

## Library Closed January 1

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. 4-7 PM Fri. CLOSED Sat. 9 AM- 2 PM

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

#### School Year Hours

Mon. 9 AM-12 & 1-6 PM
Tues-Thurs. 3 PM-7 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 9 AM-2 PM

## Lowell Library Lines

## Events and Happenings

January 2019

## Talk to a Lawyer Day

The Indiana State Bar Association & NWI Volunteer Lawyers Inc. present the 18th annual public service event honoring the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and his dream of access to justice for all. As a service to the public, volunteer lawyers will be available to answer your legal questions and give brief (10-15 minutes) legal consultations on Monday, January 21, 9 AM - 5 PM.



No appointment is necessary. To talk to a lawyer, sign in at the reference desk and you will be helped in turn. First come, first served.

## alzheimer's $\bigcap$ association<sup>®</sup> Caregiver Support Group

The Alzheimer's Association Greater Indiana Chapter caregiver support groups, conducted by trained facilitators, are a safe place for caregivers, family and friends of persons with dementia to develop a support system; exchange information on caregiving challenges and possible solutions; talk through issues and ways of coping; share feelings, needs and concerns, and learn about community resources.

Build a support system with people who understand. Meetings, presented by Alzheimer's Association and hosted by the Lowell Public Library, begin on January 22. Meetings will be held the fourth Tuesday each month at 6 PM. (April meeting on 4/16. Group will not meet December 2019).

Visit alz.org/Indiana to learn more about caregiver programs and resources or call 1-800-272-3900. To further extend your network of support visit the online community at alzconnected.org.

## **Lowell Adult Programs**

## Free Technology Classes

Classes are offered on Mondays and Thursdays at 11 AM. Beginners or more experienced learners are welcome. Use our computers or bring your own laptop, tablet, or phone. Class size is limited. Pre-registration is required.

#### Senior Social - Movie

Thursday, January 3, 11 AM.

Bring a brown bag lunch. A movie is a great way to spend a cold January day. You can visit our "concession stand" for free popcorn, candy, drinks, and desserts! Call the Lowell Parks Department at 696-1570 for movie title and to register!

#### Stamping and Card Making

Thursday, January 3, 5:30-7:30 PM. Make homemade cards. Bring scissors. A \$5 fee will cover all other materials, including adhesive, needed for the projects. Pre-register.

#### Library Quilters Meet

Monday, January 7, 14, 21 and 28, 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.

#### Adult Coloring

Tuesday, January 8 and 22, 10-11:30 AM. Join in on the fun! Coloring helps us de-stress and stimulates brain areas related to motor skills. All skill levels and abilities are invited. Coloring supplies will be provided or you can bring your own.

#### Adult Book Discussion

Monday, January 14, 1 PM.

Read, then meet to discuss *Before We Were Yours*, written by Lisa Wingate. Light refreshments will be served.

#### Sewing

Tuesday, January 15 and 29, 10 AM-4 PM. Let's get together and sew- we help each other! Bring your machine and what you are working on.

## Friends of the Library Meet

Wednesday, January 16, 6-7:30 PM. If you love the library and want to know what to do to help support and promote it, join the Friends! New members are always welcome!

## Blood Pressure/Glucose Testing

Thursday, January 17, 9-10 AM.

Free blood pressure and glucose screenings are offered by Clinical Management Services of Demotte. No appointment - just walk in!

## Poetry Group

Saturday, January 19, 10 AM-12 PM. Aspiring poets can join the NW Indiana Poetry Society and enjoy the works of fellow writers.

## Library Board Meets

Monday, January 21, 7 PM. The regular meeting of the Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will be held.

## Chalk Painting

Saturday, January 26, 1 PM. \$30.00 fee, payable at class, includes all materials for a completed and frame project (15-1/2 x 19 1/2). Sample at the circulation desk. You must pre-register. Space limited to 15 participants.

## Friends \$2.00 Bag Book Sale

Saturday, January 26, 9 AM-4:30 PM. Get some great bargains on the last Saturday of each month – only \$2 a bag! Bring your own bag or purchase one of our reusable *Love Lowell Library* tote bags.

#### Go Green

Sign up at the circulation desk to be notified when a new edition of our monthly *Lowell Library Lines* newsletter is out. It is available to read online or you can download it from our website.

You can find us on Facebook too!

## Just a Few Notes...

## 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.

## 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 Programs at Lowell (Grades 6-12)

#### Game Night

Thursday, January 10, 5-7 PM. Play games with friends.

## Glass Painting

Thursday, January 17, 5-7 PM. Create a wintery work of art with glass and paint.

## Grilled Cheese and Tomato Soup

Thursday, January 24, 5-7 PM.

Have a snack of grilled cheese and tomato soup while watching a movie with friends.

## Inspire Your Heart with Art Day!

Thursday, January 31, 5-7 PM.

Craft supplies + your creativity = a work of art from the heart that shows how important art is to you.

