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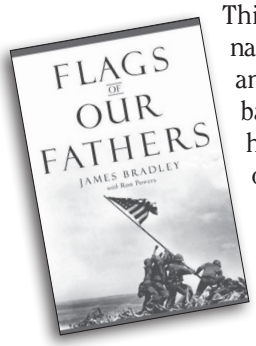
Wanted: Veteran Readers And New Recruits



This gripping real-life narrative of World War II and the Pacific goes beyond battle stories and into the hearts and minds of six ordinary Americans. Most people recognize the photo of six U.S. Marines raising the flag on Iwo Jima. Few know the stories told in the pages of *Flags of Our Fathers* by James Bradley.

The soldiers involved were teenagers and young adults. Two of the six flag raisers had premonitions about their own deaths in the 1945 battle. The three soldiers who survived were haunted for the rest of their lives by their war experiences and the perils of fame.

In spite of their brief moments as celebrities, Ira Hayes died alone and miserable. Rene Gagnon never realized his dreams of fame and fortune. John Bradley, the author's father, maintained a stoic silence after the war, but left boxes of mementoes and faded newspaper clippings to be discovered after his death.

Civic Theatre Joins One Great Read

"*Flags of Our Fathers* reminds us that true heroes are often those we never know," said Steve Koehler, Managing Director. "*Home of the Brave*, by Arthur Laurents, is a play about soldiers who struggle with post-war trauma. It's similar to *Flags of Our Fathers*."

ONE GREAT READ 2007

Programs, activities, and group discussions continue through Veterans Day, November 11.

Join us for the first One Great Read theatrical program – *Home of the Brave*, Tuesday, September 18, 7:00 p.m., at the Civic Theatre.

Four Months of Programs

"Our goal is to involve as many people as possible," explained Alison Moss, One Great Read Chairperson. "Our new Klondike Branch provides a convenient meeting place for people in the northwest corner of the county, and the Civic Theatre is a great new downtown venue."

"We are quite pleased with the attendance and discussion following the screening of the film based on *Flags of Our Fathers*," said Angela Day, West Lafayette Public Library organizer. "We look forward to hosting book discussions, home front programs, and premiering *Letters From Iwo Jima*."

Library Facilities Closed
Labor Day
Monday, September 3

Always Online @ www.tcpl.lib.in.us

Bill and Sue Wills will appear as Ike and Mamie Eisenhower at the Downtown Library on ***October 9****.*

Ike and Mamie Eisenhower

Tuesday, October 9, 7:00 p.m.
Downtown Library, all ages

Veteran acting and writing team Bill and Sue Wills reenact the private lives of Ike and Mamie Eisenhower. From the tragic loss of a child, through the ups and downs of military life, to the presidential years – see the Eisenhowers brought to life.

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Readers, Writers, Scientists & Clowns

All Downtown Library programs in the Alfred J. and Dorothy N. McAllister Meeting Rooms

Lego Challenge
Saturday, September 8
2:00-4:00 p.m., ages 8-12
Warning! Robots on the loose. Help design and construct a Lego® Mindstorm™ robot. Harrison Boiler Robotics challenge children ages 8 to 12 to learn basic Lego® programming and send their robots into competition. Registration required. Please call 429-0119.

¡Fiesta de la Biblioteca!
Saturday, September 15
2:00-3:00 p.m., all ages
Join us for crafts, games, piñatas, a story or two and face painting. Come celebrate Hispanic and Latino Heritage Month and get a TCPL library card. A bilingual family event. ¡Viva la biblioteca!

Parents: Every Child Ready To Read

Every Child Ready To Read offers three early literacy workshops for parents and caregivers. Specially trained Youth Department staff will:

- Present you with useful information
- Acquaint you with other parents
- Give library tours and discuss resources
- Share favorite books and new award-winners

Three Workshops
10:00-11:00 a.m., Saturdays
September 15 – Birth To 2 Years Old
October 27 – 2 & 3 Years Old
November 17 – 4 & 5 Years Old

Registration required for each free workshop. Call 429-0119 or visit the Downtown Ask Here Desk. Join us at the Downtown Library, Alfred J. and Dorothy N. McAllister Meeting Rooms.

