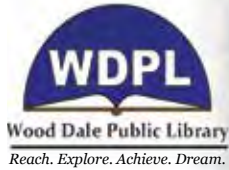


# Wood Dale Public Library District



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### Library Hours:

Monday – Thursday	10 am – 9 pm
Friday & Saturday	10 am – 5 pm
Sunday*	1 pm – 5 pm

\*From Labor Day to Memorial Day

## You Don't Have to Choose

The physical print book versus the eBook. A physical audiobook versus a downloaded audio. DVDs versus downloadable movies. People often think they have to choose one over the other. A simple fact. You don't have to choose. By using print and electronic items, you can dramatically expand library material available to you.



Want to learn how to use and access our electronic book, audio, and movie collections? On the front page of our website at [www.wooddalelibrary.org](http://www.wooddalelibrary.org) is the Niche Academy rotating banner. Niche Academy presents video instruction to our electronic resources as well as step-by-step instructions on how to get started using them. There are over fourteen different videos to watch. Get started today with Niche Academy to discover the thousands of electronic library items we have in our library collection.

## Free Lunch

This summer the Library is partnering with the Northern Illinois Food Bank to provide free lunches for children ages 18 and under. Lunch is served from noon to 1 pm, Monday – Friday, Monday, June 12 through Friday, August 11. The Wood Dale Public Library District – where we feed the minds and tummies, too!



**Smile!** Attendance at a Wood Dale Public Library program or event constitutes consent to be photographed for possible use on our website, or in other promotional material. If you do not wish your image to be published, please notify a member of the library staff before the program begins.

# Adult Workshops & Events

## Celebrate Cinco de Mayo

**Wednesday, May 3 at 7 pm**



Bring your family to hear Miguel Nuño, El Ocotlense, in a program of mariachi music and fun. Activities for children will be provided. 🍷

## Tea Cup Arrangement

**Friday, May 5 at 7 pm**



Peggy Garvin brings fresh flowers, and tea cups to inspire your floral arrangement in a tea cup. Please bring garden pruners. Cost is \$12.00. 🍷 \$

## Chicago Police: Then and Now

**Monday, May 8 at 7 pm**



Historian Samuel Mitrani will examine the evolution of the Chicago Police Department, including the 1877 railroad workers' strike and riot, to the modern police department's role in democracy. 🍷

## Flour Alternatives

**Thursday, May 11 at 7 pm**



Join Pastry Chef Rose Deneen as she demonstrates how to bake gluten-free foods using a variety of alternative flours. Crepes, Brownies, and Coconut Cookies to mention just a few. Samples and recipes provided. 🍷

## Church Street Brewery Tour

**Thursday, May 18 at 7 pm**



Enjoy a tasting and tour of the brewery. Meet at the brewery, 1480 Industrial Dr C., Itasca at 7 pm. Must be 21 or over. Free!

## Container Garden

**Friday, May 19 at 7 pm**



Celebrate the upcoming planting season with Peggy Garvin of Garvin Gardens to create a container garden for your patio or porch. Please bring a pair of garden shears. Cost is \$15. Registration begins May 1. 🍷 \$

## The Kennedys in Chicago

**Wednesday, May 31 at 7 pm**



May marks the 100th anniversary of John F. Kennedy's birthday. Clarence Goodman returns to tell us about Chicago's ties to America's "Royal Family". 🍷

## Creating the Conversation

**Friday, June 2 at 2 pm**



Discussing end-of-life decisions can be difficult. Join an AMITA Health representative to learn about the importance of having advance directives, including Living Will, Durable Power of Attorney for Health and the POLST form.

