



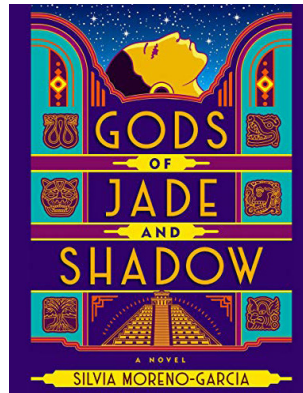
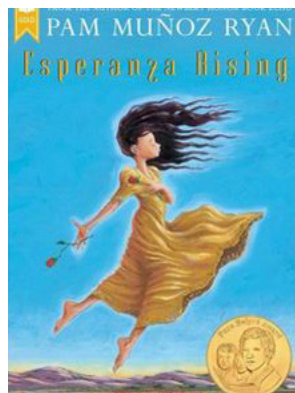
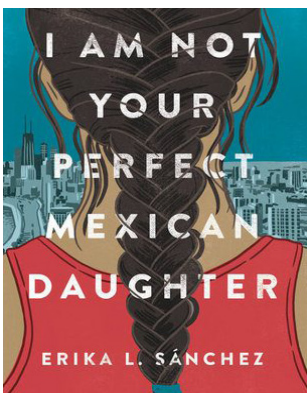
CAROL STREAM PUBLIC LIBRARY

September & October 2022



EXPLORING HISPANIC HERITAGE

Join the Carol Stream Public Library in celebrating National Hispanic Heritage Month, from September 15th to October 15th. During this time, Hispanic Americans whose ancestors traveled from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean, and Central and South America, are honored for the significant accomplishments and contributions they have made throughout history. Explore novels, rich with Hispanic culture and history on display at the library. Save time and check various books availability on our online catalog today.



Discover the Library's Genealogy Resources



Ancestry.com Library Edition is a wonderful resource that enables our users to search through documentation including: federal census, state census, military, immigration, birth, death and marriage records to trace one's family lineage. To access this resource patrons must visit the Carol Stream Public Library.



HeritageQuest, powered by ancestry.com, offers extensive data on user's family history through city directories, immigration, military, wills and probates and census records. This resource is accessible online at cslibrary.org



Fold3 is a great asset that allows users to explore their family's military history. This resource is available online at cslibrary.org.



MONSTER BALL

In-Person | Reg. Required
Sunday, Oct. 30th
1:30-4:30 p.m. | Ages 0-12
Beware! The Youth Services Team is inviting all the little ghouls and boos for a spooky afternoon filled with scary stories, songs and games. Come join us for a trick-or-treat you won't forget. Register online for a selected time entry for the Monster Ball while seats are available.

LIVE HOMEWORK HELP

Resources Available
12 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Struggling with new classes and concepts? Kick off the school year successfully by utilizing the library's live homework help service. Discover our free tutoring service at Tutor.com today.



STORY TIMES & CSPL KITS

For little ones & caregivers | Registration Required
Visit the Library calendar to see all story times:



TRICK-OR-TREAT

Monday, Oct. 31, 3 p.m.-7 p.m.
Make the library a part of your trick-or-treating route! Stop by for a delicious sweet treat to celebrate Halloween.



EVENTS FOR KIDS

Homeschool Hangout

In-Person | Registration Required
Friday, Sept. 2 & Oct. 7, 11 a.m.
Grades K-5 but older and younger siblings welcome
Join us for fun activities and meet other home schooling families in the community. Learn more about how the library can support you.

Filament Theatre: Choose Your Adventure

Virtual | Registration Required
Wednesday, Sept. 14, 4:30 p.m. | *Grades 3-6*
Create original adventure stories through drama games and creative storytelling. As your daring tale unfolds you'll act and learn techniques for crafting new adventures at home.

Fancy Feet

In-Person | Registration Required
Mondays, Sept. 12 & Oct. 3, 10 a.m. | *Ages 2-5*
Find your rhythm and use your imagination as you dance along to fun music with Miss Sam from the Flourish Dance Academy.

Kids Yoga

In-Person | Registration Required
Saturdays, Sept. 24 and Oct. 22, 11 a.m. | *Grades K-5*
Join Miss Adriana for themed kids' yoga, where we will play active games and take breaks with breathing and mindfulness exercises.

Stuffie Sleep Over

In-Person | Registration Required
Saturday, Sept. 24, 3:30 p.m. | *Ages 3-8*
Come celebrate National Teddy Bear Month and bring your favorite stuffie to hear a story and complete a special craft. After, leave your stuffie for an overnight slumber party extravaganza. On Sunday, return to the library, pick up your stuffie and discover exactly what mischief occurs at the Library late at night.

