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How to Register for an Event

ONLINE RESERVATION

Log onto www.wnpld.org and under "events" you will find the events calendar. Locate the program of interest and register.

PHONE/EMAIL REGISTRATION

You may call (847) 446-7220 or email eref@wnpld.org.

CANCELLATION

If your plans change after registering, please let us know 24 hours in advance so we can invite another guest to take your spot.

Do You Have a Library Card?

HOW TO GET ONE

Residents, property owners, and renters in the Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District are eligible for Library cards. Simply stop in the Library with a valid governmentissued ID and proof of address to register! Cards are good for three years and will be auto-renewed for those still residing in the District. Learn more at: wnpld.org/ library-card.

The Source is published in March, June, September & December.

The Library reserves the right to take photographs and video program participants. Photos and videos are for Library use and may be used in Library publicity materials. Patrons who do not wish to be part of photographs or videos should notify Library staff. Any individual who plans to attend any program at the Library and requires a special accommodation may phone the Winnetka Library at (847) 446-7220 or the Northfield Branch Library at (847) 446-5990.

Introducing Library of Things

We are excited to announce a new collection available to our patrons! The Library of Things at the Winnetka Library is a collection of useful items that you can borrow for your home, projects, and adventures. Whether you want to explore new skills or simply try something before you buy it, the Library of Things has something for you.

Now there's more to borrow from WNPLD!

FAQ

Where can I find the collection?

The Library of Things can be found in The Studio of the Winnetka Library, which is located on the lower level.

Do I need a Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District card to check out an item?

Yes, checkouts are restricted to WNPLD cardholders only; reciprocal access or interlibrary loan is not available for these items.

How long can I check items out for?

Each item is checked out for 2 weeks.

See the complete list of items at wnpld.org/library-of-things.

Space Planning Public Input Meetings

As part of our new strategic plan, we are conducting a Facilities Feasibility Study over the next several months to make sure that our spaces meet patron and staff needs both now and in the future. To ensure we understand what is important to you, we encourage you to join us for one of several public input sessions on **June 14 at 1pm & 7pm in Winnetka** and **June 22 at 1pm & 7pm in Northfield**.

If you are not able to attend one of the sessions, we will be posting a link for you to provide your input electronically and will have paper forms available at both branches. We look forward to your participation!

Current Items in the Library of Things

- Backyard Movie Pack (projector, screen, DVD/ Blu-ray player, speaker)
- Nintendo Switch
- Roku Streaming Stick
- Thermal Camera
- Metal Detector
- Telescope
- Go Pro Hero9 Camera
- Internet Hotspots
- VHS to Digital Recorder
- 8mm Converter
- Photo Negative/Slide
 Converter
- DVD/Blu-ray Player
- DVD Player
- VCR
- Cassette/CD Player
- Sewing Machines
- Knitting Needles

What would you like us to add to the Library of Things? Let us know! Email us at **studio@** wnpld.org.



This Summer!

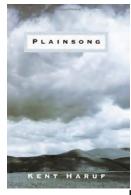
We will be out and about this summer at several community events on specific dates. We'll have new books, crafts, and giveaways at our tent!

Winnetka Children's Fair June 9 & 10 at Winnetka Village Green

Northfield Market & Music Wednesdays at Clarkson Park, Northfield

Winnetka Farmers Market Saturdays, June 25, July 16, August 20, September 17, & October 22 at Winnetka Train Station Parking Lot

SUMMER STAFF PICKS



► ADULT FICTION

An indigenous woman's story of working in a bookstore haunted by a former patron during the beginning of the pandemic and riots following George Floyd's murder in Minnesota.



ADULT FICTION Laugh-out-loud funny, shrewdly observant, and studded with a dazzling cast of supporting characters, this is as original and vibrant as its protagonist.

The Sentence

ADULT FICTION

The high plains of

Colorado are the

and poignant story

that beautifully weaves

the pain and promise

of love through four

in one small town.

Louise

Erdrich

Bonnie Garmus

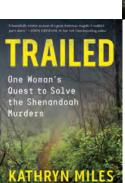
► ADULT NONFICTION Part true crime, part history, part author's experience delving into a decades old cold case of two women killed on the Appalachian Trail.

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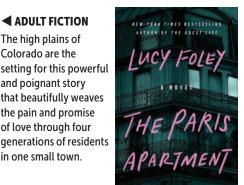
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A Quest to Find and Say

the World's Largest Owl



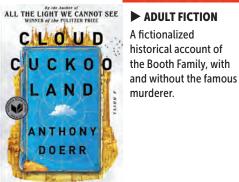
▲ ADULT NONFICTION OWLS OF THE Join a small team for EASTERN ICE late night monitoring missions and mad dashes across thawing rivers. Drink vodka with hermits, listen to fireside tales of Amur tigers, and remember the beauty of the natural world. JONATHAN C. SLAGHT



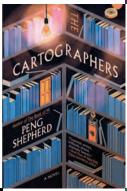
ADULT FICTION Seven stories in one that take place in different centuries. A lovely tome that will have you feeling satisfied when you have finished.

ADULT FICTION

A new locked room mystery, set in a Paris apartment building in which every resident has something to hide. Everyone's a neighbor. Everyone's a suspect. And everyone knows something they're not telling.



