

This Month at The Urbana Free Library

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Calendar INSIDE! >>>**

Rendering of library expansion by Ray Lytle.

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Summer Reading Program

**Have Book-
Will Travel!**

May 20 - August 31, 2013

Annual Summer Reading Program Is Now Online!

This year, when teens and children sign up for the annual summer reading program, they will turn the page on a new chapter in library history. Thanks to the generosity of the Friends of the Library, summer reading participants can sign up and keep track of their reading progress online via a computer or their favorite handheld device. You can even post reviews about books and give star ratings.

To sign up from home or in the library:

- Visit urbanafreelibrary.org or *CU Catalog* and click on the **Have Book – Will Travel!** icon (see above).
- To create an account, select the tab for **Read-to-Me Adventurers**, **Reading Explorers**, or **Teen Readers**, then click on the **Sign Me Up** button.
- Fill in all the required fields, and be sure to include your email address!
- Click on **Add/View Log** to record and review books you've read and to keep track of your reading progress.

Have Book – Will Travel! is also the ticket for teens and children to a variety of programs that encourage and support a love of reading. For dates and times of library programs and events, visit the library's e-calendar at urbanafreelibrary.org or keep reading this copy of *This Month at The Urbana Free Library*.

*The 2013 Teen and Children's Summer Reading Program
is generously supported by the Friends of The Urbana Free Library.*

This Month's Events

- 1 (Sa) - Library Staff at the Market at the Square.** Magic Reading Carpet stories and information about library services. Corner of Illinois & Vine Streets in downtown Urbana. 8:00 a.m.-Noon.
- 1 (Sa) - TECH 21: Microsoft Word I.** Call 217-367-4405 to register. Satterthwaite Conference Room. 10:00 a.m.-Noon.
- 3, 5, 12, 13, 18, 20, 25-27**
Teen Open Lab. Film-making, 3D printing, music, reading, drawing, crafting, gaming, or just hanging out. Lewis Auditorium. Program days and times vary; check e-calendar at urbanafreelibrary.org.
- 7 (Fr) - Urbana Otaku Manga Club.** All things manga, plus snacks and a prize drawing. Lewis Auditorium. 4:00-5:00 p.m.
- 8 (Sa) - Second Saturday Board Games.** Monthly drop-in program for all ages. MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room. 2:00-6:00 p.m.
- 8 (Sa) - Second Saturday Video Games.** Monthly drop-in video gaming for teens. Lewis Auditorium. 2:00-4:30 p.m.
- 11 (Tu) - The Urbana Free Library Board of Trustees.** Monthly meeting. Jean Evans Archives Room. 7:30-9:00 p.m.
- 12 (We) - Research Night at the Champaign County Historical Archives.** This evening's special topic is **Scanning Photos and Transparencies.** Jean Evans Archives Room. 6:00-9:00 p.m.
- 15 (Sa) - Computers 101.** Call 217-367-4405 to register for this hands-on workshop. Flex-n-Gate Computer Center. 9:00-10:00 a.m.
- 19 (We) - Superheroes & Villains Party.** An epic evening for teens with costumes, trivia, snacks, and more. Lewis Auditorium. 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- 23 (Su) - UFL Reads! Wild Card.** Join us when we discuss *Snow Falling on Cedars* by David Guterson. MacFarlane-Hood Reading Room. 2:00-3:00 p.m.
- 24 (Mo) - Art Day @ Your Library.** An hour of artistic creativity for teens. Lewis Auditorium. 4:00-5:00 p.m.

For a complete schedule of all current and upcoming events at library, visit urbanafreelibrary.org and view the library's online events calendar.

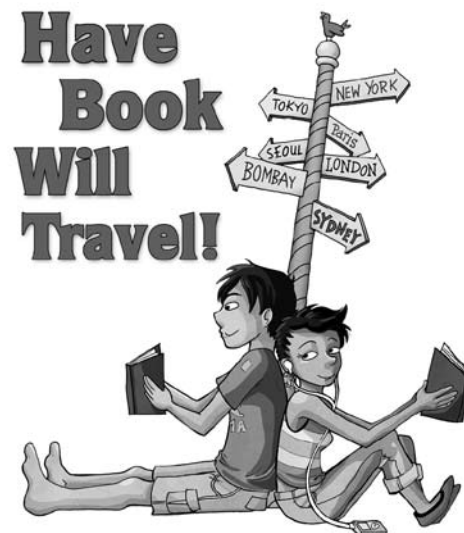
To sign up for email notification of events, visit urbanafreelibrary.org and follow the **E-Notification** link on the homepage.

