



Fox River Valley Libraries

Dundee Library • Randall Oaks Library

NEWS & PROGRAMS

Serving 70,000 residents of Carpentersville, East Dundee, West Dundee, Sleepy Hollow, Gilberts, and parts of Algonquin

PRESCHOOL FAIR

Thurs., March 15, 6 to 8 p.m. Dundee

Is your child getting ready for preschool? Our first annual Preschool Fair will connect you with local preschools and day care organizations. Visit information tables and learn about the programs and facilities available in our area. Representatives from each organization will be available to answer questions. No registration necessary.

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UPCOMING CLOSINGS

Fri., March 16: Open at noon/Staff Training

Sun., April 1: Easter

Fri., May 18: Open at noon/Staff Training

Mon., May 28: Memorial Day

New Library Catalog in April

Text notifications & automatic renewals

During the week of April 16, the Fox River Valley Libraries will be transitioning to a new library catalog. You'll see a new look as you search for library materials, and will be introduced to new features as we work to improve your library experience.

NEW FEATURES

- Seamlessly use the new catalog on your phone, tablet, or computer.
- Create an easy to remember username to log into the library catalog.
- Select your notice preference, including email, text, or automated calls.
- Renew material automatically. Three days before your items are due, the system will automatically try to renew your materials for you. If you have an email listed in your library account, you'll receive an email letting you know the new due date, or a courtesy reminder if the items cannot be renewed.
- Choose your preferred pickup location from any of the 29 locations.
- The 5-new-DVD checkout limit will be eliminated. You will be able to check out as many new DVDs as you'd like.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Your library PIN or password will transfer over to the new system in all CAPS. For example, if your PIN is currently mypin1, it will be MYPIN1 in the new catalog.
- Your reading history and lists will be not transferred over. Ask a librarian for assistance in printing your reading history and/or your lists, so that information can be preserved. You can also do this online at www.frvpld.info. Log into your account, and copy and paste your checkout history.

If you need assistance, please call the library at (847) 428-3661.

DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Fox River Valley Public Library District provides equal opportunity for all to learn, explore, imagine, create, and connect in a welcoming environment.

Have you ever noticed how challenges can become easier when you have connections? Shared experiences and reliable guidance result in quicker, successful solutions. Making those connections within the community can lead you to a trustworthy plumber, a job interview, a tutor for your student, a Namaste-worthy yoga class, or a great sub sandwich.

Community connections are so important here at FRVPLD that we included it in our mission statement. Within library walls, we connect with so many groups who visit us, and use our space to connect with each other.

In the past year we've welcomed hundreds of D300 students, Elgin Community College ESL students, preschoolers from Littlest Disciples and the Dundee Township Park District, representatives from the Community Crisis Center, the Kane County Community Health Improvement Action Team, Literacy Connection, and Dundee Township and their special events counting birds or playing in Wahoo Woods. We'll always be grateful to Pastor Dexter Ball of Faithwalk Harvest Center, who brought bus loads of kids to the free summer lunch program. There's also the hefty list of summer reading program sponsors who connected with readers through their generous donations.

When we venture outside the building, the mission is always to connect. Notable field trips in the past year were the first ever D300 Back to School Event, another Back to School Event at Fox View Apartments in Carpentersville, Golfview Elementary and Carpentersville Middle School's Open Houses, the St. Patrick's Day and Memorial Day parades, Heritage Fest, Dundee Township's Halloweenpalooza, Dundee Township Rotary's Halloween Party for Children

with Special Needs, our regular Storytime at Jerri Hoffman Child + Family Center and Panera Bread in Carpentersville, Centro de Información Resources Fair, and adult programs held offsite at Village Green and the Rakow Adult Activities Center. We just issued 45 library cards to teens during a visit to Dundee Crown High School.

My final thought is how can we connect with YOU better, and how can we help you connect with others in the community? I hope you will find something of interest in the pages of this newsletter. Come to a program and meet others who are interested in the same thing or who have a different opinion entirely!

Subscribe to our eNewsletter (via www.frvpld.info), follow us on Facebook and Twitter – and share our posts with your connections. Fill out the iPad surveys located at the front door of both libraries and let us know if we helped you, or how we can. And finally, there's the good 'ol face to face visit. Bring us your questions and needs...chances are the library can help **connect** you to the answers.



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CORNER 68

Now Open!

What is Corner 68?

Corner 68, located on the main level of the Dundee Library, is a collaborative learning space for digital and maker-type programs and experiences. Staff led computer classes, book club and discussions, language learning sessions, maker and craft programs, and equipment demonstrations are held here.

When is Corner 68 open?

Corner 68 is available for use from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. Corner 68 is unavailable for use when a program is in session. Please be aware that these times are subject to change.

How do I use the equipment?

You may reserve most equipment in 3-hour blocks by calling Adult and Teen Services at (847) 428-3661 (press 3). Otherwise, equipment is available on a first come, first served basis. Certain equipment has proficiency requirements or can only be used by staff members or during a library program. Equipment that requires certification includes the sewing machine and Silhouette Cameo. Request an appointment for certification on the Corner 68 web page at www.frvpld.info/corner68.

Do you charge for materials in Corner 68?

- 3D prints are \$.10 per gram
- Adhesive vinyl (sticker paper) for Silhouette Cameo is \$1.00/sheet
- Cardstock is \$.20/sheet

Can I bring my own materials to use with the equipment?

You may bring your own materials to use, however, they must first be approved by a library staff member.



