Books & Bytes Cary Area Public Library • September-November 2019



Lama Library User

Why do you use the Library? Is it a habit you developed in childhood, or are trying to develop in your own children? Maybe you just want to expand your horizons, or maybe you just want the most of your tax dollars. No matter the reason, we're glad vou're here.

66 I think of our Library and a smile comes automatically. It's one reason I'm grateful to be living in Cary." - Mary

Mary, a patron for over 40 years, loves the Library and tells us so every time she visits. She says that it helps her remain independent and allows for experiences she wouldn't otherwise have. She attends programs and especially enjoys book discussion group: "Everyone gets a chance to talk and I learn something every time." She has no computer at home and lives on a limited income, so she embraces the Library to add both practicality and enjoyment to her life-particularly the face to face contact with others in a society now attached to phones.





These sentiments were echoed by Francisco (pictured below), who is also a longtime patron. He says he saves money by using the Library for DVD checkout and attending events (he's been known to cut a rug at our annual Dance Party!). He regularly brings his daughter to the Library because it keeps her busy, and "it gives me the opportunity to talk to people I may see around but don't have a chance to talk to."

Ann (pictured above), a patron since moving to Cary in 1979, brought her children in as they grew but has remained a user herself. She points to the Library as a community center saying, "When I sit down to work, I enjoy the activity of other people quietly working or meeting in groups." As a business owner, Ann has utilized our resources and staff to help. "With the advent of digital materials I have become more adept, with assistance from staff, at doing research beyond the traditional resources."

As a first-grade teacher, Michelle (pictured on the cover with her twins), found the Library to be an outstanding resource for her classroom. And she has been faithfully bringing her daughters to storytime for years: "Not only have they built our children's literacy, they have also helped create their love for reading and learning." She also paid the staff a high compliment: "The Cary Library staff have become like family to us and my children feel at home." We're happy to hear it!

Why do you use the Library? •

If you are interested in sharing how the Library has impacted your life, please let us know: news@caryarealibrary.info.

Show Your Library Card!

Show your Cary Area Public Library card at these establishments during the month of September and you'll get a deal! | carvarealibrary.org/showcard

Breaking Bread Catering & Deli (www.breakingbreadrestaurants.com): Receive 10% off entire order. For delivery, mention offer on phone then show your card upon delivery. Good at the Cary or Crystal Lake location.

Brush (www.shopbrushstudio.com): Receive 10% off your purchase.

Cary Park District (carypark.com) is offering two deals:

- 1. Receive one free group fitness class during the month of September. Show your library card at the Community Center Front Desk when you would like to take the class and your admission is free. Class schedules can be found at carypark.com.
- 2. Guests who show their card at the Lions Park concession stand during Fall Family Fest on Saturday, September 7 will receive one free bag of popcorn.

I Heart Yoga (www.iheartyogail.com): One week of unlimited classes for \$30.

Innovate - Cary's Cowork (www.innovatecarycowork.com), email innovatecarycowork@gmail.com to take advantage of one of their three deals:

- 1. General co-working membership for the month will be \$99 (a \$150 value).
- 2. Flex 5 membership for the month will be \$49 (a \$70 value).
- 3. A one-day pass for free (a \$20 value).

Mathnasium of Cary (www.mathnasium.com/caryil): Free registration (a \$49.95 value).

Schmidt Orthodontics (schmidtorthodontics.com): New patients will receive \$275 off orthodontic treatment.

Tranquility Wellness Studio & Spa (www.carytws.com): \$10 off any service 60 minutes or longer.

TruFitness (TruFitnesstribe.com): 21 days of free training & unlimited access in their infrared saunas.

How do Tgeta card? Bring in a current photo ID or 2 forms of current mail, such as utility bills or mortgage/rental papers that show your name and address within the Library

District. You may fill out the application online or in person at the Service Center. Remember to bring your ID or mail when you come in! | www.caryarealibrary.org/getcard

Fall Used Book Sale

Saturday, October 12, 9 am-5 pm Sunday, October 13, 1-5 pm

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.

