

LIBRARY WILL BE  
CLOSED SEPTEMBER

2nd FOR

LABOR  
day



Ector County Library



**Computer lab hours:**

Monday–Saturday  
9:30am-6:30pm  
Closed Sundays

**Need a Notary?**

Contact SW/Genealogy  
Department, located on the  
2nd floor.  
If not available, contact the  
Passport department!  
By appointment only.



hello  
SEPTEMBER

**Passport Office Hours:**

Appointment only!

Online or Phone  
Call 432-803-5931

Monday-Friday  
9:00am-6:00pm

Closed for lunch  
12:00pm-1:00pm

Closed Saturdays and Sundays



**LIBRARIES-  
MORE THAN MEETS THE EYE...**

**CYBERTRON  
PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
OPTIMUS PRIME

ROLL OUT  
WITH A  
LIBRARY  
CARD.

September is  
**LIBRARY CARD  
SIGN-UP  
MONTH**

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**FIRST FRIDAY**

**Veteran's  
STORYTIME  
with Craft**  
9/6/2024  
5-6  
Auditorium and Crafts 1st Floor  
VFW Auxiliary 4372

Ector County Library

**ATTENTION  
Please**

Starting Tuesday, September 3, all checkouts for circulating materials (Adult, Childrens, Mall Kiosk, Southwest, Teen) will extend to 4 weeks.

Ector County Library  
Explore. Connect. Learn.

**100,000  
POETS & ARTISTS  
FOR CHANGE**

**VISUAL ARTIST'S**

To kick off the Worldwide Event we will be having an art exhibit at the Ector County Library on September 28th! The public can go and vote for their favorites from September 28-October 4th. On October 4th we will announce the winner at the Poetry Slam!

09.28.24

THEME IS ANY ISSUES GOING ON IN THE WORLD THAT YOU ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT. LIMIT IS ONE PIECE PER ARTIST. (FAMILY FRIENDLY)

creativesofwesttexas@yahoo.com

**Book Club**

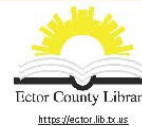
**Adult Book Club will not meet in September.**

Introducing the all new

Coming soon



To a neighborhood near you



432-332-0633

321 W. 5th Street  
Odessa, TX 79761

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Get to Know Us!



MEET HOWARD

How many years with ECPL: 2.4

Your position: Director

Why you got into libraries: To help others. My passion originally was answering reference questions for patrons, so I started as a clerk in public services while in grad school before getting on the academic side, and now back to public.

Favorite part of your job: Strategic planning and future development. Being able to execute new ideas based on deliverables and a budget. Working with a solid, dedicated team. The sky's the limit!

What you like most about interacting with the public: All different walks of life. You never know what you'll find. Or learn. Every day is different. I used to show folks how to find jobs on the computer. And I'll never forget, I once met a man who taught me the basics of Linux in a half hour.

What are you reading right now? I'm listening (on Audible) to Atomic Habits.

Favorite hobby? Attending concerts and traveling whenever possible.

**DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS CLUB**  
**9/7/2024**  
**1-5 PM**



Join our club to learn how to play the Dungeons and Dragons game!  
 Playing: Tyranny of Dragons




**Storytime**



**9/4/2024 @ 10:00 SHARKS**




**BOOKS AND BABIES**



Age 0 - 2 years old

**9/12/2024**

10:00 - 11:00 AM  
 Storytime and Playtime in the Baby Room



**READ TO FELIX**



Every Thursday  
 Children's Department  
 4-5



**Storytime**



**9/11/2024 @ 10:00 FALL ANIMALS**




**PAWS & PURPOSE**  
 Pet Lifesaving Informational

Through transparency and collaboration, more dogs and cats can be saved in Odessa!

Join us to learn how targeted TNVR is the only humane and effective way to reduce community cat populations while saving lives.

- Learn about the various programs available to help increase lifesaving at Odessa Animal Services.
- Understand the importance of "TNVR" (trap-neuter-vaccinate-return) in managing and caring for community cats.
- Engage directly with our campaign representatives and find out how you can get involved.

**Friday, September 20th 5 P.M.**  
 Ector County Library  
 321 West 5th Street  
 Odessa, Texas

JOIN THE MEETING VIRTUALLY:  
[bit.ly/3ODBinfo](https://bit.ly/3ODBinfo)




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