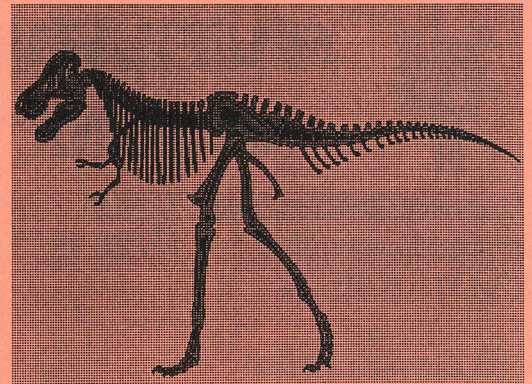


A JURASSIC SUMMER

Step back into the world of the T-Rex, its jaws open, ready to bite! See the raptors and the compys of the Jurassic age. All manner of dinosaurs will surround the children's area of the library and its Shelby and Schneider branches during the "Bone Up Your Reading" Summer Reading Club beginning with registration day on June 15.

Young club members are in for a dino-mite season of fun adventures including an opportunity to visit the Field Museum on July 20 where they will see the "Sue" T-Rex laboratory and the newly opened Dinosaur Families exhibit. Other adventures include the Great Pet Show and the Horgash Puppet Theater.

After club members read and record their first ten books, they will receive a bone to start building their own dinosaur. Each additional ten books read will add another bone to their dinosaur. A weekly drawing will be held for treats. Enjoy a summer of fun at the your library.



YA Reading Contest

Young adults are invited to participate in the "Get Lost in the World of Books" reading contest at the library and its branches and discover the wealth of exciting reading selections they can find at the library.

Participants reading at their grade level can enter a weekly drawing for great prizes donated by local businesses, including a \$100 shopping spree. The contest begins June 15.

Search for reading treasures at the YA paperback exchange located at the entrance to the YA section. Bring in your own books to trade.

"Jurassic" Paperback Book Sale

Start your own dinosaur library with paperback books you can buy at the Friends of the Library's "Jurassic" booksale beginning June 15 at the main library and June 17 at the branch libraries.

For two weeks you can search for great reads in science fiction, adventure, horror, mystery, romance and other books to tickle your funny bone. You'll also find posters, bookmarks, stickers and other fun stuff to buy.

Mother/Daughter Reading Club

There are many wonderful novels written about girls who are strong, capable and self-reliant. Stories of courage, strength and wisdom. Stories of survival, friendship, first loves and challenging adventures.

Young adult girls, 6th through 9th grade, and their mothers, are invited to share in a discussion of a selected book written for girls about girls at the library. The first Mother/Daughter Reading Club meeting will be held on Thursday, June 18 at 7 PM. Refreshments will be served. Pre-register at 696-7704.

We Were Asked

How many languages are there in the world?

There are about 6,000 languages spoken in the world today. Many languages are spoken only by small groups of a few hundred or a few thousand people. There are more than 200 languages with a million or more speakers. Of these languages, 23 have about 50 million or more speakers.



HAPPENINGS IN JUNE

Library Quilters Meet - Lowell

Each Monday: June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
9 AM - 12:30 PM

Fit Forever- Lowell

Each Wednesday: June 3, 10, 17, 24
Each Friday: June 5, 12, 19, 26
8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

Join a fitness program that includes low impact aerobics as well as toning, strengthening, and flexibility exercises.

Co-sponsored by the Lowell Parks Department, the program is led by Physical Fitness Instructor Linda Johnson. Fee is \$1.50 per session.

Free Blood Pressure Screening

Lowell - Tuesday, June 9, 9 AM - 10:30 AM

Shelby - Thursday, June 11, 9 AM - 10:30 AM

Screening is conducted on a first come, first served basis by a technician of St. Anthony Medical Center.

Adult Calligraphy Course - Lowell

Each Thursday: June 18 & June 25 at 6:30 PM

At this two-session workshop, the art of beautiful writing will be taught by artist and author Rachel Yaselsky.

Participants will acquire the basic skills they need to confidently begin using this medium. The main objective of the class will be to master the italic alphabet. Fee for the course is \$15, due by June 10. Participants will receive their own Calligraphy pen. Class size is limited to twelve.