In the know

YOU COULD START A BAND • Our Library of Things collection continues to expand with our newest offerings below. Library of Things items are available to CAPL cardholders, typically for a one-week loan. Some items require you be 18+ in order to checkout | carvarealibrary.org/

- Ukulele (pictured)
- Drum machine

libraryofthings

- Electronic keyboard
- Portable PA system
- Arcade sounds mini sequencing synthesizer
- Sub sounds mini sequencing synthesizer

And for our non-band members:

• Compact laser level

COMMUNITY CORNER • We have had a collection bin in our vestibule for the Cary Grove Food Pantry for years, and week after week it is filled. The Food Pantry and the Library would like to thank all of those who donate items and our staff member Sue, who brings the donations to the Pantry each week.

FRIENDS OF THE CARY AREA

LIBRARY NEWS • The Friends of the Cary Area Public Library (FOCAL) were pleased to award a \$500 scholarship to Cary-Grove High School graduating seniors Gabriele Eidukeviciute and Ava Warner. Congratulations to them both!

Back from their summer break, FOCAL will be meeting **Thursdays**, **September 5**, **October 3**, **and November 7 at 7 pm in the Library**. FOCAL is always looking for new members and membership is free! Fill out the brief application form at the Library or apply online | **caryarealibrary.org/focal**

DONATIONS • We gladly accept gently used book and AV donations at the Library during regular hours. Items donated are tax deductible. Material that isn't added to the Library's circulating collection are saved for the Friends of the Cary Area Library bi-annual book sales. Please note, we do not accept encyclopedias, reference sets, yearbooks, textbooks over 5 years old, magazines, VHS and cassette tapes.

PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Program registration begins Friday, August 16. Online registration begins at 8 am online (carylibrary.evanced.info/Signup) or 9 am in person or by phone (847.639.4210, press 3). Please notify us as soon as possible if you need to cancel your registration. Registration is required unless otherwise noted in the program description. If a program is full, be sure to register for the wait-list-- people often cancel and spots open up for programs. You will be contacted as soon as possible if you have been moved to the attendee list.

Photos and videos may be taken during programs for publicity purposes. Notify Library staff if you do not wish to be photographed.

Multi-age programs

HANDS ON T

MAKER CLUB

Mondays, Sept. 9 & 23, Oct. 21, Nov. 4 & 18, 6:30-8:30 pm
All ages (age 12 & under must be accompanied by an adult). Led by Ryan Brock, create your own techbased project. Learn about wiring, programming and more. Participants do not need to attend every session but **must** come to the first session to choose a project. Limited to 20. There will be a fee for some supplies after projects are chosen.

BASIC ROBOTICS

Monday, Sept. 16, 6:30-8:30 pm Ages 9-adult. Intro to LEGO MindStorms robots. Learn about the robot's hardware and program interface. This class is a prerequisite for the Robotics Workshops. Limited to 16.

ROBOTICS WORKSHOPS

Mondays, Sep. 30, Oct. 14 & 28, Nov. 11, 6:30-8:30 pm
Ages 9-adult. 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

Sundays, Sep 22, Oct. 20 & Friday, Nov. 29, 1:30-4:30 pm
Ages 9-adult. Work with a partner to build one of the LEGO EV3 robot models that come with the education kit and then download the model program to activate your robot.
Register for each class. Limited to 16.

BETTENDORF CASTLE BUS TRIP

Saturday, September 14, 1:30-3:30 pm

Recommended for ages 5 & up. We'll meet at the Library, board a school bus and venture to Fox River Grove to tour the grounds and learn the history of the castle. Please dress for the weather. Please be prompt as waivers will need to be signed prior to boarding the bus. Cost is \$15 per person; no refunds. Everyone must purchase a ticket for admission including all children. Limited to 48. Registration for this program begins at 9 am.



NaNoWriMo

mage courtesy of National Novel Writing Month

Cary area writers join millions of writers across the globe by participating in this event.

