



Fox River Valley Libraries

Dundee Library • Randall Oaks Library

SUMMER 2025 NEWSLETTER



**LEVEL
UP**

AT YOUR LIBRARY

Summer Reading Challenge

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Juneteenth

June 19

Independence Day

July 4

Late Opening (1 p.m.)

July 18

Labor Day

September 1

Library hours and closings may change. For the most current updates, please visit www.frvpld.info.

DUNDEE LIBRARY

555 Barrington Ave. (Rt. 68)
East Dundee, IL 60118
(accessible via Pace Route 803)

Monday – Thursday:

9 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Friday & Saturday

9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday

1 – 5 p.m.

RANDALL OAKS LIBRARY

500 N. Randall Road
West Dundee, IL 60118
(accessible via Pace Route 550)

Monday – Thursday

9 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Friday & Saturday

9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday

1 – 5 p.m.

24-HOUR DROP BOXES

Dundee Library Driveway
Randall Oaks Library Driveway
Gilberts Village Hall Parking Lot
87 Galligan Rd, Gilberts, IL 60136

PHONE

(847) 428-3661

Phone access to your account:

(847) 590-8706

BOARD MEETINGS

Meetings are normally held in the Dundee Library's Meeting Room (Lower Level) on the third Tuesday of the month, starting at 7 pm. The Board is elected by the taxpayers to serve in a volunteer capacity. Meetings are open to the public.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Kristina Weber, Ph.D., President
Chris Evans, Secretary
Tara Finn, Treasurer
Maryann Dellamaria
Matthew Goyke
Paula Lauer
Dan Wisniewski
Heather Zabski, Interim Director

LETTER FROM THE BOARD PRESIDENT

Summer has arrived, and we couldn't be more excited! This season brings warmth, energy, and endless opportunities for adventure at the Library. One of the highlights of the season is our ever-popular Summer Reading Challenge, and this year's theme is "Level Up at Your Library!"

From classic board games to fun outdoor activities and the always-popular video games, we're celebrating Gaming Fun in all its forms. Prepare to power up your imagination, explore new worlds, and take on exciting reading challenges. Whether you're diving into a new book, joining one of our interactive events, or discovering something new, the Library is the perfect place to level up this summer!

But that's not all—we have exciting news to share! The Fox River Valley Public Library District is thrilled to announce the appointment of Kristi Howe as our new Executive Director. After an extensive search, Howe was selected for her strong leadership in library management, advocacy, and fiscal responsibility. With experience in Illinois, Wisconsin, and Indiana, she brings a wealth of knowledge and dedication to our community.

Howe officially begins her role on May 19, and we look forward to the vision and expertise she will bring to the Library District. The Board of Trustees is confident in her leadership and excited to work together to advance the Library's initiatives.

So, as we kick off another fantastic summer, we invite you to join us for a season filled with reading, gaming, and community fun. Let's make this summer the best one yet!

See you at the Library!

Kristina Weber

Kristina Weber, Ph.D.
Board President



LEVEL UP AT YOUR LIBRARY

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

Kick-Off Party to launch the Summer Reading Challenge

Monday, June 2 • 6-8 p.m.

Randall Oaks Park Front Shelter (by the zoo), 1180 N Randall Rd, West Dundee, IL
Gamers, book lovers, and adventure seekers of all ages—get ready to begin your reading quest with an evening packed with bonus content, including:

- Music to set the perfect game soundtrack
- Craft Stations for creative side quests
- Kona Ice to help you recharge
- Raffle Prizes for lucky winners to score epic loot

Press Start on Your Summer Adventure

Sign Up Today for the Summer Reading Challenge!

Join us at Fox River Valley Public Library for an epic Summer Reading Challenge where YOU are the main character! This year's theme is "Level Up at Your Library", so grab your reading gear, power up your imagination, and get ready to embark on a page-turning quest like never before.

Will you grind through thrilling stories, complete side quests in our programs, or explore hidden treasure troves of digital resources? However you play, our GAME BOARD-style format makes tracking your progress a breeze—log your progress through Beanstack or pick up a paper quest log at any library branch.

Early access unlocks May 1 – The challenge officially begins June 1!

Game Over: July 31 – Make sure to log all your reading levels before time runs out to claim your well-earned loot! Ready to press start? Join the adventure today!

Enrolling is easy:

Online: Visit frvpld.beanstack.org on your computer to create an account for your entire family or yourself individually. If you're already a Beanstack user, log in and sign up for the new challenge.

In-person: Stop by the Fox River Valley Library Dundee Branch or the Randall Oaks Branch to sign up and receive a paper reading log.

On-the-go: Keep the challenge at your fingertips by downloading the Beanstack mobile app for your Apple or Android device.

Gear up for an EPIC adventure in our Summer Reading Challenge! Level up your imagination, conquer reading quests, and unlock rewards along the way. Are you ready to join the game? Let the journey begin! For more info, visit www.frvpld.info.



Look for this graphic to find all your Library Gaming events and activities this summer

Pool Party Celebration

Sunday, August 3 • 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Dolphin Cove Family Aquatic Center

300 N Kennedy Dr., Carpentersville, IL 60110

As the Summer Reading Challenge enters the final round, we're unlocking the ultimate bonus level—a splash-tastic pool party for all who beat the challenge! The quest ends July 31, and all players who complete the mission earn a victory pool ticket, available at the Dundee Library or Randall Oaks Library. Game on!



