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Laurie Lawlor

**Kids' Historical Fiction Author to visit the Library
For Grades 1-8**

Saturday, Oct. 4 • 1-2 p.m.



Readers, ahoy! Set sail for a swashbuckling voyage into the past with children's author Laurie Lawlor. Pirates, explorers, pioneers and famous photographers have inspired Lawlor, who will discuss how she writes her award-winning historical

fiction and nonfiction for early readers, middle grade readers and young adults. *Dead Reckoning: A Pirate Voyage with Captain Drake*, *Addie across the Prairie* and *Old Crump: The True Story of a Trip West* will be among the books that Lawlor will talk about during her visit to the library. You can pick up a list of Lawlor's books in the Kids' Library.

It is a pleasure to welcome Lawlor, a resident of Evanston, IL, who has written more than 35 books of fiction and nonfiction for all ages. One of her most recent books, *This Tender Place: The Story of a Wetland Year* is a beautiful nature book for adults, and was selected for Outstanding Achievement recognition by the Wisconsin Library Association. Her presentation, which is sponsored by an Elmhurst resident who wishes to remain anonymous, will be followed by a book signing. You may bring your own copy of one of her books or purchase a book at the program. **Pick up tickets at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 27.**



Book Discussions '08-'09

New this year! We are hosting a series of nonfiction book discussions meeting at 7:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month, beginning October 9.

Our traditional Wednesday book discussions will continue to meet at either 1 p.m. or 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month, beginning in September. Register and pick up a copy of both monthly selections at the second floor Information Desk, or call and we will send the books to the drive-up window for you.

Everyone is welcome at these informal discussions. Pick up a bookmark detailing the books for each discussion. See page 7 in this newsletter to view the first two books for each discussion.

Live Homework Help Online



You've got homework.
We've got help.

Tutor.com helps online from real tutors.

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Whether you have a math problem, research paper or tough science assignment, the Library's new online tutoring service, Live Homework Help® from Tutor.com, can assist you. Students in grades K-12 and early college as well as curious adults can work with a tutor in English or Spanish between the hours of 2 and 9 p.m. every day. Subjects covered include math, science, English and social studies. To access Live Homework Help® visit the Library website.



Save the Date

**Friends of the Library
Annual Meeting
THURSDAY, NOV. 13**

**Making Big Plans:
Commemorating the Centennial
of Daniel H. Burnham's
1909 Plan of Chicago**

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Lyric Opera
Lectures

Adult and Teen Programs

Call or visit the Information Desk to register beginning Tuesday, September 2.

📞 **Creating a Resume that Works for YOU!**

Wednesday, Sept. 17 • 7 p.m. • Meeting Room 2

Transform your resume into one that has power and impact! Learn about resume formats, how to highlight your skills and accomplishments, and how to write powerful summary statements that position you for the job you want. Georgiana Carollus, a Certified Professional Resume Writer who has worked with hundreds of clients will present this career enhancing workshop.

📞 **Get Ready for the Switch to Digital TV!**

Monday, Sept. 22 • 7 p.m. • Meeting Room 2

Starting February 17, 2009, TV stations must switch from the old method of transmitting TV signals, known as analog, to digital television (DTV). If you have an analog TV that is not connected to cable or satellite, you will need to take action before the transition date. At this seminar, a Radio Shack DTV expert will help answer the following questions: What is the DTV transition? Will I be affected? What do I have to do? How do I get and set up a converter box? Be sure to sign up for this educational seminar.

📞 **Auto Detailing Like a Professional**

Wednesday, Oct. 1 • 7 p.m. Meeting Room 2

Auto detailing pro Gary Kouba shares his secrets on how to keep your car looking new. Aspects of exterior and interior care are covered, including how to "clay" your car and use synthetic paint sealants and other modern products. He will also give tips on shopping for a car and what to beware of in dealer aftermarket products.



Protect and enhance your investment in your car by applying the useful techniques you'll learn at this workshop.

📞 **Don't Pay the College Sticker Price!**

Wednesday, Oct. 8 • 7 p.m. • Meeting Room 2

Most families stumble uninformed into the college planning years, paying much more than necessary for a college education. Since the financial aid system won't come knocking at your door, you must take the initiative to learn how to maximize financial aid eligibility, target the right colleges for aid based on merit, and exploit tax savings opportunities. Joe Orsolini, a Certified Financial Planner and Certified College Planning Specialist, will present this highly useful program.

