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LIBRARY NEWS

TIPPECANOE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Laser Shows

Thurs., December 27 | 10:30 a.m. & 3 p.m. | Downtown
Fri., December 28 | 3 p.m. | Klondike
Mon., December 17: Tickets @ Locations

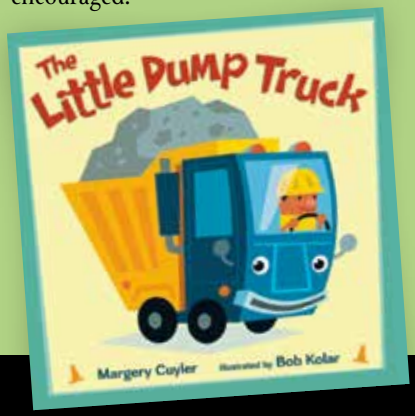
Come in from the cold for a dazzling laser show. This family-oriented program combines laser animations with a musical soundtrack. LaserShow 101 uses the latest technologies and full-color projection for powerful beam effects.

Author Margery Cuyler

Thurs., November 8 | 6:30 p.m.
Downtown

Book Sale & Signing

Margery Cuyler is the author of nearly 50 books, including *Hooray for Reading Day* and *The Little Dump Truck.* Her book, *That's Good! That's Bad!* was inspired by her son, who asked, "Can't bad things change into good things?" Cuyler began her career as an editor, then decided to take up the challenge of writing. Join us and learn about both sides of the publishing world. Audience questions are encouraged.



Winter Craft Drop-Ins:

Ornaments & Decorations

Sun., December 2 | 1-3 p.m. | Downtown

Popsicle Stick Decorations

Thurs., December 13 | 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Wyandotte

Take a break from the holiday hustle and bustle. Make something fun and festive. Great for grandparents, grandkids, and all ages. Supplies provided.

Friends Holiday Sale

Browse thousands of nearly new and gift-quality books, movies, music, games, and puzzles for all ages. Enjoy special holiday items and collectibles.

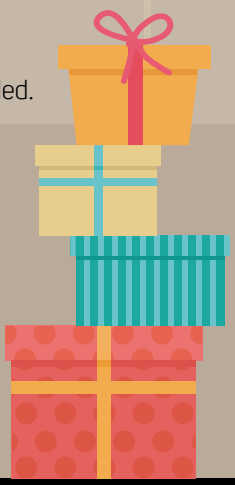
Fri., December 7 | 7:30-9:30 p.m.
Members only night.

Sat., December 8
9 a.m.-6 p.m.

SALE

Sun., December 9
1-6 p.m. | All items half price

Mon., December 10
9 a.m.-3 p.m.
$3 a bag. Bags provided.



2019 Friends Book Sale Dates

March 2-4
June 7-10
September 13-16
December 13-16

November

Sunday Special Program

Family Game Time

Sun., November 4
2-4 p.m. | Klondike

Celebrate International Game Week with games families can play together. Enjoy board games, card games, and 1-2 Switch on our Nintendo Switch.™ Drop in and stay awhile!

Fairy Tale Fluxx

Tues., November 6 | 4 p.m. | Wyandotte

Enjoy a round or two of Fairy Tale Fluxx. In this card game, the rules are constantly changing and fun is just a flip away. Ages 10 & up.

Author Margery Cuyler

Thursday, November 8 | 6:30 p.m.
Downtown

Book Sale & Signing

For details see the cover story.

Family Engineering Day

Sat., November 10 | Downtown

Drop-In Exhibits: 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

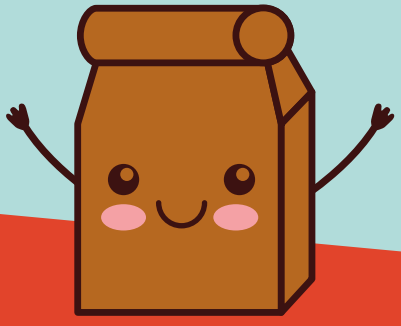
Select A Session: 10 a.m. or 12 p.m.

Purdue University's Women in Engineering return with more engineering challenges for all ages. Drop-in visitors may enjoy interactive exhibits. Families looking for a challenge may choose a hands-on session.

