



WPL NEWSLETTER

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SPOTLIGHT ON NEW FACES



Sidney Rinker – Hageman Branch Manager

“WPL holds a special place for me—it was my childhood library, making this role a true full-circle moment. After getting my first WPL library card at age five, I spent many childhood hours in the library, discovering books that fueled my curiosity about history and love of reading. I am passionate about creating engaging programs, fostering community connections, and ensuring the library is a welcoming space for all. When not at the library, I enjoy spending time with my husband, Charles, and son, Will, our dogs, Peanut and Alois, staying involved in the local community, and reading (of course!). My favorite book is *Pride and Prejudice*.”

Cindy McCormack – Thomas Branch Children’s Department Manager

“E.L. Konigsburg’s *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* and *The Lottery Rose* by Irene Hunt started my journey to become the Children’s Department Manager at the Thomas Branch. I was mesmerized by those two novels in elementary school. Reading would become my life’s passion. I have traveled to Russia just to stay at the Metropol Hotel after reading *A Gentleman in Moscow*, and to Forks, Washington after reading *Twilight*, and to Daufuskie Island after reading *The Water is Wide*. Following my retirement from twenty-nine years as a middle school English teacher and school librarian, I am overjoyed to continue facilitating early literacy here at WPL. Maybe next I will pack my luggage to head to “the great green room” from *Goodnight Moon*.”



Michael Knoll – Systemwide Facilities Manager

“As a child growing up in Michigan I was fascinated by nature. All the abundant wildlife available for me to explore in the many creeks, rivers and lakes that were close to my home. These experiences fueled my desire to become either a marine biologist akin to Jacques Cousteau or an archaeologist. Neither of those fields came to fruition as I channeled most of my time learning to play guitar, thinking for sure I was going to be a Rock Star...lol. I am always up for fishing, mushroom hunting, playing music, or road trips to find the perfect pizza. Currently, I spend the majority of my time maintaining a small hobby farm with 7 dogs, 2 llama, 1 alpaca, 20+ chickens, and a new donkey named Ace.”

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FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

SPRING BOOK SALE

APRIL
SAT. 18 & SUN. 19
9 AM - 4 PM

MEMBERS ONLY PREVIEW ON FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 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 Spring 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.

