

WOOD DALE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT



Wood Dale Public Library

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

*From Labor Day to Memorial Day



National Library Week

April 19-25, 2020 is National Library Week, an annual celebration highlighting the valuable role libraries, librarians and library workers play in transforming communities and improving lives.

From audiobooks and job-seeking resources to cooking and yoga classes, the library has something for everyone.

The Wood Dale Library District offers a varied array of resources to meet the community's needs this spring, including health and cooking workshops, author visits, computer classes, and children's programs like STREAM activities, spring break programs, and story-times.

Stop in during the week of April 19-25 for fun giveaways and activities. National Library Week is a perfect time to check out what's new at the library, join a program, or take home some new reading or viewing material!



Shaping Your Future with the 2020 Census

A complete and accurate count in 2020 is critical for you and the community, because the results of the Census will affect community funding, congressional representation, and provide data impacting our community for the next decade. Most households will receive an invitation code to respond online in March. Come into the library for more information, or use library computers or free WiFi to respond. Visit www.census2020.gov for more details. Help us make every vote count by taking part!



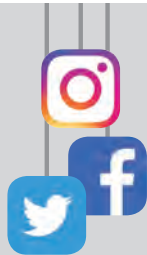
Garden Plot Registration is Now Open!

Are you ready to grow your own organic fruits and vegetables? We have just the place! The Library is partnering with the Historical Society to create a community garden at their farm. Gardeners can reserve individual plots or volunteer in the shared garden to grow produce for the Wood Dale Food Pantry. Reserve your free garden plot for the 2020 growing season on the library's website or at the front desk. Gardeners of all experience levels are welcome! Opening day is May 2.



Follow Us!

Follow us on social media to see upcoming programs, library updates, and fun photos taken during community events. Follow links to sign up for programs.



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ADULT WORKSHOPS & EVENTS



: Refreshments will be served.

\$: All Library Programs are no charge unless otherwise noted.

Register!

Registration is strongly encouraged for all Library programs unless otherwise noted. Register online at wooddalelibrary.org, by visiting the Library or by calling 630-766-6762.

Ceramics 101: Spring Bowl

Friday, March 13 at 7 pm

Welcome Gilda Shepherd back to the Wood Dale Library. Gilda helps you create a spring themed bowl and eggs. All supplies are provided. The cost is \$15. \$



Mary Lincoln's Photograph Album

Sunday, March 15 at 2 pm

Mary Todd Lincoln lived a life filled with triumphs and tragedies but few people know her story. Her personal photograph album tells not only Mary Lincoln's story, but the Lincoln Family story as well. Come to hear scholar Laura Keyes share the history of this personal item and see for yourself which photographs Mrs. Lincoln kept (and the ones she didn't).



Holiday Dinner Made Simple

Thursday, March 19 at 7 pm

Get holiday dinner ready with Chef Dave Esau!

Learn how to properly

bake & slice a spiral ham, and prepare crowd-pleasing sides such as creamy macaroni and cheese and smashed potatoes. Samples and recipes shared. Registration is required.



Wire-Wrapped Ring Workshop

Friday, March 27 at 7 pm

Tuesday, April 28 at 7 pm

Get your creative juices flowing with an artisanal ring-making workshop! Wired Lotus guides you in making your own unique and trendy wire-wrapped beaded ring. Registration begins March 2 at 10 am. Cost is \$5. \$



Spring Flower Basket

Friday, April 3 at 7 pm Class 1

Sunday, April 5 at 2 pm Class 2

Create a Spring Floral Basket with Peggy Garvin. She brings the floral supplies and her expertise. Please bring a garden pruner. Program cost is \$15. Registration begins March 2 at 10 am. \$



Bunny Cake Decorating Workshop

Wednesday, April 8 at 7 pm

Create a delicious centerpiece for your holiday table. Pastry chef Frances Hargadon will guide you in decorating a bunny cake. Please register by March 24. Cost is \$6. \$



Estate Planning: Protecting Those You Love

Wednesday, April 22 at 7 pm

Do you know how to maximize the amount of inheritance you can pass to your beneficiaries, minimize the costs of administration and avoid

probate? Join a discussion with attorney John Pankau for advice on how to set up your estate plan using trusts, wills, and powers of attorney for property and health care.



