



Kendallville
Public Library

December 2022

Library News & Events

Providing Access to Information...for Life!



Stock Up On *Books*

Winter Reading
December 19 - January 31

Beginning December 19, youth and adults may stop by either library branch to pick up their Winter Reading bookmark. Follow the directions on the back of the bookmark and once complete return it to the library. All participants will be awarded a prize for their first completed bookmark. Adults may choose a pair of fuzzy or cotton KPL socks. Youth may pick from a variety of prizes each time they return a bookmark. Every completed bookmark counts as an entry for one of our grand prizes - so complete multiple bookmarks to increase your chances of winning! Our grand prizes include themed baskets for adults and youth. We will also be do a family grand prize, a \$200 gift card to the Great Wolf Lodge! Do not miss out on one Winter Reading so go to either Library location and get your bookmark!

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*Merry
Christmas*

Holiday Hours:
The Kendallville Library
and its Limberlost Branch
will be closed Dec. 23 - 26.

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LIBRARY OF THINGS

Don't buy...borrow!

The Kendallville Public Library offers a variety of "things" you probably need and allows you to borrow them instead of buying! Want to try out an air fryer before you gift one this holiday season? Check out ours! Only need a stand mixer or a DSLR camera for your holiday get together? Borrow them from us! Christmas décor? We have you covered! We have crafting and cooking supplies, games, fitness gear, home supplies and décor, Lego sets, music, tech items and tools. All of these "things" are FREE for you to checkout! To see a complete list of the items we offer visit our website and click on the "Library of Things" link. You can also stop in one of our library locations to view the items that are available!

Holiday Market

Saturday, December 3
at the Community Learning Center
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Get in the holiday spirit by stopping by the Holiday Market at the CLC. There will be over 65 vendors, a gift wrapping station, food for sale and more! Make sure to visit the KPL booth to get a free cup of hot chocolate!



ADVENTURE WALK



Get out in the fresh Winter air and read Maple and Willow's Christmas Tree by **Nori Nichols**. Maple and Willow love trees—and now they are getting their first real Christmas tree. It is going to be the best Christmas ever! After

a snowy expedition to pick out the perfect tree, it's time to decorate. But whenever Maple gets near the tree, she starts sniffing and sneezing. Could she really be allergic to the perfect Christmas tree? And if so, how will the girls find a way to make this the best Christmas after all?

The Walk in Rome City starts at Grant Park and travels along 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>.

Staff Spotlight



Madison Tyndall, Adult Services Assistant

"There's nothing like the satisfaction of helping someone find a new, exciting read - that's why I love working at the library."



All Ages & Family Events | 3

Cortex Projects

All projects are available at both branches while supplies last.



Pine Cone Animals
November 23 -
December 3



**Wrapping Paper
Station**
December 1 - 22



S'mores Ornament
December 5 - 17



**Bottle Cap
Ornament**
December 19 - 22



Family Movie

The Santa Clause

Wednesday, December 7

5:30 p.m. • KPL

Join us to watch the classic holiday movie *The Santa Clause*. Feel free to bring a sack dinner. Popcorn will be provided.

Book and a Break

Monday, December 12 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL

Parents, do you need time to unwind and talk to other parents? Activities will be provided for adults and children. Please let us know the ages of children attending so we can provide suitable activities.



Holiday Party with Santa

Thursday, December 1 at 6:00 p.m.

Kendallville Library

All ages are welcome to join us for a holiday party! There will be crafts, snacks, prizes and fun!

Santa's Coming

Saturday, December 10 at 10:00 a.m.

Limberlost Library

Bring the kids to visit with Santa! There will be treats for everyone who comes. Santa will be at the library until 1:00 p.m.

WIN A
LEGO
SET!

Everybody Builds

Wednesday, Dec. 14

5:30 p.m. • Kendallville Library

Build Legos with your family and friends. There will also be a drawing for a FREE Lego set, and it could be YOU who takes it home!

December 2022

at the Kendallville Public Library and its Limberlost

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

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Cortex Project - Smores Ornament
today through Dec. 17

Yarn Ornament
today through Dec. 10

Preschool Story Time
10:00 a.m. • KPL

Budget Friendly Meal Prep
12:00 p.m. • CLC

Home School Adventures - Snowmen
1:00 p.m. • KPL

Button Felt Ornament
4:00 p.m. • LB

Yoga with Brittany
5:30 p.m. • KPL

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Preschool Story Time
10:00 a.m. • KPL

Baking with Grace
11:30 a.m. • KPL

After School Explorers - Snowy Owls
4:00 p.m. • KPL

Pound Exercise
5:00 p.m. • KPL

Dungeons and Dragons
5:30 p.m. • KPL

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Family
5:30 p.m.

