



Fox River Valley Libraries

Dundee Library • Randall Oaks Library

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

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UPCOMING CLOSINGS

Sept. 6 Labor Day
Sept. 17 Open at Noon (Staff Meeting)
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Welcome, Amy Dodson!

The FRVPLD Board of Trustees and staff are pleased to welcome Amy Dodson as the next Executive Director to lead the library district.

Amy has 25 years of professional library experience in Nevada, Colorado, California, and Tennessee. She most recently served as director of the Douglas County Public Library and Law Library in Nevada. Notable accomplishments in her previous positions include: helping to create an outdoor living library, raising funds to acquire a bookmobile, coordinating reconstruction of a library after a structural fire, and opening a homework center in a struggling neighborhood.



Amy will begin her duties as Library Director on August 23. We look forward to introducing her to this wonderful community.

Dodson received the Paul Howard Award for Courage from the American Library Association in 2021, the Downs Intellectual Freedom Award from the University of Illinois School of Information Sciences and ALA's Freedom to Read Foundation in 2020, and the Best Small Town Library in America from Library Journal and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation in 2014. She has a Bachelor of Arts degree in English and Women's Studies from the University of Louisville and a Master of Science in Library and Information Science from the University of Kentucky.

"I am passionate about the free and equal access to information and opportunities that public libraries provide. Libraries are vibrant knowledge centers that foster lifelong learning, spark curiosity, and bring people together. I am an enthusiastic and experienced director, devoted to equity, diversity, and inclusion for all," shared Dodson.



Outdoor Job Fair is Saturday, Oct. 2, 1 to 4 p.m.

Talk to local employers about permanent or seasonal job opportunities and get tips for improving your resume and interview skills. The Job Fair will be held outdoors on the front lawn of the Dundee Library. Dress professionally and bring your resume. No appointments necessary; stop by any time. Participation is free. Job seekers of all ages are welcome. Weather permitting. Check www.frvpld.info for day of event updates.

IMMIGRATION



DACA RENEWAL WORKSHOPS (R)

Sat., Aug. 28, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. *Dundee*
Sat., Nov. 13, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. *Dundee*

DOJ accredited professionals from Alianza Hispanoamericana will offer two DACA renewal workshops at the Dundee Library. Registered attendees will receive one-on-one assistance with completing the renewal application for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA).

This assistance is provided free of charge. The United States government charges a \$495.00 fee to process DACA applications. At the workshop, you should be prepared to pay a \$495.00 processing fee to U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services in the form of a money order, personal check, or credit card payment.

Each workshop has a limit of fifteen attendees. We encourage you to register early. Please note that this workshop is exclusively for those seeking renewal requests for deferred action under DACA. Prior to the workshop, 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 to YWCA Elgin by Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights, Illinois Department of Human Services, and the New American Initiative.

IMMIGRATION HELP AT THE DUNDEE LIBRARY (NR)

Thursdays, Sept. 9, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, 1 to 4 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 at the Dundee Library. No appointment is required; consultants will be available for private discussion on a first come, first served basis.

Alianza Hispanoamericana is a non-profit organization that specializes in immigration help, including citizenship applications and Deferred Action Childhood Arrival (DACA) renewal applications. These services are made possible by a grant awarded by Illinois Access to Justice (A2J), as well as a grant awarded to YWCA Elgin by Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights, Illinois Department of Human Services, and the New American Initiative.

CITIZENSHIP WORKSHOPS (R)

Sat., Sept. 11, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. *Dundee*
Sat., Oct. 16, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. *Dundee*

DOJ accredited professionals from Alianza Hispanoamericana will offer two U.S. Citizenship workshops at the Dundee Library. Registered attendees will receive the following services:

- Assessment of your eligibility to naturalize
- Application preparation & documentation packaging, if eligible
- Application review by a qualified legal representative
- Access to community resources

These services are provided free of charge. The United States government charges a \$725.00 fee to process citizenship applications. You may be eligible to have this fee waived. As part of your assessment, DOJ accredited professionals will determine if you are eligible. If you are not eligible for the waiver, you should be prepared to pay a \$725.00 processing fee to U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services in the form of a money order, personal check, or credit card payment.

Each workshop has a limit of ten attendees. We encourage you to register early. Prior to the workshop, 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 to YWCA Elgin by Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights, Illinois Department of Human Services, and the New American Initiative.

(R) Register at www.frvpld.info / (847) 428-3661 / In Person (NR) No registration required



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TALLER DE RENOVACIÓN

DE DACA (R)

sábado, 28 de agosto, 9 a.m. a 2 p.m. Dundee

sábado, 13 de noviembre, 9 a.m. a 2 p.m. Dundee

Profesionales, reconocidos por el Departamento de Justicia (Department of Justice), de Alianza Hispanoamericana ofrecerán dos talleres de renovación de DACA en la Biblioteca de Dundee. Asistentes recibirán asistencia personalizada para completar la solicitud de renovación de Acción Diferida para los Llegados en la Infancia (DACA).

