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Winter Family Fest Begins

Be part of this family fun event! Pick up your fun event log at the Youth Services Reference Desk beginning January 23. Complete the activities listed on the log and then bring back your completed log to Youth Services. Receive a prize when you pick up your log and also when you complete all the activities. Those who finish will be entered into a Grand Prize Raffle! This Fest ends March 5.

NEW !! Monday Night Fiction!

Join us for an interesting book discussion featuring women's fiction titles. Every month we will feature a fiction title that could either be humorous, mysterious or even make you cry. This group will meet on the fourth Monday of the month. Contact Maggie Rodriguez (847) 546-7060 ext. 115, or mrodriguez@rlalibrary.org.

Monday evenings • 6:30 p.m.
January 23 • One for the Money by Janet Evanovich
February 27, March 26, April 23

Season's Greetings!

We appreciate each opportunity you have given us to assist you throughout the year and we look forward to providing many more years of service to you. Your attendance at library programs and your usage of our library resources has helped us fulfill our mission statement. We are committed to responding to your needs as a library user. Thank you for supporting the Friends of the Library and their ongoing book sale, as it allows us to enhance your library experience. Your goodwill and of those we serve is the foundation of our success and it is with great pleasure at this holiday season that we say "Thank You." We wish you and your family a joyous holiday season and a prosperous new year.

Library Board of Trustees and Staff

American Red Cross Blood Drives

To make an appointment, call the library at (847) 546-7060, prompt 4. Ask about reduced library fines and other donor incentives! To make an appointment online, or for donor eligibility guidelines, visit www.redcrossblood.org.

Meeting Room
3:00-7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, January 17
Tuesday, March 13
Tuesday, May 15



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Diversión Familiar de Invierno

Sea parte de este evento familiar. Desde el 23 de enero recoge la lista de actividades y regrésala con las actividades completas al Mostrador para Niños. Recibe un premio cuando recoges la lista y cuando la regresas también. Además, todos los que terminan entrarán en un sorteo para un premio! Este programa se termina el 5 de marzo.

Celebre la Semana Nacional de Las Bibliotecas 8-14 Abril 2012

Aproveche de todos los recursos gratuitos de la biblioteca. Su bibliotecario/a tiene la información que usted busca.

¡Feliz Días Festivos!

Le agradecemos cada oportunidad que nos ha dado para servirle durante todo el año. Su asistencia en los programas de la biblioteca y su uso de los recursos bibliotecarios han hecho que podamos cumplir con nuestra misión de objetivos. Gracias por apoyar a Los Amigos de la Biblioteca en sus ventas de libros, porque nos permite darles una mejor experiencia en la biblioteca. Su buena voluntad y de los que servimos es la fundación de nuestro éxito. Durante estos días festivos, nos da mucho placer decirle "Gracias." Le deseamos a usted y su familia unos días festivos llenos de alegría y un próspero año nuevo.

Mesa Directiva y Personal

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Celebrate National Library Week April 8-14 2012



Special Programs & Free Family Fun

Lego Lab

Saturday, March 3 • 9:15 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.

(Ages 6 and up) Like Legos? Sign up for a time slot for this fun lego workshop hosted by Lego Master Dave Xandegar and his son, Johnny. You must show up for your registered time slot or you will not be able to be a part of the free workshop. Meeting Room



Register in the Youth Services Department.

Wanderlust Travel Series! Fourth Season

Boundary Waters: Saturday, February 11 • 2:00 p.m.

Cruising: Saturday, March 10 • 2:00 p.m.

Lake County: Saturday, April 28 • 2:00 p.m.

Season Four of Wanderlust returns in February! Travel around the world and across the United States with us. Learn about exotic, romantic, historic, and even local places from people who have traveled there themselves! Explore Minnesota's Boundary Waters, a Caribbean Cruise, and your own backyard—Lake County. Registration not required. Meeting Room
Contact: Marina Stevens (847)546-7060.

Robin and Her Amazing Dogs

Saturday, February 18 • 1:00 p.m.

Family Event! Robin Bengston brings her star dogs to show us tricks and obedience techniques. Fun for the whole family! Meeting Room.

Register in the Youth Services Department.

Dinosauria Family Event

Sunday, March 25 • 1:00 p.m.

(Ages 5-12) Attention all paleontologists! Dinosaur hunters Lisa Zago-Martin and Don Pfister present a slideshow and hands-on real life dinosaur bones of their dinosaur dig in Wyoming. Meeting Room

Register in the Youth Services Department.

Preschool Fair (Drop-in)

Saturday, March 10 • 11:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.

Family Fun. Do you need information about local preschools, day care centers and Kindergarten classes? Join us for this free family event and fair, and pick up information about the preschools in the Round Lake area. Meeting Room and Activity Room.

Mother Hubbard's Cupboard

A Mother Goose Inspired Storytime

Tuesday, April 17 • 5:00 p.m.

(Ages 4-6) Join us for a Mother Goose inspired evening of fun. Enjoy stories, an activity, music and a craft. Activity Room. Register in the Youth Services Department.

Annual Pet Expo Family Event

Saturday, April 14 • 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Drop-in Family Fun

Animal shelter and pet rescue organizations, therapy dogs, and domestic pets are part of this event. Get information about pets and pet-related organizations. Enter a raffle! This event will be held in the Meeting Room. All ages welcome!

Museum Adventure Pass

www.museumadventure.org

Program extended. Use your library card to receive a Museum Adventure Pass, and get free admission or a special discount, at 15 participating Chicago area museums. Made possible by a generous contribution from MACY'S. You will need your pass(es) **before** you visit a museum. Passes can only be printed by library staff at the Adult Services Reference Desk.

