

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

FOR CHILDREN & TEENS

After-School Zone for kids ages 8-19:
Mondays - Thursdays, 3:15-5PM

Unplugged Arcade for kids ages 10-19 years:
Fridays, 1-5PM

Toddler Storytime for ages 2-3 years:
Wednesdays, 10:30AM

Baby Storytime for ages 6-18 months:
Wednesdays, 1PM

FOR ADULTS

TECH HELP: Thursdays 10AM-12PM Drop-in

ESL Classes [Call 746-4341 to register]:

Beginning Level: Mondays & Tuesdays 10-11AM

Multi-Level Intermediate & Advanced: Mondays 11:10AM-12PM & Wednesdays 10AM-12PM

Conversation Group: Thursdays 1-2:30PM

GED Classes [Call 746-4341 to register]:
Fridays & Saturdays 9:30-11:30AM

Resume & Career Counseling [Drop-In]:
Fridays 11:35AM-1PM

Reading Help [Call 746-4341 for a time slot]
One-to-One Tutoring

BOOK CLUB SELECTIONS

BookBytes, the Digital Readers Club: *Raising Hare*, by Chloe Dalton

Kids' Books for Adults: *Black Star*, by Kwame Alexander

Mystery: *The Impossible Fortune*, by Richard Osman

Noon: *Lessons in Chemistry*, by Bonnie Garmus

Cook the Book: Blind date with a cookbook!

Books available at the Customer Service Desk; CTBBC titles, when available, are on the last "Holds" shelf.

Events and times are subject to change. Please check our website for the most current information.

BENICIA PUBLIC LIBRARY FEBRUARY EVENT CALENDAR

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Children's activities are in ORANGE

Adult events are in BLUE – Online in *ITALICS*

Teen events are in TEAL

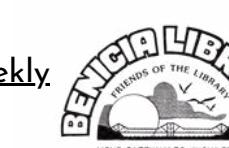
Events for all ages are in PURPLE

Don't forget to look at the list of weekly events too!



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11:30am ASL Storytime

2pm Adult Crafting:
Thaumatropes

6pm Lucha Libro: Book Brawl

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7pm Great Decisions: Trump 2.0 Foreign Policy

6:15pm First Tuesday Poetry Group

10am Lawyer on the Line *registration*

12pm Noon Book Club

3:15pm Pokémon Club

3:15pm LEGO Club

4pm Vanessa Riley [Online Author Talk]

1:30pm Writers' Salon

1pm The Movie Was Better:
Forrest Gump

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10am Dungeons & Dragons & Doughnuts

6:30pm Shut Up and Write!

7pm Great Decisions: Trump Tariffs and the Future of the World Economy

10:30am Preschool Storytime

2pm Valentine's Day Card Craft

11am Lindsey Stewart [Online Author Talk]

12pm February Family Film: *Superman*

6pm Killer Kuddles

6-8pm Lawyer on the Line (registration opens 2/4/26)

6-8pm Members Only Book Sale

6pm Board Games

10am-4pm Friends' Second Saturday Book Sale

3pm (sign-ups) Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament (Doña)

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FOR PRESIDENTS' DAY



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12pm Adult Crafting: LED Paper Lanterns

6pm Indie Lens Pop-Up Screening: *The Inquisitor*

7pm Kids' Books for Adults Book Club (Via Zoom)

1pm Senior Kanopy Screening: *West Side Story* [At the SENIOR CENTER]

10:30am Carquinez Village Speaker Series

3:15pm LEGO Club

1:30pm Writers' Salon

6pm Board Games

6:30pm Carnaval Celebration

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6:30pm Shut Up and Write!

7pm Great Decisions: U.S. - China Relations

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11am Tom Crouch [Online Author Talk]

12pm Cook the Book Book Club

3:15pm Celebrate Hair Love

6pm Family Storytime: Celebrating Black History Month

7pm BookBytes, the Digital Readers Club

7pm Mystery Book Club

11:30am ASL Storytime

1pm Author Talk: Ron J. Jackson, Jr.

3pm Nature's Best Hope - Planting Native to Support Life

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Adult Crafting: LED Paper Lanterns
FEBRUARY 17 12-1PM
Doña Benicia Room

Celebrate the Lunar New Year with LED paper lanterns! You'll combine art and science for a fun craft you can take home to commemorate the Year of the Horse.



