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**Digital Deerfield:
DHS Yearbooks and more!**

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From the Director



In past columns, I've alluded to the planned renovation of our Media area. As this newsletter goes to press, we are about ready to begin construction of our new MakerSpace, a collaborative workspace. First, the shelves will be rotated, and the Media desk will be moved. Later in August, we anticipate

full construction to begin, which should last approximately 4-6 weeks. Watch our social media channels and website (deerfieldlibrary.org/makerspace) for information about the opening of the new space.

The Library is committed to meeting the needs of our community. We undertook this project as part of the Library's current Strategic Plan. From our research and planning in 2016, we knew there was an interest in increased STEAM-related offerings. The STEAM acronym stands for Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math. Since 2017, we have continued to

add new STEAM programs. These have included our popular 3D printing programs, as well as Tech Drop-ins, that provide a casual opportunity to see new technologies in action.

We have also added non-traditional items, like our Discovery Kits, to the library's collection. The Discovery Kits focus on STEAM and other creative concepts with hands-on making. A kit is a curated collection of items available around a theme.

The new MakerSpace is going to house STEAM-related equipment and provide additional table seating for people to use all hours the Library is open. When the construction is completed, we will have a new, larger service desk across from the book return, which will serve Media and additional patron needs.

There is more to share! Turn to page 11 for a rendering of the new space, as well as a list of some of the equipment that we will have available.

Amy Falasz-Peterson, *Library Director*

Local History at Your Fingertips

Do you like your Deerfield High School yearbook picture? Hope so...because now it's available for the whole world to see!

The Deerfield Public Library's local history collection is being digitized for online access. Books, documents, and video recordings, previously only available in the Library, are now always available for current and future generations of residents, researchers, and students. The growing collection can be found at deerfieldlibrary.org/local-history.

Thanks to a donation of yearbooks from Deerfield High School (DHS), we have filled in the holes in our yearbook collection. We have print editions from 1968-2019, and at the time of publication, all editions through 2008 have been digitized.

Under the direction of Deerfield Public Library Adult Services Librarian/Archivist Anne Jamieson, Library staff is tagging the digital collection. For the DHS yearbooks, this includes every person and organization listed in the books

The new digital DHS Yearbook collection already tops our website hits in the Local History Archives, with 1969 currently at the top spot. Print editions are in the lower level reference area.

In addition to the DHS Yearbooks, the digital Local History Collection includes:

Deerfield Schools Musical Performances

A couple surprise finds deep in our archives! You'll surely enjoy these wonderful student concerts from 1966 and 1972.

Deerfield Review Obituaries

We're just getting started, and it could take a lifetime. Currently,

we have digitized three months of 1945, and have completed 1947-1950.

Deerfield History Books

Have you read the definitive (as of 1928) history of Deerfield by Marie Ward Reichelt? The advertisements alone are a unique walk through local history.

Deerfield Integration Case Records & Bob Gand Papers

The records related to the Deerfield Integration Case of 1959 include books, DVDs, VHS, newspaper clippings, correspondence, and meeting minutes. A number of these original documents are on display on the Library's lower level through 2019.

Deerfield Public Library Board of Trustees

The Board meeting minutes begin with May 3, 1966, the first meeting of the Board following the April 1966 referendum to establish a Village library. The vote was Yes - 456; No - 66; Invalid - 4.

DPL Newsletters (Browsing & E-news)

You can never know too much about your favorite library. The archive for Browsing, our print newsletter goes back to 1986.

Enjoy your digital exploration of Deerfield at deerfieldlibrary.org/local-history.



Deerfield resident and author of History of Deerfield Illinois, Marie Ward Reichelt.

Book and Film Discussions

Thursday Book Discussions

Copies available at the Adult Services desk a month prior. Drop in.

An American Marriage by Tayari Jones

Thursday, September 12, 10:30am

When her new husband is arrested and imprisoned for a crime she knows he did not commit, a rising artist takes comfort in a longtime friendship, only to encounter unexpected challenges in resuming her life when her husband's sentence is overturned.

Vox by Christina Dalcher

Thursday, October 10, 10:30am

When the government limits women to no more than one hundred spoken words daily before outlawing women's education and employment altogether, a former doctor resolves to be heard for the sake of her daughter.