Youth Services

Unless otherwise noted, programs require prior registration. Registration begins Saturday, January 7 in person at the Youth Services Reference Desk, OR call us at 847-546-7060, prompt 5. Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by a caregiver 14 years or older at all times in the library. **All youth programs will take place in the Activity Room unless otherwise noted.**

Winter Storytimes

Join us for a half hour of stories, songs, rhymes, and fun. Registration for Winter storytimes begins Saturday, January 7.



8W (8-Week Session)

Toddlers (Ages 24-36 months) 8W	Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.	Beginning January 18
Preschool (Ages 3-5 years old) 8W	Mondays 6:00 p.m.	Beginning January 16
Preschool (Ages 3-5 years old) 8W	Tuesdays 10:30 a.m.	Beginning January 17
Preschool (Ages 3-5 years old) 8W	Thursdays 10:30 a.m.	Beginning January 19

Spring Storytimes

Join us for a half hour of stories, songs, rhymes, and fun. Registration for Spring storytimes begins Saturday, March 31.



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Preschool (Ages 3-5 years old) 8W	Tuesdays 10:30 a.m.	Beginning April 10
Preschool (Ages 3-5 years old) 8W	Thursdays 10:30 a.m.	Beginning April 12

Youth Programs

(R) Registration Required (NR) Registration Not Required.

Snow Stories (Ages 3-6)

Wednesday, January 25 • 6:00 p.m.

Snow stories, a snowman art project and treats will be had at this winter storytime. (R)



Stuffed Animal Sleepover (Ages 5-8)

Friday, January 20 • 4:00-4:45 p.m.

Saturday, January 21 • 11:00 a.m to 4:00 p.m. (pickup)

Bring your favorite stuffed animal or doll for a sleepover at the library. After an evening of stories and a craft, tuck the animals in and say goodnight. Come back to the library the next day between 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to pick them up from the Youth Services Reference desk and find out what mischief they got into during the night. Parents, please make sure your child brings a stuffed animal or doll that they can get through the night without. (R)



Servicios Para Niños en Inglés

Todos los programas son gratuitos. Las inscripciones empiezan el día **sábado, 7 de enero** y se requiere la inscripción a menos que se indique lo contrario. La inscripción puede ser en persona en el mostrador de niños, o por teléfono al (847) 546-7060, presione 5.

(R) Requiere Inscripción
(N) No hay inscripción; ¡pase!

Cuentos Invernales

Inscripciones empiezan el 8 de enero.

Hora del Cuento Infantil (R)

(24 a 36 meses con guardián) 8 semanas
Los miércoles, desde 18 de enero • 10:30 a.m.

Hora del Cuento Preescolar (R)

(3 a 5 años con guardián) por 8 semanas
Seleccione **UNO** de los siguientes horarios:
Los lunes, desde 16 de enero • 6:00 p.m.
Los martes, desde 17 de enero • 10:30 a.m.
Los jueves, desde 19 de enero • 10:30 a.m.

Cuentos Primaverales

Inscripciones empiezan 31 de marzo.

Hora del Cuento Infantil (R)

(24 a 36 meses con guardián) 8 semanas
Los miércoles, desde 11 de abril • 10:30 a.m.

Hora del Cuento Preescolar (R)

(3 a 5 años con guardián) por 8 semanas
Seleccione **UNO** de los siguientes horarios:
Los lunes, desde 9 de abril • 6:00 p.m.
Los martes, desde 10 de abril • 10:30 a.m.
Los jueves, desde 12 de abril • 10:30 a.m.

Programas Para Niños (En Inglés)

Cuentos, Actividades y Manualidades

Cuentos de Nieve (3 a 6 años)

Miércoles, 25 de enero • 6:00 p.m. (R)

Los Muñecos de Peluche Pasarán la Noche en la Biblioteca (5 a 8 años)

Viernes, 20 de enero • 4:00-4:45 p.m.
Recogerlos el Sábado, 21 de enero entre 11:00 a.m y 4:00 p.m.)

Puedes traer tu muñeco de peluche o tu muñeca a la Biblioteca. Después de una tarde de cuentos y manualidades, diles buenas noches. Regresa al día siguiente para recogerlos, y ver que travesuras han hecho durante la noche. Padres, asegúrese que su hija/o traigan muñecos que puedan pasar la noche sin ellos. (R)



Continuación de Servicios Para Niños (en Inglés)

Programas Para Niños en Inglés**Cuentos, Actividades y Manualidades**

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(NR) No hay inscripción; pase!

Diversión Familiar de Invierno—Página 1**Club de la Naturaleza (6 años y mayor)**

Sábado, 21 de enero • 11:00 a.m.

Sábado, 11 de febrero • 11:00 a.m.

Sábado, 24 de marzo • 11:00 a.m.

Sábado, 7 de abril • 11:00 a.m. (R)

Club de Ciencia – Electricidad Estática (Grados 3 y mayor).

Jueves, 2 de Febrero • 6:00 p.m. (R)

Paws to Read

Sábado, 4 de febrero • 11:00 a.m.

Sábado, 10 de marzo • 11:00 a.m.

Sábado, 5 de mayo • 11:00 a.m.

Te invitamos a leerle al perro Fred, para mejorar tus habilidades de lectura. (R)

Cuentos del Día de San Valentín (4 a 7 años)

Martes, 7 de febrero • 6:00 p.m. (R)

Diversión con Marionetas (9 años y mayor)

Aprende como manejar una marioneta.

Jueves, 9 de febrero • 6:00 p.m.

Jueves, 10 de mayo • 6:00 p.m.

Show Para el Público • 7:00 p.m. (R)

Molly el Collie Ama los Libros (5 a 9 años)

Martes, 14 de febrero 14 • 6:00 p.m.

Cuentos acerca de perros con Deb Allen y su mascota collie Molly. (R)

Robin y Sus Sorprendentes Perros

Sábado 18 de Febrero • 1:00 p.m.