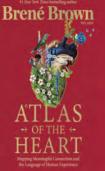
ADULT FICTION A fictionalized account of Mrs. Christie and her disappearance, told by Agatha's husband's second wife.



XOCHITL

GONZALEZ

► ADULT NONFICTION This essay collection by one of our greatest thinkers covers topics as diverse as the use of color in Renaissance painting, indigenous history, and Hitchcock's Vertigo.



ADULT FICTION

Taking place in NYC, this story follows the lives of two first generation **Puerto Rican siblings** whose parents were radicals. It starts out as almost a beach read but guickly becomes about family, culture, and relationships.

KAREN JOY FOWLER



ADULT FICTION A fun and different novel about a young woman who discovers that a strange map in her deceased father's belongings holds an incredible deadly secret.

ADULT NONFICTION

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Brené Brown unpacks the complex web of emotion, behavior, and thoughts that are triggered by our experiences and gives us the nuanced language to fully understand our feelings and express them.



ADULT NONFICTION Short articles by nurses about their experiences on E.R. duty. A real look at what an emergency room visit can be like.

Four

Weeks

Time

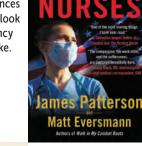
Oliver

Thousand

Management

for Mortals

Burkeman



ADULT NONFICTION

An entertaining, humorous, practical, and ultimately profound guide to time and time management. Drawing on the insights of philosophers, psychologists, and spiritual teachers.



ADULT BOOK CLUBS



BOOKS AT THE BEACH

MONDAYS, JUNE 20, JULY 18, AUGUST 8, 10:30AM • ADULTS TOWER ROAD BEACH • REGISTER

Looking for your next great read? We'll preview the best summer titles while enjoying the beach! We'll meet inside the beach house if the weather doesn't cooperate.

CLUE: A MYSTERY BOOK CLUB

TUESDAYS, 7:30PM • ADULTS • REGISTER • *LED BY MELISSA MORGAN* Join a lively discussion about all types of mystery books, ranging from true crime, dark thrillers, police procedurals and historical mysteries.

JUNE 14 • HYBRID (NORTHFIELD LIBRARY + VIRTUAL) Sleep Well, My Lady, by Kwei Quartey

JULY 12 • HYBRID (NORTHFIELD LIBRARY + VIRTUAL)

The Last Agent, by Robert Dugoni

AUGUST 9 • HYBRID (NORTHFIELD LIBRARY + VIRTUAL)

The Frangipani Tree Mystery, by Ovidia Yu

Summer Film Series: Thrillers

4TH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH • ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Register to receive a pre-recorded introduction and critique by our resident film expert Scott Siegel, along with a link to watch the film using our Hoopla or Kanopy streaming services.



June 24 Dead Calm

Nicole Kidman & Sam Neill battle a psycho on the high seas.

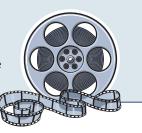


July 22 Good Time

Robert Pattinson will do anything to get his brother out of prison.



August 26 The Invitation There's something not quite right at this party...



FOOD FOR THOUGHT: COOKBOOK BOOK CLUB

MONDAYS, 7PM • ADULTS • REGISTER • LED BY STEPHANIE GIRARDI

Do you love browsing through cookbooks and trying new recipes? Check out one of the spotlighted cookbooks, try some recipes and bring a dish to share. The books are available for checkout at the Library and through Hoopla, when available.

JUNE 13 • WINNETKA LIBRARY

A Taste of Greece

My Greek Table: Authentic Flavors and Modern Home Cooking from My Kitchen to Yours, by Diane Kochilas

Sea Salt and Honey: Celebrating the Food of Kardamili in 100 Sun-Drenched Recipes, by Nicholas Tsakiris and Chloe Tsakiris

JULY 11 • WINNETKA LIBRARY

Salad Days Saladish, by Ilene Rosen The Complete Summer Cookbook, by America's Test Kitchen

AUGUST 8 • WINNETKA LIBRARY

Mexican Flavors Pati's Mexican Table Treasures of the Mexican Table, both by Pati Jinich

TRUE STORY: NONFICTION BOOK CLUB

WEDNESDAY, 7PM • ADULTS • REGISTER • *LED BY MOLLY SCHOENHERR* Explore critically acclaimed nonfiction books with us. Find out for yourself that sometimes fact truly is stranger than fiction. The books are available for checkout at the Library and through our ebook and eaudiobook platforms.

JULY 13 • VIRTUAL

Broken (In the Best Possible Way) by Jenny Lawson. Kim Hasselfeld, Clinical Director of the Counseling Center of the North Shore, will join this discussion to provide expertise on mental health.



THE NEXT CHAPTER: FICTION BOOK CLUB

The Next Chapter Book Club is taking a summer break and will return in the fall. In the meantime, Betsy and Amelia recommend:

True Biz, by Sara Nović

A story about deaf students and a committed headmistress at an all-deaf boarding school, entwined with the history of and lessons on sign language, cochlear implants, activism, and teenage rebellion.



