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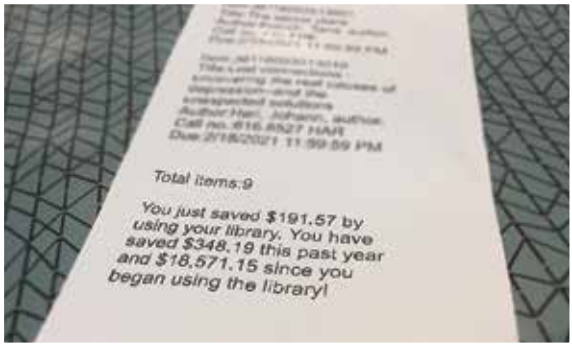
Cary Area Public Library • March-May 2021



In the know

LIBRARY VALUE: DOLLARS & SENSE

• Oftentimes public libraries are described as “free” to users, which is not true. Users pay taxes to the library district. So, let’s instead talk about value. For over a year we’ve been highlighting the ways in which we bring value to our users’ everyday lives with our “I Am a Library User” series. But, what about the bottom line? In dollars and cents.



Take a look a look at the bottom of your checkout receipt to see just how much you save each time you use CAPL. If you don’t have a checkout receipt handy, head to our Transparency webpage (caryarealibrary.org/transparency) and take a look at the Library Value Calculator (ROI) we have linked to see how much you would pay if you bought outright the materials you borrow. Now, compare that number to your tax bill. If you’re paying more in taxes to the Library than you are saving, challenge yourself to use the Library more and get your money’s worth!

Program Registration

At this time, we will be hosting all our spring programs online to ensure the safety of our community. Should any programs switch to in person, registrants will be notified and our online calendar will be updated.

Registration is required for Zoom programs and begins Thursday, February 25 at 9 am online (caryllibrary.evanced.info/Signup), in person, or by phone (847.639.4210, press 3). Some programs listed in this newsletter will not display on our online calendar until the morning of registration. Many of our Zoom programs are recorded, which you can then access through the calendar for a two week period if you are unable to attend live at the time of the program. Please notify us as soon as possible if you need to cancel your registration. If a program is full, be sure to register for the wait-list-- people often cancel and spots open up for programs. You will be contacted as soon as possible if you have been moved to the attendee list.

SEED LIBRARY RETURNS

This spring we will again have a selection of fruit, vegetable, herb, and flowering plant seeds available for CAPL cardholders to “checkout.” Gardening is a fulfilling activity during this time of uncertainty (ever hear of Victory Gardens?). Stay tuned for our announcement once the seeds are available. We ask that you please only take what you have room to grow and only take one packet of each variety to ensure availability for others | caryarealibrary.org/seedlibrary

FRIENDS OF THE CARY AREA LIBRARY (FOCAL) NEWS

- The Greenfields Little Free Library was vandalized last year and as a result will be closed until further notice. The Community Center and Senior Center Little Free Libraries continue to be available for your use.
- Unfortunately, FOCAL will not be awarding scholarships this year, nor is the April Used Book Sale scheduled. Future sales will be announced on the Library’s website, e-newsletters, and social media channels.
- You can still support our efforts (and therefore CAPL) by making the Friends of the Cary Area Library your charity of choice on AmazonSmile. When you shop, a small percentage of money is donated at no additional cost to you | caryarealibrary.org/focal



Adult programs AGES 18+

JOB & CAREER ▾

Job Search Like a Pro: Women in the Workforce

Wednesday, March 3, 7-8 pm
Zoom. Erica Reckamp from TopResume, Monster.com, and ZipJob will help women learn strategies to address common issues faced in the workforce, including how to address career gaps, pay disparity, imposter syndrome, self-advocating for promotions/projects, and more. Erica will review one job seeker document or LinkedIn page for each registered participant.

GENEALOGY ▾

Finding the Hidden on FamilySearch

Sunday, March 7, 2-3:30 pm
Zoom. Join CAPL librarian Nancy Gaynor as she points out some of the hidden resources on FamilySearch. You will need a free account to make use of all her hints. Appropriate for all skill levels.