Esta asistencia es gratis. El gobierno Estadounidense cobra una tarifa de \$495.00 para procesar las solicitudes de renovación de DACA. En el taller, debe estar preparado para pagar la tarifa de procesamiento de \$495.00 a "U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services" (Servicios de Ciudadanía e Inmigración de los Estados Unidos) en forma de giro, cheque personal o con tarjeta de crédito.

Existe un límite de quince asistentes en cada taller. Le recomendamos que se registre lo proto posible. Tenga en cuenta que este taller es exclusivamente para aquellos que buscan solicitudes de renovación de acción diferida bajo DACA. 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), y uno concedido del YMCA de Elgin por Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights, Illinois Department of Human Services y el New American Initiative.

ASISTENCIA DE IMMIGRACIÓN EN LA BIBLIOTECA DUNDEE (NR)

jueves: 9 de septiembre, 14 de octubre, 11 de noviembre, 1 a 4 p.m. Dundee

¿Tiene preguntas sobre los beneficios de inmigración y el camino a la ciudadanía? Profesionales reconocidos por DOJ de Alizana Hispanoamericana ofrecerán consultas personales gratuitas en la Biblioteca Dundee. No necesita cita; consultas serán disponibles para discusiones privadas por orden de llegada.

Alizana Hispanoamericana es una organización sin animo de lucro que especializa en inmigración, incluyendo aplicaciones de ciudadanía y solicitudes de renovación para Acción Diferida para los Llegados en la infancia (DACA). Estos servicios son hechos posibles por los subsidios otorgados por Illinois Access to Justice (A2J), y uno concedido del YMCA de Elgin por Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee rights, Illinois Department of Human Services, y el New American Initiative.

TALLER DE CIUDADANÍA (R)

sábado, 11 de septiembre, 9 a.m. a 2 p.m. Dundee

sábado, 16 de octubre, 9 a.m. a 2 p.m. Dundee

Profesionales, reconocidos por el Departamento de Justicia (Department of Justice), de Alianza Hispanoamericana ofrecerán dos talleres de ciudadanía en la Biblioteca de Dundee. Los registrados recibirán los siguientes servicios:

- Evaluación de su elegibilidad para naturalizarse
- Preparación de la solicitud de ciudadanía y organización de documentación, si es elegible.
- Revisión de su solicitud por un representante legal calificado
- Acceso a recursos comunitarios

Estos servicios son gratis. El gobierno Estadounidense cobra una tarifa de \$725.00 para procesar las solicitudes de ciudadanía. Usted podrá ser elegible para que se le exima esta tarifa. Como parte de su evaluación los Profesionales, reconocidos por el Departamento de Justicia (Department of Justice), determinarán si es elegible. Si no es elegible para la exención, usted debería estar preparado para pagar la cuota de procesamiento de \$725.00 a "U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services" (Servicios de Ciudadanía e Inmigración de los Estados Unidos) en forma de giro, cheque personal o con tarjeta de crédito.

Existe un límite de diez asistentes en cada taller. Le recomendamos que se registre lo proto posible. 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), y uno concedido del YMCA de Elgin por Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights, Illinois Department of Human Services y el New American Initiative.

(R) Requiere registración. En persona, en línea en frvpld.info, o llame al (847) 428-3661 (NR) No requiere registración

FALL STORYTIMES

Session 1: Sept. 13 – Oct. 16

Session 2: Oct. 24 – Nov. 20

All storytimes are in person. Masks are required for anyone over the age of 2, regardless of vaccination status. Registration is required.

WONDERFUL ONES (R)

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

Books, music, movement, and our friendly puppets will keep your little one giggling during this storytime for one-year olds!

FAMILY STORYTIME (R)

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

Enjoy family storytime as we read stories, do finger plays, listen to music and move around. All ages, but best for 2-6.

BEDTIME STORYTIME (R)

Mondays, 6:30 to 7 p.m. Dundee

Put on your pajamas, grab your favorite stuffed animal and head to the library for storytime! Enjoy a quieter and calmer storytime to help you get ready for a good night's sleep. All ages, but best for 2-6.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (R)

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

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

Have fun and build literacy skills in our preschool storytime! Children will engage with books, stories, and songs. Ages 3-6.

TREMENDOUS TWOS (R)

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

Interact with your toddler as we read stories, do finger plays, listen to music and move around. Ages 2-3 w/caregiver.

BABY STORYTIME (R)

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

Have fun with baby and other caregivers as we bounce, sing, read, and rhyme! Ages 0-12 months w/caregiver. Other family members are also welcome.

BILINGUAL STORYTIME (R)

Wednesdays, 11 to 11:30 a.m. Dundee

Read books, sing songs, and have fun in English and Spanish.

BABY, TODDLER & PRESCHOOL

Calling all stuffies to the library!

TEDDY BEAR PICNIC (R)

Tues., Sept. 7, 10 to 10:45 a.m. Dundee

Bring your cuddly friend to the library for stories, laughs and a snack. Ages 3-6.

TEDDY BEAR GAMES (R)

Thurs., Oct. 7, 11 to 11:45 a.m. Dundee

Bring your favorite stuffed animal in for games and fun! Ages 3-6.

