

# NORTHBROOK PUBLIC LIBRARY

May & June 2022

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## Notes from the Executive Director



Every August my husband and I drive up to northern Michigan to go camping at the Petoskey State Park. I was resistant when he first suggested camping, but I finally agreed to go. Turns out, I love camping!

When packing, I bring a big bag of books. In between walking the beach looking for Petoskey stones or hiking in the park, I can read by the campfire as I listen to the sounds of nature all around me. I feel more peaceful just writing about it.

The theme of this year's Summer Reading program is "Read Beyond the Beaten Path." I invite everyone in the community to make a commitment to self-care by joining the reading program and reading for fun while connecting with the outdoors. This summer, I hope you'll join me in finding new paths to tread and new books to read.

I look forward to seeing everyone on (and off) the path this summer!

Kate Hall  
Executive Director

## Library Information

1201 Cedar Lane, Northbrook, IL 60062  
847-272-6224 | [www.northbrook.info](http://www.northbrook.info)  
[feedback@northbrook.info](mailto:feedback@northbrook.info)

**Open:** Mon-Thurs: 9am-9pm, Fri: 9am-6pm,  
Sat: 9am-5pm, Sun: 1-5pm

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# NEWS & UPDATES

## MAY IS MENTAL HEALTH MONTH

Paws for Patrick wants to help "Turn Our Town Green" in May by encouraging the community to show support and awareness of mental health by tying green ribbons on trees. Stop by the library's lobby on Sunday, May 1 from 1:30-3:30pm to pick up a green ribbon for your yard or business.

Did you know Northbrook middle and high school students can access 24-hour mental health assistance from a trained professional by text? Learn more at [www.northbrookcares.org/152/Text-A-Tip](http://www.northbrookcares.org/152/Text-A-Tip).

To learn how to support the emotional health of children and young adults, turn to page 16 to find reading recommendations from CATCH (Community Action for Children's Health).

## DONATE WHILE YOU DINE AT CULVER'S ON MAY 10

Culver's Northbrook (4015 Dundee Rd.) will donate 25% of sales to the Northbrook Public Library Foundation for dine in, drive through, and carry out orders on Tuesday, May 10. *Please mention the Northbrook Public Library Foundation fundraiser when placing your order.*

## LIBRARY CLOSED ON MAY 13

The closure allows staff to attend our annual Staff Development Day.

## CHECK OUT A CHROMEBOOK

We have recently added two Google Chromebook laptop computers that can be checked out and taken home. Visit our Library of Things display in the lobby or online at [www.northbrook.info/library-of-things](http://www.northbrook.info/library-of-things).

## JUNE IS PRIDE MONTH

We invite you to watch the movie uplifting movie *Pride* on Wednesday, June 8 in the Auditorium (details on page 7) as well as visit the book displays around the library.

## LIBRARY PARKING LOT CLOSED ON JUNE 5

Our parking lot will be closed on Sunday, June 5 for our Summer Reading Kickoff event. Please park in the Village Hall parking lot or the spaces along Cedar Lane.

## KEY

- On-Demand Virtual Program
- Special Needs Program
- Live Virtual Program
- Library Card Required
- In-Person Program
- Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion
- Earth Friendly Program

# SUMMER READING

## Read Beyond the Beaten Path

ALL AGES • JUNE 1 – AUGUST 14

### Summer Reading Kickoff Celebration

Sunday, June 5 • 1:00-4:00pm

in the Library Parking Lot

Join us to celebrate Summer Reading with  
**live music\*** and **fun activities** for all ages.

\*Live music starts at 3:00pm. Turn to page 6 for concert information.



### SUMMER READING HAS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!



**ADULTS:** Log your reading for a chance to earn gift cards, a free book from the Friends' Bookshop, and a canvas tote bag. You'll also have the chance to be entered into our drawing for a one-year Botanic Garden membership.

**TEENS & KIDS:** Log reading to earn coupons, prizes, and more, including a free book. You can also earn a canvas tote bag for completing bonus activities.

**BABIES:** Read to your child to earn a free board book and earn a canvas tote bag for completing the program.

Sign up for Summer Reading at the library or at  
[www.northbrook.info](http://www.northbrook.info) starting Wednesday, June 1.



Scan with your phone's camera to sign up starting June 1



Summer Reading is sponsored by the Thomas & Kathleen Laird Family Foundation

## Sustainable Living

### Vegetable Gardening 101

A horticulturist explains how to plan your garden, prepare the soil, and care for the established garden. *In partnership with Northbrook Garden Club & Go Green Northbrook.* 🌱

Tuesday, May 10, 7:00-8:00pm, Auditorium

### Going Zero Waste Group

Share and discuss ideas for reducing waste in your everyday life. This month we'll discuss strategies for decreasing food waste and rethinking food scraps. *In partnership with Go Green Northbrook.* 🌱

Monday, May 16, 7:00-8:00pm

### Gardening with Fewer Pesticides

Maintain a healthy, thriving garden while safely containing disease, pests, and weeds. A variety of methods for reducing the use of garden chemicals will be discussed. *In partnership with Northbrook Garden Club & Go Green Northbrook.* 🌱

Monday, May 23, 7:00-8:00pm, Pollak Room

### Bike Banter: Cycling for Function & Fun

Geared toward the beginner and family, members of Northbrook's Pedestrian and Bike Commission explain how to incorporate cycling into your everyday activities. 🌱

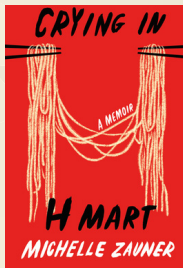
Wednesday, June 1, 7:00-8:00pm, Pollak Room

# ADULT PROGRAMS

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## Illinois Libraries Present: An Evening With Bestselling Authors **EDI**

The exciting lineup includes a pop singer, an exciting new Chicago author, and a James Beard-Award winning chef.



