

The 17th Annual Ice Cream Social Monday, June 10, 6:30 - 8:30 PM

It's time again for the most anticipated library event of the year, our FREE Ice Cream Social to celebrate the start of our Summer Reading Program, *A Universe of Stories*. Enjoy a sundae and other refreshments, participate in a variety of games, have your face painted, and just have fun at the library!

Entertainer Jason Kollum will be joining us to help make the day extra fun! See him stroll throughout the event on giant stilts demonstrating amazing juggling feats. Make sure you stay for his Comedy Variety Juggling and Balancing Show featuring audience participation and huge balancing and juggling stunts! The show will go on from 7:45 to 8:30 p.m.



Don't miss Jason Kollum's Comedy Variety Juggling and Balancing show at 7:45 p.m.!

The show will WOW all ages of kids and families, as balls, clubs, rings, spinning balls, and much more will all be sent flying through the air, all leading up to the big balancing and juggling finale that will have everybody on the edge of their seats! Kids will even get a chance to try out some skills after the show.

Be sure to take this opportunity to sign up for our Summer Reading Program, *A Universe of Stories*! We have programs, reading incentives, and grand prizes for children, teens, and adults.

Park at St. John the Baptist, located at the corner of Sunnyside Avenue and Church Street, 0S233 Church Street. Please bring a lawn chair or blanket for the outside show in the library parking lot. In case of rain the show will be indoors.

Find New Flavors with AtoZ World Food



If you think that spice is the variety of life and love international cuisine, AtoZ World Food has you covered. AtoZ World Food will introduce you to traditional recipes for 174 countries from Argentina to Zimbabwe.

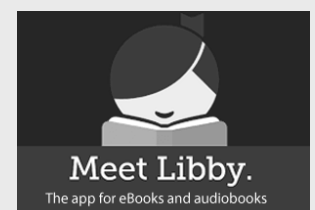
You can view more than 9,000 photographs for more than 6,000 recipes. Learn about national cuisines, food culture, ingredients, and foods you can only find in specific regions of the world. Go to www.winfield.lib.il.us and click the Research tab to log in to AtoZ World Food.

Announcements

- Registration for summer events begins Monday, June 3 at 9:00 a.m. Register online at www.winfield.lib.il.us using the Calendar of Events.
- Registration for the Summer Reading Program for all ages begins Monday, June 10 at 9:00 a.m. at the library. Children register downstairs, teens register upstairs, and adults may register at either desk.
- If you are homebound, we deliver! Please call (630) 653-7599, and a staff member will deliver your library materials.
- Get library news and events in your inbox! Sign up for our library eNewsletters. Go to www.winfield.lib.il.us and click the Library Link button.



- Are you going on vacation but don't want to pack all the books you want to read? EBooks are the answer! You can download eBooks and eAudiobooks for free with your Winfield Library card. Download the Libby by Overdrive app today!



Teen Events



Teen Summer Reading Program June 10 - July 27

Read what you like and earn prizes! If you're going into grade 7-12, come to the upstairs desk to get a reading log. Keep track of the hours you read and bring your reading log to the library to claim your prizes and fill out grand prize drawing tickets.

Earn even more grand prize tickets by attending teen programs! For each teen program you attend, you'll get one grand prize drawing ticket. All teen events are free of charge! Registration for events begins June 3 online and at the library. Registration for the reading program begins June 10 at the library. More details are at www.winfield.lib.il.us.



Animal Felting

Monday, June 17, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Needle felting uses wool and a needle to create art. You'll make and take home a cute 3D felted bear. No felting experience necessary. Grades 7-12. Registration required.



Cupcake Battle: Space Cakes

Tuesday, July 9, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Take the cupcake battle to the stars! Transform plain cupcakes into space-themed art. Participants will judge each other's creations for creativity, presentation, and use of the space theme. Everyone will go home with treats. Grades 7-12. Registration required.

Out of this World Desserts

Tuesday, June 18, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Professional chef Susan Maddox returns to teach us how to make mouthwatering desserts. Recipes and samples will be provided. Grades 7-12. Registration required.

Life on the International Space Station

Tuesday, June 18, 7:00 p.m.

Rita Butler, Winfield's own NASA Solar System Ambassador, talks about ISS astronauts' out-of-this world experience living in space. Open to teens and adults. Registration recommended.



Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse (PG)

Monday, June 24, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Spider-Man meets many different versions of himself when a gateway into the multiverse opens up. Snacks will be provided. Grades 7-12. Registration required.



