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**Adult Programming**

Ages 18+

**Monday, June 1 | 12-4PM**

*Calling All Crafters*

**Mondays, June 1 & 15 | 4:30-7:30PM**

*A Gathering of Magic: The Gathering*

**Tuesday, June 2 | 11AM-2PM**

*Silver Screen Rewind - Murder by Death (1976)*

**Thursday, June 4 | 6-7PM**

*Books on Tap - The Personal Librarian by Marie Benedict*

Meets at Clayton's Tap

**Monday, June 8 | 11AM-2PM**

*Monday Matinee - Greenland 2: Migration (2025)*

**Tuesday, June 9 | 6-7PM**

*The READbellion - The Crescent Moon Tearoom by Stacy Sivinski*

**Sunday, June 14 | 2-3PM**

*True Crime Think Tank The Bloody Benders*

**Monday, June 15**

Two Sessions Available:  
12:30PM – 2PM or  
5:30PM – 7PM

*Adult Craft - Vintage Inspired Bowls*

**Monday, June 15 | 3-4PM**

*Afternoon Book Club - Beartown by Fredrik Backman*

**Tuesday, June 16 | 5:30-7:30PM**

*Horro Movie Night - 28 Days Later (2002)*

**Thursday, June 18 | 10AM-1PM**

*Yarn Crafts and More*

**Thursday, June 18 | 6:15-7:15PM**

*The Nexus*

**Monday, June 22 12:30-1:30PM**

*White Elephant BINGO*

**Monday, June 22 | 3-4PM**

*Photo Club*

**Monday, June 29**

Two Sessions Available:  
12:30PM – 2PM or  
5:30PM – 7PM

*Adult Craft - Tie Dye T-Shirts*



**Tween/Teen Programming**

Grades 6-12, Ages 11-18

**Thursday, June 4 | 5-6PM**

*Anime Watch Party*

**Saturday, June 6 | 1-4PM**

*Dungeons & Dragons*

**Monday, June 8 | 2:30-4:30PM**

*Tween/Teen Movie Scene - The Princess Bride (1987)*

**Thursday, June 11 | 5-6PM**

*Craft Night Out - Sparkle and Shine*

**Thursday, June 18 | 5-6PM**

*The Variety Vault*

**Thursday, June 25 | 5-6PM**

*Craft Night Out - Tab-tastic Keychains*



**Senior Programming**

Ages 60+

**Wednesdays, June 3, 10 & 17 | 1-2PM**

*BINGOcize®*

Presented by Catholic Charities.

**Fridays, June 5, 12 & 26 | 1:30-3:30PM**

*Tai Ji Quan*

Presented by Catholic Charities.

**Friday, June 26 | 10AM-12PM**

*Creativity Connections - Collagraph*

Presented by Catholic Charities.



**Children's Weekly Storytimes and Craft**

PreK, Birth to 4 years

**Wednesdays | 10-10:30AM**

*Storytime at Chapin Park*

**Wednesdays | 11-11:30AM**

*Preschool Craft Time*

**Thursdays | 10:30-11AM**

*Baby Bounce & Books*

**Thursdays | 1:30-2PM**

*Afternoon Storytime*



**Youth Programming**

Grades K-5, Ages 5-10

**Tuesday, June 2 | 4:30-6PM**

*LEGO® Builders*

**Tuesday, June 9 | 4:30-5:30PM**

*Crafternoon - Hoot! Hoot!*

**Tuesday, June 16 | 10-11:30AM**

*Summer Craft Time - Fly Into Color*

**Tuesday, June 16 | 4:30-5:15PM**

*The Clubhouse*

**Tuesday, June 23 | 4:30-5:30PM**

*Crafternoon - Burst with Color*



**Sensory Sensitive Programming**

We welcome all ages and abilities, with a focus on neurodivergent children ages 10 and under.

