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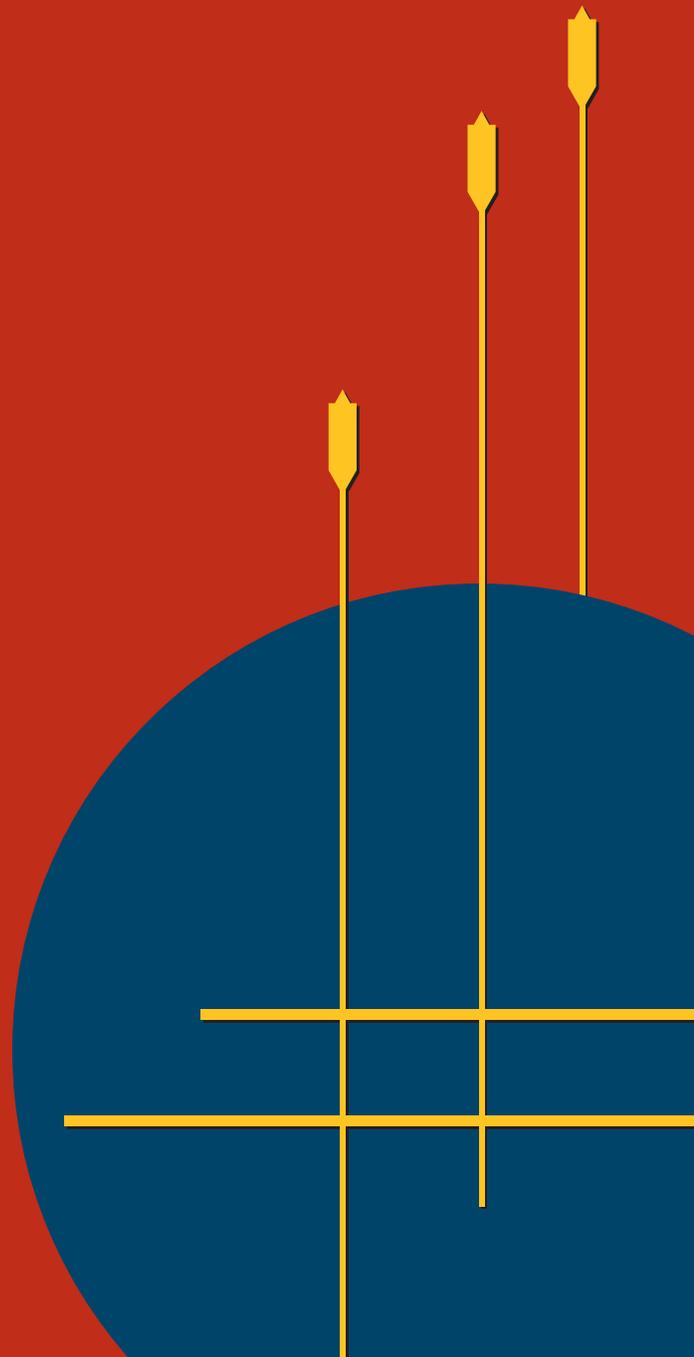
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**SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY  
CARD SIGN-UP MONTH**

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**SHREDDING EVENT  
SEPTEMBER 26**

**HOLIDAY  
GIFT PACKAGES  
ON SALE  
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**Monday – Friday**

9 am–9 pm

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9 am–5 pm

**Sunday**

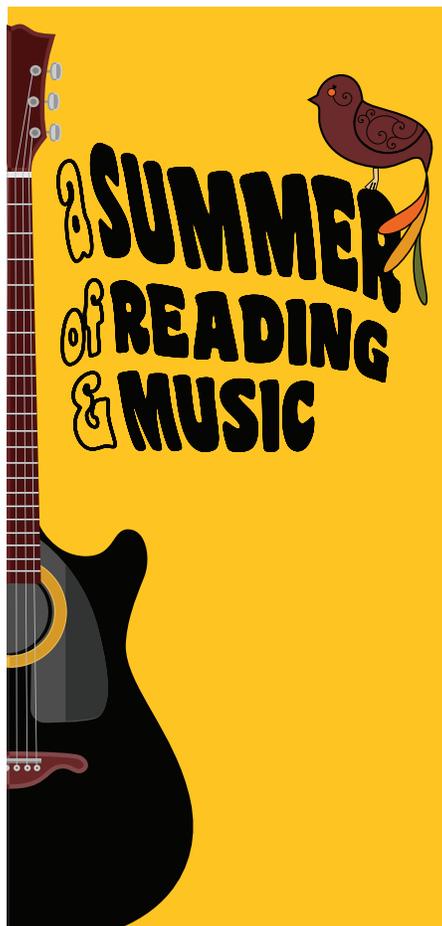
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**Closed:**

Sunday, September 6  
Monday, September 7  
Thursday, November 26

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**Summer Reading**

**A Smash Hit!**

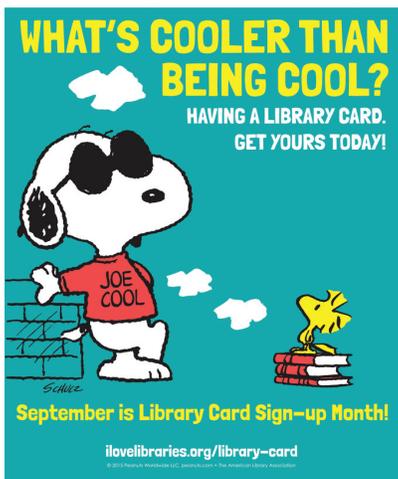
Music was in the air all summer long here at the library and on our Bookmobile. We applaud the over 500 adults and 2,000 children and teens who signed up to read some great books and attend our lively lineup of programs and concerts.

