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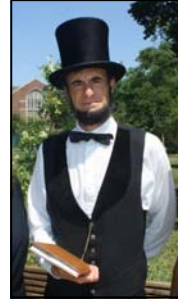
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Adult Programs

Registration is required for all programs; please call 630-368-7725.

A New Birth of Freedom Sunday, February 4 @ 2 pm

Join us for a "first-hand" account of Mr. Lincoln's experiences of U.S. history through the end of the Civil War in 1865. Mr. Lincoln is portrayed by Kevin Wood, a professional Lincoln presenter who bears a remarkable resemblance to "the Great Emancipator" and who is extremely knowledgeable about his life and times.



Cooking Demonstration: Indian Soups Sunday, February 11 @ 2 pm

Keep out the chill this February with a bowl of warm, homemade soup full of in-season ingredients demonstrated by Indrani Hausner of monbool cooking school. Samples will be provided.

Medicare 101 Tuesday, February 27 @ 7 pm

David Wyllly of the Medicare Solutions Network will detail what Medicare covers, what it doesn't, and your options for additional coverage. He will also discuss Medicare Supplements, Part D Drug Prescription coverage, and Advantage Plans.



Social Security: More Than Meets the Eye Wednesday, February 28 @ 7 pm



If you are going to collect Social Security benefits in the next 10 years, join Jim Flanagan of Bentron Financial Group for this lively and informative discussion. In this session, you will learn more about the benefits of taking Social Security, when to take it, how working impacts it, taxation on it, and spousal Social Security.

Recurring Programs

**Knit Pickers -
Tuesdays @ 7 pm**
Gather to work on projects. All levels welcome.

**Double Pinochle -
Thursdays @ 1 pm**
Learn to play. Beginners welcome.

**Current Events -
Fridays @ 9:30 am**
Join the group for lively discussions of all things newsworthy.

**Sahaja Yoga Meditation -
Sat., Feb. 10 @ 10 am**
A unique method based on an experience called Self Realization. Meets monthly.

Movie Matinees



Wed., Feb. 7
@ 1 pm

Brigadoon

Wed., Feb. 28
@ 1 pm



Murder on the
Orient Express

Library Hours

9:30 am - 9 pm Monday-Thursday
9:30 am - 5 pm Friday-Saturday
1:00 pm - 5 pm Sunday*
*closed Sundays between Memorial and Labor Day

Closed on February 19

Department Numbers

Circulation 630-368-7700
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Commission Meetings Tuesdays @ 7 pm

January 16 July 17
March 20 September 18
May 15 November 20

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Need Computer Help?

Call the Reference Desk at 630-368-7725 to schedule a one-on-one computer session.



New App! Libby, by OverDrive

Explore a new way to access e-books and e-audiobooks with **Libby**, the future mobile experience from OverDrive. The app is now available for iOS, Android and MS Windows 10.

New for 2018! Oak Brook Public Library has just added new titles to its RB Digital Magazines collection. The collection now includes *The Atlantic*, *Cooking Light Bookazines*, *The New Yorker*, and modern home design periodical *Dwell*.

RB Digital Magazines brings the full magazine experience to a digital setting by offering full-color digital magazines for anytime, anywhere reading on desktops, mobile devices, and tablets. The Library's collection of popular digital magazines includes both new and back issues with no holds, no checkout periods, and no limits.

If you're looking for thought provoking articles, a new light recipe, house or landscaping inspiration, or you just feel like flipping pages, you can access RB Digital Magazines on the eBooks, eAudiobooks & eMagazines page of the Oak Brook Public Library website or through the RB Digital app.



Winter Reading Program: Season's Readings January 2 - March 3



Come to the Reference Desk to pick up a Winter Reading log! Read 5 books (only 4 books if one is an e-book) from OBPL's collection this Winter for a chance to win the grand prize. Just for signing up, you will receive a certificate good for one free DVD checkout. Happy Reading!



Lladrós Collectibles for Sale

Are you looking to add to your own collection? Do you have a gift giving occasion coming up?

Stop by the Library and browse the collection. Many of the Lladrós are for sale. For more information please direct inquiries to Jacob Post, Head Librarian.



Sampling of New and Upcoming Materials

You can place a hold on items checked out or on order through our website www.oak-brook.org/library or stop by the Reference Desk for assistance.

Books Fiction

Armstrong, Kelley
Beaton, M.C.
Bloom, Amy
Bowen, Rhys
Fielding, Joy
Greaney, Mark
Haig, Matt
Hannah, Kristin
Harper, Jane
Kellerman, Jonathan
Khan, Ausma Zehanat
Kinsella, Sophie
Lippman, Laura
Oates, Joyce Carol
Todd, Charles

This Fallen Prey
Death of an Honest Man
White Houses
The Tuscan Child
The Bad Daughter
Agent in Place
How to Stop Time
The Great Alone
Force of Nature
Night Moves
A Dangerous Crossing
Surprise Me
Sunburn
Beautiful Days
The Gate Keeper

Nonfiction

Baatz, Simon

Barnes, Simon
Chua, Amy
Davenport, Anthony

The Girl on the Velvet Swing: Sex, Murder, and Madness at the Dawn of the Twentieth Century
The Meaning of Birds
Political Tribes
Your Score: An Insider's Secrets to Understanding, Controlling, and Protecting Your Credit Score
Advice Not Given: A Guide to Getting Over Yourself
Off the Charts: The Hidden Lives and Lessons of American Child Prodigies
Jackie, Janet & Lee: The Secret Lives of Janet Auchincloss and Her Daughters, Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis and Lee Radziwill

Epstein, Mark, M.D.

