



Preview

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We're joining CCS!

We are excited to announce we are joining the Cooperative Computer Services (CCS) catalog consortium in October 2024. A catalog consortium is a group of libraries that share the same catalog and can easily, quickly, and automatically share physical items with each other. There are 30 libraries in CCS; MPPL will be 31.

The community asked for this improvement during the 2022 Strategic Planning process, and it comes with significant benefits for Mount Prospect cardholders. As part of CCS, cardholders will have access to over 7 million items and will be able to place holds for those items at other libraries which will be automatically sent to the library in about 48 hours.

To handle the increased circulation of materials, we are updating a small portion of the Main Library with a target completion date of early fall 2024. The improvements will include expanded lobby space for more holds, more Library of Things, and more Lucky Day materials.

For more information and regular updates, visit mppl.org/updates.

LEGO Invasion

The Northern Illinois LEGO Train Club returns to the library for a two-day event showcasing their amazing display March 9-10. Whether you are young, old, or somewhere in between, there's something for everyone to enjoy. *Sponsored by Friends of the Library.*



Solar Eclipse



A solar eclipse is set to visit again on Monday, April 8, with 94 percent coverage of the sun in the Chicago area, and the library is ready! Pick up your very own solar eclipse glasses at the Main Library or South Branch to safely view this cosmic coincidence. Limited quantities available.

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Library Programming

Program registration is often required using the online calendar or by contacting the library. Program format and location will be indicated within the online calendar.

The library needs at least a one-week notice if special accommodations are needed.

Program Symbols

Registration required (R)

No registration required (NR)

Virtual program (V)

Hybrid program: both in-person and virtual options (H)

Youth Events

Sensory Explorers: Make Art!

FOR AGES 2-6 WITH AN ADULT

Friday, March 1, 10 a.m.

Your little artist will have tons of fun making messy art you can take home! (R)

Polish Storytime

FOR AGES 6 AND YOUNGER

WITH AN ADULT

Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m.

Join us for an interactive, bilingual storytime with stories, songs, rhymes, and activities that celebrate the Polish language and culture! *Presented by The Language Labs.* (NR)

Homeschool Hangout

FOR FAMILIES

Thursday, March 7,

Wednesday, April 17, 10 a.m.

Get to know some other homeschool families in the area while playing games, trying out hands-on activities, and more! (NR)

Sound Explorers

FOR AGES 3-7 WITH AN ADULT

Thursdays, March 7, 21,

April 4, 18, 3 p.m.

Join us for play-based activities that develop phonemic and phonological awareness skills based in the science of reading. (R)

Build with LEGO!

FOR AGES 5 AND OLDER

Friday, March 8, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

or 4:15-5:15 p.m.

Use the library's LEGO collection to collaborate with friends or work on your own to make fantastic and unique creations. (NR)

LEGO Train

FOR FAMILIES

Saturday, March 9, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sunday, March 10, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Come and experience the Northern Illinois LEGO Train Club's amazing display! Follow the train around the room as it travels through different worlds painstakingly created by adult LEGO enthusiasts. *Sponsored by Friends of the Library.* (NR)

Mini Math with the Numberblocks

FOR AGES 3-7 WITH AN ADULT

Tuesdays, March 12,

April 9, 2 p.m.

Time for some number fun with our friends, the Numberblocks! Together, we will build early math skills through hands-on fun with these lovable, colorful characters. (R)



Beginning Ukulele for Caregivers

FOR FAMILIES

Thursday, March 14, 7 p.m.

Saturday, March 30, 2:30 p.m.

Grab your uke (or borrow one of ours) and join us for a fun introduction to the instrument and the three chords you need for nearly every child's song. (R)

Creation Station

FOR AGES 3 AND OLDER

WITH AN ADULT

Craft and create with us! We'll provide an idea and supplies — you create your own masterpiece. (NR)

Perler Beads

Monday, March 4, 6-7 p.m.

