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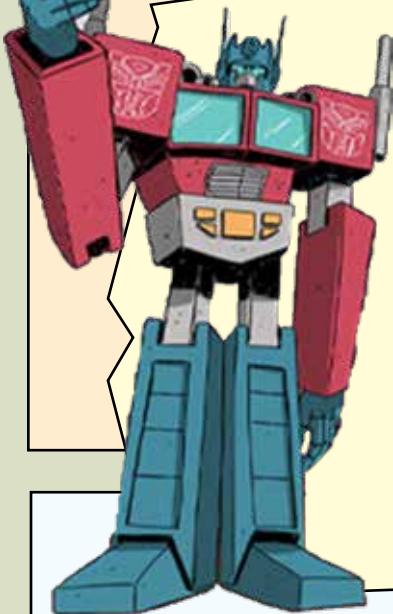
THE PREFACE NEWSLETTER

AUGUST / SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER 2024 EDITION

25th Annual ComiCon

Wednesday, October 23
6:30 - 8:30 pm

Enjoy an evening full of comic and pop culture entertainment. From our featured creators and vendors to our cosplay contest, swag room, and fabulous door prizes, there is something for all ages! No registration is required.



25 aniversario de ComiCon

Miercoles 23 de octubre
6:30 - 8:30 pm

Disfrute de una noche llena de entretenimiento cómico y de cultura pop. ¡Desde nuestros creadores y proveedores destacados hasta nuestro concurso de disfraces (cosplay), la sala de regalos y los fabulosos premios de entrada, hay algo para todas las edades! No es necesario registrarse.



September is Library Card Sign-up month!

Autobots, are you ready to upgrade your skills and knowledge? If so, we would like to invite you to all apply for the most important tool in your arsenal of resources, a library card! Visit our website in August for more details.

¡Septiembre es el mes de inscripción de tarjetas de biblioteca!

Autobots, ¿están listos para mejorar sus habilidades y conocimientos? Si es así, nos gustaría invitarlos a todos a solicitar la herramienta más importante en su arsenal de recursos: ¡una tarjeta de biblioteca! Visite nuestro sitio web en agosto para más detalles.



We'll help sign you up! Meet us at:

La Huerta Market - September 19 from 4 - 6 pm

Holiday Hills Police Department - September 28 from 10 am - 12 pm

¡Le ayudaremos a registrarse! Encuéntrenos en:

Mercado La Huerta 5 - 19 de septiembre de 4 a 6 pm

Departamento de Policía de Holiday Hills - 28 de septiembre de 10 am a 12 pm

Look inside - upcoming events for all ages in August, September and October!

Mirar adentro - ¡Próximos eventos para todas las edades en agosto, septiembre y octubre!

25th Annual ComiCon 25 aniversario de ComiCon

30 Lucky winners will find a Golden Ticket in their Swag Bag and can choose from a large selection of prizes. You must have a wristband to receive a Swag Bag.

30 afortunados ganadores encontrarán un boleto dorado en su bolsa de regalo y podrán elegir entre una gran selección de premios. Deben de tener una pulsera para recibir una bolsa de regalo.



Enter the Cosplay Contest

Register for the contest at least 10 minutes before your age group's starting time.

Ages 1 - 11 at 7 pm
Adults at 7:30 pm
Teens at 8 pm

Entre en el Concurso de cosplay

Regístrese para el concurso por lo menos 10 minutos antes de la hora de inicio de su grupo de edad.

Edades 1 - 11 a las 7 pm
Adultos a las 7:30 pm
Adolescentes a las 8 pm

For All Ages / Para todas edades

Blanket Making with Project Linus / Fabricación de mantas con Project Linus (R)
Saturday, August 24 / sábado, 24 de agosto
1 - 4 pm



Come to the library to make no-sew blankets for Project Linus to give to kids in need. Parents and caregivers should plan to stay and assist younger children.

Ven a la biblioteca a hacer mantas sin costuras para el Proyecto Linus y dáselas a los niños necesitados. Los padres y cuidadores deben planear quedarse y ayudar a los niños más pequeños.

