



Library Closed Monday, September 2

Lowell Public Library
1505 East Commercial
Lowell, IN 46356
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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 -1 PM & 5-7 PM
Tues.-Thurs. 10 AM - 1 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 10 AM - 1 PM

School Year Hours

Mon.-Thurs. 4-7 PM
Fri. CLOSED
Sat. 9 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

School Year Hours

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

Lowell Library Lines

Events and Happenings September 2019

Summer Reading Successes

At the end of the eight week *Explore New Worlds READ!* Summer Reading Club program, the numbers were tallied and showed that 638 children at the Lowell library and its Shelby and Schneider branches read 27,490 books and 35,585 chapters. Of course, it wasn't all reading. The children had a lot of fun with trips to the treasure box and attending the weekly craft programs, the mini-carnival and the reptile show!

Young Adults had an equally impressive participation - 35 readers of 337 books! The top winners of gift cards were: Peter Kotlin(\$50), Jaxson Peak (\$40), Hudson Van Deursen (\$30), and Hannah Frump (\$20).

Our adult patrons entered the name of each book they read. There were 603 entry slips. Geri Richlik and Helen Joseph each won a Kindle Fire tablet, while Sandra Adams and Ginger Anderson each won a set of 4 Brookfield Zoo tickets. Congratulations to all of our prize winners and all of our summer readers!

And again, we would like to thank all of our donors and volunteers that help make all of our summer reading programs possible.

Antique Appraisals

Come to our "Antiques Roadshow" at the Lowell Public Library, Saturday, October 26 at 1 PM. Professional appraiser Rex Newell of Rex's Antiques will discuss current trends in the antique market and offer a suggested value of your antiques. The first 40 registrants to sign up will have one handheld item appraised.

Find out if the things handed down through your family are as valuable as you think they are. Who knows? You may even discover that the dish you purchased at your neighborhood yard sale is worth a fortune!

Tickets for appraisals will be available starting Tuesday, September 3 at the circulation desk. Cost is \$10.00 per ticket, non-refundable. (One ticket/item per person). Only 40 tickets will be sold. Please NO firearms, Native American, or Oriental items. Registration is not required for spectators.

Friends of the Library Meet and Greet

Wednesday, September 18, 6-7 PM

Meet Friends members, enjoy refreshments and learn what they do to help support the library. RSVP or just swing by.

All are welcome to stay and attend the Friends meeting afterwards at 7 PM.

Adult Programs and Events - Lowell

Free Computer Classes

Mobile Mondays for Beginners at 11 AM.

Bring your mobile device— smart phone, tablets, iPad, or Kindles. Learn about our streaming services - Overdrive, Freegal and Hoopla.

Technology Thursdays at 11 AM.

Not a beginner but want to learn new skills?

Bring your own device or use one of our computers. Pre-registration is required for all of our computer classes.

Adult Coloring

Tuesday, September 3 and 17, 10 AM.

Join in on the fun! Coloring helps us de-stress and simulates brain areas related to motor skills. All supplies will be provided or you may bring your own.

Library Quilters Meet

Monday, Sept. 9, 16, 23 and 30, 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.

Knit & Crochet Group Meets

Every Thursday in September, 9:30 AM-12 PM.

Meet up to knit and crochet, share patterns and tips. No sign-ups required.

Senior Social

Thursday, September 5, 11 AM.

Come to the library for snacks and a movie. Call the Lowell Parks Department at 696-1570 to pre-register.

Stamping and Card Making

Thursday, September 5, 5:30 PM.

Make homemade cards. Bring scissors. A \$5.00 fee will cover all other materials. Pre-register.

Adult Book Discussion

Monday, September 9, 1-3 PM.

Read, then meet to discuss *The Pilot's Wife* written by Anita Shreve.

Sewing

Tuesday, September 10 and 24, 10 AM.

Let's get together and sew! Bring your machine and what you are working on.

Library Board Meets

Monday, September 16, 7 PM.

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

Blood Pressure/Glucose Testing

Wednesday, September 18, 9-10AM.

Free blood pressure and glucose screenings are offered by Clinical Management Services of Demotte.

