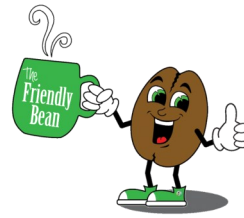


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Lawrenceburg Public Library District



June 2023

## 2023 Summer Reading Challenge filled with fun, prizes for all ages

Are you ready for an amazing summer? Then make sure to sign up for the 2023 Summer Reading Challenge at the Lawrenceburg Public Library District! The theme this year is All Together Now - Kindness, Friendship and Unity.

First step? Register for the reading challenge at [lpld.beanstack.org](http://lpld.beanstack.org). You also can find the link under reading challenges on the district's website at [www.lpld.lib.in.us](http://www.lpld.lib.in.us).

There readers of every age can log their reading throughout June and July to reach prize levels, including earning prize tickets for our big prize drawings!

Are the prizes good? Absolutely! Just take a peek at our list of AMAZING sponsors! Tickets to Kings Island, a pool party, restaurant gift certificates, FC Cincinnati tickets, Indiana State Fair tickets, an ice cream party, tickets to *SpongeBob the Musical*, prize baskets and so much more.

What counts for your reading minutes? Anything you read. Back of the cereal box. Count it. The boring report you have to read for work. Check it off. The comic book you have read 50 times. Write it down. Listen to audiobooks while you clean the house. Your minute count just increased again. And parents— do not forget— when you read books to your children— it counts for both of you. Double score!

In-between books, make sure you check out the programs taking place in June and July at the Lawrenceburg Main Library, North Dearborn Branch Library and the Mobile Library!



For kids, Summer Explorers Storytimes return, as well as the very popular Terrific Tuesday shows! Leonardo Kids Music and Hooked on Science return this year along with a Bright Star Theatre production of *The Velveteen Rabbit*. Plus there will be some magic and a wild animal show! The popular Minecraft and Munchies also makes its return.

Teens! The summer is packed with activities including Water Wars, Cookies and Canvases, VR Game Night, archery and creating with clay.

Do not worry adults! Kids will not have all the fun this summer. You deserve a break too! There will be several crafts, a Friendship Tea, a Bollywood dance performance and more.

Everyone is invited for the Summer Sun Spectacular with Dean Regas, an astronomer from the Cincinnati Observatory, who will bring safe solar viewing equipment to take a close-up look at the sun in July.

Check the website and our Facebook, Instagram and Twitter pages for more!

## THANK YOU

*Summer reading sponsors so far:*

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Hillforest Museum  
Indiana State Fair  
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## Hours/Locations

Lawrenceburg Public Library (LPL)

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Monday	9 a.m.-8 p.m.
Tuesday	9 a.m.-8 p.m.
Wednesday	9 a.m.-8 p.m.
Thursday	9 a.m.-8 p.m.
Friday	9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Drive-through, Ring doorbell service

M-Th 10 a.m.-7 p.m. & F 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

North Dearborn Branch (NDB)

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Monday-Thursday	10 a.m. -8 p.m.
Friday	Closed
Saturday	10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Mobile Library (MOB)

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Calendar of stops is listed on our website under the "Outreach" tab.

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## Catch all the Pokémon cards for a special prize

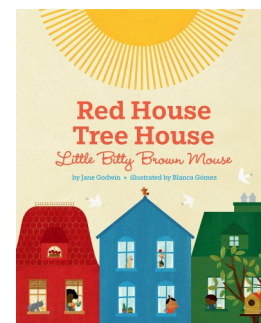
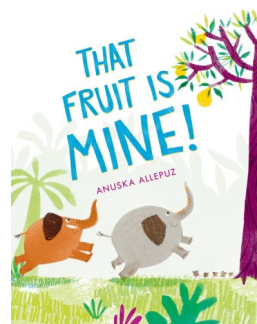
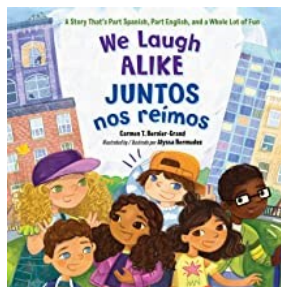


Come to the Lawrenceburg Public Library District to get your very own Summer Reading Pokémon cards made by our Teen Services Associate, Lee! To receive the cards you must complete the activities on the Pokémon Card Challenge in Beanstack, [lpld.beanstack.org](http://lpld.beanstack.org)!

Each week's activities are only available for that week. Complete the entire challenge for a special prize!

