



CONNECTIONS

APRIL - MAY 2025

COME SEE ME
SAT. APRIL 12!
CELEBRATE NATIONAL
LIBRARY WEEK!



Corn Dog Truck

Foam Party Pit

Summer Read Kickoff Party!

Live Music

More Inside →

Saturday, May 31, 10-12PM



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MON - FRI: 9:30AM - 9PM
SAT: 9:30AM - 5PM
SUN: 1PM - 5PM



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CALENDAR



Library Hours

Mon - Fri: 9:30AM - 9PM

Sat: 9:30AM - 5PM

Sun: 1PM - 5PM

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Tatiana Weinstein *Director*

Closures

April 20: Easter

May 25-26: Memorial Day

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Mission Statement

The Lisle Library District is committed to enhancing the cultural, social, and lifelong educational development of the community.

Vision

Our vision is to enrich, educate, and empower the residents of the Lisle Library District.

Scan me to visit lislelibrary.org!



From the Desk of the Director

Spring is here and so are two wonderful Library-wide programs!

National Library Week: An annual recognition of libraries, librarians, and library workers. This year the LLD has activities for all ages, as well as a special guest visit from Mouse, from *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie*. More info below!

Summer Read Kickoff Party: Every year, the LLD kicks off summer with a fabulous reading program and party. You won't want to miss this one! Did someone say foam pit? Yep! Kids will have a blast and everyone is welcome to a summertime corndog while listening to live music. Don't forget to take a photo in the Hokusai-inspired photo booth and participate in a mosaic project also inspired by Hokusai (more Hokusai info on the back page).

Creating family-friendly events like these is at the core of the LLD's mission. It takes a lot of planning and preparation to execute safe, educational, and entertaining programming. LLD staff do an outstanding job! And in the spirit of National Library Week, I applaud all LLD employees for the energy and dedication they give in service to the District. Thank you!

Tatiana Weinstein
Director | LLD



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK APRIL 6 - 12

Celebrate National Library Week ALL WEEK LONG!

All Week!

- 🍪 All-ages guessing jar! Guess how many "cookies" are in the gigantic jar! Win a prize basket!
- 🍪 Library-themed crossword puzzle. Complete and return to be entered in a prize drawing!
- 🍪 Kids: Button-making! Make a cookie-themed button to wear at Storytime!

Sat. April 12

Saturday, April 12 at 10:30AM,
Mouse from *If You Give a Mouse a Cookie* is visiting the LLD! Mouse will also have treats to share!



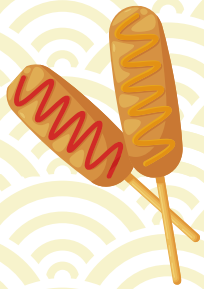


Summer Read Kickoff Party



May 31 10AM-Noon

Summer Read 2025 is here!



Corn Dog Truck!



Kids Foam Party Pit!



Live Music by
Connie Cipher

- Hokusai-inspired:
- All-Ages Mosaic Project
 - Photo Booth





Artstravaganza (Ages 2-6)

10AM Meeting Room B

Don't make a mess at home, come to the Library!

Apr 4 - Toilet Paper Roll Shape Painting

Apr 11 - Watercolor Tape Art

Apr 18 - Paint Stick Art

Apr 25 - Oil Pastel Art

Cookies and Crayons (Pre-K - Grade 3)

Apr 5/May 3 @ 10AM

Make fabulous art and enjoy a cookie too!

Completed art will be posted in the Youth Services Department for everyone to admire!

Lego Builders (K - Grade 4)

Apr 2, 16, 30/May 14, 28 @ 4PM

Kids are invited for this open Lego play session designed to let their imaginations lead the way. Legos and challenges provided.

Pokémon Club (K - Grade 4)

Apr 9, 23/May 7, 21 @ 4PM

Pokémon fans unite! Play games and complete crafts; all with a Pokémon theme.