Poetry Group

Saturday, September 21, 10 AM-12 PM.

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



Friends of the Library \$2.00 Bag Book Sale

Saturday, September 28, 9 AM-4:30 PM.

Get some great bargains on the last Saturday of each month—only \$2.00 a bag! Bring your own bag or purchase one of our reusable *Love Lowell Library* tote bags.

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!

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 card! 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.

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

Craft Night

Thursday, September 5, 5-7 PM.

Create a unique work of art. Will it be a painting, sculpture, or something made with beads? Come to craft night to find out!

Movie Night

Thursday, September 12, 5-7 PM.

Watch a movie. Free popcorn. The group in attendance will decide which movie to watch. All movies are rated G to PG-13.

Bingo

Thursday, September 19, 5-7 PM.

Play bingo with friends and win some fun prizes.

Quesadillas

Thursday, September 26, 5-7 PM.

Eat some yummy quesadillas and play some board games.

*We meet most Thursdays at 5 PM for crafts, book discussions, movies and more.
All Young Adults in grades 6-12 are welcome to attend!*

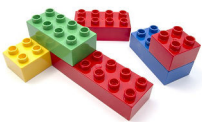
Just for Kids - Lowell



Toddler Time is a 4-week program for 2 and 3 year olds. Children will enjoy crafts, stories, songs and/or group activities. The program is offered at 10 AM on Tuesdays (September 3-24) and Wednesdays (September 4-25). Parents must stay with the child during the program. Each session is limited to 12 children and lasts approximately 30 minutes. There is no charge for Toddler Time, but you must pre-register.



Craft Corner will be held on Thursday, September 12. Enjoy the story "Caterpillar", written by a local preschool teacher. Turn a caterpillar clothespin into a coffee filter butterfly craft. You will also be able to take a copy of the book home with you! Program times are 10 AM & 3:30 PM. This FREE program is for children from birth through the fifth grade. Preschool age and younger children must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-register for either the 10 AM or the 3:30 PM session.



LEGO® Club will meet on Saturday, September 14, 10 AM-12 PM. We will supply the LEGO® bricks and you bring your imagination! Come and build something amazing! The possibilities are endless! Children preschool age through the fifth grade are welcome to attend. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. You do not have to sign up!



Book Walks are fun! Move around the room to catchy tunes and have a chance to win books for your home library on Thursday, September 19 at 10 AM or 3:30 PM. The Book Walk is for children from birth through the fifth grade. Children preschool age and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-register.

At the Branches...

Shelby Adults

Over 18 Game Day

Monday, September 9, 3 PM.

Bring a board, card, or dice game to play.

Adult Book Discussion

Thursday, September 19, 4-5 PM.

Read, then meet to discuss *The Cuckoo's Calling* by Robert Galbraith.

Crazy Bingo for Seniors

Monday, September 23, 3:30-4:30 PM.

Seniors play bingo for a chance to win a gift card!

Shelby Teens

Craft Night

Wednesday, September 4, 4-6 PM.

Create a unique work of art. Will it be a painting sculpture or something made with beads? Come to craft night to find out!

Movie Night

Wednesday, September 11, 4-6 PM.

Watch a movie. Free popcorn. The group in attendance will decide which movie to watch. All movies are rated G to PG-13.

Bingo

Wednesday, September 18, 4-6 PM.

Play bingo with friends and win some fun prizes.

Pancakes

Wednesday, September 25, 4-6 PM.

Eat some yummy pancakes and play some board games.

Shelby Children

Apple Craft

Tuesday, September 3, 4 PM.

Make apple cores using paper tubes.

Bingo

Tuesday, September 10, 4 PM

Play bingo to win candy!

Butterfly Craft with Miss Jackie

Tuesday, September 17, 4 PM.

Hear a caterpillar story and create your butterfly.

Corn Craft

Tuesday, September 24, 4 PM.

Create your corn artwork using bubble wrap.

Schneider Adults

All Day Scrapbooking For Adults

Saturday, September 14, 10 AM—10 PM.

Join our twelve hour crop. Call for details.

Chalk Couture

Wednesday, September 18, 6 PM.

Create fall themed chalk projects. Call for details.