Cards and prizes are on a first come, first serve basis, as quantities are limited at the Lawrenceburg Main Library and North Dearborn Branch starting Monday, June 5.

## Go on a Story Hunt!



Make reading an adventure and take part in one of our Story Hunts this summer! Pick up a map and find the pages throughout the library! In June the stories will be *Mother Bruce* at North Dearborn and *We Laugh Alike* at Lawrenceburg Main Library. In July read *Red House, Tree House, Itty Bitty Brown Mouse* at North Dearborn and *That Fruit is Mine!* at the Lawrenceburg Main Library.

## Spring book sale was a big success

Thank you to all contributing Friends and patrons for supporting our Spring Book Sale!

We're happy to share that we were able to give many books a new home and raised \$847 that will directly contribute to our library. In the month of April, we also received a generous donation from the Dearborn County Social Council, conducting business on behalf of the RVSP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) group, of \$20,000 to continue supporting the Lawrenceburg

Library's Halloween Sensation in the years to come.

The Halloween Sensation is a wonderful community event that brought out over 1,200 people last year and we're looking forward to continuing to contribute to its success. We greatly appreciate the RSVP group and Dearborn County Social Council for thinking of the Friends of the



Library and trusting us with this generous donation.

Last, for those who have children or may be homeschooling, we have a series of educational, science related books for sale within our Main Branch book sale section. If you'd like to sign up for membership for yourself, your family, or as a gift to others, you can visit our website at [www.givebutter.com/](http://www.givebutter.com/)

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If you prefer cash or check, that's not a problem. Simply stop by one of our circulation desks for a brochure with membership forms or visit our website at [www.lpld.lib.in.us/friends-of-the-library](http://www.lpld.lib.in.us/friends-of-the-library). We can be reached at LPLD-Friends@gmail.com any time if you are interested in volunteering for future events.

Your contributions and involvement mean a great deal to the library.

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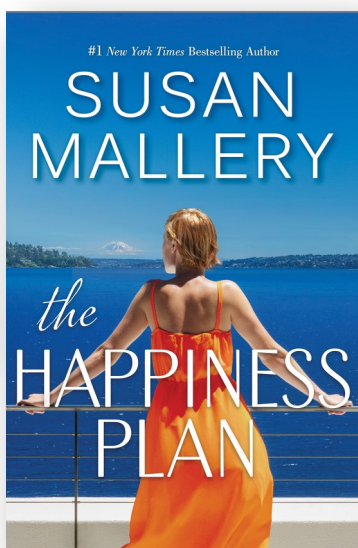
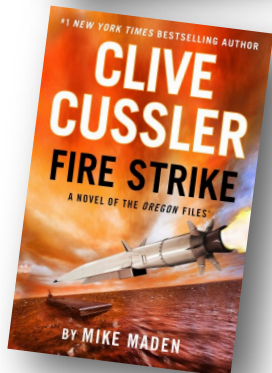
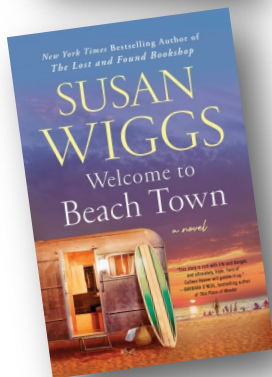
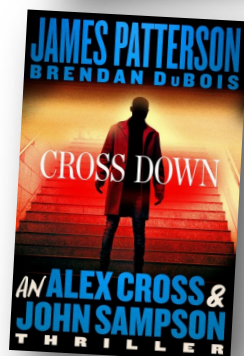
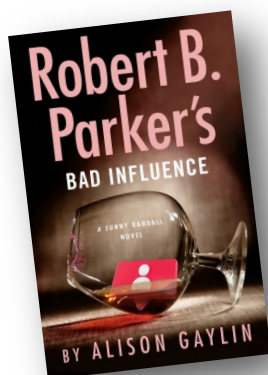
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# What's new at the library?

(We are glad you asked!)