Home Fire by Kamila Shamsie

Thursday, November 14, 10:30am

Given a chance to resume a deferred dream years after raising her troubled siblings, Isma worries about the influence of a powerful politician's son who drives the family to choose between love and loyalty, with devastating consequences.



Books With A Twist

Program held at **Warehouse, 833 Deerfield Rd., Deerfield**. Copies are available at the Adult Services desk a month prior. Drop-in.

The Overstory by Richard Powers

Monday, September 23, 7:30pm

Nine remarkable strangers are each summoned in different ways by trees for an ultimate and brutal last stand to save the continent's few remaining acres of virgin forest.

Days Without End by Sebastian Barry

Monday, November 18, 7:30pm

Entering the U.S. army after fleeing the Great Famine in Ireland, seventeen-year-old Thomas McNulty and his brother-in-arms, John Cole, experience the harrowing realities of the Indian wars and the American Civil War between the Wyoming plains and Tennessee.

Classics Book Discussion

Swann's Way by Marcel Proust

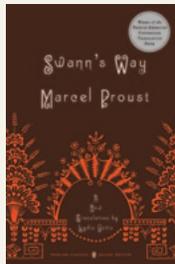
**Wednesdays, September 25;
October 23, 7:00-8:30pm**

Swann's Way (1913) is the first volume of Proust's masterpiece *In Search of Lost Time*, and we'll discuss it over two sessions. The novel is famous for its scene of "involuntary memory" when the taste of a petite madeleine causes the narrator's childhood to rush back to him. The first session will include a short presentation and madeleine tasting from local James Beard Award-winning Pastry Chef Gale Gand.

Sept. 25: Part 1: "Combray"
Special guest Chef Gale Gand

Oct. 23: Part 2: "Swann in Love" and
Part 3: "Place-Names: The Name"

Books will be provided one month before the first session, for participants to keep. Space is limited. **Registration required.** **R**



For Film Buffs

No registration required.

Tuesday 'New Movie' Night

**Tuesdays, September 10, 24; October 8, 22;
November 5, 19**

TUESDAY FILMS BEGIN AT 6:30pm

Come to the Library for New Movie Night on select Tuesdays, and preview the hot new release of the week. As we get closer to each date, check our website or ask at the Media desk for a listing of upcoming showings.

Thursday Afternoon Movie

Thursdays, September 5, October 3, November 14

THURSDAY FILMS BEGIN AT 2:00pm

We'll start each film with a brief introduction and then watch the movie. Stay until the lights come up for a brief discussion.

Tech Connections

Cut the Cable

Tuesday, September 17, 7:00pm

In this program, learn how to “Cut the Cable” and save money. We’ll discuss different cable cutting options, streaming services, and devices. We’ll also talk about some of the more popular services and their pros and cons. **R**

How to Download eBooks from the Library

Thursday, October 17, 7:00pm

If you’re going on a holiday vacation and need a good book to read, learn more about the amazing world of eBooks! We’ll discover the Library’s eBook collection available through the Libby Overdrive and Hoopla apps. Learn how to navigate the apps, download them to your eReader, and more. You’ll never be without a book again. **R**

Excel Basics

Tuesday, November 5, 6:00pm

This class is perfect for those who have never used Microsoft Excel, or just need a bit of a refresher. We will explore the basic functions of the program, including how to create spreadsheets, input data, and more. *Basic computer skills required.* **R**

3D Print Your Own Coaster Set

Thursday, November 14, 7:00pm

Prepare to wow your guests this holiday season with 3D printed coasters. We’ll create the basic coaster design, then participants will have a chance to customize their own design. Each participant will receive a set of four coasters. *Basic computer skills required.* **R**

Adult Dungeons & Dragons in the Library

Wednesdays, September 4, October 2, November 6

6:30-8:30pm

Ages 18+

Discover a magical world through the role-playing game, Dungeons & Dragons.