SUMMER STORYTIMES

SESSION 1
JUNE 2 to 26

SESSION 2
JULY 7 to 31

Storytime with Ms. Lisa at Randall Oaks (NR)

Mondays, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Randall Oaks

Enjoy books, songs, flannel stories, dancing, and bubbles while learning some early literacy tips with Ms. Lisa. This event is open to all ages, but it is best for 2-6.

Tuesday Tales (NR)

Tuesdays, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Dundee

Drop in for stories, songs, rhymes, and more! This storytime is great for the whole family.

Keep the fun going by joining us immediately afterward for a storytime-related craft.

Hello Baby! (NR)

Wednesdays, 9:30 to 10 a.m.

Dundee

Join us for a storytime geared towards our littlest patrons! This lap-sit storytime will focus on singing, rhymes, and parent interaction to help develop early literacy skills. Storytime will run for approximately 10-15 minutes, with a short baby playtime afterwards. Ages 0-24 months with a caregiver; siblings are welcome.

Storytime with Miss Rachel at Randall Oaks (NR)

Thursdays, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Randall Oaks

Enjoy books, songs, flannel stories, dancing, and bubbles while learning early literacy tips with Miss Rachel. All ages, but best for 2-6.

BBY & TODDLER



Fridays, 10 to 10:30 a.m. Dundee

Father's Day Baseball Hats

June 13

Super Mario Fire Flower

July 11

Rainbow Fish

August 8

You don't have to be a big kid to be an artist. Dress for a mess and create your own art project! Ages 1-3.



Fridays, June 27, July 25, August 29
10 to 10:45 a.m. Dundee

Come to Tot's Town for some fun and play. No registration required. Ages 1-3 with caregiver.

Baby Playdate (NR)

Wed., July 2, Aug. 6

9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Dundee

Come and have some fun with your babies! Drop in and go when you want or need to; no registration required. Ages 0-24 months.

PRESCHOOL

Little Scientist

Take Home Kit (NR)

First day of the month

New Lab every month! Activities based on Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math that are best for ages 2-4. Available while supplies last at the Dundee and Randall Oaks Libraries.

Music & Movement (NR)

Thursdays, June 12, July 17, August 21

11:30 a.m. to noon *Dundee*

Need to get your wiggles out? Join us for an active musical program where we'll dance, sing, explore instruments, and more! Ages 2-6 with caregiver.



Teddy Bear Sleepover (R)

Mon., June 16 • 6 to 6:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Bring your favorite teddy bear or stuffed animal to a special pajama party and leave them at the library overnight. Pick up your animal the next day and discover what they did during their sleepover! Ages 3-6 with caregiver.



Foodie Kids Jr. (R)

Thursdays, 11:30 a.m. to noon *Dundee*

Go and Get with Rex

June 26

Flat Cat

July 24

How to Get Your Octopus to School

August 28

It's Foodie Kids but for the little ones. Make a food item related to a book or book character. Ages 3-6 with caregiver.



Shark Party (R)

Mon., July 7

11:30 a.m. to noon *Dundee*

Celebrate Shark Week at the library! We'll have different games and activities, all about sharks. Ages 2-6 with caregiver.

Preschool Bingo (R)

Mon., July 21 • 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Play a variety of bingo games geared towards preschoolers. Small prizes will be awarded. Ages 3-6.

1001 Books Before Kindergarten Graduation Party (R)

Wed., July 30 • 6 to 6:45 p.m. *Dundee*

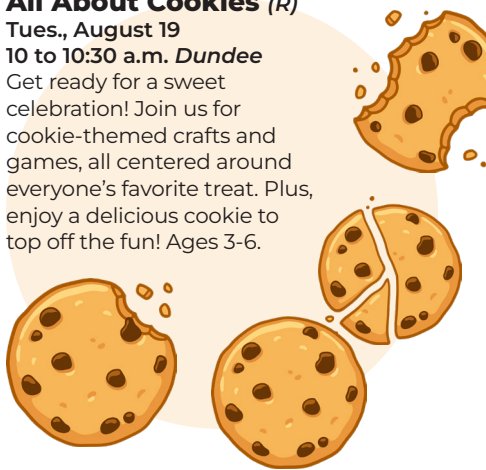
Did you complete your 1001 Books Before Kindergarten reading challenge? Celebrate by joining us for a graduation ceremony and party afterward! Ages 1-5 with caregiver.

All About Cookies (R)

Tues., August 19

10 to 10:30 a.m. *Dundee*

Get ready for a sweet celebration! Join us for cookie-themed crafts and games, all centered around everyone's favorite treat. Plus, enjoy a delicious cookie to top off the fun! Ages 3-6.