TEDDY BEAR SLEEPOVER (R)

Mon., Nov. 29, 6 to 6:45 p.m. Dundee

Bring your favorite teddy bear or other stuffed animal, to a special sleepover pajama party at the library. Pick up your animal and a photo of their library adventure on Dec. 1. Ages 3-6.



BABY SCIENTIST TAKE HOME LAB (NR)

Take home some STEAM fun! Kits include activities based on Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math that are best for ages 1-3. Available first come, first served.

STORYTIME AT ELDER + OAT (NR)

Sat., Sept. 4, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Sat., Oct. 2, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Sat., Nov. 6, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Join us for Storytime at Elder + Oat in West Dundee. Children of all ages are welcome to come in and enjoy a story, music and a complimentary small treat. Elder + Oat is located at 124 W Main St. in West Dundee.



HOLIDAY LITTLE ARTISTS (R)

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

Oct. 15 Thumbprint Pumpkin Patch

Nov. 12 Fall Tissue Paper Wreath

You don't have to be a big kid to be an artist. Read stories and create holiday art projects. Dress for a mess! Ages 1-3 w/caregiver.

DRIVE-IN MOVIE: PJ MASKS (R)

Tues., Oct. 19, 10 to 10:45 a.m. Dundee

Make your own vehicle out of a cardboard box and watch an episode of PJ Masks. Ages 2-6 w/caregiver.

TAPE TOWN: RACE CARS (R)

Mon., Nov. 22, 10 to 10:30 a.m. Randall Oaks

Read a book about race cars, then create your own personal racetrack using road tape, materials, a race car, and your imagination. Ages 2-6 w/caregiver.

DRIVE-IN MOVIE: PEPPA PIG (R)

Tues., Nov. 23, 10 to 10:45 a.m. Dundee

Make your own vehicle out of a cardboard box and watch an episode of Peppa Pig. Ages 2-6 w/caregiver.



Good to know...

- Masks are required for anyone over the age of 2, regardless of vaccination status.
- When registering for a program, please register each person in your party separately, including adults.
- Use your camera to scan this QR Code and go directly to the Youth Services online calendar at www.frvpld.info.

FAMILY

FAMILY GAME NIGHT AT RANDALL OAKS (R)

Wednesdays, 6 to 7 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

Sept. 1 Giant Chutes and Ladders and Giant Go Fish

Oct. 6 Lego/Duplo Masters building challenge

Nov. 3 Giant UNO and Giant Checkers

Play some unique games with your family at the library. We will supply the games, you come ready to have fun! Family game night will be the first Wednesday of every month.

LATINX HERITAGE MONTH CELEBRATION (R)

Sat., Sept. 18, 1 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

Celebrate Latinx Heritage Month with customary Hispanic music, traditional Mexican food, crafts and a piñata. Fun for the whole the family. Please register all who are attending.

PUPPET STAGE THEATER (R)

Wed., Sept. 22, 6 to 7 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

Make the puppets and then practice and perform a fairy tale show with your family or friends.

INCREDIBLE BATS (R)

Sat., Oct. 9, 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

Would you like to see some real-life bats? Join us as we learn from Incredible Bats about the importance of these nocturnal critters. All ages.

REMEMBER ME: DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS CELEBRATION (R)

Tues., Oct. 26, 6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Celebrate Día de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) with your family as we read a book, have a snack, complete a craft and watch "Coco." All ages.

THANK-O-RAMA (R)

Tues., Nov. 23, 4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Celebrate gratitude with stories and activities. Please register all who are attending. All ages.



JOSÉ-LUIS OROZCO VIRTUAL CONCERT (R)

Sat., Sept. 25, 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

The Dundee Library is honored to present a virtual concert by José-Luis Orozco. José-Luis Orozco is a bilingual educator, children's author and recording artist with over 50 years of experience. This program will be streamed live on Zoom in the Dundee Library meeting room in partnership with Joliet, Niles, McHenry, Gail Borden and South Holland Public Libraries. Registration required.



HAUNTED BOOK NOOK (R)

Mon, Oct. 11, 3 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Create a miniature haunted book nook. Materials provided, bring your creativity and fun attitude. Grades 3-6.

GLOVE MONSTERS (R)

Wed., Oct. 13, 4 to 4:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Make a glove monster that can come to life! Grades K-2.

HALLOWEEN FAMILY DANCE PARTY (R)

Mon., Oct. 18, 10 to 10:30 a.m. and 4 to 4:30 p.m. *Randall Oaks*

Dance the Monster Mash, slide to Thriller, and have fun wearing your costume to celebrate Halloween! All ages.

SPOOKY POUR PAINTING FOR KIDS (R)

Mon., Oct. 18, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Create a spooky piece of art using the pour painting technique. Dress to get messy! Grades 2-6.

WAHOO WOODS

HALLOWEEN STORYTIME (R)

Fri., Oct. 29, 5 to 5:30 p.m. *Wahoo Woods*

Head back to Wahoo Woods (behind the library) to listen to creepy and unsettling stories that will put you in the Halloween spirit. Grades 3-6.