Video Game Truck

Monday, July 15, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Game Truck Chicago will roll in with their incredible truck, which lets 20 players game at once. Meet us in St. John the Baptist's school parking lot at 0S233 Church St. Grades 7-12. Registration required.

Fantastic Space Discoveries and Where to Find Them

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

Explore one of the most puzzling stars ever discovered in our galaxy, Tabby's Star, and look at other incredible discoveries of exoplanets. Open to teens and adults. Registration recommended.



Galaxy Silhouettes

Tuesday, July 16, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Beginners welcome for this modern twist on a classic silhouette portrait. Artist Christine Thornton will teach you how to paint a galaxy pattern inside of your silhouette. Grades 7-12. Registration required.

Self-Defense for Teens

Wednesday, June 26, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Tae Kwon Do Master Frank Panzek will teach self-defense techniques designed to help you safely get out of dangerous situations. Parents must sign a permission slip before the class begins. Grades 7-12. Registration required.



Starry Night Chalk Art

Thursday, June 27, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Learn chalk art techniques with local artist and teacher Marisa Choate. You'll create abstracted landscapes using chalk dust and glue. We'll be inspired by the painting Starry Night. Grades 7-12. Registration required.

Aquaman (PG-13)

Monday, July 1, 2:00-4:30 p.m.

Half-human, half-Atlantean Arthur Curry goes on a journey to discover if he is worthy of who he was born to be...a king. Snacks will be provided. Grades 7-12. Registration required.

Apollo 11: One Giant Leap, a Series of Firsts

Thursday, July 18, 7:00 p.m.

Marking the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing, hear astronaut Neil Armstrong recount the lead up to the event. Open to teens and adults. Registration recommended.

Inspirational 3D Posters

Tuesday, July 23, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

What inspires you? Moves you? Makes you want to go out and conquer the world? Create your own 3D poster to motivate you to follow your dreams. Grades 7-12. Registration required.



Galaxy T-Shirts

Thursday, July 25, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Transform a t-shirt into a celestial work of art. Bring a black t-shirt and we'll provide the paint and supplies you need to create a one-of-a-kind tee. Grades 7-12. Registration required.



Youth and Family Events



A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

Children's Summer Reading Program
June 10 - July 27

The Children's Summer Reading Program, *A Universe of Stories*, is for all children going into sixth grade or below. Summer Reading and all programs are free and open to all.

Starting June 10, come to the Youth Services desk for a reading log. Track the hours you read and bring your log to the library to claim prizes and fill out grand prize drawing tickets. Each hour of reading/listening earns you a chance to win the grand prize! Parents may read to younger children, and the use of audiobooks, Tumblebooks, and library storytime counts too!

Summer Storytime

Weekly Storytime

Mondays, June 17-July 22

Drop-in Toddler Time

9:30-10:00 a.m.

Lively stories, songs, and crafts will help develop pre-literacy skills. For children 18 months to 3 years with a caregiver.

Drop-in Preschool Storytime

10:30-11:00 a.m.

Exciting books, songs, and activities support language and literacy skills and help children ages 3 to 6 years old get ready for kindergarten.

Weekly Storytime Themes:

June 17: Take Me to Your Reader! **July 8:** Space & Planets!
June 24: Stars! **July 15:** Astronauts!
July 1: Moon! **July 22:** Rockets!

Storytime at Cantigny Park

A Universe of Stories at Cantigny Park

Friday, June 14, 10:30 a.m.

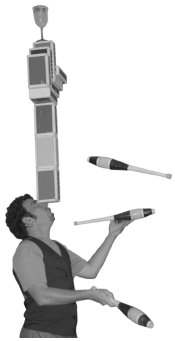
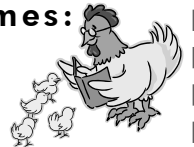
Friday, July 12, 10:30 a.m.

Join us at the Visitors Center at Cantigny as we read and sing outdoors. A craft kit and booklist based on each theme will be handed out to participants, as long as supplies last. Free parking passes available at the library starting June 3.

Cantigny Storytime Themes:

June 14: Hello Sun!

July 12: A Sky Full of Stories!



Comedy Variety Juggling & Balancing Show

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event will be in the library parking lot. Park at St. John the Baptist, located at 0S233 Church Street. Please bring a lawn chair or blanket for the outside show in the library parking lot. In case of rain the show will be indoors.

Winfield Library All Ages Chess Club

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

Saturday, July 6, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 3, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Learn how to play chess and develop your skills at our monthly drop-in sessions. Chess sets will be available.



Kids' Chess

Wednesdays, June 12, 26, July 10, 24

4:00-5:00 p.m.

