



# WPL NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2024

## CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS



*A message from WPL's IT guru, Dan:*

It's October, and that means...pumpkin spice? Well, sure, but it's also Cybersecurity Awareness Month. I can feel your excitement from here. More rules, more scolding for those bad passwords. Well, there are some things you should be thinking about, and this is as good a time as any to bring them up. I'll try and make this as painless as possible.

First things first: There is no silver bullet when it comes to cybersecurity. No program or piece of hardware will secure your devices 100%. Security is a process! According to the Cyber and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) there are three things you can do to protect yourself:

1. Have a system for creating and storing strong passwords.
2. Use Multi Factor Authentication (aka Two Factor Authentication) to secure your online accounts.
3. Update your devices. Updates for your PC, web browsers, and mobile devices can be critical to protecting your data, your accounts, and your money.

If you'd like to take a closer look, I'll be teaching a couple of relevant classes on this material during the month of October. If you'd like to learn more about passwords and how to create and store them, then consider attending my next password class on October 15th. If you're interested in learning more about what you can do to secure your devices and data, consider my class on cybersecurity on October 22nd. Both classes start at 4pm and last about an hour. You can register on our website, click on the Events Calendar, and choose the appropriate class. Or you can register by calling the Thomas Branch at 219-926-7696. Until then, enjoy those pumpkin spice lattes!

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# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

## FALL BOOK SALE

### OCTOBER SAT. 19 & SUN. 20 9 AM - 4 PM

**MEMBERS ONLY PREVIEW ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, FROM 4 - 8 PM**

## BAUGHER CENTER

100 W. INDIANA AVE.  
CHESTERTON, IN  
219-926-7696  
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Join the Friends of the Westchester Public Library for their Fall Book Sale. Books and movies of all genres will be available at low prices.

Membership to the Friends of the Library may be purchased at the Thomas Circulation desk, or at the door the first night of the sale.

Proceeds from the sale are donated to WPL and help fund programs for all ages.

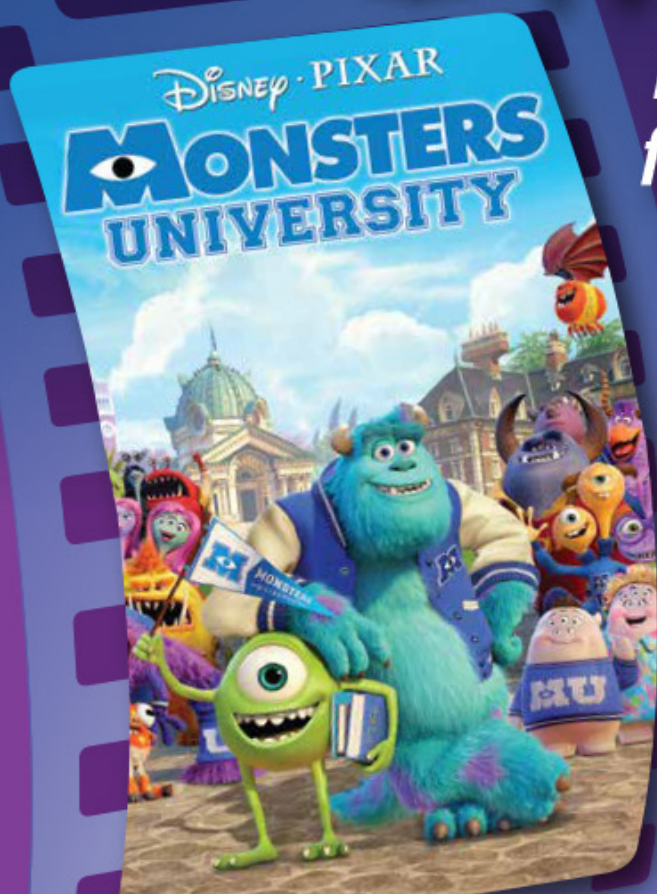


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PUBLIC LIBRARY**



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# MOONLIGHT MOVIES



*Bring the whole family  
for a movie in the park!*

## **MONSTERS UNIVERSITY**

**Friday, October 18  
6-7:45 PM**

**Hawthorne Park**

*Immediately following the Porter  
Park Department's Boo Bash.  
This movie is rated G.*

Eat, drink, and be scary! Attendees are encouraged to bring a picnic and lawn chairs for personal comfort and enjoyment. The Chesterton-Porter Rotary Club will offer free popcorn during the event, and cold drinks will be sold for \$1.00.