NaNoWriMo BASICS

Saturday, October 19 12:30-1 pm Teens 1-1:30 pm Youth 1:30-2 pm Adults National Novel Writing Month November 1-30

Find out what NaNoWriMo is all about and how you can write a novel in a month. Learn the steps to make a successful plan. Pick up your writer's log to track your words. Registration preferred but walk-ins welcome.

WEEKLY CHECK-IN

Saturdays: November 2, 9, 16, 23, 1-2:30 pm

Sunday, December 1, 1:30-2:30 pm: Final check in and celebration! Stop by the Library to record the number of words you have written that week, meet and network with other area writers, and even sit down and work on your novel. Online check-in will be available if you can't make it every Saturday. Registration is preferred but walk-ins welcome.

WRITER'S TIPS

Saturdays, 2:30-3 pm

For teens and adults. Roxanne Boersma, CE Instructor for Harper/MCC Colleges and a local self-published author, will hold an informal discussion each Saturday on various aspects of writing. Registration is preferred but walk-ins welcome.

November 2: Show don't tell, the infamous info dump, and other writing pitfalls to avoid to make your story better.

November 9: Networking with other writers, where to find groups and why it's important.

November 16: Avoid distractions, push through writer's block, and keep your focus to finish your novel.

November 23: What details to add as you review what you've written to add to your word count and make your story better.

Sunday, December 1: Your book is written. Now what?

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Adult programs AGES 18+

DISCUSSION GROUPS ▼

GREAT DECISIONS

First Thursdays, 6:30-8 pm
Exchange ideas about foreign policy issues in this discussion led by Professor Gary Midkiff. Participants must buy a briefing book and read a chapter prior to each meeting. This eight-month series began in February, but you can join the group at any time. Monthly descriptions available in our online calendar. Briefing book: \$15; no refunds.

Sept.5: #6 Cyber Conflict and Geopolitics

Oct. 3: #7 The United States and Mexico: Partnership Tested
Nov. 7: #8 State of the State
Department and Diplomacy

FILM DISCUSSION

Third Thursdays, every other month 7-8:30 pm

Watch the film on your own before our discussion. We watch classic to current films that may have violence, language, sexual content, and/or subtitles.

Sept. 19: A Man Called Ove Nov. 21: Ex-Machina

CARY AREA WRITERS GROUP

Second Saturday each month, 12-3 pm Looking for a community to nurture your writing? Join CAWG. Don't miss the NaNoWriMo details on page 5!

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

Tuesdays, Sept. 17, Oct. 15, Nov. 19 7-8:30 pm | Meets at Cary Ale House Eat, drink, and talk shop about books with others in their 20s and 30s. Want to join or find out the current title? Contact Becky: roberhauser@caryarealibrary.info.

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION

Books are available each month at the Service Center.







Hooked on Books

Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 am Sept. 25: One Summer, America 1927 Oct. 23: Virgil Wander Nov. 20: The Lost Vintage

Turning Pages Together

Thursdays, 7-8 pm Sept. 26: As Bright as Heaven Oct. 24: Then She Was Gone Nov. 21: Tell the Wolves I'm Home







GENEALOGY ▼

GENEALOGY AFTER HOURS: WRITING YOUR FAMILY HISTORY

Friday, September 6, 5-8 pm Best for intermediates. Steve Szabados will review a simple method of organizing research into readable documents. He will also cover sources that are non-traditional. Stay for help or research on your own.

STITCHING TOGETHER MEMORIES

Wednesday, October 16, 7-8:30 pm Inspired by her children's favorite book, The Hundred Dresses by Eleanor Estes, local quilter and storyteller Deb Lindahl created a quilt from family clothing. Learn about Deb's experience preserving heritage in this creative way.

HISTORY LESSONS ▼

BASED ON THE BOOK: FROM PAGE TO PICTURE

Wednesday, September 11, 1-2 pm Join film historian Annette Bochenek for a multimedia presentation about classic films based upon books, as well as a discussion of comparisons between the text and film.