Players will create players and explore a fantasy world during this three-part series. *No experience necessary.* **R**



Take the Confusion Out of Medicare

Wednesday, September 18, 7:00pm

If it's time for you to start understanding Medicare, join us as David Wyly of Medicare Solutions Network, explains the nuts and bolts of this health insurance program so you can make more informed decisions. **R**

Local Author Fair

Saturday, September 21, 10:30am-12:30pm

Mix and mingle with local authors writing in a variety of genres. The program will be located downstairs in the Library's meeting rooms. Books will be available for purchase. At the time of publication, our list of participating authors include:

Barbara B. Appelbaum
J.L. Callison
Nancy Chadwick
Meredith Colby
Cynthia Gallaher
Michael Golvach
Jacqueline Nicole Harris

Boaz Johnson
Scott Johnson
Colleen McManus Hein
M. Anne Miller
Barbara M. Stock
Jamie Wendt

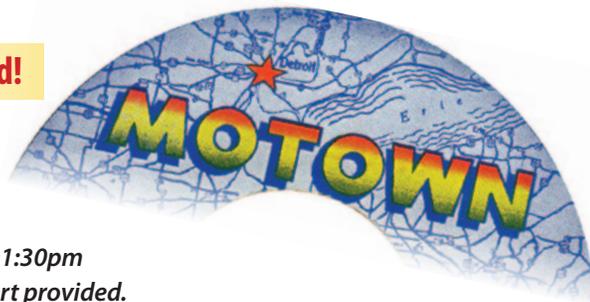
Back by Popular Demand!

Lunch & Learn Motown: Music that Moved the World

Thursday, September 26, 12:00-1:30pm

Bring your lunch; coffee & dessert provided.

In 1960s Detroit, Motown Records produced hits as efficiently as the Ford Motor Company produced automobiles -- 110 Top Ten hits to be exact! Using audio and visual content we'll trace the amazing musical journey from the power soul of "I Heard It Through the Grapevine" to the psychedelic soul of "Cloud Nine" and to the pop soul of The Jackson 5. *Co-sponsored with the Patty Turner Center.* **R**





Deerfield Historical Cemetery Tour

Saturday, October 5, 2:00-3:00pm

Join us for our "inside the gates" historical tour. The Cemetery is the resting place of some of the first residents of Deerfield, including Lyman Wilmot, one of the founding members of the Republican Party in Illinois and the namesake of both Wilmot Road and Wilmot School. *This tour is presented in cooperation with the Deerfield Cemetery Commission.* NOTE: Meet at the cemetery gate on Waukegan Road. **R**



Thinks and Drinks Trivia

Wednesday, October 9, 7:30pm

@Deerfield Golf Club, 1201 Saunders Rd. Adults Only

Think you know it all? Prove it! The library is hosting another popular trivia night at the Deerfield Golf Club. Play individually or team up in groups of up to 4 people and test your knowledge of world trivia. Refreshments will be served and prizes will be awarded to the biggest know-it-alls! Register in advance with Adult Services @ 847-580-8933. **R**

The Artist's Eye



Inside Out: Interior Architecture from Historic Buildings

Thursday, October 3, 7:00-8:30pm

Architecture is most commonly thought to be the outside of buildings and often overlooks the interior spaces hidden within. Join Artist and Professor Vincent Caranchini, as he turns architecture inside-out and shares the valuable lessons learned from his own drawings of public, historic buildings. *Sponsored by the Deerfield Fine Arts Commission.* **R**



Watercolor Techniques 101

Wednesday, October 16, 7:00-8:30pm

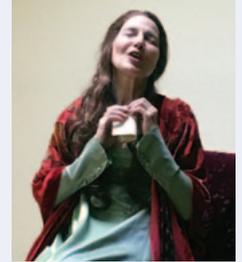
Capture the changing colors of fall in watercolors. In this beginner class, Audrey Ko of Things Unseen Designs, will teach basic watercolor techniques for painting a variety of leaves and floral elements. You'll leave with your painting of a fall-inspired wreath on a card. **R**

Monsters & Murder

Mary Shelley: My Monsters

Tuesday, October 15, 7:00pm

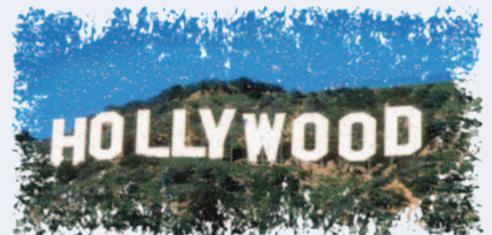
Writer and actress Megan Wells portrays Mary Shelley, telling the true story of the "dark and stormy night" when she wrote *Frankenstein*. **R**



Hollywood Murders

Thursday, October 24, 7:00pm

Hollywood is known for glitz and glamour, but there is a sinister side to America's Tinseltown. Join us as Susan Gibberman shares the true stories behind some of the most baffling and terrifying murder cases, including William Desmond Taylor, George Reeves, and Natalie Wood. **R**



