

## Library Service Update



Do you miss browsing for books in the library? We miss you, too! Library staff are in the process of making changes in anticipation of opening for some select public services. We are moving shelving and materials, establishing an appointment system, performing staff health checks, and more. We can't wait to show you what we've been working on!

Starting this fall, we will reopen the lower level of the library for limited services, with some significant changes. New materials for all ages and in all categories will be available on the lower level to browse. The copier and two computers will also be available for public use. Library staff will be on hand at the downstairs desk to renew library cards, check out materials, and answer questions.

Why open just the lower level? We are following safety guidelines from the state and the CDC, which limit the number of people in the building at one time. With entrances on both levels, it is difficult to monitor appointments and be sure we are within safety parameters. We also have several staff members continuing to work from home due to health issues, so we will be working with a smaller staff to help with in-person services. Using only one service desk helps us staff the library more efficiently.

Curbside pickup is now available, and will continue once we open for limited hours of in-person service. We are now offering Contactless Homebound Delivery as well.

We will post more information about this new level of service on our website in September. Follow us on Facebook.com/WinfieldLib to be sure you see updates as they happen. We appreciate your patience and understanding that we must place the safety of our staff and patrons first.



### Request a Grab Bag

Not sure what to read next? The library's new Grab Bag service is here to help! Email us your name, age (if not for an adult), and what type of books you want to read and we'll place some items on hold for you for curbside pickup. Give us as much or as little information as you want, depending on how surprised you want to be. Email us with subject line "Grab Bag" at [wfdstaff@winfield.lib.il.us](mailto:wfdstaff@winfield.lib.il.us).



### Contactless Homebound Delivery

Homebound delivery service has now resumed as a contactless service. Any library patron who is permanently or temporarily homebound is eligible for this service. Curbside pickup is still available, but if you are homebound because of the Covid-19 epidemic you may choose contactless delivery.

To request delivery, email us at [wfdstaff@winfield.lib.il.us](mailto:wfdstaff@winfield.lib.il.us) with a list of what books you'd like. Ask for specific titles or books in your favorite genre. You will be notified by the Homebound Delivery team to schedule your delivery time. Books will be delivered to a porch, step, garage, or other contactless delivery point. Email is the best way to contact us, but you may also call us at (630) 653-7599.

## Announcements

- New magazines can be checked out for curbside pickup! Since we have limited service, we will allow all magazines, including the most recent issue, to be checked out for two weeks.
- Grab & Go Craft Kits available September 1! When you come in for curbside pickup, we'll have craft kits available while supplies last. Suggested ages for each kit will be listed on the kit.
- Because of the need to continue quarantining returned materials in the library meeting room, that space will not be available for library programs or community groups until further notice.
- Looking for the best place to find Winfield Library news, program announcements, and service updates? Follow us on Facebook! Go to Facebook.com/WinfieldLib.
- Visit our Youtube page at YouTube.com/WinfieldLibrary to see the videos we produce while the library is closed. Crafts, stories, cooking and more videos are available at your convenience!
- Get unlimited digital access to more than 5,000 newspapers and magazines with your Winfield Library card. PressReader includes the Chicago Tribune, Chicago Sun-Times, and more. Visit [www.winfield.lib.il.us](http://www.winfield.lib.il.us) to log in with your library card number.
- RBDigital and OverDrive now have the same owner, and RBDigital audiobooks will move to OverDrive's Libby app on 8/31. The same great audiobooks will then be available all on one app!

# Youth and Family Events



**Ms. Nuccia and Friends Puppet Show**  
Thursdays,  
September 17-  
November 19  
9:00 a.m

## Facebook & YouTube

Join us for a virtual weekly Thursday puppet show that will entertain and stimulate your child's imagination. Stories will come to life with puppets and storytelling props for preschoolers.



**Preschool Curiosity Club: Bubble Bath Playdough**

**Wednesday, September 30, 9:00 a.m.**  
**Facebook & YouTube**

Make bath time exciting for your preschooler with our bubble bath playdough. Your child will have fun squishing and shaping the playdough as much as getting clean in the tub.



**Rhyme Time**  
Tuesdays, 9:00 a.m.  
Sep. 15–Nov. 17  
**Facebook & YouTube**

Enjoy exciting stories, songs, rhymes, movement activities with Ms. Nuccia, followed by craft projects presented by Choate Studio. Rhyme Time helps build language, literacy, and motor skills.



**Ralph's World TV Treehouse**  
Fridays, 9:00 a.m.  
**Facebook**

**September 18**  
**October 2, 16, 30**  
**November 13, 27**

Join Ralph and his puppet friends from Ralph's World for a 12-episode series of high energy concerts from their treehouse. Watch a new episode every two weeks on Fridays beginning with our first on September 18<sup>th</sup> and enjoy the music, songs, fun, silliness and friendship between Ralph and his puppet friends Rani, Beauregard and Malcom.