Lunch & Movie: *Kung Fu Panda*

Sat., November 10 | 12 p.m. | Klondike

Bring a blanket and your lunch. We'll supply the space and movie! After rocketing himself into an arena full of Kung Fu warriors, Po is proclaimed the Dragon Warrior. Will Po survive training by the Furious Five and conquer the evil Tai Lung (2008, 1hr 35min)?



Kids HangOut

Wed., November 14 | 3:30-5 p.m.
Wyandotte

Hang out. Play the library's Nintendo Switch.™ Challenge a friend to a board game. Do a craft. Ages 7 & up.

Lego STEAM After-School

Thurs., November 15 & December 20
3:30-5 p.m. | Klondike

Drop in for an afternoon of building & fun! Use your imagination or one of our design sheets. Best for grades K-8.

Family CityBus Tour

Tues., November 20 | 10:15 a.m.
Klondike

Register Monday, November 12
Call 463-5893.

Enjoy stories at the library, then board a CityBus. Explore the CityBus garage, bus wash, and transfer terminal. As the bus heads back to the library, view historic and new sights on the Purdue campus. Great for families of all ages.

Let's Go! *Pokémon*

Wed., November 28 | 3:30-5 p.m.
Klondike

Bring your Gameboys to challenge our staff in battles. Trade and exchange friend codes in *Pokémon GO*. Play Pokkén on our *Nintendo Switch* game. Go on a *Pokémon* Picture Safari. Join kids and teens. Drop in!

Emergency Stories To The Rescue

Thurs., November 29 | 10:30 a.m.
Downtown

Meet a Lafayette Police Department officer and canine cohort. Hear stories about police officers, firefighters, and doctors. Learn about public safety!

December

Lunch & Movie: *Home Alone*

Sat., December 1 | 12 p.m. | Klondike

The holidays are fast approaching. Get ready by joining us in watching *Home Alone* (1990, 103 min). Bring a blanket, snack, or your lunch. We'll supply the space and the movie!

Winter Craft Drop-Ins:

Sun., December 2 | 1-3 p.m. | Downtown

Thurs., December 13 | 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Wyandotte

See cover for details.

Totally Untidy Toddlers

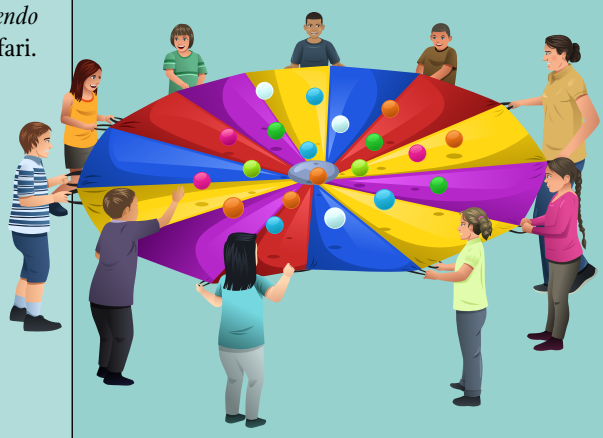
Thurs., December 6 | 10:30 a.m.
Downtown

Families are invited to join us in messy, mushy, squishy sensory play! Please wear old clothes you don't mind getting messy.

Parachute Playtime

Tues., December 10 | 10:15 a.m.
Klondike

Join us for parachute songs, rhymes and games. Best for ages 2-5. Siblings are welcome.



Storytimes

NOTE: Fall Weekday Storytimes end Friday, November 30. Winter Weekday Storytimes start Tuesday, January 8.

Fireside Tales
Fridays, December 7, 14 & 21
11 a.m. | Wyandotte

Bring a blanket, snuggle up, and listen to stories by the fireplace. All ages.

Holiday Special Storytime
Tues., December 18 | 4:30 p.m.
Downtown

The holidays are here. A chill is in the air. Join us for favorite stories and a simple take home craft. All ages.

Laser Show
Thurs., December 27
10:30 a.m. & 3 p.m. | Downtown
Fri., December 28 | 3 p.m. | Klondike

See cover for details.

November • Downtown

Lapsit
Newborn-24 Months
Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays
9:30 a.m.

Toddler Time
2-3 ½ Years
Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays
10:15 a.m.

Preschool Storytime
3 ½-6 Years
Tuesdays, Wednesdays | 11 a.m.

Evening Nursery Rhyme Time
Newborn-3 Years | Tuesdays | 6:30 p.m.

