

Lowell Library Lines

June 2010

Events This Month

Lowell Public Library
1505 East Commercial
Lowell, IN 46356
696-7704

Hours

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

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

Summer Hours

Mon. 10 AM-1 PM
5 PM-7 PM
Tues.-Thurs 10 AM-1 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 10 AM-1 PM

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

Summer Hours

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

Read for the Stars Summer Reading Club

June Schedule

The following programs are designed for preschool and elementary school age children. There are two sessions for each program - 10:30 AM and 1:30 PM. Children must be pre-registered and preschoolers must be accompanied by an adult. You must pre-register.

- Tuesday, June 15 Surfer Dudes
- Thursday, June 17 "Order of Fries" Game
- Tuesday, June 22 Extraordinary Elephant
- Thursday, June 24 Bookwalk / Candywalk
- Tuesday, June 29 Styrofoam Airplanes



Father's Day, June 20

Summer Reading Club Begins Wednesday, June 9

You may sign up for the Summer Reading Club anytime starting Wednesday morning. Enjoy free hotdogs and a can of pop on June 9, from 11 AM-2 PM., provided by our Young Adult Department.

Family Fun Day: Saturday, June 12

It's fun! It's free! It's Family Fun Day at the library! Seniors, adults, children and young adults, come on out and have a hot dog, pop, and popcorn at the library while you view the performance of Steve Belliveau, as he entertains you with his *Zany Magic Show* at 1 PM. After the show, visit with his animals up close.

Cruise around to the library parking lot and take in the spectacular classic car show put on by the *Coachmen*. Bring your cameras. Take a walk on the Library Arbors Nature Trail. Have *In Tha Groove DJ Services* (11-3 PM) play your favorite songs and be in a dance contest. Everyone, grab a Bingo card and play White Elephant Bingo in the Program Room from 11 AM-3 PM. It's a fun day for everyone!

We are also having a Bake Sale on Saturday morning. Donations are appreciated. You may drop off your donations Friday, June 11 or early Saturday on June 12 at the library.

Lowell Adult Programs

Library Quilters Meet

Monday, June 7, 14, 21, and 28, at 9 AM.
Share your projects with others.

Library Knitters

Tuesday, June 1 and 15, at 6:30 PM.
Learn to knit on the first and third Tuesdays each month. A list of supplies is at the desk.

Red Cross Blood Drive

Saturday, June 5, 9 AM - 1 PM.
Call 1-800-RED CROSS to schedule your appointment. Co-sponsored by the Lowell Library and Lowell Tri Kappa.

BP/Sugar/Cholesterol Test

Wednesday, June 16, at 9 AM to 11 AM.
Blood pressure and sugar (glucose) screening are offered by Clinical Management Services. A combined cholesterol test is \$5 (cash only please).

Best Recycle Place in Town

Recycle your books, paperbacks, Books-on-Tape and CD, VHS and DVD movies, music CDs and cassettes, or magazines that are in good condition by donating these items to the library.

The materials will be placed in the on-going book sale that is sponsored by the Friends of the Library or added to the library's materials collection. Proceeds from the book sale are used to fund programming for children, young adults and adults throughout the year at the library.

Poetry Group Meets

Saturday, June 19, at 10 AM.
Aspiring poets can join the NW Indiana Poetry Society.

Friends to Meet

Join the Friends of the Library. The regular monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 16, at 7 PM.

Library Board Meets

The regular meeting of the Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will be held on Monday, June 21, 2010, at 7 PM.

Congratulations...

to our friend Mark Wilkins, (pen name, Mark Marimen) *Haunted Indiana* author, on being one of four winners in ABC's Good Morning America's *Live Your Dream* contest. He will soon be living out his lifelong dream of being onstage with 80's rock legend, Alice Cooper. Mark, the pastor of Crown Point Methodist Church, comes to our library each October to tell his ghost stories to our Young Adults. We are so thrilled for him!

Avoiding Portion Distortion

Thursday, June 24 at 10 AM.
Corinne Powell of Purdue Extension Service will help you stay healthy. Just 100 extra calories per day can lead to a weight gain of 10 pounds per year. Maintaining a healthy weight is a balancing act - try to balance calories in with calories out. Learn just how to balance those calories.

Free Computer Classes

Free Computer Basics are offered on Mondays, Internet Basics on Wednesdays and Word or Excel on Fridays at 11 AM. Evening classes are held each Tuesday at 6 PM. Pre-registration is required.

Children's Paperback Book Fair

Start your children with a library of their very own! The Friends of the Library will hold their annual summer Scholastic Book Fair during the month of June in the library's main room.

Select among the hundreds of stories of adventure, mystery, friendship, humor, chillers and fantasy. You will find biographies, pet care, world record books, code books and other nifty non-fiction books. Proceeds from the Book Fair are used to purchase books for the to be placed in the library's collection and prizes for the Summer Reading Club and the Young Adult reading programs.