Sign up for **Have Book – Will Travel!**, your library's Teen Summer Reading Program, and get ready to read wherever you go!

You can read great books of your choice (including graphic novels and manga), watch films, listen to audiobooks, read aloud to a younger sibling, write a short book review, and attend our fun teen programs. The more you participate, the better your chances of winning prizes! Whether you're in central Illinois all summer long or away exploring far-off places, join us for **Have Book – Will Travel!**

Teens who have completed grade 6 through seniors who have completed grade 12 can participate.

For more information about the Teen Summer Reading Program, call 217-367-4405.



Programs Just for Teens

Teen Open Lab

June 3, 5, 12, 13, 18, 20, 25 - 27 • Lewis Auditorium
 (Program days and times vary; check e-calendar at urbanafreelibrary.org)

Film-making, 3D printing, music, reading, drawing, crafting, gaming, or just hanging out. The Teen Open Lab has something for everyone!

Urbana Otaku Manga Club

Friday, June 7 • 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. • Lewis Auditorium

All things manga, plus snacks and prizes on the first Friday of most months.

Second Saturday Video Games

Saturday, June 8 • 2:00 - 4:30 p.m. • Lewis Auditorium

So you think you've got game? Find out at the library's monthly drop-in gaming sessions. Bring your own consoles and games or use the library's video games.

Superheroes and Villains Party

Wednesday, June 19 • 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. • Lewis Auditorium

Have Book – Will Travel! at the speed of light on an epic evening with costumes, trivia games, snacks, and more. Come dressed as your favorite character, but please keep your mask off until you enter the auditorium!

Art Day @ Your Library

Monday, June 24 • 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. • Lewis Auditorium

Join us for an hour of artistic creativity, with different art activities planned each month.

Have Book-Will Travel!



Looking for adventure? Want to explore far-off places and sightsee around the world? With a good book, you can travel anywhere! Get ready to take off on a summer-long journey of reading adventure by signing up for **Have Book – Will Travel!**, the Children’s Summer Reading Program at your library!

- **Read-to-Me Adventurers** is for children who have not yet learned to read. Complete the activities on your passport to earn a free book.

- **Reading Explorers** is for children through grade five who are reading their own books. Read 10 books, record them on your reading passport, and you’ll be rewarded with a free book. But don’t stop there—keep reading! For each additional 5 books read, you can enter our end-of-the-summer prize raffle to win coupons and prizes from local businesses.

For more information about the Children’s Summer Reading Program, call 217-367-4069.

Programs Just for Children

Clothespin Puppets

Saturday, June 1 • 11:00 a.m. - Noon • Lewis Auditorium
For Children & Their Families

Celebrate the start of the **Summer Reading Program** with a unique presentation of hand, string, shadow, and rod puppets performed by a talented team of artists.

March With Gandhi (and Alice)

Thursday, June 6 • 11:00 - 11:45 a.m. • Lewis Auditorium
For Children & Their Families

Join us when author Alice B. McGinty shares her adventures in India and presents her new nonfiction picture book for children, *Gandhi: A March to the Sea*. Alice’s book will be available for sale and signing after the program.

Read to the Horses

Tuesday, June 11 • 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. • Lewis Auditorium
For Children & Their Families

Come meet two miniature horses who love to listen to stories. Children can practice their reading skills when Deb Murphy brings Star and Rascal for a visit.

Point Fencing Club Demonstration

Tuesday, June 18 • 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. • Lewis Auditorium
For Children in Elementary School

En garde! The Point Fencing Club will demonstrate the ancient art of fencing.

Explorers Unite!

Friday, June 21 • 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. • Lewis Auditorium
For Children in Elementary School

Let’s have some fun with maps! We’ll dig through everything from treasure maps to our own personal maps that will prepare us for our adventures this summer.

LIBRARY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Circulation Services (renewals).....	367-4057
Adult & Teen Services	367-4405
Children’s Services.....	367-4069
Champaign Co. Historical Archives	367-4025
Administrative Offices.....	367-4058
TTY for hearing-impaired.....	531-7066
UFL Cafe & Friends Book Shop	531-7096

WEBSITE & ONLINE CATALOG

urbanafreelibrary.org

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday.....	9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday - Saturday.....	9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

ARCHIVES (LOCAL HISTORY & GENEALOGY)

Monday - Saturday	9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Second Wednesday Monthly.....	6 p.m. - 9 p.m.