Celebrating Selena / Celebrando Selena (R)
Monday, September 30 / lunes, 30 de septiembre
6 - 7 pm



In honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, celebrate the legacy of singer Selena Quintanilla, the Queen of Tejano music. We will be making a craft, and you are welcome to dress up like her and enjoy snacks! All ages are welcome.

En honor del Mes de la Herencia Hispana, se celebra el legado de la cantante Selena Quintanilla, la Reyna de música haremos una manualidad, disfrutar de bocadillos, y ¡hasta podrás venir vestida como ella! Todas las edades son bienvenidas.

Azulejos de Talavera Poblana with National Museum of Mexican Art (R)
Monday, October 7 / sábado, 7 de octubre
6 - 8 pm



Join the National Museum of Mexican Art as they show us how to make a craft that emulates the famous Puebla based blue on white Talavera Tiles called Azulejos.

Acompaña al Museo Nacional de Arte Mexicano mientras nos muestran cómo hacer una artesanía que emula los famosos azulejos de Talavera azul sobre blanco de Puebla llamados Azulejos.

Halloween at the library!



Halloween Costume Swap
Saturday, October 12
1 - 2 pm

Have a Halloween costume that no longer fits and need a different one? Have costumes you no longer need? Swap a costume with someone else! Drop them off at the Questions Desk between 10/1 and 10/11. Costumes must come from smoke-free and pet-free households - and should be family-friendly and in good condition. Costumes may be for ages 0 -18.

Halloween Bash (R)
Thursday, October 31
10 - 11 am



Come in costume for a Halloween Storytime with Miss Steffanie and Miss Skye. Join us afterwards for a costume parade through the library! (For ages up to 6 years)

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About Our Programs:

(R) Registration is required - Visit our online Events Calendar to see more details and to register.

Watch on YouTube - Pre-recorded programs. Available on our YouTube channel (@TheMPLD) on the dates listed.

Live on Zoom - Register to receive the Zoom link.

Acerca de nuestros programas:

(R) Es necesario registrarse - Visite nuestro Calendario de eventos en línea para ver más detalles y registrarse.

Ver en YouTube - Programas pregrabados. Disponible en nuestro canal de YouTube (@TheMPLD) en las fechas indicadas.

En vivo por Zoom - Regístrese para recibir el enlace de Zoom.

Infants, Toddlers, and Preschoolers

Storytime for Little Ones (Virtual)

Watch on YouTube

Tuesdays: August 20, September 3 & 17, October 1 & 22

Storytime for Little Ones (R)

Mondays: August 26, September 9 & 23, October 14 & 28

Tuesdays: August 27,

September 10 & 24, October 15 & 29

9:30 - 10 am



Stories, songs, and rhymes - oh my! Geared towards babies and toddlers, this storytime features a new theme each week as well as a take home craft. (For ages up to 3 years)

Preschool Storytime (R) - 10 - 10:30 am

Thursdays: August 8 & 22, September 5, October 3

Wednesdays: August 14 & 28, September 11 & 25, October 9

Books, music, and activities! We'll feature a new theme every week. (For ages 3 - 6 years)

Little Explorers: (R) - 10 - 10:30 am

Friday August 30 - Make a Paper Plate Greenhouse!

Friday, October 11 - Create Watercolor Art with Science! (For ages 3 - 6 years)

Sensory Play Storytime (R)

Fridays: September 20, October 4 & 18

10 - 10:30 pm

Stories come to life with Sensory Play Storytime. Interactive aspects such as ASL words of the day and sensory bin play are perfect for toddlers and parents to practice together. (For ages 12 months - 3 years)

LeGO! - Lego® Building (R)

Friday, September 13

10 - 10:30 am



Show off your brick-building skills! (For ages 3 - 6 years)

Take Home Craft Kits / Manualidad para llevar a casa

Handprint Campfire: August 18 - 22

Fogata con huellas de manos: 18 - 22 de agosto

Personal Piñatas: September 22 - 28

Piñatas personales: 22 - 28 de septiembre

Popsicle Stick Superhero: October 20 - 24

Superhéroe de palitos de helado: 20 - 24 de octubre

Available while supplies last / Disponible mientras duren las reservas.