Teen Read™ Week

The American Library Association encourages teens to read for the fun of it. Go to the shelves, close your eyes, and pick a book. Branch out. Try a new genre. Whatever you do, make it fun!

Clown School – Ages 13-18
Sunday, October 21, 2:00-5:00 p.m.
Monday, November 12, 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Saturday, November 17, 10:30 a.m.

Photo by Andrew Feiler www.andrewfeiler.com

Call 429-0119 to register for this three-parter. Learn to be a fun-loving, story-telling clown. Create your own character with clown makeup. Design a story-telling skit. Perform in a clown team during Children's Book Week (November 12-18) @ TCPL.

Research Brouhaha
Thursday, October 18
7:00-8:30 p.m.
Think information research is boring? Join us for an evening of wacky fun and games – e.g. Human Boolean and Dewey Dash. *Brouhaha = a 19th century French word for a noisy commotion or uproar!*

Teen Advisory Board (TAB)
First Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m., ages 14-18
September 6, October 4
November 1, December 6
Make friends. Enjoy snacks. Chat about books and manga at TAB, the Tippecanoe County Public Library's Teen Advisory Board. Help plan teen programs, discuss young adult literature, and volunteer for activities. Join us downtown on first Thursdays. Watch for special programs and opportunities throughout the year.

New! Middle School Advisory Group (mSAG)
Second Thursdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m., ages 11-13
September 13, November 8, December 13
Special TAB & mSAG – October 4
Start by creating a group name that's just for you – kids in middle grades. Chat about books and graphic novels. Plan library programs. Make new friends. Enjoy tasty treats. Save second Thursdays for TCPL!

At all three TCPL locations

Fall Into Science

Three Locations
4:00-5:00 p.m., ages 8-12

Fall into Science at your favorite Tippecanoe County Public Library. Three programs and three locations to keep minds buzzing with science.

Magnet Mania

Klondike	**Tuesday, September 11**
Campus	**Thursday, October 11**
Downtown	**Wednesday, November 7**

Magnet experiments and a magnet craft = magnet mania.

Kitchen Chemistry

Campus	**Thursday, September 20**
Downtown	**Tuesday, October 23**
Klondike	**Tuesday, November 13**

Peel a banana without using your hands, create liquid lasagna, and stack ice cubes. Explore the science of chemistry with items from your kitchen cabinets.

Airplane Design

Downtown	**Wednesday, September 26**
Klondike	**Tuesday, October 2**
Campus	**Thursday, November 1**

Fold a piece of paper into an aviator's work of art. Fine-tune your flight skills by making planes that loop de loop, glide, or cut through the air.

Calendar

September

3 **Labor Day**, All libraries closed
Always online at www.tcpl.lib.in.us
4 Board of Trustees Meeting, Downtown, 7:30 p.m.
Fiction Book Club, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
5 Grandma's Wartime Kitchen, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
6 Marquis de Lafayette/History, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
Teen Advisory Board, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
8 Lego® Mindstorm™ Challenge, Downtown, 2:00 p.m.
11 Magnet Mania, Klondike, 4:00 p.m.
Credit Matters, Campus, 6:00 p.m.
Flags Teen Essay Contest begins
13 Middle School Advisory Group (mSAG), Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
15 Every Child Ready To Read, Downtown, 10:00 a.m.
¡Fiesta de la Biblioteca!, Downtown, 2:00 p.m.
18 *Home of the Brave,* Civic Theatre, 7:00 p.m.
20 Eclectic Book Club, Downtown, 10:00 a.m.
Kitchen Chemistry, Campus, 4:00 p.m.
22 Genealogy: State Resources, Downtown 2:00 p.m.
24 *Flags* Brown Bag, Lilly Room/Ivy Hall, 12:00 p.m.
Flags Evening Discussion, Campus, 6:30 p.m.
26 Murder By The Book, Campus, 10:00 a.m.
Airplane Design, Downtown, 4:00 p.m.
Mexican Food & Culture, Downtown, 6:30 p.m.
Flags Book Discussion, WLPL, 7:00 p.m
27 *Letters from Iwo Jima,* WLPL, 6:00 p.m.
Flags Teen Book Club, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.

