Want to win a $25 Target gift card?

Register for a WPLD card this summer. Not only will you have access to thousands of book and music titles, DVDs, online databases, technology and other Library amenities, but you will also be automatically entered into a monthly drawing to win a $25 Target gift card.*

New cardholders can participate in our summer reading challenge and become eligible for an additional prize drawing. See page 3 for details.

For more information about registering for a WPLD card, visit or call our Member Services Desk at 630/393-1171 x100.

*Must be a WPLD resident. All ages eligible. One winner selected in June, July and August.
SUMMER EVENTS

CONCERTS ON THE COMMONS

Join us for free outdoor concerts on the Bob Walters Commons next to the Library Wednesday evenings at 7 pm. Picnics are welcome, but alcohol is not permitted.

- June 5: Bill O'Connell's Chicago Skyliners – Big band
- June 12: The Wayouts – Authentic 60s garage rock
- June 19: Pirates Over 40 – Tropical favorites
- June 26: Soda – Favorite classics and current hits
- July 3: No Concert
- July 10: The Four C Notes – Music of Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons
- July 17: Wild Daisy – Current, upbeat country
- July 24: R-Gang – Motown and R&B
- July 31: Sushi Roll – Rock and pop, over-the-top
- August 7: Libido Funk Circus – High energy dance and rock songs
- August 14: Shout Out – Top 40 plus songs from the 80s, 90s and early 2000s
- August 21: Kaleidoscope Eyes – Acoustic Beatles tribute band
- August 28: The PriSSillas – All female cover band

Sponsored in part by a City of Warrenville Hotel Tax Grant.

Escape Room: The World of Harry Potter *

Thursday, July 25 • 4–8 pm • All Ages (4 timeslots)
Friday, July 26 • Noon–6 pm • All Ages (6 timeslots)
Saturday, July 27 • 11 am–4 pm • All Ages (5 timeslots)

Turn an ordinary summer day into a fun-filled, no-cost experience with family and friends as you work together to track down clues and solve puzzles based on the Harry Potter universe. Groups of 3–10 people will have 45 minutes to attempt an escape. Puzzle difficulty is aimed at ages 12 and older, but younger kids can participate if accompanied by an adult. Groups can be all adults, all teens or multi-age. Staff will include a teen, youth or adult librarian.

*To schedule a 45-minute session, please stop by or call the Adult Services Desk (630/393-1171 x121) or the Youth Services Desk (x124).
It’s the 50th anniversary of the 1969 moon landing this summer! To celebrate this historic event, we are challenging you to discover “A Universe of Stories.”

Adults, teens and children can participate in our challenge. The goal is to read more books (or hours) as a community than last summer. Goals are indicated below for each age group. We’ll track the books or hours read with reading logs.

Take the challenge and discover something new this summer. You might discover that you like fiction more than nonfiction or that you enjoy coming to the Library several times a week to browse our collections. Or maybe you’ll discover the wonder of having a universe of stories right in your own town!

Pick up reading logs at either the Youth or Adult Services Desk, or print one at warrenville.com beginning June 1. To be eligible for prizes, completed logs must be turned in by July 31.

## Youth Summer Reading Challenge
**Group Challenge = 4500 hours**  
**Individual Challenge = 6 hours**  
**Ages Birth–11**
Receive a new book to take home when you complete your individual challenge and turn in your first reading log. Earn a coupon or small gift and a prize drawing entry for each additional log you submit.

## Teen Summer Reading Challenge
**Group Challenge = 300 books**  
**Individual Challenge = 5 books**  
**Ages 12–17**
Receive a free gift when you complete your individual challenge and turn in your first reading log. Earn a prize drawing entry for each additional log you submit.

## Adult Summer Reading Challenge
**Group Challenge = 700 books**  
**Individual Challenge = 5 books**  
**Ages 18 and up**
Receive a free gift when you complete your individual challenge and turn in your first reading log. Earn a prize drawing entry for each additional log you submit.

## Gift Card Prize Drawings*

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* Reserved for Warrenville Public Library District members.
Warrenville Writers Connection
Mondays • 7–9 pm
June 3, July 1, August 5
Whether you’re a novice or a pro, you’ll get (and give) supportive feedback when you connect with others who are passionate about writing fiction, creative nonfiction, poetry and short stories.

