# Volunteer Opportunities for Teens

**REGISTRATION INFO:** Registration for 'Teen Volunteer Night' and 'Cards for Kids & Seniors' opens on the 1st day of the month for that month's session (for example, sign up begins on June 1 for the June session, on July 1 for the July session, etc). Registration is online — go to www.homerlibrary.org & click the "Classes & Events" tab at the top!

## Teen Volunteer Nights First Thursdays from 6-8pm

Teens can sign up for the library's monthly volunteer nights, where you'll be helping with basic tasks such as cutting items for storytime prep, straightening shelves, etc. Space is limited to 6 teens per session.

Registration required.

# Cards for Kids & Seniors Second Thursdays from 6-8pm

Spread some smiles & get service hours!
Create handmade cards or letters to brighten someone's day. They'll be sent to Cards for Hospitalized Kids and Love for the Elderly charities. We'll give you tips on what to write, along with the supplies needed. Space is limited to 20 teens per session.

Registration required.

#### **Special Events**

We occasionally need teen volunteers to help with special events (the Craft Fair, Community Expo, etc). Teens can fill out a request form to help (on our website, go to Services, choose Teens, then click on Volunteers to find the info on Special Events). Hours cannot be guaranteed. Teens will be contacted via email when volunteer opportunities are available.

# JOIN THE SUMMER READING CLUB!

**JUNE 12-JULY 22** 

Get a chance to win gift cards to
Best Buy, Barnes & Noble, iTunes,
White Sox tickets, movie tickets, books, &
more — just for reading anything
(books! websites!) during the summer!
Stop by the library from
June 12 - July 22 to register —
it only takes a minute!

#### **Monthly Teen Programs**

# Teen Book Club First Tuesdays at 7pm

Discussions of awesome teen books! The monthly selection is available in the Teen Space for check out.

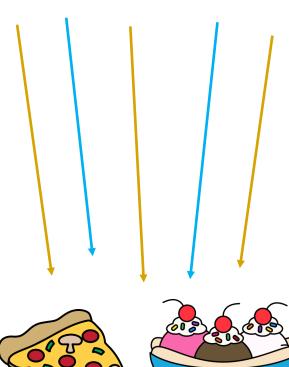
## Teen Manga & Anime Group Third Thursdays from 7-8:30pm

Join us for anime screenings, trivia contests, manga-inspired games, cosplay contests, & more!

#### **HAVE QUESTIONS?**

Contact Heather Colby at (708) 301-7908 or heather@homerlibrary.org

# SUMMER 2017 PROGRAMS FOR TEENS





HOMER TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY

### TEEN TAKEOVER!

FRIDAY, JUNE 16 6-8:30PM

Teens will be taking over the library at this special after-hours event with:



VIDEO GAMES! PING PONG!

Since the library will be closed, we'll have it all to ourselves, so bring your friends! No registration required –just show up!

#### TEEN VOLUNTEER CREW

**JUNE 12-JULY 22** 

Get service hours at the library this summer! Teens help at the Summer Reading Club's check-in desk or with kids' programs. Most shifts are just two hours per week. Apply online starting May 15. Teens must be in grades 7-12 as of Fall 2017.

#### Wreck This Journal Tuesday, June 6 at 6pm



Create and destroy! Teens will receive their own copy of Wreck This Journal by Keri Smith, a book with prompts on each page such as "Trace the things in your bag," "Drip something here," and "Write carelessly. Now."

We'll have supplies to work on pages in our own books and then it's yours to keep! Registration required.

#### **Hamilton Throwdown**

Thursday, June 29 at 7pm

How obsessed with Hamilton are you? Prove it at our celebration of this much beloved musical! There will be trivia, a lyric challenge, a Hamilton themed craft, & of course, a sing-a-long! Registration required.

# Pizza & a Teen Movie Tuesday, July 11 at 6pm

Round up your friends & head to the library to watch a newly released movie



on our big screen while stuffing your face with pizza! The movie title will be announced in June. Registration required.

# DIY Cupcakes & Ice Cream Sundaes

#### Tuesday, August 8 at 7pm

Calling all sweet tooths! Create the cupcake of your dreams using a variety of frosting, icing, and decorations. Then we'll make epic ice cream sundaes with all of your favorite toppings!

Registration required.

## Nacho Night Tuesday, August 15 at 6pm

It's the return of our popular nacho night! This is one of our favorite programs for a reason: there will be an open nacho bar with all of the good stuff needed to make your own plate full of loaded nachos. Be sure to come hungry! Registration required.

# HOW TO REGISTER:

- \* Go to www.homerlibrary.org
- \* Click the "CLASSES & EVENTS" tab at the top of the page
  - \* Or call us at 708-301-7908

ALL PROGRAMS FOR TEENS IN GRADES 6 - 12