

Book Banter



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From the Director's Desk:

Looks and feels like fall is coming on, trees are turning, air is crisp. This is my personal favorite time of year. This is great time to borrow a great book and read, check out your favorite horror flick, or grab a cookbook for Thanksgiving. As always, there is a lot going on at the library, from programs and crafts, woodcarving and coloring for adults to great kids programs like the Afterschool Crew on Wednesdays and storytimes once a week at Rochester on Tuesdays. There is always something for everyone here at your Fulton County Public Library. We are always looking for new, exciting ways to better serve our patrons, so please drop me a line and let me know what you would like to see at your library!

As for what we do, stay tuned and we will be bringing new and exciting things to you in the not too distant future, and as always, we will keep on offering the newest, latest best sellers, videos and music. You might be interested in checking out our electronic resources too- I really love Zinio: e-magazines. They send you an e-mail when the next issue is available, and I never have to return a single thing. We offer Hoopla- a Netflix for libraries, Freegal- free music downloads with your library card, and the 3M Cloud Library- a collection eBooks for FCPL Cardholders only- no wait on most of these items. Learn a language with Mango Languages, or read to a kiddo with Tumblebooks- both for teens and children. The books are great, and the convenience is so worth it- no due dates, no worries. Tempus fugit, so keep in touch and feel free to start the conversation with a friend or neighbor about your Fulton County Public Library! Cheers- Jon

Recently two new signs were erected at the Fulton County Public Library Arboretum: one at the entrance along Pontiac Street, and one at the corner of Fulton Avenue and 6th Street. The arboretum is a peaceful, unique experience for the entire community to enjoy, and the signs make a welcome addition. The Friends of the Fulton County Public Library would like to thank the following groups for their generous funding to help complete this project: Coffel Vending, the Fulton County Community Foundation, the family of James Heyde, and REMC.



Sincerely, Jeannie Haack, President Friends of the Fulton County Public Library

LITERACY COALITION SPELL BOWL

The 16th Annual Literacy Spell Bowl took place on September 29th in the RHS Cafeteria at 6PM.



This year's winners: **The Shopping Guide News** with 54 words!

Tie for 2nd: Akron Elementary & Rochester High School with 52

3rd was Argos Teachers & Friends with 51

<u>A record 38 teams signed up this year!</u>

Thank you for your participation—gives kids a chance to receive free books!

Afterschool Crew Halloween Celebration
With a "Harry Potter" Theme



Wednesday, October 28th
4-5:30 PM at the Rochester Library's Kids Rm.
For information, call 574-223-1013

Nightmare Before Christmas
Teen Party
October 30th at 6:30 PM



Permission Slips by parents required available Oct. 1st.

Like us on Facebook!



Adult Bingo October 1st & November 5th

6-7 PM Mtg. Rm. A & B



Aubbee Branch 7432 Olson Road, Leiters Ford, IN 46945 574-542-4859

October

Kid's Craft Class, Saturdays Any Time 11 - 2

10/10 — Fall wreath 10/24 — Pirate Hooks

Adult Craft Class, Wednesday

10/21 — 6:30 pm Halloween candle

Adult Computer Class

Tech classes with Zak on 2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 5 PM

3-D Paper Craft Class: (open to all ages)

Saturday, 10/10 — 11 - 2 (start by noon to complete) Haunted Semi & train & 2 coffins

November

Kid's Craft Class, Saturdays, Any Time 11 - 4

November 7 — Leaf Chimes November 21- Owls November 25- Turkeys

Adult Craft Class

Wednesday, November 18 — 6:30 pm Recipe Jar

Adult Computer Class

Tech classes with Zak on 2nd & 4th Wednesdays @ 5 PM

3-D Paper Craft Class: (open to all ages)

Saturday, 11/14 — 11 - 2 (start by noon to complete) Pilgrims, Native Americans, & Columbus' ship



The FCPL Libraries will be closed on Wednesday, November 11th for Veteran's Day.



