

October 2018 Yorkville Public Library Youth Services Department

Yorkville Public Library now offers online registration. Please check our website for programming opportunities and registration.

Fall Reading Incentive: READ WITH RUSTY – Oct. 5- Nov. 16

Go on a reading power play with Chicago Steel Hockey Team! The 6- week reading power play is open to children ages 14 and under. Read with Rusty encourages children to read outside the classroom by rewarding them for reaching their goals over a 6 week timeframe. Students that achieve their reading goal will receive a complimentary ticket to a Chicago Steel hockey game at Fox Valley Ice Arena, plus other incentives.

Stop by the library for more information and your reading log.

Tuesday, Oct. 2 and 16 at 10:00-10:30- Panera Story Time

We are back at the Yorkville Panera for Story Time. The Yorkville Panera will provide registered children with milk and cookies. All ages are welcome to attend, registration available online.

Tuesday, Oct. 2 at 10:30-11:00 OR 1:30-2:00- 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 online.

Tuesday, Oct. 2 and 16 at 5:30-6:45- Chess Club

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

Wednesday, Oct. 3 at 10:15-10:45- Dance Party

We are having a dance party! Children are led by Theron Garcia to move and dance to age appropriate music. Please register online.

Wednesday, Oct. 3 and 17 at 6:00-6:30- SPANISH STORY TIME

Yorkville High School Spanish Club students will read stories in Spanish to the group. No need to register, simply join us for this wonderful opportunity.

Friday, October 5 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.

Monday, Oct. 8 at 10:00-1:00 – 3D Printing

Contact the library at 630-553-4354 ext. 108 to register for a 30 minute appointment to learn about 3D printing and create something to keep. 3D printed items are priced according to weight and will need to be picked up at a later date.

Monday, Oct. 8- 4-H Hands-on Activity Monarchs on the Move**1:00-2:00- Grades Kindergarten- 2nd****2:15-3:15- Grades 3-5**

Youth will learn about the unique life-cycle of butterflies and do hands-on activities that help them to understand the importance of butterflies and the difficulties they face to survive. Registration available online.

Tuesday, Oct. 9 and 30 at 2:45-3:45- Teen Advisory Group (T.A.G.)

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.

Wednesday, October 10 and 24 at 10:15-10:45- Lapsit

Ages birth-23 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. Registration available online.

Thursday, Oct. 11 at 10:15-10:45- Tots and Toddlers

Parents, bring your little ones to listen to stories, rhymes and a complete a craft. Registration available online.

Thursday, Oct. 11 at 4:15-4:45- Beginning Readers

Give your child a head start in reading. We will focus on phonics through reading, writing, and games. (Ages 4-6). Please register online. Light snack provided.

Thursday, Oct. 11 at 5-6:30 OR Friday, Oct. 12 at 10:00-2:00- Literacy Centers

Ages 3-6

Stop by any time on Thursday, 5:00-6:30pm or Friday, 10:00 and 2:00 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, Oct. 13 at 10:15- 11:15- LEGO Club

(Ages 5 and older) We will make unique creations to display in the children's department. Please register online.

Saturday, Oct. 13 at 11:30-12:15- Ice Cream Book Club

(9-16 yrs. old) Children need to read a chapter book to share with the group. Ice cream will be served during the program. Registration available online.

Tuesday, October 15 and 22 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. A light snack will be provided. Please register for both days online.

Wednesday, October 17- 5Th Annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest

5th Annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest- Bring in your family's **uncarved**, decorated pumpkin starting Wednesday, October 17. Voting begins Sunday, October 21- Wednesday, October 31. Winning family receives a prize. Be creative!

Monday, October 22 at 1:00- 1:30- Morning/Afternoon Read

Ages 3-5

Join us for a story and a fun craft. Please register online.

Tuesday, October 23 at 10:15-10:45- Morning/Afternoon Read

Ages 3-5

Join us for a story and a fun craft. Please register online.

Friday, October 26 at 10:00-1:00 – 3D Printing

Contact the library at 630-553-4354 ext. 108 to register for a 30 minute appointment to learn about 3D printing and create something to keep.

3D printed items are priced according to weight and will need to be picked up at a later date.

Friday, October 26 – 4H Computer Coding

1:00-2:00- Grades 2-3

2:15-3:30- Grades 4-6

The 2018 NYSD (National Youth Service Day) activity is *“Code Your World”*. Join 4-H staff and volunteers to participate in engaging, hands-on activities that teach CS skills through fun topics like digital animation, gaming, and dancing. Please register online. Spaces are limited.

Saturday, October 27 appointments start at 10:30 - Read with Paws

Please contact the library at 630-553-4354 ext. 108 for a 15 minutes appointment time.

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. Space is limited.

Tuesday, Oct. 30, Nov. 13, Nov.27, Dec. 11 at 4:15-4:45- Book Club (Grades 3-5)

This four session book club starts October 30 with a new book. Please register online for all sessions. Enjoy a light snack and book discussion among peers.

Wednesday, October 31 at 10:15-10:45- Tots and Toddlers Halloween Party

It is that time of year! Parents, bring your little ones to listen to a story, play games, and trick or treat in the library. Don't forget your costumes! Registration available online.

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

Call us: 630-553-4354 ext 108

Visit our website: www.yorkville.lib.il.us

Check out our Facebook page or our Twitter @Yorkvillekidsread