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# GET YOUR CARD TODAY

 **10 million items** you can check out through our shared catalog—including 170,000+ at your library

 **1 million** eBooks, audiobooks, eMagazines, and more through the Hoopla & Libby apps

 **Thousands** of films—including educational content for kids—through Kanopy

 **50+** online resources—Ancestry, Consumer Reports, and LinkedIn Learning—for research and learning

 **One** library card that never expires unless you move away



## Who can get a library card?

- Anyone who lives in incorporated Tinley Park or Orland Hills
- Anyone who owns or leases taxable residential or business property in incorporated Tinley Park or Orland Hills
- Individuals who live in unincorporated Tinley Park may apply for a non-resident fee card.

## How to get your library card

### Apply in person:

When the library is open, stop by the Checkout Desk with your Illinois driver's license or state ID with your current address. If the address is not current, please provide a current utility bill addressed to the applicant. A parent's or legal guardian's signature is required on the application and library card of anyone under the age of 18. For a complete list of acceptable forms of identification and proof of residency, as well as information on how to use your library card, visit [tplibrary.me/circulation-policy](https://tplibrary.me/circulation-policy) or call 708.532.0160, x3.

### Apply online:

You can sign up for your library card online at [tplibrary.org/get-a-library-card](https://tplibrary.org/get-a-library-card). If your application is approved, you'll receive an email containing your account information, and you can immediately begin using your account to access online resources—including eBooks, audiobooks, and streaming movies! Full access to our catalog will be approved within seven business days.







# FIND YOUR VOICE

Summer Reading Challenge 2023

Jun 5–Aug 5

**W**e use our voices to share stories, express ourselves, and spark change. Our voices include the sounds we make, the words we write, the art we create, the movements we perform, and the actions we take each day to impact our world. Be empowered to Find Your Voice through reading and attending library programs during this year's Summer Reading Challenge! Starting June 5, we invite you to pick up some interesting books from the library, find a cozy spot to read, and earn rewards. There is a challenge for readers and listeners of all ages.

To sign up for the challenge and to find out about our cool prizes and ticket drawings, stop by the library or visit [tplibrary.me/summer-reading](https://tplibrary.me/summer-reading). To track your progress online, use Beanstack! Beanstack makes it convenient for parents and caregivers to sign children up under one group account.

To get started with Beanstack:

1. Visit [tplibrary.beanstack.com](https://tplibrary.beanstack.com) or download the **Beanstack** app for iOS and Android.
2. Follow the steps to register an individual or family.
3. Select the Summer Reading Challenge for your age group.

Need help getting started with Beanstack? Sign up for one of our classes listed below. If you'd prefer a traditional paper log, please see our staff at the Reference Desk or Youth Services Desk.



## Using Beanstack for Summer Reading

Learn all about Beanstack, the app you can use to manage your participation in our annual Summer Reading Challenge. Sign up at [tplibrary.me/events](https://tplibrary.me/events).

**TUE, JUN 6 • 2:30–3 pm**

**SAT, JUN 10 • 10:30–11 am**



## Kick-Off Concert with Jim Gill

**Families:** Let's kick off our summer with children's musician Jim Gill for an outdoor concert!

**SUN, JUN 11 • 2–2:45 pm**

📍 Drop in

# FUN IN THE SUN

## STORIES IN THE PARK

Join us for fun in the sun this summer! Drop by for a 30-minute storytime on the lawn and visit the Bookmobile. Bring a blanket or chair. Storytime will be canceled in case of inclement weather.

### TINLEY PARK—LEWIS PARK

Mon, Jun 5–Jul 24

**Bookmobile Stop:** 10–11 am

**Storytime:** 10:15–10:45 am

#### 📍 Lewis Park

16801 Normandy Dr

📍 Drop-in Event

### ORLAND HILLS—KELLY PARK

Wed, Jun 7–14, 28 & Jul 5–26

**Bookmobile Stop:** 6:15–7:15 pm

**Storytime:** 6:30–7 pm

#### 📍 Kelly Park

16675 Haven Ave

📍 Drop-in Event

## GEOCACHING JUN 5–AUG 5

Join us for the 11th Annual ATLAS Multi-Library Geocaching Event! Use clues and geographic coordinates to find hidden geocaches at participating area libraries. For each listed geocache you discover, you earn a chance to win a \$25 gift card. All ages welcome!

To be eligible for the prize drawing, your library card must be in good standing. You will need a smartphone that can scan QR codes. Find all the official clues at [multilibrarygeocache.weebly.com](https://multilibrarygeocache.weebly.com). Updates posted at [facebook.com/MultiLibraryGeocaching](https://facebook.com/MultiLibraryGeocaching).

## NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

View trucks and vehicles from Tinley Park Police, Fire, Public Works, and others in a relaxed atmosphere with family entertainment. Be sure to come aboard and visit the library's Bookmobile!

**TUE, AUG 1 • 6–9 pm**

#### 📍 Freedom Park

7835 Timber Dr—East of the library

📍 Drop-in Event



# SUMMER EVENTS

## ICON KEY



### Virtual Events

We are still offering some online events as well as events with the option to attend in person, online, or view a recording later. Select event recordings are available at [tplibrary.org/virtual-event-recordings](https://tplibrary.org/virtual-event-recordings).



### Drop-in Events

No signup is necessary for these events.



### Off-Site Events

Some events are held at special community locations.



### TPPL Cardholders Only

These events are open to Tinley Park Public Library cardholders only.

## EVENT SIGNUP

Visit [tplibrary.me/events](https://tplibrary.me/events) or call us at 708.532.0160 to sign up for events.



Signup is required for events and begins on the 15th of the month for the next month's events, unless otherwise noted.



**Reminder:** We want children using the library to be safe. Children aged 9 or under must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

# CHILDREN

*Signup is required for most events and begins on the 15th of the month for the next month's events unless they are labeled ⬇ Drop in.*

## STORYTIMES

### Online Preschool Stories

Mon, Jun 5–Jul 24

⬇ View Recording

**Ages 3–5 years with adult(s):** Enjoy a recording of our storytime with stories, songs, and more. Signup required; select the whole series and receive a link to a new recording each Monday.

