



Tinley Park Public Library

News & Program Guide

Spring 2010

All we're missing is you



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TPPL Board Dates:

March 24, April 28 and May 26

Orland Hills Board Dates:

March 15 and May 17

The library will be closed the following dates:

April 2, 4 & 16, May 9 & 31

Newsletter Staff:

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**Census
2010**

10 QUESTIONS
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TO DEFINE WHO WE ARE AS A NATION

The Census: A Snapshot

- What: The census is a count of everyone residing in the United States.
- Who: All U.S. residents must be counted - both citizens and non-citizens.
- When: You will receive your questionnaire in March 2010 either by U.S. mail or hand delivery. Some people in remote areas will be counted in person.
- Why: The U.S. Constitution requires a national census once every 10 years to count the population and determine the number of seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives.
- How: Households should complete and mail back their questionnaires upon receipt. Households that do not respond may receive a replacement questionnaire in early April. Census takers will visit households that do not return questionnaires to take a count in person.

A Complete Count:

The Importance of Census Data

- Every year, the federal government allocates more than \$400 billion to states and communities based, in part, on census data.
- Census data are used to determine locations for retail stores, schools, hospitals, new housing developments and other community facilities.
- Census data determines boundaries for state and local legislative and congressional districts.

2010 Census Questionnaire: Easy, Important, and Safe

- With only 10 questions, the 2010 Census questionnaire takes approximately 10 minutes to complete. Households are asked to provide key demographic information, including: whether a housing unit is rented or owned; the address of the residence; and the names, genders, ages, and races of others living in the household.
- By law, the Census Bureau cannot share an individual's responses with anyone, including other federal agencies and law enforcement entities.



CENSUS 2010

The Tinley Park Library will be a Questionnaire Assistance Center (QAC) site for the 2010 Federal Census from March 19 - April 19

A table will be set in the entryway of the library and will be staffed by census workers for the purpose of helping those persons who request assistance in completing their 2010 Census questionnaire. Watch for details in the coming weeks for exact days and hours.

Thank You to Our Donors

AMP, Kristin Szrekmski; Alice Brugman in memory of Alma Pinkston; Maryanelle Callaghan in memory of Patrick J. Callaghan, Sr.; Carol Jardine; John R. Jones; Virginia Mackle in memory of Peggy Armstrong; Marie Roman, Margaret Spencer, and Jerry Stenson in memory of Marie Wenzowski.

Thank You, Andrew High Students!

Recently the library partnered with the advertising class at Andrew High School, lead by teacher Jason Kulasa. The students' assignment was to create an advertising plan, including print and visual media, to address the needs of the library.

We'd like to acknowledge the four students who worked on the library project: Brie Donovan, John Walsh, Evan Connolly and Lindsey Mikos. They created the print ad on our cover and also a 30-second commercial, which you can see by visiting our website (www.tplibrary.org) and clicking the "All We're Missing is You Commercial" link.

Congratulations on a job well done!

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK
APRIL 11 - 18, 2010
ALL WE'RE MISSING IS YOU . . .

Celebrate National Library Week by eating at Boston's Restaurant & Sports Bar in Brookside Marketplace. Bring in a coupon from the library, or mention the Tinley Park Library when you get your bill, and a portion of your bill will come back to us! All Tinley Park Library cardholders will be able to enter a drawing at the library for one of two special pizza-themed gift packages, including a gift card from Boston's Restaurant & Sports Bar, which will be on display at the library.

If you don't have a library card, what are you waiting for? All we're missing is you! National Library Week is the perfect time to apply for one; stop in and fill out an application. Also, once you receive your card, return to Boston's Restaurant any time between April 19th and April 30th and receive a free dessert with the purchase of 2 adult entrees when you show your Tinley Park library card. Owning a library card has never been so sweet!



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NEW RELEASES COMING SOON . . .

Fiction

The Last Time I Saw You by Elizabeth Berg
The Aloha Quilt by Jennifer Chiaverini
The Shadow of Your Smile
 by Mary Higgins Clark
Caught by Harlan Coben
Wild Ride by Jennifer Crusie and Bob Mayer
The Walk by Paul Richard Evans
Sizzle by Julie Garwood
Eight Days to Live by Iris Johansen
Deception by Jonathan Kellerman
Solar by Ian McEwan
Bite Me by Christopher Moore
The Golden Mile by Martin Cruz Smith

Nonfiction

I'll Mature When I'm Dead: Dave Barry's
Amazing Tales of Adulthood by Dave Barry
The French Women Don't Get Fat Cookbook
 by Mireille Guiliano
The Blueprint: A Plan for Overcoming Life's
Obstacles by Franklin Kirk
Put Your Crown On: Life Lessons from the
Queen by Queen Latifah
For Better: The Science of a Good Marriage
 by Tara Parker-Pope
Bounce: Mozart, Federer, Picasso, Beckham,
and the Science of Success by Mathew Syed

DISCOVER TINLEY

Bring your Tinley Park library card to Discover Tinley on Saturday, April 10th, at the Expo Center and look for the library's table. If you show us your library card, you may fill out a drawing ticket to win one of our gift package giveaways!

