

Now Read This!



Your Window to the World

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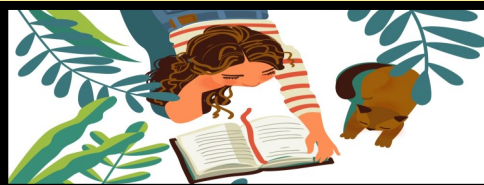
I love the library for many reasons. The staff is like my second family. I love them all.

I have the privilege of ordering adult fiction, which includes finding new authors that my patrons enjoy reading. It's like an easter egg hunt, fun and challenging.

I used the word work but it really isn't work if you love what you do and I truly love my job, the people I work with and our patrons.

The patrons are so great. They are friends I would not have known if not working here.

Nancy Barton





Classes for All Ages

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

Health Linc
Pizza and Paint
Day

Tuesday, May 23rd
 Henry F. Schricker Meeting Room
 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Pizza & Paint

Thank You!
 to our troops and veterans.

May is National Military Appreciation Month | Remember. Honor. Support.

Thursday, May 18th
4pm - 7pm
Meeting Room
Henry F. Schricker Knox Branch

National Military Appreciation Month
This very important month honors, remembers, recognizes and appreciates all military personnel, those men and women who have served throughout our history and all who now serve in uniform and their families as well as those Americans who have given their lives in defense of our freedoms we all enjoy today.

knox Branch

CROCHET
classes

Every Monday @ Noon
around the fireplace

ALL AGES WELCOME

STARKE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
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Family program

Paint Class

\$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, May 9th
Noon- 2pm
Wednesday, May 10th
10 am - Noon

*****NIGHT CLASS*****
Tuesday, May 16th
5pm - 7pm

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

Card Making Class

Tuesday, May 2nd
 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
 Jennifer Merle-Hamscher

STAMPIN' UP!
 inspire. create. share.™

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CHECK IT OUT



Branch

Guess what we have! check it out!

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.

Guess what we have! check it out!

Library of Things



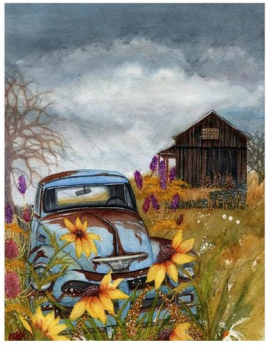
Starting Monday, August 30th
Check out: 1.6t per Adult *No holds *No renewals

Branch Canvas Painting

Koontz Lake
Hamlet
San Pierre

Available on Demand
\$5 per person


Tutorials available at each branch



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COLOR ME CALM

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



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

Stark County Public Library
Henry F. Schricker Branch

3-D Printer Workshops



DUTE

Digital User and Inventive Technology Engagement

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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AM Quilters

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



Branching Out!

San Pierre Branch storytime

4:00pm - 4:30pm
With Miss Carla

Wednesday, May 3rd (Flowers)
Wednesday, May 17th (Birds)
Wednesday, May 31st (Legs)



Find us on:
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Children's Programs



3:30pm
Tuesday
May, 2nd and 9th

AFTER SCHOOL SPECIAL

Tuesday, May 2nd geared for K-2nd grade
Tuesday, May 9th geared for 3rd-4th grade

10:00am
Wednesday
May, 3rd and 10th

Preschool Storytime

For kids ages 3-5 years

10:00am
Thursday
May, 4th and 11th

TODDLER TIME

For infant to age 2 years

5:30pm
Tuesday
May 30th

LEGO LEAGUE

For all ages





SUMMER READING

Books at the Big Top!

Summer Reading Program

June 5-July 15

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 time ages infant-2 *Thursdays @10am

**Teens ages 13-19 *June 16th and
July 10th**



Community Involvement

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 Café)

by Fannie Flagg



Illustration of diverse people sitting on the large text 'BOOK CLUB'. The people are shown in various poses, some reading, some talking, and some using devices.

BOOK CLUB

Give the Gift of Reading!

Make Accepting Donations Through the Starke County Youth Club



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Starke County Public Library
Knox, Keokuk, Harlet and San Pierre Branches

Register Today!



1000 BOOKS

BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

Sign-up your children ages infant to kindergarten for our reading program

Ask us how YOU can help prepare your child for public, private, charter, or home school kindergarten! The program funded in part by a grant from the Starke County Community Foundation.

