



# NorthShore



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## December 2024 Children's Programs

Please follow this link for a full list of upcoming programs.

<https://northshorepubliclibrary.org/children-programs/>

Register online, in-person, or by phone beginning Monday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:30 AM

Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise noted.

### **Disguise a Snowman Display**

Pick up beginning Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup> – Monday, December 30<sup>th</sup>

Help us decorate the Children's Room for winter! Help a snowman hide from the sun and stop them from melting by giving them an awesome disguise. Pick up a paper snowman to disguise in the Children's Room and return it to us to be a part of our display!

**Gingerbread House Decorating**, Ages 3 years up to Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver

Wednesday, December 11, 6:00-6:45PM **OR** 7:15-8:00PM

**One gingerbread house per family. A \$5.00 nonrefundable materials fee will be collected at in-person registration. This is an in-person program and will not be given out as kits.** Your family will work together to decorate a freshly baked gingerbread house! Listen to music and get in the holiday spirit.



**New Year's DJ Dance Party**, Ages 3 years – Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver

Monday, December 30, 6:00-7:00 PM

Join us for a dance party and countdown to the "ball drop" to celebrate the end of 2024 and welcome 2025!

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121132>

**Winter-Pal Workshop**, Ages 3-10 years with a parent/caregiver

Saturday, December 14, 10:15-11:00AM, 11:15AM-12:00PM, 2:15-3:00PM, **OR** 3:15-4:00PM

Join in the fun and stuff your very own plush Snowy Owl, perfect for snuggling this winter!

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121135>



**Read to Chloe, the Therapy Dog**, Grades K-5

Saturday, December 7, 10:00-11:00 AM

Register for a 15-minute session to read aloud to Chloe the therapy dog.

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**Popcorn & Pajamas**, Ages 3 years – Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver

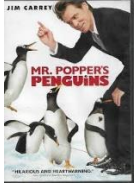
Thursday, December 26, 6:00-7:30 PM

Wear your coziest pajamas and bring your blankets for our movie and pajamas night!

Watch “Mr. Popper’s Penguins”

on our big screen, enjoy popcorn and juice, and create a fun craft.

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121147>



**Family LEGO Day**, Ages 3 years – Grade 5 with a parent/caregiver

Sunday, December 29, 2:00-3:00 PM

Bring the whole family to our special LEGO Day! Families will work together to make their own creations or everyone can build individually. Come with your imagination; we will supply all of the LEGOs!

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121149>

**Holiday Caroling**, Grades K-2

Thursday, December 5, 4:45-5:30 PM

Join Miss Lexi for some festive singing holiday songs! Enjoy a hot chocolate bar while we sing along.

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121150>

**Dance Combo**, Grades K-2

Monday, December 9, 4:45-5:30 PM

Get moving to the beat while we learn multiple styles of dance to popular music.

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121151>

**Gingerbread House Painting**, Grades K-2

Tuesday, December 17, 4:45-5:30 PM

Design and paint your own adorable gingerbread house to get ready for the holidays!

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121155>

**Plenty of Penguins**, Grades K-5

Friday, December 27, 2:00-2:45 PM

Join Miss Michelle to explore amazing facts about our feathered friends in this interactive science class. Design an adorable penguin craft to take home.

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121152>



**Winter Snow Globe Workshop**, Grades 3-5

Wednesday, December 4, 4:45-5:45 PM

Have you ever wondered how whales stay warm in freezing waters? Celebrate the wonder of whales and other arctic creatures and explore blubber and bones from our collection. Design and create a wintry whale scene inside of a shimmering snow globe-style craft to take home.

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121153>

**Hooked on Crochet**, Grades 3-5

Monday, December 16, 6:00-7:00 PM

Join Miss Rachel for this monthly program to learn a new crochet stitch and create a different project each session! Practice your skills and learn the chain stitch and make a coaster to bring home.

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**Cookies & Bookies**, Grades 3-5

Thursday, December 19, 4:45-5:30 PM

Register and pick up a copy of *Pugs of the Frozen North* by Philip Reeve in the Children’s Room to join in on this fun monthly book club. Kids will read the book, then attend the program for a booktalk, games, prizes, and cookies.

<https://search.livebrary.com/record=g1121156>

# YOUNG ARTISTS OF THE MONTH

**Adriana and Angelina Vitagliano**

## Museum Passes

Family museum passes are available for all NSPL cardholders. Many of the passes are now printable from home, eliminating the need to pick up and return to the library.

Check out our website for a full list of passes that are offered.

## Library Playdates

Plan a visit to our Play Space, Makerspace, or Art Cart to enjoy some playtime! Our **Play Space** includes puppets, tablets, a touch table, building toys, magnets and more! The **Makerspace**, ideal for Grades K-up, includes circuitry, engineering, logic, and coding kits for in-house use.

Check out the **Art Cart** to make any craft you can imagine!