📞 **Explore Assistive Technology at EPL**

Thursday, Oct. 2 • 6:30-8:30 p.m.

2nd Floor Computer Lab

Try out several of the programs available in our Assistive Technology Study Room. Kris Bretl from District 205 will demonstrate Kurzweil 3000, Write Outloud, Boardmaker, and MS Assistive Tools. Patrons will then have a chance to use the programs themselves.

📞 **Conversational Spanish Mixer**

Mondays, Sept. 15 & 29 and Oct. 13 & 27 • 7 p.m.

Meeting Room 2

Join us for a fun way to practice your Spanish! Learn new vocabulary and practice grammar structures with others. All you need is a basic knowledge of Spanish.

📞 **Creepy Classics: An Evening with Poe & Friends**

Thursday, Oct. 30 • 7 p.m. • Meeting Room 2

Start your Halloween weekend off by enjoying some very creepy stories! Storyteller and actor Grant Fitch will present dramatic readings of the best spooky writing, from classic horror to modern suspense, including H.P. Lovecraft, Edgar Allen Poe, Alfred Hitchcock, Roald Dahl, Stephen King, and more. Some stories will include historical portrayals that are sure to be chilling. Join us if you dare!!!



Teen Programs

Game On!

Thursday, Sept. 18 • 3:30-5 p.m. • Meeting Rooms 1 & 2

Looking for something to do after school? Bring your friends and bang your head to Rock Band on our 60-inch screen! Or battle each other with Super Smash Bros.! There will be chess and board games, and drinks to quench your thirst. Just show us your High School ID to get in.

Celebrate Teen Read Week

October 12 -18!

This year's theme is "Books with Bite." Stop by the library and pick up a list of books to sink your teeth into!

Teen Book Discussion

Wednesday, Oct. 15 • 3:30-5 p.m. Meeting Room 1

Join York High School Librarian Robin Rogers and our own Teen Librarian Patti Palmer as we begin our monthly book discussions. We'll start by discussing Stephenie Meyer's *Twilight* series and the upcoming movie. And we'll have some snacks for you to bite into!



Teen Halloween Film Fest

Friday, Oct. 24 at 4 p.m. AND Saturday, Oct. 25 at 1 p.m. Meetings Rooms 1 & 2

Join us for some classic horror films and some cult favorites. We'll have drinks and snacks. **To make movie suggestions or to assist in the planning of this event, email: patti.palmer@elmhurst.org by Friday, Sept. 19.** (Sorry, we can't show any R-rated movies.) Check the Teen Blog in October for the movie schedule. <http://eplteenblog.blogspot.com/>

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Registration Key: All programs require an EPL card.

📞 Call (630) 279-8696 or in person 📄 Pick up tickets 🗑 In-person registration 😊 No registration

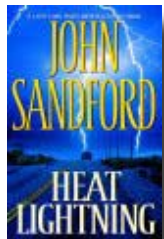
Coming Attractions

Reserve your copy online or call the Information Desk at 630-279-8696, ext. 321.

Hot Titles

Fiction

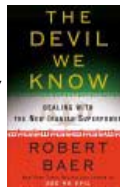
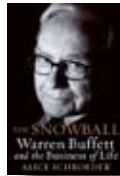
- **Rough Weather**
By Robert B. Parker
- **The Letters**
By Luanne Rice and Joseph Monninger
- **Bones: An Alex Delaware Novel**
By Jonathan Kellerman
- **Dark Summer**
By Iris Johansen
- **Hot Mahogany**
By Stuart Woods
- **The Lucky One**
By Nicholas Sparks
- **A Most Wanted Man**
By John LeCarre



- **Heat Lightning**
By John Sandford

Nonfiction

- **Breakthrough: The Changing Face of Medicine**
By Suzanne Somers
- **A Bold Fresh Piece of Humanity: A Memoir**
By Bill O'Reilly
- **A Member of the Family: Cesar Millan's Guide to a Lifetime of Fulfillment with Your Dog**
By Cesar Millan and Melissa Jo Peltier
- **The Snowball: Warren Buffett and the Business of Life**
By Alice Schroeder
- **Emily Post: Daughter of the Gilded Age, Mistress of American Manners**
By Laura Claridge
- **Letter to My Daughter**
By Maya Angelou
- **The Devil We Know: Dealing With the New Iranian Superpower**
By Robert Baer