AUTHOR EVENTS

Discover the Margot McMahon Collection

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 7PM • ADULTS WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Through interpreting gifts of art from her father and articles written by her mother, internationally-acclaimed sculptor and author Margot McMahon discovered the untold family stories of five generations of her artistic Lake Forest family. Hear how she researched, wrote, and came to publish her trilogy of books about her family in Chicago and Ireland.

Novelist Tom Perrotta Presents His New Novel: *Tracy Flick Can't Win*

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 6:30PM ADULTS • THE BOOK STALL REGISTER

Join author Tom Perrotta as be reads from and discusses his new novel Tracy Flick Can't Win. In Tracy Flick Can't Win Perrotta brings back the iconic protagonist from his 1998 novel. Election. (Film lovers will remember director Alexander Payne's hit, Academy Awardnominated film adaptation, starring Reese Witherspoon as Tracy.) To reserve your spot, stop by The Book Stall. call (847-446-8880) or email events@thebookstall.com. This free program is co-sponsored with The Book Stall.

An Evening with James Beard Award-Winning Chef Kwame Onwuachi

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Top Chef contestant and award-winning chef Kwame Onwuachi will discuss his cookbook *My America: Recipes from a Young Black Chef.* Onwuachi will share stories behind his family's recipes, and the importance of the connections between cuisine, place, and culture.

Artists Who Thrive — Making Art Profitable

SATURDAY, JULY 16, 2PM ADULTS • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Erin Minckley, author of Artists Who Thrive, offers ways to turn artistic pursuits into consistent, sustainable revenue. Suitable for all artists, from painters, musicians, chefs, to stay-athome parents and others. Worksheets will be provided. Please bring a pen and paper and be ready to brainstorm.

DRAMATIC PERFORMANCES

Remembering Route 66 with Leslie Goddard

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 7PM • ADULTS VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Historian Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., explores the history of Route 66, the iconic road linking Chicago to Los Angeles from 1926 through the mid-1980s. What was Route 66 like at its pinnacle and what is it like today?

Agatha Christie: A Body of Evidence

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Actress Debra Ann Miller portrays Agatha Christie, the Queen of Mystery, in the spring of 1950. She reminisces about her childhood and her life as a writer and adventurer, and contemplates beginning her autobiography, which took nearly 20 years to complete.

FOOD & DRINK

Cuisine Quest — Southeast Asia and India

SUNDAY, JULY 31, 3PM • ADULTS NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • REGISTER

Tantalize your taste buds as Brian Michalski takes you on a whirlwind tour

Chicago's Riverview Park with Leslie Goddard

Chicago's Riverview Park was once the "world's largest amusement park," showcasing the first suspended roller coaster and parachute ride. Today, it is merely one of Chicago's best loved memories. Join Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., for a look at the history of Riverview, from its opening in 1904 to its sudden closing in 1967.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 7PM • ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER



of regional cuisine and little-known delights. Brian blends firsthand anecdotes while sharing tidbits about regional agriculture and sustainability. Satisfy your cravings with take-home recipes and restaurant recommendations.

Cake Decorating

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 7PM ADULTS • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Chef Cherise Slattery teaches basic piping skills, demonstrates quick decorating techniques, and shows how to decorate a cake like a pro! Freshly baked cake and buttercream icing will be provided.

Cook Along: Mediterranean Cooking Class

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 4:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Make a Mediterranean dinner during this live 90-minute demonstration by Kristyn Slick. An ingredient list will be provided a week before the program, so you can cook from your kitchen while she cooks from hers.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Chair Yoga

FRIDAYS, JUNE 3 & 17, JULY 1 & 15, AUGUST 5 & 19, 10AM • ADULTS VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Join instructor Isabel Raci, C-IAYT, for a session of gentle chair yoga and guided meditation. This class is appropriate for beginners and longtime meditators alike.

Exercise with Be40Strong

THURSDAYS, JUNE 2–30, 2:30PM ADULTS • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Join us for group personal training designed for students over the age of 60. Learn how to exercise safely and get stronger. Perfect for students ranging from beginners to consistent exercisers. We will adapt the program to fit the needs of each individual.

Self-Care for Busy People THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Julie M. Gentile, author of 108 Yoga and Self-Care Practices for Busy Mamas and How to Stay Calm in Chaos, shares uplifting self-care practices to bring balance to life's busyness.

ART & CULTURE

The Obsessive Image

SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 3PM • ADULTS NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • REGISTER

Howard Sandroff, composer, sound artist and sculptor, speaks about his sculpture before his exhibition at Northfield Village Hall in July and August.

The Art of Paul Cezanne with Jeff Mishur

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Art historian Jeff Mishur discusses Cézanne's innovative approach to traditional subjects, including still life, landscape, and the nude. Cézanne challenged the art world of late 19th century Paris and inspired a new generation of modernists.

BUSINESS & FINANCIAL

Medicare 101

TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 7PM • ADULTS HYBRID (WINNETKA LIBRARY + VIRTUAL) • REGISTER

Medicare Solutions Network provides an overview of what Medicare covers, what it doesn't, and your potential out of pocket exposure. They'll discuss Supplements, Advantage Plans, Part D Prescription coverage and cost saving strategies for the years ahead. Whether you are currently enrolled in Medicare, will be enrolling in the future, or are helping a loved one, this seminar is for you.