October

2 Airplane Design, Klondike, 4:00 p.m.
Board of Trustees Meeting, Downtown, 7:30 p.m.
Fiction Book Club, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
4 *Special* TAB & mSAG, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
When Rosie Ruled: WWII, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
8 Open Columbus Day – All TCPL Libraries
9 Ike & Mamie Eisenhower Program, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
11 Magnet Mania, Campus, 4:00 p.m.
12 *Flags* Teen Essays Due, Downtown, 5:00 p.m.
Friends Book Sale, Downtown, 7:30 p.m.
13 Friends Book Sale, Downtown, 9:00 a.m.
14 Friends Book Sale, Downtown, 1:00 p.m.
15 Friends Book Sale, Downtown, 9:00 a.m.
17 TCPL @ Senior Fair, 9:00 a.m.
Tippecanoe County Fairgrounds
18 Eclectic Book Club, Downtown, 10:00 a.m.
Japanese Culture & History, WLPL, 6:00 p.m.
Teens: Research Brouhaha, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
21 Clown School, Part 1, Downtown, 2:00 p.m.
23 Kitchen Chemistry, Downtown, 4:00 p.m.
Author Wanda Willis, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
24 Murder By The Book, Campus, 10:00 a.m.
25 *Flags* Teen Book Club, Downtown, 7:00 p.m.
27 Every Child Ready To Read, Downtown, 10:00 a.m.

Library Storytimes

Campus Library: September, October

Family Storytime, all ages
10:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., Tuesdays
10:30 a.m., Fridays
Friends Program Room
Stories, songs, finger plays, crafts and fun

Klondike: September, October

All-Age Storytime
11:00 a.m., Wednesdays
Stories, songs and crafts

Downtown Library: September, October

Morning Lapsit, newborn to 24 months
9:30 a.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays
Rhymes, finger plays, songs and more

Evening Lapsit, newborn to 24 months
6:30-7:00 p.m.
Tuesdays, September 11 & 25
Tuesdays, October 16 & 23
Rhymes, finger plays, songs, sign language and more

Toddler Times, 24- to 42-month-olds
10:15 a.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays
Books, rhymes, crafts and more

Preschool Storytimes, 3½- to 6-year-olds
11:00 a.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays
Stories, songs, finger plays and more

Stories Under The Sculpture, all ages
10:30 a.m., Saturdays
Everyone's favorites!

September Is: Library Card Sign-up Month • Indiana Archaeology Month • Hispanic Heritage Month (9/15-10/15) • ALA Banned Books Week (9/29-10/6)
October Is: National Book Month • Indiana Genealogy/Family History Month • ALA Teen Read Week (10/14-10/20)

TCPL: A Library System!

Director's Notes

by Jos N. Holman, County Librarian

The opening of the new Klondike Branch brought much excitement and an extension of Tippecanoe County Public Library services to library users throughout our district. This branch is an important accomplishment for our library and its success is integral to the development of future library branches. Of course the Klondike Branch presents several new challenges.

The realization that we are operating a library "system" is essential. It is equally important to library customers and library staff. It is imperative the new branch be perceived as part of the whole and for everyone to think of it in this way. A "system wide" approach in how our customers use our services makes consistency and the maximizing of library resources extremely important.

