

# Happenings



Jacksonville Public Library

December 2011

## Holiday Hours

Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:00AM-6:00PM

Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> CLOSED

Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> 9:00AM-6:00PM

Dec. 30<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> CLOSED



## Cat in the Hat

### Holiday Party



See several of Dr. Seuss' most beloved stories brought to life in this family friendly event!

**Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:00AM.**

## Sharon's Retirement

### Open House

Sharon Zuiderveld, Library Director, will be retiring at the end of the month after 10 years of dedicated

service. Stop by anytime

between **4:00-7:00PM on December 5<sup>th</sup>** to laugh, reminisce and wish her well!



## You can win a ticket to *Treasured Stories* by Eric Carle!

Recreate a picture from Brown Bear, Brown Bear, The Hungry Caterpillar, or Papa Please Get the Moon for Me and you could win a child's ticket! Try using some of the same techniques that Eric Carle uses! **Bring your picture in by Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>**, voting takes place Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> and Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>.

## Holiday Make and Takes

Grandma just loves to get artwork from her favorite grandchild! Don't disappoint her; come to one of our Make and Take events in December! Make some cute crafts and enjoy some great books on **Saturday, Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> available all day**, so come whenever it works for your busy schedule!

## Food for Fines Days

**Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>** we annual Food for nonperishable in, we will take account! This not lost or damaged books.



will be hosting our Fines Days. For every food item you bring \$1 of fines off of your applies to fines only,

## Jacksonville Public Library

201 W. College Ave. 217-243-5435 [www.jaxpl.org](http://www.jaxpl.org)

Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 9:00AM-9:00PM, Fri. 9:00AM-6:00PM, Sat. 9:00AM-5:00PM

# Jacksonville Public Library

# December Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Lap Sit 10:15AM	3 Make and Take Available All Day
4	5 Sharon's Retirement Open House 4:00-7:00PM	6 Creative Toddler 10:15AM	7 Story Time 9:15AM 4:00PM	8	9 Lap Sit Holiday Extravaganza 9:30-12:30	10
11	12 JPL Board 4:00PM	13	14 Story Time 9:15AM 4:00PM	15	16 Lap Sit 10:15AM	17 Cat in the Hat Holiday Party 11:00AM
18	19	20 Creative Toddler 10:15AM  Friends of the Library 7:00PM	21 Story Time 9:15AM 4:00PM	22 Holiday Hours 9AM- 6PM	23 <b>CLOSED</b> for Holidays	24 <b>CLOSED</b> for Holidays
25	26 <b>CLOSED</b> for Holidays	27 Holiday Hours 9AM-6PM	28 Holiday Hours 9AM-6PM	29 Holiday Hours 9AM-6PM	30 <b>CLOSED</b> for New Year's	31 <b>CLOSED</b> for New Year's

## Food for Fines

Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup>

1 non perishable food item =  
\$1 of fines forgiven!\*



\*This applies only to fines, not lost or damaged items.

## Keep an eye out for this!

- All new Story Time schedule coming in January!
- Especially for you! A story time for those with special needs.
  - Library Linguistics! Learn a new language every month!
  - Imagination Station! Nursery Rhymes, Fairy Tales and Pretend Play!
  - Touch a truck! Get up close to some neat stuff!

## Lap Sit Holiday Extravaganza

Join the Lap Sit crew for a Holiday Extravaganza on **Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> from 9:30-12:30**. Drop in anytime to make Holiday trees and cinnamon ornaments. There will even be a special visitor! For kids birth to 5 years old.