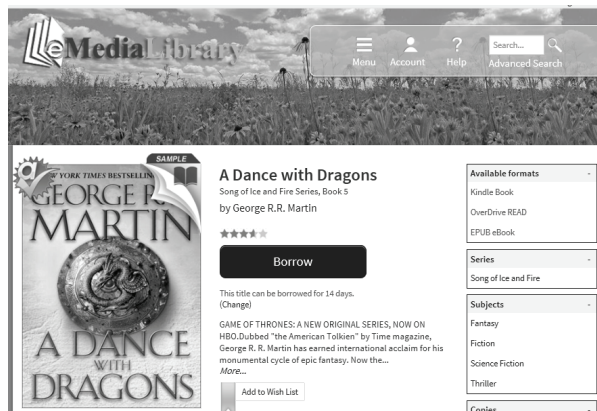


Borrow Ebooks from the Library

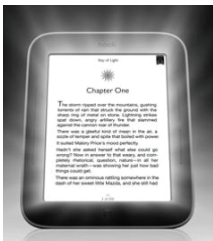
Do you have an ereader, but you are tired of paying for ebooks? Soon you will be able to download ebooks from the Winfield Library for free! The library is joining a consortium called eMediaLibrary (powered by OverDrive), which offers downloadable books for your Kindle, Nook, or other device. Rather than each library spending money to create a small collection of ebooks, a group of more than 25 suburban libraries have pooled their resources to create a collection of almost 9,000 ebooks and 4,000 downloadable audiobooks that can be shared by all patrons in the consortium.

Through eMediaLibrary, you will be able to check out up to 5 titles at a time. The lending period can vary from title to title, but fines will never be an issue with ebooks since they automatically become unavailable once the loan period ends. You can also place holds on up to 5 titles at a time; you will receive an email when your hold becomes available. You can return some titles before they expire in order to check out another ebook. Although ebooks cannot be renewed, you can check out the same title again as long as it has no pending holds.



The eMediaLibrary site itself offers all kinds of help for the new borrower - there are how-to videos and articles, customized help for your specific device, and a list of compatible devices. We are in the process of finalizing our eMediaLibrary access, so please visit www.winfield.lib.il.us for updates.

Coming Soon: Check Out a Nook



Have you wondered what it's like to read an ebook? Thanks to the amazing generosity of the Winfield Library Friends, you will soon be able to check out a Nook! The library purchased 10 Nooks, each pre-loaded with custom content selected by staff: mystery and suspense, children's books, Christian fiction, science fiction and fantasy and more!

The Nooks will check out for four weeks and be renewable if no one is waiting. Each Nook will be included in the catalog with the list of its preloaded titles. If you are interested in a book that is available on a Nook, you can simply put the Nook on hold. We recently received the Nooks and are in the process of adding them to our catalog. Please visit www.winfield.lib.il.us for updates about this exciting new collection.

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- To register for library events, go to our "Calendar of Events" at www.winfield.lib.il.us, or call us at (630) 653-7599. Please note the location of each program; due to our upcoming renovation project, many spring programs will not be held at the library.

- We would like to thank the following organizations for their hospitality in allowing us to host library programs at their facilities during our renovation project:
Central DuPage Hospital
Gianorio's Downtown Deli
Vanilla Sugar Bakery
Winfield Park District

- Our new catalog will be live at the end of February! Library cards from our old system will be replaced with new cards. If you have not already updated your card, please bring in your current card and an ID to get a new card.

- This spring, we will be updating our database access to reflect our new standard patron barcodes. You may experience an interruption in service if accessing databases from home; however, service within the library should not be affected.

- If you are homebound, we deliver! Please call (630) 653-7599, and a staff member will deliver your library materials.

YOUTH AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

Due to our upcoming renovation, please note that many programs will be held at other locations. We would like to thank the Winfield Park District, Gianorio's Downtown Deli, Vanilla Sugar Bakery, and Central DuPage Hospital for their hospitality.

Dave DiNaso's Traveling World of Reptiles

Saturday, March 23, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.
Winfield Park District Gym



Dave DiNaso combines education, entertainment and humor in this live animal show featuring snakes, toads, alligators, and more. Never touched the leathery skin of a snake or felt the sharp spines of an iguana? Here's your chance! Free tickets available March 11 at the library.

STORYTIME SCHEDULE

Spring Storytime

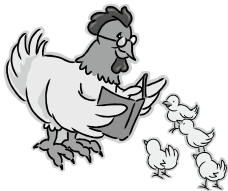
Mondays, March 18 - April 22
10:00 a.m. at Winfield Library

Ages 18 months to 6 years. Registration required. Please register for each session individually.