Stories Under the Sculpture
Saturdays, November 3-24 | 10:30 a.m.

All ages! Come and enjoy new titles and old favorites! See the Heartland Odyssey sculpture.

Klondike & Wyandotte

Family Storytime
Wednesdays, November 7-28
10:15 & 11:15 a.m. | Klondike
Thursdays, November 4-25
6:30 p.m. | Wyandotte
Fridays, November 5-26
11 a.m. | Wyandott

Join us for stories, songs, and rhymes. Fun for all ages.

Mother Goose Time
Mon., November 12 | 10:15 a.m. | Klondike
Mon., November 19 | 11 a.m. | Wyandotte

December • Downtown

Stories Under The Sculpture
Wednesdays, December 5-26 | 10:30 a.m.
Saturdays, December 1-29 | 10:30 a.m.

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GRADES 6–12

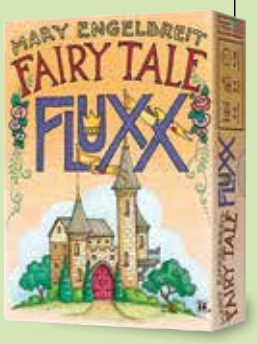
November

Game Night: Open Play
Tues., November 6 & December 4
5:30-7 p.m. | Klondike

Drop in and game with us. Enjoy our multiplayer video and board games. Bring your own to share. We're game to try new things.

Fairy Tale Fluxx
Tues., November 6 | 4 p.m.
Wyandotte

Enjoy a round or two. The rules for this card game are constantly changing. The fun is just a flip away. Ages 10 & up.



Popcorn & Painting
Sat., November 17 | 2 p.m. | Downtown

Crunch on popcorn while painting. Get inspired by favorite books, quotes, song lyrics, and fan art. Canvases and paint provided.

Game Night: *Dungeons & Dragons*
Tues., November 20 | 5:30-7 p.m.
Klondike

Adventure together, travel to familiar places, or forge new paths. Play *Dungeons & Dragons* with us, your friends, or players who are new to you. Never played? Don't worry. We'll teach you.

Teen Anime & Manga
Tues., November 27 & December 18
5:30-7 p.m. | Klondike

Hang out with us. Choose anime shows to watch. Practice drawing manga. We'll provide supplies for you.

Escape The Room
Thurs., January 3 | 5-7 p.m.
Fri., January 4 | 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Sat., January 5 | 10 a.m.-12 p.m.
Downtown

December

Teen Cards *Magic: The Gathering*
Tues., December 11 | 5:30-7 p.m.
Klondike

Magic is a trading card and a digital collectible card game. Games start with two or more players. Beginners may learn here. Experienced players can meet up and play. If you have cards, bring them! *Magic* is random, friendly, and fun!

November

1 **Nano-NaNoWriMo Kickoff**
Klondike | 5:30 p.m.

3 **Helen M. Gougar: Women's Suffrage**
Downtown | 2 p.m.

4 **Family Game Time**
Klondike | 2-4 p.m.

6 **Fairy Tale Fluxx** | Wyandotte | 4 p.m.

6 **Teen Game Night: Open Play**
Klondike | 5:30-7 p.m.

7 **Adults | Introduction: Dungeons & Dragons** | Klondike | 6 p.m.

8 **Author Margery Cuyler**
Downtown | 6:30 p.m.

10 **Family Engineering Day**
Downtown | 10 a.m.–1 p.m.

10 **Lunch & Movie: *Kung Fu Panda***
Klondike | 12 p.m.

10 **Cookbook Exchange**
Downtown | 1-3 p.m.

13 **Family Tree 101**
Downtown | 6:30 p.m.

14 **Kids HangOut**
Wyandotte | 3:30-5 p.m.

15 **Lego STEAM After-School**
Klondike | 3:30–5 p.m.

15 **Underground Railroad In Indiana**
Downtown | 6 p.m.

20 **Teens | Dungeons & Dragons**
Klondike | 5:30-7 p.m.

20 **Family CityBus Tour**
Klondike | 10:15 a.m.

27 **Teen Anime & Manga**
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28 **Let's Go! Pokémon**
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29 **Emergency Stories To The Rescue**
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December

1 **Lunch & Movie: *Home Alone***
Klondike | 12 p.m.