**Saturday, June 6 | 11-11:30AM**

*Sensory Sensitive Storytime*

**Friday, June 12 | 3:45-4:15PM**

*Sensory Sensitive Activities*

**Sunday, June 21 | 1-3PM**

*Sensory Sensitive Movie Time*

*Mary Poppins (1964)*



**Community Programming**

All Ages

**Monday, June 1 | 10-10:30AM**

*High Five to Summer*

**Tuesdays | 11AM-12PM**

*Homebound Services*

**Tuesday, June 2 | 2-4PM**

*Games Galore*

**Tuesdays | 5:30-6PM**

*Evening Storytime*

**Wednesdays | 1:30-3:30PM**

*Midweek Movie -*

*June 3 - Big Hero 6 (2014)*

*June 10 - Parent Trap (1998)*

*June 17 - The Secret Garden (1993)*

*June 24 - Matilda (1996)*

**Wednesdays and Thursdays | 5-7PM**

*Nighty Night Storytime*

**Thursdays | 6-7PM**

*S'mores in the Garden*

**Saturday, June 6 | 1:30-3:30PM**

*Movie Time-*

*Luca (2021)*

**Friday, June 12 | 7AM**

*Bus Trip -*

*Shedd Aquarium*

**Saturday, June 13 | 2:30-4:30PM**

*Outdoor Craft*

**Thursday, June 18 | 11:15-11:45AM**

*High Five to Summer*

**Saturday, June 20**

Two Presentations Available:  
12-1PM or 1:45-2:45PM

*Northern Illinois Raptors*

**Tuesday, June 23 | 6-7PM**

*Lotería*

**Friday, June 26 | 6:30--7:15PM**

*Music in the Park*

**Friday, June 26 | starts at dusk**

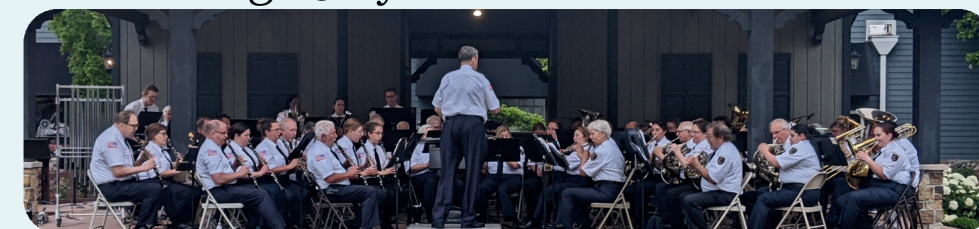
*Movies in the Park -*

*Cars (2006)*

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**FRIDAY, JUNE 26**

6:30PM

Music made possible by the Bowker-Ostrem-Meadows Grant through the Community Foundation of Grundy County



**Special Interest Programming**

**Wednesday, June 10 | 11:30AM-12PM**

*Developmental Screenings*

FREE, drop in event for children

Birth to 3 years.

Presented by Jumpstart

**Thursday, June 11 | 1-2:30PM**

*Memory Cafe*

For people living with mory loss and their caregivers. Presented by Catholic Charities.

**Monday, June 15 | 10-11AM**

*Summer Meet Up*

**Tuesday, June 16 | 10-11:30AM**

*Library Service Squad*

A dedicated group of volunteers and their caregivers. Facilitated by Illinois Valley Industries.

**Saturday, June 20 | 11-11:30AM**

*Birds of Prey Photo Shoot*

Speical behind the scenes opportunity for photos with Northern Illinois Raptures.

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SUMMER 2026 **MOVIES IN THE PARK** at GOOLD PARK



**FRIDAY, JUNE 26**

MOVIE STARTS AT DUSK

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Morris, Illinois 60450  
(815) 942-6880  
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Mon-Th: 9AM - 8PM  
Fri-Sat: 9AM - 5PM  
Sun: 12PM - 5PM



For more information and a full list of events, visit our website!

