



REGISTERING FOR PROGRAMS:

- Registration is required for most programs!
- Visit our website at [schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org) or call **847-678-0433** to register.
- Email registration is not permitted. Programs may be cancelled due to minimal registration.
- The cut-off date for registration is *2 days prior* to each program.
- **Activities are free, but seating and supplies are first come, first served!**
- Due to instructional reasons, select programs will be closed *5 minutes after beginning*.
- Participants arriving late will not be admitted!



★ HIGHLIGHT: NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK! ★



ANNUAL BOOKMARK CONTEST  
TUESDAY, APRIL 1ST - WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30TH

In honor of **National Library Week**, the Schiller Park Public Library will host a bookmark contest for kids, tweens, teens, and adults **who attend Schiller Park Schools or reside in Schiller Park**. Full details will be on the entry form. Participants may pick up an entry form in Children's World or visit our website at [schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org) to download and print one.



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK: APRIL 6TH - APRIL 12TH

**National Library Week** is the perfect time to celebrate our library while also taking the opportunity to check out what's new! Visit us during National Library Week for some fun giveaways and activities!

\* YOUNG AUTHORS WORKSHOP  
TUESDAY, APRIL 8TH  
@ 4:00 PM



AGES 6 - 12. LIMITED SEATING.  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Calling all young aspiring writers! Do you have a story to share? Join the *Young Authors Workshop!* This program is designed for young writers to learn about writing and illustration to jump start their creative journey. See your story come to life and added to the library's collection!

\* DROP-IN PROGRAM:  
TINY ART  
THURSDAY, APRIL 10TH,  
4:00 PM - 7:00 PM



ALL AGES. WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.  
Stop by the library and create some TINY ART! The library will provide a tiny canvas and paint supplies. Come bring your creativity and make pieces to include in the library's display for National Library Week! Paintings can then be picked up after April 14th.

\* TALL TALES AND SILLY SONGS  
SATURDAY, APRIL 12TH  
@ 11:00 AM



ALL AGES.  
Get ready for some tall tales and silly songs in celebration of National Library Week! Join **Todd Downing** for a lively show of kids' tunes, dancing, and fun for the whole family!

ADULT PROGRAMS

CHAIR YOGA  
WEDNESDAY(S),  
APRIL 9TH & MAY 14TH  
@ 2:00 PM



AGES 60+. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.  
Join **Rhonda's Rhythms** for a chair yoga class designed for all levels. This session includes breathing, meditation, stretching in the chair, standing poses, and ends with relaxation. This program is made possible by an *AgeOptions Library CARES* grant.

MEDICARE SCAM PRESENTATION & BINGO  
THURSDAY, APRIL 10TH  
@ 1:00 PM



AGES 62+. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.  
Learn about trending scams, how to prevent, detect, and report healthcare fraud. Play SMP Bingo afterwards to reinforce what you learned! Presented by **Senior Medical Patrol**. Call the library at **847-678-0433**, email [programs@schillerparklibrary.org](mailto:programs@schillerparklibrary.org) or visit our website to register!

QUICK & EASY MEALS FOR SENIORS  
SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH  
@ 11:00 AM



AGES 55+. LIMITED SEATING.  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.  
Short on time? Chef **Susan Maddox** demonstrates how to prepare delicious quick and easy meals that are cooked in a snap! Samples will be available. This program is made possible by an *AgeOptions Library CARES* grant.

## ADULT PROGRAMS (CONT.)

PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT [schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org) FOR MORE INFORMATION ON PROGRAMS AND EVENTS.

### SENIOR COFFEE HOUR MONDAY(S), APRIL 21ST & MAY 12TH @ 9:30 AM



**AGES 55+. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Join us for coffee, games and conversation! Light refreshments provided. *This program is made possible by an AgeOptions Library CARES grant.*

### TEACUP FLORAL ARRANGEMENT TUESDAY, MAY 6TH @ 6:00 PM



**AGES 18+. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
**COST IS \$20.00. PAYMENT DUE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION. LAST DAY TO REGISTER IS MAY 1ST.**

Join us for a Mother's Day floral design program. **Peggy Garvin** brings fresh flowers, and teacups to inspire your floral arrangement for someone special or yourself. *Please bring your own pruners.*

### DEMENTIA FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES PRESENTATION THURSDAY, MAY 8TH @ 1:00 PM



**AGES 18+. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Interested in supporting people living with dementia in your community? Become a **Dementia Friend!** Attend the upcoming **Dementia Friends** presentation to learn more about dementia and the Dementia Friends movement! Presented by *AgeOptions*.

