

SUMMER AT LINCOLN LIBRARY

Read Beyond the Beaten Path...

FAMILY MOVIE MONDAYS Every Monday at 2 p.m. in Carnegie North, June 20-July 25 (excludes July 4) All Ages & Their Families Come in From the summer heat and watch a movie in our air-conditioned theater. We'll bring the popcorn!

TAKE & MAKES Our popular take & make crafts and activities will continue throughout June and July. Stop by Lincoln Library's Youth Services Department and pick one up!

2022 SUMMER READING KICK-OFF Friday, June 10th, 2 pm All Ages!

Back by popular demand, the Bubble Bus will be joining us at the Library's Capitol Avenue entrance to kick-off Summer Reading!

FAMILY STORYTIME ON LINCOLN'S LAWN Every Thursday, 10:30 am, June 2nd - July 28th

All Ages & Their Families Join us on the lawn of Lincoln's Home Site (located directly across from Lincoln Library on Capitol Avenue) for sun-soaked stories, songs, and movement!

DROP INS WELCOME!

Summer Fun for the Whole Family!

June

Magic Show with Richard Landry, Comedy Magician (with magic rabbit, Snowball) Tue, June 14th, 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families

Martika and her Circus Show! Fri, June 17th, 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families. Enjoy the astounding entertainment from the one-woman stunt show, Martika Daniels!

DIY Fidget Cubes Wed, June 15 at 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families Create your own infinity fidget cube! Registration is required.

Absolute Science Foam Blaster Tue, June 21 at 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families Absolute Science & Springfield Fire Department will help bring a foamy fun time!

Owl Pellet Dissection Wed, June 22 at 2 p.m. Grades K-5 Explore what owls eat through the dissection and examination of owl pellets. Registration is required.

Sun Print Art with Sara Sat, June 25 at 12 p.m. All Ages & Their Families Adult Services Librarian, Sara, will show us how you make a unique work of art using the sun!

Edible Campfires Wed, June 29 at 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families Make a delicious campfire you can eat and learn about fire safety! Registration is required.

Youth Programs

Paint Your Own Birdhouse Wed, July 6 at 2 p.m. Grades K-5 Paint your own beautiful birdhouse for our feathered friends. Registration is required.

Glittering Galaxy Jars Wed, July 13 at 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families Be mesmerized by your customized galaxy sensory jar! Registration is required.

Rube Goldberg Challenge Sat, July 16th, 2 p.m. Grades K-12 In this challenge, children will have to think "off the beaten path" by creatively coming up with a way to do a simple task in the most elaborate way they can think of!

Make Your Own Ice Cream Wed, July 20 at 2 p.m. Grades K-5 Stop by and learn how to make homemade ice cream, afterwards enjoy the deliciousness with an array of ice cream toppings, YUM!

LEGO Build & Play! Wed, July 27 at 2 p.m. All Ages & Their Families What can you make with the Library's LEGOs in an hour? Come show off your stuff!

Programs for Adults & Teens

Art Beyond the Beaten Path Art Show All summer long at Lincoln Library, see wondrous works by local artists displayed throughout the building.

Arts in the Park! Fri, June 10th at Washington Park & Friday, July 8th at Lincoln Park, from 6:30-8 p.m. Paint in the park with local Springfield artist, Jeff C. Williams, from Dim Art House.

Walk & Talk Book Club Let's get outside for our Walk & Talk Book Club! Join us to talk about your favorite books, what you've been reading recently, and to discover new books while we walk in Springfield's most beautiful parks! Visit our website for dates, times, and locations: lincolnlibrary.info/events

Nature Walk at Jubilee Farm Sat, June 11th 8 a.m. at Jubilee Farm Join Tony Rothering, biology professor from LLCC, for an informative nature walk to learn about local flora and fauna. Registration required.

Tabletop One Shot: Dungeons & Dragons Sat, June 18th, 1 p.m. Grade 6 and up (Adults, too!) Join library staff as we lead a short fantastic adventure through the world of Abeir-Toril, home to all manner of magical creatures. All skill levels welcome

Capitol Avenue Amble Tue, June 28th, 6-8 p.m. All Ages Join City Historian Curtis Mann for a guided tour of Capitol Avenue from Lincoln Library to the Illinois State Capitol and back. Mann will discuss the history of the avenue, its many buildings, past and present, and the story of the State Capitol.

July

Capitol Avenue Amble Tue, July 12th, 6-8 p.m. All Ages Join City Historian Curtis Mann for a guided tour of Capitol Avenue from Lincoln Library to the Illinois State Capitol and back. Mann will discuss the history of the avenue, its many buildings, past and present and the story of the State Capitol.

A Walk Through Oak Ridge Cemetery & Grave Rubbing Tue, July 19th, 6 p.m. All Ages Join City Historian Curtis Mann for a guided walk through the southeast section of the cemetery. Learn about interesting history, monuments, and families. Note: This is an extended walk and covers a considerable distance. Registration is required.

Collage Art with Michael Albert Fri, July 29th at 6 p.m. All Ages New York-based artist, Michael Albert, will be joining us to teach us how to collage with cereal boxes!

