


DECEMBER 2025

BATAVIA PUBLIC LIBRARY Youth Services Programs

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	01	02	03	04	05	06
07 ● Polar Bear Art Workshop Grades K-5 2 - 3 pm Winter Reading Challenge Begins	08	09 ● Chess Club Ages 6-14 7 - 8 pm	10	11	12 ● Sensory Playtime: Ice, Ice, Baby Ages 2-6 with a caregiver 10 - 10:45 am	13 Handmade for the Holidays All ages 10 am - 5 pm
14	15 ● Artist Adventures: Paul Klee Grades 1-5 4:30 - 5:30 pm	16 ● Stuffies & Stories Families 6:30 - 7 pm	17	18	19	20 Chill, Craft, and Color All ages 9 am - 5 pm Junior Volunteer Applications Due
21 Chill, Craft, and Color All ages 12 - 5 pm	22 ● Gingerbread House Battle Families 10:30 - 11:30 am ● Holiday Gingerbread House Grades 5-8 2 - 3 pm	23	24 25 Library closed for Christmas		26 Family Movie Morning: "Onward" All ages 10:30 am - 12:30 pm	27 Drop-In Family Game Day 9 am - 4:30 pm
28 LEGO Club Families 2 - 3:30 pm	29 ● Story Sprouts Ages 2 and older with a caregiver 6:30 - 7 pm	30 Dan Gogh's Magic and Art Show Families 10:30 - 11:15 am Tickets available December 16	31 Library closed for New Year's	Registration required = ● Drop-in tickets = ● Please visit our website for additional program details. 		

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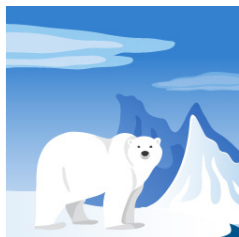
Phone:
630-879-1393 ext. 500

Hours

Monday - Thursday
9 am - 9 pm

Friday - Saturday
9 am - 5 pm

Sunday
12 pm - 5 pm



Polar Bear Art Workshop

SUNDAY, DEC. 7

2 - 3 pm

Grades K-5

Imagine what life is like in the Arctic and learn about the conservation movement. Then sculpt and decorate your own polar bear! Hosted by Crayola Imagine Arts Academy. Please register.



Handmade for the Holidays

SATURDAY, DEC. 13

10 am - 5 pm

All ages

Drop in at the library and make a simple craft that you can give as a gift; while supplies last. Children ages 8 and younger must be accompanied by an adult.



Gingerbread House

MONDAY, DEC. 22

10:30 - 11:30 am Families

2 - 3 pm Grades 5-8

Bring your imagination and creativity to build the ultimate Holiday Gingerbread House. Materials are provided. Please register.



Family Movie Morning: "Onward"

FRIDAY, DEC. 26

10:30 am - 12:30 pm

All ages

Find the Phoenix Gem and discover a world of magic during this movie showing at the Library. Crafts and snacks will be provided.



Story Sprouts

MONDAY, DEC. 29

6:30 - 7 pm

Ages 2 and older with a caregiver

Stories, songs, and shenanigans on a Monday evening; what could be better? Feel free to bring a favorite stuffed animal along for the fun!

Registered Storytimes

Winter Session runs from Jan. 13 through Feb. 5
Registration begins Dec. 12

Baby Storytime Prewalkers

Ages: 0-23 months

TUESDAYS | 9:30 - 10 am

Stories, songs, and early literacy skills for babies not yet walking. Attend with a caregiver. Please register.

Baby Storytime Walkers

Ages: 0-23 months

TUESDAYS | 10:30 - 11 am

Stories, songs, and early literacy skills for babies who are walking. Attend with a caregiver. Please register.

Toddler Time

Ages: 2-3

WEDNESDAYS | 10 - 10:30 am

Stories, songs, rhymes, and a craft. Attend with a caregiver. Please register.

Preschool Storytime

Ages: 4-6

THURSDAYS | 10 - 10:45 am

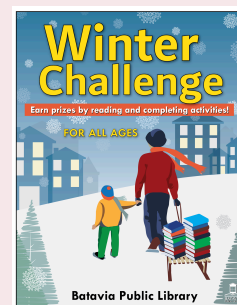
Stories, songs, and more. Children may attend on their own or with a caregiver. Please register.

2025-2026 Winter Reading Challenge

SUNDAY, DEC. 7 -
SATURDAY, JAN. 31

Ages: 0-14

Children being read to and independent readers are invited to join the 2025-2026 Winter Reading Challenge. Read whatever you like, record your reading on the Beanstack app or a paper log and earn prizes.



Dan Gogh's Magic and Art Show

TUESDAY, DEC. 30

10:30 - 11:15 am

Families

Artist-Magician Dan Gogh uses comedy, magic, and art to unlock the mystery of creativity. Prepare to be amazed, inspired, and laugh all the way as you join us on this one-of-a-kind journey! Tickets are required and will be available at the Youth Services Desk beginning Tuesday, Dec. 16.