



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

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Monday - Friday | 3 to 7 p.m.



DUNDEE LIBRARY

ALL KIDS 18 AND UNDER THROUGH 5/20/2021

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UPCOMING CLOSINGS

March 19 Open at Noon (Staff Meeting)

April 4 Easter

May 21 Open at Noon (Staff Meeting)

May 31 Memorial Day

Welcome Back!

Dundee Library & Randall Oaks Library buildings are open to the public

Earlier this month, the Dundee Library and Randall Oaks Library happily welcomed patrons back into the buildings. Patrons are invited back to browse and make their selections for check out, but will be unable to linger or gather and are asked to limit their visit to 60 minutes. Social distancing procedures will be practiced, and masks will be required to enter the library. Capacity limits will be followed, and patrons will be asked to wait for entry if necessary. Keep reading for an update on the status of our many services.

- License Plate Renewal is available at the Dundee Library.
- Printing service is available. Up to 20 pages can be printed free of charge. Email items to be printed and picked up at the Dundee Library to libraryhelp@frvpld.info. Email items to be printed and picked up at the Randall Oaks Library to randalloakslibrary@frvpld.info.
- Cold Suppers for kids 18 and under can be picked up at the Dundee Library Monday through Friday from 3 to 7 p.m.
- Tax forms are available at the Dundee Library. Hard copies of 1040s are available, and the library will print up to 20 pages of other forms for free. Tax forms can also be printed at the Randall Oaks Library.
- Home Delivery is available.
- Notary service is by appointment only at both locations. Please call (847) 428-3661 to make an appointment.
- Voter registration is available at the Dundee Library.
- 3D printing is available at the Dundee Library.

The following services are not yet available at this time: public computers; donations of books, DVDs, etc.; faxing service; One on One tech appointments in person (this service is available via Zoom or phone); in-person programs, classes, and storytimes (browse this newsletter or visit our online calendar to see all the amazing virtual events we have planned this spring for all ages); digital conversion equipment; scanning; newspapers; toys and games in the Youth Services Department.

Service availability will continue to evolve as guidelines from the State of Illinois are released. The most up-to-date status of the library can be found at www.frvpld.info. All announcements also appear via social media on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. Make sure you're following us to get the most up-to-date news and announcements!

The library has returned to regular hours of operation (see back cover).

Questions? Call us at (847) 428-3661 or send an email to libraryhelp@frvpld.info. Hope to see you soon!

A message from the National Library Association **DURING NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK APRIL 4-10, CHECK OUT YOUR LIBRARY ONLINE & IN PERSON**

April 4-10, 2021 is National Library Week, a time to highlight the essential role libraries, librarians and library workers play in transforming lives and strengthening communities. The theme for this year's National Library Week is "Welcome to Your Library," which promotes the idea that libraries extend far beyond the four walls of a building and that everyone is welcome to use their services. Whether people visit virtually or in person, libraries are accessible and inclusive places that foster a sense of belonging and community through learning, discovery and exploration.

During these challenging times, libraries of all types have been going above and beyond to adapt to our changing world by expanding their resources and continuing to meet the needs of their patrons. Libraries across the country are making a difference in people's lives by providing electronic learning resources like online homework help and wi-fi access for students and workers who may lack internet access at home.

This National Library Week, the public can show their appreciation and support for libraries by visiting their library's website, following them on social media and using the hashtag #NationalLibraryWeek.

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association and libraries of all types across the country each April.



Get a front row seat as we travel through Chicagoland Museums and Institutions. With the Art Institute of Chicago, Garfield Park Conservatory, Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center, and more on the roster, your April and May are sure to be months to remember. Lead by docents, you'll get up close and personal with exhibits and behind-the-scenes peeks.

This series is in partnership with multiple area public libraries. To participate, visit our online calendar at www.frvpld.info/events. Each museum visit will appear on the day it is scheduled. When you register, you will be asked to share your email address so we can email the event link to you. Here is the line up so far:

GARFIELD PARK CONSERVATORY

Saturday, April 17, 1 to 2 p.m.

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF MEXICAN ART

Saturday, April 24, 2 to 3 p.m.

CHICAGO CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

Saturday, May 1, 1 to 2 p.m.

ILLINOIS HOLOCAUST MUSEUM

Saturday, May 8, 2 to 3 p.m.

THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO

Saturday, May 15, 1 to 2 p.m.

Keep checking our online calendar for upcoming dates for the The Field Museum of Natural History and more!

Earth Day Poetry Contest

Write a poem about the environment, and share it with your library! One winner will be selected from three categories: elementary school, middle and high school, and adult. Submissions will be accepted March 1 through April 16. Winners will be announced on Earth Day, April 22.