For the second year in a row, our patrons were fortunate to be able to connect with local businesses and take advantage of their special offers.

We sincerely thank the businesses listed below for their continued support of our library and we encourage you to thank them when you visit their establishments.

**Thank you to our special business partners:**

Alison Andrews Day Spa, The Attic Door, Camp K-9 Pet Resort, Chicago Detours, Mary Claahsen, Classy Flowers, Cupkake's Family Fun Time Entertainment, Dance Images, Michelle Deering, Disc Replay, Ed & Joe's Restaurant & Pizzeria, Pat Evans, Feel So Good Canine Massage, LLC, Tamara Gallagher, Gatto's Restaurant, Shaunna Glogoza, Granite City Food & Brewery, Graphicsland, Nicole Gurgone, GutterPiller, Inc., Heart & Sole Dance, Hearts & Flowers, High Ho Gems & Crystals, Holistic Happenings Healing Center, Jump! Zone of Mokena, Maria DeVenuto Kasang, Magical Balloon-dude, Magical Moments Vacations, Massage Envy Spa Tinley Park, Nancy's Pizzeria, Parmesans Station, Kirsten and Lauren Peterson, Pooches N' Purrs Pet Salon, Salina's Pasta & Pizza, Salon Evangelos, SportClips, Sweet Frog Frozen Yogurt, Texas Roadhouse, Dr. Peter J. Toussaint, DDS, Village Pizza.



Getting a new library card (or renewing your old one) is so cool, especially during the month of September! Don't miss our fun Peanuts-themed contests and giveaways for all ages in the library

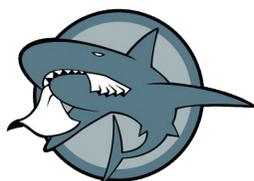
and on the Bookmobile. Show us your library card when you stop by the Checkout Desk or the Bookmobile each week and enter our drawings for a chance to win a gift card. Three winners every week! Only Tinley Park Library cardholders are eligible for this drawing. The winning entries will be notified by phone. Residents of Tinley Park and Orland Hills are eligible to apply for a Tinley Park Library card.

### Shredding Event

Saturday, September 26

from 9-11 am

The Friends of the Tinley Park Library will sponsor a shredding event in the West parking lot of the 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue Metra Station. The West parking lot is located north of the train tracks at 179<sup>th</sup> Street & 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue. A maximum of two standard-sized paper boxes filled with your sensitive papers (bank statements, bills) is allowed. Approximate dimensions: 16" x 8" x 12". Shredding representatives will remove the boxes from your car, take them to the shredding truck, and shred them on-site. Thank you to the 430+ who attended our April shredding event.



### Domestic Violence Awareness

Saturday, October 3, from 11 am-1 pm

The **Password: Purple** campaign will draw attention to issues of domestic violence and the resources and services available to the community through the Crisis Center of South Suburbia. Featured will be information about domestic violence, stories from survivors, and a candle-lighting ceremony with vigil. The vigil pays tribute to survivors of domestic violence and honors those who have lost their lives to abuse.

This event is in recognition of National Domestic Violence Awareness Month and will be held outside in pavilion. Community residents of all ages are invited to attend. A free hotdog lunch will be provided to the first 100 attendees.

For more information please contact Kerri at 708.429.7255 x 126, or at [Kerri@crisisctr.org](mailto:Kerri@crisisctr.org).

### Gift Packages on Sale Saturday, November 7 from 9 am-4 pm

Looking for stress-free holiday shopping?

Look no further. The Friends' gift packages are the solution -- all wrapped up and ready to give. A variety of themes and age ranges will be available, from golf to cooking and from child to adult. There's something for everyone. The sale will be held in the lower level Meeting Room of the library.



### Love Grows by Giving

The library is proud to announce that we will be a drop-off point for the following local organizations:



#### Toys for Tots

#### Crisis Center for South Suburbia

The Crisis Center Wish List will be available in our lobby and our website beginning November 1. For more information, please contact Kerri at 708.429.7255, x126 or [kerri@crisisctr.org](mailto:kerri@crisisctr.org).

#### Tinley Park Food Pantry

The Food Pantry will be glad to receive non-perishable and non-expired food items. Items especially needed include: Pasta Roni; Rice-a-Roni; cereal; cookies; crackers; cake, brownie, and muffin mixes; boxed potatoes; Tuna/Chicken/Hamburger Helper; boxed pasta (not spaghetti); and bottled/canned juices.

#### Together We Cope

TWC in Tinley Park is collecting toys and gift cards for youngsters aged infant to 18 for the nonprofit agency's annual Adopt-a-Child Christmas program, which this year will provide holiday gifts for 1500 area children in need. Toys for all ages, both boys and girls, are greatly appreciated and games are always on children's wish lists. Gift cards are especially nice for teens in the program. The suggested denomination is \$15 for local restaurants, stores, or coffee shops where teens like to gather. For further information, contact Tina Kessens, [tkessens@togetherwecope.org](mailto:tkessens@togetherwecope.org).

Separate boxes for the Crisis Center for South Suburbia, Tinley Park Food Pantry, and Together We Cope will be located in the library lobby. The Toys for Tots collection point is upstairs next to our Youth Services Reference Desk. Wish lists for the Crisis Center and Together We Cope will be posted near the collection boxes. Collections run from Friday, November 27 through Monday, December 14.

# friends

## The 2015/2016 Sunday Afternoon Concert Series



### Phil & Amy and Lucie too!

Sunday, September 13 at 2 pm  
 Online registration begins Thursday, September 3.  
 Please register by

phone or in person beginning Friday, September 4. Each person attending the concert must register individually.

### Greta Pope - Around the World and Back ~ Encore

Sunday, October 11 at 2 pm  
 Online registration begins Thursday, October 1.