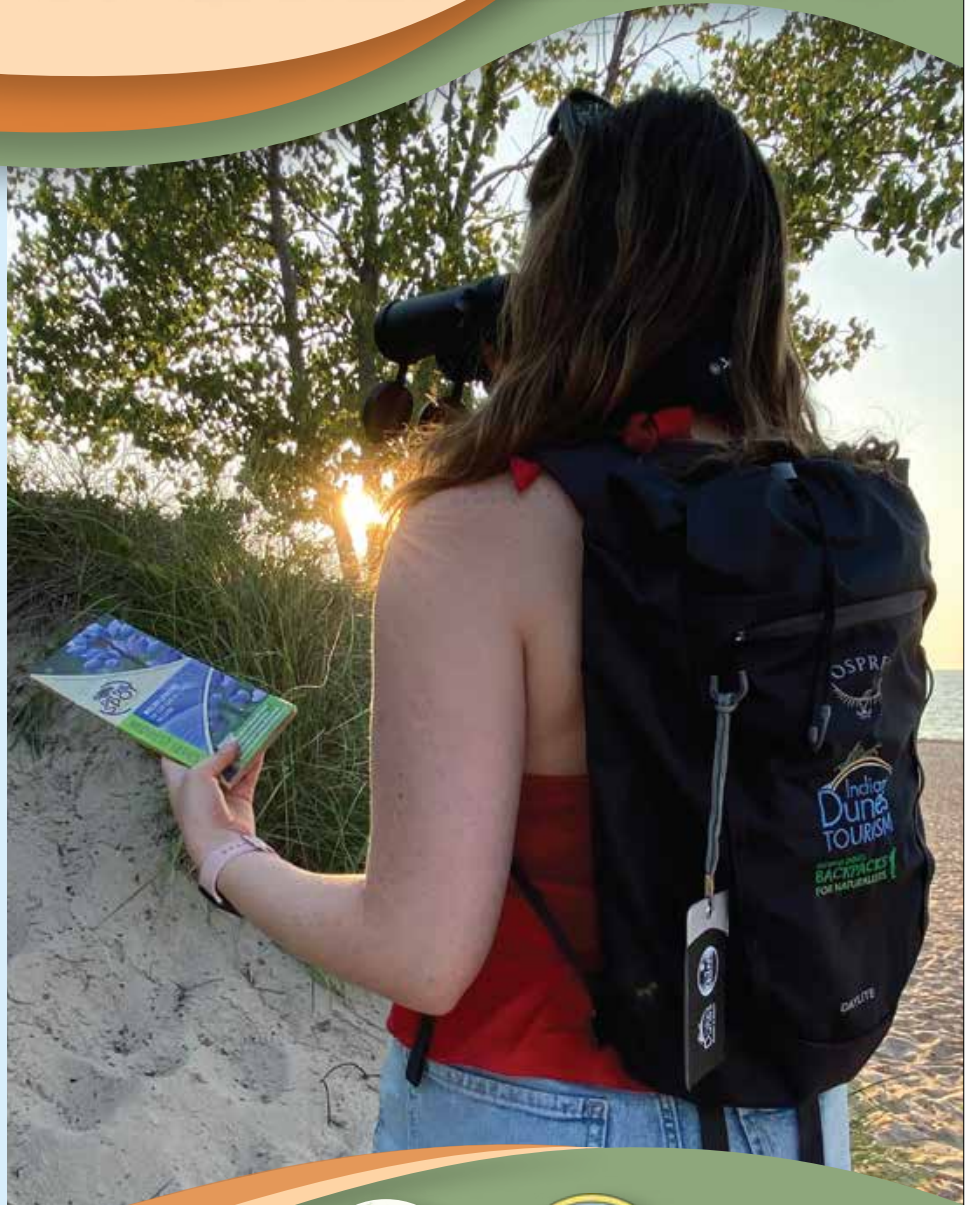
Proceeds from the sale are donated to WPL and help fund programs for all ages.



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BACKPACKS FOR NATURALISTS

Discover the natural beauty that surrounds us. Check out a backpack - it contains binoculars for children and adults, field guides, activity ideas, and other useful items for your adventure. Get out there and explore!



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*Backpacks and their contents provided by
Indiana Dunes Tourism and Friends of Indiana Dunes*

ADULT CRAFT:

Scandinavian Spring Bunnies



**WEDNESDAY,
APRIL 15
6:30 PM**

Join us to learn a bit about the history behind popular Scandinavian folk art designs, and then decorate your own ceramic bunny statue to welcome the return of Spring.

For adults ages 18 and up.

Thomas Branch

Registration opens APRIL 8

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



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Popular Books

DISCUSSION GROUP

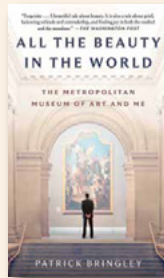
Monday, April 6 • 2-3:30 PM

THOMAS BRANCH

All the Beauty in the World: The Metropolitan Museum of Art and Me by Patrick Bringley

A former writer for *The New Yorker* quits his job to find solace in the beautiful surroundings of the Metropolitan Museum of Art as a guard. Two million square feet of unrestricted access to some of the world's finest artworks becomes his temporary refuge for 10 years.

This program is for adults ages 18 and up.



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

Next Month's Book Club Date: **MAY 4**

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April AUTHOR TALKS ONLINE

Westchester Public Library Webinars and Online Events
Registration at: libraryc.org/wpl

Nonfiction



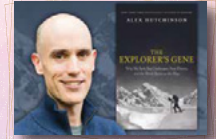
SMITHSONIAN'S VALERIE NEAL
Thursday, April 2
1 PM

