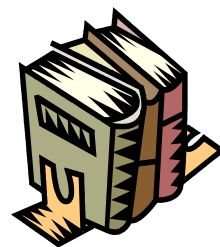


Beyond the Bookends



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April 2017

Celebrate NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK



April 9th - 15th

In celebration of National Library Week and to help our local food pantry at the Marshall County Neighborhood Center, the Plymouth Public Library will accept cans of food in place of overdue fines.

- ♦ For each can donated, one dollar will be taken off overdue fines on a patron's record.
- ♦ Expired or cans without labels will not be accepted.
- ♦ Requested items are tuna, pasta sauce, beef stew, protein items, canned meals, fruit and juice.
- ♦ **NO BOTTLES, JARS OR BOXES WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

DON'T HAVE LIBRARY FINES?

Replace your library card FREE the whole week.

All DVDs will check out FREE the whole week.

CLOSED FOR

EASTER



*Will reopen on
Monday*

Creative Canvas

Follow step-by-step instructions to paint your own work of art using acrylic paint. Fee includes your 8"x10" canvas, paint, and a treat. Instructor will supply pallet, water cup and easel to use while creating your work of art!

- **Saturday, April 15th**
- **10am-12pm** in the **MakerSpace**
- **\$10 per person**
- **Ages 8 and up**
- **Sign up at the Adult Desk**

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Friends of the Library...

Volunteers Needed:

Volunteer opportunities available at the library:

Shelf reading, cutting, pasting, and assembling items, Data entry, Dusting shelves and cleaning books, Providing baked goods, Helping with the children's and young adult activities.



Donations of books, cassette tapes, CD's, DVD's, computer software, etc. in good resale condition will be accepted at the library, during library hours. SORRY, NO MAGAZINES.

All sorts of people belong to the Friends of the Library, especially those who love reading and want others to have the benefits of using a library. The goals of the Friends? Fundraising for the library through a variety of means: book sales, bake sales and our wagon, & wheelchair rental booth at the Blueberry Festival are just a few. We provide money to purchase items needed in the library that are not provided for in the library budget. We provide financing for over 500 children to participate in the Summer Reading program.

The Friends of the Library need your support. BECOME A NEW FRIEND by filling out an application at either circulation desk. There are many ways to help out and have fun meeting new people and making a difference in our community.

Remember. . . "The only way to have a friend is to be one!" —Ralph Waldo Emerson

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT!

AV Department

Video games are available for check out! Xbox, Wii, & PS3 games. Check out for 1 week for \$2 per game, 2 game limit.

Gift Certificates

Gift certificates are available for purchase in the AV department. They are in amounts of \$10.00 for twelve rentals, or \$20.00 for 25 rentals.

Young Adults

2017

Plymouth Public Library Young Adult Summer Reading Program

All students just completed
6th grade through 12th grade

Sign up starts:
Friday, May 26

- * First day to record books: May 27
- * Last day to record books: July 10
- * Recorded books must be presented
by closing on **Wednesday,**
July 12 to be counted.



Auction will be
Sunday,
July 16 1:30 – 3:30



Come join the fun!

► For every 100 pages read, your
Reading Account will be credited
1 (one) Library Buck.
(maximum 100 Library Bucks).

Sign up and record books on the library
website at:

www.plymouth.lib.in.us

Click on "Summer Reading Sign-up"

- You may **only count books** that you have started on or after **May 26, 2017.**
- You may only record a book one time. **No phone-in recording.** All books must be recorded on the Library's website, either from a home computer or at the library on one of our computers.
- You **must bring** recorded books into the library for staff review in order to receive credit for the pages. **NO EXCEPTIONS!** If we don't see you WITH the book you recorded, you **WILL NOT** get credit for those pages.
- No more than 1000 pages may be recorded before you are required to bring the books to the library for staff review; **although you may bring them in at any time, staff may put a stop on your record if you disregard this rule.** You must be prepared for a **random** verbal report. (Those not following the rules will be removed from the program).
- **Books read & recorded must have font type that is no larger than 15 points.** Font templates are available at the library. **Also, no pages with pictures may be counted** (except at the beginning of chapters).

Students registering for Summer Reading Program must live (or their parents must own property) in *Plymouth, Center, Polk, North, or West Townships*, OR have a paid out-of-township card *purchased* at Plymouth Public Library, OR a PLAC card with an additional \$5.00 fee, OR be a reciprocal borrower and pay an additional \$5.00 fee.



