



# JCAP art show will share personal journeys of overcoming addictions

Everyone is invited to special reception Thurs., July 10, at the L'burg Library

While participating in the Dearborn County JCAP (Jail Chemical Addictions Program), art is a way participants can begin to heal.

It is an outlet for a lot of people in recovery. It also can be a glimpse of what is going on in someone's head, said Ashley Draffen, JCAP alumni.



"It is relaxing considering the circumstances," said Daniel Dunn, now a JCAP

alumni, who created art while going through the program.

Both Draffen and Dunn will have art pieces displayed during the Dearborn County JCAP Alumni's Project Hope Art Show 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thurs., July 10, at the Lawrenceburg Main Library. Light refreshments will be served and an awards ceremony will be held at noon. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Previously Dunn had dabbled in one-time painting classes, but it was not something he did on a regular basis.

But when the time came to draw something of his own, he knew what he wanted to do.

"At the time I was reading a lot of different books, and I was reading this book called *Addiction Manifesto*. The front cover was like a phoenix rising from the ashes, so that is what I chose to do- like a new birth- this new way of life. It inspired me to replicate one of those," said Dunn, who is proud of the way it turned out.



Draffen joined other program alumni painting rocks that will be on display during the show. People can then take some of the rocks to place throughout the community. The



rocks include inspirational messages of kindness and growth.

She hopes the rocks inspire people or makes their day better. She knows first-hand how much that can mean.



"Being in recovery some days are tough. ... I want people to know if they're struggling they can reach out to us," said Draffen.

"Community art projects are a great way for participants to connect to the community and give back. ... I wanted this project to be

unique in that we had individuals create a piece of artwork while in JCAP about their personal recovery journey and had JCAP alumni working on rock art and other forms of art to share with the community," said Tisha Linzy, Program Director Dearborn County JCAP.

"I am very grateful for the JCAP program. It gave me the skills I need to help overcome some of my negative thinking. The one-on-one counseling was really great to help me work through some of those things in my past that had continued to keep me in my addiction," said Dunn.

He hopes people walk away from the art show understanding more about what they were going through at the time and see how they have chosen a path to overcome their past, he said.



"There is obviously a stigma of people going to jail so I don't think the community knows just how tough JCAP is to get through and a lot of us are doing great things now," said Draffen, who recently graduated with a degree in communications from Indiana University. She hopes the art show is a way to display that to the community.

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*The Frozen River* by Ariel Lawhon and *Gone Again* by Minka Kent

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# What's new at the library?

(We are glad you asked!)

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## Reading for Adults

## New Picture Books



### *The Life of Chuck*

By Stephen King

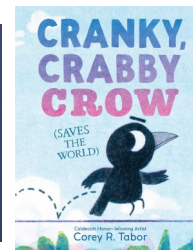
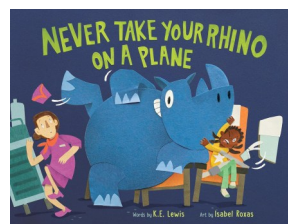
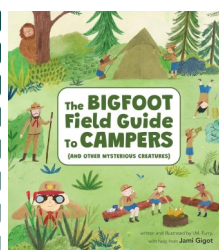
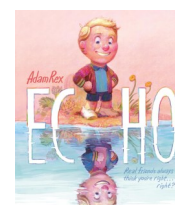
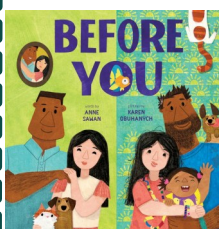
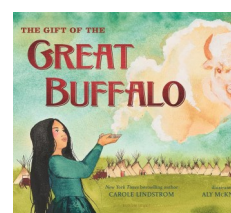
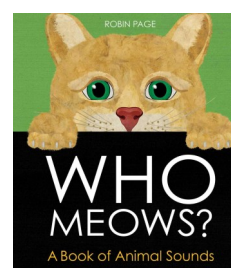
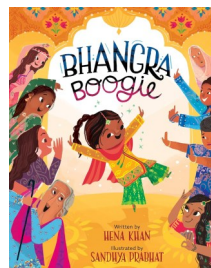
In a crumbling world plagued by natural disasters, collapsing infrastructure, and mass panic, bizarre billboards and advertisements appear throughout town: "Charles Krantz. Thirty-nine great years. Thanks, Chuck!" Marty Anderson, a schoolteacher, becomes obsessed with these messages as the world, inexplicably linked to Chuck's life, seems to be approaching its end. Told in three acts, presented in reverse order, *The Life of Chuck* explores one man's past. We see him in middle age on a business trip in Boston as he is seduced by a busker into spinning a gorgeous sidewalk dance. And we see him as a child, in a house haunted by a terrible secret, learning to dance with his grandmother. In these pages King reminds us that life's quotidian pleasures are even more glorious because they are fleeting: the outrageous good fortune of a beautiful blue day after a string of gray ones.