Fiction



BRAD TAYLOR
Tuesday, April 14
6 PM

Health & Wellness



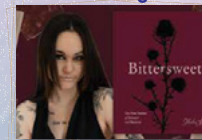
ALEX HUTCHINSON
Thursday, April 16
1 PM

Variety & Lifestyle



MIRANDA COWLEY HELLER
Wednesday, April 22nd
1 PM

Cooking



THALIA HO
Thursday, April 23
6 PM

Children - Grades 4-6



JASON REYNOLDS
Thursday, April 30
6 PM

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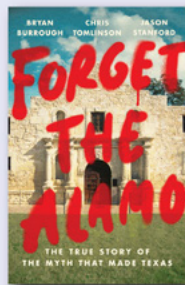


NIGHT OWL BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, April 29 • 6:30 PM
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Forget the Alamo by Bryan Burrough, Chris Tomlinson, and Jason Stanford

Three noted Texan writers combine forces to tell the real story of the Alamo, dispelling the myths, exploring why they had their day for so long, and explaining why the ugly fight about its meaning is now coming to a head.



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

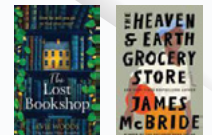
This program is for adults ages 18 and up.

Registration opens **MARCH 18**

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

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WPL BOOK CLUB KITS



Over 100 fiction and non-fiction Book Club Kit titles available to check out.

Host your own book club with a kit from Westchester Public Library! Each kit includes multiple copies of the same title, and a list of discussion questions.

Create new friendships, strengthen bonds, and learn all sorts of interesting things by sharing a book together.



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Watch the film on your own and gather to discuss with other movie lovers! This title is available to stream on Kanopy and on DVD at the library.

FILM DISCUSSION: DHEEPAN



**THURSDAY,
APRIL 2
6:30-7:30 PM**
BAUGHER CENTER

Dheepan is a French film by Jacques Audiard that won the prestigious Palme d'Or at the 2015 Cannes Film Festival, telling the story of three Sri Lankan refugees—a former Tamil Tiger soldier, a woman, and a young girl—who pose as a family to escape civil war, only to find themselves caught in the violence of a rough Parisian housing project, blurring lines between a social drama and a thriller as they struggle to adapt and survive.

For adults ages 18 and up.

Registration IS OPEN

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

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fiber arts circle

**MONDAYS
APRIL 6
MAY 4
JUNE 8
1:30 PM**

Join our Fiber Arts Circle and connect with fellow makers who love all things yarn and thread! Bring your knitting, crochet, embroidery, weaving, or any other fiber arts project to work on in a welcoming, creative space. Whether you're a beginner or a seasoned artist, you'll have the chance to share ideas, ask questions, learn new techniques, and find inspiration. All skill levels are welcome.

For adults ages 18 and up.

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Registration is OPEN

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

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Adult Craft: Sea Glass Bird Canvas



**TUESDAY, APRIL 7
1-2 PM**

Add your own flair to this adorable sea glass canvas.
This program is for adults ages 18 and up.

Hageman Branch

Registration opens
MARCH 31

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

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ADULT PROGRAM:

Miles and Smiles Walking Club

For Adults Ages 18 and Up



Get your steps in with a 1.5 mile walk leaving from the **THOMAS BRANCH**.
New routes each week!

**TUESDAYS,
APRIL
7 • 14 • 21 • 28
2-2:45 PM**

Please note that walking and standing are required for this program. A water bottle, hat, and sunscreen is recommended. Hand weights are welcome. Walk lasts approximately 45 minutes. Registration is required. If a walk is canceled due to weather (rain/snow, temperature, air quality), it will not be rescheduled.

Registration is OPEN!

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

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RESOURCES FOR RECOVERY:

Substance Use Disorder Support and Naloxone Training



Opioid overdoses can happen to anyone—a friend, a family member, a neighbor. You can make a difference!

Monday, April 6 • 6:30 PM

Join Samantha Aguilar, from ROOT Committee and HUB Coalition Porter County to learn:

- ✓ How to recognize the signs of an opioid overdose
- ✓ How to administer a life-saving dose of naloxone (commonly referred to as Narcan)
- ✓ How to find local, state, and nationwide harm reduction resources for support

Plus, each attendee will receive a \$10 Walmart e-gift card!
For adults ages 18 and up.

