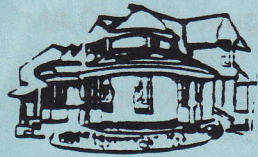


LOWELL LIBRARY LINES

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AUGUST, 1995



HISTORIC HOMES PROJECT CONTINUES

The library's "Historic Homes of Lowell" project is off to a great start! On July 6, over 65 people attended the first in a series of two programs, to learn more about the research project and the history of some of the community's older houses.

Slides of the homes were presented by project photographer Don Cade, with commentary by Town Historian Richard Schmal, project researcher Jo Cade, and members of the audience. Additional remarks were made by Karen Kiemnec of the Historic Landmarks Foundation of Indiana.

With information provided by members of the community, Richard Schmal, and Jo Cade, the library hopes to expand its files on Lowell's historic homes. Twenty-four of those homes have now been selected to be included in a brochure and photo exhibit at the end of the project period in the spring. Informal photographs of the houses with their addresses will be on display in the library. Members of the community are encouraged to search their files for information on those or any other homes built before 1910 and bring that information to the library for reproduction.

Homes were selected for inclusion in the brochure based on age (built before 1910), condition, unique features, style, and location.

In the months to come, the team will be in touch with the owners and occupants of the homes to take additional pictures and find out more information about the houses.

As an Indiana Heritage Research Grant, this is a joint project of the Indiana Humanities Council and the Indiana Historical Society.

ENDOWMENT FUND NEARS GOAL

The Lowell Public Library Endowment Board is within reach of the \$25,000 goal of the first phase of their fund-raiser. To date, almost \$23,000 has been raised with \$15,000 in cash and pledges received during the last month.

In the July issue, Library Lines listed the names of businesses and local residents who supported the Endowment Fund during the first period of its existence. Recently the Times and an anonymous donor also pledged their support to the Fund.

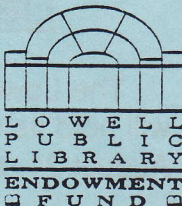
The Endowment Board is a volunteer organization charged with fundraising for the library's newly established Endowment Fund. The purpose of the fund is to provide for library needs beyond what can be provided through the library's budget, making the difference between adequate and excellent library service for the people of the Three Creeks area. Donations to the fund are kept in trust; only the interest will be spent to help the library.

Once the first phase goal is achieved, the Endowment Board will begin the second phase of the fundraising drive to raise another \$25,000 between 1995 and 1999.

Gifts to the Endowment Fund can take the form of a cash donation, a pledge, a trust, or a life insurance policy naming the Fund. Contributions are tax deductible.

Further information on the Endowment Fund is available from Endowment Board members, the Lowell Public Library or its Shelby or Schneider branches, or by calling the librarian, Virginia Maravilla, at 696-7704.

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LOWELL'S OUTSTANDING NOTABLES

Lowell has had a surprising number of notables who have achieved state, national and/or international recognition due to personal accomplishments—giving Lowell coast-to-coast acknowledgment which adds to our pride in the community.

During the month of August, information on some of these notables will be on exhibit in the foyer of the library. The library urges you to view the exhibit and reminisce with us.

Be part of Lowell's history. Bring along your family history to have a photocopy made for the library files or pick up family history group sheets to fill out and return.

ADULT PROGRAMS

LIBRARY QUILTERS

LOWELL - Each Mon, August 7-28
9 AM - 12 Noon

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

LOWELL - Tues., August 8
9 AM - 10:30 AM

SHELBY - Thurs., August 10
9 AM - 11 AM

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

FIRST CARE: C.P.R. TRAINING - LOWELL

Certified C.P.R. Instructors Katherine Misiore, R.N. and Leon Misora, E.M.T. -P, will teach participants C.P.R. for the "C" Course. Fee for the course is \$15. Call for date and time.

LIBRARY BOARD TO MEET

The Lowell Public Library Board of Trustees will hold its regular meeting on Monday, August 21, at 6:30 PM.



