


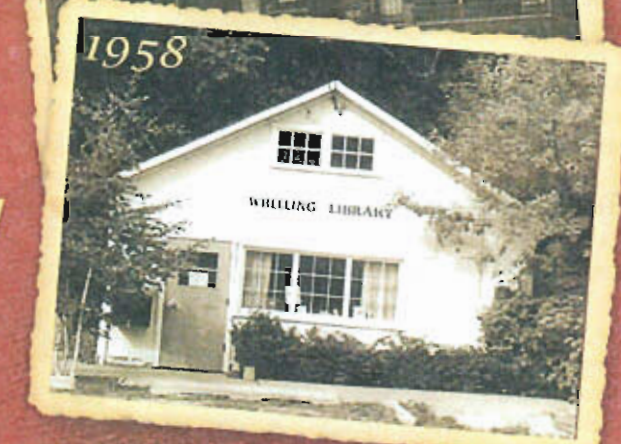
50th
Anniversary Issue



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*Believe it or not, we're 50 years old!
Celebrate with us by coming to the
fun festivities we've planned to mark this
special anniversary!*

50th Anniversary Calendar

Available October 3rd

Keep abreast of all the fun celebration events with the 50th Anniversary Calendar. Get your copy at the "Ask Here" desk so you won't miss any of our gala festivities. *Sponsored by The Friends of the Indian Public Trails Library.*

50th Anniversary Time Capsule

October 3, 2008, to February 25, 2009

Various birthday mementos, including a scroll of well wishes from our patrons will be included. The capsule will be sealed on February 25, 2009, and re-opened in 50 years as part of the library's 100th Anniversary celebration.

Keepsake Quilt

October 3, 2008 to February 28, 2009

Celebrate the library's 50th Anniversary by helping us make a keepsake quilt to hang in the library. *Finished quilt squares will be due at the library by 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 28th.* For additional information on square sizes, color scheme, patterns, and to obtain a backing and batting kit, please call Trish McLaughlin at 847-459-4100. *Adults. R.*

Igby Anniversary Buck

October 3, 2008 to April 4, 2009

For every program or event you attend, earn an *Igby Anniversary Buck*. Five (5) Igby Anniversary Bucks will reduce your fines by \$1.00. *This offer expires April 4, 2009, at our Igby Party! Available for all ages.*

Foundation Gift Bookmark

October 3, 2008 to April 30, 2009

Come in to the library during our Anniversary Celebration and receive a free gift bookmark. *Sponsored and donated by The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library. Available for all ages.*

Encore! Takes You Back to the 50s!

Friday, October 3rd 7:00 p.m.

Join us as we enjoy the musical hits that have endured the last five decades. *Sponsored by the Buffalo Grove Park District, Encore! is an ensemble from the BG Singers. This program is sponsored by The Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library. All ages. R.*



Do The Dewey

Saturday

October 4th

10 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Don't miss a day filled with programs that relate to subjects found in the numbers of the Dewey

Decimal System. *Sponsored by Wheeling Jaycees.* Visit our hot dog stand for free food while enjoying the many presentations throughout the day!

Chocolate Marvels – 10:00 a.m., Front Room

– A tasting and telling about chocolate (600s) *All ages. R.*

Troupe Namaste – 10:30 a.m., Large Meeting Room

– Middle Eastern belly dancing and dances from around the world are performed (700s) *All ages. R.*

Jeffrey Mallow – 11:30 a.m., Front Room

Mallow discusses his book *"Our Pal God" and Other Presumptions: A Book of Jewish Humor* (800s) *Adults. R.*

Lance Brown as Will Rogers – 12:30 p.m., Large Meeting Room

(978s) *Families. R.*

Authors Robert J. Renteria and Corey Blake

– 1:30 p.m., Front Room – Discussion and signing of their book *From the Barrio to the Board Room* (900s) *Adults. R.*

R. J. Lindsey portrayal of Archeologist James Henry Brested, 2:00 p.m., Large Meeting Room

– A discussion of dinosaurs and archeology (500s) *Families. R.*

Gypsy Steve Sodor, 2:00 p.m., Library-wide

– Gypsy Steve Sodor will walk around giving palm readings (100s). *All ages. NR.*

Battlefield Balladeers, 3:30 p.m., Large Meeting Room

– The costumed Balladeers sing songs of the Civil War as they march throughout the library. (900s) *Families. R.*



"Holiday" with Flat Igby

Sunday, October 5, 2008, to Tuesday, March 24, 2009

Pick up your Flat Igby at the first floor "Ask

Here" desk. Take him wherever you go, then bring back a photo with him and you could win a prize. *All ages. NR.*

Fall Fest Run/Walk

Sunday, October 5th

10:00 a.m.

