



# MARKHAM PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

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## Congratulations

Goes to  
**Greg Robinson**

Lets welcome Greg Robinson as our new **Library Board Trustee**. Mr. Robinson has been married for 20yrs, has 5 children and is a little league baseball coach. He's very involved in the Markham community and has been a resident for over 20yrs. Mr. Robinson quotes, " I love the City of Markham and I'm willing to work hand and hand with anyone in the community.

### LIBRARY HOURS

Monday–Thursday

9am–8pm

Friday–Saturday

9am–5pm



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## Come be a part of the: Friends of the Library



The Friends of the library is a non profit organization dedicated to enhancing Markham Public Library. They support projects that enhance the love of reading and life long learning programs. Library lovers are invited and encouraged to join the Friends of the Library group. If you haven't joined your Friends, contact the library and find out how to join and help keep our library relevant.



## FREE TUTORING

(Preschool & Kindergarten)

(1st through 6th grade)

**Saturdays, 10a to 12p**

Contact Source - Lady Alice Aguilera

(815) 741-8572

- ◆ Students should stay for an hour
- ◆ Walk-ins are welcomed
- ◆ Dates are subject to change due to weather



## Everyone Welcome Thursday, December 16th @ 6:30p

Learn about FREE college visits! Hear from college graduates & other invited guest about the realities of the college experience!

Get tips on:

Admissions & Financial Aid Process

For more information contact:

Andrew Dubois (708) 210-4139

Also featuring Steven Tyler  
Illinois Student Assistant Commission

## DePaul Reading Club "Read and Achieve"

**Grades: K - 8**

The Blue Demons Reading Club will consist of students reading **6 books**. Enrolled students will keep track of their books on a scorecard. Upon completion, students will have the opportunity to turn in their scorecard and receive a **FREE** ticket good for selected DePaul Men's and Women's Basketball home game.

**December 1st through February 1, 2011**



## Toddler Story Time

**Wednesdays, 10a - 11a**

Nothing to do with the toddlers in the morning? Bring them to Toddler Story Time. Activities includes: Arts & Crafts, Puppet Shows, Finger Plays & Light Snack.



## Wii Wednesday, 4p - 6p

There will be a time limit of 20 min per party/group. Choices are bowling, tennis, golf or carnival games.



## Christmas Around the World

**12/2 @ 6p - Christmas in Africa**  
What is a Kinaras? Come find out what makes Kinaras important in Africa.

**12/9 @ 6p - Christmas in China**  
China uses paper décor to decorate their house. Just like China, we will make our own paper décor to take home and decorate.

**12/11 @ 2p - Christmas in Mexico:**  
Christmas in Mexico is about La Posada. We're going to have a La Posada Celebration of our own.

**12/23 @ 6p - Christmas in America:**

American Christmas is traditional; lights, ornaments, and gifts. We will make ornaments to be given as gifts to a special person.

## Beginner Balloon Art

**Saturday, January 15, 2011 @ 2p**



Everyone ranging from a small child to an adult loves the artistry in balloons. Lets explore the art in us by creating our very own balloon art. All Ages are welcomed.

## Kids Banking

**Tuesday, January 18, 2011 @ 4:30p**

Karen Cohn from SBT Bank will show the children that \$aving Makes \$ense. They will learn about banking, economics and finance.



## Video Gamers (1/20 - 3/10)

**Thursday, 4p - 6p**

We are offering an 8 week program for motivated 13yrs & older children. Terra will teach you the nuts and bolts behind making your very own video games.

## In So Many Words

**Saturday, January, 29, 2011 @ 2p**

In honor of Art Appreciation Month, Students will paint a picture after being inspired by a Robert Frost poem "Stopping By Woods on a Snowy Evening". All ages are invited.



## African Mask Making

**Saturday, February 12, 2011 @ 2p**

We will be transforming our children's room into our own African art museum. Come make your African mask and be a part of Markham Public Library's Tribe.