ELEMENTARY

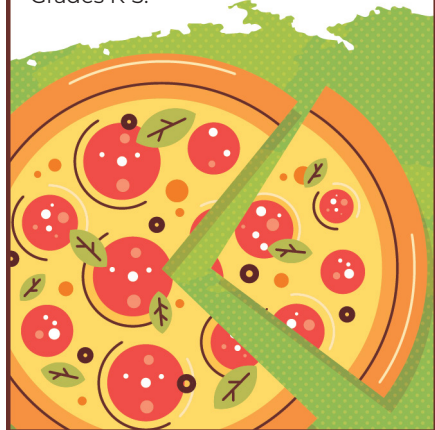
PIZZA PARLOR PARTY

Wed., June 4 • 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Welcome to the Pizza Parlor!

Play pizza games and make your own mini pizza to bake at home.

Grades K-3.



LEGO Club (NR)

Mondays, June 9, July 14, August 11

4:30 to 5:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Love to build? Obsessed with LEGOs? Join us at the Library to build with other LEGO lovers! We'll have opportunities for challenges and free build time. Your LEGO creations must stay at the Library, but staff will be available to document them with photos. Grades K-8.

SLEUTH

SOCIETY (R)

A red background featuring a magnifying glass, a notebook with a pen, and a black fedora hat. The text 'SLEUTH SOCIETY (R)' is written in white, bold, sans-serif font. The magnifying glass is positioned to the left of the notebook, and the fedora hat is to the right of the notebook.

Thurs., June 12
3 to 3:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Solve puzzles, crack secret codes and follow a series of clues to unravel the mystery in this fun program for aspiring detectives. Grades 3-5.

Foodie Kids (R)

Wednesdays • 3:30 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Chicken Wrap

June 18

Chicago-Style Dogs

July 16

Croissant Sandwich

August 20

Kids take over the kitchen in this hands-on snack-making workshop. We make different delicious snacks every month!

Grades K-3.

A blue and white puzzle with a large section missing, revealing a white background. The puzzle pieces are interlocking and have a blue border.

Design Your Own Puzzle (R)

Thurs., July 10
4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Get creative with our DIY puzzle challenge! We'll provide blank, pre-cut puzzles—you bring the inspiration! Design your own masterpiece, then swap with a friend to see if they can solve it. At the end of the program, you'll take home your unique creation. We'll be using permanent markers, so get ready for bold and vibrant designs! Grades 3-5.

DIY Kaleidoscope (R)

Wed., July 23 • 3 to 3:45 p.m. *Dundee*

DIY Kaleidoscope! Dive into a world of color and creativity as you craft your own mesmerizing kaleidoscope. Explore light, symmetry, and dazzling patterns in this fun hands-on activity! Grades K-3, with caregiver.

Exploring Art with Tape & Watercolors (R)

Fri., Aug. 1 • 3 to 3:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Let's get painting! Use your imagination and painting skills to create an art project using tape and watercolors. Grades K-3, with caregiver.

I SPY – In Real Life! (R)

Wed., Aug. 6 • 4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Race against the clock to find hidden objects in this three-dimensional version of the beloved series. Finishers will win a small prize. Grades 3-5.

TWEEN *Grades 4-6*

Tween Nights (NR)

Wednesdays, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*
June 11

Paint a mini ceramic figure, play giant bingo and enjoy some ice cream!

July 9

Paint a mini canvas, play giant Jenga and snack on some mini sandwiches!

Aug. 6

Decorate a claw clip or sunglasses, play giant tic-tac-toe and eat a fruit kabob!

Make Your Own Optical Illusion (R)

Fri., June 20 • 3 to 4:15 p.m. *Dundee*

Make art that moves! Create a cool Agamograph—art that changes as you shift your view.

TEENS

Teen Hang Out

Thursdays: June 5, 12, 26;

July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Hang out in Corner 68 this summer!

Play games, watch anime, enjoy snacks, and get creative with our craft supplies. Bring your friends!

Pixel Art (R)

Fri., June 13, July 11 • 2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Use Perler beads to turn pixel art into keychains, charms, or mini figures.

Teen Mental Health

Conversation Group (R)

**Tuesdays: June 24, July 8, and July 22
1 to 2 p.m. *Dundee***

Join your peers in a monthly conversation group about mental health. We'll have an expert here to help facilitate a low-pressure, judgment-free zone so teens can talk about anything and everything. It's time to get into your mental health era!



Thursdays, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. *Dundee*

June 26 : Tie-Dye Bucket Hat

July 31: Embroidered Tote

Aug. 28: Acrylic Bookmark

Get creative and chill out in our new monthly pop-up makerspace. Different projects every month.

Beginner Acrylic Painting: Sunset Vibes (R)

Tues., July 1 • 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Paint a stunning colorful sunset together! Grades 4-6 with caregiver can join us for a fun, step-by-step painting session.

Tween Videogaming (R)

Thurs., July 17 • 3 to 5 p.m. *Dundee*

Join us for an afternoon of gaming! Play Super Smash Bros. Ultimate or Gang Beasts on our big screen. Drop in or register for reminder emails.

Sew a Dice Bag (R)

Pick the session that works best for you—same program, multiple dates!

**Mon., June 16 • 2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*
(teen only)**

**Wed., July 16 • 2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*
(teen only)**

**Mon., Aug 25 • 6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*
(teens & adults welcome)**

Learn to sew a 4-pocket drawstring bag—perfect for dice or small items! Teens will work in pairs and use a sewing machine to cut, pin, press, and stitch their creations.