Equipment

- Lulzbot Mini 3D Printer
- Silhouette Cameo
- Sewing Machine
- VHS to DVD Converter
- Vinyl to MP3 Converter
- Cassette to MP3 Converter

FREE SUMMER LUNCHES AT THE DUNDEE LIBRARY

The Dundee Library will host free summer lunches for all kids 18 years old and under. Visit the library from Monday through Friday from noon to 1 p.m. to enjoy your nutritious lunch!



Meals are paid for by the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), a federally funded program managed by the USDA and operated by the Illinois State Board of Education in conjunction with the Northern Illinois Food Bank. Lunches will begin on Monday, June 4 and be served through Monday, August 13.

Volunteers will be needed from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. to serve the lunches (great opportunity for high school students!). For more information on volunteering, email Sherry Kenney at skenny@frvpld.info.

BLUESTEM BOOK VOTING

Every year, the Illinois School Library Media Association nominates a collection of books for students in grades 3-5 to receive the Bluestem Award. Students in grades 3-5 who have read at least four of the twenty nominated books then vote on their one favorite book. This year, readers can vote for their favorite at the Dundee Library March 1-15 at 5 p.m. To check out one of the nominated titles, visit the Bluestem Awards Shelf in the Youth Services Department.



SAVE THE DATE!
Summer Reading Kick-Off Picnic
Tuesday, June 5, 6 to 8 p.m.
Dundee Library Front Lawn
Featuring Chicago magician "The Great Scott"





See page 1 for details about our Preschool Fair on March 15!

SPRING STORYTIMES

April 2 – May 4

JUMP START STORYTIME (R)

Mondays, 10 to 10:30 a.m. *Randall Oaks*

BABY STORYTIME (BIRTH-12 MONTHS) (R)

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

WONDERFUL ONES (12-23 MONTHS) (R)

Wednesdays, 10 to 10:30 a.m. *Randall Oaks*

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

TREMENDOUS TWOS (24-35 MONTHS) (R)

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

Thursdays, 10 to 10:30 a.m. *Randall Oaks*

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (AGES 3-6) (R)

Tuesdays, 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. *Dundee*

Tuesdays, 10:30 to 11:15 a.m. *Dundee*

New: Tuesdays, 10 to 10:45 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

New: Thursdays, 11:15 to noon *Randall Oaks*

STORYTIME @ PANERA BREAD

(AGES BIRTH-6) (R)

101 S Western Ave., Carpentersville

Third Tuesdays: March 20, April 17, May 15, 2:30 to 3 p.m.

Complimentary mini cookie and milk.

STORYTIME @ JERRI HOFFMANN

CHILD + FAMILY CENTER

(AGES BIRTH-7) (NR)

229 Lake Marian Rd., Carpentersville, IL

Second & Fourth Thursdays:

March 8 & 22, April 12 & 26, May 10 & 24

10 to 10:30 a.m., 10:45 to 11:15 a.m., & 2 to 2:30 p.m.

Open to the community.

SMARTY PANTS BIG BALLOON SHOW

Thurs., April 19, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Don't miss this stage production, inspired by classic vaudeville, featuring magic, comedy, and Smarty's eye-popping balloon props and magic. All ages! Tickets available at the Youth Services Desk starting April 2.

EARLY CHILDHOOD

MONDAY FUNDAY (NR)

Mondays: March 5 & 19, 10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*

Mondays: April 2 – April 30, 10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*

Drop in to this fun, open-ended playtime.

Ages 3-6 w/caregiver.

SENSORY SERIES (R) MAKER

Explore math, literacy, art, and sensory activities that go along with a special book. Don't dress in your best because we may get messy while we play. Ages 4-6.

Pot of Gold

Mon., March 5, 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*

April Showers Bring May Flowers

Mon., April 2, 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*

In a Galaxy Far, Far Away

Mon., April 30, 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*

"Mo" Books, "Mo" Fun!

Mon., May 7, 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*

SNACK & CHAT (R)

Enjoy an afternoon with your favorite book characters, do a craft, and have a yummy snack! Ages 3-6.

Dr. Seuss

Wed., March 21, 3 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Piggy & Gerald

Wed., April 25, 3 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Pete the Cat

Wed., May 23, 3 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

TODDLER TOUCH N' PLAY (R)

Explore sensory activities with your little one. Don't dress your best; we might make a mess! Ages 1-3 w/caregiver.

Fri., April 13, 10 to 10:45 a.m. *Dundee*

Fri., May 11, 10 to 10:45 a.m. *Dundee*

BUBBLE BONANZA (R)

Fri., April 6, 10 to 10:45 a.m. *Dundee*

Have a bubbling good time as we giggle, dance, and pop to different bubble stations. Ages 1-3.

BUTTERFLY EXPLORATION (R)

Sat., April 28, 11 to 11:30 a.m. *Randall Oaks*

Learn all about butterflies, read a story, and make a fun craft! Ages 3-6.

MAY DAY PLAY DAY (R)

Sat., May 19, 11 a.m. to noon *Randall Oaks*

Play outside with our water and bubble tables. Take home a fun craft. Ages 3-6.

DRIVE-IN MOVIE: PAW PATROL (R) MAKER

Tues., May 22, 10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*

Design a car out of a cardboard box and then get in to watch Paw Patrol. Ages 2-6.

SUN CATCHERS (R)

Thurs., May 31, 5 to 5:30 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

Recycle CDs into sun catchers. Ages 3-6.