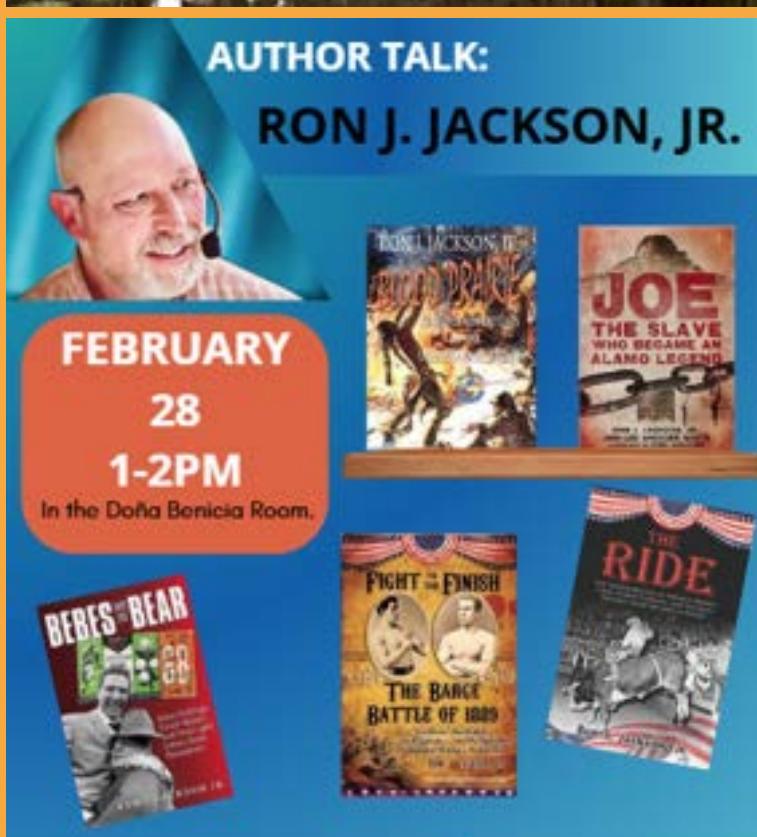
**DISNEY MOVIES:
The Princess and the Frog**
SATURDAY FEBRUARY 21 2-4PM

Bring the whole family to this movie! We'll have themed snacks to enjoy.



CELEBRATE HAIR LOVE
FEBRUARY 25 3:15-4:15PM
AGE: For 6-10 year-olds Doña Benicia Room

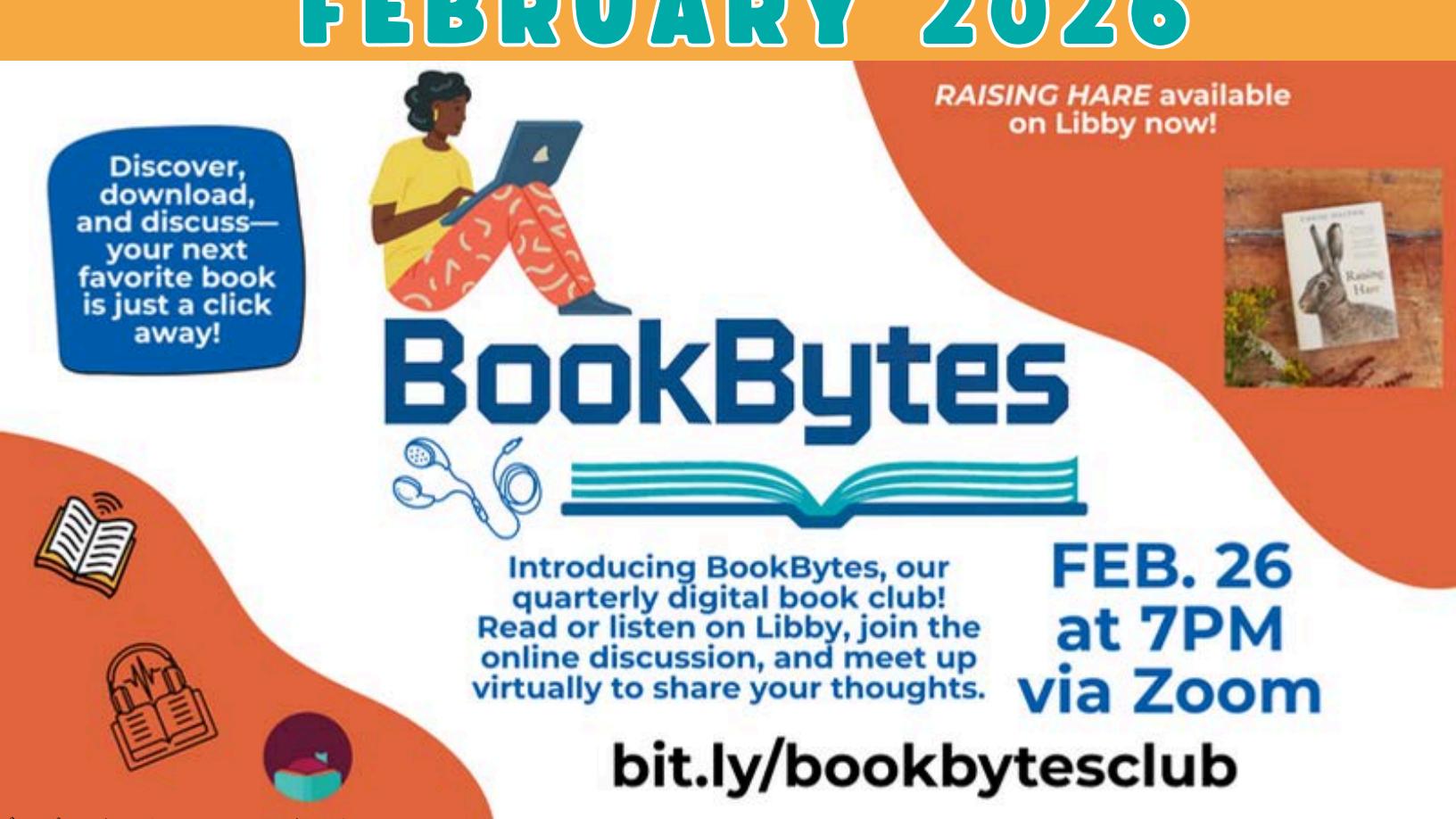
Celebrate your love for hair by making your own accessories!



