



CAROL STREAM PUBLIC LIBRARY

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

S.S.U. Pop Up

Ask the Social Worker P

June–August

Tuesday (Bilingual), June 4, July 2 & August 6 | 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Wednesday, June 19, July 17 & August 21 | 3–5 p.m.

Drop in and meet with a Carol Stream PD Social Worker who can connect you with the services that meet your needs. Learn what is available to all residents.



WIC Mobile Clinic P

Friday, June 28, July 19 & August 16
12:30–4:30 p.m.

The Mobile Clinic offers full WIC (Women Infants & Children) appointments, nutrition education, healthy food benefits, breast feeding support and community referrals. Registration is available at the Library's online calendar; however, walk-ins are welcome.



CSPL Blood Drive R P

Tuesday, July 23, 12:30–5 p.m.

Versiti Blood Center and the Carol Stream Public Library are teaming up to save lives with a Blood Drive, and we need your help! Your support saves lives, including those with sickle cell disease. The Blood Drive will be held in the Library's meeting room. A photo ID is required to donate. Registration is available at the Library's online calendar; however, walk-ins are welcome.

Geek Fest P

Saturday, June 15

11:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. | Town Center

Join us for some fun at the 2024 Geek Festival. The Fest will feature arcade games, a bouncy castle and inflatable obstacle course, vendors, crafts, board games, gaming & costume competitions and more!

Independence Day Parade P

Thursday, July 4, 10 a.m. | Lies Rd.

The Library will be closed Thursday, July 4, for the Carol Stream Independence Day Parade. Come join us as we celebrate this holiday with the community.



RESOURCES



Beyond The Bookshelf

Beyond our captivating book collection, our library offers an extensive array of resources to cater to diverse interests and needs. Explore full-text articles on a wide range of topics through Explora Library, get assistance with challenging school subjects via cslibrary.org/Tutor, and discover fun cultural attractions in Illinois with Explore More Illinois. Kids can enjoy interactive games with Launchpads and listen to engaging Readalouds, where they can turn the pages while listening.

Summer Reading Olympics

READY
Get Set



READ!

Tues., May 28 to Sun., August 11

Welcome to the Summer Reading Olympics! The annual reading tradition for all ages at the Carol Stream Public Library.

Family Prize Drawing

If one adult and a high schooler or child from their family participate in the Summer Reading Olympics, you're eligible for our Family Prize Drawing. This year's Family Prize is a Nintendo Switch, a Mariokart Deluxe & What Do You Meme Family Edition Game! When an adult registers for the Adult Summer Reading Program, there will be a check-box that will automatically enter you into the Family Prize Drawing. One entry per parent/child team.



Information for Kids

For every 5 minutes read, your child may mark one shape on their reading log. At 200 and 400 minutes of reading kids will earn a prize. At 600 minutes kids will earn a book to take home to keep. In addition, for every 200 minutes read kids will earn an automatic entry for a Prize Basket Drawing. Prizes will be available while supplies last from June 10 to August 11.



Information for High School & Adults

Earn prizes for the Bronze (1 book), Silver (3 books), and Gold (5 books) levels this summer! Plus, every book you track earns an entry for the grand prize baskets.



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OUTDOOR FUN



Outdoor Art **R P**

Friday, June 14, 11 a.m. | *Gr. K-8*

Come enjoy the great outdoors while creating some messy art! Spend a day in the sun tie-dyeing and showing your artistic skills with sponge painting. T-shirts will be provided by the library.

CELEBRATE

Pride Month

June 1 to June 30

Pride Month is celebrated annually to honor the 1969 Stonewall riots and works to achieve equal justice and equal opportunity for LGBTQ Americans. Visit the Library to view book displays.

Rainbow Storytime **R P**

Saturday, June 22

11-11:30 a.m. | *Ages 0-6*

Wear your brightest colors and get ready to fill your hearts with Pride as we share a special storytime focusing on love, diversity, inclusivity and acceptance. We'll sing, dance, read stories and listen to great music.



