

COMMUNITY BINGO **APRIL 10 6-7:30PM** **FREE TO PLAY** **PRIZES & SNACKS** **ALL AGES**

Visit Thorntown Public Library during National Library Week, April 19th-25th!

Adult Spelling Bee Results

Returning champion spellers, team Chester Bee Arthur, once again claimed victory at the library's Adult Spelling Bee. Four teams battled it out for the win. After five rounds the final two teams went head to head, and Chester Bee Arthur squeaked out a victory over Can You Spell Crustacean, winning by just one point.



Special thanks to emcee Tyson Warmoth, who did a great job of correctly pronouncing (most of) our most difficult words, and to our teams and attendees! Next year's Bee is scheduled for March 6th at 4:30.

Earth Day Bag Giveaway

Celebrate Earth Day all month long (and every day!) by picking up a reusable, washable, and roomy cloth tote bag during your next visit to the library. These bags are provided by our friends at the Boone County Solid Waste Management District. This is just one of the many great things BCSWMD does for our community. Find and "friend" BCSWMD on Facebook to learn more about the important work they do.



Household Hazardous Waste Collection April 25

Boone County Solid Waste Management is giving you the opportunity to responsibly and safely dispose of household hazardous waste on April 25, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Boone County Highway Garage at 1955 Indianapolis Ave. in Lebanon. You must be a resident of Boone County, and all waste has to be residential, not business or industrial. Please stay in your vehicle during the event for health and safety.

For a list of accepted items, contact the BCSWMD at 765-483-0687 or visit www.boonecountysolidwaste.com.

LEGO CLUB

April 14th

3:30 pm

BUILD. CREATE. PLAY.

ALL AGES.

LEGOS PROVIDED.



Family Garden Workshop

Bring the family or come by yourself to get advice from Boone County Master Gardeners on your garden on April 20th at 5 p.m. Experts will share advice on what to grow and when, the best advice to get your plants to grow, and how to make it fun with your kids and grandkids. There will also be a germination activity to take home and seeds to start your garden! This program is free and all ages are welcome. Free seeds are available now until June 20th as part of the Seed Library located by the adult circulation desk upstairs. Please take only 5 packets a week, no library card needed.



Learn to Play American Mah Jongg!

Join Haley Husk in the meeting rooms on Wednesday, May 6th, from 6-8 p.m. to learn how to play American mahjong, a variant of Chinese mahjong.

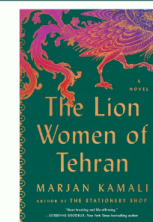
American mahjong is played with four players using mah jongg tiles. The goal of the game is to be the first, by picking and discarding, to match one's tiles to a specific hand from the annually distributed scorecard published by the National Mah Jongg League (NMJL) and American Mah-Jongg Association (AMJA).

Haley Husk will give a presentation on the game and share how to play, and attendees will get to play their first game. All gameplay materials and light refreshments will be provided.

CICOA Senior Lunch Program

Monday-Friday at 11:30, CICOA Aging and In-Home Solutions provides a healthy meal for ages 60+ in the meeting rooms. Coffee and iced tea available daily. Reservations are submitted on Wednesday at noon for the meals the following week. Donations for meals are accepted. Menus are available at the library.

**2ND MONDAY
BOOK DISCUSSION
APRIL 13
1:30 p.m. ROOM 116**



TPL
**"COURAGE, FRIENDSHIP,
LOYALTY, HARDSHIP,
LOVE-THIS NOVEL HAS
EVERYTHING."
-MARY BETH KEANE**

**Past Builds the Future:
Thorntown Heritage Museum Fundraiser**

The Thorntown Heritage Museum is hosting a fundraiser on May 2nd to complete one more phase of the Gillan Barn Restoration Project and support museum maintenance. The fundraiser is from 4-7:30 p.m. at Thorntown Elementary School. The event will feature a catered meal from Shoup's Catering, music by Sugar Creek Big Band, storytelling with former Thorntown attorney David Cook, a silent auction and a historical exhibit. Tickets are \$40, which covers the meal and a donation. Businesses can book a table of 8 for \$400. Tickets are available at the library. For any questions or donations contact Kirsten Wamsley by calling the library or emailing kwamsley@thorntownpl.org.

