**REGISTRATION OPENS: SEPTEMBER 23. 2024**

**REGISTRATION CLOSES: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2024**

**EVENT DAY: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024**

There are only spots for 8 teams in this competition.  Do not sign up unless you know you will have a team.  The Library will not be assigning teams.  If you have signed up and cannot attend, please let us know as soon as possible so that your spot may be assigned to a team on the waiting list.  If you are on the waiting list, you will receive notification if a spot opens up.

**RULES**

* Ages 8 and older (at least one member of the team must be18 or older).
* Teams will consist of 2-4 players. Only one member of the team should complete the registration form for the competition.
* The doors open at 12:30 p.m., competition rules announced at 12:45 p.m., and the clock begins at 1:00 p.m., allowing teams 2 hours to complete a 500-piece puzzle.
* No one gets to see the puzzle until time begins.
* The first team to finish wins.  If there is no winner by the end of the time limit, the winner is the team with the least number of loose pieces remaining.  In the event of a tie, the teams that tied will be given an extra 5 minutes to work on the puzzle.
* No Devices or outside assistance permitted.
* Individuals or teams are not allowed to distract or approach the team tables of other competitors during the competition.
* Your team will start and end with the same team members, you may not swap out team members once the clock has started.
* Teams may use sorting tray, however, they will not be provided.
* There will be prizes for the top three fastest teams.