

Library Closed July 4th

Lowell Public Library 1505 East Commercial Lowell, IN 46356 phone 696-7704 fax 696-5280 www.lowellpl.lib.in.us

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 & 5-7 PM
Tues/Thurs. 10 AM-1 PM
Wed. 10 AM-1 PM & 4-6 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

Lowell Library Lines

July 2016

Stomp into a Good Book!



A "stomping good time" continues with Summer Reading Club now through August 6th. Dinosaurs are the theme this summer, with each elementary school represented by a different color dinosaur. The eight week program for children preschool age through the fifth grade is designed to encourage reading and to avoid the "summer slide". Miss Cheryl has a lot of dino-mite crafts and fun activities planned for you!

There are two sessions for each summer activity – 10:30 AM and 1:30 PM, unless otherwise noted. Children must be pre-registered for each session and preschoolers must be accompanied by an adult.

Tuesday, July 5 Shape-a-Saurus
Thursday, July 7 Bookwalk
Saturday, July 9 LEGO® Club, 10 AM-12 PM

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Tuesday, July 12 Dino Sun Catcher
Thursday, July 14 Parachute Games
Tuesday, July 19 Mega-Dino-Phone
Thursday, July 21 Hula Hoop Games
Tuesday, July 26 Biting Buddies Magnets
Thursday, July 28 Create an Edible Dinosaur

Tuesday, August 2 My Pet, The Dinosaur Thursday, August 4 Mini Carnival

Saturday, August 6 is the last day to enter books for summer reading credit!

All Worth Their Salt: The People of NWI, Volume 3

Wednesday, July 13, 6-7:30 PM.



Jeff Manes, writer of the syndicated newspaper column Salt, returns with All Worth Their Salt: The People of NWI, Volume 3.

Since 2005, Jeff has written over 1000 articles about people from all over the Calumet region. The stories are interesting, heartwarming, funny and heart-breaking, and tell of the lives of many people that Jeff has interviewed over the years. A book signing will follow a reading of selected stories. Books will be available for purchase for \$25.00 at the program.

Adult Programs and Events - Lowell

Free Computer Classes

Windows 10 Basics is held on Mondays at 11 AM and on Tuesdays at 6 PM; Microsoft Word on Wednesdays at 11 AM; and Microsoft Excel on Thursdays at 11 AM. Pre-registration is required due to space limitations.

Stamping and Card Making

Thursday, July 7, 6-7:30 PM.

Make homemade cards. Bring scissors. A \$5 fee will cover all other materials, including adhesive, needed for the projects. Pre-register.

Library Quilters Meet

Every Monday, 9 AM-12 PM. Learn to quilt! Share what you know or work on your projects while enjoying the company of the other ladies in the group.

Adult Book Discussion

Monday, July 11, 1-3 PM. Read, then meet to discuss *Homer's Odyssey* by Gwen Cooper.

Adult Coloring

Tuesday, July 12 and 19, 10–11:30 AM. Join in on the fun and the newest craze! Coloring helps us de-stress and stimulates brain areas related to motor skills. All coloring supplies will be provided. Pre-register.

Sewing

Tuesday, July 12 and 19, 12-6 PM. Join our sewing group! Don't know how to thread your sewing machine? Just need some help with something? Whether you are a beginner or an expert, let's get together and we'll help each other! Bring your machine.

Poetry Group

Saturday, July 16, 10 AM-12 PM.

Adult Summer Reading

Aspiring poets can join the NW Indiana Poetry Society and enjoy the work of fellow writers.

Library Board Meets

Monday, July 18, 7 PM.

The regular meeting of the Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will be held.

Blood Pressure/Glucose Testing

Wednesday, July 20, 9-10 AM.

Free blood pressure and glucose screenings are offered by Clinical Management Services of Demotte. No appointment necessary.



not? Share your views with us and fellow readers and enter the monthly drawing for a free gift certificate! The yellow opinion cards are located at the circulation desk.