Email your submissions to contest@FRVPLD.info. We ask that you limit your writing to 1,000 words. Please include your name, age, city and contact information. You must live within the library district to be eligible for participation. Library card is not required.

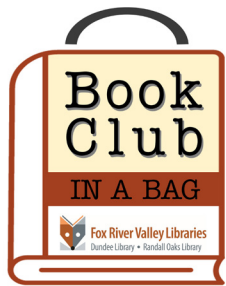
The Prizes!

Each winner will have their poem published on our website and receive a \$50 gift card:

Elementary: Around the Corner Candy

Middle & High School: Village Pizza

Adults: Platt Hill Nursery



BOOK CLUB IN A BAG

*Leave the arrangements to us...
all you have to do is read and talk!*



Each Book Club in a Bag for Adults includes 12 copies of the featured title and a discussion guide binder. They can be picked up at the Info Services Desk at the Dundee Library.



Each Book Club in a Bag for Kids includes five copies of the featured title and a book discussion guide. They can be picked up at the Youth Services Desk at the Dundee Library.

Talking about books is a great way to start a conversation, whether it's with friends over wine and a charcuterie board, or with your kids around the dinner table. And it almost always leads to conversation about other relevant and related topics. FRVPLD can help you with the details so you can focus on the reading and talking. Book Club in a Bag is now available for both kids and adults. Here's how it works:

- Each bag includes copies of the featured title and a book discussion guide.
- Search "FRVPLD Book Club in a Bag" on our online catalog at www.frvpld.info to browse available titles. Check back often as we will continue to add new titles for adults and kids.
- The bags check out for six weeks and can be renewed up to two times.
- Bags can be checked out by FRVPLD cardholders only, but books can be shared with whomever you like!
- Patrons may check out one bag at a time.
- Bags can be placed on hold, and you can choose to pick up the bag at the Dundee Library, Randall Oaks Library, or Home Delivery.

Caregiver Kits provide comfort and inspire connections

New to our collection and available for check out are "Caregiver Kits." These kits focus on reminiscence, which has been proven to provide comfort and inspire connections and conversation. People with dementia or Alzheimer's disease often lose their short-term memories, but the long-term memories will often "float to the surface" when the person is reminiscing.

Each kit includes 32 double-sided photo cards, eight activity cards, and a slow play DVD. The DVD includes a mix of approximately fifty high quality photographs, videos, and background music with a 17.5 second refresh rate while fading to the next picture or video.

The activity cards include options such as Q&A, trivia, and other conversation starting ideas for a total of 16 activities. The cards are of high-quality stock and laminated for extra protection. The extra-large cards measure 5 x 7" each with rounded corners. The deck includes an instruction card and is housed in a plastic snap case.

Themes available are Spring, Cats, Dogs, Great Outdoors, and Patriotic. Find them near the Info Services Desk at the Dundee Library. You can also find them in our online catalog at www.frvpld.info by searching "Caregiver Kit." You can place a hold in the catalog and choose pickup at the Dundee Library or Randall Oaks Library, or Home Delivery.

Storytime Kits

Participating is fun when you've got the right tools! Storytime Kits come with a puppet, an egg shaker, a scarf, and a list of songs and rhymes. Use them during our library storytime or any time you feel like shaking it up! Kits will be available at the Dundee Library while supplies last.

VIRTUAL STORYTIMES



Now you can participate in our storytimes whether you're home or on the run. Head over to our Facebook page at the designated time, and a LIVE stream of storytime fun will engage your little one right from your phone, tablet, or computer.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME (NR)

Wednesdays, March 3 to May 26, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Facebook Live

Have fun and build literacy skills in our Facebook Live preschool storytime! Children will engage with books, stories and songs. Ages 3-5.

TODDLER STORYTIME (NR)

Mondays in March & April, 10 to 10:30 a.m. *Facebook Live*

Have fun with your toddler as we sing, clap, read, and rhyme at this Facebook Live program. Ages 0-2.

BILINGUAL STORYTIME (NR)

Thursdays, 10 to 10:30 a.m. *Facebook Live*

March 4 & 18 / April 1, 15 & 29 / May 13 & 27

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

Firecracker Dragon: Tales of Old China

Fri., May 7, 11 to 11:30 a.m. Zoom

Take a magical trip as Barbara G. Wong performs a live, engaging storytime filled with interactive Chinese tales for the whole family. Ages 5 and up. To receive the Zoom link to this program, please register at www.frvpld.info or call (847) 428-3661.



Firefly Family Theater: "A Tiny Spark"

Sat., May 29, 10:30 to 11 a.m. Zoom

Join Firefly Family Theatre as they present the story of Spark, who is the tiniest firefly in Firefly Grove.