HALLOWEEN PARADE & EXTRAVAGANZA (R)

Sat., Oct. 30, 10 to 11 a.m. *Dundee*

Come in costume for stories, a parade, and slightly spooky fun for the whole family!



ELEMENTARY (GRADES K-6)

MEET THE MASTERS (R)

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

Sept. 7 Frida Kahlo

Oct. 5 Wassily Kandinsky

Nov. 2 Keith Haring

Explore the life and techniques of an artist through hands-on activities. Ages 4 and up.

MAKE YOUR OWN SUPERHERO SHIELD (R)

Thurs., Sept. 9, 5 to 5:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Help defend Earth by making your very own superhero shield! Grades K-2.

FOODIE KIDS (R)

Fridays, 3:30 to 4 p.m. *Dundee*

Sept. 10 Snails and Butterflies

Oct. 8 Apple Monsters

Nov. 12 Sandwich Cars

Kids take over the kitchen in this hands-on snack making workshop. Grades K-3.



TWEEN STEAM (R)

Wednesdays, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Sept. 15 Binary Bracelet

Oct. 20 "Robotic" Hand

Nov. 17 Straw Pan Flute

Create or participate in STEAM crafts or challenges. Grades 3-6.

FLAPPING BAT FINGER PUPPET (R)

Mon., Oct. 4, 4 to 5 p.m. *Dundee*

Create your own bat finger puppet with flappable wings. Grades 3-6.

NO TOOL STRING ART (R)

Tues., Nov. 8, 4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Create a unique String Art piece to hang in your room. Grades 3-6.

STAMP MAKING (R)

Thurs., Nov. 11, 4 to 4:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Using foam board and cardboard, we will make our own personalized stamps. Grades 3-6.

THE JOY OF PAINTING (R)

Thurs., Nov. 18, 5 to 6 p.m. *Dundee*

Create dynamic scenes of nature inspired by Bob Ross! Grab a paintbrush, some paint, and get ready to paint your own outside wonderland. Grades 3-6.

SHARPIE LEAF MOBILE (R)

Mon., Nov. 22, 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

Make a leaf mobile to decorate your room with the colors of fall leaves. Materials provided. Grades 3-6.

NEW BOOK IN WAHOO WOODS STORYWALK®



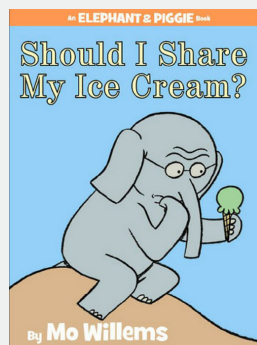
A whole new story awaits as we have updated the StoryWalk to feature *The Wonderful Book (El Libro Fantástico)* by Leonid Gore. Stroll from page to page in the beautiful autumn outdoors as you read a story about forest animals who discover a mysterious object in the woods and the little boy who shows them how special it is.

Wahoo Woods is located directly behind the Dundee Library (so don't forget to stop in!).

BOOK CLUBS

Did you know that audiobooks count as reading?

They are great for car rides, when everyone can enjoy the story and get in on the discussion.



BOOK EXPLORERS (R)

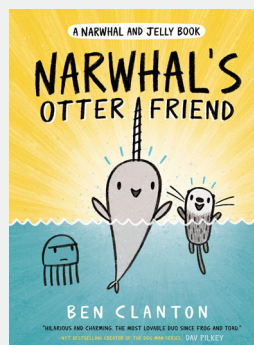
Tuesdays, 4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Sept. 21 *Should I Share My Ice Cream?* by Mo Willems

Oct. 19 *Narwhal's Otter Friend (Narwhal & Jelly #4)* by Ben Clanton

Nov. 16 Kids' Choice!

Grab a snack, do a craft, and explore a great book each month. Kids help choose the books! Grades K-3.



MAGIC AND MONSTERS BOOK CLUB (R)

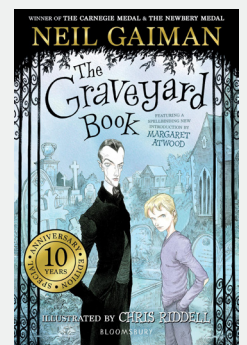
Tuesdays, 4 to 4:45 p.m. *Dundee*

Sept. 28 *Aru Shah and the End of Time* by Roshani Chokshi

Oct. 26 *The Graveyard Book* by Neil Gaiman

Nov. 30 Kids' Choice!

Chill out, discuss a cool fantasy book, have a snack, and take on a craft or activity based on the book of the month. Kids get to help choose the books! Grades 3-6.



PROGRAMS

ANIME CLUB (R)

Wednesdays: Sept. 1, Oct. 6, Nov. 3,
6:30 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Talk about your favorite anime and manga, make cool pixel art projects and buttons, share memes, and show off your drawings and sketches.

JUVENILE JUSTICE JEOPARDY (R)

Thurs., Sept. 2, 6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Join us for an evening of food, fun and prizes! The game is designed to inform young people of the laws that often affect them, help them understand their rights, provide strategies for effectively interacting with law enforcement, and correct some misconceptions about the juvenile and criminal justice systems. Hosted by Family Service Association of Elgin (FSA) and the Village of Carpentersville. For teens and parents.

