



Adult Services



Fall Programs



Medicare 101 for Seniors

Tuesday, October 10

Oswego Campus 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Medicare can be confusing. Lilita Rubiano, a Medicare License Agent from Life Smart, will be presenting a free educational seminar to get you up to speed on what Medicare covers, what it doesn't, and your potential out of pocket exposure. She will discuss Supplements, Advantage Plans, Part D Prescription Coverage, and cost saving strategies for the years ahead. **Registration is required.**

All Ages Movie Poster Matching Activity

Saturday, October 28

Montgomery Campus 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Visit the Montgomery Campus from 9:00 AM- 4:30 PM to view an exciting, vibrant display of full size movie posters for popular culture films. Furthermore, participate in a short, but fun matching activity. Match several descriptions correctly to movie posters displayed in the lobby of the library for a chance to be the LUCKY WINNER of a \$30.00 Visa Gift Card! There will be a 2nd Prize of a \$25.00 Gift Card awarded also. Six ADDITIONAL winners will receive a "Movie Theater Concession Voucher" (valued at \$10 and good for a free small popcorn and free small drink) for the local Kendall 11 GDX Theater.

Limit one entry per participant. Entries are due promptly by 4:30 PM. Not only is the activity fun, but for younger kids, it will help he or she learn to relate words to pictures. *Parents/Guardians--You are welcome to and encouraged to work with your young children.* **No registration required.**

Are You Stressed Out?

Tuesday, October 17

Oswego Campus 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

When stress becomes overwhelming it can affect your health, mood, sleep, relationships, and quality of life. Join Nidhi Tiwari, M.D., board-certified internist with Rush Copley Medical Group, as she discusses common stressors, their harmful effects on the body, and how mental makeovers can help you manage and reduce stress in your life.

Nidhi Tiwari, M.D. is a board-certified internist with Rush Copley Medical Group in Aurora. She advises her patients on preventive care including the importance of lifestyle modifications. She has a special interest in women's health, mental health, travel medicine, nutrition, and weight loss. **Registration is required.**

International Games Day

Saturday, November 4

Montgomery Campus 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Come join us during International Games Week. Play vintage video game systems, board games, card games, and more! Relive those epic Mario Kart 64 races or experience what it was like gaming with two buttons and a directional pad. Game systems may include Super Nintendo, Nintendo 64, and more. Feel free to bring your favorite game as well. All ages welcome. Children under age 14 must be accompanied by a parent. **Registration is required.**



Christmas Walk

Friday, December 1

Oswego Campus 5:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Stop by the Oswego Campus to enjoy music played by area musicians. The library will close at 5pm for normal library use but will remain open for Christmas Walk activities from 5-7:30pm. The Montgomery Campus will remain open and provide full library services until closing.

- Dave Margolis (Country/Folk style music) will perform 5:00 PM - 5:45 PM.
- Oswego Presbyterian Church Bell Choir will perform 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM.
- Fox River Academy of Music and Art Suzuki String group will perform 6:30 PM - 7:00 PM.



Monthly Programs

34/30 Writers' Group

Meets the third Thursday of the month at the Montgomery Campus, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

October 19, November 16

All writers, whether beginner or pro, are invited to network and share their writings at our monthly meetings. The group is intended for adults and high school age students who write novels, short stories, poetry or nonfiction or enjoy writing exercises. **No registration required.**

For 20-30 Somethings: Throne of Games Night

Meets **October 24, November 14**
at the Oswego Campus, from 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Come join others in their 20-30s for a fun night of gaming. Play games like Settlers of Catan, Ticket to Ride, Scrabble, Farkle, and more, or feel free to bring your own. Fun and food guaranteed!
Registration preferred, but drop-ins are welcome.



Adult Coloring Program: Keep Calm and Color

Meets the last Tuesday of the month at the Oswego Campus, from 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

October 31, November 28

People of all artistic skill levels are welcome! Take your mind off of the daily stresses of life and join us for a relaxing evening of good company, soothing music, and a nice cup of coffee. Coloring materials and pages will be provided. If there is a scheduled activity for the month, attendees need to register prior to the program's date and before registration closes. This is to ensure that there will be enough materials for that date. Walk-ins are welcome to attend a regular non-project oriented coloring session.

