



YOUTH PROGRAMS



STEM(A)



Monday | Nov. 6th & Nov. 20th
3:30 PM to 5 PM

Participants will explore Science, Technology, Engineering, Math and Art, with stimulating and fun activities.

Monday Movies

Monday | Nov. 13th & Nov. 27th
3:30 PM to 5 PM

Join us for our Monday afternoon movie lineup.



Family Game Night

Wednesday | Nov. 8th
5:30 PM to 7 PM

Spend an evening together relaxing and having fun playing games.

Unplugged Play

Daily | 10 AM to Close

Pick up coloring pages, board games, building blocks, puzzles, and more. Toddlers, teens and every age in between may hang out at the library participating in activities where we are unplugged from electronic devices and screens! Drop by anytime during normal business hours.

Gaming Hangout

Tuesdays | 3:30 PM to 5 PM

Stop in to play video games, board games, or card games every Tuesday afternoon!

Chess Strategies

Wednesdays | 4 PM to 5 PM

Learn winning strategies to improve your chess game.



Scavenger Hunt

Daily | 10 AM to Close

Pick up a new scavenger hunt every Wednesday during normal business hours!

Dear Diary...

Daily | 10 AM to Close

Sometimes writing down our thoughts and feelings can help us see things more clearly and get a better understanding. come pick up a journal here at the Broadview Public Library to help you get started.



Book Talk

Thursdays | 4 PM to 5 PM

Talk about your favorite books, what you want to read next and get recommendations.

Take & Make Craft Kits

Fridays | While Supplies Last

Stop by the library and pick up a different art kit every Friday. Available while quantities last.



Weekend Hangout

Saturdays | 10:30 AM to 4:30 PM

Drop in for board games, card games, puzzles, arts & crafts, legos, and movies.

Keep Calm and Color on

Daily | 10 AM to Close

Drawing and coloring can increase focus in all ages and is a great introduction to mindfulness.



Storytime

Tuesdays | 10:30 AM to 11 AM

Parents and care givers - join us for Early Literacy Storytime with songs, rhymes, and activities to help your little ones learn, grow and develop a love of reading.

The Great Book Character Hunt

Oct. 2nd - Nov. 21st

Book characters will be hidden throughout the children's area along with a letter. Collect all the letters to spell out a secret word and win a prize.



Fall Reading Challenges

Oct. 2nd - Nov. 21st

Come pick up a weekly Reading challenge, complete and return to Youth Services for a prize and raffle entry.



BOOKS AND BEYOND

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Book-a-Librarian

Daily 10 AM to Close | By Appointment Only

Schedule a free one-on-one appointment with a librarian for technology help or basic skills training on:

- Creating and editing a resume.
- Setting up and using email.
- Borrowing eBooks and other digital media.
- Learning how to use your laptop.
- Transferring pictures from your smartphone or digital camera.
- Installing apps on your tablet or smartphone.
- And many other topics.

Please come with any necessary logins for email or other accounts.

Sessions run up to 45 minutes. Call 708-345-1325.



Indie Author's Day

Friday | Nov. 3rd | 1 PM to 2 PM

Come view a panel on Diversity & Inclusivity in Indie-Publishing presented by Indie Author Day. Writing prompts and information about inkie.org, a free resource available to all Illinois residents thinking about self-publishing.



Come Write-In

Lo-fi music, brain boosting snacks, resources for writers of all genres and a communal space to write will be available throughout the month. Ready. Set. Write! November is National Novel Writing Month. Join in with participants all across the nation to hit the goal of 50,000 words.

Saturday | Nov. 4th & 18th | 3 PM

Monday | Nov. 6th & 20th | 10:30 AM

Thursday | Nov. 2nd & 30th | 6 PM

A Very Lit Open Mic

Tuesday | Nov. 7th | 6 PM to 8 PM

Share your short story, novel excerpt, poem or other literary work. Performers will have the opportunity to share for up to 4 minutes. Light refreshments will be provided. **Sign-up sheet goes up at 6 PM. Set begins at 6:15 PM.**



Pop-Up Poetry

Daily in November | 10 AM to Close

Stop in, grab a prompt (or not), and type up a tiny poem on our pink type-writer. Post your piece in our poet hall of fame or pocket your prose to go.

Gratitude is Good for You

Thursday | Nov. 9th | 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Learn about the art of keeping a gratitude journal while you decorate your own to take home. We will also chat about the many health benefits of keeping an attitude of gratitude.



Medicare Annual Enrollment Workshop

Saturday | Nov. 4th | 11:30 AM

Book Clubs

Silent Book Club - Broadview Library

Saturday | Nov. 11th | 3 PM to 4:30 PM

Thursday | Nov. 16th | 6 PM to 7:30 PM

No preparation needed. Bring a book (or grab one from the stacks), enjoy some snacks, and read!

Bone Chilled in Broadview (Horror Book Club)

Tuesday | Nov. 28th | 7 PM

Ballad of Black Tom by Victor Lavelle



Mocktail Mixology

Tuesday | Nov. 14th | 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Dry can be delicious. No matter your reason for leaving out the alcohol, mocktails are a fun and sophisticated way to stay sober this holiday season. Try out some classic mocktail recipes, create one of your own, and learn some tricks to present your mocktails in a festive fashion. **Attendees must register.**



Friendsgiving Game Night

Tuesday | Nov. 21st | 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM

Play games and make some new friends! Fall snacks and refreshments will be provided.



Digital Resource Corner

Resume Writing w/ Tutor.com

Monday | Nov. 13th | 10:30 AM

Tuesday | Nov. 14th | 7:30 PM

Tutor.com is a free resource that is available with your Broadview Library Card. Their live tutors are available daily for 1-to-1 career help and resume writing. There will also be career resources available for checkout.



Hours:
Mon - Thu: 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
Fri - Sat: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sun : Closed

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