Have you considered what our mobile library and three buildings have in common? No matter which library you use, your eligibility for a library card is the same. Once issued, the same library card can be used at all locations, plus online. The same types of library materials are available everywhere.

Our online catalog, TIPCAT, allows you to research and access all materials in all TCPL libraries. The circulating time periods for materials are the same. The process of renewing materials, placing holds, and requesting interlibrary loans is the same. There are library book drops at each facility, and library materials may be returned to the most convenient location, regardless of where they were checked out. The TCPL Building and Property Use policy applies to all facilities. The Board of Trustees approves all policies for all locations.

There are, however, a few differences. The hours are unique to each location. Technology resources vary somewhat. The number of staff members is based on the service needs and the physical layout of each library. The programs are similar but may be scheduled differently or not offered at all locations. The telephone numbers are varied, so I really encourage you to make yourself aware of the differences as you visit each facility.

Overall, it is easy to see TCPL is growing as a library system. Our plan is that with growth, our services will continue to be efficient, our programs will flourish, and customer access will be even more convenient. Growth is exciting. But the challenge of continuing to offer our customers the best possible services and programs as a library system is even more exciting.

TCPL Foundation News

Joe Bonner Graduates
This year, Joe Bonner, Chairman Emeritus of Lafayette Bank & Trust and long-time library friend and advocate, graduates to emeritus status on the TCPL Foundation. Through the years, Joe has been a loyal member of TCPL Friends and served in various capacities on both the TCPL Board of Trustees and the TCPL Foundation Board.

David McGaughey Matriculates
Newly-appointed David McGaughey joins the Tippecanoe County Public Library Foundation Board as Assistant Secretary. David chaired the capital campaign for the Tippecanoe County/Ivy Tech Library and has been a financial advisor in this area for 22 years.

Mobile & Outreach

September: New Stops & New Times
In keeping with our commitment to serve people who can't otherwise get to the library, the Mobile Library is adding six new stops. Copies of the Fall/Winter TCPL Mobile Library Schedule are available at all TCPL libraries and at www.tcpl.lib.in.us/bkm. To find out more call 429-0169.

Senior Fair – Look for TCPL at the 2007 Senior Fair from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., October 17, at the Tippecanoe County Fairgrounds off Teal Road. Free admission and free transportation on CityBus for people 65 and over.

Lewis & Clark Exhibit and Programs
From October 9 - December 21, the "Lewis and Clark and the Indian Country" traveling exhibit begins a nationwide journey. Partnerships with the Tippecanoe County Public Library system and West Lafayette Public Library helped Purdue University's Undergraduate Library become the first of 23 public and academic libraries to host. TCPL provided letters of support, programming commitments, and grant writing assistance.

Editor's note: Exhibit developed by Chicago's Newberry Library and the American Library Association public programs office. Funding provided by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

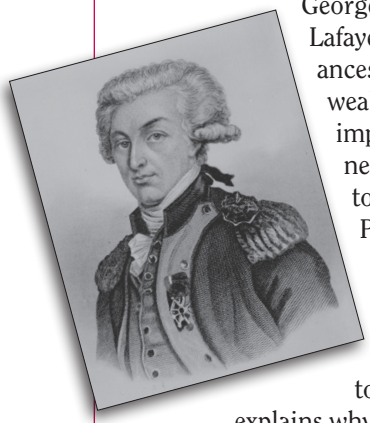
Coming in November – TCPL programs based on the Lewis & Clark journeys!

Multicultural, Multipurpose & Multitudinous

Downtown

A Marquis de Lafayette Event!
France At The Time Of Lafayette
Thursday, September 6
7:00 p.m., adults

In spite of his role in the American Revolution and his friendship with George Washington, Lafayette's royal ancestry and wealth resulted in imprisonment and nearly sent him to the guillotine. Purdue History Professor Whitney Walton takes us from 1757 to 1834 and explains why Lafayette's relationships and reputation were more positive in America than France.