Teen Retro Gaming (R)

Mon., June 30 • 6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Tues., July 22 • 6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Play some old-school favorites on the Wii U, PS3, and more.

Back to School Notebooks (R)

Fri., Aug. 1 • 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

Personalize notebooks and show your school spirit with colorful decals and stickers.

Grab & GO CRAFT KITS

Pixelated Fox (NR)

June 1 to June 30 *Dundee*

Create a pixelated-looking fox using pompoms to celebrate our 2025 Summer Reading Challenge theme, Level Up! Supplies are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Weekly Shrink Charms (NR)

**Mondays: June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;
July 7, 14, 21, 28**

Dundee & Randall Oaks

Add some charm to your summer—and your keychain! Starting June 2, pick up a weekly take-home craft kit (ages 12+). Make fun shrink film charms inspired by our 2025 Summer Reading Challenge. New design each week, while supplies last!

FAMILY (All Ages)

Cuentos y Stories Bilingual Storytime (NR)

Tues., June 10 & July 8

6 to 6:30 p.m. Dundee

Welcome friends! Join us for stories, songs, and other fun activities in English and Spanish. Come with your family and enjoy this bilingual storytime.

¡Bienvenidos amigos! ¡Acompáñenos a la diversión! Leeremos cuentos, cantaremos canciones, e otras actividades divertidas, en inglés y español. Vengan con su familia y disfruten de la hora de cuentos bilingüe.

Donuts with Grown-Ups Storytime (NR)

Sat., June 21 & July 19

10 to 10:45 a.m. Dundee

Come for stories and songs, stay for donuts! Content is geared towards ages 2-8 but all ages are welcome. No registration required.



LEGO Derby (R)

Mon., June 23 • 6 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Do you have what it takes to build the best LEGO car? Build and race your creation for a chance to win a small prize.

Rainbow Storytime (R)

Tues., June 24 • 6 to 6:45 p.m. Dundee

Join us for an all-ages story time celebrating inclusion, diversity and positivity followed by a craft and rainbow treats!



Wed., June 25

6 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Bring the whole family for a night of fun on the library's front lawn! Have a treat and try your luck at games for all ages.

Drive-In: Sonic Boom (R) (R)

Tues., July 1 • 10 to 10:45 a.m. Dundee

We will decorate a cardboard box and watch an episode of Sonic Boom. Fruit snacks will be given out as a treat. All ages.

Shark Week Take-Home Kit (NR)

Starting Sunday, July 6 Dundee

While supplies last!

Dive into Shark Week with a fun take-home kit. Head to the Dundee and Randall Oaks Libraries to grab your kit, packed with exciting shark-themed activities. Perfect for kids in grades K-8!



El Mago Magic Show (R)

Sat., July 12 • 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Dundee

Have a magical experience at the library with El Mago's bilingual magic show!

¡Acompáñenos para una noche mágica en la biblioteca para un espectáculo de magia bilingüe!

8-Bit Party (R) 🟩

Tues., July 29 Dundee

Session 1: 3 to 4 p.m.

Session 2: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Session 3: 6 to 7 p.m.

Ready to power up your family game night? Be your own game piece in this life-size twist on a classic video game! Team up in groups of four, move through the board, tackle fun mini-games, and collect points for a shot at some awesome prizes. Bonus: everyone walks away with a sweet power-up treat!

- Registration required
- For families & all ages
- Game on! A quick training level kicks things off—don't be late to the start!

Family STEM Night (R)

Tues., Aug. 5 • 6 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Get your kids excited about the school year with Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math experiments and activities. Check out each station for some problem-solving fun.

Meet our Adoptable Pets with Hoof Woof & Meow (NR)

Sat., Aug. 2 • 11 to 1 p.m. Dundee

Meet wonderful dogs or cats from Hoof Woof & Meow and possibly find a new addition to your family. Kids can sign up to share a story with the available pets!



BOOK CLUBS

Gather with fellow book lovers to discuss, debate, and dive deeper into a new book each month. For all book clubs, physical copies (including Large Print when available) are set aside four weeks in advance and can be picked up at the Dundee Library Information Desk. eBooks, and eAudiobooks are often available, so be sure to check our ebook collection.

Book Club at the Adult

Activities Center (NR)

Dundee Park District Adult
Activities Center

665 Barrington Ave.
Carpentersville, IL 60110

The Benevolent Society of Ill-Mannered Ladies

by Alison Goodman

Wed., June 4 • 10 a.m.

The Briar Club

by Kate Quinn

Wed., July 2 • 10 a.m.

All In: An Autobiography

by Billie Jean King

Wed., Aug. 6 • 10 a.m.

