

## TEEN SERVICES

Teen Programs are generously sponsored by the Farmington Friends of the Library.



### Teen Summer Reading Club: "Unmask!"

June 6 - August 2



Sign up at <http://www.farmlib.org/kidsteens/teen-scene/> or at either branch's Information Desk. Readers earn chances to win prizes, including gift cards from

Twelve Oaks Mall, Target, Barnes&Noble, Farmington Civic Theater, Best Buy, Dairy Queen and more. All participants who complete the program will receive a paperback book, plus a special superhero prize (details later)!

### Get Carded @ Your Library

June 6 - August 2

Show your Library card to a staff member at either branch's Information Desk and receive a small prize. Yes, it's that simple! *One prize per day.*

### Who Is Your Real-Life Hero?

Fill out a form answering this question, and hand it in at the Information Desk by Aug 2. Your entry will be displayed in the Library; and you'll receive a small prize.

### Tabletop Board Game Days

Ages 16-20+

Join us for Dungeons and Dragons, tabletop gaming, and general merriment. The Library will provide games, but feel free to BYOB(G) (bring your own board game). This program is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Farmington Library and Flat Land Games in Wixom.

*Registration Suggested.*

**Main Library Conference Room A:**

**Saturdays, June 13; July 11;**

**Aug. 8, 2-5 p.m.**

### Superhero Creation

Ages 10 and up

Calling all teen writers and artists! Help us decorate the Library this summer by creating superheroes with secret identities, catchphrases, backstories, costumes, superpowers—and weaknesses.

*Registration is appreciated* so that we will have enough supplies.

**Farmington Branch Meeting Room:**

**Tuesday, June 16, 6:00-7:30 p.m.**

### Hero Movie Marathon

You can fill out a "Who Is Your Real-Life Hero?" form (to receive a small prize) and make a fun craft between films.

Popcorn and beverages will be served.

*Registration required.*

### Big Hero 6

(Rated PG, 102 min.)

**Main Library Auditorium:**

**Wednesday, June 24, 2 p.m.**



### Unbroken

(Rated PG-13, 137 min.)

**Main Library Auditorium:**

**Wednesday, June 24, 4 p.m.**



### Steelheart Book Club • Ages 10 and up

We'll talk about *Steelheart* by Brandon Sanderson, plus any superhero stories you bring from home to discuss with fellow fans. Haven't read one recently? Check with Library staff for their favorites! *Registration is appreciated* so we'll have enough super snacks.

**Farmington Branch Meeting Room:**

**Tuesday, June 30, 6:00-7:30 p.m.**



### Graphic Novel Book Group and Discussion

Ages 10 and up

• *Ms. Marvel, Volume 1:*

*No Normal*  
by G. Willow Wilson

• *Battling Boy*

by Paul Pope



Books available at the Main Library Information Desk beginning June 9. You may also bring your own favorite titles to recommend.

Pizza will be served!

*Registration required.*

**Main Library Conference Room A:**

**Wednesday, July 1, 2 p.m.**

### Heroes Wanted: Job Fair

Ages 10 and up

Meet some of our local heroes and learn what they do. You may be surprised!

*Registration is appreciated but not required.*

**Farmington Branch Meeting Room:**

**Tuesday, July 7, 6:00-7:30 p.m.**

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### MINECRAFT @ YOUR LIBRARY

Ages 10 and up

Participants must have a Minecraft account and will each get 2 hours of gaming in Survival Mode on the Library's Minecraft server. If you would like to participate but don't have an account, contact us at (248) 848-4315.

*Registration required.*

**Main Library Computer Area:**

**Friday, July 10, 6:30 p.m.**



### Superhero Craft and Maker Craft Workshop

Ages 10 and up

Bring your imagination; we'll supply the materials.

**Main Library Auditorium:**

**Wednesday, July 15, 2 p.m.**



### Heroes in Nature • Ages 10 and up

They can leap small buildings in a single bound! Build the strongest structures in existence! Survive harsh conditions without food or water! Nelson's Wildlife Safari will bring some amazing animals for you to see up-close. *Registration required.*

**Farmington Branch Meeting Room:**

**Tuesday, July 21, 6:00-7:30 p.m.**

### ADULT REGISTRATION

For programs requiring registration go to: [www.farmlib.org/events](http://www.farmlib.org/events), or call the Main Library at (248) 553-6880 or the Farmington Branch at (248) 553-0300 ext. 216.

### TEEN REGISTRATION

Registration for all Teen Summer Programs begins on Saturday, June 6 at 10 a.m. Unless specified otherwise, Teen Programming is designed for students who complete 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade this June. Register at [www.farmlib.org/events](http://www.farmlib.org/events).