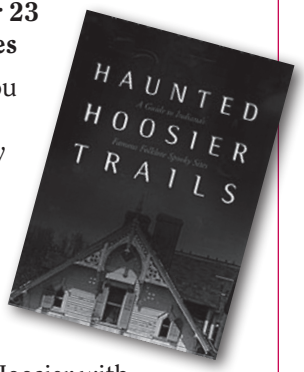
Genealogy: State Resources
Saturday, September 22
2:00 p.m., adults

Dr. Alan January, Program Director for The State Archives and Autumn Gonzalez, librarian from the Genealogy Division of the Indiana State Library, will explore the resources available at both organizations. Early military and Civil War records, personal and family papers, aerial photographs and links to assist researchers are just some of the resources available.

Mexican Food & Culture
Wednesday, September 26,
6:30 p.m., adults

Angelica Duran, Purdue English professor and founder of the Latino Faculty and Staff Association will explore the diversity of Mexican foods and culture. From ancient indigenous plants, food crops and traditions, to European transplants and modern flavors, Mexican cuisine and culture are rich in complexities.

Author Wanda Willis
Haunted Hoosier Trails
Tuesday, October 23
7:00 p.m., all ages



Author Wanda Lou Willis specializes in Indiana history and folklore. Author of several books, including *Haunted Hoosier Trails* and its sequel, Willis is a fifth generation Hoosier with spooky tales to tell.

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Tippecanoe County / Ivy Tech Library

Credit Matters
Tuesday, September 11, 6:00-8:00 p.m., 2nd Floor Computer Lab

Bob Pickett and Rhea Musick from Industrial Federal Credit Union (IFCU) explain how to read and download your free credit report from the Internet. Question and answer session follows. To make a reservation, visit the information desk or call 429-0113.

Book Clubs Group Meetings

Downtown Library

- **Eclectic Book Club**
  Meets 10:00 a.m., third Thursdays
  September 20: *Spoon River Anthology*, Edgar Lee Masters
  October 18: *Killer Angels,* Michael Shaara

- **Fiction Book Club**
  Meets 7:00 p.m., first Tuesdays
  September 4: *Wish You Well,* David Baldacci
  October 2: TBA

Campus Library

- **Murder By The Book**
  Meets 10:00 a.m., fourth Wednesdays
  September 26: Kate Fansler series, Amanda Cross
  October 24: Rosa Epton series, Michael Underwood

Book Clubs – Online Discussions

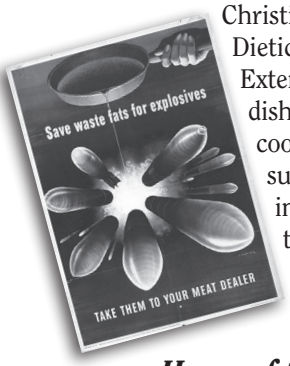
- **BookClique**
  September: *Flags of Our Fathers,* James Bradley
  October: *Jane Austen Book Club,* Karen Joy Fowler
  www.tcpl.lib.in.us/ref/bookgroup.html

- **Faction Fiction**
  September: *The Dogs of Babel,* Carolyn Parkhurst
  October: *Lord of the Flies,* William Golding
  www.tcpl.lib.in.us/ref/faction.html

For more on TCPL Book Groups, visit:
www.tcpl.lib.in.us/ref/bookgroups.html

One Great Read Continues

Grandma's Wartime Kitchen
Wednesday, September 5,
7:00 p.m., adults
Downtown Library



Christina Ferroli, Registered Dietician, Ph.D., and Purdue Extension Educator, dishes about World War II cooking, food rationing, substitutions of key ingredients, and ways to maintain nutrition levels in times of food shortages.

Home of the Brave
Tuesday, September 18, 7:00 p.m
Civic Theatre of Greater Lafayette
320 N. 5th Street

Home of the Brave, a play by Arthur Laurents, depicts an American soldier who convinces himself he failed in his duty to a dying buddy. With the help of a doctor and his fellow soldiers, he overcomes the traumas of war.