### Stories in the Park

See page 6 for details.

### Preschool Stories

Tue, Jun 6–27 & Jul 11–25

10–10:30 am

Wed, Jun 7–Jul 26

11–11:30 am

⬇ Drop in

**Ages 3–5 years with**

**adult(s):** Join us for stories, activities, and a craft.

### Bouncing Babies

Tue, Jun 6–27 & Jul 11–25

11–11:30 am

Thu, Jun 8–Jul 27

10–10:30 am

⬇ Drop in

**Ages Birth–23 months**

**with adult(s):** Share stories, songs, and rhymes.

### Tales for Twos

Wed, Jun 7–Jul 26

Fri, Jun 9–Jul 28

10–10:30 am

⬇ Drop in

**Ages 2 years with adult(s):**

Enjoy stories, songs, and a craft.

### Evening Storytime

Thu, Jun 8–Jul 27

6:30–7 pm

⬇ Drop in

**Ages 3–8 years with**

**adult(s):** Join us for themed stories, songs, and activities!

### Family Pajamarama

Fri, Jun 23, Jul 21, Aug 18

6:30–7:15 pm

⬇ Drop in

**Ages 3–8 years with**

**adult(s):** Participate in stories, fingerplays, games, crafts, and songs.

### Supported Storytime

Sat, Aug 12 • 10:30–11:15 am

**Ages 3–8 years with**

**adult(s):** A visual schedule and sensory supports will be available in this adaptive storytime. Join us for stories, songs, movement, and sensory activities.

### Saturday Storytime

Sat, Aug 19 • 10:30–11 am

⬇ Drop in

**Ages 3–8 years with**

**adult(s):** Take a break from your busy morning and join us for a fun half-hour of action and stories.

### Arabic Storytime

Sat, Aug 26 • 10:30–11 am

⬇ Drop in

**Ages 3–8 years with**

**adult(s):** Enjoy children's stories and songs in Arabic.

قصص و اغاني باللغة العربية مع  
المعلمة منى جزار

## Parenting Series

### Amazing Audiobooks

Mon, Jun 5 • 7–8 pm

**Parents:** Audiobooks can be an awesome tool in any parent's arsenal against summer slide. Join us to learn more and meet other parents. Snacks will be served.

### Parenting Tips for Speech & Language Development: Birth–5 Years

Tue, Jul 25 • 6:30–8 pm

**Parents:** Join speech-language pathologist Joe Sierra for an in-depth look into the fascinating development of your child's communication skills.

### Managing Loss

Thu, Aug 31 • 6–8 pm

**Parents:** Join Andrea DiOrio and Susan Villa for a presentation regarding pregnancy and infant loss. You will be provided with the tools and resources for those who have and those who know someone who has experienced pregnancy or infant loss.



# FAMILY SHOWS



## Fairy Tale Misfits

### Fairy Tale Theatre Presents: Fairy Tale Misfits

Fri, Jul 14 • 4-5 pm & 7-8 pm

Sat, Jul 15 • 11 am-12 pm & 2-3 pm

**Families:** This limited engagement will delight audiences of all ages with humor, magic, and music. The performances will feature a talented cast and crew composed of local teens. Tickets are free and will be available for pickup in person at the Youth Services Desk starting July 1. This show is recommended for ages 3 and up. Produced by special arrangement with Pioneer Drama Service, Inc., Denver, Colorado.

### Kick-Off Concert with Jim Gill

Sun, Jun 11 • 2-2:45 pm

📍 Drop in

**Families:** Let's kick off our summer with beloved children's musician Jim Gill for an outdoor concert!



### Firefly Family Theater: Under the Stars

Wed, Aug 16 • 10:30-11:15 am

**Families:** Join Spark the Firefly and her puppet friends for a summer night of songs around the campfire. We'll learn about the forest and night sky. Signup required for each person attending.



FAMILIES

### Father's Day Craft

Sat, Jun 17 • 10:30–11:30 am

↓ Drop in

**Ages 3–8 years with**

**adult(s):** Drop in to make a craft or two for your special person!

### Family Activity Night

Fri • 6:30–7:30 pm

↓ Drop in

Jun 30: **LEGO**

Jul 28: **Outdoor Challenges**

Aug 25: **Scavenger Hunt**

**Families:** Spend some quality time with your family!

### Baby STEM

Tue, Aug 15 • 10:30–11 am

**Ages 3–23 months with**

**adult(s):** Your little one is naturally curious—eager to explore and discover the world around them! Join us for STEM activities designed just for them.

PRE-K & GRADE K

### Make Musical Instruments

Thu, Jun 15 • 11:30 am–12:15 pm

**Ages 3–5 years with**

**adult(s):** Make some noise by creating your own homemade musical instruments!

### Stars & Stripes

Mon, Jul 3 • 6:30–7:15 pm

**Ages 3–5 years with**

**adult(s):** Independence Day is right around the corner. Get ready to celebrate by spending an evening creating some 4th of July-themed crafts!

### Movin' & Groovin' Outdoors

Wed, Aug 9 • 10:30–11 am

**Age 2–3 years with adult(s):**

Join us on the west lawn for some high-energy fun! Kids will move to interactive stories and upbeat rhythms.

### Create with Me

Thu, Aug 17 • 10:30–11:15 am

**Ages 3–5 years with**

**adult(s):** Your child and their favorite adult will create a keepsake art project.

ENTERING GRADES K–1

### LEGOs & Things

Tue, Jun 20 • 3:30–4:15 pm

**Entering Grades K–1:**

Love to build? Explore new building materials and complete a LEGO challenge.

### Young Artists: Process Art

Thu, Jun 29 • 4:30–5:15 pm

**Entering Grades K–1:**

Process art is all about the experience, with few directions. Children can simply create with materials, tools, and techniques.

### American Sign Language

Thu, Jul 6 • 4:30–5:15 pm

**Entering Grades K–1:** Learn

some simple American Sign Language words and phrases.

