Books & Bytes

September-November 2018 • Cary Area Public Library











that maybe you didn't know we offered!





- **1** Free wifi & public computers High-speed internet access for your device or ours.
- 2 Study & conference rooms
 Quiet place to study or meet with small groups.
- **3** Drive-up returns & window Return materials 24/7; conveniently pick up your holds during business hours at the window on the east side of the building.
- **4** Passport acceptance facility NEW Apply for a new passport for you and your family.
- **5** Library app Access the catalog, your account and more on the go.
- **6** Book an Expert One-on-one help with a staff member for your device or one of our resources.

- **7** Museum Adventure Pass Deals for your next adventure.
- 8 InterLibrary Loan
 If we don't have a title, we'll do our best to get it from a library that does.
- **9** Voter registration It's your right. Use it.
- **10** Homebound Delivery We'll bring the Library to you.
- **11** Copy, Fax, Scan, WebPrint Office amenities.
- **12** Exam proctoring We'll monitor your next test.

Find out more about all of these services and more on our website under the Services tab or stop in and talk to Service Center staff during your next visit | www.caryarealibrary.info

Note that the sale is the third weekend in October! Find bargains on books and AV for all ages at the Friends of the Cary Area Library Fall Used Book Sale. Sunday's bag sale is \$5 per supplied bag. Teachers who bring ID will receive half-off their purchases.

Fall Used Book Sale Saturday, October 20, 9 am-5 pm Sunday, October 21, 1-5 pm



DISCUSSION GROUPS ▼



HISTORY LESSONS ▼

FOR FUN ▼

YOUR HEAL

3-Part Series: J B SEARCH Like a pro!

1 Tuesday, September 4, 7-8 pm

RESUMES: Erica Reckamp from CGC, TopResume, and Monster.com will discuss current research and resume trends. Learn how to present your work history in the best light, whether submitting to a hiring executive or an ATS. One-on-one resume reviews will be available before and after the presentation starting at 6:30 pm.

2 Tuesday, September 11, 7-8 pm

LETTERS & LINKEDIN: Erica Reckamp returns to discuss how a well-written letter can set you apart. Learn how to write a cover, follow-up, and thank you letter, plus update or start LinkedIn. One-on-one document reviews will be available before and after the program starting at 6:30 pm.

7-8:45 pm

LINKEDIN PROFESSIONAL PHOTO: Have your LinkedIn photo taken by Chris Miranda of Miranda Photography. Sign up for one time slot between 7-8:45 pm. \$10 fee; no refunds.

3 Tuesday, September 18, 7-8 pm

HR PANEL: Human Resource professionals from local businesses will provide guidance and insights for your job search. Bring your questions as well as the content you have created throughout the series. Erica Reckamp continues one-on-one document reviews before and after the presentation starting at 6:30 pm for participants of the presentations on September 4 and 11.

YOUR HEALTH ▼

PAIN: WHAT IS IT GOOD FOR?

Wednesday, September 5, 7-8 pm Physical therapist, Dr. Adam Fritsch, will discuss what pain is and the many factors that can contribute to it as well as some common myths.

DEPRESSION TREATMENT & SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT

Wednesday, September 19, 7-8 pm Dr. Vilija Ball, Psy.D. will discuss effective treatments, ways to build resilience, when to seek help, basic goals to manage depression and stress management tips. *This presentation is for educational purposes only and not to replace consultations and treatment plans with health care professionals.

HEARING WELLNESS

GENFALOGY ▼

Thursday, September 20, 7-8:30 pm Victoria Western from Hearing On Call will discuss types of hearing loss, how to understand hearing test results and communication strategies for those with hearing loss. Free hearing screenings will be provided after the presentation.

GREAT DECISIONS DISCUSSION

Thursdays, September 6, October 4, November 1, 6:30-8 pm
Exchange ideas about the foreign policy issues facing America, led by Professor Gary Midkiff. Participants must purchase a briefing book (\$15; no refunds) and read a chapter prior to each meeting. This eight month series began in June but you can join the group at any time. Monthly descriptions available in our online calendar.

FILM DISCUSSION

Thursdays, 7-8:30 pm Sept. 20: Doubt Nov. 15: The Darkest Hour & Dunkirk Watch the film(s) on your own before our discussion. We watch classic to current films that may have violence, language, sexual content, and/or subtitles.