## Healthy Kids

**Saturday, March 26, 2011 @ 2p**

It's amazing how much good nutrition you can sneak in a drink. We are going healthy and making smoothies.



## ADULT PROGRAMS

### Line Dancing, Tuesdays @ 6p

Classes are \$5, Don't be left out on the dance floor. Come learn the latest line dance.



### Beginner Steppin, Thursdays @ 6p

Classes are \$10, Come socialize and learn the step that started it all. **Ken Amorio** will show you the basics on how to get your step on.

**January 6, 2011 - March 31, 2011**



### Crochet Club

**Mondays @ 5p** - Join the club for a fun crochet experience. Bring your crochet materials and enjoy the company of other crochet members.

### The African Continent

Wednesday, February 9, 2011 @ 6p  
Loretta Burgest will be presenting some information you thought you wanted to know about the African Continent.

### Oladiji Black History

**Saturday, February 26, 2011 @ 2p**

Oladiji's Daycare will bring the fun, excitement and food of Africa here for Black History Month.

### Skin Care Rescue

**Wednesday, March 2, 2011 @ 6p**

Come learn the ABCs to having younger looking skin.

### Healthy Hair

**Wednesday, March 23, 2011 @ 6p**

Hair, Lash & Brow artist Misha will show you the key to having and keeping healthy hair.



# MOVIE NIGHTS



**Every 3rd Thursday @ 6p**

December 16th:  
Home Alone



January 20th:  
Karate Kid

February 17th -  
The Rosa Park Story



March 17th:  
Ramona & Beezus

**You may bring your own snacks.  
Movie will start on time.**



**@ Your Library**

**Donors Forum** is a nonprofit membership association that promotes philanthropy and a strong nonprofit sector in Illinois.

Donors Forum is the premier resource for networking & education, information & knowledge, and leadership in Illinois. As a nonprofit membership association of grant makers, individual donors, and advisors, Donors Forum advances philanthropy by serving its Members and by promoting an effective and informed nonprofit sector.

**Use the full power of our foundation + grants databases. Ask at the reference desk for assistance.**

***In-House Laptop***

We are extending the opportunity to use one of our wireless laptops. Must be 18 yrs or older, we will accept any library card free of fines. Laptops are for In-House use only and are not available for circulation outside the library.

*See Circulation Staff for more information*

**Reference**

- ◆ Win-Way Resume Software
  - ◆ Ebsco Research
  - ◆ Gale Group
- ◆ OCLC First Search Database
  - ◆ Wireless Printing

**In-House Amenities**

- ◆ Color Copy (\$1 per page)
  - ◆ Fax (\$1 per page)
- ◆ Scanning (\$1per page)
- ◆ WiFi Café Area

**Other Services**

- ◆ Self Check Out
- ◆ PC Self Reservation Station
- ◆ Talking Books (for vision-impaired)
- ◆ Online Book Club



**FREE COMPUTER TRAINING**

Become computer literate and earn greater Independence.

- ◆ Knowing your computer, mouse & desktop skills
  - ◆ Browser Skills, Surfing the web
  - ◆ Getting to know your E-mail
    - ◆ E-mail and Internet

**Senior Computer Classes**, Tuesdays @ 10a

**Adult Computer Classes**, Mondays @ 6p

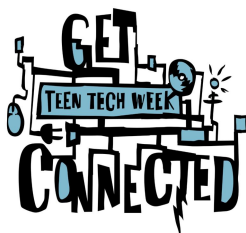
Starting January 3, 2011

**Registration is required**

**Hot Check Outs**



**TEEN TECH WEEK (3/7 - 3/12)**



Teen Tech Week focuses on encouraging teens to use library resources for education and recreation.

3/8 @ 4:30p - Website Revamp: Do you think you have what it takes to redesign our websites?

3/9 @ 4p - Tiger Woods Tournament: Can you golf like Tiger Woods?