Robin Bengston traerá sus perros estrellas.

Salón de Reuniones. (R)

Exploradores de Dewey (8 a 11 años)

Martes, 21 de Febrero • 5:00 p.m.

Explora con cuentos y manualidades, el sistema decimal de Dewey. Esta vez, aprenderemos acerca de espías y espionaje de la sección 300. (R)

Fiesta del Año Bisiesto (5 años y mayor)

Miércoles, 29 de Febrero • 6:00 p.m.

Este año ocurre cada 4to año, así que celébralo con nosotros. (R)

Taller de Legos (6 años y mayor)

Sábado, 3 de marzo • 9:15 a.m.—3:45 p.m.

Inscríbete para una sesión. (R)

Youth Services Cont'd

All youth programs will take place in the Activity Room, unless otherwise noted. Registration begins January 7.

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(NR) Registration not required.

Nature Club (Ages 6 and up)

Saturday, January 21 • 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, February 11 • 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, March 24 • 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 7 • 11:00 a.m.

Enjoy nature themed programs based on books, magazines and DVDs. Each month we highlight a special animal, ecosystem or nature preserve. Crafts and snacks. (R)

Winter Family Fun Fest Begins

Be part of this family fun program!

See page 1 for details.

Science Club - Static Electricity**(Grades 3 and up)**

Thursday, February 2 • 6:00 p.m.

Come have a “shockingly” good time as we experiment with static electricity! (R)

Paws to Read

Saturday, February 4 • 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, March 10 • 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 5 • 11:00 a.m.

Bond with certified therapy dog, Fred, as you read to him and his owner, Laurel. Improve your reading skills and enjoy some time with a great dog. Bring your own book or use one of ours. (R)

Be Mine Storytime (Ages 4-7)

Tuesday, February 7 • 6:00p.m.

A fun Valentine program with stories, an art project and a Valentine treat! (R)

Have Fun with Puppets**(Ages 9 and up)**

Thursday, February 9 • 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 10 • 6:00 p.m.

Learn how puppets move and speak. Then invite your family and friends to watch you perform at the show! A puppet show will follow each class at 7:00 p.m. and is open to the public. Meeting Room (R)

Molly the Collie Loves Books**(Ages 5-9)**

Tuesday, February 14 • 6:00 p.m.

Molly, the collie, owned by youth librarian, Deb Allen, hosts this Valentine program about dogs and books. A ‘doggy’ Valentine craft is also part of this special event. (R)

Robin and Her Amazing Dogs

Saturday, February 18 • 1:00 p.m.

Family Event! Robin Bengston brings her star dogs to show us tricks and obedience techniques. Fun for the whole family! Meeting Room. (R)

Dewey's Explorers (Ages 8-11)

Tuesday, February 21 • 5:00 p.m.

Are you curious about Mr. Dewey and that whole Decimal System thing he came up with? Explore the Dewey Decimal System with fun stories, an intriguing craft, and a snack. For this session, we will be learning about Spies and Spying from the 300's section. (R)

Leap Year Party! (Ages 5 and up)

Wednesday, February 29 • 6:00 p.m.

Jump into fun at our Leap Year Party! This only happens once every four years, so plan on celebrating with us. (R)

Lego Lab Works (Ages 6 and up)

Saturday, March 3 • 9:15 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.

See page 2 for details. (R)

Shamrock Shindig (Ages 6-9)

Tuesday, March 6 • 5:00 p.m.

Enjoy a little luck o' the Irish! You won't want to miss this party. We will read some Irish stories, play some party games, make a St. Paddy's day craft, and have a special treat. Goody bag for the children. Dress in green! (R)

Dirty Jobs.....Messy Stories!**(Ages 4 and up)**

Wednesday, March 7 • 6:00 p.m.

There are a lot of messy jobs.....and stories! We'll hear about some messy things, and even make a mess ourselves. (Dress appropriately) (R)

Preschool Fair (Drop-in)

Saturday, March 10 • 11:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.

Visit the fair to get free information from local preschools, daycare centers and kindergarten classes. Meeting Room (NR)

Crochet a Beanie (Ages 8 and up)

Thursday, March 15 • 6:00 p.m.

If you know the basics, join us and we will create a beanie. Supplies will be provided. Moms are invited to participate with their kids if they wish. (R)

Dinosauria Family Event (Ages 5 -12)

Sunday, March 25 • 1:00 p.m.

Attention all paleontologists! Dinosaur hunters Lisa Zago-Martin and Don Pfister present a slideshow and hands-on real life dinosaur bones of their dinosaur dig in Wyoming. Meeting Room (R)



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Book Bingo! (Ages 8 and up)

Thursday, March 29 • 6:00 p.m.

We know how to have fun at the library! You don't need to have read the books, just come play Book Bingo using book titles and characters. We'll have prizes, and even some snacks. Good luck! (R)

Eggcellent Easter Storytime (Ages 5-8)

Tuesday, April 3 • 6:00p.m.

Hop on in to this Easter program and enjoy Easter stories and a craft. (R)

Dilly Dots (Ages 4-7)

Wednesday, April 11 • 6:00 p.m.

Enjoy spring stories, a dilly dot art project, and a treat in this storytime. (R)

Annual Pet Expo Family Event

Saturday, April 14 • 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Drop in to get information about pets. Visit with local animal shelters such as Save-a-Pet or rescue groups like Collie Rescue to see actual pets. Enter a raffle for pet supplies. Meeting Room

**Mother Hubbard's Cupboard-
A Mother Goose Inspired Story Time**

(Ages 4-6) Tuesday, April 17 • 5:00 p.m.

Enjoy some stories, an activity, music and a craft. (R)

Monsters! (Ages 4 and up)

Thursday, May 3 • 6:00 p.m.

