

Kids' Korner

NEWSLETTER FOR KIDS—ABOUT KIDS



Go Places with Books Summer Reading Program June 7-August 14

Pack your bags and say "Bon Voyage!" as we get ready for another exciting summer reading adventure. The Youth Services Department invites you to sign up for a fun-filled reading trip and "Go Places with Books."

Register for one of four reading clubs to receive a book log and other materials related to your club. When you read and achieve specific reading goals you will be rewarded with great prizes and entry into weekly raffles.

Sign up begins Monday, June 7 in the Youth Services Department. Stop by during regular library hours to begin your reading journey.



Summer Chess

Registration begins Tuesday, June 1

Summer Chess returns with a new format this year. Two sessions will be offered:

Wednesday Chess

June 16–July 21, 1:30–2:30 p.m.

For experienced players, Wednesday Chess will focus on tournament play.

To participate, players must be 8 years old by June 16.

Registration is required and will be closed after June 23.

Thursday Chess

June 17–August 12, 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Chess on Thursday is intended for beginning players and players of all skill levels who enjoy playing just for fun. Beginners will receive 20 minutes of instruction each week followed by open play, while other players can enjoy a full hour of non-competitive play.

Participants in Thursday Chess must be at least 7 years old by June 17.

Registration is encouraged, especially for beginners, but drop in players may also attend.

PLANET CIRCUS

Friday, June 25; 9:30–10:30 a.m.,
11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., or
1:30–2:30 p.m.

For all ages

Tickets available Tuesday, June 1

Step right up to see the world-famous Pocket Circus, the world's smallest circus! Feast your eyes on this energetic show that combines humor, magic, acrobatics, music and more. It's guaranteed to entertain the whole family. Plus, Planet Circus is bilingual, presented in English and Spanish.

Come in early to pick up your free tickets to this lively show.

Tickets will be available Tuesday, June 1 at the Youth Services Desk.



Back Page Stuff



Crafts to Go

June 19-20, July 2-3, July 17-18, & July 31-August 1

The Library makes it easy for you to do crafts this summer! Stop by the Youth Services Department on the "Crafts to Go" weekends and choose a craft bag that contains supplies for your choice of an easy or more challenging craft. Crafts may require extra supplies from home. When you have completed your craft you may bring it back to the Library to be put on display if you like. Crafts will be available while supplies last.



Paws for Reading

Wednesday, July 28,
August 4 & 11
6:30-8:00 p.m.

For grades K-7

Registration begins July 12

Unleash your reading abilities this summer with our favorite tail-wagging book fans. Spend 15 minutes reading to a certified therapy animal. Bring one of your favorite books or select one of ours. A parent's signature is required to participate.



Summer Movies

The summer line-up for Tuesday night movies is impressive! Be sure to bring your own covered drink and dry snack to these *free* flicks. No registration is required.

Up (PG)

Tuesday, June 8

7:00-8:30 p.m.

You're never too old for an adventure! Meet Carl Fredricksen, a sad and lonely old man who launches his entire house up, up, and away with helium balloons. Along for the unexpected ride is eight-year-old Russell. (96 min.)

Cars (G)

Tuesday, June 22

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Lightning McQueen, a cocky, celebrity racecar, is sidetracked on his way to the Piston Cup championship. Lightning learns that the journey through life may be more important than the destination. (116 min.)

Here are the other summer movie dates and titles. Shows start at 7:00 p.m.

July 6-*Night at the Museum 2: Battle for the Smithsonian* (PG)

July 20-*Fantastic Mr. Fox* (PG)

August 3-*Ponyo* (G)

August 17-*Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaur* (PG)



Contact the Youth Services Department for more details.

Kid's Korner is created by the Youth Services Department, Pat Roche, Editor, Carol Stream Public Library, 616 Hiawatha Drive, 630-653-0755. Visit us at www.cslibrary.org.