## Ceramic Watermelon Bowl

**Friday, June 2 at 7 pm**



Come and create a watermelon bowl for your upcoming barbecues with instructor Randy Skepnik. Cost is \$10.00. Registration begins May 1. 🍷

## Gardening with Herbs

**Thursday, June 8 at 7 pm**



Whether you're a new or advanced herb gardener, U of I Extension Master Gardener Sandy Lentz offers information useful in selection, care and uses of a variety of herbs. 🍷

## Handmade with Vicki & Yvonne



**Friday, June 16 at 7 pm**

Do you love to craft or have never really tried? Join us for a night of creating, laughing, and fun as we create a handmade item for you to enjoy this summer. Cost is \$10. 🍷 \$

## 4th of July Floral

**Friday, June 23 at 7 pm**



Peggy Garvin brings red, white and blue just for you, to create a patriotic floral arrangement. Please bring your garden pruners. Cost is \$12. Registration begins May 1. 🍷 \$

## Adults, Add Color to Your World!

**Saturday, June 24 2:30 - 4 pm**



Enjoy an afternoon of adult coloring and aromatherapy, and reduce your stress and anxiety. Coloring sheets and supplies provided. Drawing for fun coloring supplies! 🍷

# Books, Books, and More Books

## Broken Ground: Author Visit



Tuesday, May 23 at 7 pm

Come for a lovely evening with Karen Halvorsen Schreck, as she discusses her lyrically written and inspirational love story, Broken Ground. Depression-era U.S. history, immigration issues on the Mexican border, and a beautiful Californian escape – all in one book! 🍷

## Georgia's Adult Book Club

**We Are All  
Welcome Here  
by Elizabeth Berg**

Tuesday, May 16  
at 7 pm

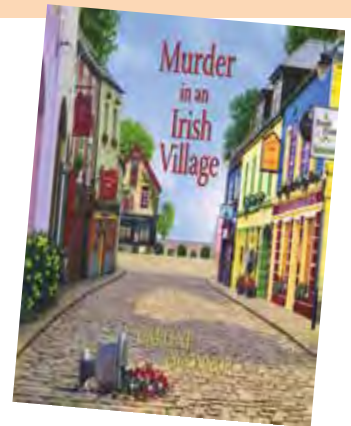
Although single mother Paige Dunn has polio and is primarily confined to an iron lung, she is determined to raise her child alone. Set in Tupelo, Mississippi in 1962, this novel touches on the themes of civil rights, music, and what it means to be a neighbor. Pick up a copy at the Library. 🍷



## Mystery Lovers' Pizza Night

Tuesday, June 6  
at 7 pm

Have a slice of pizza while discussing Carlene O'Connor's *Murder in an Irish Village*, a smart and charming whodunit set in an idyllic Irish locale. A gift card to the White Cottage Pizzeria will be drawn from among book discussion participants. 🍷



## History Pages Book Discussion

**Republic of Spin: An  
Inside History of the  
American Presidency**  
by David Greenberg

Wednesday, June 28  
at 7 pm

In these days of intense political spin, take a look at the history of spin from Teddy Roosevelt through Barack Obama. 🍷



## Klub Książki – Polish Book Discussion

Tuesday, June 20 at 7 pm

**At the Art Gallery Kafe,  
127 Front Street,  
Wood Dale**

*Znachor* by Tadeusz Dołęga-Mostowicz. Books will be read and discussed in the Polish language. Copies of books are available at the Wood Dale Public Library.



## Books, Books, and More Books cont.

### Book Club Express

Get your coffee, pick-up school supplies or groceries, and get in a little “me” time chatting with friends about life and books without the guilt. Join the Wood Dale Public Library at the Target Starbucks, 401 W Irving Park Rd, Wood Dale, IL 60191 for the discussions. Copies of the books will be available at the Wood Dale Public Library.

#### ***The Last Days of Night*** by **Graham Moore**

*Wednesday,*  
*May 17*  
7:30 – 8:30 pm



Enjoy this thrilling novel based on actual events about the nature of genius, the cost of ambition, and the battle to electrify America.