### Michelle Zauner

The singer-guitar player of the pop band, Japanese Breakfast will discuss her memoir of family and food.

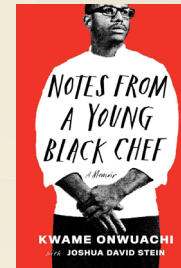
Wednesday, May 18  
7:00-8:00pm



### Jessamine Chan

Enjoy an evening with the author of the explosive debut novel, *The School for Good Mothers*.

Wednesday, May 25  
7:00-8:00pm



### Chef Kwame Onwuachi

The James Beard Award-winning chef will discuss his exciting career.

Wednesday, June 22  
7:00-8:00pm



Register at [www.northbrook.info/ilp](http://www.northbrook.info/ilp)

These events are made possible by Illinois Libraries Present, a statewide collaboration between public libraries offering high-quality events.



## FEATURED EVENTS

Don't miss our Sustainable Living programs on the bottom of page 3.

### Private Session With a Financial Planner

Schedule a private 50-minute session with a financial planner from Dickholtz Wealth Management.

Thursdays, May 12 & June 9  
9:30am, 10:30am, 11:30am & 12:30pm  
Study Room 12 (2nd Floor)

### Spanish Conversation

Practice your Spanish with a native speaker. Some Spanish knowledge is expected.

Tuesdays, May 17, 24, 31 &  
June 14, 21, 28, 7:00-8:00pm  
Pollak Room

### The Future of Work is Here and it is Remote

Eilis Wasserman of the Shafer Leadership Academy will explain how to find remote work opportunities, and the skills and language needed to succeed remotely. Presented in partnership with other area libraries.

Thursday, June 9, 6:30-7:30pm

### Let's Talk: Black American Experiences **EDI**

A diverse group of Black panelists will share personal experiences with racism, and their thoughts on anti-Black sentiment and other issues that pertain to the Black community.

Thursday, June 9, 7:00-8:30pm

### The Nazi's Granddaughter

Silvia Foti of Chicago shares her story of discovering shocking secrets about her grandfather, a famous WWII war hero while researching family history.

Monday, June 13, 7:00-8:00pm  
Pollak Room



### A Field Trip of the Night Sky

Learn what inhabits our night sky, guided by Triton College's Cernan Earth & Space Center. Watch at home on Zoom or join our watch party in the Auditorium.

Wednesday, June 15, 7:00-8:00pm  
Watch at home or in the Auditorium



### Northbrook Writes: Language in Fiction with Joseph Scapellato

Join author Joseph Scapellato for a back-to-the-basics study of language use in fiction; including concepts and practical strategies to apply to your new or existing projects. His fiction has appeared in *Kenyon Review Online*, *Gulf Coast*, *PANK*, and other literary magazines.

Joseph is an assistant professor of English in the Creative Writing Program at Bucknell University.

Wednesday, June 22, 7:00-8:30pm



# ADULT PROGRAMS

**SIGN UP FOR ADULT  
SUMMER READING**

DETAILS  
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## MUSIC LECTURES

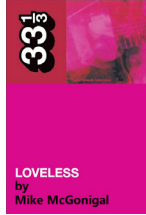
### Appreciating Classical Music

Explore a different topic each month with librarian Madison Vienna. 🗣️

Tuesdays, 7:00-8:30pm

May 3: Interpretation in Music

June 7: Ravel



### 33 1/3: My Bloody Valentine's *Loveless*

Join author Mike McGonigal for a look behind the curtain of this widely influential shoegaze classic.

Wednesday, May 25

7:00-8:00pm 🗣️

### Professor Moptop Presents: Beatles in a Year, Pt. 4: Paul McCartney

Join Beatles expert and author Professor Moptop for videos, songs, and stories about Paul McCartney, a two-time inductee into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, who celebrates his 80th birthday this month! 🗣️

Thursday, June 16, 7:00-8:30pm

## BOOK GROUPS & DISCUSSIONS

### Big Screen Book Club 📺 EDI

Join us for a discussion about books that are adapted for the big screen! This month we'll discuss *The Joy Luck Club* by Amy Tan. 🗣️

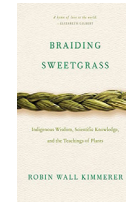
Tuesday, May 31, 7:00-8:00pm



### Evening Book Discussion with Lori Siegel

*The Missing Treasures of Amy Ashton* by Eleanor Ray 🗣️

Tuesday, June 14,  
7:00-8:00pm, Civic Room



### Environmental Book Club

*Braiding Sweetgrass* by Robin Wall Kimmerer 🗣️ 🌱

Tuesday, June 28

10:30-11:30

In partnership with Go Green Northbrook

### Ben Goluboff Book Discussion

Wednesdays, 10:00-11:30am 🗣️

May 11: *A Separation* by Katie Kitamura

June 8: *Vile Bodies* by Evelyn Waugh



### Great Books with Robert Waterbury

Mondays, 10:00-11:30am, Civic Room 🗣️

Selections from *Great Conversations I*

May 16: *The Value of Silence*

by Henri Poincare

June 20: *Thoughts for the Times on War and Death* by Sigmund Freud

### Nancy Buehler Book Discussion

Tuesdays, 10:00-11:30am 🗣️

May 17: *The Plot* by Jean Hanff Korelitz

June 21: *Bewilderment* by Richard Powers



## FILM DISCUSSIONS

### CinemaSpeak

Watch at home and then join us on Zoom for a discussion of Pablo Larrain's *Spencer*. 🗣️

Thursday, June 2, 7:00-8:00pm

2021 | Rated R

Available in our DVD collection.