We are joining with the Wheeling Park District for the 5K Walk/10K Run at Heritage Park. Join the Indian Trails walk/running teams or cheer on the sidelines. *Co-sponsors: Wheeling Park District, Indian Trails Public Library, and Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library District. R.*



Family Carnival/Circus Day

Sunday, October 5th Noon to 5:00 p.m.

Colorful characters provide fun-filled entertainment throughout the library.

Susan C. Johnson Animal Show 12:00 p.m.

Face Painting 1:00 p.m.

Magic Dave, Magician 2:00 p.m.

Hot dogs and popcorn will be provided.

All ages. NR.

Bookmobile Birthday Poster Contest

Monday, October 6th through Monday, November 10th

Draw a poster illustrating the theme *"Visiting the Bookmobile."* Winners receive a T-shirt with his/her poster picture on front. *Preschool-8th grade. NR.*

Vote for Your Favorite Book!

Friday, October 10th through Monday, November 10th

Vote for your favorite book of all time. Weekly exit polls will keep you up-to-date on the favorites. *All ages. NR.*

Laurel and Hardy Laugh Fest

Tuesday, October 14th 7:00 p.m.

Jim Bernard shares an hour of great humor and laughter with *Laurel and Hardy*, the greatest comedy team that ever lived.

Co-sponsor: Buffalo Grove Park District. Adults. R.

American Bandstand

Wednesday, October 29th 2:00 p.m.

Celebrate the early years of American Bandstand, the TV show hosted by America's oldest teenager, Dick Clark, with Heather Braoudakis. *All ages. R.*

WW II Combat Photography

Monday, November 10th 2:00 p.m.

World War II Veteran and Combat photographer Bill Lueders shows rare footage on reels produced for the military.

Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library. Adults. R.

A Salute to Veterans

Tuesday, November 11th 11:00 a.m.

Learn how Veterans Day developed from an observance of the Armistice that ended World War I into a day that honors veterans of all wars. Adults. R.



Thomas Edison, from Gramophone to iPod

Wednesday, November 12th 7:00 p.m.

Portraying Thomas Edison, R. J. Lindsey discusses Edison's inventions and his 1,093 patents. A drawing will be held following the program for an iPod. Sponsored by the Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library. Families. R.

Commemorative 50th Anniversary Limited Edition Library Bookmark

Available for sale Sunday, November 16th Sponsored by: Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library District. All ages.



Buffalo Grove Symphonic Band Ensemble Sunday, November 16th 2:00 p.m.

Enjoy marvelous music from classical to Broadway, pop

and jazz performed by the Buffalo Grove Symphonic Band, including a woodwind quintet, brass quartet, and saxophone ensemble. Sponsored by: The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library. All ages. R.

Puttin' on the Glitz

Saturday, November 22nd 11:00 a.m.

Jewelry-making party for teens. A \$6 kit fee is due at registration. Grades 6-12. R.

Teen Yoga and Yogurt

Saturday, November 22nd 2:00 p.m.

Yoga workshop for teens followed by a nutritional yogurt smoothie. Grades 6-12. R.

Afternoon Family Tea Celebration

Sunday, December 7th 2:00 p.m.

Gretchen Her, a certified tea specialist, leads a tea celebration and discussion. Program includes a tasting of teas from around the world, including herbal organic teas for children, and pastries. A tasting fee of \$4 is required at time of registration. Family. R.

Peggy Lee

Monday, December 29th 2:00 p.m.

Jack Diamond tells how composer and arranger Peggy Lee proved that you didn't need a great voice to be a great interpreter of popular song. Co-sponsor: Buffalo Grove Park District. Adults. R.

From Russia to Berlin: A Century of Irving

Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.

January 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th

A four-part series exploring the 101-year life of Irving Berlin. Co-sponsor: Buffalo Grove Park District. Adults. R.

Elvis Presley

Birthday Sock Hop

Saturday 2:00 p.m. January 10th

Enjoy 50s music with our live band. Festivities will include an Elvis/50s Trivia Contest, a 50s Costume Attire Contest, and 50s crafts for the kids to enjoy!

Sponsored by The Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library. All ages. R.