Film: *Letters From Iwo Jima*
Thursday, September 27, 6:00 p.m.
West Lafayette Public Library
Walnut Room

2006 Academy Award and Golden Globe winning feature. Clint Eastwood directed this film from the perspective of Japanese soldiers. Combines fictional characters with accounts of actual people and events. Japanese and English with English subtitles. A companion piece to the film, *Flags of Our Fathers*.

Book Discussions

Brown Bag
Monday, September 24, 12:00 p.m.
Lilly Room 1106, Ivy Hall

Evening Discussion
Monday, September 24, 6:30 p.m.
Campus Library

Nick Schenkel
Wednesday, September 26, 7:00 p.m.
West Lafayette Public Library
Walnut Room

When Rosie Ruled
Thursday, October 4, 7:00 p.m.
Downtown Library

Join Purdue History Professor Nancy Gabin as she explores how World War II redefined the expression "woman's work."

Japanese Culture & History
Thursday, October 18, 6:00 p.m.
West Lafayette Public Library
Walnut Room

Karen Countryman, Michael Peterson, and Asako Iiubo share personal perspectives and discuss 1940s Japanese culture and history.

Visit blog.tcpl.lib.in.us
Curious about what others are saying about *Flags of Our Fathers*? This year's blog includes recordings of local World War II memories, program information and ongoing dialogue about the book.

Enjoy Bonus Fact Sheets
Our library reference staff found some fascinating information related to World War II, Iwo Jima and our county during the war years. Be sure to pick these up at your favorite local library.

One Great Read for Young Adults

Read *Flags of Our Fathers* by James Bradley in the Young Adult version or the unabridged edition. Write an essay. Post your comments on the blog. Attend a program. This is a community-wide read for many ages!

Teen Essay Contest
Guidelines available: September 11
Entry deadline: October 12
All TCPL libraries
Three Grade Levels:
7-8, 9-10, and 11-12

Write an essay in response to *Flags of Our Fathers,* the book chosen for the 2007 One Great Read. Gift cards from area bookstores will be awarded to the winners in each grade level.

Teen Book Club
Two Thursdays
September 27 & October 25
7:00-8:00 p.m.
Downtown Library

Registration required. Sign up when you pick up your copy (available 8/27) of the Young Adult adaptation of *Flags of Our Fathers*. To qualify for membership you need to participate in both monthly meetings, two one-hour discussions. Expect fast-paced and lively chats offering surprising ideas and a tasty treat!

Cards For School, Gifts That Rule, Klondike Rush

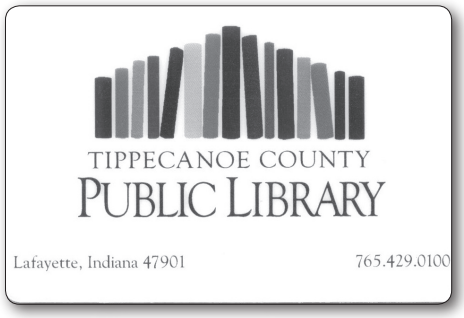
Library Card Sign-Up Month
Mes de Inscripción para Tarjetas de Biblioteca

September is Library Card Sign-up Month, and the Tippecanoe County Public Library (TCPL) wants to make sure your child is among the two-thirds of Americans who carry the smartest card of all – a library card.

Septiembre es el Mes de Inscripción para las Tarjetas de Biblioteca, y Tippecanoe County Public Library (TCPL) quiere que su hijo figure entre los dos tercios de la población estadaounidense que tienen la tarjeta más inteligente – una tarjeta de biblioteca.

Studies show children who are read to in the home and who use the library perform better in school and are more likely to continue to use the library as a source of lifetime learning.