## Chapters Cafe



*Jim & Christine Bezy welcome you!*

- Soups
- Sandwiches
- Lattes
- Hot Dogs
- Snacks
- Coffee/Tea
- Specialty Coffee
- Fountain Drinks
- Muffins/Bagels
- Smoothies

Hours:

Mon.-Thurs.: 10:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Friday & Saturday: 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

(248) 553-6890

For information about the City of Farmington Hills, visit [www.fhgov.com](http://www.fhgov.com).



Get connected with community events, classes, special programs and more!  
[www.fhgov.com/specialservices](http://www.fhgov.com/specialservices)

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### HOLIDAY CLOSING:

July 4-5: Independence Day

### HOURS:

Monday-Thursday: ..... 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

Friday & Saturday: ..... 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Sunday: ..... 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

### PHONE NUMBERS:

Circulation: ..... (248) 553-0300

Children's Information: ... (248) 848-4315

Adult Information: ..... (248) 553-6880

Meeting Room Inquiries: (248) 553-0320

### BOARD MEMBERS:

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# SUMMER Events & News

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### FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

## BOOK SALE

(during the Founders Festival)  
Farmington Branch Meeting Room

### PRESALE

(Friends Members Only)  
Thursday, July 16, 6-8 p.m.

### SALE

Friday & Saturday, July 17 & 18, 10-6 p.m.  
Sunday, July 19, 1-5 p.m. (Bag Sale)



# Friends BOOK SALE

**Main Library**  
32737 W. 12 Mile Road  
Farmington Hills, MI 48334  
(248) 553-0300

**Farmington Branch**  
23500 Liberty Street  
Farmington, MI 48335  
(248) 553-0300

[www.farmlib.org](http://www.farmlib.org)

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## ADULT SERVICES

### Quilting Bee

Sew, show, and discuss your project—while keeping up to date on quilting-related topics—with the Farmington Hills Library Quilters, led by volunteers Lori Rhode, Sue Horner and Ernestine Baines. If you like, bring a sewing machine and extension cord.

**Main Library Auditorium:**  
**Mondays, June 1; July 6; Aug. 3, 6 p.m.**

### Lu Jong Tibetan Healing Yoga

Practice a series of 21 simple movements that are appropriate for people of all ages and abilities. Please wear loose, comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat or towel if possible. Visit [www.farmlib.org/events](http://www.farmlib.org/events) for additional sessions. *Registration required.*

**Main Library Auditorium:**  
**Thursdays, June 11, 18, 10 a.m.**



### Adult Summer Reading Program:

**Escape the Ordinary**  
Crack the codes and catch the criminals. Earn chances to win marvelous prizes by reading books, attending programs, writing reviews, watching movies, or cracking our weekly bulletin codes. Sign up at [www.farmlib.org/summer-reading](http://www.farmlib.org/summer-reading) or at the Information Desk.

**Saturday, June 6 - Sunday, Aug. 2**

### Isha Kriya Guided Meditation

Isha Kriya is a simple but powerful guided meditation which you can do anywhere. These classes are part of our Health and Wellness program series and are offered for free by the Isha Foundation, a non-profit, non-religious public service organization.

**Main Library Auditorium:**  
**Saturday, June 6, 3 p.m.**



### Friends of the Library Annual Event The American Songbook



An evening of fun, light refreshments, and hit songs from both classic and contemporary musicals, presented in a lively revue by the Michigan Opera Theatre.

**Main Library: Friday, June 5, 7 p.m.**

*By invitation only to Friends of the Library. To join the Friends, call (248) 848-4303.*

### Summer Reading Kickoff Party

**All ages**  
Pick up a reading log for the children's program; sign up for the teen and adult programs. At both branches, there will be special activities for kids AND grown-ups.

**Farmington Branch Meeting Room:**  
**Saturday, June 6, 10 a.m.-noon**  
**Main Library Children's Program Room:**  
**Saturday, June 6, 2-4 p.m.**



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### Everyone's Reading 2015 Author Appearances

#### Brad Meltzer

Author of *The Inner Circle*  
Rochester Church of Christ,  
250 W. Avon Rd.,  
Rochester Hills  
**Monday, June 22, 2 p.m.**

Jewish Community Center  
(Handleman Hall), 6600 W. Maple Rd.,  
West Bloomfield  
**Monday, June 22, 7 p.m.**

Tickets (limit 2) available for FCL cardholders at the Information Desk.



### Fiber Fans: Knit & Spin

Meet other knitters and spinners; share experiences; learn how to knit, crochet, or spin; and participate in projects.

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Thursdays, June 18; July 16; Aug. 20,**  
**6:30 p.m.**

### Preserve Your Memories

Our new self-serve Media Conversion Station for slides, photos and tapes includes specialized scanners, a VHS-to-DVD converter and a cassette-to-digital/CD converter. Bring music CD-Rs, DVD-Rs or USBs, or buy media at the Library for saving your stuff.

