



NEWSLETTER



Library Announcement:

The library will be closed on **January 1** and **20**. You can use your adult library card to check out **hotspots**. You can now receive free or discounted tickets to museums and cultural centers across Illinois through Explore More Illinois. **Do you need a Passport for travel plans?** Call schedule an appointment.



Observing MLK: On **January 16**, the Children's Department will be observing Dr. Martin Luther King all day by having a display, a discussion of his message and legacy, and giving information about how his, along with others, efforts continue to affect us.

US Census: A representative from US Census will be at the library for a hiring event and to answer any questions about the 2020 Census on **January 22** from 3-4.

Create a Vision Board: On **January 4** at 3, kick off the 2020 year by creating your own vision board. This can help you achieve your goals. Must be 16+ to attend. Registration necessary*.

Stop the Bleed: On **January 25** at 10, join us for free life-saving training. Stop the Bleed is intended to cultivate grassroots efforts that encourage bystanders to become trained, equipped, and empowered to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives. 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 **February 15** and **29**. Children must be with an adult to participate.

Work at Brookfield Zoo: A representative from Brookfield Zoo will be at the library for a hiring event on **January 14** and **21** from 3-5.

Hot chocolate and DIY Mug: On **January 18** at 4, paint and decorate your own ceramic mug while enjoying a cup of hot chocolate! Ages: 5+. Registration necessary*.

Cookies and Hot Chocolate Storytime: Drop by our story hour, on **January 22** at 4:30, where you can enjoy some winter stories and some treats while you read.

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 **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 **February 8** at 12. Must be 21+ to participate. Will require home care. Registration necessary*.

Movie at the Library: Come to the library on **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 **March 7** at 11. Copies will be available from the author for purchase.



Ongoing Programs:

- Instructions in Quilting:** Meets on **Tuesdays** from 12-2:30.
- Bingo:** Meets on **Wednesdays** from 1-2. Will not meet on **January 1**.
- Instructions in Sewing:** Meets on **Thursdays** from 12-2:30. Will not meet on **January 2**.
- Strum Circle:** Will resume in February 2020! 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**

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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