Fuse colorful plastic beads together with an iron to create a colorful keychain or magnet.

Rock Painting

Tuesday, March 26

9:30-10:45 a.m.

Wednesday, March 27

3-4:15 p.m.

Use acrylics to paint unique designs onto rocks.

Beautiful Birds

Monday, April 22, 10-11:15 a.m.

Tuesday, April 23, 6-7 p.m.

Celebrate Earth Day by making something that highlights the amazing diversity of birds.

Youth Events

Mario Party

FOR AGES 3 AND OLDER WITH
AN ADULT

Saturday, March 23, 2-3:30 p.m.

"Hui hew!" Jump-start your spring break with Mario-themed activities fun for the whole family. (NR)

Developmental Playgroup

FOR FAMILIES

**Thursday, March 28, April 25
10:30-11:30 a.m.**

Join us for an inclusive playgroup for children who receive or are considering therapy services. (NR)

Music with Miss Julie

FOR FAMILIES

Friday, March 29, 10 a.m.

Join Miss Julie for a fun morning of singing and dancing. (NR)

Potty Palooza

FOR AGES 2-5 WITH AN ADULT

Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m.

Little ones will get excited about ditching the diapers and caregivers will learn strategies to help support this big transition. (R)



Nature Detectives

FOR AGES 3 AND OLDER WITH THEIR
FAMILIES

Tuesday, April 23, 10:30 a.m.

Let's be curious and explore our amazing world through natural materials, books, and crafts. (R)

Family Stories and Crafts

FOR FAMILIES

**Wednesday, April 24
10:30 a.m.**

We'll celebrate art that we find in books by making our own! (NR)

Día del Niño

The library celebrates Día del Niño, or Children's Day, throughout April. Día del Niño recognizes the importance of literacy for all children — regardless of their home language or culture — diversity in literature, and how respect for different cultures strengthens communities.

Celebrate Día del Niño with programs for kids of all ages and pick up a Día del Niño craft kit from the Youth desk or South Branch beginning April 15. While supplies last.



Family Maker Workshop: Build a Playground

FOR AGES 4 AND OLDER WITH
THEIR FAMILIES

**Wednesday, April 24
3:30-4:45 p.m.**

Create a unique paper playground! (NR)



Lotería Night | ¡Noche de Lotería!

FOR FAMILIES

Friday, April 5, 5 p.m.

Listen, match, and win prizes during this fun, fast-paced, bilingual bingo-like game. (R)

Bilingual Storytime | Cuentos y Cantos

FOR FAMILIES

Saturday, April 13, 10 a.m.

Join us for a bilingual storytime for the entire family! (NR)

Super Saturday: Celebrate Día with Alina Celeste and Mi Amigo Hamlet

FOR FAMILIES

Saturday, April 27, 10 a.m.

Celebrate love, acceptance, diversity, and language in Spanish and English with this interactive Being Bilingual Rocks! show featuring an eclectic blend of original and traditional songs from Latin America. (R)



Storytime Sessions

Baby Storytime

FOR AGES BIRTH THROUGH 24 MONTHS WITH AN ADULT

Registered Sessions (R)

Mondays, March 4, 11, 18, April 1, 8, 15, 9:30 a.m.
Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19, April 2, 9, 16, 9:30 a.m.
Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20, April 3, 10, 17, 10:30 a.m.

Drop-In Storytime (NR)

Fridays, March 8, 15, 22, April 5, 12, 19, 9:30 a.m.

Toddler Storytime

FOR AGES 2-3 WITH AN ADULT

Registered Sessions (R)

Mondays, March 4, 11, 18, April 1, 8, 15, 10:30 a.m.
Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20, April 3, 10, 17, 9:30 a.m.

Drop-In Storytime (NR)

Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21, April 4, 11, 18, 10:30 a.m.

Pre-K Storytime

FOR AGES 3-5 WITH AN ADULT

Registered Sessions (R)

Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19, April 2, 9, 16, 10:30 a.m.