The Leopold and Loeb Files

Wednesday, November 6, 7:00pm

The 1924 murder of fourteen-year-old Bobby Franks by Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, and their defense by Clarence Darrow, raised profound and disturbing questions about social class, criminal psychology, morality, justice, and mercy. Nina Barrett, author of *The Leopold and Loeb Files: An Intimate Look at One of America's Most Infamous Crimes*, will discuss why, almost a century later, these issues continue to haunt us. **R**



Photo courtesy of Chicago History Museum

PLACE Program: Autumn Poetry and Crafts

Saturday, October 26, 1:30-3:30pm

PLACE (Public Library Access and Community for Everyone) programs welcome adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities as well as their parents and caregivers.

If you love reading and art, this program is for you! Join us for an afternoon of reading, conversation, crafts, and fun with this poetry-centered program. It will include an autumn poetry reading, followed by crafts inspired by the reads. Light refreshments will be served. **R**

Game Night @ Warehouse Eatery

Thursday, November 7, 7:00-9:00pm

@Warehouse, 833 Deerfield Rd., Deerfield

Adults Only

Join us for an evening of fun and food. Play one of the many board games from the Library's collection including classics like *Monopoly* or *Clue*, or new favorites like *Settlers of Catan* and *Ticket to Ride*. We'll be happy to teach you any of the games. Appetizers will be served. **R**



Randy Walker presents 'Legends of Sun Records'

Sunday, November 10, 2:30-3:30pm

Singer and guitarist Randy Walker will perform the hits and explore the history of musical legends such as Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash and Jerry Lee Lewis. Come and enjoy an hour of entertaining history and songs. **R**



History of the Cocktail

Tuesday, November 12, 7:00-8:30pm

Adults 21+ only

Sonja Kassebaum of North Shore Distillery talks about the cocktail, from its birth in the 1800s to today. Samples will be served. **R**

Genealogy @ DPL

Drop-in Genealogy Help

Thursdays, September 19, November 21, 3:00-4:00pm

If you're delving into your family's history and have questions, we're here to help. Staff will be in the lobby to answer questions and give you tips for doing family history research.

Introduction to Jewish Genealogy

Wednesday, November 13, 7:00-8:30pm

Mike Karson, Past President of the Jewish Genealogical Society of Illinois discusses the personal value of connecting with our roots, what's unique about Jewish genealogy, and how to get started. Karson is the author of the JewishGen website's "Guide to Jewish Genealogy in Chicagoland." **R**



Sherlock Holmes Escape Room

Friday, November 15, 6:30-8:30pm

Adults 18+

Do you have the detective skills to conquer our Sherlock Holmes Escape Room? Use your methods of deduction to decipher the clues and solve the case. Join us for one of the sessions to see if you're up to the challenge! Sign up individually or in teams of up to 4. Teams may be combined. Registration begins on August 14. Please register in person or by calling Adult Services at 847-580-8933. **R**

Read Without Boundaries

We are more than halfway through our year of reading without boundaries! We've read stories about Illinois history, women's history, LGBTQ issues, and tried graphic novels. There are some exciting themes planned for the rest of the year, as well as fabulous monthly prizes and a grand prize drawing for those who finish all 12 months.

Entries will be accepted for all months through the end of December. We provide reading suggestions for each theme, but readers can choose another title, as long as it fits the monthly theme. For more information, or to sign up, stop by the Adult Services desk, or sign up online at deerfieldlibrary.beanstack.org/reader365.



R Please register in advance at the Library, online at deerfieldlibrary.org under "Programs", or by calling 847-580-8962. **Registration opens Wednesday, August 14.**

NOTE: For Teen programs, Grades 6-12 are welcome. Exceptions are noted, so please read each description carefully!

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) Meeting

Looking for ways to be seen and heard at the Library? As a TAB member you can help plan programs, create content for our website, and keep the Teen Space awesome! There are plenty of snacks, AND any hours you contribute to TAB meetings and programs count as volunteer service in the community.

