

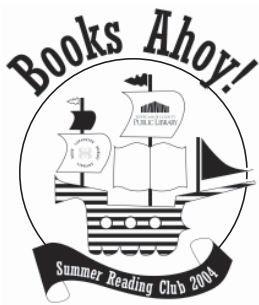
POCKET EDITION

Join Us For Treasure-Packed Reading, Programs

The booty is bountiful this summer when you sign on for our Books Ahoy! Reading Club and summer full of programs.

Prizes For Reading

Prizes await our reading pirates—from popular restaurant coupons to skating passes and retailer gift certificates.



We've booked a summer full of programs, too, from puppets to swashbucklers.

The enclosed Books Ahoy! insert gives you all the details for kids, teens and adults at the downtown library, campus library and the Mobile Library.

Weigh anchor and head for the fun!

New Mobile Library Schedule

The Mobile Library is now on the road until 8 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and it's added three stops: Cambridge Estates, Blackbird Farms and Huntington Farms.

Pick up the new schedule at the downtown or campus library or download it from our website at <http://www.tcpl.lib.in.us/bkm/schedule.html>.

Questions? Call the Outreach Department at 429-0169.

Blimey! What A Pirate's Tale

Step into the true story of a Scottish musician captured by pirates and forced to join them on their adventures. It's the tale of Thomas MacGregor and Mary Read, and it comes to the stage at 2 and 7 p.m., **Thursday, July 8**, at Ivy Hall on the Ivy Tech campus.

Recreated by Tom Scheidt of Centerville, Ohio, the historically authentic program combines music and drama in a realistic, humorous performance suitable for children ages 5 and up.

The performances are free, with tickets available at either the downtown or campus library beginning July 5.



*Who better to hear stories from than a pirate? Head for Ivy Hall, Ivy Tech Campus, for performances at 2 and 7 p.m. **July 8**; free tickets available beginning July 5.*

Libraries Closed July 4, August 11

Both the downtown and campus libraries will be closed on **Sunday, July 4**, for Independence Day, and on **Wednesday, August 11**, for a staff day. The Mobile Library will not operate those days either. The August staff day provides an important training opportunity and builds camaraderie among staff. We appreciate your understanding.

Summertime, Booktime, Funtime



Photo by Angela Brumlett

Angela Bowen, Tippecanoe County Historical Association, speaks **Tuesday, July 13, at 7 p.m.**, downtown library, on lost Lafayette mansions.

Adults will find many reasons to frequently visit the libraries this summer. Here's a sampling. Check out the enclosed Books Ahoy insert for more.

Senior Day Tuesday, June 8, 10 a.m. Downtown library

Dress comfortably, bring a towel and learn a bit about yoga at Senior Day at the Library. Local instructor Jennifer Kelly will give an introduction to yoga and highlight its benefits in increasing flexibility, strength, balance and deep relaxation.

Mats will be provided. The program is free, and registration is not required. The library is wheelchair accessible. Transportation may be available; check on availability through: Area IV, 447-7683; Access, 742-2121; CityBus, 742-7433; or Care-A-Van, 449-1117.

Selling On E-Bay Wednesday, June 16, 7 p.m. Downtown library

Got junk? Turn your unwanted treasures into cash by selling them on E-Bay. This program will offer a brief introduction to using E-Bay and take a closer look at creating your own auctions from start to finish. Learn the basics at this free, staff-presented workshop.

Lost Lafayette Mansions Tuesday, July 13, 7 p.m. Downtown library

Angela Bowen from the Tippecanoe County Historical Association takes us on a trip back in time with a look at "Lost Lafayette: Treasures of Old."

Her free program, illustrated with interesting visuals, focuses on yesteryear's mansions, such as the Earlhurst property, the Reynolds home on Perrin and what was known as the "White House."



Photo courtesy of Tippecanoe County Historical Association

*The glory days are over for this former Lafayette mansion, now only seen in photos. Learn more **Tuesday, July 13, 7 p.m.**, at a downtown library program on Lost Lafayette.*

Protect Yourself from Piracy: Identity Theft and Financial Fraud Thursday, July 15, 6-7:30 p.m. Campus library

How can someone steal your identity? Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, Social Security number, credit card number or other identifying information without your permission to commit fraud or other crimes. People whose identities have been stolen can spend months or years cleaning up the mess thieves have made of their good name and credit record. In the meantime, victims may lose job opportunities, be refused loans, housing or cars, or even get arrested for crimes they didn't commit.

Join Detective Jeff Rooze of the Lafayette Police Department as he explains how identity theft occurs, ways to minimize your risk, and what to do if you become a victim of identity theft.

This program is free and open to the public. Registration is not required.