Spring Storytime

Tuesdays, March 19 - April 23
10:00 a.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Ages 18 months to 6 years. Registration required. Please register for each session individually.



Storytime at Vanilla Sugar Bakery
Thursday, March 21, 10:00 a.m. at
Vanilla Sugar, 0S050 Winfield Rd.
Join us for sweet treat storytime!
Registration required.

Crafty Kids: Yarn Eggs

Friday, March 1, 10:00 a.m. - Noon
Winfield Library

Create colorful yarn egg ornaments.
Grades 1 - 6. Registration required.

Lego Club

Friday, March 1, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Winfield Library

Build a spectacular LEGO masterpiece.
Please do not bring your own LEGOs.
Ages 6 - 12. Registration required.

The Kids Breakfast Book Club

Children ages 8 -12 welcome.
Registration required.

Chasing Vermeer by Blue Balliett
Saturday, March 2, 9:30 a.m.
Winfield Library

11 Birthdays by Wendy Mass
Saturday, April 6, 9:00 a.m.
Gianorio's Downtown Deli,
0S100 Winfield Rd.

The London Eye Mystery by Siobhan Dowd
Saturday, May 11, 9:00 a.m.
Gianorio's Downtown Deli,
0S100 Winfield Rd.

Winfield Library All Ages Chess Club

Saturday, March 2, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 16, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 6, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 20, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 11, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 25, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
All sessions at Winfield Library
Drop in for a lively game of chess.

Donuts with Dad

Saturday, March 16, 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.
Saturday, April 20, 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.
Both at Winfield Library
Share donuts and read together.

Library Egg Hunt

Thursday, March 28, 9:00 - 9:45 a.m.
Winfield Library
Hop down to the library for our egg hunt!
Ages 6 and under. Registration required.

Paint a Reading Rainbow

April 1 - 27
Winfield Library

Pick up a book log, read nine books, and turn in your log by April 27 for a special prize. Grades 4 and under.

Crafty Kids: Memo Board

Friday, April 5, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Winfield Park District Meeting Room
Make a memo board to display your favorite keepsakes. Grades 1 - 6.
Registration required.

Hands on Science: Slime Time

Friday, April 12, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Winfield Park District Meeting Room
Make oozing slime, silly putty, and more.
Please come dressed in an old t-shirt.
Grades 1 - 6. Registration required.

Andy Head, The Wonderful Wacky Juggler

Saturday, April 27, 2:00 - 2:45 p.m.
Winfield Park District Gym
Andy Head, two-time national juggling champion, delivers a high energy performance packed with juggling, comedy, unicycling, and audience participation that will have everyone laughing until their face hurts.
Free tickets available April 15 at the library.



Crafty Kids: Bubbly Bubble Bath

Friday, May 3, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Winfield Park District Meeting Room
Show Mom how much you appreciate everything she does for you. Make a bottle of bubble bath for your mom so she can soak in luxurious bubbles. Grades 1 - 6.
Registration required.

Hands on Science: Lava Lamp & More

Friday, May 10, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Winfield Park District Meeting Room
Learn how to make an easy lava lamp and build a fizzy balloon inflator with these fun science experiments. Grades 1-6.
Registration required.



ADULT PROGRAMS

Due to our upcoming renovation, please note that many programs will be held at other locations. Many thanks to the Winfield Park District, Gianorio's Downtown Deli, Vanilla Sugar Bakery, and Central DuPage Hospital for their hospitality.

How An Angel Can Help You: Beating the Midwinter Doldrums

Wednesday, March 6, 10:00 a.m. at Winfield Library

Visiting Angels Living Assistance Services will present ways to beat the doldrums and keep your mind active in your senior years. Registration required.

Fort Dearborn and Beyond (2013 Historical Program Series)

Thursday, March 14, 7:00 p.m. at Winfield Library

The Massacre of Fort Dearborn, the home of Chicago's earliest residents, was one of the early battles of the War of 1812. Learn how this and other Midwestern battles helped determine the future of our region and America.

Turning 65, Now What? Understanding Financial Decisions

Wednesday, March 20, 10:00 a.m. at Winfield Library

Approximately 40% of people will need long term care after 65. Learn about the financial decisions you'll need to make to fund your care. Registration required.

An Italian Feast: Sampling and Preparing the Ultimate Meal

Tuesday, March 26, 6:30 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Learn how to prepare an Italian meal: appetizers, chicken marsala, and dessert. Enjoy samples while you learn the secrets of an Italian chef! Registration required.

An Evening With A Beekeeper

Thursday, March 28, 7:00 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Join Steve King as he presents fascinating information about the world of bees in this introduction to the honeybee and local beekeeping. Registration required.