There actually are some friendly, and not-scary monsters out there. Take a deep breath, and be ready to hear some monster stories, make a monster craft, and have a monstrously good time. (R)

Save the Date!**Children's Day / Book Day Family Event**

Sunday, May 6 • 2:00 p.m.

Round Lake Beach Cultural & Civic Center
Look for details in the Spring and info about free tickets.

Flower Fun (Ages 3-6)

Wednesday, May 9 • 6:00 p.m.

In this program we'll be decorating our own flower pot and reading stories about flowers/gardens. (R)

American Girls Social (Ages 7-11)

Tuesday, May 15 • 5:00 p.m.

Girls and their dolls are invited to the library for an enjoyable evening of stories, a craft, an activity, and snacks. This historical enrichment program will focus on the life and times of Felicity, a character in the American Girl Dolls Collection. Note: Girls do not have to bring a doll and if they choose to bring one, the doll does not have to be an American Girl Doll. (R)



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Food for Fines Program



Food For Fines Program. Patrons with late charges on their library accounts will be able to reduce or eliminate their fines, and help replenish a local food pantry serving the community's less fortunate. Look for details in the Spring.

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(NR) No hay inscripción; pase!

Cuentos de San Patricio (6 a 9 años)

Martes, 6 de marzo • 5:00 p.m.

Vestir de verde!

Trabajos Sucios...Cuentos Desordenados

(4 años y mayor)

Miércoles, 7 de Marzo • 6:00 p.m.

Nos ensuciaremos en este programa; favor de vestir apropiadamente. (R)

Feria de Escuelas Preescolares

Sábado, 10 de marzo

11:00 a.m.— 1:00 p.m.

Reciba información sobre escuelas preescolares y guarderías del área. Salones: Activity Room y Meeting Room ¡Entrada gratuita! (NR)

Tejer un Gorrito (8 años y mayor)

Jueves, 15 de Marzo • 6:00 p.m.

Para mamas e hijos. ¿Sabes tejer lo básico de punta y gancho? Los materiales serán proveídos. (R)

Dinosauria (5 a 12 años) y Familias

Domingo, 25 de Marzo • 1:00 p.m.

Disfrute de una presentación de los cazadores de dinosaurios Lisa Zago-Martin y Don Pfister. Salón de Reuniones. (R)

Bingo de Libros! (8 años y mayor)

Jueves, 29 de Marzo • 6:00 p.m.

Juega Bingo de Libros, usando los títulos de los libros y sus personajes. Tendremos premios. Buena suerte! (R)

Cuentos del Día de Pascua (5 a 8 años)

Martes, 3 de Abril • 6:00p.m. (R)

Dilly Dots (4 a 7 años)

Miércoles, 11 de Abril • 6:00 p.m. (R)

Expo de Mascotas Evento Familiar

Sábado, 14 de Abril • 1:00-3:00p.m. (NR)

El Armario de Madre Hubbard (4 a 6 años)

Martes, 17 de Abril • 5:00 p.m. (R)

Monstruos Amigables! (4 años y mayor)

Jueves, 3 de Mayo • 6:00 p.m. (R)

Diversión con Flores (3 a 6 años)

Miércoles, 9 de Mayo • 6:00 p.m. (R)

American Girls Social (7 a 11 años)

Martes, 15 de Mayo • 5:00 p.m.

Niñas y sus muñecas. Nos enfocaremos en la vida histórica de Felicity, un personaje en la colección de Muñecas American Girl. No es necesario traer muñeca, pero si eligen traer una puede ser cualquier muñeca. (R)



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Adult Services

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Advance registration is required for all computer classes. Please note: sign-ups will only be available 2 weeks before the start of each class. Please sign up at the Adult Services Reference Desk, or call (847) 546-7060, prompt 4. **Individual assistance with keyboarding practice and creating an e-mail account is available at any time.**

Class	Type	Session A	Session B	Skills Required
Basic Computer Individual or Group	By Appointment	n/a	n/a	None
Digital Images	By Appointment	n/a	n/a	Bring your digital camera. Copy, paste, e-mail skills
Google Documents	By Appointment	n/a	n/a	Basic MS Word & Excel Skills
Internet (Beginners)	Classroom	Monday, January 23 • 6:00 p.m.	Saturday, January 28 • 10:00 a.m.	Mouse and Keyboard Skills
MS Word (Beginners)	Classroom	Monday, February 6 • 6:00 p.m.	Saturday, February 11 • 10:00 a.m.	Basic Computer Skills
MS Word II	Classroom	Monday, February 20 • 6:00 p.m.	Saturday, February 25 • 10:00 a.m.	Basic MS Word Skills
MS Excel (Beginners)	Classroom	Monday, March 12 • 6:00 p.m.	Saturday, March 17 • 10:00 a.m.	Basic Computer Skills
MS Excel II	Classroom	Monday, March 26 • 6:00 p.m.	Saturday, March 31 • 10:00 a.m.	Basic Computer Skills
MS Powerpoint	Classroom	Monday, April 9, • 6:00 p.m.	Saturday, April 14 • 10:00 a.m.	Basic MS Word Skills
Open Computer Lab	Classroom	Tuesday, January 31 • 6:00 p.m.	Tuesday, February 14 & 28	Practice what you're learning! Surf and explore!
Open Computer Lab	Classroom	Tuesday, March 20 • 6:00 p.m.	Tuesday, April 3 & 17	Practice what you're learning! Surf and explore!

Show Me How Series...

Show Me How...Intro to Beading

Saturday, February 25 • 1:00 p.m.

Dori from Bella's Beads in Mundelein will teach you all the essentials of making your own jewelry. Learn all the basics to get you started making your own creations today!

Show Me How... Paper Making

Saturday, March 31 • 2:00 p.m.

Raeanne from Handmade Specialties in Round Lake Park, will give a class on the basics of paper making, how to recycle your own paper and make it usable once more. Bring your own paper to recycle and go home with your own creation of beautiful paper.