Back to School!

Back-to-School Bingo /

Bingo de regreso a la escuela (R)

Thursday, August 8 / jueves 8 de agosto

3 - 4 pm



The start of school is just around the corner. Come to the library to play Bingo for school supplies! (For ages 5 - 17 years)

El comienzo de clases está a la vuelta de la esquina. ¡Ven a la biblioteca a jugar bingo por útiles escolares! (Para edades de 5 a 17 años)

Family program: Back to School /

Programa familiar: Regreso a clases (R)

Saturday, August 10 / sábado 10 de agosto

11 - 11:30 am

Celebrate back to school with a storytime and a fun family craft! (For Young Children)

¡Demos la bienvenida a regreso a clases con un cuento y haciendo una divertida manualidad familiar! (Para niños jóvenes)



Preschool Readiness / Preparación preescolar (R)

Wednesday, August 21 / miércoles 21 de agosto

10 - 11 am

Explore different stations to help your child become ready for Preschool! Stations will include activities that focus on fine motor skills such as cutting and writing, along with additional stations for counting, reading, and more. (For Preschoolers)

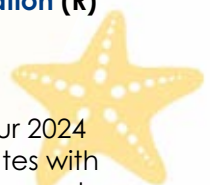
Explore diferentes estaciones para ayudar a su hijo/a a prepararse para el Preescolar. Las estaciones incluirán actividades que se enfocan en las habilidades motoras finas, como cortar y escribir, junto con estaciones adicionales para contar, leer y más. (Para niños de preescolares)

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Graduation (R)

Friday, August 2

10 - 10:30 am

Celebrate with us as we congratulate our 2024 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten graduates with storytime and a special graduation ceremony!



Make and Create!

STEM Me a Story (R) - 6 - 7 pm

Mondays: August 12 - Book: *Giraffes Can't Dance* by Giles Andreae. Design your own musical instruments! (For ages 5 - 8 years)

September 9 - Book: *Robot Zot!* by Jon Scieszka and make your own robots. (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Tuesday, October 29 - Book: *Pelé, King of Soccer* by David Martin and make your own soccer fields. (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Ozobots (R) - 6 - 7 pm

Mondays: August 26, September 23, Wednesday, October 30

Come to the library to code with Ozobots! (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Art Lab (R) - 6 - 7 pm

Monday, August 19 - This month we are going to paint our own rocks for a one-of-a-kind tic-tac-toe set! (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Wednesday, October 2 -

Calling all artists! Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with the library as we learn about a metal tooling technique. (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Snapology: Catapults (R)

Monday, October 14 11 - 12 pm

Come build a super-cool catapult using LEGO® bricks with Snapology! (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Read Fur Fun (R)

Tuesdays: August 6, September 3, October 1 4 - 6 pm

Come to the library to read to a certified therapy dog. Dog owner will be present. This program is for kids ages 5 to 10 years old.

Sign up for a slot by stopping in or calling the library.

Imagination Station (R)

Thursday, September 12 6 - 7 pm

I spy with my little eye... a fun program! Come to the library to make your own I Spy bottle! (For ages 5 - 8 years)

Books on the Chopping Block with City

Lit Theater (R) - Live on Zoom

Wednesday, September 25 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Books on the Chopping Block is City Lit theater's annual performance of live dramatic readings by professional actors of short excerpts taken from the top 10 most frequently challenged books in the US. A Q&A will follow. (For Young Children, Tweens and Teens)

For Tweens and Teens

Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Dungeons and Dragons!

Dungeons and Dragons - High School Edition (R)

Tuesdays: August 13, September 10, October 8 5:30 - 8:30 pm

(For ages 15 - 20 years)

Join us at the library and make (or take) a character as we play through different D&D modules in the 5th edition of this fantasy role-playing game with an experienced Dungeon Master.

Only register for ONE Junior High Session per month to allow for more people to play. The SAME SESSION will be played both times, so you won't miss a thing. Duplicate registrations will be canceled.