Mother's Day Tea Cup Arrangement

Sunday, May 3 at 2 pm Class 1

Friday, May 8 at 7 pm Class 2

Peggy Garvin brings fresh flowers, decorations and her expertise to help you make a Mother's Day Tea Cup Arrangement. Please bring garden pruners. Cost is \$15. Registration begins April 1 at 10am. \$



BOOKS, BOOKS & MORE BOOKS

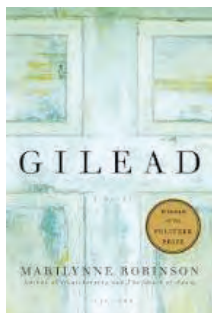


Georgia's Book Club with Theme Food

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll

Tuesday, March 17 at 7 pm

Join Alice on her trip down the rabbit hole. Not just for kids, this classic can be interpreted on many levels. 🧑🍳



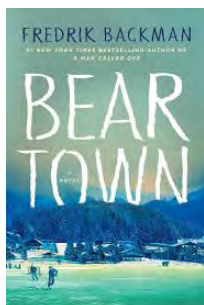
Gilead by Marilynne Robinson

Tuesday, April 21 at 7 pm

Iowa minister John Ames looks back on his life in this exploration of the delicate relationship between fathers and sons and a bit of Civil War history too. 🧑🍳

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.



Beartown

by Frederick Backman

**Wednesday, March 18,
7:30-8:30 pm**

A dazzling, profound novel about a small town with a big dream—and the price required to make it come true.



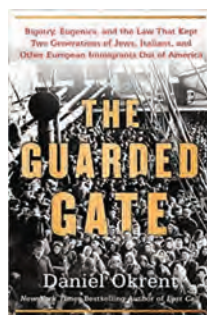
The Guest Room

by Chris Bohjalian

**Wednesday, April 15,
7:30-8:30 pm**

Join us for a discussion of this spellbinding tale of a party gone horribly wrong and the chilling consequences.

Copies of book club titles are available for pick-up at the Library's Book Club Kiosk. Some titles may be available as an e-book.



History Pages Book Discussion

The Guarded Gate

by Daniel Okrent

Wednesday, March 25 at 7 pm

Okrent's best-seller is a powerful, definitive, and timely account of the anti-immigration laws of the early 20th century and their basis in pseudo-science. 🧑🍳



The First Wave

by Alex Kershaw

Wednesday, April 29 at 7 pm

Beginning in the predawn darkness of June 6, 1944, *The First Wave* follows the remarkable men who carried out D-Day's most perilous missions. 🧑🍳



Klub Książki Polish Book Discussion

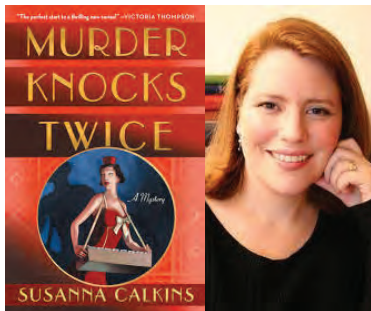
Rzeczy, których nie Wyrzuciłem

by Marcin Wicha

Tuesday, April 21 at 7 pm

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

This month's selection is *Rzeczy, których nie Wyrzuciłem* by Marcin Wicha. Books will be read and discussed in the Polish language.