Show Me How...Travel Planning

Thursday April 12 • 6:30 p.m.

Planning a trip? Or perhaps just planning to plan a trip? Learn tips and resources for trip planning from an avid traveler. Find out about different styles of traveling and what to do when your plan goes horribly wrong.

Stitch 'n Bitch (Fridays)

6:00–9:00 p.m.

January 6 & 20, February 3 & 17
March 2 & 16, April 20, May 4 & 18

Join us after hours and bring your knitting, crochet, cross-stitch and other crafts. This worldwide phenomenon is based on the nationally best selling book series *Stitch 'n Bitch* by Debbie Stoller. *Son of Stitch 'n Bitch* is the latest book in the SNB series, featuring 45 projects to knit & crochet for men. Whether you're knitting for a boyfriend or husband, or, if you're a male knitter yourself, *Son of Stitch 'n Bitch* has the boy-tested, boy-approved projects you've been looking for. Visit www.stichnbitch.org to view the booklist. Enjoy pie, coffee and conversation at the library while working on your project du jour.

Teen Craft Night

Wednesdays 6:00-8:00 p.m.

January 4 • Make a set of hand warmers
February 1 • Decorate a heart cookie
March 7 • Create a glass bead magnet
April 4 • Make a string bracelet
May 2 • Make a colored pencil vase
Registration is not required.



Downloadable audio and digital book service is available to all Round Lake Library cardholders. You can download bestselling audio books and other digital content directly from the library website. All you need to do is install the free reader software and then use your library card number to access all your favorite titles. You can listen on any Windows computing device, and transfer to a portable device, now including the Kindle. Titles automatically expire, so there are no last minute trips to the library or late fees. Plus, you can listen or read from the convenience of home, work or anywhere you take your portable device.

E-Book & Audio Book Download Workshops

Friday, January 6 • 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, January 14 • 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 24 • 10:00 a.m.

Register in the Adult Services Department.

Giving Readers A Voice Book Discussion Groups

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February 27, March 26, April 23

BOOK IT! Adult Book Discussion Group

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from 3:00-4:00 p.m.: January 10,
February 14, March 13, April 10, May 8



Romance Book Discussion Group

The group meets the first Wednesday of the month. Contact Maggie Rodriguez at (847) 546-7060 ext. 115, or at mrodriguez@rlalibrary.org.

Join us the following Wednesday mornings from 10:00-11:00 a.m. :

January 4, February 1, March 7
April 4, May 2



Favorite Authors

Round Lake Area Library cardholders can sign up for the Favorite Fiction Authors program and have the library automatically place reserves for you on new books by best-selling authors. This means you don't have to worry about keeping track of when your favorite authors have written a new book - we'll do that for you! We can't guarantee you'll be first on the list, but we can make sure you will be placed on reserve automatically. Please select up to 10 authors from the list of authors available at the Adult Services Reference Desk and submit your selections.

Sunday Sampler Performing Arts Series

The following programs will take place in the library's meeting room. Free Admission.

Comedy Magician & Mime Nick Paul

Sunday, January 29 • 2:00 p.m.

The whole family will laugh when comedy magician and mime Nick Paul takes the stage. This professional has been entertaining crowds of all ages from Navy Pier to New York to Orlando, Florida. Don't miss out on the fun!



The Classical Connoisseur

Sunday, February 19 • 2:00 p.m.

All you need is ears! Join the Classical Connoisseur on an ear-opening exploration of the magic of classical music. Awaken your sound palette to colors, textures, motion, imagery, and the shapes of time. Maestra Kim Diehnelt "conducts" listeners and a trio of live musicians on a journey where all you need is ears! All ages are welcome.



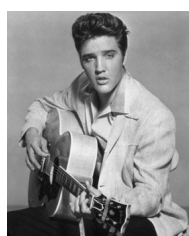
Cartier Collective

Sunday, April 22 • 2:00 p.m.

You'll see the music and hear the dance when one of Chicago's finest rhythm dance ensembles performs here. Beyond tap dance, the Cartier Collective will amaze you with their repertoire of exciting movement and sound. All ages are welcome.



Friday Night Out Elvis: the Actor and the Icon



Friday, January 13

7:00 -8:30 p.m.

January is the King's birthday month. Celebrate with cake and fascinating film clips of the man who helped change the face of rock 'n' roll.

Library Meeting Room

Homebound Library Services

The Round Lake Area Public Library is committed to providing accessibility to library services to all residents of the library district. The library provides the following free homebound services to patrons living in the Round Lake Area Library District:

Free Book Pickup or Delivery:

Free pickup or delivery of library materials is available to anyone who is homebound due to a permanent or temporary physical condition. Book delivery services are also available to senior citizens living in group homes in the Round Lake Area Public Library District. Call Robert Krause, Adult Services Department, for additional information at (847) 546-7060 ext. 121.

Telephone Access

You may call the library to ask reference questions, request materials and renew library items without coming to the library. Tel: (847) 546-7060, prompt 4.

On-line Catalog:

If you have Internet access at home, you can access the library's on-line catalog to search for materials.

Website: www.rlalibrary.org

Call the Adult Services Reference Desk for assistance at (847) 546-7060, prompt 4.

Teen Fun!

Animé Club (Drop-in Saturdays)

January 7, February 4, March 3, May 5
1:00-4:30 p.m. (Meeting Room)

Join other teens in watching and discussing new and classic Animé from Japan. Light refreshments will be served. Other activities include light volunteering and some field trips.

Gaming Club (Drop-in Saturdays)

January 21, March 17, April 21, May 19
1:00-4:30 p.m. (Meeting Room)

Enjoy both videogames and board games at the Gaming Club. Xbox and PlayStation 2 games will be played, as well as any console and board game brought in by members. Light refreshments will be served.

