

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY



Watch Live: The Great Scott Magic Show

Saturday, July 11, 10 AM

This interactive show will have children on their feet participating - some of the magic even happens in the audience's own hands!

Watch Live: Family Concert - Tunes with Tim

Monday, July 27, 10 AM

A jammin' variety from nursery rhymes to Beatles tunes. Have a shaker, maraca, drum, or [DIY instrument](#) ready to make music with Tim!

Watch Live: Look Out Lunches!

Fridays, July 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31, 12 PM

Grab your lunch and join us for a new chapter each week, as our Librarians read aloud from this year's Book of the Summer, *Look Out For The Fitzgerald-Trouts*.

TAKE-AND-MAKE KITS

Available July 13 - July 27

These kits contain materials for a craft or project kids can do at home. Register from the Events Calendar, and we'll notify you when your kit is ready for pick up.

Toddler – PreK: Contact Paper Stained Glass and Nature Art

Grades K – 2: Sidewalk Stained Glass

Grades 3 – 8: Sun Prints

Register to be emailed a link to join virtual programs.

Programs can be accessed from computer, tablet, or mobile phone. First-time participants may need to download and run free software. We recommend joining a few minutes early.

While the Library building remains closed until further notice due to COVID-19, we're pleased to announce that some additional services are now available.

Parking Lot Pick-Up Service: visit balibrary.org/plp for details.

Most book returns are now reopen.

Visit balibrary.org/pick-up-return for locations.

STORY TIMES IN THE SUN

All ages w/caregiver

Meet us outside for stories, songs, and rhymes in nature! Families will be asked to sit together on provided blankets, set apart for social distancing. Out of consideration for other participants, please arrive wearing a mask (adults and children over the age of 2). Weather permitting. Register.

BALibrary Lawn

Wednesdays, July 8 & 22, 10 AM

Tuesdays, July 14 & 28, 10 AM

On the BALibrary lawn, east of the Library's upper parking lot.

Charles E. Brown Park

Saturday, July 25, 10:30 AM

At Charles E. Brown Park, W Long Grove Rd, Deer Park.

BOOK OF THE SUMMER

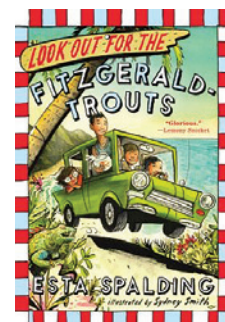
Watch Live: Book of the Summer Author Talk

Thursday, July 23, 3 PM

All ages

Meet Esta Spalding, author of our Book of the Summer, *Look Out For The Fitzgerald-Trouts*, in a live video chat with other Barrington area readers. Submit a question for the author ahead of time at youthservices@balibrary.org.

For more Book of the Summer activities and discussion questions, visit balibrary.org/bookofthesummer and our YouTube channel: www.youtube.com/YSatBALibrary.
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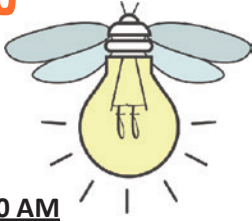
FOR BIRTH-6

Watch Live: Firefly Family Theatre - A Tiny Spark

Saturday, July 18, 10 AM

Ages 2 – 6 w/caregiver

Spark, the tiniest firefly in Firefly Grove, can't figure out how to light up. Join her determined journey through the forest, learning from others as she goes, in this interactive family theater experience!



STORY TIMES

Watch Now: All-Ages Story Time

A new, on-demand story time every Monday! Stories, songs, and rhymes to help your child build confidence, comprehension, and critical thinking skills.

Watch Live: Story Time

Thursday July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 10 AM

Books, songs, rhymes, and movement to build language and literacy skills.

Watch Now: Story Time Shorts

Tune into our YouTube Channel for quick rhymes, songs, and movement activities: follow along at home! New videos added weekly: [youtube.com/YSatBALibrary](https://www.youtube.com/YSatBALibrary)

Watch Live: Staycation Story Time

Friday, July 10, 10 AM

All ages w/caregiver

Vacation postponed? We've got you covered with stories and rhymes to make you feel like you're at the beach. No sunscreen necessary!