Daddy Daughter Dance **R P**

Tues., June 11, 6:30 p.m. | *Ages 3-8*

Please join us for our very special all ages Daddy Daughter Dance! Dads, grandfathers, uncles, guardians and more are invited to share this special night with the most important little girls in their lives. With a craft, picture time, refreshments & dancing.

Happy Father's Day

Sunday, June 16

The Library is closed in recognition.

Today we honor Fatherhood worldwide and the contribution fathers make to the lives of their children.

Celebrate Juneteenth with Kelly Campos **R P**

Tuesday, June 18, 2 p.m. | *Everyone*

Join us for Freedom Day, 2024 with storyteller Kelly Campos. A day of Recognition, Restoration and Celebration! All ages are welcome as we commemorate the emancipation of enslaved African Americans.



HAPPY SUMMER

Summer Reading

Opening Ceremonies **P**

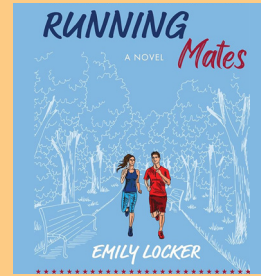
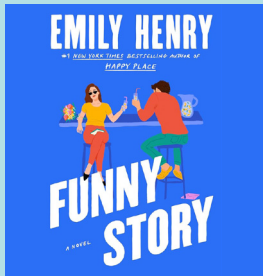
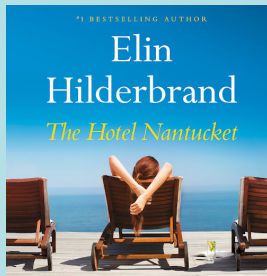
Sat., Jun. 1, 2-4 p.m. | *Everyone*

Happy summer! Drop by the Library entrance anytime between 2-4 p.m. to enjoy Olympic activities, music, crafts and ice pops. Kick off the beginning of the Summer Reading Olympics with some fun and grab reading logs for the whole family!



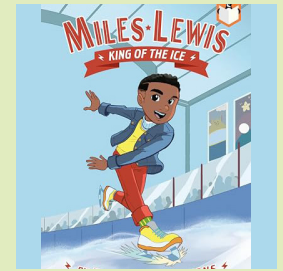
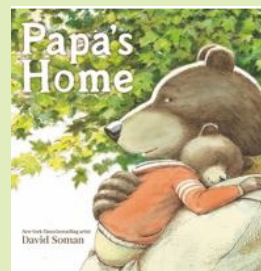
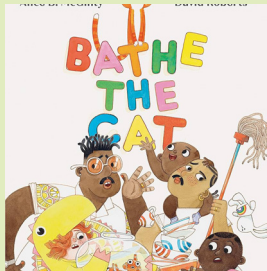
Summer Reads

ADULTS READS



TEENS READS

KIDS READS



Kids

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WEEKLY STORYTIMES: Recurring 3 Weeks Each Month

Storytime for Little Ones **R P**

Mon. & Tues., 9:30-10:15 a.m.
Ages 0-24 Months

We will share wonderful stories, songs and rhymes for our smallest friends. An opportunity for free play and discussion will follow the storytime.

Terrific 2s and 3s **R P**

Wed., 9:30-10 a.m. | Ages 2-3
YS Gazebo dates reflected on event calendar

Get ready to shake, rattle and read. We'll enjoy rhythmic stories and songs that may cause some bouncing of your own. Let's shake those wiggles out.

Preschool Pals **R P**

Wed., 10:30-11 a.m. | Ages 3-6
YS Gazebo dates reflected on event calendar

Join us for storytime and dance, sing, read and play.

Storytime Jamboree **R P**

Thurs., 10-10:30 a.m.
Ages 0-6

Get ready for an all-ages storytime featuring stories, music and movement.

SPECIAL STORYTIMES

Yoga Storytime **R P**

Saturday, June 1, July 6 & August 3
Friday, June 21, July 19 & August 16
10-10:30 a.m. | Ages 3-6

Join us for an interactive storytime that pairs themed and social-emotional learning books with movement and mindfulness. Practice yoga poses, play with active songs and have some mindful moments for focus and relaxation.