WAHOO WOODS

FOX AND TAILS

SCAVENGER HUNT (R)

Fri., May 11, 3 to 4 p.m.

It's time to go outside and enjoy nature! Explore the beauty of spring, read stories and go on a scavenger hunt. Ages 5-8.

BUILD A BETTER WORLD:

RECYCLING (R)

Wed., May 23, 5 to 6 p.m.

Learn about our world and the environment, explore outside, (weather permitting) and create using different materials. Ages 5-12.

SPRING EXPLORERS (R)

Wed., May 30, 3 to 4 p.m.

Let's explore the outside colors, smells, and sounds that come with spring. Ages 3-6.

EARLY ELEMENTARY (GRADES K-3)

SEUSS READING CELEBRATION (R)

Fri., March 2, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. *Dundee*
A birthday celebration with Seuss-tastic books, crafts, and activities! Ages 5-8.

HOMESCHOOL HANGOUT (R)

Mondays: March 12, April 9, May 14,
10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*
Fridays: April 27, May 25
10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*
STEAM experiments for ages 6-12.

MATH THROUGH PLAY (R) STEM

Mondays: March 12, April 9, May 14,
5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*
Join the math madness as we problem solve and shake the math jitters away. Ages 5-8.

FUN WITH NON-FICTION (R) STEM

Explore non-fiction books with STEM, games, crafts and activities. Ages 5-9.

Ferris and His Wheel

Tues., March 20, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. *Dundee*

The Marvelous Thing That Came from a Spring

Tues., April 17, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Twenty-One Elephants and Still Standing

Tues., May 15, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. *Dundee*

RAINBOW TWIRLERS (R)

Sat., March 17, 2 to 3 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with a festive craft. Ages 5-8.

CEREAL BOX AQUARIUM (R) MAKER

Sat., March 24, 1 to 2 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Get creative under the sea and bring home a pretend pet. Ages 5-8.

SLIME TIME (R) MAKER

Wed., April 4, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
Squish, squash, pop, and mold into awesome shapes! It's unique properties make it fun and educational too! Ages 5-8.

SPRING WATERCOLOR (R)

Sat., April 7, 2 to 3 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Wed., April 18, 4 to 5 p.m. *Dundee*
Paint a spring scene using water resistant techniques. Ages 5-8.

LIBRARY CARD HOLDER (R) MAKER

Wed., April 11, 5 to 6 p.m. *Dundee*
Sat., April 14, 1 to 2 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
It's National Library Week! Make a holder to keep your library card safe. Ages 5-8.

KIDS MAKING A DIFFERENCE (NR)

Fri., April 20, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*
Make dog toys out of t-shirts. We'll have shirts here, or bring your own to donate. Toys will be donated to animal shelters. Ages 5-12.

BUNNY PLANTER (R) MAKER

Tues., April 24, 4 to 5 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Make a cute bunny planter with recyclables and watch it grow. Ages 5-8.

LOTERIA (R)

Tues., May 22, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*
It's like Bingo but with pictures instead of numbers. Win prizes! Ages 5-12.



FIESTA DEL CINCO DE MAYO: CIELITO LINDO

Sat., May 5, 2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Bring the whole family to this interactive show presented by Cielito Lindo as we listen and dance to traditional Mexican music. The kids will even have a chance to crack open a big piñata!

The band will play from 2 to 3 p.m.; activities for kids will be from 3 to 4 p.m. Tickets available at the Youth Services Desk starting April 16.

FAMILY

LEPRECHAUN OBSTACLE COURSE (R)

Sat., March 17, 10 a.m. to noon *Dundee*
A family search for gold coins, rainbows, and leprechauns!

READ TO A DOG (R)

Sundays: March 11, April 15, May 13,
2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*
Practice reading on certified therapy dogs. Sign up for a 15-minute time slot. Ages 5-10.

GREAT BIG GAMES (NR)

Wednesdays: March 21, April 18, May 16,
6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*
For families or groups of friends (best for children 3 and up; young children should have a caregiver).

MONEY ISLAND (R)

Sat., April 14, 10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*
Kids earn real-life rewards as they learn valuable financial skills. All ages.

BRING YOUR OWN ABILITIES (R)

Sat., April 21, 10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*
A sensory storytime designed for children with special needs and their families.

DIY NOTE HOLDER (NR)

Sat., April 28, 2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*
Stop by and make a note holder using binder clips and washi tape!

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY! (NR)

Tues., May 8, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
Thurs., May 10, 6 to 7 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Listen to a story and make a beautiful card to celebrate all the moms in the community.

ELEMENTARY (GRADES 4-6)

LEGO TIME (NR) STEM

Thurs., March 1, 5 to 6 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Drop in to build with our LEGOs.
Ages 9-12.

TISSUE PAPER WALL ART (R) MAKER

Sat., March 3, 1 to 2 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Fill a canvas with color. Ages 9-12.

TWEEN TECH TIME (R) STEM

Tues., March 6, 5 to 6 p.m. *Dundee*
Calling all tween tech lovers! Come tinker with technology. Ages 10-12.

SHAMROCK

SHENANIGANS (R) MAKER

Wed., March 7, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
Our party will include a trap, a scavenger hunt and a little magic!
Ages 9-12.

CANDY CAMP (R) MAKER

Fri., March 9, 2:30 to 3:15 p.m. *Dundee*
Mon., April 23, 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*
Fri., May 4, 4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*
Design, mold, and decorate a special yummy treat. Ages 6-12.