Orienteering Thursday, July 29, 6 p.m. Campus library

Orienteering is the sport of navigating with map and compass. It's easy to learn, but always challenging. The object is to run, walk, ski or mountain bike to a series of points shown on the map, choosing routes—both on and off trail—that will help you find all the points and get back to the finish in the shortest amount of time.

Adults who love maps, exploring, and the great outdoors, join Kris Ames of Indiana Crossroads Orienteering as she explains how YOU can get started in orienteering.

This program is free and open to the public. Registration is not required.

Book Groups All summer long

Enjoy discussing the books you read at these book groups.

- **Book Clique**
Online discourse; sign up at www.tcpl.lib.in.us.
June: *American Gods*, Neil Gaiman
August: *Da Vinci Code*, Dan Brown
- **Eclectic**
Meets **10 a.m.**, third Thursdays, downtown.
June 17: *Secret Life of Bees*, Sue Kidd
July 15: *Devil in the White City*, Kay Dickson
August 19: *Time Traveler's Wife*, Audrey Niffenegger.
- **Fiction**
Meets **7 p.m.**, first Tuesdays, downtown.
June 1: *House of Sand and Fog*, Andre Dubus
July 6: Call 423-0113 for title
August 3: Call 423-0113 for title.
- **Murder by the Book**
Meets **10 a.m.**, fourth Wednesdays, campus.
June 23: *A Mortal Bane*, local author Roberta Gellis
July 28: Murder with a foreign accent—read a Maigret mystery by Georges Simenon
August 25: British cozies—read one book each from M.C. Beaton's Agatha Raisin series and Hamish MacBeth series.

Calendar

June

- 1 Fiction Book Club, 7 p.m., downtown
Board of Trustees meeting, 7:30 p.m.,
downtown
- 8 Senior Day, 10 a.m., downtown
- 15 Friends Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.,
downtown
- 17 Eclectic Book Club, 10 a.m., downtown
- 23 Murder by the Book Club, 10 a.m.,
campus

July

- 4 Independence Day holiday, downtown
and campus libraries closed; Mobile
Library not operating
- 6 Fiction Book Club, 7 p.m., downtown
Board of Trustees meeting, 7:30 p.m.,
downtown
- 9 Friends Book Sale, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.,
members only; memberships
available at the door, downtown
- 10 Friends Book Sale, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.,
downtown

- 11 Friends Book Sale, 1 to 6 p.m.,
downtown
- 12 Friends Book Sale, 9 a.m. until sold
out, downtown
- 15 Eclectic Book Club, 10 a.m., downtown
- 20 Friends Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.,
downtown
- 28 Murder by the Book Club, 10 a.m.,
campus
- 29 Orienteering, 6 p.m., campus

August

- 3 Fiction Book Club, 7 p.m., downtown
Board of Trustees meeting, 7:30 p.m.,
downtown
- 11 Downtown and campus libraries
closed; Mobile Library not operating;
Library Staff Day
- 17 Friends Board meeting, 7:30 p.m.,
downtown
- 19 Eclectic Book Club, 10 a.m., downtown
- 25 Murder by the Book Club, 10 a.m.,
campus

Book Sale Hosts Uncle Sam, Betsy Ross



Patriotism is the theme as the Friends of the Tippecanoe County Public Library hosts its All-American Book Sale in July at the downtown library.

Uncle Sam and Betsy Ross will be there to greet visitors. A table of specially priced books on American themes will take center stage. And the library will be decorated with flags and bunting.

Dress in your red, white and blue and head for some great buys:

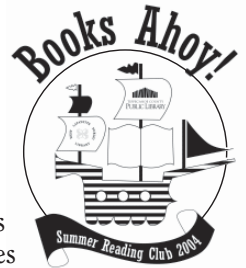
- **Friday, July 9, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.**, Friends members only. Memberships starting at \$10 available at the door, with a barbershop quartet providing entertainment.
- **Saturday, July 10, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.**
- **Sunday, July 11, 1 to 6 p.m.**, all books half-price.
- **Monday, July 12, 9 a.m.** until everything sells, books \$1 a bag. Be sure to tip your hat to book sale chair Adele Needham. You'll find her and other Friends volunteers dressed in red, white and blue. All proceeds benefit the library.

Volunteers Needed

The Library Link program, which serves those who cannot visit the library, needs volunteers to deliver books. For information, call Lisa Lieske, 429-0200.

More Events In Summer Reading Club Insert

The Books Ahoy! Summer Reading Club is loaded with events. Please check this program, inserted in this newsletter, for more events and their dates and times.



We've booked lots of children's storytimes in June and July, all listed in the insert.

In August, we take a break, with no storytimes scheduled. They return in September.

Internet Classes

For information on summer Internet classes and times at the campus library, call 429-0113.

'Forever Free' Exhibit Opens Sept. 1

"Forever Free: Abraham Lincoln's Journey to Emancipation," a national traveling exhibit focusing on Lincoln's quest to restore a Union divided by Civil War, opens at the downtown library **September 1** for six weeks.

