

A SPECIAL EDITION OF CHECK IT OUT

JUNE/JULY 2019

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

CROWN POINT COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Crown Point • Winfield

SUMMER READING PROGRAM

All Ages

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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.

LOCATIONS

Main Library-

Now open on Sundays!

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

Hours:

Mon. - Thurs.: 9 - 8 p.m.
Friday & Saturday: 9 - 5 p.m.
Sunday: 1 - 5 p.m.

Winfield Branch Library -

Now open on Mondays!

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

Hours:

Mon., Wed. & Fri.: 10 - 5 p.m.
Tues. & Thurs.: 10 - 7 p.m.
Saturday: 10 - 2 p.m.
Sunday: Closed

LIBRARY MEETINGS

Friends of the Library -

Tuesday, June 11 | 10 a.m.
No meeting in JULY!
New members welcome!

Board of Trustees, -

Tuesday, June 25 | 5 p.m.
Monday, July 29 | 5 p.m.
Public Welcome!

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

January 1
March 17
April 21
May 12, 26, 27

June 16

July 3 at 5 p.m., July 4

September 1, 2
November 28, 29
December 24, 25, 26, 31

HOW TO REGISTER FOR A PROGRAM

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All events are free unless noted otherwise. Registration is encouraged.

Adult programs are designed for ages 16 and above.

Children's programs are designed for kids in grades K-6.

Teen programs are designed for teens in grades 7 and above.

REGISTRATION CAN BE DONE IN THREE WAYS:

- **Online:** Visit crownpointlibrary.org, and click on the tab labeled "EVENTS".

- **Call the library:**

Crown Point:

Adult | 306-4593

Children/Teen | 306-8068

Winfield: All ages | 662-4039

- **In-person:**

Crown Point:

Adult | Reference Desk, 2nd Floor

Children/Teen | Children's Library, 2nd Floor

Winfield: All ages | Front Desk

*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. Be thoughtful of others and cancel your registration if you realize you are unable to attend.

CONNECT WITH THE LIBRARY!

As you visit the library and attend your favorite programs, take a photo and share it with us on social media! We would love to hear what you liked about the library event you attended and what your Library means to you.

During your next visit, please ask for a story form and share your library story. You can also submit your story online at crownpointlibrary.org/about/whats-your-library-story/



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PHOTO/VIDEO RECORDING FOR LIBRARY PURPOSES



The Library reserves the right to photograph/video record program participants. Such material is only for library use and may be published in any type of library publicity materials. If you do not wish to be photographed/video recorded please notify staff.



READ to WIN this Summer Reading Trophy for Your School!

The rules for the competition are:

- Students can compete to win the Summer Reading Champion trophy for their school
- For every hour read, students will put a bead in their school's jar
- The school with the most beads by July 31 wins the trophy!
- All Crown Point Community School District and homeschool students in grades K-8 are eligible to compete

Good Luck Readers!

Look for MOE at the
Crown Point's 4th of July parade!



Visit our booth inside at the
Lake County Fair in the Industrial
building on Thursday, August 8
from 12 - 10 p.m.
Free raffles and giveaways!





FRIENDS
of the
Crown Point Library

HALF - PRICE BOOK SALE

1st Saturday of the Month
Internet Cafe - Crown Point Location

**The Library will be close at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 3
and closed on Thursday, July 4 in
recognition of our Independence Day Holiday
ENJOY YOUR HOLIDAY SAFELY!**



CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS - CROWN POINT

Storytimes in Space

Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

July 9, 16, 23, 30

Let's get far out as we reach for galaxies far, far away in this interactive storytime. Each week we will read stories, sing songs and create crafts around a different space theme. It's going to be out of this world fun! Registration required. Ages 0 - 5

Greyt Readers

Saturday, July 6 at 10 a.m.

Greyt Readers provides an opportunity for your child to read to retired greyhounds in a relaxed atmosphere. The dogs sit calmly and quietly for a story.

Rocket Racers

Drop In: Wednesdays from 4:30-6:30 p.m.

July 17, 24, 31

Students in grades 1-8 are invited to work independently to master logic and technology skills. Activities are STEAM based, (science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics) and encourage creativity and build real-world skills. No registration is necessary.