**Dan Gogh: The Magic and Art Show**  
Saturday, October 17  
10:00 a.m.

**Facebook & YouTube**

Experience the magic and art of Dan Gogh! The show is filled with magic tricks, comedy and art techniques that artist Dan Laib makes accessible for kids. Link will be active from Saturday, October 17 through, October 31.



**Fruit Roll-Ups**  
Friday, October 23  
3:00 p.m.

**Facebook & YouTube**

Kids, have you ever wondered how fruit roll-ups are made? Learn how to make this delicious healthy snack that is perfect for an afternoon snack. This is a great way to use up fruit quickly. Watch and learn and you will be inventing new fruit roll-up flavors soon.



**Crafters' Circle**  
Saturday, Sep. 19  
Saturday, Oct. 3  
Saturday, Nov. 7  
10:30-11:30 a.m.

**Live on Zoom**

**Meeting ID: 875 2015 0555**

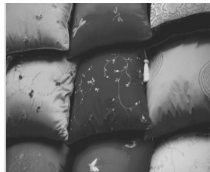
**Passcode: 718898**

If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, would like to share ideas or new projects, or simply meet new friends, please join us.



**Easy Peasy Pizza**  
Friday, September 25  
3:00 p.m.  
**Facebook & YouTube**

Want to learn how to make easy delicious pizza without any special equipment? Watch and learn how effortless it is when you follow Ms. Nuccia's simple instructions. Your family will love your pizza and will become a family tradition once you learn how.



**Sewing 101: Reading Nook Pillow**  
Fri., November 20  
3:00 p.m.  
**Facebook & YouTube**

Learn how to repurpose an article or two of clothing that doesn't fit any longer and transform it into a marvelous reading pillow. You will learn how to measure; hand or machine sew and sew on buttons too as you follow along with Ms. Nuccia.



Register for Programs:  
[winfield.evanced.info](http://winfield.evanced.info)

Facebook Events:  
[Facebook.com/WinfieldLib](https://www.facebook.com/WinfieldLib)

YouTube Channel:  
[YouTube.com/WinfieldLibrary](https://www.youtube.com/WinfieldLibrary)



# Adult Events

## BOOK CLUBS



Off the Shelf Book Group  
First Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.  
Books available one month in advance.

Fall meetings will be held at The Barber Shoppe AND via Zoom! Use Zoom meeting ID 889 6444 3195 and passcode 473850. Call in to Zoom at (312) 626-6799.

- Sep. 1 | *This Side of Paradise* by F. Scott Fitzgerald
- Oct. 6 | *Next Year in Havana* by Chanel Cleeton
- Nov. 3 | *Dopesick* by Beth Macy



Mysteries at Lunch Book Group  
Third Wednesdays at 12:15 p.m.  
Books available one month in advance.

- Sep. 16 | *A Girl Like You* by Michelle Cox  
Author visit held at East Street Park
- Oct. 21 | *The Poe Shadow* by Matthew Pearl  
Held at East Street Park
- Nov. 18 | *Alter Ego* by Brian Freeman  
Author visit via Zoom  
Discussion location TBD

## Fall Planters

**Thursday, September 10, 2:00 p.m.**  
**Prosek's Greenhouse, 28W140 High Lake Road**  
Nursery owner Cathy Palazzetti gets us ready for fall by helping us create a colorful fiber planter using a variety of mums, kale and other plants. Registration required.



## From Parlor to Politics: a Virtual Visual Journey Tuesday, September 15, 7:00 p.m.

**Register on Zoom: [tinyurl.com/yyfz6jff](https://tinyurl.com/yyfz6jff)**  
2020 marks the centennial of the ratification of the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment granting women the right to vote. Annette Baldwin will deliver moving passages from the speeches of five suffrage leaders and will portray League of Women Voters founder Carrie Chapman Catt on the day she receives the news of the 19th Amendment becoming law. Registration required via Zoom at [tinyurl.com/yyfz6jff](https://tinyurl.com/yyfz6jff) or go to our online calendar for the link to the registration page.



## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Concert Monday, September 21, 7:00 p.m. Facebook LIVE

**[www.facebook.com/tommalouf](https://www.facebook.com/tommalouf)**  
Local musician Tom Malouf performs "Stuck in the 60's for Life," a program featuring original, folk, and the great music of the decade. Transport yourself back to when the library was established and dance to the music.

Registration is recommended to receive the Facebook page link.