Dundee Library Book Club (NR)

How to Age Gracefully

by Clare Pooley

Wed., June 18 • 2 p.m. & 7 p.m. Dundee

*This session meets a week earlier than
our usual date.*

The Berry Pickers

by Amanda Peters

Wed., July 30 • 2 p.m. & 7 p.m. Dundee

*Husbands & Lovers**

by Beatriz Williams

Wed., Aug. 27 • 2 p.m. & 7 p.m. Dundee

**The 7 p.m. session will be meeting
offsite for August. Please register
online for more details!*

Horror Book Club (R)

Jurassic Park

by Michael Crichton

Thurs., July 24 • 7 p.m. Dundee

The Lamb

by Lucy Rose

Thurs., Aug. 21 • 7 p.m. Dundee

TEEN BOOK CLUBS

*Register to receive updates and
reminder emails, or just drop in.*

Romantasy Book Club (R)

A Fragile Enchantment

by Allison Saft

Mon., June 23 • 7 p.m. Dundee

Hotel Magnifique

by Emily J. Taylor

Mon., July 21 • 7 p.m. Dundee

The Girl Who Fell Beneath the Sea

by Axie Oh

Mon., Aug. 18 • 7 p.m. Dundee


Graphic Novel Book Club (NR)

Wed., June 4, July 2, Aug. 6

6 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Do you love graphic novels, comics, or
manga? Want to discover great new
reads or just want to gush about your
favorites? Then join our new book club!
Teens can choose whatever they'd like
to read each month then share their
thoughts with other graphic novel lovers.





CAREER HELP

Resume Workshop
Tues., June 3, July 1, Aug. 5
10 a.m. to 12 p.m. *Dundee*

Drop-in Career Services
Tues., June 17, July 15, Aug. 19
10 a.m. to 12 p.m. *Dundee*
Meet one-on-one with a Career Coach from workNet Batavia's One Stop Team to discuss careers, job hunting, resumes, cover letters, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), and more.

An Evening with the Midwest Princess (R)

Thurs., June 5 • 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

It's Pride Month, so join us to celebrate Chappell Roan as she continues to take over the world. Enjoy the music of your favorite artist's favorite artist and have fun with related crafts.

The Mind-Body Connection (R)

Tues., June 10 • 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Join Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor Shira Greenfield to explore the fascinating link between your thoughts, emotions, and physical health.

Parenting Someone with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (R)

Wed., Aug. 13 • 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Join Lindsay Keisman, LCPC, for practical tips on managing ADHD at home and school. Learn how to build structure, support emotional regulation, and advocate for your child's needs.

These presentations are provided through a grant between the Dundee Township Mental Health Board and the Pivotal Counseling Center.



Adult Crochet & Knit Club (NR)


Thurs., June 12 • 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Love to crochet or knit? Join us for an evening of cozy crafting. Whether you're new to the craft or a seasoned pro, bring your own project to work on as we share project ideas, swap tips, and showcase any finished work! Some supplies will be available, like extra hooks, needles, and scrap yarn, but please bring your own supplies.

Senior Housing 101 (R)

Mon., June 16 • 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Rick Graffagna is the owner of Senior Solutions, a senior housing placement company. This educational program will provide information for seniors and their adult children on the following topics: what to consider when looking for senior housing, the different types of senior housing, how to find senior properties, and funding for senior housing.



**311 BARRINGTON AVE
EAST DUNDEE, IL 60118**

Fun and Games Trivia (R)

Tues., June 24 • 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Join Keri and Gene as they guide you on a fun-filled night of game-themed trivia. Round 1 will focus on classic board games. Round 2 will highlight TV game shows. We'll conclude with a round dedicated to video games. Press your luck and relive fun memories of Monopoly, Match Game, and Mario Kart. And No Whammies! Small prizes will be awarded.

Yacht Rock Trivia (R)

Tues., Aug. 26 • 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Whether you want to rock the boat or don't rock the boat, baby, Yacht Rock Trivia is cruising back into port to ease you into Labor Day weekend. Drop anchor with us at Black & Gray Brewing for one last round of Yacht Rock Trivia. No life jackets are required! Small prizes will be awarded.



Laughing Yoga (R)

Wed., June 25 · 7 to 8 p.m. Dundee

Let's laugh together through a series of easy yoga stretches. Cultivate a mindset of positive thinking and meet other individuals interested in living mindful and peaceful lives.

Please bring your yoga mat and wear comfortable clothes and shoes.

Drumming Circle (R)

Wed., July 23 · 7 to 8 p.m. Dundee

Immerse yourself in drumming vibrations and cultivate a mindset of love and community. Relax, have fun, and make new friends. Drums will be provided. No experience necessary.

You may also bring your own percussion (shakers, tambourine, bongos, etc).

Transformative Movements (R)

Wed., Aug. 27 · 7 to 8 p.m. Dundee

Learn gentle yet powerful movements that help calm your nervous system, increase the flow of your energy, and help you feel like your authentic self. Breathwork and movement will create physiological shifts of your entire body's system. Cultivate a mindset of positive thinking and meet other individuals interested in living mindful and peaceful lives. Dress in comfortable clothes and sneakers.



Discover your roots with the Library's online genealogy tools!

Use your Library card to access Ancestry.com, Heritage Hub, and Heritage Quest—all from home. Start exploring your family history today! Start researching at www.frvpld.info.

Let's Make a Movie (R)

Wed., July 16 · 7 to 8 p.m. Dundee

You don't need expensive equipment to make a movie! Using only your smartphone and your creativity, we'll break down all the basics, including storytelling, camera movement, light composition, and audio. Learn valuable hacks that will allow you to plan, shoot, and edit a short film.

