

ADULT Events

Summer of DESIGN

Need a new hobby? Always wanted to try something new but never got around to it? Join us this summer for a fun new series of design programming. All craft supplies will be provided. No registration required but space is limited – first come, first serve.

Reading By Design: Summer Reading Kick-Off

Saturday, June 3 from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Do you love those flower pens that are always at the reference desk? Stop by the Adult Services registration table to make one of your own! Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge and be entered for a chance to win a gardening gift basket to start your summer off right!

Painting

Tuesday, June 6 at 10 a.m.
Wednesday, July 5 at 7 p.m.

Channel your inner Bob Ross and create a simple painting that you can take home and admire!

Book Boxes

Thursday, June 15 at 7 p.m.
Tuesday, July 11 at 10 a.m.

Learn how to create secret compartments in old books and have a special place to keep treasured memories! Books will be provided.

Photocraft

Wednesday, June 21 at 10 a.m.
Thursday, July 20 at 7 p.m.

Showcase your favorite photo by creating a beautiful collage that is ready to display! Frames are NOT provided, but matting will be available.

Decoupage

Tuesday, June 27 at 7 p.m.
Tuesday, July 25 at 10 a.m.

Who says trash can't be treasure? Learn what kind of art you can make out of recycled containers!

Don't have time for a class?

June 8, 13, 19, & 30
July 7, 13, 18, & 27

Be sure to visit the Adult Services reference desk to see live demonstrations throughout the morning. Presentations will vary by date and staff members.

Bingo

Saturdays 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

June 10 & 24
July 15 & 29
Aug. 12 & 26

Summer CONCERT SERIES

Heartless

Sunday, June 11 at 2 p.m.

The band delivers a true concert experience, capturing the fire and fury of all the Heart favorites. Heartless has performed on theater and festival stages throughout the Midwest and has gained recognition for their true-to-the original renditions.

Absolute Brass

Sunday, June 25 at 2 p.m.

Absolute Brass is a group of Chicagoland's finest trombonists. Their exciting program will include music spanning five centuries from the Renaissance all the way to Dixieland and popular selections from the American Songbook, Cole Porter, Frank Sinatra and even some favorite Barbershop standards.

Legacy

Sunday, July 9 at 2 p.m.

Chicagoland's premiere Rock and Soul band brings years of experience and energy to some of the most popular music of our time. This band puts their mark on the best of 60s Rock and the coolest Soul sounds. They include Motown sounds, the southern soul of Stax, and Atlantic Records.

Rosie & the Rivets

Sunday, July 16 at 2 p.m.

This band performs the best danceable music of the 1950s and early 1960s along with some current hits with a retro twist. They perform a high energy show that is fun for all ages. This band features powerhouse vocals, skillful musicianship, tight harmonies and great stage presence.

Tom Sharpe

Sunday, July 23 at 2 p.m.

Sharpe's award winning music is a percussive symphony - a sonic and visual feast for the senses - wildly emotional and technically precise, with a gutsy edge of percussive frenzy and tribal ritual. Sharpe's high energy, passion, emotion and superb musicality leave audiences nation-wide amazed and inspired.