PAINTING PARTY (NR) MAKER

Second Wednesdays, 6 to 7 p.m.
March 14: Bubble Wrap Prints *Dundee*
April 11: Citrus Prints *Dundee*
May 9: Painting Rocks *Dundee*
Follow an example to create your own piece of art. Ages 7-12.



ROCK YOUR ROOM (R)

Thursdays: March 15, April 19, May 17, 4 to 5 p.m. *Dundee*
Rock your room with projects and crafts to make it stylish and beautiful. Ages 9 to 12.

SEW MUCH FUN! (R) MAKER

Mondays: March 19, April 16, May 21, 5:30 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
Create a one of a kind project using different sewing techniques.
Ages 9-12.

SOARIN' STEM (R) STEM

Sat., March 24, 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*
Explore different ways to send objects through the air.
Ages 9-12.

MINUTE TO WIN IT! (R)

Wed., March 28, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
See if you can do a series of wacky challenges in 60 seconds or less
Ages 9-12.

JELLY BEAN CHALLENGE (R) STEM

Thurs., March 29, 5 to 6 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Use jelly beans and toothpicks to complete five engineering challenges. Ages 9-12.

ARE YOU SMARTER THAN THE LIBRARIANS? (R)

Fri., March 30, 3:30 to 5 p.m. *Dundee*
Can you list Harry Potter books in order? Who is Elsa's sister in Frozen? Work as a team to defeat the Librarians! Ages 9-12.

MEET THE MASTER (R)

Tuesdays: March 27, April 24, May 29, 4 to 5 p.m. *Dundee*
Explore the life and techniques of artists through hands-on activities.
Ages 9-12.

SUPERHERO TRAINING ACADEMY (R) MAKER

Wed., April 25, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
Learn to be a superhero with challenges, games, and a commemorative takeaway.
Ages 9-12.

MOTHER'S DAY TILE COASTER (R) MAKER

Tues., May 1, 6 to 7 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Make a personalized sharpie-dyed tile coaster. Ages 9-12.

ESCAPE THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF OZ (R)

Fri., May 11, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. & 2 to 3 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Solve clues, put together puzzles, and work together to escape. Ages 9-12.

BOOK CLUBS

Read. Talk. Create. Eat. Best book clubs ever. Books provided upon registration.

BOOK EXPLORERS (GRADES K-3) (R)

New Time!
Fourth Tuesdays, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

March 27:

Red, A Crayon's Story
by Michael Hall



April 24:

One Day in the Eucalyptus, Eucalyptus Tree
by Daniel Bernstrom

May 22:

Last Stop on Market Street
by Matt De La Pena

BEYOND THE BOOK (GRADES 4-6) (R)

Second Tuesdays, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

March 13:

The Terrible Two
by Mac Barnett

April 10:

11 Birthdays
by Wendy Mass

May 8:

Fuzzy Mud
by Louis Sachar



SCREEN PRINTING

STAR WARS TOTES (NR) MAKER

Sun., April 29, 2 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*
Choose from four designs to practice the art of screen printing. (One tote per patron. While supplies last.) All ages.

SENSORY SERIES:

IN A GALAXY FAR, FAR AWAY (R)

Mon., April 30, 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. *Dundee*
Practice your skills of math, literacy and art like young Yoda with out of this world sensory activities. Ages 4-6.

GALAXY GAMES (R)

Tues., May 1, 4 to 5 p.m. *Randall Oaks*
Join us for snacks and compete in Star Wars games to win prizes. Ages 9-12.

STAR WARS TRIVIA NIGHT (R)

Tues., May 1, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*
How much do you know about the force? Compete and win a prize. All ages.

JEDI ACADEMY (R)

Wed., May 2, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
Calling all young Jedi! Complete intergalactic relays, destroy the Death Star, and learn the Jedi ways. Ages 5-8.

ART2-D2 (R) MAKER

Thurs., May 3, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*
See art meet R2-D2 in epic, intergalactic fun!
Ages 5-8.

STAR WARS DROP-IN CRAFT (NR)

Fri., May 4, 11 a.m. to noon *Dundee*
May the Fourth be with you! Drop-in and make a Star Wars themed craft. Ages 3-6.

STAR WARS CIRCUITS (R)

Fri., May 4, 3:30 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*
Celebrate May the Fourth by tinkering with circuits to create a Star Wars inspired project. Ages 9-12.

PROGRAMS

ANIME CLUB (NR)

Wednesdays: March 7, April 4, May 2, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Come to Anime Club to hang out, make pixel art with perler beads, discuss your favorite anime and who you ship, play video games, and make buttons.



BOOK VLOGGERS (R)

Sat., March 10, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Wed., April 18, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Wed., May 16, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

A new teen book club for sharing reading recommendations, eating snacks, and making short videos about our favorite books and what we're reading.

ESCAPE THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF OZ (R)

Fri., May 11, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

Randall Oaks has been taken over by the Wicked Witch and all things Oz. Can you solve clues, put together puzzles, and work together as a team to escape before the hourglass runs out?

CRAFT LAB

SILHOUETTE CAMEO 101 (R)

Thurs., March 1, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn about the new Silhouette Cameo in Corner 68. Use it to easily cut paper, cardstock, vinyl, and more to make unique projects!

PIXEL ART (R)

Mon., March 26, 4 to 5:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Sat., May 26, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

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

PERSONALIZED MUGS & TUMBLER CUPS (R)

Thurs., March 29, 4 to 5:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Cut vinyl with our new Silhouette Cameo and make decals to decorate your own tumbler cup or coffee mug.

