



February 2022

Library News & Events

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30 Years at the Kendallville Library

We would like to take a moment to announce the bittersweet retirement of our business manager, Janice Delong. She has been a vital part of the Kendallville Library for 30 years. Serving under many different directors, Janice's career started at the circulation desk when the KPL was located on Rush Street. Janice helped build and develop our programs and ensured that our current building was everything we dreamed of. Janice played no small role in making The Kendallville Library the vital community hub that it is today.

In addition to serving our community at the KPL, Janice has been involved in a number of other community events. She planned and executed an adoption event for the humane shelter in addition to orchestrating several successful "Ladies Night Out" shopping events. While Janice will be dearly missed as an employee of the library, we are excited to send her off into a well-deserved retirement!



"She helped with programs in each department whenever we were shorthanded. If the adults were shifting books, Janice was there. If teens needed help with outdoor games, Janice was there. If the program involved animals in the library, she was definitely there! If a staff member was going through a difficult time Janice arrived with flowers or helped with a care package. Her professional character exudes honesty and integrity."

- Anita Brown,
KPL Technical Services

Blind Date with a Book



Throughout the month of February you will be able to come to the library to participate in a "Blind Date with a Book." Read the clues on the outside of the book or DVD to pick which one seems right for you. Then take it home to unwrap it! This program is for everyone. We will have books and DVDs for youth, teens and adults.

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NEW LIBRARY ITEMS

The library will have a lot of fun items available in February. Stop by the Cortex and use our new typewriter. Although it will not be available for checkout, we will provide everything you need to type a letter to a friend, make a list, or type out one of your favorite quotes to give it a vintage feel!

Our Lego collection continues to grow! You could build a haunted house complete with a working elevator! In addition to this we have a boutique hotel, a Minion, and the London Bridge available to checkout.

New DVDs include *Ghostbusters: Afterlife*, *House of Gucci*, and Season 3 of *Cobra Kai*. We will also have many new art prints available.

These are just a few highlights of the many new items available in February, so make sure you stop in and see what is new! For even more new DVDs or books, look on the back of the newsletter. If you want any of these items put on hold, contact the library.



WE HAVE FISH!

Have you been in the library lately? If so you have probably noticed that we finally have fish! We have 14 different species living in our salt-water aquarium. Participate in our aquatic observation program. Simply come to the library, choose your favorite fish and write on our "Fish Tracker" to help us track what makes each fish unique! Look below and you will see all the different species making themselves home at the KPL.



Staff Spotlight





All Ages & Family Events | 3

Cortex Projects

All projects are available while supplies last.



No Sew Heart February 1 - 14

Need something for that someone special? Stop by the Cortex to make them a handmade gift!



Garden Markers February 15 - 28

Let's think warm weather! Get ready for spring by stopping by the Cortex to make a garden marker.

FAMILY PAINTS

February 9 at 6:00 p.m. • Kendallville
February 17 at 6:00 p.m. • Limberlost



Bring your family to paint a picture! Join us on the 9th to paint a heart at the Kendallville Library and on the 17th to paint a Winter scene at our Limberlost Branch. Please have an adult present and sign up with the number of people attending.

FREE Adult Events at the Community Learning Center, in partnership with the Kendallville Public Library



Euchre Tournament

Tuesday, February 1 at 6:00 p.m. • CLC

Play Euchre with the Kendallville Public Library for prizes at the Community Learning Center! Sign up in pairs, or as a single and we will match you with a partner.

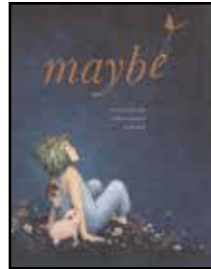


Brunch Club

Thursday, February 3 at 11:30 a.m. • CLC

Seniors, join us for brunch and games! Registration is required.

ADVENTURE WALK



Maybe: A Story About the Endless Potential in All of Us by Kobi Yamada

is a about all the possibilities ahead of you. Bundle up and take a walk while you enjoy this beautiful story and its timeless message. This is an inspiring story for everyone!