2 **Winter Craft Drop-in**
Downtown | 1-3 p.m.

4 **Teen Game Night | Open Play**
Klondike | 5:30-7 p.m.

6 **Totally Untidy Toddlers**
Downtown | 10:30 a.m.

7 **Fireside Tales** | Wyandotte | 11 a.m

10 **Parachute Playtime**
Klondike | 10:15 a.m.

11 **Teen Cards | *Magic: The Gathering***
Klondike | 5:30-7 p.m.

13 **Winter Craft Drop-in**
Wyandotte | 5:30-7:30 p.m.

14 **Fireside Tales** | Wyandotte | 11 a.m.

18 **Holiday Special Storytime**
Downtown | 4:30 p.m.

18 **Teen Anime & Manga Club**
Klondike | 5:30-7 p.m.

20 **Lego STEAM After-School**
Klondike | 3:30–5 p.m.

21 **Fireside Tales** | Wyandotte | 11 a.m.

27 **Laser Show**
Downtown | 10:30 a.m. & 3 p.m.

28 **Laser Show** | Klondike | 3 p.m.

Library Schedule

Open Holidays:
November 6, Election Day
November 12, Veterans Day
Friday, November 23

Closed Days:
November 22, Thanksgiving
December 24, 25 & 31
January 1

Board of Trustees Meetings

Tues., November 7
Tues., December 5
7 p.m. | Downtown

TCPL Mobile Library

Pick up a 2019 January-May Schedule at any TCPL library. Questions? Visit www.tcpl.lib.in.us/mobile-library or call 429-0169.

Sneak Peek January

2 & 5 Stories Under The Sculpture
Downtown | 10:30 a.m.

3 Escape The Room
Downtown | 5-7 p.m.

4 Escape The Room
Downtown | 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

4 Lunch & Move: Horton Hears A Who
Wyandotte | 12 p.m.

5 Escape The Room
Downtown | 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Director's Notes

Recently, a previous TCPL Board member visited the Downtown Library. We enjoyed a casual conversation, and I introduced the Board member to a Purdue professor who was also here. The ex-Board member said of me, "He works too hard." The Purdue professor nodded in agreement. I appreciated what I considered a positive comment. After all, it is my job to work hard, and I take pride in doing so.

However, I realized this was the second time in two weeks I was hearing this statement. It was two different people, and neither person was someone I interact with on a weekly basis. Having heard such statements at other times, I began to wonder how people reach this conclusion?

My only guess is somehow folks I interact with know I rarely take lengthy time away from work. I admit I am at work most days including a couple of hours most holidays. Because I rarely leave my office at 5 p.m., and I like to read work-related documents at home early morning, my wife calls me a "workaholic." I have several evening meetings during the month. Since some are outside the library, people often see me in work mode when I am out of my office. So, do I work too hard?

Once or twice a quarter, maybe so. Otherwise, I don't really think so. As I often say to TCPL staff, "there is a lot going on." With so many ongoing tasks plus day-to-day operations needs, there are several key projects that require consistent attention. So I find myself trying to juggle projects which take time and energy.

Some of you may know, I actually juggle balls and small objects. But business juggling is often more difficult than physical juggling. To give you an idea, consider the following current activities:

- Renovating the Red-Crown Mini-Museum
- Establishing a 24-Hour library service
- Issuing bonds for the South Branch library
- Interacting with architects, civil engineers, and construction managers about the new branch
- Hiring for two newly-created Divisional Librarian positions
- Transitioning to a new integrated library system
- Liaising with the TCPL Foundation
- Overseeing the Foundation's annual appeal

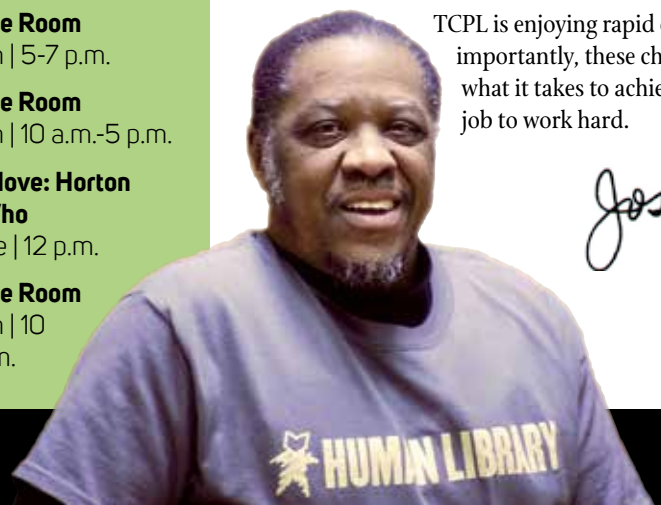
As you can see, there is a lot happening here. It's not a long list, but each deserves my attention. Fortunately, I am not doing it all myself. Other TCPL staff are also committed to these activities. Still, juggling these projects requires me to reprioritize my work on an almost daily basis.