DIY TOTE BAGS (R)

Sat., April 21, 10 to 11:30 a.m. *Dundee*

Use heat transfer vinyl and the Silhouette Cameo to create colorful tote bag designs.

HOMESCHOOL

SEARCHING FOR SIGNS OF SPRING (R)

Fri., March 23, 10 a.m. to noon *Wahoo Woods*

Let's get outside and look for signs of spring...things are happening out in the wild! We'll start indoors with a short discussion about what we'll see, then head outside to walk the .68 mile loop through Wahoo Woods. Learn to identify plants by things other than their leaves and explore the hidden lake. Afterward, we'll head back in to warm up with some hot chocolate and snacks.

AMIGURUMI CROCHET (R)

Fri., April 27, 10 a.m. to noon *Dundee*

See Craft Lab listing for description.

MAGICAL MINIATURE BOTTLES (R)

Fri., May 18, 12:30 to 2 p.m. *Dundee*

See Craft Lab listing for description.



AMIGURUMI CROCHET (R)

Wed., March 28, 4 to 5:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Spring Break Week!

Learn the Japanese art of knitting or crocheting small, stuffed yarn creatures.

MAGICAL MINIATURE BOTTLES (R)

Fri., April 20, 3 to 4:30 p.m. *Dundee*

D300 early release day!

Capture something magical in a miniature glass bottle and attach it to a necklace, earring, or keychain.

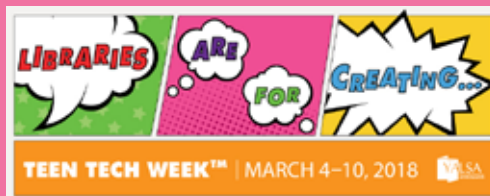
SHH!!! SECRET BOOK BOX (R)

Thurs., May 31, 3 to 4:30 p.m. *Dundee*

School's out for summer!

Shh! Create a secret book box to stash your most secret (or not so secret) stuff. We'll use old books that are not readable and cut out a secret hiding space in the middle.

Teen programs are for ages 12-18 unless otherwise noted. Questions? Email Danielle at dpacini@frvpld.info.



LED MAGNETS (R)

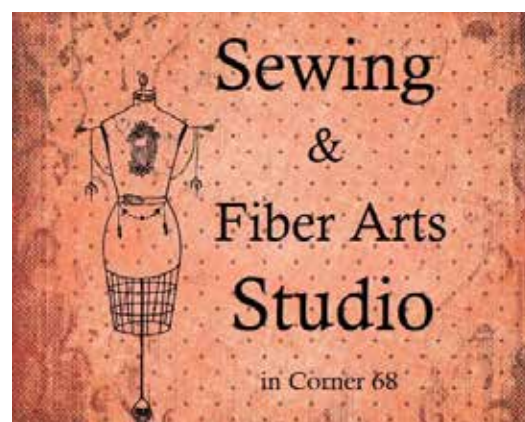
Tuesday, March 6, 7 to 7:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Light up your locker with LED magnets!

BOOK VLOGGERS (R)

Sat., March 10, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

See Programs listing for description.



NEW IN CORNER 68!

SEWING & FIBER ARTS STUDIO

Wed., March 14, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Wed., April 11, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Wed., May 9, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Explore sewing and fiber arts through this three hour open studio in our new learning space, Corner 68. Bring your own projects or use our materials to start something new. Learn a new skill, share your expertise, spend time with fellow crafters, explore Pinterest, and share ideas with crafters around the world. Ages 10 and up. Just drop in.

Coming soon...summer volunteer opportunities

We'll need volunteers this summer to help us with our summer reading challenge and free summer lunch program. Applications will be available at www.frvpld.info starting March 31.



A SKETCH OF IRAN: THE COUNTRY AND ITS CULTURE* (R)

Sat., Apr. 14, 11 a.m. to noon *Dundee*

Author Libby Fischer Hellmann shares a presentation about Iran's people, architecture, customs, and culture.

PEARL HARBOR: A DAY OF INFAMY* (R)

Sat., Apr. 21, 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Offsite! Village Green, 605 Barrington Ave., right next door to the Dundee Library
Battlefield expert Robert Mueller will discuss the December 7, 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor, the event that propelled the United States into WWII.



TOUR OF SANFILIPPO ESTATE (R)

Sat., May 5, 8:15 a.m. to noon

Departs from Algonquin Library (Harnish Drive)

In partnership with the Algonquin Library!



In person registration only at the Algonquin Library. Cost is \$25 per person and includes bus ride to estate in Barrington, three-hour docent-guided tour of Grand Foyer, American Orchestration Room, lower level and 325 seat theater. View collection in 44,000 sq ft. home, mini-concert on world's largest theatre organ of 8,000 pipes. Visit Carousel Pavilion housing Fairground & Dance Organs, steam engines, 1890 Eden Palais Carousel.

QUICK AND HEALTHY LUNCHES* (R)

Sat., May 5, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Hungry to learn how to pack eye-popping and nutritious lunches? Get tips at this hands-on workshop.



ELEGANT ILLUSIONS WITH JEANETTE ANDREWS* (R)

Wed., May 16, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Ms. Andrews has developed an entirely new and thought-provoking take on the art of the impossible as she performs elegant, interactive magic.