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## Reading for Adults



### The Happiness Plan

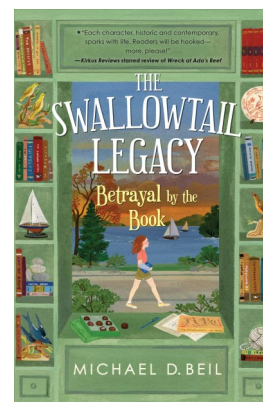
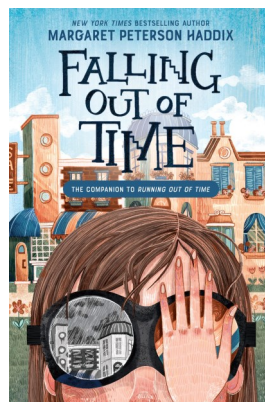
By Susan Mallery

Heather is happy . . . ish. She has a successful business, a cute but contemptuous cat, and best friends Daphne and Tori who know where she's broken and love her anyway. So why does she feel crushed when her ex gets serious about someone new? No problem, she has a plan. Meanwhile, Daphne isn't having an emotional affair, despite what her husband believes. He started the rift in their marriage when he said they weren't ready for a baby. When Tori forms a crush on Daphne's brother-in-law, she suppresses her feelings. Until her apartment floods, and she moves in with the dog-loving doctor. If things go wrong, she could lose her friends. . .

Also: *The Last Sinner* by Lisa Jackson  
*Near Miss* by Stuart Woods  
*Palazzo* by Danielle Steel  
*Private Moscow* by James Patterson  
*The Survivor* by Iris Johansen

## Playaways

What is a Playaway? It is the pre-loaded audiobook that gives library patrons the portability and freedom to take audiobooks everywhere. No connectivity or downloads.



# Programs

Register: [lawrenceburg.librarycalendar.com](http://lawrenceburg.librarycalendar.com)


## Preschool



### Chalk the Block with Kindness


**G'dale Utilities Building: 2:15 p.m. Sat., June 10**
**Bright Meadows Park: 4:45 p.m. Weds., June 14**

Visit the Mobile Library to pick up sidewalk chalk and a list of kind phrases. Decorate a section of sidewalk, then take a picture to post to social media with #MyLPLD & #chalktheblock. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Sensory Storytime

**L'burg: 10 a.m. Weds. June 14, 21 & 28 and July 12 & 19**

Songs and stories on a variety of themes, Complete a fun craft or activity! Designed for children ages 3-6, but older and younger children are welcome. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Summer Explorers Storytime

**L'burg: 11 a.m. Weds. June 14, 21 & 28 and July 12 & 19**
**North Dearborn: 11 a.m. Thurs. June 15, 22 & 29 and July 13 & 20**

Songs and stories on a variety of themes, Complete a fun craft or activity! Designed for children ages 3-6, but older and younger children are welcome. **REGISTRATION REQUESTED**

### Mailable Hugs


**HVL Community Center: 4:45 p.m. Thurs., June 15**  
**Civista Bank, St. Leon: 1 p.m. Weds., June 21**

Want to give someone a hug, but they live too far away? Then make a mailable hug with the Mobile Library. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Mindful Breathing Sticks


**L'burg Farmers Market: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sat., June 24**

Visit the Mobile Library at the Downtown Lawrenceburg Farmers Market to create a Mindful Breathing Stick. Focus your breathing, lower stress and calm anxiety. No registration needed.



## School-age



### Minecraft and Munchies

**L'burg: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Fri. June 16, 23 & 30 and July 7, 14 & 21**

Want to play Minecraft? Join us for 6 weeks of Minecraft play AND make your own delicious snacks with Marcia Parcell of Purdue Extension- Dearborn County! Sponsored by Friends of the Library. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Book Buzz Book Club

**L'burg: 1 p.m. Mon., June 19**

Kids in grades 3-5 can join us at the library for book discussions, activities, crafts, and fun. The first book will be *Pax* by Sarah Pennypacker. After you register, please stop by the library to pick up a copy of the book to borrow until we meet. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## Teens



### Anime Club

**L'burg: 4:30 p.m. Mon., June 5 & 19**

Hello anime lovers! Join Anime Club! We watch anime, eat snacks, and do fun activities! No registration needed.

### Lights, Camera, Action!

**L'burg: 4 p.m. Weds., June 7**

Teens! Do you love musicals, acting, building things or singing? Join the club! No registration needed.

### D&D at the Library:

#### The Adventure Begins

**L'burg: 5:30 p.m. Weds., June 7, 14, 21 & 28**

Never played D&D before? Or still need help with some parts? Join our teen/new adult D&D group of beginners! Players under 18 need a signed release. No registration needed.