Please register by phone or in person beginning Friday, October 2. Each person attending the concert must register individually.



### The Convertibles

Sunday, December 20 at 2 pm  
 Online registration begins Thursday, December 10.

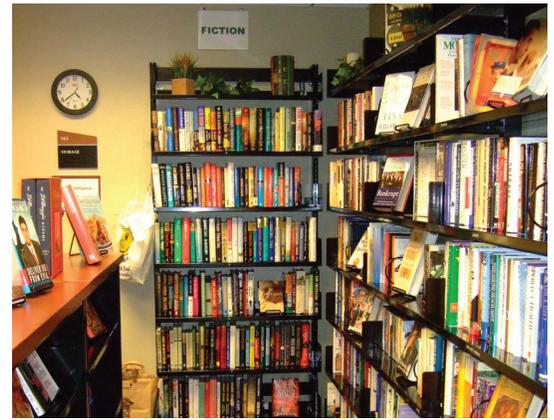
Please register by phone or in person beginning Friday, December 11. Each person attending the concert must register individually.



*The Sunday Afternoon Concert Series is sponsored by the Friends of the Tinley Park Public Library. Doors open at 1:30 pm for the performance. Registrants must obtain a ticket from the registration table no later than 10 minutes before the scheduled performance.*

*Unclaimed reservations will be released at 1:50 pm.*

*If you have registered for a concert and are unable to attend, please call the library at 708.532.0160, x 3 to cancel your reservation.*



### Friends need your support!

If you have gently used books you'd like to donate, please take these to the Checkout Desk. We especially need hardcover novels and history, cooking, and children's books. However, we cannot accept textbooks, encyclopedias, outdated reference books, VHS tapes or Reader's Digest Condensed Books.

Stop by the Checkout Desk, join the Friends, and receive a free reusable book bag.

## VETERANS



Applications for the Honor Flights to Washington, D.C. are available in the information rack in the library entranceway.



*A book is a friend from beginning to end.*

Marjolein Bastin

## friends membership

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address) (City) (ST.) (ZIP)

### ANNUAL DUES:

Please check one:  Adult (\$5)  Good Friend (\$10)  Family Friends (\$15; list names)  
 Best Friend (\$25)

Please Check One:  New Membership or  Membership Renewal \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: The Friends of the Tinley Park Public Library  
 7851 Timber Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60477

## Adult Program Registration

Mark your calendars now...

Registration for all adult programs begins on the 20th of the month for the following month's programs, with the exception of Friends of the Library events. You may register online, in person, or by phone. Register at [tplibrary.org](http://tplibrary.org) or call 708.532.0160, x 3.

### Do Better Research

Friday, September 4, at 2 pm

Saturday, October 24 at 2 pm

You probably do research every day, whether at work, school, or in your personal life. Learn tips to improve your efficiency, explore better resources, and see how the librarians here can help. This hands-on workshop is limited to 12 people and open to adults and teens.

### Medicare Overview

Wednesday, September 9 at 6:30 pm

Information on eligibility, enrollment, and the benefits of Medicare parts A and B and the Standardized Medicare Supplemental Plans will be discussed.



### Read All About It!

Wednesday, September 16 at 7 pm

Learn about future bestsellers before they become hits from Random House's Robert Haddock. Exciting free giveaways for attendees.

### Nine Years on the Appalachian Trail

Wednesday, September 23 at 7 pm

The Appalachian Trail winds 2,180 long, arduous, beautiful, and fascinating miles over the mountains from Georgia to Maine. Join Terry Cunningham as she recounts "section hiking" 1500 of these miles over the past nine years. Terry will also bring her hiking gear and other resources that may be of interest to those considering long-distance hikes of their own.



### The Essential Great Chicago Fire

Wednesday, October 7 at 7 pm

With technical details and vivid firsthand accounts of those who lived through the fire, storyteller William Pack brings to life all the excitement and terror of this historic event.

### Understanding the Affordable Care Act

Monday, October 19 at 6:30 pm

Learn how to understand your options and make informed choices when you navigate the Affordable Care Act Marketplace.

### American Doughboys in the First World War

Wednesday, November 11 at 7 pm

Author Robert Mueller describes the events, people, and places of America's participation in WWI, "the war to end all wars."

### Delicious Holiday Sides with Chef Kate

Monday, November 16 at 7 pm

Returning for this special engagement only, Chef Kate Bradley shares delicious ideas for your next holiday gathering. Recipes and tastings included.

### Jenny Riddle Presents *Capital Dames*

Monday, November 23 at 7 pm

This time around, Jenny reviews Cokie Roberts' new book *Capital Dames: The Civil War and the Women of Washington*. Don't miss this riveting look at Washington, D.C. during the Civil War and the experiences, influence, and contributions of its women during this momentous period of American history.

### Holiday Madrigal Concert

Saturday, November 28 at 2 pm



Join us for a special musical performance by the Lincoln-Way North High School Madrigals, complete with splendid period costumes. Please note registration for this program is mandatory.

adults

Registration begins the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month for the following month's classes.

## Basics

### Mousercise

Learn how to use a standard two-button mouse. If you have not used a mouse, or if you do not know how to copy and paste, we recommend taking this class before any other.

Tuesday, September 1 from 10-11:30 am. Class size: 6  
Friday, October 2 from 2-3:30 pm. Class size: 6  
Wednesday, November 4 from 6:30-8 pm. Class size: 6

### Introduction to PCs

Teaches the fundamentals of personal computing, covering the desktop, files, folders, and applications (apps). This class is designed for beginning computer users.

Thursday, September 3 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 8  
Tuesday, October 6 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 8  
Thursday, November 5 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 8

### Beginner's Internet I & II

Learn how to find and evaluate information on the World Wide Web.