Drop-In Storytime (NR)

Thursdays, March 7, 14, 21, April 4, 11, 18, 9:30 a.m.
Fridays, March 8, 15, 22, April 5, 12, 19, 10:30 a.m.

Family Drop-In Storytime (NR)

FOR FAMILIES

Wednesdays, March 6, 13, 20, April 3, 10, 17, 6 p.m.

Mini Movers (V) (R)

FOR AGES 8 AND YOUNGER WITH THEIR FAMILIES

Tuesday, March 5, 12, 19, 6 p.m.

For more details and to register, visit mppl.org

For Grade Schoolers

Girls Who Code

FOR GRADES 3-5

Tuesdays, March 5, April 9, 5 p.m.

Children of any gender identity are welcome to participate in creating a simple digital coding project. Girls Who Code is a national non-profit organization whose mission is to close the gender gap in technology. (R)

Animal Investigators

FOR GRADES 1-5

Let's hang out and admire incredible animals together! We'll learn, share our knowledge and excitement, plus do an experiment or craft. (R)



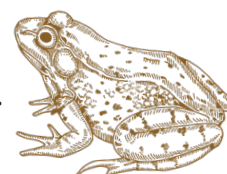
Snakes

Monday, March 11, 6 p.m.

Frogs

Monday, April 8, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, April 16, 4:15 p.m.



LEGO Squad

FOR GRADES 3-5

Mondays, March 18, April 15, 6 p.m.

We'll provide the LEGO bricks; you show off your skills. (R)

Comics Club: "Dog Man"

FOR GRADES 3-5

Tuesday, March 19, 4:15 p.m.

Don't miss this chance to chat and celebrate the comic book series "Dog Man" by Dav Pilkey. (R)



Mini Golf Fundraiser
SATURDAY, MARCH 16

ALL AGES



See following page for details.
Sponsored by the Library Foundation

Art and Science Adventures

FOR GRADES 1-5

Explore the amazing world of science by making unique art. (R)

Pi Day Party

Thursday, March 14, 4:15 p.m.

It's everyone's favorite day, 3.14! Celebrate the magic of math with crafts and activities that feature circles.

Color Explosion

Thursday, March 28

1 p.m. or 3 p.m.

Play with color and make observations about diverse topics like color vision and states of matter.

Whizbang Seed Sculptures

Saturday, April 20, 2:30 p.m.

Monday, April 22, 6 p.m.

Use clay to create miniature sculptures that release wildflower seeds as they erode outdoors.

Visit our online calendar to see the programs and events scheduled for Spring Break!



Tinker Lab: Light It Up

FOR GRADES 1-5

Monday, March 25

1 p.m. or 3 p.m.

Create a simple circuit using copper tape, a battery, and an LED light. Then get creative and make a lantern to diffuse the light in a warm glow. (R)

Minecraft Engineers

FOR GRADES 3-5

Tuesday, March 26

2 p.m. or 4 p.m.

Friday, April 19, 4:15 p.m.

Build unique structures that solve various design challenges. (R)

Pokémon Science

FOR GRADES K-5 WITH AN ADULT

Wednesday, March 27, 10:30 a.m.

Discover the science behind Pokémon powers with nationally recognized "Mr. Science" Jason Lindsey. *Sponsored by Friends of the Library.* (R)

Laugh It Up with Knuckleball Comedy

FOR GRADES K-5 WITH AN ADULT

Saturday, March 30, 10:30 a.m.

Watch and laugh together as presenters from Knuckleball Comedy help you get to know each other in new ways, creating the type of fun every family wants to join. *Sponsored by Friends of the Library.* (R)

Silly Surprises Workshop

FOR GRADES 1-5

Monday, April 1, 4:15 p.m.

