

# JPL Children's Newsletter

October 2020

## Preschoolers' Virtual Storytime



Thursdays at 10:00 a.m (via Facebook)

Designed for children from 3 to 6 years of age, Preschoolers' Virtual Storytime is an early literacy program that uses interactive stories, songs, and activities to help your preschooler get ready to read. Your child will build language, math, listening and social skills, while having fun!

**\*NEW\*** Virtual Preschool Storytime Club ~ Send us (via email or Facebook message) your child's name and birthday to join for a special birthday shout-out! Please note, there will be no Tiny Tots Storytime until further notice.

**Oct. 1 – “Farmers Market Fun”** Let's find out what our friend Tractor Mac is up to at the Farmers Market. See below for details regarding JPL at the local Farmers Market!

**Oct. 8 – “Applicious”** – Let's talk apples! Join us for fun stories all about this yummy fruit.

**Oct. 15 – “Mm—Monsters!”** – It's getting close to all things spooky so let's be brave and hang out with some colorful monsters!

**Oct. 22 – “Virtual Halloween Program”** – See below for more details!

**Oct. 29 – “No Tricks, All Treats!”** – Halloween is almost here! Time to dress up, tune in, and be ready to share your costumes with us!

## Online Learning Resources

The Jacksonville Public Library offers many **FREE** digital resources and online databases that are literacy and school subject related for your children of all ages! **You may find the link to these and many more on our website @ [jacksonvillepubliclibrary.org/kids\\_link.html](http://jacksonvillepubliclibrary.org/kids_link.html)**

- A to Z World Culture @ [www.atozworldculture.com/](http://www.atozworldculture.com/)
- A to Z World Food @ [www.atozworldfood.com/](http://www.atozworldfood.com/)
- Alabama Virtual Library @ [www.avl.lib.al.us/](http://www.avl.lib.al.us/) (106 individual databases for K through adult learners)
- Brightly @ [www.readbrightly.com/](http://www.readbrightly.com/)
- Camellia.net @ [camellia.overdrive.com/](http://camellia.overdrive.com/) (ebooks, e-audiobooks, magazines)
- **\*NEW\*** Hoopla @ [hoopladigital.com/](http://hoopladigital.com/) (ebooks, music, e-audiobooks, movies, TV shows)
- PBS Kids Daily Newsletter @ <https://www.pbs.org/parents/pbskidsdaily?source=pbskids.org>
- Tumblebooks @ [www.tumblebooklibrary.com/Home.aspx?categoryID=77](http://www.tumblebooklibrary.com/Home.aspx?categoryID=77)

### Virtual Halloween Program Thursday, Oct. 22 @ 10 am

Join us on Facebook for a ghoulishly good time as we hear the tale of the “Mummy from Mystery Mansion” by Talewise (formally ScienceTellers)

**Preregistration is required!** Please call us at 256-435-6332 to reserve your viewing code and mummy craft!

Mummy crafts will be available for pick up starting Oct. 15th



### Join us for Storytime at the Farmers Market!

Ms. Josie and Ms. Tammy from the Calhoun County Extension Office will be reading fun stories (with craft!) about plants and how they grow! We'd love to see you there.



When: Sat., October 3<sup>rd</sup>

Where: Pocket Park  
(behind Java Jolt)

Time: 9 am



# Jacksonville Public Library

## October 2020



SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

				1	2	3 Jacksonville Farmers Market Storytime 9 am <b>In Person @ Pocket Park</b>
4	5	6	7	8 Preschoolers' Virtual Storytime 10 am <b>(via Facebook)</b>	9	10
11	12  Columbus Day	13	14	15 Preschoolers' Virtual Storytime 10 am <b>(via Facebook)</b>	16	17
18	19	20	21 Library Board Meeting 4:30 pm	22 Virtual Halloween Program 10 am <b>via Facebook</b>	23	24
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**Library Hours**

- Tue – Fri 8am-5:45pm
- Sat 8am-3:45pm
- Youth Dept. closes 15 minutes before Main Floor



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