

## SAVE the Date

Be sure to keep an eye out for more info on the following upcoming events . . .

- March 7 — **Friends' Children's Book Sale**  
(Debrates Room—10am-2pm)
- March 19 — **Mock Interviews**
- March 24 — **Learn to Crochet**
- March 26 — **Amateur Writer's Guild**



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## Library Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday..... 10am - 8pm

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Sunday (October-April).....1pm - 5pm

### SANGAMON VALLEY COLLECTION HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and

Saturday ..... 10am - 5pm

Wednesday ..... 10am - 8pm

Sunday..... CLOSED

## Have Violin, Will Travel: The Louis Persinger Story

Monday, February 24 - 6pm

Carnegie Room North (1st floor)

Local historians Ray and Pam Bruzan share highlights from the intriguing life of violin virtuoso Louis Persinger, born in Rochester in 1887. A book signing of "The Violinist of Rockychester" by the author, Ray Bruzan, and book illustrator, Jim Edwards, will follow the presentation.

## How to Spot Fake News

Monday, March 2 - 6pm

Huntley Computer Classroom (2nd floor)

Fake news is nothing new, but when confronted with Facebook, Twitter and 24-hour TV news channels, how can you know what's true and what's fake? Learn about the different kinds of Fake News, as well as tools to help you evaluate the media you consume.



Lincoln Library cardholders now have online access to Newspapers.Com World Collection. The extensive database offering 4,000+ historical newspapers from the early 1700s into the 2000s is a great information source for everyone — researchers, historians, genealogists, teachers students. The e-resource includes thousands of well-known, regional and state titles, as well as small local newspapers in the United States and other countries. Look for the link under Reaserach on Lincoln Library's website—<https://bit.ly/2SywmVa>

Turn Page for Info on Fold3 Military Record Searches.



Also recently added to the library's e-resources is Fold3. This research database gives access to US military records, including stories, photos and personal documents of men and women who served in the Revolutionary War onward to recent wars. The continually-growing collection contains millions of records from world-class archives such as the National Archives & Records Administration (NARA), Center for Research Libraries, and FamilySearch Archives. Find Fold3 on Lincoln Library's Electronic Resource

## Computer Classes

Each month the library offers a variety of FREE computer classes, including *Microsoft Basics*, *Exploring Your Family Tree*, *Ask a Library Techie*. To view all the offerings and register to attend visit the Events Calendar at [lincolnlibrary.info](http://lincolnlibrary.info). All computer classes are held in the Huntley Computer Classroom, 2nd floor.

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## Events for Kids in Youth Services

### Toddler Storytime

**Mondays, February 24, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 - 10:15am**  
Toddler Time is for children 18 months to 3-years-old and their adults. Enjoy short picture books, movement and music with your favorite toddler at this interactive story time designed for walking children. Each 20-minute session ends with a fun enrichment activity.

### Baby Storytime

**Mondays, February 24, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 - 11 am**  
Baby Time is for children 0-18 months and their adults. Enjoy one-on-one time that includes stories, rhymes, music and activities.

### Preschool Storytime

**Thursdays, February 20, 27, March 5, 12, 19, 26 - 10:30am**  
Preschoolers, 3 to 5-years-old and their adult caregiver, are invited to participate in story time fun. This program combines a variety of stories, songs, finger plays and rhymes.

## Monthly Happenings

### The Stitchuation

**Tuesday, March 3 - 6-7:30pm** (DeFrates Room)  
Time and space to complete your personal craft projects .

### Chess at the Library

**Monday, March 9 - 6pm** (Multipurpose Room)  
Enjoy a game with members of the Springfield Chess Club.

### Contemporary Fiction Group

**Wednesday, February 26 - 6-7:30pm** (DeFrates Room)  
Book discussion: *Educated*, by Tara Westover  
**Wednesday, March 25 - 6-7:30pm** (DeFrates Room)  
Book discussion: *A Terrible Country*, by Keith Gessen

### Sunday Matinees

**2pm** (Carnegie Room North)  
February 23: *Black Panther* (PG-13)  
March 1: *Maleficent: Mistress of Evil* (PG)  
March 15: *Gemini Man* (Pg-13)

### Community Tutoring

**Mondays, February 24, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 20 and Wednesdays, February 26, March 4, 11, 18, 25 - 6pm**  
(Community Tutoring Room)  
In partnership with the Springfield Literacy Project, GED tutoring is provided on Mondays and Wednesdays.

### English as a Second Language Tutoring

**Thursdays, February 27, March 5, 12, 19, 26 - 10am-12pm**  
(Multipurpose Room)  
Tutoring for adult, non-native speakers of English.