### D&D Movie Night

**L'burg: 9:30 p.m. Fri., June 9**

Watch the new D&D movie, *Dungeons & Dragons: Honor Among Thieves!* outside afterhours. Feel free to dress up! Snacks and drinks will be provided! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Homeschool Series: Digital Art

**North Dearborn: 2:30 p.m. Mon., June 12 & 26 and July 10 & 24.**

Learn some digital art skills using the software Procreate on library iPads. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Cookies and Canvas

**L'burg: 2 p.m. Weds., June 14**

Teens! Ever wanted to paint something, but felt you did not have the skills to do so? No worries! For this program you will receive canvases with an illustration predrawn. Cookies provided for all participants. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**





# Programs

Register: [lawrenceburg.librarycalendar.com](http://lawrenceburg.librarycalendar.com)

## Rainbow Space

**L'burg: 4:15 p.m. Weds., June 14 & 28**

Teens! Looking for allies, encouragement, and/or resources relating to the LGBTQ+ community? The June 28 meeting will be family night! No registration needed.

## Water Wars

**L'burg: 1 p.m. Thurs., June 15**

Teens! Bring your blasters or borrow ours to participate in an outdoor water battle! Dress in clothes you don't mind getting wet and bring a towel because no one will come out of this battle dry! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Teen VR Game Night

**L'burg: 5 p.m. Thurs., June 15**

Come experience virtual reality with games like Job Simulator, Beat Saber, and more! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Steve Squad

**L'burg: 3:30 p.m. Tues., June 20**

Teens! Know how to play Minecraft? Want to learn in a safe environment? Join the club!  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## TikTok Dance Class

**L'burg: 4 p.m. Weds., June 21**

Seen any TikTok dances lately that you want to learn? Learn these TikTok dances with Legionettes Dance Coach April Nudds and have some fun! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Kindness Rocks



All Saints Parish- St. Paul:  
5:15 p.m. Thurs., June 8

Design rocks with a positive message with the Mobile Library, then place around the community.  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## Quilt Walk

**L'burg: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Fri., June 9 & Sat., June 10**

L'burg Main Library is a stop on the Quilters Garden's annual Quilt Walk in Downtown Lawrenceburg. Quilts will be on display. For more info: [quiltersgarden.net/events](http://quiltersgarden.net/events).

## Leonardo Kids Music

**L'burg Civic Park: 2 p.m. Tues., June 13****North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Tues., June 13**

Musician Leonardo will perform a high energy show with original songs for children. No registration needed.

## Barks & Books

**L'burg & North Dearborn: 11 a.m. Sat., June 17**

Read to a trained therapy dog with volunteers from Pet Partners of Greater Cincinnati. No registration needed.

## Hooked on Science

**L'burg Civic Park: 2 p.m. Tues., June 20****North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Tues., June 20**

Join us with Mr. Science for a fun show filled with science experiments. No registration needed.

## The Velveteen Rabbit

**L'burg Civic Park: 2 p.m. Tues., June 27****North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Tues., June 27**

Join us with Bright Star Theatre for *The Velveteen Rabbit*. No registration needed.



# All Ages



## Bookend Painting Contest

**L'burg: 9 a.m. Mon., June 5**

Decorate a library bookend. We provide the brushes and paint. Pick up a bookend and materials the week of Monday, June 5. Then return the painted bookend by Monday, June 26, to be displayed at the Lawrenceburg Main Library. The bookend judged the best will receive a prize.  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## D&D at the Library

**L'burg: 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tues., June 6, 13, 20 & 27**

Play 5th Edition Dungeons and Dragons. All experience levels welcome. Players under 18 need a signed release. All ages. No registration needed.



# Adults



## ALL IN

**North Dearborn: 10 a.m. Thurs., June 1**

Encourages adults with intellectual/developmental difficulties to feel comfortable navigating library. No registration needed.

## Genealogy Roundtable

**L'burg & VIRTUAL: 11 a.m. Sat., June 3**

June topic is Brick Wall Case Study of Rhodes Smith and Bertha Rogers. No registration needed, unless you want a Zoom link.



## Get Walkin'

North Dearborn: 8 a.m. Mon., June 5, 12 & 19

L'burg: 10 a.m. Tues., June 6, 13 & 20

Let's meet to walk! Plus Purdue Extension-Deaerborn Co. provides email encouragement at mparcell@purdue.edu. Registration not required. All ages may join. No pets.