Basics of Personal Finance and Financial Planning

Thursday, April 11, 7:00 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Financial planner Joseph C. Ross will help you make the most of your future, considering your goals, expenses, insurance and more. Registration required.

Hiking the Appalachian Trail: The Adventure of a Lifetime

Thursday, April 25, 7:00 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Meet extraordinary adventurer Will DiFabio, who traveled by foot the 2,100 miles of the Appalachian Trail - not once, but two separate times! Registration required.

Becoming a Freedom Rider: My Life as a Foot Soldier for Civil Rights

Wednesday, May 1, 12:15 p.m. and Tuesday, May 7, 7:00 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Join us for this special meeting of the "Off the Shelf" book group as Thomas Armstrong reads from his book and shares his life story as a champion of civil rights, including the hardships, advancements, and the work still to be done.

Raising Canine Companions and Therapy Dogs: Preparing Puppies for a Life of Service

Thursday, May 2, 7:00 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Meet the Trojans and their service dogs as they share the journey of raising mischievous puppies into working dogs. Registration required.

Kilimanjaro and Me: My Journey to the Rooftop of Africa

Thursday, May 16, 7:00 p.m. at the Winfield Park District Meeting Room

Join Doug Dvorak as he shares breathtaking photos chronicling his experience summiting Mt. Kilimanjaro at 19,340 feet. Registration required.

ONGOING EVENTS

Off the Shelf Book Group

The Speed of Dark by Elizabeth Moon

Tuesday, March 5, 7:00 p.m.

Winfield Library

Wednesday, March 6, 12:15 p.m.

Winfield Library

Travel Writing by Peter Ferry

Tuesday, April 2, 7:00 p.m.

Central DuPage Hospital

Conference Room 2 (Go to Bed Pavilion Entrance)

Wednesday, April 3, 12:15 p.m.

**Vanilla Sugar Bakery,
0S050 Winfield Rd.**

Autobiography of a Freedom Rider:

My Life As A Foot Soldier For Civil Rights by Thomas Armstrong with special appearance by the author.

Wednesday, May 1, 12:15 p.m.

**Winfield Park District
Meeting Room**

Tuesday, May 7, 7:00 p.m.

**Winfield Park District
Meeting Room**

Mysteries at Lunch

You've Got Murder by D. Andrews

Wednesday, March 13, 12:15 p.m.

Winfield Library

House of Silk by Anthony Horowitz

Wednesday, April 10, 12:15 p.m.

**Central DuPage Hospital,
Conference Room 3 (Go to
Bed Pavilion Entrance)**

The Poacher's Son by Paul Doiron

Wednesday, May 8, 12:15 p.m.

**Vanilla Sugar Bakery,
0S050 Winfield Rd.**

Crafters' Circle

Saturday, March 2, 11:00 a.m.

Winfield Library

Saturday, April 6, 10:15 a.m.

**Gianorio's Downtown Deli,
0S100 Winfield Rd.**

Saturday, May 11, 10:15 a.m.

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WINFIELD LIBRARY FRIENDS

Semi-Annual Book Sale

Find a hidden treasure at our spring book sale! We have children's books, cookbooks, popular fiction, romance, and much more for sale. Proceeds help the Friends fund library projects and special events, including newsletter printing and postage and Summer Reading prizes.

Fundraising Preview Sale

Thursday, March 7, 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, March 8, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 9, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Cost: Free admission to all



Book Donations

The Friends are now accepting book donations for the sale, so it's the perfect time to make room for new books while helping the library! We accept books in good condition with the exception of old encyclopedias and textbooks. Donations are tax deductible; please ask for a tax receipt at the main desk.

We will accept donations for the spring book sale until Saturday, March 9. Because of the library's upcoming renovation project, we cannot accept any book donations after March 9 until further notice.

Library Friends Upcoming Meetings

Monday, April 1, 7:00 p.m. and Monday, May 6, 7:00 p.m.

Both meetings will be at Central DuPage Hospital in Conference Room 3

Do you want to work with a group that makes a difference in your community? Attend an upcoming Winfield Library Friends meeting and find out how you can contribute your talents to this dedicated group of library supporters!

Winfield Library

0S291 Winfield Road

Winfield, IL 60190

(630) 653-7599

www.winfield.lib.il.us

Library Hours

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

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

Sunday - Closed

Library Closings

March 29 - Spring Holiday

March 30 - Spring Holiday

May 24 - Staff In-Service

May 27 - Memorial Day

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Upcoming Board Meetings

Meetings are open to the public.

Wednesday, March 13, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 27, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 10, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 8, 7:30 p.m.

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