Book Discussions
Share insights with other readers and discover new books the first Thursday of each month, except July, at 7:30 pm. Books for discussion are available for checkout to Warrenville cardholders at the Member Services Desk one month prior to the discussion date.

The Apollo Program to the Moon: History and Legacy *
Tuesday, June 4 • 7 pm
Hear more about the development of the Apollo space program and an overview of U.S. space exploration from astronomy educator Michelle Nichols.

Introduction to Illinois Archaeology *
Thursday, June 13 • 7 pm
Join archaeologist Paula Bryant from the Illinois State Archaeological Survey to explore the more than 10,000-year range of human occupation of northern Illinois. Learn how archaeology is conducted in this region and about the types of information extracted from the cultural material found during investigations. Changes in technology and lifeways from hunter-gatherers to frontier settlers and beyond will be discussed.

The History of Superheroes *
Tuesday, June 18 • 7 pm
For years you have been reading about superheroes and watching them in blockbuster films and popular television shows. Now you can discover the true history of your favorite superheroes and their connections to legendary myths. Michael McCann, superhero expert, will lead you on a journey to explore the creation of these heroes and why they still connect to our culture today.

Alzheimer’s—Know the 10 Signs *
Tuesday, June 25 • 7 pm
The early signs of Alzheimer’s disease are often dismissed as age-related memory changes. Mayra Ligeza from The Alzheimer’s Association Illinois Chapter will address commonly held misconceptions about this brain disorder. You’ll hear from people who have the disease and how to recognize the warning signs in yourself and others.

BROWN BAG MOVIES
Thursdays • Noon • Ages 18 and up
June 27, July 25, August 22
Bring your own brown bag lunch and join us for a movie matinee. Movie titles will be announced one month prior to viewing at warrenville.com, in our monthly eNews (subscribe via our website) and on social media. The latest movie selection will also be available at the Adult Services Desk or by calling 630/393-1171 x121.

eBay 101 *
Wednesday, August 14 • 2 pm OR
Thursday, August 15 • 7 pm
We’ll give you tips on how to find the best deals and set up attractive listings so you can buy and sell on eBay. You will need to know your email login and password for this class so you can set up an eBay and PayPal account.

Community Presenters:
Camino de Santiago Pilgrimage *
Monday, August 19 • 7 pm
We’re excited to kick off a new series featuring Warrenville residents sharing their passions, hobbies or travel experiences. This is a great opportunity to meet your neighbors and explore new interests. Our first presenter, Marilyn Skillings, will share her journey of her Camino de Santiago pilgrimage. Known in English as the Way of Saint James, this pilgrimage leads to the cathedral of Santiago de Compostela in Galicia in northwestern Spain. If you would like more information on presenting your own topic, please visit the Adult Services Desk the next time you’re at the Library or call 630/393-1171 x121.

Book a Librarian *
Do you need help using a new mobile device or app, learning a software program like Word or Excel or navigating your online job search? Are you stumped on how to start a personal or academic research project? Warrenville Library Members can register for a one-hour session with a librarian at the Adult Services Desk in person or by calling 630/393-1171 x121.
Dungeons & Dragons
Wednesdays • 6–7:30 pm • Ages 12–17
June 5, July 10, August 7
Roll a character, then play a thrilling campaign alongside other adventure seekers as you work together to vanquish common foes and achieve victory. All experience levels, including beginners, are welcome.

Nintendo Switch Gaming
Fridays • 4:30–6 pm • Ages 12–17
June 7, July 12, August 9
Switch it up in the Teen Lounge and battle other players in Mario Kart 8 Deluxe, Super Smash Bros. Ultimate and 1-2-Switch.

Super Smash Bros. Tournament
Fridays • 4:30–6 pm • Ages 12–17
June 14, July 19, August 23
Challenge other gamers to Super Smash Bros. battles on the Wii U. The tournament winner will receive a gift card.

Green Scene *
Friday, June 28 • 4:30–5:30 pm • Ages 10–15
Did you know newspapers are biodegradable and act as a mulch and fertilizer for plants? Kids and teens will explore science and nature together when they make recycled pots for grass seeds and bird feeders from acorns, stones and sticks. We provide all materials—you take home your creations.