Wooden Minecraft Flowers (R)

Thurs., July 17 · 6 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Experience a pixelated world by recreating Minecraft's flowers using wooden blocks. Bring the game's iconic blocky style to life as you craft your own 3D pixelated blooms, one cube at a time!

Puzzle Race (R)

Sat., July 19 · 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dundee

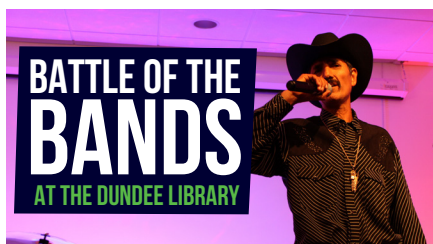
Get ready, get set, puzzle! Gather your team (no more than 4 people per group) and join us for a friendly puzzle race. The first team to finish a 500-count puzzle will be awarded a grand prize. Space is limited.

Escape Room with Mobile Adventure Company (R)

Sat., July 26 · 10 a.m. to noon Dundee

The Mobile Adventure Company will take over our parking lot for a day of puzzle-solving fun with a mobile escape room. Register your group for a time slot (15 min slots, max. 10 people per group) and put your friends and family to the test!

Limited group slots are available.



Battle of the Bands (R)

Sat., Aug. 16 · 2 to 4 p.m. Dundee

Whether you're a singer-songwriter, a band, or a hip hop artist, all are invited to compete for the title of Best Artist! You may perform up to two songs within a ten-minute set limit. A group of expert judges will award points to performers. There will be a first, second, and third place winner! All genres are welcome. Bring your fans!

Follow instructions on our events calendar page to submit.

RANDALL OAKS

YOUTH

Step into the Ultimate Mario Party! (R)

Tue., June 10 · 6 to 7 p.m.

Skip the board and console—play Mario Party Mini-Games in real life! Take on Shy Guy Says, Stomp the Goombas, Feed the Piranha Plant, and more! Bring your family and compete against others for the ultimate Super Star title!

Registration required for all participants.

Pixel Art: Video Games (R)

Tues., June 17 · 6 to 7 p.m.

One of your favorite Dundee programs is now available at Randall Oaks! Join us as we make fun video game characters out of Perler beads this time! Grades 3-8.

Crewmate and Imposter: In Real Life (R)

Wed., June 18 · 6 to 7 p.m.

Are you Sus? Even if you haven't played the game, learn how to play an in-person version of "Among Us" in the library. Can you remain undetected as the imposter or accomplishing puzzles while solving who did it? Grades 3-8 - Older siblings welcomed.

International Foodies: Ukrainian Snacks (R)

Wed., July 2 · 6 to 7 p.m.

Taste test different snacks from another country, this time snacks and treats from Ukraine! Grades 3-8.

Life Size Game Series (NR)

Mondays · 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

June 2: Giant Chutes and Ladders and/or Giant UNO

June 16: Giant Checkers and/or Giant Memory

Drop into Randall Oaks anytime between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. and play some life-sized games. Bring your family or friends or make some new ones while playing. All ages are welcome.

Fireworks Party! (R)

Thurs., July 3 · 10 to 10:45 a.m.

Celebrate the Fourth of July with a preschool party all about fireworks! We'll read a book, dance, do an activity or game, and finish off with dancing with bubbles. Ages 2-6 with caregiver.

The Legend of Randall Oaks (R)

Tues., July 15, 6 to 7 p.m.

Calling all Hyrule adventurers! Join us as we quest through the Randall Oaks Library to solve puzzles, "battle" monsters, and save the princess. Grades 3-8.

Sewing Studio:

Video Game Plush (R)

Tues., July 22, 6 to 7 p.m.

Learn how to sew and create a fun video game-themed plush. Grades 3-8.

Kindergarten, Here I Come! (R)

Mon., Aug. 4

10 to 10:45 a.m. or 4 to 4:45 p.m.

Are you starting Kindergarten this fall? Let's have a special program just for you to celebrate and remember some kindergarten skills before this exciting milestone! This program will be offered at two different times so all can attend. For the upcoming Kindergarten student and their caregiver.

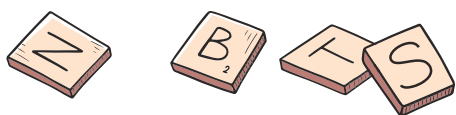


ADULTS

Artful Adventures: Scrabble Tile Canvas (R)

Tues., June 3 or Wed., June 4
6 to 7:15 p.m.

Get creative with a unique art project! Paint your own square canvas and add Scrabble tiles to make a personalized masterpiece. It's the perfect way to combine color and wordplay!



Puzzle Swap (NR)

Tues., June 24 · 6 to 7 p.m.

Calling all jigsaw puzzlers! Bring in gently used puzzles to swap with fellow puzzle enthusiasts! Come at 6; puzzle exchange rounds start at 6:15. After the exchange at 6:45, we will play BINGO for a chance to win brand-new puzzles. 500 piece minimum. Donated puzzles must be in good condition and their original box. No missing pieces, please. We welcome you to come even if you don't have a puzzle to trade.



