



Lowell Library Lines

Events and Happenings

November 2015

The library will be closed Thursday, November 26, and Friday, November 27.

Lowell Public Library
1505 East Commercial
Lowell, IN 46356
phone 696-7704
fax 696-5280
www.lowellpl.lib.in.us

Hours

Mon-Thurs. 9 AM - 8 PM
Fri-Sat. 9 AM - 5 PM

Schneider Branch
24002 Parrish Ave.
Schneider, IN 46376
552-1000

School Year Hours

Mon-Thurs. 3:30-7 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 10 AM-12 NOON

Shelby Branch
23323 Shelby Rd
Shelby, IN 46377
552-0809

School Year Hours

Mon. 9 AM-12 & 1-6 PM
Tues-Thurs. PM-7 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 9 AM-2 PM

World War I: Homefront and Consequences

Wednesday, November 11, 6 PM

In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson successfully won election to a second term. His campaign slogan "He Kept Us Out of War," was in keeping with the majority sentiment of the country. However, less than a month after his second inauguration, Wilson requested a declaration of war on Germany.

This program presented by author David G. Clark, begins with an overview of the reasons for the country's changing attitudes and the consequences of the decision to join in the conflict. The entry into war led to many changes on the homefront. The government took over the railroads to mobilize troops and supplies to the east coast. Civilians endured rationing of such products as wheat that were needed to feed the troops. The same rationale led to passage of Wartime Prohibition of the manufacture of intoxicating beverages.

Finally, we look at conditions as the veterans returned. Many soldiers endured the long-term effects of exposure to mustard gas, while the able-bodied were able to enjoy the benefits of an era of economic uplift and positive outlook. The country had been victorious in battle in the "War to end all wars".

Please pre-register at the circulation desk. For more information about David Clark and all the books he has written, visit his website at <http://windycityroadwarrior.com>.

Fall Craft Show

Saturday, November 14, 9 AM- 3 PM

Do your holiday shopping and support local crafters at the same time! Items available include baby things, wood works, quilts, knitted, crocheted and embroidered items, jewelry, sports items, paper goods, holiday décor and more! The Friends of the Library will be there too - taking orders for their Christmas Wreaths and selling "Love Lowell Library t-shirts & bags.

Lowell Adult Programs

Free Computer Classes

Free Computer & Internet Basics are offered on Mondays; Word Basics on Wednesdays; and Excel, on Fridays at 11 AM. Technology Tuesday is held each Tuesday at 6 PM. Class size is limited. Pre-registration is required.

Library Quilters Meet

Mondays in November, 9 AM-12 PM.
Learn to quilt! Share what you know or work on your projects while enjoying the company of the other ladies in the group.

Stamping and Card Making

Thursday, November 5, 6 PM.
Make cards and other stamped items. Bring scissors. A \$5 fee will cover all other materials including adhesive needed for the projects. Pre-register.

Adult Book Discussion

Monday, November 9, 1 PM.
Read, then meet to discuss *Love in the Time of Cholera* by Gabriel Garcia Marquez.

Library Board Meets

Monday, November 16, 7 PM.
The regular meeting of the Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will be held.

Senior Social

Tuesday, November 17, 11 AM.
Get into the holiday spirit with crafts! We will provide snacks and craft supplies. Call the Lowell Parks Department at 696-1570 to register!

Blood Pressure/Glucose Testing

Wednesday, November 18, 9-10 AM.
Free blood pressure and glucose screenings are offered by Clinical Management Services of Demotte.

Holiday Evergreen Crafts

Tuesday, November 17, 6-7:30 PM.

This year decorate your home with fragrant, natural evergreens for the holidays. You can create your own basket, crate or wreath!

The crates (approximately 20" x 15" by 15" tall) are filled to overflowing with your choice of evergreens, berries, cones and pods. The cost, including everything you want to use, is \$20. The baskets are varying sizes, priced \$6 - \$15, and are filled to overflowing with the same fresh greens, berries, and cones. (Baskets supplied or you can bring your own). The wreaths (about 24" in diameter) are made on a special clamping frame. The cost for supplies is \$17.

We will provide individual help and encouragement as you create your own decoration individualized to your tastes.

Friends of the Library Meet

Wednesday, November 18, 6-7:30 PM.
If you love the library, join the Friends! New members are always welcome. Come to a meeting and see what we're all about.

Poetry Group

Saturday, November 21, 10 AM.
Aspiring poets can join the NW Indiana Poetry Society and enjoy the works of fellow writers.

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Photographs

We often take photographs at library events. These pictures are used for publicizing the library and its programs. If you do not wish to be photographed, please let us know.