Young Adults – You must pre-register for all programs.

Lowell

Thursday, June 10, at 5-7 PM.

Friday, June 11, 18, and 25 at 2-3:30 PM.

Thursday, June 17, at 4-7:30 PM.

Monday, June 21, at 2-4:30 PM.

Wednesday, June 23, at 9-4:30 PM.

Thursday, June 24, at 4-7:30 PM.

Alice's Wonderland of Crocheting. We supply the needles and yarn.

American Sign Language with Mark Adams (3 session class).

Wii Bowling tournament. Snacks and prizes will be provided.

Chalk and talk. Turn vinyl records into chalkboards with paint.

Red Cross Babysitting Class. Cost is \$30.00 (non-refundable).

Madden Tournament with Mr. Blink. Snacks and prizes provided.

Shelby

Tuesday, June 15, at 4-6 PM.

Tuesday, June 22, at 4-6 PM.

Tuesday, June 29, at 4-6 PM.

Alice's Wonderland of Crocheting. We supply the needles and yarn.

Chalk it up and make a chalkboard out of an old vinyl record.

Patriotic glass painting with Emily. Learn to paint on glass.

Schneider

Wednesday, June 9, at 4-6 PM.

Wednesday, June 16, at 4-6 PM.

Wednesday, June 23, at 4-6 PM.

Wednesday, June 30, at 4-6 PM.

Go on a Book Walk and win books for your home library.

Schneider Community Fun Day! We will supply the chicken.

Bring a dish to share.

Make a chalkboard with paint and an old vinyl record.

Patriotic glass painting with Emily. Learn to paint on glass.

Pop (25¢) and bottles of water (50¢) are available at most of the Young Adult programs.

Shelby Branch

Shelby Adults

Adult Book Discussion

Tuesday, June 23, at 2 PM.

Read and discuss *Dear John* by Nicholas Sparks.

Adult Bingo

Monday, June 28, at 3:30 PM.

Play bingo the 4th Monday of each month.

Shelby Kids

Movie Day

Saturdays at 12 PM.

Watch a movie and enjoy free popcorn. Pop is 25¢.

Wii Tournament

Saturday, June 19, at 10 AM.

You must pre-register.

Bean Bag Tournament

Thursday, June 24, at 10 AM.

You must pre-register.

Read for the Stars Summer Reading Club

Wednesday, June 9, is the first day to register. Free hot dogs, cookies and pop.

Wed. June 16, at 10:30 AM. Bottle Airplanes.

Wed. June 23, at 10:30 AM. Order of Fries Game.

Wed. June 30, at 10:30 AM. Extraordinary Elephant

Schneider Branch

Schneider Adults

All Day Scrapbooking

Saturday, June 12, 10 AM - 10 PM.

Spend the day sharing your page ideas and learning new techniques. Call 552-1000 for more information.

Schneider Kids

Bingo

Thursday, June 3, at 3:45 PM.

Play bingo to win fun prizes!

10 and Up Game Night

Monday, June 7 and 21, at 5 PM.

Movie Day

Thursday, June 10, at 11 AM.

Kids Read Together

Thursday, June 24, at 11 AM.

Read for the Stars Summer Reading Club

Wednesday, June 9, at 12 PM.

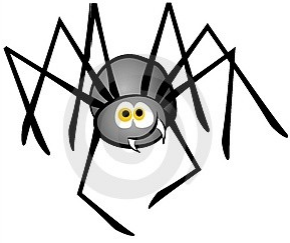
First day to register and check out books. Free hotdogs, chips, and pop.

Tuesday, June 15, at 12 PM. Surfer Dudes.

Tuesday, June 22, at 12 PM. Styrofoam Airplanes.

Tuesday, June 29, at 12 PM. Water Bottle Planes.

Kids' Nature Club

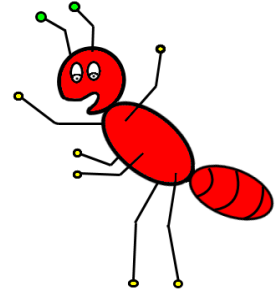


Join in on the fun at the Shelby and Schneider Branches by participating in some or all of the Nature Club activities that are planned for you.

Shelby Branch Schedule

Thursday, June 17, at 10 AM.
Wednesday, July 7, at 9 PM.
Saturday, July 10, at 10 AM.
Wednesday, August 4, at 10 AM.

Enviromobile
Night Walk
Bug Pinning
Closing program with games and prizes.



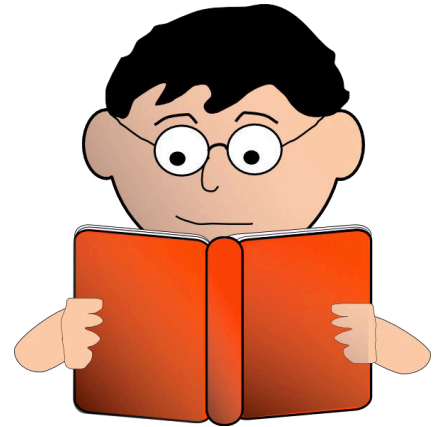
Schneider Branch Schedule

Thursday, June 17, at 1 PM.
Wednesday, July 14, at 9 PM.
Saturday, July 10, at 1 PM.
Wednesday, August 4, at 1 PM.