Baby Art: Space Edition

Thursdays at 10 a.m.

July 18

Babies age 6-24 months and their caregivers are invited to create all types of masterpieces in this drop-in, self guided program. Messes are likely so dress accordingly! Registration required.

STEM Space Challenge

Mondays at 3 p.m.

July 15, 22

Get ready to launch into space-themed STEM activities! Each session features a different space challenge for students to complete. Ages 7-12. Separate registration is required for each session.

Bubble Blowout!

Wednesday, July 10 at 10 a.m.

Come join us outside for playtime with bubbles! Registration encouraged but not required.

Constellation Station

Thursday, July 11 at 4 p.m.

Let's explore constellations as we make our own star stories using different materials and modalities. Ages 6-12. Registration Required.

Circle of Friends

Saturday, July 20 at 11 a.m.

Children with special needs and their siblings are invited to join us for a sensory-based story time. Approximately 30 minutes in length. Registration is required.

Galaxy Slime

Tuesday, July 23

Grades: 3-5 at 3 p.m.

Come learn how to make beautiful, colorful and glittery galaxy slime! Registration required.

Galaxy Tie Dye

Thursday, July 25 at 1:30 p.m.

All ages, children must be accompanied by an adult. Bring one item to dye (t-shirt, tank top, bandana, etc- no sweats please). Tie-dyeing is messy, wear your play clothes! No registration necessary, program is while supplies last.



Summer Reading Finale:

Blastoff to Magic

Thursday, August 1 at 2 p.m.

Help magician Daniel Lusk build a rocketship to the moon in this exciting, interactive magic show. Registration required. All ages!

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WHERE THE EVENT TAKES PLACE.

Crown Point: (219) 306-8068

Winfield Location: (219) 662-4039

TEEN PROGRAMS - CROWN POINT

A Universe of Oreo: Taste Test Challenge

Wednesday, July 10 at 2 p.m.

Grades 6-12

Come challenge your skills at our Oreo taste test! Whoever guesses the most flavors correctly will win a free book! Registration Required.

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ADULT PROGRAMS (Ages 16 +) - CROWN POINT

Historical Homes of Crown Point Tour with Molly the Trolley

Explore historic Crown Point homes while riding Molly the Trolley. The tour presented by Jeanene Letcher, CPCL's Reference Department and Indiana Room Specialist, is designed for adults. Maps for a self-guided tour will be available in the 1st floor lobby. Registration is required due to limited seating on Molly the Trolley. This tour is designed for **adults only**. Register online or call 306-4593. Choose **one** of the following times:

June 12 – 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. (Full)
June 18 – 2 – 4 p.m.
June 26 – 6 – 8 p.m.
July 10 – 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
July 19 – 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
July 24 – 6 – 8 p.m.
September 6 – 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
September 11 – 6 – 8 p.m.

****If registration is filled, please use the waitlist for this event.**



There will be no rain dates. A slide show presentation, in the Library's meeting rooms, will take place of the tour.

NASA Solar System Ambassador

Monday, July 8 at 6 p.m.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 mission. To celebrate, the Crown Point Community Library is hosting NASA Solar System Ambassador, B.J. Austin, to talk about NASA's Apollo mission. Join us for this wonderful program that celebrates space exploration and human's curiosity of the cosmos. This program is free and no registration is required.

History of Jazz

presented by Indiana University's Senior University

Ages 55+

Thursday, July 25 at 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 31 at 5:30 p.m.

In this two-part series, professional pianist, educator, and producer, Billy Foster, will be presenting a two part series on the history of Jazz. This program is restricted to those who are 55 and better as IU Northwest's Center for Urban and Regional Excellence, through their Senior University, continues to provide wonderful free programming to residents of the region. This program is free and registration is encouraged.

Book Discussion Groups

New members are always welcome. For more information call Peter Lewis at (219) 306-4597.

"3rd Monday at 1" - 1 - 2:30 p.m.

Monday, July 15: No Assigned Book - bookshare

Evening Book Group - 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 11: No Assigned Book - bookshare

Winfield group - 1 - 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 9: No Assigned Book - bookshare

Adult Creativity Classes (Ages 16+)

Mahjong: Every Thursday | 1 - 3 p.m.

