



YA Times



Newsletter for Young Adults

Come Together @ Your Library!

Expand your horizons this spring

Saturday Matinee



"Chicken Run"

April 28

1:30–3:00 p.m.

What a way to spend a Saturday afternoon! Come to the Library with your friends and belly laugh with some chicks—Ginger and her feathered friends, that is. Covered drinks and dry snacks are permitted for this *free* film program.

Saturday Chess

April 21

1:30–2:30 p.m.



The last Saturday Chess meeting of the school year will be held on April 21. However, chess does not end there! Watch for news about the Summer Chess Club. The first meeting will be on Wednesday, June 20. Sign up at the Youth Services Desk or call 630-344-6127 to register by phone beginning Saturday, June 2.

Library tour on Wednesday, April 4

Join Library staff and board members for a behind the scenes tour of the Library at 7:00 p.m. They will take you to areas of the building that are not usually accessible to the public. Find out where new books and movies are delivered and processed. See where librarians work when they are not at the reference desks. Some of our best ideas are brainstormed in these areas!

Hike to the Site on Saturday, April 7

Gather your friends and family, put your dog on a leash and join the Friends of the Library on a "Hike to the Site." The Friends and their loyal followers will travel by foot from the present 616 Hiawatha location to the proposed new site at 480 N. Kuhn Road.

National Library Week—April 15-21

Come Together @ Your Library is this year's theme and we have embraced the idea by offering programs and opportunities to do just that all month long. April will be filled with activities and we hope that you will participate in some or all of the events.

Check It Out Young Adult Book Club

Friday, April 13

3:30–4:15 p.m.

For grades 6 and up

Registration encouraged; drop-ins welcome

This month participants will fall victim to discussions of the latest mysteries to hit the shelves. That is not unlucky; there will be other activities and snacks as well!

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Seeking volunteers for summer Flight Crew

The Youth Services Department is looking for volunteers this summer. Applications for the "Mission Read" Volunteer Flight Crew (Young Adult Volunteers) will be available at the Youth Services Desk beginning Tuesday, May 1. Students entering sixth grade or higher in the 2007-2008 school year may participate. Their mission is to complete an orientation session and work one hour per week in the Youth Services Department during the Summer Reading Program. This year's program begins Monday, June 11 and ends Saturday, July 28.

Stay Safe Tactics

Saturday, April 14

1:00-4:00 p.m.

For teen girls and women

Pat Collins, retired Chicago Police officer and founder of Stay Safe Tactics, returns to the Library to present a workshop on self-protection. Girls, ask your moms to attend this valuable workshop with you. Attendance is limited and registration is required. Call the Library at 630-653-0755 to sign up for this.



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Make Every Day Earth Day Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

Food for Fines

Have you incurred some debt at the Library? Do you have overdue fines or do you owe money for printouts? You have an opportunity to reduce or eliminate these charges during the month of April. Bring in donations of canned soups, fruits or vegetables, pasta or cereal, for example, and you can clear fines up to a maximum of \$15.00. Each donated item clears \$1.00 from your record. Food for Fines cannot waive charges for lost or damaged materials.

Recycle for Fines

Certain recyclable items qualify for the same benefits as the Food for Fines program. During the month of April, each old cellular phone or used ink or toner cartridge will also clear \$1.00 in overdue fines.

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Speaking of recycling, the Friends of the Library operates the perpetual book sale located in the lobby. Browsers often find bargains. Used hardcover books are just 50¢ and paperback books are 25¢. Consider donating your gently used books to the Friends of the Library book sale when you clean your room this spring.



Library Hours

The Library will be closed
Easter Sunday, April 8.