They’re Alive: Searching for Living Persons

Sunday, April 11, 2-3:30 pm
Zoom. In this session, you’ll learn not only why it is important to locate living relatives, but how to leverage the power of the Internet to make certain you have the correct contact information. Thomas MacEntee will teach us how making contact with the living can hone your genealogy research skills and actually help you break down those brick walls. Appropriate for all skill levels.

RootsMagic User Group

Wednesdays, March 31, April 28, and May 26, 7:30-9 pm
Zoom. For users of the popular RootsMagic genealogy software, join us as we discuss the intricacies of using the program to organize and keep track of your genealogical research. Appropriate for all skill levels.



DISCUSSION GRQUPS

Great Decisions

First Thursdays, 6:30-8 pm
March 4: Ch. 2- Persian Gulf Security
April 1: Ch. 3- Brexit and the E.U.
May 6: Ch. 4- Struggles over the Melting Arctic
Zoom. Exchange ideas about foreign policy issues in this discussion led by Professor Gary Midkiff. Participants must buy a briefing book and read a chapter prior to each meeting. This eight-month series began in February but each chapter stands by itself so you can join the group at any time. Monthly descriptions available in our online calendar. Briefing book: \$15; no refunds. *Please note that you have not reserved a spot until you have paid.*

Books on Tap: A 20s-30s Book Club

Tuesdays March 16, April 20, May 18, 7-8:30 pm
Zoom. Eat, drink, and talk shop about books with others in their 20s and 30s. Each meeting we discuss a title chosen by the group. If you’re interested in joining or to find out the current title, please email roberhauser@caryarealibrary.info.

Adult Book Discussion

Zoom. Join one of our book groups for a lively discussion. Books are available each month at the Service Center.



Hooked on Books

Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 am
March 24: *The Night Watchman* by Louise Erdrich
April 28: *Lisette’s List* by Susan Vreeland
May 26: *Furious Hours* by Casey Cep



Turning Pages Together

Thursdays, 7-8 pm
March 25: *The Dutch House* by Ann Patchett
April 29: *Dear Edward* by Ann Napolitano
May 27: *The Sisters of Summit Avenue* by Lynn Cullen

Adult programs AGES 18+

HISTORY LESSONS ▾

Pre-Civil War Quilts: Their Secret Codes to Freedom on the Underground Railroad

Wednesday, March 10, 7-8:15 pm

Zoom. Discover the hidden codes and secret messages within family stories of 18 colorful, beautifully hand-crafted quilts that tell the significance to helping slaves escape on the Underground Railroad in this multi-media historical presentation from Connie Martin.

Kiddieland Remembered

Wednesday, May 12, 7-8:15 pm

Zoom. From 1929 to 2009, Kiddieland in Melrose Park was Chicago's favorite and one of the last family-owned amusement parks in the country. Join us for a fun presentation that will take you back in time. Relive the past with Cheryl Brown, as she revisits the history of the park with vintage photos. Re-experience the park through videos of the park on a busy summer day. Learn about the final auction of the rides, why the park had to close, and where the rides are today.

My Story: Surviving the Holocaust

Wednesday, May 19, 7-8 pm

Zoom. Local resident Steen Metz was only eight years old in 1943 when he was arrested, along with his father and mother, and deported from his home in Denmark to the Theresienstadt Concentration Camp, in what was then Czechoslovakia. In 2011 Steen completed his memoir *A Danish Boy In Theresienstadt*. Join us for a firsthand account of Steen's experience during the Holocaust. This program is suitable for grades 6 and up.

Vaping Education Course for Parents & Teens, March-April

We've partnered with the McHenry County Department of Health to offer this online, self-paced program designed for teens in grades 6-12 that would also be of interest to parents. It is no longer "cool" to smoke cigarettes; instead, the trend is to smoke e-cigarettes, also known as "vapes" and "JUULs." Students and parents will benefit by taking the course and become more aware of the history of the e-cigarette industry, health risks, marketing tactics used by the vaping industry, vaping marijuana/THC, and how to handle the social situations teens may encounter. To sign up for this program, please email us at caryarealibrary@gmail.com with the subject line "Vaping Education Course" so we can set up your course.

LEARN ▾

Bullet Journaling 101

Thursday, March 18, 7-8 pm

Zoom. Explore the basics of the Bullet Journal® method with Colette Shelby. Learn what a bullet journal is, what supplies you'll need, and walk through the basic steps to get your journal started. Registrants will receive starter kits including a journal.