"ALL CALORIES ARE NOT ALIKE:" REDUCE FAT IN YOUR DIET" - Tues., August 22, 10 AM
How much fat do you eat in a day? How does your body metabolize fat? Is there good and bad fat for your diet? Talk to Registered Dietitian Susan C. Ring at this informative program.

SAFE & SMART: A CHILDREN'S PROGRAM-SHELBY -

Mon., August 14, 1:30 PM

"Mr. Yuck Means No: A Poison Control Program"

Mon., August 21, 1:30 PM

"Good Touch, Bad Touch" - adapted from "Project Charlie's Safe Program".

Offered by Sharon Kozub, R. N. of the Lake County Health Department

TO PRE-REGISTER FOR PROGRAMS CALL:

LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY 696-7704

SHELBY BRANCH LIBRARY 552-0809

SCHNEIDER BRANCH LIBRARY 552-1000



FREE CHILDHOOD IMMUNIZATIONS

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

CEDAR LAKE CEDAR LAKE CLINIC

13963 MORSE ST.

Thurs., August 3

9 AM - 2 PM

A FREE SERVICE OF ST. ANTHONY MEDICAL CENTER.

LOWELL OAK HILL SCHOOL

Mon., August 14

9 AM - 2 PM

OFFERED BY THE LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

LOWELL LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY

Thurs., August 17

9 AM - 3 PM

OFFERED BY THE LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

SCHNEIDER SCHNEIDER BRANCH LIBRARY

Thursday, August 17

12 Noon - 6 PM

A FREE SERVICE OF ST. ANTHONY MEDICAL CENTER.

SHELBY SHELBY BRANCH LIBRARY

Mon., August 26


9:30 AM - 11:30 PM

OFFERED BY THE LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT



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FOR "UNDER THE BIG TOP"
SUMMER READING CLUB MEMBERS

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BEAN BAG TOSS, FACE PAINTING, POPCORN
AND KOOL-AID!!!



LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY -


WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9 AT 1:30 PM

SHELBY BRANCH LIBRARY -

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10 AT 10:30 AM

SCNEIDER BRANCH LIBRARY -


TUESDAY, AUGUST 8 AT 10:30 AM



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Saturday, Aug. 5

Last day to enter your books on your
Summer Reading record sheet!!!!



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COOL OFF WITH A GOOD BOOK!



YOUNG ADULT VOLUNTEERS HELP SUMMER CLUB READERS

Over 800 young members are enrolled in the library's "Under the Big Top" Summer Reading Club Program. This year, Children's Programmer, Miss Chris is getting some special help from the libraries YA (Young Adult Volunteers.) Organized by the library's Special Services Assistant Maureen Birkett, the YA volunteers help in the Children's Room by registering new Reading Club members, assisting members to record the books they have read in their Reading Booklets, handing out treats and prizes, and assisting Miss Chris at craft programs.

Our thanks to volunteers Nikki St. Clair, Amanda Clark Jeanne Zieseniss, Chad Early, Mary Lain, Sarah Early, Eric Johnson, Ann Sejda, Karen Nagel, Jacqueline Vaandrager, Jenny Plant, Vicki Weeks, Tyne Adair, and Tiffany Adair.

LIBRARY FRIENDS DONATE CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Over \$700 in hardback and paperback books has been donated to the Children's Collection of the library and its branches by the Friends of the Library. The books were purchased with proceeds from the Friends annual Children's Paperback Booksale held in June and chaired by Friends member Mary Stuart.



GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE

Friends of the Library President Brian Mathias announced the Friends of the Library's annual Red Cross Blood Drive, to be held at the library on Monday, August 28, from 3 PM to 7 PM. Call 1-800 589-7574 or 1-800 GIVE LIFE to schedule an appointment for your donation at the Friends' Blood Drive. Your gift of this precious resource will be greatly appreciated.