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Last Day to Send a Letter to Santa

Chalk Christmas Lights
today through Dec. 17

Preschool Story Time
10:00 a.m. • LB

Book and a Break
1:00 p.m. • KPL

Yoga with Brittany
5:30 p.m. • KPL

Zentangle®
5:30 p.m. • KPL

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Preschool Story Time
10:00 a.m. • KPL

No Cook Meal Prep
2:00 p.m. • KPL

After School Explorers - Perler Bead Art
4:00 p.m. • KPL

Doggy Tales
4:00 p.m. • KPL

Dungeons and Dragons
5:30 p.m. • KPL

Euchre Tournament
6:00 p.m. • KPL

Board Meeting
6:00 p.m.

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Candle
12:00 p.m. • M

Family
5:30 p.m.

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Winter Reading Begins

Cortex Project - Bottle Cap Ornament
today through Dec. 22

Yarn and Stick Christmas Trees
today through Dec. 22

Preschool Story Time
10:00 a.m. • LB

Yoga with Brittany
5:30 p.m. • KPL

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Preschool Story Time
10:00 a.m. • KPL

Cookie Decorating
1:00 p.m. • LB

After School Explorers - 3-D Polar Bears
All Day • KPL

Pound Exercise
5:00 p.m. • KPL

Dungeons and Dragons
5:30 p.m. • KPL

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6:00 p.m.

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Libraries Closed

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Wood Bead Ornaments
today through Dec. 31

After School Explorers - Sun Catchers
All Day • KPL

Pound Exercise
5:00 p.m. • KPL

Dungeons and Dragons
5:30 p.m. • KPL

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6:00 p.m.

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Preschool Programs
Elementary Programs (K-5)
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
	<p>1</p> <p>Cortex - Wrapping Paper Station Today through Dec. 22</p> <p>Cortex - Pine Cone Animals Continued through Dec. 3</p> <p>Letters to Santa Continued through Dec. 12</p> <p>Christmas Tree Ornament 5:00 • LB</p> <p>Holiday Party with Santa 6:00 • KPL</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Barre with Brittany 11:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>Holiday T-Shirts 12:00 p.m. • CLC</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Holiday Market 9:00 a.m. • CLC</p>
<p>Movie n. • KPL</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Brunch Club 11:30 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>Christmas Brownies 5:00 • LB</p> <p>Holiday Cookie Baking 5:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Barre with Brittany 11:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>BINGO 1:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Santa's Coming 10:00 a.m. • LB</p>
<p>Making urphy's House</p> <p>Builds n. • KPL</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Winter Painting 5:00 • LB</p> <p>Matt's Book Club 6:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Barre with Brittany 11:00 a.m. • KPL</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>Ornament n. • LB</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Pipe Cleaner Snowflake 5:00 • LB</p> <p>Holiday Card Making 5:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>BINGO 6:00 p.m. • KPL</p> <p>Preschool Story Time 6:00 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Libraries Closed</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Libraries Closed</p>
<p>Snowman n. • KPL</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Flat Rock Art 5:00 p.m. • LB</p>	<p>30</p> <p>BINGO 1:00 p.m. • LB</p> <p>Dungeons and Dragons 3:30 p.m. • KPL</p>	<p>31</p>



Letters to Santa
Birth - Grade 12
November 28 - December 12

Kids of all ages can stop by the library, the Community Learning Center or Life and Family Services to write a letter to Santa.



Christmas Tree Ornament
Grades K - 12

Thursday, December 1 at 5:00 p.m. • LB
Come to the library to make an ornament for your Christmas tree.



Yarn Ornaments
Grades K - 12

December 5 - 10 • All Branches
Stop by the libraries to create your own yarn ornament.



Preschool Story Time
Birth - Age 5

Monday, December 5, 12, 19 at 10:00 a.m. • LB
Tuesday, December 6, 13, 20 at 10:00 a.m. • KPL
Thursday, December 8, 15 & 22 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL
Join us for stories, crafts, activities and more!