Gaming Collection

View the gaming collection in the Teen Zone of the library. Games are available for check out!

Teen Coordinator: Israel Mateos
(847)546-7060, ext. 114 or e-mail
imateos@rlalibrary.org

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Todos los programas de la biblioteca son gratuitos.

Serie de Turismo en Inglés • 2:00 p.m.
Minnesota: Sábado, 11 de febrero
El Caribe: Sábado, 10 de marzo
Lake County: Sábado, 28 de abril
No se requiere inscripción.

Elvis: El Actor y el Ícono
Viernes, 13 de enero • 7:00-8:30 p.m.
No se requiere inscripción.

Mago, Cómico y Mimo Nick Paul
Domingo, 29 de enero • 2:00 p.m.
No se requiere inscripción.

Presentación de Música Clásica con la Maestra Kim Diehnelt
Domingo, 19 de febrero • 2:00 p.m.
No se requiere inscripción.

Grupo de Baile Rítmico/Cartier Collective
Domingo, 22 de abril • 2:00 p.m.
No se requiere inscripción.

Club S N B / Club de Manualidades
Los siguientes viernes: 6 & 20 enero, 3 & 17 febrero, 2 & 16 marzo, 20 abril, 4 & 18 mayo • 6:00-9:00 p.m.
Acompáñenos los viernes y traiga sus tejidos de punta y de gancho, proyectos para bordar, y otras manualidades. Disfrute de un cafecito, pay, conversación y espacio en la biblioteca para trabajar en su proyecto. El nombre del grupo representa una serie de libros (Stitch 'n Bitch) por la autora Debbie Stoller. disponibles en la biblioteca. www.stitchnbitch.org.
Salón de Reuniones de la biblioteca ¡Bienvenidos los hombres que también hacen manualidades!

Enséñame Como...Hacer Joyería de Cuentas y Abalorios
Sábado, 25 de febrero • 1:00 p.m.

Enséñame Como...Hacer Papel
Sábado, 31 de marzo • 2:00 p.m.

Enséñame Como...Planear un Viaje
Jueves, 12 de abril • 6:30 p.m.



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Elena Lara, Gerente Relaciones Públicas y Servicios Comunitarios
(847) 546-7060, ext. 122
elara@rllibrary.org

Community Outreach

See You Around Town!

More Info: Outreach Services Department (847) 546-7060, ext. 122 elara@rllibrary.org

March 31, 2012	Chamberfest/Expo	RLA Chamber of Commerce @ Park District Sports Center
April 14, 2012	Mano a Mano Gala	RLB Cultural & Civic Center
May 6, 2012	El Día de los Niños / Children's Day	RLB Cultural & Civic Center
May 28, 2012	Memorial Day Parade	RLA Chamber of Commerce
To Be Determined	National Author Visit	RLB Cultural & Civic Center
Visit the library's Community Partners Page at www.rllibrary.org for event updates. Click on the Community Outreach Tab.		

Community Partner

party ideas
Round Lake Area Park District
814 Hart Road, Round Lake IL, 60073 (847) 546-8558 www.rlapd.org

- Children's Neighborhood Museum**
Imagine a tot-sized town where kids can explore, imagine and create using their minds and bodies. Our unique play zone is for children 1-6 years of age with an emphasis on early childhood development. Call Peggy Johnson at (847) 546-8558.
- Traveling Theatre Production**
If your group is not able to make it to one of our on-site performances, we'll bring the show right to you. Our Neighborhood Players come complete with costumes and props. For details, visit our website or call Christi Nicholson at (847) 546-8558.
- Indoor Sports Center**
Our Sports Center is a great place to host parties for all occasions and ages. Each includes one hour on one of the sport surfaces. Activity choices include soccer, football, basketball, volleyball, and even a climbing wall. For details visit our website or call (847)-740-1111.

Round Lake Area Park District • 814 Hart Road, Round Lake, IL 60073 (847) 546-8558 www.rlapd.org

Round Lake Police Crime Prevention Outreach & Puppet Program for Youth

The Round Lake Area Public Library and the Round Lake Police Department will be presenting youth safety programs in the library. We'll keep you informed about upcoming dates. If you would like more information on how you can request a puppet show for your school or youth group, call the Round Lake Police Department (847) 546-8112.



**Mano a Mano Family Resource Center Partnership Programs**

These programs take place in the library's meeting room.

Spanish GED Classes Register with Mano a Mano (847) 201-1521.

Bilingual Early Learning Club Presented by Mano a Mano and United Way. Register with Carla Rosales (847) 201-1521.

Asthma: Symptoms & Prevention (In Spanish)

Thursday, March 8 • 6:00 p.m.
Presented by Mano a Mano. Walk-ins are welcome! Call Olinda Duque at (847) 201-1521.

Spanish Seminar (Subject TBA)

Thursday, May 24 • 5:30 p.m.
Presented by Mano a Mano Family Resources Center. Walk-ins are welcome! Call Rafael Garcia at (847) 201-1521.

Citizenship Program
In partnership with
the Round Lake Area Public Library

The library hosts free citizenship preparation classes on **Tuesdays**. Childcare is not available. Meeting Room 5:30 p.mRegistration & Information 6:00 p.mCitizenship Class

Additional citizenship classes, free legal consults and daily N-400 application assistance (by appointment) is available at Mano a Mano. Call (847) 201-1522.

New Americans Initiative (NAI)
Free Citizenship Workshop

Spring date to be announced
Drop in 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Library's Meeting Room
This workshop is hosted by the library and presented by HACES, Inc. It provides free assistance with the application process and free legal counsel to qualified permanent residents. For more information, visit the NAI website www.becomeacitizennow.org, or call (847) 244-0300. or 1 (877) 792-1500.



A Project of the Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights
In Conjunction with the Illinois Department of Human Services.