We must keep these things moving forward, and doing that requires hard work. Actually, I prefer it that way. I like hard work. More so, I like the satisfaction this work brings and the concrete and tangible changes we are accomplishing.

Juggling many projects may mean I occasionally drop something. Hopefully, nothing dropped is permanently broken. When juggling physical objects, you pick up dropped items and keep going. The same is true in business.

TCPL is enjoying rapid changes. These changes are good for the organization. More importantly, these changes are good for library customers and supporters. If this is what it takes to achieve the needed changes, I will continue to do so. After all, it is my job to work hard.

Jos N. Holman



TCPL South Branch: Fast Facts

Q What is the "south branch?"

A "South Branch" is the construction name for the new branch library to be built south of Veterans Memorial Parkway.

Q What about the land needed?

A Earlier this year, the TCPL Board of Trustees purchased 10 acres of undeveloped land in Wea Township.

Q What else is in the neighborhood?

A Wea Ridge Elementary (1333 E 430 S) and Wea Ridge Middle Schools (4410 S 150 E) are right across the road.

Q What will it look like?

A It will be a cozy, neighborhood library. The brick building will be very similar to the design used for the Klondike and Wyandotte Branch Libraries.

Q What features can we expect?

A The interior will include cozy seating and reading areas, study rooms, both youth and adult areas, digital arts capabilities, also generous public meeting spaces for nonprofit organizations. The exterior will feature open space for possible outdoor activities, professional landscaping, and off-street parking.

Q What can we check out there?

A We'll have more information and details to share in the months ahead, but count on finding fun, entertaining, and informative materials to check out. You may download over 70,000 bestselling e-books, audiobooks, movies, TV shows, music, and magazines. As in all TCPL locations you can enjoy free Wi-fi, Express Internet stations, and access to our system-wide collection of over 325,000 items.

Q When is opening day?

A It's too soon to say! We'll share news and photographs at www.tcpl.lib.in.us, on TCPL social media, and in future editions of this newsletter.

2018 Annual Appeal

Once a year, the TCPL Foundation sends a letter in thanks for gifts to the library. Why not a text message or a quick e-mail? Perhaps because library donors know it takes more than 144 characters to explain the benefits of a 21st century library!

Thousands of people check out print books and "physical" resources. Increasing numbers of readers also enjoy free downloadables. (Our collection includes over 70,000 e-books, audiobooks, magazines, movies, and music). At TCPL, all forms of reading, writing, and research are encouraged and supported.