Upcoming meetings, Wednesdays

@ 5:00pm

September 11, October 16, November 13

For more information contact Nina Michael at nmichael@deerfieldlibrary.org

FREE ACT and SAT Practice Tests @ the Library

SAT Practice Test: Saturday, September 7, 9:30am-1:00pm **R**

ACT Practice Test: Saturday, October 12, 9:30am-1:00pm. **R**



Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament

Thursday, September 12, 5:30-7:30pm

New challenger approaches! Take turns battling it out with your friends and show off your super smash skills when you claim your spot on our tournament bracket. We'll use our large projector screens to bring the contest up close, and one winner will receive a GameStop gift card. **R**

Uke n' Play

Tuesday, September 24

5:30-6:30pm OR 7:00-8:00pm

Join our very own librarian Julia as she teaches beginner ukulele players how to strum their stuff. You'll learn basic chords and simple tunes in this jam session. Ukuleles provided. *Please choose just one time slot when registering.* **R**

Think like a College Admissions Officer

Monday, October 7, 7:00-8:00pm

If you've ever wondered what college admissions officers look for, then this seminar is perfect for you. C2 Education will help you figure out how to best approach the application process, step by step. You'll walk away from this seminar with some great tips and tricks! **R**

Dungeons & Dragons @ the Library

Mondays, 5:30-7:30pm

September 23, October 21, November 18

We're back and ready for more adventures! Immerse yourself in a vibrant fantasy world as we play the role-playing game Dungeons & Dragons. You'll fight monsters, solve puzzles, eat snacks, and (hopefully) save the day. No experience required! **R**



Pizza and Paperbacks

Monday, October 14, 7:00-8:00pm

Join Nina, the Teen Librarian, for a discussion of *If You're Out There* by Katy Loutzenhiser, while munchin' on some pizza. Please register in advance, as free copies of the book will be given to participants to keep. **R**

Spooooooky Scaaaary Stories

Monday, October 28, 7:00-8:00pm

Yes, a Teens-only story time! Come sit around our (faux) campfire and sip on hot cocoa while listening to extra spooky, extra scary short stories told by your one and only Teen Librarian! **R**

Healthy Relationships for Teens

Wednesday, October 30, 7:00-8:00pm

Teens & Adults

A Safe Place, a domestic violence service organization, will present on teens and healthy relationships. Learn what constitutes a healthy or unhealthy relationship, red flags and warning signs, and what to do if you or your teen is in a problematic relationship. Resources will be available. **R**



Game On!

Wednesday, November 6, 6:00-7:00pm

In celebration of International Games Week, teens of all abilities are invited to the library for a pizza and board game party. **R**



Sherlock Holmes Escape Room!

Friday, November 15, 6:30-8:30pm

Do you have the detective skills to conquer our Sherlock Holmes Escape Room? Use your methods of deduction to decipher the clues and solve the case. Join us for one of the sessions to see if you're up to the challenge! Sign up individually or in teams of up to 4. Teams may be combined. *Please register in person or by calling Youth Services at 847-580-8962.* **R**

R All children's activities, except those designated as "drop-in", require registration. Please register in advance in person, online at deerfieldlibrary.org under "Programs", or by calling 847-580-8962. Registration for all of the programs listed here begins on **Wednesday, August 14.**

FF Family Friendly programs with multi-age appeal and group registration option.

In addition to specific programs offered for children with special needs, we are also happy to make reasonable accommodations so that your child can participate in all our programs. For more information about programs and services for children with special needs, please contact Julia Frederick at jfrederick@deerfieldlibrary.org.

Drop-In Activities

Family Time

*Saturdays at 10:00am
September 7 – November 30
Children with an adult*

Come to the Youth Program Room for a drop-in storytime the whole family will enjoy! **FF**

Drop-in Storytime

*Wednesdays at 10:30am or 1:00pm
September 11, 18, 25; October 2, 16, 23;
November 6, 13, 20; December 4, 11, 18
Children with an adult*

Enjoy stories, songs, and fingerplays in this drop-in storytime for all ages! **FF**

Friday Fun Times

*Fridays at 10:30am
September 13, 20, 27; October 4, 11, 18;
November 8, 15, 22; December 6, 13, 20
Children with an adult*

Join us for an educational and entertaining time at the Library. There'll be stories, music, and fun! **FF**

Drop-in Crafts

*Monday, September 9 – Sunday,
September 15
Monday, October 14 – Sunday, October 20
Monday, November 11 – Sunday,
November 17*