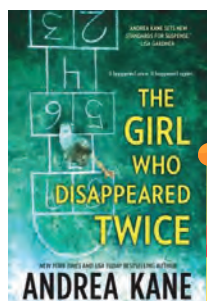
Mystery Lovers' Pizza Special:

Author Visit

Murder Knocks Twice
by Susanna Calkins

Tuesday, March 3 at 7 pm

Meet author Susanna Calkins and discuss her novel *Murder Knocks Twice*, a captivating mystery that takes readers into the dark, dangerous, and glittering underworld of a 1920's Chicago speakeasy. Enjoy a slice of White Cottage pizza. 🍕



Mystery Lovers' Pizza Night

The Girl Who Disappeared Twice by Andrea Kane

Tuesday, April 7 at 7 pm

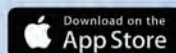
Have a slice of pizza while discussing *The Girl Who Disappeared Twice* by Andrea Kane. In this action-packed novel, a team of unconventional investigators is hired to find a judge's kidnapped daughter. Enter a drawing for a gift card to the White Cottage Pizzeria. 🍕

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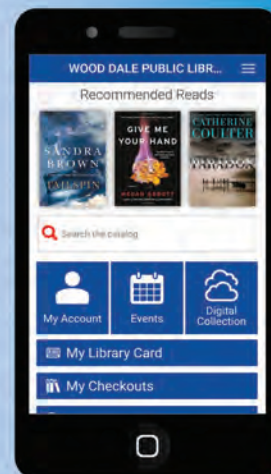
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CHECK OUT OUR NEW APP!

Search your app store for "Wood Dale Public Library" to download the free app.



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New Library Mobile App

Everything you love, on the go!

Our new app for mobile devices makes it simple to keep track of the materials you have checked out and find new titles to read, watch, or listen to. Whether you're commuting, at the grocery store, working out or relaxing at home, your mobile device will keep you connected to the Library like never before.

- Search the library catalog and place items on hold
- Check out eMedia to read, watch, or listen on the go
- Manage your account
- Register for programs
- See when the Library is open
- Get in touch with us on social media
- Manage Year Round Reading Program account

How to get the app This free app is available for Apple & Android devices.

1. Go to the app store on your device.
2. Search for "Wood Dale Public Library".
3. Download the app onto your device.
4. Open the app. Enter your library card number and PIN.

Questions? Give us a call at (630) 766-6762 or visit the Library.

Tech Help

Have questions about your smartphone or tablet, social media, Microsoft Office, or accessing an electronic library resource? Call us to schedule a one-on-one appointment.

Computer Classes

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

Excel Basics

Saturday, March 7, 10:30 am-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.

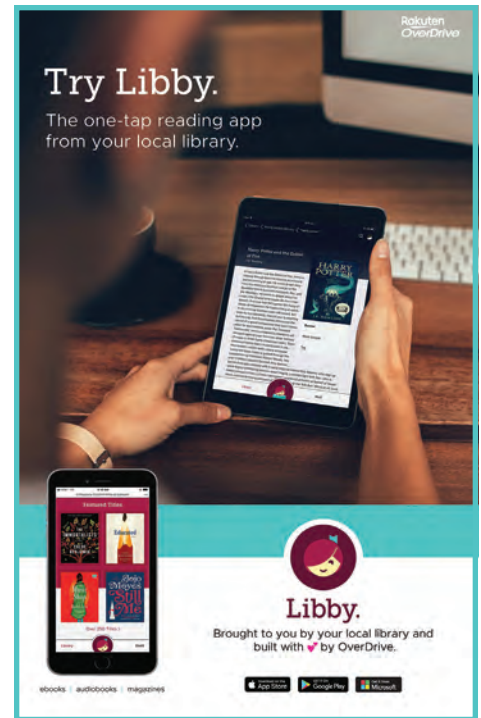
Excel Formulas & Functions

Saturday, April 18, 10:30 am-Noon

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



Formula
=SUM(A2:A9)
=SUM(A2,A9)
=SUM(A2:A9)/5



Reading On-The-Go with Libby & Axis360



YOUTH SERVICES WORKSHOP & EVENTS

Early Learning @ WDPL

Our Early Learning classes focus on helping young children gain skills and competencies as outlined in the Illinois Early Learning and Development Standards program. These skills and competencies are aligned with the Common Core, and with the belief that every child needs to develop basic skills, understandings, and positive attitudes towards learning before they can be successful in the K-12 curriculum.