Chess Tournament

Sunday, January 11th 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Where: Wheeling Park District

Cost: \$5.00 Non-rated; \$17.00 Rated

Eligibility: Non-rated (Open to everyone) Rated (Illinois Chess Association Members)

Information: Contact Elva at 847-279-2252.

Indian Trails Public Library partnering with the Wheeling Park District and the Renaissance Knights Chess Foundation. R.

Pie Day

Friday, January 23rd 3:14 p.m.

No matter how you slice it, you can't go wrong celebrating National Pie Day! We'll be sampling and swapping pie recipes. All ages.

Pie Sampling - 3:14 p.m. NR.

"Hit the Troll" - 5:00 p.m. For only \$1.00 a throw, you and your friends can demonstrate your throwing skills by tossing a pie at the Indian Trails troll. NR.

Murder Mystery Dinner

Saturday, January 24th 5:30-6:15

Registration & Cocktails;

6:15-10:00 p.m. Dinner & Show (Snow date: January 31st)

Join us for dinner and a lighthearted approach to solving a library-themed "Revenge at the Reunion." The murder mystery show begins after all guests have been seated. This after-hours event is for adults over 21 only. Seating is limited to 75 people. Registration and program fee of \$50 is due by December 30, 2008.

Promotionals sponsored by The Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library. R.

Sammy Davis, Jr.

Wednesday, February 11th 2:00 p.m.

Known as the world's greatest multi-talented entertainer, Jack Diamond discusses the life of Sammy Davis, Jr. Adults. R.

Valentine and Birthday Cupcakes from Deerfield's Bakery

Wednesday, February 11th 7:00 p.m.

Tim Schmitt, owner of Deerfield's Bakery in Buffalo Grove, prepares and demonstrates the making of special cupcakes to celebrate our 50th Anniversary and Valentine's Day. A tasting follows. Family. R.

After Hours Game Night at ITPLD

Friday 9:30 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.

February 20th

An evening of thrilling competition and entertainment for participants 12 years and older.

Battle of the Bands - Front Room

Racing Game - Small Meeting Room

Team Death Match - Large Meeting Room

Prizes to 1st place winners

Music and food

If you are under 18, you must have a permission slip to play Halo3. Bring your magic cards with you to play while waiting for your turn. R.



Rosemary Clooney

Wednesday 2:00 p.m. March 4th

Are you a Rosie Clooney fan? Me, too! Come On a My House and Mambo Italiano

with us as we reminisce with Heather Braoudakis to the music of this beloved entertainer and amazing woman. Family. R.

Flower Power: Chicago's Top Flowering, Annual, Perennial, and Small Shrub Picks

Tuesday, March 10th 7:00 p.m.

Chicago Botanical Garden's slide presentation covering the best perennials and annuals. See small shrub performers for our area, with new and interesting selections you may not have tried, highlighting ornamental grasses and late season perennials. **Adults. R.**

The Creation of South Pacific

Wednesday, March 11th 7:00 p.m.

Multi-media presentation of photos, graphics, film clips, and memorable hit tunes that made this classic a hot ticket in its 2008 Broadway revival. *Co-sponsored with Buffalo Grove Park District.* **Adults. R.**

Ethnic Heritage Keepsake Quilt

Sunday, March 29th 1:00 p.m.

Unveiling and hanging of the *Keepsake Quilt* at the library. **All ages. NR.**

Dinah Shore

Monday, March 30th 2:00 p.m.

Jack Diamond discusses the career of Dinah Shore, queen of easy listening female singers. **Adults. R.**



Geocaching Adventure

Begins Friday, April 3rd

What's geocaching? It's an adventure game involving the use of a global positioning system (GPS) handheld unit. ITPLD has assembled kits for geocaching local history in Wheeling, Buffalo Grove, and Prospect Heights. The location coordinates of caches are shared and geocachers use the coordinates to find them. The excitement is in the hunt and chase. The reward is all about discovering local history. ITPLD has created two Adventure Packs, each with a GPS unit, a notebook describing each history hike, and a pair of binoculars. **Families. R.**

Thank You to Our 50th Anniversary Sponsors:

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**R = Registration required.
NR = No Registration required**

It's an Igby Party!

Saturday, April 4th 10:00 a.m.

Come and meet Igby, the Indian Trails mascot. There will be lots of fun for all.

Kiddie Party 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Featuring an Igby cake and craft fun.

Children ages 5-7 years. R.

Igby Miniature Golf 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The whole family can enjoy a round or two of Igby miniature golf. Golf clubs, balls, and scorecards will be provided for this fun activity. **All ages. NR.**

Run the Bases with Igby 11:15 a.m.

