

October 2020

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NCPL hours will remain the same for the rest of 2020

ALBION

813 East Main Street
Albion, IN 46701
260-636-7197
1-800-811-6861
Fax 260-636-3321

**Monday,
Wednesday & Friday**
9 am - 5 pm

Tuesday & Thursday
9 am - 6 pm

AVILLA

104 Ley Street
Avilla, IN 46710
260-897-3900
Fax 260-994-0008

**Monday,
Wednesday & Friday**
9 am - 5 pm

Tuesday & Thursday
9 am - 6 pm

CROMWELL

120 Jefferson Street
Cromwell, IN 46732
260-856-2119
Fax 260-215-4014

Tues. & Thurs.
9 am - 6 pm

Wednesday & Friday
9 am - 5 pm

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

The Bridge set to reopen this month

NCPL Albion's *The Bridge* Makerspace room will be reopening after a six-month closure due to the COVID-19 pandemic on Thursday, October 15. The weekly hours are as follows:

Monday: Walk in - 9am to 12pm
Tuesday: Closed
Wednesday: Appointment only - 10am to 12 pm and 2pm to 4pm
Thursdays: Walk in - 3pm to 6pm
Friday: Walk in - 9am to 12pm
Saturday: Closed

FAXING PRICES REDUCED!

All NCPL branches have lowered faxing prices from \$1.00 to \$.10 per page.



Let's Celebrate!

World Animal Day is October 4!

Look inside for details on how **YOU** can adopt your own **Reading Buddy** stuffed animal at any NCPL branch this month!



For a change of pace NCPL Cromwell's children's librarian Cyndi Schlemmer, left, hosted an outdoor story time at the Community Center Park in Cromwell recently. It is just one of the ways NCPL children's programmers have had to adapt to the "new normal" of reaching out to youngsters.

Children's programs

Celebrate NATIONAL DOG ADOPTION MONTH!



Albion



NCPL Albion will be having a **Puppy Adoption** event the week of **October 5-9**. Come in during open hours and pick up **YOUR** stuffed puppy along with some "puppy necessities" while supplies last. Puppy adoption certificates must be signed with a promise to love, take care of and read to your new reading buddy!
Kittens will also be available!

STORYTIME at the PARK

| **TUESDAYS | OCT. 6, 13, 20 & 27**
| **9:15 AM OR 10:30 AM**

Storytime will be held at the Knopp Pavilion in Albion's Hidden Diamonds park. Come for some stories, songs and snap up a **Grab & Go snack and project**. In case of rain, meet in the Cole Room at the library.

P.A.L.S. at the PARK

| **TUES., OCT. 13 | 10 AM** Let's read **Five Little Pumpkins** and **Five Little Ghosts!** Pick up your **FREE** book! Come into the library anytime to get your book and activity while supplies last.

Avilla

NCPL Avilla will be having a **Puppy Adoption** event the week of **October 5-9**. Come in during open hours and pick up **YOUR** stuffed puppy along with some "puppy necessities." Puppy adoption certificates must be signed with a promise to love, take care of and read to your new reading buddy!

VIRTUAL STORYTIME

| **TUES., OCT. 13 | Let's read *Five Little Pumpkins* and *Five Little Ghosts!***
Pick up your **FREE** book! Come into the library anytime to get your book and activity while supplies last.

HALLOWEEN DOUBLE DARE DRIVE-IN MOVIES AT AVILLA

| **FRI., OCT. 30 | 7PM**
Featuring ***Monster House (PG)*** and ***Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark (PG-13)***. You must have a ticket to attend and space is limited. Pick up your tickets at the circulation desk at NCPL Avilla. Wrapped snacks will be provided but please bring your own beverage. Event will be cancelled if the weather is inclement.

Cromwell

NCPL Cromwell will be hosting a **Reading Buddy Adoption** event in honor of **World Animal Day 2020!** Stop by the Cromwell branch on or after **October 6** to adopt a **FREE** stuffed animal pet! At adoption kids must sign an agreement to love, care for and **READ** to their pet daily.
Pets available while supplies last.



STORYTIME at the PARK

| **WED. | OCT. 7, 21 & 28 | 10 AM**

P.A.L.S. at the PARK

| **WED., OCT. 14 | 10 AM** Let's read ***Five Little Pumpkins*** and ***Five Little Ghosts!*** Pick up your **FREE** book!



Teens & Tweens

CROMWELL

TEEN PROGRAM

| **MACRAME ART Make & Take** | Come in and grab a **FREE Make & Take kit** to make your own macramé art while supplies last starting on or after Tuesday, October 6.

AVILLA

TWEEN PROGRAMS | MAKE & TAKE KITS!

| THROUGHOUT OCTOBER

Choose between Make & Take kits, or do both! They include a DIY Baking Soda Volcano and a "Trick or Treat" decorative sign.



ALBION

| TEEN IN-PERSON SPECIAL

| Snake Wreaths!

| **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21 | 3:30 PM**

We'll be doing a **spooooooky** Halloween craft that will be sure to creep everyone out. The program will be downstairs in the Cole Room, where each attendee will get their own bag of supplies to work with for the class, leaving with a completed snake wreath. Can't stay for the class? Grab your snake wreath kit, and go!



Adult programs

ALBION

CRAFT THERAPY GRAB & GO KITS: Cement Pumpkins

Kits will include all supplies and directions on how to create a **Cement Pumpkin**. A short video tutorial will also be available on our NCPL Facebook page (@myncpl). Kits will be ready for pick up beginning Thursday, October 1.