Wednesday, September 2 & 9 from 10 am-noon.  
Class size: 6  
Friday, October 2 & 9 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 6  
Thursday, November 12 & 19 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6

### Online Security & Privacy

This lecture-based class offers tips to better protect yourself from online scams, spam, viruses, and identity theft.

Monday, October 5 from 6:30-8:30pm. Class size: 10

### Introduction to Email

Learn how to register for an email account, check your inbox, create an address book, and open attachments.

Tuesday, September 15 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6  
Wednesday, October 7 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6  
Wednesday, November 18 from 10 am-noon.  
Class size: 6

### Organize Your Digital Files, Folders, & Photos

Learn strategies to organize your files, folders, and pictures on your computer. Discover services for sharing and storing your files on the Internet using cloud services.

Wednesday, September 9 from 2-4pm. Class size: 8  
Tuesday, November 10 from 2-4pm. Class size: 8

### Password Management

Protect your digital life by learning new ways to create passwords that are harder to hack. Discover online and offline methods of storing your many passwords.

Monday, October 19 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 8

## Ebooks

If you need assistance with library ebooks, we encourage you to bring your mobile device to the Adult Reference Desk on the Main Level for one-on-one assistance.

## Microsoft

### Windows 8.1 Basics

This hands-on class is for those who are comfortable with a personal computer and wish to transition to Microsoft's drastically redesigned operating system. Keyboard & mouse skills required.

Thursday, September 17 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 10  
Monday, October 12 from 2-4pm. Class size: 10  
Tuesday, November 17 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 10

### Excel Basics: Operations and Formatting

Learn the fundamentals of Microsoft's spreadsheet application.

Wednesday, September 23 from 10 am-noon.  
Class size: 8  
Tuesday, October 6 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 8  
Monday, November 16 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 8

### Excel Basics\*

Covers orientation to Excel; working with data; worksheet formatting and alterations; handling larger workbooks; and printing and sharing.

Wednesday, October 21 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 8

### Excel Pivot Tables\*

Learn how to use pivot tables to summarize key data from a larger spreadsheet. Registrants should be familiar with Excel basics.

Monday, September 28 from Noon-12:45 pm.  
Class size: 8  
Monday, November 23 from Noon-12:45 pm.  
Class size: 8

### Excel Intermediate: Functions and Charts

Learn intermediate level functions and how to apply limits to cells. Also covers importing data into Excel and making charts or graphs.

Wednesday, September 16 from 6:30-8:30 pm.  
Class size: 8  
Monday, November 16 from 6:30-8:30 pm.  
Class size: 8

\* Classes are video-based instructional sessions taught by the Virtual Services Librarian.

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## Microsoft continued

### Excel Intermediate: Simple Financial Report

Learn how to use Excel to create a profit/loss projection based on production costs and sales information.

Tuesday, October 13 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 8

### Excel Intermediate: Tables for Large Spreadsheets\*

Covers working with tables, large datasets, conditional formatting and outlines as well as intermediate formulas and functions.

Wednesday, October 28 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 8

### PowerPoint Basics

Learn how to create Microsoft PowerPoint slideshows with dynamic features to spice up your presentations.

Tuesday, September 29 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6

Friday, October 9 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 6

Tuesday, November 24 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6

### Word Basics

Learn the fundamentals of Microsoft's word-processing software.

Thursday, September 17 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 8

Monday, October 12 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 8

Tuesday, November 17 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 8

### Word Basics\*

Covers the ribbon, text editing, font groups, paragraph formats, tables, page layout, and document proofing.

Wednesday, October 7 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 8

### Word Intermediate\*

Covers handling of lists, charts, and tables; custom table styles and themes; graphic objects options and modifications; adding quick parts; text flow configurations; document templates; mail merge; and macros.

Wednesday, October 14 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 8

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## Job Search

### Online Job Searching

Learn how to look for and apply for jobs online and how to use Microsoft Word to create resumes and cover letters.

Thursday, October 15 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6

### Introduction to LinkedIn

How to join LinkedIn, build your profile, make connections, add recommendations, and maintain and enhance your LinkedIn page. This class is for those without existing LinkedIn accounts.

Wednesday, October 28 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 6

Monday, November 30 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 6

## Mobile

### You & iOS

Learn to organize, customize, back up, and secure your iPad, iPhone, or iPod touch. Discover some fun and practical apps to get started. Please bring your device to class. Several iPad 2s will be available for those who do not bring one.

Thursday, September 24 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 10

Thursday, October 15 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Class size: 10

Friday, November 20 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 10

### Hello, Android

Learn what makes Androids unique and how to customize your device to get more done and have more fun! Please bring your Android to class.

Saturday, September 26 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 10

Friday, October 16 from 10 am-noon. Class size: 10

Thursday, November 19 from 2-4 pm. Class size: 10

### There's an App for That!

Discover a variety of the best Apple and Android apps. You'll learn best practices for choosing, downloading, and managing your many apps. Please bring your tablet or smartphone as well as any apps you'd like to share during class.

Thursday, October 22 from 10 am - noon. Class size: 10



### Stress Reduction Meditation

First Thursday of the month from 7–8:30 pm  
October 1 and November 5

Registration for each class begins on the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month for the following month's program.

Bring your pillow and yoga mat or blanket to lie on the floor and enjoy this wonderful guided meditation designed to help you let go of stress. Relax, refresh, and renew during this time set aside just for you. Cell phones must be powered down before entering the Meeting Room. **Doors open at 6:30 pm. Please arrive no later than 10 minutes before start time to ensure that we can begin promptly at 7 pm. No admittance once the meditation has begun.**

### Stitch Club

First and third Thursdays of the month from 11 am–1 pm  
September 3 and 17  
October 1 and 15  
November 5 and 19  
No registration required.

