



CAROL STREAM PUBLIC LIBRARY

May & June 2022



TELLING A PEOPLE'S STORY: On display April 16-June 12

The Library is thrilled to welcome Telling A People's Story, a traveling exhibit organized by the Miami University Art Museum through a grant by the Martha Holden Jennings Foundation. It is the first major museum exhibition that shows how picture book illustrations work as visual stories about the complex and diverse African-American experience for children and young readers. Viewers of all ages will learn about familiar and lesser-known people and the contributions of African-Americans to an American identity.

COMING JUNE 1! SEE INSIDE FOR DETAILS!

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EXHIBIT EVENTS

Take & Make Creativity Kits

Monday, April 18 | Ages 16+

Adults are invited to enjoy a kit with adult coloring supplies, pens, idea prompts, and more while supplies last!

Drop-In Crafting P

Tuesday, April 19-Friday, April 22, 1:30-3 p.m. | Ages 16+

Adults are welcome to come by the Create & Learn Center for some peaceful time coloring, doodling, and creating.

Exhibit Open House P

Sunday, May 1, 1-4 p.m.

Drop in anytime on Sunday afternoon and join us in welcoming the exhibit to the Library.

Paint the World: A Celebration of Christian Robinson R P

Tuesday, May 24, 6:30 p.m.

Ages 2-12

To celebrate the art exhibit, children and their grown ups are invited



to paint a temporary mural for Youth Services inspired by beloved African-American children's illustrator, Christian Robinson.

VOTER INFORMATION & REGISTRATION P

Thursday, May 5, 3:30-7 p.m.

Specially trained League members will demonstrate the new DuPage Election equipment. League members will also provide non-partisan information about voting in the June 28, 2022 Primary Election as well as registering voters (new voters as well as voters who have moved or changed their name since the last time they voted).

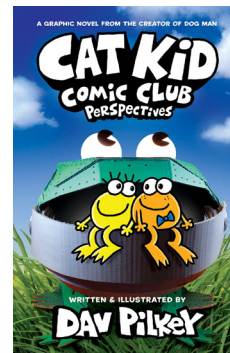
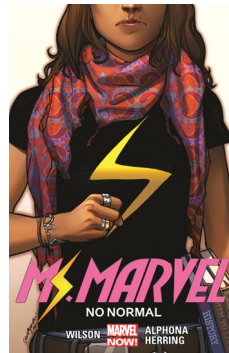


FREE COMIC BOOK DAY P

Saturday, May 7, all day while supplies last

Whether you're new to comic books or are a lifelong fan, drop by the Library and pick out a comic book to keep. This event celebrates the original American art form of comics. This year's giveaways will include comics from DC, Marvel, Dav Pilkey and more. For all ages.

Can't get enough comics? Check these out...



GET READY FOR...

GEEKFEST!

SATURDAY, MAY 21, 1-4 P.M.

CAROL STREAM TOWN CENTER
960 N. GARY AVE.

GAMING & COSTUME COMPETITIONS

BOUNCE HOUSE & OBSTACLE COURSE

A BRAND NEW EVENT!

FAMILY FRIENDLY FUN!

ARCADE UNITS & BOARD GAMES

SEE YOU THERE!