3/12 @ 2p - Are you a Anime Fan? Come out to socialize and discuss the technology behind anime films.

**Markham Public Library has the right to cancel scheduled classes and programs due to none and low registration. A minimum of 10 participants will constitute event not being cancelled.**

**WINTER BOOKMOBILE ROUTE**

**November 1st, 2010 - April 1st, 2011**

Take advantage of your mobile library, our collection has grown to accommodate your reading needs. We now have WiFi on the mobile for your convenience.

Parents, we will be making stops at some of the local schools during school hours. In order for students to check out items they must have a valid library card. We encourage you to applied for a library card so they can experience Markham's Bookmobile. Library cards can be acquired at the library as well as on the Bookmobile for Markham and Posen residents for free!

**Let's all work together to continue to make the Bookmobile a success!**

<u><b>Tuesday</b></u>	<u><b>Thursday</b></u>	<u><b>Saturday</b></u>
<b>The Children's House</b> 16601 S. Kedzie Ave. @ 10:00am	<b>Safecare Academy</b> 2926 W. 147 <sup>th</sup> St. @ 10:00am	<b>Posen Village Hall</b> 2440 W. Walter Zimny Dr. @ 10:00am
<b>St. Gerard's</b> 16130 Clifton Park Ave. @ 11:00am	<b>Lots of Love Daycare</b> 1701 W. 167 <sup>th</sup> St. @ 11:00am	
<b>Posen Elementary</b> 14545 California Ave. @ 11:30am	<b>Kedzie Plaza</b> 147 <sup>th</sup> & Kedzie Ave. @ 12:00pm	<b>Canterbury Mall</b> 159 <sup>th</sup> & Kedzie Ave. @ 12:00pm
<b>Ralph Bunche Elementary</b> 16500 Park Ave. @ 1:30pm	<b>Robert Frost Jr. High</b> 2206 W. 167 <sup>th</sup> St. @ 1:30pm	
<b>Community Mennonite School</b> 3215 W. 162 <sup>nd</sup> St. @ 2:30pm	<b>Dixmoor Towne Mall</b> 146 <sup>th</sup> & Dixie Hwy @ 2:30pm	
	<b>Posen Village Hall</b> 2440 W. Walter Zimny Dr. @ 3:30pm	

The Bookmobile schedule is subject to change without notice for periodic maintenance, or in the event of inclement weather. Please call the library at (708) 331-0130 for further information.



**El Club de los Demonios Azules en la Lectura**

Estará formado por los estudiantes a leer 6 libros. Los estudiantes participantes seguirá la pista de un cuadro de mandos. Al finalizar, entrega de tarjetas y recibir un boleto gratis para los hombres de DePaul o un juego de baloncesto femenino de origen.

**La hora del cuento para niños, Martes, 10a - 11a**  
Artes y Oficios, Juego de los dedos espectáculo de marionetas aperitivo



**Miercoles de Wii, 4 - 6p**

Habra un limite minimo de 20 por parido. Opciones de grupo son los bolos, tennis, golf o juegos de carnival.



**NAVIDAD ALREDEDOR DEL MUNDO**

12/2 @ 6P - Navidad En Africa  
Vebga y descubra lo que hace Kinasas imprtante para Africa.

12/9 @ 6p - Navidad En China  
China luces de sus casas con una decoracion de papel. Al igual que China nos maza nuestra propia decoracion de papel.

12/11 @ 2p - Navidad En Mexico  
En Mexico, entre otras cosas acerca de La Posada de Navidad, así que vamos a disfrutar de La Posada.

12/23 @ 6p - Navidad En America  
Vamos a hacer tarjetas de Navidad y adornos

**Principiante arte del globo**

**Sabado, 15 de Enero 2011 @ 6p**  
Todo el mundo que van desde un niño a un adulto le encanta el arte en globos. Vamos a explorar el arte en nosotros mediante la creación de nuestro propio arte de globo.