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Registration opens MARCH 28

Register online at wpl.lib.in.us or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.



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ONLINE FINANCE 101

Thursday April 16, 6:30 PM

Please join us for an informative discussion filled with tips and strategies to grow and protect your money online. Topics discussed will include recognizing scams, best security practices, and popular online investment strategies. For adults ages 18 and up.

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Registration opens APRIL 9
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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ADULT CRAFT

Hammered Flower Art

Thursday, April 23
1:30 or 6:30 PM

Make beautiful greeting cards using real flowers and a hammer. All supplies will be provided in this beginner-friendly crafting experience. For adults ages 18 and up.

Baughner Center

Registration opens April 16
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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WPL'S SUNDAY MATINEE

ONE BATTLE AFTER ANOTHER

WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY PAUL THOMAS ANDERSON

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SUNDAY, APRIL 26 AT 1:30 PM
BAUGHNER CENTER
100 W. INDIANA AVENUE, CHESTERTON, IN

FREE POPCORN!

STUDY ROOMS AT WPL!

Looking for a private, professional space to take a phone call or host a virtual meeting? WPL now offers soundproof, individual study rooms at Thomas and Hageman!

Each Study Room provides:

- active ventilation, refreshing the air once per minute
- its own electrical outlet and USB port to plug in and charge phones or laptops

They are a great option for telehealth or teletherapy meetings, or virtual interviews!

Give us a call or stop in to reserve your own study room at Westchester Public Library.

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**ADULT CRAFT KIT:
THREE LITTLE BIRDS
CROSS STITCH KIT**



Add a touch of spring to your home while learning a new skill. For adults ages 18 and up.

**Registration opens
APRIL 30**

Register online or by calling 219-926-9080 to reserve your kit. This kit is picked up from **HAGEMAN** from **May 7-14**.

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*Building
a Bird
Habitat at
Home*

**Friday,
May 15
3-4:30 PM**



*Baughner
Center*

**Registration
opens MAY 1**

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

From backyard songbirds to long-distance migrants, birds depend on healthy landscapes to survive—and your garden can be part of a much larger story. This presentation introduces *Living in the Dunes: A Homeowner's Landscaping Guide for Bird Conservation in Indiana's Coastal Communities*, a new resource created by Save the Dunes to help Northwest Indiana gardeners transform home landscapes into meaningful bird habitat.


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MAKE IT A GAME NIGHT
Our Thomas and Hageman Branches have over 500 games available to check out for patrons of all ages.



*Happy
Tales*

Sharing everyday, positive interactions to spread "library joy"!



From a staff member at StoryPoint, Chesterton:
"The ladies attending StoryPoint's twice-monthly Book Club—all voracious readers—extend our gratitude for your staff's assistance, help, and kindness."

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.

FOR TEENS & TWEENS

SURVIVAL SKILLS

FOR TEENS IN GRADES 7-12

WEDNESDAY,
APRIL 22
5:30 PM

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Registration opens
APRIL 15

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

Do you love dystopian fiction, or stories about "the end of the world"? Level up with some practical, real-life skill-building! Attendees will learn some basic survival skills, including how to mend clothing and make hardtack.



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Lo-Fi HANGOUT

FOR TEENS IN GRADES 7-12

**TUESDAY, APRIL 7
6-7 PM**

*De-stress with us!
Stop by to listen to chill music, chat with friends, and do relaxing crafts and games.*

THOMAS-TEEN SPACE

Registration opens **MARCH 31**
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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FOR TWEENS & TEENS IN GRADES 5-12

TEEN CHESS CLUB

**FRIDAY, APRIL 10
4:30-5:30 PM**

Chess players of all skill levels are welcome to come play, learn, and socialize.

TEEN SPACE

REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 3
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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ANIME & MANGA CLUB

ALL ABOUT MANGA

**THURSDAY, APRIL 16
6-7 PM**

FOR TWEENS IN GRADES 5-8

Our monthly meeting for fans to discuss and enjoy anime and manga. This month we will be focusing our main discussions on manga and leaving some time to read.

