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NEWSLETTER

### Library Hours

Monday – Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

### Library Closings

September 3 & September 4 for Labor Day

### Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. *Note: September's meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 19.*

Carol Mallquist – President  
Marla Wolf – Vice President  
Steve Hoenig – Treasurer  
Jenny B. Ross – Secretary  
Anthony Vasquez  
Terri Voss  
Terry Wood

### Friends of the Library Book Sale & O Gaugers Train Run

Second weekend of each month  
Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday, 1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

### On-Going Programs

**Chair Yoga and Mindfulness for Beginners**  
Thursday, Aug. 10, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Sept. 14, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

**Guided Meditation**  
Mondays, Aug. 14 & 28, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.  
Mondays, Sept. 11 & 25, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

**Fremont Writers Group**  
Tuesdays, Aug. 8 & 22, 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.  
Tuesdays, Sept. 12 & 26, 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

### Photos at the Library

FPLD staff may take photos or video of program participants for library publicity in print and online. Names and personal information will not be released without permission. Please notify staff if you do not wish yourself or your child to be photographed.

## ECRWSS RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMER

### Free English Tutoring

**Registration begins Tuesday, Sept. 5**  
**Tutoring begins Monday, Sept. 18**

We offer free, one-on-one tutoring for adult ESL students. Sessions are one hour a week during the school year. Different days and times are available. Registration is required and must be done in person. For more information call 847-918-3206. (R)

**ESL Class Registration**  
**Tuesday, Aug. 22**

Mundelein High School offers free English classes at the library for adult English language learners on Tuesday and Thursday mornings during the school year.

Register in person at the library on Aug. 22. For more information, call MHS at 847-949-2200 x1399.

### Parking Lot Renovation Update

#### How the project impacts you:



- Extended grace periods for materials
- Drive-up book drop unavailable
- Alternate entrance (limited handicap capabilities) for a short time
- 3-day closing at the end of the project

The parking lot renovation starts on July 17, weather permitting. Thank you for your patience as we make these necessary improvements.

Visit [www.fremontlibrary.org](http://www.fremontlibrary.org) or our Facebook page for announcements and updates about the closing dates.



**Fine forgiveness in September.**  
See page 7.

## THE GREAT AMERICAN ECLIPSE

On Monday, Aug. 21, the Great American Eclipse will be visible in our area. This is the first total solar eclipse visible in the U.S. in forty years.

It reaches maximum coverage at 1:20 p.m. locally, and can only be safely viewed with eclipse viewing glasses, which the library will be giving away thanks to a grant from NASA @ My Library program. Stop at the Readers' Services desk on the first floor starting August 1, to receive your free pair of eclipse glasses.

### Get to Know the Great American Eclipse

**Saturday, Aug. 19, 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.**

Join life-long astronomy enthusiast Robert Karas as he shares interesting lore, legend and science about eclipses past and present. Attendees will receive a free pair of eclipse viewing glasses to keep, and are invited to bring them to our eclipse viewing party on Monday at the Keith Mione Community Park. (R)

### Eclipse Viewing Party

**Monday, Aug. 21, 12:30 – 2:00 p.m.**

Come experience the eclipse as it makes its way across the sky. Join us for games, crafts, and eclipse tracking with the free viewing glasses we will provide. This program takes place at Community Park 1401 N. Midlothian Road. Co-hosted with the Mundelein Parks and Recreation District. (R)



## Arts & Crafts

### Modern Silhouettes

**Tuesday, Aug. 8, 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.**

Join us as artist and teacher Christine Thornton helps us master the art of the silhouette with a modern twist on a classic silhouette portrait. (R)

### Make a Blown Glass Pumpkin

**Wednesday, Sept. 13, 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Join us at Patterson Glass for a hands-on glassblowing class to make pumpkin paperweights. Materials fee for a pumpkin is \$15, which is due at registration. Fremont Library cardholders may register in person at the library beginning Saturday, July 29. (R)

Patterson Glass is located at 888 Tower Road, Unit E., Mundelein, IL.