Consider These

Fiction

- **Exit Music** By Ian Rankin
Detective Inspector John Rebus, just 10 days from retirement, examines the murder of a dissident Russian poet who is involved with Russian businessmen, Scottish bankers, politicians pushing for an independent Scotland, and a local crime boss.
- **I See You Everywhere** By Julia Glass
From National Book Award winner Glass: the story of two sisters whose lives mesh, for better and for worse, over the course of 25 years. By the author of Three Junes.
- **The Other Queen** By Philippa Gregory
The best-selling author of The Other Boleyn Girl presents a tale inspired by the story of Mary, Queen of Scots, in a work that follows the doomed monarch's long imprisonment in the household of the Earl of Shrewsbury and his spying wife, Bess.

Nonfiction

- **Hot, Flat, and Crowded: Why We Need a Green Revolution--and How It Can Renew America**
By Thomas L. Friedman
Author of The World is Flat proposes an ambitious national strategy to address key issues in climate change and energy shortages.
- **The Hero** By Jon Krakauer
The author of Into Thin Air and Into the Wild, explains why Arizona Cardinals star safety Pat Tillman felt compelled to join the army post-9/11 and how he perished in Afghanistan.
- **September Songs: The Good News about Marriage in the Later Years** By Maggie Scarf
A modern evaluation of marriage by the author of Intimate Partners takes into account the additional years that have been added to life expectancies, drawing on intimate interviews to counsel readers on how to maximize fulfillment in the post-children and retirement stages.
- **The Numerati** By Stephen Baker
A financial journalist examines the Numerati, an elite, global cadre of mathematicians and computer scientists, and how their analyses and predictions are transforming the way we live, work, buy, and vote.

Computer Classes



The library offers a number of hands-on computer classes in the computer lab that are open to EPL cardholders high school age and older. We have classes for those with little or no computer experience and for those who want to learn new computer applications.

All classes require a \$10 fee, unless otherwise noted.

Fees must be paid by cash or check at the Information Desk at the time of registration. Refunds will not be given. You will receive a \$10 voucher for another class if you cancel at least 7 days in advance.

Level I

For those with little or no computer experience

Class	Date	Time
Intro to Computers 1	Tuesday, Sept. 16	5:30-7:30 p.m.

Please call or stop by the Information Desk if you need information about the classes.

Our Word, Excel, and Powerpoint courses have been updated to reflect our switch to Microsoft Office 2007.

Level II

For those with basic computer experience

Class	Date	Time
Intro to Word	Saturday, Sept. 27	10 a.m.-Noon
Ebay 101*	Saturday, Sept. 20	10 a.m.-Noon
Ebay 101*	Saturday, Oct. 18	10 a.m.-Noon
Excel 1	Tuesday, Sept. 30	5:30-7:30 p.m.
Excel 2**	Tuesday, Oct 7	5:30-7:30 p.m.
Intro to Powerpoint	Tuesday, Oct. 14	5:30-7:30 p.m.
Internet Basics 1	Saturday, Oct. 25	10 a.m.-Noon
Using Email	Tuesday, Oct. 28	5:30-7:30 p.m.

***Ebay 101**—Learn about the searching, watching, and bidding process to find and buy items. To show the selling process, the instructor will bring an item to class, photograph it, and place it on an online auction, while offering tips and tricks for effective selling techniques along the way.

****Excel 2**—Build your Excel skills by learning how to use formulas, workbooks, and charts.

Kids' Special Programs

Newborn – 11 months (with an adult)

Littlest Storytime

Ages: Newborn – 11 months (with an adult)

Tuesdays, Sept. 2-23 • 9:30–10 a.m. • Storytime Room

Min. 8/Max. 14

In this interactive program, parents and caregivers will rock, bounce and clap as they introduce their babies to songs and rhymes that will help them take their first steps toward language and literacy. Registration began August 23.

Writing Excellence

Grades 6–8

Mondays, Oct. 6, 20 & 27 • 7–8:30 p.m. • Storytime Room

Min. 8/Max. 15

Sharpen your pencils, your mind and your writing skills! Join Linda Mikottis, writing specialist from the Institute for Excellence in Writing, as she explores new and exciting ways to “dress-up” your paragraphs. Be prepared to add structure and style to your sentences and expand your writing potential. Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 27.

“Stringing on a Star”

Ages: for 3 and up (Children under 7 must be accompanied by an adult)

Monday, Oct. 13 • 10:30–11:15 a.m.