(Note: No Young Adult Program January 3)

## Lowell Children's Programs



## Pajama Story Time

Pajama Story Time is for children ages two to eight and their caregivers. Bring your favorite stuffed animal and blanket, and snuggle in for some evening story time fun. Enjoy a combination of books, finger plays, and songs! This FREE program is pajama friendly and lasts approximately thirty minutes. No registration is required. We will meet every Wednesday, beginning January 9, at 6:30 PM.



## Toddler Time

Toddler Time is a FREE 4-week program for two and three year olds. The program is offered at 10:00 AM on Tuesdays (January 8 through January 29) and on Wednesdays (January 9 through January 30). Parents must stay with the child during the program. Each session is limited to 12 children and lasts approximately thirty minutes. You must pre-register.



#### Craft Corner

Come to the library on Thursday, January 10 and make a snowman using a Pringles can. You can have your own snowman indoors without it melting! Program times are 10:00 AM and 3:30 PM and is for children from birth through fifth grade. Preschool age and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Please pre-register for this FREE program.



## Lego Club

Lego Club will meet on Saturday, January 12, 10 AM-12 PM. The library will supply the Legos, so all you have to bring is your imagination! Build something amazing; the possibilities are endless. Children preschool age through the fifth grade are welcome to attend this FREE program. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult! Registration is not required.



## **Book Walk**

Come to the Lowell Public Library on Thursday, January 17 for a Book Walk! You can get some exercise and win great books! Program times are 10:00 AM and 3:30 PM. This FREE program is for children from birth through fifth grade. Preschool age and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Please pre-register at the circulation desk or by calling the library at 696-7704.

## At the Branches...

## Shelby Adults

#### **Adult Book Discussion**

Thursday, January 24, 5-6 PM.

Read then meet to discuss this month's selection and to choose February's read. Call for book titles.

## Senior Bingo

Monday, January 28, 3:30-4:30 PM.

Play "Crazy Bingo" for a chance to win a gift card.

## Shelby Young Adults

## Game Night

Wednesday, January 9. 4-6 PM. Play board games with friends.

## Glass Painting

Wednesday, January 16, 4-6 PM. Create a work of art on glass.

#### Snack and a Movie

Wednesday, January 23, 4-6 PM. Watch a movie - free snacks!

## Inspire Your Heart with Art Day!

Wednesday, January 30, 4-6 PM.

Craft supplies + your creativity = celebrate a day all about creating something that inspires your heart.

## Shelby Children

## Lighted Snowman

Tuesday, January 8, 4-5 PM.

Make a snowman using recycled water containers.

## String Art

Tuesday, January 15, 4-5 PM.

Make a beautiful snowflake with string.

## Create with Miss Cheryl

Tuesday, January 22, 4-5 PM.

Make an edible snowman and have a cup of hot chocolate to go with it!

## Crystallized Snowflake Craft

Tuesday, January 29, 4-5 PM.

Make a snowflake using borax and pipe cleaners.

## Schneider Adults

## All Day Scrapbooking For Adults

Saturday, January 12, 10 AM-10 PM. Call Crista at 552-1000 for information about our twelve-hour scrapbooking party!

## Crochet and Knitting

Thursday, January 17, 6-7 PM. Learn to knit or crochet.

#### Bunco

Thursday, January 31, 6 PM. Play bunco for prizes.

## Schneider Young Adults

#### Catch Phrase

Wednesday, January 9, 4-6 PM. Play *Catch Phrase* with your friends.

#### **Ceramics**

Wednesday, January 16, 4-6 PM. Make ceramic snowballs!

## Bean Bags

Wednesday, January 23, 4-6 PM. Play in our tournament! Free snacks.

#### Fleece Craft

Wednesday, January 30, 4-6 PM. Make a fleece tied pillow.

## Schneider Children

#### Snowman Craft

Tuesday, January 8, 4 PM. Make a snowman using a Pringles can.

## Game Night

Tuesday, January 15, 4 PM.

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

#### Bird Feeder

Tuesday, January 22, 4-5 PM. Make a pinecone bird feeder.

## Create with Miss Cheryl

Monday, January 28, 4-5 PM.

Make an edible snowman and have a cup of hot chocolate to go with it!

## Movie Night

Tuesday, January 29, 4-6 PM.

Watch a fun movie. Free popcorn and punch!

## **New Fiction Books:**

The Adults - Hulse, Caroline

Beauchamp Hall - Steel, Danielle

Becoming Mrs. Lewis - Henry, Patti Callahan

The Bride of Ivy Green - Klassen, Julie

Fire and Blood - Martin, George R.R.

Forever and a Day - Horowitz, Anthony

Hazards of Time Travel - Oates, Joyce Carol

In the House In the Dark of the Woods - Hunt, Laird

Little - Carey, Edward

Master of His Fate - Bradford, Barbara Taylor

Oath of Office - Cameron, Marc

Once Upon a River - Setterfield, Diane

The Other Wife - Robotham, Michael

Sold on a Monday - McMorris, Krisitna

Sweet Little Lies - Frear, Caz

The Tattooist of Auschwitz - Morris, Heather

Tony's Wife - Trigiani, Adriana

## New Mystery Books:

A Christmas Revelation - Perry, Anne

Eggs on Ice - Childs, Laura

The Feral Detective - Lethem, Jonathan

Homeward Hound - Brown, Rita Mae

My Sister, The Serial Killer - Braithwaite, Oyinkan

Proving Ground - Blauner, Peter

Pulse - Harvey, Michael T.