CARY AREA WRITERS GROUP

Second Saturday of the month, 12-3 pm Looking for a community to nurture your writing? Join the Cary Area Writers Group (CAWG).

BOOKS ON TAP: A 20s-30s BOOK CLUB

Tuesdays, September 18, October 16, November 20, 7-8:30 pm | Meets at Cary Ale House
Eat, drink, and talk shop about books with others in their 20s and 30s. If you're interested in joining or to find out the current title, please email roberhauser@caryarealibrary.info.

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION

Books are available each month at the Service Center.

Hooked on Books

Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 am September 26: The Lost Book of the Grail October 24: Miller's Valley November 28: It Can't Happen Here

Turning Pages Together

Thursdays, 7-8 pm September 27: A Land More Kind Than Home October 25: Miller's Valley November 29: Seven Days of Us

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BASH!

Wednesday, September 12, 7-8 pm On December 3 the great state of Illinois will be 200 years old! Join Terry Lynch as he discusses everything from Illinois' early years, historical happenings and famous Illinoisans.

10 IL DEFINING MOMENTS

Wednesday, November 14, 7-8:30 pm Professor Gary Midkiff will cover events from all corners of the state and connect many of those events to national history.

WW2 "FLY GIRLS"

Wednesday, November 7, 7-8 pm Over 1100 women served their country during WWII as a member of the Women Airforce Service Pilots (WASP). Join Rebecca Sutera Tulloch, a certified FAA pilot, as she tells the story of the WASP as only a pilot can.

FOODIES ~

FALL HARVEST FAVORITES

Wednesday, Sept. 26, 6:30-8:30 pm Chef Dave Esau brings his personality and cooking skills to teach us some of his great fall favorite recipes.

COOKING WITH SPIRITS

Monday, October 29, 7-8 pm Spend a riotous evening with us as Chef Michael Niksic prepares some spirited fare using premium liquors. Expect something sweet, something savory and something special. Why riotous? He'll be sharing some very tall but true kitchen tales from his colorful career.

COSPLAY CONTEST

Saturday, October 13, 1-3 pm All ages. Details on page 5.

THE HAUNTING

Wednesday, October 24, 7-8 pm William Pack's ghost show is an interactive performance of spinetingling horror stories, true eerie history, and inexplicable supernatural occurrences. William simulates an authentic haunting experience and afterward you will be debating if what you saw was real or not.

MAKE IT ▼

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3D DRAWING "STAINED GLASS" SUNCATCHER

Friday, November 9, 1:30-3 pm Use our 3D pens to create a stained glass inspired suncatcher. Participants will draw their own designs then use translucent plastic filament to transform the designs into the final product.

HARVEST FLOWERS

Tuesday, November 20, 7-8 pm Peggy of Garvin Gardens will help you create a beautiful Thanksgiving fresh flower centerpiece. All materials are included in the special fee of just \$15. Bring your own pruners. No Refunds.

GIG AFTER HOURS: GETTING THE MOST OUT OF YOUR ANCESTRY DNA RESULTS

Friday, September 7, 5-8 pm What do your AncestryDNA® results mean? Jane Haldeman will focus on how you get more out of that list of DNA Matches and more. Stay for additional help or research on your own. A light dinner will be served.

PAYING IT FORWARD

Saturday, October 27, 1:30-3 pm FamilySearch.org provides access to over 300,000 digital books, indices and images worldwide. But many of these records have not been indexed or transcribed. Maureen Brady will discuss the indexing program and services provided by their Family History Centers.

IN THE KNOW ▼

ORGANIZING YOUR LIFE WITH CHILDREN & TEACHING THEM TO ORGANIZE TOO

Monday, September 10, 7-8 pm Jennifer Barnes, of JB Organizing, will give you the perfect mix of basic organizational tips to apply at home and important information to share with kids so that they can more easily organize the information received at school.

5 MONEY QUESTIONS FOR WOMEN

Wednesday, October 3, 7-8 pm Learn a process women can use to identify financial goals and set a strategy to reach them. Amber Luczak of Edward Jones discusses systematic investing and retirement plans.

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We have a great library here in our little town of Cary, proud to be a part of it! Thanks to all who make all the programs such a success! - Peg M.