**Main Library Heritage Room:**  
**Thursday, June 25, 6:30 p.m.**



Presented by  
the Area Agency  
on Aging 1B



### Protect Yourself from Medicare/Medicaid Fraud and Abuse

What to look for and how to avoid becoming a victim.

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Monday, June 15, 11 a.m.**

### Medicare 101 (Happy 65th Birthday!)

The many benefits and programs available, including Part D (prescription drug coverage).

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Monday, July 20, 11 a.m.**

### Low-Income Subsidy and Medicare Savings Programs

How to find the right program for your needs.

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Monday, Aug. 17, 11 a.m.**

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(Bag Sale)

#### BOOK SALE VOLUNTEERS WANTED!

Please contact Diane  
Serresseque at  
**(248) 848-4303**



### ESL Conversation Group

Practice your spoken English in a comfortable, informal setting.

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Tuesdays, 1:30 p.m.**

### Book Discussion Groups

Paperbacks are available for checkout in advance. For more information, call (248) 553-0300, ext. 216.

#### POPULAR BOOKS

*The Inner Circle* by Brad Meltzer  
(see *Everyone's Reading 2015*)

**Farmington Branch Meeting Room:**  
**Wednesday, June 3, 2 p.m.**

#### COSTICK CENTER

*The Aviator's Wife* by Melanie Benjamin  
**William Costick Activities Center, 28600  
W. 11 Mile Rd.: Thursday, June 4, 1 p.m.**

#### TOP SHELF READS

*The Ocean at the End of the Lane*  
by Neil Gaiman

**Page's Food & Spirits,  
23621 Farmington Rd.:**  
**Wednesday, June 10, 7 p.m.**



#### HOOKED ON BOOKS

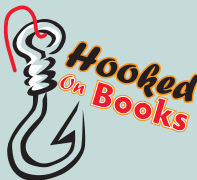
**June 29:** *The Bohemians:* Mark Twain and the San Francisco Writers Who Reinvented American Literature

by Ben Tarnoff

**July 27:** *Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet* by Jamie Ford

**Aug. 31:** *Crossing to Safety* by Wallace Stegner

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Mondays, 7 p.m.**



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### Writing Programs

#### Memories, Milestones and Memoirs

Record your reminiscences to share with family and friends.

*Registration required; (248) 848-4311.*

**Main Library Conference Room B:**  
**Tuesdays, June 2; July 7;**  
**Aug. 4, 10:30 a.m.**



#### Poetry Workshop

Study and write verse under the guidance of poet Jon Ballard, faculty member at Oakland Community College.

*Registration required; (248) 848-4311.*

**Main Library Conference Room B:**  
**Wednesdays, June 10; July 8; Aug. 12,**  
**10:30 a.m.-noon**

#### Farmington Community Library Writers Group

Join us for discussion and writing exercises. Writers of all types and skill levels welcome.

**Main Library Conference Room A:**  
**Tuesdays, June 16; July 21;**  
**Aug. 18, 7 p.m.**



## Senior Corner

### Getting Started on the Internet

Find out about search engines, social media, email, the Library's catalog, and more in this series of six drop-in classes offered continuously throughout the year.

**William Costick Activities Center,  
28600 W. 11 Mile Rd.:**  
**Mondays, 1:15 p.m.**

### Book Buddy Volunteers

If you are interested in helping the Outreach Services Department deliver books to homebound Farmington/Farmington Hills residents, please contact Julie Solomon at (248) 848-4311.

### Tech Classes

#### OPEN LAB

Ask your questions about Microsoft products, web applications, social media, online subscription databases, email, or personal tablets and devices to one of our tech gurus! If you would like to know beforehand whether we can address your specific problem please call (248) 848-4310.

**Main Library Computer Lab:**  
**first and third Thursdays of the month from 6-8 p.m.; second Thursday of the month, 2-4 p.m.**

## LinkedIn Basics

Learn about the uses and features of LinkedIn, a social media tool that can help you expand your professional network and make connections with others in your field.

**Main Library Computer Lab:**  
**Thursday, June 11, 7 p.m.**

### BUILDING YOUR ONLINE PORTFOLIO

Find out about free and paid online tools that will help you collect your accomplishments and create a marketable web presence.

**Main Library Computer Lab:**  
**Thursday, July 9, 7 p.m.**

### ONLINE PRESENTATION TOOLS

Explore alternatives to Microsoft PowerPoint that are available on the Internet for free.

**Main Library Computer Lab:**  
**Thursday, Aug. 13, 7 p.m.**

### BEYOND POINT-AND-CLICK

Instructor Mike Lewis conducts a discussion group on advanced computer topics.

**Main Library Conference Room B:**  
**Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m.**

### HANDS-ON HELP



Schedule a 30-minute session with a volunteer instructor. Here is your chance to discuss a particular

problem you might be having with word processing, the Internet or email.

**Main Library: Call (248) 553-6880 to set up an appointment.**