### Film and Discussion: *The Lighthouse*

Watch at home and then join Aaron from Fiction & Media on Zoom to discuss this psychological thriller starring Willem Dafoe and Robert Pattinson. 🗣️

Monday, June 20, 7:00-8:00pm

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Available to stream on [kanopy](https://www.kanopy.com) with your library card and also in our DVD collection. Learn about streaming movies at [www.northbrook.info/streaming](http://www.northbrook.info/streaming).

## ONGOING ADULT PROGRAMS

Remember to register to get the new program link for May/June programs. Registration not required for Drop-In Genealogy.

### Drop-In Genealogy 🗣️

Wednesdays, May 4 & June 1  
3:00-5:00pm

Reference Department  
(2nd Floor)

### Current Events 🗣️

Thursdays, May 5 & 19;  
June 2 & 16, 10:00-11:30am



### Israeli Discussion Group 🗣️ EDI

Thursdays, May 12 & 26  
June 9 & 23

10:00-11:30am



### Chair Yoga 🗣️

New recordings to watch on-demand each Friday.



# CONCERTS

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## Shawn Holt & the Teardrops

Shawn Holt & the Teardrops is an American blues band, which formed in 2013 following the death of the outfit's former leader, and Shawn Holt's father, Magic Slim.

In 2014, the band won a Blues Music Award for Best New Artist Debut and New Artist Debut Album for *Daddy Told Me*. 🧑

Thursday, May 19, 7:00-8:00pm, Auditorium

## CLASSICAL SUNDAYS

Enjoy an exciting lineup of musical performances each Sunday in the Auditorium. *Cosponsored by the Northbrook Arts Commission.*

### Frank Babbitt: Viola

Frank Babbitt, violist and member of the Lyric Opera Orchestra, will make his library debut. 🧑

Sunday, May 1, 3:00-4:30pm, Auditorium

### Christopher Laughlin: Guitar

Renowned classical guitarist Christopher Laughlin will be accompanied by Sevillana dancers and castanets. 🧑

Sunday, May 8, 3:00-4:30pm, Auditorium

### Gaudete Brass

This quintet has engaged in creatively expanding the brass quintet repertoire, delighting chamber music audiences around the country since 2004. 🧑

Sunday, May 15, 3:00-4:30pm, Auditorium

### Susan Warner & Family

A concert of works featuring clarinet, voice, and piano. Warner is the Acting Co-Principal Clarinetist of the Lyric Opera Orchestra. 🧑

Sunday, May 22, 3:00-4:30pm, Auditorium



## Outdoor Concert: Chicago Baraat

Join us in the parking lot at our Summer Reading Kickoff for this festive Indian baraat band, featuring sousaphone, dhol, trumpet, sax, snare drum, and trombone. In traditional Indian weddings, a baraat band often accompanies the groom's procession to bring music, rhythm, and energy to the celebration. 🧑

Sunday, June 5, 3:00pm, Parking lot (Drop-in, registration not required)



## Kabir Dalawari Quartet

Chicago drummer and composer Kabir Dalawari fronts a talent-packed quartet with altoist Kyle Brooks, pianist Eric Arroyo, and bassist Matt Ulery for a set of original pieces brimming with rhythmic animation, and melodic richness. 🧑

Thursday, June 23, 7:00-8:00pm, Auditorium

# JAZZ

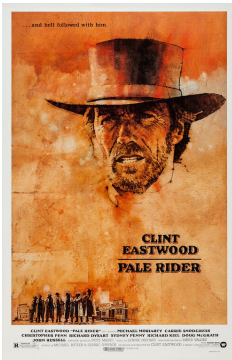


# MOVIES

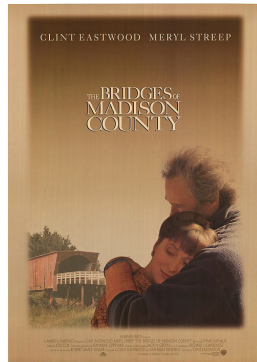
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## May Clint Eastwood

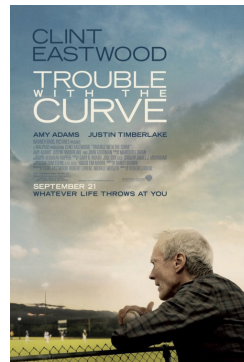
Presented in the Auditorium on Wednesdays at 2:00pm & 7:00pm



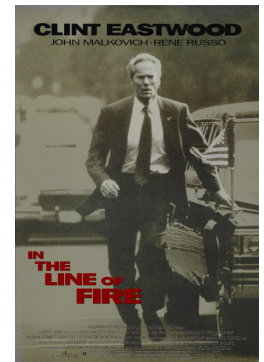
**May 4**  
**Pale Rider**   
1985 (115 minutes)  
Rated R



**May 11**  
**The Bridges of Madison County**   
1995 (135 minutes)  
Rated PG-13



**May 18**  
**Trouble with the Curve**   
2012 (111 minutes)  
Rated PG-13



**May 25**  
**In the Line of Fire**   
1993 (128 minutes)  
Rated R

## SATURDAY FIRST-RUN FILMS

Presented in the Auditorium on the second Saturday of each month at 2:00pm.



