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NEWSLETTER

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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

Tuesday, July 4 – Independence Day

Friends Of The Library Book Sale

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

Registration for all August and September programs will be open on July 15.

Coming Soon!

New event and room reservation system, plus our very own Fremont Library app!

Pokémon League

Pokémon League will be taking a break for the summer. Check back for its return in September!

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.

Parking Lot Renovation



We will be renovating our parking lot starting July 17, weather permitting.

The library has been open for 16 years and had over a million visitors in that time. That's a lot of wear and tear on our parking lot! The biggest changes will be to our drainage areas, as well as the addition of a ground heating element to make the sidewalks less icy during the winter.

Some of the work will require closing for the day. In August, call ahead to check our hours before coming in.

More details about the project will be available at the library, on our website, and Facebook page.

Volunteer Luncheon 2017

Our annual volunteer luncheon gives us a chance to celebrate and thank our volunteers for their time and dedication. Our volunteer of the year was Kathy Logan, whose outstanding work is deeply appreciated.

Last year, our 70 adult and 40 teen volunteers worked a total of 4,567 hours! Our library and community cannot thank our volunteers enough for all they do.



Teen Advisory Board Volunteers (L-R)
Hannah Guzman, Krishna Thakkar,
Abigail Guzman, Shylah Guzman

Thank you!

Reading
Is So
Delicious!



Summer Library Club

June 1—July 31, 2017

Food Truck Wednesdays

4:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Enjoy delicious food every
Wednesday in June!



Hey Kids! Touch a Truck
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June 7 **Tony Cannoli**
Traditional and seasonal cannoli bites.

June 14 **A Taste of Paris**
Dinner and desserts with a French twist.

June 21 **Mario's Cart**
Mexican, Italian, and classic street foods.

June 28 **Cheesie's Food Truck**
Perfect grilled cheese sandwiches.

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Featured e-Learning: Pronunciator

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Traveling this summer and looking for a way to boost your language skills?

Try Pronunciator, the world's largest language-learning service. It's a fun and free way to master any of the 80 languages, including French, Greek, and Romanian!

Log on to fremontlibrary.org and click on the Research tab to get started today!



Adult Programs

Medicare Essentials

Wednesday, June 7, 7:00 p.m.

Got questions about Medicare? Ela Venturi of Humana MarketPoint will help you navigate Medicare Parts A, B, C (Medicare Advantage), and D; learn the difference between Medicare Supplement plans and Medicare Advantage Plans; and review Medicare enrollment periods and eligibility. (R)



Back to the 80s

Monday, June 12, 7:00 p.m.

Take the day off and travel back to the most rad decade of true love, aliens, time travel and teen angst. Film expert Steven Frenzel helps us relive the era of the

righteous dudes with music, moments, and behind the scenes peeks from films such as *Caddyshack*, *Poltergeist*, *Sixteen Candles*, *Top Gun*, and much more! (R)

Germany, Angela Merkel, and the Impending Election

Wednesday, June 14, 7:00 p.m.

Germany is preparing for an important election in September that will not only decide the Chancellor's fate, but that of the entire European Union. Join German Historian Anette Isaacs for a fascinating discussion of these pressing and critical issues. (R)



Putin's Russia: Friend, Foe, or Something Else?

Monday, June 26, 7:00 p.m.

Since Vladimir Putin took power in Russia over 17 years ago, the relationship between the United States and this formerly sworn enemy has been in a state of flux. Professor of History William Benton Whisenhunt will examine Putin's background, style of rule, and overall relationship with the United States. (R)



Crime of the Century

Wednesday, June 28, 7:00 p.m.

Picture it: a charming rogue who was America's greatest architect; the drug-addicted scion of one of America's wealthiest families; his wife, a teenage chorus girl who was America's first supermodel. Storyteller Barry Bradford unravels a mesmerizing story of murder, madness, sex, and celebrity at the dawn of the twentieth century. (R)

Chicago, True Stories

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

Surprise, sequins, and murder! Join us as a 1920s flapper named Flora tells us how fashion, crime, and prohibition mixed with explosive creativity to shape the decade of the century. Martina Mathisen gives us a front row seat for Chicago, True Stories as we travel back to 1920. (R)



Music Programs

Meet Your Neighbor's Folk Music

Wednesday, June 21, 7:00 p.m.



