



UNEARTH A STORY™

2026 Summer Reading Program

May 26 – August 4

Join the Summer Reading Program this year – read for enjoyment and a chance to win prizes! We’re offering a variety of activities and incentives all summer long. Summer reading is easy, fun, and open to everyone! For more information, visit the library to sign-up in person, or online with Beanstack at vppl.beanstack.org/reader365

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Family Playdate

Tuesdays & Thursdays

May 19, 21 • 10:30 am-12 pm

Jun. 23, 25; Jul. 14, 16; Aug. 4, 6 • 2-3:30 pm

Stop in and drop in for some fun! These social play activities feature hands-on exhibits from the DuPage Children's Museum! Sponsored by the Friends of the Villa Park Library.



Free Meals for Kids 18 & Under Are Back!

June 2 - August 6

Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays • 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Kids ages 18 and under are eligible for lunches! Please call the library, visit our website, or follow us on social media for more information. Sponsored by the Northern Illinois Food Bank.

Picture Book Picnic

June 10 - July 29

Wednesdays • 11:30 am-12:15 pm • All ages with adult

This drop-in program will be held OUTDOORS at the following locations. *NOTE: When weather is inclement, it will be held indoors at the Villa Park Public Library.*

Presented in partnership with Villa Park Parks & Recreation Department.



June Sessions

This drop-in program will be held at **Lufkin Park**, located at 1000 S. Ardmore Ave.

July Sessions

This drop-in program will be held at **Twin Lakes Park**, located at 974-998 N. Ardmore Ave.

Library Family Concert Series

Wednesdays, June 17, 24; Jul. 1 • 6:30 pm • Free

All ages (children under 12 with adult)

Ruggard Gazebo, along the Prairie Path

Join us at the Ruggard Gazebo! Bring a blanket or chairs and enjoy the summer weather with fun and lively musical entertainment. *Note: In case of inclement weather, the first two concerts will be held indoors at the Villa Park Public Library, and the last will be held at Willowbrook High School.*

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June 17:
ScribbleMonster



June 24:
Miss Jamie's Farm



July 1:
District 88 Marching Band

Summer Reading Program Finale

Friday, August 7 • 6:30-8 pm • Free

All ages (children under 12 with adult)

Ruggard Gazebo, along the Prairie Path

Meet slithering snakes, intriguing iguanas, and more when Dave DiNaso's Traveling World of Reptiles visit Villa Park! We'll celebrate the end of Summer Reading with giveaways, treats, and more!

Movie in the Park

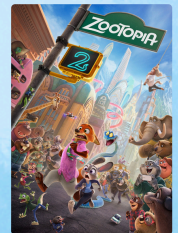
Friday, August 7 • Movie will begin at dusk

Free • All ages (children under 12 with adult)

Ruggard Gazebo, along the Prairie Path

Bring a blanket or chairs to enjoy Zootopia 2 outdoors on the big screen! This event is co-sponsored by the Villa Park Public Library, the Friends of the Villa Park Public Library, and the Villa Park Parks and Recreation Department.

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



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