**May 14**  
**C'mon C'mon**   
2021 (109 minutes)  
Rated R



**June 11**  
**Belfast**   
2021 (98 minutes)  
Rated PG-13

## SATURDAY FAMILY FILMS

Presented in the Auditorium on the fourth Saturday of each month at 2:00pm.



**May 28**  
**The Mitchells vs. the Machines**   
2021 (113 minutes)  
Rated PG



**June 25**  
**Sing 2**   
2021 (110 minutes)  
Rated PG



**Pride**   
Based on the true story of a group of LGBTQ+ activists who formed an unlikely alliance with striking miners in 1984 Wales, this joyous crowd-pleaser stars Bill Nighy, Imelda Staunton, and Dominic West.   
2014 (119 minutes)  
Rated PG-13  
Wednesday, June 8, 7:00-9:00pm, Auditorium



# TECH FOR EVERYONE

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## Google Docs

Create, share, and collaborate on Google documents. 🧑

[Wednesdays, Interactive Classroom](#)

May 4: 4:00-5:00pm

June 22: 7:00-8:00pm

## Incognito Mode

Learn about helpful settings and features to protect your privacy on computers and mobile devices. 🧑

[Wednesdays, Interactive Classroom](#)

May 18: 4:00-5:00pm

June 29: 7:00-8:00pm



*Excel class held in the Interactive Classroom*

## MICROSOFT OFFICE

### Excel Basics

Create and modify spreadsheets, format cells, and add borders. 🧑

[Thursday, May 5, 6:30-8:00pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Excel Formatting

Format data and cells to make clear spreadsheets for displaying data. 🧑

[Thursday, May 19, 6:30-8:00pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Excel Formulas & Functions

Use Excel formulas and functions, apply absolute references, and explore conditional formatting. 🧑

[Thursday, May 26, 6:30-8:00pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Word Basics

Create, save, open, and print text-based documents. 🧑

[Wednesday, June 1, 7:00-8:30pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Excel Pivot Tables

Reorganize and summarize columns and rows of data in a spreadsheet to obtain a desired report. 🧑

[Monday, June 6, 6:30-8:00pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### PowerPoint Crash Course

Explore transitions, animations, graphics, and media to create beautiful slideshow presentations with PowerPoint. 🧑

[Tuesday, June 7, 7:00-8:30pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Word Formatting

Format text, apply bullets or numbers, and adjust spacing within your Word documents. 🧑

[Wednesday, June 8, 7:00-8:30pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Excel VLookups

Use the VLookup function to compare two lists. 🧑

[Monday, June 13, 6:30-8:00pm](#)

[Interactive Classroom](#)

### Excel Charts & Graphs

Add visual interest and tell data stories by displaying numbers and data sets in chart or graph format. 🧑

[Monday, June 20, 6:30-8:00pm](#)

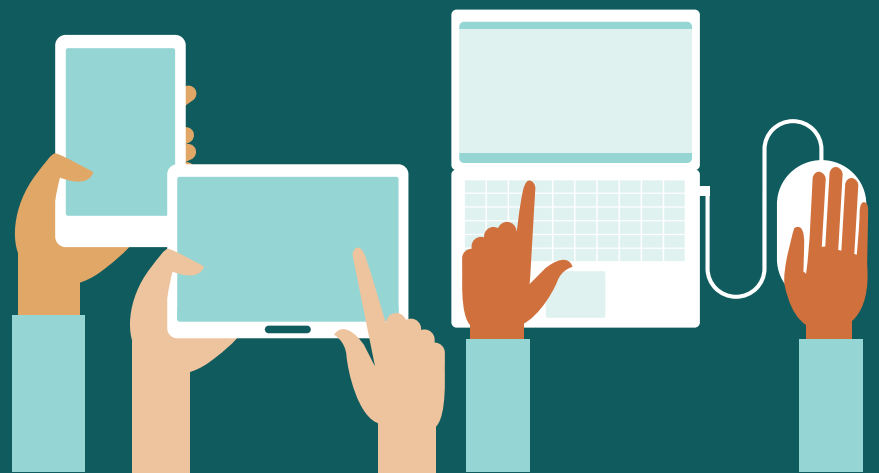
[Interactive Classroom](#)

## Tech Tuesdays

Drop by with your technology questions every Tuesday from 3:00-5:00pm. Remember to bring your device and any passwords you will need. Registration is not required for this drop-in program. 🧑

[Tuesdays, 3:00-5:00pm](#)

[Reference Department \(2nd Floor\)](#)





# MAKER PROGRAMS

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Starting in June, you will no longer need an appointment to use the Collaboratory. For the latest information, please visit [www.northbrook.info/collaboratory](http://www.northbrook.info/collaboratory) or call 847-272-2098.