Mahjong Instruction: First Monday of the month | 1 - 3 p.m.

Bunco Club: First Monday of the month | 12 - 3 p.m.

Sticks & Strings Knitting Club: Mondays | 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Crochet Group : Mondays | 9 - 11 a.m.

Under Cover Quilters: July 2, 16, 30 | 10 - 3 p.m.

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

Color Your Stress Away: Monday, July 22 | 1 p.m.

Paper Crafting: Requires a \$6 materials fee.

Tuesday, July 16 | 10 a.m. or 1 p.m.

Thursday, July 18 | 5:45 p.m.

Playing with Paper:

Monday, July 8 | 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

The Friends are presenting an exciting travel opportunity to Ireland in 2020. You are invited to a special travel presentation on Monday, July 29 at 10 a.m. to find out more information about our tour. It's free. Registration encouraged.

**SHADES OF IRELAND
APRIL 8 – 17, 2020 (10 DAYS, 13 MEALS)**



MOVIES AT THE LIBRARY - CROWN POINT LOCATION

Matinee

Five Feet Apart

Monday, July 8 at 1:30 p.m.

Film Movement

The Sower - French with English Subtitles

Wednesday, July 17 at 6 p.m.



Free - Popcorn served!



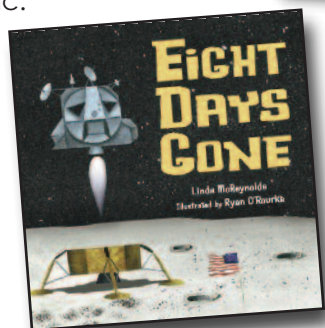
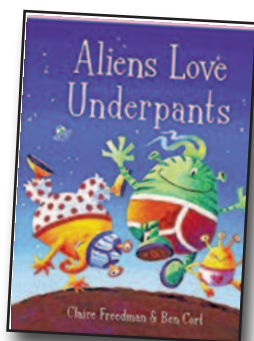
Summer Story Walks is an innovative and delightful way for children and adults to enjoy reading and the outdoors at the same time. Laminated pages from a children's picture book are installed sequentially so that the story unfolds as the reader strolls the story walk's path. The library's story walks this year both highlight our Summer Reading theme: **Universe of Stories**.

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THE INDIANA ROOM

Celebrate A Universe of Stories, the Hoosier way! The Indiana Room has a multi-location display on the influence of Indiana on the space program. Indiana...We Have an Astronaut features stories about those in the space program, as well as the places in Indiana you can visit to see our state in action.

While visiting the Indiana Room, fill out a brief questionnaire about your space memories. At the end of Summer Reading, one lucky person will be drawn at random to have a free hour of research assistance – genealogy, house history, or anything else Indiana Room related. Winner will be selected in August and the memories will be shared following the drawing.

The Indiana Room is continuing its popular Historical Homes of Crown Point Tour with Molly the Trolley with 10 dates this summer. The tour, designed for adults only, will travel through portions of all 4 historic districts designated by the city of Crown Point, as well as other areas with historic homes and buildings, such as Ruffle Shirt Hill, The Square, and South Main Street. This four mile route will illustrate a variety of architectural styles and show the growth of Crown Point through its neighborhoods and businesses. Registration is required due to the limited seating on Molly the Trolley. Register online or call (219) 306-4593.

Interested in genealogy? Have a stumper in your research? The Indiana Room 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. Stop by the Indiana Room on Monday, June 10 or Monday, July 8 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-solon-could-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.

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WINFIELD BRANCH LIBRARY PROGRAMS

Summer Reading Finale! Science Show: The Magic of Dry ice Wednesday, July 31 at 2 p.m.

ADULT PROGRAMS (AGES 16+)- WINFIELD

Color Your Stress Away

1st Friday of the Month from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Book discussion group

2nd Tuesday of the Month at 1- 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 9: No Assigned Book, Book share

Paper Crafts

2nd Thursday of the month at 10:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Join your fellow paper crafters as we make 3 projects each month. The projects will vary but will include such items as handmade greeting cards, gift items, and treat holders. There is something new every month and also appropriate for the season. Please bring adhesives such as tape runner, glue dots and liquid glue. There is a \$6 fee for materials payable at the time of the class.

