

# LOWELL LIBRARY LINES

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THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
AND  
LEASING CORPORATION

OF THE  
LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY

CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND THE  
DEDICATION  
AND OPEN HOUSE

OF THE NEW

LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY  
1505 E. COMMERCIAL AVENUE  
LOWELL, INDIANA 46356

AT 2:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1993

DEDICATION SPEAKER: FRED D. CAVINDER  
LOWELL NATIVE  
AND  
INDIANA AUTHOR

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN  
IN THE PROGRAM ROOM





## WELCOME TO YOUR NEW LIBRARY

The waiting is over, and a new era of library service begins for the residents of the Tri-Creek area.

The welcome mat will be out for library users on the first day of business, Monday 8, at 9:00 AM. Some adjustments by staff and patrons is to be expected and your patience during this transitional period will be appreciated. A floor plan showing the location of library materials will be available at the circulation desk and staff will be happy to assist you.

Nestled on a five and one half acre wooded site, the new building is intended to be a community gathering place, transcending the traditional concept of a library.

Many surprises await visitors as they enter the main entrance at the north end of the building. Meeting rooms flanking the library foyer provide ample room for use by non-profit organizations and library programs. Yes! There is a water fountain. Patrons can browse and check out books under a twenty-five foot high clerestory that fills the library with natural light. A large arched window dominates the Indiana/Reference section giving patrons a lovely view of the library grounds and park beyond.

The Children's Room provides a lively environment to encourage a youngster's love of reading. Large casement windows face the east and south, bringing the outdoors in. Youngsters will delight at the many surprises that await them in the Children's Room.

The new building represents the spirit of community residents and businesses who gave of their time and resources to help bring about a new library for the Tri-Creek community. The new library will provide years of service to all who enter its doors.

## INDIANA AUTHOR TO BE DEDICATION SPEAKER



The Lowell Public Library is pleased to announce that Fred D. Cavinder, author of Indiana Book of Records, First, and Fascinating Facts, and Amazing Tales From Indiana, will be the keynote speaker at the dedication of the new Lowell Public Library.

A native of the Lowell area, Cavinder has written for such popular publications as The Saturday Evening Post, Cosmopolitan Magazine, Popular Mechanics, and the Copley News Service. Cavinder's over 30 years experience with the Indianapolis Star included positions as copy editor, news editor, sixteen years as editor of the Indianapolis Star Magazine and three years as columnist of Main Street Indiana.

A series of his photographs taken in Southern Indiana are part of the permanent collection of the University of Southern Indiana.

## PROMINENT LOCAL ARTIST TO EXHIBIT WORK AT NEW LIBRARY

The new library is continuing its commitment to encourage the enjoyment of the fine arts. Paintings by artist Carole Boller will be on exhibit at the Library Dedication and Open House Sunday, November 7, at 2:00 PM.

A Lowell resident, Carole has had her work exhibited in art galleries across the state as well as in international and national art exhibits. Carole's expressions of the fine arts can also be found as a permanent addition to the Library Children's Room. "Creating artwork for the Lowell Public Library has been an honor, challenge, and joy," states Carole. Her unique chair paintings symbolize the fine arts; painting, music, dance, theater, photography, and sculpture/mobiles, and will be enjoyed by library visitors for decades to come.





LARGE PRINT  
REPAIR  
MANUALS

ADULT  
NON-FICTION

NEW  
BOOKS

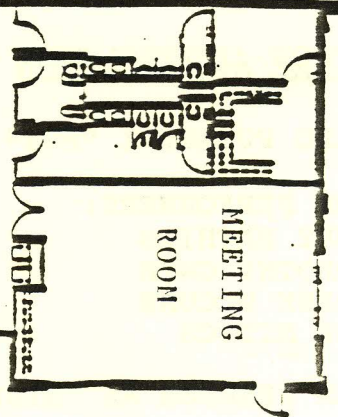
MAGAZINES  
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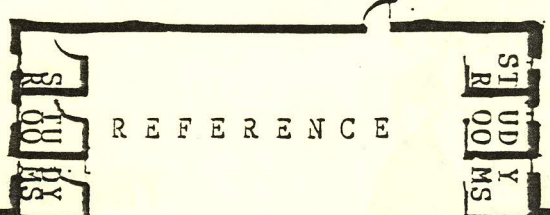
YOUNG  
ADULT

AUDIO - VISUAL



INDIANA

REFERENCE



OFFICES

STAFF  
WORK  
ROOM

OFFICE

DIRECTOR'S  
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ADMIN.  
ASSIST.  
CONFERENCE  
ROOM

BREAK  
ROOM

STOR.

STORAGE

PICTURE & EASY BOOKS

CHILDREN'S  
REFERENCE and  
MAGAZINES

CHILDREN'S  
FICTION  
and  
NON-FICTION

LOBBY

PROGRAM  
ROOM

SOUTH TO COMMERCIAL AVENUE

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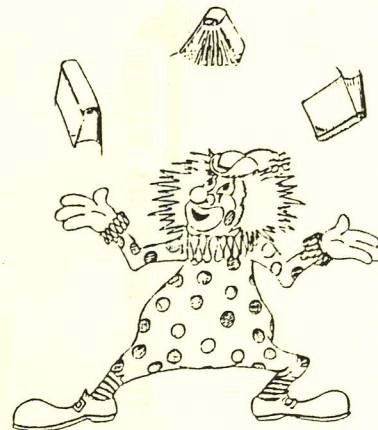
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## CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT

### EVENTS

#### PROGRAM ROOM



"POZ" THE WIZARD  
MAGIC TRICKS

ANDREAN CLOWN TROUPE  
ENJOY THEIR ANTICS

SUE MITSCH  
MASTER STORYTLLER

2:00 P.M.