Spark just can't figure out how to light up. Determined to find her light, Spark sets out on a journey through the forest. When Spark stands up and protects her friend, she learns that her light shines as bright as ever. Ages 2-7. To receive the Zoom link to this program, please register at www.frvpld.info or call (847) 428-3661.

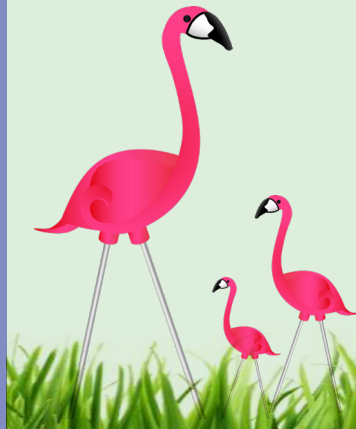


STORYTIME ON THE FRONT LAWN

Mondays in May, 10 to 10:30 a.m.

Dundee Library Front Lawn

Join us for an all ages storytime on the front lawn at the Dundee Library. The number of attendees will be limited in accordance to state guidelines and will be first come, first served. This is an outdoor storytime and will be held weather permitting. No registration required.



LIVE! ONLINE PROGRAMS



For live programs on Zoom, register for the event on our online events calendar at www.frvpld.info/events/month. You will be required to provide your email address so we can email the Zoom link to you.

TWEEN TUESDAYS (NR)

Tuesdays, 4 to 4:30 p.m. Facebook/YouTube Video
March 2, 16 & 30 / April 13 & 27 / May 11 & 25
 Get creative and chill out with special crafts and activities just for tweens.
 Grades 3-6.

NEEDLE FELT PETER RABBIT (R)

Sat., March 6, 1 to 2 p.m. Zoom



In honor of Women's History Month, make a needle felt version of Beatrix Potter's beloved character Peter Rabbit. Materials provided. Grades 3-6.

VIRTUAL SPANISH CLUB (R)

Thursdays: March 11, April 8, May 13, 4 to 4:45 p.m. Zoom

Dual language students are invited to gather and practice in a casual setting. Participants will strengthen their language skills with lively conversation and explore various Spanish speaking cultures. Grades K-2.

BOOKS AND COOKS (R)

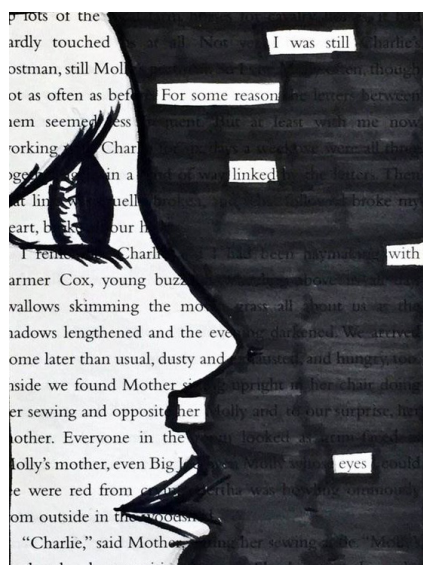
Mondays, 3:30 to 4 p.m. Zoom
March 15: Rainbow Fruit Pizzas
April 19: Bunny Bagels
May 17: Apple Race Cars

Kids take over the kitchen to make a fun snack while listening to funny food stories! Grades K-2.



BLACKOUT POETRY (R)

Wed., March 17, 4 to 4:30 p.m. Zoom



Have you ever wanted to write poetry but had nowhere to start? Blackout Poetry uses a simple and popular technique to discover poems hidden in the passages of your favorite texts. Grades 3-6.

DOODLE TIME! (R)

Saturdays: March 20, April 10, May 22, 10 to 10:30 a.m. Zoom

Kids and parents team up for 30 minutes of drawing, led by one of our very own FRVPLD librarians. Pick up materials at the Dundee Library. Grades K-6.

DECORATE A PIGGY BANK (R)

Mon., April 12, 7 to 7:30 p.m. Zoom

Start with the basics of saving during Smart Money Week by decorating a piggy bank. We will also sing songs, play games, and read a book, all related to being smart with money. Grades K-2.

THE JOY OF PAINTING (R)

Thurs., April 22, 5 to 6 p.m. Zoom

Paint dynamic scenes of nature inspired by well-loved artist Bob Ross. Grab a paintbrush, some paint, and get ready to create your own wonderland. Grades 3-6.



CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION (R)

Sat., May 1, 10 to 10:45 a.m. Zoom

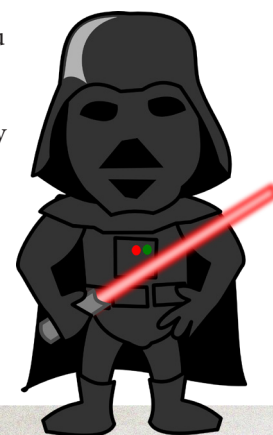
Play a favorite family game, Loteria, and learn some basic dance steps used at every party. Steps will be shown at a slow pace and then we will speed it up to the actual tempo along with the song.



DIY LED LIGHTSABER (R)

Tues., May 4, 4:30 to 5 p.m. Zoom

Celebrate "May the Fourth" by making a mini LED lightsaber. Will you be a Jedi or a Sith? Pick up supplies at the Dundee Library and then join a Zoom meeting to build your lightsaber. Grades 3-6.



MOTHER'S DAY KEEPSAKE MAGNETS (R)

Sat., May 8, 10 to 11 a.m. Zoom

Make your own refrigerator magnets to give to mom, grandma, or any special person for Mother's Day. Use them to display a picture that you color or an "All About Mom" questionnaire. Pick up materials at the Dundee Library. All ages.



More for kids on page 6!



Easter Egg Hunt

March 28 through April 30

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will be a little different this year. Instead of coming into the library to search the stacks, you'll search the neighborhoods of the Fox River Valley Public Library District (you might be surprised how large this area is!). We've hidden 25 Easter eggs – find 10 to win an Easter Goodie Bag! Email pictures or a description of where you saw them to librarykids@frvpld.info. Check our Facebook page for hints on where to look. Happy hunting!



STUDENT HOTSPOTS PROVIDE INTERNET FOR THE ENTIRE SEMESTER



Now available! Students can check out Wi-Fi hotspots that they can keep for an entire semester to make sure they can access the Internet for remote learning.

Student hotspots have different guidelines for checkout than standard hotspots:

- Patrons must have a valid student ID to check out student hotspots.
- Only one hotspot per household.
- Student hotspots do not accrue late fees.
- Student hotspots are not eligible for home delivery.
- Hotspots check out for an entire semester, not for a specific amount of time. The loan periods are:

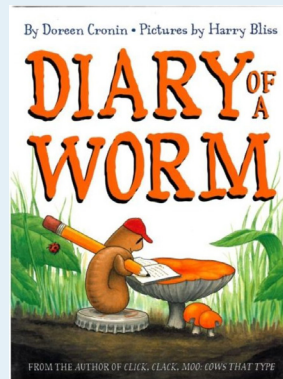
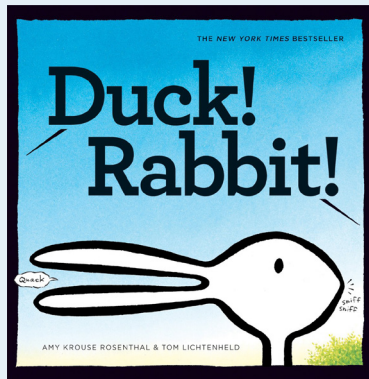
Spring Semester: January 1 - May 31

Summer Semester: June 1 - August 31

Fall Semester: September 1 - December 31

Patrons can place a hold on these student hotspots by visiting our online catalog at www.frvpld.info. Enter "student hotspot" into the search bar. If you have any questions regarding placing a hold, please email librarynotice@frvpld.info or call (847) 428-3661.

BOOK CLUBS



BOOK EXPLORERS (R)

Thursdays: March 11 & May 13, 3:30 to 4 p.m. *Zoom*

Talk about the book and complete a craft or activity as we dive into a favorite on TumbleBooks (found under the "Research" tab at www.frvpld.info). Grades K-3.

BETWEEN THE PANELS (R)

Thurs., April 15, 4 to 4:30 p.m. *Zoom*

Enjoy a book discussion with a twist! We'll discuss the graphic novel *Aquicorn Cove* and complete a craft or activity. Featured titles are available through Hoopla with no waiting. Grades 3-6.

TAKE AND MAKE KITS

Spark creativity and exercise tactile skills (no screens needed!)

Take & Make Kits include materials needed to complete the craft, and now also include early literacy tips for pre-readers and STEAM activities for the school-aged kids. Registration is no longer necessary. Kits are available at the Dundee Library Youth Services Desk on a first come, first served basis while supplies last.

Toddler-PreK

March: Yarn Wrapped Rainbow

April: Mess Free Earth Day Painting

May: Paper Plate Fans

Grades K-2

March: Leprechaun Trap

April: Paper Bowl Jelly Fish

May: Paper Plate Snails

Grades 3-6

March: Amelia Earhart and

Aerodynamics

April: April Fool's Day Spilled Coffee

May: Stress Ball

LIVE! ONLINE PROGRAMS



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ANIME CLUB (R)

Wednesdays: March 3, April 7, May 5,
6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Zoom*

Anime Club is more than just anime! Talk about your favorite anime and manga, share memes, and show off your drawings and sketches.