Watch Live: Virtual Story Time Dance Party

Friday, July 24, 10 AM

All ages w/caregiver

A dance party in your living room! We'll crank up the tunes, you move and groove to the beat.

ABOUT YOUTH SERVICES VIRTUAL PROGRAMS:

Watch Now

Find these pre-recorded on demand story times, activities, and book talks on our calendar. Activities become available on the dates listed below.

Watch Live

Live, virtual programs, hosted by the friendly Youth Services Librarians you know..

Visit the Events Calendar to view/register and get more details



PRE-K TUESDAYS!

Watch Live: Pajama Story Time

Tuesday, July 7, 7 PM

Put on your PJs for relaxing stories and songs before bedtime.

Watch Now: Sesame Street on Kanopy Kids

Tuesday, July 14

Watch an episode of *Sesame Street*, streaming free on Kanopy Kids with your BALibrary card, and enjoy accompanying activities to extend your child's learning.

Watch Live: Little Kids, Big Feelings

Tuesday, July 21, 2:30 PM

Mister Rogers said that anything mentionable is manageable. Let's talk about all feelings, big and small, through books, songs, and mindfulness exercises.

Watch Now: *We're Going On A Bear Hunt*

Tuesday, July 28

A virtual performance of the picture book favorite, *We're Going On A Bear Hunt*, brought to you by our Librarians.

FOR GRADES K-5

Wednesdays at 2:30 PM

Watch Now K – 5

**July 8: Great Summer Reads
for K – 5**

Great recommendations from your trusty Librarians.

July 22: DIY Light Painting

Learn how you can create awesome light-painted images at home.

Watch Live K – 5

July 1: Pokemon Fan Club

Virtual meet-up to talk about all things Pokemon.

July 15: Trivia Time

Show off your skills in this live virtual challenge. Compete solo or form a virtual team with your friends.

July 29: Harry Potter Fan Club

Wizard or muggle, you're welcome here.

FOR GRADES 6-8

Thursdays at 3:30 PM

Watch Now 6 – 8

**July 9: Middle School:
Check Out This Book!**

Great book recommendations from your trusty Librarians.

Watch Live 6 – 8

July 23: Middle School: Trivia Time

Show off your skills in this live virtual challenge. Compete solo or form a virtual team with your friends.

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NON-PROFIT KNOW-HOW:

Strategic Plans

Wednesday, July 8, 12 PM

Dr. Alicia Schatteman, Acting Director of the Center for Nonprofit and NGO Studies at NIU, teaches critical steps to design and execute an effective, practical strategic plan. Focus your organization's energy and resources to overcome challenges to your mission.

BUSINESS: IT'S BETTER IN BARRINGTON

Creating a Business Plan

Monday, July 6, 7 PM

Learn the steps to create a meaningful business plan. Aaron Lebedow of SCORE presents.

Harnessing Instagram as a Marketing Tool

Wednesday, July 8, 7 PM

Instagram is a fantastic platform for visual marketers. Learn practical tips for using Instagram to set your brand apart. Julie Kittredge presents.



Opt In: Becoming an Involved Citizen **Thursday, July 16, 7 PM**

*In collaboration with
League of Women Voters –
Palatine Area*

Author Liz Samuel Richards (*Run, Jane, Run*) moderates a panel of local experts on being involved and effective in public life. From occasional volunteering to running for and holding office, explore how to leverage your experience and skills.



Behind the Scenes: SOUL Harbour Ranch **Sunday, July 19, 3 PM**

Get a virtual tour and demonstration from SOUL Harbour Ranch, discovering how their therapy animals learn to interact with people.

Cooks with E-Books: Summer Pies, Tarts, and Crisps **Tuesday, July 21, 2 PM**

Chef Susan Maddox prepares three new favorites – perfect desserts for the rich bounty of summer fruits in our local markets and gardens. Learn tips and techniques for making great crusts and toppings.

Registrants will receive the recipes and viewing instructions by email.

