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The Library will be closed
Sunday & Monday,
December 24 & 25 for
Christmas Eve and
Christmas Day

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The Library will be closed
Sunday & Monday,
December 31 & January 1
for New Year's Eve and
New Year's Day

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For more information on
Library programs and
events, browse the
[Library's website](#).

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**Credit cards are
accepted online and at
the Library**



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**Library Board of
Trustees Meetings:**

*The Library Board meets
at 7:00 p.m., the second
Wednesday of every
month, in the Conference
Room.*

*The public is invited to
attend.*

People are talking...

*"Great selection.
Wonderful that the kids
section is upstairs. They
have a wide variety of
activities for children
all the way to adults. "*



←← Decorate the Mitten Tree

**Bring NEW mittens gloves and hats
to the Circulation Desk
to Decorate our Mitten Tree.**

**All items will be donated to the
Bloomingdale Township General Assistance
Office which will distribute them to families
in need in our community.**

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**Winter Reading Programs**

**for Kids**



December 1, 2017 – January 31, 2018

**For Teens**



December 1, 2017 – February 14, 2018

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New at Your Library - Chess!



Competitive Chess Club and Casual Chess Meet-Ups, open to adults, teens and children older than 7, meet on alternate weeks.

**Competitive Chess Club begins
Thursday, December 7.** Meetings begin
at 6:45 pm and organized games will begin
at 7:00 pm.

Organized games will include one USCF
rated G/40;d5 game per meeting as well
as non-rated games.

Sets will be provided. Please bring your

-- as seen on [Yelp.com](#)

Library Mission:

*Roselle Public Library
District: Striving to enrich
community life by
providing access to
educational, cultural, and
recreational information,
encouraging life-long
learning, promoting
intellectual freedom, and
by providing a welcoming
environment where all
may Read, Play, Learn,
and Discover.*



*The Village of Roselle
Holiday Light Recycling
Program: bring strands
of unusable indoor,
outdoor, LED, or
specialty holiday lights
to Village Hall, 31 S.
Prospect St. or Clauss
Recreation Center, 555
W. Bryn Mawr Ave. for
recycling.*

The "Libraries Going Green"
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Charles Public Library.

Library Hours:

Monday-Thursday:
9:30 am - 9:00 p.m.
Friday-Saturday:
9:30 am - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday:
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Contact the Library:

Roselle Public Library
40 South Park Street
Roselle, IL 60172
Phone: 630-529-1641

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own chess clocks.

Casual Chess Meet-Up begins Thursday, December 14. Stop by between 6:45 - 8:30 pm for casual chess in the Library atrium near Adult Services. Chess sets will be provided. Please stop by the Library Card Registration desk.

Children under the age of fourteen must be accompanied by a parent at all times. Contact David Sye at 630-529-1641 x*211 for more information.
No registration is required.

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# Grandparents Got Holiday Game!

**Wednesday, December 27, 1:30-3:00 p.m.**

Join us for a special holiday edition of the popular drop-in program for grandparents or grand-friends and their grandchildren. The session will feature holiday activities, board games, and snacks.  
*No registration is necessary.*

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Adult Programs and Activities . . . Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise noted. Register by phone (630-529-1641 x*222), [online](#) or in-person.

Musical Sunday

December 3, 1:30-3:00 p.m.



The Spring Valley Concert Band has been performing in the area for over 20 years. This five member wind ensemble, which includes flute, clarinet, oboe, horn, and bassoon, will be performing a collection of traditional and contemporary holiday music that will be sure to delight audiences of all ages!

Musical Sundays are held from 1:30 to 3:00 pm in the atrium of the library on the first floor. Enjoy cookies and a cup of coffee or tea while you listen to the

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Meet the Staff!

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Stephanie Forrest,
Youth Services Librarian/Assistant- Outreach
Roselle Public Library District

Stephanie Forrest
Youth Services Librarian
Outreach Coordinator
recommends
Sandry's Book
by Tamora Pierce

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Get Social with Your Library



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LITTLE PIM

fun with languages

Language learning is fun and easy with **Little Pim**. Accessible wherever you get online – at home, at a café, anywhere!

Access to Little Pim is FREE with your Roselle Public Library card and PIN

program or go about your usual library activities.
No registration is required.

Afternoon Movies at the Library Thursday, December 14, 1:30-4:00 p.m.

Stop in at the library to enjoy screenings of great movies this winter! We'll even provide the popcorn!
No registration is necessary.

Continuing Programs:

Knitting Circle Saturdays, December 2, 16 & 30, 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Do you enjoy knitting and/or crocheting? Bring your projects and drop by the Library's Conference Room these Saturday afternoons. No current project? Yarn and needles will be supplied to work on collaborative projects for Lutheran General's neonatal and cancer wings.
No registration is necessary.