DIY MINT TREATS (R) **MAKER**

Mon., March 15, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Zoom*

Learn how to make fun, minty treats just in time for St. Patrick's Day.

WOMEN'S HISTORY DECORATIVE WALL BUNTING (R)

Sat., March 20, 2 to 3 p.m. *Zoom*



Color, cut and assemble a decorative nine-piece wall hanging that features inspiring historical women. You will need your own scissors and colored pencils or markers, but all other supplies will be provided and available for pickup at the Dundee Library. For anyone 12 and older.

UPCYCLED BOOK ART POETRY (R) **MAKER**

Wed., April 21, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Zoom*

Repurpose old, discarded books into artistic poetry. Register to reserve your kit of book pages, which will be available for pickup at the Dundee Library.

VIRTUAL HIKE WITH A NATURALIST (R)

Sat., April 24, 2 to 3 p.m. *Zoom*

Our very own naturalist Katie will guide you on a virtual exploration of Jelke Creek Bird Sanctuary in Sleepy Hollow. Katie will identify plants, look for evidence of animals and point out interesting seasonal things that appear along the trails. For teens and adults.



BRAINFUSE: HELP NOW (R)

Mon., April 5, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

Learn how to use Brainfuse: HelpNow, a free service that offers test prep help, research and writing assistance, and online tutoring for all levels of education. For parents and students.

CALMING DRINKS (R) **MAKER**

Mon., May 10, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. *Zoom*

Learn how to make calming drinks that will relax you at the end of a long day and provide needed self-care.

DIY DIGITAL COLORING WITH IBIS PAINT X (R)

Wed., May 19, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

Take a mental break from the real world and immerse yourself in digital art. Make your own coloring pages with the ibis Paint X app, free to use on Apple and android devices. We will cover importing photos and images, working with layers, digital coloring techniques and file export. For teens and adults.



MINECRAFT REALMS: JAVA, SURVIVAL (R)

Fridays: March 5, April 9, May 7,
6 to 8 p.m. *Zoom/Realm*

Let's build a realm together! Voice chat during the program. You must have your own Minecraft JAVA account. We will be playing in survival, no griefing. The Realm will be up and running for 3 months.

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.

LIVE! ONLINE PROGRAMS



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MARCH IS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

LESLIE GODDARD AS GEORGIA O'KEEFFE (NR)

Streaming on our YouTube Channel from March 7-20

In this living-history performance, historian Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., portrays Georgia O'Keeffe, the legendary artist and modernist. As O'Keeffe reflects on her life, she discusses her intense closeness to flowers, nature, and the landscape around her homes in New Mexico. What emerges is a complex person whose mythmaking encompassed both her art and life.

ARTIST & TEA: GEORGIA O'KEEFFE (R)

Thurs., March 18, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Learn about the art of Georgia O'Keeffe and create a work of your own in her style. Pick up your supply kit at the Dundee Library.

PLANNING AND PLANTING YOUR GARDEN (R)

Sat., March 6, 11 a.m. to noon Zoom

Confused about how to start your vegetable garden? Should you start with seeds? When is the correct time to plant? Learn to plan and plant your vegetable garden. Supplies to start plants from seed indoors included! Pick up your supply kit at the Dundee Library.

VIRTUAL GAME NIGHT: AMONG US (R)

Mon., March 8, 6:30 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Play along as we figure out who the imposter is in Among Us! This murder mystery game is easy to play on PC or mobile app. For adults and teens.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP (R)

Thursdays: March 25, April 29, & May 27, 7 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Fox Valley Caregiver Support Group is a support group for caregivers. We are not an illness specific group, the group is free to attend, and all are welcome. Get encouragement and support, along with tips and tools to help make your caregiving experience more positive and meaningful. You are not on the caregiver journey alone.

BRAINFUSE: HELP NOW (R)

Mon., April 5, 6:30 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Learn to use Brainfuse: HelpNow, a free service that offers test prep help, research and writing assistance, and online tutoring for all levels of education. Parents and students are encouraged to attend.

BIRDS OF THE NORTHERN FOX VALLEY (R)

Thurs., April 8, 7 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Local bird expert and nature photographer David Farber will present stories and photographs of different species of birds that can be seen in our area.

COFFEE SCRUB AND FACE MASK (R)

Sat., April 10, 2 to 3 p.m. Zoom

Learn about the benefits of a natural coffee scrub and how to make your own at home!

DIY STARBUCKS REFRESHERS (R)

Sat., April 17, 10:30 a.m. to noon Zoom

What better way to celebrate the arrival of spring than with a yummy Starbucks refresher, that costs just pennies to make? We will be making 3 dupes of some of the most popular Starbucks refreshers.