Also: *Fade In* by Kyle Mills

*Designed with Love* by Tracie Peterson

*Rage* by Linda Castillo

*The White Crow* by Michael Robotham







# Programs

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

## Preschool



### Summertime Explorers Story Time

**L'burg: 11 a.m. Weds., July 2, 9, 16 & 23****North Dearborn: 10:30 a.m. Thurs., July 3, 10 17 & 24**

Children will hear songs & stories on a variety of themes while developing early literacy and language skills, and complete a fun craft or activity! Designed for children ages 3-6, but older and younger kids welcome. **REGISTRATION REQUESTED**

### Pocket Bookmarks

**Downtown L'burg Farmers Market:****9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sat., July 12**

Keep your place in your book and keep a list of your future reads close by with this mobile library craft. No registration needed.

### Single-Image Projectors

**Downtown L'burg Farmers Market:****9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sat., July 26**

Display your talents in a unique way with this mobile library craft. No registration needed.



## School-age



### Tech & Treats

**L'burg: 1 p.m. Fri., July 11 & 18**

Kids will dive into the world of technology while enjoying delicious treats. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Cookie Class with Baked by Schmarr's Kitchen

**North Dearborn: 3 p.m. Weds., July 16**

Join Teresa Schmarr from Baked by Schmarr's Kitchen to learn how to decorate four cookies that go with this year's summer reading theme: Color Our World. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## Teens



### Take & Make Crayon Canvases

**L'burg: Starts Tues., July 1**

Pick up a kit with everything you need to create a stunning melted crayon masterpiece on canvas. Supplies are limited. Show off your finished art by tagging us on social media!

### Teen Crafternoons: Crochet Granny Square

**L'burg: 1 p.m. Mon., July 7**

Learn the basics of crochet and create your own colorful granny square to start a project or just for fun.

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

### Anime Club

**L'burg: 3 p.m. Weds., July 9**

Whether you're an anime expert or a newbie, come meet fellow fans, discuss your favorite shows, enjoy watch parties, and explore manga.

### Teen Craft Club

**North Dearborn: 2 p.m. Mon., July 14**

Explore the exciting world of potholder making at this month's Teen Craft Club. Follow provided patterns or make up your own designs!

### Junk to Journal

**L'burg: 2 p.m. Mon., July 14**

Each participant will receive a journal and have access to stickers, patterned paper, magazines, and more to design their first junk journal page. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## All Ages



### Summer LEGO Challenge

**L'burg: Ends July 19**

Stop by the Lawrenceburg Main Library for the rules to the Summer LEGO Challenge. Create a scene to fit the Color Our World theme for a chance at a prize!

### Jeff Nicholas Art

**L'burg Civic Park: 2 p.m. Tues., July 1****North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Tues., July 1**

In this whimsical program, we'll meet a very special cow who doesn't give milk, but instead produces a magical array of vibrant colors! No registration needed.

### D&D at the Library

**L'burg: 5 p.m. Tues., July 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29**

Join us for 5th Edition Dungeons and Dragons for new players and veterans! We offer a friendly, low-pressure environment. Character sheets, dice, and snacks provided, but feel free to bring your own. No registration needed.