The Walk in Rome City starts at Grant Park and goes along the Kelly Park. In Kendallville, the walk starts at the front of KPL and then continues in a loop around the library through the west side of Bixler Lake Park. Maps are available here: <http://kplib.org/AdventureWalk>.

**WIN A
LEGO
SET!**

Everybody Builds February 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Kendallville Public Library

Build Legos with your family and friends. There will also be a drawing for a FREE Lego set and it could be YOU that takes it home! This is a free event and no registration is required. Please have an adult present

Family Bakes

February 26 at 11:00 a.m.
Community Learning Center

Come bake brownies with your friends and family! Sign up with at least one adult and the number of people attending.



Budget Friendly Meal Prep

Monday, February 7 at 6:00 p.m. • CLC

Join us as we make tortellini pasta salad. At each event (one per month) you will learn how to make a meal your family will love. Registration is required.



Matt's Book Club: Book of Lost Names by Kristin Harmel

Thursday, February 17 at 6:00 p.m. • CLC

Pick up a copy of our book selection then come to Matt's Book Club at the Community Learning Center to talk about it. Registration is required.

February 2022

at the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
		<p>1 Send a Card to a Friend • To Go KPL • LB</p> <p>Cortex Project - No Sew Heart Today through the 14th</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 5:30 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Euchre Tournament 6:00 p.m. • CLC</p>	2
6	<p>7 Heart Sun Catchers Today through the 12th</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • LB</p> <p>Home School Adventures 1:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Budget Friendly Meal Prep 6:00 p.m. • CLC</p>	<p>8 Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>Baking with Grace 1:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>After School Explorers 4:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 5:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>9 Family 6:00 p.m.</p>
13	<p>14 Tissue Paper Stained Glass Hearts Today through the 19th</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • LB</p>	<p>15 Cortex Project - Garden Markers Today through the 28th</p> <p>After School Explorers 4:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 5:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>16 Everybody 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>Zentangle 6:00 p.m.</p>
20	<p>21 Beaded Heart Bracelets Today through the 26th</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • LB</p> <p>Blood Drive 1:00 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>22 Cricut Earrings 1:00 p.m. • LB</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>After School Explorers 4:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 5:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>23 Rock C 6:00 p.m.</p>
27	<p>28 Heart Magnets Today through March 4th</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 10:00 a.m. • LB</p> <p>String Art Painting 4:30 p.m. • LB</p>		

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Post Branch

Preschool Programs

Elementary Programs

Teen Programs

Youth Programs (K-12)

Adult Programs

All Ages / Family Programs

*The age categories of the programs below represent a majority of the ages for which the event is intended. For specific age ranges for each event, please refer to the more detailed information found elsewhere in this newsletter.

KPL: Kendallville Public Library

LB: Limberlost Branch

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	3 Brunch Club 11:30 p.m. • CLC Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL The Story of My Life 6:00 p.m. • KPL	4 BINGO 1:00 p.m. • LB Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL	5
Paints . • KPL	10 After School Explorers 4:00 p.m. • LB Modge Podge Guitar 4:00 p.m. • KPL Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL BINGO 6:00 p.m. • KPL	11 Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL	12
dy Builds n. • KPL ngle® n. • KPL	17 Chocolate Milkshakes 4:00 p.m. • KPL Matt's Book Club 6:00 p.m. • CLC Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL Family Paints 6:00 p.m. • LB	18 Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL	19
oaster . • KPL	24 After School Explorers 4:00 p.m. • LB Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL UNO Night 6:00 p.m. • KPL	25 BINGO 1:00 p.m. • KPL Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL	26 Family Bakes 11:00 a.m. • CLC



Dungeons and Dragons

Tuesdays, February 1, 8, 15, and 22 at 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. • KPL
Fridays, February 4, 11, 18 and 25 at 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. • KPL
 This program is open to teens 6-12 and limited to 10 players.



Heart Sun Catchers

February 7 - 12 • All Branches

Youth in grades K-12 are invited to stop by and create a heart shaped sun catcher. This will be set up in the activity room. This program is free and available while supplies last. This will also be available at the Limberlost Branch while supplies last.