GERMANY'S LIQUID BREAD – A REFRESHING LOOK AT THE HISTORY OF BEER!

Wednesday, Oct. 2, 7-8:30 pm Explore the history of this iconic drink with German Historian Anette Isaacs, M.A. Which lucky German brewers became Beer Barons in the USA? A small sampling of German beer will follow the presentation. Must be 21 to register, please bring ID.

BEATLES' ABBEY ROAD

Wednesday, November 20, 7-8 pm 2019 marks the 50th anniversary of Abbey Road-- the last album the Beatles recorded. Using audio and visual content, Gary Wentrup will review the stories behind the album's best-known songs and celebrate the Beatles final gift to music lovers.

INVISIBLE SCARS OF WAR: A VETERAN'S STRUGGLE WITH MORAL INJURY

Wednesday, November 6, 7-8 pm Author Dick Hattan, discusses his journey from his Catholic upbringing on the southwest side of Chicago to his tour of duty as a soldier in Vietnam. Now attempting to make sense of his life, he discovers the wounding of his soul when he acted against his own moral code. Book sales and signing follows the presentation.

YOUR HEALTH *

BONE HEALTH

Friday, September 13, 2-3:30 pm Jennifer Schaffer of NMRS will discuss osteoporosis and bone health and ways to improve your posture and avoid painful injuries or decreased mobility. Free bone density screenings will be available.

AGING LIKE A FINE WINE

Thursday, September 26, 1-2 pm Dr. Adam Fritsch, from Athletico Physical Therapy, will lead a discussion designed to bust some of the common myths of aging, how to improve performance in day to day activities and live your best life.

UNDERSTANDING MEDICARE

Wed., September 25, 6:30-8 pm Whether you are just going on to Medicare or are already on it, Sue Grossinger, Sr. Services Coordinator at Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital, will help you become a smart and educated consumer and take control of your choices.

MCHENRY CO. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WELLNESS SCREENING

Wednesday, October 16, 9-11 am MCDH will be offering wellness screenings for \$25. Tests include total cholesterol, HDL & LDL cholesterol, blood glucose, blood pressure, and heart age assessment. A1C test is an additional \$10. Fasting is optional. Schedule your required appointment at www.mcdh.info or call 815-334-4531. Cash or check only.

FOODIES ~

COOKING LOCAL

Tuesday, September 17, 6:30-8 pm Chef Dave Esau brings his personality and cooking skills to share some farmer's market recipes to use with local honey, produce and meat.

MAKF IT ▼

FELTING PUMPKINS

Saturday, October 19, 10-11:30 am Use wool roving and the needle felting technique to create your own adorable display pumpkin.

GLASS BLOCK WINTER MOSAIC

Saturday, November 16, 9:30-11 am
Decorate a glass block with a winter
themed stained glass mosaic that you
will be able to turn into a vase, bank
or whatever you can imagine. All
supplies will be furnished. You will take
your project home to finish grouting.
Cost is \$5; no refunds.

HARVEST CENTERPIECE

Monday, November 25, 7-8 pm Peggy of Garvin Gardens will help you create a beautiful fresh flower Thanksgiving centerpiece. All materials are included in the \$15 fee; no refunds. Bring your own pruners.

PROGRAMAS DE ESPAÑOL ▼

TALLERES DE SALUD MENTAL PARA LATINOS

Con Luis San Roman, Consejero Clínico Professional

HABLEMOS DE LA ADOLESCENCIA: TENDENCIAS ACTUALES EN LA VIDA DE NUESTROS ADOLESCENTES

jueves, septiembre 19, 6-7 pm Este taller está diseñado para ayudar a los padres latinos a comprender las tendencias actuales en los adolescentes. El taller cubrirá el autolesionarse, el abuso de sustancias, la presión de los compañeros y cómo los padres pueden entender mejor a sus hijos adolescentes y comunicarse con ellos de manera más efectiva. Se proveerán actividades supervisadas para niños menores de nueve años.