THOMAS TEEN SPACE

REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 9
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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TEEN ADVISORY BOARD

FOR TEENS IN GRADES 9-12

**FRIDAY, APRIL 24
4:30 PM**

Teens are invited to come share their opinions and ideas related to teen use of the Library (materials and programs) and how we can improve! Attending a TAB meeting counts as 1 hour of volunteer service.

Thomas Teen Space

Registration opens **APRIL 17**
Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your spot.

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MYTHS & FOLKLORE: **INDIANA**

FOR TWEENS IN GRADES 5-8

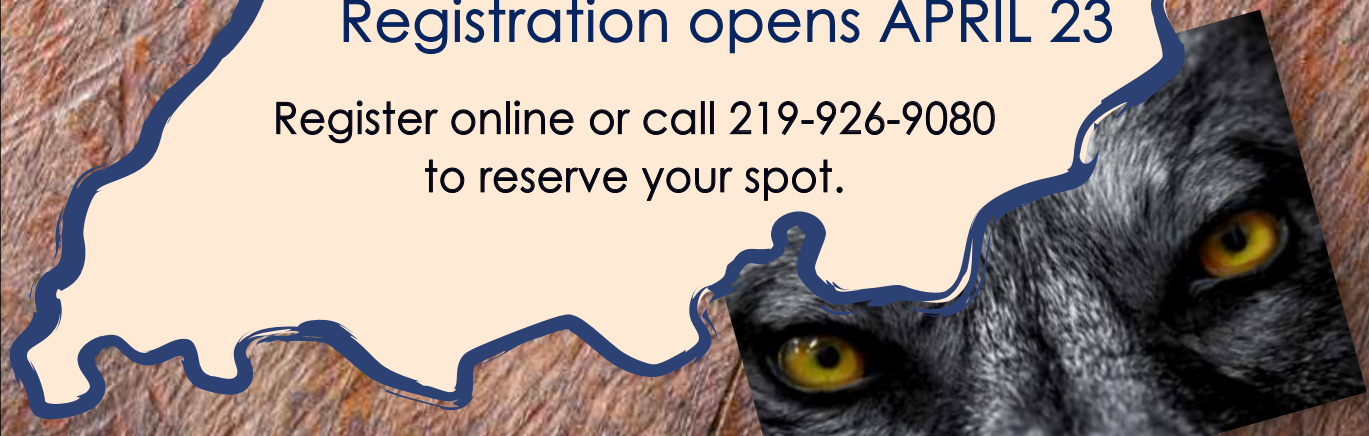
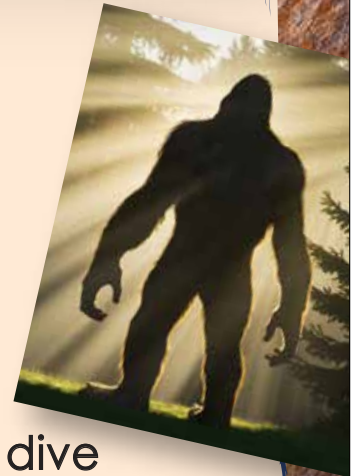
**Thursday,
April 30
4:30 PM**

Explore the world with us as we dive into various myths and folklore legends. This month we will be learning and chatting about the lore of Indiana!

**HAGEMAN
BRANCH**

Registration opens APRIL 23

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to reserve your spot.



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MAGAZINES OF INTEREST



ADDitude (Thomas print) (Juvenile)

ADDitude is the quarterly consumer publication about attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADD/ADHD). 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.



Kiplinger Retirement Report (Thomas print)

Kiplinger's Retirement Report provides authoritative help to plan and enjoy a worry-free retirement. Every month you'll find dozens of practical strategies to help grow your retirement savings, make your money last in retirement, and find the best mutual and bond funds. Additionally, you'll get advice on how to get the best rates on U.S. Treasuries, CDs, and money-market funds. Learn how to maximize Social Security and Medicare benefits, create a comprehensive estate plan, reduce health care and insurance costs, minimize taxes, find the best travel deals, discover great second career opportunities, and more.