Enviromobile
Night Walk
Bug Pinning
Closing program with games and prizes.

Non-Fiction Reading Picks

- 133.9013 *Evidence of the Afterlife* - Long, Jeffrey, M.D.
306.89 *Divorce after 50* - Green, Janice
320.60973 *No Apology* - Romney, Mitt
330.973 *On the Brink* - Paulson, Henry M.
332.024 *The New Frugality* - Farrell, Chris
362.1042 *Universal Health Care*
613 *Change Your Brain, Change Your Body* - Amen, Daniel G.
616.9297 *Superbug* - McKenna, Maryn
616.99 *Positive Results* - Morris, Joi L.
635.95 *Perfect Plant, Perfect Place* - Lancaster, Roy
641.5975 *Home Cooking with Trisha* - Yearwood, Trisha
646.726 *Skin Care Secrets* - Earle, Liz
646.77 *Meeting Your Half-Orange* - Spencer, Amy
650.14 *Knock 'em Dead*
745.5068 *The Handmade Marketplace* - Chapin, Kari
745.593 *Scrapbooking for Baby*
746.92 *How to Never Look Fat Again* - Krupp, Charla
973 *American Conspiracies* - Ventura, Jesse
973.932 *The Bridge* - Remnick, David



Biographies

- B BURNETT *This Time Together* - Burnett, Carol
B BUSH *Spoken from the Heart* - Bush, Lara Welch
B SMITH *Train Wreck* - Hogan, Donna
B WINFRE *Oprah* - Kelley, Kitty

Fax Service and Public Scanner Available at Library

The Lowell Public Library now provides public fax service at the reference desk. Fax fee is \$1 per page for faxes sent in the U.S. A scanner for public use is located in the Reference Department's Redbud room.

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New Fiction Books:

At the Gates of Darkness - Feist, Raymond E.
Bitter Seeds - Tregillis, Ian
The Bride Collector - Dekker, Ted
Eight Days to Live - Johansen, Iris
Every Last One - Quindlen, Anna
Fever Dream - Child, Lincoln
Heart of the Matter - Giffin, Emily
In Harm's Way - Hannon, Irene
In the Shadow of the Cypress - Steinbeck, Thomas
Island Beneath the Sea - Allende, Isabel
Innocent - Turow, Scott
Reckless - Gross, Andrew

Mystery:

The 9th Judgement - Patterson, James
The Big Bang - Spillane, Mickey
The God of the Hive - King, Laurie R.
Off Track - Curzon, Clare
One Man's Paradise - Corleone, Douglas
Scent of Rain and Lightning - Pickard, Nancy
State Fair - Fowler, Earlene
This Body of Death - George, Elizabeth
The Tulip Virus - Hermans, Danielle

New Music CDs

Battle Studies - John Mayer
Beautiful World - Jim Brickman
Best of Kansas - Kansas
Best of Santana - Santana
Blue - Third Eye Blind
Breakfast in America - Supertramp
Crazy Heart Soundtrack
Disney's Princess and the Frog Soundtrack
Fun Activities for Toddlers
Greatest Hits - Janis Joplin
Haywire - Josh Turner
Hot Fuss - Killers

Kids Bop 17
Oh Brother Where Art Thou? Soundtrack
Peace in the Valley - Daniel O'Donnell
Photographs & Memories - Jim Croce
Polar Express Soundtrack
Sally the Swinging Snake - Hap Palmer
Silly Songs - Countdown Kids
Take Me Home - Celtic Thunder
This Is It - Michael Jackson
Very Best of the Boston Pops - Boston Pops
Wings Greatest - Wings
You Wanted the Best, You Got the Best! - Kiss

DVDs

An Education
Apocalypse
The Blindside
Brothers
Did You Hear About the Morgans?
Hachi: A Dog's Tale
Hoosiers
Imaginarium of Doctor Parnasuss
It's Complicated
Leap Year
Little Dorrit
Old Days

Pirate Radio
Shenandoan
Sherlock Holmes
The Path of the Wind
To Catch a Thief
Up in the Air
Walking Across Egypt
Walking Tall
War Eagle, Arkansas
Young Victoria

Children's Titles on DVD

Adventures of Huckleberry Finn
Alvin and the Chipmunks: The Squeakquel
Barbie in a Mermaid Tale
Bedtime with Elmo
Fantastic Mr. Fox
Free Willy: Escape from Pirate's Cove
Homeward Bound
Princess Diaries
Sesame Street: Count on Sports
Tom and Jerry: The Magic Ring