



FALL 2025

TEEN SERVICES

All programs require registration unless otherwise noted.

SPECIAL EVENTS

SEPT

16
4-5PM

THE LIFE FORMULA PRESENTS: TEEN VISION BOARD PARTY

The Life Formula is all about helping you take control of your life. Through fun games, real talk, you'll learn how to make smart choices, build better relationships, boost your confidence and reach your goals—one habit at a time. Pizza will be served!

SEPT

17
7:30-8:15PM

5 PROVEN TACTICS TO HELP YOUR STUDENT STUDY BETTER (WEBINAR)

We will explore five proven tactics to build better routines and skill sets at home, strengthening the home-school connection.

OCT

21
4-5PM

TEEN TRIVIA TUESDAY: TWILIGHT (FILMS 1-3)

Three things we are absolutely positive about: first, we are hosting a Twilight film trivia. Second, we need you to come, local! And third, you will unconditionally and irrevocably love playing. Hold on tight, spider monkey! We're going to Forks, Washington. Drop-ins welcome.

NOV

12
7:30-8:15PM

TOP 5 MUST-KNOW TAKEAWAYS FROM COLLEGE ADMISSIONS 2025: (WEBINAR)

We will cover best practices, resume building, creating a balanced college list, making the most of college visits, understanding standardized testing, and other vital aspects of the journey from high school to college.

NOV

14
4-5PM

GAME ON @ RPL

Ready? Set? Game On @ RPL! Celebrate International Games Month with an afternoon of gaming. From life size to tabletop games, Nintendo Switch tournaments and retro gaming consoles - come enjoy some friendly competition! No registration required. All are welcome.



MONTHLY PROGRAMS

TEEN TECH CLUB

MON, OCT 20, NOV 17, DEC 8, 4-6PM

Explore the wide world of tech with Teen Tech Club.

- Oct 20: WaveMakers DIY Coding & Theremin Workshop.

D&D: TEEN GAME

MON, OCT 27, 6-7:30PM

Come play the most famous tabletop role playing game ever! Grades 6-8.

ALL BOOKED PODCAST

WED, OCT 1, NOV 5 & DEC 3, 4PM

RPL Librarians chat about their current reads. Watch on YouTube, Facebook, Spotify or wherever you listen to your favorite podcasts. No registration required.

NOT ANOTHER TEEN MOVIE...NIGHT

THURS, OCT 2, 9 & 16, 4-6PM

- Oct 2: Twilight (PG-13, 2h 10m)
- Oct 9: New Moon (PG-13, 2h 10m)
- Oct 16: Eclipse (PG-13, 2h 4m)

Grab a snack and ask yourself: are you Team Edward or Team Jacob? No registration required.

TEEN TAKE OUT

FRI, SEPT 5, OCT 3, NOV 7 & DEC 5, 4PM

Crafters unite! Stop by the library and pick up a DIY Teen Take Out Kit. While supplies last. No registration required.

THINGS TO DO IN THE TEEN ROOM

TEEN GUESSING JAR

Guess the correct amount of items in our jar to win a gift card.

TEEN CREATIVE WRITING

Calling all writers! New writing prompt at the beginning of the month. Best submission will win a gift card.

ALL BOOKED BOX

Treat yourself and subscribe to receive your very own All Booked Box! Filled with a book (or two) based on your preferences, a small craft, and treats matching our theme for the month. Visit our website for more details.



TEEN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: NO ORIENTATION REQUIRED



BIBLIOMANIACS

Read a book, write a review, and earn 30 minutes of volunteer time. Visit website for guidelines and disclaimers.



RECORD A BIBLIO

Come in and record yourself reading a book review at our recording studio. Thirty minutes of volunteer time per review. Limit of two per day. Schedule an appointment through our website.



CARDS FOR HOSPITALIZED KIDS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 4-5PM

Tis the season of giving! We'll provide the supplies, you give us your time. Make three cards for a half hour of volunteer time; make five and receive an hour!

TEEN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: ORIENTATION REQUIRED

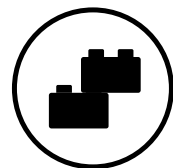


COLLECTION SPECIALIST

Organize library materials on carts, shelf-read, and straighten sections. Retrieve items from shelves to fill loan requests.

September through June schedule:

Monday-Thursday, 4-5 pm or 7-8 pm, Friday, 4-5 pm, Saturday, 9-10 am, 12-1 pm, or 3-4 pm



TEEN VOLUNTEER: BRICK BUDDIES STORYTIME

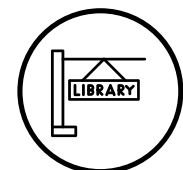
Read a book and work together on a Lego challenge with young patrons. Program dates vary month by month.



TEEN VOLUNTEER: SPECIAL EVENTS

Assist with children's programs by helping to set up, clean up, and keep children on task. Special events/programs vary month by month. Volunteers are expected to attend any scheduled meetings or orientations prior to any special events.

TEEN VOLUNTEER ORIENTATIONS



COMBINED ORIENTATIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2-3PM, MONDAYS, OCTOBER 6 & 20, 7-8PM

Learn how to become a Collection Specialist and about our Teen Volunteer Opportunities. Grades 6-12.

Orientations are mandatory and an hour long for new applicants. Online applications will be available after orientations. Visit our website for registration.

Returning volunteers, please email the Teen Department at teens@ridgewoodlibrary.org.