2:30 P.M.

3:00 P.M.

AFTER THE PROGRAM "BENNY," "TIP TOP," "GIGGLES," "LULU," AND "TUMBLEWEED" OF THE ANDREAN HIGH SCHOOL CLOWN TROUPE WILL BE ON HAND TO VISIT WITH THE CHILDREN. JOINING THEM WILL BE "GWYNEE", "JUJU BEE," AND "CLIPPO", CLOWN PERFORMERS FROM THE LOWELL AREA.

POPCORN, JUICE AND ANIMAL COOKIES WILL BE SERVED AFTER THESE EVENTS.

BOOKMARKS AND BALLOONS WILL BE HANDED OUT AS THE CHILDREN LEAVE THE LIBRARY.

#### SINCERE APPRECIATION TO:

GERALD PUSATERI "POZ"

#### CLOWN PERFORMERS:

JUDY MATHIAS  
DOROTHY GWYN  
FRANK MCCUNE  
SUE MITSCH

THE ANDREAN HIGH SCHOOL CLOWN TROUPE  
DIRECTOR, ALICE ERICKSON

#### CLOWN TROUPE MEMBERS:

NICOLE MILOS  
TRACY STACK  
LUCIA WALSH  
DANILLE DEL COSTELLO

ALLAN PEARSON AS "STUFFY THE EAGLE"



## ADULT PROGRAMS

### Nov. 1 - CASSEROLE BASKET CRAFT

SHELBY - 6:00 P.M.

Casserole basket craft taught by Julie Duttlinger.

### Nov. 9 - BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

LOWELL - 9:00 - 10:30 A.M.

### Nov. 10 & 11 - CROCHETED BASKET

SCHNEIDER - 3:30 - 6:30 P.M.

Crocheted basket craft taught by Mary Frahm.

### Nov. 11 - BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

SHELBY - 9:00 - 11:00 A.M.

### Nov. 18 - PINE CONE CRAFTS

SCHNEIDER - 7:00 P.M.

Reference librarian, Darlene Rigg will teach you how to make a wreath and candle holders out of pine cones.



### Nov. 29 - CHRISTMAS SLEIGH

SHELBY - 6:00 P.M.

Christmas Sleigh Basket taught by Julie Duttlinger.

## LIBRARY BOARD TO MEET

The Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will hold their regular meeting on Monday, November 15 in the Library Meeting Room following a joint meeting of the Leasing Corporation at 6:30 P.M. and an Executive Meeting at 7:00 P.M.

## FRIENDS PLAN HOLIDAY EVENTS

The Friends of the Lowell Public Library will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday, November 17 at 7:00 P.M.

## HOLIDAY CLOSING

The Lowell Public Library and its branches will be closed on November 25 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. The Lowell Library will resume regular hours on Friday, November 26 at 9:00 A.M.

The Shelby and Schneider Branch Libraries will re-open on Saturday, November 27 at their regular time.



## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

### Nov. 2 - Christmas Ceramic Class

SCHNEIDER - 6:00 P.M.

Children will make Mr. & Mrs. Snowman, Little Snowman or bells. Fee is \$2.50 or \$3.00.



## TODDLER TIME 4 WEEKS ONLY

Shelby - Each Monday

9:30 A.M.

Nov. 15 - Dec. 6

Lowell - Each Tuesday

10:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

Nov. 16 - Dec. 7

Each Wednesday

10:00 A.M.

Nov. 17 - Dec. 8

## CRAFTS FOR KIDS

Schneider - Thurs., Nov. 11

3:30 P.M. BOTH

Shelby - Thurs., Nov. 18

3:30 P.M. - Preschool

TUESDAY, Nov. 23

4:00 P.M. - School age

**CHILDREN'S CRAFT WILL NOT BE SCHEDULED AT THE LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY DUE TO THE LIBRARY MOVE.**



## BLOOD DRIVE

A Red Cross Blood Drive will be held at the Lowell Public Library, 1505 E. Commercial Avenue, Friday, November 26, 2 PM to 7:00 PM. The drive is sponsored by the Friends of the Library in conjunction with the Lowell Lions Club. Please contact the library at 696-7704 to schedule an appointment.

**TO REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS CALL:**

**LOWELL - 696-7704**

**SCHNEIDER - 552-1000**

**SHELBY - 552-0809**



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Happy Thanksgiving



### VALLEY VOICES

John Christ, author of "Valley Voices" is a veteran of over 25 years of broadcasting. For several of those years he was at WLCL, serving Lowell, Cedar Lake and South Lake County. John is coming back to Lowell to take part in the celebration of the new library.

"Valley Voices," a history of radio in Indiana and Illinois will be presented by John on Wednesday, November 10, at 7:00 PM in the library's Program Room. John will tell of an era of radio that had the entire family, grandparents, parents and children spellbound.

Participants will enjoy taking a trip down memory lane, guessing the names of radio shows of the 30's and 40's that are included in John's slide presentation.

### CATERPILLAR. WRITTEN BY PEGGY GENGE



She is known throughout the Tri-Creek area as "Aunt Peggy". Over a twenty-five year span Peggy Genge, author of Caterpillar had "graduated" hundreds of boys and girls from her nursery school and in that time she developed methods of teaching and writing stories for her classes. One of those stories was. "Caterpillar", a charming tale of the workings of nature.

On Saturday, November 13, at 10:00 A.M., "Aunt Peggy" will share her book Caterpillar and other stories with area children, ages 3 to 5 years, attending a special Story Time in the new library Program Room.

Beautifully illustrated in watercolor by area artist Mark Beeching, Caterpillar is a picture book and story for all to enjoy.