Stop by the Youth Services department to make a fun craft! **FF**



Trick or Treat the Library

Thursday, October 31, All day

Stop by the Youth Services department anytime on Halloween to show off your costume and receive a special (non-food) treat! **FF**

STORYTIMES

*Registration for Session 1 begins on
Wednesday, August 14*

*Registration for Session 2 begins on
Wednesday, October 2*

Baby Lapsit Storytime

*Monday OR Thursday at 11:30 am
Session 1: Monday, September 9, 16, 23;
October 7, 21;
Thursday, September 12, 19, 26; October
3, 10, 17
Session 2: Mondays, November 4, 11, 18;
December 2, 9, 16;
Thursday, November 7, 14, 21;
December 5, 12*

Ages 0-12 months with an adult
It's never too early to start reading to your baby! Join us for stories, rhymes, and songs for you and baby, plus social time after the program. **R**

Toddler Time

*Monday OR Thursday at
10:00 am OR 10:45 am
Session 1: Monday, September 9, 16, 23;
October 7, 21;
Thursday, September 12, 19, 26; October
3, 10, 17
Session 2: Monday, November 4, 11, 18;
December 2, 9, 16;
Thursday, November 7, 14, 21;
December 5, 12*

Ages 1-2 years with an adult
One and two-year-olds with their caregivers are invited to a special weekly storytime, including songs and movement activities designed just for them, plus social time after the program. **R**

Preschool Storytime

*Tuesdays at 10:30 am OR 1:00 pm
Session 1: September 17, 24;
October 1, 8, 15;
Session 2: November 5, 12, 19;
December 3, 10, 17
Ages 3-5 years*

Three- to five-year-olds have a program just for them! We'll listen to stories, sing songs, and have fun while building early literacy skills! **R**



NEW! Youth Advisory Board

Wednesdays, September 4, October 2, November 6
4:30-5:30pm, Grades K-5

Do you have a great idea for a program you'd like to see at the Library? Or a book you'd like to share? Or just a way to make your Library awesome? Join our new Youth Advisory Board to make your voice heard. Each month we'll play games, eat snacks, do a project, and share ideas! **R**

STEAM Storytime

Wednesday, September 4, 10:00-10:30am

Ages 2-5 with an adult

Join us for a STEAM storytime filled with hands-on experiments!

Crafty & Custom School Supplies

Thursday, September 5, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 3-5

Learn tips and tricks that you can use to give everyday school supplies an elevated twist. **R**

Minecraftafternoons

Monday, September 9; October 14;
November 11

3:30-4:30pm OR 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 2-5

We're going to dig deeper into Minecraft as we work together to build new projects and complete fun challenges. **R**

LEGO Club

Wednesdays, September 11, 25; October 16, 30; November 13
4:30-5:30pm, All Ages

Join us for an hour of building and show off your creativity at LEGO® Club! Build your own design or follow the monthly challenge. **FF**

Book Bites:

Where is Mount Everest?

Tuesday, September 17, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 3-5

You're on top of the world! Learn about the world's tallest peak from how it was formed to all about the people who have explored it. We'll discuss



Where is Mount Everest? by Nico Medina while munching on some snacks. Free copies of the book will be given to participants to read before the program. Please let us know in advance about any food allergies or restrictions. **R**

Drop-in STEAM Challenge

Wednesdays, September 18, October 23
4:30-5:30pm, Grades K-5

Stop by the library to try your hand at a new STEAM challenge each month.

International Talk Like a Pirate Day

Thursday, September 19, 4:30-5:30 pm
Grades K-2

Argh! Shiver me timbers, it's International Talk Like a Pirate Day! Come and celebrate with stories, a craft, and, of course, pirate jokes. **R**

Claymation Studio

Saturday, September 28, 1:00-3:00 pm
Grades 3-5

Make, mold, move, and film! Learn the basics of storyboarding and claymation. You'll make your own original claymation characters and a short film. **R**

Cactus Storytime

Thursday, October 3, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades K-2

Explore all-things-cacti by reading stories and making a fun cactus-themed craft. **R**

The Mad Hatters

Saturday, October 5, 11:00-11:30am
All Ages

Join us for a fun-filled program of books, poems,



songs, and, of course, hats as we welcome back the Mad Hatters of Chicago.

