



# The Loft News

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## BANNED BOOKS WEEK

SEPTEMBER 23-29, 2018  
BANNEDBOOKSWEEK.ORG

FOSTER EMPATHY.  
CHALLENGE  
CENSORSHIP.  
CROSS BORDERS.  
**WORDS HAVE POWER**  
ENCOURAGE  
CONVERSATIONS.  
CHANGE LIVES.  
INSPIRE CREATIVITY.



ENGAGE READERS. HEAL.  
BUILD COMMUNITIES.  
OPEN DOORS TO  
LITERARY WORLDS.  
**READ A BANNED BOOK**  
ADVOCATE.  
UNITE. EDUCATE.  
INFORM. EMPOWER.  
ENLIGHTEN MINDS.

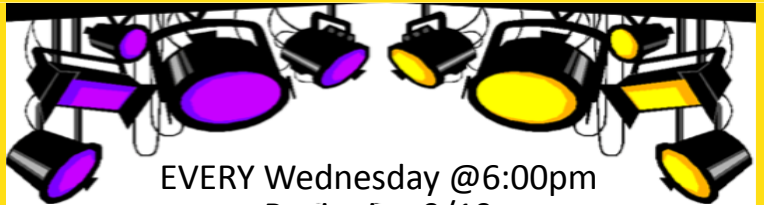
## girls who CODE

Learn computer programming in a safe & supportive environment of peers & role models in this series for young women ages 13-18.

In each meeting, participants will build on the skills learned from previous weeks.

*girls who* CODE is a national nonprofit organization dedicated to closing the gender gap in technology and to help young women see themselves as computer scientists.

**Registration is required.** Please call 736-7030.  
**Thursdays, 9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27 @ 6:00 PM**



EVERY Wednesday @6:00pm  
Beginning 9/19  
**DRAMA CLUB**  
(Teens)

Peer led drama club. Work on bringing a play to life. Design and create sets and costumes for an original production. Plays will then be performed at the library for a children's program.



Select Saturdays @2:00pm  
9/1 & 9/15  
**Otaku Club & Fandom Saturday**  
(Teens & Tweens)

Two great programs at one time! Get your geek on for Fandom Saturday and our Otaku Club. For the Otaku Club choose anime to watch, discuss manga, and more! For Fandom Saturday we will focus on a particular tv show, movie, cartoon, anime, manga, book, or comic. The fandom for 9/1 is Supernatural. The fandom for 9/15 is the Incredibles.

TEEN LOFT HOURS  
SUN 1:00PM - 4:45PM  
MON-FRI 11:30AM - 7:45PM  
SAT 10:00AM - 4:45PM



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# FREE TEEN PROGRAMS

## SUNDAYS

EVERY Sunday @1:30pm  
9/2, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23, 9/30



### **DUELING SUNDAYS** (Teens & Tweens)

Pokémon, Magic, & Yu-gi-oh! We provide the space, you bring the cards. We also have card games like Uno or Phase10 to play.

## MONDAYS

First Monday 9/3  
**LIBRARY CLOSED**



Second Monday @6:00pm 9/10  
**LGBTQ Social Group** (Older Teens & Adults)  
Come meet and socialize. Discuss issues, watch films, and more.

Third Monday @6:00pm 9/17  
**TEEN ADVISORY BOARD** (Teens)  
Help make the Teen Loft the space you want it to be. We want your input. Join today!

Fourth Monday @6:00pm 9/24  
**OUR SHARED SHELF BOOK CLUB**  
(Teens & Adults)  
Our Shared Shelf, the feminist book club that was started online by Emma Watson. Join us for an initial interest meeting, so there is no specific book designated to be discussed.

GET A LIBRARY CARD AND CHECK OUT SOMETHING

# INCREDIBLE!

September is  
Library Card  
Sign-up Month!



ALA American Library Association

## TUESDAYS

EVERY Tuesday @6:00pm  
9/4, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25

### **CREATIVE CRAFTING** (Teens & Tweens)

We provide a ton of different craft materials, you provide the imagination.

9/4 - Perler Beads  
9/11 - Zentangles  
9/18 - Watercolors  
9/25 - Air-dry Clay



## WEDNESDAYS

EVERY Wednesday @6:00pm  
9/19, 9/26

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## THURSDAYS

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9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27

### **GIRLS WHO CODE** (Teens & Tweens)

Girls join a safe & supportive environment of peers & role models. They learn to see themselves as computer scientists. REGISTRATION REQUIRED



## FRIDAYS

EVERY Friday @6:00pm  
9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28

### **GAME NIGHT!** (Teens & Tweens)

There is something for everyone, video games on the PS4, WiiU and XboxOne. Plus table-top games, board games, and over-sized games are available too! Bring your friends and challenge them to a game.

## SATURDAYS

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