HOWL-O-WEEN

In-Person | Reg. Required
 CSPL Library Card Required
 Saturday, Oct. 8, 11 a.m.
Children & Family

Join bat naturalists Dan and Sharon who will be bringing live bats, snakes, rats and spiders to talk about these fascinating creatures. Brave participants will be allowed to pet their new Halloween friends too!



ANDERTOONS: CARTOONING CLASS

In-Person | Reg. Required
 Monday, Oct. 24, 4 p.m.
Grades 4-8

Join us for a spooky and fun cartooning class! We will learn to draw ghosts, ghouls, goblins, and much more.



Drop-In Stem Family Time

In-Person | Registration Required
 Tuesday, Sept. 25, 2 p.m.-4 p.m. | *Family*

Spend quality family time exploring different STEM concepts. Work together using library supplied kits to learn about electricity, magnets, circuits, engineering, robots, gears and more!

Hands-On Learning

In-Person | Registration Required
 Tuesdays, Sept. 27 & Oct. 25, 10 a.m. | *Ages 2-6*

Inviting little ones and their caregivers to explore this month's topic through playful learning stations in a tactile way. September's topic will focus on apples, and October's topic will focus on pumpkins!

Kahoot! Trivia Contest

In-Person | Registration Required
 Wednesday, Oct. 12, 3:30 p.m. | *Grades 4-8*

Come test your trivia knowledge with friends using Kahoot! Prove yourself a master of a variety of fun topics to win prizes and enjoy a variety of yummy snacks too.

Glow in The Dark Party

In-Person | Registration Required
 Thursday, Oct. 13, 6:30 p.m. | *Ages 3-6*

Afraid of the Dark? Miss Aneesa and Miss Leigh Anne have prepared a spooky party with glow-in-the dark stories and activities. Shine bright and wear white clothing or something fluorescent so you will glow too!

CLUBS FOR KIDS

Young Writers Club

In-Person | Registration Required
 Monday, Sept. 12, 3 p.m. | *Grades 3-6*

Inviting all aspiring young writers to the Create and Learn Center where you will be able to create original stories, graphic novels, manga and poetry. Time for sharing your stories with the group will be provided.

Itty Bitty Book Club

In-Person | Registration Required
 Tuesdays, Sept. 13 & Oct. 11, 1:30 p.m. | *Ages 3-6*

A book club for little ones! Join Miss Adriana as she reads and discusses 2-3 books from this month's author or illustrator. She will be highlighting authors, Peter Reynolds in September and Lucy Cousins in October. After, enjoy a related fun craft.

Coyote Sunrise Book Club

In-Person | Reg. Required
 Thursday, Sept. 22, 4 p.m.
Grades 3-8

One More Chapter Book and Smart Cookie Book Clubs are meeting together this month to discuss the chapter book, *The Remarkable Journey of Coyote Sunrise*, by author, Dan Gemeinhart.



Adults

ON YOUR OWN TIME

Take & Make Kits

Thursday, Sept. 1: The Book was Better Tote Bag
Saturday, Oct. 1: Breast Cancer Awareness Tumbler
Available on the first day of every month,
e-mail your kit request to cstream@cslibrary.org
or call us at 630-344-6123.

Binge Boxes

Beginning on the first day
of every month request a
themed Binge Box.

Also, for the month of October
we will be offering a special
limited Binge Box: Slightly
Spooky Movie Night!



HISTORY EVENTS

The Hidden Work of Farm Workers

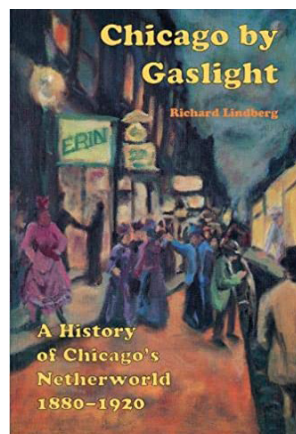
Virtual | Registration Required
Monday, Sept. 26, 6:30 p.m.

Come join us for an interactive presentation from Heather A. Hathaway Miranda, M.A. She will share stories, videos, photographs and statistics about migrant farm workers and agricultural workers. Her presentation will include historical information and stories from her personal family history, research, community, activism and friendships.

Chicago by Gaslight

In-Person | Reg. Required
Tuesday, Oct. 4, 7 p.m.

Come join us as we journey
back to a time when the Windy
City was awash with criminal
activity and political bosses.
Through the words in Richard
C. Lindberg's book, *Chicago
by Gaslight*, and inspired HBO
series, *The Gilded Age*, he
presents famous and forgotten
events including, the Chicago
Fire, Haymarket Riot and the
Pullman Strike.



FALL FESTIVITIES

Slightly Spooky Craft Night

In-Person | Reg. Required
Tuesday, Sept. 20, 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 18, 6:30 p.m.

Join us to celebrate the release of
Hocus Pocus 2 with a fun craft on
the library patio.