Financial Planning Appointments

TUESDAYS, JUNE 14, JULY 12 & AUGUST 9, 10AM & 11AM ADULTS • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Do you have questions about investing, budgeting, or safeguarding your finances? Schedule a free, one-hour in-person consultation with a Certified Financial Planner[®].

Small Business Mentoring with SCORE

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 15, JULY 20 & AUGUST 17, 7PM & 8PM ADULTS • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

SCORE North Cook & Lake counties provides mentoring to local small-business owners and entrepreneurs. Meet with retired volunteer executives for advice about developing and growing businesses.

MUSIC

It Was 50 Years Ago Today: Albums from 1972 Still Inspiring and Influencing Musicians 50 Years Later

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER Join music critics Jim DeRogatis and Greg Kot, hosts of WBEZ's Sound Opinions, for an event celebrating seminal albums from 1972 and their lasting influence. This event is offered in partnership with multiple area libraries.

The Studio POP-UP EVENTS

Terra Cotta Pots

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 11AM • ADULTS NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • REGISTER

Decorate a terra cotta pot with paint, markers, and vinyl cut outs. All supplies will be provided.

Ink-Stained Coasters

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 11AM • ADULTS • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Create a beautiful set of four ink-stained coasters. All supplies will be provided.

Sand Art Terrarium

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 11AM • ADULTS NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • REGISTER

Create a sand art terrarium to take home. All supplies will be provided.

History of Stevie Wonder

TUESDAY, JULY 5, 7PM • ADULTS VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Using performance and interview clips, music historian Gary Wenstrup traces the arc of Wonder's amazing career and offers a deep understanding of this American treasure.

Hot Summer Swing – Live Concert with Petra the Jazz Singer

MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 5PM ADULTS • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Experience live music with jazz vocal/guitar duo Petra van Nuis and guitarist Andy Brown. Come and enjoy the beautiful auditory landscape they create with seasonal songs of summer and sunshine.

HOME & GARDEN

Organize Your Printed Photos

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER Have piles of photos? Learn

Organizing Quick Tips and Cool Hacks

MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Jennifer Barnes, professional organizer and speaker, shares cool hacks and tips to help you organize anything, anywhere, with anyone!

POETRY & WRITING

Open Mic: Free the Stories

SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2PM • ADULTS WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Writers and storytellers are invited to let their stories free into the world. All are welcome, beginning and advanced artists alike.





to curate and organize them with certified photo organizer Bonnie Hillman Shay.

Declutter Your Home

TUESDAY, JULY 12, 7PM • ADULTS WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Ali Wenzke, author of *The Art of Happy Moving*, offers tips and tricks to declutter, organize, and make your home feel simplified and fabulous.

Hidden Natural Treasures of Illinois

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Botanist Chris Benda provides a virtual tour of the unique natural areas and rare plants in Illinois. This program highlights places you never knew existed and emphasizes native plants and animals.

ADULT PROGRAMS

TRAVEL

American Vacation: 12,000 Miles Into the American West

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Raluca Barbu, author of American Vacation: 12,000 Miles Into the Wild West, speaks about traveling 12,000 miles, over 45 days, across 19 states, visiting 35 national, state, and tribal parks, and hiking 170 miles through breath-taking natural landmarks.

Virtual Tour of the Hermitage

THURSDAY, JULY 21, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Join this virtual tour of the Hermitage, the largest art museum in the world, located in St. Petersburg, Russia. Learn about the Museum's architecture and art collection that spans 5,000 years.

HISTORY

Homes for America: Influential American Historic Houses

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Take a firsthand look at historic house museums including the Hearst Castle, Mount Vernon, the Driehaus Museum (Nickerson Mansion), the Dana-Thomas House, and The Glass House.

Mary Anning on England's Jurassic Coast: The Life and Times of the World's First Female Paleontologist

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Claire Evans speaks about Mary Anning's life as "the greatest fossil hunter the world has ever known." Anning was born in 1799, made discoveries that changed the world, and yet was uncredited by the scientific community in her own time.

Famous Chicago Murders

MONDAY, JULY 25, 7PM • ADULTS WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Chicago was once erroneously dubbed the "Murder City." Author Susan Gibberman discusses some of the more notorious cases, both solved and unsolved.

Nelson Algren, Chicago's Neglected Prophet

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 3PM ADULTS • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Mary Wisniewski, author and reporter, speaks about Nelson Algren's life, relationship with Simone de Beauvoir, and his increasing relevance in today's economic and political times. Writing about the poor and the underclass, Algren was controversial during his time, but his influence was great.

Murder, Mayhem, and the Mob: Chicago's Beer Wars

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 7PM ADULTS • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Clarence Goodman takes you on a journey to the Roaring Twenties with stories of Al Capone, Prohibition, the St. Valentine's Day Massacre, and connections among the three.

Explore Winnetka's Oldest Homes

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 7PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Join the Winnetka Historical Society to learn about the village's most historic homes that are still standing! Glean insight into the architecture and architects, hear fascinating stories about the people who inhabited these homes, and learn how the houses have changed over time.