### Ready, Set, Go to Kindergarten

**Series 1:**

Thu, Jul 20 & 27

1:30–2:30 pm

**Series 2:**

Wed, Aug 9 & 16

6:30–7:30 pm

**Entering Kindergarten:** An

introduction to literacy and STEAM concepts in a two-session series. **Sign up for one series only.**

### First Grade Fun

**Series 1:**

Thu, Jul 20 & 27

3–4 pm

**Series 2:**

Thu, Aug 10 & 17

6:30–7:30 pm

**Entering Grade 1:** An introduction to literacy and STEAM concepts in a two-session series. **Sign up for one series only.**

### Water STEAM

Tue, Aug 1 • 10:30–11:15 am

**Entering Grades K–1:** Let's experiment with water. Does water change shape? Let's find out. We will learn all about water and create a beautiful painting with salt!

ENTERING GRADES K–2

### Book Buddies

Tue, Jul 11–25 • 1:30–3 pm

**Entering Grades 1–2:** Be

reading buddies with a teen! Meet at the library for a scheduled 30-min session each week to pick out books, read, and hang out together. Session runs for three consecutive weeks.



## Let's Get Ready for Grandparent's Day!

Wed, Aug 30 • 6:30–7:15 pm

### Entering Grades K-2:

Come and enjoy some quality time with your grandparent with an early celebration! We will read some stories and create a memorable craft for you to keep.

ENTERING GRADES K-4

## Greyt Readers

Mon, Jun 12, Jul 10, Aug 14  
6:30–8 pm

### Entering Grades K-4:

Readers practice their developing skills out loud to a greyhound dog for up to 15 minutes. Please read full description at [tplibrary.me/events](http://tplibrary.me/events).

ENTERING GRADES 2-3

## Galaxy Jars

Mon, Jun 19 • 6:30–7:15 pm

**Entering Grades 2-3:** Learn about the differences between a galaxy and a nebula, explore telescope pictures of each, and create your very own galaxy in a jar to take home.

## Have a Laugh

Thu, Jun 22

Tue, Jul 18

Thu, Aug 24

4:30–5:15 pm

### Entering Grades 2-3:

Share your favorite jokes, try tongue twisters, hear a funny story or two, and much more.

## Slime Party

Sat, Jul 8 • 2–3 pm

### Entering Grades 2-3:

Create your very own slime, mix in some add-ins, and then enter your slime into one of our slime contests to see which slimes rank the best!

## Shark Attack

Thu, Jul 13 • 4:30–5:30 pm

### Entering Grades 2-3:

Celebrate Shark Week with shark-themed crafts and activities.

## Magic Tree House Adventure

Wed, Aug 2 • 3:30–4:30 pm

**Entering Grades 2-3:** Join us for STEAM activities based on your favorite series, *Magic Tree House*!

## Un-BEE-Lievable Science

Fri, Aug 11 • 10:30–11:30 am

### Entering Grades 2-3:

Come find out why bees are incredible! Learn about pollination, taste test several types of honey, and plant a bee-friendly flower.

ENTERING GRADES 4-5

## Design & Discover

Thu, Jun 8 • 3:30–4:30 pm:

### Cardboard Extending Claws

Mon, Jul 17 • 3:30–4:30 pm:

### Light-Up Bugs

Wed, Aug 16 • 3:30–4:30 pm:

### Magnetic Bookmarks

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Come design unique projects and discover new things through fun experiments.

## Young Writers

Fri • 1:30–2:30 pm

Jun 16: **Fractured Fairy Tales**

Jul 14: **Crazy Characters**

Aug 11: **Inspired by Nature**

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Grab your pencils as we explore the fun side of writing.

## Readers Theater

Wed, Jun 21–Jul 12

3:30–4:45 pm

### Performance:

Wed, Jul 19 • 5:30–8 pm

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Sign up for four classes of theater fun and acting games plus an evening performance for family and friends. No lines to memorize.

## "Sew" Simple

Mon, Jun 26 • 6:30–7:30 pm

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Learn a few simple stitches and create a felt butterfly. All supplies provided.

## American Sign Language

Thu, Jul 27 • 4:30–5:30 pm

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Learn the American Sign Language alphabet along with some simple words and phrases.

## King Me!

Sat, Aug 5 • 2–3 pm

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Show off your skills and join us for chess and checker fun! Beginners and experts alike are welcome.

## Game On!

Tue, Aug 22 • 4:30–5:30 pm

**Entering Grades 4-5:** Join us outside under the pavilion for game show-style fun as we play *Family Feud*!

# TEENS

*Signup is required for events and begins on the 15th of the month for the next month's events.*

## ENTERING GRADES 6-8

### Middle School Book Club

Sat, Jun 10 • 2-3 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-8:** Join us for our discussion of *The Underground Abductor* by Nathan Hale. Snacks will be served.

### Pizza Mania!

Thu, Aug 17 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-8:** Join us for a night centered around one of everyone's favorite foods. Participate in a pizza taste test and create your own dessert pizza to eat and enjoy.

## ENTERING GRADES 6-12

### Balcony Gardening

Thu, Jun 1  
6-6:45 pm or 7-7:45 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Channel your inner gardener as you use plants, flowers and miniatures to create a unique gardening scene in the containers on our balcony. All supplies provided. **Please choose only one session.**

### Film Fridays

Fri, Jun 9, Jul 7, Aug 4  
6-8:30 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Choose your own movie! Vote on a popular movie of your choice at the start of the program. Snacks and sodas will be provided.

### YAC: Youth Advisory Council

Tue, Jun 13 • 6-7 pm  
Tue, Jul 11 • 6-8 pm  
Tue, Aug 8 • 6-7 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Help plan teen programs at the library. At July 11's special 2-hour YAC/Café Olé combo we will watch a movie and get crafty!

### Café Olé

Tue, Jun 13 & Aug 8 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Hang out with your friends, eat cookies, sip on a cold drink, and enjoy a different activity each time.

### Bad Art

Thu, Jun 15 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Join us for a night of bad art. We will supply the materials and you supply the creativity to create a masterpiece of bad art.

