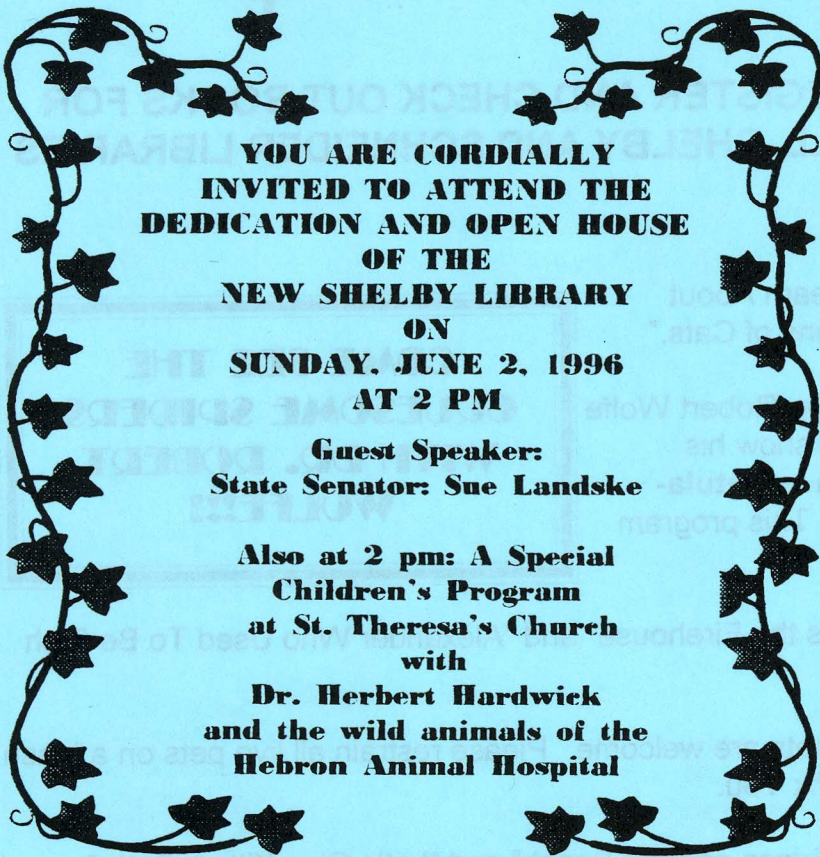


# LOWELL LIBRARY LINES

JUNE

1996



**YOU ARE CORDIALLY  
INVITED TO ATTEND THE  
DEDICATION AND OPEN HOUSE  
OF THE  
NEW SHELBY LIBRARY  
ON  
SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 1996  
AT 2 PM**

**Guest Speaker:  
State Senator: Sue Landske**

**Also at 2 pm: A Special  
Children's Program  
at St. Theresa's Church  
with**

**Dr. Herbert Hardwick  
and the wild animals of the  
Hebron Animal Hospital**

## **ENDOWMENT BOARD CELEBRATES SUCCESSFUL FIRST YEAR**

The Lowell Public Library Endowment Board recently marked their first year of fundraising with a celebration. At the event Chairman Steve Niedert reported to Board members and guests that over \$34,000 in pledges and donations have been raised since April of 1995. Donations have come from individuals, businesses, organizations, and through memorial contributions.

The goal of the first campaign is \$50,000. In his remarks to the group, Niedert said that although the community has a fine library, private support is necessary to preserve that quality of service through the years ahead. With the explosion of information, the increasing use of computers, and the development of compact discs, and the information superhighway, more and more demands are being placed on the resources of the libraries.

The interest generated by donations to the Endowment Fund will help the library keep pace.

## **HISTORIC HOMES UNVEILED**

If you missed the unveiling of the photo exhibit and brochure on the "Historic Homes of Lowell" on May 21, you can still view photographs of the homes and information about their architecture in the library's new brochure by the same name.

The goals of the Historic Homes Project are to stimulate interest in the history of the community through a study of the older buildings, to create and preserve a record for the general public and for researchers, and to foster public understanding of historic significance when remodeling older homes.

The twenty-four homes featured in the brochure were selected on the basis of historic significance, age, condition, appearance, uniqueness, and availability of information.

The "Historic Homes of Lowell" brochure is available at the circulation desk.

## **A "BUGGY" SUMMER FOR YOUNG READERS**

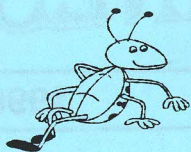
They're everywhere. Creeping, crawling, slithering, climbing and flying, and they will soon be hanging from the ceiling of the library and its Shelby and Schneider Branches.