LOS LATINOS Y LA SALUD MENTAL jueves, octubre 17, 6-7 pm

Este taller está diseñado para comunicar y educar a la comunidad latina sobre problemas comunes de salud mental, como la depresión, la ansiedad y el estrés, y sobre cómo abordar mejor estos problemas dentro de la familia. También identificaremos los estereotipos de salud mental que existen en la comunidad y cómo la experiencia social y el estatus económico de los latinos pueden afectar aún más la salud mental. Se proveerán actividades supervisadas para niños menores de nueve años.

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Adult programs AGES 18+

JOB & CAREER ▼



Sign up for any or all of this three-part series which provides you with the resources you need to prepare for your next career transition. One-on-one review will be available via email with the presenter.

1 RESUMES

Wednesday, September 11, 7-8 pm Erica Reckamp, from CGC, TopResume, and Monster.com, will discuss current research and trends in resumes. Learn to present your work history in the best light, whether submitting to a person or an ATS. Complimentary resume critiques will be offered via email for participants.

2 LETTERS AND LINKEDIN

Wednesday, September 18, 7-8 pm
This week, Erica returns to discuss how
a well-written letter can set you apart
from other candidates. Learn how to
write a cover letter, follow up letter,
and thank you letter, plus update or
start LinkedIn. Free cover letter and
LinkedIn feedback available via email
for attendees.

3 INTERVIEWING

Wednesday, September 25, 7-8 pm For our last session, Erica discusses how to prepare for interviews conducted over the phone, on screen, and in person. Learn how to successfully navigate rigorous screening processes. Participants will be eligible for complimentary feedback on interview content.

SUCCESSFUL SELLING ON ETSY

Thursday, September 12, 7-8:30 pm Librarian Liz Kirchhoff will demonstrate how to set up a business on Etsy, and how to showcase your treasures and grow your business on websites like Pinterest.

DIY MARKETING BLUEPRINT

Tuesday, October 15, 7-8 pm
Between social media, DIY tools, and the emphasis on free, how's a small business to survive? Enter the new DIY Prosperity & Profitability Marketing Blueprint. Victoria Cook, owner of The Center for Guilt-Free Success, will present how this powerful one-page format replaces the old school marketing plan. This is truly marketing made easy!

FOR FUN ▼

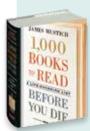
DEAD PEOPLE OF ILLINOIS

Wednesday, October 23, 7-8:30 pm Search the state with John Lynn for interesting cemeteries, graves, and epitaphs, and find intriguing lives, curious deaths, and lots of funny names. It's an opportunity for mortals to not only whistle past the graveyard, but to pause and enjoy the oddities of life and death while we're still on the right side of history.

HAUNTED HISTORY OF ILLINOIS

Wednesday, October 30, 7-8 pm Terry Fisk discusses some of the state's scariest ghost cases. He'll share photos, case histories, eyewitness accounts, and ghost lore.

SPECIAL EVENTS *



SKYPE WITH AUTHOR JAMES MUSTICH

Tuesday, November 12 7-8 pm

1,000 Books to Read Before You Die: A Life-Changing List by author

James Mustich, is best understood less as a book, more as a kind of imaginary book shop: a place of pleasurable discovery, open to readers of all tastes and ages, where you can browse at will– perhaps emerging, hours later, clutching a volume you didn't even know existed when you walked in. One attendee will win a copy of his book.

THE MAUREEN CHRISTINE TRIO PRESENTS FREEDOM RINGS & SILVER BELLS

Sunday, November 17, 2 pm

Maureen Christine, an award-winning vocalist and broadway-style entertainer brings her "crystal clear voice and warm stage presence" to our library. Joining Maureen is woodwindist Micheal Bazan on saxophone, flute and clarinet, accompanied by their first-rate pianist. This warm and engaging musical program includes a special tribute to the men and women in our armed forces, as well as classic patriotic songs, swinging standards, and a few fun holiday favorites.



