

## Celebrate Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Thursday | Jan. 16th | 6 PM to 8 PM

In honor of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Join us for a screening and brief discussion of *In Remembrance of Martin* (1986), a PBS documentary currently available on Kanopy. Light refreshments will be provided.



**Broadview Public Library District will be closed Monday, January 20th in honor of Martin Luther King Day.**

## Create a Vision Board

Tuesday | Jan. 7th | 2 PM & 6 PM

Start the New Year off right by visualizing everything you will accomplish during 2025. All materials will be provided but please bring any images of your own to incorporate.



## January Children's Program Spotlight!

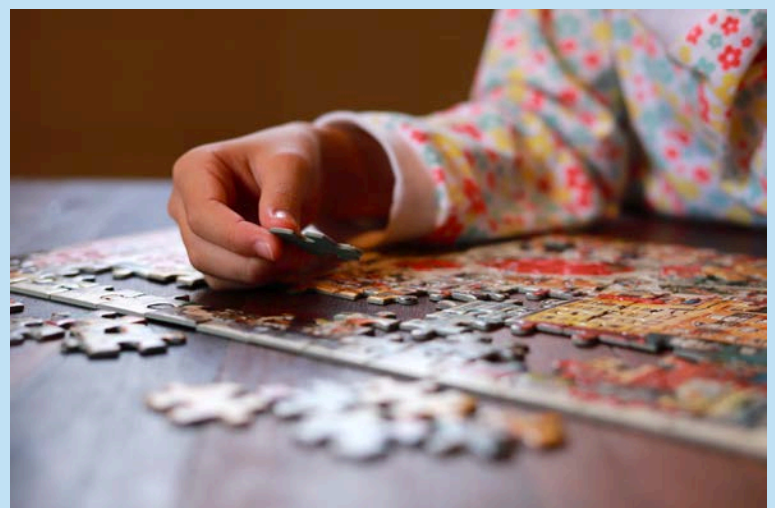
*Each month check back for a special kids program brought to you by our incredible children's department.*



## Highlights Press National Puzzle Day Party

Wednesday | Jan. 29th | 5:30 PM

Come celebrate National Puzzle day with us. There will be give aways activities, snack and of course Puzzles!





## Illinois Libraries Present

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### Chicago Pizza: Past, Present & Future with Steve Dolinsky

**Thursday | Jan. 9th | 7 PM**

Illinois Libraries Present Steve Dolinsky, well known Food Guy reporter at NBC 5

Chicago and James Beard Award winner for his TV, radio and podcast work. Steve is host of The Feed Podcast with Chicago chef/restaurateur Rick Bayless and Pizza City. He is the creator of Pizza City Fest, now in four cities, and author of two books about pizza.

Join Steve to dish on The Ultimate Chicago Pizza Guide: A History of Squares & Slices in the Windy City, his comprehensive guide to the styles, locales and people that make the Windy City a prime destination for slices and pies.

### Love and Laughs with Michelle Buteau

**Thursday | Jan. 23rd | 7 PM**

Join comedian, actress, and producer Michelle Buteau in conversation with

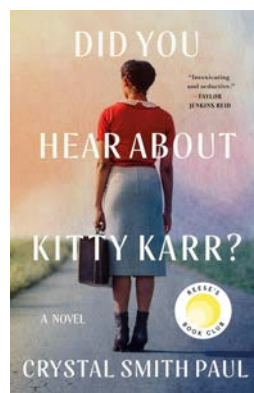
Greta Johnsen. Michelle is the creator/writer/star of the Netflix series Survival of the Thickest, inspired by her autobiographical book of essays of the same name. She is also the host of two popular reality competition shows - The Circle and Barbecue Showdown, and hosts the popular podcast, Adulting. In 2024, she starred in Babes alongside fellow comedian/actress Ilana Glazer.

**You can register to attend these events virtually via zoom or join us in the Library's Community Room to watch the live stream with snacks and refreshments. You can register on our website or by calling (708) 345-1325.**

## Book Clubs

\*Book club selections are available at the front desk for checkout

### D.o.t.S



**Tuesday | Jan. 21st  
at 6 PM**

Did You Hear About Kitty Karr?  
by Crystal Smith Paul

### Bone Chilled in Broadview



**Tuesday | Jan. 28th  
at 6:30 PM**

Let Him In  
by William Friend

### New Book Clubs Coming in 2025!

email [johnson@broadviewlibrary.org](mailto:johnson@broadviewlibrary.org) for more information

- Bite Size Books ( A Quick Reads Book Club)
- Cook the Book ( A Cooking Club)
- Keeping it Real (A Non-Fiction Book Club)
- Know Thy Shelf (A Self-Help Book Club & Podcast)

## Resources and Technology

### Book-a-Librarian

**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 & 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 or email [johnson@broadviewlibrary.com](mailto:johnson@broadviewlibrary.com) to schedule a session.

