



CONNECTIONS

JUNE - JULY 2025

SUMMER READ 2025



777 FRONT ST. • LISLE, IL



MON - FRI: 9:30AM - 9PM
SAT: 9:30AM - 5PM
SUN: 1PM - 5PM



630-971-1675

SCAN TO GO
TO THE EVENT
CALENDAR



Library Hours

Mon - Fri: 9:30AM - 9PM

Sat: 9:30AM - 5PM

Sun: 1PM - 5PM

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Closure

July 4: Independence Day

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Social Media



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Mission Statement

The Lisle Library District is committed to enhancing the cultural, social, and lifelong educational development of the community.

Vision

Our vision is to enrich, educate, and empower the residents of the Lisle Library District.

Scan me to visit lislelibrary.org!



From the Desk of the Director

This year, the LLD is participating in the **Hokusai in Lisle** experience by not only facilitating the wonderful volunteer art banner project, but our Summer Read event will also boast Hokusai themes: catch the [foam] wave in our family-friendly foam pit, take a photo in our Hokusai-inspired photo booth, and take part in a live mosaic art project using our Hokusai-inspired logo for the summer. Please join the LLD on Saturday, May 31 from 10 am – Noon. Don't forget to sign-up for Summer Read, it's an all-ages program with great prizes for everyone!

And we'll also see you at Lisle's 4th of July Parade! Keep your eyes out for LLD staff and Trustees wearing their Hokusai-inspired t-shirts! We'll have some goodies for parade watchers too!

Tatiana Weinstein

Director | LLD

Summer Read May 31 - Aug 3

Kids: Track your minutes to earn:

Sign Up = Sunglasses • **250** = Cup • **500** = Frisbee
750 = Cooling Towel • **1000** = Book

Every **100** extra minutes between **1100 - 2000** receives an entry for a prize drawing!

Babies:

Complete **15** activities with your child to receive a beachball!



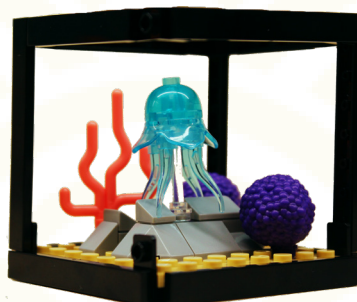
Adults:

Read and log **4** books to earn a cooler tote bag!

Scan the QR code or go to

bit.ly/4knmwj4

to sign up



Teens:

Read and log **4** books to earn a buildable **aquarium**!





Storytimes



Little Movers and Shakers

WALKING - 2 YRS

Mondays @ 9:30AM

June 2, 9, 16, 23/July 7, 14, 21, 28

Wednesdays @ 10:30AM

June 4, 11, 18, 25/July 9, 16, 23, 30

Thursdays @ 10:30AM

June 5, 12, 19, 26/July 10, 17, 24, 31

Bitty Babies

6 WKS - 1 YR

Tuesdays @ 9:30AM

June 3, 10, 17, 24

July 8, 15, 22, 29

Stories and Songs

2YRS +

Wednesdays @ 9:30AM

June 4, 11, 18, 25/July 9, 16, 23, 30

Thursdays @ 9:30AM

June 5, 12, 19, 26/July 10, 17, 24, 31

Music & Movement

3YRS +

Tuesdays @ 10:30AM

June 3, 10, 17, 24/July 8, 15, 22, 29

Pajama Storytime ALL AGES

June 12 @ 6PM: **Mermaids and Sea Monsters**

July 23 @ 6PM: **Teddy Bear Sleepover**



Cookies and Crayons (Pre-K - Grade 3)

June 7/July 5 @ 10AM (Youth Services Dept.)

Make fabulous art and enjoy a cookie too!
Completed art will be posted in the Youth
Services Department for everyone to admire!

CrafTea Time (Grades 1-4)

2PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Dress up in your finest attire and join us for
a tea party! Dainty snacks and tea will be
served while we create a cute craft.

June 20:

Origami

July 11:

Kawaii Picture Frames

Pokémon Club (K - Grade 4)

June 4, 18/July 9, 23 @ 4PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Pokémon fans unite! Play games
and complete crafts; all with a
Pokémon theme.

Kindergarten Art Jam (Ages 4-6)

June 5, 12, 19, 26 / July 10, 17, 24, 31

3:30PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Join us for fun process-oriented art and flex
your creative muscles.

Lego Builders (K - Grade 4)

June 11, 25/July 16, 30

4PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Join the open Lego play session designed
to let imaginations lead the way! Legos and
challenges are provided.

Kids Balloon Dance Party

(Pre-K - Grade 3)

July 2 @ 5PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Dance, sing, and party away
in a balloon party room!

