448-4407. *Ages 10-17*

## Pulaski Branch

822-3220

222 W. Pulaski St., Pulaski

**Wednesday, January 17**

**3:30 pm**

**Do you Wanna Build a Snowman?** Too cold outside to build a snowman? Come inside and make a no-sew sock snowman! We'll have clean socks and all the supplies needed. Registration appreciated but not required.

**Monday, January 29**

**Drop-In: 3:00-7:00 pm**

**Puzzle-Mania** Beat the boredom of winter with our huge assortment of puzzles. Try your hand at traditional puzzles, crosswords, Sodoku, brain teasers and much, much more! We'll even have a "Make Your Own Puzzle" station! So what are you waiting for? Grab a friend or your family and see if you can crack these puzzles! All ages welcomed and encouraged to attend!

**Wednesday, February 7**

**3:30 pm**

**Warm and Fuzzy Valentines** Come and make some adorable Pom Monsters to give to your Valentine. All supplies provided. Registration appreciated but not required. *Ages 10+*

## Pulaski Branch *continued*

**Wednesday, February 28**

**Drop-In: 3:00-7:00 pm**

**Indoor Winter Games** Think you have what it takes to compete in the Winter Olympics...or just want to have some fun away from the cold? Drop in and vie for bragging rights (and maybe a sweet reward) in our fabulous indoor games. We'll have snowman bowling, indoor hopscotch, paper airplane races, snowball toss, and fidget spinner hockey. Bring some friends or the whole family! All ages welcomed and encouraged to attend.

## Southwest Branch

**492-4910**

974 Ninth St., Green Bay

**Mondays, January 8 & February 12**

**6:00 pm**

**Write On!** Join librarian and blog writer Terra and hang out with other teen writers at this monthly creative writing group. Discuss ideas, get tips, and if you're feeling brave, share your own work! *Ages 12+*.

**Friday, January 26**

**2:00-4:00 pm**

**Ozobots Open Lab** Have fun with Ozobots! By using different color markers to draw, these mini robots can be programmed to follow commands. Channel your ideas into reality – create racetracks, puzzles, mazes, obstacle loops, and more! Come anytime during this session to get started.

**Friday, February 23**

**2:00 pm**

**Winter Wii Olympics: Wisconsin Edition** Compete at snowmobiling, tubing, and ice fishing. RSVP appreciated 920-492-4910 or [BC\\_Library\\_Southwest@co.brown.wi.us](mailto:BC_Library_Southwest@co.brown.wi.us)

## Weyers-Hilliard Branch

**448-4405**

2680 Riverview Dr., Howard

**Thursday, January 4**

**9:00 am-5:00 pm**

**On-the-Spot Trivia** Celebrate National Trivia Day with a drop-in trivia challenge. No books, no internet, just your brains. Know enough random stuff and you could take home a small prize!

**Mondays, January 8 & February 5**

**6:00 pm**

**Teen Book Club** For January and February we're reading...whatever you want to read! There's no assigned book, just come and tell us about what you've been reading lately. Light snacks provided.

**Tuesday, January 16 & Wednesday, January 17**

**3:30-8:00 pm**

**Exam Cram** Need a quiet place to study? We're reserving our meeting room just for you! Just drop in for a solo study space or quiet group work. We'll have stress relief activities in case you need a break and light snacks to keep you going!

## Weyers-Hilliard Branch *continued*

GREATER GREEN BAY  
**STEM** **Monday, January 22** **6:00 pm**  
NETWORK  
**Teen STEAM: Stress Relief Yoga** Whew! Finals are over, but does the thought of a new semester stress you out? Join us for a special yoga session just for grades 6-12. Dress comfortably and bring a yoga mat if you have one. Space is limited, call 448-4405 to register.

GREATER GREEN BAY  
**STEM** **Thursdays, January 25 & February 22** **3:30-4:45 pm**  
NETWORK  
**Curious about Coding Club** Want to learn more about this coding thing, but don't know where to start? Start here! Join us for hands-on activities each month to learn and practice coding skills. Library computers available on a first-come first-served basis, or bring your own device.

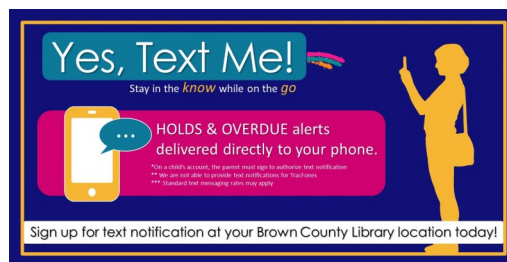
**Tuesday, January 30** **6:30 pm**  
**Friends and Family Game Night** Join your friends for a night of fun and games. Bring a favorite from home to share, or play one of the many the library has to offer.

**Saturday, February 3** **12:00-3:00 pm**  
**Do You Want to Build a Snowman?** Can't make it to Lake Geneva for the National Snow Sculpting competition this weekend? We can't either, so we're going to sculpt right here! Bring your family and friends and make a snowman at the library. Carrots and coal provided; you may bring other supplies, but we can't guarantee they won't blow away. *Subject to snow conditions.*

**Tuesday, February 13** **5:00-7:45 pm**  
**Teen Escape** It's the day before Valentine's Day and you find yourself locked in a room with Cupid. Can you figure out the clues to let him out? Choose the Valentine's Day or Anti-Valentine's Day version. Space is limited; call 448-4405 to reserve your timeslot. *Grades 6-12, in teams of up to 4 people.*

**Saturday, February 17** **2:00 pm**  
**Teen Movie Matinee: Beetlejuice** It's Flashback February! There's renewed talk of a sequel so we're showing the original 80's classic. Get here early for a comfy chair and watch it on our big screen! *PG, 1988, 1 hr 32 min.*  
*Details at: [browncountylibrary.org/movies-at-the-library/](http://browncountylibrary.org/movies-at-the-library/)*

GREATER GREEN BAY  
**STEM** **Monday, February 19** **6:00 pm**  
NETWORK  
**Teen STEAM: Candy Hearts Challenges** Our librarians got too many candy hearts this Valentine's Day and we need your help to dispose of them. Participate in a variety of challenges using the colorful little candies.



## Wrightstown Branch

615 Main Street, Wrightstown

532-4011

**Wednesday, January 31**

**5:00 pm**

**Teen Paint Night** Enjoy a night of creativity and fun with a night of step-by-step painting guided by an instructor. Celebrate National Fill Your Heart With Art Day by painting your own masterpiece. Registration is required, call 532-4011 to reserve your spot. *Ages 11 +*

**Monday, February 26**

**6:30 pm**

**Teen Trivia: *Black History Month*** Honor our country's history and train your brain with this night of trivia at the library. The highest score wins a special treat! Registration appreciated but not required, call 532-4011 to register.



### An Original Music Series

**Sundays, February 11, 18, 25  
and March 4 & 11**

**12:30 - 3:00 p.m.**

**(Doors open at 12:00 pm)**

**Central Library Auditorium**

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