The Chicago Lakefront Under Threat: Concerns, Challenges and Creative Solutions

THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 7PM • ADULTS • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Since 2003, Preservation Chicago's "Chicago 7 Most Endangered" has sounded the alarm on imminently threatened historic buildings and public assets in Chicago, to mobilize the stakeholder support necessary to save them from demolition.

How to Govern the Great Lakes

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 7PM • ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Dr. Rachel Havrelock, Director of the University of Illinois at Chicago's Freshwater Lab, discusses how the Great Lakes are currently governed and protected. She speaks about laws protecting Great Lakes water quality, who creates them, and ways to further preserve our remarkable watershed amid a changing climate.

The Edmund Fitzgerald: What Really Happened?

MONDAY, JULY 18, 7PM • ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

The SS Edmund Fitzgerald sank in Lake Superior in 1975, and all 29 men on board perished. It was the largest freighter to sail the Great Lakes and remains the largest to have sunk there. Learn what potentially caused the shipwreck in this presentation by the National Museum of the Great Lakes.

Lighthouses of Michigan and the Great Lakes WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 7PM • ADULTS • VIRTUAL REGISTER

Did you know that Michigan has more lighthouses than any other state? Laura Keyes shares the history, beauty, and stories of lighthouses that guided ships to safe harbors for more than a century and a half.



KEAD BEYOND THE BEATEN PATH

Adults, teens, kids of all ages...everyone is welcome to join our summer reading program! It's simple to participate. Just read for at least 20 minutes a day for 40 or more days between June 1 and July 31.

Track your progress on our reading logs (included here, available in our Libraries, and on our website). Bring completed logs to the Library or send an email to **youth@wnpld.org** with a picture of your log.

To celebrate finishing the challenge, you will receive a prize as well as the chance to enter one of our grand prize drawings. For more information visit **wnpld.org/summer-reading**.

FINISHING PRIZES

Adults will receive a \$5 gift card for Three Tarts Bakery and Cafe and children will receive a book. All who finish can enter the drawing for one of the grand prizes below:

YOUTH GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE

Toy Basket: The Children's Gift Shop in Northfield
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Family Play Bundle: One-year Family Membership to Kohl Children's Museum, Mo Willems book and toy bundle, and Melissa & Doug toy set

TEEN GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE

Art Bundle: One by Wacom drawing tablet, sketch bundle, and Hometown Coffee & Juice gift card

Gaming Bundle: Gaming headphones, video game book bundle, and Fizz & Pop gift card

Play Bundle: Fujifilm mini camera set, tumbler, and Grateful Bites gift card

ADULT GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE

Gardening Basket: Chalet gift card and gardening accessories **Ravinia Basket:** Ravinia gift card, table in a bag, picnic blanket, portable wine glasses, and a Good Grapes gift card

Food Basket: Gift cards to local restaurants, mortar and pestle, and a cheese board to be engraved in The Studio

Turn the page to find the youth reading log!

ADULTS & TEENS 2022 SUMMER READING LOG

THE CHALLENGE

Your goal is to make reading a daily habit by reading at least 20 minutes a day for 40 or more days between June 1 and July 31.

Track your progress on this log (extras are available in our Libraries and on our website) and turn it in when you have finished.

Our librarians have compiled a reading list to help you find the perfect book! It can be found at wnpld.org/summer-reading.

LIST YOUR TITLES HERE: (OPTIONAL)







JULY

YOU DID IT!

Name

Email



Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District

READ BEYOND THE BEATEN PATH

Track your progress on this log (extras are available in our Libraries and on our website). Color one circle or write in the minutes for each day that you read. Bring completed logs to the Library or send us an email to **youth@wnpld.org** with a picture of your log. Visit our Summer Reading website page for more fun at: **wnpld.org/summer-reading**.

FUN CHALLENGES!

- Read one of our recommended summer reads and let us know what you think!
- 2 Try out a digital platform. Read an eBook or listen to an eAudiobook on Libby, Cloud Library, or Hoopla.
- S Explore one of our many programming options from weekly storytimes to magician and animal visits. Check **wnpld.org** for a full rundown!

YOUTH 2022 SUMMER READING LOG



Early Childhood





















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Our librarians have compiled these lists to help you find the perfect book for summer reading! Use the QR Code to see more recommendations or to place one of these books on hold.

> DISABILITY VISIBILITY

AVER







Wild

Dird







FAMILY

Family Storytime

TUESDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS, MAY 31–JULY 28, 9:30AM • AGES 0–5 WITH PARENT/ CAREGIVER • WINNETKA LIBRARY DROP IN

MONDAYS & FRIDAYS, JUNE 3– JULY 29, 9:30 & 10AM • AGES 0–5 WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • DROP IN

Singing, dancing, stories, and bubbles! Tickets for storytime will be available the morning of the program on a first come, first served basis.

The Total T Magic Show

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 3:30PM FAMILIES • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Local magician Terrence Hunter presents lightning-fast illusions and magic for the whole family.

Messy Mondays

MONDAYS, JUNE 27 & AUGUST 29, 4PM • FAMILIES • WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN

Drop in for a messier craft and leave the cleanup to us!