### "Sew" Simple

Mon, Aug 21 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Learn a few simple stitches and create a felt cactus. All supplies provided.

### Teen Digital Art

Tue, Jun 27 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Learn how to create digital works of art with a stylus and an iPad on the ProCreate app.

### Teen Video Game Night: Mario Kart 8 Deluxe

Fri, Jul 21 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Play Mario Kart 8 with your fellow gamers on our Nintendo Switch consoles.

### Teen Art Studio: Book Fore-Edge Painting

Tue, Jul 25 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Practice painting scenes and intricate designs on the fore-edge of a book. We'll supply the books and the painting supplies—you bring your creativity!

### Marvel Trivia Night

Wed, Jul 26 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Big Marvel fan? Test your Marvel Universe knowledge and have fun competing to see who is the master of Marvel trivia. There will be small prizes for the winners.

### The Price Is Right

Tue, Aug 29 • 7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 6-12:** Join us to play some fun pricing games based on *The Price Is Right* game show.

## ENTERING GRADES 9-12

### Last Night at the Telegraph Club Book Discussion

Sat, Jun 3 • 2-3 pm  
**Entering Grades 9-12:** Come ready to discuss *Last Night at the Telegraph Club* by Malinda Lo. Snacks will be served.

### High School Book Club

Tue, Jun 20, Jul 18, Aug 15  
7-8 pm  
**Entering Grades 9-12:** Read and talk about books! Each month we will discuss one book and choose the book for the following month.

# ADULTS

*Signup is required unless otherwise noted. You may sign up beginning now unless otherwise noted.*

## SEASONAL EVENTS

### Edith Head: the Woman Who Dressed Hollywood

Mon, Jun 5 • 6:30–7:30 pm  
Join living history entertainer Martina Mathisen as she portrays the most famous and influential costume designer in Hollywood history.


### Paddle Craft Safety Class

Wed, Jun 7 • 6:30–8 pm  
Terry A. Paggi from the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary will discuss choosing the right type of craft, required and recommended equipment, and more to have a safe and fun experience.

### The Golden Age of Television

Mon, Jun 12 • 2–3 pm  
Reminisce about the good old days of TV with historian Larry Bergnach. Includes humor, stories, memorabilia, and audience participation to lead you on a trip down memory lane.

### Taco Tuesday with a Twist

Tue, Jun 20 • 6:30–8 pm  
 TPPL Cardholders Only  
Kristyn Slick of Making Mealtimes Memories stretches the definition of taco with some twists on a Tuesday favorite! Recipes and samples provided. Signup begins May 15.

### LGBT Inclusion in American Life

Thu, Jun 22 • 7–8 pm  
Author and political science professor, Susan Burgess, gives a compelling explanation of the American public's acceptance of LGBT freedoms through the lens of pop culture.

### The History of Stevie Wonder

Wed, Jun 28 • 6:30–7:30 pm  
Using performance and interview clips, presenter Gary Wenstrup will trace the arc of Stevie's amazing career to gain a deeper understanding of one of America's national treasures.


### Grandma Goes to Survivor Island

Wed, Jul 19 • 2–3 pm  
Go on an adventure with author and storyteller Jeanne Roppolo (Grandma Jeanne) as she competes for a slot on the TV show *Survivor*. Learn life lessons along the way. A true story.

## ILLINOIS LIBRARIES PRESENT




### Jesmyn Ward

Tue, Jun 6 • 7–8 pm  
 Attend online  
Join us for an evening with Jesmyn Ward, two-time National Book Award winner and youngest person to receive the Library of Congress Prize for American Fiction.



### Robin Wall Kimmerer

Wed, Jun 21 • 7–8 pm  
 Attend online  
Acclaimed author, botanist, and indigenous science professor shares her perspective on the interconnectedness of humans and nature and the importance of recognizing and respecting the gifts of earth.

### 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's

Wed, Jul 26 • 1-2 pm

Learn about warning signs vs. typical age-related changes, early detection, the benefits of a diagnosis, the diagnostic process, and Alzheimer's Association resources.

### The Essential Houdini

Wed, Aug 2 • 6:30-7:30 pm

William Pack goes beyond the myth to bring to life the true story of master magician Harry Houdini. Relive his baffling magic and escapes, hear about his remarkable death, and more.

### What Is Happening to Our Pollinators

Mon, Aug 7 • 6:30-8 pm

You may have heard the bee population is disappearing. What's all the buzz about? Learn the challenges ahead and ways we can help from local bee experts, Kim Kulton and Pete Soltesz.

### Chicago's Ethnic Neighborhoods

Fri, Aug 18 • 2-3:30 pm

Educator Ed Bara will discuss the development of Chicago's historic neighborhoods based on religious beliefs, cultural similarities, and ethnicity prior to WWI.

### Tenacious Tour du Mont Blanc

Thu, Aug 24 • 6:30-7:30 pm

Mindful Vagabond Brian Michalski will regale us with stories of his adventures on Europe's world-famous tour. Includes planning tips, cultural tidbits, and original photography.

### Chicago's Fabulous Fountains

Wed, Aug 30 • 6:30-7:30 pm

Learn about Chicago's wet and wild side. Author and historian Greg Borzo provides fascinating histories and behind-the-scenes stories of these underappreciated artistic and architectural treasures.



**CELEBRATE  
JUNETEENTH  
JUNE 19**

Juneteenth is the oldest nationally celebrated commemoration of the ending of slavery in the United States. Although the Emancipation Proclamation was made effective in 1863, enslaved people in Confederate-controlled Texas would not be free until much later. Freedom finally came on June 19, 1865, when some 2,000 Union troops arrived in Galveston Bay, Texas to announce that all enslaved Black people in the state were free by executive decree. This day came to be known as "Juneteenth."

Visit the library from June 17-30 for book displays that highlight and celebrate African American culture and voices. Follow us on social media for book and media recommendations.



