

Crayon Kiosk a Big Hit!

Winfield Library is proud to announce that our new education station has arrived in Youth Services! Introducing the iPad Crayon Kiosk, designed especially for young children in preschool through early elementary grades.

The yellow Crayon Kiosk holds four iPads that are preloaded with a wide variety of educational apps covering all areas of the curriculum such as math, science, reading, writing, and problem solving. Using this type of fun and interactive educational technology helps children develop a love and excitement of learning and promotes early literacy. The iPads also provide access to several of the library's online resources such as Muzzy, Searchasaurus, and Tumblebooks.



Since we installed the Crayon Kiosk, we have seen a flurry of activity as it has captured the curiosity of young children. With its huge array of fun games, activities and educational apps, children have been drawn to the Kiosk and they certainly love every minute. Stop by the Youth Services department and try it out today!

Announcements

- Have you ever thought of joining the Winfield Library Friends, but wanted to know more before getting started? Now's your chance to meet Friends members and learn more about the group and its many volunteer opportunities. Join us anytime between 1:00 and 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 14 for refreshments and friendly conversation.
- If you are homebound, we deliver. Please call (630) 653-7599, and a staff member will deliver your library materials.
- Now that school's back in session, keep the library in mind for homework help. We have resources for all ages, from primary to middle to high school. Visit our website at www.winfield.lib.il.us and click the Youth Services tab for children's resources or the Research tab for high school resources.
- Get library announcements & news delivered to your email. Go to www.winfield.lib.il.us, click the NextReads button, and sign up for "Activities at Winfield Library."



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Youth and Family Events

Storytime

September 21 -
October 29



Toddler Time

Mondays at 9:30 a.m.

Toddler Time is designed for children 18 months to three years with a caregiver. Registration required.

Preschool Storytime

Mondays at 10:30 a.m.

Preschool Storytime is designed for children three to six years old. Registration required.

NEW!

Baby Time

Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.

It's never too early to start reading to your baby! Baby Time is especially for babies from birth to 18 months with a parent or caregiver. Reading short books, singing, and doing active rhymes stimulates brain development and helps babies learn language. Registration required.

Shake It Up Storytime!

Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a super fun storytime with a focus on music, movement, dancing and lots of make believe. Ages 18 months to 6 years old. Registration required.

Book Munchers Book Club

Just for 6-7 year olds! Book will be available one month in advance. Please bring a snack if your child has food restrictions. Registration required.

Thursday, September 17, 4:00 p.m.

My Weirder School #1: Miss Child Has Gone Wild by Dan Gutman

Thursday, October 15, 4:00 p.m.

Ready, Freddy! #1: Tooth Trouble by Abby Klein

Thursday, November 19, 4:00 p.m.

Nate the Great Talks Turkey by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat

The Kids Breakfast Book Club

Ages 8-12. Books are available one month in advance. Registration required.

Saturday, September 19, 9:15 a.m.

Out of My Mind by Sharon M. Draper

Saturday, October 3, 9:15 a.m.

Alex and the Amazing Time Machine by Rich Cohen

Saturday, November 7, 9:15 a.m.

Shiloh by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

Crafters' Circle

Sat., Sept. 19, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 3, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 7, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, sharing ideas or finding ideas for new projects, then this program is for you. Join us as we start a new charity project: World Vision's Knit for Kids. Children ages 8 and up welcome.

Winfield Library All Ages Chess Club

Sat., September 19, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Sat., October 3, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Sat., November 7, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Learn to play chess and develop your skills with local instructor Larry Lundstrom. Please note, Chess Club will now meet in the meeting room instead of the Youth Services department.

Adopt a Doggie

Friday, September 25, 3:30 p.m.



If you are thinking about adopting a dog, come see Lisa Swan from DuPage County Animal Care and Control. She will talk

about the benefits of adopting and caring for a rescue dog and she will bring an adoptable dog to the library. Registration required. All ages welcome.

Fall Leaves Us Reading

October 1 - 31

Help us decorate with fall leaves! Come to the Youth Services desk for a leaf book log starting October 1. Write the titles of the books you read on your leaf and turn it in for a surprise by October 31. For children up to grade 6.

Crafty Kids: Slime Time

Friday, October 9, 3:30 p.m.

Make awesome color changing slime that changes color with hot and cold temperatures! Grades 1-4. Registration required.

LEGO Club: Build a Chair

Monday, October 12, 3:00 p.m.

Design and construct a LEGO chair that safely holds Mr. Bear without letting him fall. Please do not bring your own LEGOs. Ages 6-12. Registration required.

Royal Tea Party

Saturday, October 17, 2:00 p.m.

You are cordially invited to a royal tea! Princes and princesses, dress in your crowns, tiaras, armor, and capes and join us for the fanciest tea party in all the land. Ages 3-8. Registration required.



Crafty Kids: Spooky Halloween Bag

Friday, October 23, 3:30 p.m.

Design and create a glow in the dark Trick or Treat bag to use this Halloween. Grades 1-6. Registration required.

Crafty Kids: Cup Speakers

Friday, November 20, 3:30 p.m.

Make a cup speaker which will amplify sound from a radio or iPhone. Grades 3-6. Registration required.