Open to anyone who wants to meet, mingle, or share tips on needlecraft projects. Bring your own supplies.

### Go Open Game Night

Mondays from 6-8:30 pm  
September 28, October 26, and November 30  
All ages; no registration required.

Come learn about the Asian board game *Go*—a strategy game not unlike chess or *Parcheesi*. Thousands of years old and wildly popular in China, Japan, and Korea, *Go* is catching on quickly here in the U.S. Game boards are provided and experienced players are on hand to introduce newbies to the game. Children age 13 or younger must be accompanied by an adult.

### Mah Jongg Club

First Tuesday of the month from 11 am–1 pm  
**Please note new starting time.**  
September 1, October 6, and November 3  
No registration required.

Whether you are an experienced player or newbie, now is your chance to play mah jongg at the library. Similar to rummy, this popular game of luck and skill originated in China. An instructor will be on hand to teach those new to the game. No registration required. Additional meeting dates: Mondays from 6–8 pm: September 28, October 26, and November 30

### Joker's Wild Card Club

Third Tuesday of the month from 11 am–1 pm  
**Please note new starting time.**  
September 15, October 20, and November 17  
No registration required.

Meet up with others interested in playing various card games. Amusement only; no gambling permitted.



### Chair Yoga

Second and fourth Thursdays of the month from 11 am–12:30 pm  
September 10 and 24  
October 8 and 22  
November 12

Registration for each class begins on the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month for the following month's programs.

Instructor Kathy Ruiter will guide you in gentle, non-strenuous chair exercises and meditation.



### Monday Mornings @ the Library

#### **Monday Mornings at 11am**

No registration required. Once a month we're hosting some of your favorite presenters and discussing topics that will enrich, enlighten, and entertain you. Seating is limited to 100 for these programs.

September 28: Senior Scams  
A representative from the Illinois Attorney General's office shares ways that seniors may protect themselves from identity theft, telecommunications fraud, and consumer scams such as sweepstakes and lotteries.

October 26: Natural Sugar Treats  
Pastry chef Rose Deneen demonstrates how to make three easy and delicious sweet treats using natural sugar alternatives. Tastings and recipes included.

November 30: Letters from the Heart  
With a nostalgic look at the importance of letter writing, author Dennis Depcik shares the personal and heartwarming story of his military experience and what letters from home meant to him and other soldiers.

## Early Bird Flicks

Mondays @ 11 am & 2 pm  
 Seating is limited to 125.  
 No registration required.

September 14  
*The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*  
 PG, 122 minutes  
 Now that the hotel is filled up with long-term residents, comanagers Muriel and Sonny dream of expansion.



October 12  
*McFarland, USA*  
 PG-13, 121 minutes  
 The true against-all-odds story of a high school cross country team and the coach who inspired them to become champions.



November 9  
*I'll See You in My Dreams*  
 PG-13, 92 minutes  
 In this funny and heartwarming film, a widow and former singer discovers that life can begin anew at any age.



## Movies&Books

Saturdays @ 1 pm  
 No registration required.

So many films are made from books these days! Come enjoy the movie and, if you wish, check out a copy of the corresponding book.  
 Seating is limited to 125.

September 19  
*Tracks*  
 PG-13, 110 minutes

Book: *Tracks: A Woman's Solo Trek Across 1700 Miles of Australian Outback*  
 by Robyn Davidson



October 3  
*Woman in Gold*  
 PG-13, 120 minutes  
 Book: *The Lady in Gold*  
 by Anne-Marie O'Connor



November 21  
*Far from the Madding Crowd*  
 PG-13, 103 minutes  
 Book: *Far from the Madding Crowd*  
 by Thomas Hardy



### Special bonus for Movies&Books patrons!

Following each movie, you may enter a drawing for a chance to win a free movie pass to Marcus Theatres Orland Park.  
 Program sponsored in part by Marcus Theatres.

Ongoing Programs

adults

## adults

## Adult Book Discussion Groups

**Tinley Tomes**

Tinley Tomes comprises two groups that discuss a variety of fiction and nonfiction books. One group meets at 1:30 pm on the second Wednesday of the month and the other at 7:30 pm on the fourth Tuesday. Selections are available at the Adult Reference Desk in hardcover, large print, and audio formats one month before the discussion date. Discussions are held in Meeting Room A.

**Tuesday Tomes Selections – 7:30 pm**

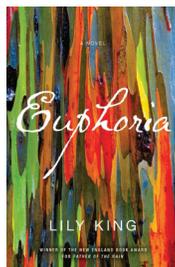
September 22

*Good Girl* by Mary Kubica  
When young Chicago art teacher Mia Dennett is stood up by her on-again, off-again boyfriend, she leaves the bar with a mysterious stranger named Colin Thatcher. At first, he seems harmless--but following him home will turn out to be the worst mistake of Mia's life.



October 27

*Euphoria* by Lily King  
Loosely based on events in the life of Margaret Mead, this captivating historical novel explores the passionate love triangle that develops among three anthropologists working in remotest New Guinea.



November 24

*The Language of Flowers* by Vanessa Diffenbaugh  
Abandoned by her mother as a child, Victoria Jones spent her childhood in foster homes. Now eighteen and recently released from the system, Victoria still struggles with anger and trust issues and can only truly connect with others through the language of the flowers that she loves.

**Wednesday Tomes Selections – 1:30 pm**

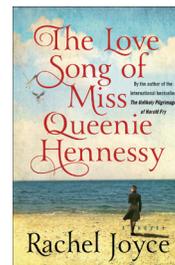
September 9

*The Sun and Other Stars* by Brigid Pasulka  
After the death of his brother and mother, Etto feels trapped in the small village of San Benedetto, Italy, seemingly doomed to follow in his father's footsteps and become a butcher. But the arrival of a fugitive Ukrainian soccer player and his entourage changes things.