Hulbert, Ann

Taraborrelli, J. Randy

DVDs

The Foreigner
Geostorm
Goodbye Christopher Robin
Jigsaw
The Killing of a Sacred Deer
Marshall
Mother!
The Mountain Between Us
The Snowman
Thank You For Your Service
Victoria - Season 2



Music

Barbra Streisand
Charlotte Gainsbourg
Luke Bryan
N. Dessay and M. Legrand
Talib Kweli

The Music -- The Mem'ries -- The Magic Rest
What Makes You Country
Between Yesterday and Tomorrow
Radio Silence

Youth Services

February Storytimes

Registration is required for all storytimes

Toddling 2s & 3s

Wednesdays, Feb. 7 & 14 @ 10:30 am

Thursdays, Feb. 1, 8 & 15 @ 10:30 am

Your two- or three-year-old will surely enjoy this interactive story time that includes marvelous books, flannel boards, music and a simple craft! Parents must accompany their child in this program.



Grades K-2 Storytime/Art

Tuesdays, Feb. 6 & 13 @ 4:30 pm

Are you nuts about books and art? Then join us for this creative story time. We will read a story and then do an art project inspired by the book.

Winter Reading Program



Ready for an escape from the winter blahs? Earn prizes for reading! Our theme is **Book Your Winter Getaway!** The program runs through Saturday, March 3. You still have plenty of time! Stop by the Youth Services Desk to sign up and get your reading log!

Chess Club

Saturdays, Feb. 3, 10, 17 & 24 @ 12 - 1:30 pm

This is a club, not a team so players are welcome to join us to improve their game & play!
Registration Required.



Lego® League

Thursday, Feb. 15 @ 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Join us for a creative hour of building, teamwork and STEM skills. Legos are provided.
Registration required. Ages 5 & up.



Valentine Craft

Saturday, February 10 @ 11 am

... "Roses are red, violets are blue" come and join Miss Lisa as we make not 1 but 2 crafts... pom-pom paper heart and/or Hershey Kiss "bling ring."

Registration required.

Grades 2 & up.



Books & Bites Book Discussion

Thursday, February 22 @ 4:30 pm

A Long Way from Chicago by Richard Peck

We meet once per month to discuss a good book while discovering fun facts about it and the author. Snacks will be provided!

See the Circulation Desk for a copy of the book a few weeks before each session.

Recommended for grades 4 & up.



Free SAT Practice Test by C2 Education

Saturday, February 17 @ 10 am - 1:30 pm



Take a free practice exam sponsored by C2 Education. C2 practice tests offer a valuable real-world test environment, allowing students to better understand the testing process while accurately measuring performance before taking the real test. **Registration required.**

Traveling World of Reptiles

Saturday, February 17 @ 2 pm

Join us for an up-close, live, and extremely "hands-on" experience as you learn about reptiles and amphibians from around the world. An enjoyable experience for all ages!

Registration Required!



Winter Break Bingo



Thanks to Officer Church for calling the number!



1000 Books Before Kindergarten

Sign up your newborn, infant or toddler for our 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program. This ongoing program will help build your child's vocabulary, print awareness, early literacy skills and more as you read 1000 books before they start their first day of Kindergarten. Stop by the Youth Services Desk today to sign up. Your child will get prizes along the way to celebrate as you read!



Teen Community Service Opportunities

Looking for volunteer hours for applications? Sign up to assist with programs in January and February. Call Youth Services for registration and for questions about each program or event.
Registration required. Grades 6 & up.

Date	Time	Assisting with...
Tues. 2/6	4-6 pm	Storytime Art
Tues. 2/13	4-6 pm	Storytime Art
Tues. 2/10	10:30-12 pm	Valentine Craft

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Adult programs ☺ Children's 📺 Young Adults All ages in black 				1 ☺ Toddling 2s and 3s 10:30 am Double Pinochle 1 pm	2 Current Events 9:30 am	3 ☺ Chess Club 12 pm
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18	19 LIBRARY CLOSED	20 Knit Pickers 7 pm	21	22 Double Pinochle 1 pm ☺ Books & Bites 4:30 pm	23 Current Events 9:30 am	24 ☺ Chess Club 12 pm Embrace the New Year with Meditation 2 pm
25	26	27 Medicare 101 7 pm Knit Pickers 7 pm	28 Movie Matinee: <i>Murder on the Orient Express</i> 1 pm Social Security 7 pm			

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