

CROWN POINT COMMUNITY LIBRARY Crown Point • Winfield Check It Out! LIBRARY NEWS & EVENTS

AUGUST 2017

Author Visit: Elizabeth Berg Friday, August 11 | 2 p.m. Free. No registration.



Tales and Tails:

A special reading and signing with Elizabeth Berg

Reception and American Greyhound visit 1:30 p.m.



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Elizabeth reading from her book of Facebook postings, MAKE SOMEONE HAPPY, as well as a sneak preview from her upcoming novel, THE STORY OF ARTHUR TRULUV. In attendance at this reading will be Elizabeth's partner Bill and their dog, Gabby. There will be refreshments, flowers, and, as a special

Please come to this special event featuring

component in honor of Homer the lion-hearted golden, who recently went on the Big Journey, the library will host American Greyhound rescue.



You'll be able to visit with rescue greyhounds that are waiting for their forever homes. Please bring a new dog toy (they especially love squeaky stuffies) to share with the greyhounds that American Greyhound rescues.





The Library presented a tour of the historic homes in Crown Point on Molly the Trolley. (Look for September Trolley Tour dates soon.) The tour was given by Jeanene Letcher, CPCL's Reference Department and Indiana Room Specialist. Maps for a self-guided tour are available in the 1st floor lobby.



Check out the new display on the endcap of the Mystery section on the first floor highlighting Beach Reads. It will contain books from the Fiction stacks that relate to the beach. Warning... the covers are mesmerizing so don't get paralyzed as you dream about a beach vacation!

September Book Discussion Groups

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Evening Group at Crown Point Library, 2nd Thursday from 6 - 7:30 p.m. Winfield Branch Library Book Group, 2nd Tuesday from 1 - 2:30 p.m. Crown Point Library "3rd Monday at 1:00", 3rd Monday from 1 - 2:30 p.m. Monday, September 18:

Thursday, September 14: *The Girl Who Wrote in Silk*, by Kelli Estes Tuesday, September 12: *Circling the Sun*, by Paula McLain

The One-in-a-Million Boy by Monica Wood

Meet Libby, OverDrive's new app.

The Libby app is very user friendly and will simplify downloading eBooks from the Library.

The new app will replace the need for using the current OverDrive app used to check out the library's eBook collection.

Please visit the CP Library's Reference Desk or Winfield Library's Circulation Desk for additional help.

Introduction to Home Cheese Making with Mark Lyons August 14 | 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Good cheese tastes even better when you make it yourself! Join Mark Lyons, a garden coach and experienced home cheesemaker, will show you how you can make cheese right in your own kitchen. The program will cover the science behind cheesemaking, along with ingredients, equipment, and techniques for making soft, hard, Italian, and other kinds of cheeses. This is an encore presentation of a popular class Mark brought to the library two years ago.

> This event is free, but registration is required.

Beginning Genealogy

Interested in genealogy? Have a stumper in your research? The Indiana has a program just for you. Descendant Drop-In: The Genealogy Help Program, the genealogy program from the Crown Point Community Library Indiana Room, is here to help with your genealogy questions and stumpers. Drop into the Indiana Room on the second Monday of every month from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. This is intended for quick questions and help; if you require additional services you may be asked to make an appointment.

Take your learning home and visit the Indiana Room's online blog If Solon Could See Us Now? https://crownpointlibrary.org/research/indianaroom/if-soloncould-see-us-now/ Or, if you are on Twitter you can follow the Indiana Room @CPCL_INRoom for tweets on genealogy, preservation, and history. Any questions, please contact the Indiana Room genealogy@crownpointlibrary.org or 219-306-4593.

Self-Check Out Available

The kiosks allow Library members to check-out their own material, renew items, and review their account.Kiosks are available in the Children's Library (DVDs and music CDS must be checked at the Circulation Desk) and near the Circulation Desk on the first floor.

AARP Safe driver September 12 | 10 - 2:15 p.m.

Refresh your driving skills with the AARP Smart Driver Course. The class will share: defensive driving techniques, proven safety strategies, and new traffic laws and rules of the road. There are no tests to pass...just sign up and learn. Upon completion you could receive a multi-year discount on your car insurance. Class is \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members. Registration is required.

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.

Rock Painting Party Thursday, Aug. 24 | 6 -7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9 | 1 - 3 p.m.

Join in the new rage, painted rocks placed in the community to bring a smile to someone's day. Inspired by the Kindness Rock Project, Crown Point Rocks will join the library in hosting an all-ages rock painting party.

Crown Point Rocks encourages the same goals as the Kindness Rock Project. First, to inspire others through randomly placed decorated rocks placed in the community, and second, to recruit people that find a rock to join in the pursuit of inspiring others through a random act of kindness. The party will be a drop-in party so you may come and go at any time during the program and paint a rock to share in our community.

No registration is required and all supplies will be provided, but you can bring a rock to paint, if you'd like. **Open to all ages and abilities!** Participants are encouraged to place their rock in the community and watch for it to appear on the Crown Point Rocks Facebook page when the finder shares the rock.