Jutta and the Hi-Dukes take us on a whirlwind ride around the world with lively renditions of authentic ethnic music from European and other traditions. (R)

The Lucky Ducks at Tighthead Brewing Company

Thursday, July 27
7:00 – 8:45 p.m.

You buy the beer, we'll bring the music. Join us at Tighthead Brewing Company to hear The Lucky Ducks, a Chicago Blues duo with a flair for Cajun music.



This program will be held at Tighthead Brewing Company, 161 N. Archer Avenue in Mundelein. The Lucky Ducks are appearing courtesy of the Old Town School of Folk Music.

Wild Ones

Buzz on Native Bees

Tuesday, June 6, 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: Jean Foley

Native Plant Alternatives to Non-Native Species

Tuesday, July 11, 7:00 p.m.

Speakers: Charlotte Edelman and Monica Buckley



The public is invited to the monthly meetings of the Lake-to-Prairie chapter non-profit organization that promotes the use of native plants in landscapes. Registration is recommended.

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.



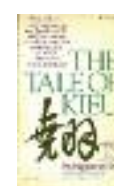
June *The City Baker's Guide to Country Living* by Louise Miller

A full-hearted novel about a big-city baker who discovers the true meaning of home—and that sometimes the best things are found when you didn't even know you were looking.



July *Wilde Lake* by Laura Lippman

Luisa Brant is following in her father's footsteps as State's Attorney. But Lu's first murder case causes her to question the stories and myths her father and older brother have told her for so many years and to probe the mysteries in her own family.



Great Books

Meets monthly at 9:15 a.m.

June 24 *The Tale of Kieu* by Nguyen Du

This narrative poem from the 19th century is considered a masterpiece of Vietnamese literature.



July 29 *Democracy in America* by Alexis de Tocqueville

The classic observations on equality and individualism in the early days of the American republic as seen through the eyes of a visiting Frenchman.



June 9 *Little Heathens* by Mildred A. Kalish

"I tell of a time, a place, and a way of life long gone.... I report on my early life. It was quite a romp." So begins Mildred Kalish's story of growing up on her grandparents' Iowa farm during the depths of the Great Depression.



July 14 *The Other Queen* by Phillipa Gregory

By the secret order of her cousin, Elizabeth I, Mary Stuart is held at the estate of the Earl of Shrewsbury. Mary schemes not only to find a way to return to Scotland and her infant son but also to overthrow her cousin.



Cookbook Club

Meets monthly at 7:00 p.m.

June 22 *Trisha's Table: My Feel Good Favorite for a Balanced Life* by Trisha Yearwood

Whether surprisingly virtuous or just a little bit sinful, these recipes bring an unmistakable authenticity to the table. You'll find dishes that are delicious and wholesome, while sticking to the 80/20 rule of healthy vs decadent.



July 27 *Lucky Peach Presents 101 Easy Asian Recipes* by Peter Meehan

Beholden to bold flavors and not strict authenticity, the editors of *Lucky Peach* present a compendium of recipes that hit the sweet spot between "craveworthy" and simple and are destined to become favorites.

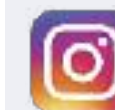
Lake County Fair



We will be at this summer's Lake County Fair. Come visit our booth for books, prizes, and other giveaways!

Kids can sign Bessie, the cow statue. The fair runs July 26-July 30.

Follow us! We're on Instagram



@fremontlib
@fpld_teens

Chair Yoga & Mindfulness for Beginners

Thursdays

June 29 & July 13

1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Move your body mindfully and with alignment. Then relax your body and mind with easy meditation techniques. Classes will be led by experienced yoga therapist Allison Wilmes.

No special equipment needed; accessible to all fitness levels. Drop in.

Guided Meditation

Mondays

June 5 & 19, July 10 & 24

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Learn to calm your mind and body with guided meditation. Explore various meditation styles, visualization and breathing techniques with certified meditation teacher Isabel Raci. Some very gentle yoga may be practiced in class. Drop in.