## Monday Movies



### ***A Man Called Otto***

2022 | PG-13 | 126 min | CC

*Comedy, Drama*

Mon, Jun 19 • 11 am & 2 pm

📌 Drop in



### ***80 for Brady***

2023 | PG-13 | 98 min | CC

*Comedy*

Mon, Jul 17 • 11 am & 2 pm

📌 Drop in



### ***The Fabelmans***

2022 | PG-13 | 151 min | CC

*Drama*

Mon, Aug 21 • 11 am & 2 pm

📌 Drop in

## SUMMER CONCERTS



### Outdoor Performance

#### **Gladius in Concert**

Fri, Jul 21 • 6:30-7:30 pm

📌 Drop in

Join us for an outdoor performance by award-winning classical/flamenco fusion guitarist Gladius, as he creates a mesmerizing experience for all. Bring your own blanket or chair.



### Friends' Concert

#### **Sandy Beach Band**

Sun, Jun 4 • 2-3 pm

Take a musical adventure to the tropics! Enjoy the music of Jimmy Buffet, The Beach Boys, Van Morrison and hits of the 50s to the 70s. Signup begins on May 15.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

*Signup is required unless otherwise noted. You may sign up beginning now unless otherwise noted.*

ONGOING EVENTS

### Stitch Club

Thu, Jun 1 & 15, Jul 6 & 20, Aug 3 & 17  
11 am–1 pm

📍 Drop in

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

### Mah Jongg Club

Tue, Jun 6 & 20, Jul 18, Aug 1 & 15  
11 am–1 pm  
Mon, Jun 26, Jul 31, Aug 28  
6–8 pm

📍 Drop in

Players of all skill levels are welcome. An instructor will be on hand to teach those new to the game.

### Chair Yoga

Thu, Jun 8, Jul 27, Aug 10  
11 am–12 pm  
Instructor Kathy Ruiter will guide you in gentle, non-strenuous chair exercises and meditation. Signup begins on the 15th of the month prior to the dates listed.

### Ageless Grace (Brain & Body Fitness)

Mon, Jun 12 & 26, Jul 10 & 24, Aug 14 & 28  
10–10:45 am

📍 Attend online or in person

Work out your brain as well as your body in this fun chair exercise program. Signup begins on the 15th of the month prior to the dates listed.

### Evening Yoga

Wed, Jun 21, Jul 19, Aug 16  
6:30–7:30 pm  
With guided instruction from Kathy Ruiter, combine gentle yoga poses with breathing awareness to relax the mind. Bring a yoga mat and a firm blanket. Signup begins on the 15th of the month prior to the dates listed.

### League of Aspiring Writers

Mon, Jun 26, Jul 31, Aug 28  
6–8 pm

📍 Drop in

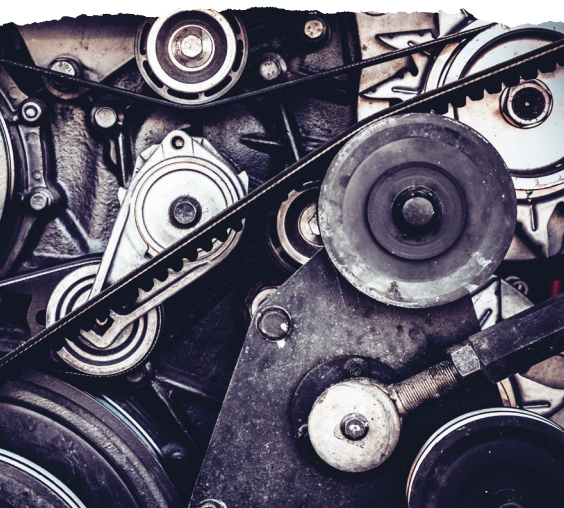
Connect with other local writers who are eager to improve their craft and help you improve yours.

### Parlor & Tabletop Games

Tue, Jun 27, Jul 25, Aug 22  
11 am–1 pm

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Meet up with others interested in playing various games. Choose one from our collection or bring a favorite from home to share.



## PREPARE TO REPAIR

The library offers access to online resources that can help you with your automotive and small engine repair needs! Grab your library card and visit [tplibrary.me/auto-repair](https://tplibrary.me/auto-repair) to start using the following resources.

### Automotive Repair:

- Auto Repair Source
- Chilton Auto Repair
- Mitchell ProDemand  
(you must visit the library to use this resource)

### Small Engine Repair:

- Small Engine Repair Reference Center



# TECHNOLOGY CLASSES



*Signup is required for events and begins on the 15th of the month for the next month's events.*

## CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

### Cut the Cable Cord

Sun, Jun 4 • 2–3 pm

Thu, Jul 6 • 2–3 pm

Learn about streaming services, like Netflix and Hulu, and streaming devices, like Apple TV and Roku.

### Excel Basics

Sun, Jun 25 • 2–4 pm

Tue, Jul 18 • 10 am–12 pm

Wed, Aug 16 • 6–8 pm

Learn the fundamentals of Microsoft's spreadsheet application.

### Excel: Intermediate

Wed, Jun 21 • 6–8 pm

Mon, Jul 31 • 10 am–12 pm

Learn to format and arrange data to improve the functionality and analysis of your dataset.

### Excel: Advanced

Wed, Jun 28 • 6–8 pm

Learn advanced level Excel skills.

### How to Listen to Podcasts

Thu, Aug 24 • 6–7 pm

Learn how to find and listen to podcasts on your favorite devices.

### Introduction to Android Devices

Thu, Jun 22 • 2–4 pm

Tue, Jul 11 • 6–8 pm

Tue, Aug 8 • 2–4 pm

Bring your phone or tablet to learn what makes Android unique.

### Introduction to Apple Devices

Tue, Jun 6 • 10 am–12 pm

Mon, Jul 10 • 2–4 pm

Thu, Aug 10 • 2–4 pm

Bring your iPad, iPhone, or iPod touch to learn more about Apple's mobile devices.

### Introduction to Cloud Storage

Wed, Jun 14 • 10 am–12 pm

Mon, Jul 17 • 6–8 pm

Learn the benefits and drawbacks of cloud storage.