Dungeons and Dragons - Junior High Edition (R)

Thursdays: August 15 & 29, September 19 & 26, October 24 & 31 5:30 - 7:30 pm

(For ages 10 - 14 years)



Build a D&D Character (R)

Thursday, October 17 5 - 6:30 pm

Roll the dice and build your custom character from scratch with character-building sheets. Then paint your tabletop miniature so you're all set for your next campaign! (For youth ages 10 + and Adults)



Page Flippers (R) - 10 - 11 am

Saturdays: August 24 - The Parker Inheritance by Varian Johnson

September 28 - Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabenstein

October 12 - Mexikid by Pedro Martin

(For ages 9 - 14 years)

Crochet Club (R)

Thursdays: August 8, September 12, October 10 5 - 6 pm

Come to the library to learn how to crochet or work on your latest project! All levels welcome. Bring your own project and yarn or participate in a simple project. (For ages 10 - 18 years)

Tween Paint 'n Sip (R)

Thursdays: August 22, 5 - 6:30 pm October 3, 5 - 6 pm

Creativity and drinks are aplenty in August as we paint a mountain scene and in October and as we celebrate Hispanic Heritage month making twilight cactus art (For ages 9 - 14 years)

Tween/Teen Craft (R)

Thursday, September 5 5 - 6 pm

Come to the library to make a one-of-a-kind beaded suncatcher. (For ages 9 - 17 years)

Snapology: Go Karts (R)

Monday, October 14 12:15 - 1:15 pm

Come make a go-kart with Snapology and have an epic race! (For ages 9 - 14 years)

Para Jovenes



Papel Picado (R)

Ver en YouTube - Miércoles 2 de octubre
Watch on YouTube - Wednesday, October 2

Regístrate para adquirir una artesanía mexicana que presenta hojas de papel coloridas con detalles recortados.
(Para edades de 9 a 14 años)

Register to pick up a Mexican craft kit that features colorful paper sheets with intricate cut-out details. (For ages 9 - 14 years)

Máscara Del Dia de Los Muertos / Day of the Dead Mask (R)

Lunes, 28 de octubre / Monday, October 28
5 - 6 pm

¡Acompañanos a diseñar tu propia máscara de calavera!
(Para edades de 9 a 12 años)

Join us in designing your skull mask! (For ages 9 - 12 years)

Hora de Cuentos (Virtual)

Ver en Youtube / Watch on YouTube
Martes 13 de agosto / Tuesday, August 13
Martes 10 de septiembre / Tuesday, September 10
Martes 8 de octubre / Tuesday, October 8

¡Hora de Cuentos y Manualidad! (R)

Los martes: 24 de septiembre, 22 de octubre /
Tuesdays: September 24, October 22
5 - 5:30 pm

¡Haremos cuentos bilingües, rimas, música, baile y más para niños interesados en escuchar ambos idiomas! Para niños de 3 - 9 años y sus padres o proveedores de cuidado. ¡Manualidad incluida!

Bilingual stories, rhymes, music, dance and more for children interested in hearing both English and Spanish! Children ages 3 - 9 and their parents or caregiver. Craft included!

Para adultos

Bebidas prehispanicas / Prehispanic drinks (R)

Jueves 19 de septiembre / Thursday, September 19
7 - 8 pm

Únase a la clase donde podrá aprender a hacer bebidas prehispanicas como: Tejuino, Tepache y Chilate. Podra asistir en persona, mientras la presentadora estará por Zoom.

Join us to learn how to make prehispanic drinks such as: Tejuino, Tepache y Chilate. Patrons can join in live while the presenter will join via Zoom.



Manualidad: Pintando Piedras / Craft: Painting Rocks (R)

Sábado 28 de septiembre / Saturday, September 28
1 - 2 pm

Únase para hacer una manualidad de pintar piedras en forma de pintores latino americanos como Frida Kahlo, Rufino Tamayo, José Clemente Orozco, y muchos más.

Join us to paint rocks in styles inspired by Latin American painters, such as, Frida Kahlo, Rufino Tamayo, José Clemente Orozco and many others.