Teen programs grades 6-12



TEEN JOB SEARCH SKILLS AND APPLICATION WORKSHOP

Sunday, September 8, 2-4:30 pm • For ages 16-19
Businesses are eager to hire you! Their college bound employees
have left for university. At this two part program, we'll cover how to be
prepared to apply for jobs, to represent yourself in the best way during
a job interview, and then we'll help you with filling out applications for
local businesses that are hiring.

MAKE IT 🔻

TEEN GROUPS ▼

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS

Tuesdays, September 3, October 1, November 5, December 3, 7-8 pm Grades 6-8. Join the annual Battle of the Books Competition! Students will read at least 4 of 15 selected books for a trivia battle in January. At each meeting, we will discuss the books, play games regarding the books, and do practice questions. Students can attend the meeting dates listed above, or sign up for after school meetings at Cary Junior High. The final battle will be Tuesday, January 14 at Cary Junior High. Read. Compete. Win!

TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

Tuesdays, Sept. 10 & Nov. 12, 7-8:30 pm & Monday, Oct. 7, 7-8:30 pm Grades 6-12. Suggest new programs and materials, help the Friends of the Cary Area 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 7 we will be helping FOCAL set up the book sale.

GAMING

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Tuesdays, September 24, October 22, November 26, 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.

DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

Saturdays, September 28, October 19, and November 16, 1-4 pm
Grades 6-12. Experienced players welcome and rules will be taught to beginners. Pre-generated characters and all supplies provided, just bring your imagination! Cooperative play emphasized, so come and help your group succeed! Limited to 6.

MAGIC THE GATHERING

Monday, November 25, 1-3 pm Grades 6-12. Both experienced and new players are welcome. You can bring your own cards or use one of our starter decks. Staff and volunteers will be available to teach the rules.

CRAYON ART

Saturday, September 21, 1-2:30 pm Grades 6-12. Create beautiful abstract artwork by melting crayons onto canvas. Block off areas to create silhouettes or add things like fake flowers for an extra pop!

FELTING PUMPKINS

Thursday, October 24, 4-5:30pm Grades 6-12. Use wool roving and the needle felting technique to create your own display pumpkin.

MAGAZINE PAPER ART

Thursday, November 14, 4-5:30 pm Grades 6-12. Create a vibrant silhouette art piece using rolled magazine paper. Participants will get to choose from provided animal and nature silhouettes, or draw their own, and then bring the images to life by collaging on different colors from rolled pages of magazines.

INTERACTIVE HALLOWEEN MOVIE

Tuesday, October 29, 6:30 pm Grades 6-12. Watch the 1993 film *Hocus Pocus* and be a part of the action with special props, shout outs, and treats! Movie run time: 96 minutes.





Youth & family programs BIRTH-GRADE 5

SCIENCE TIME *

I SPY SCIENCE

Tuesdays, 5-6 pm Grades 1-3. September 3: Can You Guess? We'll be using balloons, boxes, straws, potatoes and water to learn about wood fibers, friction and air pressure in several fun science activities!

November 5: The Sky's the Limit! We'll be making amazing, artistic structures with straws and pipe cleaners, combining our knowledge of physics and engineering to make elaborate pieces of art!

WIRED FOR SCIENCE

Tuesday, October 1, 5-6 pm Grades 4-5. What's the buzz? We will build a saltwater circuit tester and predict and test 6 different liquids to see which complete the circuit and set off the buzzer!

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 28: Let's learn about
coding. Move our toys from one
place to another, then bring out the
Ozobots and use the same coding
technique.

October 26: Let's defy gravity and find a way to make a robot climb the wall

November 23: What's that smell? We will put our nose to work!

MAKE IT *

LEGO CLUB

Sunday, September 8, October 6, November 3, 2-3:30 pm Grades 1-5. Enjoy building with your friends and we will put your creation on display in the library.

ALL ABOUT ART

WHAT IF...

Tue., September 10, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades K-2. After reading What If... by Samantha Berger students will be inspired to design colorful artwork using a variety of lines, colors, and sculpture. Limited to 16.