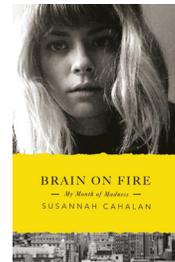
October 14

*The Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy* by Rachel Joyce  
Fans of Rachel Joyce's *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry* will relish the parallel saga of Queenie Hennessy, the recipient of the letter Fry walked the length of England to deliver in person. Culminating in a devastating revelation, Queenie's tale illuminates the seemingly unimportant moments that can change a person's life.



November 11

*Brain on Fire* by Susannah Cahalan  
Early in 2009, journalist Susannah Cahalan was physically and mentally ravaged by an autoimmune reaction that confounded the medical community. In this riveting first-person account, Cahalan details her month of madness and her struggle for a diagnosis and cure.



## Books U Z W

Bestselling Book Discussion!

Books with Buzz, our bestselling book discussion group, meets on the third Thursday of every other month. The September 17 selection is Harper Lee's recently published *Go Set a Watchman*, written before her classic *To Kill a*

*Mockingbird*. For the November 19 selection, please check our book discussions page ([tplibrary.org/events/book-discussion-groups](http://tplibrary.org/events/book-discussion-groups)) closer to the discussion date. Books with Buzz discussions are held at 7:30 pm in Meeting Room A.

**Partners In Crime**

**Tuesdays at 7:30 pm**

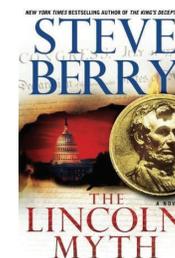
Our mystery and suspense thriller discussion group. For more information about Partners In Crime, call Fran Heinemann at 708.532.0160, x 5691.

September - *No discussion*

October 6 - Special ticketed event

November 3

*The Lincoln Myth* by Steve Berry  
From the streets of Copenhagen to the catacombs of Salzburg to the rugged mountains of Utah, the grim specter of the Civil War looms as a dangerous conspiracy gathers power. In this historical thriller, the author weaves together past and present in a mystery about Abraham Lincoln, a flaw in the United States Constitution, and a timely explosive political issue.



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## YAC – Youth Advisory Council

Tuesdays from 6–7 pm  
September 8, October 13,  
and November 10

Boss us around! Tell us what YOU want at the library!



## Café Olé

Tuesdays September 8 & 22,  
October 13 & 27, and  
November 10 & 24 from 7–8 pm

Hang out with your friends, eat cookies, and enjoy a hot or cold drink. Expect the unexpected with a new game, craft, or activity each time!



## DIY: Book Charm Keychains

Friday, September 11 from 7–8 pm  
Learn how to make your own book charm keychain. Each book charm will look like a miniature version of a popular YA novell

## Get Graphic!

Thursdays, September 17, October 15, and  
November 19 from 7–8 pm

Our Graphic Novel Club is where you get to play fun games and create projects! We want your INPUT on what kind of graphic novels and/or other books that you like to read! Snacks will be served.

September 17: Survival Theme  
October 15: Scavenger Hunt  
November 19: Sock Puppet Superheroes

## Geek Out! Harry Potter Night

Friday, September 18 from 7–8 pm  
Calling all Harry Potter fans for a night of trivia, crafts, and food celebrating everyone's favorite wizard!

## Build a LEGO Mindstorms Robot

Friday, October 9  
from 7–8 pm  
Work with a team to build a complex LEGO Mindstorms Robot! If you're interested in learning how to program the robot, be sure to sign up for "Program a LEGO Mindstorms Robot"!



## Program a LEGO Mindstorms Robot!

Friday, October 16 from 7–8 pm  
Work with a team to program a complex LEGO Mindstorms Robot! If you're interested in building the robot, be sure to sign up for "Build a LEGO Mindstorms Robot"!

## Paint Like Georges Seurat

Grades: 4–8  
Tuesday, October 20 from 7–8 pm  
Learn how to paint like Georges Seurat, an artist who was famous for creating paintings made entirely of dots.

## Geek Out! Hunger Games Night

Friday, November 13  
from 7–8 pm  
Calling all *Hunger Games* fans for a night of trivia, crafts, and food celebrating the release of the last *Hunger Games* movie, *Mockingjay Part 2*!



**No registration required.**

**NOTE: If you or your child needs a reasonable accommodation to be successful in a program, please inform a staff member as soon as possible. No registration required.**

## Storytimes

### Bouncing Babies

Storytimes for 3–23-month-olds and parent  
 Session 1: Tuesdays, September 15–October 6  
 from 11–11:20 am  
 Session 2: Tuesdays, October 27–November 17  
 from 11–11:20 am

### Wee Readers

Storytimes for 3–35-month-olds and parent  
 Session 1: Thursdays, September 17–October 8  
 from 6:30–6:50 pm  
 Session 2: Thursdays, October 29–November 19  
 from 6:30–6:50 pm

### Tales for Twos

Storytimes for 2-year-olds and parent  
 Session 1: Tuesdays, September 15–October 6  
 from 10–10:20 am  
 OR Wednesdays, September 16–October 7  
 from 11–11:20 am  
 Session 2: Tuesdays, October 27–November 17  
 from 10–10:20 am  
 OR Wednesdays, October 28–November 18  
 from 11–11:20 am

### Preschool Stories

Storytimes for 3–5-year-olds and parent  
 Session 1: Wednesdays, September 16–October 7  
 from 10–10:30 am  
 OR Thursdays, September 17–October 8  
 from 1–1:30 pm  
 Session 2: Wednesdays, October 28–November 18  
 from 10–10:30pm  
 OR Thursdays, October 29–November 19  
 from 1–1:30 pm

### Family Pajamarama

Ages: 3–8-year-olds and parent  
 Fridays, September 4, October 2, October 30, and  
 November 27 from 7–7:45 pm  
 You are invited to our nighttime storytime  
 with crafts and games! Kids may come  
 dressed for bedtime.