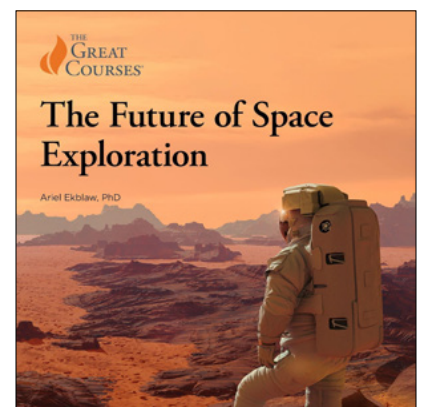
GREAT COURSES

The Future of Space Exploration (DVD)

More than half a century after humans first walked on the Moon, exciting new space adventures are in the works. Thanks to major advances in rocketry, robotics, and other space technologies, humanity is on the verge of returning to the Moon, exploring Mars, building permanent orbiting space stations, expanding space tourism, and pushing the boundaries of exploration throughout the solar system and beyond.

The Future of Space Exploration explores these exciting developments in 12 half-hour episodes, hosted by aerospace engineer and executive Dr. Ariel Ekblaw. She is joined by experts from diverse space-related fields, each offering unique insights on this greatest of all adventures.

By the end of this course, you'll gain a deeper understanding of the challenges, innovations, and possibilities of space exploration—and maybe even be inspired to take part in it yourself!



FOR KIDS



Puns & Positivity

For
Kids in
Grades K-4

**THURSDAY,
APRIL 16
4-5 PM**

Explore humorous puns and the power of encouragement. We will read stories and craft tissue paper cupcakes and fortune cookies.

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CRAFT KIT
BUGS and BLOSSOMS
 FOR KIDS AGES 2-5

Make a paper flower and bug craft to celebrate spring.

Registration opens APRIL 13

Register online or call 219-926-7696 to reserve your kit. This kit may be picked up at **Thomas** from April 20 - 27

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BRICK ZONE
 For Kids in Grades K-4

THURSDAY, APRIL 23
4-5 PM

We provide the LEGO, you provide the imagination! Join us and other LEGO Master Builders for our monthly building challenge. Your creation will be displayed at the library.

HAGEMAN BRANCH
 Registration opens **APRIL 16**
 Register online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your spot.

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CRAFTERNOONS
PICK-UP CRAFT KIT
 at the Hageman Branch

POMPOM FLAG

Commemorate Memorial Day with this colorful and tactile flag craft kit.

This craft kit is for ages 2-6.

Registration opens APRIL 27

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

This craft kit may be picked up at **HAGEMAN** from **MAY 4-11**.

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CRAFT KIT:
SUNFLOWER GROWING KIT
TAKE & GROW!

FOR KIDS IN GRADES K-4

Get ready to grow something amazing! Plant your seeds, give them sunshine and water, and see how big your sunflower can grow! This fun, hands-on activity is a great way for kids to learn about plants, nature, and gardening.

Registration opens MAY 7

Reserve your kit online or call the Hageman Branch at 219-926-9080. This kit is picked up at **HAGEMAN** from **MAY 14-21**

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For Babies 9-24 Months and Their Caregivers

Join Miss Ronnie for an interactive program filled with songs, short books, fingerplays, puppets, and nursery rhymes.

TUESDAYS, 10-10:30 AM or 11-11:30 AM

3/31 • 4/7 • 4/14 • 4/21

FRIDAYS, 10-10:30 AM

4/10 • 4/17 • 4/24

HAGEMAN BRANCH

Registration opens **MARCH 24**

Register for this **four-week session** online or call 219-926-9080 to reserve your spot.



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GRUNGE TRIVIA NIGHT

Tuesday, April 28

7-8 PM

Bring your flannel shirts, Doc Martens, and favorite band t-shirt to this month's Grunge Trivia Night! Test your knowledge of the music, culture, and people of the 90s Grunge scene. For adults ages 18 and up. Teams of 1-4 can vie for the prize. Seating is first come, first served. Doors open at 6:45 PM.