Homebound Delivery Service

See page 7.

Rosalind Franklin University Health System Community Care Connection / Health Van

Thursdays: January 19, February 23
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

This mobile health van (formerly the Carecoach) will be at the library to provide **FREE** health screenings such as blood pressure, blood sugar/diabetes, cholesterol, BMI (body mass index), and waist measurements. No appointment necessary. For a complete schedule visit their website at www.rfuhealthsystem.com or call (847) 578-8670.

Foster Care Information

Thursday, February 23 • 6:00 p.m.
Is there room in your heart and home? If so, please join Camelot Care Center for an informational meeting with no obligations. Meeting Room. (630) 773-1985 ext. 104

District 116

The library partners with the schools and its teachers to provide materials for special projects/assignments and/or special reference assistance to students. Teachers may contact Debbie Allen, Head of Youth Services at (847) 546-7060, ext. 129. Library staff is also available to promote literacy and library services at school events. Contact Elena Lara (847) 546-7060, ext. 122 for specialized needs.

Family Literacy Partners

The library partners with the College of Lake County and ChildServ of Lake County to provide a no-cost English as a Second Language (ESL) family literacy program to parents, while their children learn and develop pre-literacy skills through structured childcare activities. Call (847) 543-2317 or (847) 543-2591 to learn about this program and ESL tutor assistance.

CLC - Literacy Program & Tutor Services

Literacy Program for adults without a H.S. diploma; contact Laura Sherwood, Literacy Coordinator (847) 543-2327. Literacy— learn to read, write, & get help with math—with or without a H.S. diploma; Contact: Barbara Babb, Mgr. (Waukegan partner) (847) 623-2041.

AARP Driver Training Safety Program

Thursday, May 10 & Friday, May 11
9:15 a.m. – 1:15 p.m. @ the library
(Ages 50+) The library will host this program presented by the Round Lake Area Park District. Register with the Senior Center Coordinator at the Round Lake Area Park District. More info call (847) 546-8558.

**Programa de Ciudadanía**

En colaboración con Mano a Mano Family Resource Center le ofrecemos un programa de ciudadanía de calidad y sin costo. Las clases le ayudarán a prepararse y tener éxito en su entrevista y examen de ciudadanía.

Clase Gratuita en Inglés en la biblioteca (Salón de Reuniones)

Los martes • Inscripción 5:30 p.m. •
Clase 6:00 p.m.

Llame Servicios Comunitarios de la biblioteca (847) 546-7060, ext. 122

*****No habrá clase Dic. 20 y 27 en la biblioteca*****

Clases Gratuitas en Mano a Mano

Información de fechas/horarios y para inscribirse (847) 201-1522
Mano a Mano • 6 E. Main Street • Round Lake Park, IL

Consultas de Inmigración Gratuitas en Mano a Mano

Los lunes • 5:00-7:00 p.m. solamente con cita (847) 201-1522

Asistencia gratuita con la Aplicación / N-400 en Mano a Mano

Lunes a viernes solamente con cita (847) 201-1522



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Iniciativo Nuevos Americanos (NAI) Taller de Ciudadanía

Este taller le ayudará gratuitamente con el proceso de llenar la aplicación, y asesoría jurídica gratuita.

Se anunciará la fecha en primavera 9:30 a.m. hasta 12:30 p.m.

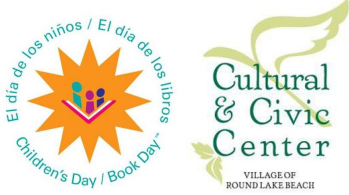
Biblioteca Pública de Round Lake
Salón de Reuniones
El taller es presentado por HACES, Inc., una organización de NAI. Se atenderá sin cita. Para mas información, ver más fechas y horarios, visite la página de Internet www.becomeacitizennow.org, llame HACES, Inc. (847) 244-0300, o 1 (877) 792-1500.

Servicios Hispanos y Comunitarios

Anote la Fecha!

Evento Presentado por la Biblioteca
El Día de los Niños/ El Día de los Libros

Domingo, 6 de mayo • 2:00 p.m.



DONDE?

Village of Round Lake Beach
Cultural & Civic Center
2007 Municipal Way
Round Lake Beach, IL
(por Hook Drive detrás de
Regal Cinemas)

Se anunciarán los detalles y la fecha de
entrega de boletos gratis

**PRESENTADO POR LA
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ÁREA DE ROUND LAKE**

Programas en Colaboración con Mano a Mano en la biblioteca

Programa de Ciudadanía—ver Pagina 8

GED Clases en Español

Los lunes y martes • 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Para más formación llame a Olinda Duque
al (847) 201-1522.

Club de Aprendizaje Temprano

Programa bilingüe en colaboración con
United Way del Condado de Lake. Ayude a
su hijo prepararse para la escuela. Llame a
Carla Rosales (847) 201-1522.

Asma Síntomas y Prevención en Español Jueves, 8 de marzo • 6:00 p.m. Habrá cuidado de niños

Para más formación llame a Olinda Duque
al (847) 201-1522.

Seminario en Español

Jueves, 24 de mayo • 5:30 p.m. Habrá
cuidado de niños

Para más formación llame a Rafael Garcia
al (847) 201-1522.

Campaña de Intercambio de Comida Enlatada por Sus Multas de Biblioteca

Durante la Semana Nacional de Bibliotecas (4-14 de abril 2012) se les perdonará multas de retraso hasta \$25. Cada lata es \$1 de reducción. Este programa es solo para los usuarios con tarjeta de la biblioteca de Round Lake. Mas detalles porvenir.

Recursos Para Aprender Inglés

La biblioteca tiene una colección de materiales para aprender inglés y también información sobre clases en el área de Round Lake. Pregunte por el curso de computación (Rosetta Stone) para aprender Inglés y Español aquí dentro de la biblioteca.