Design Your Own Galaxy Shirt
Wednesday, July 31 • 4:30–6 pm • Ages 12–17
If you’ve got a thing for galactic themes or you’re a fashionista at heart, come design your own t-shirt. You’ll start with a black shirt we provide and use our examples as inspiration to create a unique eye-catching design. The shirt is yours to keep and show off!

Volunteer Project: Postcards for Soldiers
Wednesday, August 14 • 4:30–6 pm • Ages 12–17
You can make a difference in the lives of our soldiers with your imagination and a little bit of time. Please stop by the Teen Lounge to make postcards for this special project for the Hugs for Soldiers organization. We’ll provide the materials and mail the postcards.

Teen Personalized Book Box *
June 1–22 • Ages 12–17
We have a diverse collection of Young Adult materials covering many themes and genres, but sometimes it’s hard to decide what you want to read. Let us make your selections. We’ll prepare a personalized book box just for you with two Young Adult books, an eBook suggestion and a special gift. WPLD members can stop by the Youth Services Desk to sign up.

Teen Book Box Pick Up
June 26–28
Teens who signed up to receive a Book Box can pick it up at the Member Services Desk. Return the box and books when they are due but the fun gifts are yours to keep!

An asterisk (*) after a program title indicates that registration is required. For programs that offer multiple sessions, please register for each date you wish to attend. Register through the program calendar at warrenville.com or call 630/393-1171 x124.
Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math

Art Camp *
Thursday, June 6 • 4–5 pm • Ages 8–12  
Tuesday, July 9 • 2–2:45 pm • Ages 5–7  
Art Camp is a great place to have fun and get messy. Learn new crafting techniques and explore creation stations.

Crafty Kids *
Saturday • 3–3:45 pm • Ages 3–6  
   June 15: Summer Fun  
Wednesdays • 10–10:45 am • Ages 3–6  
   June 19: Exploring the Universe  
   July 17: Under the Sea  
Kids and parents are invited to join us for stories, finger plays and a themed craft to take home.

Snap Circuits *
Tuesdays • 4–5 pm • Ages 7–12  
   June 18, July 23  
Snap Circuits is a colorful building set that lets kids safely and easily experiment with electricity.

Science Explorers *
Thursday, June 27 • 2–2:45 pm • Ages 5–7  
Thursday, July 11 • 4–5 pm • Ages 8–12  
Kids will learn beginning science concepts through activities and simple experiments. Things might just get gooey—we don’t mind getting dirty.

Green Scene *
Friday, June 28 • 4:30–5:30 pm • Ages 10–15  
Did you know newspapers are biodegradable and act as a mulch and fertilizer for plants? Kids and teens will explore science and nature together when they make recycled pots for grass seeds and bird feeders from acorns, stones and sticks. We provide all materials—you take home your creations.

Science Kits Available for Check Out
There’s no need to purchase expensive science equipment when you can borrow a variety of kits from us for free. Our extensive collection of Science Kits is available for check out to our WPLD members. Students in grades K–12 can explore STEM concepts with themed kits that include tools such as programmable robots, a digital microscope, a Van de Graaf electricity generator, a reflecting telescope and other devices paired with books or DVDs that support concepts. Experimenting with the kits during the summer months is a great way to reinforce concepts learned during the school year. The two-week loan period allows for multiple and more in-depth experiments.

You can place a hold on a kit through our catalog at bit.ly/wpldsciencekits. For more information about the science kits, stop by or call the Library’s Youth Services Desk at 630/393-1171 x124.

The Science Kits are made possible through a grant from the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers-Chicago Section, a donation from the Warrenville Public Library Designated Fund of the DuPage Foundation and individual gifts from library supporters.

Table Crafts & More  
Fridays, June 7–July 26 • Ages 5 and up  
Looking for a quick, creative outlet for your kids as the week is winding down? Each Friday during Library hours, we will provide a different craft or activity for the kids to enjoy while supplies last. And you can stock up on books, puzzles and DVDs while you’re here.
**Storytimes**

Participation at Storytimes helps young children learn to pay attention and build their literacy skills. Storytimes also expose children to different authors, cultural backgrounds and narrative styles.