3D Design and Print

Monday, October 7, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 3-5

Are you ready to get started with 3D modeling and printing? Join us to learn how to design 3D objects in Tinkercad, create your own project, and have it printed on our 3D printer! Fees for 3D printing will be waived for participants in this program. **R**

Fall Dance Jam

Monday, October 14, 10:30-11:15am
Children up to age 6 with an adult

Drop-in to shake out your sillies and wiggle out your waggles at this action-packed dance program! Children will find their rhythm with shakers while singing along to their favorite songs. **FF**

Make It: DIY Rainbow Bouncy Ball

Thursday, October 17, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 3-5

Want to learn how to make your own rainbow-colored bouncy ball? Come join us as we make our own bouncy balls to take home. **R**



The Scott Green Magic Show

Saturday, October 19, 1:00-2:00pm
All Ages

Prepare to be delighted as magician Scott Green flawlessly blends comedy and magic in a show that is sure to keep the whole family entertained. **R**

Spooky Science

Tuesday, October 22, 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 3-5

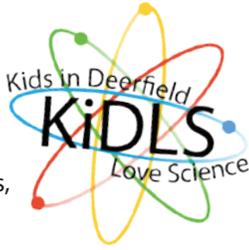
Join us for some fun and spooky-themed science experiments! **R**

Little KiDLS: Big Little Things

Saturday, October 26, 11:00-11:45am

Ages 4-6

Explore the teeny-tiny world around you. We'll experiment with magnifying glasses, make a craft, and play a game. We're making a big deal out of little things! **R**



KiDLS: Nanotechnology

Saturday, October 26, 2:00-3:00pm

Ages 7-10

Let's celebrate nanotechnology! Through experiments, crafts, and games, we'll learn about the hidden world of tiny things and how they have a big impact. **R**

Pumpkins & Stories

Tuesday, October 29, 3:30-4:15pm

Ages 2-6

Join us for some not-so-scary stories and pumpkin decorating. *Pumpkins and supplies will be provided.* **R**

Pumpkin Painting

Tuesday, October 29, 4:30-5:30pm

Grades 1-3

Dress for mess and join us for pumpkin painting at the Library! *Pumpkins and supplies will be provided.* **R**

Fun with Fluid Painting

Monday, November 4, 6:30-8:00pm

Grades 3-5

Try out this fun and messy painting technique perfect for first time painters or expert artists. Our friends from Blue Rose Company will help you create your own unique abstract painting inspired by Jackson Pollock. *All supplies are included!* **R**

Read It/Make It: The First Rule of Punk

Tuesday, November 5,

4:30-5:30pm

Grades 3-5

Join us as we discuss *The First Rule of Punk* by Celia Pérez and learn to make zines and mini-comics. Free copies of the book will be given to participants. **R**



Build a Junkbot!

Monday, November 11, 3:30-4:30pm

Grades 3-5

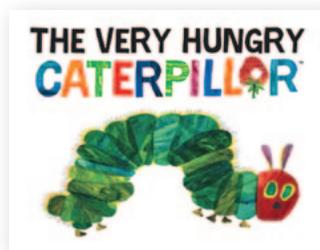
Recycled Materials + Robotics = Junkbot! Come build your own and see how fast your junkbot can go! **R**

Messy Art & Play

Friday, November 15, 11:30am-12:30pm

For children up to age 6 with an adult

Join us for a hands-on playtime that involves all 5 of our senses! Make sure to dress for mess. Children of all abilities with siblings and caregivers are welcome! **FF**



Happy Birthday, Very Hungry Caterpillar!

Saturday, November 16, 1:30-2:30pm

Ages 3-5 with an adult

The Very Hungry Caterpillar is 50 years old! We'll play games, read stories, and make a craft during our party for this beloved character. *Let us know in advance of any food allergies or restrictions.* **R**

Escape the Library!

Thursday, November 21, 4:30-5:30pm

Grades 3-5

It's time to put your puzzle solving skills to the test. You'll only have one hour to crack codes, solve ciphers, and escape the Library! **R**

Homeschool Programs

Homeschool Hangout

Tuesdays, September 3; October 29

3:00-4:00pm

Enjoy the company of friends while using the Library's Discovery Kits and board games and doing other fun activities. **R**

Homeschool @ the Library

Tuesday, September 10, 2:00-3:00pm

Tuesdays, September 17; October 1, 15;

November 5, 12

3:00-4:00pm

Learn from the experts! We'll hear from a variety of professionals about their careers and create fun projects based on those jobs. **R**

Homeschool Book Club

Tuesdays, September 24; October 8, 22;

November 19

3:00-4:00pm

Join us as we read and discuss the books from the 2020 Bluestem List! Readers will be eligible to vote in the Illinois Readers' Choice Awards in the spring. **R**



Sensory Programs

Sensory programs are designed for children with disabilities. Children of all abilities with their siblings and caregivers are welcome. Please let us know if any accommodations are required.