Friday Stories and Fun **R P**

Fri., June 28, July 26, & August 23
10-11:30 a.m. | Ages 0-6

Fridays are fierce, fun and fantastic at the Library. Join us for a fabulous storytime and enjoy an hour of free play.

TODOS

Leemos juntos:

Club de lectura R P

Mar., 11 y 25 de jun., 1:30 p.m.
Miér., 10 y 24 de jul., 6:30 p.m.
Grados 6-8

¡Únase a nuestro nuevo club de lectura en el que leeremos juntos en español! Durante el mes de junio leeremos el libro *Frida, el misterio del anillo del pavo real y yo*, de Ángela Cervantes. En nuestra primera reunión de junio se discutirá sobre los capítulos 1 a 14 y en la segunda sobre los capítulos 15 a 29. Durante el mes de julio leeremos la novela gráfica *Miles Morales: Ondas sísmicas*, de Justin A. Reynolds. En nuestra primera reunión de julio se discutirá sobre los capítulos 1 a 3 y en la segunda sobre los capítulos 4 a 6.



Explorando CTIM R P

Sábado, 15 de junio y 17 de agosto, Domingo, 7 y 21 de julio, 2:30-3:30 p.m. | Familia

Acompañenos a explorar experimentos que ayudan a los niños a desarrollar una mentalidad innovadora. En junio, construiremos una pajarera mágica. En nuestra reunión de julio, crearemos una torre de palillos y veremos si resiste un terremoto de gelatina. En nuestra reunión de agosto, construiremos barcos y probaremos cuánta carga pueden contener manteniéndose a flote.

Juegos de mesa en Español R P

Jueves, 18 de julio
6:30 p.m. | Familia

Vengan a disfrutar de unas botanas mientras jugamos juegos familiares en Español. Usted podrá girar a diferentes estaciones independientemente y disfrutar de multiples juegos en familia.



HORAS DE CUENTO Y PELÍCULAS

Encuentro bilingüe R P

Sábado, 8 de junio, 13 de julio y 10 de agosto, 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Edades 2-8

Venga a disfrutar de una historia contada en inglés y español, seguida de divertidas actividades para los más pequeños. Habrán meriendas.



Día de cine en familia R P

Viernes, 21 de junio, 12 p.m.
Lunes, 22 de julio, 2 p.m. | Familia

Trae a tu familia y disfruta de una divertida película en la Biblioteca. En junio veremos *Tortugas Ninja: Chaos Mutante*. En julio veremos *Super Mario Bros.: la película*. Habrán palomitas.

Lectura familiar en español R P

Lunes, 24 de jun. 29 de jul. y 26 de ago., 6:30-7:15 p.m. | Familia

Acompañenos para tener la oportunidad de leer libros infantiles auténticos en español y aprender sobre la cultura y costumbres de países latinoamericanos.



LITTLE ONES



Tots Can Cook R O

Tuesday, June 4, 6:30 p.m.
Ages 2-5

Join the master chefs from The Kids' Table in Chicago as they instruct tots in the fine art of creating Strawberry Shortcake.

Mermaids and Pirates, Ahoy R P

Friday, June 7, 11 a.m. or 2 p.m.
Ages 3-8

Calling all scurvy dogs and magical misses! We're having an under the sea adventure, and you're invited!



Itty Bitty Book Fun R P

Friday, June 14, July 12 & August 9
10 a.m. | Ages 3-6

Come and explore our favorite books and authors. Activities, crafts and playful learning stations will be available inspired by each month's book selections.

Fancy Feet R P

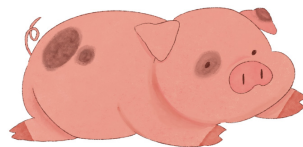
Mon., June 24, July 29 & August 26
10 a.m. | Ages 2-5

Find your rhythm and use your imagination as you dance along to fun music with Miss Abbey from the Flourish Dance Academy.

Hands-On Learning R P

Tues., June 25, July 30 & August 27
10 a.m. | Ages 2-6

The Library is inviting all little ones and their caregivers to explore farms and farm animals in June, counting and measuring in July and colors in August through playful and fun tactile learning stations.