Hot Wheels Car Show and Track Day (K - Grade 3)

July 3 @ 2PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Decorate a car and race others at the LLD's
Annual Hot Wheels Car Show. Cars will
be provided to decorate and a track will be
available to race and jump hot wheels.

Mud Madness (Pre-K - Grade 1)

July 15 @ 2:30PM (Southeast Parking Lot)

Get ready to get messy! Have fun playing in
the mud as we do science and art activities.
Wear clothes that can get muddy.



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Funday Afternoon

Grades 1- 4 Mondays @ 4PM
Meeting Room B

2nd • Paper Spinners

9th • Paint Monsters

16th • Cold Science

23rd • Slimy Sand

June

July

7th • Magnetic Maze

14th • Salt Art

21st • Jelly Cube Slime

28th • Soap at the Beach

ARTstravaganza

10AM Meeting Room B

June 6: Dot Painting

June 13: Chalk Art

June 20: Kinetic Sand

June 27: Stamp Art

July 11: Crayon Building

July 18: Stencil Art

July 25: Salt Watercolor Art

Friday Night Sing-Along

Come and sing along to an animated classic!

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June 6 @ 6:30PM

July 11 @ 6:30PM

Saturday Morning Cartoon Party

**THE
WILD
ROBOT**

June 21 @ 10AM

DOG MAN

July 19 @ 10AM

Summer Performer Series

June 17 @ 2PM

T-Rexplorers

Come learn about the wonderful
world of dinosaurs.



ROAR



July 8 @ 2PM

Frog Lady

Learn about Reptiles and
Amphibians from the
Frog Lady!

July 29 @ 2PM

Andy Head:

Wonderful Wacky Juggler

Laugh and be amazed
by Andy Head and his
wonderful juggling.



NEW
MONTHLY
BOOK
CLUB!

Check 'Em Out

Grades 4-6 4PM Oak Study Room

June 17

**Millionaires for
the Month**

by Stacy McAnulty

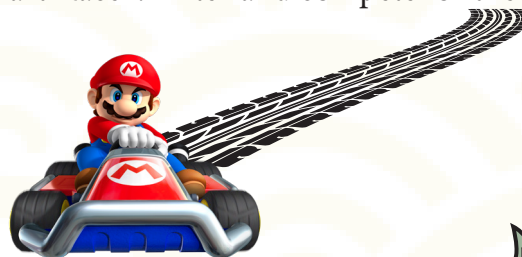
July 15

The Bellwoods Game
by Celia Krampien

Mario Kart Tournament Grades 2-5

June 14/July 12 @ 10AM (Meeting Room B)

Think you've got what it takes to be Lisle's best
Mario Kart Racer? Enter and compete for the title.



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Teen Manga Book Club

11AM/Teen Room

June 7

My Hero Academia

Vol. 1

by Kohei Horikoshi

July 19

Frieren: Beyond

Journey's End Vol. 1

by Kanehito Yamada

Knits and Loops

Grades 5-12

June 14/July 5 @ 10:30AM (Teen Room)

Join us for our monthly knit and crochet club! Whether you already know how or have never tried, come join us! Bringing your own projects and tools is encouraged, but not necessary.

'Sushi' and Anime Afternoon

Grades

June 20/July 25 @ 2PM (Teen Room) 6-12

Join us for DIY candy 'sushi'-making and vote for the anime film we'll watch!

Books & Banter

Grades 7-10

MOVIE EDITION

1PM (Meeting Room B)

This summer, read the book, and then join us as we watch the film adaptation. Refreshments provided.

June 28:

The Hunger Games

by Suzanne Collins

July 26:

The Golden Compass

by Philip Pullman



Super Smash Bros. Tournament

Grades 6-9

June 6/July 18 @ 4PM (Meeting Room B)

Can you survive 'til the end on the Super Smash stage? Enter and compete to win.



CREATIVE

ORNER

Grades 5-9

June 8/July 27 @ 2PM (Teen Room)

Bring your crafting materials, and make some art! Supplies and refreshments provided.

Summer Read Volunteer Training

Ages 10-17/Grades 6-12 (Teen Room)

Want to help out the Library? Become a summer volunteer and learn how to provide essential support to the 2025 Summer Read Program! Contact Ms. Mallory at caisem@lislelibrary.org by **June 20, 2025**, if you have questions or would like to be scheduled for volunteering in **July**!

