SEPTEMBER

activities for kids



Ela Area Public Library 275 Mohawk Trail Lake Zurich, IL 60047 847-438-3433 www.eapl.org Programming will be in flux throughout the fall. Please check our online Events calendar and follow us on Facebook or Instagram for updates and pop-up programming announcements.

REGISTERED ACTIVITIES

Registration begins Wednesday, September 1 at 9:00am

Play and Learn

Gather your family or friend pod and explore our Post Office themed play literacy room! Please sign up for only one time slot in September. Young children can play, imagine, and learn in new and creative ways, expand their literacy skills and knowledge of the world. Recommended for ages 3-7. For groups up to 10 people. One member of your group must have an Ela Library card.

September 13-30

Mondays-Thursdays 10:00am, 2:00pm, or 6:00pm Saturdays 10:00am

Fantasti-Kit

Sign up for a kit full of crafts, activities, and surprises! Kits will be available for pick up beginning Tuesday, September 14. Due to demand, an Ela Library card is required for registration. For ages 0-12.

Storytimes

Storytime @ Home (YouTube)

Join us for storytime adventures! We'll sing, dance, read, and learn some basic sign language in this fun video series. For all ages. Fridays, September 10 and 24

Storytime in the Park

Join us at Paulus Park this fall! Weather permitting, we'll read stories, dance, and sing together. Please see our web page for more details. For ages 0-5 with a caregiver. Please register.

Wednesday, September 22 1:30pm

Cartooning with Mark Anderson (Zoom)

Join Mark on Zoom for a live, interactive cartooning class. Don't forget your paper and pencils! The zoom link will be sent to your email the morning of the program.

Action Animals

Get ready to draw all sorts of amazing cartoon animals in action! Running! Jumping! Flying! Pouncing! (I'm exhausted just thinking about it!) It's pure zoological zaniness! For ages 6 and up.

Monday, September 20 4:00pm

Online Art Program with Christine Thornton (YouTube)

Gather your own supplies and join Christine online. The class will feature an instructional video through YouTube and the chance to connect with the teacher and classmates on Facebook. A link to the video will be sent to your email.

Paint Like Frida

Christine will guide you through this creative project and provide tips to help you paint like Frida Kahlo! For ages 7 and up. The video will be available Thursday, September 23rd at 10:00am through Wednesday, September 29 at 9:00pm. Registration will close on Thursday, September 23rd at 9:00am.

ANYTIME ACTIVITIES

No registration is required.

Scavenger Hunt

Discover what is hiding outside in front of the library! Hidden items will change periodically. Turn in your completed sheets for a weekly prize drawing. Each entry will remain in the drawing for the entire month unless pulled as a winner. For all ages.

Storywalk

Together with the Village of Lake Zurich Parks and Recreation Department and the Ancient Oaks Foundation, the Library will feature a new story every few months for families to enjoy while walking through our beautiful parks and nature preserves! Check our website for a list of current storywalk locations and titles. For all ages.

Crafts-To-Go

Visit the Children's Department and pick up a craft to make at home.

Library Card Sign Up Month Celebration

Freebie Fridays

Let's celebrate Library Card Sign Up Month with weekly giveaways each Friday in September. Check out 10 or more items to receive a freebie at the Checkout Desk.

Fridays, September 3, 10, 17, and 24

Churros y Chocolate Food Truck

Show us your library card and receive a free churro. One per library card, while supplies last. Located in front of the Library. Friday, September 24 3:00-5:30pm