Friends of the Library Christmas Wreath Sale

All wreaths are made with boughs of fresh Scotch Pine and decorated with pine cones and a red velvet bow. The large wreaths also include red ruskus leaves. Wreaths: 20"- \$15.00, 24"- \$20.00, 32"- \$25.00, and 44"- 40.00. New this year is a 28" Candy Cane Wreath for \$19.00!

Orders will be taken Thursday, October 15-Friday November 20. Payment is due when ordering. Pick-up Saturday, November 28 at 10:00 AM in the Meeting Room. All profits from this sale benefit the library. Thank you for your support.

Thumbs Up? Thumbs Down?

Did you like the book you just read or not? Share your views with us and fellow readers and enter the monthly drawing for a free gift certificate! The yellow opinion cards are located at the circulation desk.

Young Adult/Teen Programs at Lowell (Grades 6-12)

Get Out of the Kitchen Sandwich Day

Thursday, November 5, 5-7 PM.

Come to the library, make a sandwich and enjoy playing some fun games!

Tell Your Story

Thursday, November 12, 5-7 PM.

November is National Novel Writing Month!

Young authors are invited to join us in writing a short story and sharing it with other teens at the program. The first hour will be spent writing your story so you won't need to have it finished ahead of time.

Teen Advisory Meeting

Thursday, November 19, 5-7 PM.

Help plan what we are going to be doing in the New Year. Bring any ideas that you may have and your favorite snack to share.



Just for Kids

toddler time

Toddler Time

Toddler Time is for children ages two to three years old and will feature stories and activities for toddlers to share with their caregivers. Each program lasts about forty minutes. Toddler Time meets once a week for four weeks. Sessions will be held on Tuesdays (October 27-November 17) and Wednesdays (October 28-November 18) at 10 AM. Please pre-register for either FREE session. Toddlers must be accompanied by an adult.

Craft Corner

Come to the library on Thursday, November 12 and make a "Thankful Turkey". Be thinking of things that you are thankful for. Craft Corner is a FREE program for children preschool age through the fifth grade. Pre-register for the 10 AM or the 3 PM session.



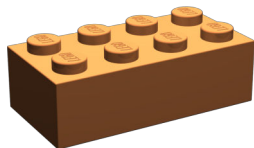
Thanksgiving Book Walk

Come to the library on Thursday, November 19 and win books in our Thanksgiving Book Walk. It's a time to be thankful for books and the adventures they take us on! This is a FREE program for children preschool age through the fifth grade and will be held at 10 AM and 3 PM. Pre-register for either session.



LEGO® Club

Children, kindergarten age through the fifth grade, are welcome to attend LEGO® Club! We supply the LEGO® bricks. All you need to bring is your imagination and use your creativity to build something amazing! We will meet on Saturday, November 21, 10 AM to 12 PM. No registration is required.



At the Branches...

Shelby Adults

Adult Book Discussion

Thursday, November 19, 5-6 PM.

Read, then meet to discuss *Gone With The Wind*, written by Margaret Mitchell.

Senior Bingo

Monday, November 23, 3:30-4:30 PM.

Play for a chance to win a gift card.

Shelby Young Adults

Get Out of the Kitchen Sandwich Day

Tuesday, November 3, 4-6 PM.

Come to the library, make a sandwich and enjoy playing some fun games!

Tell Your Story

Tuesday, November 10, 4-6 PM.

November is National Novel Writing Month! Young authors are invited to come write a short story and share it with other teens at the program.

Teen Advisory Meeting

Tuesday, November 17, 4-6 PM.

Help plan what we are going to be doing in the New Year. Bring any ideas that you may have and your favorite snack to share!

Movie Night

Tuesday, November 24, 4-6 PM.

Watch a movie. Snacks will be provided.

Shelby Children

Game Night

Monday, Nov. 2 and Wednesday, Nov. 18, 4-6 PM.

Play board or video games.

Kids Movies

Saturday, November 7, 14, and 21, 12-2 PM.

Free popcorn. Pop is 25¢.

Kids Crafts

Monday, November 5, 9, and 16, 4 PM.

Make a turkey candy jar (5th) and a brown bag drumstick (9th), and make a pinecone squirrel with Miss Cheryl (16th).

Bingo

Wednesday, November 11, 4-6 PM.

Play Thanksgiving bingo for fun prizes!

Schneider Adults

Craft

Thursday, November 5, 6 PM.

Learn to make salt dough ornaments.

All Day Scrapbooking For Adults

Saturday, November 14, 10 AM-10 PM.

Call Crista at 552-1000 for information about our twelve-hour scrapbooking party!

Bunco

Thursday, November 19, 6-7 PM.

Play bunco for prizes.

Schneider Young Adults

Get Out of the Kitchen Sandwich Day

Wednesday, November 4, 4-6 PM.

Come to the library, make a sandwich and enjoy playing some fun games!

Tell Your Story

Wednesday, November 11, 4-6 PM.