### Saturday Stories

Ages: 2–6 years and parent  
 Saturdays, September 5 and October 3  
 from 10–10:30 am  
 Drop in and enjoy a storytime and craft  
 with your family.

### Sensory Storytime

Ages: 3–8 years and parent  
 Saturdays, September 12, October 10, and  
 November 7 beginning at 10:30 am  
 Children of all abilities are invited to participate  
 at their own pace in stories, activities, and songs.  
 September 12: Wild About Animals  
 October 10: Fall Is Fun  
 November 7: Amazing Me!

### Tots & Toys Playgroup

Ages: 3–35 months and parent  
 Thursday, October 22 from 6–7 pm  
 Drop in with your baby or toddler, meet some  
 friends, and play at the library.

### Share-a-Language Storytime: Spanish

Ages: 3–8 years and parent  
 Saturdays, September 19, October 17, and  
 November 14 from 11–11:45 am  
 Enjoy stories and songs in diverse languages  
 featuring children's favorites.

### Cuentos Compartir-a la-Idioma: español

Edades: 3–8 años con los padres  
 Sábado, 19 de septiembre, 17 de octubre, y 14 de  
 noviembre de 11–11:45 am  
 Disfrute de cuentos y canciones favoritos en español  
 que ofrecimos para sus niños.

### Family Movie Night

Ages: All  
 Fridays, September 18 Up (PG), October 16  
 Big Hero 6 (PG), and November 13 Paddington (PG).  
 Movies begin at 6:30 pm.  
 The whole family is invited to movie night!



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*Please arrive a few minutes early to check in at the Youth Services Desk for the programs below.*

### Wiggle Worms

Ages: 2–3 years and parent  
Wednesdays, September 16, October 21,  
and November 18 from 6–6:30 pm  
Enjoy a fun activity with your child each month!  
September 16: Dinosaurs  
October 21: Counting  
November 18: Pete the Cat

### On My Own

Ages: 4 years through Preschool  
Mondays, September 14, October 12,  
and November 9 from 6:30–7:15 pm  
Explore a new theme each month with games,  
crafts, and activities all on your own!  
September 14: Painting  
October 12: Pumpkins  
November 9: Dinosaurs

### Kidz Zone

Grades: K–1  
Mondays, October 5, November 2, and  
November 30 from 6:30–7:15 pm  
Stories, games, science, arts & crafts—for kids only!  
October: 5: Harvest Hootenanny  
November 2: Celebrate Charlie Brown and Snoopy!  
November 30: Animal Track Painting

### LEGO Night

Grades: K–1  
Thursdays, September 10 and November 12 from  
4:30–5:30 pm  
Use your ideas and the library's Legos to build an  
awesome creation!

### iFun Fridays

Grades: 2–3  
Fridays, September 11, October 9, and  
November 6 from 7–8 pm  
Enjoy different activities each month!  
September 11: Dodgeball (outdoors,  
weather permitting)  
October 9: Playing with Marbles  
November 6: Fun with Flubber

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### Science Club

Grades: 2–3  
Wednesdays, September 9 and October 14  
from 6:30–7:15 pm  
Science is so much fun when you try out the  
experiments on your own.

### LEGO Night

Grades: 2–3  
Thursday, October 8 from 4:30–5:30 pm  
Use your ideas and the library's Legos to build  
an awesome creation!

### Bluestem Book Group

Grades: 3–5  
Thursdays, September 3, October 1, and  
November 5 from 4:30–5:30 pm  
Discuss the 2016 Bluestem Book Award  
nominees and complete fun activities!  
September 3: Matilda by Roald Dahl  
October 1: The 100-Year-Old Secret  
by Tracy Barrett  
November 5: Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library  
by Chris Grabenstein

### TAG: Tween Activity Group

Grades: 4–5  
Fridays, September 25, October 23, and  
November 20 from 7–8 pm  
We meet once a month for fun activities  
and games.  
September 25: Duct Tape  
October 23: Apples to Apples  
November 20: Lego Mania!



Registration Required

families & kids

# Kids

We are very excited about new artwork that has recently been added to the walls of Youth Services. The pieces were created by two very talented library staff members, Rakhshanda Ahmad and Bob Serafino.

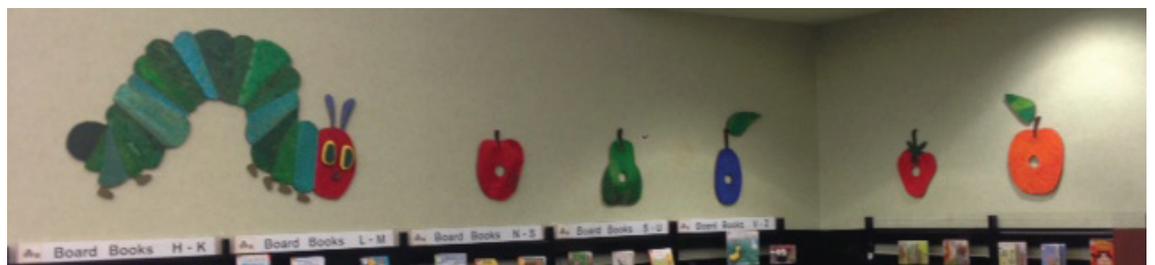
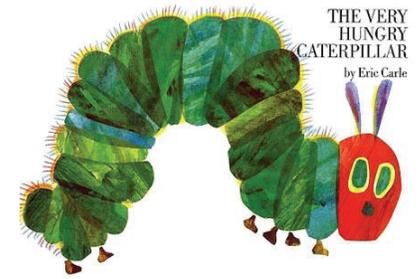
The three-dimensional artwork features the eponymous character from Eric Carle's classic picture book, *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*, along with various fruits. A perennial favorite among librarians and patrons alike, the book features Carle's trademark illustrations. Carle's distinct style is instantly recognizable for its vibrant colors and textured layers. He creates this effect in his books by using collages of hand-painted tissue paper. Using acrylics, Carle paints the tissue paper utilizing a variety of techniques to create a textured look composed of straight and wavy lines, visible brush strokes, and various patterns. He applies the paint with a few conventional tools, such as paintbrushes and sponges, but also more unconventional ones such as carpet squares and burlap.