BEGINNER CROCHET: FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS (R)

Sat., April 17, 2 to 3 p.m. Zoom

Use two simple crochet steps (chain and single crochet) to create an easy cuff-style friendship bracelet. Sew on a button closure, add embellishments, and share with your friends.

POUR PAINTING - FLOWERS (R)

Thurs., April 22, 7 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Learn a new pour painting technique and create your own beautiful flower piece of art. Pick up your supply kit at the Dundee Library.

MAKE YOUR OWN SOURDOUGH BREAD (R)

Sat., April 24, 10 a.m. to noon Zoom

Did you know that making your own Sourdough bread is actually really simple? Learn to make your own sourdough bread—starter included!

CREATE A VISION BOARD (BILINGUAL) (R)

Monday, May 3, 7 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Creating a vision board helps us see our goals, short and long term, in one spot and allows us to keep them in mind so we can work towards them. Join us for an hour to create your own vision board. We will have music playing during our program and supplies will be provided.

FINDING COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES (R)

Thurs., May 6, 7 to 8 p.m. Zoom

Lorie Huske from NAMI Kane County North will help us explore local organizations that offer mental health care. We will also discuss ways to reduce the stigmas associated with mental illness.

**MORTGAGE 101 (R)**Tues., April 13, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

If you are ready to settle down, want to live in the same place for several years, and are financially ready, it's time to learn about the steps involved. Sponsored by First American Bank.

FINANCIAL HEALTH DURING THE COVID-19 CRISIS (R)Thurs., April 15, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

This timely workshop will provide tips on protecting your money and staying physically and emotionally healthy during the pandemic. Sponsored by Consumer Credit Counseling Services.

YOUR CREDIT SCORE (R)Mon., April 12, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

How important is your Credit Score? What does FICO mean and what are the score components? Are there other types of scores? Learn what a credit score means and why it matters. Sponsored by Corporate America Federal Credit Union.

GRATITUDE JOURNALING (R)Wed., May 12, 6 to 7 p.m. *Zoom*

Implement journaling and self-reflection techniques to start your day, unwind at the end of the day, and become more in tune with yourself.

PAINT YOUR PET (R)Thurs., May 13, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

What could be cuter than a hand-painted portrait of your pet? When you register, tell us what breed or type of pet you have and we will pencil sketch the pet on a canvas for you to take home and paint. (If you do not have a pet and still want to participate, we have foxes and owls you can paint!) We will work on our paintings together during the Zoom meeting and get to virtually meet each other's pets. Registration closes on May 3. Pick up your supply kit at the Dundee Library.

BREATHING & YOGA (BILINGUAL) (R)Sat., May 15, 10 to 11:30 a.m. *Zoom*

Dip your toes in a yoga flow and some breathing exercises. Take an hour for you as we go through a sun salutation to start our days. No prior yoga experience necessary and no yoga mat necessary.

GEOMETRIC COASTERS (R)Sat., May 15, 2 to 3 p.m. *Zoom*

Paint your own coaster to add a geometric accessory to your home.

BASIC PET CARE (R)Thurs., May 20, 7 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

Do you have a new pandemic pet? Patrick from Pampered Pets in East Dundee will talk about basic pet care practices for new pet families.

USING SOCIAL MEDIA RESPONSIBLY (R)Mon., May 24, 6:30 to 8 p.m. *Zoom*

Social media can be uplifting, connecting you with friends and creators or it can suck you in and leave you feeling your worst. We will explore different ways to use social media responsibly.

BOOK CLUBS**SENIOR BOOK CLUB (R)**

All are welcome to join our book club, which formerly met at the Dundee Park District Adult Activities Center. Our discussions are held online via Zoom.

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

Homegoing by Yaa Gyasi

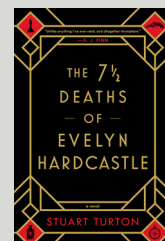
Wed., April 7, 10 to 11 a.m.

Next Year in Havana by Chanel Cleeton

Wed., May 5, 10 to 11 a.m.

The House of Broken Angels by Luis Alberto Urrea**DUNDEE LIBRARY BOOK CLUB**

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



March 31

The 7 1/2 Deaths of Evelyn Hardcastle by Stuart Thurston

A mystery that follows one man's race against time to find a killer, with an astonishing time-turning twist that means nothing and no one are quite what they seem.



April 28

Oil and Marble by Stephanie Storey

Art history story of the rivalry between Leonardo da Vinci and Michelangelo Buonarroti. Early 16th-century Florence comes alive with extraordinary empathy into the minds and souls of two masters.