QUEEN ELIZABETH II: THE EXTRAORDINARY LIFE OF A MODERN MONARCH* (R)

Sun., May 27, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Historian Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., explores the life of Queen Elizabeth II, including her ascent to the throne, her marriage, and her relationships with her children and grandchildren.

In Celebration of the Illinois Bicentennial

December 3, 2018



HELL HATH NO FURY: THE WILD, WONDERFUL, AND WICKED WOMEN OF THE WINDY CITY* (R)

Wed., March 7, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Historian and storyteller Clarence Goodman celebrates Women's History Month with a virtual tour of amazing women who helped shape Chicago's history, from Jane Addams to Ida B. Wells to contemporary figures like Sandra Cisneros.

THE FOX RIVER AND ITS INFLUENCE ON OUR REGION (R)



Sun., March 18,
1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
Dundee

The Fox River was the major factor leading to the settlement of our communities

in the early 1800's. Author and historian Phil Aleo will present his newest slide presentation including historical facts unknown by most, photos, historical newspaper articles dating back over 150 years and more.

THE CUBS AS CHAMPIONS: THEN AND NOW* (R)

Tue., March 27, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Sports Historian Charles Billington will discuss the team's new identity in light of their 2016 World Series championship as well as early successes.



*Many thanks to the Friends of the Library who fund many of our adult programs.

MUSIC TO COMMEMORATE THE ILLINOIS BICENTENNIAL* (R)

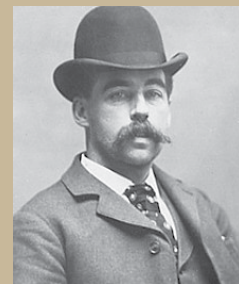
Sun., April 22, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Illinois Humanities Road Scholar Phil Passen will perform music reflecting the story of Illinois and the many cultures which have thrived in it, beginning with Native Americans, and including French, German, African-American, Mexican, and other immigrant groups.

DEVILS IN THE WHITE CITY — AND BEYOND* (R)

Sat., May 12, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

True crime author Rich Lindberg presents a fascinating montage of Gaslight Era serial killers, scoundrels, and murderers, including H.H. Holmes (the original Devil in the White City), Lizzie Borden of Fall River, and Amy Archer Gilligan, the black widow who inspired the play and movie "Arsenic and Old Lace."



MONEY SMART WEEK[®] APRIL 21-28, 2018



I-CASH (NR)

Sat., April 21, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Did you know the State of Illinois might be holding unclaimed cash for you? A representative from the Illinois State Treasurer's Office will show you how easy it is to file a claim. Drop by between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

ESTATE PLANNING (R)

Mon., Apr. 23, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn the differences between wills and trusts, how to keep an estate out of probate, and more!

UNDERSTANDING MEDICARE: THE A, B, C, AND DS (R)

Tue., Apr. 24, 6 to 7:30 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

Get the facts about what Medicare does and does not cover, learn the differences between Parts A, B, C and D, understand the costs for each.

FILING FOR SOCIAL SECURITY:

FLEXIBILITY AND CHOICES FOR YOUR RETIREMENT INCOME (R)

Wed., March 28, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Thurs., April 26, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Find out about the different filing options available to married couples, divorced individuals, and widows, which can often provide monthly lifetime social security payments higher than the standard filing options that are typically selected.

BRIGHT START (R)

Sat., April 28, 10 to 10:30 a.m. *Dundee*

Start a college fund for a child you know. Presented by a representative from the Illinois State Treasurer's Office.



DUNDEE LIBRARY BOOK CLUB (NR)

Meets the last Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. Copies of discussion books are available for pick up five weeks before meetings. Questions? Call Sean at (224) 699-5837.

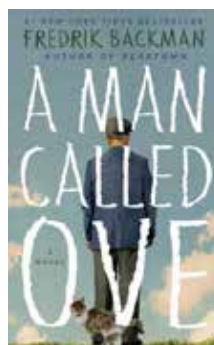


March 28

The Art Forger

by B.A. Shapiro

A stolen Degas paintings is delivered to the Boston studio of a young artist who agrees to make a forgery. A thrilling novel about seeing—and not seeing—the secrets that lie beneath the canvas.

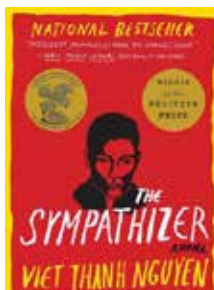


April 25

A Man Called Ove

by Fredrik Backman

A curmudgeon hides a terrible personal loss beneath a cranky and short-tempered exterior while clashing with new neighbors, a boisterous family whose chattiness and habits lead to unexpected friendship.



May 30

The Sympathizer

by Viet Thanh Nguyen

A Viet Cong agent spies on a South Vietnamese army general and his compatriots as they start a new life in 1975 Los Angeles.

FREE MOVIES

Drop in for a free movie at the Dundee Library. Doors open 15 minutes before showtime for free popcorn and refreshments. Children under age 9 must be accompanied by an adult. Movies are shown in the Meeting Room on the lower level.

MURDER ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS (PG-13, 1 HR. 54 MIN.)

Wed., March 14, 6 to 8 p.m.

WONDER (PG; 1 HR. 53 MIN.)

Sat., April 14, 2 to 4 p.m.

THE GREATEST SHOWMAN (PG; 1 HR. 45 MIN.)

Wed., May 9, 6 to 8 p.m.

COCO (PG; 1 HR. 49 MIN.)

Sat., March 17, 2 to 4 p.m.

