

Fun for all at NCPL!



Albion After School Club:

Human - Snowman game!



Craft Therapy at Cromwell: Yarn wreaths!

MARCH 2023

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1 CROMWELL Storytime 10 am and 1 pm	2 AVILLA Storytime 10 am	3 ALBION Storytime 10 am	4
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19	20 HELLO SPRING	21 ALBION Storytime 10 am After School Club at CNP 3 pm CROMWELL Craft Therapy 6 pm	22 CROMWELL Storytime 10 am and 1 pm Café y Conversación 4 pm Yoga 5:30 pm	23 ALBION Tween movie 3:30 Storytime 6 pm AVILLA Storytime 10 am After School, all ages 4 pm Teen program 4 pm CROMWELL Teen program 4 pm	24 ALBION Storytime 10 am	25 Books at the Bar 10:30 am
26	27	28 ALBION Storytime 10 am AVILLA Craft Therapy 5:30 pm	29 CROMWELL Storytime 10 am and 1 pm Yoga 5:30 pm	30 ALBION Book Club 6:30 pm	31 ALBION Storytime 10 am Origami 1:30 pm CROMWELL Movie Night 5 pm	April 1st <i>Breakfast with the Easter Bunny!</i>

NCPL

WHERE COMMUNITY CONNECTS

NOBLE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

MARCH 2023

www.myncpl.us

FOLLOW US ON



ALBION

813 E Main Street
Albion, IN 46701
260-636-7197
1-800-811-6861
Fax: 260-636-3321
M-Th 9am - 7pm
F 9am - 5pm
Sa 9am - 1pm



AVILLA

104 Ley Street
Avilla, IN 46710
260-897-3900
Fax: 260-994-0008
M, W, F 9am - 5pm
T & Th 9am - 6pm
Sa 9am - 1pm



CROMWELL

120 Jefferson Street
Cromwell, IN 46732
260-856-2119
Fax: 260-215-4014
T & Th 9am - 6pm
W & F 9am - 5pm

Wish to receive the NCPL newsletter by email?
See our website!

THRIVE **Master Gardener**

NoblePalooza

FREE! An EXPO to Thrive!

Saturday, March 11, 2023
10 AM - 2 PM
Community Learning Center
401 E Diamond St, Kendallville

www.noblepalooza.com **NIPSCO**

Visit the Libraries of Noble County, along with numerous other exhibitors, for NoblePalooza!

Admission to NoblePalooza is FREE and encouraged for EVERYONE who lives or works in Noble County! Although pre-registration is not required, those who do pre-register will receive an extra entry to win one of dozens of great prizes from our exhibitors and vendors!

Learn more and register at NoblePalooza.com

Avilla Fire Department, Noble County Public Library, and Avilla Parks Department bring you...

1st April 2023

BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY AND EGG HUNT

New this year: Petting Zoo!

Photos with the Easter Bunny!



The Easter Bunny will be transported from the breakfast to the egg hunt via Firetruck!

7 am - 10 am
Breakfast will be served at the Avilla Fire Department
200 South Main Street, Avilla, IN
**Free will donation. All donations will be used towards new equipment for the fire department

9 am - 10:30 am
Live Animal Petting Zoo at the Avilla Community Center, 116 W Albion St, Avilla, IN 46710
10:15 am Sharp
Egg Hunt for ages 10 and under at Eley Park (clown swing park), Albion Street, Avilla



CHILDREN & FAMILY PROGRAMS

ALBION

STORYTIME

| TUES, MARCH 7, 14, 21, & 28 | 10 AM
| FRI, MARCH 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31 | 10 AM
| THURS, MARCH 23 | 6 PM

The theme is Bedtime/Nighttime stories. Free Book Days will be March 14, 17, and 23 and the book will be *Close Your Eyes* by Kate Banks.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB, GRADES K-2

| TUESDAYS | 3-4 PM at CN Primary
MARCH 7 - Kindergarten
MARCH 14 - 1st grade
MARCH 21 - 3rd grade

We will be celebrating National Popcorn Day in March by making different flavored popcorn recipes and playing popcorn-themed games.

AFTER SCHOOL MOVIE, GRADES 3-5

| THURSDAY, MARCH 23 | 3:30-5:30 PM

Join us for a movie about a friendly crocodile that lives in New York City! Registration is required. Please call or register on myncpl.us

ORIGAMI ANIMALS | FRIDAY, MARCH 31 | 1:30 PM

Join us for this fun and educational program, where local Black Pine volunteer, Kendal Josie, will be talking about the animals at Black Pine, followed by a tutorial on making simple origami animal shapes. This program is free for all ages. Josie's amazing paper quill & origami artwork will be on display at NCPL Albion this month.

AVILLA

STORYTIME

| THURSDAYS, MARCH 2, 9, 16, & 23 | 10 AM
The theme is Seasons and Prepositions/Where and When. Free Book Day will be March 23rd. *No Storytime March 30 or April 6 due to spring break.*

AFTER-SCHOOL EASTER EGG DROP

| THURSDAY, MARCH 23 | 4 PM

All ages are welcome to join the Annual Easter Egg Drop! Dye your egg & build a protective vehicle to keep your egg from breaking, then toss it from the library terrace!

| **Passive Craft** at **Avilla** will be a yarn-bearded leprechaun.



| **Themed Play Area**

Get ready for spring! The next play theme will be a Flower Shop.

| **Ley Street Park StoryWalk**

The spring book will be *Over and Under the Pond* by Kate Messner.