For training dates, visit lislelibrary.org/teens



Teen Craft

Grades 6-12 **Tuesdays @ 4PM**
Teen Room

3rd • **Paper Lotus Lanterns**

10th • **Sashiko Sewing**

17th • **Stamp Carving Class**

24th • **Origami Jumping Cat**

8th • **Mini Beaded Hanging Plant**

15th • **Hokusai Paper Cross-stitch**

22nd • **Boba-Making Class**

29th • **Grass-Woven Fish**

June

July



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Adults

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Adult Take & Makes – June & July

Sign up on Monday for the week's Take & Make Kit, then pickup throughout the week in Adult Services. Kits contain supplies and instructions.



June 23-27
Strawberry
Cross Stitch



July 21-25
Mini Watermelon
Gift Boxes

Hokusai and the Art of Edo

June 10 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Join Diana Martinez, Director of the MAC at the College of DuPage, for a sneak peek at **Hokusai & Ukiyo-e: The Floating World**.

Explore the history of the Edo period, Hokusai's artistic journey, and insights into the exhibit's curation.

Documentary Screening of *Suited*

June 27 @ 7PM (Meeting Room A/B)

Join the LLD for a screening of the 2016 documentary *Suited*, which tells the story of Bindle & Keep, a Brooklyn tailoring company that helps members of the LGBTQ community embrace their identities.



Craft & Coffee

June 28/July 26 @ 10AM (Meeting Room A & B)

Bring your own crafting project and join us as we chat, craft, and enjoy coffee/tea and snacks.

Food For Thought:

A Culinary Discussion Group

July 3 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Home chefs, join us for a culinary discussion group meeting! Pick one cookbook that fits the month's theme: **Beverages**. Choose one recipe from the book to create before we meet, and come prepared to share experiences, pictures, and recommendations!

Adult Craft:

Rainbow Origami Art

June 13 @ 7PM
(Meeting Room B)

Use rainbow origami paper to make paper cranes, then fit them in a frame to create a colorful work of art! Registration opens 2 weeks before the event.



George Washington:

Mt. Vernon to Washington DC

July 8 @ 7PM (Meeting Room A/B)

George Washington was the first President of the United States. Join Terry Lynch as he brings Washington to life via historical portrayal. Discover what led him from surveying land to commanding a nation.



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Adult Craft: Printed Fabric Tote Bag

July 11 @ 7PM
(Meeting Room A)

Create your own stamp
inspired by linocut printing,
and use your stamp with
paints to decorate a tote bag!
Registration opens 2 weeks
before the program.



Trivia!

July 18 @ 7PM
(Meeting Room A/B)

Want to test your
general knowledge?
Join the LLD for Trivia!
Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and
3rd place. Come solo
or bring a buddy!



Reducing Stress Through Meditation

July 28 @ 6:30PM (Meeting Room B)

Back by popular demand, Umesh Bhatia will discuss
the effects of meditation in reducing stress-related
responses. He will also present a simple and effective
meditation technique.



Technology Classes

Facebook Marketplace 101

June 11 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Interested in buying or selling on
Facebook Marketplace? Learn how
to post a listing, deal with buyers and
sellers, and avoid pitfalls.

Using Excel to Create a Budget

June 26 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Join us to learn how you can use
Microsoft Excel to track your monthly
expenses, including how to list items
and costs, include payment frequencies,
create column headings, and add up
your expenses.

Introduction to Canva

July 14 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Learn the basics of Canva, a free online
graphic design tool that can help you
create professional-looking signs, posters,
presentations, social media posts, and
more, in this introductory class.

Genealogy to Trace Your Roots

July 31 @ 7PM (Meeting Room B)

Discover foundations of your family history
in this overview of Ancestry.com Library
Edition & Heritage Quest. Learn how to
access census, immigration, or church
records, or discover information from
biographies, directories, or newspapers.



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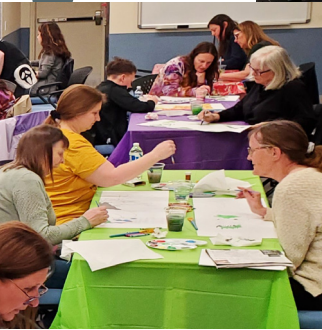
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Thank You Hokusai

Summer 2025 Lisle

葛飾北齋

Thank you, Lisle! You helped brighten and beautify the Village with colorful Hokusai banners! Individual volunteer artists, Lisle Woman's Club volunteers, School District 202 students, and the Hokusai Team: *Lisle Library District, Pulse Studio, Jen Rizzo Designs, Shiny Squirrel Art Studio, and Village marketing staff* all made this Hokusai experience possible. Don't forget to visit all the banners at these locations throughout the summer: Gallery 777 at the Library, Main Street art walk, Village Hall, and Park District.



Stop in today!

Front Street

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