**Niños Banca**

**Martes, 18 de Enero 2011 @ 4:30p**  
Karen Cohn de SBT Banco va a mostrar a los niños hace que el Ahorro tiene sentido. aprenderán acerca de la economía, bancaria y finanzas.

**Jugadores de vides (1/20 – 3/10)**

Estamos ofreciendo un clase de ocho semanas después de la escuela para personas motivadas de 13 años y mayor. Si usted está interesado en aprender los aspectos básicos detrás de los juegos de vídeo.

**In So Many Words**

**Sabado, 29 de Enero, 2011 @ 2p**  
En honor del Mes de Apreciación del Arte a los estudiantes van a pintar una imagen después de haber sido inspirado por el poema de Robert Frost. Todas las edades son invitados.

**Haciendo Mascaros Africanas**

**Sabado, 12 de Febrero 2011 @ 2p**  
Nosotros estaremos transformando nuestro cuarto de niños dentio de nuestro prpio museo de arte africano ven hacer tu mascara Africana y se parte de Markham Public Library

**Ninos Sanos**

**Sabado, 26 de Marzo 2011 @ 2p**  
Es increíble la cantidad de una buena nutricion puede ocultar en una bebida. Vamos batidos saludables y decisiones



**Libre Computer Training**

Familiarizado con la informática y ganar una mayor independencia.  
**SE REQUIERE EL REGISTRO**

Altos Clase de Computación, Martes @ 10 bis

Adulto Clase de Computación, Lunes @ 6p

Comenzando: 3 de enero, 2011



**Teen Tech Semana**

Centra en alentar adolescents utilizar recursos de la biblioteca para educacion y recreacion.

3/8 @ 4:30p - Sitio Renovar: ¿crees que tienen todo lo necesario para reestructurar nuestros proyectos?

3/9 @ 4p - Tiger Woods Torneo: ¿Pueden golf como Tiger Woods?

3/12 @ 2p - ¿Eres un fan de anime? Vamos a socializar y discutir la tecnología detrás de las películas de anime.

**Mas Programas Para Adultos**

**Baile De Linea**

Martes 6p - Las clases son \$5. No se quede fuera en la pista de baile. Ven y aprende la última en baile de línea.



**Beginner Steppin**

Jueves, 6p - Vienen aprender los pasos que comenzó todo. Ken Amorio le mostrará los fundamentos sobre cómo conseguir su paso en. Las clase son \$10



**Club De Crochét**

Lunes @ 5p - Únete al club para una experiencia de crochet divertido. Traiga sus materiales de ganchillo y disfrutar de la compañía de otros miembros del ganchillo.

**Rescate De La Piel**

Miércoles, 2 Marzo 2011@ 6p.  
Ven a aprender el ABC para una piel más joven.

**Cabello Saludable**

Miércoles, 21 Marzo 2011 @ 6p.  
Cabello, pestañas y cejas. Artista Misha le mostrará la clave para un cabello saludable.

**NOCHE DE PELICULA**

**Cada tercer Jueves @ 6p**

Dec 16 - HOME ALONE

Enero 20 - KARATE KID

Feb 17 - THE ROSA PARK STORY

Marzo 17- RAMONA & BEEZUS

**Puede traer su propia merienda. La película comenzará a tiempo.**

## Important

### Closed Dates

**Dec. 24th - close @ 1p**

**Dec. 25th**

Christmas Day

**Dec. 31st**

New Year 's Eve

**Jan. 1st**

New Year 's Day

**Jan. 17th**

Dr. MLK Jr. Day

### LIBRARY HOURS

**MON - THURS**

9 AM - 8 PM

**FRI & SAT**

9 AM - 5 PM

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Libraries are the wardrobes of literature, when properly informed, it may bring forth something for ornament, much for curiosity and more for use.

~ William Dyer ~