Birding in McHenry County: Backyards and Beyond

Wednesday, March 31, 7-8 pm

Zoom. Many people have recently discovered the joy of bird watching as they seek safe activities. This program will help newcomers identify bird species and learn more about the ways local birds adapt to their environment. The talk includes tips for attracting birds through feeders and garden plants and suggestions for the best places to look for birds in McHenry County. For adults and students 14 and older.

Composting and Water Conservation

Wednesday, April 7, 7-8 pm

Zoom. Water, food waste, and leaves... don't throw them away! Sarah Michehl from The Land Conservancy of McHenry County will share some easy ways to conserve water and turn those food scraps into something usable. Information and lessons learned will be shared on the basics of rain barrels and composters in a suburban landscape. Also learn more about the Conservation@Home program!

Honey Bees & Beekeeping: Everything You Wanted to Know and Some Things You Didn't

Wednesday, April 28, 7-8 pm

Zoom. Learn about the hardworking honey bees and how much they impact our life. Maybe you're interested in becoming a beekeeper. How much land do you need? Are beehives allowed in every town? Is all honey equal and how do you know if you're buying real honey? How can you help the honey bee if you don't want to become a beekeeper? Join Tom Allen of the Northern Illinois Beekeepers' Association and find out the answers!



WELLNESS ▾

Cycling Without Age (McHenry County)

Wednesday, March 24, 7-8 pm

Zoom. CWAMC is a wonderful program which provides free recreational rides on three-wheeled cycles called Trishaws, allowing isolated seniors to get outside, share stories and reconnect with their community. CWAMC's mission is to help older adults reclaim the potential for growth, even with the physical and/or mental challenges of aging. In 2021 the goal is to provide at least 300 rides to isolated seniors over the riding season supported by up to 1,200 volunteer hours. Come join CWAMC President Greg Glover and learn how you can help make this goal happen.



AARP Driver Safety Course

Monday, May 17 and Tuesday May 18, 10 am-2 pm

****This class will only take place in person, if possible****

This is a two day class of four hours each for motorists aged 50 and older. Pre-registration is required along with attendance both days. Learn what's new on the driving scene and keep your skills current. Your class certificate qualifies you to receive a discount on the liability portion of your auto insurance. AARP membership is not required. However, bring your AARP card, if you are an AARP member, and Driver's License to class the first day. \$20 for AARP members and \$25 for non-members. Bring a check payable to AARP on the first day of class Sorry, no cash or credit cards!

FOODIES ▾

The Crazy Cuisine: Foods That Shouldn't Be as Good as They Are!

patron requested!

Wednesday, April 14, 7-8 pm

Zoom. From Fluffernutters to salted caramels, enjoy hearing about some unusual food combinations and recipes that sound crazy, but taste amazing! Cookbook collector Amy Alessio will lead you through a nostalgic food trip of past decades in this humorous presentation. Recipes included!

Betty Crocker and Her Cookbook That Changed How America Cooks

Wednesday, May 26, 7-8 pm

Zoom. Created in 1921 by a flour company, Betty Crocker became the most famous and most trusted advisor to American cooks. This fun illustrated lecture by historian Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., looks at how Betty Crocker was invented, why her cookbook has endured and what makes her so iconic.

FOR FUN ▾

A Night at the Oscars

Wednesday, April 21, 7-8 pm

Zoom. It's time to get red carpet-ready! Join Film Historian Dr. Annette Bochenek as she presents about the history of the Academy Awards and some of its memorable moments, while also profiling the Best Picture picks for this year. The presentation will include photos, video clips, and captivating stories.

Mind Games 2: The Science of Curious Thinking

Wednesday, May 5, 7-8 pm

Zoom. William Pack returns with a very interactive second edition of his popular Mind Games program (but you don't need to have attended Mind Games 1 to understand). This time around, he reinforces the concepts and adds more ways our brains are hardwired to believe things that defy logic and facts. He'll show you how our brains seek out patterns and try to make meaning out of nothing. As always, William will remind you of the proven ways to preserve brain health.



YOUR CITY@HOME

We live close to a internationally renowned city for arts and culture. Have you visited the cultural institutions that Chicago has to offer? Or has it been a while since you have? Well, here's your chance to visit Your City @ Home!

