

Sarah McQuaid in Concert Monday, October 3, 7:00 p.m.



Irish musician Sarah McQuaid performs at the library as part of her United States tour. Her voice has been described as “rich, matured and knowing as the finest thrice-distilled Irish malt whiskey.” Sarah was born in Spain, grew up in Chicago, moved to Ireland, and currently resides in England. Her current album “Walking into White,” was nominated for Album of the Year by *FolkWords* magazine. Join us October 3 at 7:00 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Don't miss your chance to see this internationally acclaimed musician! Tickets will be available August 29 at the Adult Services Desk, limit four per household. This program is presented in conjunction with the Winfield Library Friends.



Winfield Reads Together

Celebrate our prairie heritage this fall as we read *O Pioneers!* by Willa Cather. Books will be available at the Adult Services desk starting August 30. Children may join book discussions as well. Look inside for programs with the Winfield Reads Together logo.

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O Pioneers! Book Discussion Tuesday, October 11, 7:00 p.m.

Join us for a discussion at The Barber Shoppe, located at 0S120 Church Street. Registration recommended.

St. James Farm: Dairy Farming Then and Now

Thursday, October 13, 4:00 p.m.

An educator from St. James Farm talks to kids in grades 1-6 about dairy farming past and present. Dairy items will be displayed, and take-home activity cards will be provided. Registration required.

How Corn Changed Itself and Then Changed Everything Else: Author Visit Thursday, October 20, 7:00 p.m.

Cynthia Clampitt talks about her book *Midwest Maize* and how corn swept the Americas. Registration required.

Movie Matinee: *O Pioneers!* Saturday, October 22, 2:00 p.m.

Join us for the film. Registration required.

For Spacious Skies: Great American Nature Paintings

Tuesday, October 25, 7:00 p.m.

Art historian Jeff Mishur discusses the work of famous U.S. nature painters such as Andrew Wyeth and Thomas Cole. Registration recommended.

O Pioneers! Book Discussion Wednesday, October 26, 1:00 p.m.

Join us for a discussion at Hedges Station, located at 0N555 Winfield Rd. Registration recommended.

Announcements

- If you are homebound, we deliver! Please call (630) 653-7599, and a staff member will deliver your library materials.
- Get library news delivered to your email with NextReads. Go to www.winfield.lib.il.us and click the NextReads button to sign up for our eNewsletter.



Thank you once again to our Summer Reading sponsors!

- Carol Stream Park District
- Chicago Architecture Foundation
- Chicago Fire Soccer Club
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- Superstar Karate Carol Stream
- Teen Team Volunteers
- Tents for Rent West Chicago
- Vertical Endeavors Glendale Heights
- Wellness @ DuPage Convalescent Center
- Winfield Library Friends
- WINFIT Family Fitness Center at Winfield Park District

Youth and Family Events

Storytime

Sept. 19 - Oct. 27



Toddler Time

Mondays, 9:30 a.m.

Lively stories, songs, rhymes, music, movement activities, and crafts, which help toddlers develop literacy skills.

Ages 18 months-3 years with a caregiver. Registration required.

Preschool Storytime

Mondays, 10:30 a.m.

Enjoy exciting picture books, rhymes, songs, movement activities, and crafts, which support literacy and help children get ready for kindergarten.

Ages 3-6. Registration required.

Baby Time

Thursdays, 9:30 a.m.

Reading books to babies, singing songs, and doing active rhymes together stimulates brain development and helps babies learn language. Baby Time is designed especially for babies and their parents or caregivers.

Registration required.

Shake It Up Storytime!

Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.

Storytime with a focus on music, scarves, movement, dancing and lots of make believe. Ages 18 months-6 years. Registration required.

Book Munchers Book Club

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

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

Ready Freddy! Apple Orchard Race
by Abby Klein



**Thursday, October 20
4:00 p.m.**

Twister on Tuesday by
Mary Pope Osbourne

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

The Bald Bandit by Ron Roy

The Kids Breakfast Book Club

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

Saturday, Sept. 17, 9:15 a.m.

How to Steal a Dog
by Barbara O'Connor



**Saturday, October 1
9:15 a.m.**

Caddie Woodlawn by
Carol Ryrie Brink

Saturday, Nov. 5, 9:15 a.m.

Because of Mr. Terupt
by Rob Buyea

Crafters' Circle

Sat., Sept. 17, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sat., Oct. 1, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 5, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.



If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, or would like to learn the basics, this group is for you. Ages 8 and up welcome.

Winfield Library All Ages Chess Club

Saturday, Sept. 17, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 1, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 5, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.



Learn to play chess and develop your skills with local instructor Larry Lundstrom. Chess sets will be available.