**AUTHOR TALK:
RON J. JACKSON, JR.**
FEBRUARY 28 1-2PM
In the Doña Benicia Room.

Bestselling author and local historian Ron J. Jackson, Jr. returns to the Benicia Public Library to discuss the creative writing process behind his books.

Books and other works by the author will be available for purchase and signing, while supplies last.

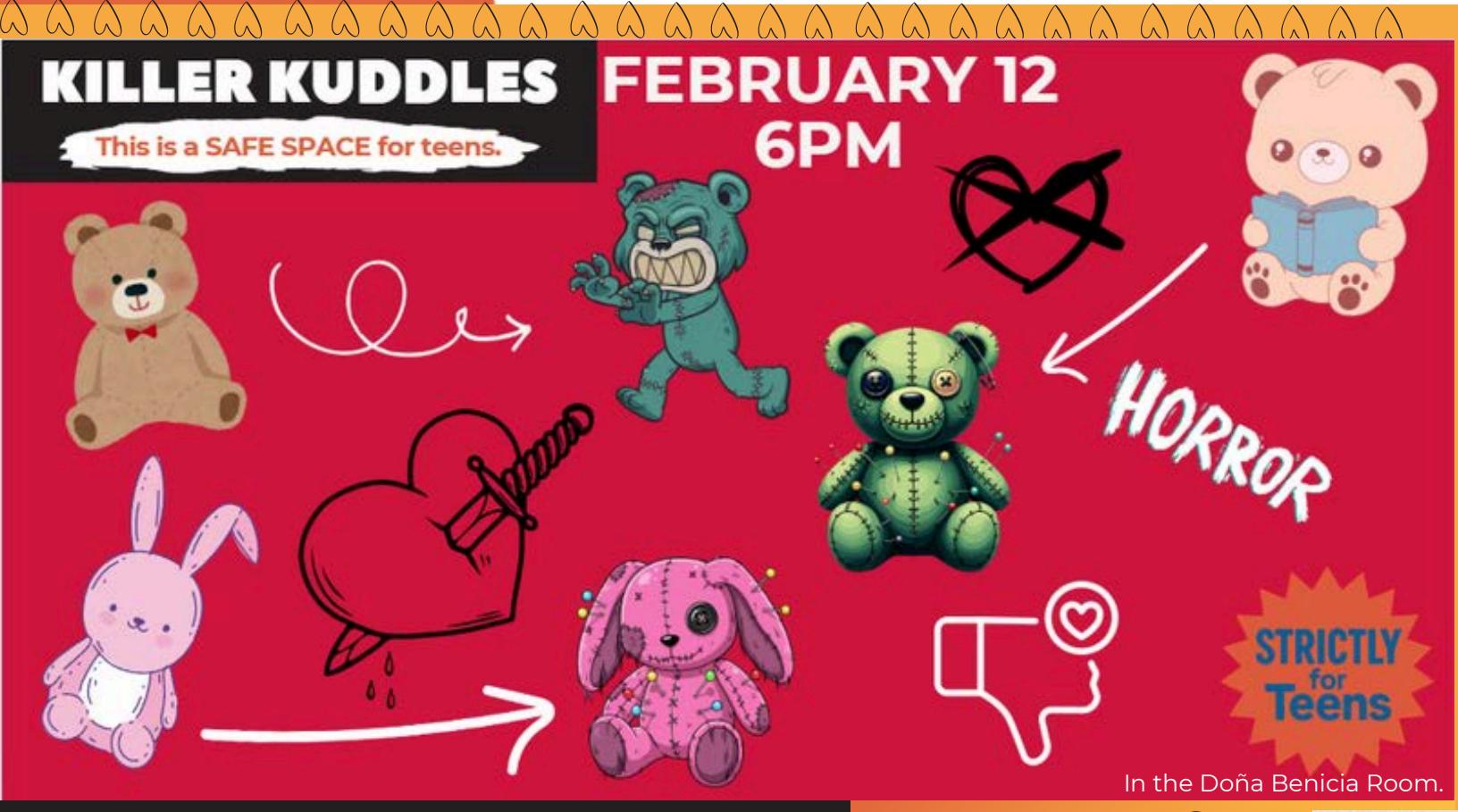


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BookBytes

Introducing BookBytes, our quarterly digital book club! Read or listen on Libby, join the online discussion, and meet up virtually to share your thoughts.

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KILLER KUDDLES FEBRUARY 12 6PM

This is a SAFE SPACE for teens.

What happens when cute meets creepy? Destroy, redesign, and horror-fy your teddy bear. Bring your own or use one of ours.

STRICTLY for Teens

In the Doña Benicia Room.

RAISING HARE available on Libby now!