2009/2010 SUNDAY AFTERNOON CONCERT SERIES

EDDIE KOROSA, JR.

March 21 at 2:00 p.m. ~ Register beginning March 8
If you like polka music, you won't want to miss Eddie Korosa, Jr. and a couple of his "Boys from Illinois." Eddie has appeared in the movie *Home Alone* and has been on numerous television shows. He will bring his three-piece band to the library for an afternoon of polka hits, sing-a-longs and old-time favorites.

APRIL IN PARIS WITH GRETA POPE

April 18 at 2:00 p.m. ~ Register beginning April 5
Greta Pope is an international entertainer. She has delighted audiences throughout Europe, the Far East, South America and the Caribbean, as well as the United States and Canada. Ms. Pope has been touted as one of the great voices of our time, as she performs with ease all styles from country to opera, and from rhythm and blues to Broadway.

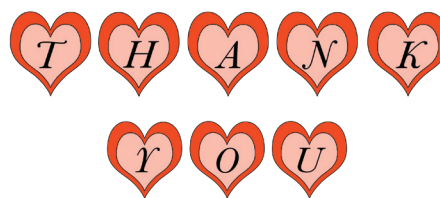
STEVE COOPER

May 23 at 2:00 p.m. ~ Register beginning May 10
Popular Chicago band leader Steve Cooper will host this nostalgic program of rare film and video clips featuring the most popular performers from the Big Band Era and early television. Steve will also talk about famous bands and celebrities he's performed with in this music-filled program.

- The Sunday Afternoon Concert Series is sponsored by the Friends of the Tinley Park Public Library.
- Doors open at 1:30 p.m. for the performance.
- Registrants must obtain a ticket from the registration table at least 10 minutes prior to the scheduled performance. Unclaimed reserved seating will be released 10 minutes before the scheduled performance.



Stop by the Youth Services Department to check out the latest gift of art from the Friends, the sculpture "The Open Mind" by Phyllis Decker. Thanks to the Friends for their continued generous gifts of art to beautify the library.



The Friends greatly appreciate the support of all of our patrons over the past year. Without you we would not have been so successful. How about joining us?

JOIN THE FRIENDS!

The Friends of the Library is a fundraising organization that benefits the Tinley Park Public Library. All proceeds from membership dues, book bag sales, Fannie May candy bar sales and book store purchases directly benefit the library. The Friends have purchased art work and furnishings for the library and they also sponsor our popular Sunday Afternoon Concert Series. Anyone interested in joining the Friends may obtain an application at the Patron Services Desk or use the form below.

**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

Volunteer for: ☐ Book Store **or** ☐ library events/programs

Please make checks payable to: The Friends of the Tinley Park Public Library
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REGISTER ONLINE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS USING OUR CALENDAR PROGRAMS!
Go to **tplibrary.org** to register and click on **Programs & Events**.

Registration begins on the 20th of each month for the following month's programs.

Phone registration begins one day after online registration.

Children must be the appropriate age by the day of the program.

Note: If you or your child needs a reasonable accommodation to be successful in a program, please inform a staff member when registering.

STORYTIMES



MOMS & TOTS TOGETHER

Ages: 3 – 35 months

Tuesdays, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;
April 6, 13, 20, 27 from

12:00 noon – 12:45 p.m. Connect with moms (and pops) and tots in this open-style playgroup. Children get an opportunity to play with each other. Moms (and pops) get an opportunity to meet/visit with other moms (and pops).

STORYTIME FOR 2-YEAR-OLDS AND PARENTS

Tuesdays, Mar. 16 – Apr. 13 from 9:45 – 10:05 a.m. OR
Wednesdays, Mar. 17 – Apr. 14 from 10:30 – 10:50 a.m.

STORYTIMES FOR 3 - 5-YEAR-OLDS AND PARENTS

Tuesdays, Mar. 16 – Apr. 13 from 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. OR
Wednesdays, Mar. 17 – Apr. 14 from 9:30 – 10:00 a.m.

STORYTIME FOR 3-MONTH-OLDS – 35-MONTH-OLDS AND PARENTS

Thursdays, Mar. 18 – Apr. 15 from 6:30 – 6:50 p.m.