#crownpointrocks

Individual Computer Assistance

Need help setting up an email account? Want to learn how to download an electronic book to your e-reader device? We can hlep you with this and basic Internet searching. One-on-One instruction is available by calling the Reference Desk at (219) 306-4593.

Movies @ Your Library!

FREE. Popcorn will be served.



Movie Matinee

A SENSE OF AN ENDING Monday, August 14 | 6 p.m.

Based on the novel by Julian Barnes. One day, Tony learns that the mother of his university girlfriend, Veronica, left in her will a diary kept by his best friend who dated Veronica after she and Tony parted ways.

Tony's quest to recover the diary, now in Veronica's possession, forces him to revisit his flawed recollections of his friends and of his younger self. As he digs deeper into his past, it all starts to come back; the first love, the broken heart, the deceit, the regrets, the guilt... Can Tony bear to face the truth and take responsibility for the devastating consequences of actions he took so long ago?



Film Movement

AFTER THE STORM-JAPAN Japanese with English Subtitles Wednesday, August 16 | 6 p.m.

Dwelling on his past glory as a prize-winning author, Ryota (Hiroshi Abe) wastes the money he makes as a private detective on gambling and can barely pay child support. After the death of his father, his aging mother (Kirin Kiki) and beautiful ex-wife (Yoko Make) seem to be moving on with their lives. Renewing contact with his initially distrusting family, Ryota struggles to take back control of his existence and to find a lasting place in the life of his young son (Taiyo Yoshizawa) until a stormy summer night offers them a chance to truly bond again.

How to register for a program offered at the library

Registration can be done a variety of ways.

• Online: Visit the library's webpage, www.crownpointlibrary.org, and click on the tab labeled "EVENTS". Once you are on the EVENTS page, click on the green calendar of events box on the right margin. Once you reach the calendar, locate the date of the program you'd like to attend, and click on it. Click on the button, "Register Now" and enter your information. You may select to have a reminder email sent to you prior to the event.

Crown Point programs:

For adult programs call the CP Reference Desk at 306-4593 or visit the Reference Desk on the 2nd floor and they can register you for any class(s) you would like to attend.

For children's programs call the CP Children's Library at 306-8068 or visit the Children's Service Desk on the 2nd floor and they can register you for any class(s) you would like to attend.

• Winfield Library programs: Call 662-4039 or visit the Circulation Desk at Winfield Branch Library to register for programs for all ages.

*Important: If an event is full, please place yourself on the waiting list when available. Sometimes the library can meet demand with an additional class or may have a cancellation. Other times the library may plan a future event and use the waitlist to alert people of the new event. Be thoughtful of others and cancel your registration if you realize you are unable to come to class. Mahjong: Thursdays | 1 - 3 p.m.

Mahjong Instruction:

Meets June 5 and July 3 from 1 - 3 p.m. for in-depth instruction on the game.

On-Going Creativity Classes Crochet Group: Mondays from 9 - 11 a.m.

Under Cover Quilters: Tuesdays from 10 - 3 a.m.

Wednesday Afternoon Knitters: 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Color Your Stress Away Monday, August 28 | 1 - 3 p.m.

Papercrafting with Suzette Tuesday, August 15 | 10 a.m. & 1 p.m. OR Thursday, August 17 | 5:45 p.m.

Playing with Paper Monday, August 14 | 10 - 12 p.m.

Medicare 101 August 23 | 10:30-11:30 a.m. or 6 - 7 p.m.

Cliff Havens a certified Senior Consultant will present and discuss your Medicare options. Open enrollment is coming, come and education yourself about your options if you are getting ready to retire or are already retired. Some of the questions answered in the education presentation are:

• How do some qualify to have a lower Part B premium, or "Extra Help" paying for their prescriptions and/or Part D premiums?

• What are "Special Enrollment Periods" and why some qualify to have these all year long?

• What does Medicare cover, what it doesn't cover, and your potential out of-pocket exposure?

• What to consider when choosing Supplements, Medicare Advantage plans and Part D Prescription Coverage, as well as cost saving strategies for the years ahead? This program is free and no registration is required.

Are you looking for material we don't have in our library?

See the Reference Desk for help in possibly borrowing an item from another library. We have a new statewide service, SRCS, that allows us to attempt to obtain books and audio visual material from other libraries within the state. Due to fee changes at the State Library, we will not be able to obtain books from out-of-state libraries at this time."



Library Outreach into the Community

Visit the library booth at Crown Point's Farmer's Market on Saturday, August 19.

Look for the Friends of the Library's mobile used book sale!

READ • DISCOVER • CONNECT

Children's Events - All Ages

Night at the Ballpark

August 3 | 7:10 p.m.

Join us at a Railcats game to celebrate the end of Summer Reading! Get free ticket vouchers at the Youth Services department.

Back to (Spy) School

Tuesday, August 8 at 4 p.m.

Back to school doesn't need to be boring! Kids in grades 1-5 can come learn to become super sleuths before heading back to real school! Learn to find fingerprints, break codes and more at our Back to (Spy) School event!