Think Gourd!

The Sugar Creek Gourd Patch meets upstairs in the library's Guinn Room on the first and third Tuesdays of the month from 2-4:00 p.m. Visitors are welcome and gourds and supplies available. On April 7th and 21st the group will make (or finish) gourd lamps. Some seed flowers will also be crafted. Questions may be directed to Karen Niemeyer at the library.

**EUCHRE
NIGHT**

proceeds will go to:



**Register before
April 24th.
Check in: 5:30
Play: 6:00**

**\$10 buy-in.
Bring dollars
for Kitty.**

**Please bring
food/snack
to share.**

**In
meeting
rooms**

**Singles
welcome.**



**APRIL
25TH**

Coming Soon: Spring Book Sale & Friends Early Access

Friends of Thorntown Public Library get early access to the spring sale! Early Access will be on Tue. May 12th from 5-7:00 p.m. Membership in Friends of TPL is required to shop during this 2-hour window. Memberships will be available at the door for as low as \$10. The Friends of TPL annual meeting will begin at 6:45 p.m. The Spring Sale will be open to the public beginning on Tuesday, the 13th and run until Tue. May 19th at 4:00 p.m. There will be lots of Items to choose from. Free will donation.

NEW - Donate Using Zeffy!

The Friends of TPL are now using Zeffy to accept new memberships, membership renewals, and donations. Zeffy is a donation platform available to nonprofits; donors can pay via credit card or Apple Pay. With Zeffy, the Friends receive 100% of your donation. There are no deductions for credit card processing. Donors will be prompted to make an optional donation to the platform but can opt out during checkout. Additionally, those who join or renew their Friends memberships online can choose to autorenew.

Scan the QR code or visit

<https://tinyurl.com/mwxy9kfw> to

join, renew your membership, or make a donation to the Friends!



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New Materials @ TPL

ADULT FICTION

1. This Story Might Save Your Life. **Crum.** FIC CRU
2. Judge Stone. **Davis.** FIC DAV
3. Agnes Aubert's Mystical Cat Shelter. **Fawcett.** FIC FAW
4. One & Only. **Goo.** FIC GOO
5. Where the Wildflowers Grow. **Harris.** FIC HAR
6. Lady Tremaine. **Hochhauser.** FIC HOC
7. Before I Forget. **Hoen.** FIC HOE
8. The Night We Met. **Jimenez.** FIC JIM, Remember Me #2
9. Keeper of Lost Children. **Johnson.** FIC JOH
10. Kin. **Jones.** FIC JON
11. Theo of Golden. **Levi.** FIC LEV
12. Want to Know a Secret? **McFadden.** FIC MCF
13. White River Crossing. **McGuire.** FIC MCG
14. The Final Storm. **Michaels.** FIC MIC
15. This Book Made Me Think of You. **Page.** FIC PAG
16. It Girl. **Pataki.** FIC PAT
17. Celestial Lights. **Pin.** FIC PIN
18. The Moonlight Runner. **Robards.** FIC ROB
19. Sunset. **Sala.** FIC SAL
20. Midnight. **Sala.** FIC SAL, Crossroads #2
21. Mistakes Were Made. **Score.** FIC SCO, Story Lake #2
22. Such a Perfect Family. **Singh.** FIC SIN
23. Lake Effect. **Sweeney.** FIC SWE
24. The Last Letter. **Yarros.** FIC YAR

MYSTERY FICTION

1. A Very Novel Murder. **Alexander.** MYS FIC ALE
2. The Best Mystery Stories of the Year 2025. **Grisham.** MYS FIC BES
3. Murder Will Out. **Breedlove.** MYS FIC BRE
4. Eleanor and the South Beach Murders. **Yardley.** MYS FIC YAR, Eleanor Roosevelt #2