STORYTIME FOR 3 – 23-MONTH-OLDS AND PARENTS

Fridays, Mar. 19 – Apr. 16 from 10:30 – 10:50 a.m.

Please NOTE: The library will be closed Friday, April 2 and Friday, April 16. There will be no storytimes these dates.

MOMMY & ME

Join us for a different kind of storytime as we celebrate our moms!

3 – 23 mo. on Friday, May 7 from 10:30 – 10:50 a.m.
3 – 35 mo. on Wednesday, May 5 from 6:30 – 6:50 p.m.
2-yr.-olds on Wednesday, May 5 from 10:30 – 10:50 a.m.
3 – 5 yr. olds on Monday, May 3 anytime between 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. OR Tuesday, May 4 anytime between 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. These special Mother's Day programs are all drop-in events with a parent. However, for the 3 – 5 year-old programs, you may drop in anytime during that hour.

Drop-In Programs

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

FAMILY PAJAMARAMA

Ages: 3yrs. - Grade 1 & parents

Fridays, March 26, April 23 and May 28, 7:00 – 7:45 p.m.
Children and their parents are invited to our nighttime storytime. Snacks will be served. Kids may come dressed for bedtime.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Ages: All
Fridays, March 12 *Horton Hears a Who*, April 9 *Everyone's Hero*, and May 14 *Lady and the Tramp II* beginning at 6:30 p.m. The whole family is invited to movie nights. Snacks will be served. We'll supply juice boxes for the children or you may bring your own covered drink.

UP IN THE AIR

Grades: Kdg. – 5
Friday, March 26 anytime between 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.
Up, up, and away with some kite-flying fun! Drop in and create an age appropriate kite with the materials provided. Parent participation required for the little ones!

MARVELOUS MOMS

Grades: Kdg. – 5
Celebrate mom at this special drop-in event.
Grades: Kdg. – 3 Thursday, May 6, any time between 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. or Saturday, May 8, any time between 11:00 a.m. – noon. Parents will remain with children for this program to create something special.

Grades: 4 – 5 Thursday, May 6, any time between 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. or Saturday, May 8, any time between 11:00 a.m. – noon. Children will attend this program by themselves to create something special.

BEST MOM WRITING CONTEST

Grades: 1 - 8
In 150 words or less, tell us why your mom is the best. The contest begins Sunday, April 18 and your entry must be received by Saturday, May 1. Please write your name and phone number on the back of your entry. Winners will be selected based on thoughtfulness and creativity. Winners will receive a gift card for their mom.

Please register for the following programs.

DONUTS WITH DADS Ages 2 – 7 years
Saturday, March 20 from 2:00 – 2:45 p.m.
Celebrate with dad at this very special event! We'll share a story, raffle off a book or two, and make a memento of your day. Donuts will be served and a drink will be provided. Please register each adult and each child attending the program separately.

MUFFINS WITH MOMS Ages 2 – 7 years
Sunday, April 25 from 2:00 – 2:45 p.m.
Make it a special day for mom! We'll share a story, raffle off a book or two, and make a memento of your day. Muffins will be served and a drink will be provided. Please register each adult and each child attending the program separately.

A BIT O' IRISH FUN Ages: 3 yrs. & up
Friday, March 5 from 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Students from the Blackbird Academy of Irish Dance will perform a selection of Irish dances.

LIONS AND LAMBS Ages: 3 – 5
Monday March 8, 4:00 – 4:30 p.m. OR 6:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Roar like a lion, be gentle as a lamb as you listen to stories, play games, and make a craft. Please register for only one time.

RAINDROPS AND RAINBOWS Ages 3 – 5
Monday April 5, 4:00 – 4:30 p.m. OR 6:30 – 7:00 p.m.
What can you do on a rainy day in April? Come and have fun with us as we read a Spring story and share some rainy day activities (and you won't even get wet)! Please register for only one time.

DON'T THROW THAT AWAY!

You'll be amazed at the cool things you can make using recycled objects.
Ages: 3 – 5 years Wednesday, April 21, 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.
Grades: Kdg. – 1 Tuesday, April 20, 4:00 – 4:45 p.m.
Grades: 2 – 3 Thursday, April 22, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Grades: 4 – 5 Wednesday, April 21, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Please register for each one separately.

MORNING MEDLEY Ages: 3 – 12
Saturday, April 24 from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Families are invited to this storytime geared towards children with special needs. We will enjoy a medley of stories, songs, and activities.