Bunco

Thursday, September 26, 6 PM.

Play bunco for prizes.

Schneider Teens

Giant Yahtzee® Games

Wednesday, September 4, 4-6 PM.

Play this fun outdoor dice game.

Candles

Wednesday, September 11, 4-6 PM.

Make fall themed candles using mason and baby food jars.

Bean Bags/Glass Painting

Wednesday, September 18, 4-6 PM.

Create designs on glass and then play a few games of bean bags.

Scavenger Hunt

Wednesday, September 25, 4-6 PM.

Hunt for objects on the hill!

Schneider Children

Bookmarks

Tuesday, September 3, 4 PM.

Make glitter bracelets and bookmarks.

Bingo

Tuesday, September 10, 4 PM.

Play bingo for fun prizes.

Craft

Tuesday, September 17, 4 PM.

Make a glow-in-the-dark Tic Tac Toe game.

Butterfly Craft with Miss Jackie

Tuesday, September 24, 4 PM.

Hear a caterpillar story and create your butterfly.

New Fiction Books:

Chances Are... - Russo, Richard
Fleishman is in Trouble - Brodesser-Akner, Taffy
Game of Snipers - Hunter, Stephen
The Golden Hour - Williams, Beatriz
Hateful Things - Goodkind, Terry
How the Light Gets In - Upperman, Katy
The Lager Queen of Minnesota - Stradal, J. Ryan
Life and Other Inconveniences - Higgins, Kristan
Love and Death Among the Cheetahs - Bowen, Rys
Never Have I Ever - Jackson, Joshilyn
One Good Deed - Baldacci, David
The Russia Account - Coonts, Stephen
The Seekers - Graham, Heather
You've Been Volunteered - Gelman, Laurie

New Mystery Books:

The Chelsea Girls - Davis, Fiona
A Dangerous Man - Crais, Robert
The Escape Room - Goldin, Megan
Girls Like Us - Alger, Cristina
The Inn - Patterson, James
Labyrinth - Coulter, Catherine
The Last House Guest - Miranda, Megan
Magic for Liars - Gailey, Sarah
The Perfect Wife - Delaney, JP
The Second-Worst Restaurant - McCall Smith, Alexander
Wanderers - Wendig, Chuck
Whisper Network - Baker, Chandler

New Non-Fiction Books:

Baseball Card Price Guide 2019
The Big Book of Classic Fantasy
Bleeding Out - Abt, Thomas
Churches and Churchyards of England - Hayman, Richard
A Dog Named Beautiful - Kugler, Rob
The Essential Vegan Keto Cookbook
The Home Edit - Shearer, Clea
The Ice at the End of the World - Gertner, Jon
Impressions of Love (Indiana) - LaFrance, Robert Gene
Justice on Trial - Hemingway, Mollie Ziegler
The Keto for One Cookbook - Carpender, Dana
The Last Pirate of New York - Cohen, Rich
The League of Wives - Lee, Heath Hardage
The Liberation of Paris - Smith, Jean Edward
Love Thy Neighbor - Virji, Ayaz
Martha Stewart's Grilling
Our History is the Future - Estes, Nick
Places and Names
Pruning Simplified - Bradley, Steve
Spying on the South - Horwitz, Tony
Target Funding - Ough, Kedma

New Biography:

Dutch Girl: Audrey Hepburn - Matzen, Robert

New on DVD:

Alita, Battle Angel

Breakthrough

Finding Home: Indiana at 200

Fight Club

Gotham Season 5

Hellboy

I am the Night

The Intruder

Long Shot

Pet Sematary

The Public

Rocky 1-5

Shazam!

Teen Spirit

New on DVD for Children:

Missing Link

Ugly Dolls

When Popeye Ruled the World



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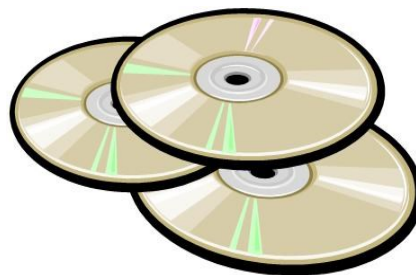
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