Clases de computación



Aprenda Canva (R) - 7 - 8 pm
Clases 2 - Jueves 15 de agosto
Clases 3 - Jueves 22 de agosto

Únase a la segunda y tercera clase donde podrá practicar el uso del teclado y computación. Si asiste a las 3 clases, recibirá un certificado después de terminar.

Introducción al teclado (R) - 11 am - 1 pm
Parte 4 - jueves 15 de agosto
Parte 5 - jueves 22 de agosto
Parte 6 - sábado 7 de septiembre

Únase a la segunda y tercera clase donde podrá practicar el uso del teclado y computación. Si asiste a las 3 clases, recibirá un certificado después de terminar.

Gmail y Google Docs en Español (R)
Jueves 26 de septiembre
6:30 - 8:30 pm

Únase a una clase donde podrá practicar y aprender como usar su correo electrónico de Gmail y la aplicación de Google Docs.

*Favor de crear una cuenta de Gmail antes de participar en la clase.

Comuníquese con un miembro del personal para registrarse en estos eventos.



Leamos en Inglés (R)
Los miércoles: 14 de agosto,
11 de septiembre, 16 de octubre
7 - 8 pm

¿Le gustaría mejorar su pronunciación en Inglés?
Practique y lea en grupo. Unase a nuestro grupo de práctica de lectura en Inglés cada mes.

Manualidad: Parches / Craft: Patches (R)
Sábado 19 de octubre / Saturday, October 19
1 - 2:30 pm



Acompañanos para coser parches de diseños en un artículo personal. Se requiere que traiga una camiseta, vestido, bolso, gorra, pantalon y habilidades basicas para coser como usar una aguja e hilo.

Join us to attach designed patches to one personal item. Please bring in a T-shirt, dress, purse, hat or jeans. Basic sewing skills required.

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For Adults

Stamping with Mallory (R)
Saturday, August 3

Fall Stamping with Mallory (R)
Saturday, October 5

10 am - 12 pm

Join Mallory as she guides us in making unique stamping projects. (For ages 16 years and up)

Wednesday Table Top Games (R)

**Wednesdays: August 7, 14, & 21,
September 11, 18, & 25, October 2, 9, 16, & 30**
2 - 4 pm

Join us for an afternoon of tabletop games. You can bring your own games to share or enjoy one from our collection.

Coffee with the Chief (R)

Tuesday, October 1
6:30 - 8:30 pm

Coffee with Police Chief John Birk will begin with a topical presentation or guest speaker. Chief Birk will provide an overview of events or criminal activity within the city over the past month, allowing residents to stay informed. At the end, residents will have a chance to ask questions or state concerns to the Chief.

Computer Basics
Saturday, August 17
2 - 4 pm

Monday, October 14
6 - 8 pm

Join us to learn about the different pieces of the computer, how to use a mouse and keyboard, and the terms that will make life with technology easier. Laptops will be provided for demonstration and in-class practice.

Tech Drop In

Fridays: August 30, October 11
2 - 3 pm

Bring in your device to learn more about it! Our librarians are happy to answer your technology questions.

Family and Genealogy

Grandma Nellie's Scrapbook: Identifying and Interpreting Historic Photograph (R)

Thursday, October 10
7 - 8:30 pm

Many people become heirs to a box of unidentified family photos and have no clue what to do with them. Tina will offer solutions for identifying these 'lost' family members by teaching attendees how to use genealogy sources in conjunction with observational techniques.

Genealogy In Reverse:

Locating Distant Living Relatives (R)
Live on Zoom - Tuesday, October 29
7 - 8:30 pm

Free online sites to locate unknown relatives, and possible ways of identifying and contacting Ancestry.com DNA matches. Presented by professional genealogist, Katherine Wilson.



Presentations at the Library

The History of Fleetwood Mac (R)

Tuesday, August 20
7 - 8 pm



Using interview and performance videos, we'll trace the band's career, focusing on their blockbuster album *Rumours* and the band's classic lineup of Stevie Nicks, Lindsay Buckingham, Christine McVie, John McVie, and Mick Fleetwood. It was a fascinating journey of failed romantic relationships that fueled intense and warm music.