### Musical Conexion Family Concert

**L'burg Civic Park: 2 p.m. Tues., July 8****North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Tues., July 8**

Experience the joy of bilingual music and movement through lively songs, dances, and interactive games. No registration needed.

### Dearborn County JCAP Art Show

**L'burg: Thurs., July 10**

Dearborn County JCAP Alumni's Project Hope will present an Art Show at the Lawrenceburg Public Library District. The open house will be 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. with an awards ceremony at noon. Light refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome to attend.



## The Professor Show

L'burg Civic Park: 2 p.m. Tues., July 15

North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Tues., July 15

With this year's show, Tricks in Technicolor, enjoy amazing balancing feats and juggling with Professor Tony, a certified juggling instructor!

## Barks and Books

L'burg & North Dearborn: 11 a.m. to noon Sat., July 19

Grab a book and take a paws to read out loud to a trained therapy dog! No registration needed.

## LEGO Family Challenge

L'burg: 6:30 p.m. Tues., July 22

You have one hour to design and build a creation based on the theme. LEGOs are provided. Each participant can pick out a LEGO themed button. July challenge: Build a dragon!

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**



## Adults



### ALL IN

North Dearborn: 10 a.m. Tues., July 1

ALL IN encourages adults with intellectual/developmental difficulties and their families and caregivers to feel comfortable navigating the library. No registration needed.

## Make & Take Wooden Tags

L'burg: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mondays & Tuesdays

Make an appointment to create a Color Our World wooden tag with our laser engraver in the Innov812 Workshop. We will have a Summer Reading Challenge design on the front and you can add your own touch to the back. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Chair Exercise

North Dearborn: 11:30 a.m. Weds., July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

Become stronger by participating in video-led chair exercise routines. Program is weekly, but join at any time.

## Taste and Trade

North Dearborn: 6 p.m. Weds., July 2

Bring a sample (but not required) for the theme of the month. Taste and talk about food! July theme is All-American or Family Favorite Recipes. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Genealogy Roundtable

L'burg: 11 a.m. Sat., July 5

Grave Discoveries: Exploring BillionGraves and FindAGrave. No registration needed, unless you want a Zoom link.

## Colors of the Cosmos

L'burg: 7:30 p.m. Mon., July 7

Join Dr. Wes Ryle from the Cincinnati Observatory to explore how astronomers use all the colors of light, even those we cannot see, to explore the Universe.

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Let's Play Mah Jongg

L'burg: Noon Tues., July 8 & 22

Want to play American mah jongg? Join a group playing and learning together. All skill levels welcome!

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Marbling Magic

North Dearborn: 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. Weds., July 9

Join us for a class using the unique art of water marbling with Diane Vollner. Water marble a 6 x 8 inch zipper canvas pouch in your favorite colors. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Landmarks of Justice

L'burg: 6:30 p.m. Weds., July 9

Mitchell Knigga, director of the Southeast Field Office of Indiana Landmarks, will present the program Landmarks of Justice, which highlights what makes Indiana's 92 county courthouses special and irreplaceable.

## The Crafty Crew

L'burg: 6:30 p.m. Weds., July 9 & 23

For new adults ages 18 to 30 who want to hang out and craft. On Weds., July 9, paint flowerpots. Group meets again Weds., July 23, for a free craft. **REGISTER FOR JULY 9**

## Creative Writers Guild

L'burg: 6:30 p.m. Thurs., July 10

The Creative Writers Guild is a support group for writers of all locales, genres, and skill levels. Writing prompt for July is divinity Zoom link available. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Take & Make Cat Canvases

L'burg: Starts 9 a.m. Mon., July 14

Have you ever seen those videos where cats make art on a canvas? You place some paint on the canvas, place it in a sealed reclosable plastic bag, then place some catnip on top of the bag. Then watch to see if your cat makes some art while interacting with the catnip! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Keep It Sharp

Dearborn Adult Center: Noon Mon., July 14

This interactive program consists of a variety of activities. The adult center offers a free lunch right before the program. The program is for seniors 65 and older. No registration needed.