It's a Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood R P

Monday, August 19
3 p.m. | Ages 2-6

Help us to celebrate love with someone who knew an awful lot about it - Mr. Fred Rogers. We'll watch an episode of Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood, chat about what we saw and learned, then work together on an activity based on the show.

PARTY TIME

Preschool Picnic R P

Wednesday, August 7
10 a.m. | Ages 2-6

Come one, come all Preschool Pal's and 2's and 3's and join us in saying goodbye to another wonderful summer with a snack-filled storytime. We'll enjoy stories and refreshing treats under the gazebo.



CSPL KITS

Register on the dates listed or e-mail your kit request to children@cslibrary.org or call us at 630-344-6127. Available while supplies last.

Mon.-Sat., June 3-8 R

Preschool: Glowing Olympic Torch

Grades K-5: Olympic Lava Lamp

Mon.-Sat., June 17-22 R

Preschool: Tracing the Alphabet

Grades K-5: Laurel Wreath

Mon.-Sat., July 1-6 R

Preschool: Tissue Paper Art

Grades K-5: Origami Olympic Rings

Mon.-Sat., July 15-20 R

Preschool: Beaded Olympic Rings

Grades K-5: Olympic Windsock

Mon.-Sat., August 5-10 R

Preschool: Dancing Frankenworms

Grades K-5: Basketball Cup & Ball Craft

Mon.-Sat., August 19-24 R

Preschool: Under the Sea

Grades K-5: Solar System Craft



ELEMENTARY

Kids Yoga R P

Saturday, June 1, July 6 & August 3
Friday, June 21, July 19 & August 16
11 a.m. | *Grades 1-5*

Yoga's a great way to experience movement and relaxation at your own pace, so join us for themed kids poses, active games and breathing and mindfulness breaks.

Kids Can Cook R O

Thursday, June 6, 6:30 p.m.
Grades K-3

Join the master chefs from The Kids' Table in Chicago as they instruct kids in the fine art of creating Raspberry-Lemon Scones!

How Does Your Garden Grow R P

Saturday, June 8, 2 p.m.
Grades 1-3

Join us to learn how a seed grows and how to cultivate your own spring garden.



EPIC Dog Man & Friends Party R P

Monday, June 17, 2 p.m.
Grades 2-5

Who doesn't love an epic party? Join us for fun with Dog Man and friends. We'll make a related craft, listen to stories and share our favorite Dog Man sayings.



Puzzle Race & Swap R P

Thurs., July 11, 3-5:30 p.m. | *Gr. 1-5*
Please register all who are participating in the race
No registration is required to participate in the swap.

Join us for a fun afternoon of puzzle problem solving. We will provide 200-piece puzzles for each team. Each team, up to 5 people with only 2 adults per team to race against competitors and win prizes. Smaller groups will be paired together to form teams. All are welcome to take part in the swap by bringing your gently-used puzzles to exchange with other families.

Smart Cookie Book Club R P

Thurs., July 18, 6 p.m. | *Grades 3-5*

Join us for, *The Wild Robot*, by Peter Brown. Shipwrecked on a deserted island, a robot named Roz must learn to adapt to its new surroundings.

Kindergarten Kids R P

Friday, August 2, 11 a.m. | *Grade K*

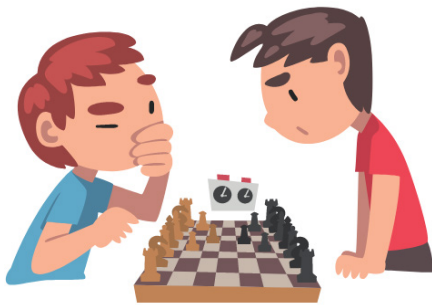
This program is designed for children who will be entering Kindergarten this month. Big changes make everybody a little nervous - and changing from a little kid to a big kid is one of the very biggest changes there is! But don't worry! Miss Sam and Miss Leigh Anne are ready to help turn your preschooler into a Kindergartner! We'll read stories, do activities, and discuss what to expect when it's time to take that step forward into school.