This Spring, CAPL is partnering with several other area libraries to host a series of "field trips." Get a front row seat as we travel through Chicagoland Museums and Institutions. Lead by docents, you'll get up close and personal with exhibits and behind-the-scenes peeks via Zoom.

Saturdays in April and May

Watch our Program calendar, website, and e-newsletters for exact date and times for each venue.

Participating institutions at the time of printing include:

- The Art Institute of Chicago
- Chicago Children's Museum
- The DuSable Museum of African American History
- The Field Museum
- Garfield Park Conservatory
- Illinois Holocaust Museum
- National Museum of Mexican Art



Multi-age programs

Spring BINGO!

Saturday, March 13, 2-3 pm
Zoom. All ages/family. This year we will play Spring Bingo at home. If you get a bingo, you can win prizes for your family. When you register, enter your total group number with one person's name to represent the family. Limited to 9 families.

Participate in our seventh annual peeps diorama contest! This year our contest will take place online. Create your own Peeps world inside a shoe box, photograph it, and submit it to the Library. We will post entries on our social media pages for everyone to vote on. Winners in Family, Kids (grades 5 and under), Teen (grades 6-12), and Adult categories will receive a prize. Enter by yourself or as a group. Check our website for rules, inspiration, and how to enter!

Online Peeps Diorama Contest

Enter: March 22-28
Vote: March 29-April 1
Winners announced: April 2

Andertoons: A Tale of Two Tails

Monday, April 5, 11 am-12 pm
Zoom; grades K-8. Kids will begin by drawing tons of animals with amazing tails. Peacocks! Scorpions! Lemurs! Rattlesnakes! Hippos! (Hippos?) Yes, hippos! (Wait until you learn how they use their tails. It's gross.) Then you'll draw in their own creative stories! (Again, you have to sign up, if for no other reason than that hippo thing. Ugh!)

Andertoons: Bizarre Bugs & Irregular Insects

Saturday, May 8, 11 am-12 pm
Zoom; grades K-8. Kids will play all sorts of fun drawing games and create their own creepy crawlies! A bug with as many eyes as you are years old! An insect made entirely of the letter Q! The laughable little brother longlegs! Even if you don't like bugs, you'll love drawing these!



We're building quite the video library of arts and crafts videos for all ages (including the ever-popular needle felting tutorials) and a fun selection of science videos for kids. Watch the videos anytime on our YouTube channel. And be sure to subscribe so you never miss a new release | [youtube.com/user/cpqtech](https://www.youtube.com/user/cpqtech)

Teen programs GRADES 6-12

MAKE IT ▼



Baby Yoda Cross Stitch (Live)
Tuesday, March 2, 7-8 pm
Zoom. Learn the basics of cross stitching and create your own cross stitch in the likeness of pop-culture’s favorite green child! Participants will be contacted via email about picking up supplies.

Recycled Planter (Live)
Tuesday, April 6, 7-8 pm
Zoom. Create your own planter from a recycled 2 liter bottle. Participants will cut and paint bottles in creative ways and then fill with potting soil and a pothos house plant. Participants will be contacted via email about picking up supplies.

Printmaking Basics (Live)
Tuesday, May 4, 7-8 pm
Zoom. Learn about different types of printmaking, from screen printing to lithography. Then use styrofoam and acrylic paint to create a print of your own. Participants will be contacted via email about picking up supplies.

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COLLEGE PREP ▼

Free ACT or SAT Practice Test
Saturday, March 13, 12-4 pm
Online. Take the jitters out of testing and maximize your performance on the SAT or ACT. Take an online practice test from the comfort of home but under realistic conditions and get a performance measurement for free. This practice test is meant for students in grades 9-12 and advanced 8th graders. Students will want to have a scientific calculator for the math portion of the test that indicates using a calculator. Test provider: C2 in Vernon Hills.

GAMING ▼

Dungeons and Dragons for Returning Players
Saturdays, March 20, April 17, May 22, 1-4 pm
Zoom. Continue your campaign in the Saltmarsh! This adventuring group is for players who have already participated in D&D at the Library, new players should sign up for the New Players session.

