

Elmhurst Public Library



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New library construction begins!



The Library Board of Trustees joins Mayor Marcucci at the May 10 Groundbreaking Ceremony. (pictured from left) Mike Silverstein, James Wall, Susan Sadowski, John Carroll, Mayor Marcucci, David Dyer, Margaret Los, Wallace Hastings, Frank Vanek (Trustee Philip Hupfer is not pictured.)



Library construction is on time and on budget. Here footings are placed along the south side. For the latest construction pictures, visit www.elmhurstpubliclibrary.org.

Enjoy stories, music in the park!

Stories in the Park

Thursday, August 1 - 6 p.m. - Wilder Park

Families, bring chairs, blankets and your picnic suppers to Wilder Park for some delightful storytelling and great music at Stories in the Park, our annual storytelling festival!

Storyteller Marie Ringenberg is back for her 17th straight year with entertaining stories for all ages! Joining her will be our very own librarians Sharon Karpriel and Judy Ekblad and more!

If it rains, we'll move the festivities into the Young People's Room in the library. No registration is required.



Is it the sun that's making you squint as you relax with a good summer read? Or is it the print that seems to get smaller every year?

Read easier with a book from our large print collection. We have current best sellers that will erase those frown lines and put a smile on every reader's face.



Teen Rock Concert

Friday, August 9 - 7 p.m. - Wilder Park

Help us end our first Teen Summer Reading Club at a FREE rock concert featuring local teen bands! We will hold the Teen Reading Club Raffle at the concert.


Everyone is invited!

Programs for Children

 Young Adult
Puppetry
Workshop
Mon., July 1-July 15
2-3:30 p.m.

**Ages: Kids entering
Grs. 6-12**

Please plan to attend all 3 sessions. This workshop is required to join the library's puppetry troupe, "Puppets on the Wilder Side." Register now by phone or at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card*.

 Puppet Fun
Mon., July 22
10-10:30 a.m.

OR 1-1:30 p.m.

Ages: 3-5

Learn to make puppets and use them, too. Pick up tickets at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 13.

 Puppets Come
to Life

Tues., July 23

10-10:45 a.m.

OR 1-1:45 p.m.

**Ages: Kids entering
Grs. 1 & 2**

Create and manipulate puppets. Bring a joke for your puppet to share with us. Pick up tickets at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 13.


 Putting on a
Puppet Show

Thurs., July 25

10-11 a.m.

**Ages: Kids entering
Grs. 3-5**

Learn the art of puppet making, manipulation and behind-the-stage techniques. Pick up tickets at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 13.

 Lucky's Family
Storytime
Every Saturday
10:30-11 a.m.

All ages

Enjoy stories and musical activities with Lucky, our Labrador puppet. No registration required.


 Marilyn Price
Puppets:
"Down to
Earth"

Sat., July 20

10:30-11:15 a.m.

Ages: 3-10


See a puppet show highlighting geology by Marilyn Price, a nationally acclaimed puppeteer. Expect a lot of audience participation. Pick up tickets at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 6.

 Dinosaur Day
Sat., July 27

10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Ages: 3-8

Come to a carnival of dinosaur delights full of "dino-rific" games, prizes, crafts, stories & treats. Storytimes will be held at 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. No registration is required.

 Tuesday
Drop-In Stories


Tuesdays,

July 30-August 20

10-10:30 a.m.

Ages: 3-7

Join us for a potpourri of stories and musical activities. No registration is required.

 Harry Potter's
Birthday
Celebration!

Wed., July 31

11-12 p.m.

OR 2-3 p.m.

**Ages: Kids entering
Grades 3-6**

Enjoy games and treats as we celebrate Harry Potter's birthday. Register by phone or at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 20.

 Summertime
Bingo

Thursdays,

August 1-August 22

10-10:45 a.m.

**Ages: Kids entering
Gr. 2 & up**

Come to the library for a rousing game of bingo and win small prizes. Pick up tickets at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 20.

 Dave DiNaso's
Traveling
World of
Reptiles

Sat., August 17

11a.m.-12:15p.m.