In case of rain, this event will take place indoors at the Hawthorne Park Community Building, 500 Ackerman Drive in Porter

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#CHESTERTONARTSDISTRICT

# HAUNTED DOWNTOWN CHESTERTON

# WALKING TOUR



**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18  
4-5:30 PM**

The tour will leave from the Thomas Branch,  
200 W. Indiana Ave., Chesterton

Join Westchester Township History Museum staff to learn  
about the haunted history of downtown Chesterton.

We will look at some of the most potentially haunted sites.  
Walking and standing required. Water bottle, hat, and sunscreen  
recommended. Tour lasts approximately 90 minutes.

**Registration required and is limited to 20 people. If a tour is  
canceled due to weather (rain, heat, air quality), it will not be  
rescheduled. Registration opens OCTOBER 11.**



REGISTER ONLINE AT [WPL.LIB.IN.US](http://WPL.LIB.IN.US) OR CALL 219- 983-9715 TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT



ADULT CRAFT NIGHT



SUGAR SKULL  
DIAMOND ART



Create a sparkling sugar skull coaster set using diamond art in recognition of Hispanic Heritage Month.

For adults ages 18 and up.

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 14**

**6:30 PM**

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

**Registration opens October 7**

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.



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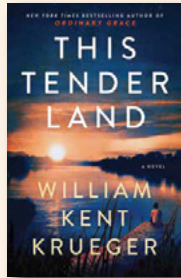
# Popular Books

## DISCUSSION GROUP

Monday, October 7 • 2-3:30 PM  
THOMAS MEETING ROOM

### *This Tender Land* by William Kent Krueger

Over the course of one summer, four orphans travel the Mississippi River on a life-changing odyssey during the Great Depression. They journey into the unknown and cross paths with others who are adrift, from struggling farmers and traveling faith healers to displaced families and lost souls of all kinds. This book is an enthralling, big-hearted epic that shows how the magnificent American landscape connects us all, haunts our dreams, and makes us whole.



Please call the Thomas Branch at 219-926-7696 for availability.

This program is for adults ages 18 and up.

Next Month's Book  
NOVEMBER 4: *Crow Mary* by Kathleen Grissom

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# October

## ONLINE AUTHOR TALKS

Westchester Public Library  
Webinars and Online Events

Registration at: [libraryc.org/wpl](http://libraryc.org/wpl)



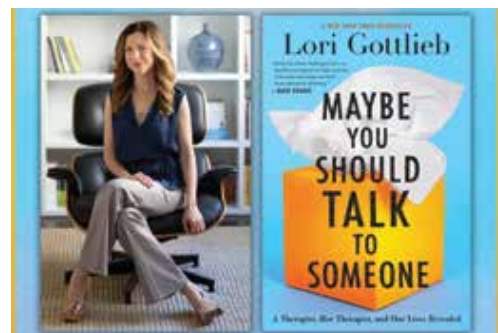
### A Journey into the Hidden World of Tropical Bats

Wednesday, October 2, 1 PM



### Silvia Moreno-Garcia

Wednesday, October 9, 6 PM



### Lori Gottlieb

Tuesday, October 22, 1 PM



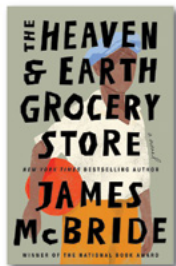
## BIFOCAL BOOKIES

### *The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store* by James McBride

In 1972, when workers in Pottstown, Pennsylvania, were digging the foundations for a new development, the last thing they expected to find was a skeleton at the bottom of a well. When the truth is finally revealed about what happened and the part the town's white establishment played in it, the author shows us that even in dark times, it is love and community that sustain us.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8  
1-2 PM

HAGEMAN BRANCH



Limited copies are available at Hageman.