Funday Afternoon

Grade K-3

Grade 3-5

Mondays @ 4PM

Thursdays @ 4PM

Meeting Room B

Rainy Suncatchers (7th & 10th)

Let's Go Fly a Kite (14th & 17th)

Code Making & Breaking (21st & 24th)

APRIL

Storytimes

Little Movers and Shakers

WALKING - 2 YRS

Mondays @ 9:30AM

Apr 7, 14, 21

Wednesdays @ 10:30AM

Apr 2, 9, 16, 23

Thursdays @ 10:30AM

Apr 3, 10, 17, 24

Bitty Babies

6 WKS - 1 YR

Tuesdays @ 9:30AM

Apr 1, 8, 15, 22

Stories and Songs

2YRS +

Wednesdays @ 9:30AM

Apr 2, 9, 16, 23

Thursdays @ 9:30AM

Apr 3, 10, 17, 24

Music & Movement

3YRS +

Tuesdays @ 10:30AM

Apr 1, 8, 15, 22

Pajama Storytime
ALL AGES

Apr 24 @ 6PM: Astronomy

May 21 @ 6PM: Robots



Friday Night Sing-Along

Come and sing along to an animated classic!

Apr 4 @ 6:30PM

Meeting Room A/B:

Tangled

Saturday Morning Cartoon Party

Apr 19 @ 10AM:

An American Tail



May 17

@ 10AM:

Mulan



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(Grades 4-8)

Books & Banter

1PM
Meeting Room B



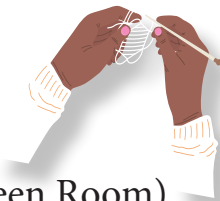
Apr 26:

Drum Roll, Please
by Lisa Jenn Bigelow

May 24:

*Tristan Strong Punches
a Hole in the Sky*
by Kwame Mbalia

Knits and Loops



Apr 5/May 3 @ 10:30AM (Teen Room)

Join us for a new knit and crochet club!

Whether you already know how or have never tried, come join us! Bringing your own projects and tools is encouraged, but not necessary.

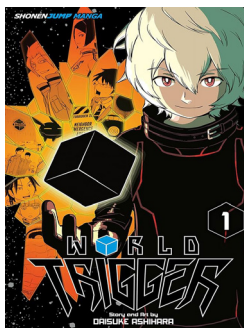
Teen Manga Book Club

6:30PM/Teen Room



Apr 25:

*Kimi Ni Todoke :
From Me to You Vol. 1*
by Karuho Shiina



May 23:

World Trigger Vol. 1
by Daisuke Ashihara

SAT Practice Test

Apr 12 @ 1:15PM (Oak Study Room)

The LLD will host a FREE SAT Practice test using the LearningExpress Library Platform. Participants may use a calculator. Snacks will be provided.

Summer Read Volunteer Training



Ages 10-17/Grades 6-12 (Teen Room)

Want to help out your library? Come to one of our training days to become a summer volunteer and learn how you can help provide essential support to the 2025 Summer Read Program! Contact Ms. Mallory at caisem@lislelibrary.org by May 24, 2025, if you have questions or would like to be scheduled for volunteering in June!

For training dates, visit lislelibrary.org/teens

Teen Craft

April @ 5:30PM (Teen Room)

15th - Recycled CD Art

22nd - Yarn Feathers



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Adult Take & Makes – April & May

Sign up on Monday for the week's take & make kit, then pickup throughout the week in Adult Services. Kits contain supplies and instructions.

April 21-25: DIY Candles

May 19-23: Glass Bottle Centerpiece

The Art of Foraging with Alexis Nikole Nelson

Apr 10 @ 7PM via ZOOM

Celebrate Earth Month with Black Forager, Alexis Nikole Nelson. A forager, outdoor educator, chef, and influencer, Nelson uses her platforms to sing and celebrate edible plants hiding in plain sight.

Craft & Coffee

Apr 19/May 17 @ 10AM (Meeting Room A)

Bring your own crafting project and join us as we chat, craft, and enjoy coffee/tea and snacks.

