



# Loutit District Library

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Website link: <https://www.loutitlibrary.org/kindness2026/>

Throughout February, the Loutit District Library encourages everyone to go beyond Random Acts of Kindness Day on February 17 or even Random Acts of Kindness Week and celebrate a whole month of kindness and community connection.

**How can you celebrate?** It's simple: Be kind! Show kindness in ways that feel right to you. Kindness Month is dedicated to fostering support within our community.

**Celebrate with us by sponsoring a book from our library Kindness Trees!** You can choose from books, craft supplies, toys, library technology, and more. The items you sponsor will replace outdated, worn, or even lost or damaged items from another patron, clearing the charge on their account and allowing the library to purchase a replacement. Pick a heart ornament from one of the lit birch trees and bring it to the Circulation or Information Desk; staff will be happy to assist you!

Can't make it in, but still want to sponsor something? Check our Amazon wishlist!

[\[https://a.co/9N3MrR9\]](https://a.co/9N3MrR9)

Want more ways to spread kindness and support our community? We have an Essentials Micro-Pantry in our 4th Street entrance vestibule. Drop off essential, nonperishable goods for those in need. Essential items include, but are not limited to:



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- Nonperishable foods (canned & dehydrated foods)
- Hygiene products (toothbrushes/toothpaste & soaps)
- Menstrual products (pads & tampons)
- Baby products (formula & diapers)

Donate what you can, or take whatever you need! Thank you for your kindness!

Finally, we have some wonderful Kindness-themed library programs all February-long that are **free** to attend (\*Requires registration):

- [Little Learners Preschool Storytime](#) - Feb 4, 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
- [Kindness Yoga\\*](#) - Feb 7, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- [Tween Club: Tiny Acts of Kindness](#) - Feb 12, 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM
- [Crafting with Kindness Drop-In](#) - Feb 14, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM
- [Family Storytime at Robinson Township](#) - Feb 16, 9:30 AM – 10:00 AM
- [Kids' Crafternoon: Kindness Bookmarks](#) -  
Feb 22, 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM & Feb 23, 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