See the page 5 for details about our "My Illinois" photo contest!

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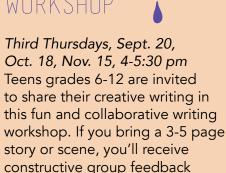
TEEN GROUPS ▼

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

Mondays, Sept. 10, Oct. 1, Nov. 5 7-8 pm Grades 6-8. Small group meetings to prepare for the Battle of the Books final battle at Cary Junior High in January. We will talk about the books, have snacks, and do various practice activities.

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tuesdays, Sept. 11, Nov. 13, 7-8:30 pm Monday, October 15, 7-8:30 pm for FOCAL book sale set up Suggest new programs and materials, help the Friends of the Cary Library with their book sales or just meet other teens interested in the library. Feel free to bring a friend and come join our meetings! On Monday, October 15 we will be helping with the FOCAL book sale set up.



on world-building, structure, characterization, plot and more. Come even if you don't have something to share but love to write. All styles and genres welcome. Sign up preferred, walk-

ins welcome. Snacks provided.



FUN & GAMES ▼

GAMING DROP-IN

Tuesdays, Sept. 25, Oct. 23, Nov. 27 7-8:30 pm

Grades 6-12. Bring a friend and play Super Smash Bros. for the Wii U and other Wii U or Xbox One games on the big screen. Snacks provided. No registration required.

ANIME NIGHT

Tuesdays, Oct. 2, Nov. 6, 7-8:30 pm Come and watch Anime on the big screen! As a group, we will choose shows to watch off of crunchyroll. While you're watching, enjoy snacks, anime coloring pages, and drawing supplies to make your own characters. Sign-up preferred, walk-ins welcome.

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FAMILY GAME DAY

Saturday, Sept. 8, 10:30 am-12 pm Ages 3 and up. Come out with your sportsmanship to play games with family and friends. Games to be featured include Lawn Memory Game, Blanket Run, Lawn Jenga, Pool Noodle Target Throwing and more. Please register everyone attending. There is no rain date.

MULTI-AGE & SPECIAL EVENTS

MAMMALS AND MORE!

Monday, October 8, 1:30-2:30 pm Learn about some of the most unique creatures from around the world. Flying Fox Conservation will bring a selection of mammals, reptiles, amphibians, birds and insects. Say hello to a slow-moving sloth, feel the fur of a fox, or pet a pancake tortoise...it is up to you!

MAKER CLUB

Maker club will not have fall sessions due to scheduling conflicts. Check back this winter to sign up for more making!



Saturday, October 13, 1-3 pm All ages. Love cosplay or just want to test out your halloween costume? Either way, come join us for our first ever cosplay contest! Participants of all ages are welcome. The contest will have four age groups: Pre-K, Elementary, Teen, and Adult. Winners will receive a prize and be chosen by audience vote. Aside from the contest, we will also have activities and refreshments for participants to enjoy.

TURKEY BINGO

Saturday, November 10, 11 am-12 pm or 1-2 pm Come as a family to play Turkey Bingo! If you get a bingo, you will win part of your Thanksgiving dinner and yes one of the items is the turkey! Register for only one session. Enter your total group number with only one person's name to represent the family. Limited to nine families for each session.

ROBOTICS

BASICS

Sunday, September 16, 1:30-3:30 pm Ages 9-Adult. Intro to LEGO MindStorms robots: learn about the robot's hardware and programming interface. This class is a prerequisite for the Robotics Workshops. Limited to 16.

ROBOTICS WORKSHOPS

Mondays, Sept. 24, Oct. 8, Nov. 12 6:30-8:30 pm Grades 4-12. Learn or improve your programming skills with the LEGO Mindstorms modules and apply those skills to various challenges. You must have attended the Basics class or one of the previous Robotics Workshops. A Build-A-Robot session does not qualify. Register for each class. Limited to 18.

BUILD-A-ROBOT

Sunday, October 14, 1:30-4:30 pm program to activate your robot. Adults not required, but this is a great chance STEM activity with your child. Register

Friday, November 23, 1-4 pm Ages 9-Adult. Work with a partner to build one of the LEGO EV3 robot models then download the model for parents or grandparents to share a for each class. Limited to 20.

for a presentation about the search for Planet 9. Then venture outside for Astronomy Night.