COMPUTER CLASSES

Microsoft Excel 2019 Part 5: VLOOKUP, Index Match (R)

Tues., June 3 • 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Expand on the knowledge of formulas and functions gained in Part 4. Learn many ways VLOOKUP can be used and how to use Index and Match.

Intro to Tinkercad:

Coin Box (R)

Fri, Aug. 1

10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn the basics of Tinkercad, along with a few tips and tricks, as we build our own question block coin box!

GOOGLE PROGRAMS

Having a Google/Gmail account to log into will be beneficial for following along and completing activities independently. However, it is not required if you want to watch the class passively. Basic mouse and keyboarding skills are required.

Google Docs: The Basics (R)

Tues., July 1 • 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Intended for beginners, this hands-on class will introduce Google Docs and teach you how to create and edit text by building a basic resume from scratch.

Google Slides: The Basics (R)

Tues., July 8 • 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

This hands-on class teaches you how to make creative slide presentations for home and work.

Google Sheets

The Basics (R)

Tues., July 22 • 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Intended for beginners, this hands-on class will teach you how to create a basic budget using some of the most important tools in Google Sheets.

Tables, Named Ranges, and Pivot Tables (R)

Tues., Aug. 5 • 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

This hands-on class, intended for intermediate users, will teach the basics of using pivot tables in Google Sheets.

Intro Functions and Formulas (R)

Tues., Aug. 12 • 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

This hands-on class will teach the basics of using functions and formulas in Google Sheets.

Intro to VLOOKUP, Index Match (R)

Tues., Aug. 19 • 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

This hands-on class will teach the basics of building VLOOKUP functions in Google Sheets.



PROGRAMAS DE COMPUTADORA

Introducción a Computadoras – Lo Básico

Parte Uno (R)

Lunes, 23 de Junio • 6:30 a 8:30 p.m.

Descubra todo lo que necesita saber para usar una computadora.

Ninguna habilidad con la computadora es necesaria.

Parte Dos (R)

Lunes, 30 de Junio • 6:30 a 8:30 p.m.

Continuaremos descubriendo las herramientas para usar una computadora con confianza.

Requiera haber asistido a Parte Uno

Introducción a Computadoras – El Internet

Parte Uno (R)

Lunes, 14 de Julio • 6:30 a 8:30 p.m.

Descubra todo lo que involucra el uso del internet

Parte Dos (R)

Lunes, 21 de Junio • 6:30 a 8:30 p.m.

Descubra lo fundamental necesario para saber usar el Internet.

Mantenimiento De Sus Dispositivos (R)

Lunes, 4 de Agosto • 6:30 a 8:30 p.m.

Aprenda cómo mantener su dispositivo móvil funcionando eficientemente para mejorar la longevidad.

ESPAÑOL

¡ZUMBA! Con Lucía

**Lunes: 9 de junio, 7 de julio, 4 de agosto
6 a 7 p.m. Dundee**

Este verano, la Biblioteca de Dundee te invita a nuestras energizantes clases de Zumba® con instructora local, Lucía Figueora. Baila al ritmo de música latina e internacional mientras mejoras tu estado físico en un ambiente divertido y accesible para todos.

Cuentos y Stories

Bilingual Storytime (NR)

**Martes, 10 de junio y 8 de julio
6 to 6:30 p.m. Dundee**

¡Bienvenidos amigos! ¡Acompáñenos a la diversión! Leeremos cuentos, cantaremos canciones, e otras actividades divertidas, en inglés y español. Vengan con su familia y disfruten de la hora de cuentos bilingüe.

Grupo de Conversación en Inglés (R)

**Miércoles: 18 de junio, 9 de julio, y
20 de agosto · 7 a 8 p.m. Dundee**

Ven a practicar inglés para mejorar tu pronunciación y habilidades de conversación. Todos los niveles son bienvenidos. ¡Te esperamos!

Noche de Benito (R)

**Miércoles, 9 de Julio
6:30 a 7:30 p.m. Dundee**

Disfruten una noche ¡NoLVIDABLE con sus amigos mientras celebramos la gira de Bad Bunny, que comienza este fin de semana en PR. Estaremos escuchando el álbum DTMF y haremos pulseras de perlas y conchas para el verano. Habrá un lugar para tomar fotos para sus recuerdos y tendremos café, pero desafortunadamente el ron no estará presente.

Concurso Musical (R)

**Sábado, 16 de agosto
2 a 4 p.m. Dundee**

Si eres un cantante, una banda o un artista de hip hop, ¡todos están invitados a competir por el título de Mejor Artista! Puedes interpretar hasta dos canciones dentro de un límite establecido de diez minutos. Un grupo de jueces expertos otorgará puntos a los artistas. ¡Habrá un ganador del primer, segundo y tercer lugar! Todos los géneros son bienvenidos. ¡Trae a tus fans!

Sigue las instrucciones en nuestro calendario de eventos para enviar tu solicitud.



I Love Me

Los programas "I Love Me" están enfocados en el autocuidado y amor propio

Terapia de la Risa (R)

**Miércoles, 25 de junio
7 a 8 p.m. Dundee**

Vamos a reír juntos a través de una serie de estiramientos de yoga sencillos. Cultiva una mentalidad de pensamiento positivo y conoce a otras personas interesadas en vivir una vida consciente y pacífica.

