



Children's Fall Programs 2012

CURIOUS LITTLE MONKEYS PLAY GROUP

(Birth—36 months)

Thursdays from 10:15 to 11:00am - Main

LAPSIT (Birth - 24 months)

Tues., Wed., & Thurs. at 9:15, 10:15 & 11:15am - Black Road

Saturdays at 10:15 & 11:15am - Black Road

TODDLER TIME (18 months - 3 years)

Mondays at 9:30, 10:30 & 11:30am - Black Road

Wednesdays at 9:45, 10:45 & 11:45am - Black Road

Thursdays at 9:45am - Main Library

STORYTIME (3 - 5 years)

Mondays at 1pm – Black Rd.

Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. & 1pm – 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) Main

Tuesdays at 7pm - Black Road

Wednesdays at 10:30am - Main

Thursdays at 9:30, 10:30, 11:30am & 1pm - Black Road

COOKIES AND MILK STORYTIME AT PANERA BREAD (Ages 3 - 5 years)

Fridays - 9:30am

Join us for songs and stories at Panera Bread, located in the Louis Joliet mall,
and get a free cookie!

September 14 and 28, October 12 and 26, November 9 and 30
Registration is begins August 27, September 24 and October 22.



JOLIET PUBLIC LIBRARY

Youth Services Dept. 815-740-2662

EVENTS AT BOTH BUILDINGS

I Can Read Club (Grades K-2) Parents share and explore literacy concepts with your children who are emergent readers. *Registration for Fall Session 1 is required and begins September 4. Fall Session 2 registration begins October 29.*

Main Library

Session 1: Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
September 12, 19, 26, October 3, 10
Session 2: Wednesdays at 4:30 p.m.
November 7, 14, 21, 28 December 5

Black Road Branch

Session 1: Mondays at 4:30 p.m.
September 10, 17, 24, October 1, 8
Session 2: Mondays at 6 p.m.
November 5, 19, 26 December 3, 10

Snap Circuits (Grades 3-6) Work with your friends to build a radio, burglar alarm, microphone or other gadget. *Registration is required and begins August 27, September 17, October 22, and November 19th.*

Main Library

Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
September 18, October 16, November 20

Black Road Branch

Wednesdays, 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Sept. 5, Oct. 3, Nov. 7, Dec. 5



Talk Like A Pirate Day (All Ages) Wednesday, September 19, during library hours. Arrrr, matey! Show off your pirate skills with drop in crafts and other seaworthy activities. *No registration is required.*

Awesome Airplanes (All Ages) Learn how to fold fantastic paper airplanes in many different ways, then test them out in a race with your friends and family! *No registration is required.*

Main Library

Tuesday, October 2, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Black Road Branch

Monday, October 1, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Friday Film Festival (All Ages) Come to the library and enjoy a family friendly movie and some snacks! *No registration is required.*

Main Library

Fridays 6:30-8:30 p.m.
October 19 (Robots)
November 16 (Diary of a Wimpy Kid)

Black Road Branch

Fridays 6:30-8:30 p.m.
September 7 (Dr. Dolittle)
November 9 (Diary of a Wimpy Kid)



Circularity (Grades 3-6) Join us for circular weaving, making recycled jewelry and other activities. *Registration is required and begins October 1.*

Main Library

Wednesday, October 17, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Black Road Branch

Tuesday, October 16, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Spy School (Grades 3-6) Calling all spies, come to the library for a special mission where you'll learn the tricks of the trade from code breaking to disguises. *Registration is required and begins October 22.*

Main Library

Tuesday, November 6, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Black Road Branch

Thursday, November 8, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Decorate a Diary (Grade 3-6) Design and decorate your very own diary or journal to use just like Greg Heffley and Nikki Maxwell. *Registration begins November 13.*

Main Library

Tuesday, December 4, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Black Road Branch

Thursday, November 29, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

EVENTS AT MAIN LIBRARY ONLY

Guys Read (Grades 3-5) Tuesdays: September 25, October 23, November 27, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Hang out and talk about books and graphic novels! Enjoy pizza and soda! *Registration is required and begins September 10, October 15 and November 12.*

Video Game Night (Grades 3-6) Thursdays: September 20, October 18, November 15, 5:00-8:00 p.m. *No registration is required.*

Come to the library and have fun playing Wii video games with your friends!

Storytime with Santa (All Ages) Friday, November 23, at 12 p.m., 2 p.m., or 4:00 p.m. Enjoy some holiday stories and get your picture taken with Santa before the Light up the Holidays parade! *No registration is required but seating is limited.*

EVENTS AT BLACK ROAD BRANCH ONLY

Pokémon League (Suggested for Grades 2-8) Wednesdays: September 12 and 19, October 10 and 17, November 14, December 12, 6:00-8:00 p.m. *No registration required.* Become a Pokémon Master and take on your friends during free play or a tournament! *Any children who want to "duel" should bring their own deck of 60 cards.*

Play Dough Day (All Ages) Saturday, September 22, 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Make your own play dough and create colorful works of art! *Registration is required and begins September 4th.*

Magic School Bus Movie Marathon (All Ages) Monday, October 8, 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Climb aboard the Magic School Bus with Miss Frizzle and friends as you explore and learn by watching episodes of the award winning television show. Drop in any time!

Author Fair (All Ages) Saturday, October 13, 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Forty published authors of fiction and non-fiction books for children, teens and adults will be available for a meet and greet. There will be free face painting for children, Nook demonstrations for teens and adults, and books will be available for purchase.

Dinosaur Dig (Grades K-2) Monday, October 22, 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

Explore the world of the dinosaur through fun games, a craft and other dinosaur themed activities. *Registration is required and begins October 8th.*

Crafty Chloe (Grades K-2) Thursday, November 15, 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

Get crafty at the library with Chloe and use household items to create something new! *Registration is required and begins November 1.*



Stories with Santa (All Ages) Tuesday, December 18, 10:00.-11:00 a.m. and Wednesday, December 19, 6:30-8:00 p.m. *No registration is required.*

Santa and his helpers will read seasonal stories. Children will have an opportunity to meet Santa and spend time doing activities with their families. Bring your camera! *This event is co-sponsored by the Will County Reading Council.*