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November 2025

## Library Hours

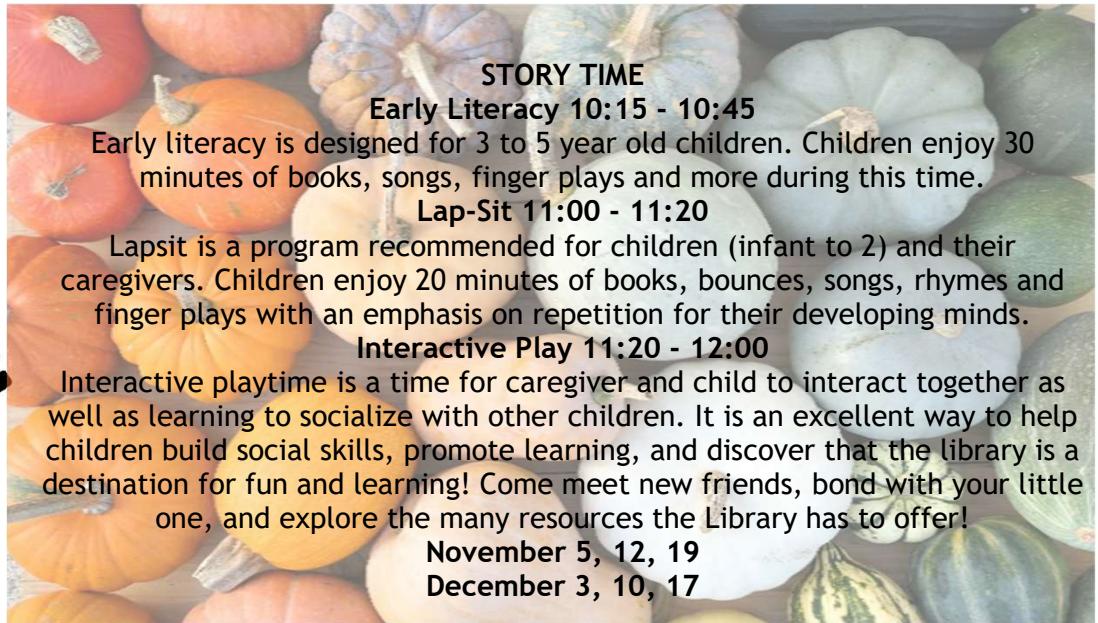
Monday	10:00 - 5:00
Tuesday	10:00 - 7:00
Wednesday	10:00 - 5:00
Thursday	10:00 - 7:00
Friday	10:00 - 5:00
Saturday	10:00 - 2:00
Sunday	CLOSED

## E-RESOURCE SPOTLIGHT



### CONGRESS.GOV

Congress.gov is the official website for U.S. federal legislative information.



## STORY TIME

### Early Literacy 10:15 - 10:45

Early literacy is designed for 3 to 5 year old children. Children enjoy 30 minutes of books, songs, finger plays and more during this time.

### Lap-Sit 11:00 - 11:20

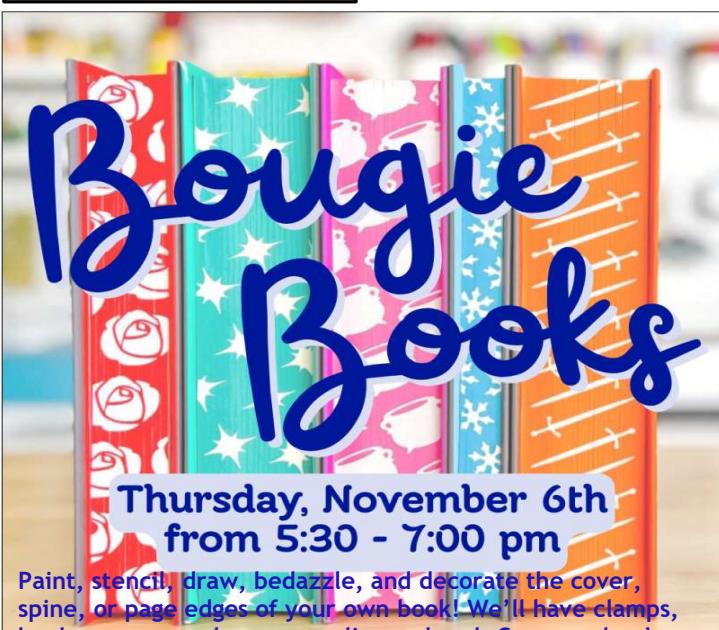
Lapsit is a program recommended for children (infant to 2) and their caregivers. Children enjoy 20 minutes of books, bounces, songs, rhymes and finger plays with an emphasis on repetition for their developing minds.