Go Green

Sign up at the circulation desk to be notified when a new edition of our monthly *Lowell Library Lines* newsletter is out. It is available to read or you can download it from our website. You can find us on Facebook too!

Photographs

We often take photographs at library events. These pictures are used for publicizing the library. If you do not wish to be photographed, please let us know.

Adult Summer Reading

Don't let the kids have all the fun reading this summer! Fill out a slip for each book you read for a chance to win a *Kindle Fire HD 8" Tablet*.

Books must be checked out from the Lowell Library or one of the branches. Drawing will be held on August 10. Winner must have a valid resident Lowell Library card in good standing (no fines over \$5.00) at the time of drawing.

For Teens at Lowell - (Young Adults Grades 6-12)



Young Adult Summer Reading 2016

Young Adult Teens (grades 6-12) - Let Your Fandom Flag Fly! Fandoms are communities or places for people who are drawn together by common interests, fascination and passions for a book, characters, movies, video games, or essentially anything. Because of this, Fandoms many times overlap. For example, you might be a fan of both Star Wars and Marvel Comics.

Get your Geek on and join us! Fandom themed programs - Harry Potter book discussions and Quidditch matches, basic cosplay armor building, and video games are among the activitities that will be offered during Teen Summer Reading. Show off your obsession with your favorite fandoms and Let Your Fandom Flag Fly!

Saturday, July 2	1-4 PM	Board Games for ALL AGES	\$ 1.00
Thursday, July 7	5-7 PM	Video Game Crafts	FREE
Saturday, July 9	1-4 PM	Anime Movie Day	\$ 1.00
Tuesday, July 12	9 AM-1 PM	Babysitting Class	\$25.00
Thursday, July 14	5-7 PM	Video Game Night	\$ 1.00
Thursday, July 21	5-7 PM	From Hayao Miyazaki to Tim Burton	\$ 1.00
Saturday, July 23	1-4 PM	Board Games for ALL AGES	\$ 1.00
Tuesday, July 26	9 AM-1 PM	CPR Class	\$30.00
Thursday, July 28	3-5 PM 5-7 PM	The Hobbit Book Discussion/Craft Basic Armor Building	\$ 1.00 \$ 2.00
Thursday, August 4	5-7 PM	Star Wars: The Nerf Awakens	\$ 1.00

For a full description of these events, please refer to the Let Your Fandom Flag Fly! Teen Summer Reading 2016 flyer, available at the circulation desk.

Reading Contests!

Monthly Drawings: Fill out a form for each book you read for a chance to win a monthly prize!

End of Summer Prizes: At the end of summer reading, all these slips will be combined and entered

for a chance to win VISA gift cards! You must have a valid library card and

be in good standing (no fees over \$5.00) on the day of the drawing.

Shelby Branch Programs

Senior Bingo

Monday, July 25, 3:30-4:30 PM. Play for a chance to win a gift card.

Young Adult Summer Reading

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Schedule:

Burton: Movie/Craft

Tues. July 26 2-4 PM The Hobbit Bk. Discussion/Craft

4-6 PM Basic Armor Building

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Kids Summer Reading Club Schedule

All programs begin at 10:00 AM.

Wed. July 6	3D Dinosaur
Mon. July 11	Kid-a-Saurus
Wed. July 13	Mr. Long Neck
Mon. July 18	Dinosaur Figures
Wed. July 20	Edible Dinosaur Dig
Mon. July 25	Alphabet Riddle Game
Wed. July 27	Biting Buddies Magnets
Mon. Aug. 1	Mega-Dino-Phone
Wed. Aug. 3	Dino Sun Catcher
Mon. Aug. 8	Mini-Carnival

Create with Miss Cheryl

Monday, July 18, 4 PM.

Create a volcano and watch it explode!

Schneider Branch Programs

Adult All Day Scrapbooking

Saturday, July 9, 10 AM-10 PM. Join our twelve hour long scrapbooking party!

Adult Bunco & Lunch

Wednesday, July 20, 11:30 AM. Play bunco for novelty prizes.