Meeting Room 2

Dave Herzog’s Marionettes present a fun-filled, exciting puppet extravaganza. Blast off for an intergalactic adventure with Zork of the planet Zorn, captain of the starship Puppetron, and boldly go where no puppet has gone before. Captain Zork and his crew will delight you with their interstellar marionette razzle dazzle magic. Pick up tickets at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Oct. 4.



Scared Silly: Not So Terrifying Tales

Ages: 3–8

Wednesday, Oct. 29 • 7–7:45 p.m.

Storytime Room • Maximum 35 people

Tiptoe to the library for somewhat spooky, sometimes silly, monstrous stories. What a great way to get you in the mood for Halloween! Register by phone or at the Help

Desk starting Saturday, Oct. 18.



The 5000th (and 5,001st) Summer Readers!!!



Summer Reading Table Volunteers (in green shirts) John Kopach, Hannah Kopach, and Erin O'Neill stand with the 5000th summer reader, Chyanne Mariano (pink shirt), and the 5001st summer reader, Taylor Ray (blue shirt). This is a new record for program registration. Thank you to the 198 volunteers that help keep the reading program running during the summer!

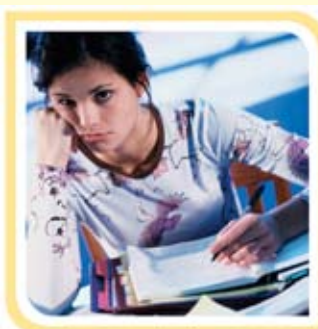
Homework Help at EPL

For kids in Grades 5 – 8 and their parents

Friday, Oct. 17 • 7–8 p.m.

Computer Lab • Minimum 8/Maximum 30 people

Learn how the Library can make doing homework easier! This workshop for kids in grades 5 - 8 (parents may attend also) will demonstrate databases available from home that can help with homework in science, social studies, language arts and other subjects. We'll also take a look at Tutor.com, the new, free, online tutoring service available to all Elmhurst Library cardholders. Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, October 4.



Registration Key: All programs require an EPL card.

 Call (630) 279-8696 or in person  Pick up tickets  In-person registration  No registration

Kids' Series Programs

Registration is required for the following programs. Please call or stop by the Kids' Library Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 27 with your valid EPL card. All programs are in the Storytime Room.



☎ 1-year-olds (with an adult)

Mother Goose Time

Mondays, Oct. 6–Nov. 17 • 9:15-9:45 a.m. OR 10:15-10:45 a.m.
OR Tuesdays, Oct. 7–Nov. 18 • 9:15-9:45 a.m.

Min. 8/Max. 15 people

Come to the library with your wee ones for interactive songs and rhymes. This action-packed program engages one-year-olds in language-based activities.

☎ 2-year-olds (with an adult)

Toddler Time

Thursdays, Oct. 9–Nov. 20 • 9:15-9:45 a.m. OR 10:15-10:45 a.m.
OR Fridays, Oct. 10–Nov. 21 • 9:15-9:45 a.m.

Min. 8/Max. 15 people

Enjoy stories, fingerplays, and musical activities that are just right for the curious and active mind of a two-year-old and will encourage emerging language skills.

☎ Ages 3-5

Fun Favorites for Fall

Wednesdays, Oct. 8–Nov. 19 • 10:30-11 a.m.
OR 2-2:30 p.m.

Min. 10/Max. 35 people

Each week of this lively storytime will feature a variety of stories, songs and action rhymes about fall and a potpourri of other themes aimed at building a love of language, books and reading.

☎ Kindergarten and Grade 1

Cooking up Some Good Stories

Wednesdays, Oct. 8–Nov. 19 • 3:30–4:15 p.m.
Min. 10/Max. 30 people

Get ready for a food story extravaganza with tempting tales about tasty tidbits. And how about a treat of delectable crafts for your creative appetite?

Kids' Drop-in Programs

Stop by for these special stories in our Storytime Room. Present your EPL card at the Help Desk on the day of the program to pick up tickets. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis.