Baby Time	0 – 2 Years	Thursday	Mar. 5 & 12, 19, 26 Apr. 9 & 16	10:30-10:50 am
Toddler Time	2 – 4 Years	Wednesday	Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25, Apr. 8, & 15	10:30-10:50 am
Stories & More for 2-4	2 – 4 Years	Saturday	Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28, Apr. 11 & 18	10:30-10:50 am
Stories and Movement	3 – 7 Years	Wednesday	Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25, Apr. 8, & 15	11:45 am-12:30 pm
Polish Story Time	3 – 7 Years	Tuesday	Mar. 10 & Apr. 14	6-6:30 pm
Spanish Story Time	3 – 7 Years	Thursday	Mar. 5, 12 & 19	6:15-6:45 pm

Programs

STREAM Club

5-9 yrs

March 4 & 18; April 15,
4:15-5 pm

Explore Science Technology Reading Engineering Art & Math projects! We may build something, play a math game or create a science or art project. Come and explore the possibilities!



and Math) stations. This is a parent and me program.

Learn And Play

2-5 yrs

Monday, March 9,
10:30-11 am

Join us to explore an exciting world of learning. We will concentrate on a few activities that will include sensory play, pre-literacy skills and STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art

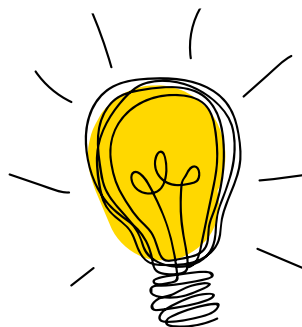
Wacky Wednesdays & Wacky Study Hall

11-18 yrs

Wednesday, March 11 & 25;
April 8 & 22

2:30-4 pm &
study hall 4-4:45 pm

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



Teen Free Build

11-18 yrs

Tuesday, April 14,
3:15-4:15 pm

We will open the doors to our craft cabinets so that you can create, build and design a masterpiece.

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Spring Break Programs

Active Play 5-8 yrs

Monday, March 30, 1:30-2:30 pm

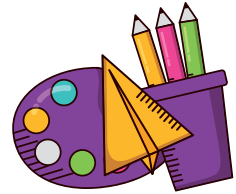
Spend some time playing active group games at the library!



Mad Hatter Tea Party 4-7 yrs

Tuesday, March 31, 2:30-3:30 pm

Join us for some crazy, funny activities and a tea party inspired by Alice in Wonderland. Be sure to wear a hat!



Teen Maker Fun 10-14 yrs.

Tuesday, March 31, 4-5 pm

Choose from four craft/activity stations to express your creativity.



Drop In Slime-A-Thon Wednesday, April 1

1-2 pm: 6 & 7 yrs

2:15-3:15 pm: 8-10 yrs

3:30-4:30 pm: 11-13 yrs

Make some slime! We will have several recipes to choose from for each age group.



Unicorn Day Party 5-9 yrs

Thursday, April 2, 3-4 pm

Embrace your inner unicorn and celebrate Unicorn Day with games, crafts and more.



Movie 7-13 yrs

Friday, April 3, 2-4 pm

Enjoy popcorn and an afternoon movie.



1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

Early literacy is important for families who want to help their children get ready to learn in Kindergarten. The Wood Dale Library wants to help with this vital family project. This program is designed for children from birth to their first day of Kindergarten. We invite families to spend time together outside the Library fostering a love of reading while gaining the valuable pre-literacy skills that are essential to reading success. Register and receive your 100-books log by stopping in today.

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.