### Interactive Play 11:20 - 12:00

Interactive playtime is a time for caregiver and child to interact together as well as learning to socialize with other children. It is an excellent way to help children build social skills, promote learning, and discover that the library is a destination for fun and learning! Come meet new friends, bond with your little one, and explore the many resources the Library has to offer!

November 5, 12, 19

December 3, 10, 17



Paint, stencil, draw, bedazzle, and decorate the cover, spine, or page edges of your own book! We'll have clamps, book presses, and some supplies on hand. Come-and-go!

Friends of the Orange Public Library Inc. Annual Meeting

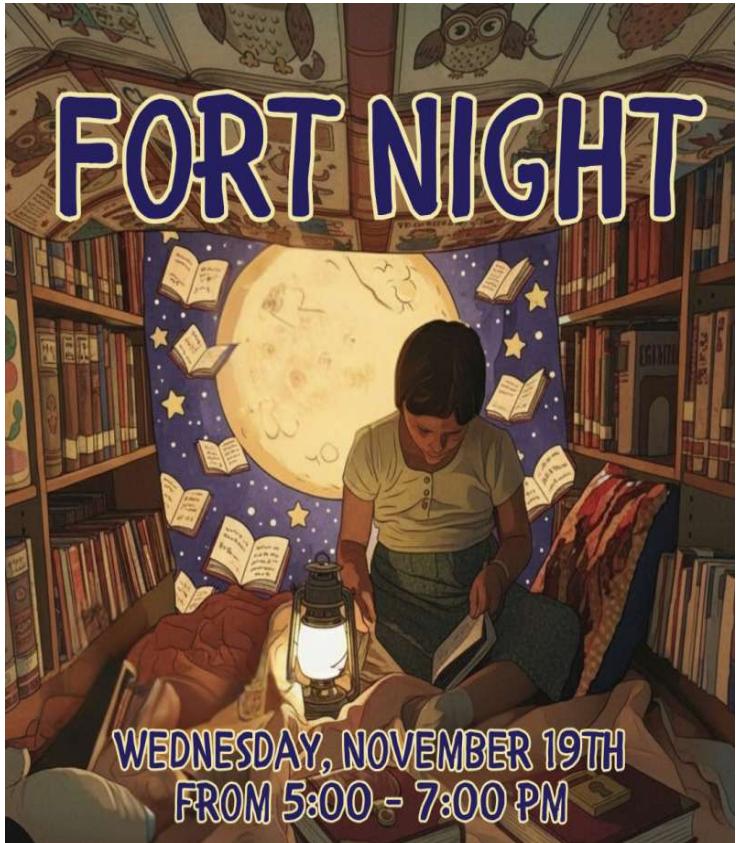
November 15, 2025

10:30 AM

The American Association of University Women will present the Library Family of the Year.

Light refreshments will be available.

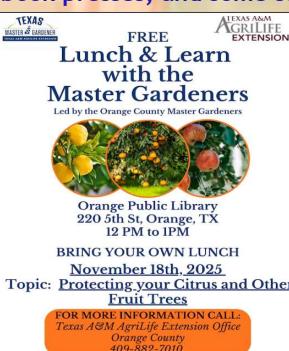
## FORT NIGHT



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH  
FROM 5:00 - 7:00 PM

On Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm, head to the library with your pillows and blankets! Relax in your cozy hideaway while you read books, tell stories, and play your favorite games.

