

LOWELL LIBRARY LINES

AUGUST 2014

NEWS AND EVENTS

Dave Dinaso's Traveling World of Reptiles

Join us for the reptile show at the Lowell Public Library on Wednesday, August 6, at 11 AM. Dave DiNaso's Traveling World of Reptiles show is sure to thrill the crowd!

In addition to being educational, Dave's program is also loaded with laughs and interactive moments with his audience.

This event is open to children and adults alike and is the Grand Finale of the "Reading Keeps You Sharp!" Summer Reading Club program.



Staff member
Emily Schrombeck
holding a snake!

There is no registration required to attend this program.

For more information about Dave DiNaso and his work with reptiles, check out his website-<http://www.traveling-worldofreptiles.com>.



Back to School

Just a reminder: The Shelby and Schneider branches resume their "school year" hours on the first day to school-Monday, August 18. The Lowell Public Library hours remain the same throughout the year.

Schneider School Year Hours

Mon-Thurs. 3:30-7 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 10 AM-12 PM

Shelby
School Year Hours
Mon. 9 AM-12 & 1-6 PM
Tues-Thurs. 3 PM-7 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 9 AM-2 PM

Wowbrary

The Newest Stuff at Your Library

Wowbrary is a free service that informs you by weekly e-mails about recently published books, DVDs, and CDs that we have added to our collection. It makes it easy for you to browse through the latest additions and place a hold on a new title. To sign up for weekly updates, Log on to www.wowbrary.org and hit the "Sign Up" tab. Enter your zip code, choose "Lowell Public Library," enter your e-mail address, and Submit. After clicking the Submit button you will receive an e-mail with a link you must activate. Your e-mail alerts will begin arriving shortly.

Lowell Public Library
1505 E. Commercial Ave
Lowell, IN 46356
696-7704
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. 10-1 PM & 5-7 PM
Tues. 10 AM-1 PM
Wed. 10 -1 PM & 4-6 PM
Thurs. 10 AM-1 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 10 AM-1 PM

Friends of the Lowell
Public Library

M&M Fundraiser

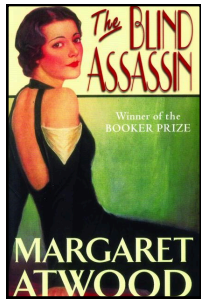
Two candy dispensers are available to win! Give a gift and raise funds for the library! Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00.

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

Summer Hours

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

Programs and Events for Adults



Adult Book Discussion selection for August

Blood Drive

Saturday, August 2, 9:30 AM-1:30 PM. Blood is especially needed this time of year, so please schedule your donation. Call 1-800-RED CROSS or go to red-crossblood.org. Walk-ins are always welcome.

Friends Annual Picnic

Sunday, August 3 at 2 PM. The Friends of the Lowell Public Library will hold their annual picnic for Friends members and their families. Bring a side dish to share! Call Bethany at the library if you are planning to attend.

Library Quilters Meet

Every Monday in August, 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.

Library Knitters Meet

Tuesday, August 5 and 19, 6-7:30 PM. Learn to knit, crochet, and cross stitch the first and third Tuesday each month.

Stamping and Card Making

Thursday, August 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.

Adult Book Discussion

Monday, August 11, at 1 PM. Read, then meet to discuss *The Blind Assassin* by Margaret Atwood.

Poetry Group Meets

Saturday, August 16, 10 AM-1 PM. Aspiring poets can join the NW Indiana Poetry Society and enjoy the works of fellow writers.

BP and Glucose Testing

Wednesday, August 20, 9-10 AM. Free blood pressure and glucose screenings are offered by Clinical Management Services of Demotte.

“FREE BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE SCREENINGS ARE OFFERED..”



Just a Few Notes...

**Thumbs Up?
Thumbs Down?**

Did you like the book you just read or 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.

Photographs

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

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.



Free Computer Classes!

Children's Programs



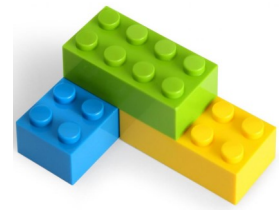
Craft Corner

Come join the fun on Thursday, August 14, at 10 AM or at 3 PM. You can make your own frog pond game! Craft Corner is a FREE program for children preschool age through the fifth grade. Pre-register for either session. Preschoolers must be accompanied by an adult.

Bingo for Books

Play Color Shape Bingo for a chance to win books for your home library on Thursday, August 21, at 10 AM or at 3 PM.

Bingo is for children preschool age through the fifth grade. All preschoolers must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-register.



LEGO Club

LEGO Club will meet on Saturday, August 23, 11 AM-1 PM. The library will supply the LEGOs, so all you have to bring is your imagination! Build something amazing; the possibilities are endless. Children kindergarten age through the fifth grade are welcome to attend. Registration is not required.

Young Adult (grade 6-12) Programs

Capture the Flag

Join us for a fun game of Capture the Flag on Thursday, August 14, 6-7:30 PM! A signed permission slip is required in order to participate.



Movie Night at the Library

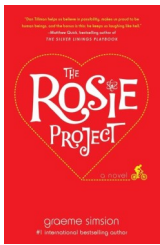
Watch a movie, hang out with your friends and have a few FREE snacks, Thursday, August 21, 6-7:30 PM.

Hold on to Your Favorite Book

Create a holder for your favorite book on Thursday, August 28, 6-7:30 pm. Show off your skills. Holders will be displayed in the library!