Home School Adventures

Monday, February 7 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL

Home Schoolers of all ages are invited to join us as we explore Polymoldable plastics. We'll learn how to use this fun, reusable medium and then design our own creations. This program is free and no registration is required.



After School Explorers • Simple Circuits

Tuesday, February 8 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL

Thursday, February 10 at 4:00 p.m. • LB

Kids in grades K-5 are invited to join us as we explore simple circuits. We'll learn how to create a simple circuit and then design our own lit up creation. This program is free and no registration is required.



Mod Podge Guitar

Thursday, February 10 at 4:00 p.m.

Teens (Grades 6-12) are invited to help us Mod Podge a guitar. Everyone who participates will be put in a drawing to win the guitar. This program is free and no registration is required.



Tissue Paper Stained Glass Hearts

February 14 - 19 • All Branches

Youth in grades K-12 are invited to stop by and create a tissue paper stained glass heart. This will be set up in the activity room. This program is free and available while supplies last. A grab and go option will be available at the Limberlost Branch.



After School Explorers - Pudgy Pies

Tuesday, February 15 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL

Kids in grades K-5 are invited to join us for a pudgy pie cooking program. We'll create our own delicious pudgy pies and then try them out. This program is free and no registration is required.



Chocolate Milkshakes

Thursday, February 17 at 4 - 6 p.m. • KPL

Teens (Grades 6-12) are invited to join us to create some chocolate milkshakes. We'll have a variety of toppings to choose from. This program is free and no registration is required.



Beaded Heart Bracelets

February 21 - 26 • All Branches

Youth in grades K-12 are invited to stop by and create a beaded heart bracelet. This will be set up in the activity room. This program is free and available while supplies last. A grab and go option will be available at the Limberlost Branch.



After School Explorers • Games

Tuesday, February 22 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL

Thursday, February 24 at 4:00 p.m. • LB

Kids in grades K-5 are invited to join us for some after school games. We'll also make some popcorn to snack on. This program is free and no registration is required.



Heart Magnets

February 28 - March 4 • All Branches

Youth in grades K-12 are invited to stop by and create a heart magnet. This will be set up in the activity room. This program is free and available while supplies last. A grab and go option will be available at the Limberlost Branch.

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

February Story Times

Kendallville Public Library
on the lower level

Tuesdays at 10 a.m.
February 1, 8, 15 & 22

Thursdays at 6 p.m.
February 3, 10, 17 & 24

Limberlost

in the large meeting room

Mondays at 10 a.m.
February 7, 14
21 & 28

STORIES, CRAFTS & ACTIVITIES !



Adult Events | 7



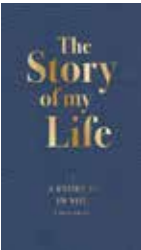
Send a Card to a Friend - Take and Make **Tuesday, February 1 • All Branches**

Stop in to get a kit with all the supplies you need to send a card to a friend to celebrate National Send a Card to a Friend Day on February 7. These kits are available first come first serve.



Cortex Project - No Sew Heart **February 1 - 14 • All Branches**

Stop in the Cortex to make a no sew heart. This craft is available while supplies last.



The Story of My Life: Write Your Own Memoir **Thursday, February 3 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL**

Join Matt for a memoir workshop that will provide journal prompts and resources to record the story of your life! Participants will each receive an autobiographical notebook to create a keepsake that can be passed through your family. Registration is required.



BINGO

Friday, February 4 at 1:00 p.m. • LB
Thursday, February 10 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL
Friday, February 25 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL

Join us for a fun-filled hour of BINGO and win prizes! Registration is required.



Baking with Grace

Tuesday, February 8 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL

Join Grace each week to bake a different recipe. Registration is required.



Family Paints - Heart

Wednesday, February 9 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Sign up with at least one adult to come paint a heart. Please sign up with the number of participants coming.



Everybody Builds

Wednesday, February 16 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL

People of all ages are invited to join us for a night of building with Legos. There will be a drawing at the end of the program where someone will win a Lego set. This program is free and no registration is required. Please have an adult with each group.