Come to Horizon Park (next to the library) and show your Indian Trails library card to participate. If you don't have one, you can register for a card at the Check-out Desk. Everyone touching home plate before Igby wins a prize. **All ages. NR.**

Remote-control Car Race 12:00 noon

Bring your own remote-control car to race. Winner will receive a die cast Indian Trails car. **Ages 8 and up. R.**

"Trails Dog" Contest 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Top the day off with a Hot Dog Creation Contest. Try your skill at creating a delicious hot dog, which will be evaluated by three judges. The winner will have invented the "Trails Dog", which will be featured at a local hot dog stand. The winner's name will be listed on the hot dog stand's menu. **Ages 11 and up. R.**

New York Times Best-selling Author Elizabeth Berg

Sunday, April 5th 2:00 p.m.

Wheeling High School

Elizabeth Berg plans to do a "greatest hits" presentation featuring a mix of short readings of passages from various books, some humorous, some controversial. She'll talk about her new novel, and then take questions. She will also be available to sign books. *Sponsored by Baxter Laboratories.* **Teens and adults. R.**

A Japanese Tea Ceremony

Monday, April 6th 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Experience peace, respect, purity, and tranquility as the Anime Club hosts a traditional Japanese Tea. Light appetizers will be served while guests explore the world of Japanese art, calligraphy, and poetry. **Ages 11 and up. R.**

The Boleyn Inheritance:

A Dramatization

Tuesday, April 14th 3:00 p.m.

Barbara Rinella dramatizes the fascinating portrayal of the intrigue, political maneuvering, and emotional upheaval of the Tudor court of King Henry VIII after the natural death of his third wife. *Sponsored by The Foundation for the Indian Trails Public Library.* **Adults. R.**

Mad Hatter Tea Party

Wednesday, April 15th 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

Celebrate your un-birthday, listen to stories, create a party hat, and enjoy some unusual snacks. There will be surprises and fun for everyone. **Grades K-5. R.**

Cemetery Walk

Saturday, April 18th 1:00 p.m.

Walk through the historic Wheeling Cemetery and hear about some of the village's founders and their contributions. This program requires extensive walking on uneven, unpaved ground. For parking information and to register, please call Chris Gibson at 847-459-4100. *Co-sponsor: The Wheeling Historical Society.* **Adults 18 and older. R.**

The Day I Ate Whatever I Wanted

Monday, April 20th 1:30 p.m.

Suzanne Hales portrays three women who rebel against their lives from Elizabeth Berg's latest book, *The Day I Ate Whatever I Wanted*. Share a laugh, the warmth of friendship, and the inevitable changes as we grow older. *Sponsored by the Friends of Indian Trails Public Library.* **Adults. R.**

Commemorative Tree Planting

Friday, April 24th 11:00 a.m.

Celebrate Arbor Day with us as we plant a tree commemorating the library's 50th Anniversary. Refreshments will be served in the Large Meeting Room following the event. *Sponsored by the Friends of Indian Trails Public Library.* **All ages. R.**

Looking Toward the Future Party @ ITPLD!

Saturday, April 25th 1:00 p.m.

Favorite futuristic characters from Star Wars, Star Trek, and the future will be on hand to celebrate the close of our 50th Anniversary festivities. Dress up in a "futuristic" costume and win a prize. Join us for trivia games, a Lego-building contest, and a "What Would You Like to See in Future Libraries?" contest. Winner will be announced at the end of the party. *Sponsored by the Friends of the Indian Trails Public Library.* **All ages. R.**

Think Globally, Act Locally!

Sunday, April 26th 1:00 p.m.

Make a difference in our world starting right in your own back yard! Join us for snacks, a short inspirational introduction and then visit with community organizations in our area needing folks just like you! Volunteering is more than just a good feeling- it changes people's lives! **NR.**



*You are cordially invited to join us in celebrating
the 50th Anniversary of the
Indian Trails Public Library District
at a reunion of the
Trustees, Staff, Friends, Foundation, and Children's Advocates
from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on
Saturday, October 4, 2008
RAM Restaurant
700 N. Milwaukee Avenue
Wheeling, Illinois 60090*

*\$35 per person
Includes Sandwich, Soup, & Salad Buffet and two beer/wine beverage tickets.
(Adults only please. Casual attire suggested.)*

*R.s.v.p. on or before Sept. 24, 2008 to
Chris at 847-459-4100 x. 222 or cgibson@indiantrailslibrary.org*