**1,000 Books Before
Kindergarten
Begins September 19**
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Kindergarten is a fun

and exciting program for children from birth to five years old. Participation packets are available at the Youth Services desk. Prizes are awarded for every 100 books read. A certificate and an extra special prize is awarded when you read 1000 books!

LEGO Club: Star Wars Characters Monday, October 10, 3:00 p.m.



Design and construct a LEGO Star Wars character, which will be on display for a month. Please do not bring your own LEGOs. Ages 6-12. Registration required.



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Creepy Treats!

Friday, October 21, 3:30 p.m.

Inspired by *Ghostbusters*, students in grades 1-6 will learn how to make slimed popcorn and other totally repulsive no-bake Halloween treats to gross out friends. Registration required.

Leaf Candle Holders

Thursday, November 3, 4:00 p.m.

Bring the beauty of fall colors indoors by decoupage leaves on a glass container. Grades 1-6. Registration required.



**Harry Potter Fan Party
Monday, November 21
2:00 p.m.**

Calling all Harry Potter fans! Participate in potion making, crafting and test your knowledge of magical creatures. Grades 2-6. Registration required.

Drop-in Crafts

Friday, September 9

Visit the youth department to do a fun craft or two while supplies last.



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Adult Events

Off the Shelf Book Group

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Noah's Compass by Anne Tyler

Tuesday, August 30, 7:00 p.m.

**Note date change due to book sale



O Pioneers!

by Willa Cather

Tuesday, October 4

7:00 p.m.

Destiny of the Republic [Nonfiction]

by Candice Millard

Tuesday, November 1, 7:00 p.m.

Memories of a Broadway Hooper:

Featuring George Zima

Thursday, September 15, 7:00 p.m.

Kick off the theater season by letting Winfield's own Broadway legend entertain you with stories of his memorable career. Video highlights included! Registration recommended.

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Mysteries at Lunch Book Group

Books available one month in advance.

Summer Garden Murders by Ann

Ripley

Wednesday, September 21, 12:15 p.m.



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Wednesday, October 19

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Elizabeth is Missing by Emma

Healey

Wednesday, November 16, 12:15 p.m.

Lions Club Vision Screening

Saturday, September 24, 10:00 a.m.

Drop-in vision screenings for all ages.

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The Essential

P.T. Barnum

Thursday, Nov. 3

7:00 p.m.

Years before he revolutionized the circus, P.T. Barnum was the most famous

man in the world. Bill Pack reveals the amazing life of P.T. Barnum through storytelling and recreations of historical sideshow performances. Registration recommended.

The Story of Smoky the War Dog: Featuring a Visit by "Hairy Pawter"

Saturday, November 12, 10:00 a.m.

Learn about Smoky the War Dog, who was a military service dog and the first therapy dog. Storyteller Adrian Brigham, recording artist Denise Brigham, and therapy dog "Hairy Pawter" introduce us to this amazing dog. Registration recommended.

Senior Program Series

Social Security, Medicare, and Me

Thursday, September 29, 7:00 p.m.

Dee Thom from Insurance Benefit Services talks to those nearing retirement about the changes to Social Security in 2016 and provides information on applying for both programs. Registration recommended.

Hearing Loss Program and FREE Screening

Wednesday, November 9, 10:00 a.m.

A hearing-care professional from Connect Hearing in Lisle discusses the signs and causes of hearing loss and provides screening for hearing loss. Registration recommended.

2016 Historical Program Series



Presented in partnership with the Winfield Historical Society.



Mudslinging,

Muckraking, and

Apple Pie

Tuesday, September

20, 7:00 p.m.

How did political campaign craziness get started? Terry

Lynch presents the stories of several campaigns, including Jefferson vs. Adams in 1800 and Lincoln vs. Douglas in 1860.

WPA and CCC in DuPage County

Thursday, November 17, 7:00 p.m.

Michelle Podkowa, an educator from the DuPage County Historical Museum, talks about the projects undertaken in our area by these two Depression-era programs.

Winfield Library Friends

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 8, 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 9, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 10, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Cost: Free admission to all



Book Donations

The Friends are accepting book donations through September 10. We accept books in good condition with the exception of encyclopedias, magazines, and textbooks. Donations are tax deductible.

Upcoming Friends Meetings

Monday, October 10, 7:00 p.m.

Monday, November 14, 7:00 p.m.

The Winfield Library Friends' fundraising and volunteer efforts directly benefit the library. We welcome new members! Attend an upcoming meeting to see how your talents can help this dedicated group of library supporters.

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 5 - Labor Day

Wednesday, November 23 -

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

Thursday, November 24 - Thanksgiving

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Rebecca Johnson

Upcoming Board Meetings

Meetings are open to the public.

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

Wednesday, October 12, 7:30 p.m.

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

Director: Matthew Suddarth

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