Varios estudios revelan que los niños a quienes se les lee en casa y que usan la biblioteca, tienen un mejor rendimiento escolar, y son más propensos a seguir



usando la biblioteca como fuente de aprendizaje por el resto de sus vidas.

At the library you can get homework help and use the Internet. You can check out books, music, and DVDs. There's a lot happening at TCPL.

Los niños pueden visitar la biblioteca para hacer su tarea y sacar los libros, pero también pueden sacar y llevar a casa los CDs y los DVD, y tener acceso a la Internet, para hacer mas divertidas sus actividades extraescolares. Hay mucho que hacer y descubrir en TCPL.

For more information, visit the Downtown, Campus, Klondike or Mobile Library, call 429-0100 or see the library's web site at www.tcpl.lib.in.us

Para más información sobre cómo obtener una tarjeta de la biblioteca, se puede visitar las bibliotecas Downtown, Campus, Klondike o Mobile Library, llamar al 429-0100 o visitar el sitio www.tcpl.lib.in.us

Private Support. Public Interest.

Gifts to the Foundation are tax deductible and may be given in many forms. To find out more, please contact Amy Paget, Assistant County Librarian, at 420-0101 or amypaget@tcpl.lib.in.us.

There is public support of the Tippecanoe County Public Library; however private donations to the TCPL Foundation provide the independent financial resources required for a strong, stable library system now and in the future.

Cash Gifts – A gift of cash is a simple and direct way to show your support.

Memorial Gifts – If your gift is in memory of a relative, friend or mentor, we will be happy to send an acknowledgement card.

Estate Giving – A bequest to the foundation is a great way to express your love of reading.

Planned Gifts – A bequest through a life insurance policy, a charitable remainder trust, or appreciated securities (stocks, bonds, mutual fund shares) may offer extra tax advantages.

Gifts In Kind – Gifts of appreciated property – securities or real estate – also can provide great tax advantages.

All About Indiana

Friends Book Sale – October

12 Friday, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.
Members only night
13 Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
14 Sunday, 1:00 to 6:00 p.m.
All items 50% off
15 Monday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
$2 a bag. Bags provided.

Klondike. Open. Busy!

Three words that speak volumes. Construction of the 13,500-foot facility ended on schedule. The public reception and usage of the new Klondike Branch continues to be warm and welcoming. In fact, business is so good, we now are ordering more books, DVDs, and CDs.

Weekly Schedule

Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday: 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday: 12:00-9:00 p.m.

Sunday: 1:00-5:00 p.m.

3062 Lindberg Road, call 463-5893, or go to www.tcpl.lib.in.us/Klondike

CityBus Route 4B, Purdue West/Klondike stops at Klondike intersection.

TIPPECANOE COUNTY
PUBLIC LIBRARY

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

Campus Library
3101 S. Creasy Lane • Lafayette, IN 47905 - 5241
Telephone (765) 269-5380
Mon. - Thurs., 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Fri. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sat. 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Sun., 1 - 5 p.m.

Klondike Branch
3062 Lindberg Road • W. Lafayette, IN 47906
Telephone (765) 463-5893
Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat., 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Tues., Thurs., 12 - 9 p.m.; Sun. 1 - 5 p.m.

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Research & Homework Resources For All Ages

Magazines
Collection includes most leading youth and adult magazines. Topics address a variety of interests and reading abilities – adults, young adults, and children. **Locations: Downtown, Campus, Klondike and Mobile Libraries**

Youth Textbook Collection
Textbooks from area school corporations are available for in-library use. **Location: Downtown Library**

Swezey Room of Indiana History
This special room and collection is dedicated to genealogy, Indiana, and Tippecanoe County history. Collection includes many works by Indiana authors. **Location: Downtown Library**

Electronic Resources
With over 40 electronic databases*, TCPL provides information for school science projects, homework and multiple interests. To find out which are accessible from home computers visit www.tcpl.lib.in.us. **Locations: Downtown, Campus and Klondike Libraries**

Internet Sign-Up
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