#### ***Everything I Never Told You*** by **Celeste Ng**

*Wednesday,*  
*June 21*  
7:30 – 8:30 pm



When Lydia’s body is found in the local lake, the delicate balancing act that has been keeping the Lee family together tumbles into chaos, forcing them to confront the long-held secrets that have been slowly pulling them apart.

## See what your Wood Dale Library card can do!

Are you planning to take the SAT or ACT? Need a tutor to get you through your math final? A preschooler that just loves the Early Literacy Computers in the Youth Services Department? Or perhaps you need a stress reducing activity? Check out what your Wood Dale Library card can do!

### Hey HS Juniors and Seniors:

Tutor.com is an eService that can help you on your path to college. Your SAT or ACT score is a pivotal component of your college applications.



SAT/ACT Essentials, a powerful new resource within our Tutor.com service - powered by the world leader in test prep, The Princeton Review - gives you the edge you need to reach your target score. With SAT/ACT Essentials through Tutor.com you’ll be able to:

- Complete a full length practice test and see your score.
- See the areas in which you need to improve.
- Watch videos to learn important test taking strategies.
- Take practice drills to help raise your scores.

Don’t forget the tutors at Tutor.com can also help you raise your GPA through on-demand homework help and with the support of a WriteTutor you can write a strong college application essay.

### Hey Preschoolers:

Does your preschooler love to come to the Library and explore the many software programs available on the Early Literacy Stations that are just outside the story room? The Library is now offering 2-week checkout of Early Literacy Stations for home use. All the options that your child uses in the Library are available in a handy tote bag. To check out the computer with English & Spanish programs, please ask for an Early Literacy Station at the Public Service Desk.



### Hey Everyone:

Have you seen all of the adult coloring books in stores? The Library has added adult coloring books as a new service within their Flipster subscription. Now Flipster offers you current magazines to read on your computer or mobile device and you can print coloring pages, too! De-stress and go back in time and remember how much fun coloring was as a child!



To find these eResources and many others go to [www.wooddalelibrary.org/eServices/eResorces](http://www.wooddalelibrary.org/eServices/eResorces) with your Wood Dale Library card and PIN.

# Adult Computer Classes

**Reservations are necessary for Computer Classes. Basic computer skills are recommended.**

## Excel Basics

*Saturday, May 13*

10:30 – Noon

Forty percent of business jobs require knowledge of Excel. Create a basic spreadsheet, enter data, and practice simple calculations and formulas in this class.

## iPad for Beginners

*Saturday, May 27*

10:30 – Noon

Have an iPad but don't know how to use it? Learn the essentials of your iPad features, such as apps, settings, plus how to use Library resources with your iPad.

## Excel Formulas & Functions

*Saturday, June 10*

10:30 – Noon

Practice using formulas and functions in Excel including averages, minimum and maximum values, data analysis, and loan payment calculation.

## Understanding the Cloud

*Saturday, June 17*

10:30 – Noon

Learn how to use Cloud storage services, including Dropbox, iCloud, and Google Drive.

Registration is strongly encouraged for all Library programs unless otherwise noted. Register online at [www.wooddalelibrary.org](http://www.wooddalelibrary.org), by visiting the Library, or by calling 630-766-6762.

## Technology Training\*\*

### Tuesdays in May

May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

2 pm, 2:30 pm, 3 pm, 3:30 pm

### Fridays in May

May 5, 12, 19, 26

10 am, 10:30 am, 11 am, 11:30 am

### Tuesdays in June

June 6, 13, 20, 27

2 pm, 2:30 pm, 3 pm, 3:30 pm

### Fridays in June

June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

10 am, 10:30 am, 11 am, 11:30 am

### Saturdays

May 27, June 24

10 am, 10:30 am, 11 am, 11:30 am

**\*\*Other times available upon request.**



## Lifelong Learning Online

Are you interested in helping your preschooler or grade schooler be more successful in school? Gale Courses offers some classes to help you do just that. "Ready, Set, Read!" shows you how to raise a successful reader and writer. "Enhancing Language Development in Childhood" teaches you how to enrich your children's lives with fun ways to become proficient speakers and thinkers." Gale Courses also offers 300 other instructor-led six-week courses 24/7 with your Wood Dale Library card. Sessions begin May 17 and June 14.