Fremont Writers' Group

Note: Now twice a month at a new time

Tuesdays

June 13 & 27, July 11 & 25

3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

All writers welcome.

The group meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month in a study room.

Programs with an (R) require registration.

Programs with an (F) indicate food/refreshments will be served.

Youth Programs

Summer Jams

June 5 – July 12

Drop in to one of our music and movement programs, which are a change of pace from storytime. Siblings are welcome. No registration required.

Baby Jam

Mondays, 9:30 a.m.
2 months – 1-year-old
“crawlers” with an adult



Ones and Twos Jam

Tuesdays, 9:30 or 10:30 a.m.
1-year-old “walkers” –
2-year-olds with an adult



Family Jam

Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.,
10:30 a.m., or 6:00 p.m.
All ages with an adult

Saturday Storytime

June 17 & July 29
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.
All ages with an adult



Summer Library Club

Reading Is So Delicious!

Visit the Youth Services desk to get your booklet stamped and put a sticker on the windows. Visit the library six days and receive a book, plus coupons from local businesses! Kids ages 0-2 will receive a prize in lieu of coupons.

Summer Library Club Kickoff Party

Sunday, June 4, 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Sign up for the Summer Library Club and have some fun while you're here. Enjoy games, prizes, popcorn, frozen drinks, sidewalk chalk, and bubbles.

School-Age Summer Fun

Thursdays, 10:00 a.m. • Grades K-2
Thursdays, 11:00 a.m. • Grades 3-6

DIY Summer Fun!

- June 8 Ice Cream**
Make it yourself, and then eat it! (R) (F)
- July 6 LEGO Animals**
Build dogs, frogs, and ducks with our LEGO sets. (R)
- July 13 Pokémon Food Fun**
Create Pokémon-themed food to take home. (R) (F)



Cooking is so Delicious!

Kids will prepare a healthy snack, taste, learn about, and experiment with food in these fun, interactive classes.



- June 15 Rainbow Pasta** (R) (F)
- June 22 Superhero Smoothies** (R) (F)
- June 29 Bruschetta** (R) (F)



Read To Rover

Wednesdays, June 7 – July 12
7:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Ages 7 and older

Read to a therapy dog. Sign up for the same 15-minute time slot for all 6 weeks. FPLD cardholder registration begins Monday, May 22. Registration for all others begins Tuesday, May 30. Register and sign the waiver online, by phone at 847-918-3218, or at the Youth Services desk. No siblings or parents. (R)



Chess Class

Thursdays, June 8 – July 13
6:00 – 6:45 p.m. Beginners
7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Advanced
Ages 8 and older

Sign up for all six weeks. Players will develop critical thinking skills by learning chess strategies for checkmate, solving challenging chess problems, and playing games with other chess enthusiasts. (R)



Summer Babysitting Class

Saturday, June 10, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Ages 11 – 14
FPLD cardholders only

Sign up to be a better sitter! This class covers the basics of childcare and safety, along with the business side of babysitting. (R)

Drop-In

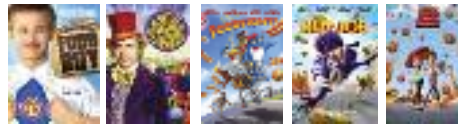
Movies

Watch It! Monday Movies

Mondays, June 5 – July 10
2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.

All ages

- June 5 Ratatouille**
(G; 1 hr. 51 min.)
- June 12 Adventures of Food Boy**
(PG; 1 hr. 30 min.)
- June 19 Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory**
(G; 1 hr. 40 min.)
- June 26 Foodfight**
(PG; 1 hr. 31 min.)
- July 3 Nut Job**
(PG; 1 hr. 25 min.)
- July 10 Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs**
(PG; 1 hr. 30 min.)



Saturday Movie: Yogi Bear

Saturday, July 15
10:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.
All ages



When Mayor Brown wants to close the park and sell the land, Yogi and Boo Boo join forces with Ranger Smith to save Jellystone. (PG; 1 hr. 20 min.)