Space Camp

TUESDAY, JULY 19, 6PM • FAMILIES WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Bring your family and celebrate the night sky with astronomyrelated activities.

Indoor Camping Party

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 6PM FAMILIES • WINNETKA LIBRARY DROP IN

MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 4PM FAMILIES • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY DROP IN

Join us to build blanket forts, eat s'mores, and read under the (projected) stars.

EARLY CHILDHOOD

Preschool Storytime

TUESDAYS, MAY 31–JULY 26, 10AM • AGES 3–5 WITH PARENT/ CAREGIVER • WINNETKA LIBRARY DROP IN

Join us for an energetic and interactive storytime,

complete with stories, songs, and more that are perfect for preschoolers. Tickets for storytime will be available the morning of the program on a first come, first served basis.

Baby Storytime

WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 1–JULY 27, 10AM • AGES 0–18 MONTHS WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER • WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN

Join us for a storytime focused on early literacy, complete with stories, songs, baby bouncing and movement exercises for you and your new baby. Tickets for storytime will be available the morning of the program on a first come, first served basis.

Music & Movement

THURSDAYS, JUNE 2 & JULY 7, 10:30AM • AGES 0-5 WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER • WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 15 & JULY 20, 10:30AM • AGES 0-5 WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • DROP IN

Listen, dance, sing and share in the music! Teacher Dan from Top Note Music Academy will share music through a variety of popular songs, fingerplays, bodywork

TODDLER T-REX TEA PARTY

Join us for tea (or lemonade), crafts, and t-riffic fun as we celebrate dinosaurs and etiquette.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 10AM WINNETKA LIBRARY AGES 2+ • DROP IN

and movement activities. Each class will include live music and a variety of instruments.

Baby Builders

FRIDAYS, JUNE 3, JULY 1 & AUGUST 5, 10AM • AGES 0-5 WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER • WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN THURSDAYS, JUNE 9 & 23, JULY 7 & 21, AUGUST 4 & 18, 9:30AM • AGES 0-5 WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • DROP IN

Enjoy free play with foam blocks and other building and play materials for our youngest friends. An opportunity to socialize and make new friends.

Sensory Shenanigans

FRIDAYS, JUNE 17, JULY 15, & AUGUST 19, 10AM • AGE 0-4 WITH PARENT/CAREGIVER • WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN

Join us on the lawn outside of the Youth Services Department for an hour of interactive free play. Activities in this program will foster fine and gross motor skills, and concepts through play. This program is sure to be a little messy (and fun!) so wear clothes you don't mind getting dirty. In the event of inclement weather, program will be held indoors.

Teddy Bear Picnic

MONDAY, AUGUST 8, 10AM AGES 2+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY DROP IN THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 10AM AGES 2+ • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY DROP IN

Join us on the lawn outside of the Youth Services Department for a Teddy Bear Picnic. Bring a blanket and your favorite teddy bear, stuffed animal, or doll. We'll read stories, sing songs, make a craft, and have a snack. In the event of inclement weather, program will be held indoors.

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Glitter and Glue

FRIDAYS, JUNE 3 & 17, JULY 1 & 15, AUGUST 12 & 26, 9:30AM • AGE 5+ NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • DROP IN

Join us at the Northfield Library for a fun craft.

Crafternoon! Summer Camp Edition

MONDAY, JUNE 13, FRIDAY, JUNE 24, WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, MONDAY, AUGUST 1 & MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 2PM • AGE 5+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN

Join us for an afternoon of crafting fun. Stay the whole time or drop in when you'd like!

Art Explorers Jr.

THURSDAYS, JUNE 16, JULY 21 & AUGUST 4, 3:30PM • AGE 5+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER TUESDAYS, JUNE 21, JULY 26 & AUGUST 16, 3:30PM • AGE 5+ NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • REGISTER

Come and make a beautiful painting! We have a variety of art supplies to let your creative side shine.

Spanish Bilingual Storytime

SATURDAYS, JUNE 18, JULY 16 & AUGUST 20 • AGES 3-8 NORTHFIELD LIBRARY DROP IN

Introduce your family to Spanish through simple stories, music, and hands-on activities with dual language educator Cecilia Hagist. Siblings are welcome.

Books and Bugs

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 4PM • AGE 5+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN MONDAY, JULY 11, 4PM • AGE 5+ NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • DROP IN

Celebrate all things creepy crawly with this bug-themed program. We'll craft, read stories, and explore the outdoors for buggy friends.

Flying Fox Presents Mammals & More

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 2PM • AGE 5+ NORTHFIELD LIBRARY • REGISTER THURSDAY, JULY 14, 2PM • AGE 5+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Learn about some unique creatures from around the world with our friends from Flying Fox Conservation Fund. This program will include live animals.

Who Goes There? Identifying Animal Tracks and Dirt Dig

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 2PM AGE 5+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 2PM AGE 5+ • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Tracks tell a story! By looking carefully at the size, shape and pattern of the tracks animals leave behind, we can decipher who might have visited our Library. We will also dig in the dirt and see what we can find.

Pokémon Party

TUESDAY, JULY 19, 2PM • AGE 6+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Bring your Pokémon cards to trade Pokémon with other trainers. We'll have games and crafts, too.

