



CROWN POINT COMMUNITY LIBRARY Crown Point • Winfield

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Library News & Events

APRIL 2017

Locations

CROWN POINT LIBRARY
122 N. Main Street
Crown Point, IN 46307
(219) 663-0270

Hours:
Monday - Thursday
9 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday 9 - 5 p.m.
Saturday 9 - 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 - 5 p.m.

WINFIELD LIBRARY
10771 Randolph St.
Crown Point, IN 46307
(219) 662-4039

Hours:
Monday, Wednesday
10 - 6 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday
10 - 8 p.m.
Friday 10 - 5 p.m.
Saturday 9 - 2 p.m.
Sunday CLOSED

Library Meetings

Friends of the Library -
Tuesday, April 11 at 10 a.m.

Board of Trustees, -
Monday, April 24 at 5 p.m. at
the Winfield Branch Library
Public Welcome!

2017 Library Closings

January 1, 2
March 17
April 16
May 29, 30
July 4
September 3, 4
October 10
November 22 at 5 p.m., 23, 24
December 24, 25, 26, 31

Spring Tea Literary Luncheon May 13, 2017

The Friends are hosting a spring tea literary luncheon. Ticket are \$25 per person and includes lunch, a presentation on tea and a tea tasting. Tickets go on sale April 3 at the Crown Point Library Circulation Desk. Details on page 7.

Non-Fiction Audio CDs

Non-Fiction Audio CDs have moved to the 2nd floor adjacent to the Quiet Room. Be sure to look for over 50 new non-fiction audio CDs recently added to the collection. Moving this collection allows additional room for new purchases of audio CDs in both the fiction and non-fiction collections. A complete list of new Audio Books is available at the new location.

Spring Book Sale - April 27 & 28

The Friends will host their spring book sale on Thursday, April 27 from 1-7 p.m. and Friday, April 28 from 10 - 3 p.m. Thousands of used books and other items are offered including: children's books, large print, fiction and non-fiction, compact discs, video cassettes and DVDs, talking books and more! Fill a bag of books and other items for only \$5! What a great deal!

Not a Friend? Now is the time to join. Purchase a \$5 bag of books on Thursday and get a one year membership FREE! **This special offer is only available on Thursday night.**

The book sale is held in the Tri Kappa Meeting Room at the CP Library. Volunteers interested in helping to set up and work at the sale should sign up at the Circulation Desk at the Crown Point Library or call 306-4599.

The Board of Trustees will hold their April meeting at the Winfield Branch Library on Monday, April 24 at 5 p.m. The public is welcome!

Food for Fines, brings back patrons and supports local shelter

The Crown Point Community Library is offering patrons an opportunity to clear up unpaid library fines by donating food/supplies to St. Jude House. The 2017 "Food For Fines" program will run from **Sunday, April 9 through Saturday, April 15.**

The "Food for Fines" campaign will allow patrons to donate an item from the list (right) for \$1 fine forgiveness (up to \$20) on their card. Now is the opportunity to get yourself back on track and back in the library to borrow more materials. It also benefits the St. Jude House with much needed supplies.

Please note that items donated as part of the "Food For Fines" cannot be applied towards the cost of lost or damaged items. Items returned must be in good condition.

If you don't have overdue items you can still make a donation and receive a \$1 coupon for the Friends of the Library Ongoing Book Sale. One coupon per person.

Food For Fines Supports St. Jude House

PERSONAL HYGIENE NEEDS

Deodorant, body wash (baby & adult), over-the-counter medications, hair brushes, African American Hair Products.

NON-PERISHABLE FOODS

Cereals, spaghetti noodles/sauce, canned vegetables or fruit, tuna, fruit juices (apple, white grape), soups, ravioli, stuffing, boxed desserts, crackers, ketchup/mustard, mayo, coffee/creamer, rice/noodle side dishes, cooking oil, sugar, granola bars, peanut butter or cheese crackers, pancake mix, syrup, oatmeal, peanut butter, jelly, salt & pepper.

-- Winfield Branch Library Programs --

STORY TIME - Registration required.