EVERYONE

Beginner Chess R P

Wednesdays, June-July, 2 p.m.
Grades 2-12

Summer chess is back at the Library! Join us for this eight-week session as Mr. Steve teaches the basics of chess, and provides open play time for those eager to try out their new-found knowledge.



Tournament Chess R P

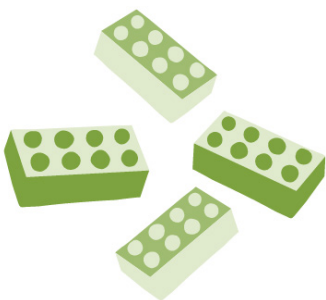
Wednesdays, June-July
3:30 p.m. | Grades 3-12

During the eight-week session, students will compete with each other to determine who will represent Carol Stream at the inter-library chess tournament at the end of the summer.

LEGO Club R P

Sun., Jun. 2, Jul. 28 & Aug. 18
2 p.m. | Family

Bring your friends and family for a great time where you can construct all of your LEGO ideas. Come prepared for fun with your family.



Illinois Storm Chasers R P

Tuesday, June 4, 1 p.m. | Grades 2-8

Join us as we dive into the basics of severe weather with the Illinois Storm Chasers. We'll talk about storm chasing, local climatology, past tornadic events, severe weather safety and preparedness, with a Q&A session to follow.

Family STEM Time R P

Sun., Jun. 9, Jul. 14 & Aug. 11, 2 p.m.
For families with kids grades K-5

Drop in any time between 2 and 4 p.m. to spend some quality family time exploring different STEM concepts with the help of educational toy kits. Work together to learn about magnets, circuits, robots, gears and more.

Family Film Day R P

Sat., Jun. 21 & Jul. 22, 2 p.m. | Family

Bring your family & enjoy a fun film at the Library. In June we will be watching *The Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles*. In July we will be watching *The Super Mario Bros. Movie*.

Indoor Giant Games R P

Tuesday, July 9, 2 p.m. | Family

Giant Boggle, Snakes and Ladders, Candyland, and alphabets and numbers equals giant fun for everyone.

Jim Gill Concert R P

Monday, July 15, 2 p.m. | Family

Jim Gill is a nationally acclaimed author and musician. Bring the family to enjoy this active play concert suitable for all ages.

FUN IN THE SUN

Olympic Field Day R P

Friday, July 12, 11 a.m. | Grades Prek-8

Welcome to Olympic Field Day! Kids, get moving as you face challenging obstacle courses, a tire run, tug of war, 3-legged races & other fun team games.



MIDDLE SCHOOL



Tweens Can Cook **R O**

Monday, June 3, 6:30 p.m.
Grades 4-8

Join the master chefs from The Kids' Table in Chicago as they instruct tweens in the fine art of creating Raspberry-Lemon Muffins!

Mending Class **R P**

Wed., June 12, 4 p.m. | Grades 4-8

Bring your favorite ripped, holey, torn or otherwise damaged piece of clothing in and learn how to fix it. Learn how to make a patch and breath new life into your favorite clothing.

Anime Films **R P**

Grades 6-8 but older siblings and friends are welcome

Tuesday, June 18, 3-5 p.m.

The Sky Crawlers

Tuesday, July 16, 3-5 p.m.

Steamboy

One More Chapter Book Club **R P**

Thursday, June 13, July 11 & August 8, 1 p.m. | Grades 5-8

This June, One More Chapter will discuss *Ungifted*, a light-hearted tale by Gordon Korman. In July, we read the moving autobiographical account of Daniel Nayeri in *Everything Sad is Untrue*. In August, we read *Kiranmala and the Kingdom Beyond Series: The Serpent's Secret* by Sanyantani DasGupta.

HIGH SCHOOL

Take and Make Kits

Grades 9-12:

Saturday, June 1:

Friendship Bracelet Kit

Monday, July 1:

DIY Olympic Games Kit

Thursday, August 1:

Bullet Journaling Kit

On the dates listed, e-mail your kit request to cstream@cslibrary.org or call us at 630-344-6123. Available while supplies last.