May 26

The Song of Achilles by Madeline Miller

This rendering of the epic Trojan War is a dazzling feat of the imagination, a devastating love story, and an almighty battle between gods and kings, peace and glory, immortal fame and the human heart.

NEW! BOOK CLUB IN A BAG
SEE PAGE 3 FOR DETAILS!



OBS FOR BEGINNERS PART 1 (R)

Mon., April 19, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Improve the look of online presentations and meetings with OBS (Open Broadcaster Software). We'll cover the basics; how to set it up and how it can be used with popular virtual conferencing platforms like Zoom.

OBS FOR BEGINNERS PART 2 (R)

Mon., April 26, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

We'll continue to use OBS (Open Broadcast Software) and other free resources to improve online presentations and meetings.

INTRODUCTION TO GOOGLE DRIVE (R)

Tues., May 18, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Learn the basics of Google Drive, how to access files and folders, and how to take advantage of its powerful collaboration capabilities.

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MICROSOFT OFFICE

MICROSOFT WORD 2019 PART 1: THE BASICS (R)

Tues., March 9, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Intended for beginners, this class will introduce the Ribbon menu and teach you how to create and edit text by building a basic resume from scratch. Basic mouse and keyboarding skills required.

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

Tues., March 16, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Learn how to insert and manipulate images, text boxes, and tables as well as take screen shots and use screen clippings. We will also cover creating, sorting and formatting tables. Working knowledge of Microsoft Word required.

MICROSOFT EXCEL 2019 PART 1: BASIC BUDGETING (R)

Tues., April 6, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Intended for beginners, this class will teach you how to create a basic budget using some of the most important tools in Excel. Basic mouse and keyboarding skills required.

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

Tues., April 20, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Learn how to create charts and graphs and link data from multiple spreadsheets. Working knowledge of Microsoft Excel required.

We are here to help.

Schedule a free one-on-one session for help with online job applications, Microsoft Office, social media, syncing email with your phone, downloading content, and more.



To make a virtual appointment, call (224) 802-8000, email 1on1@frvpld.info, or visit www.frvpld.info to fill out a "Request a Tech Appointment" under the Services tab.



Each class is a live presentation. The instructor is prepared to answer your questions! For live programs on Zoom, register for the event on our online events calendar at www.frvpld.info/events/ month. You will be required to provide your email address so we can email the Zoom link to you.

MICROSOFT POWERPOINT 2019: BASIC SLIDESHOW (R)

Tues., April 27, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

Learn how to make creative slide presentations for home and work in this class. Basic mouse and keyboarding skills required.

MICROSOFT POWERPOINT 2019: INTERMEDIATE SKILLS (R)

Tues., May 11, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Zoom

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



Para programas en vivo en Zoom, regístrese para el evento en nuestro calendario de eventos en línea en <https://www.frvpld.info/events/month>. Se le pedirá que proporcione su dirección de correo electrónico para que podamos enviarle por correo electrónico el enlace de Zoom.

SU PUNTAJE DE CRÉDITO (R)

miércoles, 14 de abril, 7 a 8 p.m. Zoom

¿Que tan importante es su puntaje de crédito? ¿Que significa FICO y cuales son los componentes del puntaje de crédito? ¿Hay otros tipos de puntajes? Aprenderemos que es la significación del puntaje de crédito y porque importa. Patrocinado por la Unión de Crédito de la Corporación América Federal.

CREA UN MAPA DE DESEOS (BILINGÜE) (R)

lunes, 3 de mayo, 7 a 8 p.m. Zoom

Creando un mapa de deseos ayuda a que sus sueños estén en un solo lugar donde usted los pueda visualizar y trabajar hacia ellos; ya que es fácil hablar sobre sus metas y luego olvidarse de ellas. Acompáñenos por una hora para crear su mapa de deseos personal. Tendremos música y los materiales serán proporcionados.

EJERCICIOS DE RESPIRACIÓN Y YOGA (BILINGÜE) (R)

sábado, 15 de mayo, 10 a 11:30 a.m. Zoom

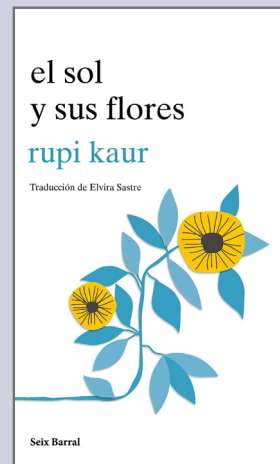
¿Siempre ah querido hacer yoga, pero ah si intimidada? Tome una hora de su día y reúnanse con nosotros para hacer unos ejercicios de respiración y un flow de yoga; el saludo al sol. Experiencia previa no es necesaria y no necesitan un tapate de yoga.