Home School Adventures - Wooden Snowmen
Preschool - Grade 12

Monday, December 5 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL
This month, we will do a hands on activity and paint wooden snowmen.



After School Explorers - Pine Cone Snowy Owls
Grades K - 5

Tuesday, December 6 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL
After school, come to the library to create a cute snowy owl out of pine cones!



Christmas Brownies
Grades K - 12

Thursday, December 8 at 5:00 p.m. • LB
Create Christmas-themed brownies to share with family and friends.



Santa's Coming!
Grades K - 12

Saturday, December 10 at 10:00 a.m. • LB
Start off the Holidays with a visit to see Santa! He will be at the library until 1:00 p.m.



Chalk Christmas Lights
Grades K - 12

December 12 - 17 • All Branches
Stop by the libraries to create your own chalk Christmas light art.



After School Explorers - Winter Perler Bead Art
Grades K - 5

Tuesday, December 13 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL
After school, come to the library to create some winter-themed perler bead art.



Doggy Tales
Grades K - 12

Tuesday, December 13 at 4:00 p.m. • KPL
Kids are invited to practice their reading skills with Sunny Boy, a therapy dog.



Winter Painting
Grades K - 12

Thursday, December 15 at 5:00 p.m. • LB
Learn to paint a winter-themed painting to enjoy during the cold months.



Yarn and Stick Christmas Tree
Grades K - 12

December 19 - 22 • All Branches
Stop by the libraries to create your own mini Christmas tree.



After School Explorers - 3-D Polar Bears
Grades K - 5

Tuesday, December 20 • All Day • KPL
Youth are invited to stop by the activity room and create a 3-D polar bear.



Pipe Cleaner Snowflake
Grades K - 12

Thursday, December 22 at 5:00 p.m. • LB
Learn to make a snowflake using pipe cleaners.



Wood Bead Ornaments
Grades K - 12

December 27 - 31 • All Branches
Stop by the libraries to create your own wood bead ornament.



After School Explorers - Snowflake Sun Catchers
Grades K - 5

Tuesday, December 27 • All Day • KPL
Youth are invited to stop by the activity room and create a snowflake sun catcher.



Flat Rock Art
Grades K - 12

Thursday, December 29 at 5:00 p.m. • LB
Come to the library to create artwork on rocks.

Programs for Teens



Dungeons and Dragons
Grades 6 - 12

Fridays, December 2, 9, 16 & 30 at 3:30 • KPL
Tuesdays, December 6, 13, 20 & 27 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL
Learn how to play D&D. This is limited to 10 players.



Holiday Cookie Baking
Grades 6 - 12

Thursday, December 8 at 5:00 p.m. • KPL
Teens are welcome to come bake holiday-themed cookies.

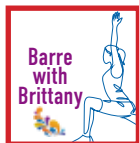


Holiday Card Making
Grades 6 - 12

Thursday, December 22 at 5:00 p.m. • KPL
Teens are invited to come and create holiday cards for their friends and family.



Adult Events 7



Barre with Brittany

Friday, December 2, 9 & 16 at 11:00 a.m. • KPL

Join Brittany, Support Services manager and certified barre instructor, for a workout that focuses on low-impact, high intensity movements to improve strength, agility and flexibility for every body.



Button Felt Ornament

Monday, December 5 at 4:00 p.m. • LB

Make a button felt ornament to hang on your Christmas tree.



Yoga with Brittany

Mondays, December 5, 12 & 19 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL

Join Brittany, Support Services manager, and certified yoga teacher, for an all-levels Flow Yoga class.



Baking with Grace - Rudolph Noses

Tuesday, December 6 at 11:30 a.m. • KPL

This month Grace will be showing you how to make Rudolph Noses for your holiday party.



Pound Exercise

Tuesdays, December 6, 20 & 27 at 5:00 p.m. • KPL

Join Dawn for a full body workout that includes drumming, cardio and light stretching. This energizing class is 45 minutes. Be sure to wear comfortable clothing and gym shoes. If you have a yoga mat, please bring it.



Brunch Club

Thursday, December 8 at 11:30 a.m. • KPL

Seniors, join us for chili and cornbread.