BOOK BABIES (0-3 years)

Mondays at 10:30 a.m. on April 3, 10, 17
Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. on April 4, 11, 18

LITTLE LISTENERS (3-5 years)

Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. on April 4, 11, 18

PAPERCRAFTING WITH SUZETTE

Thursday, April 13 at 10 a.m.

Join your fellow paper crafters as we make three projects. Registration is required and a supply fee of \$6 will be collected at the time of class. Register online or call 662-4039.

WINFIELD BOOK GROUP

2nd Tuesdays of the month at 1-2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 11: Boys in the Boat, Daniel James Brown
Tuesday, May 9: Boston Girl, Anita Diamant
Tuesday, June 13: Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy, Rachel Joyce
Tuesday, July 11: NO BOOK, Book Share

Ask for the books at the Circulation Desk. NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME! For more information: call Julie 306-4597.

WEDNESDAY MORNING KNITTERS

Every Wednesday from 10 - 12 p.m.

Join fellow knitters as they work and share their craft. Beginners and experienced people are welcome! Bring your own supplies. Registration is not required.

EDUCATION FOR YOUR DESTINATION!

Join Cynthia Pandoff from Pampalone Travel & Cruise and get educated about planning your trip and other travel tips. These travel seminars are FREE and will be offered at the Winfield Branch Library. Registration required. Space is limited, please pre-register by calling 662-4039.

Hawaiian Islands

Tuesday, April 25 at 6 p.m.

Summer Vacation Destinations: Thursday, May 23 at 6 p.m.

NOURISH SERIES

The Winfield Branch Library has partnered with the Purdue Extension Office to bring you a *Nourish Your Body* Series. These educational seminars are free and registration is required by calling Linda Curley at (219) 755-3242.

Nourish Your Brain

Tuesday, April 18 at 1 p.m.

- Tuesday, May 16 - Nourish Your Bones/Joints at 1 p.m.
- Tuesday, June 20 - Nourish Your Muscles at 10:30 a.m.
- Monday, July 10 - Nourish Your Digestive System at 1 p.m.
- Tuesday, August 22 - Nourish Your Skin at 1 p.m.
- Tuesday, September 19 - Nourish Your Heart at 1 p.m.
- Tuesday, October 24 - Nourish Your Immune system at 1 p.m.



There's **SOMETHING FOWL** in the Library

Tuesday, April 4 | 1 p.m.
Registration required.



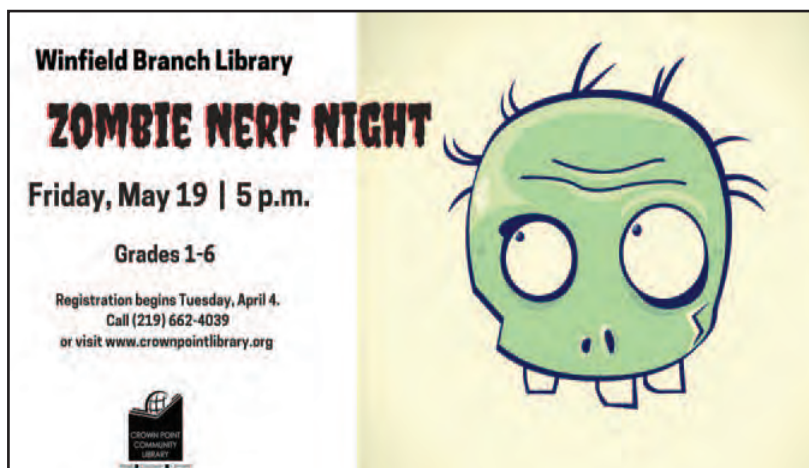
@ WINFIELD BRANCH LIBRARY!
For children in grades 1-5.
Registration required.

LEGO CLUB

TUESDAY, APRIL 4 AT 6 P.M.

Come to the library with your imagination and build some amazing Lego creations. Legos will be provided. Creations will be displayed in the library with the builder's name. Caregiver must stay at the library during Lego Club.

FREE!