ASTRONOMY NIGHT

Wednesday, October 10, 7-9 pm Field behind Library The Northwest Suburban Astronomers return with their high-tech telescopes to offer you a glimpse of the Moon, Saturn, and Mars along with some deep sky objects. Telescopes will be set up in the field behind the Library where each telescope will have a different view. If lot is full, park at Three Oaks School.

Astronomy NIGHT

DISCOVERIES AND WHERE

TO FIND THEM: THE SEARCH

Wednesday, October 10, 7-8 pm

As astronomers have amassed

systems orbiting distant stars,

they wonder why our family of

type of exoplanet found-- the

have recently detected indirect

census of our Solar System may

be incomplete. Join Jim Kovac

"super-earth." Astronomers

evidence that the planetary

planets lacks the most common

evidence of other planetary

FANTASTIC SPACE

FOR PLANET 9

NEW TO OUR LIBRARY OF THINGS ▼

- Projector
- FlipPal Mobile Scanner
- 2 Sphero SPRK+ mobile robots

These items are available for one-week checkout to CAPL cardholders. You must be 18 or older to checkout the projector and scanner.

My Illinois Photo Contest

Submissions for our My Illinois Photo Contest are due by September 30. Photos will be on display in October and November. The winner will be determined by popular vote and announced on December 3, the anniversary date of Illinois statehood. The winner will receive a \$25 Visa gift card. Entry forms that detail all rules, including age and format restrictions, are available at the Service Center or online at www.caryarealibrary.info.





SCIENCE TIME ▼

I SPY SCIENCE

Tuesday, September 4, 5-6 pm Grades 1-3. Get ready to make and play with magnetic slime and learn how liquids impact magnets!

SCIENCE PATROL

Saturdays, 10:30-11:30 am Ages 3-6 with an adult. Parents, here's a fun way to experience science with your child. Please register for each class. September 22: What are the colors in the rainbow? Let's check them out by making a Spectroscope.

October 27: How can we blow up a balloon without using our lips? Well, we will need air and a chemical reaction. November 24: Let's build a hovercraft.

WIRED FOR SCIENCE

Tuesday, October 2, 5-6 pm Grades 4-5. We'll build a giant Geodesic Dome out of newspaper triangles!

BOOK CLUB ▼

BOOK BUSTERS

Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 pm Grades 3-4. Do you like to talk about books you have read? Bring a snack, discuss the book, and make a fun

September 18: Don't Judge a book by it's cover. Read a book that you think has an ugly book cover and tell us about it. Then we will decorate our own protective book jacket.

October 16: We will discuss Island of the Blue Dolphin by Scott O'Dell. November 20: We will discuss Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies.

ALL ABOUT ART ▼

INTERNATIONAL DOT DAY

Tuesday, September 11, 4:15-5:30 pm Grades 3-5. International Dot Day is September 15. It all started with the book *The Dot* by Peter H. Reynolds and how it inspires creativity. After reading the book, students will create their circle weaving using yarn and a paper plate. Limited to 16.

SPLOTCH & CONFETTI

Tuesday, September 25, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades K-2. We will read about two birds named Splotch and Confetti through the books by Kali Stileman and then create a picture featuring them. Limited to 16.

PUMPKIN FARM

Tuesday, October 9, 2-3 pm Grades K-2. It's October and time for pumpkin picking! Students will draw and paint a pumpkin farm using paints, crayons and cut paper. Limited to 16.

LET'S DRAW FALL!

Tuesday, October 23, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades 3-5. Using watercolor markers and a black Sharpie, students will start by drawing a pumpkin and then add other various symbols of fall to create their artwork. Limited to 16.

SAVE THE SEA TURTLES

Monday, November 19, 10-11 am Grades K-2. After reading the book Follow the Moon Home by Philippe Cousteau and Deborah Hopkinson, students will draw and then use modeling clay to make a sea turtle. Limited to 16.

FALL LEAVES

Monday, November 19, 1-2:30 pm Grades 3-5. Using foil and Sharpie markers students will create their fall tree artwork. Limited to 16.