GAME-A-RAMA Grades: Kdg. – 1
Wednesdays, March 10, April 14, and May 12 from 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. The library is the place to be on Wednesdays! Join us for games of chance with *How Lucky Are You?* in March, *Leapin' Legos* in April, and *Hop, Skip, and Jump* in May. Register for each one separately.

CREATIVE HANDS Grades: Kdg. – 1
Tuesdays, March 16 *Luck o' the Irish* and May 18 *Flower Power* 4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Bring your creative hands to the library for some fun crafty activities.

HOMESCHOOL CONNECTION Grades: Kdg. – 12
Thursday, April 8 from 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.
The library is hosting a "Curriculum Swap" for homeschool families. Bring any educational items that you would like to trade/donate to another family. We will also have an open discussion regarding next year's Homeschool Connection programs so please bring your suggestions!

GAME ZONE Grades: 2 – 5
Mondays, March 15, April 19, and May 17 from 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Get in the "zone" with a friend or two and *Stack the Deck* with some awesome card games in March, *Back to Board Games* in April, and *Build With Legos* in May! Register for each one separately.

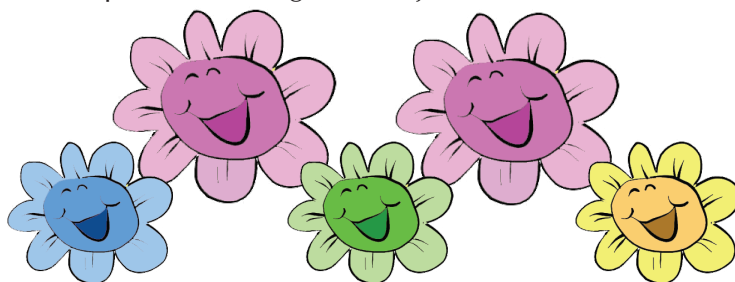
ALICE IN WONDERLAND Grades: 2 - 3
Thursday, March 25 from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Follow Alice and the white rabbit through a library adventure.

THE WRITING STUFF Grades: 2 - 3
Thursday, April 29 from 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
Write from the heart and write about what you know best at this workshop designed to promote and nurture creative expression and to have fun while doing it!

RAISE THE CURTAIN Grades: 2 - 3
Thursday, May 27 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Do you have a dramatic personality? Come to the library for fun and games that teach you how to get into character, overcome stage fright, and express yourself.

GET IN THE ACT Grades: 4 - 5
Thursdays, March 11 and May 13 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Get ready to exercise your imagination and your sense of humor! We'll play fun theater games, perform short skits, and maybe even try out some improv! Register for each separately.

DIARY OF A WIMPY KID Grades: 4 - 5
Wednesday, April 7 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Be your own *Wimpy Kid* as local artist Liz Popp shares techniques on drawing cartoon journals.



Registration is preferred unless otherwise stated.



YAC will meet on the following Tuesdays from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.:
March 9, April 13, May 11.

The Youth Advisory Council is like student council for the library. Members help plan what teens do at the library. The best part is anyone can join! Pick up an application at Youth Services or just drop by a meeting to see what we are about. Snacks will be served as well.

CAFÉ OLÉ 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

March 9, April 13, May 11

After YAC, stay for our world famous teen coffee house, where we usually drink hot cocoa and sometimes lemonade, but never coffee! Anything can happen at Café Olé. In the past we have played games, made crafts, and more! Everyone is welcome and there is no registration.



GIRLS READ

Tuesdays, March 2, April 6, and May 4

We want to know what YOU are reading! This great program meets

throughout the year to talk about books (and lots more) and munch on snacks and chocolate.

BAKE OFF 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Come to one or all sessions on Fridays, March 19, April 9, and May 21.

Calling all foodies! In our fifth year of tasty competition, dare to team up with friends (or alone) to create and eat something completely different! At each session you will be given unusual ingredients from around the world to make up your own signature dish. Prizes will be awarded.

ACT UP

Act Up

This series of acting workshops will help you improve your acting/theatre skills or just have fun! 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 16

Joke-writing workshop-comedy show

Tuesday, April 20

Improv

Tuesday, May 18

On the Spot Theatre



FABULOUS FRIDAY NIGHTS

DESIGN YOUR OWN ROCK BAND T-SHIRT

Friday, March 5 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Are you a rock star? Bring your own plain t-shirt to the library and we will supply different materials to make your shirt the coolest ever!

JEWELRY MAKING

Friday, May 7, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Make a statement that says "chic" using objects you would find in a toolbox! This is a fun, fabulous night of jewelry making in an environmentally friendly fashion.

DROP IN FOR PONYO

Thursday, March 25 at 2:00 p.m. to watch *Ponyo* and do some related anime activities. Snacks will be served. No registration necessary.