The Knitting Circle accepts donations of yarn for their collaborative projects. Washable, worsted weight yarn is preferred. Bring your extra yarn to the Circulation Desk and indicate that it is for the Knitting Circle. Thank you!

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### **One-on-One Computer Training. . .**

The Adult Services Department offers 45-minute individual sessions at a mutually convenient time. Please call Marcia Bose at the Reference Desk (630-529-1641 x\*211) to set up your appointment.

- Self-directed mouse skills tutorial
- General, basic email instruction
- Internet searching for beginning and intermediate users
- Basic Microsoft Word
- Resume creation using Microsoft Word
- Flyer creation using Microsoft Publisher
- Library user instruction
- Social media for small business
- Accessing, searching and downloading digital books and music from Library services



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Can't get to the Library?

Try our newest online resource in the comfort of your home – anytime, 24/7.



Atomic Training is a video-based training resource covering social media, mobile apps and more than 500 of today's most popular software applications from Microsoft, Apple, Adobe,

Google, and more, for both PCs and Macs.

Learn at your own pace, in your own home!
All you need is your Library card and PIN.

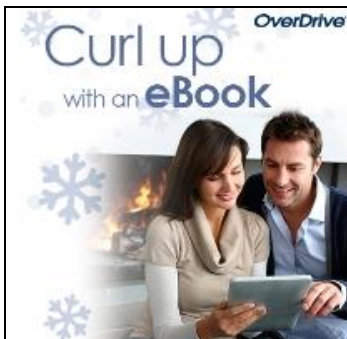
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## **Book Discussions for adults and kids:**

*(Mens, Adult and YLP book discussions resume in January)*

### **Monday, Dec. 4, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

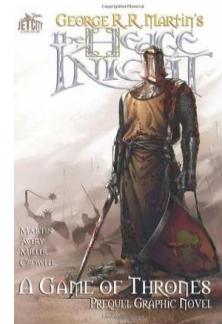
The **Books and Popcorn Discussion Group** is just for kids in grades 2-5. Kids must register ahead to provide time to read the book. The December selection is *Attack of the Ninja Frogs!* by Ursula Vernon. Space is limited to 10 participants.

*Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library now.*



### **Thursday Dec. 14, 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

The **20s & 30s Book Discussion Group** meets monthly at a local restaurant, typically on the last Thursday of the month, but earlier this month due to the holiday. The December selection is *The Hedge Knight* by Ben Avery, plus bring a favorite book to share. For more information about the 20s & 30s Book Discussion Group and to find out the location of the December meeting, contact Matt Wieck at the Library's Reference Desk, (630) 529-1641, press 3. Join the [20s & 30s Group on Goodreads](#) to begin (or continue) the discussion online.



See the book discussion selections for upcoming months on the [Book Discussion page on the Library's website!](#)

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Teen Programs and Activities . . . Registration is required for all programs unless otherwise noted. Register by phone (630-529-1641 x222), [online](#) or in-person.

Ozobot Challenge

Monday, December 4, 5:15-6:45 p.m.

Students in grades 6 - 12 join us for a robotics funfest with Ozobots: small, programmable robots that respond to coded commands written in different color combinations. We'll learn how to code the Ozobots to navigate mazes and conquer obstacles.

Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library.

Teen Clubs:

Teen Advisory Board

Wednesday, December 6, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

If you are in grades 6-12, join the library's Teen Advisory Board (TAB) and let your voice be heard. Now meeting 4 times a year, help plan cool programs, meet new friends, and munch on snacks.

Drop-in. No registration required.

Teen Anime Club

Wednesday, December 13, 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Get together with other teens once a month to watch and talk about ANIME and look at new MANGA. For students in grades 6 - 12.

Drop in, no registration is necessary.

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OF  
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Including  
your  
holiday favorites



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your Library!

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## Party with the Force Saturday, December 16, Noon-2:00 p.m.



Do you have what it takes to  
become a Jedi?

Wear your favorite Star Wars  
gear and come test your skills  
with the Force, create some  
artwork, have a snack and  
celebrate all things Star Wars  
at the library.

*Drop in, no registration  
required  
All ages are welcome*



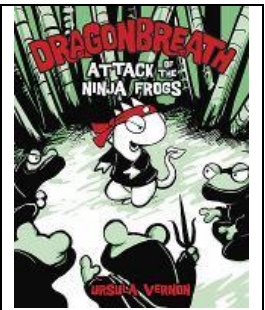
**Youth Services Programs and Activities** . . . Call 630-529-1641 x\*351 to register for Youth Services programs and storytimes, or [register online](#).