**Adult craft kits will be available on a first come, first serve basis.*

BOOKS AT THE BAR @ El Mariachi Mexican Grill in Albion

| WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7 | 6 PM

Come into the Albion branch to check out your own copy of the group's book, **Where the Crowds Sing**. The **Books at the Bar** meetup will be held upstairs at the restaurant which is located on the south side of the courthouse square. Food and drinks will be available for purchase.

CROMWELL

CRAFT THERAPY: Macramé Wall Art

| TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20 | 6 PM

Call to register as there is limited space for the in-person class. An Adult/Teen Make & Take Macramé Art project will be available on or after October 6.



CROMWELL EVENING BOOK CLUB

| MONDAY, OCTOBER 5 | 6 PM

This month's book is **Straw into Gold, Fairy Tales Re-Spun**, by Hilary McKay.

YOGA WITH KELLY MEEKS

| WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28 | 5:30 PM

A new six-week session will run from October 28 through November 18 and December 2 through 9.



AVILLA

CRAFT THERAPY "TO GO"

Handwoven Candy Corn coasters and Hello Pumpkin canvas banner

| THROUGHOUT MONTH OF OCTOBER



BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

ALBION | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22 | 6:30 PM

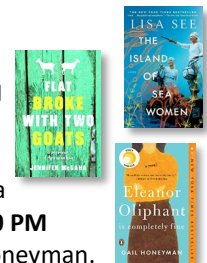
The Island of Sea Women by Lisa See

AVILLA | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8 | NOON

Flat Broke with Two Goats by Jennifer McGana

CROMWELL | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15 | 1:30 PM

Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine by Gail Honeyman.



New materials

ADULT

40 Projects for Building Your Backyard Homestead

| by David Toht

The Midwife Murders

| by James Patterson

The Mockingbird's Song

| by Wanda E. Brunstetter

No Offense

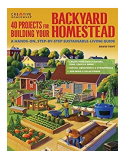
| by Meg Cabot

A Private Cathedral

| by James Lee Burke

Smoke Screen

| by Terri Blackstock



TEEN

Majesty (American Royals 2)

| by Katherine McGee

Deadpool's Secret

Secret Wars

(graphic novel) | by Cullen Bunn

The Final Six

| by Alexandra Monir

Lies You Never Told Me

| by Jennifer Donaldson

Poe Dameron:

Black Squadron

(Star Wars graphic novel)



by Charles Soule Two Dark Reigns

(Three Dark Crowns #3)

| by Kendare Blake

KIDS

Diary of an 8-Bit Warrior

| by Cube Kid

It Came in the Mail

| by Ben Clanton

My Dog's a Chicken

| by Montanari & Wilsdorf

The Puppet's Payback

and other Chilling Tales

| by Mary Downing Hahn

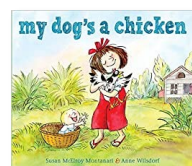
The Wolves Who

Came to Dinner

| by Steve Smallman

Weasel is Worried

| by Ciara Gavin



MOVIES ON DVD

The High Note | PG-13

Irresistible | R

Love Under

the Rainbow | PG

The Outpost | R

Shimmer and Shine:



Glitter Magic! (kids' movie)

Paw Patrol: Dino Rescue (kids' movie)

TV SERIES

ALBION:

Chesapeake Shores

| season 3

Fear of the

Walking Dead

| season 5

Young Sheldon

| season 3



AVILLA:

Chicago P.D.

| season 7

Jack Ryan

| season 2

Titans

| season 2



CROMWELL:

Blindspot

| season 4

Blue Bloods

| seasons 10

The 100

| season 6



NCPL Halloween

Thursday, October 29

**Grab & Go
Family
Fun Kits!**

NCPL ALBION

is providing a safe way to enjoy Halloween this year! Pick up a **2020 Hogwarts Halloween Family Fun Kit** which includes a scavenger hunt, Muggle candy, activity pages, Polyjuice Potion slime and **MUCH** more! Choose one of two pick-up times: **10am-12pm OR 4pm-6pm** and look for the Potter-costumed NCPL staff in the library parking lot.

Feel free to dress up in **YOUR** Halloween costume!

**One kit per family please*

**CREEPY
Curbside!**

NCPL AVILLA

10-11 am & 5-7 pm

GOODIE GRAB! *Wear your costume * Costume Parade
* Photo Ops * Story Walk

**Goodie bags will contain
crafts, candy and other treats!**

**MONSTER MASH
Goodie Grab!**

NCPL CROMWELL

10-noon & 4-6 pm

Wear your costume * 5 Grand Prize winners * Photo Ops *

**Goodie bags will contain
crafts, candy and
other treats!**

MAKEY-TAKE OCTOBER

Get your creative juices flowing
at NCPL, Avilla



with October take-home crafts(while supplies last)
egg carton spider, feathered owl,
day of the dead and monster velvet art, and 3D folded haunted houses



NCPL
WHERE COMMUNITY CONNECTS

NCPL Avilla 260-897-3900

NCPL COVID-19 Safety Measures Plan is still in place:

- *Sanitizing and quarantining all returned items.
- *Access to multiple restrooms and handwashing/hand sanitizer in each.

- *Social Distance Protective measures.
- *Employee Health screening.

***MASKS ARE NOW
REQUIRED IN LIBRARY**