Robert B. Parker's Blood Feud - Lupica, Mike

Sunrise Highway - Blauner, Peter

## New Non-Fiction Books:

Accessory to War - Tyson, Neil deGrasse

Behold, America - Churchwell, Sarah

Billion Dollar Whale - Wright, Tom

Black Klansman - Stallworth, Ron

Built - Agrawal, Roma

Civilizing Torture - Brundage, W. Fitzhugh

Cooking with Scraps - Hard, Lindsay-Jean

The Cow with Ear Tag # 1389-Gillespie, Kathryn

Dark Venus - Buonaventura, Wendy

The Deep State - Chaffetz, Jason

The Game Console - Amos, Evan

A History of the World - Murray, Jenni

Hunting El Chapo - Hogan, Andrew

Immigrant Experiences - Ewing, Walter A.

Indiana Bigfoot: The Beautiful Mind -Caito, Edwina

Indiana Bigfoot: The Cave a& Beyond -

Caito, Edwina

The Medical Marijuana Guide - Frye, Patricia

Money and Government - Skidelsky, Robert

Parenting Children - Vlock, Deborah

Understanding Hepatitis - Ali, Naheed

Voices Outside the Stadium

Who is Michael Ovitz? -Ovitz, Michael

## New Biographies:

Jim Brown - Zirin, Dave

Ruth Bader Ginsburg - De Hart, Jane Sherron

Phil Spector - MacLeod, Sean

## New DVD Movies:

The Addams Family

Alpha

The Andy Griffith Show: Volume 1-8

The Beverly Hillbillies: Seasons 1-5

Blackklansman

A Bramblehouse Christmas

The Carol Burnett Show: Carol's Favorites

Christmas Next Door

The Christmas Train

Christopher Robin

The Complete Motorcyclist

Crazy Rich Asians

Death of a Nation

Dog Days

Gilligan's Island: Seasons 1-3

Green Acres: Volume 1-6

Gunsmoke: Seasons 1-10

Happy Days: Seasons 1-6

The Happytime Murders

Hogan's Heroes: Seasons 1-6

Incredibles 2 (Children's)

Kin

The Lone Ranger

Longmire: Season 1-6

The Meg

Mile 22

The Spy Who Dumped Me

Stranger Things: Season 1 and 2

TCM Greatest Classic Films Collection: Charlie Chan

#### New Books on CD:

Consumed - Ward, J.R.

Death of A Nation - D'Souza, Dinesh

Heart of Texas Volume 1 - Macomber, Debbie

Juror #3 - Patterson, James

Leverage in Death - Robb, J.D.

Lincoln's Last Trial - Fisher, David

Long Road to Mercy - Baldacci, David

Not Quite Over You - Mallery, Susan

Paradox - Coulter, Catherine

Past Tense - Child, Lee

The Reckoning - Grisham, John

Sea of Greed - Cussler, Clive

A Spark of Light - Picoult, Jodi

Warlight - Ondaatje, Michael

A Willing Murder - Deveraux, Jude

A Well Behaved Woman - Fowler, Therese Anne

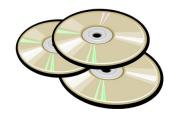
#### New Music CDs:

All of It—Cole Swindell

Christmas is Here! - Pentatonix

Rock 'n' Roll - Jerry Lee Lewis

Si - Andrea Bocelli



# Happy Holidays and Happy New Year to all our patrons!

## 2019 will bring a few changes that will affect you...

- 1. Lowell and our branches will be getting auto renewals!
  - a. Books, CDs, Audio Books, and Magazines will have 2 available auto renewals.
  - b. Leased Audio Books will have 1 available auto renewal.
  - c. DVDs & ILL will have NO auto-renewals.
- 2. Our fines will be increasing.
  - a. Books, CDs, Audio Books, and Magazines will be \$.25 per day up to maximum of \$10.00
  - b. DVDs will be \$1.00 per day up to maximum of \$10.00
  - c. ILL items will be \$.50 per day up to maximum of \$25.00
  - d. Leased Audio Books will be \$.50 per day up to maximum of \$25.00

## What does this mean for you as our patrons?

An email or text notification will be sent to those who have selected this as their notification letting them know that their items have been auto renewed.

If you have phone notifications, you will NOT be notified.

If your card has blocks, such as fines exceeding \$5.00, or if your library card expires before the due date then you will not get auto-renewals.

You are responsible for knowing when your items are due. You can access this information on our website www.lowellpl.lib.in.us under 'My Account' and use your library barcode with no spaces and your 4-digit pin number. Don't have a pin number? Come in and ask one of our circulation crew to reset it for you. We cannot reset your pin number over the phone!

Any questions please call us at 696-7704 or ask the next time you are in!