😊 1-year-olds (with an adult)

Mother Goose Time Drop-in

Tuesdays, Oct. 7–Nov. 18 • 10:15–10:45 a.m. • Max. 30

😊 Ages: 1-2 (with an adult)

Rhyme Time Drop-in

Wednesdays, Oct. 8–Nov. 19 OR • Every Saturday
9:30-10 a.m. • Max. 30

😊 2-year-olds (with an adult)

Toddler Time Drop-in

Fridays, Oct. 10–Nov. 21 • 10:15–10:45 a.m. • Max. 35

😊 Ages: 3-5

Fun Favorites for Fall

Thursdays, Oct. 9–Nov. 20 • 2–2:30 p.m. • Max. 35

😊 Ages 4 & up (with an adult)

"PEOPLE FIRST" STORYTIME

Mondays, Oct. 13–Nov. 24 • 4:30-5 p.m. • Max. 25

Join Judy Ekblad for stories and activities selected for children who receive special education services (recommended for ages 4 & up). Siblings are welcome. If your child needs an accommodation (such as a sign language interpreter) please let us know at least 1 week in advance.

😊 All Ages (best for ages 3-7)

Saturday Family Storytime Drop-in

Every Saturday • 10:30-11 a.m. • Max. 40

Storyteller Lori Lorenz will share entertaining tales, rhymes, action verses and songs about things that go: cars, trucks, planes, trains, and more! Once the leaves start to change, we'll change to fall stories.



Eve of the Emperor Penguin (Magic Tree House #40) by Mary Pope Osborne

Brisinger (Inheritance; Book 3) by Christopher Paolini



A Giant Problem (Beyond the Spiderwick Chronicles; Book 2) by Holly Black

Charlie Bone And The

Shadow by Jenny Nimmo
Inkdeath by Cornelia Funke

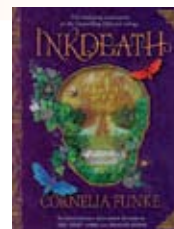
The Diamond of Darkhold (The Fourth Book of Ember) by Jeanne DuPrau

Mr. Granite Is from Another Planet! (My Weird School Daze) by Dan Gutman



Paula Deen's My First Cookbook by Paula Deen

If You Give a Cat a Cupcake





☎ **After-School Special: "Happy Fifth Birthday to Elmhurst Public Library!"**

Grades 2-8
Tuesday, Sept. 30 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Storytime Room • Min. 10/Max. 30 people
Elmhurst Public Library is having its fifth birthday! You're invited to celebrate at this fun-filled event. There will be crafts galore, entertaining games and birthday treats too! Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 20.

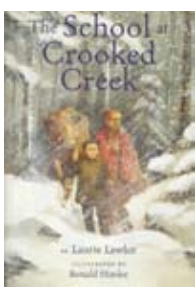
☎ **After-School Special: "Wacky Wild Watercolors"**

Grades 2-8
Tuesday, Oct. 28 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Storytime Room • Min. 10/Max. 30 people
Artist Jenny Nagle will teach kids about negative space painting. Using a point and a flat brush, the children will create their own autumn picture. They'll marvel as they watch their unique images emerge. Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Oct. 18.



Grade 2 & 3 Book Discussions

Read the following books and come to the library to talk about the stories and participate in a mix of engaging activities.



☎ **The School at Crooked Creek**

by Laurie Lawlor
Tuesday, Oct. 7 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Storytime Room • Min. 10/Max. 20
Beansie loves his simple life with ma, pap and his sister, Louisa, on their Indiana homestead. But now his parents want him to go to the new log cabin school, where he'll be cooped up inside all day. How is Beansie going to cope with bullies who can

outrun, outlick and out-holler anybody? Beansie is scared and he doesn't want to go to school! Read this book and, as an extra bonus, come to the library on Saturday, Oct. 4 and meet the author, Laurie Lawlor! Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 27.

☎ **Marvin Redpost: Class President** by Louis Sachar

Tuesday, Nov. 4 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Storytime Room • Min. 10/Max. 20
The President of the United States is coming to visit Marvin's class. He's even going to answer one question from each kid. And everything is going to be on TV! Marvin is nervous. What if someone steals his question? What if he can't speak when it's his turn? He doesn't want to look foolish to the President and everyone watching TV!
6 Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Tuesday,

☎ **Homeschool Club**

Grades 2-8
"Happy Fifth Birthday to Elmhurst Public Library!"
Tuesday, Sept. 30 • 1:30-2:30 p.m.
"Wacky Wild Watercolors" • Tuesday, Oct. 28 • 2-3 p.m.
Storytime Room • Min. 10/Max. 30 people
Homeschoolers are invited to attend their own sessions of "Happy Fifth Birthday to Elmhurst Public Library!" in September and "Wacky Wild Watercolors" in October. Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 20 for the Sept. program and Saturday, Oct. 18 for the Oct. program.