Watch It! Friday Morning Cartoons

Fridays, June 9 – July 14
10:00 a.m. – noon
All ages

Do It! Summer STEAM

Note: No program on July 4

Tuesdays, June 6 – July 11
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

All ages

Science, technology, engineering, art and math.

Play-It! Chess & Games

Thursdays, June 8 – July 13
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
All ages

Touch a Truck

Wednesdays, June 7 – June 28
4:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Stop by when the food trucks are here (see pg. 1), and explore the vehicles you see around town from Public Works and the Police and Fire departments.



Balloon Time

Wednesdays
June 7 – June 28
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

All ages

Provided by RC Juggle.



Make It! Tie-Dye for the Fourth of July

Friday, June 30
1:00 – 3:00 p.m.
All ages

Bring one white t-shirt that has already been washed and dried, and turn it into a red-white-and-blue work of art! Outside, weather permitting. No rain date.



Make It! Family Craft

Saturdays, June 3 & July 1
10:00 a.m. – noon
All ages

Build It! Wooden Train Play

Saturdays, June 10 & July 8
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
All ages

Build your own track layouts with our wooden trains downstairs.



O'Gaugers Train Run

Saturdays, June 10 & July 8
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
All ages

Reptiles and Amphibians

Sunday, June 4, 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Touch, feel, and learn the eating habits of reptiles.

Together for Childhood

Thursday, June 15
6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
Ages 3 – 12 with families

Gratis manualidades, juegos, rifas y snacks para niños y niñas de 3 a 12 años. Cupo es limitado. (F)
Free crafts, games, raffles and a snack for children. Space is limited. (F)

Barefoot Bay

Thursday, July 20, 2:00 p.m.

Note: at the Mundelein Park District
We'll be hanging out by the pool, giving away free, gently-used books. Stop by and say “hi!”

Kids Book-of-the-Month



Grades 3 – 4

June Full of Beans by Jennifer Holm
July The Lunch Witch by Deb Lucke

Grades 5 – 8

June The Wild Robot by Peter Brown
July The Inquisitor's Tale by Adam Gidwitz

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Teen Programs

Grades 6 – 12

All teen programs require registration.



Reading is so Delicious! Teen Summer Library Club June 1 – July 31

Visit the library to complete an activity, spin the prize wheel for a variety of prizes and coupons, and earn entries toward 3 Grand Prizes (\$100 gift cards). Visit the library 6 days to select a free book.

Teens' 2017 Personal Reading Challenge

Challenge yourself to read more this year! Pick up the Reading Challenge sheet in the Teen Zone at the library, and bring it to the Youth Services desk for a treat. The challenge has 50 types of books, and for every 5 books you read, you'll get a raffle ticket for a drawing at the end of 2017.



Games & Pizza with Candy Sushi Friday, June 2, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Supplies will be provided to make candy sushi. (R) (F)

Games & Pizza with Tie-Dye

Friday, July 7, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

One item to tie-dye will be provided. Feel free to bring one additional item. (R) (F)



Teen Advisory Board Meetings

Mondays, June 5 & July 17, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Help brainstorm teen programs, work on service projects, and more while eating snacks and earning a service hour. (R) (F)



Art is So Delicious: A Drawing Workshop

Friday, June 9, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Improve your perspective drawing with artist **Christine Thornton**. Using oil pastels, follow the step-by-step instructions, adding your own creative twists with color and texture to create your own delicious cake. (R)

Cupcake Wars

Friday, June 16, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Work with a team to make your cupcake reign supreme! Decorate your "Reading is so Delicious" cupcake with our provided materials. A panel will judge the cupcakes and award prizes. (R) (F)

Teen Summer Party

Friday, July 14, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.

We're celebrating summer with a party! Join us for food, games, and a drawing for various prizes. (R) (F)



Free Movies

Wednesday Night Movie

6:30 p.m. for adults • Drop in



July 5 *The Founder*

The story of Ray Kroc, a salesman who turned two brothers' innovative fast food eatery, McDonald's, into one of the biggest restaurant businesses in the world with a combination of ambition, persistence, and ruthlessness. (PG-13; 1 hr. 55 min.)