BINGO

Friday, December 9 at 1:00 p.m. • KPL

Wednesday, December 22 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Friday, December 30 at 1:00 p.m. • LB

Join us for a fun-filled hour of BINGO! Participants can win prizes including gift cards, swag, candy, books and more.



Zentangle® with Jane Rhea

Monday, December 12 at 5:30 p.m. • KPL

We will explore variations of the first tangle you learned, a Crescent Moon. Come and enjoy the easy drawing of a simple tangle with endless possibilities!



No Cook Meal Prep

Tuesday, December 13 at 2:00 p.m. • KPL

Join us each week for a no cook meal prep idea. This month we will be making a kale barley salad.



Euchre Tournament

Tuesday, December 13 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Join KPL for a fun and friendly euchre tournament. Bring a partner or we will find you one. Winners will also receive a prize (and bragging rights).



Candle Making with Murphy's Town House

Wednesday, December 14 at 12:00 p.m. • Murphy's House

Learn to make a candle with Murphy's Townhouse. Everyone will go home with their own candle.



Matt's Book Club - *The 13th Gift*

Thursday, December 15 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Pick up a copy of our current book selection *The 13th Gift*, then come to Matt's Book Club to talk about it.



Cookie Decorating

Tuesday, December 20 at 1:00 p.m. • LB

Join us to decorate cookies. Bring containers to take them home.



Gnome Ornament

Wednesday, December 21 at 6:00 p.m. • LB

Learn to make a gnome ornament to put on your tree or gift to a friend!



No Sew Sock Snowman

Wednesday, December 28 at 6:00 p.m. • KPL

Make a cute winter decoration out of a sock.

ADULT AND FAMILY EVENTS AT THE COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER



Holiday T-Shirts

Friday, December 2 at 12:00 p.m. • CLC

Need something to wear during the holidays? Bring your own shirt to make a holiday shirt using the Cricut.



Budget Friendly Meal Prep

Monday, December 5 at 12:00 p.m. • CLC

Learn to make a winter casserole. At each event (one per month) you will learn how to make a meal your family will love. Registration is required. Must be 18+.



Adult Fiction:

All That We Are by Mariah Stewart
Chasing Your Tail by Kate McMurray
City of Fortune by Victoria Thompson
Come from Away by Genevieve Graham
A Dangerous Business by Jane Smiley
A Dash of Salt and Pepper by Kosoko Jackson
Devil's Delight by M.C. Beaton
The Dressmakers of Prospect Heights by Kitty Zeldis
A Fire Endless by Rebecca Ross
Home of the Heart by Carolyn Brown
How to Win a Wallflower by Samara Parish
Judas 62 by Charles Cumming
The Key to My Heart by Lia Louis
Lady Whistledown Strikes Back by Julia Quinn
The Last Invitation by Darby Kane
The Light Pirate by Lily Brooks-Dalton
The Lipstick Bureau by Michelle Gable
The Many Dates of Indigo by Amber Samuel
The Marriage List by Ella Quinn
A Mother Would Know by Amber Garza
Ms. Demeanor by Elinor Lipman
My Darkest Prayer by S.A. Cosby
Never Cross Highlander by Lisa Rayne
Night Shift by Robin Cook
One Last Secret by Adele Parks
Preacher's Purge by William W. Johnstone
The Secret Society of Salzburg by Renee Ryan
The Sister of Sea View by Julie Klassen
Stella Maris by Cormac McCarthy
Three Cowboys and a Baby by Kate Pearce
Three-Edged Sword by Jeffry P. Lindsay
To Get to the Other Side by Kelly Ohlert
Tom Clancy Red Winter by Marc Cameron
Twice in a Lifetime by Melissa Baron
The Union by Leah Vernon
W.E.B. Griffin The Devil's Weapons by Peter Kirsanow
The Wedding Ranch by Nancy Naigle
Well Traveled by Jen Deluca
Wicked Dreams by Lisa Jackson
A Wicked Game by Kate Bateman
Witcha Gonna Do? by Avery Flynn

Adult Nonfiction:

100 Plants to Feed the Birds by Laura Erickson
100 Things to See in the National Parks by Stefanie Payne
2023 Good Sam Campground and Coupon Guide by Good Sam Enterprises