"Buggy For Books" is the theme of this year's Summer Reading Club. Beginning Monday, June 10, children of all ages can register to be club members and begin to take part in a two-month long program filled with activities that will thrill and delight! A puppet show, an up-close and personal encounter with tarantulas, the "Great Pet Show" and many other fun programs are scheduled for "Buggy" club members.

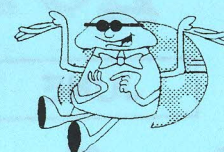
A schedule of events is available at the library. Be first to register for the "Buggy For Books" Summer Reading Club!!!







# BUGGY FOR BOOKS



**MON. JUNE 10 - FIRST DAY TO REGISTER AND CHECK OUT BOOKS FOR SUMMER READING AT THE LOWELL, SHELBY AND SCHNEIDER LIBRARIES**

## LOWELL PROGRAMS

WED. JUNE 12 - **VIDEOS** - "Berenstain Bears Learn About Strangers" and "Millions of Cats."

MON. JUNE 17 - **NOTE: SPECIAL PROGRAM** - Dr. Robert Wolfe from Trinity Christian College will show his amazing collection of spiders-a tarantula-jumping spiders-wolf spiders. This program is not for the squeamish!!!!!!

**COME SEE THE  
GRUESOME SPIDERS  
WITH DR. ROBERT  
WOLFE!!!**

WED. JUNE 19 - **VIDEOS** - "Sesame Street Visits the Firehouse" and "Alexander Who Used To Be Rich Last Sunday."

MON. JUNE 24 - **PET SHOW** - Live and stuffed pets are welcome. Please restrain all live pets on a leash or in a cage. Thank You.

WED. JUNE 26 - **VIDEOS** - "Wishbone" in "The Prince and the Pooch" and "Let's Give Kitty a Bath."

## SHELBY PROGRAMS

MON. JUNE 17 - **NOTE: SPECIAL PROGRAM - DATE AND TIME** - Dr. Robert Wolfe will show his amazing collection of spiders.

THURS. JUNE 27 - **PET SHOW** - Live or stuffed pets are welcome. Please restrain all live pets on a leash or in a cage. Thank You.

## SCHNEIDER PROGRAMS

MON. JUNE 17 - **NOTE: SPECIAL PROGRAM - DATE AND TIME** - Dr. Robert Wolfe will show his amazing collection of spiders.

**DON'T FORGET TO  
BRING YOUR PET TO  
THE PET SHOW!!!**

TUES. JUNE 25 - **PET SHOW** - Live and stuffed pets are welcome. Please restrain live pets on a leash or in a cage. Thank You.

**EACH TIME YOU CHECK OUT BOOKS, ENTER YOUR  
NAME IN THE WEEKLY DRAWING TO WIN A SPECIAL  
TREAT!!!!**





## Happenings In June

### LIBRARY QUILTERS MEET - LOWELL

Each Monday - June 3, 10, 17, 24  
9 AM - 12:30 PM

### BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

LOWELL - Tuesday, June 11, 9 AM - 10:30 AM  
SHELBY - Thursday, June 13, 9 AM - 11 AM  
Conducted on a first-come, first-served basis  
by a technician of St. Anthony Medical Center.

### CPR COURSE - LOWELL

Wednesday, June 26, at 6 PM  
Take the life-saving American Heart Association CPR  
(Adult, Child, Infant) Course taught by Katherine  
Misiara, R.N. and Leon Misiara, E.M.T. - Paramedic.  
Fee is \$15. The course is for medical care providers  
and the general public.

### CAN YOU PAY FOR LONG TERM CARE? - LOWELL

Thursday, June 13, at 2 PM and 6 PM  
With Paul Palmer and Bill Hamer, representatives of  
John Hancock Financial Services.

## NO QUESTIONS ASKED!

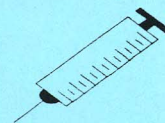
It was recently discovered that several  
compact discs were missing from the library.  
Before an investigation is undertaken, the library  
would like to give the person or persons who find  
the following CDs an opportunity to return them  
to the library, no questions asked!