Volunteer Program **R**

Grades 9-12

Get involved at the Carol Stream Public Library! Discover exciting ways to earn community service credit hours, boost your resume for college and job applications and give back to your community. Apply today at cslibrary.org/teens.

Volunteer Craft Kit **R**

The Start of Each Month | Gr. 9-12

Looking for a fun way to get creative and give back to the community, while earning community service credit hours? Pick up one of our new High School Volunteer Craft Kits starting on the first of each month.

LIBRARY LOUNGE

High School Hangout **P**

Thursdays, 4-5:30 p.m. | Grades 9-12

Bring your friends to this weekly hangout featuring a different activity each time!

June Events



June 6:
Puzzle Race



June 13:
Iced Coffee Bar



June 20:
Creative Writing Games



June 27:
International Snack Tasting



July & August Events



July 11:
Tabletop Gaming



July 18:
Craft Day



July 25:
Trivia Battle



August 1:
Murder Mystery



ON YOUR OWN TIME

Summer Binge Boxes R

Must be a CSPL Cardholder

At the start of each season, request one personalized Binge Box with hand-picked items, treats and small gifts to brighten readers' day.

Take & Make Kits

Saturday, June 1:

Music Note Keychain

Monday, July 1:

Sunglasses Sleeve

Thursday, August 1:

Summer Koozie

On the dates listed, e-mail your kit request to cstream@cslibrary.org or call us at 630-344-6123. Available while supplies last.

Spice of the Month Club R

Monday, June 17:

Lavender Sugar

Monday, July 15:

Smoked Orange Saffron

Monday, August 19:

Smoked Onion Powder

Beginning on the third Monday of the month, call the Adult Services Desk at 630-344-6123 or email cstream@cslibrary.org to have a kit put aside for you! Supplies are limited, so please request one per household, and no advanced requests can be taken.



Book Tournament P

All month long in June

Drop in and enjoy an interactive display experience in the Adult Services Department. Vote for your favorite book out of Carol Stream's most popular picks, and watch it compete through the brackets to become the champion.



I-Spy Interactive Display P

All month long in July

Drop in and enjoy an interactive display experience in the Adult Services Department. Search the board and find the official objects of the week- it's like the nostalgic picture books come to life.

READING

Read it and Eat

Cookbook Club R P

Attention all food lovers! We invite you to Read it and Eat. You can pick up a copy of this month's cookbook, at the reference desk. Before attending, read the cookbook, pick one recipe and make it at home. Delicious main dishes, sides, snacks and more await you inside!

Thursday, June 13, 6:30 p.m.

Mi Cocina by Rick Martínez

Thursday, July 11, 6:30 p.m.

Ottolenghi Simple by Yotam Ottolenghi

Thursday, August 8, 6:30 p.m.

Sofreh by Nasim Alikhani

Pages Through

The Ages Book Club R P

Come and join our Book Club's tour through time. Ask for a copy of the book at the Reference Desk.

Monday, June 17, 6:30 p.m.

Malinche: A Novel by Laura Esquivel

Monday, July 15, 6:30 p.m.

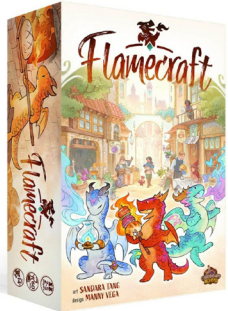
Daisy Jones & the Six: A Novel by Taylor Jenkins Reid

Monday, August 19, 6:30 p.m.

Summer Party



HOBBIES



Donuts & Dice R P

Saturday, June 15, July 20
& August 17, 10:30 a.m.

We will be playing Flamecraft in June and July, along with a variety of board games on hand from classics to newest favorites. Instruction, games and snacks will be provided by the Library.

CRAFTS

Sublimation Glass R P

Tuesday, June 18
3:30 p.m. or 6 p.m.
Registration opens June 1

Discover how to utilize the Library's Cricut Mug Press and craft a one-of-a-kind glass. With summer just around the corner, now is the perfect time to craft a one-of-a-kind glass piece that reflects your unique style and personality.