### Stitches in Time: The Story of Quilting

**Monday, Sept. 25, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

Presented by Marge Edwards, president of the Dundee Township Historical Society, "Stitches in Time" is the story of quilting and how the craft has evolved from ancient times through colonial days and the Victorian era into the most important form of American folk art. (R)

## A Unique Perspective

### Transgender from Personal and Parental Experience

**Wednesday, Sept. 27, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Karen Topham became the first teacher in the U.S. to transition on the job from male to female. She will discuss her unusual perspective of transgenderism from the point of view of both a transgender woman and the mother of a transgender man. (R)

## Music Program

### Otter Creek at Tighthouse Brewing

**Thursday, Aug. 10  
7:00 – 8:45 p.m.**

You buy the beer, but the music's on us! Join us at Tighthouse Brewing Company in downtown Mundelein to hear Otter Creek, a husband and wife folk duo from Utah.



This program will be held at Tighthouse Brewery which is located at 161 N. Archer Avenue, Mundelein, IL.



## Book Clubs

### Book-of-the-Month

Pick up a copy of each month's recommended read at the Reader's Services desk on the first floor.

**August:**

***The Age of Miracles*  
by Karen Thompson Walker**



**September:**

***Hillbilly Elegy*  
by J.D. Vance**

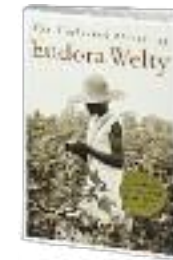


### Great Books

Meets monthly at 9:15 a.m.

**August 26**

***The Collected Stories of Eudora Welty*  
by Eudora Welty**



**September 30**

***The Death of the Heart*  
by Elizabeth Bowen**



### Senior Connections

Second Friday of the month at 10:30 a.m.  
Regent Center, 1200 Regent Dr., Mundelein

**August 11**

***The Little Paris Bookshop*  
by Nina George**



**September 8**

***The Summer Before the War*  
by Helen Simonson**



## Readers' Tea & Talk



**Monday, Sept. 18, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.**

Join us for a light tea and talk about books! Fremont Librarians will present quick summaries (no spoilers!) of recently released titles that you will want to read. Fremont cardholders only. Registration opens July 24 at 9:00 a.m. (R) (F)

## Library Card Sign-Up Month

### New Cards

Sign up for a Fremont Public Library card and start borrowing materials, including downloadable books, movies, and music. Stop by the Checkout desk to get a card in September and be entered into a drawing to win a Samsung Galaxy tablet!

### Lost Cards

If you've lost your Fremont Public Library card, you can get a replacement card free of charge during September. Stop by the Checkout desk for more details.

## Fine Forgiveness

### Have Fines or Bills

Come to the library's Checkout desk in September and we will clear your account of any existing fines. Any overdue materials can be returned with no late fees. We will also work with you on reducing your bills for lost materials. Let's free up your account so you can use your card again!

### Cards in Good Standing

Patrons without fines or bills as of September 1st may enter a drawing to win a Samsung Galaxy tablet. Stop by the Checkout desk and verify your contact information to receive an entry for the drawing (one entry per person).



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## Youth Programs

### Drop-In for Fall Storytimes

Fall session runs September 11 to October 19. Pick the times that work for you. Registration is recommended if you'd like email reminders. Siblings are welcome and an adult is required for all story times.

#### Baby Bounce

**Mondays, 9:30 a.m.**  
2 – 12-month-olds

#### Funsies with Onesies

**Tuesdays, 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.**  
1-year-olds

#### Toddlin' Twos

**Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.**  
**Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.**  
2-year-olds

#### Family Story Time

**Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.**  
**Thursdays, 9:30 a.m.**  
All ages

### Saturday Storytime

**Saturdays, Aug. 26 & Sept. 23**  
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.

### Stories in the Garden

**Thursday, Aug. 10**  
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

At the Fremont Township Community Garden 22385 W. Route 60, Mundelein, IL



### September Library Card Sign-Up Month

September is National Library Card sign up month. Having a Fremont Public Library card allows you to borrow materials, including downloadable books and music. Children of any age can get a card but patrons under age 18 must have a parent complete and sign the application. Children's cards are valid until the child turns 18. Stop by the Checkout desk to get your card today.