ADULT NONFICTION

1. The Let Them Theory. **Robbins.** 158.1 ROB
2. In Sickness and in Health. **Mauldin.** 364.14 MAU
3. The Biblio Diet. **Rubin.** 613.2 RUB
4. Life on the Bridge. **Partlow.** 616.85882 PAR
5. The Autistic's Guide to Self-Discovery. **Smith.** 616.85882 SMI
6. Grow Great Indiana Vegetables. **Cohen.** 635.0977 GRO
7. Heartland. **O'Brien.** 796.323 OBR
8. Three African American Classics. 920 BEN
9. Home Schooled Block. 921 BLO
10. The Best Part of Prison. **Crosson.** 921 CRO
11. End of Days. **Jennings.** 979.698 JEN

CHRISTIAN FICTION

1. All Booked Up. **Carlson.** CH FIC CAR
2. The Lies We Trade. **Delano.** CH FIC DEL
3. Plain Jane's Secret Admirer. **Blackburne.** CH FIC HEA, Heart of the Amish #11
4. Scent of Sabotage. **Mentink.** CH FIC MEN #6
5. Hearts on the Fly. **Shiloh.** CH FIC SHI
6. At Morning's Light. **Snelling.** CH FIC SNE #2

DVDS

1. Anaconda. **PG13.** DVD FIC ANA
2. David. **PG.** DVD FIC DAV
3. Grand Prix of Europe. **PG.** DVD FIC GRA
4. Hamnet. **PG13.** DVD FIC HAM
5. Running Man. **R.** DVD FIC RUN
6. Zootopia 2. **PG.** DVD FIC ZOO

VIDEOGAMES

1. Bendy and the Ink Machine. **T.** VG NIN BEN
2. Dinkum. **E.** VG NIN DIN

April Events

Thursday, April 2nd

Toddler & Preschool Storytime 3:30 p.m.
Adventure Storytime 3:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 5th

Happy Easter

Tuesday, April 7th

Sugar Creek Gourd Patch 2-4:00 p.m.
Teen Advisory Group 3:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 9th

Toddler & Preschool Storytime 3:30 p.m.
Adventure Storytime 3:30 p.m.

Friday, April 10th

Community Bingo 6:00 p.m.

Monday, April 13th

2nd Monday Book Discussion 1:30 p.m.
Library Board Meeting 6-7 p.m.

Tuesday, April 14th

Lego club 3:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 16th

Toddler & Preschool Storytime 3:30 p.m.
Adventure Storytime 3:30 p.m.
SCHS Meeting @ Museum 7:00 p.m.

Monday, April 20th

Gardening with Kids 5-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 21st

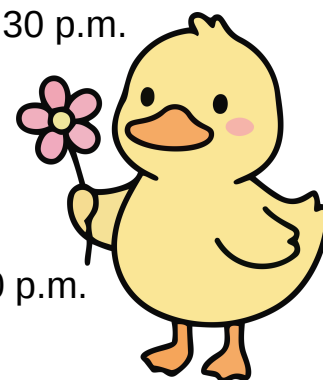
Sugar Creek Gourd Patch 2-4:00 p.m.
Makerspace 3:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 25th

Euchre Night 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 27th

Play with Me 10:30 a.m.



Library Hours:
Mon. & Fri. 9-6
Tue. - Thur. 9-8
Saturday 10-4
Sunday Closed

The Thorntown Heritage Museum is open by appointment only. Call the library to schedule a visit.

Friends of TPL & Sugar Creek Historical Society Memberships

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
E-mail _____
Phone _____

All memberships expire December 31 annually.

SCHS (Museum)

- Member—\$10 (family or individual)
- Business/Organization—\$20
- Sponsor—\$25 & up
- Patron—\$50 & up
- Supporter—\$100 & up

Friends of TPL

- Friend—\$10 (family or individual)
- Business/Organization—\$20
- Sponsor—\$25 & up
- Patron—\$50 & up
- Supporter—\$100 & up

Make Friends membership checks payable to:

Friends of Thorntown Public Library, Inc.

Make SCHS membership checks payable to:

Sugar Creek Historical Society, Inc.

Our Overdrive library is always open! <https://idl.overdrive.com>

Check out our Hoopla collection: <https://hoopladigital.com>

Search our catalog: <https://thorntown.evergreenindiana.org>

To register for Wowbrary visit: <https://bit.ly/3mOPOc2>