

DONATE WHILE
You Dine!

Visit the Oregon Culvers at 1075 Park St (Corner of Park and Janesville Streets)
Monday, April 21 between 4pm and 8pm

Culvers will donate a percentage of ALL SALES
to Friends of the Oregon Library!

Funds will be used to support programs in the
Oregon Public Library!



Friends of the Oregon Library Book Sale

Friday April 11th

Members Only 3pm to 4pm

Public Sale 4 pm to 7pm

Saturday, April 12th

9am to 3pm

Bag Sale 1pm to 3pm

Please remember that we will close briefly at around 12:45 to reset for the bag sale!

Oregon Public Library
200 N Alpine Parkway

Book Sale Volunteers Needed!

Volunteers help with set up, sales and clean up.

Please contact Karen Gipp at 608-698-7243 or karengipp@yahoo.com
more information or to sign up

The funds raised by our book sales help to support library programs throughout the year!

Celebrating a Wonderful Year!

We are excited to celebrate our first year in the new library. 2024 has been a remarkable year! Here's a look at some of the highlights from 2024:

Library visits increased 65% to 128,164

Checkout of library items increased 28% with 240,263 checkouts in 2024.

The new library study and meeting rooms were used 3,192 times. Patrons asked more questions. Staff helped with 11,204 reference questions (questions that required staff research) in 2024.

Attendance was 16,849 at the 592 library programs.

The library collection includes 78,218 items for community members to borrow and enjoy.

Community members borrowed 53,870 items from our digital collection, which includes e-audiobooks, e-books, e-video, and e-magazines).

2024 LIBRARY VISITS



128,164
Visits in 2024



a **65%** increase
from 2023!

People visited the Library to check out materials, attend storytime, work on a project, hang out with friends, or to be where they belong.

Thank you for your support of the Oregon Public Library!

Spring Break at the Library

In the Children's Area

Tuesday, April 1st is Wacky Day! **Make Wacky Craft Creations** from 9 am to 4 pm along with silly walks, joke station, and scavenger hunt!

Wednesday, April 2nd from 1:00pm to 5:00pm is **Block Party**. Build with the Library's LEGOs!

For Children, Teens, and Families

Escape Room in the Afternoon! Solve puzzles to escape the room with your family or group of friends. Call the Youth Services Desk at 608-909-2020 for more details. Sign up starts March 17 for a slot.

In the Teen Area, there will be ...A **New Sticker Poster!** A Scavenger Hunt!

Events for All Ages Every Month at the Library

Special Events

Game Day for All Ages on Saturday, March 29th from 10am to 1pm.

PBS Movie Screening of "**Free For All: The Public Library**" on Tuesday, April 8 at 10 am

Earth Day Seed Bombs on Tuesday, April 22 from 10am-6pm (or as supplies last)

Card Making for Adults (registration required) on Thursday, April 24 at 6ppm

And many more...

Please check out our web calendar for the complete listing of events for all ages at <https://oregonpl.librarycalendar.com/events/month>.

Here is a sampling of events...

Weekly and monthly storytimes

Author Visits and Book clubs for adults

Gaming clubs for tweens, teens, and adults

Friday Teen Late Nights

Read to a Therapy Dog

Job Search and Career Support for Adults