### Laser Comedy Show

**Saturday, Sept. 23**  
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

The Laser Comedy Show is an interactive live comic book drawn with laser reactive technology and voice acted before your very eyes and ears. The characters are selected from suggestions by the audience and engineered into a story out of Performance Artist Chris Fair's imagination. (R)



### Read to Rover

**Wednesdays**  
**Sept. 13 – Oct. 18**  
7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Read to a therapy dog! Ages 7 and older may sign up a 15-minute timeslot. Only one slot per week per child please. A parental waiver is required. (R)



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## School Supply Drive • July 30 - Aug. 13

We're collecting school supplies to be given to students in need throughout Fremont Township. Please help ensure our students have the supplies they need for a successful school year by dropping off donations in the donation boxes located near the front entrance of the library.

### Drop-In

#### Movies

**Thursdays, Aug. 3 – Sept. 14**  
10:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.  
All ages

#### Finding Nemo



**Aug. 3**

(G; 1 hr. 40 min.)

#### Cars



**Aug. 17**

(G; 1 hr. 56 min.)

#### Toy Story



**Aug. 10**

(G; 1 hr. 20 min.)

#### Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Long Haul



**Sept. 14**

4:00 – 5:30 p.m. &  
6:30 – 8:00 p.m.  
(PG; 1 hr. 31 min.)

#### Make It! Family Craft

**Saturdays, Aug. 5 & Sept. 2**  
10:00 a.m. – noon  
All ages

#### Do It! STEAM

**Tuesday, Aug. 8, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.**  
**Saturday, Sept. 16, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.**



#### Build It! Wooden Train Play

**Saturdays, Aug. 12 & Sept. 9**  
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

#### Make It Monday!

#### Decorate School Supplies

**Monday, Sept. 18**  
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.



### Kids Book-of-the-Month



#### Grades 3 – 4

**Aug. 11 Birthdays** by Wendy Mass  
**Sept. The Terrible Two** by Mac Barnett

#### Grades 5 – 8

**Aug. A Night Divided** by Jennifer Nielsen  
**Sept. Full Cicada Moon** by Marilyn Hilton

## Teen Programs

### Grades 6 – 12

All teen programs require registration.

### Games and Pizza

**Fridays, Aug. 4 & Sept. 1, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.** (R) (F)

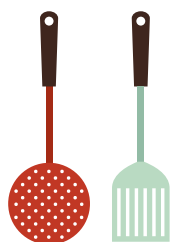


### Teen Advisory Board Meeting

**Monday, Aug. 7, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.**

**Monday, Sept. 11, 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.**

Give your opinion and help brainstorm teen programs and more, while eating snacks and earning a service hour. (R) (F)



### Teen Chefs: Kitchen Safety

**Wednesday, Aug. 9**

**4:00 – 5:30 p.m. & 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.**

Learn kitchen safety and cooking basics through this hands-on class. Use your culinary skills to prepare some tasty treats! *This is a required intro class for future Teen Chefs programs.* (R) (F)



### DIY School Supplies

**Friday, Aug. 18, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.**

Transform your ordinary school supplies into something unique. We'll provide the supplies. Pizza will be served. (R) (F)



### Teen Chefs: Dinner Time

**Wednesday, Sept. 6**

**4:00 – 5:30 p.m. & 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.**

Learn how to prepare dinner! *Note: You must have previously attended the Teen Chefs: Kitchen Safety program to register for this program.* (R) (F)

### Movie and Popcorn Bar

**Friday, Sept. 15, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.**

Come watch a movie and make your own specialty popcorn mix at our popcorn bar. Popcorn with various topping options, and pop will be served. A vote will be taken at the beginning to determine which movie will be shown. Movie options will be rated PG or PG-13. (R) (F)

## College Bound Families Workshop



**Monday, Sept. 25, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.**

Experienced professionals share their knowledge and expertise to guide you through action steps you can take to reduce college costs. Both parents are encouraged to attend this free, 90-minute seminar presented by **My College Planning Team**. Teens are welcome to attend, but the presentation is geared more for parents. (R)

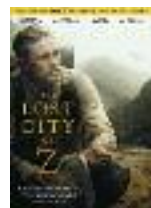
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## Free Movies

### Wednesday Night Blockbuster

**6:30 p.m. for adults • Drop in**



**Sept. 20**

**Lost City of Z**

(PG-13; 2 hrs. 20 min.)