PIXEL ART (R) D300 early release days!

Fridays, Sept. 3, Oct. 8, Nov. 19,
2 to 4:30 p.m. *Dundee*

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

BTS & K-POP FANS (R)

Sat., Sept. 11, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Meet up with other BTS and k-pop fans! Watch music videos, answer trivia questions, and make k-pop-inspired pixel art, shrink charms, and buttons.

SEWING & FIBER ARTS STUDIO (NR)

Wednesdays, Sept. 15, Oct. 20, Nov. 17,
5:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Explore sewing and fiber arts during this open studio time in our maker space, Corner 68. Use our materials to start something new or bring in your own project to work on. We have yarn, crochet thread, embroidery string, hand sewing utensils, crochet hooks and knitting needles. The library also has 5 sewing machines (Husqvarna/Viking Emerald 118) that will be available.

TEEN GAMING HANGOUT

Saturdays, Sept. 25, Oct. 23, Nov. 27, 2 to 4 p.m.

Meet in Corner 68 at the Dundee Library

Teen Gaming is back! Drop in and hang out in Corner 68 and make use of our games. We have digital and physical gaming options available: laptop PCs, Nintendo Switch, PS4, and Xbox, plus board games and card games. Bring in your own games as well.



MINECRAFT REALM (R)

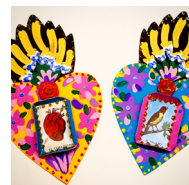
Saturdays, Sept. 25, Oct. 23, Nov. 27, 2 to 4 p.m.
Dundee/Zoom

Play in person at the library or from home. You will be able to connect via the game and voice chat using Zoom or use a library laptop (or bring your own) Voice chat via Zoom during the monthly program time and play on the Realm outside of the program hours. You must have your own Minecraft JAVA account to participate in the Realm. Grades 6-12.

MEXICAN TIN HEARTS (R)

Mon., Sept. 27, 6:30 to 8 p.m.
Dundee

Make Mexican folk art using lotería images, paint, and molded flowers made from hot glue.



SPOOKY TERRARIUM (R)

Mon., Oct. 11, 4:30 to 6 p.m. *Dundee*

Create your own mini Halloween scene using fun figures and accessories in a glass jar.

DIY FELT COFFEE COZY (R)

Sat., Nov. 13, 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

Make a cute woodland animal to wrap around your cup of coffee or tea.

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

Would you like to participate in our teen programs but require more individualized assistance?

Schedule a private or small group lesson with one of our programmers! Just let us know which teen program you are interested in, and we'll do our best to customize the experience to your specific needs. Our staff members can focus on interacting and assisting the attendee in a relaxed manner and move at the speed required by that person or persons. Contact Teen Librarian Danielle Pacini at (224) 699-5880 to schedule your session.

Use your camera to scan this QR Code and go directly to the Teen online calendar at www.frvpld.info/events/month.



PROGRAMS

CELEBRATE INTERNATIONAL SUDOKU DAY (NR)

Thurs., Sept. 9, All Day *Dundee*

Stop by the Info Services Desk and grab a special packet of Sudoku puzzles!

ROCK THE GUAC! (R)

Thurs., Sept. 16, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

In honor of National Guacamole Day, learn to make homemade guac that rocks! We will make several different styles of guac, and take home recipes for them all.

LEARN TO PAINT LIKE BOB ROSS (R)

Thurs., Sept. 23, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

He is America's favorite curly-haired, super chill artist. Learn to paint and make your own outdoor-themed piece of artwork.

ICED COFFEE (R)

Tues., Sept. 28, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

In honor of National Coffee Day, learn to make three simple cold caffeinated drinks: a cold brew, a matcha latte, and the ever-yummy iced brown sugar oat milk shaken espresso.



Use your camera to scan this QR Code and go directly to the Adult online calendar at www.frvpld.info.

**HORROR MOVIE TRIVIA:****THE DREADED RETURN (R)**

Mon., Oct. 11, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Online*

"Do you like scary movies?" We're back with another edition of Horror Movie trivia! We'll play three ghoulish rounds of trivia featuring questions pulled from silent era horrors, Universal Pictures, Hammer Productions, the "video nasties" of the 1980s, right up to our current golden age of "elevated horror." Be afraid, be very afraid.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP (R)

Thurs., Sept. 30, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Thurs., Oct. 28, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Thurs., Nov. 18, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Fox Valley Caregiver Support Group is a support group for caregivers. Get encouragement, support, and tips and tools to help make your caregiving experience more positive and meaningful.

MEDICARE 101 (R)

Thurs., Oct. 7, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Confused by the alphabet soup that is Medicare coverage? Join us for this informative presentation and be prepared for practical answers.

PLANTING BULBS & WINTER GARDEN PREP (R)

Sat., Oct. 9, 11 a.m. to noon *Dundee*

Get your garden ready for winter. Learn what to do and what not to do based on your garden goals. Fall is also a great time to plant bulbs for the coming season. Attendees will get some bulbs to try planting at home!