Join us as we create a few all-in-good-fun pranks to play on friends and family, perfect for April Fool's Day or whenever there's an opportunity for harmless mischief. (R)

Introduction to 3-D Printing

FOR GRADES 3-5

Tuesday, April 2, 5 p.m.

Learn how to create objects using digital-design computer software and a 3-D printer. (R)

Solar Eclipse Watch Party

FOR GRADES K-5 WITH THEIR FAMILIES

Monday, April 8, 1-2:30 p.m.

Experience this exciting celestial event together with activities for the whole family. (NR)



Pokémon Club

FOR GRADES 1-5

Thursday, April 11, 5:30 p.m.

Meet up with other Pokémon fans for activities, games, and more fun! (R)

Adult Events

The Supremes of Justice

Wednesday, March 6, 7 p.m.

Tauya Forst and Richard Forst, professors of Criminal and Justice Studies at the College of DuPage, discuss the only six women who have been appointed to the United States Supreme Court and how they have impacted the bench. (R)

Career Coaching Appointment | Cita de Orientación profesional

Thursdays, March 7, 21,

April 11, 25, 6 p.m. or 7:15 p.m.

Jumpstart your job search with a virtual one-hour session with an experienced career coach to discuss résumé updates, applying for jobs online, and interview preparation.

Inicie su búsqueda de empleo con una sesión virtual de una hora con un entrenador profesional experimentado para analizar las actualizaciones del currículum, la solicitud de empleo en línea, y la marca personal y la preparación de entrevistas. (V) (R)

Night Off? Game On!

Mondays, March 11, April 22

7 p.m.

Spend your night off playing tabletop games with other gaming enthusiasts! (R)

Character Fleadh Performance

Tuesday, March 12, 7 p.m.

Enjoy a performance of traditional Irish and Scottish folk music, with a Chicago twist. *Sponsored by the Library Foundation.* (R)

Managing Money: A Caregiver's Guide to Finances

Wednesday, March 13, 7 p.m.

Learn tips for managing a loved one's finances, how to prepare for future care costs, and the benefits of early planning.

Presented by the Alzheimer's Association in partnership with the Village of Mount Prospect Human Services Department. (R)

Making the Most of Medicare

Thursday, March 14, 7 p.m.

Enza Haas, benefits specialist at the Kenneth Young Center, will explain Medicare eligibility, timelines, costs, supplements, different ways to receive Medicare coverage and how to find the best plan for you. (R)

AARP Driver Safety Course

Tuesday, March 19 and

Wednesday, March 20, 1 p.m.

This two-part, eight-hour program provides a refresher course for drivers aged 55 and up. (R)

Modern Calligraphy: Brush Pen

Tuesday, March 19, 7 p.m.

Audrey Moon of Audrey Ra Design will teach how to write with a brush pen by practicing basic strokes and the alphabet. (R)

Mount Prospect Stories: Dressing for a New Era

Thursday, March 21, 7 p.m.

In this session of Mount Prospect Stories, Emily Dattilo, director of the Mount Prospect Historical Society, will discuss where Mount Prospect residents shopped for clothing in the post-war 1950s and 1960s. (R)

Mini Golf Fundraiser

Saturday, March 16

10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Enjoy a day of family fun when you play an 18-hole miniature golf course inside the library! Then visit the 19th Hole entertainment area for refreshments, entertainment, games, and activities. *Sponsored by the Library Foundation.* (NR)



Channel Your Calm

Adult Silent Reading

Wednesday, March 27, 7 p.m.

Take a break from your hectic day and enjoy dedicated silent reading in a calming space. (R)

Zentangle Doodles

Wednesday, April 3, 7 p.m.

Try out Zentangle, a method of drawing known to help with relaxation, focus, and expanding your imagination. (R)

Let's Talk Books

Wednesdays, March 27,
April 24 1 p.m.