LECTORES DE DUNDEE (R)

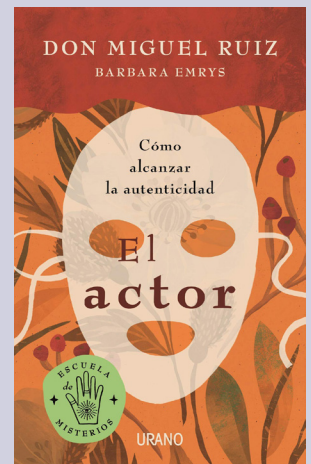
Asiste a nuestra reunión de lectura. Leeremos un nuevo libro cada mes y nos reuniremos cada ultimo jueves del mes para discutir lo. El libro podrá ser recogido un mes antes de la reunión. En este momento nuestras reuniones serán virtualmente. Por favor de proporcionar su correo electrónico cuando se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



**jueves, 25 de marzo
7 a 8:30 p.m. Zoom**
La Vida Mentirosa de los Adultos
por Elena Ferrante



**jueves, 29 de abril
7 a 8:30 p.m. Zoom**
El Sol y sus Flores
por Rupi Kaur



**jueves, 27 de mayo
7 a 8:30 a.m. Zoom**
El Actor: Como Alcanzar la Autenticidad
por Miguel Ruiz

LOS HOTSPOTS PARA ESTUDIANTES OFRECEN SERVICIO DE INTERNET POR TODO EL SEMESTRE

¡Disponibles ahora! Estudiantes podrán pedir prestado un Wi-Fi hotspot, por todo el semestre escolar, para tener acceso del Internet para su aprendizaje remoto. Los Hotspots para estudiantes tienen diferentes reglas para pedir prestado en comparación a los Hotspots típicos:

- Los usuarios deben tener una identificación de estudiante válida para pedir prestado un Hotspot para estudiantes.
- Solo un hotspot por hogar.
- Los Hotspots para estudiantes no acumulan recargos.
- Los Hotspots para estudiantes no son elegibles para entrega a domicilio.

Los usuarios podrán poner en espera un Hotspot para estudiante yendo a nuestro catalogo en línea www.frvpld.info e ingresando "student hotspots" en la barra de búsqueda. Si tiene alguna pregunta en como poner uno en espera por favor envíe un correo electrónico a librarynotice@frvpld.info o llame al (847) 428-3661.

Los Hotspots para estudiantes se piden por prestado durante un semestre completo, no por un período de tiempo específico. Los periodos de préstamo son:

- Semestre de primavera:
1 de enero - 31 de mayo
- Semestre de verano:
1 de junio - 31 de agosto
- Semestre de otoño:
1 de septiembre - 31 de diciembre



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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

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 March 16, April 20 and May 18 at 7 p.m. The Board is elected by the taxpayers to serve in a volunteer capacity. Meetings are open to the public. *Under current health conditions, meetings are held via Zoom. Visit our online calendar for instructions on how to attend or make a public statement.*

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Virtual TRIVIA

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

NEW GIRL TRIVIA (R)

Weds., March 10, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *YouTube Live*

How well do you know Winston, Schmidt, Nick, Coach, Cece and Jess? Remember all the shenanigans they got into? Re-watch the show and make sure you pay close attention. In other words: "Please don't make me laugh at you." - Cece



WOMEN IN MUSIC TRIVIA: 1980S EDITION (R)

Thurs., March 11, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *YouTube Live*

In celebration of Women's History Month, we will challenge you with trivia about the rocking women of the 1980s.



WOMEN IN FILM TRIVIA: MILLENNIAL EDITION (R)

Weds., March 17, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *YouTube Live*

Do you quote Mean Girls on a daily basis? Is Keira Knightley the Elizabeth Bennet of your time? Still upset that Genovia isn't a real place? Join us for an evening of trivia that covers classic films of the 2000s with strong female leads.



WOMEN IN MUSIC TRIVIA: '90S EDITION (R)

Wed., Mar. 24, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *YouTube Live*

Let's go, girls! Free your mind, make it happen, and answer trivia questions about the women who dominated the music scene in the 1990s.



HARRY POTTER MOVIE TRIVIA (R)

Sat., May 1, 1 to 3 p.m. *YouTube Live*

Join us for three rounds of Harry Potter Movie trivia, meant for all ages. Questions will come from all eight Harry Potter movies.

THE MANDALORIAN TRIVIA (R)

Tues., May 4, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. *YouTube Live*

Join us in a galaxy far, far away for a trivia event that covers both Season 1 and 2 of The Mandalorian. All ages are welcome. This is the way.

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. Or, simply come watch and chat with other fans using the YouTube chat.

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