☎ **Chess Club**

Ages: 7-14
Fridays, Oct. 3, 10 & 31 AND Nov. 7 & 21 AND Dec. 5
7-8 p.m. • Meeting Room 1 • Min. 15/Max. 30 people
Chess enhances memory, concentration and logical thinking. It's fun, too! Challenge other players and learn more about the game. Register by phone or at the Help

Grade 4 & 5 Book Discussions

Read these interesting books and then join other kids to discuss the stories and enjoy crafts and activities.

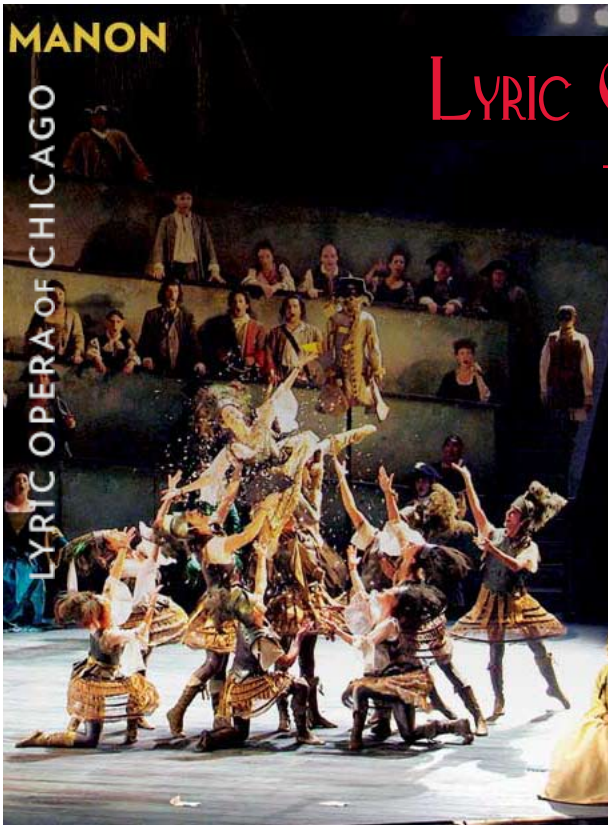
☎ **George on His Own** by Laurie Lawlor

Monday, Oct. 6 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Storytime Room • Min. 10/Max. 20
Addie's twelve-year-old brother George doesn't think anyone appreciates his musical talent, and when his father threatens to sell his trombone, George decides to run away from the family's prairie home. Read this book and, as an extra bonus, come to the library on Saturday, Oct. 4, and meet the author, Laurie Lawlor! Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Saturday, Sept. 27.

☎ **Frindle** by Andrew Clements

Monday, Nov. 3 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Meeting Room 1 • Min. 10/Max. 20
Nick Allen has plenty of ideas and has enjoyed being a troublemaker in 3rd and 4th grade. Now Nick is in 5th grade, and everyone knows that his language arts teacher, Mrs. Granger, has X-ray vision. Nobody gets away with anything in her class. And she's a fanatic about the dictionary and the meaning of words. But then Nick learns something interesting about words and where they come from, and it inspires his greatest plan yet. He invents a new word. A pen is no longer a pen - it's a frindle. Register by phone or at the Help Desk starting Monday, Oct. 6.





LYRIC OPERA LECTURES

No registration required.
In Meeting Room 1 on the
following Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

Season Overview

Sunday, Sept. 14
Charles DeWitt

Manon by Massenet

Sunday, Sept. 21
Belinda Potoma

The Pearl Fishers by Bizet

Sunday, Oct. 5
Kip Kelly

Lulu by Berg

Sunday, Nov. 2
Linda Valeckis Nussbaum

Porgy & Bess by Gershwin

Sunday, Nov. 9
Margaret Fournier

Madama Butterfly by Puccini

Sunday, Dec. 14
Arn Buonamici

Tristan und Isolde by Wagner

Sunday, Jan. 18
Charles DeWitt

Cavalleria Rusticana &

Pagliacci by Mascagni &

Leoncavallo
Sunday, Feb. 1
Carla Thorpe

Abduction from The

Seraglio by Mozart

Sunday, Feb. 15
Virginia Jach

Book Discussions

Registration is preferred. Register & pick up a copy of the book at the second floor Information Desk.
For a complete list of the 2008-2009 Book Discussions, visit our website or pick up a bookmark at the
2nd Floor Information Desk.