For nearly 3,000 years chess has been the dominant strategy game of deep thinkers. Chess instructor Brandon Joerges will teach you the basics of piece names, movement, special moves, and strategies to take queens and check kings on your way to victory! Ages 6-12. Registration required.



Crafters' Circle

Saturday, June 1, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Saturday, July 6, 10:30a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Saturday, August 3, 10:30a.m.-12:30 p.m.

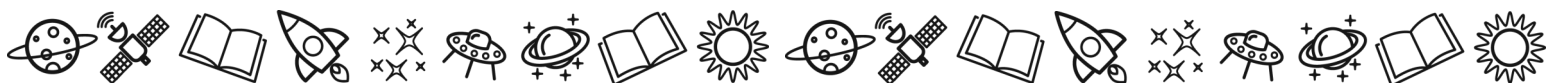
Knitting and crocheting for all experience levels.
Ages 8 & up.

Preschool Curiosity Club: Space Galaxy Painting

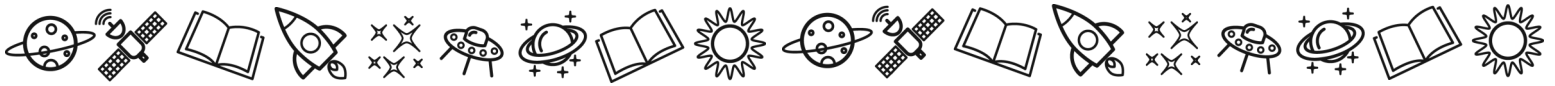
Tuesday, June 18, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Your preschooler will have a blast exploring outer space with this simple outdoor spray art activity perfect for fine motor skills. In case of rain, a slightly different paint method will be used indoors. Ages 3-6. Registration required.

More youth and family events →



Youth and Family Events (Continued)



COD Theater Presents: *Can You See Me?* Tuesday, June 25, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

This is the story of a “pretend character” who is lost and goes on an extraordinary journey, finding out what it means to be important, included and REAL. Bring your imagination and participate in a “no-shushing” hour of fun. Free tickets available June 11.

Foil Mono-Printing

Thursday, June 27, 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Come learn about mono-printing with Marisa Choate, a local artist and art teacher. Students will create a one of a kind painting on foil that they will transfer over onto paper using a technique called printmaking. We will be inspired by the painting *Starry Night*. Grades 1-6. Registration required.

4th of July Noisemakers!

Tuesday, July 2, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Celebrate our nation’s independence with 4th of July noisemakers. We will decoupage red, white and blue papers onto maracas. Grades 1-6. Registration required.



Lego Club: Space Challenge

Monday, July 8, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Participants will be challenged to build their vision of future NASA space missions and spaceships without using a special LEGO set. Please do not bring your own LEGOs. Ages 6 to 12. Registration required.



Jim Gill in Concert!

Tuesday, July 9, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Jim Gill, an award-winning musician and author, is coming to the library! In concert, Jim bangs out on his banjo while everyone claps, jumps, dances and even sneezes along to the silly and inspiring musical games he creates. Free tickets available June 25.

Kids in the Kitchen: Intergalactic Snacks

Thursday, July 11, 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Blast off to another planet as you learn to create out of this world galaxy treats. These super easy snacks like Pluto freeze pops and others are delicious and easy to make. Ages 7-12. Registration required.

Mr. D’s Magic & Illusion Show

Tuesday, July 16, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Join us for Mr. D’s Magic & Illusion Show that is sure to astound and amaze you! Step back in time with this entertaining performance featuring music, comedy, audience participation, animals, and laughter. Free tickets available July 2.



The Kids Breakfast Book Club Lock-In

Friday, July 19, 5:00-9:00 p.m.

Join us for a special library lock-in event! The evening will include our version of the Book Scavenger online game, food and lots of fun...but make sure you have read *Book Scavenger: The Unbreakable Code* by Jennifer Chambliss

Bertman! Your knowledge of children’s literature will be put to the test. Ages 8-12. Registration required.

Dave DiNaso’s Traveling World of Reptiles

Tuesday, July 23, 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Never touched the leathery skin of a snake or felt the sharp spines of an iguana? Here’s your chance! Dave DiNaso combines education, entertainment and humor in this live animal show featuring snakes, toads, alligators, and more. Free tickets available July 9.

Galaxy T-Shirt Art

Thursday, July 25, 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Do you love astronomy and the galaxy prints you see everywhere? Join us for a fun morning creating your own galaxy t-shirt. Please bring a clean black t-shirt for the project and we’ll provide the rest. Grades 1-6. Registration required.