### Introduction to Cryptocurrencies & Blockchain

Sat, Jul 1 • 2–3 pm

Learn about what cryptocurrencies are, how they work, and what you could do with them.

### Introduction to Google Accounts

Mon, Jul 3 • 2–3 pm

Learn how to create a Google account and about the suite of free services it grants you access to.

### Introduction to Google Apps

Mon, Jul 10 • 10–11 am

Learn how to use various Google apps on your smartphone.

### Introduction to Windows 11

Thu, Jun 15 • 2–4 pm

Sat, Jul 15 • 10 am–12 pm

Fri, Aug 25 • 6–8 pm

Familiarize yourself with Microsoft's Windows 11.

### Online Privacy & Security

Sat, Jun 17 • 2–4 pm

Learn strategies for keeping your digital life safe.

### Online Privacy Tools

Fri, Jul 7 • 2–3 pm

Get hands-on experience using tools to keep yourself and important people in your life safe online.

### Password Management

Thu, Jun 29 • 2–3 pm

Learn to create and store secure passwords.

## PowerPoint Basics

Tue, Jun 20 • 6–8 pm  
Wed, Jul 19 • 10 am–12 pm  
Learn how to create Microsoft PowerPoint slideshows with dynamic features to spice up your presentations.

## PowerPoint: Advanced

Tue, Jun 27 • 6–8 pm  
Learn some of the more advanced features of Microsoft PowerPoint.

## Using Beanstack for Summer Reading

Tue, Jun 6 • 2:30–3 pm  
Sat, Jun 10 • 10:30–11 am  
Learn all about Beanstack, the app you can use to manage your participation in our annual Summer Reading Challenge.

## Using Zoom

Fri, Jul 14 • 2–3 pm  
Learn how to use the video conferencing platform Zoom on your computer or mobile device.

## Word Basics

Wed, Jun 28 • 10 am–12 pm  
Thu, Jul 20 • 2–4 pm  
Thu, Aug 31 • 6–8 pm  
Learn the fundamentals of Microsoft's word-processing software.

## DIGITAL MEDIA STUDIO

### Adobe Photoshop Basics

Mon, Jun 12 • 10 am–12 pm  
Wed, Aug 23 • 6–8 pm  
Learn to enhance your photos with Adobe Photoshop.

### Digital Sound Recording

Wed, Jul 5 • 6–7 pm  
Record your own oral history, music, or podcast.

### Green Screen Basics

Tue, Jul 11 • 2–4 pm  
TPPL Cardholders Only  
Learn to record, edit, and share videos with green screen technology.

## CONVERSION STATION

### Digitize It: Photos & Slides

Tue, Jun 20 • 10–11 am  
Fri, Jul 7 • 7–8 pm  
TPPL Cardholders Only  
Learn to digitize your photos and slides.

### Digitize It: Reel-to-Reel Films

Thu, Jun 29 • 6–7 pm  
Tue, Jul 25 • 10–11 am  
TPPL Cardholders Only  
Learn to digitize your 8 mm, Super 8, or 16 mm reel-to-reel films.

### Digitize It: VHS Tapes

Sat, Jun 3 • 10–11 am  
Tue, Jul 18 • 2–3 pm  
Tue, Aug 15 • 10–11 am  
TPPL Cardholders Only  
Learn to digitize your VHS tapes.

### Digitize It: Vinyl Records

Thu, Jun 8 • 2–3 pm  
Thu, Jul 27 • 6–7 pm  
TPPL Cardholders Only  
Learn to digitize vinyl records and cassette tapes.

## CAREER BUILDING

### Create a Professional Profile with LinkedIn

Wed, Jun 7 • 2–4 pm  
Mon, Jul 24 • 6–8 pm  
Enhance your professional presence with a LinkedIn profile.

### Online Job Searching

Tue, Jun 13 • 6–7 pm  
Fri, Jul 28 • 2–3 pm  
In addition to online job searching, this class also covers Microsoft Word for résumés and cover letters.

### Résumé Tips & Tricks

Fri, Jun 30 • 2–3 pm  
Sat, Jul 22 • 10–11 am  
Learn techniques to help your résumé get seen by a human.

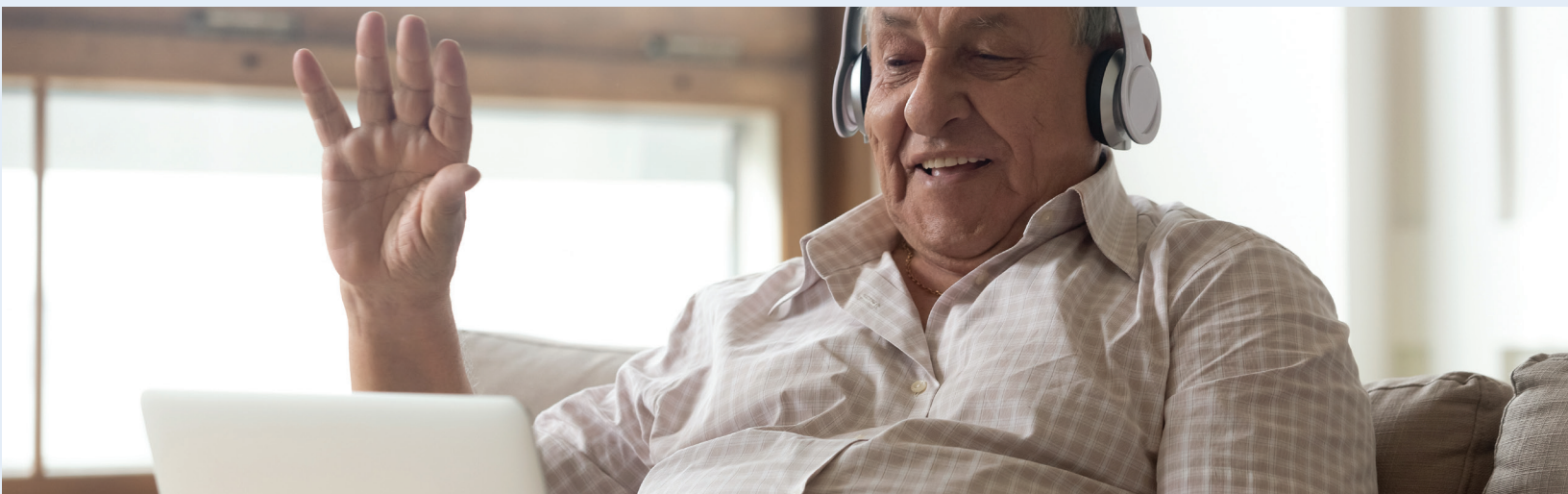
### Using JobNow from Brainfuse

Wed, Jun 21 • 2:30–3 pm  
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Learn how to get live 1-on-1 virtual help with your résumé or live interview coaching.

