

THE MAYWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT'S



NEWSLETTER



**Library Announcement:**

The library will be closed on Mon., **February 17**. Come check out the quilts at the library during February! You can now use Explore More Illinois for discounted tickets to museums and cultural centers across Illinois. **Do you need a Passport for travel plans?** Call to schedule an appointment.



**Bingo:** On Sat., **February 3** and Wed., **February 26** from 5-6. Come in and play some bingo to win some prizes in the Children's Department. This month, bingo will be played with the names and dates that are significant to Black History Month.

**Valentine's Day Slime:** On Sat., **February 12** from 5-6, in the Children's Department, make your own Valentine's Day slime with beads and glitter! Registration necessary\*.

**All Month in the Children's Department:**

Take a look at our displays dedicated to Black History Month. The Children's Department will have coloring and activity sheets available. Every **Wednesday** and **Saturday**, all day, come to the Children's Department to answer a trivia question for a prize. Prizes are limited.

**DIY Cocoa Body Butter:** On Sat., **February 8** from 3:30-5, learn more about Madam CJ Walker, one of the first self-made successful women in her time for her line of beauty products, and make your own cocoa body butter that smells like chocolate. For grades 4-12. Registration necessary\*.

**African Dance Fusion Classes:** Fitness Specialist and Exercise Physiologist Rhonda Fentry, owner of Rhythms Dance and Yoga, will instruct classes on African Dance from 12-1 on Sat., **February 15** and Sat., **February 29**. Children must be with an adult to participate.

**All Month in Information Services:**

Take a look at our displays dedicated to Black History Month. Come to the Reference Desk every **Tuesday** and **Thursday**, all day, to answer a trivia question for a prize. Prizes are limited.

**Madam CJ Walker Beauty Hour:** Join us to make bath bombs &/or sugar scrubs and learn more about the life of Madam CJ Walker on Sat., **February 1** at 12. Registration necessary\*.

**Paint Your Own Wine Glass:** Join us for an early Valentine's Day activity and paint your own wine glass on Sat., **February 8** at 12. Must be 21+ to participate. Will require home care. Registration necessary\*.

**Movie at the Library:** Come to the library on Sat., **February 22** for a showing of "Harriet" (PG-13) at 12.

**Book Discussion and Signing:** Join us for a presentation, discussion, and book signing by local author Major Lorenzo A. Fiorentino on his latest book "Illinois Military Monuments" on Sat., **March 7** at 11. Copies will be available from the author for purchase.



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**Ongoing Programs:**

**Instructions in Quilting:** Meets on **Tuesdays** from 12-2:30.

**Bingo:** Meets on **Wednesdays** from 1-2.

**Instructions in Sewing:** Meets on **Thursdays** from 12-2:30.

**Strum Circle:** Meeting on Saturday, **February 8**, from 4-5. Bring your stringed instrument and play along to traditional folk, blues, and bluegrass songs. All levels of experience welcome!

**\*Register for events by calling 708-343-1847 or online at [www.maywoodlibrary.org/rsvp](http://www.maywoodlibrary.org/rsvp)**

**Library Hours**

Monday and Wednesday: 12:00 pm-7:00 pm  
 Tuesday and Thursday: 12:00 pm-5:30 pm  
 Saturday: 9:00 am-5:30 pm  
 Friday and Sunday: Closed



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