Minecraft Mini-Camp

TUESDAY-THURSDAY, JULY 26-28, 2PM • AGE 7+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Join us on an epic three-day Minecraft adventure! Each day we will work through a different part of the Minecraft Mania's adventure map as a team. Battle monsters, explore new worlds, and make friends along the way.



Tie-Dye Outside

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1PM & 3PM • AGE 5+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Join us on the lawn outside of the Youth Services Department and create a tie-dyed T-shirt. All materials will be provided. In the event of inclement weather, program will be held indoors.

French Bilingual Storytime

SATURDAYS, JULY 30 & AUGUST 27, 10AM • AGE 3–8 • WINNETKA LIBRARY • DROP IN

Introduce your family to French through simple stories, music, and hands-on activities with French educator Nancy Shively.

Magic Tree House Party

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 4PM AGE 6+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY DROP IN

Celebrate this beloved series with games and activities inspired by the books.

Kingdom of Wrenly Party

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 2PM AGE 5+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY DROP IN

Join us to explore the world of Lucas and Clara from Jordan Quinn's series The Kingdom of Wrenly with crafts and activities!

TWEEN

Sewing Techniques

TUESDAYS, JUNE 21 & AUGUST 9, 3PM • AGE 10+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Learn the basics of hand sewing, including how to thread a needle, tie a knot, and other useful skills to start your sewing journey.

a cartooning class ANDERTOONS! HILARIOUS HIKING

JULY 17 AT 2PM Ages 9+ NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

OUR FRIEND ANDERTOONS IS BACK FOR A CARTOONING PROGRAM CELEBRATING THE GREAT OUTDOORS.

Sewing Project

THURSDAYS, JUNE 23 & AUGUST 11, 3PM • AGE 10+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Learn how to hand sew felt plushies. This program is focused on creating a project, so basic sewing knowledge is required.

Dungeons & Dragons

TUESDAYS, JUNE 28, JULY 12, 3PM & AUGUST 30, 4PM • AGE 10+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

A darkness spreads through Ravenloft causing its people to suffer. Join other brave adventurers to fight back evil and complete quests. Rise through the Guild ranks to obtain great power and treasure.

Owl Pellet Dissection

THURSDAY, JUNE 30 & TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 4PM • AGE 9+ WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER

Be a real-life scientist and get your hands dirty as we dissect owl pellets for bones and other findings. (Rubber gloves must be worn at all times.)

Keychain Painting

TUESDAY, JUNE 14 & AUGUST 16, 3:30PM • AGE 10+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY • REGISTER THURSDAY, JUNE 23 & MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 3:30PM • AGE 10+ NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Customize a keychain by using reverse glass painting technique and acrylic paints.

Mirror Painting

TUESDAY, JULY 5, 3:30PM AGE 10+ • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 3:30PM AGE 10+ • NORTHFIELD LIBRARY REGISTER

Paint a frame, animal friend, or nature decoration on a mirror using acrylic paints. Let your creative choices shine.

TEEN

Finals Week Study Space

SATURDAY, JUNE 4 – WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8 • TEEN WINNETKA & NORTHFIELD LIBRARIES • DROP IN

High School students come study at the Library! Join us for special treats and activities throughout the week. We reserved meeting room spaces at both Winnetka and Northfield for you.

Please note: The Winnetka Library will remain open until 9pm Sunday, June 5 and 10pm Monday, June 6 for extended study hours.

Manga Book Club

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 4PM TEEN • WINNETKA LIBRARY REGISTER

Which is better, reading the manga or watching the anime? We will discuss which version of a story does it better while enjoying some Japanese snacks.

SEW THIS SUMMER

Introduction to Quilting

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 1PM • ADULTS • THE STUDIO REGISTER

Learn how to create a quilt using a sewing machine. When the class is over, borrow one of our sewing machines to continue your project at home.

Tote Bag with Custom Panel

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1PM • ADULTS • THE STUDIO REGISTER

Sew and iron on a decorative fabric insert for a tote bag. Tote bags and fabric provided, but feel free to bring a favorite fabric piece.

Create a Franken-T-Shirt

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 4PM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 10AM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN

Bring in two shirts or more to cut and re-sew into a new creation.

Upcycle Jeans Drawstring Bag

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 10AM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Create a drawstring bag from a pant leg of your overworn jeans.

Zip-Up Pouch

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16 & THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 6PM • ALL AGES • THE STUDIO • DROP IN

Learn to use or try out the sewing machines that are available in The Studio. This program is available on a first come, first served basis.

ALL AGES

One-Season Birdhouse

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 4PM • ALL AGES • THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Use our laser engraver to cut out and assemble a cardboard birdhouse. Decorate with paints or engrave a design with the laser.

DIY Flower Press

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1PM • ALL AGES • THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Make a custom designed flower press to preserve your special garden blooms.

DIY Jewelry

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 10AM • ALL AGES • THE STUDIO • DROP IN SUNDAY, JULY 24, 2PM • ALL AGES • THE STUDIO • DROP IN

Put together a fashion statement piece. Supplies will be provided. This program is available on a first come, first served basis.