THOR: RAGNAROK (PG-13, 2 HRS.)
Wed., April 18, 6 to 8 p.m.

FERDINAND (PG; 1 HRS. 48 MINS.)
Sat., May 19, 2 to 4 p.m.



Download/stream five free titles per month with your library card. Available on the eLibrary tab at www.frvpld.info. A mobile app is available for Apple, Android, and Amazon devices.

IMPROVE YOUR JOB SKILLS WITH THESE FREE CLASSES

MICROSOFT OFFICE

Microsoft Office classes are hands-on instruction using FRVPLD computers. Enhance your resume with a certificate of completion for finishing Microsoft Office classes.

WORD

- **Part 1: The Basics (R)**

Mon., March 5, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Part 2: Images, Tables, Text Boxes (R)**

Mon., March 26, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Part 3: Mail Merge (R)**

Mon., April 16, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

POWERPOINT

- **Basic Slideshow (R)**

Mon., April 9, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Intermediate Skills (R)**

Mon., April 30, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

EXCEL

- **Part 1: Basic Budgeting (R)**

Mon., March 12, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Part 2: Charts & Graphs (R)**

Mon., April 23, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Part 3: Tables, Named Ranges, & Pivot Tables (R)**

Mon., May 7, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Part 4: Formulas (R)**

Mon., May 14, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

- **Part 5: Advanced Functions (R)**

Mon., May 21, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

STAY ON TOP OF TECHNOLOGY WITH SPECIALTY CLASSES

DOWNLOADABLES DROP-IN (NR)

Thurs., March 8, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Get the most out of our eBook, music, movie, tv show, and comic books download services. Devices welcome! Hands on.

MANAGE YOUR GOOGLE

PRIVACY SETTINGS (R)

Mon., March 19, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Take control of your privacy. Learn how to manage the data your Google account collects.



3-D DESIGN DROP-IN (NR)

Thurs., March 22, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Drop in to see the library's new 3D printer and learn the basics of how to create 3D models.

*Specialty classes are presentations.
No computer skills are necessary.*

TECH TAKE-A-PART (R)

Mon., April 2, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Discover what's inside common household electronics as we take them apart to see how they work. Safety equipment and tools provided. Hands on.

BUYING A NEW COMPUTER (R)

Thurs., April 5, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Learn about what to look for in a new computer so you can get the one that's right for you!

FIX YOUR OWN PC (R)

Thurs., April 19, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Take apart an old PC; learn what the various components do and how to replace them. Hands-on.

WHICH TABLET SHOULD I GET? (R)

Thurs., May 3, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Learn about different tablets including Android, Apple, and Windows so you can get the one that best fits your needs.

FACEBOOK 101 (R)

Thurs., May 17, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Dundee

Learn the basics of this powerful social media site.

One-on-One Tech Help

Schedule a free one-on-one session at the Dundee Library for help with eReaders, mobile devices, library resources, or computer programs. Call Jason Pinshower at (224) 699-5835 or email 10n1@frvpld.info.



A flexible training space for digital learning and maker experiences! Staff led computer classes, book club and discussions, language learning sessions, maker and craft programs, and equipment demonstrations are held here.

For information about reserving equipment and proficiency requirements, visit www.frvpld.info/Corner68. Located at the Dundee Library on the main level. Open to the public and staffed when classes are not in session.

- TRANSFER VHS TAPES TO DVD
- CREATE & PRINT IN 3D
- TAKE A COMPUTER CLASS
- CUT VINYL, FABRIC & PAPER
- TAKE A COMPUTER CLASS
- CRAFT WITH PAPER
- CONVERT VINYL & CASSETTE TO MP3
- GET YOUR GAME ON
- JOIN BOOK CLUB
- MAKE A HEAT TRANSFER
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@ **BIBLIOTECA DUNDEE** (NR)

miércoles, 14 de marzo, 10 a 11:30 a.m.

miércoles, 28 de marzo, 10 a 11:30 a.m.

miércoles, 11 de abril, 10 a 11:30 a.m.

miércoles, 25 de abril, 10 a 11:30 a.m.

miércoles, 9 de mayo, 10 a 11:30 a.m.

miércoles, 23 de mayo, 10 a 11:30 a.m.

Practique su inglés conversacional y adquiera confianza en sus habilidades con un tutor del Literacy Connection.

GRUPO DE LECTORES

DEL VALLE DE FOX (NR)

El grupo se reunirá el jueves: 29 de marzo y 26 de abril y 31 de mayo de las 7 a 8:30 p.m.

Biblioteca Dundee

¡LEAMOS! (R)

todos los miércoles, 6:30 a 8:30 p.m.

Biblioteca Dundee

Un programa en línea que puede ayudar a los hispanohablantes, que por cualquier razón no pudieron completar su educación en su país natal, aprender a leer y escribir en español. Por favor llame al (224) 802-8000 con cualquier pregunta.

NIÑOS

VAMOS A LEER UN CUENTO (NR)

2 de abril a 4 de mayo

todos los martes, 6 a 6:30 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

todos los viernes, 4 a 4:30 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Vengan a leer, oír historias, y cantar canciones. Edad 3-6 años.



LOTERIA (R)

martes, 22 de mayo, 7 a 8 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Nada que hacer? Ven a jugar Lotería con nosotros y ganar premios.... Pero ¿Qué es lotería? Es como Bingo pero con dibujos en lugar de números. No se olviden de los premios. Entre 4 a 12 años de edad.

