

Halloween Events at Durham County Library

Durham County Library team members love Halloween! It might just be our favorite holiday. We've got the spooky decorations up, we've got our costumes planned, and most importantly, we've got some great programs on our calendar! Please see below for a selection of Halloween-themed programs, and check out [our full events calendar](#) for more.

[Doughnuts for Halloween Craft Time](#) [Main Library](#)

Saturday, October 5, 10:30 - 11 a.m.
Registration Not Required

Come join us for an early celebration of sweets for Halloween! Ms. Laurel will lead children in making a craft involving doughnuts and have real ones as a treat to take home! This event is open to preschool and early elementary ages.

[Horror Film Streak](#) [South Regional Library](#)

Wednesdays in October, 6 - 8 p.m.
Registration Required

Each Wednesday in October, South Regional Library will be showing spooky Halloween films! We'll have popcorn and some ghastly goodies for those who attend, and feel free to bring your own snacks and drinks. The film lineup is as follows: October 9: [The Amityville Horror](#) (rated R), October 16: [Devil](#) (rated PG-3), October 23: [The Cabin in the Woods](#) (rated R), and October 30: [Candyman](#) (rated R). Adults and teens 16 years or older (with parental permission) can attend R-rated films.

[Masquerade! Half-Mask Improv Workshop](#) [Southwest Regional Library](#)

Wednesday, October 16, 3 - 4 p.m.
Registration Required

One way to define improvisation is to "make it up as you go along." It also involves using what you have around you. In this workshop, Jennifer Jamsky will lead kids ages 8 and up in fun theatre exercises. To add another dimension, we will make simple masks that will cover a portion of the face and improvise some silly scenarios!

[Pumpkin Stress Ball Craft for Tweens and Teens](#) [East Regional Library](#)

Wednesday, October 16, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Registration Not Required

Tweens and teens are invited to East Regional Library for a Halloween-themed craft. Relieve your stress by making your very own stress balls and then drawing pumpkin faces on them!

[Tiny Tots Theater](#) [North Regional Library](#)

Friday, October 25, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Registration Not Required

Join Ms. Chelsea at North Regional Library for an extra special treat! We'll be having a kids' Halloween movie day, watching [Curious George: A Halloween Boo Fest](#), [Goosebumps 1](#), and [Goosebumps 2](#)! Curious George will start at 10 a.m., Goosebumps 1 will start at 11 a.m., and Goosebumps 2 will start at 3 p.m.

[Beautify Bragtown Art Series: Painting Pumpkins](#) [Bragtown Branch Library](#)

Tuesday, October 29, 3 - 5 p.m.
Registration Required

Arts and crafts lovers of all ages are welcome to join us for a relaxing and engaging afternoon of crafting at Bragtown Branch Library. Make an original creation or put your own spin on one of our guided projects! This time, we will be painting and decorating pumpkins. Materials are limited, so [register now](#) to save your spot.



[Fiesta de la Cultura 2024](#)

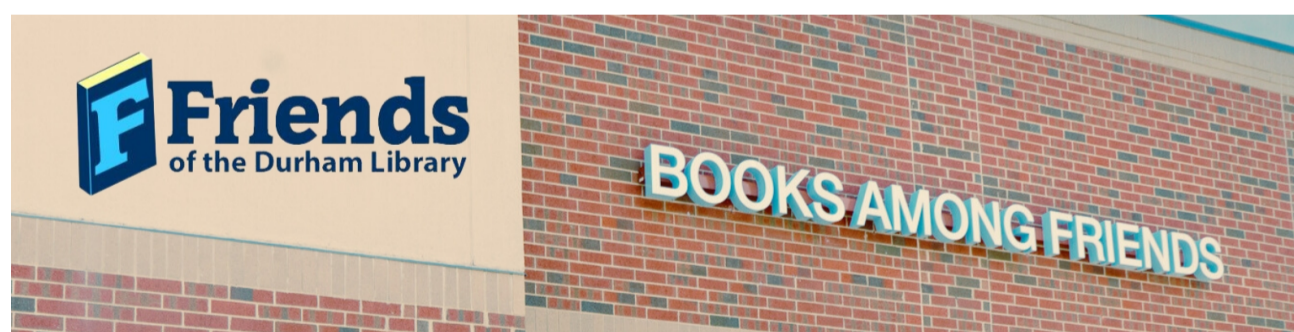
Ending October 15

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month at Durham County Library with our vibrant event series, "Fiesta de la Cultura!" Join us for a festive celebration of Hispanic culture through a variety of activities, including live music, dance performances, delicious food from local vendors, and interactive games like Lotería. The events will take place through October 15 at various library locations. All events are free and open to the public. Come experience the rich cultural heritage and traditions of the Hispanic community with family and friends. Don't miss out on this exciting celebration!

Mark your calendar for Saturday, October 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for the grand finale of Fiesta de la Cultura at [Main Library](#)! Enjoy live mariachi music, delicious food, games, and opportunities to connect with our community partners for a day of celebration and fun. Plus, don't miss a panel discussion at 3 p.m., [Trayectorias Latinas: Sharing Our Story](#).

This event is made possible by a grant from the [Durham Library Foundation](#).

For a full listing of Fiesta de la Cultura events throughout the Durham County Library system, please [view our events calendar](#).



Upcoming Friends of the Durham Library Events

The Friends of the Durham Library is a 501(c)(3) organization that supports Durham County Library through staff scholarships, programming grants, and more. The Friends sell gently used books, CDs, DVDs, and games donated by the community. For upcoming events, membership information, donation instructions, and more, please [visit the Friends' website](#). You can shop for books any time at the [Friends' online storefront](#).

Friends of the Durham Library Table at [Fall Ball for All](#) [North Regional Library](#)

Saturday, October 5, 10 a.m. - Noon

North Regional Library will be welcoming the fall season with concessions, a craft swap, games, face painting, community partners, and more at [Fall Ball for All](#). Be sure to look out for the Friends of the Durham Library's table where you can learn about the support they provide to the library and score some awesome freebies. This event is free for all ages and will have activities for children, teens, and adults.

Pop-Up DVD Sale at Main Library

[Main Library](#)

Saturday, October 19, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

The Friends of the Durham Library will be hosting a pop-up DVD sale at Main Library on Saturday, October 19 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. DVDs are only \$1 each, with multi-disc sets priced at \$1 per disc. Movies, TV shows, documentaries, and more will be available, some of which are in their original unopened packaging. There will also be a selection of puzzles and games for between \$1 and \$3 each. Your purchases go directly to supporting Durham County Library staff.



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