THE COLOR OF LAW & REVERSING SEGREGATION WITH RICHARD ROTHSTEIN (R)

Wed., Oct. 13, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

Author and researcher Richard Rothstein presents on the policies that led to racial segregation in American communities, and what can be done to reverse these practices and work towards racial equity. Co-sponsored by multiple Illinois libraries and held in partnership with Racial Awareness in the North Shore (RAIN), Together is Better Alliance (TiBA).

ANIMATED VILLAINS TRIVIA (R)

Wed., Oct. 20, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Online*

Join us virtually for three unique and challenging rounds on all our favorite animated villains. From Scar to Tai Lung, Disney to Dreamworks, try to see how well you know the villains. Open to all ages!

The YouTube link will be shared via social media and on the online calendar on the day of the event. Play either on your computer using two browser windows to watch the stream and play the game at the same time, or watch the YouTube stream on a computer and play the trivia game on your mobile device. Come watch and chat with other fans using the YouTube chat.

SPOOKY POUR PAINTING FOR ADULTS (R)

Thurs., Oct. 14, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn the swipe technique to make a fall-colored piece of art. Dress to get messy!

MAKE YOUR OWN: FALL CANDLES (R)

Thurs., Oct. 21, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Make unique candles (pumpkin and twisty) to display in your home for the fall season.

VIRTUAL AUTHOR VISIT WITH CHRIS BOHJALIAN (R)

Wed., Oct. 27, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Zoom*

Chris Bohjalian is the #1 New York Times bestselling author of 22 books. His work has been translated into 35 languages, adapted into three movies and a TV series. He will talk about his new release *The Hour of the Witch*.

RECREATIONAL CANNABIS - WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW (R)

Thurs., Nov. 4, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

What is the difference between THC and CBD? Gummies, drops, edibles, flower – what does it all mean? You must be 21 to attend this program. No cannabis will be distributed or consumed at this program.

EASY BREAD MAKING (R)

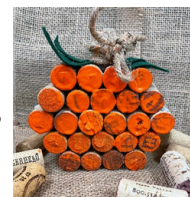
Tues., Nov. 9, 6 to 7 p.m. *Dundee*

Try your hand at making a simple bread which you can then take home to bake and enjoy.

MAKE YOUR OWN: WINE CORK PUMPKIN (R)

Thurs., Nov. 11, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Create this cute addition to your holiday décor.

**BOB'S BURGER'S TRIVIA: AUTUMN EDITION (R)**

Mon., Nov. 22, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Online*

"Pass the cranberry sauce, we're having mashed potatoes!" Test your knowledge of the Halloween and Thanksgiving episodes (and music!) of Bob's Burgers.

NEVER FORGET: A COMMEMORATIVE WEBINAR (NR)

Sat., Sept. 11, Streaming All Day on www.frvpld.info/never-forget-commemorative-webinar

To commemorate the 20th Anniversary, The 9/11 Memorial & Museum invites communities across America to watch a film highlighting first-person accounts of the deadliest terrorist attacks in world history and their aftermath. Hear firsthand stories from people who lived and experienced the day in memorable ways. A link to the film will be available on the 9/11 square on our online events calendar.

A DATE WE WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER:**SEPTEMBER 11, 2001 (R)**

Sun., Sept. 19, 2 to 3:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Historical Presenter Jim Gibbons will discuss the events that took place before, during and after the attacks and how it will be timestamped forever in American history.



LEARN TO CROCHET WITH KATIE

Participants will receive printed crochet instructions, yarn and a crochet hook to keep. I will start with the largest size crochet hook in this series of classes and move to smaller sizes as we go. If you want extra in-person help after the class, you can stop by the Sewing & Fiber Arts Studio (see page 7) or set up a one-on-one appointment. For teens and adults.

**CROCHET BASICS 1: SLIP KNOT, CHAIN AND SINGLE CROCHET (R)**

Wed., Sept. 8, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

This class will be for the absolute beginner. I will go over making a slip knot, creating a starting chain, making single crochet stitches, and turning the work/creating rows.

CROCHET BASICS 2: DOUBLE CROCHET & WORKING IN-THE-ROUND (GRANNY SQUARES) (R)

Wed., Oct. 13, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

This class is for someone who can already make a starting chain and complete single crochet stitches. I will go over double and triple crochet stitches and cover working in the round (creating granny squares).

CROCHET BASICS 3: READING PATTERNS & CREATING TEXTURES (R)

Wed., Nov. 10, 7 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

This class is for someone who can already make a starting chain, complete single, double and triple crochet stitches. I will go over reading patterns (both written & charts) and creating textures.

BOOK CLUBS

SENIOR BOOK CLUB (R)

Discussions are held in-person at the Dundee Township Park District's Rakow Adult Activity Center in Carpentersville.

Wed., Sept. 1, 10 to 11 a.m.

The Confessions of Young Nero
by Margaret George

Wed., Oct. 6, 10 to 11 a.m.

American Spy by Lauren Wilkinson

Wed., Nov. 3, 10 to 11 a.m.