INTRODUCCIÓN A COMPUTADORAS

Clases interactivas usando las computadoras de la biblioteca. Con excepción de la Clase Parte Uno, se requiere conocimiento básico con el ratón y el teclado.

PARTE UNO – LO BÁSICO (R)

domingo, 8 de abril, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

martes, 1 de mayo, 6:30 a 8:30 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Descubra todo lo que necesita saber para usar una computadora. Ninguna habilidad con la computadora es necesaria.

PARTE DOS – EL INTERNET (R)

domingo, 15 de abril, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

martes, 8 de mayo, 6:30 a 8:30 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Descubra todo lo que necesita saber para usar el Internet.

PARTE TRES – EL EMAIL (R)

domingo, 22 de abril, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

martes, 15 de mayo, 6:30 a 8:30 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Aprenda qué es e-mail y como usarlo.

AYUDA PERSONALIZADA



Haga una cita privada gratuita de una hora para ayuda con sus preguntas técnicas sobre los aparatos móviles, recursos de la biblioteca o de las clases. Llame a Erica Acevedo al (224) 802-8000 o mande un correo electrónico a eacevedo@frvpld.info.

MICROSOFT WORD

PARTE 1 (R)

domingo, 29 de abril, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Conozca cómo crear y editar texto en Microsoft Word, un programa para crear documentos.

PARTE 2 (R)

domingo, 6 de mayo, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Conozca más herramientas de Microsoft Word, un programa para crear documentos.

CLASES ESPECIALIZADAS

YOUTUBE EN ESPAÑOL (R)

domingo, 4 de marzo 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Descubra YouTube, una página web que permite descubrir, ver y compartir videos.

LAS APLICACIONES DE GOOGLE: MAPAS (R)

domingo, 11 de marzo, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Aprenda como utilizar la herramienta de GPS utilizando aplicaciones gratuitas de Google.

LAS APLICACIONES DE GOOGLE: DRIVE & FOTOS (R)

domingo, 18 de marzo 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Aprenda a guardar archivos importantes y organizar sus documentos y fotos utilizando aplicaciones gratuitas de Google.

CIBERSEGURIDAD (R)

domingo, 25 de marzo 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

Protéjase y su privacidad usando el Internet. Aprenda lo esencial de la seguridad en el Internet.

FIESTA DEL CINCO DE MAYO: CIELITO LINDO

sábado, 5 de mayo, 2 a 4 p.m. *Biblioteca Dundee*

¡Para la celebración del Cinco de Mayo vamos a presentar la banda Cielito Lindo en FRVPLD! Vengan con toda la familia a este espectáculo interactivo donde escucharemos y bailaremos música tradicional mexicana. ¡Los niños tendrán la oportunidad de partir una gran piñata, hacer manualidades y de disfrutar de divertidas actividades! Los tiquetes estarán disponibles en el departamento de niños a partir del 16 de abril.





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The Dundee Library is accessible via Pace Route 803.

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Friday – Saturday: 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 1 – 5 p.m.

RANDALL OAKS LIBRARY

500 N. Randall Road
West Dundee, IL 60118

Monday – Thursday: 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Friday – Saturday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sunday: 1 – 5 p.m.

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Randall Oaks Library Driveway
West Dundee Jewel/Osco (north entrance)
Culver's (Miller & Randall Roads)

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BOARD MEETINGS

The Board of Trustees will meet on March 20, April 17, and May 15 at 7 p.m. at the Dundee Library. The Board is elected by the taxpayers to serve in a volunteer capacity. Meetings are open to the public.

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Spring Book Sale Dundee Library



Browse through newly donated hard covers, paperbacks, romance novels, audiobooks, DVDs, CDs, and children's books. Come back for the last hour special—all you can fit in a grocery bag for \$5 on Saturday from 3 to 4 p.m. Help the F.I.S.H. Food Pantry in Carpentersville by donating non-perishable items on Friday and Saturday (receive a free paperback book for each donation - limit ten). Visit the Friends' page at www.frvpld.info for a price list.

Thursday, March 22, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Friday, March 23, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, March 24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

2018 Friends of the Library Book Sales at the Dundee Library

SATURDAY, APRIL 7 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	DVD, CD & Audiobook DVDs: \$1 each or 6 for \$5 CDs: 50 cents each or 3 for \$1 Audiobooks: \$2 each
SATURDAY, MAY 26 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	Romance, Western, Military & Large Print Hardcover: \$2 each or 3 for \$5 Paperback: \$1 each or 6 for \$5
TUESDAY, JUNE 5 4 TO 8 P.M.	Children's Books All Books 25 cents each
SATURDAY, JULY 14 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	Non-Fiction Books Hardcover: \$2 each or 3 for \$5 Paperback: \$1 each or 6 for \$5
SATURDAY, AUGUST 11 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	Fiction & Mystery Books Hardcover: \$2 each or 3 for \$5 Paperback: \$1 each or 6 for \$5
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	Romance, Western, Military & Large Print Books Hardcover: \$2 each or 3 for \$5 Paperback: \$1 each or 6 for \$5
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18 TO SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20	Fall Book Sale Visit www.frvpld.info/fotl for a complete price list.
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	DVD, CD & Audiobook DVDs: \$1 each or 6 for \$5 CDs: 50 cents each or 3 for \$1 Audiobooks: \$2 each
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.	Non-Fiction Books Hardcover: \$2 each or 3 for \$5 Paperback: \$1 each or 6 for \$5