CPR C Course - Lowell

Wednesday, June 24, 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 for the course is \$12 for the general public and \$16 for health care professionals seeking renewal.

A Life Well Lived

Library staff, board and Friends members are saddened by the news of the recent passing of Eleanor E. Wittenberg on May 6, 1998. Mrs. Wittenberg, 77, of Highland, Indiana, served the library as its director from 1979 to 1985.

Born in Nebraska and raised in Kansas, Mrs. Wittenberg graduated with a library certificate from the Kansas State Teacher's College of Emporia, one of the last American Library Association-approved schools to give a library certificate with a bachelor's degree. Years later she would earn her Class 1 certification, the highest the State of Indiana offers.

During her term as director, Mrs. Wittenberg represented the best in library service to her community. A warm, friendly person with a winning smile, she loved to see the library filled with people and made it a point to get to know library patrons by name and reading interests. She had a special way with children, always taking time out of her busy day to visit with them and encourage them to use the library more.

A Friends of the Library member for several years, Mrs. Wittenberg was also a member of DAR, the Questers, and the American Library Association. She served as a volunteer at the Lutheran Home of Northwest Indiana and was an active member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church.

"Earthday Every Day"

How much trash does a single household dispose of per day? "Recycling" is the theme of a traveling exhibit that will be on display in the library's main room during the first two weeks of June.

The exhibit is co-sponsored by the Lowell Parks Department and the Lake County Solid Waste Management District as part of the Parks Department's application for a Hometown Indiana Grant. The grant would provide funds for the Parks Department to create a recycling education center at Bonnie Lake (a wetland area located at the east side of Lowell).

BONE UP YOUR READING



SUMMER READING PROGRAM BEGINNING JUNE 15

SIGN UP MONDAY JUNE 15

PROGRAMS TO CHECK OUT!!!!

AT LOWELL:

WED. JUNE 17 - Videos - 10:30 AM or 1:30 PM

MON. JUNE 22 - PET SHOW!!! - Bring your live or stuffed pets!- 1:30 PM

WED. JUNE 24 - Videos - 10:30 AM or 1:30 PM

MON. JUNE 29 - Come make DINO-MAGNETS!!! - 10:30 AM or 1:30 PM

WED. JULY 1 - Videos - 10:30 AM or 1:30 PM

MON. JULY 6 - BINGO AT THE LIBRARY!!! - 10:30 AM or 1:30 PM

AT SHELBY:

THURS. JUNE 25 - PET SHOW!!!
10:30 AM

THURS. JULY 2 - Come make
10:30 AM DINO-MAGNETS!!!

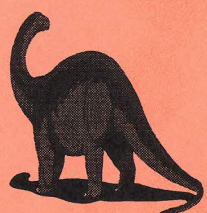
AT SCHNEIDER:

TUES. JUNE 23 - PET SHOW!!!
10:30 AM

TUES. JUNE 30 - Come make
10:30 AM DINO-MAGNETS!!!



GET LOST IN THE WORLD OF BOOKS READING CONTEST



At the Lowell, Shelby & Schneider Libraries
For students entering grades 5 through 12

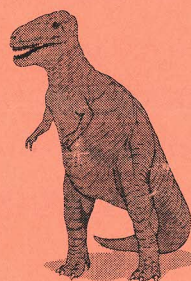
There will be weekly drawings for
**CANDY, MINIATURE GOLF,
THEATER TICKETS AND EVEN CD'S!!!**

One entry for every book read.

ONTEST RULES:

1. All books must be library books, no magazines please.
2. You must read at your grade level.
3. Books to be checked out June 15 or later.
4. All entries to be turned in by August 1.

The GET LOST IN THE WORLD OF BOOKS Contest was developed with
the assistance of the Young Adult Advisory Board.



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☆ **GRAND PRIZE** ☆
☆ **DRAWING** ☆
☆ **AUGUST 5** ☆
☆ **WIN GIFT** ☆
☆ **CERTIFICATES TO** ☆
☆ **12 STORES** ☆
☆ **EVEN A \$100 SHOPPING** ☆
☆ **SPREE AT CIRCUIT CITY** ☆
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