Fulton Branch 7420 Liberty Avenue Fulton, IN 46931 574-857-3895



October

Kid's Crafts — Thursdays - 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, (& Wednesday, 10/21) and 10/29

Storytimes — Tuesdays/Wednesdays 10/13, 10/14, 10/27 10/28

Kindra's Art Shop — Wednesday, 10/21

Zak's Tech Class — Wednesday 10/14 & 10/28

Lego Day — Thursday, 10/22 Game Day — Friday, 10/23 Movie — 10/24

November

Kid's Crafts — Thursdays - 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, (& Wednesday, 11/25)

Storytimes — Tuesdays/Wednesdays - 10 AM 11/3 & 11/4, 11/17 & 11/18

Kindra's Art Shop — 12:30 - Wednesday, 11/18

Zak's Tech Class — 12:30 - Wednesday, 11/2

Movie — Friday, 11/27

"Time is never wasted in a library. Libraries are the keepers of our history as well as the promoters of a literate and well-educated future for the people of the world." - Grace Meeth



Afterschool Crew Schedule

Starting the Week of August 17th.

Mondays—Computer Game Day 3:30 -5 PM
Tuesdays—Preschool Story time 10:30 AM
Preschool Craft 11-3 PM

Wednesdays—Afterschool Movie at 3:30 PM
Thursday—After School Crew at 3:30 PM
Friday—In House Activities

Computer games available and Wii games from 3:30 to 6 PM per day as requested.





Children's Department Schedule Themes for October and November:

Week of October 5th: Cheese

Week of October 12th: Cupcakes

Week of October 19th: Fall

Week of October 26th: Halloween

Week of November 2nd: Sandwiches

Week of November 9th: Veterans

Week of November 16th:

Native Americans

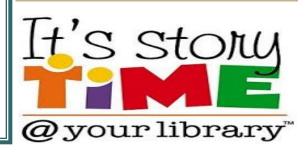
Week of November 23rd: Thanksgiving

Week of November 30th: Families





Teen Party
October 30th at 6:30 PM
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available Oct. 1st.



Adult Events @ FCPL- Rochester

October

Starting Tuesdays, Sept. 29nd thru
October 27th at 6:00 PM
Ball Room Dance
Classes

with Halana Hattery, adjunct professor at IUSB.
Please contact Becky
Williams at 223-1013 for questions or sign up.

November

Book, Bagel, & Brew Meeting Room B Rochester Library





First Monday of each month- 10:15 AM.

November 2nd Memory Man

By David Balducci

December 7th

Mrs. Lincoln's Dressmaker

By Jennifer Chiaverini





October Tech Classes with Zak

Rochester (Tues. 6pm & Thurs. 11am):

10/6 & 10/8 Basic Computing

10/13 & 10/15 Internet Skills, Safety, and

Security

10/20 & 10/22 Buying A Computer 10/27 & 10/29 Smartphones, Tablets,

Portable Device

Fulton (2nd & 4th Wed. 12:30pm):

10/14 Internet Skills, Safety, and

Security

10/28 Buying A Computer

Aubbee (2nd & 4th Wed. 5pm):

10/14 Internet Skills, Safety, and

Security

10/28 Facebook



Need Help?

Reading Help for Adults



Our Fines for Literacy program raised \$530 for the FCPL Literacy Coalition— Great Job! Thank you for your contributions...

Tutors are always needed. Call Gordon 574-223-1008

Woodcarvers Group

Meeting
Thursdays
5-8 PM in the
Rochester
Commons Area



Second Thursday
of each month from
10-11 AM in
Meeting Rm. B.
With Laura Ricketts

Watercolor Classes 2015

If you are interested in joining this group, please, call 223-1013. Meeting the last two Mondays of the month in Mtg. Rm. B.

Grand Hall Art Gallery

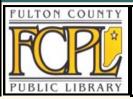
(Sponsored by the Akron Area Arts League)

Fiber Art by Jenna Oke

October 20, 2015

Akron Area Arts League Photography Group

November 18, 2015 Winter Holiday Scenes



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