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Teen Events

Cash Flow: The Financial Literacy Board Game
Saturday, September 26, 10:00 a.m. OR 1:30 p.m.
Teens and adults can learn financial literacy the fun way, by playing a board game! Registration required.

Halloween Nail Art
Friday, October 30, 3:30 p.m.
Need the perfect nail art for Halloween? Use our colors to make your own scary, creepy, fun, or crazy manicure. Grades 7-12. Registration required.




Adult Events

Crafters' Circle
Sat., Sept. 19, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
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Complementary Alternative Medicine
Tuesday, September 29, 7:00 p.m.
A chiropractic and neuropathic physician will teach us about techniques like acupressure and Reiki and how they are used with traditional medicine. Registration recommended.

The Essential Houdini
Tuesday, October 13, 7:00 p.m.

Magician Bill Pack brings to life the premiere magician and master of escape. See some of Houdini's tricks as well as memorabilia about his life and work. Registration recommended.

Lions Club Vision Screening
Sat., October 24, 10:00 a.m. - Noon
Drop-in for a vision screening done by Dr. Carolyn Karwoski. For all ages.

The Golden Age of Radio
Tuesday, November 10, 7:00 p.m.
"Those Were the Days" radio host Steve Darnall will talk about how radio transformed America into a listening community. Hear Bob Hope, The Shadow and more! Registration recommended.

Senior Program Series



DuPage County Senior Services
Wednesday, September 23, 10:00 a.m.

Learn about services available for DuPage County seniors, including Home Support Services, Transportation, Insurance Counseling, Financial Assistance and Adult Protective Services. Registration recommended.

Approaching 65: What You Need to Know
Wednesday, October 7, 10:00 a.m.
A Senior Health Insurance Program (SHIP) Coordinator from the Illinois Department on Aging helps seniors learn about the many plan choices when signing up for Medicare. Registration recommended.


Winfield Township Assessor's Office
Wednesday, November 4, 10:00 a.m.
The Township Assessor will discuss programs available for seniors, including Circuit Breaker, exemptions, assessment freeze and property tax deferral. Registration recommended.

2015 Historical Program Series

Presented in partnership with the Winfield Historical Society.



Ready to Wear + Ready to Paint: Fashion and Modernism in Late Nineteenth Century Paris
Tuesday, September 15, 7:30 p.m.
Art historian Jeff Mishur looks at 19th century French artists including Cassat and Renoir and describes their relationship to developments in the Parisian fashion industry. Join us for an exciting night of art and fashion.

Chicago's Sweet Candy History
Tuesday, November 17, 7:30 p.m.

Chicago once produced one-third of the nation's candy! Discover candy history, learn the critical role of immigrants in confectionery, and see what made Chicago such an ideal location for candy makers.

Join a Book Group

Off the Shelf Book Group
Books are available one month in advance at the upstairs service desk.

The Aviator's Wife
by Melanie Benjamin
Tuesday, September 1, 7:00 p.m.

To Kill a Mockingbird
by Harper Lee
Tuesday, October 6, 7:00 p.m.

Unbroken [Nonfiction]
by Laura Hillenbrand
Tuesday, November 3, 7:00 p.m.

Mysteries at Lunch Book Group
This book group will now meet the **third** Wednesday of the month.

The Outsmarting of Criminals
by Steven Rigolosi
Wednesday, September 16, 12:15 p.m.

Man in the Queue
by Josephine Tey
Wednesday, October 21, 12:15 p.m.

Rules of Prey
by John Sandford
Wednesday, November 18, 12:15 p.m.

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Semi-Annual Book Sale

Find a hidden treasure at our fall book sale! Proceeds help the Friends fund library projects and special events, including newsletter printing and postage and Summer Reading prizes.

Fundraising Preview Sale

Thursday, September 10, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Cost: FREE to Friends members

\$10 charge for non-members OR

\$10 for a Friends membership

Regular Sale

Friday, September 11, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 12, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Cost: Free admission to all



We are Accepting Book Donations through September 12

The Friends are now accepting book donations for the fall sale. We accept items in good condition with the exception of magazines, encyclopedias, and textbooks. Donations are tax deductible; please ask for a tax receipt at the service desk. We will accept donations for the fall book sale until Saturday, September 12. Thank you for your support of the Winfield Library Friends!

Winfield Library Friends Open House

Saturday, November 14, 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Have you ever thought of joining the Friends, but wanted to know more before getting started? Now's your chance to meet Friends members and learn more about the group and its many volunteer opportunities. Join us anytime during the afternoon for refreshments and friendly conversation.

Upcoming Friends Meetings

Monday, October 19, 7:00 p.m.

Monday, November 16, 7:00 p.m.

Join a group that makes a difference in your community. The Friends' efforts directly support library endeavors, and we'd love to welcome new members.

Winfield Library

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Library Hours

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Friday - Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday - Closed

Library Closings

Monday, September 7 - Labor Day

Wednesday, November 25 -

The library will close at 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 26 - Thanksgiving

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Upcoming Board Meetings

Meetings are open to the public.

Wednesday, September 9, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 14, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, November 11, 7:30 p.m.

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