Organized by the Huntington Library, San Marino, Calif., and the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, New York City, N.Y., in cooperation with the American Library Association, this free exhibit shows how Lincoln's beliefs about freeing the slaves were transformed by war-time developments.

"Forever Free" is made possible by a major grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Local funding for programs and school tours is being provided by Tipmont REMC and *Journal and Courier*/Gannett Foundation.

For more information, call Mynda Cruz, 429-0254.

Director's Notes



by Jos N. Holman,
County Librarian

What's happening at the Tippecanoe County Public Library? If you read this newsletter you will become aware of a

number of upcoming programs scheduled during June, July and August. Also, you will read a bit about a couple of other staff activities. Often, what you do not hear about through the newsletter are the non-program type activities going on behind the scenes at the library. Activities out of the public eye are nevertheless very important in the day-to-day operations of the library. Following are a few items I would like to share and hope you find them interesting.

- The Friends of TCPL recently celebrated its 40th birthday in style with good food, music and enjoyable camaraderie.
- The library's Board of Trustees recently approved the revisions of nine new Personnel Code policies, which update a few outdated staff personnel policies.
- The TCPL Foundation recently mailed a donor report highlighting activities of the past twelve months and listing donors of the past two years.
- The library recently celebrated National Library week with an open house and proclamations from the mayors of Lafayette and West Lafayette.
- The heating and cooling system at the downtown building is being upgraded with new equipment, supported through a capital projects fund approved by the County Council this past year.
- Janet Stapleton is the newest TCPL Board member, serving in her first term after being appointed by Lafayette Mayor Tony Roswarski.
- The TCPL Foundation received grants from Tipmont REMC, Wal-Mart Foundation and the Gannett Foundation for special programs planned for this fall.
- A luncheon was recently held to recognize the many volunteers who

freely donate their time and energy for tasks at TCPL. Thirty-five volunteers donated more than 3,100 hours during 2003.

- A designated eating and drinking area has been established in the front lobby of the downtown library, and snacking/eating is no longer allowed throughout the building.
- Over the past year new department heads have been hired in our facilities, outreach, and reference departments.
- A recent library staff survey revealed TCPL has 13 different staff members who have foreign language skills available to use with library customers. Foreign languages include Spanish, Russian, French, German, Italian and Polish. Also, we have staff who know American Sign Language.
- The County Librarian has been involved in a number of community events, including making presentations to Lafayette's Altrusa International, reading a chapter of *Don Quixote* in Purdue's celebration of this classical work, serving as a moderator at the local Battle of the Books, and being the announcer for LARA's annual Spelling Bee.

Though these items often go unmentioned, they are very important to the everyday operations of TCPL. Hopefully, it helps you see TCPL in a clearer light.

Staff Recognized

Two employees have received special recognition for their work.

Adler: Veteran Youth Librarian



Winnie Adler

Winnie Adler, Youth Librarian, was named Employee of the 1st Quarter, 2004. Adler's superior materials selection skills have received countless customer compliments. Her knowledge and hard

work as coordinator of Family Read Aloud have enabled the program to run seamlessly for a number of years. Duties include deciding on a theme, obtaining sponsors, and planning programs.

Employed in the Youth Department since 1983, Adler will retire from the library on June 30 this year.

Fiech: Outstanding Page



Nina Fiech

Nina Fiech, who joined the library last October, has been named Outstanding Page for her diligence, efficiency and eagerness to take on challenging tasks.

Thanks To Our Donors

Thanks to a \$500 anonymous donation, our collection of resources on mental illness has expanded. Two videos and a dozen new books, some in multiple copies, have been ordered. They include *Bipolar Disorder Demystified*, *Loving Someone with Bipolar Disorder* and *Raising a Moody Child: How to Cope with Depression and Bipolar Disorder*.

Among others who recently gave to the library or the foundation:

Individuals: James and Barbara M. Carter; Mary Dugan, in honor of Keith Pflum; Jacqueline Fleming, in memory of Eunice Richard; Robert W. Harrington; John Johnson family, in memory of Eugene Shoemaker; Roger and Nelda Ratcliffe; Rose Ann Robson; William and June Stuckey; Charles and SaraBeth Vaughan; Tom and Kathy Walgamuth; and Wileys, Minkerts and Watkins families, in memory of John Biery.

Organizations: Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 347 and Purdue Employees Federal Credit Union.

Making a tax-deductible gift to the library or the foundation is easy. Call Amy Paget, Planning and Development Department, 429-0167.

Ahoy, Youth! Head For Library Fun

Books, Events Spark Up Summer

Set your reading goal, load up on books and come by your libraries for a little culture, pirate style.