Agatha Christie: A Body of Evidence with Debra Miller (R)

Wednesday, September 4
7 - 8 pm

In the Spring of 1950, Agatha Christie accompanied her husband, archeologist Max Mallowan to Iran and the tells of Kalhu; the ancient city also known as Nimrud. Join Agatha Christie in Beit Agatha as she reminisces with you about her childhood, her life as a writer and adventurer, and contemplates beginning her autobiography- a project that took nearly 20 years.

McHenry County Libraries -

Let's All Read Together: William Kent Krueger (R)

Sunday, September 8
2 - 4 pm



Krueger is the author of 24 books, including the popular Cork O'Connor mystery series. He will discuss his latest books, *The River We Remember* and *Spirit Crossing* with Heidi Stevens, former writer and editor at the Chicago Tribune for 23 years. Other titles from Krueger will be available for purchase and signing at the event. This author event is part of the *McHenry County Libraries - Let's All Read Together* community reading program, sponsored by surrounding community libraries.

An Introduction to Traditional Chinese Medicine (R)

Wednesday, September 18
7 - 8 pm

Join Chinese cultural educator Yvonne Wolf for an introduction to traditional Chinese medicine. Take your first step to learning about this alternative path to health.

The Making of Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan?(R)

Tuesday, October 15
6:30 - 8:30 pm



Join professors John and Maria Jose Tenuto, authors of the best-selling, officially licensed book, *Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan: The Making of the Classic Film* for a multimedia virtual presentation containing over 100 rare photographs from one of science fiction's most critically acclaimed films. In addition to photographs, the presentation shares trivia and little known facts about the making of the film. A special thank you to writer/director Nicholas Meyer and the University of Iowa Library for permission to share these photographs.

Adult Book Discussion Groups (R) 7 - 8:30 pm

Join the conversation at our Adult Book Discussion Groups for Mystery, Science Fiction & Fantasy, and Classic book enthusiasts!

Mystery Book Discussion Group:

August 1 - *To Kill a Troubadour* by Martin Walker
September 5 - *Case Histories* by Kate Atkinson
October 3 - *The Bat* by Jo Nesbo

Science Fiction & Fantasy Book Discussion Group:

August 12 - *The Buried Giant* by Kazuo Ishiguro
September 9 - *Altered Carbon* by Richard Morgan
October 14 - *Among Others* by Jo Walton

Classic Book Discussion Group

August 19 - *Gulliver's Travels* by Jonathan Swift
September 16 - *Another Country* by James Baldwin
October 21 - *We Have Always Lived in the Castle* by Shirley Jackson

Copies are available at the Checkout Desk or through a Curbside Pickup appointment. Some titles available in eBook and eAudio formats through OverDrive/Libby and hoopla.



AARP Safe Driving Course (R)

Thursday and Friday,
September 26 & 27
9:30 am - 1:30 pm



This two-day course teaches proven driving techniques to help keep you and your loved ones safe on the road.

Additionally, you'll learn:

- How to reduce driver distractions.
- Essential facts about the effects of medication on driving.
- How to maintain the proper following distance behind another car.
- Good use of safety belts, airbags, anti-lock brakes, and new technology found in vehicles today.
- Techniques for handling left turns, right-of-way, and roundabouts.
- Age-related physical changes and how to adjust your driving to compensate

AARP requires a "Covid waiver" to be signed by each participant, and a fee of \$20 for AARP members, and \$25 for non-members, on the first day of class.

Heart-age Screening with the McHenry County Dept. of Health Tuesday, August 6, 10 am - 12 pm

Environmental factors, stress, diet, and genetics can speed up or slow down how the heart ages. When it comes to heart health, your heart age may be more important than your actual age. This information can be used to find your heart age. This short screening should take 5 or 10 minutes.



Evaluación de la edad cardíaca con el Departamento de Salud del Condado de McHenry Martes 6 de agosto, 10 am - 12 pm

Los factores ambientales, el estrés, la alimentación y la genética pueden acelerar o ralentizar el envejecimiento del corazón. En cuanto a la salud cardíaca, la edad de su corazón podría ser más importante que su edad real

Esta breve proyección solo debería durar 5 o 10 minutos.