The Secrets We Kept by Lara Prescott

DUNDEE LIBRARY BOOK CLUB

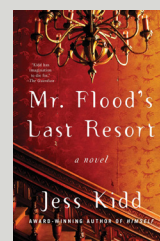
Enjoy lively in-person discussions the last Wednesday of the month at 1:30 and 7 p.m. Most titles are available from Hoopla in both eBook and eAudiobook formats. Hard copies can be picked up at the Dundee Library. Please register.



September 29

When We Left Cuba
by Chanel Cleeton

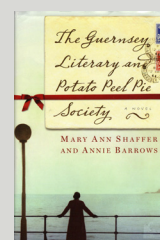
Exquisitely wrought tale of a privileged girl exiled from her country and the powerful American politician who changes the course of her life.



October 27

Mr. Flood's Last Resort by Jess Kidd

A young woman sensitive to spirits becomes a caretaker for a cantankerous hoarder and his haunted house



November 17

Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society by Mary Ann Shaffer

The German occupation of the Channel Islands, recalled in letters between a London reporter and an eccentric gaggle of Guernsey islanders.

Need more book recommendations?

Try Fox Picks — materials chosen just for you by an FRVPLD librarian! Visit www.frvpld.info/foxpicks.

MICROSOFT OFFICE

In-person computer classes are back! Microsoft Office classes are hands-on instruction using FRVPLD computers.

MICROSOFT WORD 2019 PART 1: THE BASICS (R)

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

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

MICROSOFT WORD 2019 PART 2: IMAGES, TABLES AND TEXT BOXES (R)

Tues., Sept. 14, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn to insert and manipulate images and text boxes, take screen shots, and use screen clippings. We will also cover creating, sorting and formatting tables.

MICROSOFT EXCEL 2019 PART 1: BASIC BUDGETING (R)

Tues., Sept. 28, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn to create a basic budget using important tools in Excel.

MICROSOFT EXCEL 2019 PART 2: CHARTS AND GRAPHS (R)

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

Learn to create charts and graphs and link data from multiple spreadsheets.



MICROSOFT EXCEL 2019 PART 3: TABLES, NAMED RANGES AND PIVOTTABLES (R)

Tues., Oct. 12, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Summarize and analyze large sets of data.

MICROSOFT EXCEL 2019 PART 4: INTRO TO FORMULAS & FUNCTIONS (R)

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

Learn how to use formulas in Excel.

MICROSOFT EXCEL 2019 PART 5: VLOOKUP, INDEX MATCH (R)

Tues., Oct. 26, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Expand on the knowledge of formulas gained in Part 4. Learn about H-lookup, Index, and Match.

MICROSOFT POWERPOINT 2019: BASIC SLIDESHOW (R)

Tues., Nov. 9, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Learn how to make creative slide presentations for home and work in this hands-on class.

MICROSOFT POWERPOINT 2019: INTERMEDIATE SKILLS (R)

Tues., Nov. 16, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Take your PowerPoint presentations to the next level by mastering slide views and inserting notes, shapes, WordArt, hyperlinks and charts.



Use your camera to scan this QR Code and go directly to the Computer Classes online calendar at www.frvpld.info/events/month.



TECH HOW TO: MEAL DELIVERY APPS (R)

Tues., Sept. 21, 7 to 8:30 p.m. *Zoom*

App-based food delivery is a popular way to get a quick and easy meal or have food ready for pick up, in this class we'll discuss ways to take advantage of these apps while keeping personal and financial security in mind.

GET ONE-ON-ON HELP WITH TECHNOLOGY ISSUES

Book a free, one-hour appointment with an Adult & Teen Services staff member to get help with common technology issues. Appointments are offered in person, via Zoom, or over the phone. We can help with a range of topics including online job applications, Microsoft Office, social media, syncing email with your phone, downloading content like movies, music, eBooks and audiobooks. To make an appointment:

- call (224) 802-8000
- email lon1@frvpld.info, or
- visit www.frvpld.info to fill out a "Request a Tech Appointment" under the services tab.



CLUB DE CONVERSACIÓN (R)

miércoles, 5 de septiembre, 6:30 a 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

miércoles, 13 de octubre, 6:30 a 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

miércoles, 10 de noviembre, 6:30 a 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

Practique su inglés conversacional con un tutor del Literacy Connection. Favor de registrarse. Finalmente nos reuniremos en persona en Corner 68. ¿Tiene preguntas? Llame a Jasmin al (224) 699-5836 o envíe un correo electrónico a jmunoz@frvpld.info

NOCHE DE INFORMACIÓN HIPOTECARIA CON RESTORATION AMÉRICA (R)

miércoles, 22 de septiembre, 4 a 5 p.m. *Dundee*

En colaboración con Restoration America, una agencia aprobada por HUD, y Centro de Información acompañenos para una tarde de información sobre recursos de asesoramiento para vivienda, finanzas hipotecarias; habrá tiempo para hacer preguntas.

PAN SENCILLO (R)

martes, 11 de noviembre,

6 a 7:30 p.m. *Dundee*

¿Siempre ha querido aprender cómo hacer su propio pan, pero no saber dónde empezar? Entonces acompañenos y haga un pan sencillo que puedes llevar a casa para hornear y disfrutar.