This program is for adults ages 18 and up  
Call 219-926-9080 for more information.

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**HONORING**  
**NATIONAL POSTCARD DAY**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9**  
**1-2 PM**

**HAGEMAN BRANCH**

Join fellow crafters to make postcards in honor of National Postcard Day, October 1. This program is for adults ages 18 and up.

**Registration opens OCTOBER 2**

Register online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your spot.

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**Bits & Bytes**  
**October Classes**

For Adults Ages 18 and Up

**THOMAS BRANCH - IT CLASSROOM**

**All About Passwords**  
**Tuesday, October 15 • 4-5 PM**

In this class, we will discuss how to create, manage, and store strong passwords.

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**Digital Security**  
**Tuesday, October 22 • 4-5 PM**

Concerned about safeguarding your accounts, devices and data? Join us as we discuss what you can do to defend yourself.

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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**Dungeons & Dragons**  
**for Adult Beginners**

**Monday, October 21**  
**6:30-7:30 PM**

**Thomas Meeting Room**

Are you curious about D&D, but not sure where to start? Join us as we celebrate the 50th anniversary of this classic tabletop role-playing game with Beau from Reliquary Gaming. Learn the basics of D&D, and try your hand at creating your own unique character. You may unlock a whole new world of adventure!

For adults ages 18 and up.

**Registration opens OCTOBER 14**

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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**WPL'S SUNDAY MATINEE**

**A HAUNTING IN VENICE**

ALLEN BRANAGH, KENNETH COTTIN, CAMILLE DORNAN, JAMIE FEY, TINA HILL, JUDS KHAN, EMMA LAIRD, KELLY REILLY, RICCARDO SCAMARCIO, MICHELLE YEOH

**RATED PG-13**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27 AT 1:30 PM**

**THOMAS BRANCH MEETING ROOM**  
 200 W. INDIANA AVENUE, CHESTERTON, IN

**FREE POPCORN!**

**ADULT CRAFT NIGHT**


# Thankful Turkey Centerpiece



Your guests will gobble with delight over this literary centerpiece! Join us to create your very own turkey using a recycled book.  
For adults ages 18 and up.

**Wednesday, October 30**  
**6:30 PM**

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**  
Registration opens **OCTOBER 23**  
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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**ADULT CRAFT NIGHT**



# HARVEST PUMPKINS

Create a unique addition to your fall decor. We will be transforming real pumpkins into canned pumpkin.  
For adults ages 18 and up.


**Tuesday, November 5**  
**6:30 PM**

**Thomas Meeting Room**  
Registration opens **OCTOBER 29**  
Register online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your spot.

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**ADULT CRAFT**



# UGLY HOLIDAY APRONS




Design a festive apron just in time for holiday baking! Let your creativity run wild and make as many questionable aesthetic choices as you want with this kooky craft.  
For adults ages 18 and up.


**Thursday, November 6**  
**1:30 or 6:30 PM**

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**  
REGISTRATION OPENS **OCTOBER 23**  
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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*From a local social worker:*  
I just wanted to share with you how lovely your staff has been to my clients and me [...] This attitude is also helping my clients see the benefits a library can provide beyond databases and checking out books.

If you've had a Happy Tale at WPL or a special library experience, stop by and tell us about it at the Circulation Desk.



*November is*  
**DIABETES  
AWARENESS  
MONTH**



**Monday, November 11  
6:30 - 7:30 PM**

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

Join Health Promotion Specialists from NorthShore at this program intended to teach those at risk or diagnosed with diabetes how to best manage their health and lifestyle.

This program is for adults 18 and up.

Join us to learn everything you need to know about life with diabetes:



- Basic diabetes education
- Health factors and risks such as blood sugar targets and complications
- ABCs of Diabetes
- Care plans for your diabetes
- Nutrition and diabetic-friendly recipes
- Living your best life with diagnoses



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FOR TEENS & TWEENS



**CRAFT KIT:**  
**CHEESECLOTH GHOSTS**

**FOR TWEENS AND TEENS IN GRADES 5-12**

Register for this kit to create spookily  
cute ghosts out of cheesecloth.