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Thursday, April 8, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Come join other homeschool families while the library hosts a "Curriculum Swap." Bring any educational items that you would like to trade/donate to another family. We will also have an open discussion regarding next year's Homeschool Connection programs so please bring your suggestions!

STUDY HALL

Monday, May 24, Tuesday, May 25, and Wednesday, May 26, 4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Looking for a quiet place to study for finals? Need to meet with your study group? Come to the Tinley Park Public Library! Our Meeting Room will be open to anyone needing to study for finals that week. Drinks and small snacks allowed. No registration necessary.

Summer Volunteer

Looking to complete some volunteer hours this summer? The library is looking for volunteers to help with our summer reading programs and at our booth. Applications will be available on Monday, April 12 and will be due back on Monday, May 17.



Fairy Tale Theatre Auditions

Fairy Tale Theatre auditions will be held in early June. Call the library after May 1 for more information regarding auditions and rehearsal dates.



BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

TINLEY TOMES

Tinley Tomes comprises two groups that discuss a variety of fiction and nonfiction titles. One group meets at 1:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month and the other at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday. Titles are available at the Adult Services Desk one month before the discussion date.

Wednesday Tomes Selections – 1:30 p.m.

March 10

Time and Again by Jack Finney

In this classic novel, a young man is recruited by the government to travel back in time to New York City, ca. 1880.

April 14

The Yiddish Policemen's Union by Michael Chabon

Author Chabon explores murder, conspiracy, and redemption in this spectacular novel set in WWII-era Alaska.

May 12

The Elegance of the Hedgehog by Muriel Barbery

This novel traces the parallels in the lives of a frumpy concierge of a small Parisian apartment building and a 12-year-old tenant. Thoughtful, satirical, and unmistakably French.

Tuesday Tomes Selections – 7:30 p.m.

March 23

Jane Austen Book Club by Karen Joy Fowler

The author explores the lives of six people who come together to create a book club devoted to the works of Jane Austen.

April 27

Don't Sleep, There are Snakes : Life and Language in the Amazonian Jungle by Daniel Everett. An enthralling first-person account of one man's radical investigation into the nature of faith, language, and human happiness.

May 25

Homer and Langley by E. L. Doctorow

Events of the past century are told through the perspective of the reclusive Collyer brothers, one blind, and the other traumatized by WWI.

Third Thursdays Reading Club

meets on the third Thursday of every other month at 7:00 p.m. and discusses more experimental writing.

March 18

The Memory Keeper's Daughter by Kim Edwards

A doctor, forced to deliver his own children, banishes his daughter when he sees she has Down Syndrome. This novel traces the lives of each family member haunted by this terrible secret.

May 20

Garden Spells by Sarah Addison Allen

Followers of Alice Hoffman and Laura Esquivel will enjoy this tale of two estranged sisters who come to recognize their common roots.

Partners in Crime

This mystery and suspense thriller discussion group meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. Call 708.845.5691 for further details.



March 2

Broken Window by Jeffery Deaver

A deadly game of cat and mouse pits Detective Lincoln Rhymes against a killer who frames others for his killings by manipulating computer information.

April 6

Borderline by Nevada Barr

A river rafting excursion in Texas' Big Bend National Park turns deadly for Park Ranger Anna Pigeon when her guide and a fellow rafter are killed by a sniper.

May 4

Dark Light by Randy Wayne White

Retired CIA operative Doc Ford is hired to sift through an old wreck of a pleasure craft that is found ravaged in the aftermath of a hurricane on the Florida coast. His salvage team discovers Nazi artifacts which stir deadly vengeance when ownership of thousands of acres of oceanfront property is at stake.



Thursdays, March 11 & 25, April 8 & 22, May 13 & 27 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. All Ages - No registration required. Open to anyone who wants to meet, mingle, and share tips on needlecraft projects. Must bring own supplies.

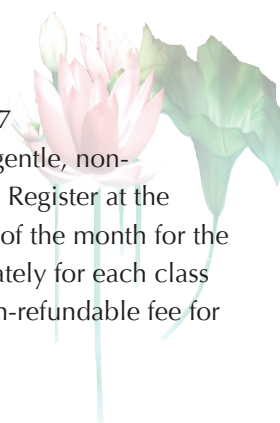
Thanks to the many people who donated unused yarn and knitted items over the holidays. Your continued donations are always appreciated!

CHAIR YOGA

Thursdays, 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

March 11 & 25, April 8 & 22, May 13 & 27

Instructor Kathy Ruiter will guide you in gentle, non-strenuous chair exercises and meditation. Register at the Patron Services Desk on the 2nd Thursday of the month for the following month. You must register separately for each class you plan to attend. There will be a \$3 non-refundable fee for each class payable at time of registration.



