

# Fight off cabin fever with a dose of **fun!**



January 2015

## School's Out Day Camps

Children in grades 1-5 will enjoy their day off school having fun in these creative programs!

**9 a.m.-3 p.m.; \$45 per child }**

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### Monday, January 19 - Artful Antics

Express your creativity as you explore visual arts fundamentals and experiment with different techniques in multiple art forms. Today, we remember Martin Luther King's advocacy of education by challenging our critical thinking skills through the fine arts.

- Cut and paste to make self-expression collages using recycled magazines and newspapers
- Design and mold a sculpture out of clay
- Recite a poem and write on a slate in the Schoolhouse

### Monday, February 16 - Happy Birthday, Mr. Lincoln

Hats off to you, Mr. Lincoln! A day of celebration for our 16th president filled with party games, crafts and homemade cupcakes!

- Take part in games pioneer kids like Abe played
- Visit the Log House and later race to build the ultimate log cabin
- Decorate birthday hats and play Pin the Hat on President Lincoln

### Friday, February 27- Slime and Grime

Combine one part science and two parts imagination with some household knowledge, and do you know what you get? A magnificent mess!

- Mix and measure to make different types of slime
- Create homemade silly putty to bounce, stretch and copy
- Explore chemical reactions and make film canisters into rockets with Alka Seltzer and water

## Girl Scout Programs & Adventures

Naper Settlement offers Girls Scouts lots of fun ways to work toward badges or patches throughout the year including our popular Victorian Teas and Victorian Spa Overnight. Super Scout Sundays are held once each month from January through April. Call 630.420.6010 or e-mail [grouptours@naperville.il.us](mailto:grouptours@naperville.il.us).

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# Try a spoonful of this...

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## History Speaks Lecture Series: Jane Austen and Her Women

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**Sunday, January 11, 4–5 PM**

*Day of Event: \$7/adult, \$6/youth (4-12), student and NHSS Member  
Advance tickets save \$1 each* ☒

In honor of the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversaries of "Pride and Prejudice," "Mansfield Park" and "Emma," Jane Austen, portrayed by Leslie Goddard, has time-traveled to today and agreed to answer the most common question about her life: what did she really think about marriage? While speaking, she will refer back to the women in her novels, bringing them to life in monologues from her books as they discuss romance, choice of a spouse and the position of women. Beginning and ending with Elizabeth Bennet, this program introduces eight Austen characters including Emma Woodhouse, Anne Elliott, Marianne Dashwood, and others, using Austen's own dry, humorous and sarcastic words. No previous knowledge of Austen required.



## Volunteer Information Meetings

### Parent Information Meetings for Junior Volunteers

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**Thursday, February 5, 7–8:30 p.m. (Option 1)**

**Saturday, February 7, 9:30–11 a.m. (Option 2)**

**Saturday, February 7, 1–2:30 p.m. (Option 3)**

Young people in grades 4-8 are eligible to become Junior Volunteers at Naper Settlement. From April through October, the Juniors, dressed in period clothing like petticoats and overalls, play typical games and do chores and activities of the past. What a great way for your kids to give back to the community, make new friends, "play" while volunteering, build self esteem and so much more! Parents of new Junior Volunteers must attend one of the above meetings.

# Get Ready!

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## Camp Naper Summer Day Camp

**Registrations starts March 1. Watch for more information coming soon - offering 2-, 3- and 5-day camp options to choose from!**

Attention adventurous, fun-loving kids! Summer is the time for exciting new experiences and Camp Naper is the place to have them! Explore Naper Settlement's 12 acres and beyond in day camps that capture a child's imagination and are supervised by experienced adult counselors. Summer will never be boring again!



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