Estate Planning Explained

Apr 22 @ 7PM (Meeting Room A&B)

Bentron Financial Group will discuss what is necessary to begin the estate planning process. Probate, wills, trusts, power of attorney, and guardianships will be discussed.

3 Rs: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

Apr 29 @ 7PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Join SCARCE to learn how to reduce your environmental impact and protect your health through conservation, sustainable practices, and local initiatives. See scarce.org for more details.



Adult Craft: Painted Birdhouse

Apr 11 @ 7PM
(Meeting Room B)

Join us to assemble and adorn your own decorative bird house!

Art and Adventures with Author/Illustrator Dan Santat

May 3 @ 2PM via Zoom

Dan Santat is the author and illustrator of over 100 books for young people. Join him for a fun discussion of his work and life.



Career Headshots

Apr 18 @ 6:30PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Have your headshot taken at the Library and receive it via email within a week. No registration required! First come, first served!

Medicare 101

May 6 @ 7PM (Meeting Room A/B)

David Wylly of Medicare Solutions Network will explain Medicare coverage, gaps, supplements, Part D, and cost-saving strategies for the years ahead.



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Adult Craft: Sea Glass Miniature Art

May 9 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Use sea glass, glue, markers, twine, scrapbook paper, and other assorted supplies to create a few of your own scenes on a small cardboard background.

Burnham, Sullivan, Gang, and Their Legacies: Chicago Architecture

May 10 @ 2PM (Meeting Room B)

Chicago historian, Clarence Goodman, explores Chicago's global influence in architecture, from Mies van der Rohe and Daniel Burnham to Jeanne Gang.

Senior Social Hour

May 15 @ 11AM (Meeting Room A)

Calling all seniors in our community! Join us for an hour of snacks, puzzles, and conversation with your peers!

Trivia!

May 23 @ 7PM
(Meeting Room A/B)

Want to test your general knowledge? Join the LLD for Trivia! Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Come solo or bring a buddy!



Technology Classes

Test Prep with Learning Express Library

Apr 15 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Learn how to access and navigate Learning Express Library with your LLD card for a wide variety of practice exams, tutorials, study guides, and more.

Device Advice: iPhone Security

Apr 23 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Learn how to stay secure while using your iPhone. Privacy and security settings, location services, and app access will be discussed in this informational session.

Health Information Resources 24/7

May 20 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Learn how to use the Health and Wellness database to proactively manage your well-being by accessing an online collection of authoritative medical articles, guides, and fitness and nutrition resources.

Digital World -Wide News & Magazines with PressReader

May 29 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Learn how to access, navigate, and read newspapers & magazines from the US and World -Wide using PressReader with your Library card.



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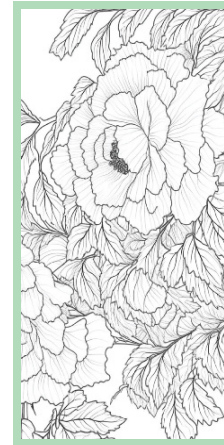
The LLD in partnership with Lisle Woman's Club seeks volunteers to assist in the creation of public art banners for the Village of Lisle. These banners will become a feature in the downtown! Completed banners will coincide with the Hokusai Floating World Exhibit coming to the College of DuPage.*

The LLD volunteer community art project program is scheduled:
Thursday, April 17, 2025 at 7:30 PM

Register at lislelibrary.org and to learn more about the project!

Banners are 12" x 24" with greyscale-printed Hokusai imagery on canvas ready for color/paint.

Supplies and refreshments provided by the LLD



**Unfinished banners will be available for public pick-up during regular Library hours in the lobby while supplies last. The return of completed banners and artist waivers must be before April 18, 2025 to be considered for the community art project. Individuals are responsible for their own art supplies to complete an unfinished banner.*

Stop in today!

Front Street

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St. Joan of Arc

Kingston Avenue