### Thursday Matinees

**Thursdays at 2:00 p.m.**

**For adults • Drop in**



**Aug. 3**

**Beauty and the Beast**

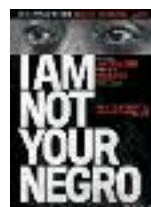
(PG; 2 hrs. 9 min.)



**Aug. 10**

**A Quiet Passion**

(PG-13; 2 hrs. 6 min.)



**Aug. 17**

**I am Not Your Negro**

(PG-13; 1 hr. 33 min.)



**Aug. 24**

**The Zookeeper's Wife**

(PG-13; 2 hrs. 6 min.)



**Aug. 31**

**Going in Style**

(PG-13; 1 hr. 37 min.)



**Sept. 7**

**Their Finest**

(R; 1 hr. 50 min.)

## How Does Your Garden Grow

### Plant Clinic with the Master Gardeners

**Tuesday, Aug. 1, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

University of Illinois Extension Master Gardeners will answer your gardening questions as well as identify disease, insect, and weed problems. We encourage you to bring fresh samples enclosed in a plastic bag or container.

### Herbal Infusions from the Garden

**Wednesday, Aug. 16, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

Gardener **Marcy Lautanen-Raleigh** explores how to create herbal sugars and vinegars for cooking and how to infuse herbs into bath salts. Real-time demonstrations will show how easy it is to create items with herbs for everyday use. **This event takes place at the Fremont Township Community Garden.** (R)

### Wild Ones: Bees, Bugs and Butterflies

**Tuesday, Sept. 5, 7:00 p.m.**

Speaker: **Joan Sayre**



The public is invited to the monthly meetings of the Lake-to-Prairie chapter of a not-for-profit organization that promotes the use of native plants in landscapes. (R)

### Garden Tour: Prairie Crossing Charter School

**Saturday, Sept. 9, 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.**

Join the Prairie Crossing Charter School for a walking tour of their campus and Sustainable Schoolyard gardens. Learn how you can seamlessly incorporate food plots into your home landscape using small spaces. (R)

### Saving Seed: The Importance, Benefits and How to Do It

**Thursday, Sept. 14, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Explore the basics of seed saving for vegetables and flowers with horticulture instructor **Donna Hisson**. Learn what type of plants are easiest for seed saving, when to harvest the seed and what preparation is needed for seeds to be ready for future planting. (R)

### Seed Library Update

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of the Fremont Seed Library by donating or borrowing seeds.

As Fall approaches, it's time to save a bit of your harvest for 2018. Please follow the steps to clean, dry, and store your open-pollinated seeds for next year.

We will begin accepting seeds for donation in early 2018.



## Tech Savvy

### Library Apps Introduction

**Thursday, Sept. 7, 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

Want to download movies, music, books, and magazines from the library directly to your phone or tablet? This class will get you familiar with the different apps we have available. (R)



### Tablet Tuesdays

**Tuesday, Sept. 19, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.**

Join us for an introduction to iPad, Android, and Kindle Fire tablets.

## Job Search

### Shake Up Your Job Search

**Tuesday, Sept. 26**

**1:00 – 2:30 p.m.**

Shake up your job search by identifying ways to successfully transition careers. Presented by the **Job Center of Lake County**. (R)



## Here's to Your Health

### Medicare and Your Options

**Monday Sept. 11**

**7:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Choosing Medicare coverage can be overwhelming and difficult. **Mike Altman**, Benefit Advisor, will unravel the mysteries of Medicare, how to enroll, and the options that are available to those turning 65 as well as for those who are currently covered under Medicare. (R)



### Caregiver Stress: Relief, Acceptance, & Empowerment

**Tuesday, Sept. 12, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.**

Providing care for someone with memory loss is a labor of love, but it's also exhausting and stressful.

**Meagan O'Connor-Roossien**, from the Greater Illinois Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, will introduce the causes, signs and symptoms of stress, and provide stress-reduction strategies. (R)