CROMWELL

STORYTIME

| WED, MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29 | 10 AM & 1 PM
The theme for March will be *"If You Hold a Seed."*

STEAM CLUB | THURSDAY, MARCH 16 | 4-6 PM

Ages 6-11, join the STEAM Club in painting mini art canvases!

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT | FRIDAY, MARCH 31 | 5 PM

Sponsored by the Friends of NCPL: Enjoy a fun and free movie night with the whole family! The movie will be "Strange World." Please call to register.

TEEN & TWEEN PROGRAMS

ALBION

MARIO KART TOURNAMENT | THURSDAY, MARCH 16 | 4-5:30 PM

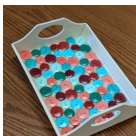
Join us in the Teen Lounge to show off your gaming skills and compete to win a flower trophy! Ages 10-17, please sign up in person or at myncpl.us.

AVILLA

TEEN STEM CHALLENGES | THURSDAY, MARCH 23 | 4 PM

Join us to try some fun challenges! Snacks will be provided. Grades 4+. Please sign up at 260-897-3900.

CROMWELL



TEEN CRAFT & GAME NIGHT | THURSDAY, MARCH 23 | 4-6 PM

Join us for a fun night of board games and crafts. The craft will be button trays. Please register online at myncpl.us or call 260-856-2119.

ADULT PROGRAMS

ALBION

FRIENDS OF NCPL MEETING | THURSDAY, MARCH 16 | 6 PM

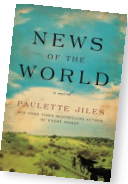
Let your voice be heard - "friend" your library! The Friends group will meet by the Big Window at NCPL Albion.

BOOKS AT THE (COFFEE) BAR | SATURDAY, MARCH 25 | 10:30 AM

Meet us at Grounded Coffee House to discuss the book *The Women Could Fly* by Megan Giddings. (306 S Cavin St, Ligonier, IN 46767)

BOOK CLUB | THURSDAY, MARCH 30 | 6:30 PM

We will discuss the book *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime* by Mark Haddon.



AVILLA

BOOK CLUB | THURSDAY, MARCH 9 | NOON

We will be discussing *News of the World* by Paulette Jiles.

CRAFT THERAPY: DECOUPAGE PHOTO COLLAGE

| TUESDAY, MARCH 28 | 5:30 PM

This is a free program. Please bring 7-10 4x6 photos or email photos to rbonifer@myncpl.us to be printed.

CROMWELL

EVENING BOOK CLUB | TUESDAY, MARCH 7 | 6 PM

The Evening Book Club will be discussing *Run, Rose, Run* by Dolly Parton & James Patterson.

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB | THURSDAY, MARCH 9 | 1:30 PM

The Afternoon Book Club will be discussing *Maus I & II* by Art Spiegelman.

CRAFT THERAPY: PAINTING WITH PEGGY

| TUESDAY, MARCH 21 | 6 PM

Join Peggy from SOZO Art Studio and learn how to paint a beautiful lighthouse! The cost is \$25 per patron. Please call 260-856-2119 to register.



YOGA WITH KELLY MEEKS

| WED, MARCH 8, 15, 22, & 29 AND APRIL 5 & 12 | 5:30-6:45 PM

The cost for this 6-week session is \$30.

CAFÉ Y CONVERSACIÓN | MIÉRCOLES 22 DE MARZO | 4 DE LA TARDE

Ven a la biblioteca para Café y Conversación. Este grupo es para adultos que quieren aprender inglés y practicar hablar con otros adultos. ¡Es gratis!

NEW MATERIALS

ADULT

Breaking All the Rules

| Amy Andrews

Half a Soul

| Olivia Atwater

3D Paper Crafts for Kids: 26

Creative Projects to Make from A-Z

| Helen Drew

The Librarian of Saint-Malo

| Mario Escobar

The Fifth Avenue Story Society

| Rachel Hauck

The Clutter-Free Home: Making Room for Your Life

| Kathi Lipp



KIDS

The Aristokittens: The Great Biscuit Bake-Off

| Jennifer Castle

A Good Place

| Lucy Cousins

Palettero Man

| Lucky Diaz

Room for Everyone

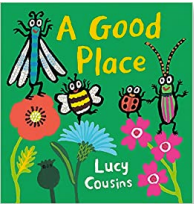
| Naaz Khan

Rhinos at Recess

| Mary Pope Osborne (#37 Magic Tree House Series)

Mel Fell

| Corey R. Tabor



MOVIES ON DVD

The Big Trip | G

Gigi & Nate | PG-13

Lamborghini | R

The Patrick Star Show - Season 1, Volume 1 | Juvenile

Pokemon: Secrets of the Jungle | G

Wakanda Forever | PG-13, also on Blu-Ray



TV SERIES ON DVD

Albion

The Flight Attendant

| seasons 1 & 2

Avilla

And Just Like That | season 1

Cromwell

Reacher | season 1



TEEN

The Stolen Heir

| Holly Black

Chain of Thorns

| Cassandra Clare

Bloodmarked

| Tracy Deonn

Only a Monster

| Venessa Len



LIBRARY OF THINGS - VINYL RECORDS

Dolly: Diamonds and Rhinestones Greatest Hits Collection

| Dolly Parton

Essential Foo Fighters

| Foo Fighters

Forrest Gump Soundtrack

| Jackson 5

Music from "The Lord of the Rings" Trilogy

Mr. Saturday Night | Jon Pardi