

Now Read This!



Your Window to the World

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BOOKS AT THE BIG TOP!

Hi, everyone!

I'm Amy and I work in the circulation department. I'll be here at the library for 2 years in July... this time! To those that are loyal, long-time patrons... you might remember that I worked here before. The Starke County Public Library was my very 1st job at the age of 16! At that time, I was a Page and just shelved materials. I worked my way up to Circulation Clerk and left when I got married and started a family. Now I'm back, my kids are grown, and I recently became a Grandma (Mimi) for the 1st time!

My favorite genre of books are those that are adapted into a series or a movie. I love to pick out the similarities and the differences.

Even though I'm mostly behind the counter at the circulation desk, you can also find me helping out in the Book Sale Room, helping with the seed share and participating in our monthly book club!

Amy Chaffins, Circulation Clerk



June 26th-29th



Sunday, June 18th





Classes for All Ages

Late Fine Free

Starting Thursday, June 1st,
The Starke County Public Library will no longer be charging late fines on any of our items!

- Items from other libraries may still accrue late fines.
- Does not apply to billed, damaged or lost items.
- If you have questions regarding your account please contact us at 574-772-7323

All past overdue fines will be forgiven






Every Thursday
GAME TIME!
Noon - 2pm
In the Board Room



Knox Branch
CROCHET classes

Every Monday @ Noon
around the fireplace



ALL AGES WELCOME



Paint Class

Family program



\$5 per person! **Must Prepay** receipt needed to attend
No refund if cancelled day of class!!!
LIMITED SEATS (30 seats available) (Knox Class)
Sign up at Circulation desk No call ins

Knox Branch
Tuesday, June 13th Noon- 2pm
Wednesday, June 14th 10 am - Noon

NIGHT CLASS
Tuesday, June 20th 5pm - 7pm

Tutorials are available @ each branch just ask Paulette, Jordan or Carla for the supplies!!

Card Making Class

Henry F. Schricker Knox Branch

Tuesday, June 6th
5 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Presented by: Jennifer Merle-Hamscher
\$5 cost for materials
Come join Jennifer in making 2 cards with a theme.
Please **RSVP** @ the front desk or call 574-772-7323



Whispers In Ink




CHECK IT OUT

Branch

Library of Seeds

15 vegetables, 3 flowers and 3 herbs (per person)
No Library Card required

How does it work?

- Select seed packets from our collection.
- "Check out" the seeds at the Circulation Desk.
- Plant your seeds and watch them grow.
- Once grown, harvest the seeds from your garden and return them to the Library to share with others.
- Bring in any extra produce to share with the community.
- All seeds are donated, so quantities are limited. Please take only what you will use.
- While not required, please keep the Library in mind and donate seeds back so that we may continue to offer seeds to anyone who wants them.

Library of Things

Game on! Starting Monday, August 30th

CLUE, JUMANJI, MONOPOLY, YARD GAMES, SORRY!, Yahtzee

Check out! 1-8 for Adult *No holds *No renewals

Branch Canvas Painting

Koontz Lake
Hamlet
San Pierre

Available on Demand
\$5 per person

Tutorials available at each branch



COLOR ME CALM

Coloring is a great way to reduce stress and have fun! Drop in and color anytime the library is open.

Supplies are @ The Circulation Desk.
Coloring pages are by the Programming Office.

Starks County Public Library
3-D Printer Workshops

DUTE

DUTE Lab for Kids - Open lab with appointment
DUTE Lab for Teens - Open lab with appointment
DUTE Lab for Adults - Open lab with appointment

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Branching Out!

San Pierre Branch storytime

Summer HOURS **10:00 am**
With Miss Carla

Wednesday, June 7th (Cows)
Wednesday, June 21st (Figs)
Wednesday, July 12th (Circus)
Wednesday, July 26th (Beach)

STARKS COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
Open Windows to the World

AM Quilters

1st and 3rd Monday
Henry F. Schricker Meeting Room



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Children's Programs



SUMMER READING



Your Window to the World

Events for Kids

6-12 year olds

Tuesday,
June 13, 20, 27
and July 11
@ 1:00pm



SUMMER READING



Your Window to the World

Events for Teens

Friday, June 16
@ 11:00am
and
Monday, July 10
@ 1:00pm



SUMMER READING



Your Window to the World

Preschool Storytime

for 3-5 year olds

Wednesday,
June 7, 14, 21, 28
and July 5, 12
@ 10:00am



SUMMER READING



Your Window to the World

Toddler Storytime

for infant-2 year olds

Thursday,
June 8, 15, 22, 29
and July 6, 13
@ 10:00am





SUMMER READING

Books at the Big Top!

Summer Reading Program

June 5th-July 15th

Register early starting Tuesday, May 30th

Stay Up Late at the Library!

Summer Reading Kick-Off on the Lawn

Bubble Foam Night

Tuesday, June 6th @ 8pm - 10pm

Programs

Kids ages 6-12 *Tuesdays @ 1pm

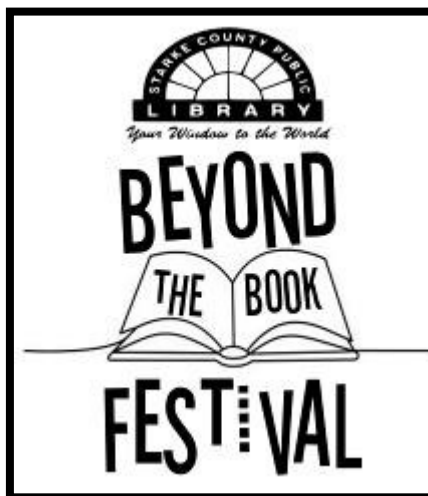
Preschool ages 3-5 *Wednesdays @10am

Toddler ages infant-2 *Thursdays @10am

Teens ages 13-19 *June 16th and

July 10th





BOOK CLUB SCHEDULE

Thursday, April 27th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(All Good People Here)
by Ashley Flowers

Thursday, May 25th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(The Midnight Library)
by Matthew Haig

Thursday, June 22nd, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(Sometimes I Lie)
by Alice Feeney

Thursday, July 27th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(My Grandmother Asked Me to tell You She's Sorry)
by Frederick Backman

Thursday, August 24th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(The School for Good Mothers)
by Jessamine Chan

Thursday, September 21st, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(The Night Always Comes)
by Willy Vlautin

Thursday, October 26th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(Joyland)
by Stephen King

Thursday, November 30th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(The Seven Husbands of Evelyn Hugo)
by Taylor Jenkins Reid

Thursday, December 28th, 2023, 6pm -7pm
(Fried Green Tomatoes at the Whistlestop Cafe)
by Fannie Flagg