### SOUNDBATH MEDITATION WEDNESDAY, MAY 21ST @ 2:00 PM



**AGES 60+. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Join yoga instructor **Rhonda's Rhythms** for a guided soundbath meditation session with ambient sounds and vibrations of crystal and Tibetan singing bowls, Tingsha Bells, and other instruments to tap into your deeper subconscious, creating a sense of calm, peace, and relaxation. This program is made possible by an *AgeOptions Library CARES* grant.

### WEEKNIGHT MEAL SOLUTIONS FOR SENIORS SATURDAY, MAY 24TH @ 11:00 AM



**AGES 55+. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Looking for great weeknight meal solutions? Chef **Susan Maddox** returns to demonstrate some delicious recipes and how each can be turned into other tasty meals. Samples will be available. *This program is made possible by an AgeOptions Library CARES grant.*

### WII BOWLING FOR SENIORS THURSDAY(S), APRIL 3RD, APRIL 17TH MAY 1ST & MAY 22ND & 1:00 PM



**AGES 62+. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Join in the excitement of *Wii Bowling*, a virtual bowling game - without the retro shoes or heavy ball! *This program is presented in partnership with the Schiller Park Recreation Department and the Schiller Park Public Library.*

### TECHNOLOGY HELP OPEN TO AGES 18+. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.



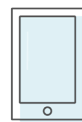
Sign up for a 30-minute, one-on-one tech help appointment. The library can assist with the basics of computer skills, the Internet, email, social media, and available digital resources. *\* Please bring your device, cords, and passwords to your scheduled appointment. \**  
**For more information and to reserve an appointment, visit our website and fill out a form.**

### DROP-IN TECH HELP TUESDAYS, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM



Have a quick tech question? We can help!  
Visit the library during our weekly Drop-In Tech Help sessions to get answers to your questions. *Sessions are limited to 15 minutes.* Please call the library at **847-678-0433** for more information.  
**PLEASE NOTE: The library is unable to assist with hardware repairs, specialized software instruction, and in-depth technology issues.**

### DROP-IN PROGRAM: TECH HOUR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23RD 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM



**AGES 55+. 15 MINUTES EACH SESSION. SESSIONS ARE FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED.**  
Get help with your device to access social media, eBooks, email and more. Bring your questions and your device!  
**Please note: The library is unable to assist with in-depth technology issues, hardware repairs, or specialized software instruction.**

### ADULT CRAFT N' CREATIONS THURSDAY(S), 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM AGES 18+. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.



**\* APRIL 24TH:** To welcome our growing season, let's make small wooden planters!  
**\* MAY 8TH:** Using salt and pepper shakers, floral wire, buttons, we will create adorable bouquets that can be used as a spring decoration or given as a Mother's Day gift!

### LIBRARY OF THINGS WEDNESDAY, MAY 7TH @ 10:00 AM



**AGES 18+. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Did you know the library offers tech items for checkout? This includes mobile hotspots, Chromebooks and more. Learn about each piece of equipment and how to use them in this hands-on class!

### ILLINOIS LIBRARIES PRESENT VIRTUAL PRESENTATIONS (ONLINE VIA ZOOM)



Register for these online events through Zoom at [schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org).

**\* APRIL 10TH @ 7:00 PM - The Art of Foraging w/ Alexis Nikole Nelson**  
**\* MAY 3RD @ 2:00 PM - Art and Adventures w/ Author/Illustrator Dan Santat**  
**\* MAY 13TH @ 7:00 PM - Poverty: A Discussion w/ Matthew Desmond**  
(These events are made possible by *Illinois Libraries Present*. For information about *Illinois Libraries Present*, visit [www.illinoislibrariespresent.com](http://www.illinoislibrariespresent.com).)

## TEEN PROGRAMS

### TEEN GAMING

TUESDAY(S) @ 6:00 PM

APRIL 29TH: Super Mario Party

MAY 27TH: Super Smash Bros.



AGES 12 - 17. LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Come and join the library for some quick videogaming fun and snacks!

### UNBIRTHDAY TEA PARTY

SATURDAY, MAY 3RD @ 2:30 PM

AGES 12+.

LIMITED SEATING. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.



***\*This program is for both Teens and Adults.\****

Celebrate your very merry unbirthday at the library as we enjoy a mad Tea Party, including refreshments, crafts and more to drive you mad as a hatter!

## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



**\* CAREGIVER(S) MUST BE PRESENT WITH THEIR CHILDREN DURING PROGRAMS. CHILDREN AGE 9 AND UNDER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT OR AN ADOLESCENT AT LEAST 14 YEARS OF AGE AT ALL TIMES. \***

### 1,000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

**1000 BOOKS**  
before kindergarten

Parents are invited to join this special reading program to introduce reading to their young children and discover a love of books along the way! **For more details and to register, visit Children's World or [schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org).**

### STORIES & MORE



MONDAY(S) @ 10:30 AM:  
APRIL 14TH & MAY 19TH

OPEN TO AGES 2 - 5.  
LIMITED SEATING.  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Enjoy a short story followed by some fun hands-on play!

### TODDLER OPEN PLAY



MONDAY, APRIL 28TH @ 10:00 AM

AGES 1 - 5, WITH A CAREGIVER.

Visit the library for a playdate each month! Children and their grownups can stop by for some unstructured playtime, read books, socialize, and make new friends. Toys and refreshments provided.

### POP UP SPRING GRAB AND GO CRAFT KITS



AGES 2 - 12.

1 PER PARTICIPANT.  
WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.

Grow creativity and imagination with a popup craft series! Each kit includes a ready to assemble craft. Hop into spring fun and visit Children's World during spring to lookout for popup kits.

### LEGO CLUB



TUESDAY(S) @ 4:00 PM:  
APRIL 15TH & MAY 13TH

OPEN TO AGES 3 - 12.  
LIMITED TO 20 PARTICIPANTS.  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Bring your imagination and join the library for a building challenge! LEGOS provided.

### MOTHER'S DAY PAINT & PLANT



TUESDAY, MAY 6TH @ 4:00 PM

OPEN TO AGES 3 - 12.  
LIMITED SEATING.  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Paint and plant the perfect gift for your Best Tea... Mom!

### STORIES & SNACKS



FRIDAY(S) @ 4:00 PM:  
APRIL 11TH, MAY 9TH & MAY 30TH

OPEN TO AGES 2 - 8.

Join the library for a set of themed stories while enjoying snacks!

### DROP- IN PROGRAM: CELEBRATE EARTH DAY



TUESDAY, APRIL 22ND  
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

AGES 2 - 12. 1 PER PARTICIPANT.  
WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.

Come celebrate Earth Day! Visit the library for a fun green related activity.

### DROP-IN PROGRAM: NATURE SCAVENGER HUNT

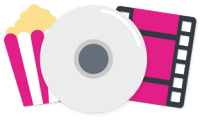


TUESDAY, MAY 20TH -  
WEDNESDAY, MAY 21ST

OPEN TO AGES 2 - 12. WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.

Embark on an adventure in Children's World and search for items found in nature. Complete the scavenger hunt and receive a small prize.

# FUN FOR ALL AGES: MOVIE AFTERNOON!



## MOVIE AFTERNOON

**SATURDAY(S) @ 1:00 PM: APRIL 26TH & MAY 10TH**

Join the library for a newer released movie! B.Y.O.S. - Bring Your Own Snacks!

*\* TIMES AND MOVIE RATINGS MAY VARY. \**



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### Hours of Operation:

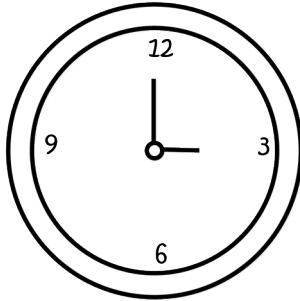
**MONDAY, WEDNESDAY,  
FRIDAY AND  
SATURDAY:**

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

**TUESDAY AND  
THURSDAY:**

12:00 PM to 8:00 PM

**SUNDAY: CLOSED**



**\* COMPUTER, PRINTING,  
AND FAXING SERVICES  
END 10 MINUTES BEFORE CLOSING. \***

### Language Accessibility:



- **ENGLISH:** View the *Schiller Park Public Library* website and events in English, Polish, and Spanish. Look for the Google logo in the upper right hand corner of our website: **[schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org)**.
- **POLISH:** Zobacz stronę internetową *Biblioteki Publicznej Schiller Park* i wydarzenia w języku polskim. Poszukaj logo Google w prawym górnym rogu naszej strony: **[schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org)**.
- **SPANISH:** Vea el sitio web de la *Biblioteca Pública de Schiller Park* y eventos en español. Busque el logotipo de Google en la esquina superior derecha de nuestro sitio web: **[schillerparklibrary.org](http://schillerparklibrary.org)**.

## HOLIDAY CLOSINGS:

THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED ON THE DATES BELOW TO OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING HOLIDAYS:

**FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH**



**Good Friday**

**MONDAY, MAY 26TH**



**Memorial Day**

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