PRESCHOOL ART

Sat., September 14, 10:30-11 am Ages 3-5 w/adult. We will explore dot to dot painting-- art worthy of your refrigerator!

SHAPE CITY

Tue., September 24, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades 3-5. After discussing the painting Castle and Sun by Paul Klee, students will draw and paint a colorful abstract cityscape using geometric shapes. Limited to 16.

PUMPKIN'S STARRY NIGHT

Tuesday, October 1, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades K-2. With Halloween on its way, students will be inspired by Vincent Van Gogh's Starry Night to draw and paint a starry night picture with pumpkins! Limited to 16.

MONARCH MIGRATION

Tuesday, October 22, 4:30-5:30 pm Grades 3-5. Monarch butterflies migrate to Mexico in October. After reading Traveling Butterflies by Susumu Shingu, students will create a colorful monarch picture using black Sharpie markers, crayons, and paints. Limited to 16.

BEAR ART

Tuesday, November 26, 10-11 am Grades K-2. After reading Old Bear by Kevin Henkes, students will create a fall picture of a bear amongst falling leaves. We will be using paints to do leaf prints so dress accordingly. Limited to 16.

STARRY NIGHT

Tuesday, November 26, 1-2 pm Grades 3-5. Students will learn about Vincent Van Gogh's painting Starry Night and then create their own masterpiece using paint, oil pastels, and cut paper. Limited to 16.

BOOK CLUB ▼

BOOK BUSTERS

Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 pm Grades 3-5. Join us each month as we will read a book from a different genre, then discuss the book. We will follow up with a group activity. Feel free to bring a snack while we discuss the book.

September 17: Because of Winn-Dixie (Realistic Fiction) October 15: Graveyard Book (scary/ suspense)

November 19: The Bad Beginning (series)

FOR FUN

GHOST STORIES

Friday, October 25, 7-8 pm Recommended for ages 7 & up. Join us after hours for ghost stories. We will start with slightly scary stories and end with creepy ones.

TURKEY BINGO

Saturday, November 9
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.

ST●RYTIMES & EARLY LITERACY ▼

FAMILY STORYTIMES

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

Mondays, 10:30-11 am
September 9, 16, 23, 30
October 21, 28
November 4, 11, 18

Tuesdays, 10:30-11 am September 10, 17, 24 October 1, 22, 29 November 5, 12, 19

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 12, 19, 26 October 3, 17, 24, November 7, 14, 21

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 the library; pick up child's name tag at the Service Center. Tuesdays, 9:30-10 am September 10, 17, 24 October 1, 22, 29 November 5, 12, 19

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.



1000 books before Kindergarten

Help your child prepare for school and set the groundwork for their future success. Early literacy is an important developmental step for children and we're here to help.

It's simple-- track your progress on a log (paper or online) and once completed, you'll earn a book for your personal collection. Visit the Service Center to get started | kids.caryarealibrary.org/1kbbk

You can do it!

3 books a day for 1 year = 1095 10 books a week for 2 years = 104 1 book a day for 3 years = 1095

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HOURS

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

CLOSINGS

September 1 Labor Day September 2 Labor Day

October 4 Closed 9-1, Open 1-5 November 27 Closing at 5 pm November 28 Thanksgiving

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On the cover: Michelle McNeilly reads a picture book to her twin daughters.

SAVE THE DATE: Fall Used Book Sale, October 12 & 13

FIND US AROUND TOWN THIS FALL:

Cary Senior Health Fair

Thursday, October 17, 10-11:30 am at SS Peter & Paul Church

Cary-Grove Chamber of Commerce Annual Halloween Walk Saturday, October 26, 11 am-12 pm at the Jewel Shopping Center

TO OUR 2019 SUMMER READING SPONSORS:

Brookfield Zoo

Cary Park District Chicago Fire

Chick-fil-A Classic Cinemas

Colonial Cafe
Culvers - Crystal Lake

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Legoland Discovery Center

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