Monthly Matinees

Thursdays at 2:00 p.m.
For adults • Drop in



June 22 *Lion*

A five-year-old Indian boy gets lost on the streets of Calcutta, thousands of kilometers from home. He survives many challenges before being adopted by a couple in Australia; 25 years later, he sets out to find his lost family. (PG-13; 1 hr. 58 min.)



July 27 *A United Kingdom*

The story of King Seretse Khama of Botswana and how his loving but controversial marriage to a British white woman, Ruth Williams, put his kingdom into political and diplomatic turmoil. (PG-13; 1 hr. 51 min.)



How Does Your Garden Grow?

Fremont Township Community Garden Tour

Saturday, June 17, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Join garden manager **Alicia Dodd** on a tour of the garden and learn about the sustainably grown, organic produce it provides to the food pantry and low-income seniors.

Note: The Fremont Township Community Garden is located at 22385 W. Route 60, Mundelein; transportation is not included.

Fremont Public Library Day at the Lenhardt Library of the Chicago Botanic Garden

Tuesday, July 25, 2:00 p.m.

Get a behind-the-scenes look at this hidden gem tucked inside the Chicago Botanic Garden, including a guided tour of the library and the rare book exhibition *Brazil in the Garden: Flora Brazil*, and view a specially chosen rare book! After the tour, you are free to explore the garden until dusk. (R)

Fremont cardholders only. Registration required. We will meet at the garden; transportation is not included, but attendees will receive free parking and admission. Space is limited to 25 people.

Plant Clinic with the Master Gardeners

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

Do you have a gardening problem? **University of Illinois Extension Master Gardeners** will answer your questions as well as look at your soil and plant samples to identify disease, insect, and weed problems. Samples should be fresh and enclosed in a plastic bag or container. Drop in anytime during hours listed.

Next Level Skills

Cooking for One (or Two)

Wednesday, July 12, 7:00 p.m.

Chef Jill Houk will give tips on how to make cooking for one or two easy and worthwhile. She will cover reasons to cook for one or two (instead of dining out), strategies for scaling back, what food to keep on hand, what equipment to have, how to organize your kitchen and time, and the mindset of eating alone or as a couple. Recipes and samples provided. (R) (F)

How Memory Enhances Our Creativity

Wednesday, July 19, 7:00 p.m.

Looking to bring your writing, art, or poetry to the next level? Join instructor **Sharona Javit** and discover novel ways to tap into life memories to access a rich source of vivid imagery and ideas. (R)

Adult Summer Reading Club

Reading is so Delicious!

June 1 – July 31

Sign up, read 3 books between June 1 and July 31, and return your completed reading log to receive a prize.

Win lunch on us!

Bring your "meal card" to the Readers' Services desk to be punched once each week between June 4 and July 16 and you will be entered into our weekly raffle for a gift card to a local restaurant. Drawings are every Monday morning, so be sure to enter by Sunday.



Computer Classes

Tablet Tuesdays

Tuesday, June 13 or July 11
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Join us on the second Tuesday of every month for an introduction to iPad, Android, and Kindle Fire tablets. Each session includes a brief introduction to tablets, a special topic, and time for Q & A. (R)

Library Apps Introduction

Thursday, June 1 or July 20
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 help you get to know the different apps we have available. (R)

Genealogy Open Lab

Thursday, June 8, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Our local history and genealogy librarian will provide one-on-one help with our genealogy-related tools to help with your research. (R)

Entertainment on the Cloud

Tuesday, June 20, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Get a brief introduction to the cloud, and learn about streaming TV, movies, and more from the cloud to your computer, phone, tablet, or TV. (R)

Get More Done on the Cloud

Tuesday, July 18, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Get a brief introduction to the cloud, and learn about the different services available for being more productive. (R)

Job Search

Job Search Techniques

Thursday, June 15, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.

Learn how to find job opportunities in the current market. Practice your elevator speech and networking in this interactive workshop. Presented by the **Job Center of Lake County**. (R)

Job Search Open Lab

Thursday, July 13, 2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Meet with a staff person from the **Job Center of Lake County** in the library computer lab. Create a new resume or edit your resume using our computers. Locate jobs online and apply! (R)