## TEEN/ADULT MAKER (AGE 13-ADULT)

Limit one registration per card, per class. To accommodate demand, we may limit the number of times you may repeat a popular program. All materials provided unless noted otherwise.

### Hand-Sewn Springtime Bunnies **CR**

Learn to hand sew and stuff a felt bunny.

Tuesday, May 3, 6:00-7:00pm  
Interactive Classroom

### DIY Rope Coasters **CR**

Use macrame techniques to make a set of coasters.

Tuesday, May 10, 6:30-7:45pm  
Interactive Classroom

### Before You Call a Repair Pro

Dan Findley, professional handyman and licensed building engineer, explains the most common fixes and preventative maintenance you can do yourself with a small home tool kit.

Wednesday, May 11, 6:00-7:30pm  
Pollak Room

### Digitizing 16mm, 8mm & Super 8 Film

Watch a demonstration of how to digitize film using the Collaboratory's new Retroscan Universal MkII.

Thursday, May 12, 6:00-7:00pm

### Glass Fusion: Jewelry **CR**

Create fused glass jewelry.

Thursday, May 12, 6:00-8:00pm or  
Tuesday, May 17, 10:30am-12:30pm  
Interactive Classroom

### Sewing Machine Basics **CR**

Learn sewing machine basics in this hands-on class. Sewing machines provided; do not bring your own.

Saturday, May 14 or Tuesday, May 24  
10:30am-12:00pm  
Interactive Classroom

### Intermediate TinkerCAD

Learn best measuring practices when creating 3D objects in TinkerCAD.

Tuesday, May 24, 6:00-7:30pm

### Glass Fusion: Suncatcher **CR**

Materials will be provided for registered attendees to work on the project at home and then bring back to the library to be fused.

Tuesday, June 14, 6:00-7:30pm



## YOUTH MAKER

All materials provided unless noted otherwise.

### Stop Motion Workshop (Grades 5-8)

Learn about this unique moviemaking medium, then create a short story and watch it come to life.

Tuesday, May 17, 4:30-6:00pm, Interactive Classroom

## Looking for more projects?

Stream expert-led arts & craft classes, download patterns, templates, and recipes, and more! Grab your library card and get started at [creativebug.com/lib/northbrook](http://creativebug.com/lib/northbrook)

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## Summer High School Volunteers Wanted

### Are you interested in volunteering with the library this summer?

For assignment details and dates, download our information and application packet starting Monday, May 2 at [www.northbrook.info/summer-volunteer](http://www.northbrook.info/summer-volunteer).

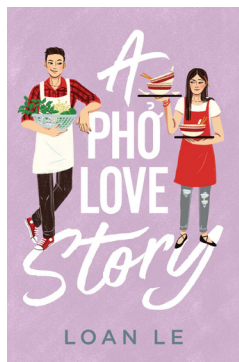
- To volunteer, you must be attending high school in the fall of 2022
- Download an application and information packet starting Monday, May 2
- **Applications due Sunday, May 22**



### Teen Advisory Board (Grades 6-12)

It's the last Teen Advisory Board meeting of the school year. Help us get ready for summer reading, earn service hours, and celebrate all our hard work. 🧑

Tuesday, May 10, 5:00-6:00pm, Pollak Room



### Books & Bites: A Pho Love Story Book Discussion (Grades 6-12) EDI

Join us to discuss *A Pho Love Story* by Loan Le. The first 8 registered teens will receive a free copy of the book, and all attendees will receive a bag of snacks to enjoy at home.

Recommended for grades 8 and up. 🧑

Friday, May 20, 5:00-6:00pm  
Civic Room



### Teen Jackbox Games (Grades 6-12)

Come play Jackbox Games at the library! Bring a smartphone or use one of the library's devices to partake in these hilarious and competitive video games. 🧑

Friday, June 24, 3:00-4:30pm | YS Activity Room

WHERE COMMUNITY HAPPENS

[www.northbrook.info](http://www.northbrook.info)

## DO YOU NEED A LIBRARY CARD?

- Everyone living in incorporated Northbrook is eligible to receive a library card.
- If your card has expired, bring your ID and proof of your current address to the library and we'll renew your card for three more years.
- We can also email you a temporary card that allows you to access our digital resources for up to a month.
- Stop by the Welcome desk or visit [www.northbrook.info/get-a-card](http://www.northbrook.info/get-a-card) to get started.

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## SPECIAL EVENTS



Scan with your phone's camera to see a map.

### Early Learners Nature Exploration (Ages 2-5 w/ Caregiver)

Young children, with a caregiver, will immerse themselves in nature while journeying off the beaten path to enjoy the great outdoors. In Partnership with Forest Preserves of Cook County. **Please note:** The paths to the picnic grove are crushed stone but will accommodate strollers. 👤

Friday, June 10, 1:00-2:00pm

Allison Woods Picnic Grove

Milwaukee Ave. & Winkleman Rd.

