FEATURED EVENTS

Trivia! Virtual Edition
Think you can outsmart the library, your friends and family, and fellow Addison citizens? Join us for our first ever virtual trivia night! Trivia will run on a continuous loop, so jump in whenever and no matter what question number you start with, you’ll get to answer all 50 questions. We will share the leaderboard the following day. Join us online at crowd.live/RA7FZ.
Mon., Aug. 3  9:00-9:00

Kona Ice Truck
Join us outside for a Meet-and-Greet with Addison Police Department officers and enjoy a cup of shaved ice from the Kona Ice Truck to celebrate Summer Reading. Supplies are limited; you will be given a ticket to exchange for a cup of shaved ice.
Sat., Aug. 8  1:30-3:30

Outdoor Tai Chi
Join Jay from Body & Brain Yoga and Tai Chi on the library’s lawn. Please bring a mat or beach towel.
Mon., Aug. 24  7:00

Summer Reading / Lectura de verano
Each completed log is an automatic entry into the end of summer grand prize drawing! The last day to submit your log is Sun., Aug. 16.

Cada registro terminado es una entrada automática al final del sorteo del gran premio de verano. El último día para enviar su registro es el domingo 16 de agosto.

addisonlibrary.org/summer-read-2020
FOR CHILDREN

More Upcoming Events

Create a Comic Strip
Have you ever wanted to create a comic of your own? Join us for a step by step video on how to make your own comic strip. Grades 1-5. Video available Tues., Aug. 4

Summer Fun Craft
Looking for something fun to do? Join us as we make a summer themed craft! All ages. Video available Tues., Aug. 11

Dog Days of Summer
Celebrate by reading Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days! Pick up a book kit beginning Aug. 1, which will include a copy of the book. Readers who register will be sent an invitation to our book discussion on Zoom. Grades 3-5. Tues., Aug. 11 4:00-4:45

Family Fun Day
August is Family Fun Month! Pick up a craft kit to make a sponge water bomb, or watch a video on how to make them with materials that you may already have at home! Video available Weds., Aug. 12

Story Times

Weekly Story Time Videos
Watch on Facebook and YouTube! Every Mon. through Aug. 10

Weekly Activity Corner Videos
Join us for craft & STEM activities online! Every Thurs. through Aug. 13

Story Time on Zoom!
Join us for an all ages story time on Zoom! Make sure to register to receive the Zoom details via e-mail. Thurs., Aug. 13 10:00-10:30

Honey Bee Story Time
National Honey Bee Day is the third Saturday in August! Join us for a story time about honey bees and why this endangered insect is so important. All ages. Video available Mon., Aug. 17

Story Time Kits!
We have story time kits that patrons can take home with their curbside pickup Please e-mail Children's Services at children@addisonlibrary.org for more information.

Check the library’s online calendar for the most up-to-date information on fall story times.

FOR ADULTS

Book Discussions
Book discussions will take place outside of the library if social distancing guidelines allow small gatherings.

A Burning by Megha Majumdar
A Muslim girl from the slums, determined to move up in life, makes a mistake. An irresistible outcast has the alibi to set the girl free, but it will cost her everything she holds dear. Mon., Aug. 17 10:00

The Feather Thief by Kirk Wallace Johnson
The gripping story of a bizarre and shocking crime, and one man’s relentless pursuit of justice, this book tells the story of the natural history heist of the century Tues., Aug. 11 7:00
FOR ADULTS

Please register so we may send you the link to join. Find help at addisonlibrary.org/zoom.

Getting Addison Back to Work
Finding a job can be a challenge, especially right now! Take your job search skills to the next level with our Getting Addison Back to Work program. Programs begin September 2020, but we hope you’ll join us for the official kick-off in August. Find the most up-to-date information at addisonlibrary.org/addison-works.

Getting Addison Back to Work Kick-Off
Join us to meet organizations we partner with for job seeker programs and assistance (Goodwill Workforce Connection Center, the People’s Resource Center, and the College of DuPage Career Services Center) as well as learn how our program will work and how our program will help you! We’ll meet via Zoom.

More Upcoming Events

Zoom English Circle
Join us from home to practice your English skills in a relaxed, virtual environment. Everyone is welcome!
Every Tues. and Thurs. 11:00-12:00

Practiquemos español (Spanish Conversation)
Want to brush up on your Spanish? ¡Le encanta hablar en español? Join us for an hour of informal conversation with other Spanish-speakers! We’ll meet via Zoom.
Every Tues. 6:00

Talking Politics
We’ll discuss the latest news and trends in national and local politics. We’ll meet via Zoom.
Weds., Aug. 5 7:00

Make and Take Crafts
We’ll have all the supplies you need for a craft project at home. Join our Zoom call to follow along live and show off your creation! Supply kits are reserved for the first 25 people to register. Anyone is welcome to join the Zoom call if you have your own supplies.
DIY Painted Tiles - Thurs., Aug. 6 10:00
Kindness Rocks - Thurs., Aug. 20 11:00