Joker's Wild Card Club

11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Tuesdays, March 16, April 20, May 18

Amusement only - NO GAMBLING IS PERMITTED



SENIOR SAFETY

Monday, March 8 at 11:00 a.m.

Register beginning Monday, March 1.

Dina Navas, of Tinley Park Police Department's Community Resource Unit, will present a program of safety tips for senior citizens, both in your home and on the go.

ADAPTING YOUR HOME FOR SENIOR LIVING

Monday, March 22 at 11:00 a.m.

Register beginning Monday, March 15.

As you age, would you like to stay in your home as long as possible? Glen Borkowski of DreamMaker Bath and Kitchens in Tinley Park will show you how to take a proactive approach in planning for home modifications as our mobility changes. Many of these modifications may increase the value of your home.

WRITING A NEWSWORTHY STORY

Wednesday, March 24 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, March 15.

Do you have a story you consider newsworthy but aren't sure how to put it together? *Triblocal* reporters Melissa Riske and Jeff Vorva will share their story-gathering experience to help you write a better story and possibly get it published in the newspaper.

MONEY MANAGEMENT: A WOMAN'S PERSPECTIVE

Wednesday, March 31 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, March 22.

Many women could benefit from financial advice more tailored to their needs. Lindsey Mueller of Waddell and Read Financial Advisors will address the unique financial needs of women.

ORGAN DONATION: A PERSONAL STORY

Wednesday, April 7 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, March 29.

If you are curious about the organ donation program, please join Tinley Park resident and motivational speaker Jeff Studzinski, who will share his personal story as a recipient of this life-giving program.

SAVE MONEY WITH CLEAN ENERGY

Wednesday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, April 5.

The Citizens Utility Board (CUB) will give a presentation on clean energy policies in Illinois, including rebates and loans that can help you make your home more energy-efficient and lower your bills.

GREEN ORGANIZING FOR EARTH DAY

Monday, April 19 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, April 12.

Beth Randall from Joe Organizer will help you to reuse your own things to get better organized.

HEALTH INSURANCE OPTIONS

Wednesday, April 21 at 11:00 a.m.

Register beginning Monday, April 12.

As part of the Federal Reserve's Money Smart Week, Diane Adduci will discuss various health insurance matters, such as the COBRA extension, Medicare, and the pending health care legislation.

FOLLOW THE RECYCLING TRAIL

Thursday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, April 12

Ever wonder what happens to your recyclables once they leave your curb? Megan McElligott-Laxton of Homewood Disposal will explain the process and help you to recycle more effectively.

WISDOM OF THE SHACK

Monday, May 3 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, April 26.

Professor Ron Miller from Lake Forest College will discuss William P. Young's novel *The Shack*. Explore some of the life-nurturing teachings embedded in this very readable story of one soul's journey to peace and happiness.

MORAIN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADULT INFORMATION SESSION

Wednesday, May 5 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, April 26.

Investigate another career or explore new interests after retirement and find out about financial aid, including special education benefits for veterans at this informative session.

LIVING WITHIN YOUR MEANS

Wednesday, May 19, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, May 10

Are you drowning in debt? Dennis Gravitt of Long Run Financial will explain how to make budgeting your income a liberating experience, letting you establish your priorities and live within your means.

ROUTE 66 ON A TANK OF GAS

Wednesday, May 26, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

Register beginning Monday, May 17

Windy City Road Warrior Dave Clark will highlight the attractions along the "Mother Road" within 300 miles of Chicago, including historic sites that give Illinois Route 66 its special personality and character. Get ready to make your own road trip this summer!



EARLY BIRD FLICKS

Mondays at 11:30 a.m.
No registration required.
Free and open to the public.

March 1 – The Soloist

Robert Downey, Jr., Jamie Foxx -117 minutes – PG-13
L.A. Times columnist Steve Lopez (Downey) discovers skid row street musician (Foxx) and is inspired to write a series of articles in an attempt to help him.

March 15 – The Secret of Roan Inish

Jeni Courtney – 103 minutes – PG
A rarely seen Irish gem! Following the death of her parents, a young Irish girl is sent to live with her grandparents and learns her family has been touched by myth and magic throughout the years.

March 29 – Julie and Julia

Meryl Streep, Amy Adams – 127 minutes – PG-13
A frustrated insurance worker (Adams) tries to cook her way through Julia Child's (Streep) classic French cookbook in one year, and her experience intertwines with Child's story.

April 12 – Phfft!