Mushroom Fairy House R P

Tuesday, July 16, 3:30 p.m. or 6 p.m.
Registration opens July 1

Join us for a delightful DIY workshop where we'll transform terracotta pots into enchanting mushroom fairy houses! We will add embellishments and sweet little details for your woodland wonderland. This workshop is perfect for anyone who loves a touch of magic.

Room Décor Painted Fabric Wall Art R P

Tuesday, August 20
3:30 p.m. or 6 p.m.
Registration opens August 1

Join us as we explore the art of transforming painted cotton fabric into stunning, abstract wall décor pieces. In this hands-on session, you'll learn various techniques on how to paint and manipulate fabric, allowing you to create unique and eye-catching designs.

RELAX & ENJOY

Last Wednesday

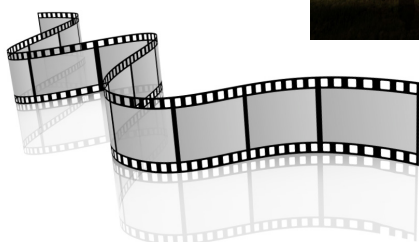
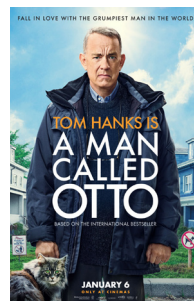
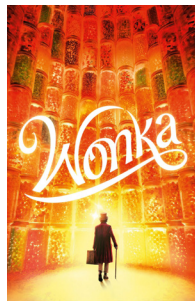
Film Club R P

Movies will be shown with closed captioning for the hearing impaired and the Library will provide delicious snacks. Feel free to stay after the showing to discuss the movie.

Wednesday, June 26, 10 a.m.
Wonka

Wednesday, July 31, 10 a.m.
A Man Called Otto

Wednesday, August 28, 10 a.m.
Jules



Adults

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HEALTHY LIVING

Line Dancing **R P**

Monday, June 3, July 1
& August 5, 11 a.m.

Belynda Head of Lines N Motion walks you through line dancing with step-by-step instructions. Have fun and get fit with this upbeat workout. Please wear smooth-soled shoes. Bottled water will be provided



Zumba **R P**

Monday, June 10, July 8
& August 12, 7 p.m.

Get moving at this hour-long, high-intensity cardio workout. Be sure to wear comfortable clothes and shoes. Bottled water will be provided.



Women's Self-Defense **R P**

Saturday, June 22, 10:30 a.m.
Program will be held off-site at ROMA Tang Soo Do, 330 W. Army Trail Rd.

ROMA Tang Soo Do will cover the four A's: Awareness, Avoidance, Attitude and Action. Attendees will learn about maintaining situational awareness and also learn basic self-defense techniques. Attendees should wear loose comfortable clothing and be prepared to go barefoot.

Detox Your Mind Through Meditation **R P**

Thursday, July 25, 6:30 p.m.

Learn techniques to wipe your mental slate clean, detoxify negative thought patterns and calm the body. Umesh Bhatia, long-time meditator, will guide you through a simple yet very powerful meditation technique that can be life changing.



MEDICAL HELP

Medicare 101 **R P**

Thursday, June 20, 6:30 p.m.

Medicare Solutions Network will get you up to speed on what Medicare covers, what it doesn't and your potential out-of-pocket exposure. They'll discuss Supplements, Advantage Plans, Part D Prescription Plans and cost-saving strategies for the years ahead.



Basic Pet First Aid **R P**

Thursday, August 15, 7 p.m.

Learn how to tend to your pet in a crisis. This presentation by DuPage County Animal Services will cover preventative care, how to treat wounds, broken bones, choking and more.





OUTREACH

Learn with a Lawyer: An Introduction to Services **R P**

Tuesday, June 11, 11 a.m.

In collaboration with Prairie State Legal Services come learn about the various legal services that a law firm can provide, as well as when you may need them.

HOME & GARDEN

Sell Your Stuff Online **R P**

Monday, June 3, 7 p.m.