Our shelves are stocked with great materials and our calendar is loaded with events for children and their families.

Here are highlights of a few, with full Summer Reading Club activities listed on the enclosed insert.

All programs are free. Most require **advance tickets**, available the Monday before the program by calling 429-0119.



Adzooks Puppets **Thursday, June 17** **2 and 7 p.m., downtown**

Indianapolis puppeteers David Wright and Robin Lee Holm have been performing since 1995. They are creating "Adventures in Imagination" especially for the Tippecanoe County Public Library.

Black Belt Academy **Thursday, June 24** **10 a.m. and 2 p.m., downtown**

Students from Lafayette's Black Belt Academy will give a Tae Kwon Do demonstration and talk about their martial arts.

Movie Showing **Muppet Treasure Island** **Thursday, July 1** **1 and 7 p.m., downtown**

Kids on the Block **Thursday, July 15** **10 a.m. and 2 p.m., downtown**

Lafayette's own Kids on the Block puppets are livening up the library with performances that help children understand and accept differences in others.

Their awareness-building covers physical, emotional and social differences. The almost child-size puppets also take questions from children in the audience.

Kathy's Variety **Thursday, July 22** **10 a.m. and 2 p.m., downtown**

Local entertainer Kathy McGraw invites youngsters to sing along to tropical tunes that will include *Yo, Ho: A Pirate's Life for Me*, *Never Smile at a Crocodile*, *Under the Sea*, *Sand in My Sandals*, and more.

Hawaiian and Tahitian dances are on tap, too.

Silly Safari **Thursday, July 29** **2 and 3:30 p.m., downtown**

Never been on a Silly Safari? You're in luck! Alligator Aaron will lead one loaded with animals, science and fun. His interactive, educational performance is high energy.

"I know how to have fun," Alligator Aaron says. "I love doing shows and working with people." His favorite animal? Alligators, of course!

Reader Dogs



Alligator Aaron brings his animals to the downtown library July 29.

Fridays, June and July **2 to 3 p.m.**

Reader dogs eager to hear young voices will return to the downtown library this summer. The specially trained partner dogs are owned by members of Lafayette's Caring Paws.

Learn more at an orientation and information session, **Friday, June 4, 2 p.m.**, downtown.



Reader dogs love to hear children read stories.



Noiseguy Charlie Williams performs noisy tales on June 10.

Noiseguy **Thursday, June 10** **10 a.m. and 2 p.m., downtown**

Charlie Williams makes a lot of noise when he spins a story. And he'll teach you how to embellish your own tales, too.

Get loud with the Noiseguy, a former librarian, preschool teacher and disc jockey who finally gets to make all the noise he wants.



Downtown Library
627 South Street • Lafayette, IN 47901-1470
Telephone (765) 429-0100 • www.tcpl.lib.in.us
Mon. - Thurs., 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Fri. - Sat., 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Sun., 1 - 6 p.m.

Campus Library
P.O. Box 4639 • 3101 S. Creasy Lane
Lafayette, IN 47903
Telephone (765) 772-9380
Mon - Thurs., 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Fri. - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
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Teen Filmmaker Talks About Short Films

Local filmmaker Mitia Gabrielov, a West Lafayette High School senior, will present a free program for teens on getting started with short films at **7 p.m., Tuesday, July 27**, at the downtown library.

He'll cover quality images and edits on a low budget, tips for collaborating with others, and finding opportunities for presenting your films.

Gabrielov will also discuss camera and software use, particularly his experience with the Canon GL-2 Mini-DV camera and Adobe Premiere for editing.

"I became interested in film at the age of 13," Gabrielov says. "Ingmar Bergman's *The Seventh Seal* got me interested in film as an art form. I have been a compulsive film buff for over three years now."

His short, *Wanderings Through the Modern World*, was dubbed "a sweet



What's it take to make a film? Find out from local filmmaker and high school senior Mitia Gabrielov. He'll give teens an inside-and free-look at filmmaking at 7 p.m., Tuesday, July 27. This still is from his film, Wanderings Through the Modern World.

surrender to the surreal" by Apollo Movie Guide critic Dan Jardine. Gabrielov is now at work on several other films, a CD of electronic music and a novel.

Comics, Improv and Guitars: All For Teens

Teens get their own space, topics and entertainment at **7 p.m. every Tuesday** at the downtown library from **June 8 through July 27**.

The lineup:

- June 8 Manga Discussion
- June 15 Guitar Society performance by middle school students
- June 22 Comedy Improv
- June 29 Beading and Friendship Bracelets
- July 13 Manga Discussion
- July 20 Comic Book Trivia with Scott Haan
- July 27 Filmmaking 101

All programs are free and open to ages 13 to 18. No registration is required. For more information, contact Youth Librarian Kelley Lethgo, klethgo@tcpl.lib.in.us, 429-0121.