### Using LinkedIn Learning

Thu, Jul 13 • 2–3:30 pm  
Wed, Aug 30 • 10–11:30 am  
TPPL Cardholders Only  
LinkedIn Learning offers self-paced training to enhance or develop your skill set.





## ONLINE RESOURCES

### How to Read eMagazines

Thu, Jun 22 • 6:30–7:30 pm  
 TPPL Cardholders Only  
 Learn how to remotely access the library's collection of eMagazines on your favorite devices.

### How to Read eNewspapers

Fri, Jun 16 • 3:30–4:30 pm  
 Mon, Jul 31 • 6:30–7:30 pm  
 TPPL Cardholders Only  
 Learn how to remotely access the library's collection of eNewspapers on your favorite devices.

### How to Use eAudiobooks & eBooks

Mon, Jun 19 • 6–7 pm  
 TPPL Cardholders Only  
 Learn how to remotely access the library's collection of eAudiobooks and eBooks on your favorite devices.

### Using Ancestry.com Library Edition

Fri, Jun 9 • 6–7 pm  
 Wed, Jul 26 • 10–11 am  
 Fri, Aug 11 • 3–4 pm  
 Start your genealogy research with the library's edition of the popular database.

### Using Consumer Reports

Sun, Jul 16 • 3–3:30 pm  
 Sat, Aug 19 • 3–3:30 pm  
 Learn how to use Consumer Reports to access articles and product reviews.

### Using Creativebug

Fri, Jul 28 • 7–7:30 pm  
 Sun, Aug 6 • 3:30–4 pm  
 TPPL Cardholders Only  
 Learn how to use Creativebug to discover professionally-curated arts and crafts projects including videos and step-by-step guides.

### Using Credo Reference

Fri, Jun 16 • 6:30–7 pm  
 Learn how to use Credo to perform basic research and access hundreds of authoritative eBooks on multiple subjects.

### Using GALE Business Plan Builder

Mon, Jul 17 • 10–11 am  
 Mon, Aug 28 • 2–3 pm  
 TPPL Cardholders Only  
 Learn how to use GALE Business Plan Builder to put together your next business plan.

### Using HeritageHub

Wed, Jul 12 • 7–8 pm  
 Learn how to use the library's HeritageHub database for genealogy research.

### Using HeritageQuest

Fri, Jun 30 • 6:30–7:30 pm  
 Sun, Jul 23 • 2–3 pm  
 Learn how to use the library's HeritageQuest database for genealogy research.

### Using Morningstar

Tue, Jun 13 • 3:30–4 pm  
 Tue, Aug 22 • 10–10:30 am  
 An introduction on how to use Morningstar to help you research investment opportunities and build your investment knowledge.

### Using Reference Solutions

Mon, Aug 14 • 6–7 pm  
 Learn how to find people and business data using Data Axle's Reference Solutions.

# ADULT DISCUSSION GROUPS

## Movie Discussions

Movies are available at the Reference Desk about one month before the discussion date. Watch at home and join us for the discussion.



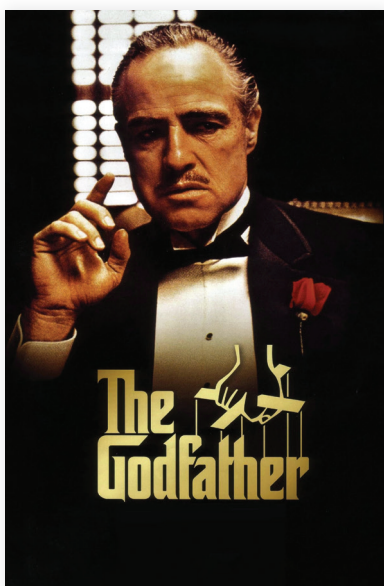
### ***Rocketman***

2019 | R | 121 min

*Biography, Drama, Musical*

Wed, Jun 14 - 7-8 pm

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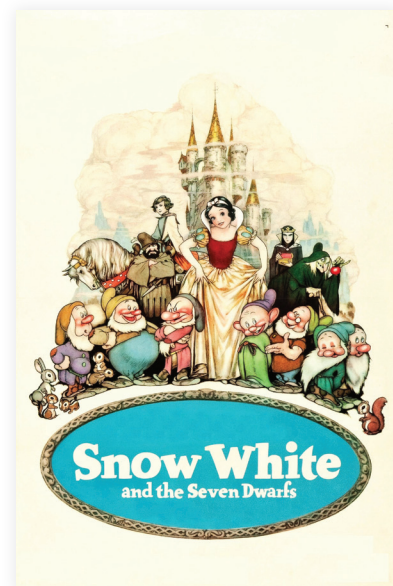
### ***The Godfather***

1972 | R | 175 min

*Crime, Drama*

Wed, Jul 12 - 7-8 pm

📍 Drop in



### ***Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs***

1937 | Approved | 83 min

*Animation, Adventure*

Wed, Aug 9 - 7-8 pm

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# BOOK GROUPS

Books are available at the Reference Desk about one month before the discussion date in multiple formats.



