

# ALL TOGETHER NOW.

## *Villa Park Public Library* *2023 Summer Reading Program* May 30 - August 4



Join the Summer Reading Program this year and read for enjoyment and for a chance to win prizes! We're offering a variety of activities and incentives all summer long, for everyone from babies to seniors. Summer Reading is easy, fun, and open to everyone! For more information, visit the library or call 630-834-1164.

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May 22,  
June 19,  
July 10,  
August 21

June 14 - 28

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July 28

August 5

August 9,  
September 8

### Anime & Manga Club

Third Monday of Every Month: May 22, June 19, July 10, August 21

3:30 - 5:00 pm • Grades 4 - 8

Students in grades 4 - 8 are welcome to come and hang out as we explore different anime/manga fandoms every month. Capacity may be limited due to space, so registration is recommended.



### Library Summer Family Concert Series

Wednesdays: June 14, 21, 28 • 6:30 pm

Free • All ages (children under 12 with adult)

Ruggard Gazebo, along the Prairie Path

Join us at the Gazebo in June! Bring along a blanket or chairs and enjoy the summer weather with fun and lively musical entertainment.

Note: In case of inclement weather, the concerts will be held indoors at the Villa Park Public Library.



#### June 14 Little Miss Ann



Little Miss Ann performs reinvented classics and soulful originals that all children can enjoy, spanning many genres! She is a Parents' Choice Award winner who has performed throughout the country, singing and playing guitar, ukulele, flutes, and percussion and bringing joy to many young children and families.



#### June 21 Istvan & His Imaginary Band

Istvan is a one-man music festival for creative kids and their parents! His songs actively engage kids and encourage them to sing along, dance and play, and even make good choices.



#### June 28 ScribbleMonster

Bring your dancing shoes and wild imagination for the award-winning music and play of Jim from ScribbleMonster and PBS children's show Wimee's Words. Using a mix of kindness, music and humor, this show encourages children to participate and think in creative ways.

### Raptors In Your Neighborhood

Friday, July 28 • 10-11 am • All Ages, under 3 with adult

Join us to see owls, hawks, and falcons up close! Hear cool raptor facts, then explore predator/prey relationships and their role in our ecosystem! Presented by Wings & Talons.



### Summer Reading Program Finale

Saturday, August 5 • 1-4 pm

Royal Visit #1: 1:30-2:30 pm (limit 75) -OR-

Royal Visit #2: 3-4 pm (limit 75)

Featuring special royal guests (Prince & Princess), free ice cream to the first 300 people who register and attend this event, balloon artists, and crafts. Registration is required for the royal visits and is available in person, by calling the library, or online, beginning Monday, May 1, at 9:30am.



### MOVIES IN THE PARK

Wednesday, August 9 & Friday, September 8

Free • All ages (children under 12 with adult)

Movies will begin at Dusk

Location: Cortesi Park • 320 E. Kenilworth Ave.

August 9 • **Minions: The Rise of Gru**


(Universal Pictures, 2022: PG, 110 min.)

September 8 • **Hotel Transylvania: Transformania** (Columbia Pictures, 2022: PG, 87 min.)

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