Wednesday

Third Wednesdays • 1 p.m. OR 7:30 p.m.

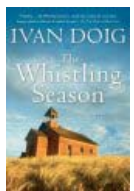


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Mister Pip

By Lloyd Jones (2006)

On a copper-rich tropical island shattered by war, on which survival is a daily struggle, eccentric Mr. Watts, the only white man left after the other teachers flee, spends his days reading to the local children from Charles Dickens's classic "Great Expectations." Intense, beautiful, and fable-like, *Mister Pip* is a remarkable work of fiction that celebrates the resilience of the human spirit and the power of literature to transform lives. Available in regular print, cd, digital book.



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The Whistling Season

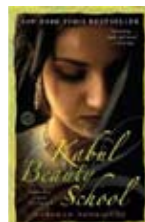
By Ivan Doig (2006)

The saga of how a widow from Minneapolis and her brother--soon to become the new teacher in a tiny Montana community in 1909--change lives in unexpected ways. *The Whistling Season* has all the charm of old-school storytelling, from Dickens to Laura Ingalls Wilder. Available in regular print, large type.

Thursday

Second Thursdays • 7:30 p.m.

All Thursday discussions feature nonfiction books.



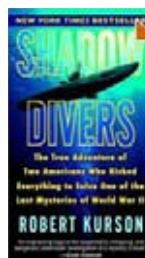
October 9, 2008

Kabul Beauty School

By Deborah Rodriguez (2007)

In the tradition of *Reading Lolita in Tehran*, Rodriguez tells the story of the beauty school she founded in the middle of the Afghan city of Kabul, and lifts the veil of secrecy about the vibrant women who were her students there.

Available in regular print, large type, cd, MP3-cd.



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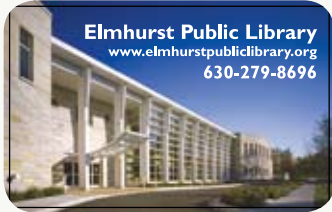
Shadow Divers

By Robert Kurson (2004)

Similar to Jon Krakauer's *Into Thin Air* and Sebastian Junger's *The Perfect Storm*, *Shadow Divers* tells a true tale of riveting adventure in which two weekend scuba divers risk everything to solve a great historical mystery--and make history themselves. Available in regular print, large type, audiocassette, cd.

September is Library Card Sign-up Month

The Elmhurst Public Library would like to thank current cardholders for using the library and encourage those who don't have a library card to get one. During the month of September, the local businesses listed below are offering a discount when you show your **Elmhurst Public Library card**. More than 70% of Elmhurst residents already have a library card, but our goal is to have 100% of residents make use of all the library has to offer.



Show your Elmhurst Public Library card at these local businesses in September and receive a discount!

biancarose shoes
10% off any purchase of \$75 or more.
Limit one per visit.
108 W. 2nd St.

Camden Boutique
10% off entire purchase
106 W. 2nd St.

Egg Harbor Cafe-Elmhurst
10% off your entire bill
(Parties of 6 or less)
140 N. Robert Palmer Dr.

E Lounge
10% off entire purchase
104 W. 2nd St.

Entourage Hair Salon and Spa
\$5 off haircut OR 20% off colors or
Perm, first time clients
111 2nd St.

enzee boutique
15% off your entire purchase, including
sale items. Coupon cannot be combined
with other offers.
140 N. York St.

Pizza Palace
Free 6 pack Soda with \$20 purchase
117 Addison St.

Red E
10% off entire purchase
146 N. York St.

**Rocky Mountain Chocolate
Factory**
10% off purchase of \$10 or more. Not to
be combined with other offers
156 N. York St.

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Hours:
M–F: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Sat.: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sun.: 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Renew items by phone:
630-279-6030

Library Board Meetings:
7:30 p.m., third Tuesday of each
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FREE Career Counseling

Mondays, Sept. 15, Oct. 6 & 20 • 9:30 a.m.–Noon • 2nd Floor Study Rooms

Meet with a career counselor from Jewish Vocational Services, a non-profit, non-sectarian agency, for free, one-on-one career counseling. Call or visit the Information Desk to sign up for a 30-minute session.

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