Cortex Project - Garden Markers **February 15 - 28 • All Branches**

Get ready for Spring by making a garden marker. This craft is available while supplies last.



Blood Drive

Monday, February 21 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL

Come to the library to donate blood with the Red Cross. Register through the Red Cross.



Zentangle® with Jane Rhea **Embedded Letters Bookmark**

Wednesday, February 16 at 6 :00 p.m. • KPL

Learn to tangle around a simple hand drawn letter to make a gift worthy bookmark. Registration is required.



Family Bakes

Saturday, February 26 at 11:00 a.m. • CLC

Come bake brownies with your friends and family! Sign up with at least one adult and the number of people attending.



Family Paints - Winter Theme

Thursday, February 17 at 6:00 p.m. • LB

Paint a winter themed piece of artwork. Please sign up with the number of participants coming and have an adult present.



Cricut Earrings

Tuesday, February 22 at 1:00 p.m. • LB

Join Grace and learn to make earrings using the Cricut! Registration is required.



Rock Coaster

Wednesday, February 23 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Join Madison and make a rock coaster. Registration is required.



UNO Night

Thursday, February 24 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Join Matt for a fun night of UNO. Registration is required.



String Art Painting

Monday, February 28 at 4:30 p.m. • LB

Come to the library and join Madison to make a masterpiece using string. Registration is required.

8 | New Materials



Adult Non-Fiction:

50 States, 50 Campgrounds
by Joe Yogerst

52 Ways to Walk by Annabel Streets

Catch the Sparrow by Rachel Rear

Coach K by Ian O'Connor

The First Kennedys by Neal Thompson

Food IQ by Daniel Holzman

From Strength to Strength
by Arthur C. Brooks

Funny Farm by Laurie Zaleski

The Grieving Brain
by Mary-Frances O'Connor

Half Baked Harvest Every Day
by Tieghan Gerard

Healthy Heart, Healthy Brain
by Bradley Bale

Home Buying 101 by Jon Gorey

More Than Words by John Howard

My Money My Way by Kumiko Love

Nothing to Lose by Judith A. Jance

Plants Are My Favorite People
by Alessia Resta

The Power of Regret by Daniel H. Pink

Princeton Review Toefl Ibt Prep
by Princeton Review

The Savory Baker
by America's Test Kitchen

Scoundrel by Sarah Weinman

The Secret to Love, Health, and Money
by Rhonda Byrne

Welcome to the Grief Club
by Janine Kwok

When a Killer Calls by John E. Douglas

Why Design Matters by Debbie Millman

The Woman Beyond the Attic
by Andrew Neiderman

Adult Fiction:

Abandoned in Death by J.D. Robb

Afraid by Lisa Jackson

Asking for a Friend by Andi Osho

The Beach Wedding
by Michael Ledwidge

The Berlin Exchange by Joseph Kanon

Blue Fire by John Gilstrap

Bullets and Silver by Nik James

Calder Grit by Janet Dailey

Carmel Pecan Roll Murder
by Joanne Fluke

The Christie Affair by Nina De Gramont

Circus of Wonders by Elizabeth Macneal

City of Dead by Jonathan Kellerman

Clean Air by Sarah Blake

Dark Horse by Gregg Hurwitz

Dawnshard by Brandon Sanderson

Death of a Green-eyed Monster
by M.C. Beaton

The Deepest of Secrets
by Kelley Armstrong

Diablo Mesa by Douglas Preston

Fake by Erica Katz

The Family Chao by Lan Samantha Chang

Find Your People by Jennie Allen

Foundation of Love by Amy Clipston

A Game of Fear by Charles Todd

Good Girl Complex by Elle Kennedy

The Good Girl's Guide to Rakes
by Eva Leigh

Goodbye Again by Mariah Stewart

Goodbye Coast by Joe Ide

Gwendy's Final Task by Stephen King

The Harbor by Katrine Engberg

Homicide and Halo-halo
by Mia P. Manansala

House of Sky and Breath
by Sarah J. Maas

The Lady's Mine by Francine Rivers

The Last Wild Horse by Maja Lunde

The Liz Taylor Ring by Brenda Janowitz

The Magnificent Lives of Marjorie Post
by Allison Pataki

Margaret Truman's Murder at the CDC
by Margaret Truman

Mercy Street by Jennifer Haigh

Moon Witch, Spider King
by Marlon James

The Next Ship Home by Heather Webb

Nothing to Lose by Judith A. Jance

One Night on the Island by Josie Silver

The Pages by Hugo Hamilton

The Paris Apartment by Lucy Foley

A Perfect Equation by Elizabeth Everett

Recitatif by Toni Morrison

Sierra Six by Mark Greaney

The Silent Sisters by Robert Dugoni

The Spanish Love Deception
by Elena Armas

Steal by James Patterson

Think of Me by Frances Liardet

This Might Hurt by Stephanie Wrobel

Until Leaves Fall in Paris by Sarah Sundin

Violeta by Isabel Allende

When the Shooting Starts
by William W. Johnstone

Wish You Were Gone by Kieran Scott

With Love from London by Sarah Jio

Razorblade Tears: A Novel
by S.A. Cosby

Adult Large Print:

Life Flight by Lynette Eason

Abandoned in Death An Eve Dallas Novel
by J.D. Robb

The Christie Affair by Nina de Gramont

Lightning in a Mirror by Jayne Ann Krentz

Ice and Stone by Marcia Muller

Good Rich People by Eliza Jane Brazier

The Woman at the Front by Licia Cornwal

Snowbound with the Amish Bachelor
by Patricia Johns

A Heart Adrift by Laura Frantz

Robert B. Parker's Bye Bye Baby
by Ace Atkins

Quicksilver by Dean Koontz

Never Saw Me Coming: A Novel
by Vera Kurian

Her Hidden Genius by Marie Benedict

The Bombay Prince: A Mystery of 1920s
India by Sujata Massey

A Flicker in the Dark by Stacy Willingham

The Overnight Guest
by Heather Gudenkauf

Guild Boss by Jayne Castle

Well Matched by Jen DeLuca

To Write a Wrong by Jen Turano

An Amish Mother for His Twins
by Patricia Davids

Death at Greenway by Lori Rader-Day

Marry Me, Millie by Amy Lillard

Never Leaves Me by Kazuo Ishiguro

Rakes and Roses by Josi S. Kilpack

Mercy Street by Jennifer Haigh

Seasonal Work by Laura Lippman

The Power of Thank You: Discover the Joy of Gratitude by Joyce Meyer

Death of a Green-eyed Monster
by M.C. Beaton

Diablo Mesa by Douglas Preston

A Game of Fear by Charles Todd

Invisible by Danielle Steel

The Magnolia Palace by Fiona Davis

Nothing to Lose by Judith A. Jance

One Step Too Far by Lisa Gardner

Steal by James Patterson

DVDs:

The 27-Hour Day

Ghostbusters: Afterlife

Boat People

Church People

Home

Settlers

Spencer

Last Night in Soho

House of Gucci

Resident Evil: Welcome to Raccoon City

After We Fell

Deadlock

Apex

The Baker's Son

Doctor Who: The Web of Fear

The Hating Game

Love Affair

Marvel's Eternals

Off the Rails

Shattered

The Slumber Party Massacre

Halloween Kills

A Picture Perfect Wedding

Love's Second Chance

A Country Romance

The Clue to Love

Monday

Mainstream

TV Shows:

DC's Stargirl: Season 2

Dynasty: Season 4

Vienna Blood: Season 2

Doctor Who: Season 13

Last Man Standing: Season 9

Heels: Season 1

Cobra Kai: Season 3



Kendallville Public Library
221 S. Park Avenue
Kendallville, IN 46755
260-343-2010 Fax: 260-343-2011

Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Closed Sunday

Limberlost Branch Library
164 Kelly St., PO Box 447
Rome City, IN 46784
260-854-2775 Fax: 260-854-3382

Hours:

Monday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday & Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Closed Sunday