There are many great options for unloading your old possessions, from old faves like Ebay to newer places like Facebook Marketplace. Join us as Mike Gershbein will cover them all and offer selling and safety tips.



Second Chance Gardening **R P**

Thursday, June 6, 7 p.m.

This event is held in partnership with the DuPage Organic Gardening Club

Did you know that you can plant all summer long, not just in the spring? Join Connie Kollmeyer from The Conservation Foundation to learn how to maximize your garden's yield with succession planting - a strategic approach that involves planting cool-season crops early, replacing them with warm-season crops after harvest, and reintroducing cool-season crops in the fall or by planting smaller quantities, like beans, every few weeks for a continuous harvest.

Organizing 101: Are You Prepared In Case of a Disaster? **R O**

Monday, July 29, 7 p.m.

Disasters occur in many different ways—job loss, serious illness and natural disasters. Are you organized enough to overcome such an event? Professional Organizer Beth Randall can help us create a plan for your family and get your medical and financial records into order in case of an emergency.

SUMMER COOKING



Tropical Treats **R O**

Wednesday, June 26, 6:30 p.m.

Bring the flavors of the tropics into the kitchen! We're making desserts with pineapple, coconut, mango, and banana to share.

Mastering Grilling Basics **R O**

Wednesday, July 17, 6:30 p.m.

This is an introduction to the world of classic American grilling. We will explore basic grilling techniques with vegetarian and omnivore options.

Focaccia Art **R O**

Wednesday, August 14, 6:30 p.m.

Transform simple focaccia into edible masterpieces. From vegetable bouquets to herb-infused designs, discover how to turn your dough into delicious works of bread art.

● Adults

R = Registration Required O = Online Event P = In-Person Event

BUSINESS & STEM



Illinois Storm Chasers R O

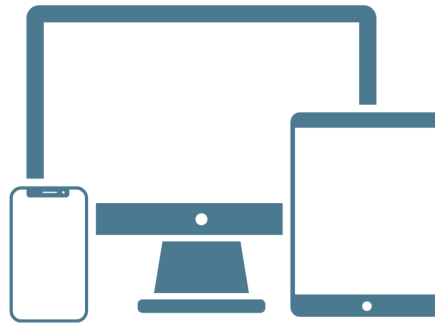
Tuesday, June 4, 7 p.m.

Join us as we dive into the basics of severe weather with the Illinois Storm Chasers. We'll talk about storm chasing, local climatology, past tornadic events, severe weather safety and preparedness, with a Q&A session to follow.

Device Advice P

Tuesday, June 4, July 2
& August 6, 4-6 p.m.

Don't let technology leave you feeling lost – swing by our Drop-in Device Advice sessions and gain the confidence you need to make the most of your devices. No registration required, just drop in and let us help you unlock the full potential of your tech! *Staff are unable to repair or troubleshoot malfunctioning equipment.*



iPhone & iPad Basics R P

Tuesday, July 9, 7 p.m.

Learn everything you need to know to get started with iPad or iPhone, from basic navigation to customization and handy tricks.

A Guide to TikTok R P

Monday, July 22, 7 p.m.

Librarian Paul McDonald will provide a fun and informative 1-hour presentation about the interesting and complex app, TikTok.

Android Basics R P

Tuesday, August 13, 7 p.m.

Get more comfortable with your Android tablet or phone as we demonstrate how to navigate, find apps and customize your device.



COMMUNITY

Monday Morning Coworking Commons P

Mondays, June-August, 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The Library will provide a coworking space in the Create & Learn Center. This program offers a space where entrepreneurs or small business owners can work in the comfort of the Library & plug in laptops or other electronic devices. A printer, copier & scanner and public computers will be available.





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SAVE THE DATE!

Summer Reading Opening Ceremony P
Saturday, June 1, 2-4 p.m. | All Ages

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

Sunday, June 16
Thursday, July 4

WE'RE OPEN!

Monday–Thursday 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

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Library Board Meeting
The third Wednesday of every month at the Library:
June 19, 7 p.m.
July 17, 7 p.m.
August 21, 7 p.m.
The public is invited to attend.

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