Winfield Branch Library

ZOMBIE NERF NIGHT

Friday, May 19 | 5 p.m.

Grades 1-6

Registration begins Tuesday, April 4.
Call (219) 662-4039
or visit www.crownpointlibrary.org



-- Crown Point Library Programs--

📌Registration Required.

Online at www.crownpointlibrary.org or call 306-8068.

GREYT READERS

Saturdays, April 1 at 10 a.m.

Stop in between 10 - 11 a.m. to read a story to greyhounds from American Greyhound.

📌LEGOS AT THE LIBRARY

Thursday, April 6

Free Build (ages 5 -7) 4:30 p.m.

Use the library's legos to build whatever you can imagine. All creations will be disassembled at the end of the class. Registration required.

Challenge (ages 6-10) 5:30 p.m.

Use your imagination to complete a Lego challenge. Challenge contest creations will be displayed and voted on for our Lego contest. All masterpieces will be on display for one month. Registration required.

OPEN PLAY:

Friday, April 7 at 11 a.m.

(ages 1-5 with a caregiver)

Theme: Let's Go Exploring

📌ART ALIVE:

Saturday, April 8 at 10 a.m.

Children ages 6-10 are invited to experience the art of Frank Stella while creating an original masterpiece.

📌SCIENCE EXPERIENCE: EGGS

Monday, April 10

Elementary-aged students are invited to experience science.

- 2:30 p.m. for homeschool students
- 4:30 p.m. for students grades 3-5.

📌PEEPS CATAPULT CHALLENGE!

Tuesday, April 11 at 4:30 p.m.

Students in grades 4 and up are invited to build a catapult to launch Easter Peeps! Do you have what it takes to shoot your marshmallow candy the furthest?!

📌EXPERIENCE THE TITANIC

Thursday, April 13 at 5 p.m.

Students in grades 3-6 are invited to experience what it was like to be a passenger aboard the RMS Titanic. Learn about the events that took place on April 15, 1912.

DUPLO CLUB:

Friday, April 14 at 11 a.m.

Children ages 2-5 with a caregiver join in the fun and build a creation with Duplos in our Program Room.

📌SILLY SOCK MONSTERS

Saturday, April 22 at 2 p.m.

Students in grades 3-6 are invited to practice basic sewing skills while creating silly sock monsters.

📌MAKE-UP TEST KITCHEN

Tuesday, April 25 at 4 p.m.

Students grades 6 and up are invited to learn how to make their own lip gloss using crayons! Participants will be able to take home their creations!

📌FIREFLY AWARD STORYTIME

Friday April 28 at 10 a.m.

For children ages 2 - 6. Help choose this year's Firefly Award winner! Join us for songs and rhymes as we read the nominees. Children will be able to vote for their favorite.

FAMILY MOVIE MATINEE
Every Sunday at 1:30 p.m.
Free. No registration necessary.
Children's Library Program Room.

STORY TIME

Registration required

*Terrific Two's

(ages 24-36 months)

Tuesdays at 10 or 11 a.m. on
March 7 - April 18

*Preschool Pals (ages 3-5):

Wednesdays at 10 or 11a.m. on
March 8 - April 19

*Book Babies

(ages birth-24 months):

Thursdays at 10 or 11 a.m. on
March 9 - April 20

**Little Listeners (ages 4 & 5):

Fridays at 10 a.m. on
March 24 - April 21

*Child attends with caregiver.

** Caregiver remains inside the
Children's Department.



-- Crown Point Library Programs--

Hiroya Tsukamoto- Japanese Guitarist

Monday, April 24 at 6 p.m.

CP Library Meeting Rooms

Hiroya is a one-of-a-kind composer, guitarist and singer-songwriter from Kyoto, Japan. He began playing the five-string banjo when he was thirteen, and took up the guitar shortly after.

In 2000, Hiroya received a scholarship to Berklee College of Music and came to the United States. He formed his own group in Boston "INTEROCEANICO (inter-oceanic)" which consists of unique musicians from different continents including Latin Grammy nominee Colombian singer Marta Gomez. The group released three acclaimed records ("The Other Side of the World", "Confluencia" and "Where the River Shines"). Hiroya released two solo albums ("Heartland" and "Places") from Japanese record label 333 discs.