## DIY Owl Paver Decor

L'burg: 6 p.m. Tues., July 15

Do you like outdoor decor for your yard or garden? Come create your own Owl Paver Decor at the Lawrenceburg Main Library! **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Unconventional Warfare: Morgan's Raid

L'burg: 2 p.m. Thurs., July 17

Delve into the daring campaign led by Confederate General John Hunt Morgan during the American Civil War. Examine how Morgan and his cavalymen conducted a series of swift and unexpected raids into Southeastern Ind., crossing the Ohio River and causing widespread disruption.

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## Intro to Craft Beer

L'burg: 6 p.m. Thurs., July 17

Join Caleb Ochs-Naderer, Professor and Program Chair of the Brewing Science Program at Cincinnati State Technical and Community College, for a hoppy hour of discovery as we dive into the fascinating world of craft beer!

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## All the Colors

L'burg: 6:30 p.m. Mon., July 21

All the Colors is a chance for LGBTQ+ adults and supporters to gather together. Join us in making Tie Dye Shirts! Bring your own white t-shirt and we will provide the dye!

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

## Learn to Quilt

L'burg: 6 p.m. Mon., July 28

Have you ever wanted to learn how to quilt? Here is your chance. Learn some basics with an experienced quilter.

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

# Book Clubs

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED for all book clubs, except Historical Book Club.**

**Bookies Book Club:** Ages 18-30. *Just for the Summer* by Abby Jimenez. 5 p.m. Tues., July 1, L'burg Main Library. Read new, popular releases, discuss what you read and eat sweets.

**Bookworms Book Club:** 3rd to 5th grades. *The Magic Tree House: Dolphins at Daybreak* by Mary Pope Osborne. 4 p.m. Mon., July 7, North Dearborn.

**Epic Adventure Book Club:** 1st to 3rd grade. Explore fascinating stories with books like *Bug on the Rug* by Sophia Gholz. After Storytime, we'll get creative by making bugs and butterflies using shaving cream marbling- a fun and colorful craft! 1 p.m. Thurs., July 10, L'burg Main Library.

**Historical Book Club:** Adults. 10 a.m. Weds., July 16, L'burg Main Library. Take a book back in time! This month we will be reading *On Hallowed Ground: The Story of Arlington National Cemetery* by Robert M. Poole.

**Books for Dessert:** Adults. 2:30 p.m. or 5:30 p.m. Thurs., July 17, North Dearborn Branch. Discuss the book while enjoying dessert. *Beach Read* by Emily Henry.

**Book Buzz Book Club:** 3rd to 6th grade. *Dog Man* by Dav Pilkey. Discuss the book, then draw your favorite character. Enjoy tasty Scooby Snacks while testing your knowledge with fun Dog Man trivia. 2 p.m. Tues., July 22, L'burg Main Library.

**Book Chat:** Adults. 10:30 a.m. Mon., July 28, L'burg Main Library. Monthly book discussion group. *Hello Beautiful* by Ann Napolitano. William Waters grew up in a house silenced by tragedy, his parents barely looked at him, much less love him- so when he meets the spirited and ambitious Julia Padavano in his freshman year of college, it's as if the world has lit up.

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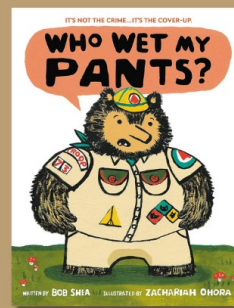
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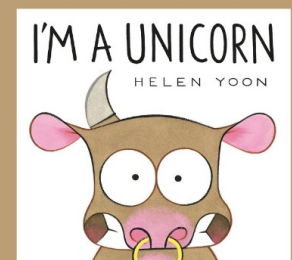
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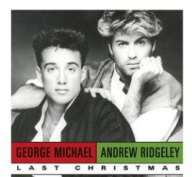
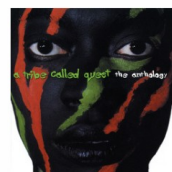
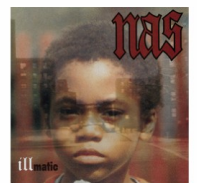
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