Come visit, **ask**, borrow, **interlibrary loan**, **PLAY**, **read**, **learn**, **attend**, **suggest**, **relax**, **meet**, **watch**, **BROWSE**, **color**, keep warm/cool



# Ways to Help YOUR Library...

## ***Friends of the Orange Public Library, Inc.***

The Friends support the Orange Public Library in many ways, they sponsor events, purchase special items that the Library could not otherwise afford, and donate their time to help with special projects. The Friends organization and its members are invaluable to the Library and its staff. For more information contact the Library at 409-883-1086.

## ***Volunteer***

The Library is always looking for volunteers. Volunteers that work a weekly schedule help keep the books shelved and in the correct location. Student volunteers work to make sure the Summer Reading Program runs smoothly. Volunteers with special talents or knowledge of art, design, gaming and anime are perfect for special projects. For more information contact the Library at 409-883-1086.

## ***Donate***

We accept the following items:

- Books for adults
- Books for kids
- Books on CD
- DVDs
- Magazines (less than two years old)
- National Geographic Magazines (any)



We add items to our collection, replace worn-out copies, and sell many donations via a partnership with Thriftbooks.

**Please no textbooks, encyclopedia sets, or VHS tapes**

## ***And***

Get your card updated, pay your late fees, honor a loved one with an honor or memorial book, return your books in a timely manner so more patrons can enjoy them.

**Thank you so much!**



By joining the Friends of the Orange Public Library, Inc., your membership dues provide funding for unique programs, extra materials, and enhanced services. You can also get involved with a variety of wonderful activities at the Orange Public Library.

## **Cookies and Coloring (Adults only)**

**Thursdays 11:30 AM - 2:00 PM**

**Looking for a way to reduce stress and unwind?**

**Join us for an afternoon of fun and coloring.**

This program is FREE to anyone ages 17 and up who would like to attend. We ask for no children in the coloring room; however, kids over the age of 12 are welcome to enjoy the Library while you relax and color your cares away.

**Please invite your friends!**

**Coloring sheets and colored pencils/pens will be provided for use, but feel free to bring your own. Bring your brown bag lunch, we will have water and cookies.**

**Registration is not required.**

**Drop-ins welcome. Come and Go.**

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

**November 4 - Election Day**

**November 5 - Early Literacy**

**November 5 - Lapsit**

**November 5 - Interactive Play**

**November 6 - Adult Coloring**

**November 6 - Game Night**

**November 6 - Bougie Books**

**November 11 - CLOSED**

**November 12 - Early Literacy**

**November 12 - Lapsit**

**November 12 - Interactive Play**

**November 13 - Adulting**

**Coloring**

**November 13 - Game Night**

**November 15 - "Friends of the Orange Public Library, Inc" Annual Meeting**

**November 18 - Lunch and Learn with the Master Gardeners - Winterizing Your Citrus Trees**

**November 19 - Early Literacy**

**November 19 - Lapsit**

**November 19 - Interactive Play**

**November 19 - Fort Night**

**November 20 - Adult Coloring**

**November 20 - Game Night**

**November 27 - CLOSED**

**November 28 - CLOSED**

**November 29 - CLOSED**

## **It's Game Night at the Library!!!**

The best times are always found when friends and family gather!

The program is open to all ages.

Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult. A variety of

games will be available from children's games (Old Maid, Chutes & Ladders) to classics (Life, Yahtzee and Mastermind) to newer games (Catan and Ticket to Ride) to video games (PS5 and Nintendo Switch).

Registration is not required. Drop-ins welcome.

Come and Go.

This program is FREE to anyone who would like to attend.

Thursdays 4:00 - 6:30 PM