Hiroya has been leading concerts internationally including several appearances at Blue Note in New York City with his group and Japanese National Television. He performs more than one hundred shows a year across the U.S. and internationally.



AARP Safe Driver

Tuesday, April 11 at 10 - 2:15 p.m. in

CP Library Meeting Room 1

Call Jeanette at 219-949-6307 to register for the class. The library provides this course in partnership with the AARP. Be sure to bring your driver's license, AARP card, snack/drink, and a sweater.

Franciscan Health Series

Concussions

Thursday, April 20 at 1 p.m.

Concussions are a type of traumatic brain injury that causes the brain to shake inside the skull. This type of injury can cause dizziness, headaches, slurred speech, irritability, drowsiness, confusion, nausea, seizures and many other symptoms. Once an individual has suffered a concussion they are more than twice as likely to suffer a second concussion. Franciscan Health Crown Point's Sports Medicine program will discuss the signs and symptoms of a concussion and how they can work closely with the athletes and their families to customize concussion treatment plans to assist the individual in returning to normal activities.

Free Health Screening

Monday, April 24 from 1- 3 p.m.

CP Library Meeting Room 2

Clinical Home Health will provide free blood pressure and blood sugar tests each month on the 4th Monday of the month.

Pet Allergies

Tuesday, April 25 at 6:00 p.m.

CP Library Meeting Room 1

Itchy Dog? Your Pup May Have Allergies. It's spring, and allergy season is in full bloom. Just like with people, seasonal allergies can make your dog miserable this time of year. Sadly, for some dogs, food allergies and other sensitivities can extend that misery year round.

Don't let your pup suffer. Join us as we continue the library's Pet Health and Wellness series with an in-depth discussion on pet allergies.

This session will help you:

- Learn the true cause of allergies
- Recognize the many symptoms of a pet allergy
- Understand how to treat or manage your pet's allergy
- Don't miss this important event!

Program sponsored by Woof Life and Always Real Food.

Handbell Choir Concert

April 29 3:00 p.m.

CP Library Meeting Rooms

Come enjoy an hour of beautiful handbell music at the CP Library. The Valparaiso University Resurrection Ringers, an ensemble which is completely run by the students, and Harmony Handbells Community Choir, made up of volunteer bell ringers, will play a variety of handbell music. The concert will include full 5-octave pieces, small ensemble pieces, handbells with handchimes, and one piece with a band accompaniment. A group of beginning ringers will also play a piece. Refreshments will be served.

-- Crown Point Library Programs--

Creative Classes

Check out some of our craft groups for adults. New participants are always welcome. No need to register, just drop in. *All craft groups are free and held at the Crown Point location unless otherwise noted. Please check the event calendar for specific dates.*

Crochet Group:

Mondays from 9 - 11 a.m.

Under Cover Quilters:

Tuesdays from 10 - 3 a.m.

Wednesday Afternoon Knitters:

Wed. from 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Playing with Paper

Monday, April 10 from 10 - 12 p.m.

This is a non-structured setting with no instruction provided. Bring all of your own materials and equipment to make cards, scrapbook pages, or other projects. Share ideas and get inspiration from your fellow papercrafters. No Registration required. No supply fee.

Poetry Appreciation

April is National Poetry Appreciation Month! A display of poetry books can be found in the Reference area and Children's Library. Check out a poetry book and add a little beauty in your life. An additional display of Indiana poets and Indiana-themed poetry can be found in the Indiana Room during the month of April.

Every April the Academy of American Poets sponsors "Poem in Your Pocket Day" and encourages people to celebrate by selecting a poem, carrying it with them, and sharing it with others throughout the day. The library will celebrate National Poetry Appreciation Month and Poem in Your Pocket Day by providing "Poems for Your Pocket" at the Circulation Desk April 24-30.