**Snuggle Up Storytime** *
*Mondays • June 10–July 29 (No July 1 session)*
*6–6:30 pm • All ages*
Children are invited to wear their pajamas and bring along a blanket or special stuffed animal for this evening storytime.

**Family Storytime at Cerny Park**
*Tuesdays • June 11–25 • 10–10:30 am • All ages*
We’re taking our storytime on the road! Join the Library staff at Cerny Park Picnic Shelter for stories, rhymes, songs and finger plays.

**Toddler Time**
*Thursdays • June 13–July 25 (No July 4 session)*
*10–10:45 am • Ages 1½–3*
Children will enjoy singing, dancing, stories, finger plays and playtime.

**Family Storytime**
*Tuesdays • July 9–30 • 10–10:30 am • All ages*
Drop in for stories, rhymes, songs and finger plays.

**Favorite Visitors**

**Paws for Tales** *
*Saturdays • 10–11:30 am • Grades K–2*
*June 8, July 13*
Young readers build their confidence by reading aloud to a certified dog from the Naperville Area Humane Society. Bring your own books or choose one of ours. Young readers will take home stickers and coloring pages. To sign up for a 15-minute session with a certified dog and volunteer team, call 630/393-1171 x124.

**Nature-Telling** *
*Wednesdays • 10–10:30 am • Ages 2–5*
*June 12: Bunnies*
*July 10: Butterflies*
Kids and parents are invited to join a naturalist from the Lincoln Marsh to listen to a nature-themed story and participate in a related craft and/or activity.

**Scales & Tales Traveling Zoo** *
*Thursday, June 13 • 2–3 pm • Ages 5–12*
We’re bringing the zoo to you! Get up close and personal (if you want) with several exotic animals. You might even encounter a sloth. Children must have their adult present to touch the animals.

**A Dahl-ightful Day** *
*Tuesday, June 25 • 2–3 pm • Ages 8–12*
Enjoy games, crafts and activities celebrating Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Matilda, James and the Giant Peach and all of Roald Dahl’s wonderful works!

**Blast Off!** *
*Tuesday, July 16 • 4–5 pm • Ages 8–12*
*Saturday, July 20 • 3–4 pm • Ages 3–7*
In honor of the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing, we’ve got space-themed activities, games and crafts. Explore and discover just like Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins.

**Pokémon Party**
*Tuesday, July 30 • 4–5 pm • Ages 8–12*
You can hang out with other Pokémon fans anxious for Pokémon Sword and Shield to come out this fall. We’ll do some Pokémon hunting and other activities.

**Get Ready for Kindergarten** *
*Thursday, August 1 • 10–11 am*
*Age 5 or entering Kindergarten*
Get ready. Get set. Go to Kindergarten! We’ll share beginning skills, games and stories to help get the kids ready for school.

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Summer Happenings

Let Freedom Ring Parade

*Wednesday, July 3 • 6 pm*

The Library will close Wednesday, July 3 at 5 pm. Look for the Library float in the parade. Staff members and trustees will be handing out treats along the way.

Summer Daze

*Friday, August 2 and Saturday, August 3*

Look for us at Summer Daze. We’ll have games for the kids and Library information to share. You can register for a WPLD card to be eligible for the $25 Target gift card drawing (see front cover). The Library will be open normal hours during Summer Daze. The Library’s lower level parking lot will be reserved for Library use during Library hours.

National Night Out Against Crime

*Tuesday, August 6 • 5–9 pm • All ages • Cerny Park*

Join the Warrenville Police Department in celebrating 2019’s National Night Out, an event held at locations all around the country to help promote safer neighborhood relationships and to strengthen police-community partnerships.

We’ll be on hand to register Warrenville Library district residents for Library cards, provide information about our services and have children’s games. Food, beverages, entertainment and other activities will be sponsored by a variety of Warrenville businesses and organizations.

Telescope Observation of the Night Sky

*Wednesday, August 7 • 7:30–8:30 pm • All ages*

Discover a universe of stories and all the stars in the sky this summer! Telescopes from the Adler Planetarium will be set up during the Concert on the Commons near the Manning Avenue sidewalk area. Stop by to observe the moon and the night sky, weather permitting.

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