Simple Chinese

Thursdays, August 3 & 10 | 3 p.m.

Children ages 7-10 can learn simple Chinese words, phrases and songs. This is a two-part class. Registration required.

Sun and Moon Storytime

Friday, August 11 | 10 a.m.

For ages 3 and up. Join us for a special storytime in celebration of the upcoming Solar Eclipse. We will have sun and moon themed stories, songs, and craft. Each child will receive a pair of eclipse glasses. Registration required.



Eclipse Exploration

Saturday, August 12

Grades K-2 at 2 p.m. | Grades 3-6 at 3 p.m.

Students are invited to have fun learning about the upcoming solar eclipse. This program will use hands-on science, engineering, math, and art to prepare students for this rare event. Registration required.

Storytime Sign ups

Monday, August 21 | 9 a.m.

Sign up for the September-October session of Book Babies, Terrific Twos, Preschool Pals, and Little Listeners.

Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Friday, September 1 | 3:30 p.m.

Your stuffed animal is invited to stay the night at the library! Arrive at 3:30 for a storytime with your stuffed toy. After you leave, they will go on an adventure at the library! Return Saturday morning to pick up your toy and see what they were up to.

Art Alive: (ages 6-10)

Saturday, August 19 | 10 a.m.

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

Tie Dye Fun!

Wednesday, August 9 | 3 p.m.

All ages welcome. Bring something white to tie dye. T-shirts, tank tops, bandana, and onsies work well - no sweatshirts or pants please. Wear your play clothes! All children must have a supervising adult. Registration required.

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All ages are invited to experience the 2017 Solar Eclipse on Monday, August 21 from 12.2 p.m.

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Learn how to safely view the eclipse and receive a pair of eclipse glasses. Watch the eclipse outside as it happens or watch a live stream video. The eclipse will start at approximately noon with maximum coverage of the sun occurring at 1:20 p.m.

Free and open to all ages. Registration begins August 7.

Winfield Branch Library

GRANT MATCH Help Us Reach Our Goal! \$3500 by August 25, 2017

The Crown Point Community Foundation will match our goal to help enhance our services at the Winfield Branch and improve the new location.

> PLEASE DONATE and help us reach our goal!

A collection box is located on the Winfield Library front desk.

For more information contact: Library Director, Selina Gomez-Beloz at (219) 306-8071 sgbeloz@crownpointlibrary.org or Branch Manager, Brenda Thompson at (219) 662-0439 bthompson@crownpointlibrary.org



WINFIELD BRANCH LIBRARY

Papercrafting with Suzette Thursday, August 10 | 1 - 3 p.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.

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Wednesday Morning Knitters

Every Wednesday | 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.

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 (219) 662-4039.

Nourish Your Skin - Tuesday, August 22 | 1 p.m.

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STORY TIME EVENTS

Book Babies: Mondays, August 21 & 28 | 10:30 a.m. Book Babies: Tuesdays, August 22 & 29 | 10:30 a.m. Little Listeners: Tuesdays, August 22 & 29 | 11:30 p.m.

Native American Storytime: Tuesday, August 22 | 6 p.m. Ages 3-5. Registration required.

Linda Curley, Extension Educator - Purdue

University Extension - Lake County

LEGO CLUB Lego Club: Tuesday, August 8 | 6 p.m.

Presented by

Memory Difficulties: Should I be Worried Wednesday, September 6 | 1 - 2 p.m.

Depression Later in Life Wednesday, September 13 | 1 - 2 p.m.

Medication Jeopardy Wednesday, September 20 | 1 - 2 p.m. Food As Medicine? Wednesday, September 27 | 1 - 2 p.m.

Staying Independent and Physically Able Wednesday, October 4 | 1 - 2 p.m.

> Free. Registration Necessary. Call (219) 662-4039 to register and for more information.

Join us at our next meeting!

Friends of the Crown Point Library Meeting 2nd Tuesday at 10 a.m.

August 8 September 12 October 10 November 14 December 12 2017 Officers President, John Cotton Vice President, Donna Selvaggi Treasurer, Donna Hill Secretary, Carol Bangsberg

Program Committee: Carol Bangsberg, Member Donna Hill, Member Rose Kendall, Member Barbara Standish, Member Carol Fisher, Member

Book Sale Coordinators: Lois Lovekamp, Kristy Peterson If you are a member and want to volunteer at a event please sign up at the Crown Point Library Circulation Desk.

Friends of the Crown Point Community Library Membership Form Membership dues are payable annually and are due January 1 st 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	 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.
ls this a: Please print	□ New Membership □ Renewal □ Change of Address	
	Address Phone	
	 I want to receive program and library event updates by email! I want to receive the newsletter by email! Email	

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 BRANCH 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, August 8 at 10 a.m.

Board of Trustees, -Monday, August 28 at 5 p.m. Public Welcome!

2017 Library Closings

January 1, 2 March 17 April 16 May 28, 29 July 4 September 3, 4 October 10 November 22 at 5 p.m., 23, 24 December 24, 25, 26, 31

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