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Stomp Into A Good Book Kids Summer Reading Club Schedule

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New Fiction Books:

Alice & Oliver - Bock, Charles

All Summer Long - Frank, Dorothea Benton

Before the Fall - Hawley, Noah

Blood Defense - Clark, Marcia

Blood Flag - Martini, Steve

Boar Island - Barr, Nevada

The City of Mirrors - Cronin, Justin

The Doll-Master and Other Tales of Terror - Oates, Joyce Carol

End of Watch - King, Stephen

The Emperor's Revenge - Cussler, Clive

Everybody's Fool - Russo, Richard

The Fireman - Hill, Joe

Haunted Destiny - Graham, Heather

House of Secrets - Meltzer, Brad

LaRose - Erdrich, Louise

Maestra - Hilton, L.S.

Mercy - Palmer, Michael

Redemption Road - Hart, John

The Second Life of Nick Mason - Hamilton, Steve

Traces of Guilt - Henderson, Dee

The Weekenders - Andrews, Mary Kay

New Mystery Books:

Aunt Dimity and the Buried Treasure - Atherton, Nancy

Dishonorable Intentions - Woods, Stuart

The Highwayman - Johnson, Craig

Robert B. Parker's Slow Burn - Atkins, Ace

Tall Tail - Brown, Rita Mae

New Non-Fiction Books:

67 Shots - Means, Howard B.

The Allergy Solution - Galland, Leo

All the Single Ladies - Traister, Rebecca

An American Genocide - Madley. Benjamin

Beyond Schizophrenia - Baldwin, Marjorie L.

Cave - Crane, Ralph

Changing the Subject - Birkerts, Sven

Eternity Street - Faragher, John Mack

Five Presidents - Hill, Clint

The Good Death - Neumann, Ann

Heads - Jarnow, Jesse

Lies, Incorporated - Rabin-Havt, Ari

The Love Diet - Guttersen, Connie

Love The House You're In - Rein, Paige

Masters of Empire - McDonnell, Michael A.

The Midnight Dog Walkers - Phenix, Anne

The Military Advantage - Howell, Terry

Modern Selvage Quilting - Nason, Riel

More Than Just the Talk - McKee, Jonathan R.

The Mushroom at the End of the World - Tsing, Anna Lowenhaupt

The New Milks - Cheney, Dina

Pat Sloan's Teach me to Applique - Sloan, Pat

Shape by Shape Collection 2 - Walters, Angela

True to Form - Goodman, Eric

Why The Right Went Wrong - Dionne, E.J.

World of Warcraft Chronicle - Metzen, Chris

Your Pregnancy Week by Week - Curtis, Glade B.

New DVD Movies:

13 Hours

Coat of Many Colors

Deadpool

Dirty Grandpa

Gods of Egypt

Grease Live!

Joy

Mojave

Pride & Prejudice & Zombies

The Revenant

Ride Along 2

War and Peace

Zoolander No. 2: The Magnum Edition

New Children's DVDs:

Izzie's Way Home

Norm of the North

Zootopia



New Books on CD:

The Apartment - Steel, Danielle

The Girl From Summer Hill - Deveraux, Jude

Speaking in Bones - Reichs, Kathy

Troublemaker - Howard, Linda



Did you know that the library offers the Mango Languages online language-learning system to its patrons?

Mango is free for all library patrons and can be accessed anywhere with an Internet connection. Each lesson combines real life situations and audio from native speakers with simple, clear instructions. The courses are presented with an appreciation for cultural nuance and real-world application by focusing on the four key elements of language learning: vocabulary, pronunciation, grammar, and culture.

Mango offers access to 60 foreign language courses and 17 English courses taught completely in the user's native language. In addition to traditional language courses, Mango also offers the opportunity to learn through foreign film with Mango PremiereTM and access to a variety of specialty mini courses, like Pirate, Medical Spanish and romance courses. Mango can be accessed at the library, remotely, or even on-the-go with apps for iPhone®, AndroidTM, Kindle® and Nook®!