ADULT

Make a Signature Hot Sauce for Father's Day

FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 10AM • ADULTS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Create a hot sauce from scratch and then engrave the bottle with a personalized message for a unique Father's Day gift.

Hand Lettering in Procreate

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 10AM • ADULTS THE STUDIO • REGISTER SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 10AM • ADULTS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Follow along and learn hand lettering techniques in Procreate. Patrons must bring their own iPad with Procreate installed and Apple Pencil or another stylus.

Overdo It for Independence Day

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 3PM • ADULTS • THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Grab a BBQ apron and decorate it with fireworks embroidery, iron-on patches, and other designs for a one-of-a-kind piece of clothing for your holiday cook out.

Engrave a Platter

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 10:30AM • ADULTS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Get ready for the holiday season by laser engraving a glass serving platter. Use for cookies, cakes, or special holiday meals.

House Number Address Plaque

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 4PM • ADULTS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Use our laser engraver on provided materials to make a custom plaque.

ADULT & TEEN

T-Shirt Screen Printing

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 10AM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2PM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN

Bring in a blank shirt or two and screen print a design onto it.

Create a Custom Coaster

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 6PM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN MONDAY, JUNE 20, 6PM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN

Engrave wooden and acrylic coasters for your home.

Vinyl T-Shirt Iron-On

FRIDAY, JULY 8, 10AM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • REGISTER SATURDAY, JULY 9, 2PM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Create vinyl iron-on to decorate your soon-to-be favorite shirt.

Customize a Metal Pendant or Ring

MONDAY, JULY 11, 6PM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 10AM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • DROP IN

Make fashion statement jewelry using vinyl decals and blank rings. This program is

available on a first come, first served basis while space and supplies last.

Embroidered Patches

SATURDAY, JULY 23, 10AM • ADULTS & TEENS THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Create patch designs from a simple image to decorate your clothes or tote.

Resin Keychains

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 4PM • ADULTS & TEENS • THE STUDIO • REGISTER

Make a personalized resin keychain by adding laser-cut elements, botanicals, or glitter inclusions.

TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS



Traveling with Digital Devices

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Learn the benefits and potential pitfalls of traveling with your mobile device and other expensive technology.

Finding the Best Online Events

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

There are thousands of online classes, workshops, and performances that you can view, provided by the finest universities, museums, schools, not-for-profit organizations, and businesses. And you don't even have to leave your house! This class will review several of the best programs.

When to Upgrade Your Computer, Phone or Tablet

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

How do you know when it's time to buy a new device, and when it's worth trying to fix your existing device? This class will review the options and the questions you should ask.

How to Manage Your Online Privacy

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Learn how to check and update the privacy settings for your operating system, social media sites, computers, browsers, devices, and related products.

Protecting Yourself Against Ransomware

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Ransomware is a type of malware that infects computers and encrypts computer files until a ransom is paid — you may have heard of cities, hospitals, businesses, and individuals that have been successfully attacked. Learn to minimize your exposure to ransomware and other types of malicious malware.

Find Your Favorite Podcast

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER Podcasts are free shows that are similar to radio shows. They cover many genres, from news and politics, to sports, comedy, celebrity culture, and entertainment. Learn about the podcast landscape and how to enjoy them.

Digitizing and Archiving Family Photos

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

Do you have tubs of old family pictures sitting in your basement, or slides that mom and dad took to document your childhood? Learn how to easily digitize photos and slides and share them with your family.

Cut the Cord – Alternatives to Premium Cable Services

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER Are you paying hundreds of dollars a month for a thousand channels that you never watch? This class will review the many alternative ways to get broadcast and premium TV, movies, etc. without having to pay a fortune.

What Is the Cloud and How Can You Use It?

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27, 1:30PM ADULTS • VIRTUAL • REGISTER

What and where is "the cloud?" Why should you use (or not use) the cloud? You might be surprised how much of your computer data is already there. This class will teach you about what the cloud is and how you can use it for efficiency and security.





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Library Closings July 4 Independence Day

Library Updates

For the latest news and updates, please visit wnpld.org.

District Hours

Winnetka Library

Monday – Thursday......9am – 9pm Friday – Saturday......9am – 5pm Sunday1pm – 5pm

Northfield Library

Monday – Thursday......9am – 7pm Friday – Saturday9am – 5pm Sunday1pm – 5pm

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END OF SUMMER PARTY

Sunday, August 21 Crow Island Woods Park DJ • Food • Outdoor Activities

Held in partnership with the Winnetka Park District and Fields BMW Northfield

Please Participate in the Winnetka Caucus Council's Annual Survey to Provide Input on Library Services

We are partnering with the Winnetka Caucus Council to solicit feedback from our community through their Annual Survey. The Annual Survey is conducted online in late May or early June. Winnetka, Northfield, and Kenilworth residents served by the Library are encouraged to participate. Two responses per household are allowed.

The 15-minute survey includes questions of importance to the taxing bodies and invites survey-takers to add their comments and insights. The results are tabulated, analyzed, and written up as planks to summarize input from community members.

Important: The Survey is distributed via email. Do we have your current email? Contact us to make sure at **hello@winnetkacaucus.org**.