BOOK CLUBS

The Kids Breakfast Book Club

First Saturdays, 9:15 a.m. Ages 8-12

- June 1 | *Tuesdays at the Castle*
by Jessica Day George
- July 6 | *The Unbreakable Code*
by Jennifer Chambliss Bertman
- August 3 | *The Red Pencil*
by Andrea Davis Pinkey



Book Munchers Book Club

Thursdays, 2:00 p.m. Ages 6-7

- June 20 | *Midnight on the Moon*
by Mary Pope Osborne
- July 18 | *The Goose’s Gold*
by Ron Roy
- August 8 | *The Infamous Ratsos*
by Kara LaReau



Adult Events

A UNIVERSE of Stories



Adult Summer Reading Program June 10 - July 27

Visit either service desk for Summer Reading tickets. Read three books and turn in your ticket for a chance to win the grand prize of your choice: a Fire 7 Tablet with Alexa or Two Adler Planetarium All-Access Passes!

BOOK CLUBS



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

- June 4 | *From the Earth to the Moon* by Jules Verne
- July 2 | *The Other Einstein* by Marie Benedict
- August 6 | *Rocket Men* by Robert Kurson



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

- June 19 | *Impact* by Douglas Preston
- July 17 | *Bad Moon* by Todd Ritter
- August 21 | *Magpie Murders* by Anthony Horowitz*
*Meet at Aurelio's Pizza, 27W101 Geneva Rd.



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Chess sets will be available for players of all ages.

Cut the Cable Cord
Tuesday, June 11, 7:00 p.m.
Find out about Amazon, Netflix and other streaming options, as well as streaming devices like Roku and Apple TV.
Registration recommended.



Sunny Terrariums
Wednesday, June 12, 1:30 p.m.
Celebrate the sun by making your own glass jar terrarium using a variety of succulents and air plants. Registration required.

Life on the International Space Station
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Fantastic Space Discoveries and Where to Find Them
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Jim Kovac, a member of the Chicago Society for Space Studies, takes us on an exploration of one of the most puzzling stars ever discovered in our galaxy, Tabby's Star, as well as other incredible exoplanet discoveries. Registration recommended.

College of DuPage Information Table
Thursday, June 27, 5:00-7:00 p.m.
A College of DuPage adult admissions representative will be available to answer prospective students' questions. Look for the table near the upstairs service desk.



Wright Brothers, Wrong Story: Author Visit by William Hazelgrove
Tuesday, July 9, 7:00 p.m.

How could two brothers who were high-school dropouts and made a living as bicycle mechanics have figured out the secret of manned flight? This new history of the Wright brothers focuses on their early years of trial and error at Kitty Hawk. Book sale and signing after the program. Registration recommended.

Movie Matinee: First Man
Wednesday, July 10, 1:00 p.m.
Celebrate Apollo 11 by watching this film starring Ryan Gosling as astronaut Neil Armstrong as he goes on the legendary space mission that led him to become the first man to walk on the Moon on July 20, 1969. Refreshments will be provided. Registration recommended.

Solarize Chicagoland - Solar Power Hour Information Session
Saturday, July 20, 10:30 a.m.
Citizens Utility Board talks about the basics of solar, its financial implications for a household, and how the solar group buy program works. Registration recommended.

Meet the Astronomers!
Saturday, July 20, 12:00-2:00 p.m.
Members of the Naperville Astronomical Association staff a table with information about general astronomy, the moon landing and upcoming events. Look for the table near the upstairs service desk.



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Apollo 11: One Giant Leap, a Series of Firsts
Thursday, July 18, 7:00 p.m.
Marking the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing, hear astronaut Neil Armstrong recount the lead up to the event as well as the other "series of firsts" associated with the mission. Registration recommended.

Winfield Library Friends

Book Donations

The Friends will be accepting donations for the fall book sale from August 5 to September 7. We accept books in good condition with the exception of encyclopedias, magazines, and textbooks. Donations are tax deductible.

Mark Your Calendar

The Friends' semi-annual book sale will take place September 5-7, during Winfield's Good Old Days. Watch for the library's 50th anniversary float in the Good Old Days parade on Sunday, September 8!

Upcoming Friends Meetings

Monday, July 8, 7:00 p.m.

Monday, August 12, 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 you can help the Friends help the library.

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

Thursday, July 4 - Independence Day

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Upcoming Board Meetings

Meetings are open to the public.

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

Wednesday, July 10, 7:00 p.m.

Please note the early meeting time.

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

Director: Matthew Suddarth

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