**Registration for this kit opens**  
**OCTOBER 3**

Register online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your kit.  
This kit is picked up at **HAGEMAN** from **OCTOBER 10-17**.



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# Culture Club



For Tweens  
in Grades 5 - 8

Explore the world with us, one country (and one snack) at a time. The world is an exciting place full of amazing sights and food, and we want to share it with you!

This month we will be learning about Chile! We will also eat snacks and play trivia! Join us to learn more about this amazing world we live in.



Wednesday, October 2  
6-7 PM

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

Registration opens **SEPTEMBER 25**

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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# DIY Cross Stitch Pendants

FOR TWEENS IN GRADES 5-8



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9  
6-7 PM

Join us as we make a pendant that can be turned into a keychain or necklace while learning the basics of cross stitching.

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

Registration opens **OCTOBER 2**

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# TEEN READING CLUB

FOR TEENS IN  
GRADES 7-12

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18  
4:30 - 5:30 PM

Let's read and talk about books! We will spend half the time chatting about some of our favorite (and least favorite) books, genres, and tropes and the rest of the time reading.

**THOMAS TEEN SPACE**

Registration opens **OCTOBER 11**

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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# HALLOWEEN CEMETARIUMS

TEENS IN GRADES 9 - 12



Join us as we make spooky cemetery-themed terrariums.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23  
6-7 PM

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

Registration opens **OCTOBER 16**

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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# Write It Up Write It Out Short Story Challenge



FOR TWEENS AND TEENS IN GRADES 5 - 12

November is **National Novel Writing Month** and we're celebrating with a short story challenge!

## Rules:

- All submissions are due by 11:59 PM on November 30th
- All stories must be emailed as a PDF attachment to your friendly neighborhood YA Librarian, Sionna, at [sionna@wpl.lib.in.us](mailto:sionna@wpl.lib.in.us)
  - Stories must be no longer than five pages, double-spaced in Times New Roman or Arial font.
    - One entry per person.
  - Stories must be your own original work, but writing fanfiction is allowed.
    - Keep the contents of your story PG-13.
- Your entry must include a cover page with the title of your short story and your name.
- In the body of your email, please include your name, and best method to reach you if you are selected in the drawing. The prize winner will be contacted by December 3rd.

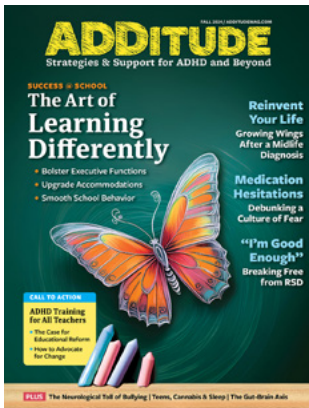


## Cozy Reading Prize Package

We will randomly select a submission to win an ergonomic, papasan chair and a cozy wearable, oversized, sushi blanket-sweatshirt.



# MAGAZINES OF INTEREST



## **ADDitude (Thomas print & digital)**

*ADDitude* is the nation's leading source of important news, expert advice, and judgment-free understanding for families and adults living with attention deficit disorder. It addresses topics including: diagnosing ADHD in children and adults, attention-deficit hyperactivity disorder treatments including medication and/or alternative therapies, parenting children with ADHD, learning disabilities and school challenges, and living with adult ADD. *ADDitude* is your voice and your advocate.