Author Gavin Van Horn: Wildlife in Urban Areas and The Way of the Coyote
Join Gavin Van Horn, Author and Director of Center for Humans and Nature, to discuss his book The Way of the Coyote, which addresses the topic of wildlife in urban areas and Coyote as Trickster, an especially resonant archetype for this moment of change and social upheaval. A Q & A with Author and Professor Liam Heneghan will follow. We’ll meet via Zoom.
Mon., Aug. 10 1:00

Are You LinkedIn?
Learn how to leverage the social networking site LinkedIn to enhance your job search and create results. We’ll meet via Zoom.
Tues., Aug. 11 10:00-11:00

DIY Graphics for Social Media Marketing
Do you need high quality marketing graphics, but lack the know-how to make it happen? We’ll talk stock and smartphone photography and demo a great tool to help you create beautiful graphics on your own. We’ll meet via Zoom.
Weds., Aug. 12 9:00-10:30

Overcoming Stress and Anxiety Using Meditation
Join Nirav Sheth as he teaches a simple technique to increase personal well-being. There will even be a short meditation sitting. We’ll meet via Zoom.
Mon., Aug. 17 7:00

Writing a Cover Letter Workshop
We’ll explore a few different approaches to cover letter writing and practice with some short activities. Bring your questions! We’ll meet via Zoom.
Tues., Aug. 18 6:30-8:00

Somos comunidad: ¡Hagámonos contar!
¿Por qué debemos completar el Censo? ¿Cómo nos beneficiará? ¿Qué debemos hacer? Acompáñenos para hablar sobre estos temas y más con Jesús Enríquez de AgeOptions. Utilizaremos el plataforma de video conferencias Zoom para realizar nuestra sesión debido al distanciamiento social. Visite addisonlibrary.org/zoom si necesita ayuda con Zoom para los programas de la biblioteca.
Miércoles 19 de agosto

Digital Marketing Workshop
Learn how to develop content to entice people to come to your website again and again in this workshop hosted by SCORE Certified Business Mentor Francesca Hindmon. We’ll meet via Zoom.
Weds., Aug. 26 6:30-8:00

Coming Up: The Medicare Ladies Present: I’m Turning 65, Now What?
Thurs., Sept. 3 7:00
Library Open
As of press time for this newsletter, we are open with regular business hours:
Mon.-Thurs.: 9:00-9:00
Fri-Sat.: 9:00-5:00
Sun: 1:00-5:00
Curbside holds pick-up and home delivery services are still available.

Because COVID-19 is a rapidly-evolving situation, please check addisonlibrary.org/COVID19 for the most up to date information on our reopened services.

Visit our website and use the chat icon to connect. You can also call 630.543.3617 to ask any questions!

FOR TEENS
Visit addisonlibrary.org/resources-for-teens for more virtual events and things to do from home.

Indian Trail Summer Reading
We’re reading *Ghosts* by Raina Telgemeier along with Indian Trail students this summer. Join the conversation on Instagram and Twitter and you could win a $20 gift certificate to Nardis Pizza.

Addison Trail Summer Reading and Essays
If you need help finishing your assignment or just need a proofreader, you can schedule a one-on-one with a librarian at addisonlibrary.org/teen-question

Lunch Bunch
Join our teen librarians on IGTV and YouTube as they read from some of their favorite books. Every Mon. and Fri through Aug. 14
New videos posted at 12:00

KickStart Challenges
Our librarians are posting videos on IGTV and YouTube with activities to keep you thinking, making, and learning all summer long. Every Tues. and Thurs. through Aug. 13
New videos posted at 12:00

NEW! Explore Your Interests with a Free Outschool Experience
We’re offering two free Outschool.com classes to teens on a first-come, first-served basis. You can choose one of our picks below or we’ll help you find the perfect class for you at the best day and time for your schedule. To sign up, text 630.934.1898, call 630.543.3617, chat with a teen librarian at addisonlibrary.org/teen, or email us at teenservices@addisonlibrary.org.

Paint No-Face: A Studio Ghibli Art Class
(11-16)
Aug. 1 1:00
Aug. 15 2:30

Solve the Mystery of Jack the Ripper (9-13)
Aug. 3 4:30

Intro to Psychology (ages 13-18)
Aug. 3-14 10:30-11:30

Photography Camp (ages 13-18)
Aug. 17-21 12:00-1:00

Thriving in the Midst of Change (11-14)
Aug. 17-21 11:00-12:00

Text or Chat with a Teen Librarian
You can reach Liz, Rachel, or Courtney by texting 630.934.1898 or going to addisonlibrary.org/teen. We’re available Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. We’re here to give you the best book recommendations and connect you to your interests, but feel free to reach out just to check-in. We can’t wait to hear from you!