Paper Crafting

4th Friday of the month at 10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

TEENS - WINFIELD BRANCH

TEEN NIGHT: Stranger Things

Thursday, July 11 at 5 p.m.

Come to our Stranger Things party dressed as your favorite character. The best costume wins a prize. Enjoy our waffle bar while you make fandom buttons, create temporary tattoos, and team up for Stranger Things Trivia.

TEEN T-Shirt Screen Printing

Thursday, July 25 at 5 p.m.

Teens can bring their own T-Shirts, canvas bags, or paper items such as journals to print with pre-made screens.

This program offers teens a chance to experience screen printing techniques as well as sample different ink

combinations, screen sizes, and learn a bit about the emulsion process. This program is a nice starter for making your own hilarious and creative graphic tees.



The Magic of Dry Ice: enjoy a live and interactive science demonstration presented by the Challenger Learning Center of NWI. Registration required.

KIDS - WINFIELD BRANCH

Lego Space Build: Starting June 17 bring in an original Lego creation (not from a kit). We will display it throughout the Summer Reading program and patrons will vote for their favorite.

Sensory Box from Outer Space:

Wednesday, July 3 from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Open play sensory box for children age 0 – 4.

Space Storytime Phase Two:

Wednesday, July 10 at 10:30 a.m.

Interactive space-related storytime with stories, crafts, and music for ages 0-5. Caregiver must attend with the child. Registration required.

Space Storytime Phase Three:

Wednesday, July 17 at 10:30 a.m.
Interactive space-related storytime with stories, crafts, and music for ages 0-5. Caregiver must attend with the child. Registration required.

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

SUMMER READING
JUNE 1 - JULY 31

SUMMER READING - HOW IT WORKS:

Pre-K - Highschool

- Sign up for Summer Reading at the library where you will attend events.
- Check in once a week to get a prize

PRE-K – 5th Grade Reading Goal: Read 15 minutes a day

- Complete 10 hours of reading (1 reading log) by July 31 to be entered into the prize raffle
- 1 ticket per child

Teen Reading Goal: Read 30 minutes a day

- Check in once a week to get a prize
- Complete 20 hours of reading (1 reading log) by July 31 to be entered into the prize raffle
- 1 ticket per person

Adults:

- Register at the Crown Point Library in the New Release Area or at the Winfield Branch Library at the Circulation Desk
- OR register June 10 - 14 at the Friends of the Library registration table in the front lobby of the Crown Point Library for an extra entry for the first week's drawing
- Pick up one, or more, log sheets to record the books you read this summer
- Turn in your completed log sheets at the library for weekly drawings
- At the Crown Point Library, enter your completed logs in the New Release Book Display area. At the Winfield Branch enter your completed logs at the Circulation Desk.
- There will be weekly, runner-up, and grand prizes for each library location

Weekly Prizes: Each Monday of the Adult Summer Reading program, beginning on June 10, winners will be drawn from each library's completed log entries for weekly prizes. The prize will be a \$10 gift card to a local restaurant and a gift bag containing a notebook, pen, and book-mark. A total of sixteen prizes will be awarded for the Crown Point Location (2 each week) and eight for the Winfield location (1 each week).

Runner-Up Prize: All the reading log entries from each library will be combined for a Runner-Up prize of a Crown Point Library tumbler, notebook, pen, and \$25 dollar Amazon gift card. Each library location will be awarded one Runner-Up prize.

Grand Prize: All reading log entries from each library will be included in the grand prize drawing. The Grand Prize will be a \$50 Amazon gift card, notebook, pen, and Crown Point Library tumbler. Each library location will be awarded one Grand Prize.

IMPORTANT DATES

Summer Reading

Program runs: June 1 - July 31

June 10: first day to check in

July 22: last week to check in

July 31: last day to turn in reading logs

Kick Off Party

Monday, June 10

WINFIELD LOCATION - 11 - 1 p.m.

CROWN POINT LOCATION - 1 - 3 p.m.

Night at the Ballpark

Choose your night to attend!

Wednesday, July 31 or

Thursday, August 1

7:10 p.m.

Summer Reading Finale

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Science show: magic of dry ice!

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CROWN POINT:

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Thursday, August 1 at 2 p.m.

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