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-  **Children**  
PreK, Birth to 4 years
-  **Youth**  
Grade K-5, Ages 5-10
-  **Tween/Teen**  
Grade 6-12, Ages 11-18
-  **Everyone**  
All Ages
-  **Adult**  
Ages 18+
-  **Seniors**  
Ages 60+
-  **Special Interest**

Programs, dates and times subject to change.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>1</b> High Five to Summer 10-10:30AM Calling All Crafters 12-4PM A Gathering of Magic: The Gathering 4:30-7:30PM	<b>2</b> Silver Screen Rewind 11AM-2PM HomeBound Services 11AM-12PM Games Galore 2-4PM Lego® Builders 4:30-6PM Evening Storytime 5:30-6PM	<b>3</b> Storytime at Chapin Park 10-10:30AM Preschool Craft Time 11-11:30AM BINGOcize© 1-2PM Midweek Movie 1:30-3:30PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM	<b>4</b> Baby Bounce & Books 10:30-11AM Afternoon Storytime 1:30-2PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM Anime Watch Party 5-6PM S'mores in the Garden 6-7PM Books on Tap 6-7PM	<b>5</b> Tai Ji Quan 1:30-3:30PM	<b>6</b> Sensory Sensitive Storytime 11-11:30AM Dungeons & Dragons 1-4PM Movie Time 1:30-3:30PM
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Monday Matinee 11AM-2PM Tween/Teen Movie Scene 2:30-4:30PM MAPL Board of Trustees Meeting 6:30-8PM	<b>9</b> HomeBound Services 11AM-12PM Crafternoon 4:30-5:30PM Evening Storytime 5:30-6PM The READbellion 6-7PM	<b>10</b> Storytime at Chapin Park 10-10:30AM Preschool Craft Time 11-11:30AM FREE Developmental Screenings 11:30AM-12PM BINGOcize© 1-2PM Midweek Movie 1:30-3:30PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM	<b>11</b> Baby Bounce & Books 10:30-11AM Memory Cafe 1-2:30PM Afternoon Storytime 1:30-2PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM Craft Night Out 5-6PM S'mores in the Garden 6-7PM	<b>12</b> Bus Trip - Shedd Aquarium Bus leaves at 7AM Tai Ji Quan 1:30-3:30PM Sensory Sensitive Activities 3:45-4:15PM	<b>13</b> Outdoor Craft 2:30-4:30PM
<b>14</b> True Crime Think Tank 2-3PM	<b>15</b> Summer Meetup 10-11AM Adult Craft 12:30-2PM Afternoon Book Club 3-4PM A Gathering of Magic: The Gathering 4:30-7:30PM Adult Craft 5:30-7PM	<b>16</b> Summer Craft Time 10-11:30AM Library Service Squad 10-11:30AM HomeBound Services 11AM-12PM The Clubhouse 4:30-5:15PM Horror Movie Night 5:30-7:30PM Evening Storytime 5:30-6PM	<b>17</b> Storytime at Chapin Park 10-10:30AM Preschool Craft Time 11-11:30AM BINGOcize© 1-2PM Midweek Movie 1:30-3:30PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM	<b>18</b> Yarn Crafts and More 10AM-1PM Baby Bounce & Books 10:30-11AM High Five to Summer 11:15-11:45AM Afternoon Storytime 1:30-2PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM The Variety Vault 5-6PM S'mores in the Garden 6-7PM The Nexus 6:15-7:15PM	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Birds of Prey Photo Shoot 11-11:30AM Northern Illinois Raptors Two Presentations: 12PM and 1:45PM
<b>21</b> Sensory Sensitive Movie Time 1-3PM	<b>22</b> White Elephant BINGO 12:30-1:30PM Photo Club 3-4PM	<b>23</b> HomeBound Services 11AM-12PM Crafternoon 4:30-5:30PM Evening Storytime 5:30-6PM Loteria 6-7PM	<b>24</b> Storytime at Chapin Park 10-10:30AM Preschool Craft Time 11-11:30AM Midweek Movie 1:30-3:30PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM	<b>25</b> Baby Bounce & Books 10:30-11AM Afternoon Storytime 1:30-2PM Nighty Night Storytime 5-7PM Craft Night Out 5-6PM S'mores in the Garden 6-7PM Art Unplugged 6:15-7:15PM	<b>26</b> Creativity Connections 10AM-12PM Tai Ji Quan 1:30-3:30PM Music in the Park: Joliet American Legion Band 6:30-7:15PM Movies in the Park: Cars movie starts at dusk	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Adult Craft 12:30-2PM Adult Craft 5:30-7PM	<b>30</b> HomeBound Services 11AM-12PM Evening Storytime 5:30-6PM				