

# LOWELL LIBRARY LINES

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## TWELVETH ANNUAL STUDENT ART EXHIBIT

### "A CELEBRATION IN COLOR"

It's May and nature is spreading its spring colors for all to see. The Lowell Public Library will also be alive with wonderful colors when the Friends of the Library present their twelveth "Annual Student Art Exhibit."

Held the week of May 18, the exhibit will showcase the works of talented Tri-Creek area students in grade K through 5.

One never knows what to expect from the creative young minds of the student artist. Last year's entries covered a multitude of art forms. Pastels, oils, ink drawings, paper mache, weaving, stencil and a variety of other medium hung from the library ceiling or rested on tables and shelves. Many of the pieces showed concern for the environment while others were whimsical or of images close to home.

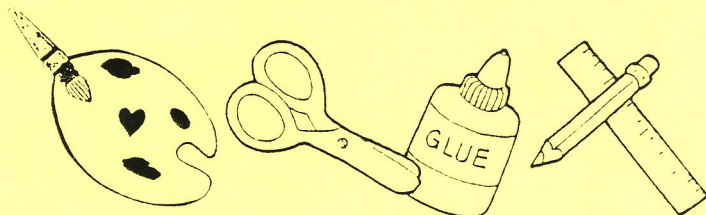
The annual event is very popular with library patrons and is a wonderful way to encourage youngsters to continue to express themselves through art.

An awards presentation and reception in honor of the young students' achievements will be held Thursday, May 21 at 7:00 PM. There will be a first, second, and third prize awarded at each grade level as well as a Best of Show.

Families of the students are invited to attend the reception. Friends of the Library will serve refreshments and a drawing for door prizes will be held for the art students and other children who attend the reception.

Tri-Creek area youngsters from Shelby and Schneider, are also invited to display their artwork at the branch libraries the week of June 1.

The Friends of the Library look forward to honoring these young students and invite the community to visit the library during this exhibit to view the wonderful examples of the children's creativity that will be displayed.







## MUSIC FOR EVERYONE

Ballads, Blues, Rock and Roll-----  
Opera, Chamber Music, Country and Western and  
the Big Beat----music to please just about  
anyone's ear is available on compact disc at the  
Lowell Public Library.

Adding to the library's own collection of  
over two hundred and fifty compact disc are  
several recent arrivals, currently on loan from  
the Indiana Audio/Video Network. Among the  
discs on loan are: *Dark Side of the Moon* by Pink  
Floyd, *Back on Track*, a Billy Crash Craddock  
selection, music from the *Fantasticks*, with the  
original cast, and the music of Andrew Lloyd  
Webber. Other arrivals include *Satch Plays Fats*  
James Taylor's *Sweet Baby James* and *Kiri Te  
Kanawa*:Verdi and Puccini, *Arias*.

The discs will be on loan, from the  
service, for a two month period before being sent  
to another library. Lowell will then receive a new  
assortment. Patrons can make their selections  
from a special catalog located at the circulation  
desk, and the discs can be checked out for a two  
week period.

The library continues to update its own  
collection with new purchases. Among the  
selections on order are: *Everyone's Wild About  
Harry*, with artist Harry Connick, Jr., Crystal  
Gayle's *These Days*, *Best Of* by Lee Greenwood,  
Lou Reed's *Magic and Loss*, *Dolly Parton's  
Greatest Hits*, Eric Clapton's *24 Nights* and *Yo-  
Yo Ma & Bobby McFerrin*

These compact discs and other new  
selections are expected to be available for  
checkout at the end of May .



## BOOKSALE POPULAR WITH LIBRARY PATRONS

Friends of the Library are having a hard  
time keeping up with the demand to keep their  
ongoing booksale shelves full. Sales are going so  
well that the storage closets are almost empty.

Anyone who would like to donate books in  
good condition may drop them off at the library's  
circulation desk.

All proceeds from the sale are used to  
support the library.



## FRIENDS TO MEET

The Friends of the Lowell Public Library  
will hold their regular monthly meeting one week  
earlier then scheduled, to prepare for the  
upcoming Friends twelveth Annual Student Art  
Exhibit. The exhibit will to be held the week of  
May 18. Friends will meet Wednesday, May 13, at  
7:00 PM, in the Library Community Room.

Anyone who would like to become a  
member of Friends may contact Nell Fabish at  
the library or pick up a membership application  
at the library's circulation desk or at the  
branches.

## LIBRARY BOARD TO MEET

The Lowell Public Library Board of  
Trustees will hold their regular meeting Monday  
May 18 at 7:30 PM in the Library Community  
Room, following an Executive Meeting at 7:00 PM  
to discuss land.




# Announcing

## CRAFT CORNER CRAWLING WITH CATERPILARS

Pre-school youngsters will love making crawly caterpillars out of paper when they attend Craft Corner at the Lowell Public Library and its Schneider Branch. School age youngsters will make Shooting Stars.

Lowell - Pre-school craft  
Thurs. - May 7 at 10:00 AM  
School-age craft  
Thurs. - May 7 at 3:30 PM

Schneider - Both crafts   
Thurs. - May 14 at 3:30 PM

## SUMMERTIME CRAFTS

Youngsters attending Craft Corner at the Shelby Branch Library will have a fun time making their summertime crafts.

Shelby - Pre-school craft  
Thurs. - May 21 at 4:00 PM  
School-age craft  
Thurs. - May 28 at 4:00 PM.

## MEMO

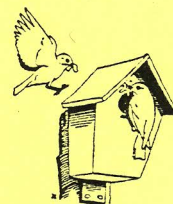
To: Our Patrons  
From: Lowell Public Library Staff  
Subject: Wilco Foods, Grocery Receipts  
Date: May 1, 1992



What a response! From the grocery receipts you have placed in our collection box, the library has earned over \$300 in funds to help support Summer Reading Club, Adult and Children's Programming, and other special purchases.

The library appreciates your efforts and the generosity of Wilco Foods towards this effort. Please continue to get your receipts stamped and bring them to the library.

To pre-register for programs call:  
Lowell Library - 696-7704  
Shelby Branch - 552-0809  
Schneider Branch - 552-1000



## ADULT PROGRAMS


Saturday, May 2, 10:00 AM  
"Help For the Bluebird"

A small but dedicated group of people have taken on the struggle to increase the number of bluebirds, in Indiana

Society member Gene Bissing will talk about the bluebird: his habitat, nesting, unusual mannerisms, identifying characteristics, range and how the bird is faring in Indiana.

Learn more about this magnificent bird and what can be done to rebuild its population.

Pre-register for this free program by calling the library at 696-7704.

Thursday, May 14   
Blood Pressure Screening

Shelby Branch Library 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
Lowell Public Library 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
First come/first served basis

Wednesday, May 20, 7:00 PM  
Schneider Branch Library

"All About Living Trust, Wills and Living Wills"  
Presented by Donald O'Dell, Attorney at Law

Wednesday, May 27 & Thursday, May 28  
A two-part seminar - 7:00 PM  
Lowell Public Library

"Firearms: What You Need to Know"

Lowell Police Officer, Tom Felder, will discuss firearm safety, state and federal requirements for possession and use of firearms, liabilities, principals, of marksmanship, and care and cleaning of firearms.

Locations of area ranges will also be discussed.

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*Happy Mother's Day*