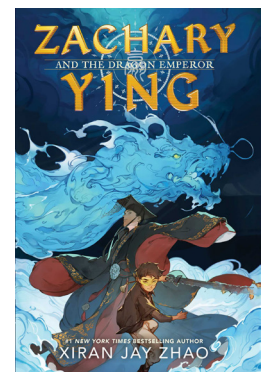
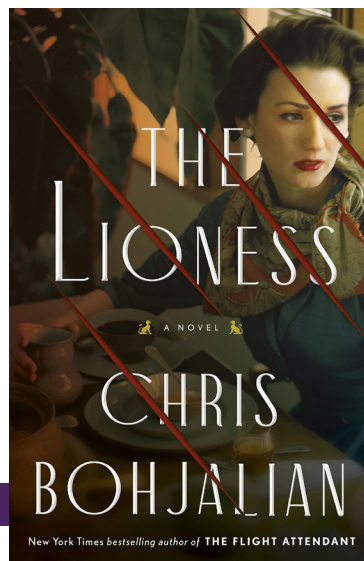
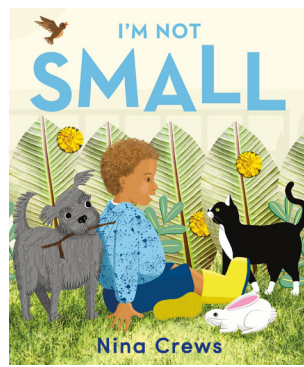
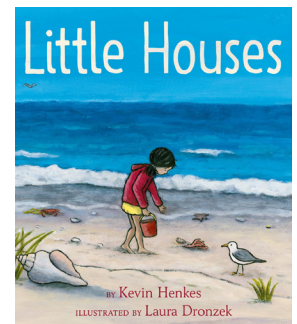
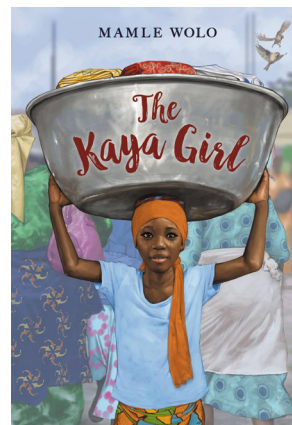
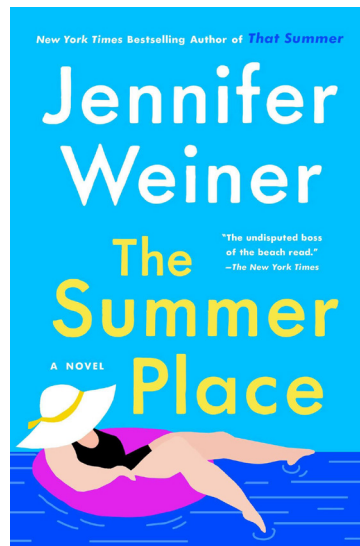
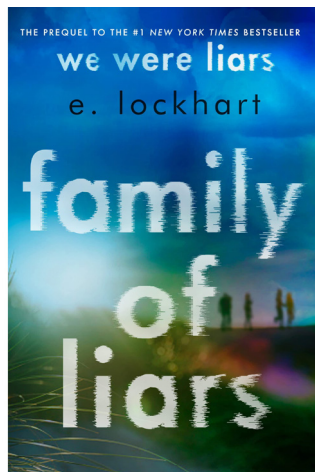
Held in partnership with the Village of Carol Stream, the Carol Stream Public Library, Geek, Inc. Comics, and others

Featured

To reserve your copy, call us at 630-653-0755 or visit csd.swanlibraries.net to place a hold.



DAIYU NEVER WANTED to be like the tragic heroine for whom she was named, revered for her beauty and cursed with heartbreak. But when she is kidnapped and smuggled across an ocean from China to America, Daiyu must relinquish the home and future she imagined for herself. Over the years that follow, she is forced to keep reinventing herself to survive. From a calligraphy school, to a San Francisco brothel, to a shop tucked into the Idaho mountains, we follow Daiyu on a quest to outrun the tragedy that chases her. As anti-Chinese sentiment sweeps across the country in a wave of violence, Daiyu must draw on each of the selves she has been—including the ones she most wants to leave behind—in order to finally claim her own name and story.



CSPL KITS

May 2-7 & May 16-21
 June 6-11 & June 20-25
 Twice a month, we offer STEM and craft kits for preschoolers and grades K-5. Register for kits on the day they become available through the event calendar, call us at 630-344-6127, or email us at children@cslibrary.org. Available while supplies last.



EVENTS FOR KIDS

Minecraft Escape Room **R V**

Tuesday, May 3, 4 p.m. | *Grades 6-8*

Solve puzzles in order to move from room to room. Hosted by Minecraft Mania.

Fancy Feet **R P**

Mondays, May 9 & June 6, 10 a.m. | *Ages 2-5*

Students will work on their musicality and rhythm and use their imagination with Miss Sam from Flourish Dance Academy.

It's a Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood **R P**

Thursday, May 12, 2 p.m. | *Ages 2-6*

We'll watch an episode of *Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood*, then work together on an activity based on the show.

A Tour of the Stars **R V**

Tuesday, May 17, 7 p.m. | *Grades 4-8*

An astronomer from Cernan Earth and Space Center will take us on a field trip through the stars.

Homeschool Hangout **R P**

Thursday, May 19, 11 a.m.

Grades K-5 but older and younger siblings welcome

A special guest will tell us about Chinese language, history, and culture and demonstrate an abacus.

World Vyshyvanka Day **R P**

Thursday, May 19, 6:30 p.m. |

Grades K-5

Celebrate the Ukrainian tradition of embroidery (*vyshyvanka*)! We'll read a book, compare embroideries from around the world, and make a craft.



Spread Your Wings **R P**

Monday, May 23, 3 p.m. | *Ages 3-6*

Celebrate Monarch May by building and decorating some great big beautiful wings of your own. Wiggle on in as a caterpillar, and fly away as a fantastic butterfly!