Programa de Alfabetización en Familia del College of Lake County en la biblioteca

Este programa permite que padres y niños menores de 5 años se unan con un propósito educativo. Para más información llame (847) 543-2591 o (847) 543-2578.

Servicio de Tutor del College of Lake County (CLC)

Para ayudarlo a mejorar su Inglés, llame (847) 543-2591. Para pedir servicio de tutoría para ayudarlo aprender a leer y escribir, y con matemáticas, llame (847) 543-2327. Se atienden a todos los niveles aunque no haya terminado la primaria/segundaria.

Sesión de Información (en Inglés): Padres de Crianza • Jueves, 23 de febrero 6:00 p.m.

¿Hay lugar en su casa y corazón? Si contesto si, acompañenos para una sesión de información sin obligación. Más información en (630) 773-1985, ext. 104.

AARP Driver Safety Training (50+ años) (En INGLÉS)

Jueves 10 & Viernes 11 de mayo
9:15 a.m. a 1:15 p.m.

Presentado por el Distrito de Parques de Round Lake, este programa le ayudará a mejorar sus habilidades para manejar y aprenderá sobre el manejo defensivo. Se puede inscribir en el Centro Comunitario para personas 50+ de edad, ubicado en el edificio del Distrito de Parques o llame (847) 546-8558.

Campaña Comunitaria Para Donar Sangre

Martes, 17 de enero • Martes, 13 de marzo • Martes, 15 de mayo

Se pide donaciones de sangre para ayudar durante situaciones de emergencia y para las personas que tienen enfermedades graves. Es recomendable hacer su cita llamando a (847) 546-7060, oprima 4. Pregunte por los incentivos para donantes, incluyendo la reducción de multas bibliotecarias hasta \$25 para usted o un familiar. Las citas son preferidas para evitar una espera larga, pero todos serán bienvenidos.

Community Care Connection (Anteriormente CareCoach)

Unidad Móvil de Salud Visitará la Biblioteca

Los jueves: 19 de enero, y 23 de febrero
10:00 a.m. a 1:00 p.m.

Evaluaciones de salud **GRATUITOS:**

- Presión Arterial
- Azúcar en la Sangre / Diabetes
- Colesterol
- Índice de Masa Corporal (IMC/BMI)
- Medidas de Cintura
- No se requiere cita
- Ultimo paciente 12:45 p.m. si aún queda espacio disponible.
- Se atenderán a todas las edades.

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Unión Latina 1220 WKRS-AM

Programa Radial Sábados
de 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Participe llamando (847) 244-1220

www.unionlatina1220.com

Sintonice en vivo por Internet en
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Jose Rodriguez, Conductor de Programa

y Elena Lara, invitada presentando
información de la biblioteca

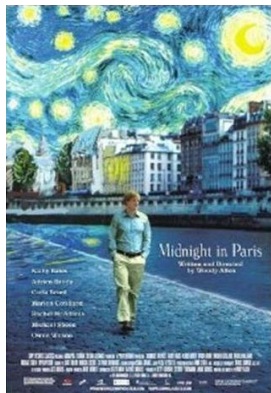
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Thursdays at 6:00 p.m.—You may bring your own beverage and snacks. We'll provide the popcorn!
 Movies are shown on a large screen in the Meeting Room. Drop-in!



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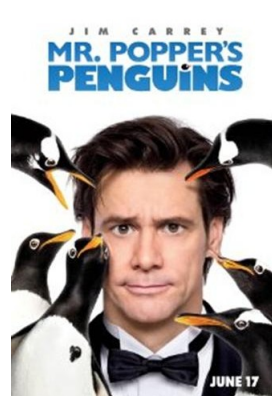
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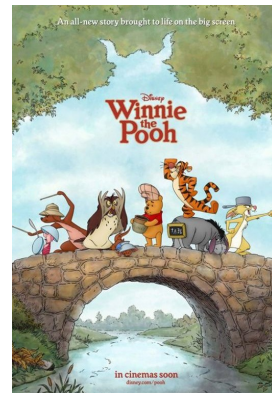
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Monday–Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Friday–Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

2012 BOARD MEETINGS

The Library Trustees will meet on the following
Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.
January 25, February 22,
March 28, April 25, May 23
The public is welcome to attend.

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LIBRARY CLOSED

December 24, 25, 31 – Holiday
January 1 – Holiday
April 8 – Holiday
May 28 – Holiday

MISSION STATEMENT

The Round Lake Area Public Library provides current information, formal education support, independent learning opportunities and life enrichment materials to a highly diverse public in a warm and welcoming atmosphere through a highly trained team of individuals committed to quality service, who will nurture a love for reading and learning.

...promoting life-long learning

...promoviendo el aprendizaje en todas las etapas de la vida

We ♥ Volunteers!

Are you interested in donating your time? Do you want to give something back to your community, enjoy the satisfaction of helping others, or need to complete a community service requirement for school? Visit the Support Your Library page at www.rlalibrary.org and download a volunteer application, or pick one up at the Circulation Desk. Contact: Edith Basir, Volunteer Coordinator (847) 546-7060, ext. 110 or ebasir@rlalibrary.org.

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WRLR 98.3 FM
Round Lake Heights, IL

The stations' format is extremely eclectic, as the station is completely administered and staffed by volunteers, including the on-air personalities.

Staff from the Round Lake Area Public Library and other community organizations are heard regularly on the station. "It's a great way to promote your organization and reach out to the community," said Elena Lara, WRLR Board Member and library representative.

Tune in to the station live Audio Stream via your Windows Media Player by visiting www.wrlr.fm and clicking on the On-Air Audio Stream link. You might even hear a familiar voice from your community! Explore the station's program grid on-line. WRLR is a community radio station. Now video streaming live worldwide!

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