Chunky Knit Scarf Drop-In Craft

In-Person | Reg. Required
Saturday, Oct. 15, 2 p.m.

Join us and learn how to create
and customize your very own
stylish chunky knit scarf!



AROUND THE WORLD BOOK CLUB

Virtual | Registration Required

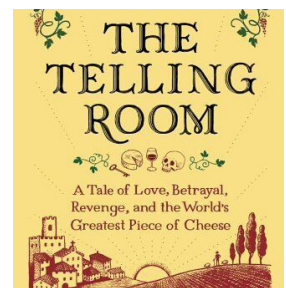
New members are welcome to join our world tour of literature. Ask for a copy of the books at the Adult Services Desk, or place a hold through the catalog.

Maus

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

The Telling Room

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



GARDEN CLUB

Amazing Microgreens

In-Person | Registration Required
Thursday, Sept. 1, 7 p.m.

Join award-winning organic gardener Vicky Nowicki as she demonstrates techniques on how to grow greens indoors during the winter.

Bats of Illinois

In-Person | Registration Required
Thursday, Oct. 6, 7 p.m.

Join Brittany Rogness, from the Illinois Bat Conservation Program, as she teaches us about the bats we find in Illinois including, their ecological, economic and medicinal benefits and threats.

● Adults

LIFELONG LEARNING

iPhone Basics

In-Person | Registration Required
Tuesday, Sept. 13, 7 p.m.

Join Mike Gershbein as he demonstrates the basics and handy tricks of using the iPad and iPhone.

Android Phone Basics

In-Person | Registration Required
Tuesday, Oct. 11, 7 p.m.

Join Mike Gershbein as he reveals the basics on navigating how to use the Android tablet and phone.

Naturalization 101: Becoming a U.S. Citizen

Virtual | Registration Required
Wednesday, Sept. 21, 6 p.m.

Join us as Maria Del Carmen Rodriguez, the Community Relations Officer from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, presents information on becoming a U.S. Citizen.

160 Minutes: A Race to Save the Titanic

Virtual | Registration Required
Thursday, Sept. 22, 7 p.m.

Bestselling author William Hazelgrove will commemorate the 110th anniversary of the sinking of the Titanic. We will discuss his riveting book, *160 Minutes: The Race to Save the Titanic*.

How to Prepare for The Rising Cost of College

Virtual | Registration Required
Monday, Oct. 3, 6:30 p.m.

How can college bound families afford tuition with annual increase? Thomas J. Jaworski, of Quest College Consulting, will share his expertise and demonstrate how to break down the cost of college.

The Polish in Hollywood

Virtual | Registration Required
Monday, Oct. 24, 7 p.m.

Join Film Historian Dr. Annette Bochenek as she explores the studio system's different talents of Polish descent and films that portray Polish characters. The program will consist of photos, video clips and captivating stories.

HEALTHY LIVING

Middle-Earth Marathon: Read & Walk Challenge

Beginning Thursday, Sept. 1

20 minutes of reading or walking equals one move ahead on your log map. Pick up a log at the Adult Services Desk to track your progress. Complete your log and enter to win a prize basket and a small participation prize.



Medicare 101

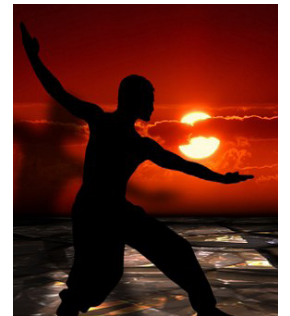
In-Person | Registration Required
Thursday, Sept. 15, 7 p.m.

Medicare Solutions Network will be presenting a free educational seminar to get you up to speed on what Medicare covers and potential out of pocket exposure.

Qigong Basics

In-Person | Reg. Required
Thursday, Oct. 27, 7 p.m.

Qigong is a practice of martial arts related to Tai Chi. Follow along in this active class led by Seven Martial Arts and learn the fundamentals and importance of the Qigong.



● Teens

Take & Make Kits

Study Break Kits: Request starting Sept. 1
Tiny Art Show Kits: Request starting Oct. 1
Art Show Projects due Nov. 1

Arcade Racing Extravaganza

In-Person | Registration Required
Wednesday, Sept. 21, 3:30 p.m. | *Grades 6-12*

Join us for an after-school event full of the greatest arcade style racing games including: Mario Kart 8 Deluxe, Rocket League and Horizon Chase Turbo.

Anime Club

In-Person | Registration Required
Wednesday, Oct. 19, 3:30 p.m. | *Grades 6-12*

Join us for new screenings of your favorite anime and TV shows. We will provide snacks, games and crafts!



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HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

Sunday, September 4
Monday, September 5

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.).
- 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:
September 21, 7 p.m.
October 19, 7 p.m.
The public is invited to attend.

CREATE - SEARCH - PLAY - LEARN