[www.fpdcc.com/allison-woods](http://www.fpdcc.com/allison-woods)

### Traveling World of Reptiles (Families)

Join us for this up-close and extremely interactive experience about reptiles and amphibians from around the world. This totally original experience is every bit as entertaining as it is educational. 👤

Saturday, June 18, 10:30-11:30am or  
1:00-2:00pm, Pollak Room



## FAMILY FILMS



### **The Mitchells vs. the Machines** 👤

2021 (113 minutes)

Rated PG

Saturday, May 28, 2:00pm

Auditorium



### **Sing 2** 👤

2021 (110 minutes)

Rated PG

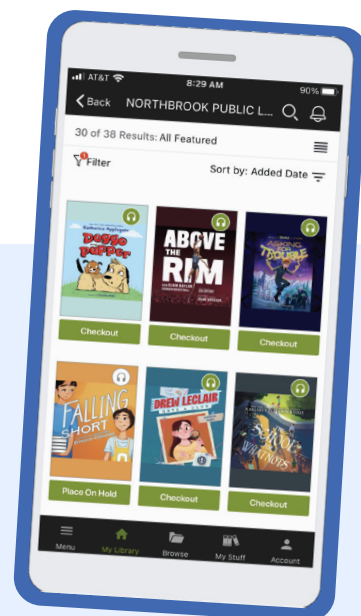
Saturday, June 25, 2:00pm

Auditorium

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# SUMMER READING

## READ BEYOND THE BEATEN PATH

# YOUTH PROGRAMS

**ADA Requests:** We welcome patrons of all abilities. To request an accommodation, including captioning or American Sign Language services, please indicate the accommodation when you register online or call 847-272-6224 at least 72 hours before the event.

## SCHOOL-AGE PROGRAMS



### Y-Art: May Balloons (Grades K & Up)

Start your Saturday with art! Brought to you by the NSYMCA Art Academy. Check our online calendar for supplies needed for each month's craft. You only need to register once per family. 🗣️  
Saturday, May 14, 10:00-11:00am

### Stop Motion Workshop (Grades 5-8)

Learn about the unique moviemaking medium of stop motion animation, then create a short story and watch it come to life. 🧑🏻‍🎨  
Tuesday, May 17, 4:30-6:00pm, Interactive Classroom

### Andertoons Drawing Workshops (Grades K-6)

Join us for these fun and creative drawing workshops led by professional cartoonist Mark Anderson. 🗣️  
Tuesdays, 4:00-5:00pm

#### May 17: Cartoon Constellations

We'll draw our own new constellations and then embellish them cartoon style!

#### June 14: Hilarious Hiking

We might draw wildlife! Weird plants! Quicksand! Bigfoot! Squirrels!



### MAKE: Off the Beaten Path (All Ages, Drop-In)

Calling all creators, artists, builders, and out-of-the-box thinkers—it's time to make! We'll feature a different theme each week. Stop by and let's see what you can create! 🧑🏻‍🎨  
Tuesdays, June 21 & 28, 2:30-4:00pm, YS Activity Room

### Create Club: Junk Lanterns (Grades 4-8)

Learn to make a lantern using old items from your garbage or recycling bin. 🧑🏻‍🎨  
Thursday, June 30, 3:00-4:00pm, YS Activity Room



## EXPLORE ILLINOIS WITH YOUR LIBRARY CARD!

Get special offers and discounts at participating cultural institutions across the state with your library card using Explore More Illinois and the Museum Adventure Pass.

Some of the many places you can explore include the Brookfield Zoo, Cantigny Park, the Chicago Botanic Garden, the Geneva Lake Museum, the Mitchell Museum of the American Indian, the Illinois Railway Museum, and more.

Start your adventure at [www.northbrook.info/go-illinois](http://www.northbrook.info/go-illinois).



## YOUTH PROGRAMS

ADVANCE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL PROGRAMS. Register at [www.northbrook.info/events](http://www.northbrook.info/events). If you have a question about registering for a program, please call 847-272-6224 or email [feedback@northbrook.info](mailto:feedback@northbrook.info).

### STORYTIMES & EARLY CHILDHOOD

#### Korean Language Storytime (All Ages) **EDI**

Learn and practice speaking Korean with stories, songs, and rhymes. This bilingual program is for both Korean speakers and kids who are interested in the language and culture. 🗣️

Fridays May 20 & June 10, 4:30-5:00pm

#### Hop Along Yogi Kids Yoga

Sing, dance, and strike-a-yoga pose in this fun and interactive kids yoga workout designed to build inner and outer strength. This class is geared toward families with kids ages 3-7 but all are welcome to join in the fun! 🧘‍♀️

Friday, May 27, 10:00-10:30am

#### Spanish Language Storytime (All Ages) **EDI**

Explore the Spanish language with songs, stories, rhymes, and movement. Bilingual storytime is designed to provide English speakers with a brain-building dose of Spanish. Registration is not required for this drop-in program. 🗣️

June 6, 10:00-10:30am, Story Corner

#### Storytime at the Library (All Ages)

Join us in person for stories, songs, and more! This live event requires advance registration. We'll feature a new storytime theme each week that will be repeated for both sessions. *Please sign up for only ONE session per week.* 🗣️

Tuesdays, June 14 - July 12

10:00 am or 10:40am, Pollak Room

#### Stories in the Garden (All Ages w/ Caregiver) (Drop-In)

Join us for an outdoor storytime. Clap, bounce, and stomp along to stories and songs. Bring a blanket to sit on. Registration is not required for this drop-in storytime. 🗣️

Thursdays, June 16 & 30, 10:00-10:30am

Northbrook Community Gardens (Located behind Village Hall)

#### Storytime in the Park (All Ages w/ Caregiver) (Drop-In)

Join us in the park for fun stories, rhymes, and songs. Bring a blanket to sit on. Registration is not required for this drop-in storytime. 🗣️