For adults and teens. Children ages 10 and up are welcome and must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.



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Online Event Calendar: www.oswego.lib.il.us/eventcalendar.asp

Next Chapter Book Club



Meets every week on Friday at the Oswego Campus.
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM.

Adolescents and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities will read and discuss a book together. Join us and have fun reading, learning, and making friends. Anyone age 16 and over can participate, no matter the reading or ability level. Four to eight members and two volunteer club meeting facilitators will meet weekly for one hour to read and discuss a book of the group's choosing. To register or to find out more about the Next Chapter Book Club, please contact Christy Kepler at (630) 978-1276. **Registration is required.**

Genealogy Help Sessions

These consultations take place the 2nd Tuesday of the month and the 2nd Friday of the month at the Oswego Campus.

Tuesdays from 9:00 AM - Noon

October 10, November 14, December 12

Fridays from 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM:

October 13, November 10, December 8

Members of the Fox Valley Genealogical Society will assist patrons in researching their family history with the library's local history and genealogy collection.

No registration required.

Local Artist Spotlight

Photographer Bob Shurley's photograph exhibit, "Mostly Nature, Big and Small," will be on display from October, 2017 through November, 2017.

Resident artist Bob Shurley has been studying to be an amateur photographer for the last 14 years. He does not alter his photographs in any way because he believes "using Photoshop or similar photograph retouching software is cheating." He adds, "I want to tell a story with the image itself, naturally as it occurred. I try not to use flash, though I believe that is not always possible." His preferred method of capturing images is with the natural light available. In addition to photography, Bob enjoys most things that can fly, whether they are mechanical or natural. His education background is in radio/TV/film and he currently works as an IT professional with more than 20 years' experience.

Artist Submissions



Are you an artist who would like to exhibit your artwork at the Oswego Public Library District? If so, please contact Laura in Adult Services at 630-978-1024 for more information.

Priority will be given to Oswego and Montgomery-area residents. The Local Artist Spotlight is for display only. No sales may be allowed in the library.

Oswego Presents: SCORE Workshops Small Business Owners and Entrepreneurs

Meets in the second floor meeting room at the Oswego Campus from 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM.

Join Oswego, the small business partnership between the Village of Oswego and the Oswego Public Library District, for monthly morning workshops presented by SCORE. Workshops will focus on how to connect small business owners and entrepreneurs with the people and information they need to start, grow, and maintain their businesses.

Thursday, October 26: *Employee vs. Independent Contractor:
A Key Business Decision*

Tuesday, December 5: *Pricing Strategies*

Oswego Public Library District

Book Discussion Groups

Award Winners & Classics Book Discussion Group: *Discusses classic novels & award winners.*

Meets the first Thursday of the month at the Oswego Campus, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

Contact group moderator Gloria in Adult Services for more information.

October 5

Z: A Novel of Zelda Fitzgerald
by Therese Fowler

November 2

Tender Is the Night
by F. Scott Fitzgerald

December 7

The Lost City of the Monkey God
by Douglas J. Preston

Thursday Afternoon Book Discussion Group: *Discusses adult fiction & nonfiction.*

Meets the second Thursday of the month at the Oswego Campus, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM.

Contact group moderator Laura in Adult Services for more information.

October 12

A Man Called Ove
by Fredrik Backman

November 9

The Invention of Nature
by Andrea Wulf

December

No discussion

Genre Book Club: *Explores and discusses a new genre every month.*

Meets the second Thursday of the month at the Montgomery Campus, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

Contact group moderator Andrea in Adult Services for more information.

October 12

Persepolis
by Marjane Satrapi

November 9

Smoke and Mirrors
by Neil Gaiman

December 14

The Walk
by Richard Paul Evans

Mystery Book Club: *Discusses plots, settings, and characters of favorite mysteries.*

Meets the third Wednesday of the month at the Oswego Campus, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM.

Contact group moderator Camille in Adult Services for more information.

October 18

The House of Silk
by Anthony Horowitz

November 15

The Trapped Girl
by Robert Dugoni

December

No discussion

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Hours

Monday-Friday

9:00 am - 9:00 pm

Saturday

9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday

Noon - 4:00 pm

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