In addition, don't forget we also offer Early Literacy Stations in both the Youth Services Department and for home use featuring various learning software titles for math, science, reading, writing, social studies, and music.

# Youth Services Workshops & Events

## MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU

6 – 10 yrs

*Thur., May 4th*

4:30 – 5 pm

Join us to celebrate Star Wars day! We'll make a craft and enjoy Star Wars memories.



## WACKY WEDNESDAYS & WACKY STUDY HALL

11 – 18 yrs

*Wed., May 10 & 24*

2:45 – 4 pm

4 – 4:45 pm

Enjoy a craft or activity with your friends on early dismissal Wednesdays. Stay and get a start on your homework and group projects.

Settle into the Story Time room to work on your homework with friends.



## MYSTERY IN THE LIBRARY

6th & 7th Graders

*Friday, June 9*

6 – 8:45 pm

8th Graders

*Friday, July 7*

6 – 8:45 pm

Join your classmates in an after closing library mystery. Walking in the darkened Library, you wonder, "Is someone following me?" You hear a scream. Heart pounding, you begin to investigate. Can you catch the criminal before they strike again? Registration required.



## FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTS

### COLD BLOODED CREATURES

Family

*Thur., June 15*

7 – 8 pm



The "Cold Blooded Creatures" show presents ambassadors from the reptile world. The ambassadors include alligators, snakes, lizards and a tortoise. Jim's message to conserve and protect reptiles serves as the focus for his show while providing the latest information about reptiles and their habitats. Audience members will be astonished at the size and brilliant appearance of Jim's reptiles as well as how well trained the animals are.

### CHRIS FASCIONE: JUGGLING FUNNY STORIES

Family

*Thur., June 22*

7 – 7:45 pm



You'll be laughing out loud as nationally-known family entertainer Chris Fascione brings children's stories to life with his high-spirited and innovative performances. Full of energy, humor and imagination, Chris creates colorful characters through his unique combination of acting, storytelling, comedy, and juggling. A Storytelling World Award winner, Chris brings out the kid in everyone, as adults and children alike have fun participating in the show. Find out more at [www.JugglingFunnyStories.com](http://www.JugglingFunnyStories.com)

### ROBIN'S DOG STARS

Family

*Thur., June 29*

7 – 7:45 pm



Dog trainer Robin Bengtson has been training dogs since 1990. Come see the amazing tricks her dogs perform. She will even give us tips about training our dogs.

# Youth Services Workshops & Events

## READING BY DESIGN SUMMER READING PROGRAM

Start building your reading adventure on Thursday, June 1. Our summer reading includes lots of STEM activities to help you build your reading skills and take you on a fantastic reading experience. Prevent summer slump! Children lose reading skills if they don't continue reading throughout the summer, and that applies to math and science skills as well. Beat the summer slump by **Reading by Design** this summer!