Friday, June 17, 10:00-10:30am

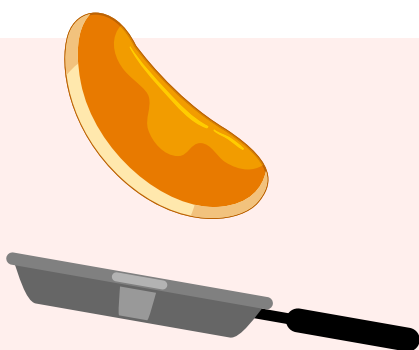
North Suburban YMCA, 2705 Techny Rd. (Near the Little Free Library)

#### Make a different early learner craft each month!

Visit Youth Services to grab a bag with everything you need to make a fun craft with your little one, while supplies last.



Register each Tuesday at 10:00am from June 14 - July 19 to receive a link to watch a video from our Storytime archive. ▶️



### Early Literacy Tip

Singing songs about the order in which things take place helps your child develop the mathematical concept of sequencing. Mime the actions with your child while you read the rhyme below.

Mix a pancake, stir a pancake

Pop it in the pan.

Fry a pancake, toss a pancake

Catch it if you can!

Mime stirring a bowl of batter

Hold pan in one hand and pour batter with the other

Flip pancake into the air

Catch pancake back in the pan

# Read Beyond the Beaten Path: Visit our Little Free Libraries

The seven Little Free Libraries we support are maintained by a library volunteer and stocked with books donated by the Friends of the Library. To read more about each Little Free Library, visit [www.northbrook.info/little-free-library](http://www.northbrook.info/little-free-library).



**1** Wood Oaks Green Park  
1150 Sanders Rd  
(near the playground)



**2** West Park  
1730 Pfingsten Rd  
(Behind the Northbrook Sports Center)



**3** North Suburban YMCA  
2705 Techy Rd



**4** Village Hall\*  
1225 Cedar Lane



**5** Northbrook Fire Station #12\*  
1840 Shermer Rd

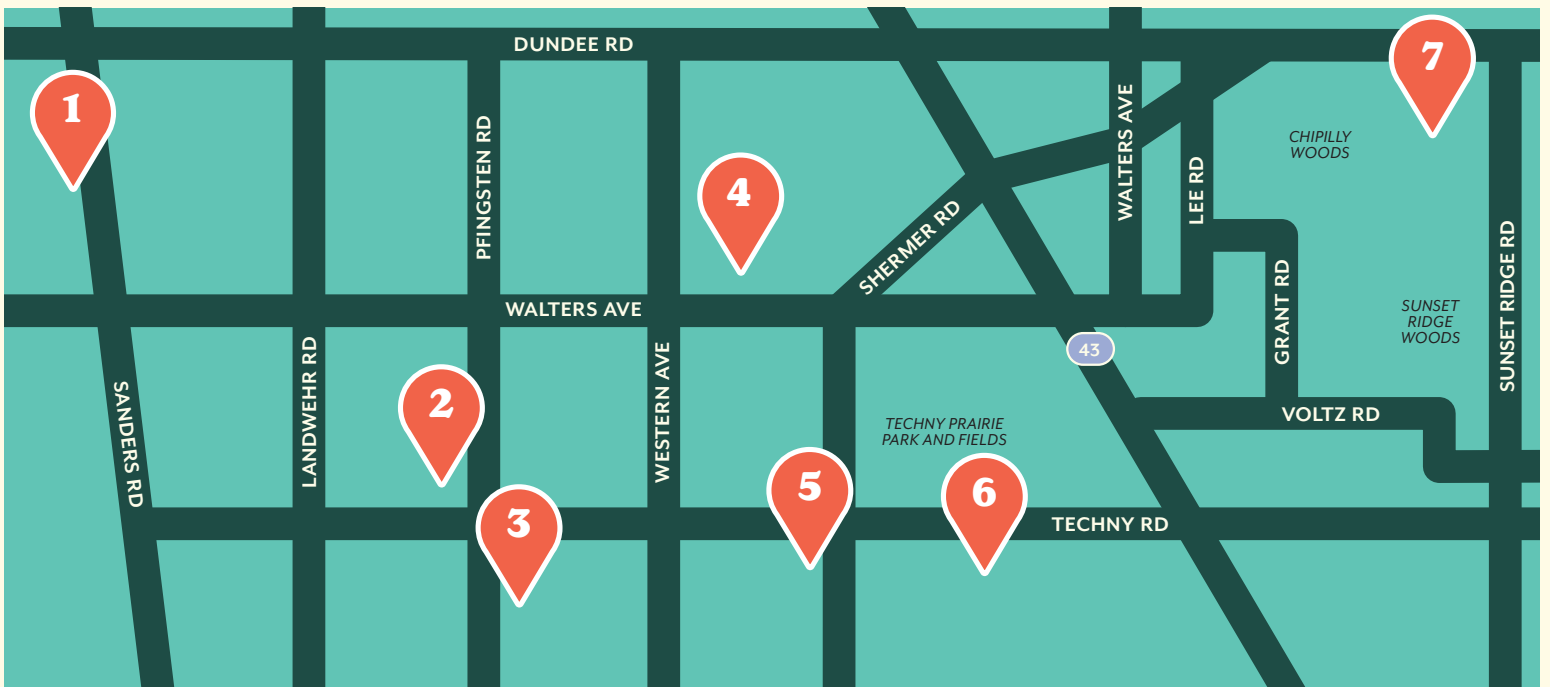


**6** Techy Prairie Park  
1750 Techy Rd

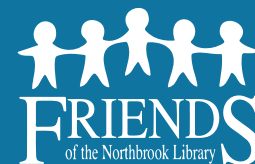


**7** Englehardt Park\*  
900 Midway Rd

\* Funds donated by the Wadler family, in honor of Karen Wadler, an educator, librarian, and resident of the North Shore community



# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY



## From the Board President

Think back to those cold winter months. Did you or someone in your family enjoy a book discussion, chair yoga, current events, Israeli discussion group, or the high school finals care packages? Did you use the lift to access our auditorium or gaze at the fish in the Youth Services fish tank? These are examples of programs and services sponsored by the Friends of the Library. When you become a Friend at [www.northbrook.info/friends](http://www.northbrook.info/friends), your member dues go directly into the services and programs that make our library special.

Another way to support the library is to buy books at the Friends' Bookshop. All the sales are transformed into films, guest speakers, and other programs. Thinking of "going green" or Reduce/Reuse/Recycle? Buy your mom the latest from her favorite author for Mother's Day, and get your dad a grilling cookbook for Father's Day. There's a book for every birthday and graduation gift. You're keeping books in circulation and out of the landfill. You can visit the Bookshop whenever the library is open, and if a volunteer is not available, just insert your payment into our locked donation box.

Did we say "volunteer?" Yes! If you're a book lover with a few extra hours each month, we'd love to see you in our Bookshop! You'll help patrons find the titles they seek, help keep the shelves stocked and neat, and help process the many generous donations of books we receive each week.

Book donations are always accepted in the west vestibule of the library. Fiction, nonfiction and children's books are greatly appreciated. If you enjoyed reading it, someone else will, too! (We don't accept reference books, textbooks, user manuals, or media.)

Sincerely,  
Merrill Medansky

If you are a steward of a Little Free Library in Northbrook, the Friends would like to give you ten free adult paperback books! Email a photo of your Little Free Library and your name, address and phone number to [friends@northbrook.info](mailto:friends@northbrook.info).

## New & Returning Members *as of March 5, 2022*

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**INDIVIDUAL (\$10)** Debbie DePalma, Yaseen Fawzi, Ronni Graf, Michele Herbin, Jeanie Mendel, Kristine Reis, Bonnie Stephens

### Bookshop Hours

Mon-Thurs: 9am-9pm  
Fri: 9am-6pm, Sat: 9am-5pm  
Sun: 1-5pm

### Friends Board Members

Julie Achler-Hokin, Randee Blair  
Claire Bonnema, Evelyn Delmar  
Ktrina Elliott, Connie Galliard  
Sandra Kaminsky, Kathy Kather  
Colleen Keaveny, Merrill Medansky  
Margot Molay, Mary Reynolds  
Debby Rohde, John Schuman  
Tony Senegore, Bryan Smith  
Meha Smith, Beth Wolf

### Next Board Meeting

Tuesday, May 10, 10am  
Civic Room

All members are welcome to attend the meeting

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# THANK YOU

## Library Donations

- Bruce & Laurie Klapman

## Book a Brick

- Go Green Northbrook
- Northbrook Garden Club
- In honor of the Morgan Family, Love Tutu
- In honor of Colleen Keaveny from the Friends of the Northbrook Public Library
- In loving memory of Rina M. Hansen
- Sam Folkman really loved this Library from Steven and Janice Hefter
- In memory of Cesar Miguel Pichardo from the Neal Family

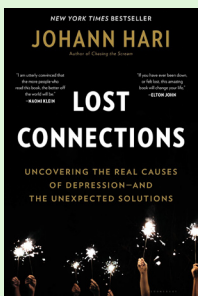
# ART EXHIBITS

In partnership with the Northbrook Arts Commission, we are proud to host the Northbrook Originals exhibit in May and the Artists in Residence exhibit in June.

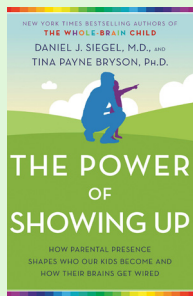


# Reading Recommendations

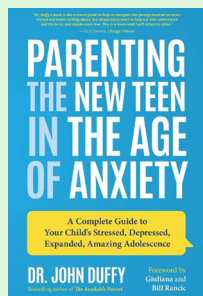
Recommended by members of Northbrook's CATCH (Community Action for Children's Health) organization for supporting the emotional health of children. For additional recommendations, visit [www.catchiscommunity.org](http://www.catchiscommunity.org).



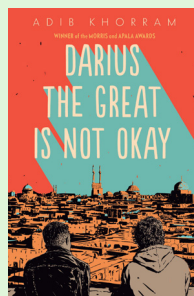
*Lost Connections*  
Johann Hari  
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*The Power of Showing Up*  
Daniel J. Siegel  
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*Parenting the New Teen in the Age of Anxiety*  
John Duffy  
649.105 DUF



*Darius the Great is Not Okay*  
Adib Khorram  
YA FICTION  
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*It's Okay to Be Different*  
Todd Parr  
PICTURE BOOK  
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*Me and My Fear*  
Francesca Sanna  
PICTURE BOOK  
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