STORYTIMES

For little ones & caregivers | Registration required

Visit the Library calendar to see all storytimes:



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SUMMER READING

JUNE 1 - AUGUST 14

- For ages 0-12
- Pick up a reading log beginning June 1
- Track your minutes and earn prizes
- Earn a chance to win a special prize basket at the end of summer
- Join us and your friends for super fun events all summer long!

KIDS COOKING CLASSES R V

Grades K-3: Tuesday, June 7, 4 p.m.

Preschool: Thursday, June 9, 10 a.m.

Grades 4-8: Thursday, June 9, 4 p.m.

The master chefs from The Kids' Table will demonstrate fun and easy dishes. Preschoolers will make tacos de papa and guacamole. Grades K-3 will make coconut curry, and grades 4-8 will make cold Asian noodle salad.



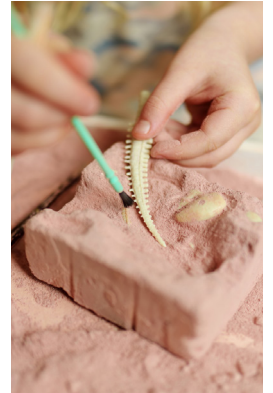
T-REXPLORES R P

Monday, June 13

Grades 1-4: 11 a.m.

Grades 5-8: 1 p.m.

Join us outdoors for this interactive program. The T-Rexplorers will bring their humor and dinosaur knowledge, as well as some fun fossils for the kids to touch and examine!



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Kids Yoga R P

Wednesday, May 11, 5 p.m., Saturday, June 4, 11 a.m. & Friday, June 10, 11 a.m.

Grades K-5

We'll do themed kids yoga, play active games, and take breaks with breathing and mindfulness exercises.

Outdoor Family Yoga R P

Friday, June 3, 10 a.m.

Wednesday, June 29, 10 a.m.

All ages

We'll have a great start to our day with themed poses, partner yoga, active games, and breaks with breathing and mindfulness exercises.

Reading with Dad R P

Monday, June 13, 6:30 p.m. | Grades K-5

Right before Father's Day come to the library and read a book with Daddy. Choose your favorite one and enjoy this precious time with your Pa!

Summer Chess Club R V

Tuesdays, June 14-July 26 | Ages 9-13

If you forget the rules of chess, don't worry - you're allowed to check. Register for the series through the Library calendar and play online at chess.com.



Smart Cookie Book Club R P

Wednesday, June 15, 2 p.m. | Grades 3-5

Smart cookies will get together and chat about *Planet Omar: Accidental Trouble Magnet* by Zaniib Mian.



One More Chapter Book Club R V

Thursday, June 16, 1 p.m. | Grades 5-8

Let's get together and talk about *The Brooklyn Nine: A Novel in Nine Innings*, historical fiction by Alan Gratz.

Rainbow Storytime R P



Saturday, June 25, 10 a.m. | Ages birth-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.

Don't Let the Pigeon Run the Party! R P

Thursday, June 30, 10 a.m. & 1 p.m. | Ages 3-8

The Pigeon probably wants to run things, but that would be a disaster! Join us for a party to celebrate Mo Willems' unforgettable characters.

Mobile Escape Room R P

Thursday, June 30

Grades 2-4: 10 a.m.

Grades 5-8: 1 p.m.

Chicago Mobile Escape Rooms returns with another challenge:

It's up to you, a team a super heroes, to capture the villains holding Justopolis hostage and restore peace to the city.



● Adults

ON YOUR OWN TIME

Take & Make Kits

Sunday, May 1: 3-D Tulip Kit

Wednesday, June 1: Folded Dress Gift Bag

Beginning May 1, email your kit request to cstream@cslibrary.org or call us at 630-344-6123.

Telling A People's Story Creativity Kits

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AROUND THE WORLD BOOK CLUB R V

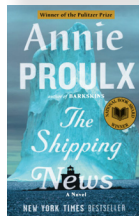
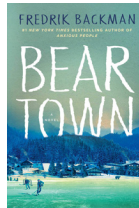
New members are welcome to join our world tour of literature. Ask for a copy of the books at the Adult Services Desk, or place a hold through the catalog.

Bear Town by Fredrik Backman

Monday, May 16, 6:30 p.m.

The Shipping News by Annie Proulx

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



GARDEN CLUB

The programs are hosted by the DuPage Organic Garden Club and the Carol Stream Public Library.

Invasive Plants R P

Thursday, May 5, 7-8:30 p.m.

Corey Begalka, Zoologist, Naturalist, and Restoration Specialist will guide us through non-native and invasive plants and their impact on our ecosystem.

Crafting Herbal Mocktails R P

Thursday, June 2, 7-8:30 p.m.