Dungeons and Dragons for New Players
Sundays, March 21, April 18, May 16, 2:30-5 pm
Zoom. Join a D&D Adventuring Group. Rules taught to beginners, and experienced players are also welcome. Pre-generated characters and all supplies provided. Cooperative play emphasized, so come and help your group succeed! Limited to 6.

Teen Gaming
Tuesdays, March 23, April 27, May 25, 7-8:30 pm
Discord. Play video games and board games with other teens! While meeting virtually, we will play Jackbox games via Discord. Registration is required.



TEEN VOLUNTEER BOARD

Tuesdays, March 9, April 13, May 11, 7-8 pm
Zoom. Formerly known as Teen Advisory Board, join this fun service club to help with FOCAL book sales, projects, and help around the Library. Participants will get volunteer hours for every meeting they attend.



On the second Friday of each month, get a themed goodie bag filled with a surprise book to check out, an activity, and bonus items. At the end of the month, keep the activity and return the book! Participants will be emailed after sign-up with a survey about their reading preferences and again when their bags are ready to be picked up. This program is for CAPL teen cardholders only.

March 12: Out of this World
Get a space themed book along with supplies to make galaxy slime and some space themed goodies.

April 9: Man vs. Wild
Get a survivalist themed book along with a kit to make a paracord bracelet and some earth day themed goodies.

May 14: The Masters
Get an art themed book along with a kit to make a mini version of Van Gogh’s Starry Night and some masterpiece themed goodies.



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Youth & family programs BIRTH-GRADE 5

STREAMING FAMILY STORYTIME

For children birth to age 6. Join us live on Facebook (@caryarealibrary) for a story, flannel, puppet show, shoutouts to your kiddos, and some general fun with Rose and Amy. If you can't watch live, we post it for you to view any time. Storytimes are typically 15-20 minutes.

Tuesdays @ 10:30 am
March 2, 9, 16, 23
April 13, 20, 27
May 4, 11, 25

JUST FOR FUN ▼

Minecraft Mania! Escape Room
Tuesday, March 30, 10:30 am-12 pm
Zoom. Ages 8-12. Join the Minecraft Mania team with a new spin on the popular game! Kids will work together to escape the trapped room that leads to more obstacles and challenges. Collaboration is necessary for this new program!

SCIENCE ON DEMAND ▼

These tutorials will be available on our YouTube channel to watch after their debut. If you want to receive a supply kit that accompanies the video, be sure to register and you will be contacted about picking it up. Registration full? Enjoy the lesson using your own supplies.

Little Kids in the Kitchen: I Can Make My Own Fun Snacks!
Video debuts March 1, 10 am
Ages 3-6 with an adult. Learn how to make cute caterpillar and butterfly sandwiches all by yourself! The kits will contain kitchen tools and an ingredient list.

Ice Cream Sundae Delight
Video debuts March 15, 10 am
Grades 1-5. Combining science with cooking, we'll make ice cream sundaes. But we'll make our bowls out of candy melts and the whipped cream topping will be used first in a fun science challenge.

Chemistry and Physics Fun
Video debuts April 12, 10 am
Grades 1-5. We'll show you how to do a chemistry experiment involving energy and temperature change. Then we'll show you how to do an activity that looks like it defies gravity.

Heart-shaped Soap for Mother's Day
Video debuts May 3, 10 am
Ages 3-6 with an adult. Delight mom with a heart shaped soap that you make yourself, and find out how soap helps protect us from germs.

Hacky Sack/Stress Balls
Video debuts May 17, 10 am
Grades 1-5. Learn how a solid can act like a liquid when we show you how to make hacky sacks. Squeeze them and they're stress balls or even make several and learn to juggle!

ART ON DEMAND ▼

These tutorials will be available on our YouTube channel to watch after their debut. If you want to receive a supply kit that accompanies the video, be sure to register and you will be contacted about picking it up. Registration full? Enjoy the lesson using your own supplies.

Geckos
Video debuts March 8, 10 am
Grades K-5. Using model magic, students will make a small colorful lizard known as a Gecko. What will make your gecko unique— spots, stripes, or texture?

Rot, The Bravest in the World
Video debuts April 5, 10 am
Ages 3-6 with an adult. Have you met Rot the potato? Read *Rot, the Bravest in the World!* by Ben Clayton and then make your very own Rot character creation.