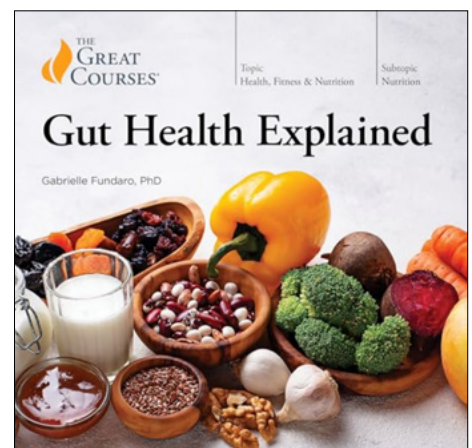
## **Guitar Player (Thomas print & digital)**

Established in 1967, *Guitar Player* is the world's oldest, most comprehensive, trusted and insightful guitar publication for passionate guitarists and active musicians of all ages. Every style is covered, including rock, blues, metal, and jazz. Each issue has exclusive monthly features, such as interviews with the best guitar players in the world.

# GREAT COURSES

## **Gut Health Explained (DVD)**

Ads for probiotic supplements are everywhere you turn these days, and they promise you everything under the sun. They will balance your 'good' and 'bad' gut bacteria, improve depression or anxiety, help you lose weight, reduce inflammation, lower cholesterol, and the list goes on! Are all of these claims true? Are some of them true? Are any of them based on rigorous scientific inquiry? The money spent on marketing probiotics, the number of individuals using them, and the technology to better understand the human microbiome have all increased dramatically in the 21st century. In 12 fascinating lectures, Dr. Gabrielle Fundaro shares the latest scientific knowledge about the trillions of organisms that live in your gut.



FOR KIDS



MYSTICAL  
MOON ART  
FOR KIDS

For Kids in Grades K-4

**Thursday, October 17 • 4 - 5 PM**

Join us for a magical time with local artist Jayde McAloon for seasonal folklore about crystal energies, Harvest and Hunter's Moons, and more. Kids will bring home their own art project in the spirit of the season.

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

Registration opens on **OCTOBER 10**

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# CELEBRATE NATIONAL FOSSIL DAY WITH THE MUSEUM!

For Kids Ages 6-12



## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

Anytime between Noon and 4:30 PM

Kids are invited to the museum to do an individual fossil dig and take home their very own fossil!

Registration opens  
OCTOBER 9

Register online or  
call 219-983-9715  
to reserve your spot.

## WESTCHESTER TOWNSHIP HISTORY MUSEUM



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# Tinker & Create:

## Folk Art Flowers

**FOR KIDS IN GRADES 1-4**

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by participating in the folk art tradition of making paper flowers.



**MONDAY, OCTOBER 14**  
**4:30-5:30 PM**  
**Hageman Branch**

Registration opens **OCTOBER 7**

Register online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your spot.

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# CRAFTERNOONS

## PICK-UP CRAFT KIT

at the Hageman Branch



# PUMPKIN SUNCATCHER




Make a glowing pumpkin suncatcher. No need for glue, you will use contact paper and tissue paper so the November sunlight will come streaming through. This craft kit is for ages 2-6.

**Registration opens**  
**OCTOBER 26**

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your kit. This craft kit may be picked up at HAGEMAN from NOVEMBER 2-9.

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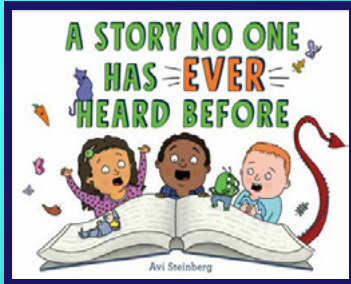


# Tinker & Create:

## A Story No One Has Ever Heard Before

**FOR KIDS IN GRADES 1-4**



In honor of National Novel Writing Month, we will be reading "A Story No One Has Ever Heard Before." Then, we will write a story together. We will also be illustrating our own copy of the story.



**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11**  
**4:30-5:30 PM**  
**Hageman Branch**


Registration opens **OCTOBER 28**

Register online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your spot.

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# MUSIC & ARTS SOCIAL CLUB:

## NATIVE AMERICAN ART





For Kids in Grades K-4

**Thursday, November 7**  
**4-5 PM**

In the spirit of Native American artist Wendy Red Star's creative printmaking, kids will make their own photography collage using poetry and scenic transcendence. Each kid will get a Polaroid photo, and they will make, create, and write their art piece while we listen to Native American music for inspiration.

