

HODGKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Serving the community of Hodgkins, Illinois since 1975

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WINTER READING PROGRAM

“Eating Your Way Through Winter Reading”

Sign up begins January 4, 2021

All entries must be turned in by January 30, 2021.

Kids, Teens & Adults

Warm up during winter reading with reading and preparing some delicious winter recipes.

Each week tell us about a book you are reading and/or by participating in the book of the week. Each card filled out will be entered into a drawing for different prize baskets.

Book of the Week: Each week the library will have a book with fun recipes to make with your family. The book and ingredients will be available for the week until they're all given out.

Week 1: Cookies

Week 2: Soup

Week 3: Pancakes

Week 4: Hot Chocolate

Limit 8 cards



Winter 2020 Dec/Jan/Feb

Curbside Hours

Mon - Thu2 PM - 7 PM

Fri1 PM - 5 PM

Sat11 AM - 2 PM

Sun1 PM - 3 PM

Closings

Thu. Dec. 24

Fri. Dec. 25

Thu. Dec. 31

Fri. Jan. 1

Trustees

Becky Carrasquillo

Lisa Carson

Anne Clancy

Stephanie DaSilva

Adriana Romano

Sharon Wells

Joseph Young

Director

Timothy Prendergast

The Board meets the third Monday of each month at 7:00 PM, unless otherwise noted.

Holiday Mobile Blood Drive

Wed. Dec. 30 @ 2pm - 4:30pm

Please drink extra water and eat a healthy meal prior to donating. Photo ID needed.

As a thank you, donors will receive a \$10 eGift card!

Sign up at the circulation desk, call (708)579-1844, 1-800-7TO-GIVE or online at www.versiti.org.

Appointments greatly appreciated; walk-ins welcome as the schedule and social distancing allows.

Reopening Plan

Per the Restore Illinois Plan approved by the IDPH the library will not be open on a regular basis until Phase 5. Call before coming, as the status of phases could change at any moments time.

In the meantime, the library is offering curbside pick up for materials, and making appointments for computer use and passports.

PICK UP KIT PROGRAMS

Please pick up program kits between curbside pick up hours. Kits are available on a first come, first serve basis until they are all given out.

Wacky Wednesday (With A Twist!)

Wed. Dec. 2, 9, 16 | Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27 | Feb. 3, 10, 17, 24

Join us on Facebook every Wednesday for some fun! We will provide crafts, snacks, and other activities! Pick up the Wacky Wednesday kit every week to join in on the fun.

Limited amount available.



12 Books of Christmas Kit

Mon. Dec. 7

Pick up your kit that contains 12 wrapped Christmas picture books! Starting on December 13th, each day choose a wrapped book, unwrap it, and read it as a family. Kids enjoy reading these books and seeing the books dwindle as a countdown to Christmas.

One per family. Limited amount available.

DIY Illuminated Wine Bottles

Mon. Jan. 11

Make a beautiful illuminated wine bottle using pre-cut vinyl and other decorations. All supplies will be provided.

Pre-register by the week of December 20th. Limit 20.

Adults



Love Kits

Feb. 1 - 28

For the month of February, pick up a couple love kits that will be supplied with a craft, a movie, some coloring sheets, and a snack. There will be kits provided for different age ranges.

Limit to one kit check-out at a time.

Valentine's Day Fun At Home Kits

Sat. Feb. 13, Sun. Feb. 14

Come and get some fun activities, crafts, and candy to make this Valentine's Day extra special with your family at home. Play Valentine's Day M&M Bingo at home with your family.

Limit 20. One per family.

Valentine's Day M&M Bingo					
6	11	18	23	22	
24	14	12	3	17	
15	10	♥	20	2	
17	5	8	7	9	
1	4	13	16	21	

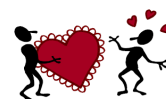
Rate Your Date (Blind Book for Teens & Adults)

Feb. 1 - 14

Pick your favorite genre(s). Books will be available during curbside pick-up. You won't know what the book is until you unwrap it at home. Inside each book will be a Rate Your Date card. Fill it out, turn it in by February 20th to be entered to win a prize!

Limit 10 cards.

Do not judge a book by its cover!



Give one of our mystery books a try this month and see if you can fall in love with a new type of book!

Fall in Love With a Book (Kids)

Feb. 1 - 14

Pick your favorite type of book(s) and books will be available during curbside pick-up.

Inside each book will be a Love It or Hate It card. Fill out the card, and turn it in by February 20th to be entered to win a prize! **Limit 10 cards.**

12 DAYS OF CHEER!

Please pick up program kits between curbside pick up hours. Starting on Mondays there will be 20 of each kits available. **One kit per family.**

Mon. Nov. 30 - Sat. Dec. 5

Kit 1: Gingerbread House Kit

Decorate a fun gingerbread house with your family to celebrate the holidays.

Kit 2: DIY Snow Globe

Make a snow globe centerpiece using fake snow and decorations.

Kit 3: National Cookie Day Kits

Make some cookies for National Cookie Day with a kit provided with dry ingredients and baking equipment.



Mon. Dec. 7 - Sat. Dec. 12

Kit 4: Homemade No-Sew Gnomes

Create your own gnome that is an easy no-sew holiday decoration.

Kit 5: Wrapping Paper Kit

Pick up all the supplies needed to wrap your presents for the holidays.

Kit 6: DIY Christmas Cards

DIY some Christmas Cards that you can send to friends and family.



Mon. Dec. 14 - Sat. Dec. 19

Kit 7: DIY Ornaments

Create your own ornaments with a couple ornament kits.

Kit 8: Perler Bead Keychain Kit

Create a festive keychain using perler beads.

Kit 9: DIY Picture Frame

DIY a festive picture frame for the holidays.



Mon. Dec. 21 - Wed. Dec. 23

Kit 10: DIY Holiday Jewelry

Make some DIY Jewelry for the holidays.

Kit 11: Holiday Family Games

Have some fun during the holidays playing games with your family.

Kit 12: Decorative Salt Shaker Snowman

DIY a salt shaker to make a snowman decoration for your table.





Our Mission

The Library's mission is to foster growth and community through information and creative experience

VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING

Find these programs on our Facebook page at their designated time and date!

Kisses in a Jar



Sun. Feb. 7 - 14

All ages

Check out our social media platforms (facebook.com/hkslibrary & instagram.com/hodgkinspubliclibrary) the second week of February to participate in guessing how many chocolate kisses are in the jar. Think of a number and send us your guess through messenger on Facebook or Instagram. The closest person to guess the correct number wins the jar of kisses!

One guess per person

Yoga

Yoga for Youth

Mon. Dec. 14 | Jan. 11 | Feb. 8 @ 12pm

Join us through Facebook live for an hour of yoga with Christina Michelle Yoga.



Adult Chair Yoga

Thur. Dec. 10, 17 | Jan. 7, 21 | Feb. 11, 25 @ 11am

Join us through Facebook live for an hour of chair yoga with Chrstina Michelle Yoga.



Facebook Virtual Programming

Find a recipe on our Facebook page to celebrate and eat the snack of the month. They will be posted on our Facebook at 12pm that day.



December 4 - National Cookie Day
December 13 - National Cocoa Day
January 19 - National Popcorn Day
January 24 - National Peanut Butter Day
February 4 - National Homemade Soup Day
February 25 - National Chili Day



To better accomodate our community, the library has upgraded the Wi-Fi signal. You can now sit outside of the library and connect to the internet from your own device.

The password can be found on the door of the library.