Join other readers to share which books inspired recent raves, rants, or "it's complicated" reactions. (R)

Lawyers at the Library Your Legal Help Desk

Wednesdays, March 27, April 24
6:30 p.m., 7 p.m., 7:30 p.m. (V) (R)

A Visit to the Netherlands and Belgium

Tuesday, April 2, 7 p.m.
Learn about the geography and history of Amsterdam, the Netherlands and Belgium as well as highlights of Gene Flynn's 2019 river cruise. (R)

A Path to Your Family Story with Ancestry Library Edition

Tuesday, April 9, 7 p.m.
Learn from our genealogy and e-resources librarians about the benefits of the Ancestry Library Edition subscription database. (R)

DIY Financial Planning

Thursday, April 11, 7 p.m.

Financial educator Karen Chan will introduce you to free and affordable tools to help you make wiser decisions with your money. (R)

Wills, Trusts, and Estate Planning Basics

Monday, April 15, 7 p.m.

Learn about wills, trusts, powers of attorney, probate, and guardianship with attorney Jacob K. Ehrensaft who will explain how to ensure your final wishes can be protected. (R)

Beginning Cross-Stitch

Tuesday, April 23, 7 p.m.

Learn how to get started with cross-stitching and make a cute design to hang in your home or give as a gift. (R)

Small Business Morning Meetup

Thursday, April 25, 9 a.m.

Share a cup of coffee with other local entrepreneurs, start-ups, founders, freelancers, home businesses, and solopreneurs. Expand your network, exchange ideas, and make connections while enjoying donuts. (R)



Artificial Intelligence and Genealogy: Trouble Ahead?

Thursday, April 25, 7 p.m.

Learn how artificial intelligence technologies are used to improve genealogy and whether or not you should seek out other uses of AI for your own genealogy research. (V) (R)

Movies @ MPPL

All movies are shown with closed captioning.

The Holdovers

2023; R; 133 MINUTES

Thursday,
March 14, 2 p.m.
A cranky history teacher at a remote prep school is forced to remain on campus over the holidays with a troubled student who has no place to go. (R)



A Haunting in Venice

2023; PG-13; 103 MINUTES

Thursday,
April 11, 2 p.m.
In post-World War II Venice, Hercule Poirot reluctantly attends a seance. But when one of the guests is murdered, it is up to the former detective to uncover the killer. (R)



Earth-Friendly Gardens: Sustainable Practices for Making Your Garden Greener

Monday, April 29, 7 p.m.

Horticulturist and educator
Nina Koziol will share practical,
eco-smart strategies to
transform your garden.

*Presented in partnership with the
Garden Club of Mount Prospect. (R)*



Community Blood Drive

Tuesday, April 30, 3-7 p.m.

Help save lives and make a
difference by donating blood. The
library is partnering with Versiti to
host a community blood drive for
ages 17 or older. (R)

Technology

Mac Studio Orientation

Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m.

Learn how you can breathe new
life into cherished memories by
digitizing photos, slides, 8mm film,
and VHS tapes. Discover how you
can use Adobe Photoshop to edit
photos and Adobe Premiere to
create a cinematic masterpiece. (R)

Microsoft Word Drop-In Tech Training

Tuesday, March 12, 2-4 p.m.

Do you have a question about
Microsoft Word? Whether general
or specific, we are here to help
guide through the nuances of the
digital document. (NR)

Drop-In Tech Training

Thursday, March 14
10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Stop in and bring your questions
about technology related
subjects like Word, Excel,
PowerPoint, email, and e-books.
(NR)

Microsoft Excel Drop-In Tech Training

Tuesday, March 19, 2-4 p.m.

Do you have a question about
Microsoft Excel? Whether general
or specific, we are here to help
guide through the nuances of the
spreadsheet. (NR)

Microsoft Office 365 Basics

Thursday, March 28, 6 p.m.

The variety of apps that make up
Office 365 can be daunting and
difficult to organize. Join us as
we demystify and breakdown the
software package into clear and
retainable parts. (R)

Android Basics

Thursday, April 4, 10 a.m.