Jack Lemmon, Judy Holliday – 88 minutes – NR
A tax-time treat! An ex-Navy lawyer (Lemmon) helps a day-time television writer (Holliday) with her taxes and they fall in love over her cancelled checks. This is a rarely seen Judy Holliday gem.

April 26 – Golden Boys

David Carradine, Bruce Dern – 97 minutes – PG
Set in 1905, three retired sea captains hatch a plan to help them with their lousy meals and messy household: they advertise for a mail-order bride and receive one in Mariel Hemingway.

May 10 – Mother –

Debbie Reynolds, Albert Brooks – 104 minutes – PG-13
Albert Brooks pays tribute, as only he can, to mothers everywhere in this funny and touching movie. Debbie Reynolds shouldn't be missed in her Oscar-nominated performance as Brooks' incorrigible mother.

May 24 – The Boy in the Striped Pajamas

Asa Butterfield – 94 minutes – PG-13
While exploring in the woods, eight-year-old Bruno comes across a concentration camp fence and meets a boy on the other side, striking up a surprising and ultimately tragic friendship.

**COMPUTER AND INTERNET
CLASSES 18+**

Learn computer basics and how to search the Web, set up an email account, and apply for jobs using a PC. All you need to do is register for affordable, hands-on classes at the library. Class size is limited to six. Registration for April classes begins at **10:00 a.m.** Saturday, April 3 and for May classes at **10:00 a.m.** Saturday, May 1. Registration for all classes must be done in person at the Patron Services Desk. **Please NOTE:** No classes will be offered during the month of March.



MOUSERCISE CLASS teaches those with little or no experience how to use a mouse. If you have not used a mouse, we recommend taking this class before any other. LENGTH: 45 min.; FEE: Free; CLASSES: 4/6 at 2:00 p.m. or 5/4 at 10:00 a.m.

INTRODUCTION TO PCs is for computer beginners. Among the skills covered are use of the power switch, start button, computer keyboard, and control panel; creating, saving, and finding files; and multitasking with Windows. LENGTH: 2 hours; FEE: \$10; CLASSES: 4/8 at 6:30 p.m. or 5/6 at 2:00 p.m.

BEGINNER'S INTERNET teaches you how to find and evaluate information on the World Wide Web. LENGTH: Two 2-hour sessions; FEE: \$30 (covers two 2-hour sessions); CLASSES: 4/13 & 4/20 at 2:00 p.m. or 5/11 & 5/18 at 6:30 p.m.

EMAIL CLASS shows you how to register for a Yahoo! account, check your inbox, create an address book, and open attachments. LENGTH: 2 hours; FEE: \$10; CLASSES: 4/21 at 6:30 p.m. or 5/20 at 2:00 p.m.

DOWNLOADING CLASS teaches you how to download files and software, how to decompress zip files, and how to install and uninstall the downloaded software. This is a more advanced class for students who are already comfortable with the internet. LENGTH: 2 hours; FEE: \$10; CLASSES: 4/22 at 10:00 a.m. or 5/26 at 2:00 p.m.

COMPUTERIZED JOB SEARCHING teaches you how to look for and apply for jobs online; offers tips for better results in both areas; and teaches you the basics of Microsoft Word 2007 for resumes and cover letters. LENGTH: 2 hours FEE: \$10; CLASSES: 4/28 at 2:00 p.m. or 5/27 at 10:00 a.m.



MARCH, APRIL AND MAY 2010



Route 1 (begins Monday, March 1, 2010)

MONDAY

Tinley Court Retirement Center
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Buedingen Park
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
John A. Bannes Park
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.
Orland Hills –
Kelly Park
6:00p.m. – 6:45p.m.

Dates: 3/1, 3/22, 4/12, 5/3,
5/24

TUESDAY

Eagle Ridge Estates
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Richard M. Gory Park
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Orland Hills – Meadowview Dr.
& Marshfield Ln.
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.

Dates: 3/2, 3/23, 4/13, 5/4,
5/25

WEDNESDAY

Sundale Ridge
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Bristol Park
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Volunteer Park
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.
Tinley Downs
6:00p.m. – 6:45p.m.

Dates: 3/3, 3/24, 4/14, 5/5,
5/26

THURSDAY

Pines Community
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Tinley Trails
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Brookside Glen –
Southfield Ct.
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.

Dates: 3/4, 3/25, 4/15, 5/6,
5/27

Route 2 (begins Monday, March 8, 2010)

MONDAY

Pheasant Lake
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Tinley Gardens
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Timbers Edge 3
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.
Timbers Pointe
6:00p.m. – 6:45p.m.