The effect is unique and difficult to duplicate, even on a flat sheet of paper. How, then, can Eric Carle's style be translated to a wall-mounted, large-scale piece that exists in three dimensions while still managing to retain its flat, storybook likeness?

Rakhshanda Ahmad and Bob Serafino, from our Youth Services and Maintenance departments, respectively, were more than up to the challenge. When Mrs. Ahmad first conceptualized the art project, she knew two things: She wanted the caterpillar to be cut from wood to create a three-dimensional quality, and she wanted to recreate Carle's trademark effect as closely as possible using a method that would allow the artwork to be enjoyed for years to come. As beautiful and effective as Carle's techniques are for the printed page, his collages of tissue paper are simply too fragile for wall art intended to last a long time.

Once the plans were in place and copyright permission from Eric Carle was obtained, the project was ready to begin. For the woodworking part of the project, Mrs. Ahmad sketched out the outline of the caterpillar and fruit on paper, recreating the shapes from Carle's book with a careful eye. She then gave the sketch to Mr. Serafino, who was tasked with bringing the caterpillar to the world of three dimensions. Using his impressive carpentry skills, he managed to cut out the caterpillar body—including the details and intricacies of the caterpillar's feet and antennae—in a single piece. The caterpillar's eyes and nose were cut out separately to add an extra dimension. He also cut out the fruits from the same wood.

Once the pieces were cut, Mrs. Ahmad used acrylic paints and matched the many hues and shades to bring the caterpillar to life. The caterpillar's body proved to be especially challenging, composed of various greens, blues, and browns that she layered with brushes, cloths, and sponges to create the trademark textured look.



## Tinley Park Public Library BOOKMOBILE Schedule

### SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER, AND NOVEMBER 2015



#### Route 1 (begins Tuesday, September 8, 2015)

##### MONDAY

Tinley Court Retirement Center  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Buedingen Park  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
John A. Bannes Park  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Orland Hills –  
92<sup>nd</sup> Ave. & 169<sup>th</sup> St.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### TUESDAY

Richard M. Gory Park  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Orland Hills – Meadowview Dr.  
& Marshfield Ln.  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Orland Hills –  
Kelly Park  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### WEDNESDAY

Sundale Ridge  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Bristol Park  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Sandalwood  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Tinley Downs  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### THURSDAY

Pines Community  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Tinley Trails  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Brookside Glen –  
Southfield Ct.  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Fairfield Glen –  
Kilkenny Ave.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

Dates: 9/28, 10/19, 11/9, 11/30

Dates: 9/8, 9/29, 10/20, 11/10

Dates: 9/9, 9/30, 10/21, 11/11

Dates: 9/10, 10/1, 10/22, 11/12

**CLOSED: 9/7**

#### Route 2 (begins Monday, September 14, 2015)

##### MONDAY

Apartments of Orland  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Tinley Gardens  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Timbers Pointe  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Brookside Glen South –  
Clare Dr.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### TUESDAY

Orland Hills – Hunter  
Ridge Apts.  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Frank Gasior Park  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Pottawattomie Park  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Town Pointe  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### WEDNESDAY

Fairmont Village  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Veterans Park  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
German Park  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Orland Hills – 89<sup>th</sup> Ave. &  
170<sup>th</sup> St.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### THURSDAY

Edenbridge/Fulton  
Commons  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Memorial School Park  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Rauhoff Park  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Brookside Glen South –  
Monaghan Dr.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

Dates: 9/14, 10/5, 10/26, 11/16

Dates: 9/15, 10/6, 10/27, 11/17

Dates: 9/16, 10/7, 10/28, 11/18

Dates: 9/17, 10/8, 10/29, 11/19

#### Route 3 (begins Tuesday, September 1, 2015)

##### MONDAY

Bremontowne Manor  
Senior Center  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Brookside Glen –  
Cove Ct.  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Brookside Glen - Bayfield Ct.  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Fairfield Glen –  
Fairfield Ln.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### TUESDAY

Meadow Park Estates  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Radcliffe Place  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Tinley Terrace  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Fulton School  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### WEDNESDAY

Hanover Place  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
Brookside Glen –  
Greenview Pl.  
4:00 – 4:45pm  
Brookside Glen –  
Glenbrook Pl.  
5:00 – 5:45pm  
Brookside Glen –  
Robin Ct.  
6:00 – 6:45pm

##### THURSDAY

Bobbie Noonan  
3:00 – 3:45pm  
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4:00 – 4:45pm  
Brookside Glen –  
7800 block of Glenfield Ave.  
5:00 – 5:45pm

Dates: 9/21, 10/12, 11/2, 11/23

Dates: 9/1, 9/22, 10/13, 11/3,  
11/24

Dates: 9/2, 9/23, 10/14, 11/4,  
11/25

Dates: 9/3, 9/24, 10/15, 11/5,  
**CLOSED: 11/26**

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