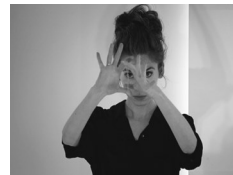
## Voter Registration and Information Table Tuesday, September 22, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Thursday, September 24, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

The Wheaton Chapter of the League of Women Voters will staff an outdoor table and help you register to vote, request a Vote-By-Mail ballot, and provide information about voting in the 2020 election. Please bring two forms of ID (one with your current address) to register to vote.



**I'm Turning 65...Now What?**  
**Thursday, October 1, 7:00 p.m.**  
**Zoom Meeting ID: 897 5504 0557**  
**Passcode: 155683**  
**Phone: (312) 626-6799**

The Medicare Ladies from Insurance Benefit Services talk to us about the changes to Medicare in 2021, how and when to apply, and information on Medicare options. This program will be held via Zoom. Registration recommended.



## Through the Ethernet Tuesday, October 13, 7:00 p.m. YouTube Event

Local illusionist Jeanette Andrews leads this interactive magic performance which occurs on screen, as well as in viewers' homes and own hands! Weaving together science and folklore with performance and experiments, the audience co-creates the performance! This program will be aired via Facebook and be available only on the program date. Registration is required to receive the video link.



## Crafters' Circle

**Saturday, Sep. 19, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.**  
**Saturday, Oct. 2, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.**  
**Saturday, Nov. 7, 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**  
**Live on Zoom! Meeting ID: 875 2015 0555**  
**Passcode: 718898**

Join us to work on knitting or crocheting projects. Age 8 & up.



**It's Time to Get Your Photos Organized**  
**Wednesday, October 14, 1:30 p.m.**  
**Register on Zoom: [tinyurl.com/ybjoy29u](https://tinyurl.com/ybjoy29u)**  
Got photos everywhere in multiple formats? Join Certified Photo Organizer Caroline

Gunter to find out how to start organizing your printed and digital photos to preserve them for future generations. Registration required via Zoom at [tinyurl.com/ybjoy29u](https://tinyurl.com/ybjoy29u) or go to our online calendar for the link to the registration page.

## Plymouth Pilgrims Thursday, November 19, 7:00 p.m.



## YouTube Event

Celebrate the 400th anniversary of the Mayflower voyage! Terry Lynch portrays Governor William Bradford and recounts the stories of some of the first settlers to America. This program will be available for viewing for one month. Registration is required to receive the video link.

Register for Programs: [winfield.evanced.info](https://winfield.evanced.info)  
Facebook Events: [Facebook.com/WinfieldLib](https://Facebook.com/WinfieldLib)  
YouTube Channel: [YouTube.com/WinfieldLibrary](https://YouTube.com/WinfieldLibrary)

# Winfield Library Friends

## Book Sale and Book Donations

We're sad to say there will be no book sale this fall, nor are we able to accept book donations. The library meeting room is currently being used to quarantine returned materials and store extra furniture while we reconfigure our space to support social distancing. Due to the lack of space for the sale as well as social distancing guidelines, the book sale must be cancelled. Thank you for your understanding.

## Support the Friends

### Portillo's Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who participated in this summer's Portillo's fundraiser. You helped us raise \$171 for the Friends!



### Support the Friends while You Shop

Select Winfield Library Friends as your preferred charity on Amazon Smile and Amazon will donate a portion of your purchases to the Friends. Sign in to smile.amazon.com, then select the option to Change Your Charity. Search for

Winfield Library Friends and select it as your chosen charity. Eligible purchases must be made on smile.amazon.com.

### Support the Friends with a Direct Donation

Donations to the Winfield Library Friends directly support the library. New furniture, newsletter costs, and program costs have all previously been funded with help from the Friends. Without the Friends' fall book sale, their fundraising ability has been cut in half. If you would like to make a direct donation to the Friends, you may send a donation to Winfield Library Friends, 0S291 Winfield Road, Winfield, IL 60190. All donations are tax deductible.



0S291 Winfield Road  
Winfield, IL 60190  
(630) 653-7599  
www.winfield.lib.il.us

### Library Hours:

We are currently closed.

Curbside Pickup Hours:

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Thursday, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

### Library Closings

Monday, September 7-Labor Day

Wednesday, Nov. 25-Thanksgiving Eve (6pm)

Thursday, November 26-Thanksgiving Day

### Library Board of Trustees

Will Mego, President

Carol Tenyak-O'Connor, Secretary

Robert W. Brown, Treasurer

Amanda Hjerpe

Rebecca Johnson

Shelley Kenyon

Mike Shanahan

### 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.**

Printing and postage kindly provided by the Winfield Library Friends.

Postal Customer  
Winfield, IL 60190

0S291 Winfield Rd. Winfield, IL 60190



Non-Profit  
Organization  
Autocr  
U.S. Postage  
PAID  
Winfield, IL  
Permit No. 10