Marcy Lautanen-Raleigh from Backyard Patch Herbs will demonstrate how to craft mocktails with simple syrups, herb extractions, bitters, faux gin, and other alcohol substitutes.



EDI LEARNING GROUP

New members are welcome to join our monthly learning group where we talk about topics related to equity, diversity, and inclusion.

Pacific Islands TED Talks R V

Monday, May 23, 6:30 p.m.

Lifeways of the Potawatomi R P

Saturday, June 4, 1-3 p.m.



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ADULTS: READ TO WIN

- For ages 18+
- Track the books you read online or on a book log from the Adult Services Desk
- 1 book read=1 chance to win a Kindle Prize Basket at the end of summer
- 1 review written=1 chance to win, too!

TEEN SUMMER CHALLENGE

- For ages 13-17
- Read whatever you want
- Track your reading online June 1-August 14
- Every 200 minutes you read will earn you a chance to win a Teen Prize Basket at the end of summer

Adults

LIFELONG LEARNING

Lucky Dragon #5 and the Birth of Japanese Sci-Fi **R V**

Monday, May 9, 7 p.m.

On March 1st, 1954 the Japanese fishing boat Lucky Dragon #5 crew was exposed to radioactive fallout from a nuclear test at Bikini Atoll. Afterwards several crew members developed radiation poisoning. Learn how this event inspired many Japanese science-fiction movies, including *Godzilla*, *Mothra*, and *The H-Man*.



Friends of the Library Meeting **R P**

Wednesday, May 25, 7-8:30 p.m.

The Friends of the Carol Stream Public Library is a non-profit, organization which supports the Library through fundraising, volunteering, and promoting the Library. Officers will be elected at this meeting. All are welcome to attend and become a member.

Be an Effective LGBTQIA+ Ally **R V**

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

Learn about gender expansive youth and the distinctions between gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, and sex assigned at birth, and find out about books and resources that illuminate the queer community's experiences.

Watergate at 50 **R V**

Tuesday, June 21, 7 p.m.



Professor John Morello from College of DuPage (and former NPR reporter during Watergate) will discuss the Senate Watergate Committee's investigations, President Richard Nixon's attempts to block the committee's actions, what led to articles of impeachment, and Nixon's resignation.

WELLNESS

Line Dancing **R P**

Wednesday, May 11, 7 p.m.

Get your dancing shoes ready! Belynda Head from Lines 'N Motion will guide you step-by-step in this fun introductory class. We will be in-person at the Library with safety precautions in place: proper mask-wearing over the nose and mouth. Please wear smooth-soled shoes for this class.

An Evening of Mindfulness **R P**

Wednesday, June 1, 6:30-8 p.m.

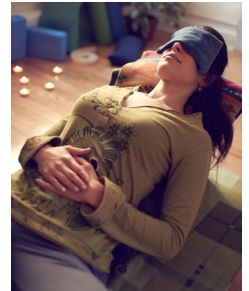
Join guest speakers from Intentional Energy 3 for an immersion into the flow of mindfulness using all of your senses. For those who struggle with sitting still and finding peace, learn ways to be actively mindful! This event will be held outdoors, weather permitting, and involves walking across grassy areas.

Yoga: Settle Into Sleep

Routine **R V**

Monday, June 6, 8 p.m.

Learn gentle, seated and reclined yoga postures, grounding breathwork, and a guided relaxation to help you regroup and relax before bed.



Teens

Dungeons & Dragons Club **R V**

Thursdays, 4 p.m.

Ages 13-18

Greetings, adventurers! New players are always welcome at our weekly D&D Club.

Volunteer Club **R P**

Thursday, May 12, 4 p.m.

Grades 7-12

We're looking for new and returning volunteers! In this session, we'll discuss ways you can volunteer and earn volunteer credit remotely.



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HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

Sunday, May 8
Sunday, May 29 &
Monday, May 30
Sunday, June 19

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.

- Curbside service is available during all open hours but is subject to change based on weather conditions.
- Masks are recommended but not required except during high-risk hours (Mon.-Fri., 9-10 a.m.) and while attending indoor programs.
- In person events are subject to change due to health restrictions in the community.

PLEASE NOTE: Attendance at Library programs and events constitutes consent to be photographed for Library publicity. Programs with no or low registration may be cancelled at the Library's discretion. If a sign language interpreter or other A.D.A. accommodation is needed for a program, please contact the Library at least 48 hours before the start of the program.

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Library Board Meeting

The third Wednesday of every month
at the Library:
May 18, 7 p.m.
June 15, 7 p.m.
The public is invited to attend.

CREATE - SEARCH - PLAY - LEARN