2023 Standard Catalog of Fire Arms

by Jim Supica
Android Smartphones for Dummies by Jerome Dimarzio
The Blue Zones American Kitchen by Dan Buettner
Downshiftology Healthy Meal Prep by Lisa Bryan
Every Landlord's Tax Deduction Guide by Stephen Fishman
Fast Like a Girl by Mindy Pelz
Whole House Storage & Organizing by Family Handyman
Fodor's Essential Egypt by Fodor's Travel Guides
Fodor's Essential Hawaii by Fodor's Travel Publications
GED Test Prep 2023/2024 for Dummies by Tim Collins
The Healthy, Happy Gut Cookbook by Heather Finley
Home Decorating for Dummies by Patricia Hart McMillan
Home Therapy by Anita Yokota
How to Calm Your Mind by Christopher Bailey
Insects & Spiders for Dummies by John D. Stark
Instagram for Dummies by Jenn Herman
Instant Pot Miracle Mediterranean Diet Cookbook by Urvashi Pitre
The Intrusive Thoughts Toolkit by Jon Hershfield
iPhone for Seniors in Easy Steps by Nick Vandome
Laptops for Seniors for Dummies by Faithie Wempem
Moon Alaska by Lisa Maloney
Moon Coastal Maine by Hilary Nangle
Moon Pacific Coast Highway Road Trip by Ian Anderson
National Geographic A Diver's Guide to the World by Carrie Miller
Nolo's Essential Guide to Buying Your First Home by Ilona Bray
The Noom Mindset by Noom
Our Book of Awesome by Neil Pasricha
Overcoming Parental Anxiety by Debra Kissen
Rick Steves Scotland by Rick Steves
Rick Steves Venice by Rick Steves
The Rough Guide to Canada by Rough Guides
The Rough Guide to Mexico by Rough Guides
The Sears Baby Book by William Sears
The Sewing Guide to Cancer and Other Pesky Long Term Illness by Heather Grant
Stranger Things by Michael Moreci
The Swedish Art of Aging Exuberantly by Margareta Magnusson

Taste of Home Recipes Makeovers

by Taste of Home
Teach Yourself Visually iPhone 14 by Guy Hart-Davis
Thriving in Relationships When You Have OCD by Amy Mariaskin
The Unofficial Guide to the Disney Cruise Line 2023 by Erin Foster
The Unofficial Guide to Walt Disney World with Kids 2023 by Bob Sehlinger
Why We Meditate by Daniel Goleman

Adult Large Print

Hunting Time by Jeffery Deaver
The Choice: The Dragon Heart Legacy, Book 3 by Nora Roberts
A Christmas Memory by Truman Capote
A World of Curiosities: A Novel by Louise Penny
Night Shift by Stephen King
Hope Creek by Janet Dailey
W.E.B. Griffin The Devil's Weapons by Peter Kirsanow
Tom Clancy Red Winter by Marc Cameron
The Last Housewife: A Novel by Ashley Winstead
Scandalized by Ivy Owens
Texas Homecoming by Carolyn Brown
Proposing Mischief by Regina Jennings
A Private Spy: The Letters of John le Carré by John le Carré
A Cowboy in Amish Country by Patricia Johns
Wyoming Homecoming by Susan Kyle
All the Broken Places: A Novel by John Boyne
The Lost Ticket by Freya Sampson
The American Adventures: A Novel by C.W. Gortner
The Thread Collectors: A Novel by Alyson Richman
Like the Wind by J. Bengtsson
Elizabeth Taylor: The Grit and Glamour of an Icon by Kate Andersen Brower
Rules at the School by the Sea The Second by Jenny Colgan
Stay Awake: A Novel by Megan Goldin
The Amish Quiltmaker's Unconventional Niece by Jennifer Beckstrand
The Marsh Queen by Virginia Hartman
Ralph Compton The Guns of Wrath by Ralph Compton
Worthy of Legend by Roseanna M. White
A Dangerous Business: A Novel by Jane Smiley
The Reluctant Countess: A Would-be Wallflowers Novel by Eloisa James

DVDs:

Clerks III
 Doctor Who: Power of the Doctor
 Don't Worry Darling
 The Enforcer
 Keane
 The Offer
 Operation Seawolf

T.V. Shows:

Better Call Saul, Season 6
 The Flight Attendant, Seasons 1 & 2
 Ghost, Season 1
 Peacemaker, Season 1
 The Staircase Limited Series
 Star Trek: Discovery, Season 4
 West World, Season 4



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 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

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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.
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 Closed Sunday