Dates: 3/8, 3/29, 4/19, 5/10
CLOSED: 5/31

TUESDAY

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

Dates: 3/9, 3/30, 4/20, 5/11

WEDNESDAY

Fairmont Village
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Veterans Park
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
German Park
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.
Orland Hills – 89th Ave. &
170th St.
6:00p.m. – 6:45p.m.

Dates: 3/10, 3/31, 4/21, 5/12

THURSDAY

Edenbridge/Fulton
Commons
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Memorial School Park
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Rauhoff Park
5:00p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Dates: 3/11, 4/1, 4/22, 5/13

Route 3 (begins Monday, March 15, 2010)

MONDAY

Bremetowne Manor
Senior Center
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Hanover Place
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Brookside Glen - Bayfield Ct.
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.
Fairfield Glen
6:00p.m. – 6:45p.m.

Dates: 3/15, 4/5, 4/26, 5/17

TUESDAY

Bremetowne
2:00p.m. - 2:45p.m.
Meadow Park Estates
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Chantilly/Waterford
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Tinley Terrace
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.

Dates: 3/16, 4/6, 4/27, 5/18

WEDNESDAY

Brookside Glen –
Glenberry Ln.
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Brookside Glen –
Greenvue Pl.
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Brookside Glen –
Glenbrook Pl.
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.
Brookside Glen –
Robin Ct.
6:00p.m. – 6:45p.m.

Dates: 3/17, 4/7, 4/28, 5/19

THURSDAY

Bobbie Noonan
3:00p.m. – 3:45p.m.
Radcliffe Place
4:00p.m. – 4:45p.m.
Orland Hills –
92nd Ave. & 169th St.
5:00p.m. – 5:45p.m.

Dates: 3/18, 4/8, 4/29, 5/20

In the event of inclement weather or mechanical difficulties, the Tinley Park Public Library Bookmobile may arrive late or cancel a scheduled stop.

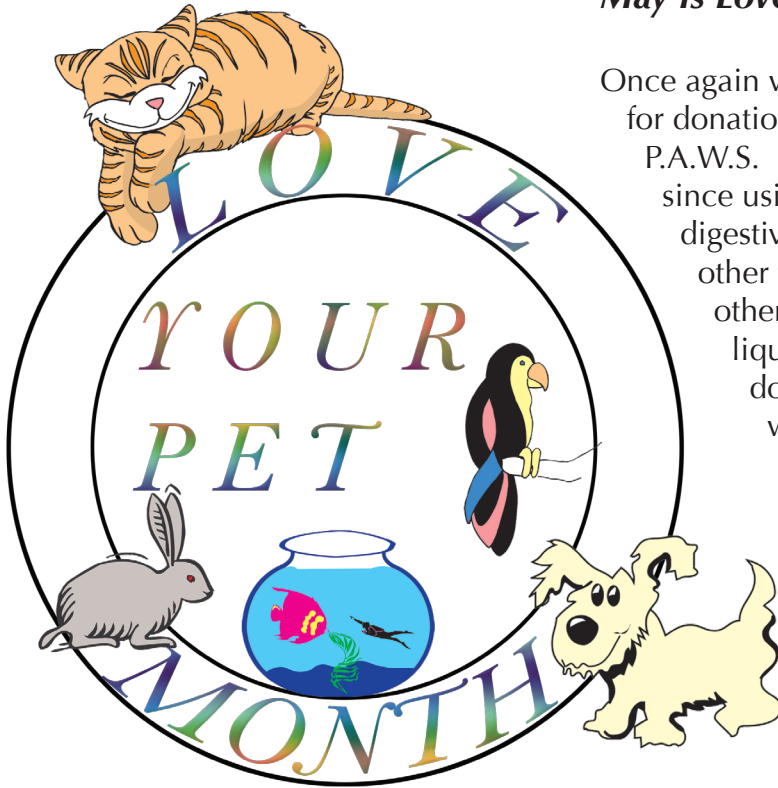
To inquire if the Bookmobile is running late, if a stop has been cancelled due to weather, or for additional information, call 708.532.0160, x 1, or check our website at tplibrary.org.

May is Love Your Pet Month on the Bookmobile.

Once again we are proud to be an authorized drop-off point for donations to P.A.W.S. Animal Shelter in Tinley Park.

P.A.W.S. belongs to the Science Diet Shelter Program, since using the same food daily is easier on the animals' digestive systems. Donations of dry dog or cat food other than Science Diet are sent to rescue groups and other shelters. P.A.W.S. is in desperate need of liquid laundry detergent. Of course, monetary donations are also greatly appreciated and will be accepted in the library as well.

Look for informative displays on your favorite animal companion in the library and on the Bookmobile.



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