Trae tu tapete de yoga y ropa y calzado cómodos.

Círculo de Tambores Terapéutico

**Miércoles, 23 de julio
7 a 8 p.m. Dundee**

Sumérgete en vibraciones de tambores y cultiva una mentalidad de amor y comunidad. Relájate, diviértete, y haz nuevos amigos. Se proporcionarán tambores. También puedes traer tus propias percusiones (maracas, panderos, bongos, etc.) No se necesita experiencia.

Movimientos Poderosos (R)

**Miércoles, 27 de agosto
7 a 8 p.m. Dundee**

Aprende movimientos suaves pero poderosos que ayudan a calmar tu sistema nervioso, aumentan el flujo de tu energía y te ayudan a sentirte como tu yo auténtico. La respiración y el movimiento crearán cambios fisiológicos en todo el sistema de tu cuerpo. Cultiva una mentalidad de pensamiento positivo y conoce a otras personas interesadas en vivir una vida consciente y pacífica. Trae ropa y calzado cómodos.



¡Descubre tus raíces con las herramientas de genealogía en línea de la Biblioteca!

Usa tu tarjeta de la Biblioteca para acceder a Ancestry.com, Heritage Hub y Heritage Quest—todo desde casa. ¡Empieza a explorar la historia de tu familia hoy mismo! Visit www.frvpld.info.

Immigration Programming

Immigration Help (R)

Tuesdays: June 10, July 8, Aug. 12

2 to 5 p.m. Dundee

Do you have questions about immigration benefits and the path to citizenship? DOJ accredited professionals from Alianza Hispanoamericana will offer free, personal consultations, as well as assistance with your citizenship application, at the Dundee Library. Alianza Hispanoamericana is a non-profit organization that specializes in immigration help, including citizenship applications and Deferred Action Childhood Arrival (DACA) renewal applications.

Registration is required for citizenship application assistance, but with registration you may attend anytime between 2-5 p.m. Drop-in attendance without registration is welcome for questions on other topics.

To be able to fill out your citizenship application you will need to bring the following documents:

- Your Permanent Resident Card and Social Security Card and your driver's license or state ID
- Dates of all travel outside the U.S. since you received your green card
- A list of all your home addresses for the past 5 years
- A list of all your employer addresses, dates, and locations for the past 5 years
- If currently married, your spouse's name and date of birth and immigration number and date of naturalization
- Date of all marriages and divorces of you and your spouse
- If you have children, their names and their addresses and their dates of birth and their green card numbers (if applicable)
- If you have ever been arrested, reason for arrest and date and place it happened and outcome/disposition
- Males: your Selective Service number and registration date

Prior to the event, you will be contacted by Alianza Hispanoamericana to confirm that you have the necessary documents and information. These services are made possible by a grant awarded by Illinois Access to Justice (A2J).

¿Tiene preguntas sobre los beneficios de inmigración y el camino a la ciudadanía? Profesionales reconocidos por el DOJ de Alianza Hispanoamericana ofrecerán consultas personales gratuitas, así como asistencia con su solicitud de ciudadanía, en la Biblioteca de Dundee. Alianza Hispanoamericana es una organización sin ánimo de lucro que especializa en inmigración, incluyendo aplicaciones de ciudadanía y solicitudes de renovación para Acción Diferida para los Llegados en la infancia (DACA).

Para recibir asistencia con una solicitud de ciudadanía, favor de registrarse con anticipación para uno de los días disponible. Con su registro puede asistir a cualquier hora entre las 2 y las 5 p. m. a su conveniencia. La asistencia sin registro es bienvenida si tiene preguntas o dudas sobre otros temas.

Para poder completar su Solicitud de Ciudadanía, deberá traer los siguientes documentos al taller:

- Su Tarjeta de Residencia Permanente, Tarjeta de Seguro Social y su licencia de conducir o identificación estatal
- Fechas de todos sus viajes fuera de los Estados Unidos empezando desde que recibió su Tarjeta de Residencia
- Una lista de todas sus direcciones de hogar durante los últimos 5 años
- Una lista de todas las direcciones, fechas y ubicaciones de sus empleadores durante los últimos 5 años
- Si actualmente está casado(a), el nombre y la fecha de nacimiento de su pareja, el número de inmigración y la fecha de naturalización.
- Fecha de todos los matrimonios y divorcios de usted y de su pareja
- Si tiene hijos, los nombres, direcciones, fechas de nacimiento y números de tarjeta de residencia (si corresponde) de cada uno.
- Si alguna vez ha sido arrestado, el motivo del arresto, fecha y lugar en que sucedió y el resultado.
- Si es hombre: su número de Servicio Selectivo (Selective Service) y fecha de registro

Antes del taller, Alianza Hispanoamericana se pondrá en contacto con usted para confirmar que usted tenga los documentos y la información necesaria antes de presentarse al taller. Estos servicios son hechos posibles por los subsidios otorgados por Illinois Access to Justice (A2J).

Citizenship Classes

Mondays, July 7 to August 11 · 5 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Prepare for citizenship with our 6-week class covering civics, history, and English proficiency. Presented by the Elgin YWCA.

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