Children's Department

LEGO Club **NEXT MEETING**



April 11th

4:00-5:30 PM

Meets in the Guild Story Time Room



Artsy


Babies

Thursdays

9:30 to

10:30

Children's Department



Wonder Babies is Tuesdays

from 9:30-10:30!

If school is canceled or there is a 2 hour delay Wonder Babies is canceled. Thank you!

Check the Calendar of Events for the Wonder Babies schedule.



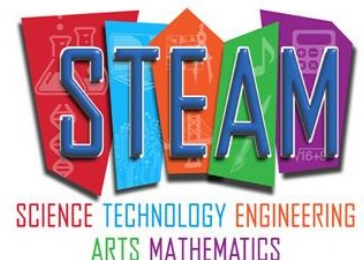
Children's Department



An after-school program for Elementary students that provides hands-on science, technology, engineering, art and math experiences. Don't worry - it's a lot more fun than it sounds! Every Tuesday afternoon, kids are invited to explore new and fascinating subjects like pyramids and hieroglyphics in Ancient Egypt. Maybe we'll look under a microscope and draw what we see or use a simple visual coding language to create a fun computer game.

EVERY WEEK WILL BE A NEW EXPERIENCE!

- **Tuesdays** from **4-5:30pm**
- **Ages 6** thru **12**
- **Guild Storyhour Room**
- **No Sign-up Required**



Children's Department



April 2017
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Children's Department

Happenings in the Children's Department at the Plymouth Public Library



Lego Club - On the second Tuesday of the month Lego club will be in the Guild Room from 4:00-5:30! Open to all ages with no sign up necessary! Legos will be provided by the library for you to build.

Wonder Babies - Tuesdays listed on the Calendar of Events. A Montessori based class for newborns to 4 years old from 9:30-10:30 will be held in Laramore Rooms A and B. After the story children and parents are free to move to the discovery stations.



Book Buddies - Each week Miss Kirsten will read three picture books in The Pit (the area under the skylight in the Children's Room), sharing some of the best stories on our shelves. Every Monday at 6:00 there will be a new selection of excellent stories to share, including old favorites and new classics, from ridiculous to realistic.

On Mondays and Wednesdays PHS students will provide homework help for students. No sign up required. Parents must stay in library if children are under 11 years old.



Story Time with Miss Kirsten or Miss Lynn will take place on the first through the fourth Friday from September through April at 10a.m. and will last 30 to 45 minutes. We will read a story, do a craft, and have a snack! No sign-up is required. We will not have Story Time when children are out of school.

Saturday Family Movie Time @ the Library

On Saturdays at 1:00p.m. for dates listed on the Library Calendar of Events. The movies take place in Laramore Room A. Bring a snack and drink to enjoy while watching the movie. Parents of children 10 and under must **ACCOMPANY & REMAIN** with children.



Dogs at the Library



On Tuesdays from 3:30-4:30 Samantha the Newfoundland will visit the library! Meet, pet, and read to this gentle giant. She loves a good story! On Thursdays from 3:30-4:30 Cutter the Golden Retriever will visit the library! Meet, pet, and read to this gentle giant. He loves a good story!

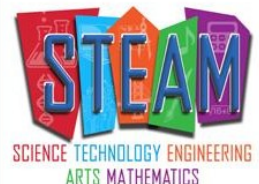
Artsy Babies - A Montessori inspired art time on Thursdays from 9:30-10:30 to let your child explore all kinds of arts and crafts related activities. We have aprons available for the children to wear but please have them wear clothes that you don't mind getting messy! Thank you!



Music Explorers: A Montessori-inspired music group that explores all kinds of music, instruments, and movement. Ages 1-4 on Wednesdays from 9:30-10:30.

Tuesdays listed on the Calendar of Events from 4-5:30. This is an after-school program focused on Elementary age students that provides hands-on science, technology, engineering, art and math experiences. Don't worry - it's a lot more fun than it sounds! Every Tuesday afternoon, kids are invited to explore new and fascinating subjects - maybe we'll visit Ancient Egypt to build a pyramid and learn hieroglyphics. Or maybe we'll take a look under a microscope and draw what we see. Or use a simple visual coding language to create a fun computer game. Every week is a new experience!

STEAM is for kids ages 6-12!



THE COMPUTER LAB

Need some **Geek Time?**

Scan a Document?

Digital Cameras?

New Computer?

Password Security?

Which Antivirus?

Attach File to E-mail?

File Organization?

Set-up E-mail?

Digital Images?

Connect to WiFi?

Write a Resume?

Download E-books?

Cloud Storage?

Word Processing?

Search Engines?

See the Computer Room for FREE one on one instruction!