Sensory Storytime

Fridays, September 6, October 4,

November 22

11:30am-12:30pm, All Ages

Join us for an inclusive and interactive storytime filled with stories, songs, sensory play, and socialization! **FF**

Game On!

Wednesday, November 6, 6:00-7:00pm

Grades 6-12

In celebration of International Games Week, teens of all abilities are invited to the library for a pizza and board game party. **R** **FF**

Introducing your new MakerSpace

Exciting news! We are about ready to begin a renovation of the Media section and construction of the MakerSpace, a new collaborative workspace. See "From the Director" on page 2 for more background on the project.

When the MakerSpace opens, it will feature the following equipment for patron use:

- 3D printers
- Laser engraver (generously sponsored by the Friends of the Deerfield Public Library)
- Sewing and embroidery machines
- Vinyl cutter
- Digital Media Lab equipment (primarily for conversion of older technologies to digital files)



- Large format printer
- Recording sound booth

Watch for updates on social media and on our website, deerfieldlibrary.org/makerspace.



Friends of the Deerfield Public Library



Friends (l-r) Kathy Koomjian and Sue Gottlieb showcase the new sponsored Welcome Bag.

- **COOKBOOK SALE:** Our annual cookbook and children's book sale is happening at the Deerfield Farmers Market on September 7. It's a great opportunity to start thinking about holiday gifts. There are many great books at reasonable prices.
- The Friends are happy to have funded the Library's Welcome Bag, filled with special resources for children of new Deerfield families.
- Our remaining Board meetings for 2019 are September 23 and November 11. The meetings are held at the Library, beginning at 7:00 p.m., and are open to visitors.

The Friends can be contacted at 847-945-3311 x8895 or at friends@deerfieldlibrary.org. Check for updates on our web page or Facebook.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Your annual membership will enhance the materials and programs at our library so that it will better serve you and your family.

I would like to become a member of **Friends of the Deerfield Public Library** for a year at the following level:

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| ___ \$15-\$29 | Good Friend | ___ \$30-\$49 | Family Friend | ___ \$50-\$99 | Dear Friend |
| ___ \$100-\$249 | Best Friend | ___ \$250-\$499 | Loyal Friend | ___ \$500 + | Partner |

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____
(List name(s) as should appear in our publications)

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Please check this box if you do not want your name listed in any publication.

PAYMENT OPTIONS: 1) Credit card: deerfieldlibrary.org/friends-of-the-library

2) Checks payable to: **Friends of the Deerfield Public Library**, 920 Waukegan Rd. Deerfield, IL 60015

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- **Library home page and catalog:**
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Upcoming Holiday Closings and Late Openings

The Library Will Be Closed All Day

Monday, September 2
Thursday, November 28

The Library Will Close at 3pm

Wednesday, November 27

The Library Will Open at 10am

Wednesday, October 15
Thursday, November 14

The Library Will Open at 11am

Tuesday, September 10

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Friday: 9:00AM-6:00PM
Saturday: 9:00AM-5:00PM
Sunday: 1:00PM-5:00PM

Public Art Open House, September 19

The Deerfield Fine Arts Commission will host a community open house on Thursday, September 19 to showcase the pieces selected for the 6th year of the Deerfield Public Art Program. The event will be held in the Library from 6:00-8:00 p.m. The artists will participate in a brief discussion of their contributions. Light refreshments will be served.

Bridge View by Shayna Elekman, 2018



Couldn't Have Done it Without You!

Hats off to the shining **STAR volunteers** who helped register reports for the Summer Reading Program, and to the **Book Buddies** that worked with weekly with young readers on literacy activities. Thanks to our teens for their generosity and inspiration.

Special thanks to **Mayor Harriet Rosenthal** for her informative presentation on Village government for our Homeschool students.

Thank you to the **Friends of the Deerfield Public Library** for sponsorship of the new Youth Services Welcome Bag.