Ages: 4 & up

Feel an iguana, see an alligator and touch a python. Dave DiNaso's show is an up-close, hands-on educational experience about reptiles and amphibians. Under Dave's close supervision, you may touch and feed many of the animals. Pick up tickets at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., Aug. 3.

CLUB FUN

For kids entering Grades 3-8

(PLEASE REGISTER FOR EACH PROGRAM SEPARATELY.)

Mono-Print
Magic

Friday, July 5

1-2 p.m. OR 3-4 p.m.

Learn printmaking. PLEASE WEAR OLD CLOTHES. Registration by phone or at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* began Sat., June 22.

Science
Sensations

Friday, July 19

1-2 p.m. OR 3-4 p.m.

Calling all mini-scientists! We'll stir up "goopy gunk," make butter, rainbow toast and another science surprise. This is a rerun of our March science workshop. Register by phone or at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* starting Sat., July 6.

Juggling
Workshop

Friday, July 12


1-2 p.m. OR

2:30-3:30 p.m.

Learn to juggle with Mike Vondruska of the Illinois Juggling Institute. Registration by phone or at the "Ask Me" Desk *with your library card* began Sat., June 22.



Programs for Adults

 Online Library
Catalog
Training

Mon., Aug. 5

1:30-3 p.m.

Learn how to use the online version of the library's catalog with a lecture-style introduction and "hands-on" practice, too. Please call 630-279-8696 to register.

 Lyric Opera
Lecture
Season Preview

Sun., Aug. 25

2:30 p.m.

Berens Room




Join us as we begin our Lyric Opera Lecture Series with a special preview lecture covering all of this seasons operas. No registration is required.

Win free Ravinia lawn passes!



Enter the library's "Ravinia Raffle" and win free Ravinia Festival lawn passes for musical performances in July and August. Stop by the library's Information Desk in the lobby to pick up a raffle sheet, the list of available performances, drawing dates and a complete list of rules. This "Words & Music" program is offered through the Suburban Library System.

How to sign up for FREE programs:

-  No registration required
-  Phone (279-8696) or in-person registration
-  Ticket pick-up at the "Ask Me" Desk

Sponsored by the "Friends":

Get the most from your health plan

Wed., July 24 @ 7:30 p.m.

Learn how to take the hassle out of your health care experiences!

Health benefits expert Jean Galovich will talk about selecting the right health care plan to fit your needs, how to be an active participant in your care and how to ensure your bills and payments are correct. She will discuss what Medicare does and doesn't cover. There will be time for questions also.

If you are planning, undergoing or following up on an insurance or treatment encounter, this is the program for you!

Please register by calling 630-279-8696. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Elmhurst Public Library and is open to all Elmhurst residents. Refreshments will be served after the program.

Coming Attractions

Reserve one of these titles or pick up a "Hot Copy." To place a reserve, call 630-279-8696, stop by the Information Desk or request the book directly from the online catalog.

Fiction

- Tom Clancy *Red Rabbit*
- Barbara Delinsky *An Accidental Woman*
- Joy Fielding *Whispers and Lies*
- Fannie Flagg *Standing in the Rainbow*
- J.A. Jance *Partner in Crime*
- Faye Kellerman *Stone Kiss*
- Tim LaHaye & *The Remnant: On the*
Jerry B. Jenkins *Brink of Armageddon*
- Perri O'Shaughnessy *Unfit to Practice*
- Belva Plain *Her Father's House*
- Elie Wiesel *The Judges*

Nonfiction

- Jay Mulvaney *Diana and Jackie: Maidens, Mothers, Myths*
- Denise Gess & *Firestorm at Peshtigo:*
William Lutz *A Town, Its People, and the Deadliest Fire in American History*

READING ROCKS!

Summer Reading Sponsors— You rock our world!

Thank you to **all** our Summer Reading Sponsors for your contributions to this year's "Reading Rocks" Summer Reading Program!

- Friends of the Elmhurst Public Library
- Kiwanis Club of Elmhurst
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- That Italian Deli
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- Uncle Andy's Restaurant & Pancake Shoppe
- West Suburban Office Products, Inc.
- York Theatre

There's still time to join the club!



Over 1,600 kids signed up in the first 4 days of Summer Reading!

