



BUSINESS IS BIG AT LOWELL LIBRARY

The library is currently planning a series of business seminars covering such topics as advertising, doing business from your home, successful business secrets, keeping and motivating employees, security, and new government regulations. Surveys were distributed to area business people to assess interest and preference for time.

Look for more news about the business programs in future newsletters. Anyone wishing to fill in a survey can inquire at the main desk of the Lowell library.

SEPTEMBER IS LITERACY MONTH

September is National Literacy Month and the adult-tutor reading program is gaining new participants each month. The library currently has 10 students working on a weekly basis covering the areas of phonics, sight words, and comprehension. Anyone desiring to be a tutor or needing to improve reading skills should call the Lowell library at 696-7704 for more details.

THANKS! THANKS! THANKS!

A special thank you goes to those generous volunteers who took training and give time to help overcome the problem of illiteracy in our country. The program could not be a success without your talent.

WINTER HOURS SCHEDULE

Lowell Library

Mon. thru Thurs.
9 AM to 8 PM
Fri. and Sat.
9 AM to 5 PM

Schneider Library

Mon. 1-3, 4-7 PM
Tues. Wed. Thurs. 4-7 PM
Friday- Closed
Sat. 10 AM - 1 PM

Shelby Library

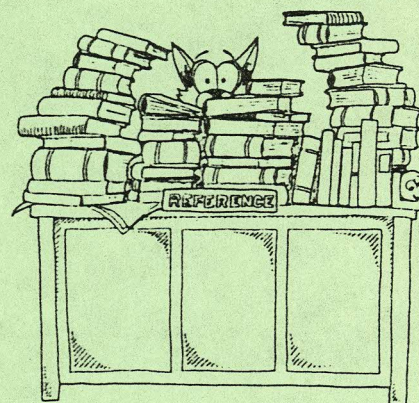
Mon. 12 noon-2 PM, 4-7 PM
Tues. Wed. Thurs. 4-7 PM
Friday-Closed
Sat. 10 AM - 1 PM

Behind The Scenes

CONGRATULATIONS! to Childrens Librarian, Melissa Makarowski on becoming a "Mom". Melissa delivered a baby boy, Nicholas, on August 24th. Mom and son doing fine. "Welcome to the world, Nicholas".

Chris Straka will be filling in for Melissa Makarowski, Childrens Librarian while she's on leave. Chris will have story hour and craft programs.

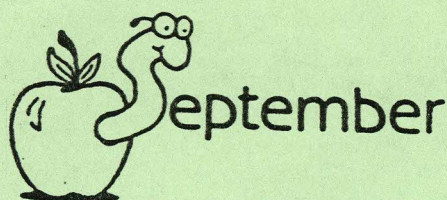
Welcome back to Barbara Berkey! Barb will be doing reference work evenings and Saturdays.



The Schneider and Shelby Branches will be changing to winter hours as of August 29. Check the schedule for the branch near you.

Lowell Public Library

250 North Fremont Street
Lowell, Indiana 46356-1899
219-696-7704



SEPTEMBER SCHEDULE

Lowell Library 696-7704

Labor Day- Closed Sept. 5

The Friends group will sponsor a "float" in the Labor Day Parade. The parade travels through downtown Lowell on Commercial Ave.

Library Board to Meet

Wed. Sept. 7, 7:30 PM

The Board meets to adopt the budget.

Blood Pressure and Diabetes

Thurs. Sept 8, 10 AM to 12 noon
1 to 3 PM

Free testing for all ages by the Lake County Health Dept. No pre-registration.

Pre-school Craft

Thurs. Sept. 8 at 10:30 AM

Children will make 3-dimensional muffin cup flowers. Pre-register. No charge and an adult must accompany each child.

School-age Craft

Thurs. Sept. 15 at 3:30 PM

"Daryl Dog", a paper bag puppet to hold notes will be made. No charge. Pre-registration is required.

Story Time-Children

Tues. Sept. 20 at 1:30 PM

Wed. Sept. 21 at 10 AM and 1:30 PM

Fall story hour starts for six weeks. Call the library at 696-7704 to sign up for this regular favorite.

Friends Meeting

Mon. Sept 19 at 7:00 PM

The Friends group will meet in the community room.

Shelby Library 552-0809

School-age Craft

Tues. Sept 13, 4:00 PM

Children will make "Daryl Dog" paper bag puppets. Pre-register by calling the branch at 552-1000. Free.

Pre-school Craft

Thurs. Sept. 29, 10:30 AM

Muffin cup flowers in 3-D will be made by children. Pre-register. No charge and an adult must accompany to help.

Story Time-Children

Mon. Sept. 19 at 12:30 afternoon

Children ages 3 to 5 will enjoy stories, finger plays, and records for this six week program. No charge. Pre-register.

Schneider Library 552-1000

School-age Craft

Mon. Sept. 19, 4:00 PM

Children will make "Daryl Dog" paper bag puppets. Pre-register. Free.

Pre-school Craft

Thurs. Sept. 22, 10:30 AM

Muffin cup flower pictures in 3-D will be made by children. Parent or adult must accompany to help. Free. Pre-register.

Story Time-Children

Mon. Sept. 19 at 2:00 PM

Children ages 3 to 5 will enjoy stories, records, and finger plays for this six week program. Pre-register. No charge



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