National Library Week - April 9-15

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA). It is a time to highlight the changing role of libraries, librarians and library workers. The Crown Point Community Library joins libraries in schools, campuses and communities nationwide in celebrating the dynamic changes that are happening in today's libraries.

Libraries today are more about what they do, for and with library users, as opposed to what they have for patrons. Libraries aren't only a place of quiet study, but also creative and engaging community centers where people can access resources that can transform their lives. Libraries of all types are evolving to meet the needs of the communities they serve.

The Crown Point Community Library transforms the community in the following ways:

- Provides access to a variety of print and digital resources that can be accessed in person or online.
- Provides free WiFi access and computer access
- Provides early literacy storytime programming for children
- Provides information and resources to meet individualized needs
- Provides high-quality programming for individuals of all ages
- Provides one-on-one technology classes and help sessions
- Provides James C. Conlon Community Literacy Center to facilitate adult literacy
- Provides access to information about Library resources at Outreach events in the community

Color Your Stress Away:

Coloring for Grown-ups
Mon., April 24 from 1-3 p.m.
Meeting Room 3

Papercrafting with Suzette

Registration is required and a supply fee of \$6 will be collected at the time of class.

Register online or call 306-4593.

- Tuesday, April 18 at 10 a.m. or 1 p.m. OR
- Thursday, April 20 at 5:45 p.m.

Games at the Library

Come join other game enthusiasts at the library while learning a new game. The CP Library hosts two weekly game groups. Both groups welcome new players at any time, and will provide basic instruction on how to play the game.

Mahjong: Meets every Thursday from 1-3 p.m. in the Tri Kappa Meeting Room.

Mahjong Instruction meets Thursday, April 6 from 1-3 p.m. for in-depth instruction on the game. Beginners are encouraged to attend.

Descendant Drop-In: The Genealogy Help Program

The new genealogy program from the Crown Point Community Library Indiana Room is here to help with your genealogy questions and stumbers. **Stop by the Indiana Room the second Monday of every month from 10 - 12 p.m. for assistance.** This is intended for quick questions and help; if you require additional services you may be asked to make an appointment.

Want to learn more? Visit the Indiana Room on the second floor in the Reference Department. There are books, old newspapers, and other items to view and learn about Crown Point, Lake County, and Indiana. Or, you can visit the Indiana Room's online blog *If Solon Could See Us Now?* at <https://crown-pointlibrary.org/research/indianaroom/if-solon-could-see-us-now>.

Are you on Twitter? The Indiana Room is! Follow @CPCL_INRoom for tweets on genealogy, preservation, and history.

April 23-29 is National Volunteer Week!

The Crown Point Community Library is thankful for all the teen and adult volunteers that help make the library an even better place. Many library programs are supported by dedicated volunteers that lend a helping hand to library staff members. Thanks for all you do!

If you are interested in volunteer work at the library, ask for the Volunteer Application at any public service desk. Another great way to support the library is to join the Friends of the Crown Point Community Library. The Friends help by doing fundraising to support programming and materials for the library.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS
Crown Point Community Library
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Spring/Summer 2017 Titles

"3RD MONDAY AT 1" - CROWN POINT LIBRARY
1:00-2:30 p.m.

- Monday, April 17: Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy,
Rachel Joyce
- Monday, May 15: Lottery, Patricia Wood
- Monday, June 19: Boys in the Boat,
Daniel James Brown
- Monday, July 17: NO BOOK, Book Share

EVENING BOOK GROUP- CROWN POINT LIBRARY
6:00-7:30 p.m.

- Thursday, April 13: The Particular Sadness of Lemon Cake,
Aimee Bender
- Thursday, May 11: Small Blessings, Martha Woodroof
- Thursday, June 8: Arcadia Falls, Carol Goodman
- Thursday, July 13: NO BOOK, Book Share

WINFIELD BRANCH LIBRARY BOOK GROUP
1:00-2:30 p.m.