Free Hearing and Retinal Screening sponsored by the McHenry-Wonder Lake Lions Club in the Library Parking Lot Tuesday, October 8, 11 am - 4 pm

This mobile unit will conduct FREE hearing and retinal screenings for adults 55 and older. It screens for diabetic retinopathy and macular degeneration. No appointment is necessary. The Mobile screening unit is sponsored by the McHenry-Wonder Lake Lions Club and the Lions of Illinois Foundation and is made possible through generous donations. At this event, the club will also collect used eyeglasses and hearing aids.



Examen gratuito de audición y retina patrocinado por el McHenry-Wonder Lake Lions Club En el estacionamiento de la biblioteca Martes 8 de octubre, 11 am - 4 pm

El Lions Club de McHenry-Wonder Lake patrocinará la Unidad Móvil de Detección de Audición y Retina. Esta unidad móvil llevará a cabo exámenes de audición y retina gratis para adultos mayores de 55 años. Detecta retinopatía diabética y degeneración macular. Cita no es necesaria. La unidad de detección móvil está patrocinada por el Lions Club de McHenry-Wonder Lake y la Fundación Lions de Illinois y es posible gracias a generosas donaciones. En este evento, el club también recogerá gafas y audífonos usados.

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HOURS
M-TH — 9 am - 9 pm
FRI-SAT — 9 am - 5 pm
SUN — 12 - 4 pm

**LIBRARY CLOSINGS/
CIERRES DE LA BIBLIOTECA**

Friday, August 23, 9 am - 5 pm
Monday, September 2, All-Day
Friday October 25, 9 am - 1 pm

Viernes 23 de agosto, 9 am - 5 pm
Lunes 2 de septiembre, todo el día
Viernes 25 de octubre, 9 am - 1 pm

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Charles Reilly, President
Bud Alexander, Vice President
Monica Leccese, Secretary
Terry Weingart, Treasurer
Thomas Sutliff
Nikki Wallace

BOARD MEETINGS

Board meetings are generally held the third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. The public is welcome to attend. Information about attending can be found on our website.

Lesley Jakacki, Executive Director
Adrian Mesino, Editor

**Library & Program
Accessibility**

The library makes every effort to ensure our services and programs can be enjoyed by all. If you have any concerns about accessibility or need to request specific accommodations, please contact the library.

Accesibilidad de bibliotecas y programas

La biblioteca hace lo mejor posible para asegurar que todos puedan acceder a los eventos. Si tiene alguna preocupación en cuestión de accesibilidad o requiere ciertas acomodaciones no dude en contactarnos.



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Illinois Libraries Presents (R)
Live on Zoom, 7 - 8 pm

September 17 - Neil Gaiman
October 9 - Erika Sánchez
October 22 - Jason Reynolds

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National Friends of the Library Week
October 20 - 26, 2024

Semana Nacional de los Amigos de la Biblioteca
20 - 26 de octubre de 2024

Friends of the Library Fall Book Sale
October 17, 19 & 20.

Member Preview:
Thursday, October 17, 5:30 - 8:30 pm

Open to the Public:
Saturday, October 19, 9 am - 5 pm
Sunday, October 20, 12 - 4 pm

Venta de libros de otoño de Los Amigos de la Biblioteca - 17, 19 y 20 de octubre.

Vista previa de miembros:
Jueves 17 de octubre, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Abierto al público:
Sábado 19 de octubre, 9 am - 5 pm
Domingo 20 de octubre, 12 - 4 pm



Visit the Friends of the Library Fall Book Sale. The book sale will feature hundreds of hardcover and paperback books, movies, music, and more at bargain prices. Cash and Check only. No cards accepted.

Visite a la venta de libros usados de otoño de los amigos de la biblioteca. La venta de libros incluirá cientos de libros de tapa dura y rústica, películas, música y más a en oferta. Sólo efectivo y cheque. No se aceptan tarjetas.



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