Get more comfortable with your
Android tablet or phone as Mike
Gershbein from Very Smart
People demonstrates how to
navigate, find apps, and customize
your device. (R)

Book Discussions



Wednesday Morning Book Group (NR)

Wednesday, March 6, 11 a.m.

The Sweetness of Water
by Nathan Harris

Wednesday, April 3, 11 a.m.

When No One is Watching
by Alyssa Cole

Book Chat (NR)

Monday, March 11, 7 p.m.

The Paris Library
by Janet Skeslien Charles

Monday, April 8, 7 p.m.

Now is Not the Time to Panic
by Kevin Wilson

Wednesday Night Book Group (V) (R)

Wednesday, March 20, 7 p.m.

The Stationery Shop
by Marjan Kamali

Wednesday, April 17, 7 p.m.

True Biz
by Sara Nović

Registration required (R)

No registration required (NR)

Virtual programs (V)



**Costume Design with
Ruth E. Carter: Interweaving
Tradition and Imagination**
Wednesday, March 20, 7 p.m.

Best known for turning the Black Panther superhero into an African King, Ruth E. Carter made history as the first Black person to win the Costume Design category for ***Black Panther***. Her work on ***Black Panther: Wakanda Forever***, made her the first Black woman to win multiple Academy Awards in any category and the first costume designer to win for a film and its sequel. Carter is also known for costume design on period ensemble films. (V) (R)

**The Hidden Gifts of Visual
Thinkers with
Dr. Temple Grandin**
Wednesday, April 3, 7 p.m.



Dr. Temple Grandin has long been at the forefront of research and activism for autism and neurodiversity. Her memoir, ***Emergence: Labeled Autistic***, was published in 1986, and she has continued to write about autism and neurodivergence over the decades. Grandin's research on animal behavior spearheaded a reform in the quality of life for agricultural animals. (V) (R)

These events are made possible by Illinois Libraries Present, a statewide collaboration among public libraries offering premier events. ILP is funded in part by a grant awarded by the Illinois State Library, a department of the Office of Secretary of State, using funds provided by the U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services, under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA).



Teen Events • FOR GRADES 6-12 •

Teen Volunteering

Give back to the community and earn volunteer hours as you work for a good cause helping with community service projects. (R)

South Branch

Mondays, March 11, April 8, 5 p.m.

Main Library

Friday, March 15, 5 p.m.

Thursday, March 28, 5 p.m.

Wednesday, April 10, 5 p.m.

Friday, April 19, 5 p.m.

Craft Programs

Each month we meet to get crafty and make something new. (R)

Fleece Tied Pillows

Thursday, March 21, 4:30 p.m.

Ceramic Planter

Wednesday, April 24, 4:30 p.m.

Brave Space LGBTQ+ Teen Hangout

Tuesdays, March 12, April 9
4 p.m.

LGBTQ+ teens and their allies can enjoy games, snacks, and hangout time in a safe space facilitated by Teen Services staff and the LGBTQ+ Center at Kenneth Young. (NR)

Teen Book Café

Fridays, March 8, April 12
4:30 p.m.

Join us as we enjoy tasty treats, share brand new books, and recommend some of our favorites. Each participant will get to pick out a free book! (R)

BookFix

**Hand-picked library book.
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See April 1 on our online calendar at mppl.org to register using your library card.

ADULTS & TEENS

South Branch Events

1711 W. Algonquin Rd., Mount Prospect, IL 60056 847-590-4090 | www.mppl.org/southbranch

Play and Learn | Jugar y Aprender

FOR AGES 2-5 WITH AN ADULT
Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m.

Join us for a bilingual English/Spanish storytime, music, crafts, and play-based learning. Call the Community Connections Center at 847-506-4930 to register. (R)

Animal Investigators: Snakes

FOR GRADES 1-5

Wednesday, March 13, 5 p.m.