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**  
 Registration opens **OCTOBER 31**

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# STORYTIMES

## Toddler Time

For Toddlers Ages 2-3 and Their Caregivers  
Join us for a sensory storytime. Together we will read, sing, socialize, create, and learn through play.

**MONDAYS 10-10:30 or 11-11:30 AM**  
11/4 • 11/11 • 11/18 • 11/25 • 12/2

**THOMAS CHILDREN'S DEPT.** Registration opens **OCTOBER 28**

For Babies Ages 9-24 Months and Their Caregivers  
Join Miss Ronnie for an interactive program filled with songs, stories, fingerplays, and nursery rhymes.

**TUESDAYS 10-10:30 or 11-11:30 AM**  
11/5 • 11/12 • 11/19 • 11/26 • 12/3

**FRIDAYS 10-10:30 AM**  
11/8 • 11/15 • 11/22 • 12/6

Registration opens **OCTOBER 29**

## Tickle Tales

**HAGEMAN BRANCH**

## Little Explorers How Things Work

For Kids Ages 4-6 and Their Caregivers

Join Miss Justine for stories about "how things work."

**WEDNESDAYS 4-4:30 PM**  
11/6 • 11/13 • 11/20  
11/27 • 12/4

**THOMAS MEETING ROOM**

Registration opens **OCTOBER 30**

Register for this **five-week session** online at [wpl.lib.in.us](http://wpl.lib.in.us) or call to reserve your spot.



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**TRICKS**



**AT THE MUSEUM**

**AND TREATS**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26**

**2 - 4 PM**

*Children ages 6-12 are invited to the Brown Mansion for some old-fashioned Halloween fun.*

**SCAVENGER HUNT FOR PUMPKINS**

**PLAY GAMES & WIN PRIZES**

*Costumes are encouraged but not required.*

*A parent or guardian must accompany their child(ren).*

**Registration is not required.**



# MUSIC AT THE MUSEUM

Join the Flashbacks for a blast from the past as they present hits from the past 500 years. They focus on folk music from various countries and include some classics that you may have heard before.

The group is composed of Suzanne Keldsen, playing guitar, recorders, and fiddle; Jim Nelson on guitar; Lynn Edgemon playing guitar and banjo; and Marti Pizzini on autoharp, dulcimer, and guitar.

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
**THURSDAY,  
 OCTOBER 10**

**THE BROWN MANSION**  
 For more information call 219-983-9715.

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# HAUNTED TRIVIA NIGHT

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29  
 7 - 8 PM**

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 HISTORY MUSEUM**

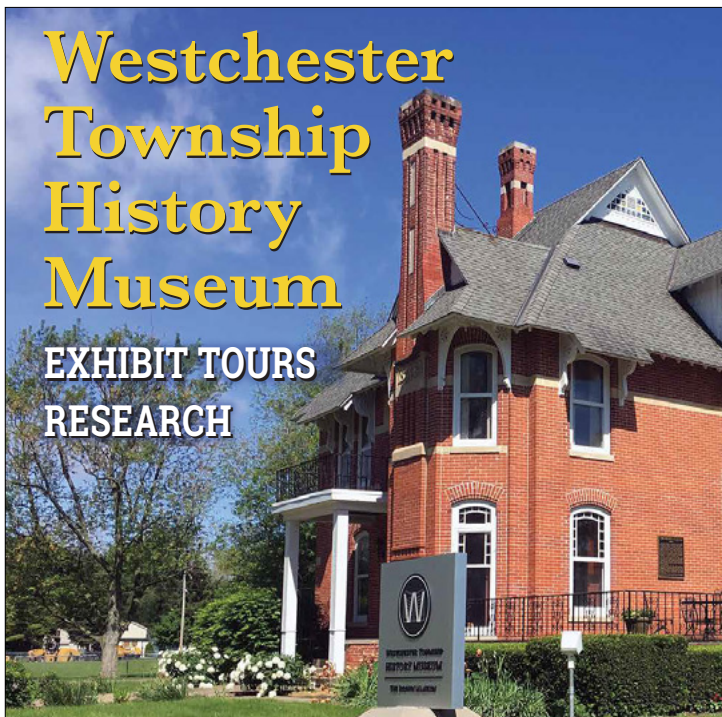
Get ready for a spooktacular Trivia Night! Test your knowledge of the most famous hauntings in the world and in pop culture. Teams of 1-4 can vie for the prize. Doors open at 6:45 PM. Seating is first come, first served.