### Book Discussion for Kids:

#### Books & Popcorn – Attack of the Ninja Frogs Monday, December 4, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Students in grades 2-5 discuss selected titles. Delicious popcorn provided! On the day registration opens, kids may pick up a copy of the chosen title to read before the discussion. Copies of the books will be available at the Ask Me desk.

*Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library now*



#### Mario Madness Wednesday, December 6, 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Drop in on the first Wednesday of the month from 5-7 p.m. for Mario Kart on the Wii. Popcorn will be provided. Play and cheer on your friends!

*Drop in, no registration is necessary.*

#### Kreative Kids: Winter Wonder! Thursday, December 7, 4:30-5:15 p.m.

This monthly program for children K-2nd grade features story sharing and facts on the theme "Winter Wonder!" Participants create a craft project based on the theme. Space is limited.

*Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library now.*

#### Decorate for the Holidays – Library Style! Sunday, December 10, 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Students in grades 3-5 are invited to join us for a book ornament craft program. Let us show you how to turn old books into beautiful holiday decorations.

*Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library now.*

#### Let's Read in Polish! Sunday, December 10, 3:30-4:00 p.m.

*Witamy Wszystkich!* Special storytime in Polish for children ages 0-6 with parent/caregiver. Presented by Laura Kaczmarczyk and the Sister Cities Group.

password. Then all you need is your Library card and PIN.

[Try it today!](#)

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**Visit Your Library and Check Out A Museum!**

Museum Adventure Passes are good for free admission or special discounts at 17 Chicago-area locations.

Passes are available on a first-come, first-served basis at the Youth Services Ask Me Desk.

Call (630) 529-1641 x351 or come in for more information!

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*Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library now*

### **TOTTime**

**Tuesday, December 19, 11:30 a.m.-Noon**

Parents play with your tots in the Storytime Room while socializing with other parents and tots. Tots must be 6-20 months, accompanied by a parent or guardian. *Drop in, no registration is necessary.*

### **Book 'n' Cooks**

**Wednesday, December 20, 4:00-4:45 p.m.**

Students in grades K-2 are invited to join us for a story and a make-your-own snack activity. Read different stories featuring fun foods and then assemble your own delicious treat!

*Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library beginning 12/4/2017*

### **Lego My LEGO®**

**Tuesday, December 26, Noon-2:00 p.m.**

Attention LEGO® lovers ages 4-12: drop by the Library on a day off school, bring a friend, and let your imagination flow. LEGO®s will be provided. Finished LEGO® creations will be displayed in Youth Services. Children under 8 must be with an adult.

*Drop in, no registration is necessary.*

### **Fun with 3D**

**Thursday, December 28, 2:00-4:00 p.m.**

We invite kids in grades K-5 to drop in and join us for an event that explores the amazing phenomenon of 3D. Make your own 3D glasses, then design artwork that can be transformed into an amazing three dimensional masterpiece.

Drop in to the Youth Services department any time from 2-4 p.m. Younger children may also attend, but will need active assistance from caregivers to participate.

*Drop in, no registration is necessary.*

### **Continuing Programs:**

#### **Fall Storytimes**

Session 2, "Foodie Patootie!" a six-week session continuing through Thursday, December 14.

- Tots & Tykes (6-19 months) Tuesdays, 11:30 am-Noon
- Toddler Tales (20-35 months) Tuesdays, 10:00-10:30 a.m.
- Preschool (3-5 years) Wednesdays 10:00-10:30 a.m.
- Family Drop-In, Tuesdays, 6:30-7:00 p.m.
- Morning Drop-In, Thursdays, 10:30-11:00 a.m.



*Registration is required for all sessions except the two "Drop-In" storytimes. Register [online](#), by phone, or at the Library*

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<http://www.roselle.lib.il.us>

***A Pic from the Past***  
***History Museum Christmas Open House***  
***Sunday, December 3, 2-4 p.m.***

*The Richter House, decorated for Christmas in December 2000. The house, which used to sit on the property now occupied by the Roselle Village Hall, was moved to the Roselle History Museum campus in July 1996. It has been fully renovated and decorated in the style of a 1920s working-class family home. The renovation was completed in October 2000.*



*The Roselle History Museum and your library have digitized hundreds of photographs (like this one!) from Roselle's past and created a [Digital Archive](#) on the Library's website.*

*Try it yourself! Browse to the [database search page](#) and type a word or a name into the Keyword Search box, or use the pull-down indexes.*

Photography at Library Functions . . .

*PLEASE NOTE: Attendance at programs/events sponsored by Roselle Public Library District constitutes consent to be photographed for purposes of Library advertising/publicity.*

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