Tuesday Night Music Club	MTV Unplugged
All-4-one	Fate of Nations
Everything	The Fire Inside
Classic Queen	Tourism
Bobby	Night Moves
Janet	Human Wheels
Naked	Voodoo Lounge
Mind Adventures	Monsters

New Miserable Experience  
Into the Great Wide Open  
Baddest of George Thorogood and the Destroyers  
Greatest Hits: Bruce Springsteen  
And the Horse They Rode in On  
Automatic For the People  
August and Everything After

## FREE CHILD IMMUNIZATIONS

Please bring your child's records when you  
visit the following locations:



Cedar Lake Community Center  
Each Friday, 9 AM - 3 PM  
Offered by the Lake County Health Department

Cedar Lake Clinic - 13963 MORSE ST.  
Thursday, June 6, 12 PM - 6PM  
A free service of St. Anthony Medical Center

Lowell - Oak Hill School,  
Monday, June 10, 9 AM - 2 PM  
Offered by the Lake County Health Department

Lowell - Lowell Public Library  
Thursday, June 20, 9 AM - 3 PM  
Offered by the Lake County Health Department

Schneider - Schneider Branch  
Thursday, June 20, 12 Noon - 6 PM  
A free service of St. Anthony Medical Center

## FRIENDS MEET AT SHELBY BRANCH



The Friends of the Library will hold their regular  
meeting at the new Shelby Branch Library on  
Wednesday, June 19, at 7 PM. Friends will meet at the  
Lowell Library at 6:30 PM to carpool to Shelby. New  
members are welcome..

## TO PROVIDE BETTER SERVICE

... the library is announcing their Revised Policy for  
Reserving Materials. Circulation of materials is  
increasing at the library and its branches. To keep  
pace with the demands for faster service the library is  
asking its patrons to pick up their reserved materials  
more quickly than before.

Beginning July 1, patrons will be called once  
to notify them that their requested materials are in and  
ask that the materials be picked up within four days.  
If patrons are unable to pick up their materials within  
that time span, those materials will automatically be  
given to the next patron on the list or placed back on  
the shelves. Staff will be happy to re-enter any  
request to reserve materials.

We thank you for your cooperation as we endeavor  
to provide the best service possible.

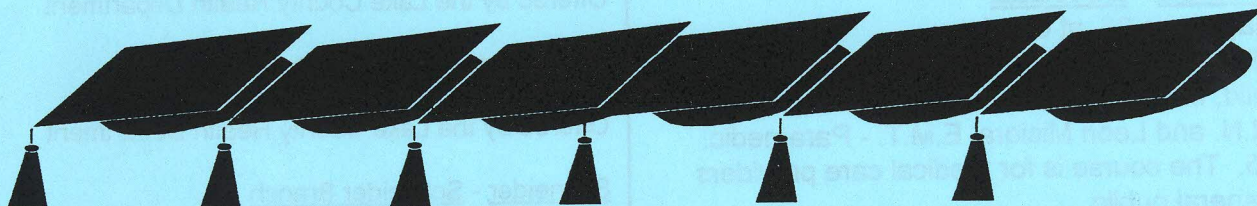


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## Congratulations to the 1996 Graduates!!!



Special congratulations to library staff members Lisa Billings, Tom Gilliam, Lynn Klingaman, and Josh Bougie

### ENTER THE LIBRARY'S YA READING CONTEST

Young adults in grades 5 through high school can enter the Young Adult Reading Contest at the Lowell Public Library and its Shelby and Schneider Branches.

To be eligible for the contest beginning on Monday, June 10, participants read library books at their own level and fill out an entry form for each book they read. By entering the weekly drawing, they will be eligible to receive candy, tickets to miniature golf or the movies.

On June 17, members are invited to attend "Giants of the Spider World," a presentation by Dr. Richard Wolf, Professor of Biology at Trinity Christian College.

The reading contest grand prize drawing will be held on August 7. Among the prizes awarded will be tickets for airplane rides, a water slide adventure, a visit to the Shedd Aquarium, a Cubs baseball game, a fun park or the auto races.

For more information contact Special Services Assistant Maureen Birkett. Enter this fun contest and enjoy summer reading adventures.

### A SUMMER READING LIBRARY OF YOUR OWN

Start a library of your own! The Friends of the Lowell Public Library will hold the "Children's Paperback Booksale" from June 10 - 22 at the Lowell Library. The booksale will also be held at the Shelby and Schneider Branches from June 12 - 20. The proceeds of the sale are used to purchase paperback books for the library's Children's Collection.

There are paperback books for every age level. Children can purchase books about animal adventures, science fiction and fantasy, fairy tales and legends. There will be books about friends and family, rib ticklers, mystery and adventure, and not too...scary stories! There are also non-fiction books such as *I Can Make Puppets* and *The Time Trekkers Visit the Dinosaurs*. Books and other items range in price from \$.99 cents to \$5.

Don't miss the "fun stuff" box loaded with sticker fun, book-marks, pencils and erasers. The sale will be held in the main room of the library across from the circulation desk.

**FREE: GET A "BUGGY" BOOKMARK  
WITH YOUR ORDER**