## In the Kitchen with Marcia

North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Mon. June 5

A Purdue Extension- Dearborn County Educator hosts a hands-on cooking class. Learn recipes and create dishes. The theme for June is Food Preservation. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Get to Know ARI

L'burg: 11 a.m. Tues., June 6

Learn about the Archaeological Research Institute. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Chair Exercise for Seniors

North Dearborn: 10 a.m. Weds., June 7, 14, 21 & 28

DVD exercises focus on improving mobility and strength. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Mug Rug Woven Coaster

L'burg 2 p.m. Thurs., June 8

Make your own woven mug rug coaster using yarn. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Creative Writers Guild

L'burg: 6:30 p.m. Thurs., June 8

The Creative Writers Guild is a support group for writers of all locales, genres, and skill levels. June theme is sports. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Melted Crayon Necklaces

L'burg: 1 p.m. Mon., June 12 & 10:30 a.m. Sat., June 17

Create necklace art using melted crayons! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## All the Colors

L'burg: 6 p.m. Mon., June 19

All the Colors is a chance for LGBTQ+ adults and supporters to gather together. In June, the group will discuss the book *Love Simon* by Becky Albertalli. The movie version of the book will be shown during the July meeting. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## NDB Craft Club

North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Mon., June 19

Join us for a fun night of crafting! Make a sweet jar using pressed flowers and lots of Mod Podge to create your own flower lantern. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## ARI History Happy Hour

L'burg: 6 p.m. Tuesday, June 20

Join us for ARI Happy Hour History, where you can discover the Oxbow Inc. organization. Following the talk, you are invited to meet and greet with the speaker Jon Seymour at Hoosier Icehouse. Presented by Archaeological Research Institute. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Movie and a Snack (or Dinner)

L'burg: 5:30 p.m. Weds. June 21

June is *Wonder*. Drink & snack provided. Register to find out how to get a free dinner. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Friendship Tea

L'burg: 10 a.m. Sat., June 24

Grab a friend or two and join us for a Friendship Tea in the courtyard (or inside if the weather is bad.) Hillforest Victorian House Museum, Aurora, Director Cliff Thies will give a presentation on Hillforest and let us use some teas sets for the party. Carisa Bunten, owner of Seventh Street Gifts, Newport, Ky., will give a presentation on tea and will offer a choice of drink for the day- classic Chinese black tea, jasmine green tea or a white hibiscus tangerine. Guests will also be given a tea sample to take home. Some treats to enjoy with your tea will be served. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Take and Make: Pocket Hugs

L'burg: Starts 9 a.m. Mon., June 26

Pick up the materials needed to sew a pocket hug. Keep it for yourself or give it to someone you love! You do not need to register for this take and make craft, but kits are only available while supplies last.



## Book Clubs

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED for all book club programs.**

**Bookies Book Club:** Ages 18-30. *The Soulmate Equation* by Christina Lauren. 5 p.m. June 6. L'burg Main Library.

**Books for Dessert:** *The Truth According to Us* by Annie Barrows. 2:30 p.m. or 5:30 p.m. June 15, North Dearborn Branch.

**Teen Book Club:** Book is *Message Not Found*. 4 p.m. June 22, L'burg Main Library.

**Book Chat:** *The Wish* by Nicholas Sparks. 10:30 a.m. June 26, L'burg Main Library.



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To provide our community with  
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## Community Stops/Schedule

L'burg Community Center Weds, June 7 - 4p.m.-4:30p.m.

All Saints Parish- St. Paul Thurs, June 8 - 5 p.m.-6 p.m.

L'burg Farmers Market Sat, June 10 & 24 - 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Greendale Utility Building Sat, June 10 - 2 p.m.-3 p.m.

Lutheran Community Tues, June 13 - 9:30a.m.-10:30a.m.

L'burg Civic Park Tues, June 13, 20 & 27- 2p.m.-3p.m.

Bright Meadows Park Weds, June 14 - 4:30p.m.-5:30p.m.

HVL Community Center Thurs, June 15 - 4:30p.m.-5:30p.m.

Highview Sat, June 17 - 12:30p.m.-1:30p.m.

Lawrenceburg Village Sat, June 17 - 2:30 p.m.-3:30p.m.

Greendale Village Wed, June 21 - 11a.m.-12p.m.

Civista St. Leon Wed, June 21 - 1p.m.-1:30p.m.

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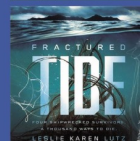


SYNC gives participants two thematically paired audiobooks each week to keep in the Sora app. New titles will be available each Thursday at midnight Eastern time through July 27. You have one week to download the books to the app. Go to audiobooksync.com for more information.

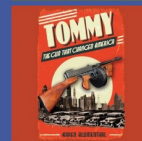
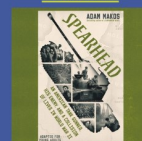
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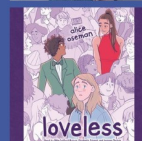
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