- Tuesday, April 11: Boys in the Boat,
Daniel James Brown
- Tuesday, May 9: Boston Girl,
Anita Diamant
- Tuesday, June 13: Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy,
Rachel Joyce
- Tuesday, July 11: NO BOOK, Book Share

NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

Ask for the books at the Circulation Desk.
For more information about the library's book clubs or
"Book Club To Go" kits, call Julie at 306-4597 or
email jwendorf@crownpoinlibrary.org

Movies @ Your Library!



FREE! Meeting Room 2
Popcorn will be served.

MOVIE MATINEE

Monday, April 10 at 1:30 p.m.



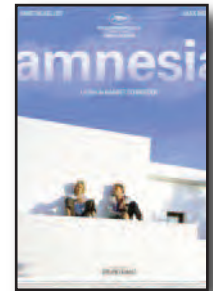
Collateral Beauty

Retreating from life after a tragedy, a man questions the universe by writing to Love, Time and Death. Receiving unexpected answers, he begins to see how these things interlock and how even loss can reveal moments of meaning and beauty.

FILM MOVEMENT

First-run, Award Winning Independent Films

Wednesday, April 19 at 6 p.m.



Amnesia, Switzerland and France •
English, German, and Spanish with English subtitles

Jo is a twenty-five-year-old music composer who has come over from Berlin and wants to be part of the nascent electronic music revolution, ideally by getting a job first as a DJ in the new nightclub on the island, Amnesia. Martha has been living alone in her house facing the sea for forty years. One night Jo knocks on her door. Her solitude intrigues him. They become friends even as the mysteries around her accumulate, such as that cello in the corner she refuses to play, the German language she refuses to speak ... Slowly, they enter into a relationship that will challenge and change both of them.

WorkOne: Job Information Session

April 18 1:30-3 p.m.

CP Library Meeting Room 1

WorkOne Talent Recruiter, Scott Thomas, will present a job information session highlighting open Professional Services positions in the area. For additional information, please contact Scott Thomas at stthomas@gotoworkonenw.com or Liz Negron at inegiron@gotoworkonenw.com 219-462-2940, ext. 38.

Friends of the Crown Point Community Library
present

HISTORY OF TEA & TASTING

Spring Tea Literary Luncheon

Saturday, May 13 | 12 - 2 p.m.

Crown Point Library Meeting Rooms

Lunch (catered by Sips Coffee House & Artisan Cafe)
and lecture on tea presented by
DAN ROBERTSON
of The Tea House/World Tea Tours
and a tasting of several teas.

Limited Seating!

Tickets On Sale April 3 at the Crown Point Library

\$25 Per person

Includes lunch, lecture and tea tasting

Ticket price increases to \$27.50 after April 24.



Friends of the Crown Point Library

Annual **BOOK** Sale

\$5.00 A Bag - mix and match!

Thursday, April 27, 1 - 7 p.m.

Friday, April 28, 10 - 3 p.m.

\$1 a bag begins at noon on Friday

Friends Members "Special Preview" is Thursday night!

Not a member? Buy a bag of books for \$5 at the preview night and get a one year Friends of the Library membership FREE! Don't miss out on this special offer!



The Board of Trustees will hold their April meeting at the Winfield Branch Library on Monday, April 24 at 5 p.m. The public is welcome!

Friends of the Crown Point Community Library Membership Form

Membership dues are payable annually and are due January 1st every year. Make checks payable to the CPCL Friends, mail to 122 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307.

Check One:

Life Membership.....\$100

Individual Membership.....\$5

Family Membership\$10

Senior Membership\$2

Is this a:

New Membership Renewal Change of Address

Please print

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

I want to receive program and library event updates by email!

I want to receive the newsletter by email!

Email _____

I'm interested in volunteering at the Book Sale.

I'm interested in volunteering at Friends events.

I'm interested in serving on the Friends Board of Officers.

Check It Out! is a monthly newsletter of the Crown Point Community Library. It is available at both libraries, online, or sign up on our website to have it emailed to you directly.

Photo/Video Recording:
Crown Point Community Library reserves the right to photograph/video record program participants. Such material is only for Library use and may be published in Library publicity materials.
If you do not wish to be photographed/video recorded please notify staff.

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