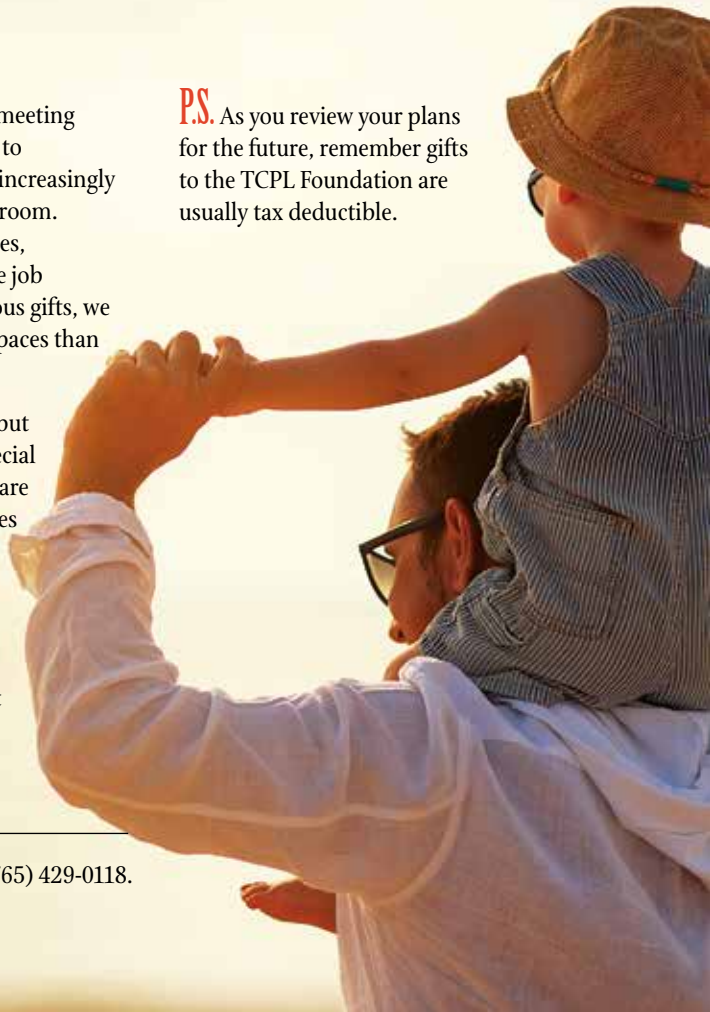
Thanks in part to your gifts, customers enjoy a variety of digital technologies. We research and purchase technologies many people may not otherwise be able to afford. In addition to on-site devices, we offer portable Hot Spots to maintain remote access via Wi-Fi or cell networks.

Libraries also provide free public meeting spaces for nonprofits. In addition to larger meeting rooms, people are increasingly reserving a smaller private/study room. They use them for videoconferences, teleconferences, and long-distance job interviews. Thanks to your generous gifts, we now provide more and different spaces than ever before.

Tax dollars cover essential needs, but gifts are used for author visits, special programs, and more. Often these are all-ages adventures and experiences TCPL could not otherwise afford.

The annual appeal is a reminder of what's been accomplished. It also includes ideas and plans for what's to come. If this is your first gift to the library, you can pick up the annual appeal at any TCPL location.

P.S. As you review your plans for the future, remember gifts to the TCPL Foundation are usually tax deductible.



Questions? Visit tcpl.lib.in.us/support-2/ or call County Librarian Jos N. Holman at (765) 429-0118.

Nano-NaNoWriMo Kickoff

Thurs., November 1 | 5:30 p.m.
Klondike

It's the 19th National Novel Writing Month kickoff! Start by writing shorter (nano) stories and essays. Get pointers on time management. Learn the steps required to turn your manuscript into a published book.

Helen M. Gougar: Women's Suffrage

Sat., November 3 | 2 p.m. | Downtown

Lafayette resident, teacher, and newspaper journalist Helen M. Gougar became one of America's first female lawyers. She was the first female to present a case before Indiana's Supreme Court (1897.) Presenter Mary Ann Robinson chairs the Women's Issues Committee/Daughters Of The American Revolution (DAR).

Introduction: *Dungeons & Dragons*

Wed., November 7 | 6 p.m. | Klondike

It's International Games Week. To celebrate we introduce adults to the classic roleplaying game, *Dungeons & Dragons*. Explore the history. Learn the basics. Construct and start your own adventure.

Cookbook Exchange

Sat., November 10 | 1-3 p.m. | Downtown

It's almost Thanksgiving! Drop by and bring a gently used cookbook. Swap your book for a new (to you!) cookbook. At 3 p.m., remaining books are donated to TCPL Friends.

Family Tree 101

Tues., November 13 | 6:30 p.m.
Downtown

The holidays are a perfect time to start your family tree. Learn genealogy basics. Explore library resources. Find out what's available in the community. Take home organizing tips and more.

Underground Railroad In Indiana

Thurs., November 15 | 6 p.m. | Downtown

Jeannie Regan-Dinius, Director of Special Initiatives for the Indiana DNR, talks about Indiana's role and Underground Railroad history. Learn to document and use stories you may uncover.

Winter Craft Drop-Ins:

Sun., December 2 | 1-3 p.m. | Downtown
Thurs., December 13 | 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Wyandotte

See cover for details.

