

Press Release: May 2018 Yorkville Public Library Youth Service Department

Tuesday, May 1 and May 15 at 10:00-10:30- Panera Story Time

We are back at the Yorkville Panera for Story Time. Please note the change in time and day. The Yorkville Panera will provide registered children with milk and cookies. All ages are welcome to attend, please register at the Y.P.L. Youth Service desk.

Tuesday, May 1 and May 22 at 2:45-3:45 T.A.G. (Teen Advisory Group)

Teens in grades 8-12 get together to share ideas about the teen area in the library. They help create and plan programs. This group also has opportunities to earn volunteer hours. Great chance to meet new people and have some fun and laughs.

Friday, May 4 at 10:30-11:00- Drop In Story Time

Stop by to hear wonderful books read by a volunteer from the Yorkville Jr. Women's Club.

Tuesday, May 8 and May 15 at 4:15-4:45- Book Club (1st and 2nd grade)

This is a two session program where we will read an easy chapter book. Snack will be provided. Please register for both programs at the Youth Service desk.

Tuesday, May 8 and May 22 at 5:30-6:30 – Chess Club

Brad Smith is available at each meeting to teach and answer questions. Chess sets will be provided. This program is open to all ages and no registration is needed. Any questions, please call 630-553-4354 x108

Thursday, May 10 and Friday, May 25 at 10:15-10:45 Tots and Toddlers

Parents, bring your little ones to listen to stories, rhymes and a complete a craft. Please register at the Youth Service desk. **Please note the time change.

Thursday, May 10 at 1:00-1:30 – Dance Party

We are having a dance party! Children will be led by Theron Garcia to move and dance to age appropriate music. Please register at the Youth Service desk.

Thursday, May 10 and May 24- Book Club (3-5 grade)

We will start a new book on May 10. Please register for both sessions at the Y.P.L. Youth Service desk.

Wednesday, May 16 at 10:30-11:00 -LEGO Duplo

Ages 2 and older with a parent. This LEGO club is for the younger set with a parent. We provide the LEGOs. Children provide the creativity. Please register at the Youth Service desk.

Thursday, May 17 at 4:15-4:45- Beginning Readers

Give your child a head start in reading. We will focus on phonics through reading and writing. (Ages 4-6). Please register at the Youth Service desk. Snack provided.

Thursday, May 17 at 5-6:30 OR Friday, May 18 at 10:00-1:00- Literacy Centers

Ages 3-6

Stop by any time between 5:00-6:30pm on Thursday or 10:00 and 1:00 on Friday to experience a parent guided opportunity for hands on literacy instruction. Literacy Centers are designed to give children ample opportunity to practice the very important skills of listening, reading, writing, and speaking.

Saturday, May 26, appointments start at 10:30- Read with Paws

Children can come to the library, select a book and read to a furry friend. All therapy dogs and handlers have been certified by an accredited organization. This program was designed originally because children feel less pressure to read to a dog than an adult; so it was meant to be a way to help struggling readers or even just encourage reading. It is open to all levels of readers and non-readers. Please register at the Youth Services Desk. Space is limited

Tuesday, May 29 at 10:15-10:45- Lapsit

Ages birth- 18 months

Parents sing, clap, and bounce to nursery rhymes and songs with your baby. The last 10 minutes of the program will be play time. Register at the Youth Service desk.

For more information on the Yorkville Public Library's Children's programs:

Call us: 630-553-4354 ext 108

Check out our Facebook page or our Twitter @Yorkvillekidsread

****Starting Sunday, September 10 through May the library will be open Sundays from 1:00-4:00.**

*****Try any of our programs for free from May –August.**