### Reading by Design Summer Reading Workshops & Events

	Program & Description	AGE / LIMIT	DATES	TIME
MONDAY	<b>Polish Story Time</b> – Story time fun in Polish	3-7 yrs/30	June 12, July 10, Aug. 7	10:30 – 11 am
	<b>Active Play</b> – Play group games and activities	4-7 yrs/35	June 12, 19, 26, July 10, 17, 24, 31 & Aug. 7	11 – Noon
	<b>Math Club Jr.</b> – Have fun with math games	5-8 yrs/24	June 12, 19, 26, July 10, 17, 24, 31 & Aug. 7	1:15 – 2 pm
	<b>STEAM Crafts</b> – Crafts inspired by science, math, or engineering	4-7 yrs/24	June 12, 19, 26, July 10, 17, 24, 31 & Aug. 7	2:30 – 3:15 pm
	<b>Family Craft Palooza</b> – Parents & Child make a craft	5-10 yrs/24	June 12, 19, 26, July 10, 17, 24, 31 & Aug. 7	7 – 8 pm
TUESDAY	<b>Games by Design</b> – Play various board games and card games	6-8 yrs/24	June 13, 20, 27, July 11, 18, 25, Aug. 1 & 8	1 – 2 pm
	<b>Easy Peasy Loom Knitting</b> – Learn to make scarves, hats and more using loom knitting	8-18 yrs/24	June 13, 20, 27, July 11, 18, 25, Aug. 1 & 8	2:30 – 4:30 pm
	<b>Polish Story Time</b> – Story time fun in Polish	3-7 yrs/30	May 9, June 13, July 11 & Aug. 8	6 – 6:30 pm
	<b>Teen Activities</b> – We'll offer a sampling of fun activities from crafts to movies	11-15 yrs/15	June 13, 20, 27, July 11, 18, 25, Aug. 1 & 8	7 – 7:30 pm
WEDNESDAY	<b>Toddler Time</b> – Parents and children participate in story time activities geared to foster reading readiness	2-4 yrs/20	June 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2 & 9	10:30 – 10:50 am
	<b>Stories &amp; Movement</b> – An active story time combining books, stories and movement activities	3-7 yrs/35	June 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2 & 9	11:15 am – Noon
	<b>Science Mentors</b> – Learn a science project and then help a younger child with that same project	11-18 yrs/24	June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2 & 9	1:30 – 3:00 pm
	<b>Mad Science Club</b> – Learn about science with fun projects	6-9 yrs/24	June 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2 & 9	2 – 2:45 pm
	<b>Teen Craft</b> – Make crafts that any teen would enjoy	11-18 yrs/20	June 14, 21, 28, July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2 & 9	3:30 – 4:15 pm
THURSDAY	<b>Baby Time</b> – Parents and children participate in story time activities to encourage the love of books	1-2 yrs/17	June 15, 22, 29, July 13, 20, 27, Aug. 3 & 10	10:30 – 10:50 am
	<b>Math Club</b> – Have fun with math games for older children	9-12 yrs/ 24	June 15, 22, 29, July 13, 20, 27, Aug. 3 & 10	2 – 2:45 pm
	<b>STEAM Art</b> – Explore hands on math, science or engineering crafts	7-10 yrs/24	June 15, 22, 29, July 13, 20, 27, Aug. 3 & 10	3:30 – 4:15 pm
	<b>Spanish Story Time</b> – Story time fun in Spanish	3-7 yrs/25	June 15, 22, 29, July 13, 20, 27, Aug. 3	6:15 – 6:45 pm
	<b>Family Entertainment Nights</b> – 6/15 Cold Blooded Creatures, 6/22 Chris Fascion: Juggler, 6/29 Robin's Dog Stars, 7/13 Circus Boy, 7/20 Big Run Wolf Ranch, 7/27 Truly Remarkable Loon, 8/3 Smarty Pants Ballon Show, 8/10 Ice Cream Social	Family/100	June 15, 22, 29, July 13, 20, 27, Aug. 3	7 – 7:45 or 8 pm
FRIDAY	<b>Toddler Play</b> – Enjoy group games as they learn the social skills needed to play with others	2-4 yrs/20	June 16, 23, 30, July 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4 & 11	10:30 – 10:50 am
	<b>Story STEM</b> – Storytime with STEM connections	4-7 yrs/24	June 16, 23, 30, July 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4 & 11	11:15 – Noon
	<b>Shake, Rattle &amp; Roll</b> – We'll play various board games and card games	8-12 yrs/24	June 16, 23, 30, July 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4 & 11	1 – 2 pm
	<b>Afternoon Movie</b> – Enjoy a movie on a hot afternoon in the cool Library	7-18 yrs /24	June 16, 23, 30, July 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4 & 11	2:30 – 4:30 pm