Hearthland Series

Thursdays | 6:30 p.m. | Klondike

November 15: Natalie Diaz is a poet, educator, and activist. *When My Brother Was an Aztec* is her collection of poems about addiction, complicated families, and the challenges of growing up Mojave. *(Editor's note: Diaz appears Thursday, November 29 at 7:30 p.m. in Krannert Auditorium.)*

December 13: The season finale spotlights Kelsey Timmerman and *Where Am I Giving: A Global Adventure Exploring How to Use Your Gifts and Talents to Make a Difference* (2018). Charitable giving and making an impact around the world is our focus.

#Journeys Talk About Your 'Hood!

40-minute Sessions
November & December

To arrange your session, call today. 765-429-0113.

Tell us about your neighborhood. Did you shape it or did it shape you? Just give us 40 minutes to record your unforgettable neighborhood and character-shaping moments. You receive a CD, and we archive a copy. To schedule a session or find out more, call today.

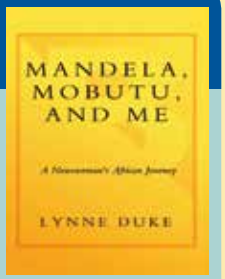
One-To-One Technologies

Sign up for personalized tech help with trained staff. Improve your skills. Experiment! Learn to download e-books and use apps.

Wyandotte | Register: Call 447-4774
Mondays, November 5 & 19 | 2 p.m.
Mondays, December 3 & 17 | 2 p.m.

Downtown | Register: Call 429-0113.
Mondays, November & December | 3 p.m.
Tuesdays, November & December | 3 p.m.
Wednesdays, November & December
10 a.m.
Fridays, November & December | 10 a.m.

Book Groups



Fantasy & Sci-Fi

Second Tuesdays | 6:30 p.m.
Wyandotte

November 13: Kim Harrison, urban fantasy author

December 11: Sarah J. Maas, American fantasy author

Hearthland Series

Thursday | 6:30 p.m. | Klondike
November 15: Natalie Diaz, *When My Brother Was An Aztec*
December 13: Kelsey Timmerman, *Where Am I Giving?*

Eclectic

Third Thursdays | 10 a.m.
Downtown

November 15: Lynne Duke, *Mandela, Mobutu, and Me*

December Break. See you January 17.

Murder By The Book

Fourth Wednesdays | 10:15 a.m. Wyandotte
November 14: Joanne Fluke, Hannah Swensen mysteries

December Break. See you January 23.

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Lafayette, IN 47901
(765) 429-0100

Monday-Thursday | 9 a.m.-8 p.m.
Friday-Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.
Sunday | 1-5 p.m.

Klondike Branch
3062 Lindberg Road
West Lafayette, IN 47906
(765) 463-5893

Monday-Thursday | 10 a.m.-8 p.m.
Friday-Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
Sunday | 1-5 p.m.

Wyandotte Branch
5542 E. 50 S.
Lafayette, IN 47905
(765) 447-4774

Monday-Thursday | 10 a.m.-8 p.m.
Friday-Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
Sunday | 1-5 p.m.

All Libraries Close At 5 p.m. on Sunday

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Stops countywide
(765) 429-0169

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The Olde Curiosity ... Filling Station?

Thanks for your interest in Jonesy's Red Crown Mini-Museum. It's not quite ready to open. But here's some history left by TCPL donor Donald J. Stein.

It was built by Standard Oil Company of Indiana (1927-1928). Originally, it "had one garage bay, mostly pumped Red Crown gasoline, sold Iso-Vis 'D' Quick Start Oil, and sold/repaired Atlas Tires." The walls, inside and out, are specially-glazed Boston-Herron Brick (Attica, IN). Red Ohio Quarry tile trims the roof.

At age 24, Clyde Jones bought the station (1939). "Jonesy" operated it nonstop (minus four years for military service) until late 1979. Under his ownership, over 7,000,000 gallons were pumped. Before its auto services ended, the total was over 10,000,000 gallons.

Mr. Stein's 1991 dedication calls it "The Crown Jewels." His notes indicate, "new red tile was imported from Chillocothe, Ohio, where it had been in storage for over 50 years."

Clearly, this station has been a labor of love. With this renovation, Jonesy's historic service station will open again. This time it provides a 21st century public service!

Bot Or Not? Serve yourself at the new 24-Hour Library!

Save the Date! **Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Celebration** Monday, January 21 | 11 a.m. | Downtown