Let's hang out and admire incredible animals together! We'll learn, share our knowledge and excitement, plus do an experiment or craft. (R)

Build and Watch | Ver y construir

FOR FAMILIES

Enjoy a movie night at the library and have fun building with LEGO bricks! (R)



Finding Nemo

2003, G, 100 MINUTES
Friday, March 22
5 p.m.



Babe

1995, G, 91 MINUTES
Friday, April 19, 5 p.m.

Lotería de Astronomía

PARA FAMILIAS

Saturday, March 23, 12 p.m.

Aprendan un poco sobre el universo y diviértanse jugando al lotería de astronomía. ¡Juegue con amigos y familiares

para poder ganar premios divertidos! *This program will be presented in Spanish.* (R)

Astronomy Bingo | Lotería de Astronomía

FOR FAMILIES

Wednesday, March 27, 6 p.m.

Learn a little bit about the universe and have fun by playing Astronomy Bingo. Play alongside friends and family for a chance to win fun prizes! (R)

Cafecito, Conchas, y Conversación: Las herederas de la Singer

PARA ADULTOS Y ADOLESCENTES.

Saturday, April 6, 11:30 a.m.

Un cafecito, un pan dulce, y a charlar! Únase a nosotros en este grupo especial de lectura donde vamos a discutir el libro *Las herederas de la Singer* escrito por Ana Lena Rivera. *This program will be presented in Spanish.* (R)



Teen Volunteering South Branch

Check out volunteer opportunities on page 10.

Join us in celebrating Día del Niño!



Lotería Night! | ¡Noche de lotería!

FOR FAMILIES

Friday, April 5, 6 p.m.

Listen, match, and win prizes during this fun, fast-paced, bilingual bingo-like game of Lotería. (R)

Bilingual Storytime | Cuentos y Cantos

FOR FAMILIES

Wednesday, April 10
11:30 a.m.

Join us for a bilingual storytime for the entire family! Enjoy stories, songs, and activities. (NR)

See additional Día del Niño programs at the Main Library on page 4.



Most of our programs at South Branch are presented in English and Spanish. | La mayoría de nuestros programas en la Sucursal del Sur se presentarán en inglés y español.



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Regular Library Board Meeting

Thursday, March 21, 7 p.m.
Thursday, April 18, 7 p.m.

CONTACT US

Our public service desks are available
by chat, text, and phone.

Phone: 847-253-5675

South Branch: 847-590-4090

Chat: bit.ly/MPPLlivechat

Text: 847-750-4275

Online: mppl.org/contact-us

Main Library Location and Hours 10 S. Emerson St.

Monday–Thursday: 9 a.m.–9 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m.–7 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday: 11 a.m.–5 p.m.

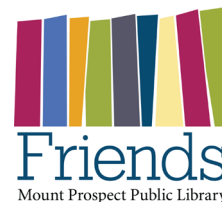
South Branch Location and Hours 1711 W. Algonquin Rd.

Monday–Friday: 11 a.m.–7:30 p.m.
Saturday: 11 a.m.–3 p.m.
Sunday: Closed

Friends Book Sale

Saturday, April 20, 9 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 21, 11 a.m.–4 p.m.

Stock up on great books at bargain prices during the Friends of the Library's used book sale. Funds raised through the sale will help the Friends support additional library programs, events, and services. For more information about the Friends of the Library including volunteer opportunities, visit their website: www.friendsofmppl.org



Library Foundation

The Mount Prospect Public Library Foundation now has a Facebook page! Look for us and follow our page to stay up to date on Foundation activities, including mini golf, raffles, concerts, Super Saturday events, STEAM programs, and more!

The Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization that raises funds to sponsor several library popular educational and cultural events, allowing the public to attend free of charge. If you would like to be part of the team that helps plan these events or if you have a business and are looking for sponsorship opportunities, please send us a message on Facebook or via our website, mpplfoundation.org.



The Main Library and South Branch will
close Sunday, March 24 — Easter