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Thank You for Your Support!

As the library's concert series comes to a close for the season, we would like to express a sincere thank-you to those who generously sponsored these and other special musical events:

- Featuring an impressive lineup of local talent, **UFLive!** concerts take place on the third Sunday of most months and are sponsored by The Urbana Free Library Foundation.
- Family-friendly **Prairie Breezes** concerts take place on the second Friday of most months and are sponsored by Peggy and Bob Podlasek in memory of Greg Bliss.
- The annual **Fairy Tale Ball** drew over 1,000 fairy tale fans and was generously sponsored by Fred Schlipf and Diane Hillard.
- The Chris Vallillo and Rocky Maffit concert during the **Boneyard Arts Festival** was sponsored by JPE, Inc.; Tarrant Insurance Agency, Inc.; and Sara Tondini, Claymore Realty, Inc.



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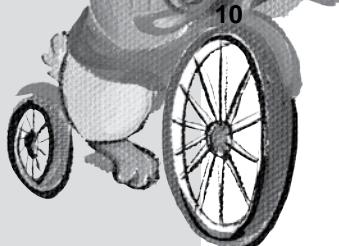
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CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

THE URBANA FREE LIBRARY
 Children's Services
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 June 2013

SUNDAY	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Children's Art Exhibition May 28 - June 21</p> <p>Young Artists from Kazakhstan</p> <p>Enjoy art created by Larisa Chasanov's students in Kazakhstan.</p> </div>						<p>1 Market at the Square 8:00 a.m. - Noon</p> <p>Summer Reading Sign-up: Clothespin Puppets 11:00 a.m. - Noon</p> <p>Chess Club for Kids 4:00 - 5:45 p.m.</p>
<p>2</p> 	<p>3</p>	<p>4 Babies' Lap Time 9:45 - 10:05 a.m. 10:15 - 10:35 a.m. 10:45 - 11:05 a.m.</p> <p>What Should I Read This Summer? 6:30 - 7:15 p.m.</p>	<p>5 Babies' Lap Time: Moonlight Edition 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>6 Preschool Story Time 9:45 - 10:15 a.m.</p> <p>March with Gandhi (and Alice) 11:00 - 11:45 a.m.</p>	<p>7 Music Together 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.</p>	<p>8 Chess Club for Kids 4:00 - 5:45 p.m.</p>
<p>9</p> 	<p>10</p>	<p>11 Babies' Lap Time 9:45 - 10:05 a.m. 10:15 - 10:35 a.m. 10:45 - 11:05 a.m.</p> <p>Read to the Horses 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.</p>	<p>12 Toddler Story Time 10:30 - 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>Music Together 11:30 a.m. - Noon</p>	<p>13 Preschool Story Time 9:45 - 10:15 a.m.</p>	<p>14 Flags and Dads! 2:00 - 2:45 p.m.</p>	<p>15 Shadow Puppets 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.</p> <p>Chess Club for Kids 4:00 - 5:45 p.m.</p>
<p>16</p>	<p>17 Babies' Lap Time: Moonlight Edition 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>18 Babies' Lap Time 9:45 - 10:05 a.m. 10:15 - 10:35 a.m. 10:45 - 11:05 a.m.</p> <p>Point Fencing Club Demonstration 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.</p>	<p>19 Slither & Crawl: Snakes & Turtles 10:00 - 10:45 a.m. (for groups) 11:00 - 11:45 a.m. (for families)</p>	<p>20 Preschool Story Time 9:45 - 10:15 a.m.</p> <p>Wild about Birds 1:00 - 1:45 p.m. (for groups) 2:00 - 2:45 p.m. (for families)</p>	<p>21 Explorers Unite! 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.</p>	<p>22 Art Lessons for Children 2:00 - 2:45 p.m.</p> <p>Chess Club for Kids 4:00 - 5:45 p.m.</p>
<p>23</p>	<p>24 Toddler Story Time: Moonlight Edition 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>25 Babies' Lap Time 9:45 - 10:05 a.m. 10:15 - 10:35 a.m. 10:45 - 11:05 a.m.</p> <p>Ommm! Yoga for Children 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.</p>	<p>26 Toddler Story Time 10:30 - 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p>27 Preschool Story Time 9:45 - 10:15 a.m.</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 Chess Club for Kids 4:00 - 5:45 p.m.</p>
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* registration required

For detailed information about these programs, see back.