TOP 8 SERVICES FOR CHILDREN & **PARENTS**

1 Early literacy play area Help your child develop skills in our play area, which now includes a puppet theater.

2 Kids computers Computers for preschoolers on up.

3 Wired For Science Kits Interactive kits, from a telescope to microscope, to SNAP circuits.

4 Theme kits

Backpack of materials to help your child learn a skill or about a topic.



Have some fun with our new puppet theater in the Children's Area.

5 1000 Books Before Kindergarten Get your child ready for school.

6 Museum Adventure Pass Deals for your next adventure.

7 Tumblebooks

Online learning with interactive books, games, puzzles and more.

8 Family Barcode Wallet

Download our app and save your family's card numbers for easy checkout at the desk or self-check machine.

Find out more about these services on our website under the Kids tab or stop in and talk to Service Center staff during your next visit | www.kids.caryarealibrary.info



TECH TIME ▼

OZOBOT BOWLING

Monday, September 17, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades 2-5. Learn how to use Ozobots and create a color-based code with them. Then use these new skills and try "bowling" with a partner and other kids in the class.

SCRATCH CODING: VIRTUAL PET

Monday, November 26, 4:30-6 pm Grades 4-5. Create your own virtual pet and use coding to help it eat, drink, play, and communicate!

MAKE IT ▼

LEGO CLUB

Sunday, October 7, November 4 2-3:30 pm Grades 1-5. Enjoy building with your friends. We will put your creation on display in the Library.

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FAMILY STORYTIME

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For children birth to age 6 with an adult. Stimulate your child's senses through books, rhymes, music and movement. Pick-up your free tickets at the Service

Mondays, 10:30-11am September 10, 17, 24 October 1, 8, 29 November 5, 12, 26

Center.

Tuesdays, 10:30-11 am September 11, 18, 25 October 2, 9, 30 November 13, 27

EVENING STORYTIME

For children birth to age 6 with an adult. Stimulate your child's senses through books, rhymes, music and movement. No tickets needed. Thursdays, 6:30-7 pm September 13, 20, 27 October 4, 11 November 1, 8, 15, 29

PRESCHOOL STORIES

For ages 3½-5. Help your preschooler get ready to read and build skills through stories, music and rhymes. Caregivers must remain in Library; pick up child's name tag at the Service Center. Tuesdays, 9:30-10 am September 11, 18, 25 October 2, 9, 30 November 13, 27

STAY, PLAY, AND LEARN

Mondays & Tuesdays, 11-11:30 am Ages 6 and under with an adult. Join us with your child after storytime in the Flex Zone for early literacy activities. Each week the focus will be on one of the practices of early literacy-playing, talking, writing, and reading. Stay, Play, and Learn meets on Mondays and Tuesdays when there is a storytime.



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HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 9 am-9 pm Friday-Saturday: 9 am-5 pm Sunday: 1-5 pm

CLOSINGS

September 2 Labor Day September 3 Labor Day

October 5 Closed 9-1, Open 1-5 November 21 Closing at 5 pm November 22 Thanksgiving Day

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LIBRARY BOARD

Meetings are the second Thursday of the month at 7 pm and open to the public. Contact the board: libraryboard@caryarealibrary.info

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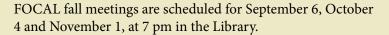
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FRIENDS OF THE CARY AREA LIBRARY (FOCAL) NEWS

The Friends of the Cary Area Library (FOCAL) were pleased to offer two \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors who reside within the Cary Area Library District this past spring. Congratulations to the FOCAL scholarship recipients, Madelyn Ludko and Madison Schoenhoft. Madelyn will be attending Mount Holyoke College and Madison will be attending Eckerd College. We wish them both well!







Madison

A NOTE ABOUT TAX LEVIES

It is budget time and that means a discussion on income for the library, which is primarily through the property tax system. Property tax is a local tax imposed by local government taxing districts with the concurrence of the voters and administered by local officials.

The property tax system can be confusing to people. There are voter approved tax rates, tax caps and there is the tax levy. During the levy process, taxing districts determine the total amount of revenues that they need to raise from property taxes, hold any required Truth-in-taxation hearings, and certify levies to the county clerk. The tax levy is based on the total tax in the district. If new tax sources become available, a levy may be increased without an existing individual property owner seeing any increase in their tax. To help our patrons understand this issue better, we have added a Tax Levy FAQ link to our website at www.caryarealibrary.org/taxlevyfaq.

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