For more information call 219-983-9715.

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## Westchester Township History Museum

EXHIBIT TOURS  
 RESEARCH



**Sunday & Monday**  
 Closed

**Wednesday**  
 Open 12 - 5 pm

**2nd & 4th Saturday of the month**  
 Open 12 - 5 pm

**Tuesday, Thursday, Friday by appointment only**  
 Call 219-983-9715 to reserve a time.

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## Discover Your Family History at Westchester Public Library



**Genealogy and Research Workstations including**

ancestry library edition

**Now Available at our Thomas Branch, Hageman Branch, and Westchester Township History Museum**



NAME	DATE	PLACE	REMARKS
John Doe	1850	Indiana	...
Jane Smith	1855	Ohio	...
...	...	...	...

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 for adults



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 Access original, quality  
 journalism



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 Expert readalike suggestions  
 up to grade 12



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 including homework help for all  
 ages and subjects, and more



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 and SAT test prep and more



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 newspapers, medicine and more



**Ancestry Library Edition**  
 Genealogical Research

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submit a question to us

access free lessons and resources

form online study groups

interact with a live tutor

online standardized test practice

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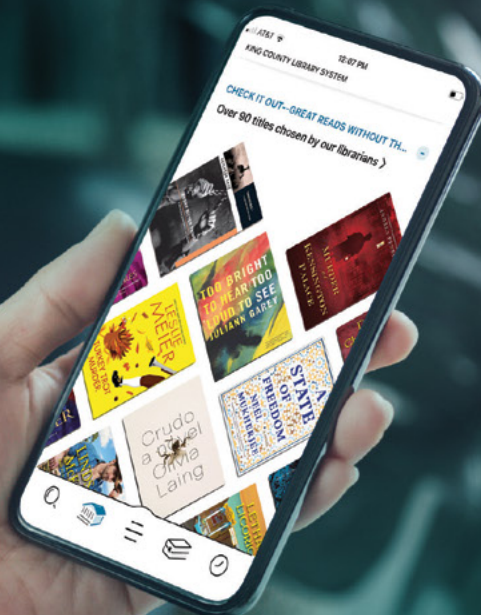
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Monday-Friday 1pm-6pm at both branches;  
Saturday 11:30am-4:30pm at Thomas Branch;  
Saturday 1:30pm-4:30pm at Hageman Branch;  
Sunday 1:30pm-4:30pm at Thomas Branch

**1. Use your Library card to place holds (online or by phone) for up to 5 DVDs and 10 other items per card, based on the following item limits: 5 DVDs, 10 Music CDs, 5 New Books, 2 Electronic Games, 10 General Books.**

**2. After you receive notice that your holds are ready, drive to your branch during Curbside Pickup hours. Pull into a specially-numbered parking space.**

**3. Call the Library phone number posted on the numbered parking space sign and staff will check-out and bring your holds to your parking space.**

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**TV Series:** *Despicable Me 4* // **Rating:** PG

**Synopsis:** Gru and Lucy and their girls—Margo, Edith and Agnes—welcome a new member to the Gru family, Gru Jr., who is intent on tormenting his dad. Gru also faces a new nemesis in Maxime Le Mal and his femme fatale girlfriend Valentina, forcing the family to go on the run.

**Movie Title:** *Bad Boys: Ride or Die* // **Rating:** R

**Synopsis:** When their late police captain gets linked to drug cartels, wisecracking Miami cops Mike Lowrey and Marcus Burnett embark on a dangerous mission to clear his name.

**Movie Title:** *Longlegs* // **Rating:** R

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