## Celebrate Pride Month

### ***Lavender House***

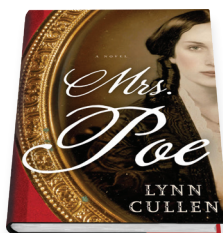
by Lev A. C. Rosen

*Historical, Mystery*

Wed, Jun 21 • 7:30–8:30 pm

Led by **Jenn** | 📍 Drop in

## Too Good to Be Missed Book Group



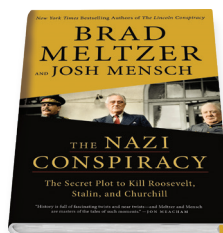
### ***Mrs. Poe***

by Lynn Cullen

*Historical Fiction*

Wed, Jun 14 • 1:30–2:30 pm

Led by **Paul** | 📍 Drop in



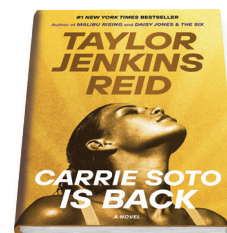
### ***The Nazi Conspiracy***

by Brad Meltzer

*Nonfiction, History*

Wed, Jul 12 • 1:30–2:30 pm

Led by **Doug** | 📍 Drop in



### ***Carrie Soto Is Back***

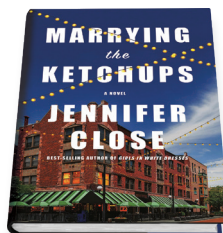
by Taylor Jenkins Reid

*Literary Fiction*

Wed, Aug 9 • 1:30–2:30 pm

Led by **Rosemarie** | 📍 Drop in

## Out of the Ordinary Book Group



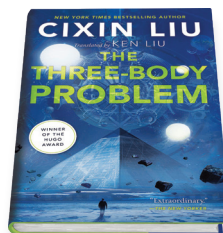
### ***Marrying the Ketchups***

by Jennifer Close

*Family, Comedy*

Thu, Jun 15 • 7:30–8:30 pm

Led by **Cindy** | 📍 Drop in



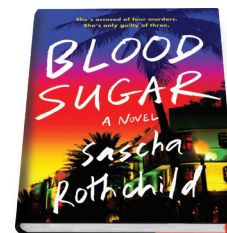
### ***The Three-Body Problem***

by Liu Cixin

*Science Fiction*

Thu, Jul 20 • 7:30–8:30 pm

Led by **Terry** | 📍 Drop in



### ***Blood Sugar***

by Sascha Rothchild

*Thriller, Suspense*

Thu, Aug 17 • 7:30–8:30 pm

Led by **Cindy** | 📍 Drop in

# OUTREACH SERVICES



## BOOKMOBILE

Our Bookmobile is a mobile branch of the library for all ages. Look for us at neighborhood stops, special events, parks, and senior communities throughout Tinley Park and Orland Hills.

### Senior Community Lobby Stops

Meet us in the lobby for Chats & Checkouts.

Thursdays • 10:30–11:30 am  
Once per month.

### Tinley Court Retirement Community

Jun 1, Jul 6, Aug 3

### Hanover Place

Jun 8, Jul 13, Aug 10

### Fulton Commons

Jun 15, Jul 20, Aug 17

### Stories in the Park

**Tinley Park—Lewis Park**  
16801 Normandy Dr

### Mondays

Jun 5–Jul 24

**Storytime:** 10:15–10:45 am

**Bookmobile Stop:** 10–11 am

**Orland Hills—Kelly Park**  
16675 Haven Ave

### Wednesdays

Jun 7–14, 28 & Jul 5–26

**Storytime:** 6:30–7 pm

**Bookmobile Stop:** 6:15–7:15 pm

### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

[tplibrary.me/outreach](http://tplibrary.me/outreach)

### CONTACT:

708.532.0160, x6

[outreachservices@tplibrary.org](mailto:outreachservices@tplibrary.org)

Stops and services may be canceled due to severe weather. Check our website or call to confirm.

## Neighborhood Stops

### Tinley Park North & South

#### Thursdays

Jun 15, Jul 6 & 27, Aug 17

### Fairmont Village (North)

Salem Ct & 170th Pl

4–4:30 pm

### Brookside Glen (South)

Glenbrook Pl & Glenbrook Ln

4:45–5:15 pm

### Brookside Glen (South)

Monaghan Dr & Fairfield Ln

5:30–6 pm

### Tinley Park East & West

#### Thursdays

Jun 8 & 29, Jul 20,  
Aug 10 & 31

### Parkside (East)

Glenview Dr & Ravinia Dr

4–4:30 pm

### Tinley Terrace (East)

Terrace Dr & 66th Ave

4:45–5:15 pm

### Radcliffe Place (West)

Radcliffe Rd & Harper Rd

5:30–6 pm

### Tinley Park Downtown

#### Thursdays

Jun 22, Jul 27, Aug 24

### Oak Park Ave Train Station

Oak Park Ave & North St

11:30 am–12:30 pm

### Orland Hills

#### Thursdays

Jun 1 & 22, Jul 13,  
Aug 3 & 24

### Pheasant Ridge/Hunter Apts.

Hunter Dr & 94th Ave

4–4:30 pm

### Apartments of Orland

Applewood Ln & 88th Ave

4:45–5:10 pm

### Meadowview

Meadowview Dr & Marshfield Ln

5:15–5:45 pm

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In the library's lobby is the Friends of the Library Bookstore. Through generous book donations received from library patrons we are able to offer a diverse selection of gently-used books—including fiction, nonfiction, history, business, health, and children's titles—for purchase at a low price. Our selections are not just limited to books—we also offer CDs, DVDs, and other media. From 25 cents for a children's book to \$2 for a hardcover book, there are always bargains to be had. We encourage you to please take a moment to stop in and see what we have available for sale. Your purchases help our organization support the library.



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# FALL FANDOM FEST

**SEPTEMBER 18-23**

Get ready for a week-long  
celebration of comics,  
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and fandoms for all ages!

More info to come!



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## Board Dates

**Tinley Park**  
Wed, Jun 28  
Wed, Jul 26  
Wed, Aug 23  
**Orland Hills**  
Mon, Jul 17

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## Library Closed

Sun, Jun 18  
Tue, Jul 4