Earth Day (April 22)
Video debuts April 19, 10 am
Grades K-5. Let's celebrate the Earth by being inspired by Robin Mead's artwork. Then using watercolors students will make a colorful landscape of flowers, water, mountains, and sun. All the elements of our planet.

April Showers: Oil Marbling
Video debuts April 26, 10 am
Ages 3-6 with an adult. It's raining, it's pouring! Participants will make beautiful and unique oil marbling creations, and find out how oil and water interact.

Flower Weaving
Video debuts May 10, 10 am
Grades 3-5. April showers bring May flowers so let's do some weaving with yarn on a paper plate to make a colorful flower.

SCREEN-FREE

These deluxe Take & Make programs require registration. The date and time listed is when registrants can begin picking up their kits.

Take & Investigate: Friction
Friday, March 5, 9 am
Grades 1-5. Stick two magazines together without using any glue.

Kids in the Kitchen: Dragon Eggs
Friday, March 26, 9 am
Grades 1-5. Make your own special dragon eggs for Easter.

Kids in the Kitchen: Mother's Day Cupcake Flower Bouquet
Friday, April 30, 9 am
Grades 1-5. Make Mom a beautiful potted cupcake present for her special day.

Take & Investigate: Bursting Soap Cloud
Friday, May 28, 9 am
Grades 1-5. Watch an Ivory soap bar grow to an amazing cloud shape.

Bathtime Cupcake Sensory Science
Monday, March 22, 9 am
Ages 3-6 with an adult. Cupcakes... in the bathtub? Yes! Whether your child loves or hates bath time, this fun sensory science activity will be a hit! We will test if wet or dry sponges float in cupcake liners. Top them off with bath foam, and you have cupcakes you can clean yourself with!

Celebrate Earth Hour: Plan a Fun Lights-out Night
Thursday, March 18, 9 am
Grades pre-K-5. Join millions around the world on Saturday, March 27 from 8:30-9:30 pm and disconnect from electricity for an hour. Registrants will receive a kit full of fun ideas, crafts, and items to celebrate while conserving energy, and reconnecting with each other.

Little Kids, Big Feelings: The Invisible String
Monday, May 24, 9 am
The book *The Invisible String* by Patrice Karst explores the invisible connections we have with loved ones, even when they are not with us. Registrants will receive activities and a heart bracelet craft to represent our connections to each other.

Meet Jill



Miss Gwen re-located in the fall and we were sad to see her go— she was a very popular staff member with kids and adults alike. Jill, who you may recognize from interactions at the Service Center, has taken over the planning and presenting of the preschool-focused art and science programming. You'll see her debut video on March 1, the first of a new series of "Little Kids in the Kitchen" activities, which was inspired by her love of cooking. Going forward, she will also be focusing on activities that deal with sensory processing and big emotions. "These are some of the toughest hills I have had to climb as a parent, and I have great interest in curating programming to address these issues."

Jill is an avid children's book and middle grade reader and collector. In fact, if there is a book from your childhood that you vaguely recall and want help to remember, seek her out at the Service Center. Head to our Kids' page online to read more about Jill, including some of her favorite books (calling all children of the 80s!) | kids.caryarealibrary.org



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CLOSINGS

April 2	Closed 9-1, Open 1-5
April 4	Easter
May 9	Mother's Day
May 30	Memorial Day
May 31	Memorial Day

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Butterfly bush near Drive-thru window, August 2020

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VACCINE INFO

If you haven't done so already, head to the McHenry County Department of Health to sign up for their latest vaccine information and enrollment communications | mchenrycountyil.gov

EARLY VOTING

We are a McHenry County early voting site for the April 6 election. Early voting at CAPL will take place from March 22-April 3. Any resident of McHenry County is eligible to early vote here or at any other early voting sites in the County. The hours for early voting will be determined by the County and will be published on our website and social media channels as the date approaches. General voting information can be found online through the County website | mchenrycountyil.gov

NEW TO OUR LIBRARY OF THINGS COLLECTION

- Sphero Specdrums
- Victrola record player
- Webcam and headset kit
- Interactive 3D world globe (STEM Kit)

For a complete list of our Library of Things available to CAPL cardholders visit our website | caryarealibrary.org/libraryofthings



Welcoming all to connect and explore— checkout the possibilities!