Read & win prizes! Join the thousands of Elmhurst readers who have signed up for a Summer Reading Club!

Children (ages 2-middle school) can join through July 31. Teens (entering grades 9-12) can join through Aug. 9, and adults can join through Aug. 17.

Memorials & Gifts

The following books & CDs were dedicated with money donated to the Elmhurst Public Library in memoriam or as a gift in April and May 2002.

Memorials

- **Kentucky** by J. Archambeault (photographer) / **Gardens of Kentucky** by D. Dry (photographer) / **Kentucky III** by J. Archambeault (photographer). In memory of Virginia Lee Metoyer, mother of Duard Mosley, from Duard's friends at the Supervisor of Assessments & Board of Review Offices.
- **How I Play Golf** by T. Woods / **Golf Magazine's Top 100 Courses You Can Play** by B. McCallen. In memory of Joseph Schumacher from his friends at International Contractors.
- **The Handybook for Genealogists** published by The Everton Publishers, Inc. In memory of Mary C. Putsey from the Martha Ibbetson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.
- **LIFE: Our Century in Pictures** ed. by R. Stolley. In memory of Alice Fannon from Bill and Diane Smith.

- **Le Sacre du Printemps** CD by Stravinsky / **Pictures at an Exhibition** CD by Mussorgsky. In memory of Don Potter, "a good citizen and neighbor," from Frank and Charlotte Mushow.
- **The American Soul** by J. Needleman. In memory of John Buchalo, "a good citizen and neighbor," from Frank and Charlotte Mushow.
- Monetary donation given in memory of James "Scotty" Boyle from Ken Gauss.

Gifts

- **Beating Cancer with Nutrition** by P. Quillin. In honor of Patricia A. Johnson, "a great mom," for Mother's Day 2002 from Gary and Kathryn, Alex, Carter and Maddie Johnson.
- **With Wakened Hands: Furniture** by J. Krenov. In honor of John Carroll on receiving the Elmhurst Jaycees Distinguished Service Award 2002 from Lenice Colangelo.

- **Raising Musical Kids** by R. Cutietta. In honor of Phyllis Carroll on receiving the Elmhurst Jaycees Distinguished Service Award 2002 from Clarice Colangelo.
- **A Thousand Country Roads** by R. Waller. Purchased with money donated by Rita M. Connor.
- **Good Night, Baby Bear** by F. Asch. In honor of Elena Meyer on her birth from the Elmhurst Junior Woman's Club.
- **In My World** by L. Ehler. In honor of Daniel Weiler on his birth from the Elmhurst Junior Woman's Club.
- **My Friend Rabbit** by E. Rohmann. In honor of Sydney Krueger on her birth from the Elmhurst Junior Woman's Club.
- **Stone Soup** by H. Forest / **McDuff Saves the Day** by R. Wells / **Tanya and the Red Shoes** by P. Gauch. In honor of Mrs. Helen Krajewski and Mrs. Judy O'Sullivan from the Visitation 2001-2002 P.M. Kindergarten Class.

- **Charlie and the Chocolate Factory** by R. Dahl / **Charlie and the Great Glass Elevator** by R. Dahl / **The Arm of the Starfish** by M. L'Engle / **The Magic School Bus Goes Upstream** by N. Krulik / **Animal Lives: The Frog** by B. Kitchen / **It's a Frog's Life** by S. Parker / **Reptile Rescue** by P. Thomas / **What is a Reptile?** by B. Kalman. In honor of all the family and friends of Sunni Grace who supported her in her 2001 Reindeer Food Project.
- **Big Dogs Little Dogs** by GT Publishing / **The Difficulty of Being a Dog** by R. Grenier / **The New Encyclopedia of the Dog** by B. Fogle / **The Stuff of Dreams** by L. Cohen / **Changing Stages** by R. Eyre and N. Wright / **The New York Times Book Of Broadway** ed. by B. Brantley. In honor of Marie Starsiak on her retirement from the Willowbrook High School's English Department.

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M-F: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Sat.: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sun.: 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Library Board Meetings:
7:30 p.m., 3rd Tues. of each month, Berens Room

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Library Closings

The library will be closed on

Thursday, July 4 and

Friday, August 23 for Staff Institute Day.