# YOUTH PROGRAMS

## Monday

### MOVIE Matinee

3:45 PM to 5:45 PM

Come join us every Monday for great family friendly movies, snacks will be provided.

### Teen Hangout

5:30 PM to 7 PM

Hangout in a safe, positive, non-judgmental environment, playing games watching movies or just hanging with friends. Snacks will be provided.



## Tuesday

### Storytime

11 AM to 11:30 AM

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

### Gaming Hangout

3:30 PM to 5 PM

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

### ABC-123 Art Adventures

5:30 PM to 6 PM

Drop by for playful learning adventures in literacy, math, and book-themed crafts.



### Preschool S.T.E.M & Stories

6 PM to 6:30 PM

From science to technology, engineering, and math, learners in preschool and kindergarten will love the awesome STEM activities. (Ages 3-5 with caregiver)

## Wednesday

### Chess Strategies

4 PM

Learn winning strategies to improve your chess game. All levels are welcome to join us.



### Family Fun Game Night

5:30 PM to 7 PM

Spend an evening together relaxing and having fun playing games or doing family activities. Snacks will be provided.

## Thursday

### Thursday Clubs

3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

Bored? looking for something to do? Join a club! Every Week a new club will meet. Week 1: STEM, Week 2: Art, Week 3: Books, and Week 4: Journaling.

## Friday

### Take & Make Craft Kits

While Supplies Last

Stop by the library and pick up a different art kit.



## Saturday

### Weekend Hangout

10 AM to 4:45 PM

Drop in for board games, card games, puzzles, arts & crafts, or Lego.

## DAILY DROP-IN PROGRAMS

These programs and more run during normal operating hours. Just drop-in, no planning required.

### Winter Reading Challenge

Complete log sheets and winter activity sheets to be entered into the raffle for a \$25 gift card. You will receive a raffle ticket for every sheet turned in.



### Unplugged Play

No devices, no screens, just fun! From toddlers to teens, patrons of all ages will find something engaging to do.

### LEGO Building Challenge

Let your imagination run wild and create something awesome and out of this world.



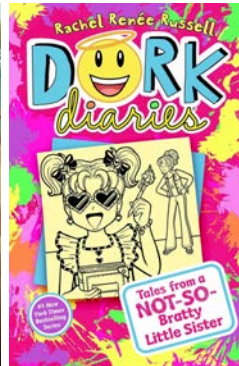
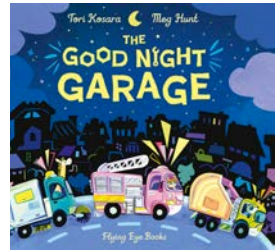
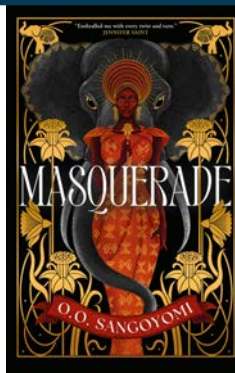
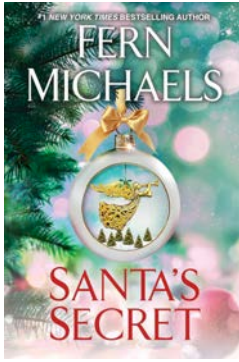
NEW

# Check It Out!

Get a glimpse of what is new and featured at Broadview Public Library District.

## Hot New Reads for Cold Nights

New Adult Books



New Youth Books



## Present a Program

Are you interested in hosting a program at the library? Scan this QR code to get started.



## New Year, Improved You!

Check out our display of self-improvement books, healthy eating cookbooks, and other resources for stepping into your best self in 2025. Career change? Fitness goals? A new hobby? Find what you are looking for at BPLD this month and all year long.

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Monday - Thursday: 10 AM to 9 PM

Friday & Saturday: 10 AM to 5 PM

Sunday: Closed

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