Shelby Branch Programs



Adult Book Discussion

Thursday, August 21, 5-6 PM.
Read, then meet to discuss *The Rosie Project* written by Graeme Simsion. Bring a light snack to pass around.

Senior Bingo

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

Capture the Flag

Join us for a fun game of Capture the Flag on Tuesday, August 12, 4-6 PM! A signed permission slip is required in order to participate.

Canvas Art

Create a fun saying or a work of art on canvas. All supplies will be provided for the project. Meet at the library on Tuesday, August 19, 4-6 PM.

Hold on to Your Favorite Book

Create a holder for your favorite book on Tuesday, August 26, 4-6 pm. Show off your skills. Holders will be displayed in the library!

Kids Movies

Every Saturday 12-2 PM.
Free popcorn! Pop is only 25¢.



Throwback Thursday Game Days for Kids

Thursday, August 7 & 14
11-1 PM. and on
Thursday, August 21 and 28
4-6 AM.
Play some classic board games.

Schneider Branch Programs

All Day Scrapbooking

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

Adult Bunco

Thursday, August 21, 6-7 PM.
Play bunco for novelty prizes.



Capture the Flag

Join us for a fun game of Capture the Flag on Wednesday, August 13, 4-6 PM! A signed permission slip is required in order to participate.

Movie Night at the Library

Watch a movie, hang out with your friends and have a few FREE snacks, Wednesday, August 20, 4-6 PM.

Hold on to Your Favorite Book

Create a holder for your favorite book on Wednesday, August 27, 4-6 pm. Show off your skills. Holders will be displayed in the library!

Kids Bingo

Tuesday, August 5, 11 AM.
Play bingo for fun prizes!



Kids Game Nights

Monday, August 11 and 25,
4-6 PM.
Children of all ages are welcome to play video games or traditional board games.

New Fiction Books:

All Fall Down - Weiner, Jennifer

The Arsonist - Miller, Sue

For All Time - Deveraux, Jude

The Glass Kitchen - Lee, Linda Francis

Invisible - Patterson, James

The Matchmaker - Hilderbrand, Erin

Nantucket Sisters - Thayer, Nancy

Night Diver - Lowell, Elizabeth

Phantom Instinct - Gardiner, Meg

Power Play - Coulter, Catherine

Robert Ludlum's The Bourne Ascendancy - Lustbader, Eric

Robogenesis - Wilson, Daniel H.

Sarah's Choice - St. James, Rebecca

Shattered - Hearne, Kevin

Skin Game - Butcher, Jim

Summer House with Swimming Pool - Koch, Herman

Written in My Own Heart's Blood - Gabaldon, Diana

New Mystery:

Circles in the Snow - McManus, Patrick F.

Midnight Crossroad - Harris, Charlene

Red Man Down - Gunn, Elizabeth

The Red Room - Pearson, Ridley

Terminal City - Fairstein, Linda

New Sci-Fi:

Earth Awakens - Card, Orson Scott

New Non-Fiction:

American Christianity - Cox, Stephen D.

The Backyard Homestead Book of Building Projects - Carlsen, Spike

The Big Fat Surprise - Teicholz, Nina

The Business Book

Capital in the Twenty-First Century - Piketty, Thomas

The Curmudgeon's Guide to Getting Ahead - Murray, Charles A.

eBooked! - Bandy, H. Anthony

Fukushima - Lochbaum, David A.

Horses and Mules in the Civil War - Armistead, Gene C.

Is That Me Yelling? - Renner, Rona

The Loss Art of Dress - Przybyszewski, Linda

Mom in the Movies - Corliss, Richard

The Obstacle is the Way - Holiday, Ryan

One Nation - Carson, Ben

The People's Platform - Taylor, Astra

The Place of Dance - Olsen, Andrea

Quick & Legal Will Book - Clifford, Denis

Quilt Lab - Winston, Alexandra

Smart Money Smart Kids - Ramsey, Dave

Strong Mothers, Strong Sons - Meeker, Margaret J.

There Goes Gravity - Robinson, Lisa

War and the Soul - Tick, Edward

A Year with Six Sister's Stuff

New Biography:

Pete Rose - Kennedy, Kostya

New Non-Fiction DVDs:

American Meat

Best Pay-Per-View Matches 2013

The Biggest Loser Boot Camp

Cook's Country: Season Six

Echoes That Remain

Ever Again

Mile... Mile & A Half

Miss You Can Do It

Space Voyages



Thousands of artists, tens of thousands of albums, and hundreds of thousands of songs are available to registered cardholders of the Lowell Public Library and its Shelby and Schneider branches.

Through *Freegal*, a downloadable music service, the library can patrons access to the Sony Music Entertainment Catalog, that offers over one hundred genres of music without having to download special software or dealing with any digital rights management (DRM) issues. The content is based upon a license with Sony Music Entertainment, owner of fifty-four different music labels.

To access *Freegal*, pick up an application form at the library and turn it in at the circulation desk or download one from the library's website. Look for the *Freegal* link on the left side of the page. An email message will be sent your address within 24 hours of being registered.

Recycle!

Bring your unwanted books, paperbacks, books-on-tape, DVD's, CD's, audio cassettes and magazines, in good condition, to the library. . . we'll take them! (Sorry, but we can no longer accept VHS tapes.)

We will recycle them for use in the library collection or to be placed in the Friends of the Library's book sale. *Please* call the library ahead of time if you are planning to donate a large amount of items at one time.

Coming This Fall!

Saturday, November 1, 9 AM-3 PM.

Support local crafters and artisans! All hand- made jewelry, baby and sports items, woodwork, holiday décor and more! Don't miss it!