SECOND FRIDAYS



Romance Gone Wrong (and Sometimes Right!) with Sue Fink

Friday, July 10, 7 PM

Break-ups, wayward hearts... no fun in real life, but heartache makes for great songs! Singer-songwriter Sue Fink entertains with original takes on modern romance, as well as timeless classics.

Meditation Workshop **Wednesday, July 22, 7 PM**

Join mindfulness practitioner Chris George for an introduction to meditation, followed by a guided meditation session.

Neapolitan Cosmopolitan: Catherine the Great, Odessa, and 'O Sole Mio **Thursday, July 23, 7 PM**

Learn how the famous Neapolitan song 'O Sole Mio' exposes the multicultural roots of Odessa, Ukraine, and deepens not only our understanding of Russian imperial geopolitics, but also contemporary disputes such as Russia's intervention in Ukraine.

Uncovering A Lost Civilization: Archaeology and the Bronze Age **Thursday, July 30, 7 PM**

Discovery to identification to interpretation: learn how archaeologists uncovered what is known as the Oxus Civilization in Central Asia. See this impressive collection, which remains relatively unknown today.

The 1910s: Ragtime, Wilson, and World War I **Wednesday, July 15, 7 PM**

Head back to an era of great inventions and tremendous upheaval: the first phone conversation, the sinking of the Titanic, the Romanov family murders, World War I, and the 1918 Influenza. With historian Jim Gibbons.

The Roaring 1920s: Flappers, Speakeasies, and Coolidge **Wednesday, July 29, 7 PM**

The building trade was booming, the economy skyrocketing. Fast cars, ruthless gangsters, rotgut booze, lofty expectations. Then the boom went bust, and markets crashed, ushering in the Great Depression. With historian Jim Gibbons.



COMPUTERS & TECHNOLOGY

Tech Topics Webinar: Mac Computer Basics

Thursday, July 9, 1:30 PM

Learn basic functionality of the Mac operating system: system preferences, finder, the dock, and native Apple apps.

Tech Topics Webinar: Alternatives to Adobe Creative Cloud

Wednesday, July 29, 1:30 PM

Get similar results to Adobe Creative Cloud with free software: image editing, vector design, video editing, page layout, and web design.

iMovie Photo Slideshow

Wednesday, July 22, 1:30 PM

Create a video slideshow of your digital pictures by combining text, transitions, and narration, using the Mac operating system and iMovie. Register to get viewing details.

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Win virtual badges, free books, and a chance at great prizes like gift cards. Kids might win a Razor Scooter or Switch Lite! Help us reach our community goal and Barrington Bank & Trust will donate \$1,000 to local food pantries

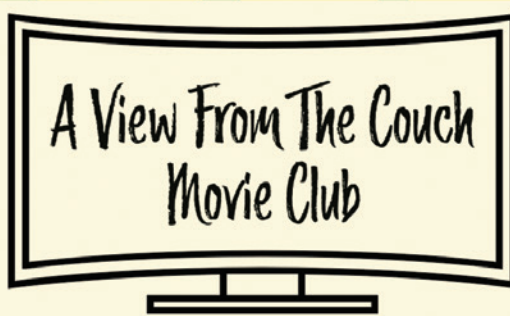
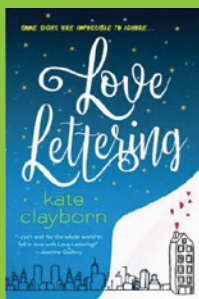
For all
ages

LIT @ HOME

Love Lettering by Kate Clayborn

Monday, July 13, 7 PM

Join Librarians Liz and Sam from your couch to discuss popular titles in a virtual book club for adults. Use your Barrington Area Library card to listen to the audiobook on Hoopla or borrow the e-book.



The Bookshop

Tuesday, July 14

7 PM

Dial M for Murder

Tuesday, July 28

7 PM

Watch the selected movie of the week and then join Librarians Hayley and Annette for an online discussion about the film. All films are available for free through the Library's Kanopy streaming video collection. Register to receive all details on streaming the movie and joining the discussion.