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For more information call 219-983-9715.



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MUSIC AT THE MUSEUM (AT THOMAS LIBRARY)

Join the Flashbacks in the Bertha Wood Room 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 comprised of Suzanne Keldsen, Jim Nelson, Marti Pizzini, and Lynn Edgemon. This program is for all ages.

**THURSDAY,
APRIL 9
2 - 3 PM**


For more information call 219-983-9715.

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

**Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
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 newspapers, medicine and more



Ancestry Library Edition
 Genealogical Research

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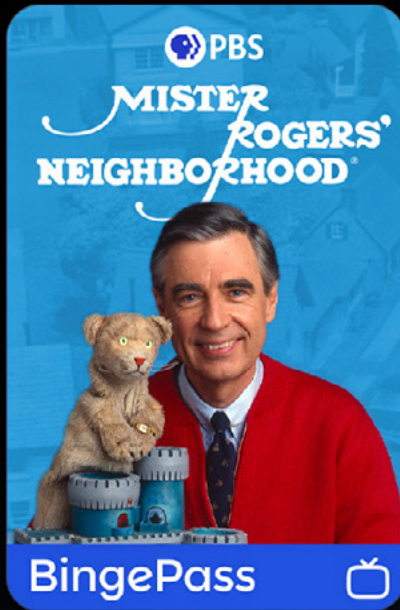


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Check out the 24/7 digital lineup at wpl.lib.in.us, including: ebooks • audiobooks • comics/graphic novels • movies • TV • magazines • music

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Libby.

The library reading app



CURBSIDE PICKUP

Curbside Pickup hours:
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.

4. Pickup! Roll open your window or pop your trunk and staff will bring your bagged hold items out to your parking space for you. They will conveniently close your trunk if opened.

5. Pull out and enjoy your Library materials!

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- Library materials delivered to your door every three weeks
- Stop or restart the service at any time

To learn more about WPL's Home Delivery, please call the Thomas Library Branch at 219-926-7696.

WPL TECH HELP

Get help with apps, email, and devices including phones, tablets, and laptops.



FREE SERVICE

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YouTube

Check out the WPL YouTube channel and find a rich collection of videos from the Westchester Township History Museum featuring local history, notable Duneland residents, and facts about the dunes and lakeshore.

 **Duneland Ghost Towns Series**

 **Everyday is Earth Day Series**

 **Duneland's Swedish Immigrants Series**

 **Becoming Westchester Township Series**

Find the YouTube link at wpl.lib.in.us



THE WiFi IS ON AT ALL WPL LOCATIONS, INSIDE AND OUT!

FREE WiFi

NEW MOVIE & TELEVISION SERIES RELEASES

TV Series: *The SpongeBob Movie: Search for Squarepants* // **Rating:** PG

Synopsis: Desperate to be a big guy, SpongeBob sets out to prove his bravery to Mr. Krabs by following The Flying Dutchman, a mysterious swashbuckling ghost pirate, on a seafaring adventure that takes him to the deepest depths of the deep sea, where no Sponge has gone before.

Movie Title: *The Housemaid* // **Rating:** R

Synopsis: Trying to escape her past, Millie Calloway accepts a job as a live-in housemaid for the wealthy Nina and Andrew Winchester. But what begins as a dream job quickly unravels into something far more dangerous—a sexy, seductive game of secrets, scandal, and power.

Movie Title: *Killers of the Flower Moon* // **Rating:** R

Synopsis: When oil is discovered in 1920s Oklahoma under Osage Nation land, the Osage people are murdered one by one until the FBI steps in to unravel the mystery.

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WPL WILL BE CLOSED

Friday, April 3 in observance of Good Friday

The Thomas Branch will be open
Saturday, April 4, from 9 am-5 pm.

The Hageman Branch will be open
Saturday, April 4, from 1-5 pm.

WPL will be closed on Sunday, April 5 - Happy Easter!

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Press start
on an exciting
Summer Reading
adventure!

ALL AGES are
invited to our
Kickoff Party at
both Thomas
and Hageman,
where you can
sign up for
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