November is National Novel Writing Month! Young authors are invited to come write a short story and share it with other teens at the program.

Teen Advisory Meeting

Wednesday, November 18, 4-6 PM.

Help plan what we are going to be doing in the New Year. Bring any ideas that you may have and your favorite snack to share!

Movie Night

Wednesday, November 25, 4-6 PM.

Watch a movie. Snacks will be provided.

Schneider Children

Game Night

Monday, November 2 and 16, 4 PM.

Bring a new game to share or play one of ours.

Kids Crafts

Tuesday November 10, 17 and 24, and on Monday November 23, 4 PM.

Make a "Thankful Turkey" (10th), a wooden block turkey (17th), a pinecone squirrel with Miss Cheryl (23rd), and a felt Christmas countdown calendar (24th).

New DVDs:

The Age of Adaline

Blackhat

Catching Faith

Do You Believe?

Far From the Maddening Crowd

Fortitude

Homeland the Complete Fourth Season

House of Cards the Complete Third Season

The Longest Ride

Summer's Shadow

The Water Diviner

Woman in Gold

New Children's DVDs:

Back to the Jurassic

Cinderella

Johnny Test the Complete Fifth Season

Underdog Kids

New Books on CD:

The Assassin's Blade - Maas, Sarah J. (Young Adult)

The Book of Speculation - Swyler, Erika

Crown of Midnight - Maas, Sarah J. (Young Adult)

Dead Ice - Hamilton, Laurell L.

Devoted in Death - Robb, J.D.

Heir of Fire - Maas, Sarah J. (Young Adult)

Hit and Miss - Jeter, Derek (Children's)

I, Ripper - Hunter, Stephen

The Nightingale - Hannah, Kristin

Public Hero Superhero - Patterson, James (Children's)

The Rocks - Nichols, Peter

The Sin Eater's Daughter - Salisbury, Melinda

Tomorrowland - Disney (Children's)

New Music CDs:

Come Sail Away - Osborne, David

Fifty Shades of Gray Original Motion Picture Score

Get Up/Remixes - Madisa

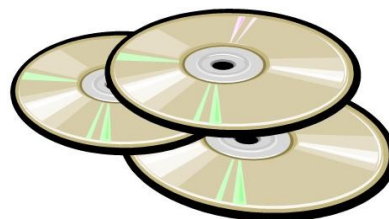
Live Like That - Sidewalk Prophets

Pat Boone's Favorite Bible Stories & Sing-Along Songs (Children's)

Stages - Groban, Josh

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New Fiction Books:

An Appetite for Violets - Bailey, Martine
Come Rain or Come Shine - Karon, Jan
Dance of the Bones - Jance, Judith A.
Dashing Through The Snow - Macomber, Debbie
The End Game - Coulter, Catherine
The Eternal World - Farnsworth, Christopher
The Gilded Hour - Donati, Sara
Iron Wolf - Brown, Dale
It's You - Porter, Jane
Keeper's Reach - Neggers, Carla
The Killing Lessons - Black, Saul
The Little Paris Bookshop - George, Nina
Patriot - Bell, Ted
Purity - Franzen, Jonathan
Shrink Wrapped - Huber, Belinda L.
The Taming of the Queen - Gregory, Philippa
Two Years Eight Months and Twenty Eight Nights - Rushdie, Salman
The Water Knife - Bacigalupi, Paolo

New Mystery Books:

Armage - Salvatore, R.A.
Between the Living and the Dead - Crider, Bill
Dishing the Dirt - Beaton, M.C.
Ghost to the Rescue - Hart, Carolyn G.
A Song of Shadows - Connolly, John

New Biography:

Pope Francis - Collins, Michael
Pope Francis and the New Vatican - Yoder, Dave

New Non-Fiction Books:

The Assault on International Law - Ohlin, Jens David
Coastlines - Barkham, Patrick
Cracking the Code
Dosage Calculations and Basic Math for Nurses Demystified - Keogh, James Edward
Dream Chasers - Tirman, John
The Expectant Father - Brott, Armin A.
Ghost Hunting in Haunted Cemeteries - Broome, Fiona
The Gift of Eccentrics - Weeks, David
How To Clone a Mammoth - Shapiro, Beth Alison
Kovel's Antiques & Collectibles Price Guide
Legal Research - Elias, Stephen
The Mother of All Booklists - Martin, William P.
The Pain Antidote - Pohl, Mel
Preparing Children for Reading Success - Irwin, Julia
Resilience - Close, Jessie
Sick In The Head - Apatow, Judd
Strangers No More - Alba, Richard D.
The Tears of the Rajas - Mount, Ferdinand
The Thirteenth Step - Heilig, Markus
Windows 10 for Dummies - Rathbone, Andy
You and Your Child's Psychotherapy - Weiner, Michael O.
Watercolours Unleashed - Betteridge, Jane

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