CLASES DE COMPUTADORA

INTRO A COMPUTADORAS – LO BÁSICO - PARTE UNO (R)

lunes, 13 de septiembre, 6:30 a 8 p.m. *Dundee*

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

INTRO A COMPUTADORAS – LO BÁSICO - PARTE DOS (R)

lunes, 20 de septiembre, 6:30 a 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Continuaremos descubriendo las herramientas para usar una computadora con confianza. Requiera haber asistido a Parte Uno.

INTRO A COMPUTADORAS – EL INTERNET – PARTE UNO (R)

lunes, 4 de octubre, 6:30 a 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Descubra todo lo que necesita saber para usar el Internet.

INTRO A COMPUTADORAS – EL INTERNET – PARTE DOS (R)

lunes, 18 de octubre, 6:30 a 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Descubra todo lo que necesita saber para usar el Internet.

LECTORES DE DUNDEE (R)

Asiste a nuestra reunión de lectura. Leeremos un nuevo libro cada mes y nos reuniremos cada ultimo jueves del mes para discutir lo. El libro podrá ser recogido un mes antes de la reunión. En este momento nuestras reuniones serán virtualmente. Por favor de proporcionar su correo electrónico cuando se registre, el enlace de Zoom será compartido el día del programa.



jueves, 30 de septiembre

7 a 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Controla tu mente
por Jennie Allen



jueves, 8 de octubre

7 a 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Las cosas que perdimos en el fuego
por Mariana Enriquez



jueves, 18 de noviembre

7 a 8 a.m. *Dundee*

El Sutil Arte De Que Te Importe Un Caraj
por Mark Manson

NIÑOS

LATINX HERITAGE MONTH CELEBRATION

Sat., Sept. 18, 1 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

Vengan a celebrar con nosotros el mes de la hispanidad con una fiesta en la biblioteca. Tendremos musica en vivo, comida típica, manualidades y piñatas. No se lo pierda. Diversion para toda la familia.

JOSÉ-LUIS OROZCO VIRTUAL CONCERT

Sat., Sept. 25, 2 to 3 p.m. *Dundee*

La biblioteca de Dundee tiene el honor de presentar un concierto virtual de José-Luis Orozco. José-Luis Orozco es un educador bilingüe, autor infantil y artista discográfico con más de 50 años de experiencia. Este programa se transmitirá en vivo por Zoom en la sala de reuniones de la biblioteca de Dundee en colaboración con las bibliotecas públicas de Joliet, Niles, McHenry, Gail Borden y South Holland.

REMEMBER ME: DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS CELEBRATION (R)

Tues., Oct. 26, 6 to 8 p.m. *Dundee*

Celebre con nosotros el Dia de los muertos en compania de su familia en la biblioteca con un cuento, botanas, manualidades y la proyeccion de "Coco".



Usando su cámara de teléfono escanea el código QR para ir directamente a nuestro calendario en Español.





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DUNDEE LIBRARY

555 Barrington Ave. (Rt. 68)
East Dundee, IL 60118

The Dundee Library is 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

The Randall Oaks Library is 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.

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BOARD MEETINGS

The Board of Trustees will meet on Sept. 21, Oct. 19, and Nov. 16 at 7 p.m. The Board is elected by the taxpayers to serve in a volunteer capacity. Meetings are open to the public.

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ART CONTEST

Your library has a blank space on its wall, and what's missing is a work of art celebrating the diversity of our library district. We serve 70,000 residents in the villages of Carpentersville, East Dundee, West Dundee, Gilberts, Sleepy Hollow, and parts of Algonquin, Barrington Hills, and Elgin. We're looking to you to share an original work of art, in any medium, that represents your vision of our diverse community.

All residents aged 13 and over are invited to participate. The winning submission will be displayed at the Dundee Library for one year, serving as a public celebration of the creativity of our diverse users. Additionally, the winning artist will receive Member Plus access to the Art Institute of Chicago (\$150 value).

To enter the contest, send an email to contest@FRVPLD.info with the following information: your age, city, contact information, the title of your work of art, its dimensions (in inches), and a high-resolution photo of your work of art. You must live within the Library District to be eligible for participation. Library card is not required. One submission per person, please. Submissions will be accepted September 1 through October 15. Winner will be announced on November 8.

September is LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH!

"A library card provides opportunity for discovery and access to a rich and diverse world. It empowers you to make change and experience new stories."

– MARLEY DIAS, Library Card Sign-Up Month Honorary Chair



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Do you have a library card?

It's so easy to get a library card! All you have to do is bring in proper identification to either library location. Kids can even get their own card! (A parent or guardian may present ID to sign for a child between birth and 15.) So what is proper identification? The most efficient is a photo ID with your current address, such as a driver's license or state ID.

If your photo ID does not have your current address, a second ID with your current address is needed. If you have no photo ID, then 2 IDs with current address on each will be acceptable. Acceptable forms of identification: are motor vehicle registration or renewal, checkbook, current real estate tax or utility bill, current lease, credit card bill, or mail addressed to the you and not postmarked more than 30 days previous to the request for a new card. We also offer digital library cards! Use the QR code to learn more!

